



## INSTRUCTION MANUAL

144 MHz FM TRANSCEIVER

**IC-P2AT IC-P2ET**

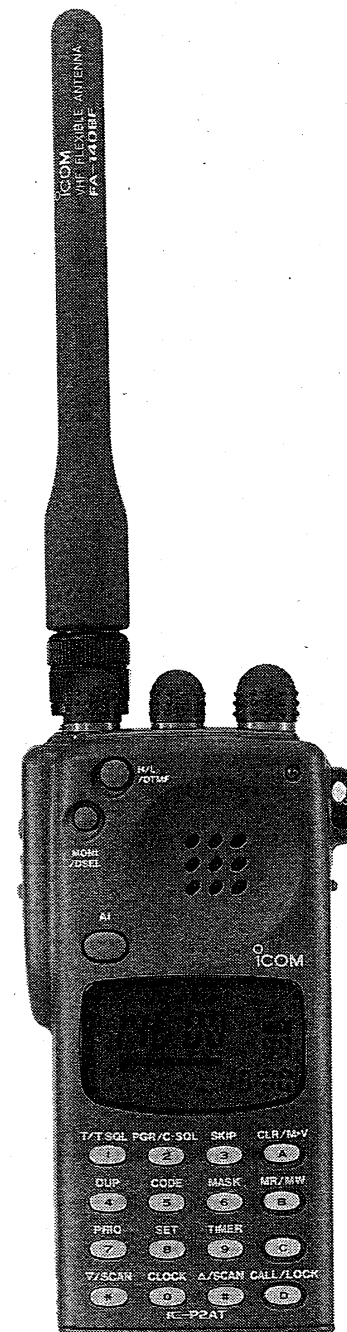
220 MHz FM TRANSCEIVER

**IC-P3AT**

UHF FM TRANSCEIVER

**IC-P4AT IC-P4ET**

**Icom Inc.**



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## IMPORTANT

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This instruction manual uses the **IC-P2AT/ET** for most of the example displays. Please note that only the frequency differs from the **IC-P3AT** or **IC-P4AT/ET**.

**READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS** carefully and completely before using the transceiver.

**SAVE THIS INSTRUCTION MANUAL** — This instruction manual contains important safety and operating instructions for the **IC-P2AT/ET**, **IC-P3AT** and **IC-P4AT/ET**.

The supplied battery pack and CPU backup battery may require a full charge prior to operation. The transceiver may require CPU resetting after charging. See p. 2 for details.

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## EXPLICIT DEFINITIONS

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The following explicit definitions apply to this manual.

WORD	DEFINITION
<b>CAUTION</b>	Equipment damage may occur.
<b>NOTE, ●</b>	If disregarded, inconvenience only. No personal injury, risk of fire or electric shock.

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## CAUTIONS

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**NEVER** connect the transceiver to an AC outlet or to a power source of more than 16 V DC. These connections will ruin the transceiver.

**NEVER** connect the transceiver to a power source using reverse polarity. This connection will ruin the transceiver.

**NEVER** allow children to touch the transceiver.

**AVOID** using or placing the transceiver in areas with temperatures below  $-10^{\circ}\text{C}$  ( $+14^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) or above  $+60^{\circ}\text{C}$  ( $+140^{\circ}\text{F}$ ).

**AVOID** placing the transceiver in direct sunlight.

**AVOID** the use of chemical agents such as benzine or alcohol when cleaning, as they can damage the transceiver surfaces.

**BE CAREFUL!** When transmitting for a long time with high output power, the rear panel will become hot.

The use of non-Icom battery packs/chargers may impair transceiver performance and invalidate the warranty.

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## FOREWORD

Thank you for purchasing a "PT" series transceiver.

This transceiver is a state-of-the-art handheld that fits comfortably in the palm of your hand and combines ease of use with multi-operational capabilities.

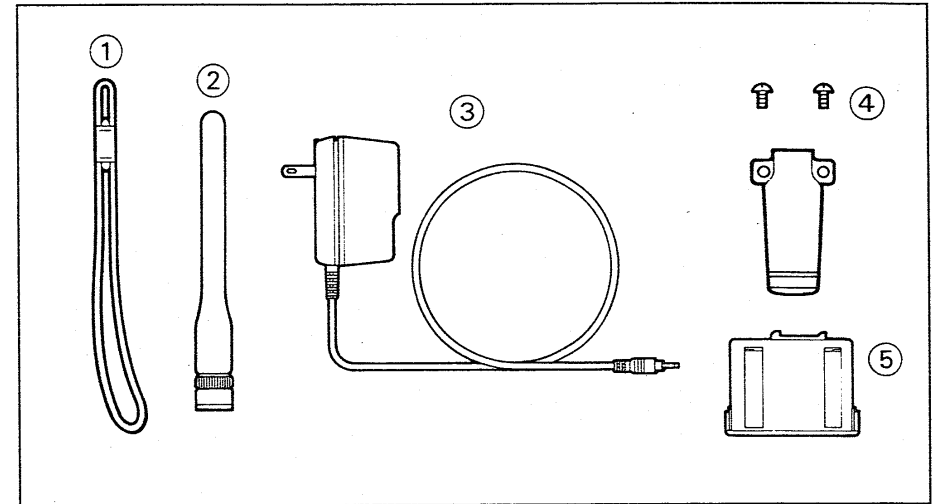
The transceiver has a "trial mode" to give access to functions according to your ability. See separate "STAR SELECTION GUIDE" for the trial mode.

## OPERATING NOTES

When using the transceiver with a small-capacity battery pack such as the BP-111 or with manganese dry cell batteries in the optional BP-110, we recommend operating with low output power. Battery power will be discharged quickly if the transceiver is operated continuously using high output power.

When all of 5 star marks (★) do not appear on the function display, some functions will be deactivated. See p. 81 or the separate "STAR SELECTION GUIDE" to use the deactivated functions.

## UNPACKING



Accessories included with the transceiver:	Qty.
① Handstrap .....	1
② Antenna *1 .....	1
③ Wall charger*2 .....	1
④ Belt clip and screws .....	1 set
⑤ Battery pack (BP-111; attached to the transceiver) .....	1

\*1 FA-140BF for the IC-P2AT/ET  
FA-215BB for the IC-P3AT  
FA-430BD for the IC-P4AT/ET

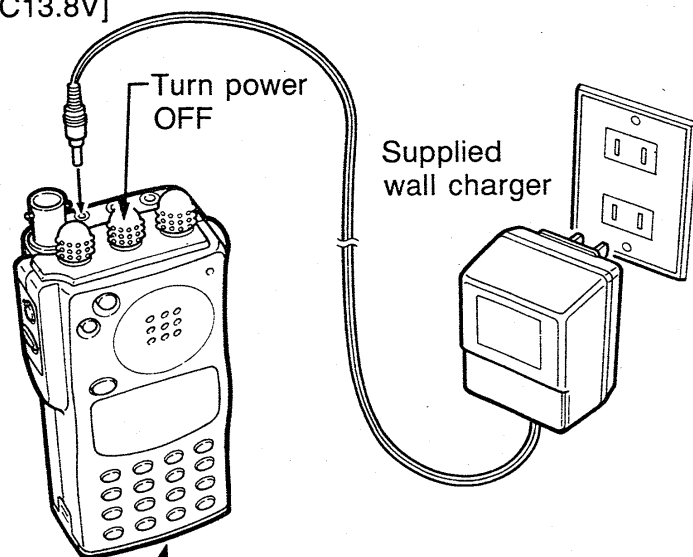
\*2 Either the BC-73E/D or BC-74A/V will be attached to the transceiver depending on the version.

## 1. Charge the battery pack.

Connect the supplied wall charger as illustrated in the diagram below.

- The CPU backup battery will also be fully charged.
- See p. 9 for details on safety and use of a desktop charger.

to  
[DC13.8V]



Supplied  
battery pack

Charging period: approx. 15 hrs.

- **NEVER** charge a battery case with dry cell batteries.

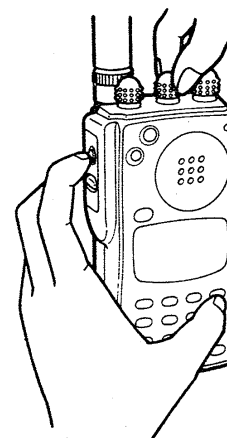
## 2. Reset the transceiver.

While pushing the [FUNC] and [Ⓐ CLR] keys, rotate [PWR/VOL] to turn power ON.

- The function display shows as follows:

VERSION	IC-P2AT IC-P2ET	IC-P3AT	IC-P4AT IC-P4ET
U.S.A.	146.01	222.00	440.00
Australia	146.01	—	430.00
Others	145.00	—	430.00

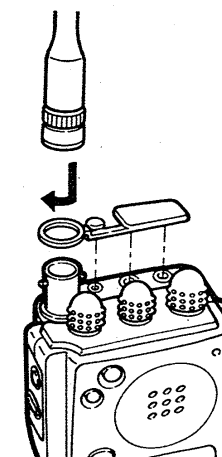
(UNIT: MHz)



**CAUTION:** Resetting the CPU will clear and initialize all memory channel contents, SET mode settings, DTMF memory contents and clock and timer settings.

## 3. Connect the antenna.

Insert the supplied antenna into the antenna connector and rotate the antenna as shown in the diagram below.



**CAUTION:** Transmitting without an antenna may damage the transceiver.

## ■ Front and side panels

### FUNCTION SWITCH [FUNC] (pgs. 5, 6)

While pushing [FUNC], all switches are set for secondary function use.

- In VFO mode, the dial select function is activated. The dial select function changes the memory channel or frequency in 100 kHz or 1 MHz steps when rotating the main dial.

### PTT SWITCH [PTT] (p. 22)

Push and hold to transmit; release to receive.

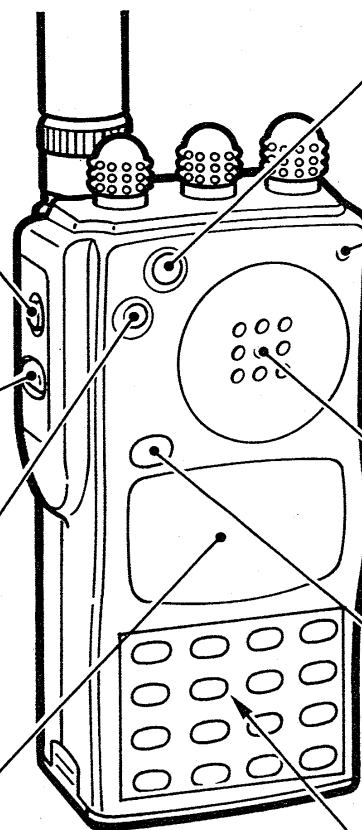
### MONITOR SWITCH [MONI/DSEL]

Monitors an operating frequency. (p. 21)

While pushing [FUNC], push this switch to change the dial select step. (p. 16)

### FUNCTION DISPLAY (pgs. 7, 8)

Indicates the operating condition.



### HIGH/LOW SWITCH [H/L/DTMF]

Selects HIGH or LOW output power. (p. 22)

While pushing [FUNC], push this switch to enter DTMF MEMORY mode. (p. 48)

### TRANSMIT/RECEIVE INDICATOR

Lights up in green when the squelch opens; lights up in red when transmitting.

### LIGHT SWITCH [LIGHT] (p. 20)

Turns the display and keyboard back-lighting ON and OFF.

### SPEAKER/MICROPHONE

### AI KEY [AI]

Push to activate the function indicated in the AI function indicator. (p. 57)

Enters AI selection mode when pushed and held. (p. 58)

### KEYBOARD (pgs. 5, 6)

Numerical and other function keys for activating functions and tuning.

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