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Your Thrane & Thrane radio set generates electromagnetic RF (radio frequency) energy when transmitting. To ensure that you and those around you are not exposed to excessive amounts of energy and thus to avoid health hazards from excessive exposure to RF energy, all persons must be at least 3ft (0.9 m) away from the antenna when the radio is transmitting.

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## Preface

### Radio for occupational use

The SAILOR 6248 VHF fulfils the requirements of the EC Directive 1999/5/EC, Radio and Telecommunications TErminal Equipment and is intended for use in maritime environment.

SAILOR 6248 VHF is designed for *occupational use only* and must be operated by licensed personnel only.

SAILOR 6248 VHF is not intended for use in an uncontrolled environment by general public.

SAILOR 6248 VHF is designed for installation by a skilled service person.

# **Training information**

The SAILOR 6248 VHF is designed for *occupational use only* and is also classified as such. It must be operated by licensed personnel only. It must only be used in the course of employment by individuals aware of both the hazards as well as the way to minimize those hazards

The radio is thus NOT intended for use in an uncontrolled environment by general public. The SAILOR 6248 VHF has been tested and complies with the FCC RF exposure limits for *Occupational Use Only*. The radio also complies with the following guidelines and standards regarding RF energy and electromagnetic energy levels including the recommended levels for human exposure:

- FCC OET Bulletin 65 Supplement C, evaluating compliance with FCC guidelines for human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields.
- American National Standards Institute (C95.1) IEEE standard for safety levels with respect to human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields, 3 kHz to 300 GHz
- American National Standards Institute (C95.3) IEEE recommended practice for the measurement of potentially hazardous electromagnetic fields RF and microwaves.

Below the RF exposure hazards and instructions in safe operation of the radio within the FCC RF exposure limits established for it are described.

### Warning

Your Thrane & Thrane radio set generates electromagnetic RF (radio frequency) energy when it is transmitting. To ensure that you and those around you are not exposed to excessive amounts of that energy (beyond FCC allowable limits for occupational use) and thus to avoid health hazards from excessive exposure to RF energy, FCC OET bulletin 65 establishes an Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) radius of 3 ft. (0.9m) for the maximum power of your radio (25W selected) with an half wave omni-directional antenna having a maximum gain of 3 dB (5.2dBi). This means all persons must be at least 3 ft. (0.9m) away from the antenna when the radio is transmitting.

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- An omni-directional antenna with a maximum power gain of 5.2 dBi must be mounted at least 9.6 ft. (2.9m) above the highest deck where people may be staying during radio transmissions. The distance is to be measured vertically from the lowest point of the antenna. This provides the minimum separation distance which is in compliance with RF exposure requirements and is based on the MPE radius of 3 ft. (0,9m) plus the 6.6 ft. (2m) height of an adult.
- 2. On vessels that cannot fulfil requirements in item 1, the antenna must be mounted so that its lowest point is at least 3 ft. (0.9m) vertically above the heads of people on deck and all persons must be outside the 3 ft. (0.9m) MPE radius during radio transmission.
  - Always mount the antenna at least 3ft (0.9m) from possible human access.
  - Never touch the antenna when transmitting
  - Use only authorized T&T accessories.
- 3. If the antenna has to be placed in public areas or near people with no awareness of the radio transmission, the antenna must be placed at a distance not less than 6 ft. (1.8m) from possible human access.

Failure to observe any of these warnings may cause you or other people to exceed FCC RF exposure limits or create other dangerous conditions.

# Manual overview

This manual has the following chapters and appendices:

- *Introduction* contains a description of the VHF radio.
- *Installation* explains how to mount the VHF radio and how to connect accessories and external equipment.
- Service & maintenance contains support information including lists of accessories and a troubleshooting guide.
- Appendices with Specifications & Approval and System configurations.

# **Related documents**

| Title and description   | Document number |
|---|-----------------|
| SAILOR 6248 VHF, Installation guide   | 98-132282       |
| SAILOR 6248 VHF User manual   | 98-131186       |
| Moxa EtherDevice Switch EDS-205A/208A Series Hardware<br>Installation Guide (SAILOR 6197 Ethernet Device) | 1802002050023   |
| Emergency call sheet  | 98-133795       |

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For details on available training classes please consult the Thrane Academy at http://extranet.thrane.com/Training.aspx.

To learn more on CAN-bus as used with this product you may take the eLearning course "Introduction to CAN-bus" available at Thrane Academy at http://extranet.thrane.com/Training.aspx.

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# Introduction

# 1.1 VHF radio

SAILOR 6248 VHF is approved to R&TTE, FCC and Industry Canada and is waterproof to the IPx8 and IPx6 standard. As part of the required safety equipment, use the SAILOR 6248 VHF in an emergency situation. However the best way to guarantee functionality in an emergency situation, is to use the radio in daily communication on board.



The VHF radio is a simplex/semi duplex VHF

radio. It is designed with an easy-to-use menu-driven setup. You use the soft-keys and the keypad to enter the desired functions, you browse and select a setting using the right selection knob. The large display can be customized for optimum readability and visibility both day and night with several color themes.

The VHF radio can replay the last 240 s of received voice messages. This is a useful feature to minimize misunderstandings and to record messages when the radio is unattended.

With SAILOR connection boxes the VHF radio connects easily to external equipment like additional handsets, water proof hand microphones, control speaker microphone or external speaker. The Ethernet interface enables the VHF radio to be connected to ThraneLINK for remote control and service updates.

For a list of accessories available for the VHF radio see *Accessories available* on page 1-4and *Part numbers for accessories* on page 2-19 and check with your nearest distributor.

## **1.1.1** Controls on the front plate



- 1. Loudspeaker.
- 2. Four soft keys with function title in the display.
- 3. Large display.
- 4. Keys 0 to 9 to enter numbers or text.
- 5. **DW** button to toggle the watch function (dual or triple).
- 6. **16/C** quick selection key for channel 16 and the programmed call channel.
- 7. Connector for Handset or Handmicrophone.
- 8. Squelch control to mute background noise.
- 9. Volume knob with key-press function for volume control and power on/off.
- 10. Selector and dim knob with key-press function for general operation, display color selection and dimming.
- 11. **1W** button to toggle between high and low power.
- 12. Replay button to play back up to 240 s voice message.

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## 1.1.2 SAILOR 6248 VHF display

The picture shows the display after start-up. The display holds various fields of information, depending on the currently selected function.

- 1. Functions you can select with the soft keys.
- 2. Current working channel.
- 3. **System property icons** with information relevant for the currently selected functions.
- 4. Channel properties next to the currently selected VHF channel (if any).
- 5. **Service line** containing current temporary information relevant for the current channel or function.
- 6. Current state: RX or TX.

For a detailed description of the information shown for each of the functions available see the user manual.



# **1.2** Accessories available

| Accessory Description                                     |  |
|---|--|
| SAILOR 6201<br>Handset with<br>cradle<br>(additional)     | One SAILOR 6201 Handset<br>with cradle is included in<br>the delivery of the SAILOR<br>6248 VHF. You can connect<br>another 2 SAILOR 6201<br>Handsets. |
| SAILOR 6203<br>Handset with<br>cradle                     | SAILOR 6203 Handset with cradle, waterproof to IPx6.   |
| SAILOR 6202<br>Hand<br>Microphone                         | You can use the SAILOR 6202<br>(waterproof to IPx6 and IPx8)<br>Hand Microphone instead of the<br>handset.   |
| SAILOR 6204<br>Control Speaker<br>Microphone              | With the SAILOR 6204 Control<br>Speaker Microphone you can<br>control the VHF functions of<br>the SAILOR 6248 VHF.                                     |
| SAILOR 6207<br>Connection Box<br>for parallel<br>handsets | The SAILOR 6207 Connection<br>Box including Connection<br>Cable 406209-941 is used for<br>easy installation of several<br>SAILOR 6201/03 Handsets.     |
| SAILOR 6208<br>Control Unit<br>Connection Box             | The SAILOR 6208 Connection<br>Box including Connection Cable<br>406208-941 is used for easy<br>installation of external<br>equipment and accessories:  |
|   | <ul> <li>Max. 4 SAILOR 6204 Control Speaker<br/>Microphones</li> </ul>   |
|   | • VDR  |
|   | SAILOR 6270 External loudspeaker   |

Table 1-1: Accessories available

| Accessory   | Description  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|
| Connection<br>cables                              | <b>5m connection cable for bulkhead mount:</b> Use this cable in installations where the SAILOR 6201 or 6203 Handset is not connected directly to the SAILOR 6248 VHF, but located in a different position (part number: 406204-940).                        |  |  |
|   | <b>5m Connection cable, 1x10 pole</b> : Use this cable<br>in installations when connecting external<br>equipment to the SAILOR 6248 VHF. This cable<br>is included in the SAILOR 6207 Connection Box<br>for parallel handsets (part number: 406207-<br>941). |  |  |
|   | 5 m Connection cable for SAILOR 6204 Control<br>Speaker Microphone, 1x12 pole (part number:<br>406204-940).  |  |  |
| SAILOR 6270<br>External<br>loudspeaker            | If you need an additional<br>external loudspeaker you can<br>connect a SAILOR 6270<br>Loudspeaker. It provides 6 W<br>output power.  |  |  |
| SAILOR 6197<br>Ethernet Switch                    | The SAILOR 6197 Ethernet<br>Switch is used in<br>installations with<br>ThraneLINK. The Ethernet<br>switch has 5 ports.   |  |  |
| SAILOR 6090<br>Power Converter<br>24 V to 12 V DC | The SAILOR 6090 Power<br>Converter is used to provide<br>12 V DC for the SAILOR 6248<br>VHF from a 24 V DC power<br>source.  |  |  |

Table 1-1: Accessories available (Continued)

## **1.2.1** System configuration – example

The SAILOR 6248 VHF can be customized to suit your installation. The following illustration is one example of a system. For further configuration examples see Appendix B, *System configurations*.



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Figure 1-1: System configuration, example

# **Installation**

In this chapter you find information and guidelines for:

- Unpacking and initial inspection
- Installing the VHF radio
- Connectors
- VHF antenna installation
- Part numbers for accessories

# 2.1 Unpacking and initial inspection

The following items are included in the delivery of a SAILOR 6248 VHF:

- SAILOR 6248 VHF
- SAILOR 6201 Handset with cradle
- User manual
- Installation guide
- Emergency call sheet
- · Mounting bracket with two knobs
- Connectors for cables
- Power cable, fittings and fuses
- Packaging material
- Kit for flush mount installation, including gasket
- SAILOR 6090 Power Converter 24 to 12 V

### 2.1.1 Initial inspection

Inspect the shipping carton immediately upon receipt for evidence of damage during transport. If the shipping carton is severely damaged or water stained, request that the carrier's agent be present when opening the carton. Save the carton packing material for future use.



**WARNING!** To avoid electric shock, do not apply power to the system if there is any sign of shipping damage to any part of the front or rear panel or the outer cover. Read the safety summary at the front of this manual before installing or operating the system.

After unpacking the system, inspect it thoroughly for hidden damage and loose components or fittings. If the contents are incomplete, if there is mechanical damage or defect, or if the system does not work properly, notify your dealer.

# 2.2 Installing the VHF radio

You can mount the VHF radio as a desktop, overhead or flush-mounted unit integrated in the instrument panel.

Provide space enough to access the front panel connectors and for installing a cradle for the speaking device.

Provide **at least 120 mm space at the back** of the SAILOR 6248 VHF radio to allow free air circulation and for cable access.

#### **Cable requirements**

All cables attached to the SAILOR 6248 VHF must be shielded. Every shield should have a low impedance connection to an electrical ground.

Before using the SAILOR 6248 VHF for the first time, check that all cables are correctly wired and fastened.

#### **Compass safe distance**

Make sure that the VHF radio is far enough from any magnetic compass to avoid influence of the loudspeaker magnet on the compass reading. See the following table

for the safe distance after magnetization between the nearest point of the device and the centre of the compass at which it will produce a deviation of 0.3°.

| Device   | Compass safe distance |
|--|-----------------------|
| SAILOR 6248 VHF                                  | 0.85 m                |
| SAILOR 6201 and 6203 Handset with cradle         | 0.95 m                |
| SAILOR 6090 Power Converter 24 V – 12 V          | 0.15 m                |
| SAILOR 6207 Connection Box for parallel handsets | 0.45 m                |
| SAILOR 6208 Control Unit Connection Box          | 0.45 m                |

Table 2-1: Compass safe distance

### 2.2.1 SAILOR 6248 VHF with U mounting bracket

The mounting bracket and two knobs are included in the delivery.

### **Desktop mounting**



Figure 2-1: Desktop mounting

### **Overhead mounting**



Figure 2-2: Overhead mounting

### Mounting with U mounting bracket

To mount the VHF radio as tabletop, do as follows:

- 1. Find a suitable location for the VHF radio. Check that the space is wide/deep enough to accommodate the VHF radio.
- 2. Fasten the bracket with 4 screws (included in the delivery.)
- 3. Insert the VHF radio in the bracket and fasten it with the two knobs.

4. The display of the VHF radio should be at an angle of approximately 90° to your line of sight when operating it.



Figure 2-3: Mounting with the mounting bracket



Figure 2-4: Drilling plan for the mounting bracket

### 2.2.2 SAILOR 6248 VHF for flush mount

You can mount the VHF radio to a flat surface, e.g. an instrument panel. The flush mount installation kit is included in the delivery.



Figure 2-5: SAILOR 6248 VHF Dimension for flush mount



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Important

**The scaling in the above drawing is not 1:1**. Consequently do not attempt to use a print or copy of this page without checking the dimensions.

- 1. Find a suitable location for the VHF radio. Check that the space is deep enough to accommodate the VHF radio and an additional min. 120 mm space for cable entry.
- 2. Keep free distance to allow free air circulation around the VHF radio and to allow sufficient space for access to cables, see the drawing on this page.
- 3. Cut out the hole for the VHF radio where you want to mount it. Use the cutting template in the installation guide.
- 4. Mount the 4 square nuts M4 in the cabinet, ensure that they are placed correctly so it is possible to screw in the M4x45 screws.

- 5. Ensure that the flush mount gasket is placed correctly on the VHF radio.
- 6. Before mounting the VHF radio be aware that the surface is plane and rigid. If the surface is not plane and/or rigid (stiff) remove the gasket and seal with silicone sealant between the VHF radio and the surface.
- 7. Slide the VHF radio in the cut-out. Place the flush mount bracket and fasten it with the 4 screws M4x45. Make sure the torque does not exceed 1Nm when fastening the screws.

Note Only use screws supplied with the kit for flush mounting.





Figure 2-7: Flush mount

Note

Firmly tie back and secure any wires not used to avoid the possibility for mutual shorting or shorting to ground.

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### 2.2.3 SAILOR 6090 Power Converter



Figure 2-8: SAILOR 6090 Power Converter, dimensions





# 2.2.4 SAILOR 6201 Handset with cradle



Figure 2-10: SAILOR 6201 Handset with cradle

# 2.3 Connectors

## 2.3.1 Connector at the front panel for handset or handmicrophone

Use the connector at the front of the SAILOR 6248 VHF to connect a SAILOR 6201 Handset. You may also connect a waterproof SAILOR 6203 Handset or SAILOR 6202 Handmicrophone.

**Connector type**: Circular connector, 10pin, male.

Connection cable with plug, part number 406209-941.

Pin assignment: Connector front view on the VHF radio.



| Pin | Description                | Wire color              |
|-----|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1   | Not connected              | Brown                   |
| 2   | Not connected              | Blue                    |
| 3   | Not connected              | White                   |
| 4   | Not connected              | Green                   |
| 5   | Mic+                       | Yellow                  |
| 6   | Earpiece                   | Grey                    |
| 7   | Hook_PTT                   | Pink                    |
| 8   | Battery V +10.8 - 15.6 VDC | Red                     |
| 9   | Internal GND = - Battery   | Black                   |
| 10  | Internal GND = - Battery   | Orange – SCREEN (Drain) |

Table 2-2: Pin allocation, connector at the front panel

# 2.3.2 Connectors at the rear panel



Figure 2-11: Connections at the rear panel

- 1. ACC connector for accessories
- 2. AUX connector for VDR, external speaker
- 3. Power connector PWR FUSE with fuse 10 A mini ATO
- 4. Ground stud for grounding
- 5. ANT connector for VHF antenna
- 6. CTRL connector
- 7. Ethernet connector: LAN

## 2.3.3 ACC connector

Use the connector marked **ACC** to connect a SAILOR 6201 Handset. You may also connect a waterproof SAILOR 6203 Handset or SAILOR 6202 Handmicrophone.

**Connector type**: Circular connector, 10pin, male.

Connection cable with plug, part number 406209-941.

Pin assignment: Connector front view on the VHF radio.



| Pin | Description                     | Wire color              |
|-----|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1   | -                               | Brown                   |
| 2   | -                               | Blue                    |
| 3   | -                               | White                   |
| 4   | -                               | Green                   |
| 5   | Mike 2 / Line in                | Yellow                  |
| 6   | EAR 2 / Line out                | Grey                    |
| 7   | Hook_PTT                        | Pink                    |
| 8   | Battery supply when radio is on | Red                     |
| 9   | Internal GND = - Battery        | Black                   |
| 10  | Internal GND = - Battery        | Orange – SCREEN (Drain) |

Table 2-3: Pin allocation, ACC connector

# 2.3.4 AUX connector

This connector is used to connect VDR and external speaker.

**Connector type**: Circular connector, 12pin.

Connection cable with plug, part number 406208-941. Pin assignment: Connector front view on the VHF radio:

| Pin | Description                 | Wire color |
|-----|-----------------------------|------------|
| 1   | Shield (GND)                | Brown      |
| 2   | Lo Power Forced control     | Blue       |
| 3   | -                           | White      |
| 4   | -                           | Green      |
| 5   | AUX OC                      | Yellow     |
| 6   | -                           | Grey       |
| 7   | -                           | Pink       |
| 8   | -Battery                    | Red        |
| 9   | External Speaker +          | Black      |
| 10  | External Speaker -          | Orange     |
| 11  | VDR+ Mixed RX/TX for record | Violet     |
| 12  | VDR- Mixed RX/TX for record | Cyan       |

Table 2-4: Pin allocation, AUX connector



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## 2.3.5 CTRL connector

This connector is used to connect a SAILOR 6204 Control Speaker Microphone or SAILOR 6208 Connection Box.

**Connector type**: Circular connector, 12pin.

Connection cable with plug, part number 406208-941.

Pin assignment: Connector front view on the VHF radio:

| Pin | Description                            | Wire color |
|-----|--|------------|
| 1   | GND for cable screen                   | Brown      |
| 2   | Internal GND=- Battery                 | Blue       |
| 3   | Battery supply when radio is on        | White      |
| 4   | Battery supply when radio is on        | Green      |
| 5   | CAN+                                   | Yellow     |
| 6   | CAN-                                   | Grey       |
| 7   | Internal GND = - Battery               | Pink       |
| 8   | On/off from Control Speaker Microphone | Red        |
| 9   | RX out +                               | Black      |
| 10  | RX out -                               | Orange     |
| 11  | TX in +                                | Violet     |
| 12  | TX in -                                | Cyan       |

Table 2-5: Pin allocation, CTRL connector

| 2 | 8<br>7<br>12<br>6<br>5 |  |
|---|------------------------|--|
|   |                        |  |

#### 2.3.6 **Ethernet connector: LAN**

There is one Ethernet (10/100 MB) connector on the rear panel, it is marked LAN.

| Pin number | Pin function  | Wire color   |
|------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1          | Tx+           | white/orange |
| 2          | Tx-           | orange       |
| 3          | Rx+           | white/green  |
| 4          | Not connected | blue         |
| 5          | Not connected | white/blue   |
| 6          | Rx-           | green        |
| 7          | Not connected | white/brown  |
| 8          | Not connected | brown        |

Connector type: R]-45 female, shielded

| 1 | 2345678 | _ |
|---|---------|---|
|   |         |   |
|   |         |   |
|   |         |   |
|   |         |   |

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Table 2-6: Pin allocation, LAN connector

#### 2.3.7 **Power connector PWR FUSE**

The DC Power input connects to a DC supply with 12 DC nominal (10.8 to 15,6 V DC). The connector has a 10 A fuse. The interface also has a "remote on/off" function for a remote 24 V - 12 V DC Power Converter.

#### Connector type: LTW Power Fuse: 10 A mini ATO

To help extract the fuse you can order a fuse puller in the **ESHOP** at http://extranet.thrane.com/.

#### **Pin-out**

The figure and table below show the connector outline, pin assignments and wire color in the power cable delivered with the SAILOR 6248 VHF.

| Pin | Pin function           | Wire color |
|-----|------------------------|------------|
| 1   | DC+ (10.8 - 15,6 V DC) | Red        |
| 2   | DC- (0 V DC)           | Blue       |
| 3   | Remote on/off          | Yellow     |

Table 2-7: Pin allocation, power

#### **Connecting DC power**

- Connect DC+ (red wire) to DC out + from your DC supply.
- Connect DC- (blue wire) to DC out from your DC supply.

Connect the yellow wire in the power cable to use the Remote on/off function.

### 2.3.8 ANT connector for VHF antenna

Use the connector marked **ANT** to connect the VHF antenna to the radio with a 50 Ohm coaxial cable with low loss, e.g. RG214. Install a PL259 plug at the cable end.

Place the antenna as high and clear of obstructions as possible. Make sure that the horizontal distance to metal parts is minimum 1.5 m (5 ft.).

**Connector type**: female SO239 for PL259 plug.

For more information about VHF antenna installation see *VHF antenna installation* on page 2-17.

### 2.3.9 Ground stud for grounding

**Important** You must connect the Ground stud to ship ground.

The ground stud is located on the rear panel and is used to connect a ground wire for grounding the SAILOR 6248 VHF. To connect the SAILOR 6248 VHF to ship ground, do as follows:

- 1. Connect a ground cable of > 1 m length and > 4 mm<sup>2</sup> cross section to the Ground stud located between the DSC ANT and ANT connector and fasten it with the wing nut.
- 2. Connect the other end of the cable to ship ground. Make the cable as short as possible.

# 2.4 VHF antenna installation

The SAILOR 6248 VHF must be installed with one antenna for VHF RX/TX communication. You can install all commonly available 50 Ohm antennas covering the appropriate frequency range and providing a VSWR less than 1.5 over this range.

For further details on equipment and antenna installation, see IMOCOMSAR/Circ. 32, GUIDELINES FOR THE HARMONIZATION OF GMDSS REQUIREMENTS FOR RADIO INSTALLATIONS ON BOARD SOLAS SHIPS.

### 2.4.1 Cable requirements

Connect the antennas using a low loss type 50 Ohm coaxial cable, e.g. good quality RG214 or better. IMO-COMSAR/Circ. 32 recommends the use of a double screened type cable (like e.g. RG214) with a maximum insertion loss of 3dB across the antenna cable installation.

The maximum antenna cable length in the installation depends on the quality of the cable, i.e. the specified attenuation (dB/m) of the cable of choice at the high end of the VHF frequency band. As a rule of thumb the cable length using e.g. RG214 coaxial cable should not exceed 25 m.

### 2.4.2 VHF RX/TX antenna

In installations with two or more VHF radios it is important to ensure the optimum performance of these by carefully selecting the antenna positions for both radios. It is recommended to maximize the RF attenuation between the VHF RX/TX antennas in the installation. You can ensure this by not having the RX/TX antennas positioned at the same horizontal level, i.e. the RX/TX antennas for each radio must be installed at shifted elevations as shown in the following drawing.

If sufficient vertical distance between two or more such antennas cannot be achieved, the horizontal distance between them is increasingly important for optimum performance. If there is hardly any vertical separation ensure that there is a minimum of 5 m horizontal distance between any RX/TX antennas in the installation.

To minimize any increase in VSWR of the VHF RX/TX antenna, install the antenna at a vertical distance of at least 2 m to any other mast, pole or other RF antennas. Keep VHF


antennas as far away as possible from antenna main beam of any radar and satellite equipment.

Figure 2-12: Antenna positioning

# 2.5 Accessories

## **2.5.1 Part numbers for accessories**

The following accessories are available for the SAILOR 6248 VHF:

| Part number | Accessories available                                |
|-------------|--|
| 406201A     | SAILOR 6201 Handset with cradle (additional)         |
| 406202A     | SAILOR 6202 Hand Microphone                          |
| 406203A     | SAILOR 6203 Handset Waterproof                       |
| 406204A     | SAILOR 6204 Control Speaker Microphone               |
| 406207A     | SAILOR 6207 Connection Box with Cable 406209-941     |
| 406208A     | SAILOR 6208 Connection Box with Cable 406208-941     |
| 406209-940  | Connection Cable for bulkhead mount, 5 m, 1-x10 pole |
| 406209-941  | Connection Cable, 5 m, 1x10 pole                     |
| 406204-940  | Cable for SAILOR 6204 Control Speaker Microphone     |
| 406270A     | SAILOR 6270 Loudspeaker                              |
| 406197A     | SAILOR 6197 Ethernet Switch                          |
| 406090A     | SAILOR 6090 Power Converter 24 V – 12 V              |

Table 2-8: Part numbers for accessories

### 2.5.2 Connection box SAILOR 6207

The **SAILOR 6207 Connection Box** is used to connect further SAILOR 6201 Handsets. For wiring and cabling details see *System configuration examples* on page B-1.



Figure 2-13: SAILOR 6207 Connection Box for parallel handsets, mounting



| Description                   | Pin | Wire color     |
|-------------------------------|-----|----------------|
| NC                            | 1   | Brown          |
| NC                            | 2   | Blue           |
| NC                            | 3   | White          |
| NC                            | 4   | Green          |
| Mike 2 / Line in              | 5   | Yellow         |
| Ear 2 / Line out              | 6   | Grey           |
| Hook_PTT                      | 7   | Pink           |
| Bat_SW Supply voltage when on | 8   | Red            |
| Internal GND = - Battery      | 9   | Black          |
| Internal GND = - Battery      | 10  | Orange         |
| Internal GND = - Battery      | 11  | SCREEN (Drain) |
|                               | 12  | NC             |

Cable part no. 406209-941

To ensure galvanic separation of battery supply from ship's ground, the cable screens of the ACC cables MUST not touch any part of the metallic parts of the SAILOR 6207 Connection Box. Connect the screens only to the pins at the terminals.

Figure 2-14: SAILOR 6207 Connection Box for parallel handsets, wiring



Figure 2-15: SAILOR 6207 Connection Box for parallel handsets, diagram

### 2.5.3 Connection box SAILOR 6208

The **SAILOR 6208 Connection Box** is used to connect SAILOR 6204 Control Speaker microphones and other auxiliary equipment. For wiring and cabling details see *System configuration examples* on page B-1.



Figure 2-16: SAILOR 6208 Control Unit Connection Box, mounting

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Figure 2-17: SAILOR 6208 Control Unit Connection Box for parallel handsets, wiring Terminate the last SAILOR 6208 on the CAN bus (furthest away from the transceiver).



Figure 2-18: SAILOR 6208 Control Unit Connection Box, diagram

# First-time power up

## 3.1 General use and navigation

The tasks needed to be performed during installation are described below. See the SAILOR 6248 VHF User manual for instructions how to operate and set up the VHF radio.

### 3.1.1 Power on and volume in handset and speaker

The VHF radio has a dual-function on/off knob for power on/off and volume control.

- To power on the VHF radio press the on/off knob.
- To power off the VHF radio, press and hold the on/off knob and follow the instructions in the display.
- To adjust the volume of the handset earpiece see the SAILOR 6248 VHF User manual.

## **3.1.2** Working channel and changing settings

Use the **selector knob** to browse and select:

- To browse and select **settings**, turn the selector knob and press for accept.
- To select a **working channel** use the selector knob or enter the channel number using the keypad.



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# Service & maintenance

## 4.1 Contact for support

Contact your authorized dealer for technical service and support of the VHF radio. Before contacting your authorized dealer you can go through the troubleshooting guide to solve some of the most common operational problems.

## 4.2 Maintenance

### 4.2.1 **Preventive maintenance**

Maintenance of the SAILOR 6248 VHF can be reduced to a maintenance check at each visit of the service staff. Inspect the radio for mechanical damages, salt deposits, corrosion and any foreign material. Due to its robust construction and ruggedness the radio has a long lifetime. Anyway it must carefully be checked at intervals not longer than 12 months - dependent on the current working conditions.

### Salt deposits

In case the equipment has been exposed to sea water there is a risk of salt crystallization on the keys and knobs and they may become inoperable. Clean the VHF radio and speaker microphones with fresh water.

### 4.2.2 Error messages and warnings

Errors and warning messages are shown in the display and are read-only.

## 4.3 Troubleshooting guide

| Action   | Symptom  | Remedy   |
|--|--|--|
| The radio<br>will not<br>turn on               | The display<br>is empty.                             | Check if power is present.<br>Check fuse which is placed in the power<br>connector.<br>Check performance of power supply if<br>connected to one.   |
| No commu-<br>nication                          | The<br>loudspeake<br>r is mute.                      | Check the antenna installation.<br>Check antenna cable.<br>Check handset/Handmicrophone and<br>cable.  |
| Handset<br>configura-<br>tion                  | No sound<br>in earpiece                              | The earpiece volume may be configured to OFF. See section <i>Controller setup in the user manual</i> on how to adjust the earpiece volume of the handset.  |
| Device<br>failure                              |  | If any of the checks and tests described in<br>this section do not assist in resolving the<br>difficulties experienced in the operation<br>and/or performance of the VHF<br>installation, a fault may have developed in<br>the VHF radio itself.   |
|  |  | When contacting an authorized Thrane &<br>Thrane representative be sure to provide<br>as much information as possible<br>describing the observed behavior - also<br>including the type of the VHF radio, its<br>serial number, and software release<br>version (both found in the setup menu<br>Controller Setup). |
| WARNING:<br>POWER<br>SUPPLY<br>LOST<br>CONTACT | Power<br>supply<br>status<br>cannot be<br>monitored. | In Setup, Power Supply, set Monitor to<br>disabled.<br>You can only monitor the power supply if<br>the radio is powered by a SAILOR 6081<br>Power Supply Unit and Charger.   |

Table 4-1: Troubleshooting guide

## **4.3.1** Replacing the fuse in the power connector

One fuse is installed in the power connector. If the fuse is blown, do as follows:

- 1. Track down why the fuse was blown and solve the problem.
- 2. Take out the old fuse.
- 3. Insert the new fuse. The fuse rating is 10 A T.



Figure 4-1: Fuse in the power connector

### 4.3.2 Replacing the fuse in the SAILOR 6090 Power Converter

One fuse is installed in the SAILOR 6090 Power Converter. If the fuse is blown, do as follows:

- 1. Track down why the fuse was blown and solve the problem.
- 2. Take out the old fuse.
- 3. Insert the new fuse. The fuse rating is 10 A T.



Figure 4-2: Fuse in the SAILOR 6090 Power Converter

## **4.4** Warranty and returning units for repair

Should your Thrane & Thrane product fail, please contact your dealer or installer, or the nearest Thrane & Thrane partner. You will find the partner details on www.thrane.com where you also find the Thrane & Thrane Self Service Center webportal, which may help you solving the problem.

Your dealer, installer or Thrane & Thrane partner will assist you whether the need is user training, technical support, arranging on-site repair or sending the product for repair.

Your dealer, installer or Thrane & Thrane partner will also take care of any warranty issue.

### **4.4.1 Repacking for shipment**

Should you need to send the product for repair, please read the below information before packing the product.

The shipping carton has been carefully designed to protect the SAILOR 6248 VHF and its accessories during shipment. This carton and its associated packing material should be used when repacking for shipment. Attach a tag indicating the type of service required, return address, part number and full serial number. Mark the carton FRAGILE to ensure careful handling.

Note Correct shipment is the customer's own responsibility.

If the original shipping carton is not available, the following general instructions should be used for repacking with commercially available material.

- 1. Wrap the defective unit in heavy paper or plastic. Attach a tag indicating the type of service required, return address, part number and full serial number.
- 2. Use a strong shipping container, e.g. a double walled carton of 160 kg test material.
- 3. Protect the front- and rear panel with cardboard and insert a 7 cm to 10 cm layer of shock-absorbing material between all surfaces of the equipment and the sides of the container.
- 4. Seal the shipping container securely.
- 5. Mark the shipping container FRAGILE to ensure careful handling.

Failure to do so may invalidate the warranty.

## A.1 Transceiver unit SAILOR 6248 VHF

| Item                                     | Specification  |
|--|--|
| Weight SAILOR 6248 VHF                   | < 1.50 kg (3.3 lbs) approximately  |
| Box weight<br>SAILOR 6248 VHF            | 3.8 kg (8.4 lbs) approximately, including<br>SAILOR 6201 Handset and wall mount cradle,<br>SAILOR 6090 Power Converter and<br>Installation and user manual in box. |
| Dimensions                               | <b>Height:</b> Outer dimension 107 mm, hole height for flush mount 89 mm   |
|  | <b>Width</b> : Outer dimension 241 mm, hole width for flush mount 227 mm   |
|  | <b>Depth</b> : Outer dimension from front of knobs 132 mm, depth for flush mount 94 mm   |
| Operating temperature                    | -25°C to 55°C (5°F to 131°F)   |
| Storage temperature                      | -30°C to 80°C (-22°F to 176°F)   |
| Power supply                             | 12 VDC Nominal (10,8- 15,6 VDC)  |
| Current consumption                      | Max. 7 A   |
| Current consumption at                   | RX: 0.5 A  |
| 12 VDC without any accessories connected | TX: 5 A  |
| Current consumption at                   | RX: 0.7 A  |
| 12 VDC with all accessories connected    | TX: 7 A  |
| Frequency range                          | TX: 156,000 MHz – 157,425 MHz,<br>RX: 156,000 MHz – 163.425 MHz  |

Table A-1: Technical specifications, part 1

| Item                             | Specification   |  |
|----------------------------------|---|--|
| Channel spacing                  | 12.5 kHz and 25 kHz, all international maritime channels  |  |
| Number of P channels             | The radio may be programmed with up to<br>100 private channels that can be managed<br>in all channel modes. |  |
| Modulation<br>25 kHz<br>12.5 kHz | 16K0G3E<br>8K05G3E  |  |
| Antenna                          | 50 Ohm antenna, 50 Ohm female SO239 for<br>PL259 plug   |  |
| Water ingress                    | IPx8 and IPx6 all over. For flush-mount installations a sealing gasket is included in the delivery.         |  |
| Transmitter                      |   |  |
| Transmit power                   | Hi/Lo: 25 W and 1 W   |  |
| RF output power                  | High: 25 W +0 dB / - 1.5 dB   |  |
|                                  | Low: 1 W +0 dB / - 1.5 dB   |  |
| RF output power, Canada          | High: 21 W ±0.75 dB   |  |
|                                  | Low: 0.8 W ±0.75 dB   |  |
| Frequency error                  | Below 500 Hz  |  |
| Adjacent channel power           | Below 75 dB   |  |
| Conducted spurious emission      | Below 0.25 μW   |  |
| Distortion                       | Below 3%  |  |
| S/N ratio                        | Better than 46 dB   |  |
| Receiver                         |   |  |
| Sensitivity                      | < -119 dBm typically @ 20 dB SINAD CCITT<br>weighted  |  |
| LF power                         | Built-in loudspeaker: 6 W (at 5 kHz<br>dev./1 kHz tone)<br>External loudspeaker: 6 W / 8 Ohm                |  |
| Distortion                       | Below 5%  |  |

Table A-2: Technical specifications, part 2

| Item                           | Specification      |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| S/N ratio                      | Better than 43 dB  |
| Spurious emissions             | Below 2 nW         |
| Spurious response<br>rejection | More than 74 dB    |
| Intermodulation response       | More than 73 dB    |
| Co-channel rejection           | Better than -10 dB |
| Adjacent channel selectivity   | More than 74 dB    |
| Blocking level                 | More than 94 dBµV  |

Table A-2: Technical specifications, part 2 (Continued)

## A.2 SAILOR 6090 Power Converter 24–12 V

| Item                  | Description                                    |
|-----------------------|--|
| Weight                | 300 g  |
| Dimensions            | Height: 33 mm<br>Width: 190 mm<br>Depth: 85 mm |
| Operating temperature | -25°C to 55°C (5°F to 131°F)                   |
| Storage temperature   | -30°C to 80°C (-22°F to 176°F)                 |
| Input voltage         | 21-32 VDC                                      |
| Output voltage        | 12.5 VDC                                       |
| Output current (max.) | 8 A  |

Table A-3: Technical specifications, SAILOR 6090

#### **Declaration of conformity A.3**

The SAILOR 6248 VHF complies with the specifications of EC directive 1999/5/EC concerning Radio & Telecommunications Terminal Equipment, enclosed in electronic copy on the next page.



the protection of health and safety electromagnetic compatibility requirements Article 3(1)(b) effective use of the spectrum and avoidance of harmful interference Article 3(2)

Which is shown by conforming to EU harmonized standards EN 300 162-2 V1.2.1, EN 300 698-2 V1.2.1, EN 60945 ed. 4 EN 60950-1 ed. 2.

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# System configurations

This appendix lists selected examples of system configurations.

For an overview and specifications of the cables needed see *Cable requirements* on page B-23.



For installation of the connection boxes see *Connection box SAILOR 6207* on page 2-20 and *Connection box SAILOR 6208* on page 2-21.

## **B.1** System configuration examples

The following list shows system configurations, with additional handsets, alarm panels, connection boxes and cable information.

- 1. How to connect a DC Power Supply 6090
- 2. How to connect an AC Power Supply N163S
- 3. How to connect a DC Power Supply N420
- 4. How to install an additional SAILOR 6201, VDR, loudspeaker & AUX OC
- 5. How to install a SAILOR 6270 External Loudspeaker
- 6. How to install 2 extra SAILOR 6201 Handsets
- 7. How to install an extra SAILOR 6201 Handset in SAILOR 6207
- 8. How to install a SAILOR 6202 Hand Microphone and an extra SAILOR 6201
- 9. How to install a CAN bus and a SAILOR 6204 CSM close to the VHF
- 10. How to install a CAN bus with a SAILOR 6204 CSM not close to the VHF radio
- 11. How to install a CAN bus with a SAILOR 6204 CSM far from the VHF radio
- 12. How to install a CAN bus with 2 SAILOR 6204 close to the VHF
- 13. How to install a CAN bus and 2 SAILOR 6204 CSM far from the VHF
- 14. How to install a CAN bus with 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs close to each other
- 15. How to install a CAN bus with 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs close to VHF on a small bridge
- 16. How to install a CAN bus with 2 CSMs in bridge wings
- 17. How to install a CAN bus with 3 CSMs in bridge wings
- 18. How to install a CAN bus with 4 CSMs in bridge wings

19. How to install a CAN bus with 3 SAILOR 6204 CSMs20. How to install a CAN bus with 4 SAILOR 6204 CSMs21. How to install LAN

## **B.1.1** How to connect a DC Power Supply 6090



Figure B-1: System configuration, DC Power Supply 6090

## B.1.2 How to connect an AC Power Supply N163S



Figure B-2: System configuration, AC Power Supply N163S

## **B.1.3** How to connect a DC Power Supply N420



Figure B-3: System configuration, DC Power Supply N420



# B.1.4 How to install an additional SAILOR 6201, VDR, loudspeaker & AUX OC

Figure B-4: System configuration, SAILOR 6201, VDR, loudspeaker and AUX OC

## B.1.5 How to install a SAILOR 6270 External Loudspeaker



Figure B-5: System configuration, SAILOR 6270 External Loudspeaker



## B.1.6 How to install 2 extra SAILOR 6201 Handsets

Figure B-6: System configuration, 2 SAILOR 6201 Handsets

## B.1.7 How to install an extra SAILOR 6201 Handset in SAILOR 6207



Figure B-7: System configuration, extra SAILOR 6201 Handset in SAILOR 6207





Figure B-8: System configuration, SAILOR 6202 Hand Mic. and SAILOR 6201 Handset

## B.1.9 How to install a CAN bus and a SAILOR 6204 CSM close to the VHF



Figure B-9: System configuration, CAN bus, SAILOR 6204 CSM, close to the VHF radio

# B.1.10 How to install a CAN bus with a SAILOR 6204 CSM not close to the VHF radio



Figure B-10: System configuration, CAN bus, SAILOR 6204 CSM, not close to the VHF radio

# B.1.11 How to install a CAN bus with a SAILOR 6204 CSM far from the VHF radio



Figure B-11: System configuration, CAN bus, SAILOR 6204 CSM, far from the VHF radio

## B.1.12 How to install a CAN bus with 2 SAILOR 6204 close to the VHF



Figure B-12: System configuration, CAN bus, 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, close to VHF radio





Figure B-13: System configuration, CAN bus, 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, far from VHF radio

# B.1.14 How to install a CAN bus with 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs close to each other



Figure B-14: System configuration: CAN bus, 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, close to each other

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# B.1.15 How to install a CAN bus with 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs close to VHF on a small bridge



Figure B-15: System configuration: CAN bus, 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, close VHF, small bridge



## B.1.16 How to install a CAN bus with 2 CSMs in bridge wings

Figure B-16: System configuration: CAN bus, 2 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, in bridge wings

## **B.1.17** How to install a CAN bus with 3 CSMs in bridge wings



Figure B-17: System configuration: CAN bus, 3 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, in bridge wings



## B.1.18 How to install a CAN bus with 4 CSMs in bridge wings

Figure B-18: System configuration: CAN bus, 4 SAILOR 6204 CSMs, in bridge wings
## **B.1.19** How to install a CAN bus with 3 SAILOR 6204 CSMs



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Figure B-19: System configuration: CAN bus, 3 SAILOR 6204 CSMs

## B.1.20 How to install a CAN bus with 4 SAILOR 6204 CSMs



Figure B-20: System configuration: CAN bus, 4 SAILOR 6204 CSMs

## B.1.21 How to install LAN



Figure B-21: System configuration: Installation of LAN

# **B.2** Cable requirements

The following cable information relates to the cable numbers in the system configuration drawings on the previous pages.

| Cable | Part number       | Description  | Specification   | Remarks  |
|-------|-------------------|--|---|--|
| 1     |                   | Antenna cable  | RG124 or better   |  |
| 2     |                   | Handset cable  | 1 m, spiraled   | Part of handset  |
| 3     | TT-37-131344      | Power cable  | 1.5 m power cable   | Included in 406222A  |
| 4     | Not a T&T<br>part | 3-wire power cable,<br>shielded                            | Depends on length   | 24 VDC, 4 A  |
| 5     | 406209-941        | 5 m cable for SAILOR<br>6207 Connection Box                | 10-pole LTW cable with screen   | Included in Connection<br>Box 406207A  |
| 6     | 406209-940        | 5 m cable for bulk mount                                   | 10-pole LTW cable with screen   |  |
| 7     |                   |  | 2-pole screened cable   |  |
| 8     | 406208-941        | 5 m cable for Connection<br>Box SAILOR 6208                | 12-pole LTW cable with screen   | Included in Connection<br>Box 406208A  |
| 9     |                   |  | 2-pole screened cable<br>for loudspeaker  |  |
| 10    |                   | 0.3 m  | Earth connection  |  |
| 11    |                   | 3 m  | LAN, Ethernet cable   | Shielded   |
| 12    | 406204-940        | 5 m cable for SAILOR<br>6204 Control Speaker<br>Microphone | 12-pole LTW cable for CAN, with screen  | Extension cable with<br>LTW plugs in both ends   |
| 13    |                   | 3 m audio cable  | Test cable  |  |
| 14    |                   | 1.5 m power cable  |   |  |
| 15    |                   | Cable for SAILOR 6204<br>Control Speaker<br>Microphone     | 2.5 m, spiraled   | Part of handset  |
| 16    |                   | Cable for CAN  | Screened with twisted<br>pairs, length and size<br>see cable description<br>for <i>Cable 16</i> on page B-<br>29. | Extension cable for CAN<br>bus, see also under<br>cable description for<br><i>Cable 16</i> on page B-29. |

Table B-1: Cable overview

| Cable | Part number        | Description  | Specification   | Remarks                                     |
|-------|--------------------|--|---|---|
| 17    | 406204-940         | As cable (12). Plug for<br>CTRL is removed and<br>wires connected to<br>connection box | 12-pole LTW cable with screen   | Extension cable with<br>LTW bulk mount plug |
| 18    | Not a T&T<br>part. | Extension cable for<br>power supply. Length:<br>max. 5 m                               | 4 leads, screened wires<br>of 0.5 mm <sup>2</sup>   |   |
| 19    | Not a T&T<br>part  | Extension cable for<br>power supply for SAILOR<br>6204.                                | 4 leads, screened wires<br>of 4 mm <sup>2</sup> depending on<br>the current and/or<br>cable length. | See cable description.                      |

| Table | B-1: | Cable | overview  | (Continued) |
|-------|------|-------|-----------|-------------|
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#### Cable 1

Cable type: Coax cable RG 214 or better.

#### Cable 2 (Handset, cable included)

| SAILOR 6248 VHF Front<br>connector<br>LTW 10-pin, circular male | Signal<br>designation    | Signal description              |
|---|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Pin 1   | NC                       |                                 |
| Pin 2   | NC                       |                                 |
| Pin 3   | NC                       |                                 |
| Pin 4   | NC                       |                                 |
| Pin 5   | MIC+                     | Microphone signal               |
| Pin 6   | Earpiece                 | Earpiece signal                 |
| Pin 7   | Hook_PTT                 | Hook/PTT signal                 |
| Pin 8   | Battery+ (10.8-15.6 VDC) | Battery supply when radio is on |
| Pin 9   | Internal GND = -Battery  | Equipment ground                |
| Pin 10  | Internal GND = -Battery  | Equipment ground                |

Table B-2: Cable specifications for cable 2

#### Cable 3 (Power cable, included in 406222A)

Cable type: 3-wire cable.

| + VDC  | Red    |
|--------|--------|
| 0 VDC  | Blue   |
| ON/OFF | Yellow |

Table B-3: Cable specifications for cable 3

Note

External power supply input is galvanically isolated from equipment ground reference, i.e. chassis.

Equipment internal power supply reference (-) is at equipment ground reference, i.e. chassis.

#### Cable 4 (Power cable)

Cable type: 3-wire screened cable. Dimensions depend on the cable length.

#### Cable 5 (Cable for SAILOR 6207 Connection Box)

Cable type: 10-wire screened cable.

Part number: 406209-941

The cable screen must not touch any metal part of the connection box due to galvanic separation.

| SAILOR 6248<br>VHF<br>ACC connector<br>LTW 10-pin,<br>circular male | Signal<br>designation        | Cable pin<br>406209-941<br>(5 m) | SAILOR 6207<br>Connection<br>Box<br>In from VHF | SAILOR 6207<br>Connection<br>Box Ext.<br>connections | Signal description  |  |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| Pin 1   | NC                           | Brown                            | 1-1   | 2(3)-1   | Impedance: 600 Ohm. Max.  |  |
| Pin 2   | NC                           | Blue                             | 1-2   | 2(3)-2   | 2 mA at min. level of 2 V<br>(61162-1)                                  |  |
| Pin 3   | NC                           | White                            | 1-3   | 2(3)-3   | Impedance: 600 Ohm. Max.  |  |
| Pin 4   | NC                           | Green                            | 1-4   | 2(3)-4   | (61162-2)   |  |
| Pin 5   | MIC+                         | Yellow                           | 1-5   | 2(3)-5   | Microphone signal   |  |
| Pin 6   | Earpiece                     | Grey                             | 1-6   | 2(3)-6   | Earpiece signal   |  |
| Pin 7   | Hook_PTT                     | Pink                             | 1-7   | 2(3)-7   | Hook/PTT signal   |  |
| Pin 8   | Battery+ (10.8-<br>15.6 VDC) | Red                              | 1-8   | 2(3)-8   | Battery supply when radio is<br>on                                      |  |
| Pin 9   | Internal GND =<br>-Battery   | Black                            | 1-9   | 2(3)-9   | Equipment ground  |  |
| Pin 10  | Internal GND =<br>-Battery   | Orange - SCREEN<br>(Drain)       | 1-10  | 2(3)-10  | Equipment ground  |  |
|   | Cable screen                 |                                  | 1-11  | 2(3)-11  | Cable screen must not touch<br>any metal part of the<br>connection box. |  |
|   |                              |                                  | 1-12  | 2(3)-12  | Not in use.   |  |

Table B-4: Cable specifications for cable 5

#### Cable 6

Connection cable for bulkhead mount, 5 m.

Part number: 406209-940

Same pin configuration as cable 5.

#### Cable 7

2-wire screened cable. Not used.

#### Cable 8 (AUX)

Part number: 406208-941

| SAILOR 6248<br>VHF<br>AUX connector<br>LTW 12-pin,<br>circular male | Signal<br>designation | Cable pin<br>406208-<br>941<br>(5 m) | SAILOR 6208<br>Conn. Box<br>In from VHF | SAILOR<br>6208<br>Conn. Box<br>Out of box | SAILOR<br>6208<br>Conn. Box<br>Out of box | Signal description  | Ships cable<br>6 twisted pairs<br>overall screen |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|
| Pin 1   | Shield/GND            | Brown                                | ]1-1                                    | ]2-1                                      | ]3-1                                      | Equipment ground  | paired with no. 8                                |
| Pin 2   | Lo Power              | Blue                                 | ]1-2                                    | ]2-2                                      | ]3-2                                      | Low power forced control. Active when connected to ground   | paired with no. 3                                |
| Pin 3   | Not used              | White                                | ]1-3                                    | ]2-3                                      | ]3-3                                      | Impedance: 600 Ohm. Max.  | paired with no. 2                                |
| Pin 4   | Not used              | Green                                | ]1-4                                    | ]2-4                                      | ]3-4                                      | 2) 2) 2)  | paired with no. 7                                |
| Pin 5   | AUX                   | Yellow                               | ]1-5                                    | ]2-5                                      | ]3-5                                      | Open Collector output. Closing<br>on event predefined through<br>service programming <sup>a</sup> | paired with no. 6                                |
| Pin 6   | DSC Call              | Grey                                 | ]1-6                                    | ]2-6                                      | ]3-6                                      | Open Collector output. Closing<br>on incoming DSC call (see<br>footnote)                          | paired with no. 5                                |
| Pin 7   | DSC Alarm             | Pink                                 | ]1-7                                    | ]2-7                                      | ]3-7                                      | Open Collector output. Closing<br>on incoming DSC alert (see<br>footnote)                         | paired with no. 4                                |
| Pin 8   | Battery-              | Red                                  | ]1-8                                    | ]2-8                                      | ]3-8                                      | Battery GND   | paired with no. 1                                |
| Pin 9   | Ext. Speaker+         | Black                                | ]1-9                                    | ]2-9                                      | ]3-9                                      | VHF radio external speaker<br>output, nom. 6 W into 8 Ohm   | paired with no.<br>10                            |
| Pin 10  | Ext. Speaker+         | Orange                               | ]1-10                                   | ]2-10                                     | ]3-10                                     |   | paired with no. 9                                |
| Pin 11  | VDR+                  | Purple                               | ]1-11                                   | ]2-11                                     | ]3-11                                     | Mixed RX/TX audio output for recording. Galvanically isolated,                                    | paired with no.<br>12                            |
| Pin 12  | VDR-                  | Light green                          | ]1-12                                   | ]2-12                                     | ]3-12                                     | 600 Ohm   | paired with no.<br>11                            |

Table B-5: Cable specifications for cable 8 (AUX)

a. 24 VDC, max. 100 mA

#### CAN cable (Cable 8 - CTRL)

| SAILOR 6248<br>VHF<br>CTRL connector<br>LTW 12-pin,<br>circular male | Signal<br>designation | Cable pin<br>406208-<br>941<br>(5 m) | SAILOR 6208<br>Conn. Box<br>In from VHF | SAILOR<br>6208<br>Conn. Box<br>Out of box | SAILOR<br>6208<br>Conn. Box<br>Out of box | Signal description                               | Ships cable<br>6 twisted pairs<br>overall screen |
|--|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|
| Pin 1  | Shield/GND            | Brown                                | ]1-1                                    | ]2-1                                      | ]3-1                                      | Equipment ground                                 | paired with no. 8                                |
| Pin 2  | Battery-              | Blue                                 | ]1-2                                    | ]2-2                                      | ]3-2                                      | Battery -  | paired with no. 3                                |
| Pin 3  | Battery+              | White                                | ]1-3                                    | ]2-3                                      | ]3-3                                      | 10.8-15.6 VDC from VHF radio                     | paired with no. 2                                |
| Pin 4  | Battery+              | Green                                | ]1-4                                    | ]2-4                                      | ]3-4                                      | 10.8-15.6 VDC from VHF radio                     | paired with no. 7                                |
| Pin 5  | CAN_H                 | Yellow                               | ]1-5                                    | ]2-5                                      | ]3-5                                      | CAN bus data                                     | paired with no. 6                                |
| Pin 6  | CAN_L                 | Grey                                 | ]1-6                                    | ]2-6                                      | ]3-6                                      |  | paired with no. 5                                |
| Pin 7  | Battery-              | Pink                                 | ]1-7                                    | ]2-7                                      | ]3-7                                      | Battery -  | paired with no. 4                                |
| Pin 8  | ON/OFF from<br>CSM    | Red                                  | ]1-8                                    | ]2-8                                      | ]3-8                                      | ON/OFF signal from Control<br>Speaker Microphone | paired with no. 1                                |
| Pin 9  | RX+                   | Black                                | ]1-9                                    | ]2-9                                      | ]3-9                                      | RX telephony (out)                               | paired with no.<br>10                            |
| Pin 10   | RX-                   | Orange                               | ]1-10                                   | ]2-10                                     | ]3-10                                     |  | paired with no. 9                                |
| Pin 11   | TX+                   | Purple                               | ]1-11                                   | ]2-11                                     | ]3-11                                     | TX telephony (in)                                | paired with no.<br>12                            |
| Pin 12   | TX-                   | Light green                          | ]1-12                                   | ]2-12                                     | ]3-12                                     |  | paired with no.<br>11                            |

#### Part number: 406208-941

Table B-6: Cable specifications for cable 8 (CTRL)

#### Cable 11

LAN connection.

Ethernet cable with screen and RJ45 shielded plugs.

| Pin number | Pin function  | Wire color   |
|------------|---------------|--------------|
| 1          | Tx+           | white/orange |
| 2          | Tx-           | orange       |
| 3          | Rx+           | white/green  |
| 4          | Not connected | blue         |
| 5          | Not connected | white/blue   |
| 6          | Rx-           | green        |
| 7          | Not connected | white/brown  |
| 8          | Not connected | brown        |

Table B-7: Pin allocation, LAN connector

#### Cable 16

The CAN bus cable must be of a paired and twisted type designed for the purpose. The CAN bus cable can handle signals up to 100 m away from the VHF to further Control Speaker Microphones (CSM).

Only 1 CSM can be connected to the VHF with a CAN bus cable of max 100 m if the cable dimension is 0.5mm<sup>2</sup> of each cord. Other combinations with more CSMs must be calculated seriously before installing the cable. If more CSMs are connected, the CAN cable of 0.5mm<sup>2</sup> can handle the signals up to max. 100 m. The only restriction is the power supply for the connected CSMs.

The voltage drop along the cable increases with the length of the cable. Separate supply cables can be installed in parallel with the CAN cable to reduce voltage drop in long cables. The maximum allowed voltage drop from VHF to CSM is 2 VDC. It means 1 VDC forward and 1 VDC return.

Max current consumption for each CSM is 0.5A.

#### Formula to calculate DC resistance in a wire:

 $R = 0,017 \times L/a$ 

L = length of wire one way, in metre

a = cross section of the wire in  $mm^2$ 

Contact your local dealer for further information for correct installation.

#### Cable 17: CAN cable for bulk head installation.

Same cable as cable 12, but the plug is removed and the wires are connected to the connection box.

Same pin configuration as cable 8. See *Cable specifications for cable 8 (CTRL)* on page B-28.

#### Cable 18

Cable between the connection box and terminals to extend the power supply wires.

4 leads, screened wires of 0.5mm<sup>2</sup>. Supply for 6204 CSM for extended CAN BUS connections.

#### Cable 19

The voltage drop along the cable increases with the length of the cable. Separate supply cables can be installed in parallel with the CAN cable to reduce voltage drop in long cables. The maximum allowed voltage drop from VHF to CSM is 2 VDC. It means 1 VDC forward and 1 VDC return.

The maximum current consumption for each CSM is 0.5 A.

#### Formula to calculate DC resistance in a wire:

 $R = 0,017 \times L/a$ 

L = length of wire one way, in metre

a = cross section of the wire in  $mm^2$ 

For best EMC performance, place the supply cables in parallel with CAN cable

Contact your local dealer for further information for correct installation.

# Glossary

| Α    |   |
|------|---|
| ACC  | Accessories   |
| C    |   |
| CAN  | Controller-Area Network. A message based protocol designed to allow<br>microcontrollers and devices to communicate with each other within a vehicle<br>without a host computer.   |
| CTRL | Control   |
| L    |   |
| LAN  | Local Area Network  |
| LTW  | LTW Technology is a professional designer and manufacturer of waterproof connectors.  |
| V    |   |
| VDR  | Voyage Data Recorder, a data recording system designed for all vessels required to comply with the IMO's International Convention SOLAS Requirements in order to collect data from various sensors on board the vessel. |
| VHF  | Very High Frequency   |

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