

2015-06-16 Yaesu System Fusion Webinar Online Questions and Answers Session

Q: I hear you.

Audience Question:

Q: I received my DR1-X this past week and it is working very well except for the squelch which is way too tight. Yaesu needs to change the level of squelch threshold to allow weaker signals such as mobiles to break the squelch to prevent "chopping" of the signals.

A: You will need a FTM-400 control head for servicing, you can obtain the service manual from our service department at 1-714-827-7600

Audience Question:

Q: Any details on the upcoming firmware update for the DR1-X?

A: We are expecting an update at the end of June/Early July.

Audience Question:

Q: de N4GXX, can you tell us how many DR-1Xs are in the field here in NA?

A: We have no numbers that we can publicly release as of yet.

Audience Question:

Q: I got a ups tracking # for MODERN EMBROIDERY is that the t-shirts coming?

A: Yes.

Audience Question:

Q: I am not getting any indication of entering or leaving a room with Wire-x connected to my repeater. Is that normal?

A: That is correct, it does not announce.

Audience Question:

Q: what about the baseball cap and t-shirt??

A: T-shirts are the only thing coming, no baseball caps. They are actively shipping.

Audience Question:

Q: when is next firmware for ft-991?

A: No expected release date yet.

Audience Question:

Q: Are these webinars being recorded? I missed part of the first one due to being Net Control for a local net. Sure would like to review it! Thank you!

A: Yes

Audience Question:

Q: ETA SOFTWARE FOR THE GATEWAY ...????

A: Early 2016.

Audience Question:

Q: no shirts here? WX3C

A: The shirts are on the way, we had to get a total before we could print them.

Audience Question:

Q: Will there be an alternative to using a PC? Raspberry Pie?

A: Possibly, there are a lot of community projects at the moment. Yaesu has no plans at the moment of implementing a raspberry pi solution.

Audience Question:

Q: How many System Fusion repeaters are there in the US? What is the new installed growth rate?

A: We do not have that information publicly available at the moment.

Audience Question:

Q: What is the difference between LMR and DMR?

A: LMR is Land Mobile Radio which can also be DMR, they are not comparable.

Audience Question:

Q: When was the cut off date for the free shirts?

A: April 1st, 2015.

Audience Question:

Q: Our repeater is being installed at 1000' on a platform on a 2020' tower. Question I have is we can not accompan it up.

when they turn it on, how do we make sure nothing got messed up? Is there away to lock the touch screen so the tower crew doesn't mess anything up. If they do..... can I make changes via RF? No internet that high up... ka3fzo@gmail.com

A: You will need to call our technical support at 1-714-827-7600 Option #8.

Audience Question:

Q: Can the FTM100DR use voice FM/C4FM and APRS simultaneously using the dual watch function?

A: Yes, but there is a delay that is audible.

Audience Question:

Q: When you get to questions, we've been hearing that the repeater can't be run at much over 5 watts without frying. No mention of this in the manual - what's the recommendation?

A: This is currently a rumor.

Audience Question:

Q: Question regarding the FTM-100DR. The manual is not specific about text entry. Is text message entry performed using the hand mic or the control head? Thank you. :)

A: Currently, it uses the selector knob. The radio has limited text messaging features.

Audience Question:

Q: Do you have a time line when we will be able to send and RX data files from computer to computer?

A: Not at the moment, we will announce more at DCC.

Audience Question:

Q: Does the FT-991 have APRS?

A: No.

Audience Question:

Q: What size micro sd card for f2dr and will it recieve 800-920 ? DB

A: up to 32gb.

Audience Question:

Q: Is there an email notification when the shirts are shipping?

A: Not at the moment.