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Model: XF-608

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing NXGKET Walkie Talkies. These 2-way radios are designed for reliable communication over long distances, suitable for various activities such as camping, hiking, family outings, and general recreational use. Featuring a durable Li-ion battery, multiple channels, and privacy codes, these walkie talkies offer clear and stable communication. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your device.

2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

2.1 Package Contents

- 2 x NXGKET Walkie Talkies (one blue, one orange)
- 2 x 1200mAh Li-ion Batteries
- 2 x Belt Clips
- 1 x USB-C Charging Cable
- 1 x User's Manual (this document)

2.2 Components and Controls

Familiarize yourself with the main components and controls of your walkie talkie:



Figure 2.2.1: Labeled diagram of the NXGKET Walkie Talkie, highlighting the Antenna, LCD Display, Menu/Lock Button, PTT Button, Power Button, Up Button, Down Button, Microphone/Speaker, Earphone Jack, Charge Jack, and Lithium Battery compartment.

- **Antenna:** For transmitting and receiving signals.
- **LCD Display:** Shows channel, volume, battery level, and other indicators.
- **Menu/Lock Button:** Accesses menu settings and locks/unlocks the keypad.
- **PTT (Push-to-Talk) Button:** Press and hold to transmit your voice.
- **Power Button:** Turns the device on/off.
- **Up Button:** Navigates menu options or increases values (e.g., channel, volume).
- **Down Button:** Navigates menu options or decreases values (e.g., channel, volume).
- **Microphone/Speaker:** For speaking and listening.
- **Earphone Jack:** For connecting an external earphone (not included).
- **Charge Jack (USB-C):** For connecting the USB-C charging cable.
- **Lithium Battery:** Rechargeable power source.

3. SETUP

3.1 Battery Installation

1. Ensure the walkie talkie is powered off.
2. Locate the battery compartment cover on the back of the unit.
3. Slide the belt clip upwards to remove it if attached.
4. Gently push down and slide the battery cover off.
5. Insert the 1200mAh Li-ion battery into the compartment, ensuring the contacts align correctly.
6. Replace the battery cover and slide the belt clip back into place until it clicks.



Figure 3.1.1: Steps for battery installation and disassembly, showing how to remove the belt clip and battery cover.

3.2 Charging the Battery

Before first use, fully charge the battery. A fully charged battery provides approximately 3-4 days of usage.

1. Connect the USB-C charging cable to the Charge Jack on the walkie talkie.
2. Connect the other end of the USB-C cable to a compatible USB power source (e.g., wall adapter, power bank, computer USB port).
3. The battery indicator on the LCD display will show charging status.
4. Once fully charged, disconnect the cable.



Figure 3.2.1: Walkie talkie connected to a USB-C charger, illustrating the convenient charging method and the powerful Li-ion battery.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Power On/Off

- To power on, press and hold the **Power Button** until the LCD display illuminates.
- To power off, press and hold the **Power Button** until the display turns off.

4.2 Adjusting Volume

- Press the **Up Button** to increase the volume.
- Press the **Down Button** to decrease the volume.
- The volume level will be displayed on the LCD screen.

4.3 Selecting Channels and Privacy Codes

Your walkie talkies support 22 channels and 121 privacy codes (CTCSS/DCS) for secure communication.

1. Press the **Menu Button** once to enter channel selection mode. The channel number will flash.
2. Use the **Up or Down Buttons** to select your desired channel (1-22).
3. Press the **Menu Button** again to confirm the channel and move to privacy code selection. The privacy code will flash.
4. Use the **Up or Down Buttons** to select your desired privacy code (0-121). Code 0 means no privacy code.
5. Press the **Menu Button** a third time or wait a few seconds for the setting to be saved automatically.
6. For communication, all walkie talkies in your group must be set to the same channel and privacy code.

4.4 Transmitting and Receiving

- To transmit, press and hold the **PTT Button**. Speak clearly into the microphone. The transmit icon will appear on the LCD.
- Release the **PTT Button** to stop transmitting and return to receive mode.
- When receiving a signal, the receive icon will appear on the LCD.

4.5 Keypad Lock

To prevent accidental changes to settings:

- To lock the keypad, press and hold the **Menu/Lock Button** until the lock icon appears on the LCD.
- To unlock, press and hold the **Menu/Lock Button** again until the lock icon disappears.

4.6 VOX (Voice Operated Exchange)

VOX allows hands-free operation. When VOX is enabled, the walkie talkie will automatically transmit when it detects your voice.

1. Press the **Menu Button** repeatedly until the VOX icon flashes on the LCD.
2. Use the **Up or Down Buttons** to select the VOX sensitivity level (e.g., 1-3, with 3 being most sensitive). Select 'OFF' to disable VOX.
3. Press the **Menu Button** or wait for the setting to be saved.

4.7 Auto Squelch

The auto squelch feature automatically mutes weak signals or background noise, ensuring clearer communication. This feature is typically enabled by default and requires no user adjustment.

4.8 Auto Scan

The auto scan feature allows the walkie talkie to scan all 22 channels for active transmissions.

- To activate scan, press and hold the **MON (Monitor) Button** or a dedicated scan button if available (refer to your specific model's button layout). The walkie talkie will cycle through channels.
- When a signal is detected, the scan will pause on that channel.
- To stop scanning, press the same button again.

4.9 Range and Environment

The communication range varies based on terrain and obstructions:

- **Open Areas (rural, suburbs, seaside):** Up to 3 miles (approx. 4.8 km).
- **Cities/Towns (with obstructions):** 0.7-1.2 miles (approx. 1.1-1.9 km).
- **Mountain to Valley:** Up to 18 miles (optimal conditions).
- **Open Water:** Up to 5 miles.



Figure 4.9.1: Illustration of typical communication ranges in various environments, from urban areas to open landscapes.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 Battery Care

- Always use the provided USB-C cable for charging.
- Do not attempt to charge non-rechargeable batteries.
- Avoid overcharging; disconnect the charger once the battery is full.
- If storing the walkie talkie for an extended period, remove the battery.

- Dispose of batteries responsibly according to local regulations.

5.2 Cleaning

- Wipe the exterior of the walkie talkie with a soft, damp cloth.
- Do not use harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners.
- Ensure the device is dry before use or storage.

5.3 Storage

- Store the walkie talkies in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- Keep out of reach of small children when not in use.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No power	Battery is low or not installed correctly.	Charge the battery fully. Ensure battery is inserted with correct polarity.
Cannot communicate with other radios	Different channel or privacy code. Out of range.	Ensure all radios are on the same channel and privacy code. Move closer to the other radio.
Sound is choppy or unclear	Interference from buildings/terrain. Weak signal.	Move to an open area. Check battery level. Ensure antenna is unobstructed.
Keypad is unresponsive	Keypad is locked.	Press and hold the Menu/Lock Button to unlock the keypad.
Low battery alert constantly on	Battery needs charging.	Recharge the battery. If issue persists, battery may need replacement.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	XF-608
Product Dimensions	17.7 x 5 x 6.9 cm
Item Weight	280 g
Battery Type	1200mAh Li-ion Rechargeable (included)
Channels	22 FRS Channels
Privacy Codes	121 (CTCSS/DCS)
Frequency Range	400-470 MHz
Talking Range (Max)	3 Kilometers (open areas)
Display Technology	LCD

Feature	Detail
Special Features	Automatic Squelch, Battery Saver Mode, Keypad Lock, Long Range, Rechargeable, VOX, Auto Scan, Auto Memory, Low Battery Alert
Water Resistance Level	Waterproof (as per specifications, typically splash-resistant for consumer electronics)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

NXGKET products are manufactured to high quality standards. For any questions, technical support, or warranty inquiries, please contact NXGKET customer service through the retailer's platform or the official brand website. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

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