# Operating Manual **Quattrino RE529**, two tone

We congratulate you on your new Pager from the RE529 family. You now have a device which dominates with its performance, equipment and operational safety. Despite the simple handling of the unit, we would recommend that you read through the operating manual thoroughly. We are sure that you will find a true and reliable companion in your pager.

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 Do not operate this product in hazardous atmosphere or explosion risk areas!

#### - Do not open device or remove labels!

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- 1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- 2) This device must accept any interference received, including
  - interference that may cause undesired operation.

#### - Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This Pager complies with the european directive R&TTE (99/05/EG) A copy of the declaration of conformity is to be found on our web site www.swissphone.com

### Introduction

The pager RE529 has a large number of operational functions. The delivered RE529 contains a selection of these functions as a basic setting. They are shown in the display, and can be activated by the user. If this selection does not meet your requirements, additional functions can be programmed as required with the programming device. You can find information about the type and scope of functions that can be programmed in the operating manual, or you can contact your supplier or SWISSPHONE directly.

### 1 Putting Into Operation

#### 1.1 Power Supply

This family of RE529 pagers is preferably operated using an environmentally friendly, rechargeable power source (batteries). These batteries are available in the AA (Mignon) size as NiCd, 600 mAh (nickel-cadmium from Sanyo) or NiMH 1000 mAh (metal nickel hydride from Varta or Furukuwa), and can be recharged by various types of recharging units. As an alternative, the RE529 can be powered from dry batteries. In this case, only high quality dry batteries intended for professional use should be used (e.g., UCAR, Duracell, Varta etc.)

### 1.2 Inserting the Battery

To insert the battery, proceed as follows:

- 1) Open the battery compartment by pressing down the tongue in the rear panel and pulling out the battery cover sideways. If necessary, use a coin as a tool.
- 2) When inserting the battery, please observe the correct polarity and the marking of the cells. Insert the supply source with the minus pole (-) leading, so that the spiral spring is slightly compressed, and then simply lay the battery into the battery compartment.
- 3) Replace the battery cover and push it in until the tongue latches into the rear panel of the housing.

### 1.3 Automatic Switch-On

After inserting the battery in the battery compartment, an electrical connection is made, and the unit switches on automatically. A self-test of the signal generator, the LED, the display and the vibrator is started, and is completed by a control sound (beep).

The receiver is switched on and its operational status can be read from the display. The battery status indicator shows the approximate energy level of the power source.

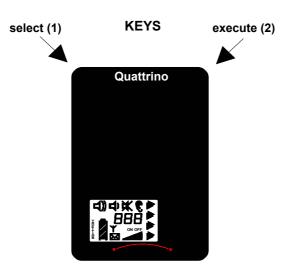
If a self test does not take place, check the polarity of the power source, or place the pager into a charger. Various charging units are available (LG 300/429, LGA 300/429, LGRA 300/429 etc.).

### 1.4 Switching Off

This takes place by simultaneously pressing the keys SELECT(1) and EXECUTE(2) for about 4 seconds. In the display the frame of the battery symbol blinks, and finally the symbol disappears from the display, and the pager is switched off.

### 1.5 Switching On / Keys

If the unit is switched off, you can switch on the pager operation by **simultaneously** pressing both operating keys SELECT(1) and EXECUTE(2).



As a rule, a self-test takes place every time the unit is switched on, and briefly displays the following check pattern.

- 1) Display of the programmed operational functions by symbols in the display and sequential display of enabled addresses.
- 2) Control beeps
- 3) The LED lights up
- 4) Short-term vibration

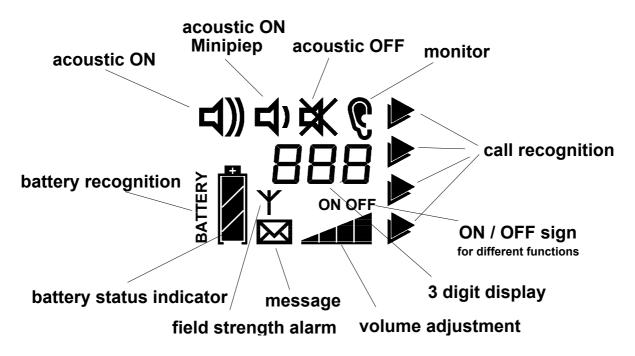
### 1.6 Selecting the Operating Status

The operation of the unit is very simple and ergonomic, and is designed for a high level of operational security. The keys are located in the upper left and right corners of the unit. The left-hand key (1) is SELECT, and the right-hand key is EXECUTE.

With the left-hand key (1), you can select the desired operational symbol. The symbol begins to blink. Using the right-hand key, the desired operational function can be acknowledged, and the symbol ceases to blink in the display. The sequence takes place depending upon how the symbol selection has been defined in the programming. Only those symbols will be sequentially displayed which have been enabled in the programming.

After a call was found valid, the speaker is switched on to monitor the air traffic. Pressing any key will just mute the pager. In case of a memo pager, voice recording will continue. If a squelch follow up time was defined, the pager stays on loud until that time is expired.

### 2 The complete LC Display of your unit



### 2.1 Acoustic ON

Incoming calls will be signalled simultaneously with a call signal and a vibration. In addition, the light display blinks in the upper left corner. Following these signals, you will hear the spoken announcement via the loudspeaker.

### 2.2 Mini-Beep



Incoming calls are indicated by the vibrator, and then with short beep tones. The LED in the upper left corner also blinks. Finally, following these signals, you will hear the spoken announcement.

### 2.3 Acoustic OFF

Incoming calls are signalled only by the vibrator. There is no acoustic alarm, and no spoken announcement is heard.

### 2.4 Monitor



In this operational mode, you can hear everything that is spoken over the set radio channel. Calls addressed to you will be signalled "acoustically". If you wish to switch off the continuous monitoring / listening operation, select one of the acoustic symbols with key (1), and confirm this with key (2). Memo pagers with the voice memory will record the spoken message when the programming of the voice memory has been assigned to the appropriate address and the alarm type has been set to "Voice" or "Tone and Voice" status.

In monitor mode, spoken message will only be recorded, when the proper address has been activated (see profiles). Memo pagers have a total recording time of 240 sec which can be set to portions of 20, 30, 40 or 60 sec. Due to the programming, these portions can be assigned in a fix or dynamic mode.



# 2.5 Volume

The announcement volume can be adjusted to 4 levels. (The volume of the call signal, however, is unaffected). With key (1), select the volume symbol. Using key (2), you can now select the desired levels 1, 2, 3 or 4, which you can then acknowledge with key (1). Level 1 is the quietest level, and level 4 the loudest. Level 3 corresponds to the nominal volume.

### 2.6 Field Strength Alarm

To use this function, your radio networks needs to transmit "cyclical transmission sensing".

This symbol appears as soon as you are no longer within the reception range. In addition, a short term, acoustic beep signal sounds at regular intervals (depending upon the acoustic setting, this could possibly only be a vibration signal).

You have the possibility of switching the field strength alarm off. Select the menu symbol Field Strength using key (1). The symbol starts to blink. Now acknowledge the Field Strength Alarm OFF by pressing key (2). The field strength symbol is no longer visible. By incorrect reception, the field strength alarm will only be indicated optically in the display. The acoustic field strength alarm can be switched on again in the same way. After confirmation (1), the field strength symbol remains visible for about 8 seconds, and then disappears if the field strength is sufficient.

## 2.7 Address Display, Profiles

This 3 digit display serves as an address display. These free programmable characters can be assigned to the maximum of 16 addresses of the pager. They will appear during the alerting of the proper address and during retrieving of the proper call. They also show the active profile's name (if programmed).

### 2.8 Choosing Profiles

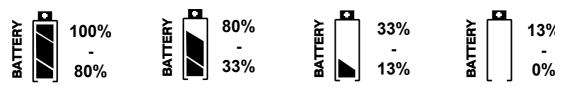
Your programming may have defined up to 9 profiles. Depending on your situation, you may like to switch between profiles (e. g. when going on/off duty).

Push the select button (1) until the three digit display flashes "**P3E**". Then enter the Profile Setting with the execute button. The first number flashes "**P3E**". It is the number of the activated profile. You may like to change that number by pushing the execute button. If the wanted number is shown, the select button takes you to the flashing "E" - an extra profile you may like to switch on or off "P3E". Choose by clicking the execute button (2). Then exit the profile settings with the select button (1).

### 2.9 Message (Memo only)

After the selection of this symbol with the select button, you can retrieve all current stored voice messages. The execution key (2) skips to the next message. The name of the appropriate call can be read in the three digit display (if programmed that way). To abort the retrieving, just press the select key (1).

### 2.10 Battery Status Indicator



When the pager is switched on, the battery symbol is permanently visible in the display, and shows the energy level at all times. If the energy source is completely exhausted, the empty battery symbol blinks continuously. If the acoustics are switched on, a regular click tone is heard simultaneously. An operational time of 3 - 5 hours is still available.

### 2.11 Dry Cell / Rechargeable Battery

After a new energy source has been installed, the pager always knows whether this is an rechargeable battery or a dry cell. The switch-on procedure with a self-test is only executed if the voltage is greater than 1.24 V. The information whether a dry cell or rechargeable battery has been loaded is then stored in the pager. For rechargeable operation, only the battery symbol appears in the LCD display. If a dry cell is recognised, the text "BATTERY" appears next to the battery symbol. **Note:** 

If the newly inserted energy source (dry or rechargeable) is only slightly charged, the pager is not able to recognise immediately whether it is a battery or an accumulator. For this reason, it is first assumed that the inserted energy source is an accumulator, and the charging current is switched on. Immediately afterwards, the voltage of the energy source is measured and monitored. With a supply voltage of 1.24 V, the switch-on test takes place, and the pager recognises either a dry cell or an rechargeable battery. The pager then stores this information. If an accumulator has been inserted the recharging continues. In case of a inserted battery, recharging is aborted.

### 2.12 New Message

Incoming calls can be signalled via the loudspeaker and the vibrator together, depending on the operational mode. In addition to the complete alerting, you can listen directly to the incoming spoken announcement. A memo pager starts to record immediately. The 3 digit display and the address arrow show you at first glance which call was received. If calls are not acknowledged, a call reminding beep occurs in the pre programmed time intervals and the LED flashes. If you want to confirm the alarm, you press the execution button (2). The LED stops flashing and the speaker turns silent.

### 2.13 Call Signalling

Each of the 16 call addresses can have it's own distinguishing signal pattern. You can define the pattern yourself through the programming software, and it can last up to a maximum of 30 seconds.

### 2.14 Call Retrieving / Deletion

Briefly press the execute key (2), and the address arrow of the last message received will begin to flash for about 3 seconds. Simultaneously, the LED in the upper left corner flashes and the appropriate address is shown in the display. A memo pager will also play the recorded message. To delete the alert, press key (2) while the LED is flashing. The last received but already deleted alert remains stored in the background, the address arrow and the address display can still be called up with key (2), until you switch off the unit.

You may abort the call retrieving function anytime by pressing the selection button (1)

### 3 General

### 3.1 Battery Life - Week Battery

Battery life generally exceeds 75 - 120 hours depending on the operational mode programmed and the battery used. A low battery / accumulator is recognisable by the empty battery symbol, and should be replaced / recharged as soon as possible.

Note: Please use the batteries recommended by the supplier only.

### 3.2 Illumination

A background illumination for the LCD, which is switched on with every key switch, enables you to read the operational status of your unit in the dark.

### 3.3 Accessories

For the connection of various additional units, e.g. output to a PC, printer, or for battery charging. a) LG300/429 intelligent charging unit

b) LGA300/429 intelligent charging unit with aerial connection

c) LGRA300/429 intelligent charging unit with aerial connection and relay output

d) PGM300/425 Programming unit

### 3.4 Customer Service

You have purchased a high-quality product. If there should be a problem in it's operation, despite following these instructions, please contact your local dealer or return it to us in the original packaging.

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