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*Model: PMR1188-2CK*

## INTRODUCTION

Thank you for purchasing the Uniden PMR1188-2CK Walkie-Talkie. This manual provides essential information for the proper setup, operation, and maintenance of your device. Please read it thoroughly before use to ensure optimal performance and safety.



Figure 1: Uniden PMR1188-2CK Walkie-Talkies and Charging Cradle.

## PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all items listed below are included in your package. If any items are missing or damaged, please contact

Uniden customer support.

- 2 x Uniden PMR1188-2CK Walkie-Talkies
- 1 x Dual Charging Cradle
- 1 x AC Adapter for Charging Cradle
- 2 x Rechargeable NiMH Battery Packs
- 2 x Belt Clips
- 1 x User Manual (this document)



Figure 2: Contents of the Uniden PMR1188-2CK package.

## KEY FEATURES

The Uniden PMR1188-2CK Walkie-Talkie is designed for reliable communication with a range of useful features:

- **IPX4 Waterproof Rating:** Provides protection against splashing water from any direction.
- **Privacy Codes:** 38 CTCSS (Continuous Tone-Coded Squelch System) and 83 DCS (Digitally Coded Squelch) codes for enhanced privacy.
- **Large Backlit LCD:** Clear display for easy viewing in various lighting conditions.
- **Auto Squelch Control:** Automatically mutes weak transmissions and unwanted noise.

- **DC Charge Jack:** Convenient charging port.
- **Time Out Timer (TOT):** Prevents accidental continuous transmission.
- **Headset Jack:** For private conversations (headset not included).
- **Memory Back-up:** Retains settings even when power is off.
- **Roger Beep:** Audible tone indicates when transmission is complete.
- **Channel Scan:** Automatically scans active channels.
- **Channel Monitor:** Allows listening to weak signals on a channel.
- **Auto Repeat:** Repeats the last transmission.
- **VOX Operation:** Voice-activated transmission with 5 selectable microphone sensitivity levels.
- **Key Lock:** Prevents accidental button presses.
- **Call Tones:** 5 selectable call tones.
- **Rechargeable NiMH Battery Packs:** Included for convenience.
- **Low Battery Alert:** Visual indicator for low battery status.
- **Battery Level Indicator:** Displays current battery charge.
- **Volume Setting:** 8 adjustable steps, including mute.
- **Beep Tone On/Off:** Option to enable or disable button press tones.

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**PMR1188-2CK**

up to  
**10**  
km



RECHARGEABLE

- **CHARGING KIT**  
Keeps your radio ready for action (includes batteries & charging cradle).



KEY LOCK

- **KEY LOCK**  
Locks in key functions.



CHANNELS

- **8 PMR CHANNELS**  
Lets you change your group to another channel to get away from interference.



SCAN

- **SCAN**  
Helps you find others in your area.



CODES

- **121 PRIVACY CODES**  
Codes per channel help reduce interference from other users.



ROGER BEEP

- **ROGER BEEP**  
Lets others know when you finish speaking.



HEADSET JACK

- **HEADSET JACK**  
Connect a VOX or PTT-type headset for private conversations (not included).



WATERPROOF

- **WATERPROOF\***  
JIS4 compliant. Works well in rainy weather and damp environments.



CALL TONES

- **CALL TONES**  
Five call tones available. Tones will sound when calling each other.

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אם רכשתי: איזון  
שנת ייצור: 2013  
ארץ ייצור: יפן  
כתובת היבוא: החברה 4, תל אביב

Figure 3: Overview of Uniden PMR1188-2CK key features.

## SETUP GUIDE

### 1. Battery Installation and Charging

1. Open the battery compartment cover on the back of each walkie-talkie.
2. Insert the provided NiMH battery pack, ensuring correct polarity.
3. Close the battery compartment cover securely.
4. Connect the AC adapter to the charging cradle and plug it into a standard wall outlet.
5. Place the walkie-talkies into the charging slots of the cradle. The charging indicator light will illuminate.
6. Allow approximately 10-12 hours for the initial charge. Subsequent charges may take less time.
7. Remove the walkie-talkies from the cradle once fully charged.

*Note:* Use only the specified NiMH battery packs and charging cradle provided by Uniden. Do not attempt to charge alkaline batteries in the cradle.

## 2. Attaching the Belt Clip

1. Align the belt clip with the grooves on the back of the walkie-talkie.
2. Slide the belt clip downwards until it clicks into place.
3. To remove, lift the tab on the belt clip and slide it upwards.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### 1. Power On/Off

Press and hold the **POWER/MENU** button for approximately 2 seconds to turn the walkie-talkie on or off.

### 2. Adjusting Volume

Use the **UP** (▲) and **DOWN** (▼) buttons to adjust the listening volume. There are 8 volume levels, including mute.

### 3. Selecting a Channel

The PMR1188-2CK has 16 channels. To select a channel:

1. Press the **MENU** button once. The channel number will flash on the LCD.
2. Use the **UP** (▲) or **DOWN** (▼) buttons to select your desired channel.
3. Press the **PTT (Push-To-Talk)** button or **MENU** button again to confirm your selection.

*Important:* For successful communication, all walkie-talkies in your group must be set to the same channel and privacy code.

### 4. Setting Privacy Codes (CTCSS/DCS)

Privacy codes help reduce interference from other users. There are 38 CTCSS codes and 83 DCS codes.

1. Press the **MENU** button twice. The privacy code number will flash.
2. Use the **UP** (▲) or **DOWN** (▼) buttons to select your desired privacy code (00 for no code).
3. Press the **PTT** button or **MENU** button again to confirm.

### 5. Transmitting and Receiving

- **To Transmit:** Press and hold the **PTT** button. Speak clearly into the microphone, holding the walkie-talkie approximately 5-10 cm from your mouth. Release the **PTT** button when you finish speaking.
- **To Receive:** Ensure the **PTT** button is not pressed. The walkie-talkie will automatically receive signals on the selected channel and privacy code.

## 6. Channel Scan

The scan feature allows you to monitor all channels for activity.

1. Press the **SCAN** button (often combined with another function, refer to device buttons). The scan icon will appear on the LCD.
2. The walkie-talkie will scan through channels and stop on any active channel.
3. To stop scanning, press the **SCAN** button again.

## 7. Key Lock

To prevent accidental changes to settings:

- Press and hold the **KEY LOCK** button (often combined with another function) for approximately 2 seconds. A key lock icon will appear.
- To unlock, press and hold the **KEY LOCK** button again for 2 seconds.

## 8. VOX Operation (Voice Activated Transmission)

VOX allows you to transmit without pressing the PTT button. It activates when you speak into the microphone.

1. Press the **MENU** button until the VOX icon flashes.
2. Use the **UP** (▲) or **DOWN** (▼) buttons to select the VOX sensitivity level (1-5, with 5 being most sensitive). Select "OFF" to disable VOX.
3. Press the **PTT** button or **MENU** to confirm.

## MAINTENANCE AND CARE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the walkie-talkie with a soft, damp cloth. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Storage:** If storing for extended periods, remove the battery packs to prevent leakage. Store in a cool, dry place.
- **Battery Care:** Fully charge batteries before first use. Do not overcharge or deep discharge NiMH batteries.
- **Water Resistance:** The IPX4 rating means it is resistant to splashing water. Do not submerge the device in water. Ensure battery compartment cover is securely closed.
- **Avoid Extreme Temperatures:** Do not expose the walkie-talkie to extreme heat or cold, as this can damage the battery and internal components.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	Battery low or not installed correctly.	Charge batteries or ensure they are correctly inserted.
Cannot communicate with other walkie-talkies	Different channels or privacy codes; out of range.	Ensure all units are on the same channel and privacy code. Move closer to the other unit.
Static or poor audio quality	Out of range; interference; low battery.	Move closer; change channel/privacy code; charge batteries.
Walkie-talkie not charging	Cradle or adapter not connected; dirty contacts; faulty battery.	Check connections; clean charging contacts; try a different battery if available.
Keypad locked	Key lock feature is active.	Press and hold the Key Lock button to unlock.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model	PMR1188-2CK
Brand	Uniden
Channels	16 PMR Channels
Privacy Codes	38 CTCSS, 83 DCS
Tuner Technology	VHF
Battery Type	Rechargeable NiMH Battery Packs (included)
Water Resistance	IPX4 (Splashproof)
Estimated Range	Up to 10 km (depending on terrain and conditions)
Dimensions (Package)	22.2 x 16.2 x 9 cm
Weight (Package)	760 g
UPC	050633101537

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

Uniden products are manufactured to the highest quality standards. For specific warranty terms and conditions applicable to your region, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Uniden website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase for warranty claims.

## CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For technical assistance, troubleshooting, or service inquiries, please contact Uniden customer support.

- **Online Support:** Visit the official Uniden website for FAQs, product registration, and support resources.
- **Telephone Support:** Refer to the contact information provided in your product packaging or on the Uniden website for regional support numbers.

When contacting support, please have your product model number (PMR1188-2CK) and proof of purchase readily available.

