

# MLS-800-2 Microwave Landing System Test Set

**Operation Manual** 

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AC OR DC TERMINAL: Terminal that may supply or be supplied with ac or dc voltage.



DC TERMINAL: Terminal that may supply or be supplied with dc voltage.



AC TERMINAL: Terminal that may supply or be supplied with ac or alternating voltage.



DANGEROUS VOLTAGE: Indicates electrical shock hazard due to high voltage levels.

#### **EQUIPMENT GROUNDING PRECAUTION**

Improper grounding of equipment can result in electrical shock.

#### **USE OF PROBES**

Check the specifications for the maximum voltage, current and power ratings of any connector on the Test Set before connecting it with a probe from a terminal device. Be sure the terminal device performs within these specifications before using it for measurement, to prevent electrical shock or damage to the equipment.

#### **POWER CORDS**

Power cords must not be frayed, broken nor expose bare wiring when operating this equipment.

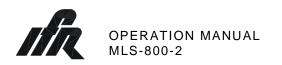
#### USE RECOMMENDED FUSES ONLY

Use only fuses specifically recommended for the equipment at the specified current and voltage ratings.

#### **INTERNAL BATTERY**

This unit contains a Sealed-Lead Battery, serviceable only by a qualified technician.

CAUTION: SIGNAL GENERATORS CAN BE A SOURCE OF ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE (EMI) TO COMMUNICATION RECEIVERS. SOME TRANSMITTED SIGNALS CAN CAUSE DISRUPTION AND INTERFERENCE TO COMMUNICATION SERVICES OUT TO A DISTANCE OF SEVERAL MILES. USERS OF THIS EQUIPMENT SHOULD SCRUTINIZE ANY OPERATION THAT RESULTS IN RADIATION OF A SIGNAL (DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY) AND SHOULD TAKE NECESSARY PRECAUTIONS TO AVOID POTENTIAL COMMUNICATION INTERFERENCE PROBLEMS.





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#### INTRODUCTION - MLS-800-2 MICROWAVE LANDING SYSTEM TEST SET

This manual contains the information necessary to install, operate and evaluate the MLS-800-2 Microwave Landing System Test Set.

It is strongly recommended that personnel be thoroughly familiar with the contents of this manual before attempting to operate this equipment.

#### **ORGANIZATION**

This manual is divided into the following Chapters and Sections:

#### **CHAPTER 1 - OPERATION**

- Section 1 DESCRIPTION (description and functional capabilities)
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#### **CHAPTER ONE**

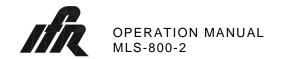
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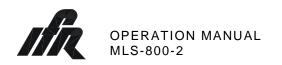
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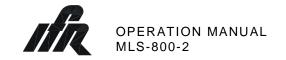




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#### **SECTION 1 - DESCRIPTION**

#### 1. GENERAL DESCRIPTION AND CAPABILITIES

#### 1.1 DESCRIPTION

The MLS-800-2 is a microprocessor controlled Ground Station Simulator designed to operate from a bench test environment. Test parameters are selected via 44-position Keyboard and displayed on Test Operational Menus.

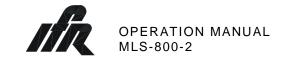
There are five menus in the MLS-800-2 system:

- Master Menu
- Test Operational Menu
- Diagnostic Menu
- Special Function Menu
- Save Page Directory Menu

#### 1.2 FUNCTIONAL CAPABILITIES

- Complete Mainpath Simulation:
   Approach (AZ) and High Rate Azimuth (HiAZ)
   Elevation (EL)
   Back Azimuth (BAZ)
   Flare (FL)
- Complete Multipath (MP) Simulation Capability: Interference Pulses Selectable Fade Rate Modulation of 0.05, 1 and 1000 Hz
- Control of All Beam Parameters:
   Angular Position
   Beam Amplitude Referenced to the Preamble
   Norm and Half Width Pulse
   Selectable Beam Width at 0.5° 1°, 2°, 3°, 4° or 5°
- Sync Capability for: External Monitoring Designating PFE and CMN Function Designating Multipath Function
- Preamble Parity, Symmetry and Percent Update
- Simulates all Basic Data Words plus Auxiliary Data Words with Parity Selection
- Full Range of MLS Channels
- OCI Control for Right (RT), Left (LT) and Rear (RR)
- 75 dB AZ to EL Ratio Capability
   Propeller/Rotor Modulation at 1 to 100 Hz Variable in 1 Hz steps Morse Code Identification Capability
- ARINC 429 Receiver with PFE and CMN calculations
- External RF Reference Input
- Clearance Pulse Simulation
- 6.75 Hz Modulation
- IEEE-488-1978 Interface for Remote Control Operation





#### **SECTION 2 - OPERATION**

#### 1. INSTALLATION

#### 1.1 GENERAL

#### STEP

#### PROCEDURE

- 1. Set Test Set into vertical or horizontal operating position, with lid removed.
- Connect MLS Receiver to RF OUT. Connector.

NOTE: When performing complete Loop Test on MLS Receiver, connect UUT to RF OUT Connector and ARINC 429 BUS Connector.

3. Furnish electrical power to Test Set as follows:

#### **External ac Power**

Connect furnished ac power cable between 103.5 to 240 VAC at 45 to 440 Hz power source and the AC POWER Connector. Set PWR/OFF/ BATT Switch to PWR.

#### External dc Power

Connect furnished dc power cable between external DC power source and DC POWER Connector. PWR/OFF/BATT Switch to PWR.

#### **Internal Battery Operation**

Press PWR/OFF/BATT Switch to BATT. (This is a momentary springloaded switch to OFF.) When operating Test Set on battery, internal timer interrupts power after approximately ten minutes. PWR/OFF/BATT Switch to BATT to restore power.

NOTE: Low voltage detect circuit switches TEST SET OFF before performance is affected by low battery voltage.

#### 1.2 SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Listed are several safety precautions which must be observed installation and operation. IFR assumes no liability for failure to comply with any precautions outlined in this safetv manual.

#### 1.2.1 Complying with Instructions

Installation/operating personnel should not attempt to install or operate the Test Set without reading and complying with all instructions contained in this manual. All procedures must be performed in exact sequence and manner described.

#### 1.2.2 Grounding Requirements

To minimize shock hazard, all equipment chassis and cabinets must be connected to electrical ground. All IFR test sets are equipped with a standard three-prong power cable which must be connected to a properly grounded three-prong wall It is the customer's receptacle. responsibility to:

- Have a qualified electrician check wall receptacle(s) for proper grounding.
- Replace any standard two-prong wall receptacle(s) with properly grounded three-prong receptacle(s).

WARNING:

DO NOT USE A THREE-PRONG TO TWO-PRONG ADAPTER PLUG. DOING SO **CREATES A SHOCK** HAZARD BETWEEN THE CHASSIS AND

**ELECTRICAL GROUND.** 

#### 1.2.3 Operating Safety

Due to presence of potentially lethal voltages within Test Set, operating personnel must not remove top or bottom covers at any time.

#### 1.2.4 CAUTION and WARNING Labels

Extreme care should be exercised when performing any operations preceded by a CAUTION or WARNING label. CAUTION where possibility of labels appear damage to equipment exists and WARNING labels denote conditions where bodily injury or death may result.

#### 1.3 INSTALLATION AND OPERATING **PRECAUTIONS**

CAUTION: DO NOT APPLY ANY

SIGNALS INTO TEST SET OTHER THAN THOSE **DEFINED IN THE OPERATING** 

INSTRUCTIONS.

DO NOT OPERATE CRT CAUTION:

DISPLAY WITH EXCESSIVE

INTENSITY.

CAUTION: DO NOT APPLY RF SOURCE

TO RF OUT CONNECTOR.

**CAUTION:** TO PROVIDE MAXIMUM

PROTECTION OF NON-**VOLATILE MEMORY** CONTENTS, DO NOT RAPIDLY CYCLE POWER ON AND OFF. ALLOW A MINIMUM OF ONE SECOND BETWEEN ON/OFF CYCLE.

CAUTION: ARINC 429 BUS

CONNECTOR CONFORMS

TO ELECTRICAL

SPECIFICATIONS OF ARINC

429 STANDARD.

#### 1.4 RAMP TEST INSTALLATION AND **PROCEDURE**

#### STEP

#### ROCEDURE

- 1. Connect MLS Test Antenna to Tripod.
- 2. Connect coaxial cable from MLS Test Antenna to RF OUT Connector.
- 3. Set MLS Test Antenna toward desired receiver location.
- 4. Set PWR/OFF/BATT Switch to PWR.
- 5. Apply minimum power level necessary to activate MLS Receiver.

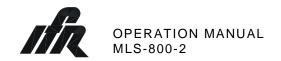
#### 1.5 MLS-800-2 SYSTEM INTERFACE **INSTALLATION**

A typical testing interface configuration for MLS Receivers is shown in 1-2-1, Figure 2.

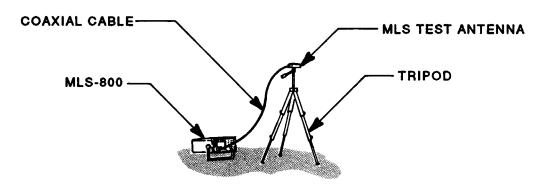
NOTE: Refer to MLS Receiver

Manufacturer's Manual for

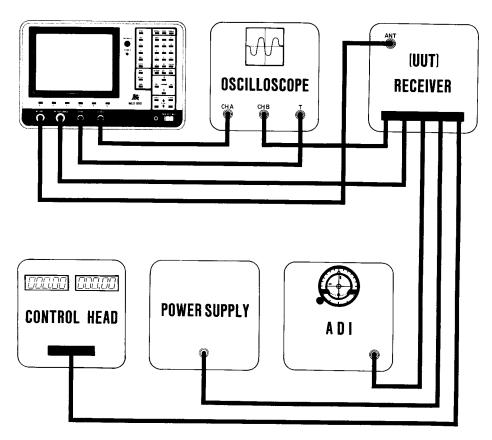
specific connector hookup points.







MLS-800-2 Ramp Test Figure 1



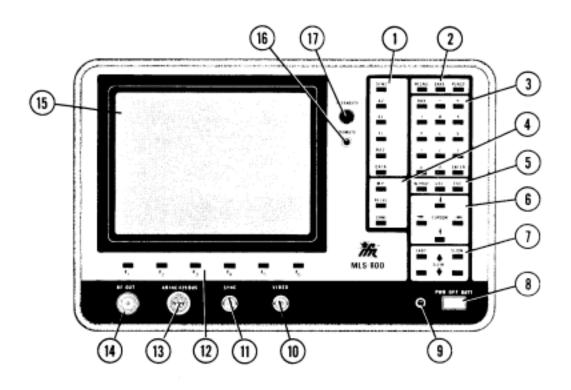
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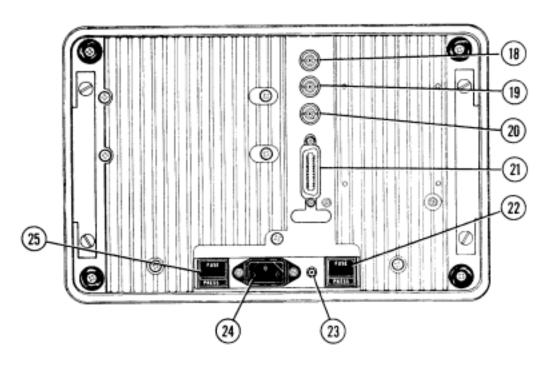






## 2. CONTROLS, CONNECTORS AND INDICATORS





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#### 2.1 MLS-800-2 FRONT PANEL

#### ITEM

#### DESCRIPTION

#### 1. FUNCTION SELECT Keys with Sync

Determines Main Path beam functions addressed by operator and displayed on Test Operational Menu.

#### SYNC Key

Enables sync output at SYNC OUTPUT Connector for AZ, EL, FL, BAZ or Data Word, depending on which Main Path beam function is selected. Sync function enables peripheral functions (Multipath beam, P Parity, Update, Symmetry, PFE and CMN) when SYNC Key is selected.

#### **AZ Key**

Moves cursor to AZ Angle Field in Beam Control Field of Test Operational Menu.

#### **EL Key**

Moves cursor to EL Angle Field in Beam Control Field of Test Operational Menu.

#### FL Key

Moves cursor to FL Angle Field in Beam Control Field of Test Operational Menu.

#### **BAZ Key**

Moves cursor to BAZ Angle Field in Beam Control Field of Test Operational Menu.

#### **DATA Key**

Selects any Data Word for display on Test Operational Menu.

#### ITEM

#### **DESCRIPTION**

#### 2. STORED DATA Keys

Maintains up to 12 Test Operational Menus in Internal Non-Volatile Memory. Stored Test Operational Menus remain in memory, when power is removed, for 10-year life of battery. Stored Test Operational Menus include all non-displayed Data Words.

#### **RECALL Key**

Recalls stored Test Operational Menu (1 through 12) to TEST MENU Display (15).

#### SAVE Key

Stores Test Operational Menu (1 through 12) to Internal Non-Volatile Memory.

#### **PURGE Key**

Erases Test Operational Menu (1 through 12) from Internal Non-Volatile Memory.

#### 3. DATA ENTRY Keys

Enters data into Test Operational Menu.

Value Keys (0 through 9)

Polarity Keys (+) (-)

Decimal Key (.)

#### **AUX Key**

Selects Auxiliary Data Words in Test Operational Menu.

#### **ENTER Key**

Informs processor a key-in sequence is complete.



ITEM DESCRIPTION

4. FUNCTION SELECT Keys without Sync

Moves cursor to selected Special Function Data Field on TEST MENU Display.

#### MP Key

Moves cursor to MP Angle Field in Beam Control Field of Test Operational Menu.

#### RF LVL Key

Moves cursor to RF Level Field in Transmission Characteristics Field of Test Operational Menu.

#### **CHNL Key**

Moves cursor to RF Channel Number in Transmission Characteristics Field of Test Operational Menu.

NOTE: Refer to Appendix C for a list of ICAO assigned channel numbers.

#### 5. DATA CONTROL Keys

#### W PROT Key

Write Protects Test Operational Menu from being inadvertently overwritten.

#### **DEL Key**

Deletes each digit of displayed data field one digit at a time before data is entered into Test Operational Menu.

#### **ESC Key**

Escapes from multiple key sequence to previous data command or field.

#### 6. CURSOR Keys

Controls movement and position of CRT cursor. Cursor is displayed as blinking reverse video on Test Operational Menu.

#### UP (↑) Key

Moves cursor up Test Operational Menu.

ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### RIGHT (→) Key

Moves cursor right on Test Operational Menu.

#### DOWN (↓) Key

Moves cursor down Test Operational Menu.

#### LEFT (←) Key

Moves cursor left on Test Operational Menu.

#### 7. DATA SLEW Keys

Used as an alternate method to DATA ENTRY Keys for changing data within data field.

#### **FAST SLEW Keys**

Increments/decrements the most significant digits in data field.

#### **SLOW SLEW Keys**

Increments/decrements the least significant digits in data field.

#### 8. PWR/OFF/BATT Switch

Controls power to MLS-800-2.

NOTE: Internal battery is continuously charged when external ac or dc power (>15 Vdc) is connected.

#### **PWR**

MLS-800-2 is powered by external ac or dc power source.

#### OFF

MLS-800-2 is OFF.

#### **BATT**

MLS-800-2 is powered by internal battery (momentary spring-loaded switch to OFF).

#### 9. POWER Indicator

Illuminates when internal or external power is applied.

#### ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### 10. VIDEO OUTPUT Connector (J706)

Output Connector; Video Detector output for external use.

11. SYNC OUTPUT Connector (J701)

Output Connector; sync signal for Oscilloscope trigger.

12. SPECIAL FUNCTION Keys

Functions are defined by 24th line of displayed menu.

13. ARINC 429 BUS Connector (J703)

Input/Output Connector; ARINC 429 data.

14. RF OUT Connector (J707)

Output Connector; RF Output signal to MLS Receiver.

15. TEST MENU Display

7" Diagonal CRT for data display.

16. REMOTE Indicator

Illuminates when MLS-800-2 is in Remote (GPIB) Operation.

17. INTENSITY Control

Controls intensity of TEST MENU Display. Rotation cw increases intensity and rotation ccw decreases intensity.

**CAUTION:** DO NOT OPERATE

TEST MENU DISPLAY WITH EXCESSIVE

INTENSITY.

#### 2.2 MLS-800-2 REAR PANEL

#### ITEM DESCRIPTION

18. 750 MHz RF OUTPUT Connector (J102)

Output Connector; 750 MHz modulated RF Output signal.

 EXTERNAL REFERENCE INPUT Connector (J104)

Input Connector; external 10 MHz (±60 Hz) reference signal to connecting source generation circuit.

20. 800 MHz VCO ÷4 OUTPUT Connector (J103)

Output Connector; 800 MHz VCO ÷4 Output signal.

21. GPIB Connector

24-Pin Female Connector conforming to IEEE-488-1978 for interface of general purpose programmable instrumentation.

22. DC Fuse

7.5 A, 32 V minimum, Type F

23. DC POWER Connector

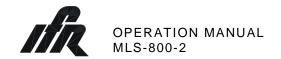
Input Connector; 11 to 30 Vdc supply.

24. AC POWER Connector

Input Connector; 103.5 to 240 VAC at 45 to 440 Hz power source.

25. AC LINE Fuse

2.5 A, 250 V, Type F



#### 2.3 MENU DEFINITION

## 2.3.1 Power Up Self Test Menu (1-2-2, Figure 4)

The Power Up Self Test Menu displays the condition of the RAM, ROM, Main Path, Multipath, RCVR Channel 1 and RCVR Channel 2.

PLEAS	E WAI	Т:	
SE	LF TEST		
RAM	Test	:	VERIFIED
ROM	Test	:	VERIFIED
MAIN Path	Modulation	:	ACTIVE
MultiPath	Modulation	:	ACTIVE
RCVR 429	Channel 1	:	ACTIVE
RCVR 429	Channel 2	:	ACTIVE

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#### Power Up Self Test Menu Figure 4

#### ITEM

#### DESCRIPTION

- 1. RAM Test
  - Displays VERIFIED or FAILED.
- 2. ROM Test
  - Displays VERIFIED or FAILED.
- 3. MAIN Path Modulation
  - Displays ACTIVE or INACTIVE.
- 4. MultiPath Modulation
  - Displays ACTIVE or INACTIVE.
- 5. RCVR 429 Channel 1
  - Displays ACTIVE or INACTIVE.
- 6. RCVR 429 Channel 2
  - Displays ACTIVE or INACTIVE.

## 2.3.2 Master Menu (1-2-2, Figure 5)



Master Menu Figure 5

#### ITEM DESCRIPTION

1. Special Function Key Label Field

#### **MLSTEST**

Displays Test Operational Menu.

#### DIAG

Displays Diagnostic Menu.

#### **SPFUN**

Displays Special Function Menu.

#### SAVEDIR

Displays Save Page Directory Menu.

#### F5

Not Used.

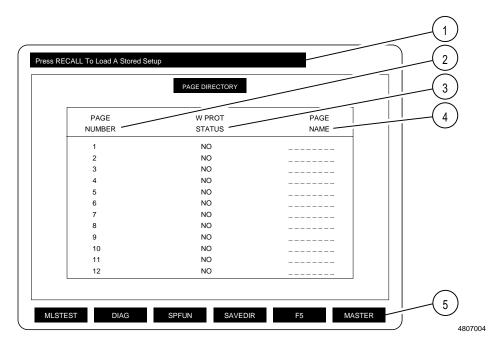
#### **MASTER**

Displays Master Menu



## 2.3.3 Save Page Directory Menu (1-2-2, Figure 6)

Displays current state of the 12 available storage pages in MLS-800-2 Non-Volatile Memory.



Save Page Directory Menu Figure 6

ITEM DESCRIPTION

1. Prompt Line

Displays instructions for Save Page Directory Menu.

2. Page Number

Displays 12 storage pages.

3. W PROT Status

Displays condition of Write Protect for each storage page.

4. Page Name

Displays operator selected name given to menu in storage page. (Refer to para 1-2-4.1.3 for writing name.)

NOTE: Dashes indicate inactive or inapplicable data field

ITEM DESCRIPTION

5. Special Function Key Label Field

**MLSTEST** 

Displays Test Operational Menu.

DIAG

Displays Diagnostic Menu.

**SPFUN** 

Displays Special Function Menu.

**SAVEDIR** 

Displays Save Page Directory Menu.

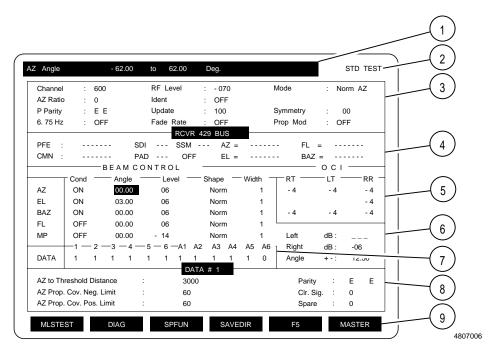
F5

Not Used.

**MASTER** 

Displays Master Menu.

## 2.3.4 Test Operational Menu (1-2-2, Figure 7



Test Operational Menu Figure 7

ITEM

**DESCRIPTION** 

#### 1. Prompt Line

Displays Warning Messages and instructions for programming each data field within Test Operational Menu. Prompt Line displays information to Save, Purge and Recall test menus from 12 available storage pages in MLS-800-2 Non-Volatile Memory.

#### 2. Menu Label Field

Displays 8 character name given to menu for storage in Save Page Directory Menu (1-2-2, Figure 6).

#### 3. Transmission Characteristics Field

#### Channel

Displays MLS Channel as 500 to 699.

#### **RF** Level

Displays RF Output Level as -122 to -017 (dBm).

#### ITEM

**DESCRIPTION** 

#### Mode

Displays selected primary mode of operation as Norm AZ (Normal AZ) or High AZ (High Rate AZ).

#### **AZ Ratio**

Displays status of AZ to EL Ratio (a 75 dB pad is inserted) as 0 or -75 (dB).

#### **Ident**

Displays Ident Code (Morse Code Identification Sequence) as ON (active), OFF (inactive) or Cont (continuous).

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#### Sync Flag

Displays condition of sync as follows:

SYNC ON SYNC ON AZ SYNC ON EL SYNC ON BAZ SYNC ON FL SYNC ON DATA 1 SYNC ON DATA 2 SYNC ON DATA 3 SYNC ON DATA 4 SYNC ON DATA 5 SYNC ON DATA 6 SYNC ON AD1 SYNC ON AD2 SYNC ON AD3 SYNC ON AD4 SYNC ON AD5 SYNC ON AD6

If sync is not active, field is blank.

#### P Parity

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E for selected even or odd preamble parity bits on beam when Sync signal is applied.

#### Update

Displays variable update rate for Sync Beam as 0, 25, 45, 55, 75 or 100 (%).

#### Symmetry

Displays Sync Beam pair offset to produce variation from receiver time reference code for receiver testing at -60 to 60 (µs) in 1 µs steps.

#### 6.75 Hz

Displays condition of Signal Level Variation Test as ON or OFF.

NOTE: Only one of three functions (6.75 Hz, Fade Rate or Prop Mod) can operate at any one time.

When one function is switched ON, the other functions are automatically switched OFF.

#### **Fade Rate**

Displays 1000 (Hz), 1 (Hz), 0.05 (Hz) or OFF for simulation of ground reflections causing modulation level to oscillate.

NOTE: Only one of three functions (6.75 Hz, Fade Rate or Prop Mod) can operate at any one time.

> When one function is switched ON, the other functions are automatically switched OFF.

#### **Prop Mod**

Displays the propeller or rotor modulation simulation as 001 to 199 (Hz) in 1 Hz steps or OFF.

NOTE: Only one of three functions (6.75 Hz, Fade Rate or Prop Mod) can operate at any one time.

When one function is switched ON, the other functions are automatically switched OFF.

#### 4. RCVR 429 Received Data Field

RF data beam from MLS-800-2 to MLS Receiver (UUT) is interpreted, returned via ARINC 429 BUS Connector and shown on TEST MENU Display. Returned data displayed on TEST MENU Display is ±62.00 (degrees) for AZ, -01.50 to 29.50 (degrees) for EL, ±42.00 (degrees) for BAZ and -02.00 to 10.00 (degrees) for FL.

#### PFE

Displays Path Following Error (PFE), in degrees, for AZ, EL, BAZ or FL, according to Filter Configuration for PFE (Appendix D). PFE displayed depends on Sync function selected in Beam Control Field. PFE is dashed when error is >1° or <-1°.

ITEM **DESCRIPTION** 

#### **CMN**

Displays Control Motion Noise (CMN), in degrees, for AZ, EL, BAZ FL, according Filter to Configuration for CMN (Appendix D). CMN displayed depends on Sync function selected in Beam Control Field. CMN is dashed when error is >1°.

#### SDI

Displays condition of ARINC 429 Data Bits 9 and 10 as 0 or 1 for Source Designation Identifier (SDI) of function in Sync. (Refer to Receiver Manufacturer's Manual for Bit Definition.)

#### PAD

Displays condition of ARINC 429 Data Bits 11 and 12 as 0 or 1 for Pad of function in Svnc. (Refer to Receiver Manufacturer's Manual for Bit Definition.)

#### SSM

Displays condition of ARINC 429 Data Bits 30 and 31 as 0 or 1 for Sign Status Matrix (SSM) of function in Sync. (Refer to Receiver Manufacturer's Manual for Definition.)

#### **OFF**

Displays OFF when no data is received. When data is received, field is blank or displays following Receive Error Messages:

Parity Error in 429 Data.

#### OE

Overrun Error indicates 429 Data is sent at a higher rate than MLS Receiver can accept.

#### WE

Word Error for Data not received correctly.

#### ITEM **DESCRIPTION**

#### 5. Out of Coverage Indicator (OCI) Field

OCI Right (RT), Left (LT) and Rear (RR) is displayed in dB for AZ, EL or BAZ, when one is selected. Level of simulated signal transmitted is -4 to 7 (dB) relative to preamble.

#### RT

Displays Right OCI Level from -4 to 7 (dB) relative to preamble level for AZ or BAZ.

#### LT

Displays Left OCI Level from -4 to 7 (dB) relative to preamble level for AZ or BAZ.

#### RR

Displays Rear OCI Level from -4 to 7 (dB) relative to preamble level for AZ, EL or BAZ.

#### 6. Beam Control Field

Allows control of individual beam functions. Switch Condition (Cond), Beam Angle, Beam Modulation Level, Beam Shape and Beam Width are displayed for AZ, EL, BAZ, FL or MP Beams.

AZ, EL, BAZ and FL are selected for editing by FUNCTION SELECT Keys with Sync. MP is selected for editing by FUNCTION SELECT Keys without Sync.

#### **Switch Condition**

Displays operating status as ON or OFF for AZ, EL, BAZ, FL and MP.

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ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### Angle

Displays Beam Angle in 0.05° increments:

MODE	RANGE	WIDTH
AZ	-61.00° to 61.00°	0.5
ΑZ	-61.95° to 61.95°	1.0
AZ	-62.00° to 62.00°	1.5 to 5.0
EL	-01.00° to 29.50°	0.5
EL	-01.50° to 29.50°	1.0 to 5.0
BAZ	-42.00° to 42.00°	0.5
BAZ	-41.75° to 41.75°	1.0 to 5.0
FL	-01.00° to 09.00°	0.5
FL	-02.00° to 10.00°	1.0 to 5.0
MP	-62.00° to 62.00°	0.5 to 5.0

#### Level

Displays Beam Modulation Level relative to function preamble level:

MODE	LEVEL
AZ	-03 to 13 dB
EL	-03 to 13 dB
BAZ	-03 to 13 dB
FL	-03 to 13 dB
MP	-14 to 13 dB

#### Shape

Displays Beam Shape as Norm or Half for AZ, EL, BAZ and FL.

Displays Beam Shape as Norm, Half or Clear for MP.

NOTE: When Beam Shape is

switched to Clear, Beam Control Field changes, allowing control of MP Left and Right Clearance Beam Levels and their common

angle.

NOTE: Half appears as Normal

Pulse for angles at midpoint.

#### Width

Displays Beam Width as 0.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 (degrees) for AZ, EL, BAZ, FL and MP.

#### Left dB

Displays -03 to 13 (dB). Represents Left Clearance Beam Level relative to preamble level.

#### Right dB

Displays -03 to 13 (dB). Represents Right Clearance Beam Level relative to preamble level.

#### Angle

Displays Clearance Beam Pair Offset from center:

MODE	LEVEL
AZ	±01.00° to ±61.00°
HiAZ	±01.00° to ±41.00°
EL	N/A
BAZ	±01.00° to ±41.00°
FL	N/A

#### 7. Data Word ON/OFF Switches

Displays 1 (ON) or 0 (OFF) for each Data Word.

#### 8. Data Word Field

Six defined Data Words perform designated functions and six Auxiliary Data Words are provided for private use.



#### A. Data Word #1

		DATA # 1				
AZ to Threshold Distance	:	3000	Parity	:	Е	Е
AZ Prop. Cov. Neg. Limit	:	60	Clr. Slg.	:	0	
AZ Prop. Cov. Pos. Limit	:	60	Spare	:	0	

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#### ITEM

#### **DESCRIPTION**

#### AZ to Threshold Distance

Displays 0000 to 6300 (meters) in 100 meter increments.

Represents distance measured parallel to runway center line from approach AZ antenna to runway landing threshold.

#### **Parity**

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E.

#### AZ Prop. Cov. Neg. Limit

Displays 00 to -62 (degrees) in 2° increments.

Represents limit of sector in which proportional approach AZ guidance is transmitted.

#### CIr. Sig.

Displays 0 for Pulse or 1 for Scanning Clearance.

Indicates method of providing AZ Clearance Signal.

#### AZ Prop. Cov. Pos. Limit

Displays 00 to 62 (degrees) in 2° increments.

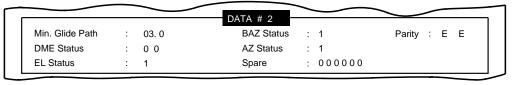
Represents limit of sector in which proportional approach AZ guidance is transmitted.

#### Spare

Displays 0 or 1 for 1 Binary Field.



# B. Data Word #2



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#### ITEM

#### DESCRIPTION

#### Min Glide Path

Displays 02.0 to 14.7 (degrees) in 1.0° increments.

Represents lowest angle of descent along 0° AZ consistent with published approach procedures and obstacle clearance criteria.

#### **BAZ Status**

Displays 0 (Not Radiated) or 1 (Radiated in Normal Mode).

Represents operational status of BAZ equipment.

# **Parity**

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E.

# **DME Status**

Displays 0 0 for DME Transponder inoperative, 1 0 for Only IA Mode or DME/N available, 0 1 for FA Mode - Standard 1 available or 1 1 for FA Mode - Standard 2 available.

Represents operational status of DME equipment.

#### **AZ Status**

Displays 0 (Not Radiated) or 1 (Radiated in Normal Mode).

Represents operational status of approach AZ equipment.

#### **EL Status**

Displays 0 (Not Radiated) or 1 (Radiated in Normal Mode).

Represents operational status of approach EL equipment.

# **Spare**

Displays 0 or 1 for 6 Binary Fields.



# C. Data Word #3



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#### ITEM

# DESCRIPTION

#### AZ Beamwidth

Displays 0.5 to 4.0 (degrees) in 0.5° increments.

Represents width of scanning beam main lobe measured at -3 dB points and defined in angular units on antenna bore sight in horizontal plane.

#### **Parity**

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E.

#### **EL Beamwidth**

Displays 0.5 to 2.5 (degrees) in 0.5° increments.

Represents width of scanning beam main lobe measured at -3 dB points and defined in angular units on antenna bore sight in vertical plane.

# **DME** Distance

Displays 0000.0 to 6387.5 (meters) in 12.5 meter increments.

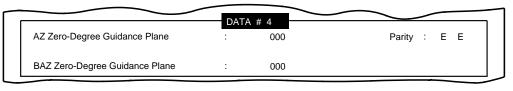
Represents distance measured parallel to runway center line from DME antenna phase center to MLS datum point.

#### Spare

Displays 0 or 1 for 3 Binary Fields.



# D. Data Word #4



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#### ITEM

# DESCRIPTION

# AZ Zero-Degree Guidance Plane

Displays 000 to 359 (degrees) in 1° increments.

Represents angle measured in horizontal plane cw from Magnetic North to 0° angle guidance plane of approach AZ antenna. Vertex of measured angle is approach AZ antenna phase center.

# **Parity**

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E.

# **BAZ Zero-Degree Guidance Plane**

Displays 000 to 359 (degrees) in 1° increments.

Represents angle measured in horizontal plane cw from Magnetic North to 0° angle guidance plane of BAZ antenna.



# E. Data Word #5

4810014

#### ITEM

# DESCRIPTION

# BAZ Prop. Cov. Neg.

Displays 00 to -42 (degrees) in 2° increments.

Represents limit of sector in which proportional BAZ guidance is transmitted.

# **Parity**

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E.

# BAZ Prop. Cov. Pos.

Displays 00 to 42 (degrees) in 2° increments.

Represents limit of sector in which proportional BAZ guidance is transmitted.

#### **BAZ Status**

Displays 0 (Not Radiated) or 1 (Radiated in Normal Mode).

Represents operational status of BAZ equipment.

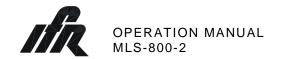
#### **BAZ Beamwidth**

Displays 0.5 to 4.0 (degrees) in 0.5° increments.

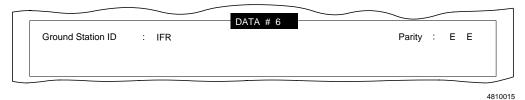
Represents actual width of scanning beam main lobe measured at -3 dB points.

# **Spare**

Displays 0 or 1 for 4 Binary Fields.



# F. Data Word #6



ITEM

# DESCRIPTION

# **Ground Station ID**

Adjustable display.

Represents ground station identification in three (3) user definable characters determined by the user. Each character is followed by a parity bit.

# Parity

Displays O O, O E, E O or E E.

			DATA AD1		$\overline{}$
Aux Data	:	A1	Parity	: E E E E	EEE
AZ Ant. Offset	:	000	AZ Ant. Co-ord.	: 0	Ant. Height: 00
AZ Ant. Align.	:	00.00	AZ to MLS Datum	: 0000	Spare : 00

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ITEM

# **DESCRIPTION**

# ITEM

# **DESCRIPTION**

#### Aux Data

Displays A1.

#### **Parity**

Displays combinations shown in 1-2-2, Table 1.

#### AZ Ant. Offset

Displays -511 to 511 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents minimum distance between approach AZ antenna phase center and vertical plane containing runway center line.

#### AZ Ant. Co-ord.

Displays 0 (Conical) or 1 (Planar).

Represents coordinate system of angle data transmitted by approach AZ antenna.

# Ant. Height (AZ)

Displays -63 to 63 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents height of AZ antenna phase center relative to height of MLS datum point.

# AZ Ant. Align.

Displays -20.47 to 20.47 (degrees) in 0.01° increments.

Represents minimum angle between approach AZ antenna 0° guidance plane and runway center line.

#### AZ to MLS Datum

Displays 0000 to 8191 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents minimum distance between approach antenna phase center and vertical plane perpendicular to center line which contains MLS datum point.

# **Spare**

Displays 00 to 77 (Octal).

Aux Data : A 2 Parity : E E E E E E E E E E E E L Antenna Offset : 0 0 0 EL Ant. Height : 0.0 MLS EL : 0000 MLS Datum to Thresh. : 0 0 0 0 Thresh. Height : 0.0 Spare : 0

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DESCRIPTION

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**DESCRIPTION** 

# Aux Data

Displays A2.

# Parity

Displays combinations shown in 1-2-2, Table 1.

#### **EL Antenna Offset**

Displays -511 to 511 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents minimum distance between EL antenna phase center and vertical plane containing runway center line.

#### EL Ant. Height

Displays -6.3 to 6.3 (meters) in 0.1 meter increments.

Represents height of EL antenna phase center relative to height of MLS datum point.

#### MLS EL

Displays -4095 to 4095 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents datum point elevation relative to main sea level (msl).

#### MLS Datum to Thresh.

Displays 0000 to 1023 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents distance measured along runway center line from MLS datum point to runway threshold.

# Thresh. Height

Displays -6.3 to 6.3 (meters) in 0.1 meter increments

Represents vertical location of the intersection of the runway threshold and center line with respect to the MLS datum point.

### Spare

Displays 0 to 3 (Octal).

Aux Data : A 3 Parity : E E E E E E E E DME Offset : 0 0 0 0 Runway Stopend : 0 0 0 0 0 DME to MLS Datum : 0 0 0 0 DME Ant. Height : 0 0 Spare : 0

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#### ITEM

# **DESCRIPTION**

#### **Aux Data**

Displays A3.

# **Parity**

Displays combinations shown in 1-2-2, Table 1.

#### **DME Offset**

Displays -2047 to 2047 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents minimum distance between DME antenna phase center and vertical plane containing runway center line.

# **Runway Stopend**

Displays 00000 to 16383 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents distance to end of runway.

#### **DME to MLS Datum**

Displays -8191 to 8191 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents minimum distance between DME antenna phase center and vertical plane perpendicular to center line containing MLS datum point.

# DME Ant. Height

Displays -63 to 63 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents vertical location of the DME antenna phase center with respect to the MLS datum point.

# **Spare**

Displays 0 to 3 (Octal).

DATA AD4

Aux Data : A4 : EEEEEEE Parity BAZ Ant. Offset : 000 BAZ Ant. Co-ord. : 0 Ant. Height : 0 0

BAZ to MLS Datum : 0000 Spare : 000 BAZ Ant. Align. : 00.00

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ITEM

#### DESCRIPTION

**Aux Data** 

Displays A4.

### **Parity**

Displays combinations shown in 1-2-2, Table 1.

#### **BAZ Ant. Offset**

Displays -511 to 511 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents minimum distance between BAZ antenna phase center and vertical plane containing runway center line.

#### BAZ Ant. Co-ord.

Displays 0 for Conical or 1 for Planar.

Represents co-ordinate system (planar and conical) of the angle data transmitted by the BAZ antenna.

#### Ant. Height

Displays -63 to 63 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

Represents height of antenna relative to the runway.

# **BAZ to MLS Datum**

Displays 0000 to 2047 (meters) in 1 meter increments.

minimum distance Represents between BAZ antenna phase center and vertical plane perpendicular to center line containing MLS datum point.

### ITEM

#### DESCRIPTION

# BAZ Ant. Align.

Displays -20.47 to 20.47 (degrees) in 0.01° increments.

Represents minimum angle between BAZ antenna 0° guidance plane and runway center line.

# **Spare**

Displays 000 to 377 (Octal).

DATA AD5

Aux Data : A 5 Parity : E E E E E E

RVR (TD zone) : 0 0 0 0 RVR (midpoint) : 0 0 0 0

RVR (stopend) : 0 0 0 0 Surface Wind : 0 0 0 Wind Dir : 0 0 0

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#### ITEM

#### **DESCRIPTION**

#### **Aux Data**

Displays A5.

# **Parity**

Displays combinations shown in 1-2-2, Table 1.

# RVR (TD zone)

Displays 0000 to 2555 (meters) in 5 meter increments.

Represents distance of instrument to touchdown zone of runway.

# RVR (midpoint)

Displays 0000 to 2555 (meters) in 5 meter increments.

Represents distance of instrument to midpoint of runway.

# RVR (stopend)

Displays 0000 to 2555 (meters) in 5 meter increments.

Represents distance of instrument to stop end of runway.

#### **Surface Wind**

Displays 000 to 127 (noeuds) in 1 noeud increments.

Represents surface wind speed.

#### Wind Dir

Displays 000 to 359 (degrees) in 1° increments.

Represents surface wind direction.

NOTE: Only AD5 or AD6 can be ON at any one time. Both may not be ON at the same time.



				DATA AD6		_			
Aux Data	: A6	Addr	:	000	Parity	:	EEEEEE	E	
Data-1	: 000	Data-2	:	000	Data-3	:	000		
Data-4	: 000	Data-5	:	000	Data-6	:	000	Data-7	: 0

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ITEM

**DESCRIPTION** 

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**DESCRIPTION** 

#### **Aux Data**

Displays A6.

#### Addr

Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

# **Parity**

Displays combinations shown in 1-2-2, Table 1.

#### Data-1

Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

# Data-2

\*Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

#### Data-3

Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

#### Data-4

Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

#### Data-5

Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

#### Data-6

Displays 000 to 377.

Represents user definable bits.

#### Data-7

Displays 0 or 1.

Represents user definable bits.

NOTE: Only AD5 or AD6 can be ON at any one time. Both may not be ON at the same time.

AUXILIARY DATA WORD PARITY COMBINATIONS					
0000000	0E00000	E000000	EE00000		
00000E	OE0000E	E00000E	EEOOOOE		
00000E0	OE000E0	E0000E0	EEOOOEO		
00000EE	OEOOOEE	EOOOOEE	EEOOOEE		
0000E00	0E00E00	E000E00	EEOOEOO		
0000E0E	OEOOEOE	EOOOEOE	EEOOEOE		
0000EE0	OEOOEEO	EOOOEEO	EEOOEEO		
0000EEE	OEOOEEE	EOOOEEE	EEOOEEE		
000E000	OE0E000	E00E000	EEOEOOO		
000E00E	OEOEOOE	EOOEOOE	EEOEOOE		
000E0E0	OEOEOEO	EOOEOEO	EEOEOEO		
OOOEOEE	OEOEOEE	EOOEOEE	EEOEOEE		
000EE00	OEOEEOO	EOOEEOO	EEOEEOO		
OOOEEOE	OEOEEOE	EOOEEOE	EEOEEOE		
OOOEEEO	OEOEEEO	EOOEEEO	EEOEEEO		
OOOEEEE	OEOEEEE	EOOEEEE	EEOEEEE		
00E0000	OEE0000	E0E0000	EEEOOOO		
00E000E	OEEOOOE	EOEOOOE	EEEOOOE		
00E00E0	OEEOOEO	EOEOOEO	EEEOOEO		
OOEOOEE	OEEOOEE	EOEOOEE	EEEOOEE		
00E0E00	OEEOEOO	EOEOEOO	EEEOEOO		
OOEOEOE	OEEOEOE	EOEOEOE	EEEOEOE		
OOEOEEO	OEEOEEO	EOEOEEO	EEEOEEO		
OOEOEEE	OEEOEEE	EOEOEEE	EEEOEEE		
00EE000	OEEEOOO	EOEEOOO	EEEEOOO		
OOEEOOE	OEEEOOE	EOEEOOE	EEEEOOE		
OOEEOEO	OEEEOEO	EOEEOEO	EEEEOEO		
OOEEOEE	OEEEOEE	EOEEOEE	EEEEOEE		
OOEEEOO	OEEEEOO	EOEEEOO	EEEEEOO		
OOEEEOE	OEEEEOE	EOEEEOE	EEEEEOE		
OOEEEEO	OEEEEEO	EOEEEEO	EEEEEEO		
OOEEEEE	OEEEEEE	EOEEEEE	EEEEEEE		

Auxiliary Data Word Parity Combinations Table 1

# ITEM

# DESCRIPTION

9. Special Function Key Label Field

# **MLSTEST**

Displays Test Operational Menu.

DIAG

Displays Diagnostic Menu.

**SPFUN** 

Displays Special Function Menu.

**SAVEDIR** 

Displays Save Test Menu Directory.

F5

Not Used.

MASTER

Displays Master Menu.

# 2.3.5 Diagnostic Menu (1-2-2, Figure 8)

The Diagnostic Menu allows the operator to set conditions for and run desired tests on the MLS-800-2

CRT Alignment Test: 24 3 23 OFF 4 OFF 22 Beam Modulation Test 5 21 Prop Mod: OFF 6 CHANNEL: 600 RF Level: -017 20 AZ Angle 7 OFF Main Path Mod : Multipath Mod: 19 Mod Level Mod Level 8 18 14dB : OFF 75dB OFF 14dB 9 Calibration : Calibration 17 10 15 4807003

Diagnostic Menu Figure 8

# ITEM DESCRIPTION

# 1. Prompt Line

Displays instructions for programming each field within Diagnostic Menu.

# 2. RF Channel Test

Refer to para 1-2-4.3.2.

# 3. CYCLE

Displays cycle count for 429 Loop Test in progress (Display Only).

#### 4. ERROR

Displays error count for 429 Loop Test in progress (Display Only).

#### ITEM DESCRIPTION

# 5. Prop Mod

Displays propeller or rotor modulation simulation as 000 to 199 (Hz) in 1 Hz steps or OFF. (Applied to Main Path Modulation only.)

# 6. 6.75 Hz

Displays condition of Signal Level Variation Test as ON or OFF. (Applied to Main Path Modulation only.)

ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### 7. Channel

Displays MLS-800-2 Channel as 500 to 699. (Active on Main Path and Multipath Modulation tests only.)

#### 8. RF Level

Displays RF Output Level as -122 to -017 (dBm) to set RF Levels during CW test for accurate measurements.

# 9. Multipath Mod

Displays Multipath Modulation Function as follows:

#### **OFF**

Beam Modulation Output is 0 V. The 75 and 14 dB Pads are enabled.

#### 0 VOLTS

Beam Modulation Output is 0 V.

#### CW

Outputs continuous Preamble signal from Beam Modulation Synthesizer.

#### +60 AZ

Normal AZ signal at +60° with SYNC ON AZ enabled to verify TO/FRO pulse operation.

#### -60 AZ

Normal AZ signal at -60° with SYNC ON AZ enabled to verify TO/FRO pulse operation.

#### 0 AZ

Normal AZ signal at 0° with SYNC ON AZ enabled to verify TO/FRO pulse operation.

# 1000 TRI

1000 Hz triangular wave at -20 to +15 dB from Beam Modulation Synthesizer to verify modulation linearity.

ITEM DESCRIPTION

### 10. Multipath Mod Level

Displays Multipath Beam Modulation Level as -20 to +15 (dB).

# 11. Multipath 75 dB

Displays 75 dB Pad condition as ON or OFF. Cycles 75 dB Pad, normally used to disable (OFF) a function (and in case of Main Path Beam, for 75 dB AZ Ratio test), during CW test for accurate measurements. active for ΑZ or OFF Beam Modulation). Attenuates combined Main Path and Multipath signals or Multipath signal only.

# 12. Multipath 14 dB

Displays 14 dB Pad condition as ON or OFF. Cycles 14 dB Pad, normally used to attenuate beam side lobes, during CW test for accurate measurements. (Not active for AZ or OFF Beam Modulation.)

#### 13. Special Function Key Label Field

# **MLSTEST**

Displays Test Operational Menu.

#### F2

Not Used.

# F3

Not Used.

#### ALT MM

Swaps preset test conditions (Beam Mod, Mod Level, 14 dB Pad) between the Main Path and Multipath modulations.

#### SYS RST

Resets system to Power-Up state.

#### **MASTER**

Displays Master Menu.

ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### 14. Calibration

Displays corresponding calibration values for the Multipath Modulation Level entered. Values range from 0 to 4095. SoftCal values can only be modified by removing the cover and sending a RS-232 command to the unit. (Refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual.)

#### 15. Main Path 75 dB

Displays 75 dB Pad condition as ON or OFF. Cycles 75 dB Pad, normally used to disable (OFF) a function (and in case of Main Path Beam, for 75 dB AZ Ratio test), during CW test for accurate measurements. (Not active for AZ or OFF Beam Modulation.) Attenuates combined Main Path and Multipath signals or Multipath signal only.

#### 16. Calibration

Displays corresponding calibration values for the Main Path Modulation Level entered. Values range from 0 to 4095. SoftCal values can only be modified by removing the cover and sending a RS-232 command to the unit. (Refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual.)

#### 17. Main Path 14 dB

Displays 14 dB Pad condition as ON or OFF. Cycles 14 dB Pad, normally used to attenuate beam side lobes, during CW test for accurate measurements. (Not active for AZ or OFF Beam Modulation.)

# 18. Main Path DPSK

Displays DPSK condition as ON, OFF or Cont. Cycles DPSK level during CW test for accurate measurements of 180° phase shift requirement for transmitting digital data. DPSK is cycled at a continuous 15.625 kHz rate, which is specified MLS data rate. (Not active for Main Path AZ or OFF Beam Modulation.)

#### ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### 19. Main Path Mod Level

Displays Main Path Beam Modulation Level as -20 to +15 (dB).

#### 20. Main Path Mod

Displays Main Path Modulation Function as follows:

#### **OFF**

Beam Modulation Output is 0 V. The 75 and 14 dB Pads are enabled.

#### 0 VOLTS

Beam Modulation Output is 0 V.

#### CW

Outputs continuous Preamble signal from Beam Modulation Synthesizer.

#### +60 AZ

Normal AZ signal at +60° with SYNC ON AZ enabled. Used to verify TO/FRO pulse operation.

#### -60 AZ

Normal AZ signal at -60° with SYNC ON AZ enabled to verify TO/FRO pulse operation.

### 0 AZ

Normal AZ signal at 0° with SYNC ON AZ enabled to verify TO/FRO pulse operation.

#### 1000 TRI

1000 Hz triangular wave at -20 to +15 dB from Beam Modulation Synthesizer to verify modulation linearity.

# 21. AZ Angle

Displays Azimuth angle ±0.1° when modulation level is +6 to +13 dB (Display only). (Active on Main Path Modulation test only.)



# ITEM

# **DESCRIPTION**

# 22. Fade Rate

Displays 1000 (Hz), 1 (Hz), 0.05 (Hz) or OFF for simulation of ground reflections causing modulation level to oscillate. (Applied to Multipath Modulation only.)

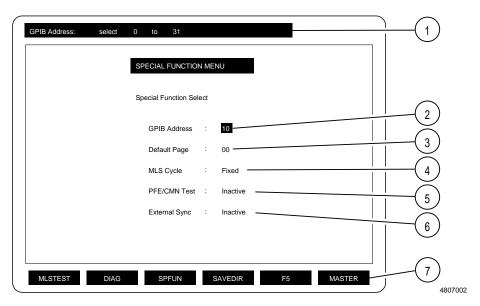
# 23. 429 Loop Test

Refer to para 1-2-4.3.3.

# 24. CRT Alignment Test

Refer to para 1-2-4.3.1.

# 2.3.6 Special Function Menu (1-2-2, Figure 9)



Special Function Menu Figure 9

ITEM DESCRIPTION

#### 1. Prompt Line

Instructional tract for programming each field within Special Function Menu.

#### 2. GPIB Address

Displays optional GPIB Address as 00 to 31. GPIB Address is stored in Non-Volatile Memory.

# 3. Default Page

Displays number of page (00 to 12) from Save Directory to be recalled on power up. If page is 00 or no page is stored at memory address, standard test condition for ICAO 1985 is default page and Master Menu is displayed as a default menu.

#### 4. MLS Cycle

Displays cycle time as Fixed or Variable. When Variable, cycle time varies 5 ms randomly to avoid interference problems. Cycle length is fixed during Diagnostics operation.

### ITEM DESCRIPTION

# 5. PFE/CMN Test

Displays PFE/CMN Test as Active or Inactive. When Active, displays maximum value for PFE and 95% value for CMN every 10 or 40 sec when Multipath is active. Values are displayed in PFE and CMN data fields in reverse video to distinguish from PFE and CMN data.

# 6. External Sync

Displays Active or Inactive. When Active, MLS-800-2 can be synced with another MLS-800-2.



# ITEM

# DESCRIPTION

7. Special Function Key Label Field

# **MLSTEST**

Displays Test Operational Menu.

# DIAG

Displays Diagnostic Menu.

# **SPFUN**

Displays Special Function Menu.

# SAVEDIR

Displays Save Page Directory Menu.

# F5

Not Used.

# MASTER

Displays Master Menu.



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# 3. PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

#### 3.1 GENERAL

The MLS-800-2 is equipped with a Power Up Self Test for testing the condition of the RAM, ROM, Main Path, Multipath, RCVR Channel 1 and RCVR Channel 2.

The MLS-800-2 contains three Diagnostic Tests (para 1-2-4.3) for additional testing and evaluation.

NOTE: The 50  $\Omega$  Loads must be connected to the 750 MHz RF OUTPUT Connector and 800 MHz VCO  $\div$  4 OUTPUT Connector when performing the Power Up Self Test or Diagnostic Tests.

#### 3.2 POWER UP SELF TEST

#### STEP

#### **PROCEDURE**

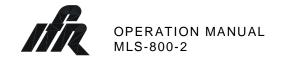
- Set PWR/OFF/BATT Switch to PWR. Verify POWER Indicator is illuminated.
- Verify Power Up Self Test Menu appears.
- 3. Verify RAM Test displays VERIFIED.

If RAM Test displays *FAILED*, refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual for further testing and maintenance instructions.

- 4. Verify ROM Test displays VERIFIED.
  - If ROM Test displays *FAILED*, refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual for further testing and maintenance instructions.
- Verify Main Path Modulation displays ACTIVE.
  - If Main Path Modulation displays *INACTIVE*, refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual for further testing and maintenance instructions.
- 6. Verify Multipath Modulation displays **ACTIVE**.
  - If Multipath Modulation displays *INACTIVE*, refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual for further testing and maintenance instructions.
- 7. Verify RCVR 429 Channel 1 displays **ACTIVE**.
  - If RCVR 429 Channel 1 displays *INACTIVE*, refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual for further testing and maintenance instructions.
- Verify RCVR 429 Channel 2 displays ACTIVE.
  - If RCVR 429 Channel 2 displays *INACTIVE*, refer to the MLS-800-2 Maintenance Manual for further testing and maintenance instructions.



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### 4. OPERATING PROCEDURES

# 4.1 KEYBOARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

Using the MLS-800-2 Keyboard, the operator can display, store, retrieve, erase and automatically execute test data according to the Keyboard operating requirements.

# 4.1.1 DATA ENTRY and DATA SLEW Keys

**STEP** 

**PROCEDURE** 

Change data value or status within data field by use of DATA ENTRY Keys or DATA SLEW Keys in conjunction with CURSOR Keys.

NOTE: Cursor is displayed as blinking reverse video. Data field cursor is pointing towards is displayed as non-blinking reverse video.

To change the data value or status with the DATA ENTRY Keys, position cursor directly over data field and use DATA ENTRY Keys to change value or status. Press ENTER Key.

To change the data value or selection with the DATA SLEW Keys, position cursor directly over data field and use DATA SLEW Keys to change value or selection. Press ↑ DATA SLEW Keys to increase value or change selection. Press ↓ DATA SLEW Keys to decrease value or change selection. Press FAST DATA SLEW Keys for most significant half of data field to increase or decrease. Press SLOW DATA SLEW Keys for least significant half of data field to increase or decrease.

#### 4.1.2 RECALL

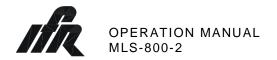
#### STEP

#### PROCEDURE

- Press RECALL on STORED DATA Keys. Prompt Line RECALL: Select page number 1 to 12; press ENTER appears.
- Press number keys for desired storage page number (1 through 12) and ENTER Key.

NOTE: If desired Recall page is empty, Prompt Line Page # is empty flashes on and off four times, then returns to previous Prompt Line.

NOTE: Recall projects a copy of the Test Operational Menu from the storage pages. The Test Operational Menu remains in the storage pages until overwritten or purged.



# 4.1.3 **SAVE**

# STEP PROCEDURE

- Press SAVE on STORED DATA Keys. Prompt Line SAVE: Select page number 1 to 12; press ENTER appears.
- 2. Press number keys for desired storage page number (1 through 12) and ENTER Key. Prompt Line Slew in the name and ENTER; press ESC to ignore name appears.
- Use DATA SLEW Keys to enter name for storage page. Name is selected character by character for a maximum of eight characters. Choice of character is: A through Z, 0 through 9, -, # or Blank Space. When desired character is displayed, move cursor to next character.
- Press ENTER Key. Prompt Line Write Protect Required: Yes="W PROT" No="ENTER" appears.
- Press W PROT on DATA CONTROL Keys to write protect storage page or ENTER Key to disregard write protect on storage page.

NOTE: If desired Save page location is full, Prompt Line Page # is full, press ENTER if overwrite is desired appears.

NOTE: If desired Save page location is Write Protected, Prompt Line Cannot save; Page # is Write Protected flashes on and off four times, then returns to previous Prompt Line.

# **4.1.4 PURGE**

# STEP PROCEDURE

- Press PURGE on STORED DATA Keys. Prompt Line PURGE: Select page number 1 to 12; press ENTER appears.
- 2. Press number keys for desired storage page number (1 through 12) and ENTER Key.

NOTE: PURGE erases the Test
Operational Menu in memory,
not the Test Operational Menu
on the TEST MENU Display.
Switching to another menu,
deletes the Test Operational
Menu on the TEST MENU
Display.



# 4.1.5 W PROT

# STEP PROCEDURE

- Press W PROT on DATA CONTROL Keys. Prompt Line W PROT: Select page number 1 to 12; press ENTER appears.
- Press number keys for desired storage page number (1 through 12) and ENTER Key.

NOTE: When a storage page is write protected, the Save Page Directory Menu displays YES in the W PROT STATUS column for the storage page.

# 4.1.6 DEL

# STEP PROCEDURE

Acts as a backspace key, going from right (least significant digit) to left (most significant digit).

Changes all command numbers to 0 and negative value (-) to positive value (+) when deleting entire command.

NOTE: When a setting is deleted, the ENTER Key must be pressed before the cursor is free to move to other fields.



# 4.1.7 SYNC

# STEP PROCEDURE

The SYNC Key toggles ON/OFF to activate/deactivate the Sync function. Sync is active on assigned beam until Sync is deactivated. Sync is active on only one function at any one time.

When Sync is active, a Sync Flag (para 1-2-2.3.4) is displayed in the Transmission Characteristics field of the Test Operational Menu.

Corresponding Sync Beam Functions (Symmetry, P Parity, Update, PAD, SDI, SSM, PFE, CMN and MP) operate only when Sync is active and appear in reverse video if active. Corresponding Sync Beam Functions operate on AZ, EL, FL, BAZ and all DATA Word transmissions. When Sync is deactivated, Corresponding Sync Beam Functions (internally active) change from reverse video to normal video and the Corresponding Sync Beam Functions are disabled.

Refer to 1-2-4, Table 2 for keystrokes required to enable Sync on available functions.

FUNCTION	KEYSTROKES	FUNCTION	KEYSTROKES
AZ	SYNC AZ	DATA 5	SYNC DATA 5
EL	SYNC EL	DATA 6	SYNC DATA 6
BAZ	SYNC BAZ	DATA AD1	SYNC AUX 1
FL	SYNC FL	DATA AD2	SYNC AUX 2
DATA 1	SYNC DATA 1	DATA AD3	SYNC AUX 3
DATA 2	SYNC DATA 2	DATA AD4	SYNC AUX 4
DATA 3	SYNC DATA 3	DATA AD5	SYNC AUX 5
DATA 4	SYNC DATA 4	DATA AD6	SYNC AUX 6

Sync Function Keystrokes
Table 2

#### 4.2 STANDARD TEST CONDITIONS

The following procedure is used to test MLS equipment. The Test Operational Menu used in this procedure includes the standard test signals used to test MLS equipment set forth by RTCA/DO-177, ED-53A and ED-36A.

# STEP PROCEDURE

- 1. Connect MLS-800-2 as shown in 1-2-1, Figure 2.
- 2. Set PWR/OFF/BATT Switch to PWR.
- Press F1 on SPECIAL FUNCTION Keys to display Test Operational Menu.
- 4. Verify accuracy of MLS Receiver under test to following standard test conditions and parameters:

FIELD	SETTING
CHANNEL	600 (MHz)
RF LEVEL	-070 (dBm)
OCI	-4 (dB)
AZ ANGLE	00.00 (°)
EL ANGLE	03.00 (°)
SCANNING BEAM LEVEL	06 (dB)
SCANNING BEAM WIDTH	1 (°)
AZ TO THRESHOLD DISTANCE	3000 (Meters)
AZ PROP. COV. NEG. LIMIT (Data Word #1)	-60 (°)
AZ PROP. COV. POS. LIMIT (Data Word #1)	60 (°)
MIN. GLIDE PATH (Data Word #2)	3.0 (°)
GROUND STATION IDENTIFIER (Data Word #6)	IFR

#### 4.3 DIAGNOSTIC MENU OPERATION

#### 4.3.1 GENERAL

The Diagnostic Menu is used for testing and alignment of the MLS-800-2. Test operations which cannot be accomplished in the Test Operational Menu are performed in the Diagnostic Menu.

Only one test (CRT Alignment, Channel or 429 Loop) is active at any one time. For 429 Loop Test, only one of the two channels is under test at one time. 429 Loop Test results are displayed to the right of the 429 Loop Test Field. Beam Modulation tests (Main Path and Multipath), either test or both can run in any of the available modes and can run during the CRT Alignment, RF Channel or 429 Loop tests. At the completion of the RF Channel Test, the channel is restored to the value indicated in the Beam Modulation Test Channel Field, Refer to Maintenance Manual for Soft-Cal procedure.

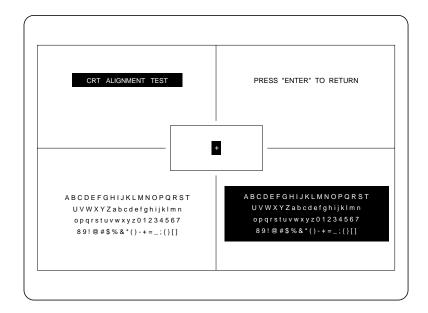
The CRT Alignment, RF Channel and 429 Loop tests are displayed in reverse video when active. To start the CRT Alignment, RF Channel and 429 Loop tests, move cursor to and slew the field to the desired test condition and press ENTER Key. All commands must use the ENTER Key to maintain desired value selected with the DATA SLEW Keys. There are three ways to halt the CRT Alignment, RF Channel or 429 Loop test:

- Press DATA SLEW Keys to set field to OFF and press ENTER Key.
- Start up another test (CRT Alignment, RF Channel or 429 Loop).
- Press SPECIAL FUNCTION Keys to exit the Diagnostic Menu.

Only one of the top three fields under Beam Modulation Test can be active at any one time (Fade Rate, Prop Mod or 6.75 Hz). If one is activated, all other fields are disabled. If Main Path Beam is not OFF, Sync is applied to the Main Beam. Non-Azimuth Multipath Beams should be run with the Main Path Beam OFF. Fields related to each Beam Path are displayed in reverse video if active and relevant to the Modulation type.

The cursor can be moved while certain tests are executing (RF Channel, 429 Loop, Main Path or Multipath Test) and the test fields can be edited, although response to the editing inputs is slower.

# 4.3.2 CRT ALIGNMENT TEST



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# STEP

# PROCEDURE

- Press F2 on SPECIAL FUNCTION Keys to display the Diagnostic Menu.
- Move cursor to CRT Alignment Test. Prompt Line CRT Alignment Test: SLEW-ENTER select ON or OFF appears.
- 3. Press DATA SLEW Keys to toggle setting from OFF to ON. Press ENTER Key. CRT Alignment Test Screen appears.
- 4. When adjustments are complete, press ENTER Key to return to Diagnostic Menu.



# 4.3.3 RF CHANNEL TEST

# STEP PROCEDURE

- 1. Press F2 on SPECIAL FUNCTION Keys to display Diagnostic Menu.
- Move cursor to RF Channel Test. Prompt Line RF Channel Test: SLEW-ENTER select ON or OFF appears.
- Press DATA SLEW Keys to toggle setting from OFF to ON. Press ENTER Key to start RF Channel Test. Results are displayed on CYCLE and ERROR counters.

NOTE: RF Synthesizer is stepped from Channel 500 to 699 and back in increments of 10. Cycle repeats at ≈1.5 sec.

4. Press ENTER Key to end RF Channel Test.

# 4.3.4 429 LOOP TEST

# STEP PROCEDURE

- Press F2 on SPECIAL FUNCTION Keys to display Diagnostic Menu.
- 2. Move cursor to 429 Loop Test. Prompt Line 429 Loop Test: SLEW-ENTER select ON or OFF appears.
- 3. Press DATA SLEW Keys to toggle setting from OFF to CHAN #1 or CHAN #2.
- 4. Press ENTER Key. Prompt Line Insert 429 test adaptor and ENTER; Press ESC to ignore appears at bottom of Diagnostic Menu.
- 5. Insert 429 Test Adaptor in ARINC 429 BUS Connector.
- Press ENTER Key to start 429 Loop Test. Results are displayed on CYCLE and ERROR counters.
- Press DATA SLEW Keys to toggle setting to OFF. Press ENTER Key to end 429 Loop Test.

NOTE: Upon completion of desired test cycles, CYCLE and ERROR counters restart when 429 Loop Test is reinstated.



# 5. REMOTE OPERATION (RS-232)

#### 5.1 GENERAL

Remote communication with the MLS-800-2 is provided by use of the General Purpose Interface Bus (GPIB) which conforms to the IEEE-488-1978 Standard. The MLS-800-2 conforms to the following IEEE-488-1978 Subsets:

SH1	LA	PPØ
AH1	LEØ	DC1
T6	SR1	DT1
TEØ	RL2	CØ

The MLS-800-2 has the following capabilities using ASCII encoded character strings:

Complete Source and Accepter Handshake

Talker with Serial Poll

Listener

Service Request

Remote/Local (No Local Lockout Capability)

Device Clear

Device Trigger

The GPIB Address is set by the MLS-800-2 DATA ENTRY Keys in the Special Function Menu.

All communication with the MLS-800-2 over the GPIB is implemented with ASCII encoded character strings. Invalid or improperly formatted characters discarded and an error status bit is set. The exceptions to this rule are the IEEE-488 defined BUS messages listed in 1-2-5, Table 4. Any of these messages causes an immediate response within the MLS-800-2. The ASCII String Commands are stored in a 128-Byte Buffer until receipt of Carriage Return, Line Feed, Character or an END, IDY or GET message. At this time, all commands are executed.

#### 5.1.1 GPIB Transactions

examples of GPIB transactions showing the ASCII character string to be transmitted followed by the necessary BUS operations to complete the transactions shown. These examples were generated and executed using a GPIB controller that uses an ANSI Standard with enhancements Interpreter allowing direct communication over GPIB using special GPIB interface hardware. In following examples, the character string to be transmitted is shown first, followed by the bus operations required to complete the transaction.

# Example: Channel to 699

ASCII String is "CHNL=699" (Followed by carriage return and line feed.)

BUS Transaction is UNT, UNL, MTA, DAB "C", DAB "H", DAB "N", DAB "L", DAB "=", DAB "6", DAB "9", DAB CR, DAB LF.

#### Example: Return RF Level (-100 dB)

ASCII String is "RFLVL?"

BUS Transaction Output Cycle is UNT, UNL, MLA, MTA, DAB "R", DAB "F", DAB "L", DAB "V", DAB "L", DAB CR, DAB LF.

BUS Transaction Input Cycle is UNT, UNL, MLA, MTA, DAB "-", DAB "1", DAB "Ø", DAB "Ø", DAB CR, DAB LF.

# 5.1.2 Status and Service Request Transactions

The MLS-800-2 can trigger a service request, based on one to six trigger conditions which is set by the user with the "SRQ=" command.

When placed in remote operation mode, the MLS-800-2 can be interrogated for the one byte status information. If an internal error or status condition becomes true and the matching trigger bit of the SRQ trigger byte has been set, Bit 6 is set. Bit 6 is generally used as the service request bit, signaling the GPIB controller the MLS-800-2 desires servicing. For an explanation of the other bits returned through the Serial Poll, refer to 1-2-5, Table 3.

STATUS BIT NO.	STATE	DEFINITION
Ø	Ø = LOCAL	Local/Remote Status
	1 = REMOTE	
1	NOT DEFINED	Not Defined
2	Ø = LOCAL 1 = REMOTE	System Error Status
3	Ø = LOCAL 1 = REMOTE	429 Comm Error Status
4	NOT DEFINED	Not Defined
5	NOT DEFINED	Not Defined
6	Ø = LOCAL 1 = REMOTE	SRQ Trigger Status
7	NOT DEFINED	Not Defined

Status Bit Definition Table 3

For a description of the System Error Status, ERRM? is executed. The Warning or Error message is cleared when ERRM? is executed. The 429 Comm Error Status information is returned by STAT429?.

MNEMONIC MESSAGE	ASCII CODE (HEX)	IEEE 48 INSTRUCTION	DEFINITION
ATN	BUS SIGNAL LINE	ATTENTION	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O Device responds to process incoming GPIB controller commands.
DAB	00-7F	DATA BYTE	MLS-800-2 CPU responds by status testing of OF GPIB I/O device to accept DATA BYTE.
DAC	BUS SIGNAL LINE	DATA ACCEPTED	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device responds immediately to signal talker of DATA BYTE acceptance.
DAV	BUS SIGNAL LINE	DATA VALID	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device responds to signal interceptor of valid data on bus.
DCL	14	DEVICE CLEAR	MLS-800-2 CPU responds to reset GPIB interface to individualized state.
END OR EOI	BUS SIGNAL LINE	END	MLS-800-2 responds to terminate command input from source and begins processing commands available up to last valid delimiter.
GET	08	GROUP EXECUTE TRIGGER	MLS-800-2 responds to terminate any further inputs and executes commands available up to last delimiter.
GTL	01	GO TO LOCAL	MLS-800-2 CPU responds to return control over to front panel.
IDY	BUS SIGNAL LINE	IDENTIFY	MLS-800-2 responds to terminate command input from source and begin processing commands available up to last delimiter valid.
IFC	BUS SIGNAL LINE	INTERFACE CLEAR	MLS-800-2 CPU responds by returning to local mode.
LLO			No response
MLA	20-3F	LISTEN ADDRESS	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device responds by comparing address with listen address given. If both are same, CPU is instructed to listen.
МТА	40-5F	TALK ADDRESS	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device responds by comparing address with talk address given. If both are same, CPU is instructed to talk.
REN	BUS SIGNAL LINE	REMOTE ENABLE	MLS-800-2 CPU responds from interface to put MLS-800-2 in remote, disabling front panel operation.
RFD	BUS SIGNAL LINE	READY FOR DATA	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device signals source for data to be transmitted on bus.

MLS-800-2 GPIB Message Interface Definition Table 4

MNEMONIC MESSAGE	ASCII CODE (HEX)	IEEE 48 INSTRUCTION	DEFINITION
SPD	19	SERIAL POLL DISABLE	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device terminates service request operation by disabling serial poll.
SPE	18	SERIAL POLL ENABLE	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device places status byte on bus addressed to talk.
SRQ	BUS SIGNAL LINE	SERVICE REQUEST	MLS-800-2 CPU instructs interface to signal controller that servicing is desired. (Done under MLS-800-2 software control.)
STB	00-FF	STATUS BYTE	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device responds after SPE and MTA messages by placing status byte on bus.
UNL	3F	UNLISTEN	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device and CPU responds to UNLISTEN MLS-800-2.
UNT	5F	UNTALK	MLS-800-2 GPIB I/O device and CPU responds to UNTALK MLS-800-2.

MLS-800-2 GPIB Message Interface Definition Table 4 (cont)



#### 5.2 COMMAND AND DATA STRUCTURE

All MLS-800-2 functional commands and data information are transferred over the GPIB as uppercase ASCII Alphanumeric Character Strings and are designed to replace the front panel controls.

# 5.2.1 ASCII Output Commands to MLS-800-2

All input commands sent to the MLS-800-2 are placed on an Internal Stack that accommodates up to 128 bytes of data. Command strings can be packed together, but the individual commands must be separated by delimiters. The delimiters are as follows:

ASCII Semi Colon (;),Colon (:) or Slash (/)
ASCII Period (.)
ASCII Question Mark (?)

NOTE: The Semi Colon (;), Colon (:) or Slash (/) are general delimiters and can be used after the Period (.) or Question Mark (?). Care must be exercised in using the Period or Question Mark at the end of a command so as not to change the interpretation of that command. Upon receipt of the Slash (/), the command preceding is executed immediately.

 When the MLS-800-2 is the assigned listener, the following ASCII characters terminate the output command or series of commands:

ASCII Carriage Return (ØD) - "CR" ASCII Line Feed (ØA) - "LF" Null Character (Ø) - "NL"

 When the MLS-800-2 is the assigned talker, the EOI line is sent when the specified termination sequence is sent.

**NOTE:** TERM = XXXX specifies the termination sequence.

# 5.2.2 ASCII Output Command Data Format

All spaces are ignored. Examples of valid commands are as follows:

"MODE = NORMAZ: MODE?"

"UPDATE?"

"RFLVL = -1ØØ:"

NOTE: If no CR, LF, NULL, GET, SLASH or EOI is included, then the line can be continued and the commands are not executed until a delimiter is received.

Maximum command string length including spaces and delimiters is 128 characters. If the command string exceeds 128 characters, everything up to the most recent delimiter is accepted and the rest ignored. Commands ending with an ASCII Question Mark (?) normally requires the operator to input using an ASCII string input command after issuing the output command.

Example: "CHNL?UPDATE?RID=ON: RFLVL"

Response: "699:1ØØ:RFLVL=1ØØ?"

The commands in the previous example set the Reply Identifier Flag which caused the command label following "RID=ON" to be attached to the response.

#### 5.2.3 Return Data Format

The returned data format convention is similar to the Output Command Data Format in that all returns are packed together and separated by ASCII Colon (:) delimiters. The number of responses returned is determined by the number of commands transferred in one block. the number of responses required causes the internal response buffer to overflow by being larger than 128 bytes, then only the responses up to the most recent delimiter are returned. Data fields returned with commands are separated by Semi Colon (;) delimiters. Refer to ASCII Output Command Data Format for a response example.

Data inputs that are out of specific range generally default to the minimum values, maximum values or previous values.

### 5.2.4 Command Groups

The command mnemonics used in the MLS-800-2 are longer than normally seen in GPIB controlled equipment. process is used to give the unfamiliar programmer a clear understanding of the functions they are executing. Because the possibility exists that the long transmission time required for these commands could seriously impede overall svstems performance. command group buffers and associated commands (CGX=, CGX? and CGX.) have been included (X=1, 2 or 3). groups allow the programmer to input up to 124 characters (128-CGX=) to one of three command buffers for later execution by CGX. CGX, can be stacked as long as there is not more than one CGX= input. As soon as the command input interpreter command CGX., sees the input interpreter immediately appends that command group buffer to the input buffer and proceeds with normal command interpretation and execution. An example of the proper usage of command buffer stacking is as follows:

Example: "CG1=RID=ON:CHNL?"

"CG2=CHNL?CG."

"CG#=UPDATE?CG@."

Response: 1ØØ:699:CHNL=699

NOTE: Do not use the same numbers (1, 2 or 3) in commands (CG1, CG2 or CG3) within the same

command group (e.g., "CG1 = XXX... CG1....". This causes a

system failure.

### 5.2.5 Reply Identifier

When the Reply Identifier is activated by RID=ON, the returned information for data or status requests is preceded by the command mnemonic and a "=" character. This continues until RID=OFF is given or the MLS-800-2 power is cycled. This feature is especially useful for data returned from a series of commands.

# 5.3 MLS-800-2 ALPHABETICAL QUICK REFERENCE ASCII COMMAND TABLE

COMMAND	RANGE	PAGE
ADn= (n is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6)	ON or OFF;A, A1, A2, A3, A4, A5 or A6;(DATA); OOOOOOO to EEEEEEE	17
ADn? (n is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6)	ON or OFF;A, A1, A2, A3, A4, A5 or A6;(DATA); OOOOOOO to EEEEEEE	18
AZ=	ON or OFF;-62.ØØ to 62.ØØ;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	13
AZ?	ON or OFF;-62.ØØ to 62.ØØ;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	13
AZOCILT=	-4 to 7	12
AZOCILT?	-4 to 7	12
AZOCIRR=	-4 to 7	13
AZOCIRR?	-4 to 7	13
AZOCIRT=	-4 to 7	12
AZOCIRT?	-4 to 7	12
AZRAT=	Ø or -75	11
AZRAT?	Ø or -75	11
AZ429?	-62.ØØØ to 62.ØØØ or	12
BAZ=	ON or OFF;-42.ØØ to 42.ØØ;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	13
BAZ?	ON or OFF;-42.ØØ to 42.ØØ;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	13
BAZOCILT=	-4 to 7	13
BAZOCILT?	-4 to 7	13
BAZOCIRR=	-4 to 7	13
BAZOCIRR?	-4 to 7	13
BAZOCIRT=	-4 to 7	12
BAZOCIRT?	-4 to 7	12
BAZ429?	-42.ØØØ to 42.ØØØ or	12
CG1=	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG1?	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG1.	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG2=	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG2?	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG2.	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG3=	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG3?	128 ASCII Characters	19
CG3.	128 ASCII Characters	19
CHNL=	5ØØ to 699	11
CHNL?	5ØØ to 699	11
CMN?	-1.ØØØ to 1.ØØØ or	12
DW1=	ON or OFF;ØØØØ to 63ØØ;-1Ø to -62;1Ø to 62; Ø or 1;Ø or 1;OO, OE, EO or EE	14
DW1?	ON or OFF;ØØØØ to 63ØØ;-1Ø to -62;1Ø to 62; Ø or 1;Ø or 1;OO, OE, EO or EE	15

COMMAND	RANGE	PAGE
DW2=	ON or OFF;Ø2.Ø to 14.7;Ø or 1;Ø to 3;Ø or 1; Ø or 1;Ø to 63;OO, OE, EO or EE	15
DW2?	ON or OFF;Ø2.Ø to 14.7;Ø or 1;Ø to 3;Ø or 1; Ø or 1;Ø to 63;OO, OE, EO or EE	15
DW3=	ON or OFF;Ø.5 to 4.Ø;Ø.5 to 2.5; ØØØØ.Ø to 6387.5;Ø to 7;OO, OE, EO or EE	15
DW3?	ON or OFF;Ø.5 to 4.Ø;Ø.5 to 2.5; ØØØØ.Ø to 6387.5;Ø to 7;OO, OE, EO or EE	15
DW4=	ON or OFF;ØØØ to 359;ØØØ to 359; OO, OE, EO or EE	15
DW4?	ON or OFF;ØØØ to 359;ØØØ to 359; OO, OE, EO or EE	16
DW5=	ON or OFF;ØØ to 42;ØØ to 42;Ø.5 to 4.Ø;Ø or 1.Ø;to 15; OO, OE, EO or EE	16
DW5?	ON or OFF;ØØ to 42;ØØ to 42;Ø.5 to 4.Ø;Ø or 1.Ø;to 15; OO, OE, EO or EE	16
DW6=	ON/OFF;OO, OE, EO or EE	16
DW6?	ON/OFF;OO, OE, EO or EE	16
EL=	ON or OFF;-Ø1.5Ø to 29.5Ø;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	13
EL?	ON or OFF;-Ø1.5Ø to 29.5Ø;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	13
ELOCIRR=	-4 to 7	13
ELOCIRR?	-4 to 7	13
EL429?	-Ø1.5ØØ to 29.5ØØ or	12
ERRM?	1 through 8 or NO WARNING	20
FADE=	1ØØØ, 1, Ø.Ø5 or OFF	11
FADE?	1ØØØ, 1, Ø.Ø5 or OFF	11
FL=	ON or OFF;-Ø2.ØØ to 1Ø.ØØ;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF;Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	14
FL?	ON or OFF;-Ø2.ØØ to 1Ø.ØØ;-Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF;Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	14
FL429?	-Ø2.ØØØ to 29.5ØØ or	12
IDENT=	ON, OFF or CONT	11
IDENT?	ON, OFF or CONT	11
MODE=	NORMAZ or HIGHAZ	11
MODE?	NORMAZ or HIGHAZ	11
MP=	ON or OFF;-62.ØØ to 62.ØØ;-14 to 13; NORM, HALF or CLEAR;Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5; -Ø3 to 13;-Ø3 to 13;ØØ.ØØ to 62.ØØ	14
MP?	ON or OFF;-62.ØØ to 62.ØØ;-14 to 13; NORM, HALF or CLEAR;Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5; -Ø3 to 13;-Ø3 to 13;ØØ.ØØ to 62.ØØ	14
PAD?	ØØ to 11 or	12
PFE?	-1.ØØØ to 1.ØØØ or	12
PPAR=	OO, OE, EO or EE	11
PPAR?	OO, OE, EO or EE	11

COMMAND	RANGE	PAGE
PROP=	OFF, ØØ1 to 199	11
PROP?	OFF, ØØ1 to 199	11
PURGE(nn).	Ø1 to 12	19
RECALL(nn).	Ø1 to 12	19
RFLVL=	-Ø17 to -122	11
RFLVL?	-Ø17 to -122	11
RID=	ON or OFF	19
RID?	ON or OFF	19
SAVE(nn)=	Ø1 to 12 A to Z, Ø to 9, -, # or Blank	19
SAVE(nn)?	8 ASCII Letters or Spaces	19
SDI?	ØØ to 11 or	12
SRQ=	ØØØØØØØ to 1111111	20
SRQ?	ØØØØØØØ to 1111111	20
SSM?	ØØ to 11 or	12
STAT429?	OE, ON or OFF	12
SYMN=	-6Ø to 6Ø	11
SYMN?	-6Ø to 6Ø	11
SYNC?	AZ, EL, BAZ, FL, DATA#1, DATA#2, DATA#3, DATA#4, DATA#5, DATA#6, DATAAD1, DATAAD2, DATAAD3, DATAAD4, DATAAD5 or DATAAD6	11
SYNCAD1.		14
SYNCAD2.		14
SYNCAD3.		14
SYNCAD4.		14
SYNCAD5.		14
SYNCAD6.		14
SYNCAZ.		11
SYNCBAZ.		11
SYNCDAT1.		11
SYNCDAT2.		11
SYNCDAT3.		11
SYNCDAT4.		11
SYNCDAT5.		11
SYNCDAT6.		11
SYNCEL.		11
SYNCFL.		11
SYNCOFF.		11
TERM=	1, 2, 3 or 4	19
TERM?	1, 2, 3 or 4	19
UPDATE=	Ø, 25, 45, 55, 75 or 1ØØ	11
UPDATE?	Ø, 25, 45, 55, 75 or 1ØØ	11
WPROT(nn).	Ø1 to 12	19
6.75=	ON or OFF	11
6.75?	ON or OFF	11

#### 5.4 MLS-800-2 COMMAND SET

The following paragraphs define the ASCII Commands used to control the MLS-800-2 under GPIB operation. The commands are grouped under paragraph headings according to the applicable function of each command.

Qualifiers for each command are used throughout the following paragraphs and are defined as follows:

- "=" Is for a select operation.
- "?" Is for a return operation.
- "." Is for an enable operation.

Data listed under the range column reflects input/output data on the MLS-800-2. Data shown in parentheses is input data and data not shown in parentheses is output data.

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION			
	MENU FUNCTIONS				
CHNL=	5ØØ to 699	Selects setting for Channel Number.			
CHNL?	5ØØ to 699	Returns setting for Channel Number.			
RFLVL=	-Ø17 to -122	Selects setting for RF Power Output Level in dBm.			
RFLVL?	-Ø17 to -122	Returns setting for RF Power Output Level in dBm.			
MODE=	NORMAZ or HIGHAZ	Selects setting for Mode of Operation.			
MODE?	NORMAZ or HIGHAZ	Returns setting for Mode of Operation.			
AZRAT=	Ø or -75	Selects setting for AZ Beam Ratio in dB.			
AZRAT?	Ø or -75	Returns setting for AZ Beam Ratio in dB.			
IDENT=	ON, OFF or CONT	Selects setting for Ident Tone as Active, Inactive or Continuous Tone State.			
IDENT?	ON, OFF or CONT	Selects setting for Ident Tone as Active, Inactive or Continuous Tone State.			
SYNCAZ.		Selects Sync on AZ Beam.			
SYNCEL.		Selects Sync on EL Beam.			
SYNCBAZ.		Selects Sync on BAZ Beam.			
SYNCFL.		Selects Sync on FL Beam.			
SYNCDAT1.		Selects Sync on Data Word #1.			
SYNCDAT2.		Selects Sync on Data Word #2.			
SYNCDAT3.		Selects Sync on Data Word #3.			
SYNCDAT4.		Selects Sync on Data Word #4.			
SYNCDAT5.		Selects Sync on Data Word #5.			
SYNCDAT6.		Selects Sync on Data Word #6.			
SYNCOFF.		Selects Sync Off.			
SYNC?	AZ, EL, BAZ, FL, DATA#1, DATA#2, DATA#3, DATA#4 DATA#5, DATA#6, DATAAD1, DATAAD2, DATAAD3, DATAAD4, DATAAD5, DATAAD6	Returns setting of Sync.			
PPAR=	OO, OE, EO or EE	Selects setting of Preamble Parity Bits (Even/Odd) for Sync Word/Beam.			
PPAR?	OO, OE, EO or EE	Returns setting of Preamble Parity Bits (Even/Odd) for Sync Word/Beam.			
UPDATE=	Ø, 25, 45, 55, 75 or 1ØØ	Selects setting for Update Rate in % of Transmissions for Sync Word/Beam.			
UPDATE?	Ø, 25, 45, 55, 75 or 1ØØ	Returns setting for Update Rate in % of Transmissions for Sync Word/Beam.			
SYMN=	-6Ø to 6Ø	Selects setting for Offset of Sync Word/Beam in 1 µs steps.			
SYMN?	-6Ø to 6Ø	Returns setting for Offset of Sync Word/Beam in 1 µs steps.			
6.75=	ON or OFF	Selects setting for 6.75 Hz.			
6.75?	ON or OFF	Returns setting for 6.75 Hz.			
FADE=	1ØØØ, 1, Ø.Ø5 or OFF	Selects setting for Fade Rate in Hz.			
FADE?	1ØØØ, 1, Ø.Ø5 or OFF	Returns setting for Fade Rate in Hz.			
PROP=	OFF or ØØ1 to 199	Selects setting for Prop Mod in 1 Hz steps.			
PROP?	OFF or ØØ1 to 199	Returns setting for Prop Mod in 1 Hz steps.			

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
PFE?	-1.ØØØ to 1.ØØØ	Returns value of measured Path Following Error in 0.001° Steps.
		Returns 7 ASCII Dashes if no Data, value is >1 or Nothing in Sync.
		Requires some Angle Function (i.e., AZ, EL, BAZ or FL) to be placed in Sync.
CMN?	-1.ØØØ to 1.ØØØ	Returns value of measured Control Motion Noise in 0.001° Steps.
		Returns 7 ASCII Dashes if no Data, value is >1 or Nothing in Sync.
		Requires some Angle Function (i.e., AZ, EL, BAZ or FL) to be placed in Sync.
SDI?	ØØ to 11	Returns Status of Bits 10 and 9 of 429 Word (Binary).
		Returns 2 ASCII Dashes if no Data or Nothing in Sync.
PAD?	ØØ to 11	Returns Status of Bits 12 and 11 of 429 Word (Binary).
		Returns 2 ASCII Dashes if no Data or Nothing in Sync.
SSM?	ØØ to 11	Returns Status of Bits 31 and 30 of 429 Word (Binary)
		Returns 2 ASCII Dashes if no Data or Nothing in Sync.
STAT429?	OE, ON or OFF	Returns setting for Flag in 429 Mod.
AZ429?	-62.ØØØ to 62.ØØØ	Returns ARINC 429 AZ Data in 0.005° Steps.
		Returns 7 ASCII Dashes if no Data.
EL429?	-Ø1.5ØØ to 29.5ØØ	Returns ARINC 429 EL Data in 0.005° Steps.
		Returns 7 ASCII Dashes if no Data.
FL429?	-Ø2.ØØØ to 29.5ØØ	Returns ARINC 429 FL Data in 0.005° Steps.
		Returns 7 ASCII Dashes if no Data.
BAZ429?	-42.ØØØ to 42.ØØØ	Returns ARINC 429 BAZ Data in 0.005° Steps.
		Returns 7 ASCII Dashes if no Data.
AZOCIRT=	-4 to 7	Selects setting of Right OCI for AZ in dB.
AZOCIRT?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Right OCI for AZ in dB.
BAZOCIRT=	-4 to 7	Selects setting of Right OCI for BAZ in dB.
BAZOCIRT?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Right OCI for BAZ in dB.
AZOCILT=	-4 to 7	Selects setting of Left OCI for AZ in dB.
AZOCILT?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Left OCI for AZ in dB.

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
BAZOCILT=	-4 to 7	Selects setting of Left OCI for BAZ in dB.
BAZOCILT?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Left OCI for BAZ in dB.
AZOCIRR=	-4 to 7	Selects setting of Rear OCI for AZ in dB.
AZOCIRR?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Rear OCI for AZ in dB.
ELOCIRR=	-4 to 7	Selects setting of Rear OCI for EL in dB.
ELOCIRR?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Rear OCI for EL in dB.
BAZOCIRR=	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Rear OCI for BAZ in dB.
BAZOCIRR?	-4 to 7	Returns setting of Rear OCI for BAZ in dB.
AZ=		Selects settings for AZ Beam:
	ON or OFF; -62.ØØ to 62.ØØ; -Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Cond Angle (0.05°steps) Level (dB Preamble) Shape Width (°)
AZ?		Returns settings for AZ Beam:
	ON or OFF; -62.ØØ to 62.ØØ; -Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Cond Angle (0.05°steps) Level (dB Preamble) Shape Width (°)
EL=		Selects settings for EL Beam:
	ON or OFF; -Ø1.5Ø to 29.5Ø; -Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Cond Angle (0.05°steps) Level (dB) Shape Width (°)
EL?		Returns settings for EL Beam:
	ON or OFF; -Ø1.5Ø to 29.5Ø; -Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF); Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Cond Angle (0.05° steps) Level (dB) Shape Width (°)
BAZ=		Selects settings for BAZ Beam:
	ON or OFF; -42.ØØ to 42.ØØ; -Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Cond Angle (0.05° steps) Level (dB) Shape Width (°)
BAZ?		Returns settings for BAZ Beam:
	ON or OFF; -42.ØØ to 42.ØØ; -Ø3 to 13; NORM or HALF; Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Cond Angle (0.05° steps) Level (dB) Shape Width (°)

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
FL=		Selects settings for FL Beam:
	ON or OFF;	Cond
	-Ø2.ØØ to 1Ø.ØØ; -Ø3 to 13;	Angle (0.05° steps) Level (dB)
	NORM or HALF;	Shape
	Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Width (°)
FL?		Returns settings for FL Beam:
	ON or OFF;	Cond
	-Ø2.ØØ to 1Ø.ØØ; -Ø3 to 13;	Angle (0.05° steps) Level (dB)
	NORM or HALF;	Shape
	Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5	Width (°)
MP=		Selects settings for MP Beam:
	ON or OFF;	Cond
	-62.ØØ to 62.ØØ;	Angle (0.05° steps)
	-14 to 13; NORM, HALF or CLEAR;	Level (dB) Shape
	Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5;	Width (°)
	-Ø3 to 13;	Left dB
	-Ø3 to 13; ØØ.ØØ to 62.ØØ,	Right dB Angle (0.05° steps)
	55.55 to 02.55,	Angle (0.00 steps)
		Last 3 items apply to Shape set to Clear.
MP?		Returns settings for MP Beam:
	ON or OFF;	Cond
	-62.ØØ to 62.ØØ;	Angle (0.05° steps)
	-14 to 13; NORM, HALF or CLEAR;	Level (dB) Shape
	Ø.5, 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5;	Width (°)
	-Ø3 to 13;	Left dB
	-Ø3 to 13; ØØ.ØØ to 62.ØØ	Right dB Angle (0.05° steps)
	55.55 10 02.55	
0)/110.4.5.4		Last 3 items apply to Shape set to Clear.
SYNCAD1.		Selects Sync on Aux Data #1.
SYNCAD2. SYNCAD3.		Selects Sync on Aux Data #2. Selects Sync on Aux Data #3.
SYNCAD3.		Selects Sync on Aux Data #3.  Selects Sync on Aux Data #4.
SYNCAD5.		Selects Sync on Aux Data #5.
SYNCAD6.		Selects Sync on Aux Data #6.
DW1=		Selects settings for Data Word #1:
	ON or OFF;	Enable Switch
	ØØØØ to 63ØØ;	AZ to Threshold Distance (100 Meter steps)
	-1Ø to -62;	AZ Prop. Cov. Neg. Limit (2° steps)
	1Ø to 62; Ø or 1;	AZ Prop. Cov. Pos. Limit (2° steps) Spare (1 Bit)
	Ø or 1;	Clr. Sig.
	OO, OE, EO or EE	Parity (Odd or Even)

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
DW1?		Returns settings for Data Word #1:
	ON or OFF; ØØØØ to 63ØØ; -1Ø to -62; 1Ø to 62; Ø or 1; Ø or 1; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch AZ to Threshold Distance (100 Meter steps) AZ Prop. Cov. Neg. Limit (2° steps) AZ Prop. Cov. Pos. Limit (2° steps) Spare (1 Bit) CIr. Sig. Parity (Odd or Even)
DW2=		Selects settings for Data Word #2:
	ON or OFF; Ø2.Ø to 14.7; Ø or 1; Ø to 3; Ø or 1; Ø or 1; Ø to 63; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch Min Glide Path (0.1° steps) BAZ Status DME Status (Binary) AZ Status EL Status Spare (6 Bits) (Binary) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW2?		Returns settings for Data Word #2:
	ON or OFF; Ø2.Ø to 14.7; Ø or 1; Ø to 3; Ø or 1; Ø or 1; Ø to 63; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch Min Glide Path (0.1° steps) BAZ Status DME Status (Binary) AZ Status EL Status Spare (6 Bits) (Binary) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW3=		Selects settings for Data Word #3:
	ON or OFF; Ø.5 to 4.Ø; Ø.5 to 2.5; ØØØØ.Ø to 6387.5; Ø to 7; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch AZ Beamwidth (0.5° steps) EL Beamwidth (0.5° steps) DME Distance (12.5 Meter steps) Spare (3 Bits) (Binary) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW3?		Returns settings for Data Word #3:
	ON or OFF; Ø.5 to 4.Ø; Ø.5 to 2.5; ØØØØ.Ø to 6387.5; Ø to 7; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch AZ Beamwidth (0.5° steps) EL Beamwidth (0.5° steps) DME Distance (12.5 Meter steps) Spare (3 Bits) (Binary) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW4=		Selects settings for Data Word #4:
	ON or OFF; ØØØ to 359; ØØØ to 359; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch AZ Zero-Degree Guidance Plane (1° steps) BAZ Zero-Degree Guidance Plane (1° steps) Parity (Odd or Even)

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
DW4?		Returns settings for Data Word #4:
	ON or OFF; ØØØ to 359; ØØØ to 359; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch AZ Zero-Degree Guidance Plane (1° steps) BAZ Zero-Degree Guidance Plane (1° steps) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW5=		Selects settings for Data Word #5:
	ON or OFF; ØØ to 42; ØØ to 42; Ø.5 to 4.Ø; Ø to 1; Ø to 15; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch BAZ Prop. Cov. Neg. (2° steps) BAZ Prop. Cov. Pos. (2° steps) BAZ Beamwidth (0.5° steps) BAZ Status Spare (4 Bits) (Binary) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW5?		Returns settings for Data Word #5:
	ON or OFF; ØØ to 42; ØØ to 42; Ø.5 to 4.Ø; Ø to 1; Ø to 15; OO, OE, EO or EE	Enable Switch BAZ Prop. Cov. Neg. (2° steps) BAZ Prop. Cov. Pos. (2° steps) BAZ Beamwidth (0.5° steps) BAZ Status Spare (5 Bits) (Binary) Parity (Odd or Even)
DW6=		Selects settings for Data Word #6:
	ON or OFF;	Enable Switch
	OO, OE, EO or EE	Parity (Odd or Even)
DW6?		Returns settings for Data Word #6:
	ON or OFF;	Enable Switch
	OO, OE, EO or EE	Parity (Odd or Even)

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
ADn=		Selects settings for Auxiliary Data Word:
(n is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6)	ON or OFF;	Enable Switch
	A1; -511 to 511; ØØØØ to 8191; -2Ø.47 to 2Ø.47; Ø or 1; -63 to 63; ØØ to 77;	Data Type AZ Ant. Offset (1 Meter steps) AZ to MLS Datum (1 Meter steps) AZ Ant. Align. (0.01° steps) AZ Ant. Co-ord. Approach AZ Ant Height (1 Meter steps) Spare (2 Bits) (Octal)
	A2; -511 to 511; ØØØØ to 1Ø23; -6.3 to 6.3; -4095 to 4095; -6.3 to 6.3; Ø to 3;	Data Type EL Antenna Offset (1 Meter steps) MLS Datum to Thresh. (1 Meter steps) EL Ant. Height (0.1 Meter steps) MLS Datum EL Ref. MLS (1 Meter steps) Runway Threshold Height (0.1 Meter steps) Spare (1 Bit)
	A3; -2Ø47 to 2Ø47; -8191 to 8191; -63 to 63; ØØØØØ to 16383; Ø to 3;	Data Type DME Offset (1 Meter steps) DME to MLS Datum (1 Meter steps) DME Ant. Height (1 Meter steps) Runway Stop-end Distance (1 Meter steps) Spare (1 Bit)
	A4; -511 to 511; ØØØØ to 2047; -2Ø.47 to 2Ø.47; Ø to 1; -63 to 63; ØØØ to 377;	Data Type BAZ Ant. Offset (1 Meter steps) BAZ to MLS Datum (1 Meter steps) BAZ Ant. Align. (0.01° steps) BAZ Ant. Co-ord BAZ Ant. Height (1 Meter steps) Spare (3 Bits) (Octal)
	A5, ØØØØ to 2555; ØØØØ to 2555; ØØØØ to 2555; ØØØØ to 127; ØØØØ to 359;	Data Type RVR (TD Zone) (5 Meter steps) RVR (Midpoint) (5 Meter steps) RVR (Stop-end) (5 Meter steps) Surface Wind Speed (1 Noeud steps) Surface Wind Dir. (Magnetic) (1° steps)
	A6 ØØØ to 377; ØØØ to 377; ØØØ to 377; ØØØ to 377; ØØØ to 377; ØØØ to 377; ØØØ to 1;	Addr Data -1 Data -2 Data -3 Data -4 Data -5 Data -6 Data -7
	OOOOOOO to EEEEEEE	Parity (Odd or Even)

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
ADn?		Selects settings for Auxiliary Data Word:
(n is 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6)	ON or OFF;	Enable Switch
	A1; -511 to 511; ØØØØ to 8191; -2Ø.47 to 2Ø.47; Ø or 1; -63 to 63; ØØ to 77;	Data Type AZ Ant. Offset (1 Meter steps) AZ to MLS Datum (1 Meter steps) AZ Ant. Align. (0.01° steps) AZ Ant. Co-ord. Approach AZ Ant Height (1 Meter steps) Spare (2 Bits) (Octal)
	A2; -511 to 511; ØØØØ to 1Ø23; -6.3 to 6.3; -4095 to 4095; -6.3 to 6.3; Ø to 3;	Data Type EL Antenna Offset (1 Meter steps) MLS Datum to Thresh. (1 Meter steps) EL Ant. Height (0.1 Meter steps) MLS Datum EL Ref. MLS (1 Meter steps) Runway Threshold Height (0.1 Meter steps) Spare (1 Bit)
	A3; -2Ø47 to 2Ø47; -8191 to 8191; -63 to 63; ØØØØØ to 16383; Ø to 3;	Data Type DME Offset (1 Meter steps) DME to MLS Datum (1 Meter steps) DME Ant. Height (1 Meter steps) Runway Stop-end Distance (1 Meter steps) Spare (1 Bit)
	A4; -511 to 511; ØØØØ to 2047; -2Ø.47 to 2Ø.47; Ø to 1; -63 to 63; ØØØ to 377;	Data Type BAZ Ant. Offset (1 Meter steps) BAZ to MLS Datum (1 Meter steps) BAZ Ant. Align. (0.01° steps) BAZ Ant. Co-ord BAZ Ant. Height (1 Meter steps) Spare (3 Bits) (Octal)
	A5, ØØØØ to 2555; ØØØØ to 2555; ØØØØ to 2555; ØØØØ to 127; ØØØØ to 359;	Data Type RVR (TD Zone) (5 Meter steps) RVR (Midpoint) (5 Meter steps) RVR (Stop-end) (5 Meter steps) Surface Wind Speed (1 Noeud steps) Surface Wind Dir. (Magnetic) (1° steps)
	A6 ØØØ to 377; Ø to 1;	Addr Data -1 Data -2 Data -3 Data -4 Data -5 Data -6 Data -7
	OOOOOOO to EEEEEEE	Parity (Odd or Even)

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION			
KEY	KEYBOARD FUNCTIONS NOT INCLUDED IN MENU FUNCTIONS,				
RECALL(nn).	Ø1 to 12	Recalls Menu from MLS Memory.			
SAVE(nn)=	Ø1 to 12 A to Z, Ø to 9, -, # or Blank	Stores Menu in MLS Memory with 8 Character Label.			
SAVE(nn)?	8 ASCII Characters or Spaces	Returns 8 Character Label for Menu in MLS			
WPROT(nn).	Ø1 to 12	Memory.  Applies Write Protection to Menu in MLS			
WIROT(IIII).	Ø1 (0 12	Memory.			
PURGE(nn).	Ø1 to 12	Erases Menu in MLS Memory.			
	SPECIAL FUNC	CTIONS			
CG1=	128 ASCII Characters	Stores MLS-800-2 GPIB Commands for Later. Execution.			
CG1?	128 ASCII Characters	Returns contents of CG1.			
CG1.	128 ASCII Characters	Executes Commands Stored in CG1 Internal Buffer.			
CG2=	128 ASCII Characters	Stores MLS-800-2 GPIB Commands for Later Execution.			
CG2?	128 ASCII Characters	Returns contents of CG2.			
CG2.	128 ASCII Characters	Executes Commands Stored in CG2 Internal Buffer.			
CG3=	128 ASCII Characters	Stores MLS-800-2 GPIB Commands for Later Execution.			
CG3?	128 ASCII Characters	Returns contents of CG3.			
CG3.	128 ASCII Characters	Executes Commands Stored in CG3 Internal Buffer.			
RID=	ON or OFF	Selects setting for Controls Reply Identifier Switch.			
		Adds Command Name followed by "=" as a Prefix to a Command's Response.			
RID?	ON or OFF	Returns setting for RID.			
TERM=	1, 2, 3 or 4	Selects Terminator for End-of-String Output.			
		CR is Carriage Return LF is Line Feed			
		1 is CRLF 2 is LFCR 3 is CRCR 4 is LFLF			
TERM?	1, 2, 3 or 4	Returns Terminator for End-of-String Output.			
		CR is Carriage Return LF is Line Feed			
		1 is CRLF 2 is LFCR 3 is CRCR 4 is LFLF			

COMMAND	RANGE	DEFINITION
SRQ=	ØØØØØØØ to 1111111	Selects GPIB SRQ Line Interrupt Mask (Binary).  An SRQ Interrupt occurs for each Error or Status Condition that Occurs whose Status Bit has been Set (1). Error/Status Conditions are shown in 1-2-5, Table 5.
SRQ?	ØØØØØØØ to 1111111	Returns GPIB SRQ Line Interrupt Mask (Binary).  An SRQ Interrupt occurs for each Error or Status Condition whose Status Bit has been Set (1). Error/Status Conditions are shown in 1-2-5, Table 5.
ERRM?	1. DATA OUT OF RANGE 2. INVALID COMMAND 3. FUNCTION IN SYNC IS OFF 4. MAIN BEAM BOARD INACTIVE 5. MULTIPATH BEAM BOARD INACTIVE 6. INVALID PAGE NUMBER 7. PAGE IS WRITE- PROTECTED 8. PAGE IS EMPTY NO WARNING	Returns Warning or System Error message.  Warning or System Error Message is cleared when command is executed.

#### **Special Notes:**

**MP=** Command: When sending the MP= command, utilizing CLEAR (clearance) function, use the following protocol...

MP=ON;;;CLEAR;;09;09;45.00

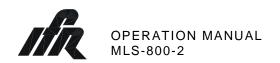
Use semi colons (;) to delimit the unused fields when CLEAR (clearance) is selected.

MP? Command: After sending the MP? command and reading back the ASCII string, the correct confirmation of the command string for the clearance parameters are returned. Note that the last MP normal or half beam angle, level and beam width are confirmed but are not used in the clearance mode of operation (i.e., MP=ON;00.00;-14;CLEAR;1;09;09; 45.00)

**OCI parameters:** When setting the OCI fields to positive numbers (i.e., AZOCILT=05), ensure a leading 0 (zero) precedes the setting. This prevents single digit positive numbers being returned twice (i.e., 5 being returned as 55). When performing a read back (i.e., AZOCILT?), negative numbers should be entered as single digits.

BIT(S)	STATE	CONDITION
0	0 = LOCAL	LOCAL/REMOTE STATUS
1	NOT DEFINED	
2	0 = NO ERROR 1 = ERROR	SYSTEM ERROR STATUS
3	0 = NO ERROR 1 = ERROR	429 COMM ERROR STATUS
4	NOT DEFINED	
5	NOT DEFINED	
6	0 = NOT TRIGGERED 1 = TRIGGERED	SRQ TRIGGER STATUS
7	NOT DEFINED	

Error/Status Conditions
Table 5



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## **SECTION 3 - SPECIFICATIONS**

**NOTE:** Unless otherwise noted the following equipment performance

characteristics are warranted over the specified environmental

conditions following a 20 minute warm-up period.

**NOTE:** All RF measurements are referenced to 50  $\Omega$ .

NOTE: Accuracy and resolution stated in percent are referenced to measured

or desired values.

**NOTE:** Where resolution exceeds accuracy, resolution takes precedence.

#### 1. GENERAL

#### 1.1 RF SIGNAL GENERATOR

Frequency Range: 5031 to 5090.7 MHz

Steps: 0.3 MHz

Accuracy: ±1.0 kHz (measured with Main Path in CW and

Multipath OFF)

RF Output Power:

Level Range: -17 to -122 dBm

Level Accuracy: ±2.0 dB

Level Flatness: ±0.5 dB at -20 dBm

(measured with 1000 Hz Fade Rate applied to Multipath with Multipath OFF, 14 dB Pad applied, and Main Path in CW, 0 dB modulation)

NOTE: A 0.2 to 0.4 dB variation in level at Fade Rate is normal operation and is due

to residual component of Multipath signal. A 0.8 dB variation is normal for

Multipath signal at Multipath = 0 dB, Main Path = OFF.

Attenuator Accuracy: ±1.0 dB

Attenuator Monotonicity: ±0.5 to 1.5 dB (each step)

Spectral Purity:

Noise Floor Offset: -105 dBc/Hz (±0.3 to 1.2 MHz from C<sub>f</sub>)

NOTE: 105 dBc/Hz is approximately equal to -60 dBc in a 30 kHz bandwidth.

NOTE: Total spurious power should not exceed -15 dBc or -35 dBm at -20 dBm level

setting from 50.0 kHz to 12.4 GHz.

Residual FM Modulation: <1 kHz peak, 0.01 to 15 kHz BW



#### 1.1 RF SIGNAL GENERATOR (cont)

Residual Phase Modulation: <0.5 radians peak, 0.3 to 15 kHz BW

Spurious Signal Rejection

(in-band):

 $\pm 0.3$  to 1.2 MHz: -45 dBc  $\pm 1.2$  to 30 MHz (band end): -65 dBc

Spurious Signal Rejection

(out-of-band):

5120 to 5250 MHz -50 dBm

50 kHz to 12.4 GHz: -35 dBm (excluding 5000 to 5250 MHz)

#### 1.2 MODULATION

**NOTE:** Angular range is limited to slightly less than maximum range with a beam width of 0.5° and 1.0° according to the following table:

FUNCTION	RANGE (0.5°)	RANGE (1.0°)
AZ	-61° to 61°	-61.95° to 61.95°
HiAZ	-41° to 41°	-41.95° to 41.95°
EL	-1.0° to 29.5°	-1.0° to 29.5°
BAZ	-41.75° to 41.75°	-41.75° to 41.75°
FL	-1° to 9°	-1° to 9°

NOTE: RF preamble level plus modulation level should not exceed -10.0 dBm.

**NOTE:** Beam modulation level of +6 dB above preamble is assumed unless specified.

Main Path Functions:

Beam Angles:

Azimuth: ±62° High Rate Azimuth: ±42°

Elevation: -1.5° to +29.5°

Flare:  $-2^{\circ}$  to  $+10^{\circ}$ 

Back Azimuth: ±42°

Angle Resolution: ±0.05° steps

Angle Accuracy: ±0.005°

Basic Data: All functions selectable on menu with selectable data

values and parity

Auxiliary Data: All auxiliary data words selectable

Beam Shape: Approximately sinx/x or 1/2 sinx/x waveforms at

1/2 width that fills time slot. Sidelobes for 1/2 sinx/x

are present on pulse side only.

Beam Width: 0.5°, 1°, 2°, 3°, 4°, 5°

Accuracy: ±10% of setting

#### 1.2 MODULATION (cont)

Beam Level: Adjustable relative to preamble

Range: -3.0 to +13.0 dB

NOTE: RF preamble level plus modulation level should not exceed -10.0 dBm.

Resolution: 1.0 dB steps

Accuracy: ±1.0 dB

Side Lobes: Relative to beam level

Level:  $-20.0 \text{ dB } (\pm 1.0 \text{ dB})$ 

OCI Pulses (Right, Left, Rear):

Width:  $100 \mu s (\pm 10 \mu s)$ 

Level: Adjustable relative to preamble

Range: -4.0 to +7.0 dB

Resolution: 1.0 dB steps

Accuracy: ±1.0 dB

DPSK Modulation:

Phase Shift:

Logic Zero (0): No transition Logic One (1):  $180^{\circ} (\pm 10^{\circ})$ 

Amplitude Balance: ±0.4 dB

Transition Time:  $<10 \mu s (10\% to 90\%)$ 

Multipath Function:

Beam Angle: Selectable to maximum angle for selected function.

Angle Resolution 0.05° steps

Angle Accuracy ±0.05°

Beam Shape: Approximately sinx/x or 1/2 sinx/x waveforms at 1/2

width that fills time slot. Sidelobes for 1/2 sinx/x are

present on pulse side only.

Beam Width: 0.5°, 1°, 2°, 3°, 4° and 5°

Accuracy: ±10% of setting



#### 1.2 MODULATION (cont)

Beam Level: Adjustable relative to preamble

NOTE: RF preamble level plus modulation level should not exceed -10.0 dBm.

NOTE: When clearance is selected, each pulse is individually selectable in amplitude.

NOTE: Combined modulation level in a given time slot not to exceed +15 dB relative

to preamble. Includes main path + multipath + 6.75 Hz modulation.

Range: -14.0 to +13.0 dB

Resolution: 1.0 dB steps

Accuracy:  $\pm 1.0 \text{ dB } (-3.0 \text{ to } +13.0 \text{ dB})$ 

±2.0 dB (-14.0 to -4.0 dB)

Side Lobes: Relative to beam level

Level:  $-20.0 \text{ dB } (\pm 1.0 \text{ dB})$ 

Main Path to Multipath: ±1.0 dB tracking error

Fade Rate:

Frequency: 0.05, 1 and 1000 Hz (selectable)

Accuracy: ±1%

Steps: Eight discrete steps that approximate a sine wave

Clearance Pulses:

NOTE: Selectable for AZ, HiAZ and BAZ functions only. Angular range is ±1° to ±61° for

AZ and ±41° for HiAZ and BAZ.

Position: Two pulses spaced equidistant from 0.0°.

Angle Resolution: ±0.05°
Angle Accuracy: ±0.05°

Pulse Width:  $50.0 \mu s (\pm 5.0 \mu s)$ 

Amplitude:

Range: -3.0 to +13.0 dB

Resolution: 1.0 dB steps

Accuracy: ±1.0 dB

#### 1.3 ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS

AZ to EL Ratio: Selectable so Azimuth to Elevation function ratio is

0 or -75 dB

Accuracy: ±2 dB

Interference Modulation:

Propeller Modulation:

Frequency: Variable 1 to 199 Hz

Resolution: 1.0 Hz steps

Accuracy: ±1%

Duty Cycle: -12 dB (±2 dB) applied for 15% (±1%)

Sync: Not in sync with any function

6.75 Hz Modulation:

Frequency: 6.75 Hz

Accuracy: ±1%

Level: Selectable ±6.0 dB square wave modulation to main

beam

NOTE: RF preamble level plus modulation level should not exceed -10.0 dBm.

NOTE: Combined modulation level in a given time slot not to exceed +15 dB relative

to preamble. Includes main path + multipath + 6.75 Hz modulation.

Accuracy: ±1.0 dB

Sync: Not in sync with any function

Morse Code:

Selection: Off, IFR or Continuous Tone

Oscilloscope Sync:

Selection: Selectable to occur at start of any function, basic or

auxiliary data word

Amplitude: Positive TTL pulse approximately 14 µs wide

NOTE: Sync control specifies to which function or data word the tests in 1-3-1,

Table 1 apply.

#### 1.3 ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS (cont)

FUNCTION	APPLICATION
P PARITY	Controls Preamble Parity
6.75 Hz	Enables or disables 6.75 Hz Modulation
UPDATE	Controls % update rate
FADE RATE	Controls Fade Rate (applied to Multipath Beam)
SYMMETRY	Controls Beam Symmetry
PROP MOD	Controls Propeller Modulation Frequency
PFE	Measurement of Path Following Error
CMN	Measurement of Control Motion Noise

# Oscilloscope Sync Amplitude Table 1

Function Update Rate:

Selection: 100%, 75%, 55%, 45%, 25% and 0%

Accuracy: ±3.9%

FUNCTION	UPDATE RATE	AVERAGE RATE OVER 10 SECONDS
AZ	100%	13 Hz (±0.5 Hz)
HiAZ	100%	39 Hz (±1.5 Hz)
BAZ	100%	6.5 Hz (±0.25 Hz)
EL	100%	39 Hz (±1.5 Hz)

Function Preamble Parity:

Selection: Function identified by Oscilloscope Sync selection is

candidate to have its parity bits individually inverted

to provide a change in parity

Scanning Beam Time Symmetry:

Selection: 0 (OFF), ±60 µs in 1 µs steps referenced to proper

timing from preamble Receiver Time Reference Code

External Reference Input: Variable 9.999940 to 10.000060 MHz at 3 dB nominal

ARINC 429 Receiver:

Rates: 12.5 and 100 kbps data rates

Format: Return to Zero (RZ)

Levels: Logic "1" = +5 to +10 V input, typical

Logic "0" = -5 to -10 V input, typical

Transitions: Rise and fall times <1.5  $\mu$ s

GPIB: Conforms to IEEE-488-1978 Standard for Talker/

Listener

#### 1.4 POWER

AC:

Voltage: 103.5 to 240.0 VAC

Frequency: 45.0 to 440 Hz

Power Consumption: 85.0 W, maximum

Fuse Requirements: 2.5 A, 250 V, Type F

DC:

Voltage: 11.0 to 30.0 Vdc

Fuse Requirements: 7.5 A, 32 V minimum, Type F

Battery:

Time Out: 10 minute time out circuit to prevent accidental

discharge. Low voltage detect turns unit off prior to

performance being affected.

Charge Cycle: At least 3 cycles or 30 minutes of charge life before

recharge.

Environmental:

Weight: 50 lbs. Maximum (22.68 kg)

Dimension (with lid): 21.25 in (H) x 14.0 in (L) x 9.25 in (W)

53.98 cm (H) x 35.56 cm (L) x 23.5 cm (W)

Operating Temperature:  $50^{\circ}F$  to  $104^{\circ}F$  (+10°C to +40°C)

Storage Temperature:  $-40^{\circ}F$  to  $160^{\circ}F$  ( $-40^{\circ}C$  to  $+71^{\circ}C$ )



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## **SECTION 4 - SHIPPING**

#### 1. SHIPPING TEST SETS

#### 1.1 INFORMATION

IFR Test Sets returned to factory for calibration, service or repair must be repackaged and shipped according to the following conditions:

#### Authorization

Do not return any products to factory without first receiving authorization from IFR Customer Service Department.

**CONTACT: IFR** 

**Customer Service** 

Telephone: 800-835-2350

FAX: 316-524-2623

E-Mail: service@ifrsys.com

#### **Tagging Test Sets**

All Test Sets must be tagged with:

- Identification and address of owner.
- Nature of service or repair required.
- Model Number.
- Serial Number.

#### **Shipping Containers**

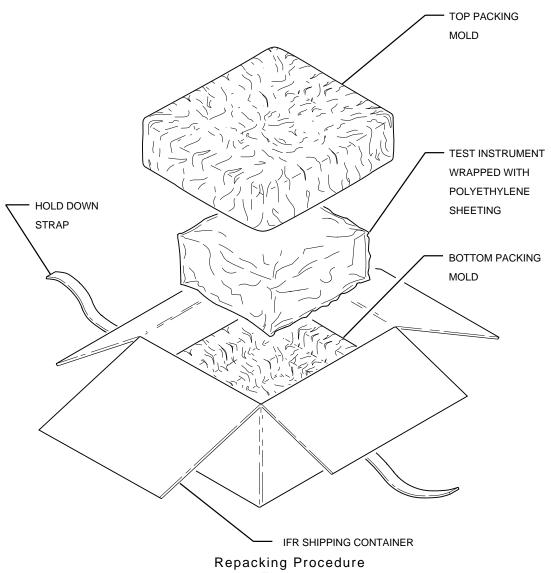
Test Sets must be repackaged in original shipping containers using IFR packing molds. If original shipping containers and materials are not available, contact IFR Customer Service for shipping instructions.

#### **Freight Costs**

All freight costs on non-warranty shipments are assumed by the customer. (See "Warranty Packet" for freight charge policy on warranty claims.)

#### 1.2 REPACKING PROCEDURE

- Make sure bottom packing mold is seated on floor of shipping container.
- Carefully wrap Test Set with polyethylene sheeting to protect finish.
- Place Test Set into shipping container, making sure Test Set is securely seated in bottom packing mold.
- Place top packing mold over top of Test Set and press down until top packing mold rests solidly on Test Set.
- Close shipping container lids and seal with shipping tape or an industrial stapler. Tie all sides of container with break resistant rope, twine or equivalent.



Repacking Procedure Figure 1



## **SECTION 5 - STORAGE**

## 1. STORING TEST SETS

Perform the following storage precautions whenever the Test Set is stored for extended periods:

- Disconnect Test Set from any electrical power source.
- Disconnect and store ac power cable and other accessories with Test Set.
- Cover Test Set to prevent dust and debris from covering and entering Test Set.



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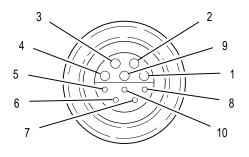
## **APPENDIX A - CONNECTOR PIN-OUT TABLES**

## 1. TABLE OF CONNECTORS

CONNECTOR	TYPE	SIGNAL	INPUT/OUTPUT
RF OUT	RF OUT RF TYPE N		OUTPUT
ARINC 429	See Pin-Out Table	10 PIN LEMO	INPUT/OUTPUT
SYNC	TTL	BNC	OUTPUT
VIDEO	VIDEO	BNC	OUTPUT
EXT RF	RF	BNC	INPUT
GPIB	See Pin-Out Table	IEEE 488/ANSI MC1.1	INPUT/OUTPUT

## 2. ARINC 429 BUS CONNECTOR PIN-OUT TABLE

PIN NO.	SIGNAL	TYPE	INPUT/OUTPUT		
1	TX1A	RZ FORMAT	OUTPUT		
2	TX1B	RZ FORMAT	OUTPUT		
3	GND				
4	RX1A	RZ FORMAT	INPUT		
5	RX1B	RZ FORMAT	INPUT		
6	TX2A	RZ FORMAT	OUTPUT		
7	TX2B	RZ FORMAT	OUTPUT		
8	GND				
9	RX2A	RZ FORMAT	INPUT		
10	RX2B	RZ FORMAT	INPUT		
	① LOW SPEED (1	2.5 kbps) 429 Transmit			
	_ `	2.5 kbps) 429 Receive			
	3 HIGH SPEED (	HIGH SPEED (100 kbps) 429 Transmit			
		100 kbps) 429 Receive			

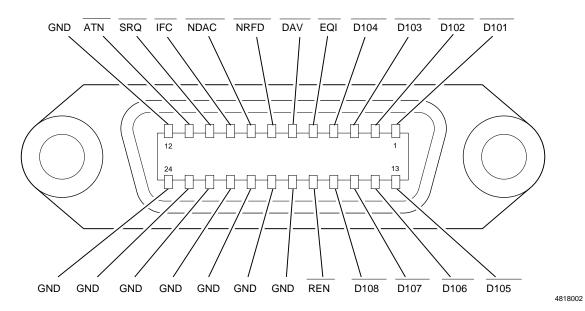


ARINC 429 BUS Connector Figure 1



## 3. GPIB CONNECTOR PIN-OUT TABLE

PIN NO.	SIGNAL	TYPE	INPUT/OUTPUT
1	D101	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
2	D102	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
3	D103	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
4	D104	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
5	EQ1	TTL	INPUT
6	DAV	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
7	NRFD	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
8	NDAC	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
9	IFC	TTL	INPUT
10	SRQ	TTL	OUTPUT
11	ATN	TTL	INPUT
12	GND		
13	D105	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
14	D106	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
15	D107	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
16	D108	TTL	INPUT/OUTPUT
17	REN	TTL	INPUT
18	PAIRED WITH 6	GND	
19	PAIRED WITH 7	GND	
20	PAIRED WITH 8	GND	
21	PAIRED WITH 9	GND	
22	PAIRED WITH 10	GND	
23	PAIRED WITH 11	GND	
24	GND		



GPIB Connector Figure 2

## **APPENDIX B - MLS-800-2 TIMING SEQUENCES**

## 1. NORMAL AZ CYCLE

NOTE: If a function cable or data

word is not enabled, the time reserved for that item

becomes a delay.

Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms)	Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms)
	00.0		65.9		146.4		230.2
ELEVATION	05.7	ELEVATION	71.7	ELEVATION	152.1	ELEVATION	235.9
HIGH RATE	05.7	HIGH RATE	71.7	HIGH RATE	132.1	HIGH RATE	235.9
AZIMUTH	17.8	AZIMUTH	83.7	AZIMUTH	164.1	AZIMUTH	247.9
DATA WORD #6	04.0	DATA WORD #2	00.0	TIME DELAY	407.0	DATA WORD #2	054.4
TIME	21.0	BACK	86.9	TIME	167.3	BACK	251.1
DELAY	24.1	AZIMUTH HIGH RATE	98.9	DELAY	170.5	AZIMUTH HIGH RATE	263.2
DELAY		AZIMUTH		DELAY	.=	AZIMUTH	
DATA	27.2	ELEVATION	111.0	DATA	173.6	ELEVATION	275.2
WORD #1	30.4		116.7	WORD #4	176.8		280.9
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH		HIGH RATE AZIMUTH		HIGH RATE AZIMUTH		HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	
	42.4		128.8		188.8	5,5,4,5,0,1	293.0
ELEVATION	48.1	ELEVATION	134.5	ELEVATION	194.5	ELEVATION	298.7
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH		TIME DELAY		HIGH RATE AZIMUTH			
AZIMOTH	60.2	AUX WORD	140.4	AZIWOTTI	206.6		
ELEVATION	05.0	AD1	446.4	ELEVATION	242.2		
	<b>4</b> 65.9		J 146.4	TIME DELAY	212.3		
				TIME DELAY	218.2		
				AUX WORD AD2	224.2		
					230.2		

Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms)	Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms
ELEVATION	298.7	ELEVATION	382.5	ELEVATION	457.0	ELEVATION	522.9
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	304.4	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	388.2	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	462.8	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	528.6
DATA WORD #3	316.5	DATA WORD #2	400.3	TIME DELAY	474.8	DATA WORD #2	540.7
TIME DELAY	319.7	BACK AZIMUTH	403.5	TIME DELAY	477.9	BACK AZIMUTH	543.8
TIME DELAY	322.8	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	415.5	TIME DELAY	481.0	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	555.9
DATA WORD #1	325.9	ELEVATION	427.6	DATA WORD #5	484.2	ELEVATION	567.9
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	329.1	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	433.3	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	487.3	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	573.7
ELEVATION	341.1	ELEVATION	445.3	ELEVATION	499.4	ELEVATION	585.8
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	346.9	TIME DELAY	451.0	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	505.1	AUX WORD AD5 or AD6	591.4
ELEVATION	358.9		457.0	ELEVATION	517.2	TIME DELAY	597.3
TIME DELAY	364.6				522.9	AUX WORD AD4	603.4
TIME DELAY	370.6						609.3
AUX WORD AD3	376.5						



## 2. HIGH RATE AZ CYCLE

NOTE: If a function cable or data word is not enabled, the time reserved for that item becomes a delay.

Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms)	Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms)
	00.0		65.9		146.4		230.2
ELEVATION		ELEVATION		ELEVATION		ELEVATION	
HIGH RATE	05.7	HIGH RATE	71.7	HIGH RATE	152.1	HIGH RATE	235.9
AZIMUTH	17.8	AZIMUTH	83.7	AZIMUTH	164.1	AZIMUTH	247.9
DATA		DATA	00.7	TIME		DATA	
WORD #6	21.0	WORD #2	86.9	DELAY	167.3	WORD #2	251.1
TIME DELAY		BACK AZIMUTH		TIME DELAY		BACK AZIMUTH	
TIME	24.1	HIGH RATE	98.9	TIME	170.5	HIGH RATE	263.2
DELAY		AZIMUTH		DELAY		AZIMUTH	
DATA	27.2		111.0	DATA	173.6		275.2
WORD #1	30.4	ELEVATION	440.7	WORD #4	470.0	ELEVATION	200.0
HIGH RATE	30.4	HIGH RATE	116.7	HIGH RATE	176.8	HIGH RATE	280.9
AZIMUTH	42.4	AZIMUTH	128.8	AZIMUTH	188.8	AZIMUTH	293.0
ELEVATION		ELEVATION		ELEVATION		ELEVATION	
	48.1		134.5		194.5		298.7
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH		TIME DELAY		HIGH RATE AZIMUTH			
7.E.IVIOTTI	60.2	AUX WORD	140.4	7 EINOTT	206.6		
ELEVATION		AD1		ELEVATION			
	65.9		146.4	TIME	212.3		
				DELAY	218.2		
				TIME	218.2		
				DELAY	224.2		
				AUX WORD			
				AD2	230.2		

Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms)	Seq 1	Time (ms)	Seq 2	Time (ms
	298.7		382.5		457.0		522.9
ELEVATION		ELEVATION		ELEVATION		ELEVATION	
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	304.4	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	388.7	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	462.8	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	528.6
DATA WORD #3	316.5	DATA WORD #2	400.3	TIME DELAY	474.8	DATA WORD #2	540.7
TIME DELAY	319.7	BACK AZIMUTH	403.5	TIME DELAY	477.9	BACK AZIMUTH	543.8
TIME DELAY	322.8	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	415.5	TIME DELAY	481.0	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	555.9
DATA WORD #1	325.9	ELEVATION	427.6	DATA WORD #5	484.2	ELEVATION	567.9
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	329.1	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	433.3	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	487.3	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	573.7
ELEVATION	341.1	ELEVATION	445.3	ELEVATION	499.4	ELEVATION	585.8
HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	346.9	TIME DELAY	451.0	HIGH RATE AZIMUTH	505.1	AUX WORD AD5 or AD6	591.4
ELEVATION	358.9		457.0	ELEVATION	517.2	TIME DELAY	597.3
TIME DELAY	364.6				522.9	AUX WORD AD4	603.4
TIME DELAY	370.6						609.3
AUX WORD AD3	376.5						
	382.5						

## **APPENDIX C - CHANNEL FREQUENCIES**

MLS CHANNEL	DME CHANNEL	RF	IF	vco	VCO ÷ 4
500	18X	5031.00	4281.00	856.200	214.050
501	18Y	5031.30	4281.30	856.260	214.065
502	20X	5031.60	4281.60	856.320	214.080
503	20Y	5031.90	4281.90	856.380	214.095
504	22X	5032.20	4282.20	856.440	214.110
505	22W	5032.50	4282.50	856.500	214.125
506	24X	5032.80	4282.80	856.560	214.140
507	24W	5033.10	4283.10	856.620	214.155
508	26X	5033.40	4283.40	856.680	214.170
509	26W	5033.70	4283.70	856.740	214.185
303	2000	3033.70	4200.70	030.740	214.100
510	28X	5034.00	4284.00	856.800	214.200
511	28W	5034.30	4284.30	856.860	214.215
512	30X	5034.60	4284.60	856.920	214.230
513	30W	5034.90	4284.90	856.980	214.245
514	32X				
514	321	5035.20	4285.20	857.040	214.260
515	32W	5035.50	4285.50	857.100	214.275
516	34X	5035.80	4285.80	857.160	214.290
517	34W	5036.10	4286.10	857.220	214.305
518	36X	5036.40	4286.40	857.280	214.320
519	36W	5036.70	4286.70	857.340	214.335
520	38X	5037.00	4287.00	857.400	214.350
521	38W	5037.30	4287.30	857.460	214.365
522	40X				
		5037.60	4287.60	857.520	214.380
523	40W	5037.90	4287.90	857.580	214.395
524	42X	5038.20	4288.20	857.640	214.410
525	42W	5038.50	4288.50	857.700	214.425
526	44X	5038.80	4288.80	857.760	214.440
527	44W	5039.10	4289.10	857.820	214.455
528	46X	5039.40	4289.40	857.880	214.470
529	46W	5039.70	4289.70	857.940	214.485
530	48X	5040.00	4290.00	858.000	214.500
531	48W	5040.30	4290.30	858.060	214.515
532	50X	5040.60	4290.60	858.120	214.530
533	50W	5040.90	4290.90	858.180	214.545
534	52X	5041.20	4291.20	858.240	214.560
535	52W	5041.50	4291.50	858.300	214.575
536	54X	5041.80	4291.80	858.360	214.590
537	54W	5042.10	4291.80	858.420	214.605
538	56X	5042.40	4292.40	858.480	214.620
539	56W	5042.70	4292.70	858.540	214.635
540	17Y	5043.00	4293.00	858.600	214.650
541	17Z	5043.30	4293.30	858.660	214.665
542	18Y	5043.60	4293.60	858.720	214.680
543	18Z	5043.90	4293.90	858.780	214.695
544	19Y	5044.20	4294.20	858.840	214.710

MLS DME							
CHANNEL	DME CHANNEL	RF	IF	vco	VCO ÷ 4		
545	19Z	5044.50	4294.50	858.900	214.725		
546	20Y	5044.80	4294.80	858.960	214.740		
547	20Z	5045.10	4295.10	859.020	214.755		
548	21Y	5045.40	4295.40	859.080	214.770		
549	21Z	5045.70	4295.70	859.140	214.785		
349	212	3043.70	4295.70	039.140	214.705		
550	22Y	5046.00	4296.00	859.200	214.800		
551	22Z	5046.30	4296.30	859.260	214.815		
552	23Y	5046.60	4296.60	859.320	214.830		
553	23Z	5046.90	4296.90	859.380	214.845		
554	24Y	5047.20	4297.20	859.440	214.860		
555	24Z	5047.50	4297.50	859.500	214.875		
556	25Y	5047.80	4297.80	859.560	214.890		
557	25Z	5048.10	4298.10	859.620	214.905		
558	26Y	5048.40	4298.40	859.680	214.820		
559	26Z	5048.70	4298.70	859.740	214.935		
560	27Y	5049.00	4299.00	859.800	214.950		
561	27Z	5049.30	4299.30	859.860	214.965		
562	28Y	5049.60	4299.60	859.920	214.980		
563	28Z	5049.90	4299.90	859.980	214.995		
564	29Y	5050.20	4300.20		215.010		
504	291	5050.20	4300.20	860.040	215.010		
565	29Z	5050.50	4300.50	860.100	215.025		
566	30Y	5050.80	4300.80	860.160	215.040		
567	30Z	5051.10	4301.10	860.220	215.055		
568	31Y	5051.40	4301.40	860.280	215.070		
569	31Z	5051.70	4301.70	860.340	215.085		
570	32Y	5052.00	4302.00	860.400	215.100		
571	32Z	5052.30	4302.30	860.460	215.115		
572	33Y	5052.60	4302.60	860.520	215.130		
573	33Z	5052.90	4302.90	860.580	215.145		
574	34Y	5053.20	4302.90		215.160		
574	341	5055.20	4303.20	860.640	215.100		
575	34Z	5053.50	4303.50	860.700	215.175		
576	35Y	5053.80	4303.80	860.760	215.190		
577	35Z	5054.10	4304.10	860.820	215.205		
578	36Y	5054.40	4304.40	860.880	215.220		
579	36Z	5054.70	4304.70	860.940	215.235		
580	37Y	5055.00	4305.00	861.000	215 250		
		5055.00			215.250		
581	37Z	5055.30	4305.30	861.060	215.265		
582	38Y	5055.60	4305.60	861.120	215.280		
583	38Z	5055.90	4305.90	861.180	215.295		
584	39Y	5056.20	4306.20	861.240	215.310		
585	39Z	5056.50	4306.50	861.300	215.325		
586	40Y	5056.80	4306.80	861.360	215.340		
587	40Z	5057.10	4307.10	861.420	215.355		
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589	41Z	5057.70	4307.70	861.540	215.385		
503	714	3031.10	7001.10	001.040	210.000		

MLS	DME				
CHANNEL	CHANNEL	RF	IF	vco	VCO ÷ 4
590	42Y	5058.00	4308.00	861.600	215.400
591	42Z	5058.30	4308.30	861.660	215.415
592	43Y	5058.60	4308.60	861.720	215.430
593	43Z	5058.90	4308.90	861.780	215.445
594	44Y	5059.20	4309.20	861.840	215.460
334	441	3039.20	4309.20	001.040	213.400
595	44Z	5059.50	4309.50	861.900	215.475
596	45Y	5059.80	4309.80	861.960	215.490
597	45Z	5060.10	4310.10	862.020	215.505
598	46Y	5060.40	4310.40	862.080	215.520
599	46Z	5060.70	4310.70	862.140	215.535
600	47Y	5061.00	4311.00	862.200	215.550
601	47Z	5061.30	4311.30	862.260	215.565
602	48Y	5061.60	4311.60	862.320	215.580
603	48Z	5061.90	4311.90	862.380	215.595
604	49Y	5062.20	4312.20	862.440	215.610
604	491	3002.20	4312.20	002.440	215.610
605	49Z	5062.50	4312.50	862.500	215.625
606	50Y	5062.80	4312.80	862.560	215.640
607	50Z	5063.10	4313.10	862.620	215.655
608	51Y	5063.40	4313.40	862.680	215.670
609	51Z	5063.70	4313.70	862.740	215.685
009	312	3003.70	4313.70	002.740	213.003
610	52Y	5064.00	4314.00	862.800	215.700
611	52Z	5064.30	4314.30	862.860	215.715
612	53Y	5064.60	4314.60	862.920	215.730
613	53Z	5064.90	4314.90	862.980	215.745
614	54Y	5065.20	4315.20	863.040	215.760
615	54Z	5065.50	4315.50	863.100	215.775
616	55Y	5065.80	4315.80	863.160	215.779
617	55Z	5066.10	4316.10	863.220	215.805
618	56Y	5066.40	4316.40	863.280	215.820
619	56Z	5066.70	4316.70	863.340	215.835
620	80Y	5067.00	4317.00	863.400	215.850
621	80Z	5067.30	4317.30	863.460	215.865
622	81Y	5067.60	4317.60	863.520	215.880
623	81Z	5067.90	4317.90	863.580	215.895
624	82Y	5068.20	4318.20	863.640	215.910
625	82Z	5068.50	4318.50	863.700	215.925
626	83Y	5068.80	4318.80	863.760	215.925
627	83Z	5069.10	4319.10	863.820	215.955
628	84Y	5069.40	4319.40	863.880	215.970
629	84Z	5069.70	4319.70	863.940	215.985
630	85Y	5070.00	4320.00	864.000	216.000
631	85Z	5070.30	4320.30	864.060	216.015
632	86Y	5070.60	4320.60	864.120	216.030
633	86Z	5070.90	4320.90	864.180	216.045
634	87Y	5071.20	4321.20	864.240	216.060

MLS	DME				
CHANNEL	CHANNEL	RF	IF	vco	VCO ÷ 4
635	87Z	5071.50	4321.50	864.300	216.075
636	88Y	5071.80	4321.80	864.360	216.090
637	88Z	5072.10	4322.10	864.420	216.105
638	89Y	5072.40	4322.40	864.480	216.120
639	89Z	5072.70	4322.70	864.540	216.135
039	092	3072.70	4322.70	804.540	210.133
640	90Y	5073.00	4323.00	864.600	216.150
641	90Z	5073.30	4323.30	864.660	216.165
642	91Y	5073.60	4323.60	864.720	216.180
643	91Z	5073.90	4323.90	864.780	216.195
644	92Y	5074.20	4324.20	864.840	216.210
645	92Z	5074.50	4324.50	864.900	216.225
646	93Y	5074.80	4324.80	864.960	216.240
647	93Z	5075.10	4325.10	865.020	216.255
648	94Y	5075.40	4325.40	865.080	216.270
649	94Z	5075.70	4325.70	865.140	216.285
049	942	3073.70	4323.70	003.140	210.203
650	95Y	5076.00	4326.00	865.200	216.300
651	95Z	5076.30	4326.30	865.260	216.315
652	96Y	5076.60	4326.60	865.320	216.330
653	96Z	5076.90	4326.90	865.380	216.345
654	97Y	5077.20	4327.20	865.440	216.360
001		0077.20	1027.20	000.110	210.000
655	97Z	5077.50	4327.50	865.500	216.375
656	98Y	5077.80	4327.80	865.560	216.390
657	98Z	5078.10	4328.10	865.620	216.405
658	99Y	5078.40	4328.40	865.680	216.420
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661	100Z	5079.30	4329.30	865.860	216.465
662	101Y	5079.60	4329.60	865.920	216.480
663	101Z	5079.90	4329.90	865.980	216.495
664	102Y	5080.20	4330.20	866.040	216.510
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665	102Z	5080.50	4330.50	866.100	216.525
666	103Y	5080.80	4330.80	866.160	216.540
667	103Z	5081.10	4331.10	866.220	216.555
668	104Y	5081.40	4331.40	866.280	216.570
669	104Z	5081.70	4331.70	866.340	216.585
670	105Y	5082.00	4332.00	866.400	216.600
671	105T	5082.00	4332.30	866.460	216.615
672	106Y	5082.60	4332.60	866.520	216.630
673	106Z	5082.90			
			4332.90	866.580	216.645
674	107Y	5083.20	4333.20	866.640	216.660
675	107Z	5083.50	4333.50	866.700	216.675
676	108Y	5083.80	4333.80	866.760	216.690
677	108Z	5084.10	4334.10	866.820	216.705
678	109Y	5084.40	4334.40	866.880	216.720
679	109Z	5084.70	4334.70	866.940	216.735

MLS CHANNEL	DME CHANNEL	RF	IF	vco	VCO ÷ 4
680	110Y	5085.00	4335.00	867.000	216.750
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682	111Y	5085.60	4335.60	867.120	216.780
683	111Z	5085.90	4335.90	867.180	216.795
684	112Y	5086.20	4336.20	867.240	216.810
685	112Z	5086.50	4336.50	867.300	216.825
686	113Y	5086.80	4336.80	867.360	216.840
687	113Z	5087.10	4337.10	867.420	216.855
688	114Y	5087.40	4337.40	867.480	216.870
689	114Z	5087.70	4337.70	867.540	216.885
690	115Y	5088.00	4338.00	867.600	216.900
691	115Z	5088.30	4338.30	867.660	216.915
692	116Y	5088.60	4338.60	867.720	216.930
693	116Z	5088.90	4338.90	867.780	216.945
694	117Y	5089.20	4339.20	867.840	216.960
695	117Z	5089.50	4339.50	867.900	216.975
696	118Y	5089.80	4339.80	867.960	216.990
697	118Z	5090.10	4340.10	868.020	217.005
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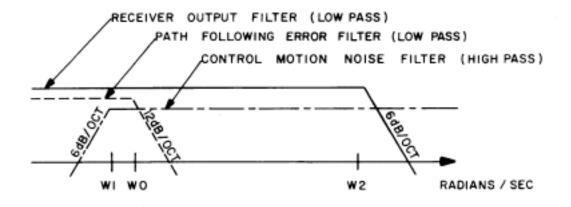




## **APPENDIX D - PFE AND CMN FILTER DEFINITIONS**

	CORNER FREQUENCIES (RADIANS/SEC)			
GUIDANCE FUNCTION	Wo	<b>W</b> 1	W2	
APPROACH AZIMUTH	0.5	0.3	10	
BACK AZIMUTH	0.5	0.3	10	
APPROACH ELEVATION	1.5	0.5	10	
FLARE	2.0	0.5	10	

Filter Definitions Table 1



Filter Definitions Table 1



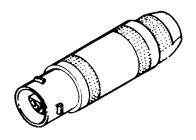


# APPENDIX E - METRIC/BRITISH IMPERIAL CONVERSION TABLE NAUTICAL DISTANCE CONVERSIONS

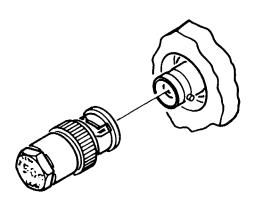
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cm	inches	0.3937
feet	cm	30.48
feet	meters	0.3048
ft/sec	km	1.0
ft/sec	knots	0.59
ft/sec	miles/hr	0.6818
ft/sec2	cm/sec2	30.48
ft/sec2	m/sec2	0.3048
grams	ounces,	0.03527
inches	cm	2.54
kg	pounds	2.205
kg/cm2	psi	0.0703
km	feet	3281
km	miles	0.6214
km	nmi	0.5396
km/hr	ft/sec	0.9113
km/hr	knots	0.5396
km/hr	miles/hr	0.6214
knots	ft/sec	1.689
knots	km/hr	1.8532
knots	miles/hr	1.1516
meters	feet	3.281
meters	inches	39.37
m/sec	ft/sec	3.281
m/sec	km/hr	3.6
m/sec	miles/hr	2.237
miles	feet	5280
miles	km	1.609
miles 	meters	1609
miles	nmi	0.8684
miles/hr	ft/sec	1.467
miles/hr	km/hr	1.609
miles/hr	knots	0.8684
nmi	feet	6080.27
nmi	km	1.8532
nmi	meters	1853.2
nmi	miles	1.1516 28.34953
ounces	grams	28.34953 0.4536
pounds	kg kg/cm2	
psi 100 ft	kg/cm∠ km	0.0703 3.048
100 ft	miles	3.048 1.894
100 ft	nmi	1.645
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# **APPENDIX F - AUXILIARY EQUIPMENT**



429 Terminator Figure 1

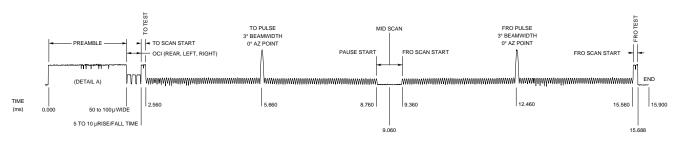


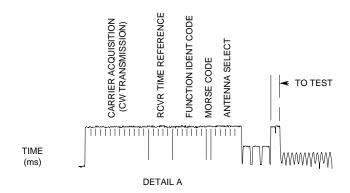
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# APPENDIX G - MLS-800-2 APPROACH AZIMUTH BEAM BOARD DATA





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# **APPENDIX H - ABBREVIATIONS**

	Α		F
A ALT MM	Ampere Alternate Main Path andMultipath	FA FL	Final Approach Flare
Ant	Antenna		G
ARINC ASCII	Aeronautical Research Inc. American National	GPIB	General Purpose Interface Bus
7.0011	Standard Code for		Н
AUX AZ	Information Interchange Auxiliary Azimuth	HiAZ Hz	High Rate Azimuth Hertz
	В	IA	Initial Approach
BATT BAZ	Battery Back Azimuth	IF	International Civil Aviation Organization
	С		K
ccw CHNL	Counterclockwise Channel	kbps kHz	Kilobytes per Second Kilohertz
CIr CMN	Clearance Control Motion Noise		L
Cov	Coverage	LT	Left
CRT cw	Cathode Ray Tube Clockwise		М
dB dBc	<b>D</b> Decibel  Decibel Relative to  Carrier Value	M MHz Min MLSTEST MP	Meter Megahertz Minimum Test Operational Menu Multipath
dBm	Decibels Relative to Milliwatts		N
Deg	Degree	Neg	Negative
DIAG DME	Diagnostic Distance Measuring		0
DMEP DPSK	Equipment Precision Distance Measurement Equipment Differential Phase	OCI OE OO OUT	Out of Coverage Indicator Odd-Even Odd-Odd Output
-	Shift Keying		Р
	E	PFE	Path Following Error
EE	Even-Even	PFN Pos	Path Following Noise Positive
EL EO	Elevation Even-Odd	Prop PWR	Proportional Power

R

RAM Random Access

Memory

RCVR Receiver

RF Radio Frequency
ROM Read Only Memory

RR Rear RST Reset RT Right

S

SAVEDIR Save Page Directory

SDI Source Designation

Identifier

SEC Second Sig Signal

SP FUN Special Function
SRQ Service Request
SSM Sign Status Matrix

SYS System

T

TDM Time Division

Multiplex

Thresh Threshold

TTL Transistor-Transistor

Logic

U

UUT Unit Under Test

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V Volt

VAC Volts Alternating

Current

Vdc Volts Direct Current

W

WE Word Error Write Protect



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