



IC-M85E

VHF MARINE TRANSCEIVER

Marine and PMR Hybrid for Professional Use



Ultra Compact and Powerful Marine Handheld with PMR Features



[Actual Size]



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Compact and Lightweight

The IC-M85E is the most compact (W×H×D: 56 × 92 × 29 mm) and lightweight (weight: 246 g (with BP-290, FA-SC58V and MBB-3)) commercial grade marine and land mobile hybrid radio in the world*.

* As of November 2017, researched by Icom.



Covering 136–174 MHz PMR Frequency

In addition to VHF marine channels, the IC-M85E covers 136–174 MHz PMR channels. Up to 100 programmable channels are available for PMR use. Each channel is programmable with CTCSS and DTCSS tone.



700 mW Powerful Audio

Despite its compact body, the IC-M85E delivers 700 mW of loud audio. Clear communications is vital in noisy environments.



Private Conversation

The radio has a built-in Voice Scrambler and provides private communication between stations (32-code, compatible with UT-112 voice scrambler unit).

Supplied accessories;



BP-290 battery pack BC-227 rapid charger BC-123S* AC adapter FA-SC58V antenna

* SE for Europe plug. SUK for UK plug. SV for Australia plug.



Automated Emergency Alarm

The IC-M85E has three emergency related functions: the MOB Alarm, Man Down and Lone Worker functions. If one of these functions are activated, the radio automatically makes an emergency alarm.



Instant Operation with Multi-Function Button

Channel group changing (Marine ⇄ PMR) or the scrambler function ON/OFF can be assigned in the multi-function button on the top panel*. The Key lock function can be activated by holding the button.

* Ask your dealer for details.



IP67 and MIL-STD Rugged Construction

The IC-M85E is built durable to endure 1 m submersion for 30 minutes and dust-tight protection. The radio also passes MIL-STD-810 specifications.



And More

- AquaQuake™ prevents audio degradation from a water-logged speaker
- Internal VOX capability for hands-free operation
- 14 hours of long battery life (TX: RX: Standby=5:5:90.)
- 5 W output power
- The self check function checks internal temperature, and connected battery voltage (over voltage detection)
- Monitor function • Priority scan function
- Dual/Tri-watch function for monitoring CH16 and/or call channel
- Favorite channel function for quick access to often used channels

Variety of Audio Accessories

Waterproof Speaker-Microphones

HM-236



HM-222

With 3.5 mm earphone jack.



Hands-Free Operation with Headsets



HS-94
Earphone-headset



HS-95
Behind-the-head headset



HS-97
Throat microphone



VS-5MC

PTT switch cable



Earphones and Speaker Microphones for Noisy Environments



SP-27
Tube earphone*



SP-29
Earhook type earphone*



SP-40
Earphone*



AD-135

3.5 mm earphone jack adapter.



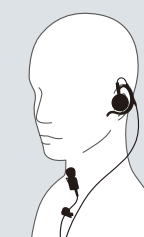
HM-222

Waterproof speaker microphone with 3.5 mm earphone jack.



* With 3.5 mm plug.

Stylish Operation with Tie-Clip Microphone and Earphones



SP-26
Tube earphone*



SP-28
Earhook type earphone*



EH-15B
Earphone*



HM-163MC

Tie-clip microphone



* With 2.5 mm plug.

Covert Earphone

SP-32

Tube earphone adapter for use with EH-15B and HM-163MC.



OPTIONS

BATTERY PACK AND CASE



BP-290
Rechargeable Li-ion battery with intelligent reporting.
1910 mAh (min.)
2010 mAh (typ.).
IP67 Waterproof

BP-291
Battery case LR6 (AA) x 5.
IP54 Water resistance

MULTI-CHARGER



AD-132N

BC-214 **BC-157S**

Charges up to six BP-290 batteries in 2.8 hours (approx.).
AD-132N is supplied with BC-214, depending on version.

CONNECTABLE TYPE CHARGER



BC-226 **BC-228**

Charges the BP-290 in 2.7 hours. (approx.)

Connects up to six BC-226 units.

INTELLIGENT CHARGER



BC-225 **BC-123S***

Shows the charging information with LED lighting. Charges the BP-290 in 2.5 hours. (approx.)

DESKTOP CHARGERS



BC-227 **BC-123S*** **BC-219N** **BC-123S***

Charges the BP-290 in 2.7 hours. (approx.)

Charges the BP-290 in 2.5 hours. (approx.)

* SE for Europe plug. SUK for UK plug. SV for Australia plug.

BELT CLIPS



MBB-3 **MB-136**

Alligator type. Swivel type.

BELT HANGERS



MB-96N **MB-96F** **MB-96FL**

Swivel type. Fixed type. Long type.

ACC ADAPTOR



AD-118

14-pin multi-connector to 6-pin Hirose connector

CARRYING CASES



LC-187 **LC-188**

Hard type. Hard type.

Charging is possible while the case is attached.

CIGARETTE LIGHTER CABLE & POWER SUPPLY CABLES



CP-23L **OPC-515L** **OPC-656**

For use with the BC-219N or BC-227.

For use with the BC-219N, BC-225 or BC-227.

For use with the BC-214.

ANTENNA



FA-SC58V

SOFTWARE

• **RS-BC225** : Intelligent charger software for Windows® PC. For use with BC-225.

SPECIFICATIONS

IC-M85E		
GENERAL		IC-M85E
		Marine channels
		PMR channels
Frequency coverage		156.000–161.450 MHz
Tx		156.000–163.425 MHz
Rx		136.000–174.000 MHz
Usable channel groups, Number of channels		INT, USA* channels (* Varies according to version)
		100 PMR channels
Type of emissions		16K0G3E
		16K0F3E/8K50F3E
		14K0F3E/8K50F3E
Channel spacing		25 kHz
		25/12.5 kHz
		20/12.5 kHz
Power supply requirement		7.2 V DC nominal
Current drain (approximate)		
Tx (at 5 W)		1.5 A
Rx Max. audio		0.45 A
Antenna impedance		50 Ω
Operating temperature range		–15 °C to +55 °C
		–25 °C to +55 °C
Dimensions (W×H×D)		56 × 92 × 29 mm (With BP-290)
(Projections not included)		
Weight (approximate)		246 g (with BP-290, FA-SC58V and MBB-3)
TRANSMITTER		
Output power (at 7.2 V DC)		5/3/1 W
		5/3/1 W
Max. frequency deviation		±5.0 kHz
		±5.0 kHz (Wide)
		±2.5 kHz (Narrow)
		±4.0 kHz (Wide)
		±2.5 kHz (Narrow)
Frequency stability		±1.5 kHz
Spurious emissions		0.25 μW (≤2 GHz), 1.0 μW (>2 GHz)
Residual modulation		40 dB
		40 dB (Wide)
		34 dB (Narrow)
Audio harmonic distortion		10% (at 60% deviation)
Modulation limiting		60–100% of maximum deviation
RECEIVER		
Sensitivity (at 20 dB SINAD)		–4 dBμ emf typical
		–4 dBμ emf typical (Wide)
		–2 dBμ emf typical (Narrow)
Adjacent channel selectivity		70 dB
		70 dB (Wide)
		60 dB (Narrow)
Spurious response		70 dB
Intermodulation		68 dB
		65 dB
Hum and noise		40 dB
		40 dB (Wide), 34 dB (Narrow)
Audio output power		700 mW typical (at 10% distortion with 12 Ω load at 1 kHz)
		700 mW typical (at 10% distortion with 8 Ω load at 1 kHz)

Measurements made in accordance with EN 301-178 or EN 300 086.

All stated specifications are subject to change without notice or obligation.

Applicable U.S. Military Specifications & IP Rating

Standard	MIL 810 G	
	Method	Procedure
Low Pressure	500.5	I, II
High Temperature	501.5	I, II
Low Temperature	502.5	I, II
Temperature Shock	503.5	I-C
Solar Radiation	505.5	I
Rain Blowing/Drip	506.5	I, III
Humidity	507.5	II
Salt Fog	509.5	–
Dust Blowing	510.5	I
Immersion	512.5	I
Vibration	514.6	I
Shock	516.6	I, IV

Also meets equivalent MIL-STD-810-C, -D, -E and -F.

Ingress Protection Standard	
Dust & Water	IP67 (Dust-tight and waterproof protection)

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