

# DMR

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### Two-Way Radios

Digital Mobile Radio, or DMR for short, is a digital two-way radio standard offered by ETSI for global use. It is an open standard designed primarily to replace the aging analogue standards with double the channel capacity, providing cost optimised, secure and reliable communications for professional mobile users.



# Digital Radio

## DMR

MOTOTRBO.

DMR originated as a business communication standard in Europe.

Created for commercial communications, Many manufactures of radios for DMR

## D-Star

Oldest.

Created by the Japan Amateur Radio League (JARL)

Open standard. created for Amateur Radio. Icom are primary manufacturer

## System Fusion

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Newest digital mode.

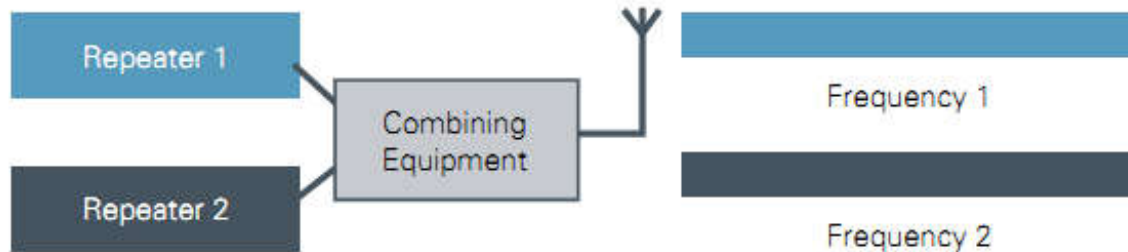
Proprietary Transcode an incoming digital signal to analog or an incoming analog to digital or it can transmit what it receives, no matter if it is digital or analog.



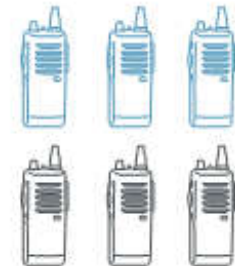
# TWO Repeaters in One!

TDMA saves licensing and equipment costs by enabling the equivalent of two 6.25 kHz channels within a single licensed 12.5 kHz channel.

## Two-channel Analog or Digital FDMA System

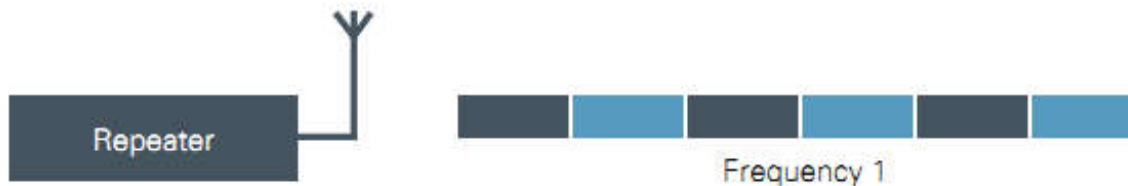


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repeater and channel*



Radio Groups

## Two-channel Digital TDMA System



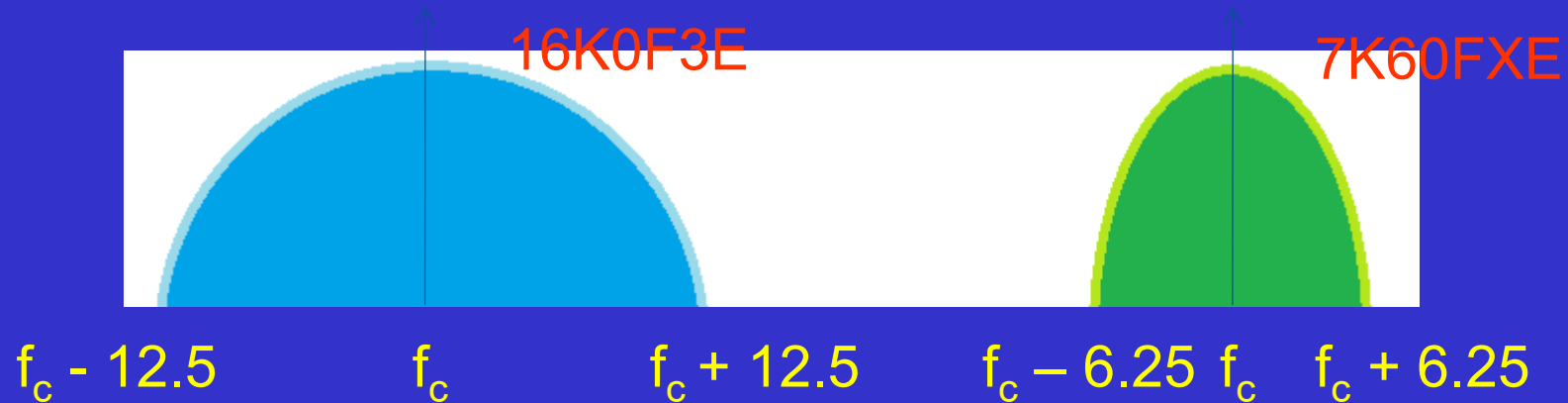
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# Half the Channel Bandwidth

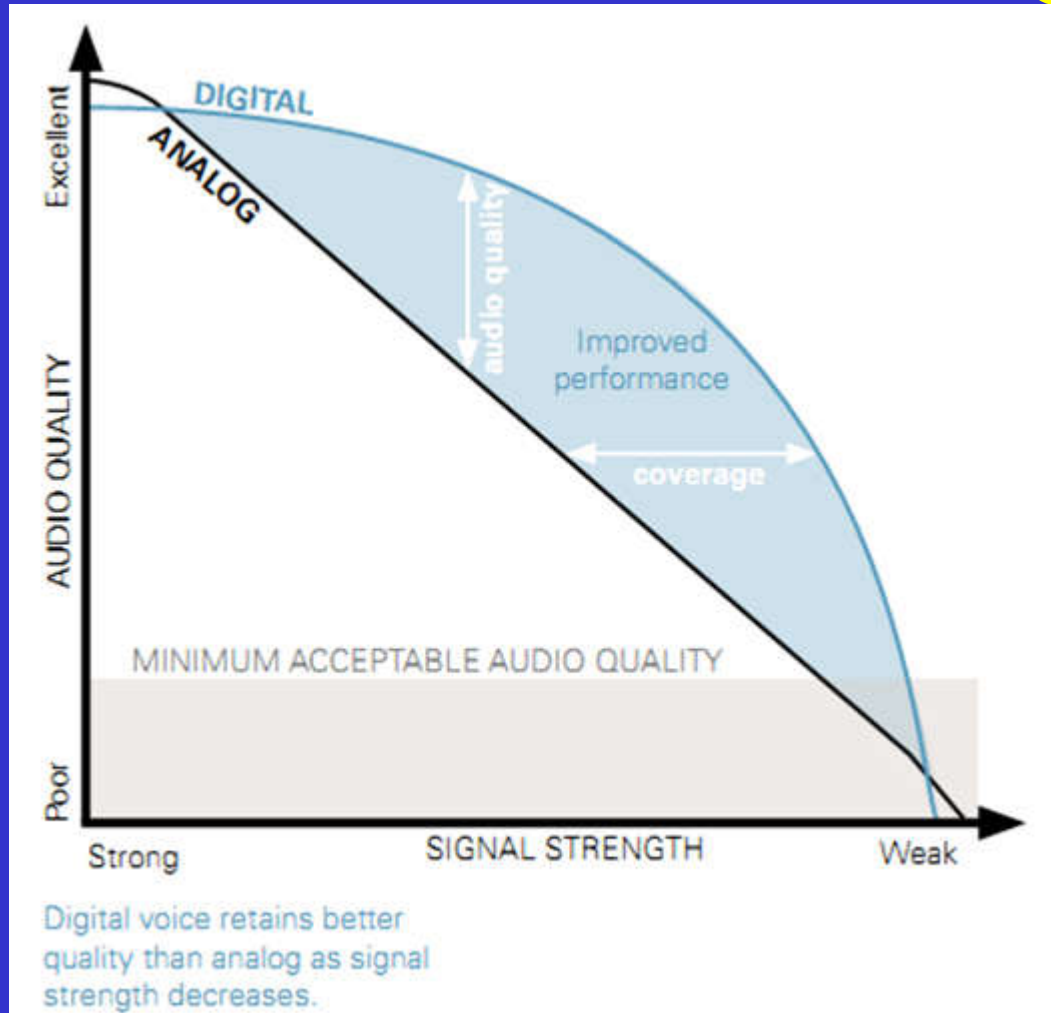


Traditional Analog  
25 kHz BW  
1 Channel  
1 Repeater

DMR  
12.5 kHz BW  
2 Channels  
1 Repeater



# Better Signal Quality



- No hiss, popping, or static
- Better RF range than older digital technologies
- FEC and Cyclic Redundancy Check coders



# Benefits of DMR

- First used in Commercial Applications in 2005
- Equipment is of Commercial Quality
- Superior Voice Quality
- Long Battery Life
- Supports multiple Talkgroups on one channel.



# Colourcodes

- Colourcodes in DMR are analgous to CTCSS used in analogue repeaters.
- Prevents repeaters on the same frequency being accessed at the same time
- There are 16 different Colourcodes. If you do not have the right colourcode programmed into your radio you will not be able to receive anything.





# Available Radios



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# Programming your Radio

- All radio's have to be programmed using a computer.
- Using the proprietary software we create a codeplug
- The codeplug contains all the information your radio needs such as DMR ID, channels and many other settings.
- Each manufacturer produces their own software creating a unique codeplug.
- Each radio requires a specific code plug.

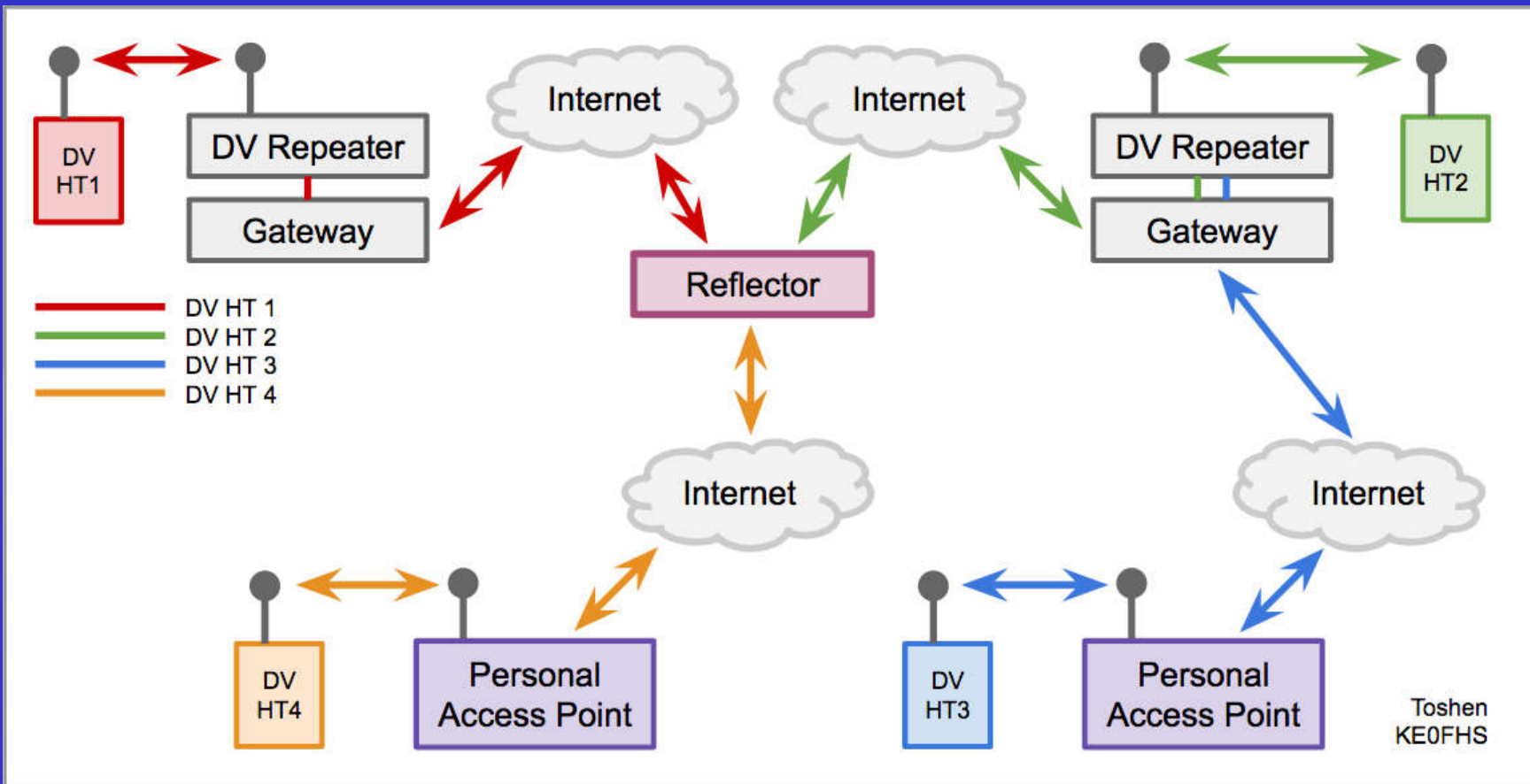


# Hotspot

- A personal, low-power hotspot (also known as a personal access point) is a combination of hardware, firmware, and software that enables a ham with a digital radio and internet connectivity to link directly to digital voice (DV) systems around the world.
- Hotspots can link to DMR talkgroups and reflectors, D-STAR reflectors, YSF rooms.
- Hotspots are your own personal digital voice repeater and gateway, which can be really fun.



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# Talkgroups

- Talkgroups are a way for groups of users to share 1 timeslot (one to many) without distracting other users of that timeslot
- Only one Talkgroup can use one time slot at a time.
- If your radio is not programmed to receive a talkgroup, you will not hear anything.



# Talkgroups

Common to most UK repeaters

## Timeslot 1

TG1- WW Calling

TG2 - Europe

TG13 – WW English

TG235 – Uk Wide

TG9

Direct Dial

## Timeslot 2

TG9 – Local

TG8 - Regional



# Talkgroups

<b>World Wide</b>	<b>TG1</b>	<b>TG235 Calling</b>	<b>4400</b>
<b>Europe</b>	<b>TG3</b>	<b>TG80 User</b>	<b>4401</b>
<b>World Wide 13</b>	<b>TG13</b>	<b>TG81 User</b>	<b>4402</b>
<b>UK Wide</b>	<b>TG 235</b>	<b>TG2351 - CQ-UK WIRES-X LINK</b>	<b>4409</b>
<b>UK 80</b>	<b>TG80</b>	<b>TG810 - REGIONAL: S.W. ENGLAND</b>	<b>4410</b>
<b>UK 81</b>	<b>TG81</b>	<b>DMR+ United Kingdom (English)</b>	<b>4404</b>
<b>SW Cluster</b>	<b>TG950</b>		
<b>UK 2351 (CQ-UK)</b>	<b>2351</b>		
<b>Echo Server</b>	<b>9990</b>		
<b>Baynet</b>	<b>31075</b>		





# Pi-Star

Hostname: pi-star

Pi-Star:3.4.17 / Dashboard: 20190905

## Pi-Star Digital Voice Dashboard for G4KXQ

Dashboard | Admin | Configuration

Modes Enabled	
D-Star	DMR
YSF	P25
YSF XMode	NXDN
DMR XMode	POCSAG

Network Status	
D-Star Net	DMR Net
YSF Net	P25 Net
YSF2DMR	NXDN Net
YSF2NXDN	YSF2P25
DMR2NXDN	DMR2YSF

Radio Info	
Trx	Listening DMR
Tx	434.000000 MHz
Rx	434.000000 MHz
PW	HS_Hat:v1.3.3

DMR Repeater	
DMR ID	2346139
DMR CC	1
TS1	disabled
TS2	enabled
TG 91/No Ref	
DMR Master	
XLX005 D	
BM United Kingdom..	
DMR+ IPSC2-PhoenixF	

### Gateway Activity

Time (BST)	Mode	Callsign	Target	Src	Dur (s)	Loss	BER
15:42:36 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	KB8PMI	TG 91	Net	15.2	0%	0.0%
15:42:21 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	GB1FES	TG 91	Net	13.1	19%	0.0%
15:42:04 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	EA1HSP	TG 91	Net	1.1	0%	0.0%
15:41:25 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	KC3HHA	TG 91	Net	5.2	0%	0.0%
15:40:47 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	PD4FK	TG 91	Net	1.2	0%	0.0%
15:40:31 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	WP4QDI	TG 91	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
15:40:23 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	M0KGX	TG 91	Net	5.9	0%	0.0%
15:38:33 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	TA1SA	TG 91	Net	1.6	0%	0.0%
15:37:56 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	N8AAA	TG 91	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
15:37:41 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	VE4GWN	TG 91	Net	1.2	10%	0.0%
15:36:32 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	KN4OOH	TG 91	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
15:36:20 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	2E0IHN	TG 91	Net	0.1	0%	0.0%
15:36:15 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	N2PEQ	TG 91	Net	5.2	0%	0.0%
15:34:04 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	DO5MSH	TG 91	Net	1.9	0%	0.0%
15:33:17 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	9Z4S	TG 91	Net	1.2	0%	0.3%
15:32:57 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	VK2PWR	TG 91	Net	1.2	30%	0.0%
15:31:03 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	EA3IGY	TG 91	Net	0.8	7%	0.0%
15:30:53 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	VA3UUU	TG 91	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
15:30:45 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	IU2MAH	TG 91	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
15:30:21 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	OH5FQT	TG 91	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%

### Local RF Activity

Time (BST)	Mode	Callsign	Target	Src	Dur (s)	BER	RSSI
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19:31:12 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	G8PEF	TG 8	Net	1.6	0%	0.0%
19:21:59 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	2346516	TG 8	Net	5.5	0%	0.0%
19:17:39 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	G4YAN	TG 8	Net	13.1	0%	0.0%
19:15:54 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	2346370	TG 8	Net	5.5	0%	0.0%
19:14:26 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	M6GEU	TG 8	Net	1.2	0%	0.0%
18:16:41 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	G8HHV	TG 8	Net	6.2	46%	0.0%
18:13:48 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	MONAS	TG 8	Net	2.3	0%	0.0%
18:13:37 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	2347375	TG 8	Net	9.1	0%	0.0%
18:07:37 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	M0KZX	TG 8	Net	7.7	0%	0.0%
17:22:56 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	2346693	TG 8	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
17:19:26 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	2346784	TG 8	Net	0.5	0%	0.0%
17:15:18 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	G4KXQ	TG 23527	RF	10.8	0%	1.4%
17:04:03 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	4400	TG 8	Net	6.6	0%	0.0%
17:02:24 Oct 19th	DMR Slot 2	4000	TG 8	Net	2.3	0%	0.0%

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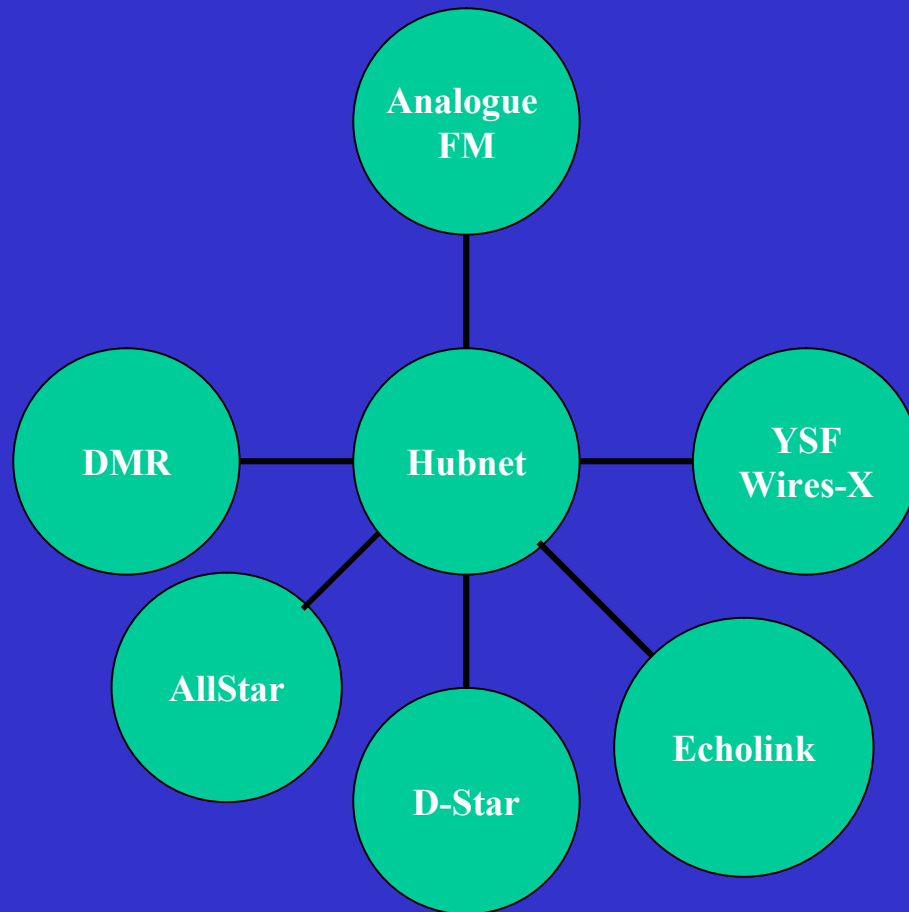
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