

Motorola APX Series Radio Alert Tones

An alert tone is a sound or group of sounds. Your radio uses alert tones to inform you of your radio's conditions. The following table lists these tones and when they occur.

You Hear	Tone Name	Heard
Short, Low-Pitched Tone	Radio Self-Test Fail	When radio fails its power-up self-test.
	Reject	When an unauthorized request is made.
	Time-Out Timer Warning	Four seconds before PTT time out.
	No ACK Received	When radio fails to receive an acknowledgment.
	Individual Call Warning Tone	When radio is in an individual call for greater than 6 seconds without any activity.
Long, Low-Pitched Tone	Time-Out Timer Timed Out	When the PTT Time-Out Timer has expired.
	Talk Prohibit/ PTT Inhibit	(When PTT button is pressed) transmissions are not allowed.
	Out of Range	(When PTT button is pressed) the radio is out of range of the system.
	Invalid Mode	When radio is on an unpreprogrammed channel.
A Group of Low-Pitched Tones	Busy	When system is busy. You cannot transmit if any traffic is detected on the channel or if the system has reached its limit of available voice channels.
Short, Medium-Pitched Tone	Valid Key-Press	When correct key is pressed.
	Radio Self-Test Pass	When radio passes its power-up self-test.
	Clear Voice	At beginning of a non-coded communication. (Encrypted Channel Only)
	Priority Channel Received	When activity on a priority scanned channel is received.
	Emergency Alarm Entry	When entering the emergency state.
	Central Echo	When central controller has received a request from a radio.
Long, Medium-Pitched Tone	Volume Set	When volume is changed on a quiet channel. (If Feature Programmed)
	Emergency Exit	When exiting the emergency state.
A Group of Medium-Pitched Tones	Failsoft	When the Trunking system fails.
	Automatic Call Back	When voice channel is available from previous request.
	Talk Permit	(When PTT button is pressed) verifying system accepting transmissions.
	Keyfail	When encryption key has been lost.
	Console Acknowledge	When status, emergency alarm, or reprogram request ACK is received.
	Received Individual Call	When Call Alert or Private Call is received.
	Call Alert Sent	When Call Alert is received by the target radio.
	Site Trunking	When a Smartzone Trunking system fails.
Ringling	Fast Ringing	When system is searching for target of Private Call.
	Enhanced Call Sent	When waiting for target of Private Call to answer the call.
	Phone Call Received	When a land-to-mobile phone call is received. (Currently not on GATRRS)
Gurgle	Dynamic Regrouping	(When the PTT button is pressed) a dynamic ID has been received.
Unique, Low-Pitched Chirp	New Message	When a new message is received.
Unique, High-Pitched Chirp	Priority Status	When a priority message is received.