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About the KVL 4000 Key Variable Loader ASTRO 25 User Guide

This manual provides step-by-step instructions for using the Key Variable Loader (KVL) to create and store encryption keys, and then load them into other Motorola secure equipment, such as radios, fixed encryption units, digital interface units (DIUs), and others.

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This manual consists of the following chapters:

- Chapter 1 KVL 4000 Introduction
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1 KVL 4000 – Introduction

1.1 MC55A0 PDA Reference

See the MC55 Enterprise Digital Assistant User Guide (72E-108859) (available at http://www.motorola.com/enterprisemobility/manuals) for the following information:

- Inserting/replacing the battery
- Charging the battery (Security Adapter disconnected)
- Changing the power settings (setting the timeout for turning off the display to conserve battery power)



Set up the PDA so that it turns itself off when it is not in use to preserve the KVL 4000 battery life.

- Changing the backlight settings:
 - Setting the display backlight time-out
 - Adjusting brightness
- Setting date and time for timestamping logs
- Turning KVL sounds on/off
- Troubleshooting the MC55
- MC55 performance specifications

1.2 Overview of the KVL 4000

The KVL 4000 Key Variable Loader is a portable, handheld, rugged device whose most basic function is to transfer encryption keys to a target device. Encryption keys can be entered manually by the KVL user, auto-generated by the KVL, obtained from or shared with another KVL, or downloaded from a Key Management Facility (KMF). Keys can be transferred to secure mobile and portable radios, infrastructure devices, and system test equipment.

The KVL 4000 provides a User Interface for entering encryption keys, downloading them from an external source, and transferring them to target devices. It also provides internal processing and memory for secure key storage, as well as interfaces for data communication.

1.2.1 KVL 4000 Components

The KVL 4000 consists of the two main components:

- Personal Digital Assistant (PDA)
- · Security Adapter



Figure 1-1 KVL 4000 Key Variable Loader

1.2.1.1 Personal Digital Assistant

The Personal Digital Assistant (PDA) is the host component of the KVL 4000, responsible for controlling all operations of the device. It is a Motorola rugged handheld computer operating Windows Mobile 6.5. The PDA model used as part of the KVL 4000 is MC55A0.

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Figure 1-2 Personal Digital Assistant (PDA)

Table 1-1 PDA Controls and Ports Used in the KVL Operation

Callout Number	Item	Description
1	Charging/Battery Status LED	Blinks when the battery is charging; solid when the battery is charged.
2	Touch screen	Navigate through the UI by tapping or dragging items on the screen.
3	Volume Up Key	Press to turn the volume of the KVL sounds up.
4	Volume Down Key	Press to turn the volume of the KVL sounds down.
5	Action Button	You can use it instead of your finger to initiate an action.
6	End Key	Press to return to the KVL main screen.
7	Side Up Navigation Key	You can use it instead of your finger to scroll up a list.
8	Side Down Navigation Key	You can use it instead of your finger to scroll down a list.
9	Backspace Key	Press to delete digits entered with the PDA keypad.

Table 1-1 PDA Controls and Ports Used in the KVL Operation (cont'd.)

Callout Number	Item	Description
10	Shift Key	Press twice to access and lock capital letters.
11	PDA Keypad	Use it for all cases when alphanumeric text entry is required.
12	Orange Key	Press twice to access and lock the secondary layer of characters.
13	Power Button	Press to power on or suspend the KVL; press and hold for 5 seconds to reboot.
14	I/O Connector	Use to connect the PDA to the Security Adapter or to a PC through the USB Programming Cable.
15	Stylus	You can use it instead of your finger to tap and drag items on the screen.



For more information on the PDA, see the MC55 Enterprise Digital Assistant User Guide (72E-108859) (available at http://www.motorola.com/enterprisemobility/manuals).

1.2.1.2 Security Adapter

The Security Adapter is an integral component of the KVL 4000, providing secure storage of encryption keys, cryptographic operations, and port access for the KVL 4000.



Always make sure to exit the KVL application on the PDA before disconnecting the Security Adapter. Otherwise, you may lose any unsaved work or cause data corruption.

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Figure 1-3 Security Adapter



Table 1-2 Security Adapter Ports and Interfaces

Callout Number	Item	Description
1	Key load Port	Serves as the interface to all target devices for key loading and upgrade operations.
2	Tricolored LED	Serves as the diagnostic status indicator for the KVL. The available states are:
		 Momentary Red – before security adapter self tests
		 Fast Flashing Amber – during security adapter self tests (power up)
		 Solid Green – after successful security adapter self tests
		• Solid Red – fatal error / hardware failure
3	Charging Port	Connect the charger to charge the PDA battery.

Table 1-2 Security Adapter Ports and Interfaces (cont'd.)

Callout Number	Item	Description
4	DB9 Port (RS-232)	Serves as the interface to:
		• a PC for transferring log records
		• a radio for Tactical OTAR key management
		• a mobile radio's Remote Control Head
		• a KMF (serial modem connection)
		• a KMF (direct connection)
5	USB Port	Serves as the interface to all expansion adapters used by the KVL, such as a USB modem for KMF communication.
6	Locking Tabs	Attach the Security Adapter to the PDA and slide the two locking tabs up until they both lock into position.
7	PDA Interface Port	Serves as the interface to any attached host (the primary host for the Security Adapter is the PDA).

1.2.2 KVL 4000 Key Features

The KVL 4000 offers the following features:

- · Manual and automatic generation of encryption keys
- Password protection (Administrator and Operator security levels)
- Secure storage of encryption keys
- · Configuration of system- and user-specific settings
- Support of the KVL and Crypto Module upgrades
- Support of the following encryption algorithms:
 - ADP
 - AES-256
 - DES-XL
 - DES-OFB
 - DVI-XL
 - DVP-XL
- Key Management Support for the following encryption protocols:
 - 9.6 kbps Secure ASTRO® (VSELP Vocoder)
 - 9.6 kbps Secure APCO Project 25 (IMBE Vocoder)
- Support of the following encryption standards:
 - FIPS 46-3
 - FIPS 140-2

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- FIPS 197
- USB, DB9 (RS-232), and key load ports
- · Support of modem connectivity
- Sharing encryption keys between two KVLs
- · Maintenance of log records of KVL activities
- · Transferring keys from a Key Management Facility (KMF) using the Store and Forward feature
- · Keyset changeover on a target radio



The KVL supports any combination of algorithms.



ADP does not support the following features related to OTAR:

- · Store & Forward
- · KEK Key loading
- · Tactical OTAR
- · Remote Control Head key loading

1.2.3 KVL 4000 Sounds

Table 1-3 Sounds Played by the KVL 4000

Sound name	Description
attention	Played for any case when your attention is needed.
bad bonk	Played when you enter an invalid digit when entering a value.
completed	Played when an action or a process (such as loading keys) is completed.
connected	Played when you connect an external device (such as a radio) to the KVL.



For information on how to turn the sounds on or off, see the *MC55 Enterprise Digital Assistant User Guide* (72E-108859) (available at http://www.motorola.com/enterprisemobility/manuals).

1.2.4 Using the KVL 4000

Secure communications systems are designed to provide coded (encrypted) voice and data signals between some or all links in the system (including RF links and network links). In order to do this, each device, such as a radio or fixed encryption unit, is loaded with a multi-digit encryption variable (a key). This key is used by the encryption algorithm, such as AES-256 or DES-XL, built into the device to mathematically encrypt all transmitted voice and data signals, and decode all encrypted received voice and data signals.

Only devices in the system with the same algorithm and encryption key can decode the encrypted signal and carry on communications with each other. Talkgroups can therefore be created by controlling the assignment of encryption keys to specific groups of radios.

1.2.4.1 Types of Encryption Keys

The KVL stores two basic types of encryption keys:

- Traffic Encryption Keys (TEK) Used by subscriber units to encrypt/decrypt voice and data communications.
- **Key Encryption Keys (KEK)** Used by the KVL to provide an additional level of encryption to the encryption keys when transferring keys directly to the KMF or over the air to secure subscriber devices.

Both types of keys are stored in the KVL memory in an encrypted format and are protected from tampering.

1.2.4.2 Entering and Loading Keys – Overview

Encryption keys are entered into the KVL memory locations (slots). The keys may then be transferred (loaded) to a target device, such as a secure radio.

A two-step process is required for most encryption keys:

- Create (enter) the multi-digit encryption key into the KVL memory. See 3.1 Entering Encryption Keys, page 3-1.
- Connect the KVL to a target device, such as a radio, and transfer the key to the target device. See 1.4.4
 Connecting the KVL to Target Devices, page 1-13 and Chapter 4 KVL 4000 Loading Encryption Keys into Target Devices.

1.3 KVL 4000 User Interface

You navigate through the KVL User Interface and perform operations by:

- · Selecting list items, buttons, and tabs
- · Entering data
- · Dragging sliders
- Scrolling through lists

You can navigate through the KVL UI using your finger. Alternatively, you can use the stylus attached to the side of the PDA, or press hard controls on the PDA.

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Figure 1-4 KVL 4000 Main Screen



1.4 KVL 4000 – Getting Started

1.4.1 Applying Enhanced Security Settings Through the KVL Software Installation Wizard

Prerequisites:

- Ensure that you have the USB Programming Cable.
- For Windows XP, ensure that Microsoft ActiveSync is installed on your PC.
- For Windows Vista and Windows 7, ensure that Microsoft Windows Mobile Device Center is installed on your PC.

When and where to use:

By default, the KVL uses Transparent Security Settings. If required by your organization's policies, follow this procedure to apply Enhanced Security Settings.



Applying Enhanced Security Settings causes the KVL to:

- prevent installation and launching of any unsigned applications
- disable the use of wireless modem (Bluetooth and WiFi are disabled)
- require you to set a password on the Operating System

- 1 If the KVL Application software is running, exit or log out of the KVL.
- 2 Disconnect the Security Adapter from the PDA.
- 3 Connect the PDA to a PC using the USB Programming Cable.

Figure 1-5 PDA and PC - Connected



Step result: For Windows XP, the ActiveSync application starts. For Windows Vista and Windows 7, the Windows Mobile Device Center starts.



If ActiveSync or Windows Mobile Device Center do not start automatically, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the USB Client or USB OTG mode.

- Insert the CD provided by Motorola and run the Setup.exe file to start the KVL Software Installation Wizard.

 Step result: The End User License Agreement screen appears.
- 5 Click Accept.

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In the window that appears, select the check box next to **Your device is using Transparent Security Settings (default)**, and click **Next**. The Enhanced Security Settings will be applied after the KVL application reinstallation/upgrade.



During the process, the PDA may restart several times.

Step result: When the process is completed, a message appears, asking you to configure your device according to the security policy.

- 7 Check your PDA screen and follow the instructions to renew your password settings.
- 8 When you have entered and confirmed the password on your PDA, click OK on the message on your PC.
 Step result: The Enhanced Security Settings are applied successfully.
- 9 Click Next → Exit to close the KVL Software Installation Wizard.
- 10 Disconnect the USB Programming Cable from the PDA.
- 11 Connect the Security Adapter to the PDA.



If the Security Adapter is not detected automatically, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the USB Host or USB OTG mode.

1.4.2 Applying Transparent Security Settings Through the KVL Software Installation Wizard

Prerequisites:

- Ensure that you have the USB Programming Cable.
- For Windows XP, ensure that Microsoft ActiveSync is installed on your PC.
- For Windows Vista and Windows 7, ensure that Microsoft Windows Mobile Device Center is installed on your PC.

Procedure Steps

- 1 If the KVL Application software is running, exit or log out of the KVL.
- 2 Disconnect the Security Adapter from the PDA.

3 Connect the PDA to a PC using the USB Programming Cable.

Step result: For Windows XP, the ActiveSync application starts. For Windows Vista and Windows 7, the Windows Mobile Device Center starts.



If ActiveSync or Windows Mobile Device Center do not start automatically, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the USB Client or USB OTG mode.

- Insert the CD provided by Motorola and run the Setup.exe file to start the KVL Software Installation Wizard.

 Step result: The End User License Agreement screen appears.
- 5 Click Accept.
- In the window that appears, clear the check box next to **Your device is using Enhanced Security Settings**, and click **Next**. The Transparent Security Settings will be applied after the KVL application reinstallation/upgrade.



During the installation process, the PDA may restart several times.

- 7 When the process is completed, click $Next \rightarrow Exit$ to close the KVL Software Installation Wizard.
 - **Step result:** The Transparent Security Settings are applied successfully.
- 8 Disconnect the USB Programming Cable from the PDA.
- 9 Connect the Security Adapter to the PDA.



If the Security Adapter is not detected automatically, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the **USB Host** or **USB OTG** mode.

1.4.3 Connecting the PDA and the Security Adapter

Procedure Steps

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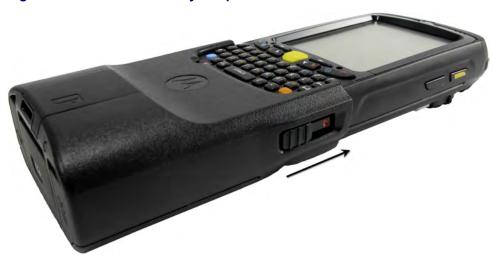
1 Connect the PDA and the Security Adapter.

Figure 1-6 PDA and Security Adapter - Connecting



To secure the Adapter, slide the locking tabs up fully until a click is felt indicating they are in the locked position. If either slide is not in the locked position, an orange dot is visible.

Figure 1-7 PDA and Security Adapter - Connected



3 If the Security Adapter is not detected automatically after powering on the PDA, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the USB Host or USB OTG mode.

1.4.4 Connecting the KVL to Target Devices

1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device

You can load encryption keys into the following devices:

• Secure ASTRO® 25 Single Key Target Radio

- Secure ASTRO® 25 Multiple Key Target Radio
- Another KVL unit (see 1.4.4.2 Connecting Two KVL Units, page 1-16)
- Radio Network Controller (RNC)
- Digital Interface Unit (DIU)
- Motorola Gold Elite Gateway (MGEG)
- MCC 7500 Dispatch Console
- PDEG Encryption Unit
- CAI Data Encryption Module (CDEM)
- Key Management Facility (KMF) (see 1.4.4.3 Connecting the KVL to the KMF, page 1-16)
- KMF CryptR
- CRYPTR micro (used with MCC 7100 IP Dispatch Console and AME 1500/2000) (see 1.4.4.4 Connecting the KVL to the CRYPTR micro, page 1-21)

- For information on what cables/adaptors to use with particular target devices, see Table B-5 Interface Cables in B KVL 4000 Orderable Parts, page B-1.
- 2 Connect the KVL and the Target Device using an appropriate key load cable and an adaptor (if required).

Figure 1-8 KVL and Radios – Connected (Example)



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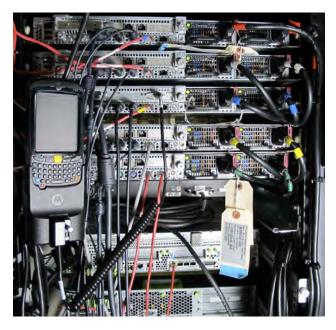


Figure 1-10 KVL and MGEG – Connected (Example)



1.4.4.2 Connecting Two KVL Units

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have the KVL to KVL cable.

Procedure Steps

- 1 Take the KVL to KVL cable (TKN8209).
- 2 Connect two KVLs through their key load ports.

Figure 1-11 Two KVL Units – Connected





The KVL 4000 is also compatible with the previous models of the KVL.

1.4.4.3 Connecting the KVL to the KMF

1.4.4.3.1 Connecting the KVL to the KMF - Direct Connection

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have a Null Modem Cable.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to directly connect the KVL to the KMF.

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- 1 Take a Null Modem Cable.
- 2 Connect the KVL to the KMF through the DB9 Port (RS-232).



Depending on the cable type, you may need to use a DB9 Gender Changer.

Figure 1-12 KVL and KMF - Direct Connection



1.4.4.3.2 Connecting the KVL to the USB Modem for the KMF Communication

Prerequisites:

Ensure that:

- You have the power supply.
- You have the USB modem.

1 Connect the power supply to the KVL.



It is recommended that you keep the power supply connected to the KVL during the operation.

2 Connect the KVL to the USB modem.



Use the MultiMobile™ USB modem.

Figure 1-13 KVL and USB Modem - Connected



3 Connect the USB modem to the telephone line.

1.4.4.3.3 Connecting the KVL to the Serial Modem for the KMF Communication

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- · serial modem
- · serial cable

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- 1 Take a serial cable (CKN6324).
- 2 Connect the KVL to the serial modem through the KVL DB9 (RS-232) Port.

Figure 1-14 KVL and Serial Modem – Connected (Example)





Since the KVL 4000 has no flow control, you need to configure any attached external modem to:

- Override the modem's Data Terminal Ready signal.
- Turn off the echo of offline commands.

1.4.4.3.4 Connecting the KVL to the Network for the KMF Communication

Prerequisites:

Ensure that you have:

- USB to Ethernet Adapter
- MINI-B to Type-A USB Cable
- · Ethernet cable

Procedure Steps

1 Connect the KVL to the power supply.



It is recommended that you keep the power supply connected to the KVL during the operation.

2 Connect the USB to Ethernet Adapter to the USB Port on the KVL using the MINI-B to Type-A USB Cable.



Use the CradlePoint Technology® Ethernet adapter.

3 Connect the USB to Ethernet Adapter to the network, using the Ethernet cable.

Figure 1-15 KVL and USB to Ethernet Adapter - Connected



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1.4.4.4 Connecting the KVL to the CRYPTR micro

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have the CRYPTR micro key load cable.

Procedure Steps

- 1 Connect the CRYPTR micro key load cable to the key load port on the KVL.
- 2 Insert the CRYPTR micro into the Cable Connector.

Figure 1-16 CRYPTR micro and KVL - Connected



1.4.5 Charging the KVL 4000

Prerequisites:

Ensure that you have:

- · Power Supply
- AC Line Cord (See B KVL 4000 Orderable Parts, page B-1 for the list of compatible AC Line Cords.)

- 1 Connect one end of the AC Line Cord to the power source.
- 2 Connect the other end of the AC Line Cord to the power supply.
- 3 Connect the power supply to the KVL through the Charging Port on the Security Adapter.

Step result: The KVL starts charging. The middle LED on the PDA is blinking to indicate the KVL is being charged. Once the device is fully charged, the LED becomes solid.

Figure 1-17 KVL 4000 - Charging



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1.4.6 Launching the KVL Application

Procedure Steps

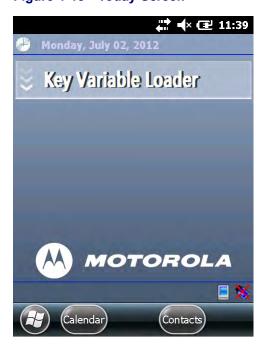
1 If the device is not already powered on, press the **Power** button on the PDA.



If you reboot the device, the KVL application launches automatically.

Step result: The KVL powers on and the Today screen appears.

Figure 1-18 Today Screen



2 Tap the **Key Variable Loader** button.



If the PDA and the Security Adapter are not compatible, a notification appears.

Step result: If there are no passwords defined for your KVL, the KVL application launches and the KVL main screen appears. Otherwise, the **Welcome** screen appears.

Figure 1-19 Welcome Screen



- To change the user level, tap **User** (the current user level is presented). The available values are **Operator** and **Administrator**.
- To exit the KVL application, tap Exit.



If you launch the KVL first time after reinstalling/upgrading the KVL application, upgrading Security Adapter software, or applying Security Settings on the KVL, the End User License Agreement screen appears. To continue, select **Accept** >.

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3 In the Password field, type your password using the keypad and tap Log In >.
Step result: The KVL main screen appears.



If you log on as an Administrator and there are upgrades available for the Security Adapter or a target device, the **Upgrades available** screen appears. For more information on upgrades, see the *KVL 4000 FLASHPort Upgrade User Guide*.



If you log on as an Operator and enter an incorrect password 3 times, your account is locked. Wait 15 minutes to try again, or contact an Administrator to unlock your account (see 12.3 Unlocking the Operator Account, page 12-5).

1.4.7 Exiting the KVL Application

When and where to use:

Use these steps to exit the KVL application.



To avoid unnecessary drain on the battery, always exit the KVL application before turning off the unit with the **Power** button.

Procedure Steps

1 Navigate to the KVL main screen.



You can do it by pressing the End Key on the PDA (see 1.2.1.1 Personal Digital Assistant, page 1-2).

2 Tap Exit.



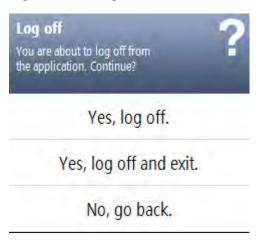
If you have passwords defined for your KVL, the button says Log Off instead.

Step result: Depending on whether you have passwords defined or not, the Exit or the Log off screen appears.

Figure 1-20 Exit Screen



Figure 1-21 Log Off Screen



3 Select Yes, exit or Yes, log off and exit.

Step result: You exit the application and the Today screen appears.

1.4.8 Configuring VPN Settings

The KVL can use an Ethernet connection to communicate with the KMF. If applicable, you can establish this connection within your organization's trusted network, or you can use the VPN client provided by Motorola. To be able to use the VPN client, configure the VPN settings on the PDA.

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There are configuration profiles for two scenarios:

- When the KVL is directly connected to the Firewall (see 1.4.8.1 Configuring VPN Settings KVL Directly Connected to the Firewall, page 1-27).
- When the KVL is connected to the Firewall through a network (see 1.4.8.2 Configuring VPN Settings KVL Connected to the Firewall Through a Network, page 1-35).



It is recommended that you create both profiles.

1.4.8.1 Configuring VPN Settings - KVL Directly Connected to the Firewall

Prerequisites:

- · Obtain the VPN gateway IP address from the system administrator.
- For Windows XP, ensure that Microsoft ActiveSync is installed on your PC.
- For Windows Vista and Windows 7, ensure that Microsoft Windows Mobile Device Center is installed on your PC.
- Ensure that NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM is installed on your PC. NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM is available at http://www.ncp-e.com/en/downloads/software.html.
- Ensure that you have the USB Programming Cable.

When and where to use:

If you are going to establish the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola, use these steps to create a configuration profile for a scenario when the KVL is going to be directly connected to the Firewall.

Procedure Steps

1 On the desktop, select $Start \rightarrow Programs \rightarrow NCP$ Secure Client $\rightarrow NCP$ Entry Configuration Manager WM.

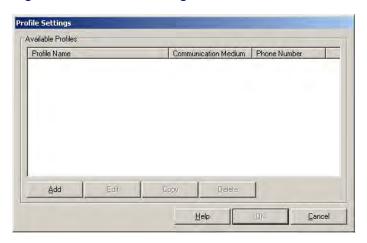
Step result: The NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM launches.

Figure 1-22 NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM Window



2 On the NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM window, select Configuration → Profile Settings. Step result: The Profile Settings window appears.

Figure 1-23 Profile Settings Window

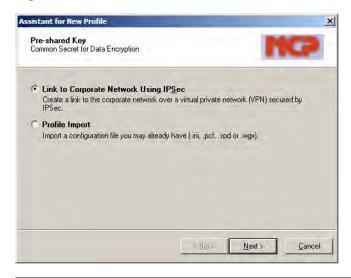


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3 On the Profile Settings window, click Add.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Pre-shared Key window appears.

Figure 1-24 Assistant for New Profile - Pre-shared Key Window



4 Select Link to Corporate Network Using IPSec, and click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Connection Name window appears.

Figure 1-25 Assistant for New Profile – Connection Name Window



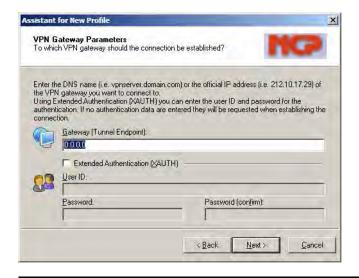
5 In the Name of the connection field, type KVL4000 at Firewall, and click Next.
Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Communication Medium window appears.

Figure 1-26 Assistant for New Profile – Communication Medium Window



6 From the Communication Media drop-down list, select **LAN (over IP)**, and then click **Next**. **Step result:** The Assistant for New Profile – VPN Gateway Parameters window appears.

Figure 1-27 Assistant for New Profile - VPN Gateway Parameters Window



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- 7 On the VPN Gateway Parameters window, perform the following actions:
 - a. In the Gateway (Tunnel Endpoint) field, enter the IP address you obtained from the system administrator.

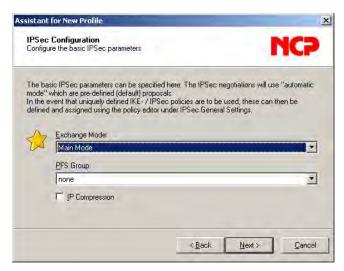


For systems with the Dynamic System Resilience (DSR) feature, in case of a switchover, you will need to change the IP address to be able to contact the backup Gateway.

b. Click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration window appears.

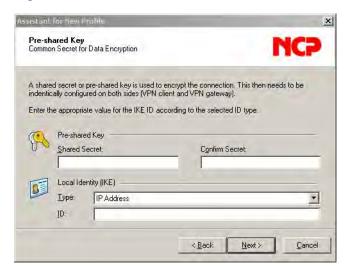
Figure 1-28 Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration Window



8 On the IPSec Configuration window, click **Next**.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Pre-shared Key window appears.

Figure 1-29 Assistant for New Profile - Pre-shared Key



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- 9 In the Pre-shared Key window, perform the following actions:
 - a. In the appropriate fields, enter and reenter the Shared Secret.

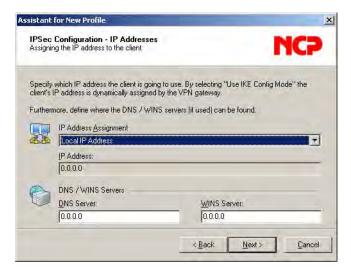


The Pre-shared key that you enter here must match the Pre-shared key on the Firewall. For more information, see the *Firewall* manual.

- b. From the Type drop-down list, select Fully Qualified Domain Name.
- c. In the ID field, enter the ID.
- d. Click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration – IP Addresses window appears.

Figure 1-30 Assistant for New Profile - IPSec Configuration - IP Addresses Window



10 From the IP Address Assignment drop-down list, select Local IP Address, and then click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Firewall Settings window appears.

Figure 1-31 Assistant for New Profile – Firewall Settings Window



11 On the Firewall Settings window, click Finish.

Step result: The window closes.

12 On the Profile Settings window, click OK.

Step result: The window closes.

13 Connect the PDA to the PC using the USB Programming Cable.

Step result: For Windows XP, the ActiveSync application starts. For Windows Vista and Windows 7, the Windows Mobile Device Center starts.



If ActiveSync or Windows Mobile Device Center do not start, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the USB Client or USB OTG mode.

14 Click Upload on the NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM window.

Step result: The upload process starts, followed by a confirmation message.

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1.4.8.2 Configuring VPN Settings - KVL Connected to the Firewall Through a Network

Prerequisites:

- Obtain the VPN gateway IP address from the system administrator.
- For Windows XP, ensure that Microsoft ActiveSync is installed on your PC.
- For Windows Vista and Windows 7, ensure that Microsoft Windows Mobile Device Center is installed on your PC.
- Ensure that NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM is installed on your PC. NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM is available at http://www.ncp-e.com/en/downloads/software.html.
- Ensure that you have the USB Programming Cable.

When and where to use:

If you are going to establish the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola, use these steps to create a configuration profile for a scenario when the KVL is going to be connected to the Firewall through a network.

Procedure Steps

1 On the desktop, select Start → Programs → NCP Secure Client → NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM.

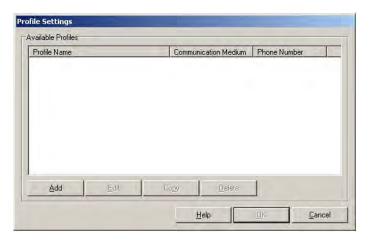
Step result: The NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM launches.

Figure 1-32 NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM Window



2 On the NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM window, select Configuration → Profile Settings. Step result: The Profile Settings window appears.

Figure 1-33 Profile Settings Window



3 On the Profile Settings window, click Add.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Pre-shared Key window appears.

Figure 1-34 Assistant for New Profile - Pre-shared Key Window



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4 Select Link to Corporate Network Using IPSec, and click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Connection Name window appears.

Figure 1-35 Assistant for New Profile - Connection Name Window



 ${f 5}$ In the Name of the connection field, type KVL4000 through Network, and click Next.

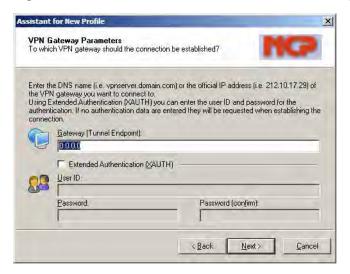
Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Communication Medium window appears.

Figure 1-36 Assistant for New Profile - Communication Medium Window



6 From the Communication Media drop-down list, select LAN (over IP), and then click Next.
Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – VPN Gateway Parameters window appears.

Figure 1-37 Assistant for New Profile - VPN Gateway Parameters Window



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- 7 On the VPN Gateway Parameters window, perform the following actions:
 - a. In the Gateway (Tunnel Endpoint) field, enter the IP address you obtained from the system administrator.

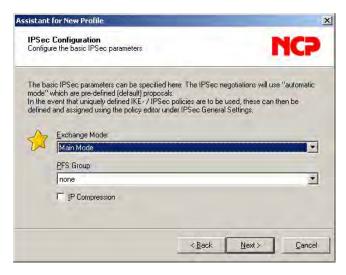


For systems with the Dynamic System Resilience (DSR) feature, in case of a switchover, you will need to change the IP address to be able to contact the backup Gateway.

b. Click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration window appears.

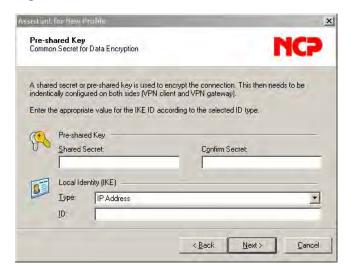
Figure 1-38 Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration Window



8 On the IPSec Configuration window, click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Pre-shared Key window appears.

Figure 1-39 Assistant for New Profile - Pre-shared Key



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- 9 In the Pre-shared Key window, perform the following actions:
 - a. In the appropriate fields, enter and reenter the Shared Secret.

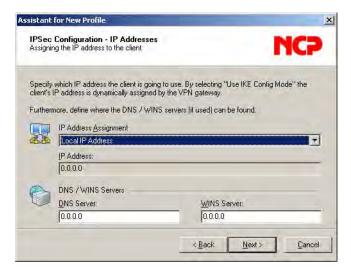


The Pre-shared key that you enter here must match the Pre-shared key on the Firewall. For more information, see the *Firewall* manual.

- b. From the Type drop-down list, select Fully Qualified Domain Name.
- c. In the ID field, enter the ID.
- d. Click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration – IP Addresses window appears.

Figure 1-40 Assistant for New Profile – IPSec Configuration – IP Addresses Window



10 From the IP Address Assignment drop-down list, select Local IP Address, and then click Next.

Step result: The Assistant for New Profile – Firewall Settings window appears.

Figure 1-41 Assistant for New Profile – Firewall Settings Window



11 On the Profile Settings window, click **OK**.

Step result: The window closes.

12 On the Profile Settings window, click OK.

Step result: The window closes.

13 Connect the PDA to the PC using the USB Programming Cable.

Step result: For Windows XP, the ActiveSync application starts. For Windows Vista and Windows 7, the Windows Mobile Device Center starts.



If ActiveSync or Windows Mobile Device Center do not start, perform 12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode, page 12-5 to put the PDA into the USB Client or USB OTG mode.

14 Click Upload on the NCP Entry Configuration Manager WM window.

Step result: The upload process starts, followed by a confirmation message.

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1.4.9 Establishing the VPN Connection

Prerequisites:

- For the VPN connection to work, the NCP Client Service must be running. On the PDA screen, select **Start**→ **Programs** → **NCP Client Service**, and run the service if it is not already running.
- Obtain the VPN Username and VPN Password from your system administrator.

When and where to use:

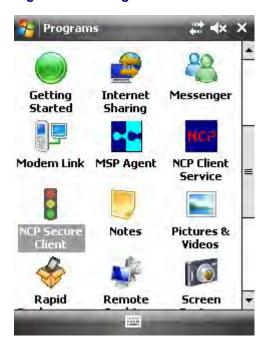
Use these steps if you want to establish the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola.

Procedure Steps

In the upper left corner of the PDA screen, select **Start** \rightarrow **Programs**.

Step result: The Programs screen appears.

Figure 1-42 Programs Screen



2 Select the NCP Secure Client icon.

Step result: The NCP Secure Client screen appears.

Figure 1-43 NCP Secure Client Screen – KVL 4000 at Firewall



Figure 1-44 NCP Secure Client Screen – KVL 4000 Through Network



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3 From the drop-down list, select one of the following options:

If	Then
Your KVL is connected directly to the Firewall	Select KVL4000 at Firewall.
Your KVL is connected to the Firewall through a network	Select KVL4000 through Network.

4 Select Connect.

Step result: You are prompted to enter your VPN Username.

5 Type in your VPN Username and select **OK**.

Step result: You are prompted to enter your VPN Password.

6 Type in your VPN Password and select **OK**.

Step result: The **Connecting** animation appears, followed by the Connected screen. The VPN connection is established.

Figure 1-45 NCP Secure Client Screen - KVL 4000 at Firewall - Connected





Figure 1-46 NCP Secure Client Screen – KVL 4000 Through Network – Connected

1.4.10 Terminating the VPN Connection

When and where to use:

Use these steps if you established the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola.

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In the upper left corner of the PDA screen, select $Start \rightarrow Programs$.

Step result: The Programs screen appears.

Figure 1-47 Programs Screen



2 Select the NCP Secure Client icon.

Step result: The NCP Secure Client screen appears.

3 Select Disconnect.

Step result: The **Disconnecting** animation appears, and then the NCP Secure Client screen comes back. The VPN connection is terminated.

Postrequisites:

Before provisioning radios with authentication keys, ensure the NCP Client Service is stopped. On the PDA screen, select $Start \rightarrow Programs \rightarrow NCP$ Client Service, and stop the service.



2 KVL 4000 – Performing Initial Programming

Before using your KVL to enter and load encryption keys, set several parameters that determine how the KVL operates.

2.1 KVL 4000 User Preference Parameters

The user preference parameters and settings are not required for operation of the KVL, but instead provide a way of customizing certain functions to suit your individual needs.

2.1.1 Setting the KVL Log Off Time

For security reasons, you can set the period of inactivity after which you are logged off from the KVL.

Prerequisites:

This option is only available if you have set passwords on your KVL. Only an Administrator can set or change the KVL log off time.

Procedure Steps

- 1 Log on to the KVL application as an Administrator.
- 2 On the KVL main screen, select Settings \rightarrow Security \rightarrow Inactivity.

Step result: The list of available duration appears, with the currently set duration highlighted.



To return to the previous screen without changing the current duration, tap Cancel.

3 Tap the desired duration.

Step result: The duration is changed.

4 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.1.2 Setting the KVL Screen Color Scheme

You can set the KVL screen to one of the two color schemes: Day Time, or Night Time. These schemes define the text and background colors of the KVL screen. By default, the KVL screen is set to the Day Time scheme.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to set the KVL screen color scheme.

Figure 2-1 KVL Screen in Day Time Color Scheme (Example)

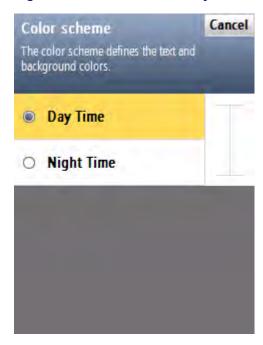
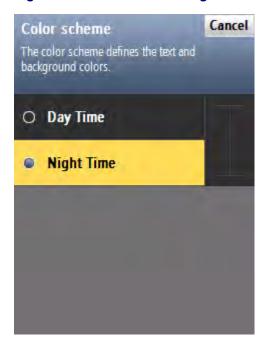


Figure 2-2 KVL Screen in Night Time Color Scheme (Example)



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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **General** \rightarrow **Color scheme**.

Step result: The list of color scheme options appears, with the one currently used highlighted.



Tap Cancel to return to the previous screen without changing the current mode.

2 Tap the desired color scheme.

Step result: The color scheme is changed.

3 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.1.3 Turning Sharing On/Off

In addition to loading keys into target devices, the KVL can also share its keys with another KVL. In order to share keys, the sharing feature must be turned on in both the source and target KVL.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can turn sharing on or off.

Procedure Steps

- 1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** → **Security** → **Sharing**.
 - Step result: A list of available values appears (On/Off), with the currently set value highlighted.
- 2 Select the desired value.
- 3 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.1.4 KVL 4000 – Managing Passwords

The KVL provides two levels of security access:

- Administrator
- Operator

The Administrator has access to all functions and features. The Operator does **NOT** have access to the following functions and features:

- · performing KVL and radio's Crypto Module upgrades
- · adding, deleting, and editing keys and groups

- · adding and deleting keys in a group
- · converting keys
- adding, deleting, and editing Tactical OTAR groups
- · entering and changing Tactical OTAR MNP
- · entering and changing KVL RSI
- setting and changing the KVL inactivity timeout
- · changing FIPS mode
- · changing System Key
- · changing Sharing mode
- · changing Administrator password
- · clearing passwords
- · entering and changing KMF RSI
- · entering and changing KMF MNP
- · selecting Main and Backup KMF
- · entering and changing KMF phone numbers
- · changing UKEK for KMF operation
- · clearing the list of received jobs
- clearing log records

Without password protection, all users have access to all of the KVL functions.

2.1.4.1 Setting Up Passwords on the KVL

This section covers the following topics:

- 2.1.4.1.1 Setting Up the Operator Password, page 2-4
- 2.1.4.1.2 Setting Up the Administrator Password, page 2-5

2.1.4.1.1 Setting Up the Operator Password

When and where to use:

Use these steps to set up the Operator password.



You cannot set just Administrator or Operator passwords, but must set both, if the password feature is desired.

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- On the KVL main screen, select Settings → Security → Passwords → Define passwords → Operator.
 Step result: The New password and Repeat password entry fields appear.
- 2 In the New password entry field, type the password of your choice using the PDA keypad.



The password must contain between 15 and 30 characters, including at least 1 special character, 1 numeric character, and 1 uppercase character. The following special characters are acceptable: ! " # \$ % & ' () * + , - . / : ; < = > ? @ [\] ^ _ ` { | } ~



As you type the password, dynamic hints about password rules appear.

3 In the **Repeat password** entry field, type the password again.

Step result: If the passwords match, the **Done** button is enabled.



To abort the operation at any time, tap Cancel.

4 Tap Done.

Step result: The password has been set up.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



If the Operator password is forgotten, the Administrator can assign a new Operator password.

2.1.4.1.2 Setting Up the Administrator Password

When and where to use:

Use these steps to set up the Administrator password.



You cannot set just Administrator or Operator passwords, but must set both, if the password feature is desired.

- On the KVL main screen, select Settings → Security → Passwords → Define passwords → Administrator.
 Step result: The New password and Repeat password entry fields appear.
- 2 In the New password entry field, type the password of your choice using the PDA keypad.



The password must contain between 15 and 30 characters, including at least 1 special character, 1 numeric character, and 1 uppercase character. The following special characters are acceptable: ! " # % & '() * + , - . / : ; <= > ? @ [\]^ ` `{|} ~



As you type the password, dynamic hints about password rules appear.

3 In the Repeat password entry field, type the password again.
Step result: If the passwords match, the Done button is enabled.



To abort the operation at any time, tap Cancel.

- 4 Tap Done.
 - **Step result:** The password has been set up.
- 5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.1.4.2 Changing Passwords on the KVL

This section covers the following topics:

- 2.1.4.2.1 Changing the Operator Password (Operator Access Level), page 2-6
- 2.1.4.2.2 Changing the Operator Password (Administrator Access Level), page 2-7
- 2.1.4.2.3 Changing the Administrator Password, page 2-8

2.1.4.2.1 Changing the Operator Password (Operator Access Level)

When and where to use:

Use this procedure if you have the Operator level of access.

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1 Log on as an Operator.

Step result: The KVL main screen appears.

2 Select Settings \rightarrow Security \rightarrow Password.

Step result: The Operator screen appears, with the Current password, New password, and Repeat password entry fields.

- 3 In the Current password entry field, type the current password using the PDA keypad.
- 4 In the **New password** entry field, type the password of your choice using the PDA keypad.



The password must contain between 15 and 30 characters, including at least 1 special character, 1 numeric character, and 1 uppercase character. The following special characters are acceptable: ! " # % & '() * + , - . / : ; <= > ? @ [\]^ ` `{|} ~



As you type the password, dynamic hints about password rules appear.

5 In the **Repeat password** entry field, type the password again.

Step result: If the passwords match, the **Done** button is enabled.



To abort the operation at any time, tap Cancel.

6 Tap Done.

Step result: The password has been changed.

7 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.1.4.2.2 Changing the Operator Password (Administrator Access Level)

When and where to use:

Use this procedure if you have the Administrator level of access.

1 Log on as an Administrator.



If you are prompted for upgrades, select **No, not now**.

Step result: The KVL main screen appears.

 $2 \quad \text{Select Settings} \rightarrow \text{Security} \rightarrow \text{Passwords} \rightarrow \text{Update passwords} \rightarrow \text{Operator}.$

Step result: The Current password, New password, and Repeat password entry fields appear.

- 3 In the Current password entry field, type the current password using the PDA keypad.
- 4 In the **New password** entry field, type the password of your choice using the PDA keypad.



The password must contain between 15 and 30 characters, including at least 1 special character, 1 numeric character, and 1 uppercase character. The following special characters are acceptable: ! " # % & '() * + , - . / : ; <= > ? @ [\]^ ` `{|} ~



As you type the password, dynamic hints about password rules appear.

5 In the **Repeat password** entry field, type the password again.

Step result: If the passwords match, the **Done** button is enabled.



To abort the operation at any time, tap Cancel.

6 Tap Done.

Step result: The password has been changed.

7 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.1.4.2.3 Changing the Administrator Password

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can change the Administrator password.

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1 Log on as an Administrator.



If you are prompted for upgrades, select **No, not now**.

Step result: The KVL main screen appears.

2 Select Settings \rightarrow Security \rightarrow Passwords \rightarrow Update passwords Administrator.

Step result: The Current password, New password, and Repeat password entry fields.

- 3 In the Current password entry field, type the current password using the PDA keypad.
- 4 In the **New password** entry field, type the new password.



The password must contain between 15 and 30 characters, including at least 1 special character, 1 numeric character, and 1 uppercase character. The following special characters are acceptable: ! " # % & '() * + , - . / : ; <= > ? @ [\]^ ` `{|} ~



As you type the password, dynamic hints about password rules appear.

5 In the **Repeat password** entry field, type the new password again.

Step result: If the passwords match, the Done button is enabled.



To abort the operation at any time, tap Cancel.

6 Tap Done.

Step result: The password has been changed.

7 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



If you forget the Administrator password, you must perform a system reset before the KVL can be used again. Since a system reset erases all stored keys and returns the KVL settings to the factory defaults, you must enter all keys again.

2.1.4.3 Clearing KVL Passwords

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can clear passwords.

Procedure Steps

1 Log on as an Administrator.



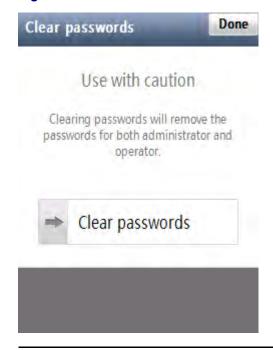
If you are prompted for upgrades, select **No, not now**.

Step result: The KVL main screen appears.

2 Select Settings \rightarrow Security \rightarrow Passwords \rightarrow Clear passwords.

Step result: A screen with the **Clear passwords** slider appears.

Figure 2-3 Clear Passwords Screen



3 Touch the slider and drag it from left to right. Alternatively, highlight the slider, and use the navigation key on the PDA to move it.



Clearing passwords removes the passwords for both administrator and operator.

Step result: The passwords have been cleared.

4 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

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2.1.4.4 Selecting the Password Masking Mode

There are two masking modes available for the KVL passwords: all characters masked, or the last character non masked.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Settings \rightarrow Security \rightarrow Masking mode.

Step result: A screen with the list of available options appears.

2 Select the masking mode of your choice.

Step result: The masking mode is selected and you return to the previous screen.

3 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.2 KVL 4000 System-Dependent Parameters

Set the parameters in this section depending on the particular system (ASN, ASTRO® 25, or Radio Authentication) in which the KVL is operating.

2.2.1 KVL 4000 – Switching Between the Modes of Operation

The KVL provides three modes of operation: ASN (Advanced SECURENET®), ASTRO® 25, and Radio Authentication. The KVL is shipped from the factory to power on in the ASTRO® 25 mode. Then, the KVL powers on in the mode it was operating in when it was last powered off.

Prerequisites:

This procedure is applicable if your KVL is configured to operate in more than one mode of operation.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to switch between the modes of operation.



In the Radio Authentication mode, the KVL operates in FIPS Level 2 only. Before changing the mode of operation to Radio Authentication, ensure FIPS Level 2 is set for the mode the KVL is currently operating in.

1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **System**.

Step result: A list of available modes appears (ASN, ASTRO® 25, and Radio Authentication), with the currently used mode highlighted.



To return to the previous screen without changing the mode, tap Cancel.

2 Tap the desired mode of operation.

Step result: The mode is changed.

3 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

2.2.2 Setting the Baud Rate for RS-232 Communication

When using the KVL DB9 Port (RS-232) to communicate with external equipment (such as a KMF, or a modem), select the proper baud rate.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select Settings \rightarrow General \rightarrow Baud Rate.

Step result: A list of available values appears, with the currently set value highlighted. You can choose from the following values:

- 9600
- 19200
- 57600
- 115200



To return to the previous screen without changing the current value, tap Cancel.

- 2 Tap the desired value.
- 3 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.2.3 Changing the FIPS Mode

The KVL can operate in a mode that is compliant with the U.S. Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) guidelines. To be FIPS-compliant, set passwords on your KVL.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can change the FIPS mode.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to change the FIPS mode.



Changing the FIPS mode erases all keys, Store and Forward messages, target devices to update, and sets the System Key to its default value.

On the KVL main screen, select Settings \rightarrow Security \rightarrow FIPS mode.

Step result: The list of available values appears, with the currently selected value highlighted.



The available values are:

- Level 3 (High Security)
- Level 2 (Standard)



Use **Level 3** for high security. If FIPS Level 3 is active, the Sharing setting is disabled and cannot be turned on.



In the Radio Authentication mode, the KVL operates in FIPS Level 2 only. Before changing the mode of operation to Radio Authentication, ensure FIPS Level 2 is set for the mode the KVL is currently operating in.

2 Select the desired value.

Step result: A Warning screen appears, informing that changing the FIPS mode will remove all keys.

3 Select Yes, change FIPS mode if you are sure that you want to continue.

Step result: The FIPS mode is changed.

4 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.2.4 Managing the System Key (DVI-XL Only)

The KVL requires a 128-digit System Key to communicate in DVI-XL systems. Each KVL is shipped from the factory with a default System Key.



Changing the System Key causes all keys defined with the DVI-XL algorithm (including the UKEK for ASTRO® 25) to be erased (includes DVI-XL keys in both ASN and ASTRO® 25 memory).

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2.2.4.1 Entering the User-Defined System Key

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter the System Key.

When and where to use:

Instead of using the default System Key, you can enter your own System Key.



Changing the System Key deletes all associated keys.

Procedure Steps

- 1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **Security** \rightarrow **System Key**.
- 2 Select the Enter Key tab.
- **3** Perform one of the following actions:
 - Select **Auto** to generate the key automatically.
 - Enter the key manually using the Hex keypad.



At any time, you can tap the key entry bar to go to the key review screen.

4 Tap Done.

Step result: A warning message appears, informing that changing the system key will delete all keys associated with the system key.

5 Tap Yes, change system key to confirm the change.

Step result: The System Key is changed.

6 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.2.4.2 Changing the User-Defined System Key

When and where to use:

Use these steps to change the System Key you have previously entered.



Changing the System Key deletes all associated keys.

- On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **Security** \rightarrow **System Key**.
- 2 Tap the New > key.

Step result: A Key Data Info Field and a Hex Entry Keypad appear.

- 3 Perform one of the following actions:
 - Select **Auto** to generate the key automatically.
 - Enter the key manually using the Hex keypad.



At any time, you can tap the key entry bar to go to the key review screen.

4 Tap Done.

Step result: A warning message appears, informing that changing the system key will delete all keys associated with the system key.

5 Tap Yes, change system key to confirm the change.

Step result: The System Key is changed.

6 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

2.2.4.3 Setting Up the KVL to Use the Default System Key

Procedure Steps

- 1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **Security** \rightarrow **System Key**.
- 2 Tap the Use default tab.

Step result: A message appears, informing that the default system key will be used.

3 Tap Done.

Step result: A warning message appears, informing that changing the system key will delete all keys associated with the system key.

4 Tap Yes, change system key to confirm the change.

Step result: The default System Key is restored.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

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3 KVL 4000 – Managing Encryption Keys

3.1 Entering Encryption Keys

This section covers the following topics:

- 3.1.1 Entering Encryption Keys Manually, page 3-1
- 3.1.2 Auto-Generating Encryption Keys, page 3-3

3.1.1 Entering Encryption Keys Manually

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter keys.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to manually enter a Traffic Encryption Key (TEK) or a Key Encryption Key (KEK) into the KVL internal key database.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears.

Figure 3-1 Manage Keys Screen – Entering a Key (Example)



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- 2 Select the + button to define a new key.
- 3 Select Enter manually to enter keys one by one.
- 4 Enter the name of the key using the PDA keypad.



The name can consist of up to 8 characters, including spaces.

- 5 Select **Algorithm** and choose one of the algorithms from the list.
- 6 Select **Key Type** and choose one of the key types from the list.
- 7 Select **CKR ID** and type the Common Key Reference number.



Valid CKRs for TEKs are 1 through 4095. Valid CKRs for KEKs are 61440 through 65535.

- 8 Tap **Done** when ready.
- 9 Select **Key ID** and type the hexadecimal number to set the key location.



The possible range is 0000–FFFF. The KVL does not accept keys of the same algorithm type with duplicate Key IDs (each key of a particular algorithm type must have a unique KID).

- 10 Tap Done when ready.
- 11 Tap Enter Key >.

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12 Tap Auto to generate the key automatically, or enter the key using the keypad.

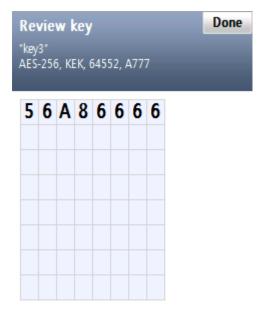


At any time, you can review the digits you have entered by tapping anywhere on the Key Data Info field. This brings up a Review key screen.



For DES keys only: As you enter each digit of the encryption key, the KVL checks it for validity. If you enter an invalid number, it flashes red. In this case, tap < **Del** and correct the number. Every two numbers entered for the key represent a byte of data that must have odd-parity for DES keys. For non-DES keys: Encryption key validity is checked only after you entered the entire key and tapped **Done**.

Figure 3-2 Review Key Screen (Example)



8 of 64 digits entered & validated.

- 13 Once you have entered the key, tap **Done** to confirm, or **Next Key** to confirm and enter a new key with the same parameters.
- 14 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

3.1.2 Auto-Generating Encryption Keys

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter keys.

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When and where to use:

Use these steps to quickly generate multiple encryption keys.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears.

Figure 3-3 Manage Keys Screen – Entering a Key (Example)



- 2 Select the + button to define a new key.
- 3 Select **Auto generate** to generate multiple keys quickly.
- 4 Enter the number of keys to auto generate and tap Next Step >.



You can generate a maximum of 100 keys at a time.

- 5 Type the naming pattern for the new keys using the PDA keypad.
- 6 Select **Algorithm** and choose one of the algorithms from the list.
- 7 Select **Key Type** and choose one of the key types from the list.

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8 Select Initial CKR ID and type the CKR for the first key. Consequent keys will increment from that ID.



Valid CKRs for TEKs are 1 through 4095. Valid CKRs for KEKs are 61440 through 65535.

- 9 Tap **Done** when ready.
- 10 Select Initial Key ID and type the Key ID for the first key. Consequent keys will increment from that ID.



The KVL does not accept keys of the same algorithm type with duplicate Key IDs (each key of a particular algorithm type must have a unique KID).

- 11 Tap **Done** when ready.
- 12 Tap Generate >.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the keys are being generated. When the process is completed, you return to the **Manage keys** screen.

13 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

3.2 Using Key Groups

The KVL provides a convenient feature called key groups. This feature allows you to associate several keys stored in the KVL memory with a specified group name. You can then load the entire group of keys to the target device in a single operation. This is especially useful when loading the same group of keys to several target devices, such as a fleet of radios.

The KVL supports the existence of up to 20 groups at a time, with each group consisting of 16 keys (TEKs, KEKs, or a combination of both). If there are fewer than 20 groups, a group can consist of more than 16 keys, limited by the KVL memory capacity.

3.2.1 Creating a Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can create a group.

Procedure Steps

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1 Select **Manage keys** on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears with a list of available keys.

Figure 3-4 Manage Keys Screen – Creating a Group (Example)



- 2 Select the **Groups** tab.
- 3 Tap the + button to define a new group.
- 4 Type the group name using the PDA keypad, and tap Next Step >.



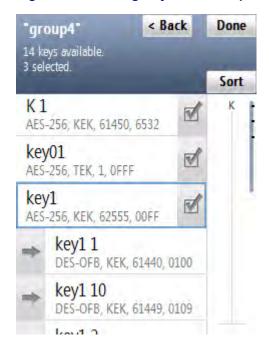
Group names may contain 18 characters, including spaces.

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5 Add all the desired keys to the created group. To add a key, drag the slider to the right. To exclude a key, drag the slider to the left. When finished, tap **Done**.

Step result: The group is saved and displayed in the groups list.

Figure 3-5 Adding Keys to a Group - Example



- 6 Tap Done.
- 7 Tap the + button to create another group, or tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

3.2.2 Modifying Groups

When the KVL contains one or more key groups, you can perform the following tasks on them:

- · view keys in a group
- · add keys to a group
- · delete keys from a group
- · delete a group
- · rename a group

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3.2.2.1 Viewing Keys in a Group

Procedure Steps

Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The **Manage keys** screen appears with a list of available keys.

2 Select the **Groups** tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Select the group you want to see the keys for.

Step result: The group with all keys associated with it appears.

Figure 3-6 Viewing Keys in a Group (Example)



4 When finished, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

3.2.2.2 Adding Keys to a Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can add keys to a group.

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When and where to use:

Use these steps to add keys to a group.



A group may consist of up to 512 keys.

Procedure Steps

1 Select **Manage keys** on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears.

2 Select the **Groups** tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

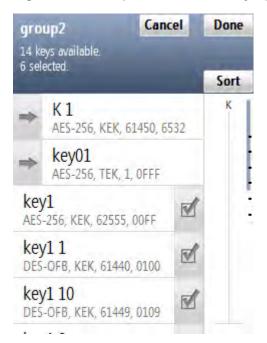
3 Select the group you want to add keys to.

Step result: The group with all keys associated with it appears.

4 Tap Edit keys.

Step result: A list of all available keys appears.

Figure 3-7 Group with Available Keys (Example)



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5 Add all the desired keys to the group. To add a key, drag the slider to the right. To exclude a key, drag the slider to the left. When finished, tap **Done**.

Step result: The list of all the keys in the group appears.

6 Tap Done.

Step result: The new configuration is saved.

7 Tap **Done** again to return to the KVL main screen.

3.2.2.3 Deleting Keys from a Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can delete keys from a group.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears with a list of available keys.

2 Select the Groups tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Select the group you want to delete keys from.

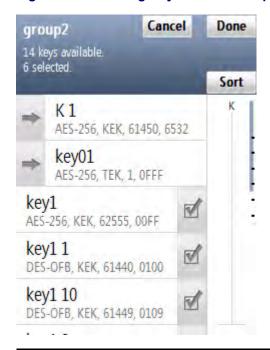
Step result: The group with all keys associated with it appears.

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4 Tap Edit keys.

Step result: A list of all available keys appears.

Figure 3-8 Deleting Keys from a Group (Example)



- 5 Delete all the desired keys from the group. To delete a key, drag the slider associated with the selected key to the left. When finished, tap **Done**.
- 6 Tap Done.

Step result: The new configuration is saved and the groups list appears.

7 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

3.2.2.4 Deleting a Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can delete a group.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears with a list of available keys.

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2 Select the **Groups** tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Select the group you want to delete.

Step result: The group with all keys associated with it appears.

Figure 3-9 Deleting a Group (Example)



4 Tap Delete.

Step result: The group has been deleted.



If you want to restore the deleted group, tap **Restore** before leaving the confirmation screen.

- 5 Tap **Done** to confirm.
- 6 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

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3.2.2.5 Renaming a Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can rename a group.

Procedure Steps

1 Select **Manage keys** on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears.

2 Select the Groups tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Select the group you want to rename.

Step result: The group with all keys associated with it appears.

4 Tap Edit name.

Step result: The name field appears.

Figure 3-10 Group Name Field (Example)



5 Delete the current name and type a new one using the PDA keypad.

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- 6 Tap **Done** to confirm.
- 7 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

3.3 Modifying Encryption Keys

You can modify an Encryption Key (TEK or KEK) stored in a specific CKR location in the KVL memory.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can modify keys.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears.

Figure 3-11 Manage Keys Screen – Modifying a Key (Example)



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2 From the list of available keys, select the key you want to modify.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

Step result: A screen with details for the selected key appears.

Figure 3-12 Key Details Screen (Example)





The Algorithm, Key Type, and CKR ID entries are read-only.

- 3 Modify the Name of the key using the PDA keypad.
- 4 Select and modify **Key ID** using the Hex keypad.



The KVL does not accept keys of the same algorithm type with duplicate Key IDs (each key of a particular algorithm type must have a unique KID).

5 Tap **Done** when ready.

Step result: You return to the screen with the key details.

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6 Scroll down the screen and select **Key**.

Step result: The **Enter key** screen appears with the Hex keypad.

7 Tap **Auto** to generate the key automatically, or enter the key using the Hex keypad.



For DES keys only: As you enter each digit of the encryption key, the KVL checks it for validity. If you enter an invalid number, it flashes red and a **bad bonk** sound is played. In this case, tap < **Del** and correct the number. Every two numbers entered for the key represent a byte of data that must have odd-parity for DES keys. For non-DES keys: Encryption key validity is checked only after you entered the entire key and tapped **Done**.

8 Once you have entered the key, tap **Done** to confirm.

Step result: The key has been modified and you return to the list of keys.

9 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

3.4 Deleting Encryption Keys

You can erase an Encryption Key (TEK or KEK) stored in a specific CKR location in the KVL memory. Deleting permanently erases the Encryption Key currently stored in the location. The location is then considered to be undefined and may be used to hold another Encryption Key.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can delete keys.

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Procedure Steps

1 Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: The **Manage keys** screen appears with the list of available keys.

Figure 3-13 Manage Keys Screen – Deleting a Key (Example)



2 From the list of available keys, select the key you want to delete.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Tap Delete.

Step result: The key has been deleted.



If you want to restore the deleted key, tap **Undo** before leaving the confirmation screen.

- 4 Tap **Accept** to confirm.
- 5 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

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4 KVL 4000 – Loading Encryption Keys into Target Devices

You can load encryption keys into one of the following devices:

- Secure ASTRO® 25 Single Key Target Radio
- Secure ASTRO® 25 Multiple Key Target Radio
- Another KVL unit (see Chapter 6 KVL 4000 Sharing Keys Between KVLs)
- Radio Network Controller (RNC)
- Digital Interface Unit (DIU)
- Motorola Gold Elite Gateway (MGEG)
- MCC 7500 Console
- PDEG Encryption Unit
- CAI Data Encryption Module (CDEM)
- Key Management Facility (KMF) (see Chapter 7 Using KVL 4000 in OTAR Systems)
- KMF CryptR
- CRYPTR micro (used with MCC 7100 IP Dispatch Console and AME 1500/2000)

4.1 Loading a Selected Key

Prerequisites:

There are encryption keys in the KVL database.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to load a selected key into a target device.

Procedure Steps

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On the KVL main screen, Select Load keys & groups → Load keys & groups.
Step result: The list of available keys appears.

Figure 4-1 Load Keys & Groups Screen – Example





You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

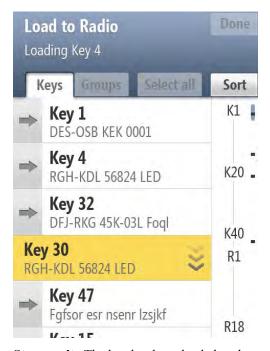
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3 Select the key you want to load by dragging the slider to the right.



KVL displays an animation indicating a busy loading state. During this time, you can scroll to find the next key.

Figure 4-2 Loading a Key (Example)



Step result: The key has been loaded to the target device.

4 Select another key to load, or tap **Done**.



If you want to load the same key to another target device, disconnect the current target device and connect another one. The loading process starts automatically.

5 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

4.2 Loading a Key Group

Prerequisites:

There are key groups in the KVL database.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to load a key group into a target device.

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Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Load keys & groups → Load keys & groups.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 4-3 Load Keys & Groups Screen – Loading a Group (Example)



2 Select the Groups tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

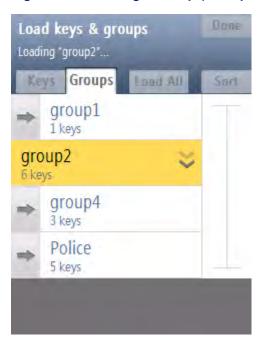
3 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

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4 Select the group you want to load by dragging the slider to the right.

Step result: An animation appears next to the group to indicate it is being loaded. When the process is successful, a **completed** tone is played.

Figure 4-4 Loading a Group (Example)





Because key groups may contain undefined keys (CKRs with no KID or key data), the number of keys loaded may differ from the number of keys in the key group. Only the defined keys in a key group are loaded into the target device.

5 Select another group to load, or tap **Done**.



If you want to load the same group to another target device, disconnect the current target device and connect another one. The loading process starts automatically.

6 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

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4.3 Loading All Keys

Prerequisites:

In order to load all keys from the KVL into the target device, the KVL and the target device must be equipped with the same algorithms.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to load all keys into a target device.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Load keys & groups → Load keys & groups.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 4-5 Load Keys & Groups Screen – Loading All Keys (Example)



2 Tap Select all.

Step result: All the keys on the list are selected.



If the target device is already connected, the button says **Load all** instead. Tap it to start the loading process.

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3 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played to indicate the start of the loading process and a progress animation appears, indicating the current key and the total number of keys being loaded. Smart bar indicates the current key being loaded through blinking indication. When the loading process is completed, a **completed** tone is played and a confirmation screen appears.



The following are the possible statuses indicated on the list of keys:

- Check mark the key has been loaded.
- Animation the key is currently being loaded.
- Selection the key is waiting to be loaded.

Figure 4-6 Loading a Key – Statuses (Example)



- 4 Disconnect the target device.
- 5 Connect another target device to load all keys to (the loading process starts automatically), or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

4.4 Loading All Key Groups

Prerequisites:

There are key groups in the KVL database.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to load all key groups into a target device.

Procedure Steps

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Load keys & groups** → **Load keys & groups**.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 4-7 Load Keys & Groups Screen – Loading All Groups (Example)



- 2 Select the Groups tab.
- 3 Tap Select all.

Step result: All the groups on the list are selected.



If the target device is already connected, the button says **Load all** instead. Tap it to start the loading process.



Because key groups may contain undefined keys (CKRs with no KID or key data), the number of keys loaded may differ from the number of keys in the key group. Only defined keys in a key group are loaded into a target device.

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4 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played to indicate the start of the loading process and a progress animation appears, indicating the current group and the total number of groups being loaded. Smart bar indicates the current group being loaded through blinking indication. When the loading process is completed, a **completed** tone is played and a confirmation screen appears.



The following are the possible states indicated on the list of key groups:

- Check mark the key group has been loaded.
- Animation the key group is currently being loaded.
- Selection the key group is waiting to be loaded.
- 5 Disconnect the target device.
- 6 Connect another target device to load all key groups to (the loading process starts automatically), or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

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5 KVL 4000 – Managing Keys in Target Devices

5.1 Removing Keys from Target Devices

KVL allows you to erase encryption keys stored in a secure target device, such as a radio. This feature permanently erases the encryption key from the CKR memory location in the target device.

This section covers the following topics:

- 5.1.1 Removing a Key from a Target Device, page 5-1
- 5.1.2 Removing a Key Group from a Target Device, page 5-3
- 5.1.3 Removing All Keys from a Target Device, page 5-6
- 5.1.4 Removing All Key Groups from a Target Device, page 5-8
- 5.1.5 Removing All Keys and All Key Groups from a Target Device, page 5-10

5.1.1 Removing a Key from a Target Device

Prerequisites:

There are encryption keys in the target device.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the target device.

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2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played and a list of available options appears.

Figure 5-1 Configure a Radio Screen



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3 Select Remove keys → Remove keys & groups.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 5-2 Remove Keys & Groups Screen (Example)





You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

4 Select the key you want to remove by dragging the slider of the key from left to right.

Step result: An animation appears while the key is being removed. When the key has been removed, a **completed** sound is played.

5 Remove another key, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

5.1.2 Removing a Key Group from a Target Device

Prerequisites:

There are key groups in the target device.

Procedure Steps

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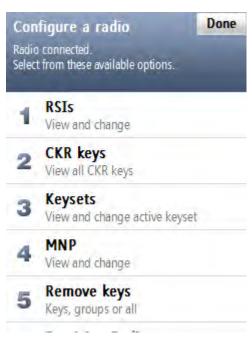
1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the target device.

2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played and a list of available options appears.

Figure 5-3 Configure a Radio Screen – Removing a Group



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3 Select Remove keys → Remove keys & groups.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 5-4 Remove Keys & Groups Screen – Removing a Group (Example)



4 Select the Groups tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

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5 Select the group you want to remove by dragging the slider from left to right.

Step result: An animation appears and a group is removed from the target device.

Figure 5-5 Group Removed (Example)



6 Remove another group, or disconnect the target device and tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

5.1.3 Removing All Keys from a Target Device

Prerequisites:

There are keys in the target device.

Procedure Steps

Select **Configure a radio** on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the target device.

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2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played and a list of available options appears.

Figure 5-6 Configure a Radio Screen - Removing All Keys



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3 Select Remove keys → Remove keys & groups.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 5-7 Remove Keys & Groups Screen – Removing All Keys (Example)



4 Select the **Remove All** button.

Step result: A warning screen appears.

5 Select Yes, remove keys.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the keys are being removed. When the operation has completed successfully, a **completed** tone is played.

6 Disconnect the target device and connect another target device to remove keys from, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

5.1.4 Removing All Key Groups from a Target Device

Prerequisites:

There are key groups in the target device.

Procedure Steps

1 Select **Configure a radio** on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the target device.

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2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played and a list of available options appears.

Figure 5-8 Configure a Radio Screen – Removing All Groups



3 Select Remove keys → Remove keys & groups.

Step result: The list of keys appears.

Figure 5-9 Remove Keys & Groups Screen – Removing All Groups (Example)



- 4 Select the **Groups** tab.
- 5 Select the **Remove All** button.

Step result: A warning screen appears.

6 Select Yes, remove groups.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the groups are being removed. When the operation has completed successfully, a **completed** tone is played.

7 Disconnect the target device and connect another target device to remove groups from, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

5.1.5 Removing All Keys and All Key Groups from a Target Device

Prerequisites:

There are keys and key groups in the target device.

Procedure Steps

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1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the target device.

2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played and a list of available options appears.

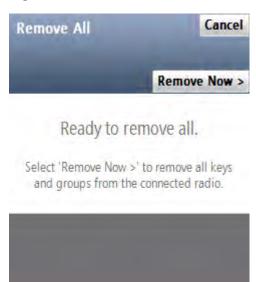
Figure 5-10 Configure a Radio Screen – Removing All Keys and Groups



3 Select Remove keys → Remove all.

Step result: A confirmation screen appears.

Figure 5-11 Remove All Screen



4 Tap Remove Now >.

Step result: All keys and key groups are removed.

5 Disconnect the target device and connect another target device to remove keys and key groups from, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

5.2 Viewing Keys in Target Devices

Prerequisites:

There are encryption keys in the target device.

Procedure Steps

1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the target device.

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2 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A tone is played and a list of available options appears.

Figure 5-12 Configure a Radio Screen – Viewing Keys



3 Select CKR keys.

Step result: The list of all available CKR keys appears.



The list is read-only.



Three sort methods are allowed:

- By the CKR ID (default)
- · By the Key ID
- By the Key type

Switch between sort methods by tapping the **Sort** button. It cycles through the sort methods from 1 to 3, then back to 1.

4 When you have finished viewing the keys, tap Done on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



6 KVL 4000 – Sharing Keys Between KVLs

In addition to loading keys into target devices, the KVL can also load (share) its keys to another KVL of the same or different model.

The following sharing functions are supported:

- Sharing a single key The source KVL can share a selected key with another KVL.
- Sharing a key group The source KVL can share its key groups (and the keys associated with these key groups) with another KVL.
- Sharing all keys and all key groups The source KVL can share all of its keys (including Traffic keys, Shadow keys, macros, and indexes) with another KVL.

The following rules apply to sharing:

- Sharing must be turned ON in both the source and target KVL. See 2.1.3 Turning Sharing On/Off, page 2-3.
- The target KVL must be on its main screen.
- Sharing cannot be performed between a KVL in ASN mode and a KVL in ASTRO® 25 mode. (To change the mode of operation, see 2.2.1 KVL 4000 Switching Between the Modes of Operation, page 2-11.)
- Only key data and key groups are shared. KVL configuration settings, the UKEK for each algorithm, and log records for the target KVL remain unchanged.
- In order to share single keys or key groups that contain DVI-XL keys, the System Keys of both KVLs must match.

6.1 Sharing a Single Key

Prerequisites:

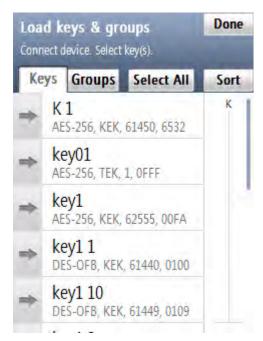
In order to share a selected key, the target KVL must support the algorithm of the key being shared. If you want to share a DVI-XL key, the System Keys in both KVLs must match for the sharing to be successful.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Load keys & groups \rightarrow Load keys & groups.

Step result: The list of available keys appears.

Figure 6-1 Load Keys & Groups Screen – Sharing a Key (Example)





You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Connect the target KVL using the KVL to KVL cable. (See 1.4.4.2 Connecting Two KVL Units, page 1-16.)



For the sharing operation to work, the target KVL must have the sharing function turned on and must be on its main screen.

3 Select the key you want to share by dragging the slider from left to right.



The KVL displays an animation indicating a busy sharing state. During this time, you can scroll to find the next key.

Step result: The key has been shared with the target KVL.

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4 Select another key to share, or disconnect the KVLs and tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

6.2 Sharing a Key Group and Associated Keys

Prerequisites:

If you share a key group that contains at least one DVI-XL key, the System Keys in both KVLs must match for the sharing to be successful.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select **Load keys & groups** → **Load keys & groups**.

Step result: The list of available keys appears.

Figure 6-2 Load Keys & Groups Screen – Sharing a Group (Example)



2 Select the **Groups** tab.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Connect the target KVL using the KVL to KVL cable. (See 1.4.4.2 Connecting Two KVL Units, page 1-16.)



For the sharing operation to work, the target KVL must have the sharing function turned on and must be on its main screen.

4 Select the group you want to share by dragging the slider from left to right.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the group is being shared. When the operation has completed successfully, you are returned to the list of groups.



Because groups may contain undefined keys (CKRs with no KID or key data), the number of keys shared may differ from the number of keys in the group. Only the defined keys in a group are shared with the target KVL.

5 Select another group to share, or disconnect the KVLs and tap Done on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

6.3 Sharing All Keys and All Groups

Prerequisites:

In order to share all keys, the target KVL must support the same algorithms as the source KVL (assuming that there is at least one key defined for each algorithm).

- Example 1: The source KVL is equipped with DES-XL, DES-OFB, and DVP-XL, and there is at least one key defined for each algorithm. The target KVL must also be equipped with DES-XL, DES-OFB, and DVP-XL.
- Example 2: The source KVL is equipped with AES-256, DES-OFB, and DVP-XL, but there are keys defined only for AES-256. The target KVL must also be equipped with at least AES-256.

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- 1 Select Load keys & groups on the KVL main screen.
- 2 Connect the target KVL using the KVL to KVL cable. (See 1.4.4.2 Connecting Two KVL Units, page 1-16.)



For the sharing operation to work, the target KVL must have the sharing function turned on and must be on its main screen.

3 Select Load all to Another KVL.

Step result: The confirmation screen appears.

4 Tap Load Now >.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the keys and groups are being shared. When the operation has completed successfully, a confirmation screen appears and a **completed** tone is played.



Because key groups may contain undefined keys (CKRs with no KID or key data), the number of keys shared may differ from the number of keys in the key group. Only the defined keys in a key group are shared with the target KVL.

5 Disconnect the KVLs and connect another KVL to load keys and key groups to, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



7

Using KVL 4000 in OTAR Systems



This chapter is applicable if your KVL is configured to support KMF operation.

The Motorola Over-the-Air Rekeying (OTAR) system is a secure communications system in which encryption keys can be sent to subscriber units via radio transmission in addition to directly connecting a KVL to a radio to load keys. OTAR provides flexibility and convenience in managing and administering encryption keys.

One of the infrastructure components in an OTAR system is the Key Management Facility (KMF). The KMF is a Windows NT-based computer that is responsible for:

- Storing and managing the encryption keys for an OTAR system
- Initiating key transmissions to radios



Before using the KVL to perform tasks in an OTAR system, program several parameters, as described in 7.1 Setting Up the KVL for KMF Operations, page 7-1.

The KVL can interface with the KMF to provide the following functions:

- Transfer the encryption keys required by the OTAR system from the KVL to the KMF You load the required keys into the KVL, connect the KVL to the KMF via a standard key load cable, and transfer the keys (one at a time) to the KMF for storage and management (see 4.1 Loading a Selected Key, page 4-1). The KMF then transfers encryption keys to target devices via OTAR.
- Download encryption keys from the KMF into the KVL Two methods are available for transferring encryption keys when OTAR cannot be performed, such as for radios that do not support OTAR, radios that are out of range, or radios that have not yet been initialized. The download from the KMF to the KVL may be performed either by direct cable connection or through a modem connection. The two methods of downloading keys are:
 - Individual keys are downloaded to the KVL key database which are then loaded directly into target devices (see Chapter 4 KVL 4000 Loading Encryption Keys into Target Devices). This method requires that you know the CKRs of the keys in the KVL key database.
 - With the use of the Store and Forward ASTRO® 25 feature, Key Management Messages (KMMs) usually containing encryption keys are downloaded to the KVL that is in turn used to update target devices. This operation does not require that you know the CKRs of the keys in the KVL database. This simplifies the key loading procedure. (See 7.2.4 Updating a Target Device, page 7-15.)

7.1 Setting Up the KVL for KMF Operations

Before using your KVL to work with a KMF, program several KMF-related parameters.

Prerequisites:

Your KVL supports KMF operation.

Process Steps

Enter a Unique Key Encryption Key (UKEK) required per algorithm in the KVL for OTAR systems. See 7.1.1 Entering the UKEK, page 7-2.



The UKEK consists of a KID and Key Data.

- 2 Enter a 7-digit KMF Radio Set Identifier (KMF RSI) number. See 7.1.6 Entering the KMF RSI, page 7-8.
- 3 Enter a 5-digit Message Number Period (MNP). See 7.1.7 Entering the MNP for OTAR, page 7-9.



The MNP provides additional rekeying security for OTAR systems.

- 4 Enter a 7-digit KVL Radio Set Identifier (KVL RSI) number. See 7.1.8 Entering the KVL RSI for OTAR, page 7-10.
- 5 Select the Main or Backup KMF. See 7.1.2 Selecting Main or Backup KMF, page 7-3.
- 6 If required, enter the Main and Backup KMF dial-up phone numbers for modem connections. See 7.1.3 Entering Main and Backup KMF Phone Numbers, page 7-4.
- 7 If required, enter the Main and Backup KMF port for the Network connection. See 7.1.4 Entering Main and Backup KMF Ports, page 7-6.
- 8 If required, enter the Main and Backup KMF IP address for the Network connection. See 7.1.5 Entering Main and Backup KMF IP Addresses, page 7-7.

7.1.1 Entering the UKEK

For an OTAR operation, program a Unique Key Encryption Key (UKEK) into the KVL for each algorithm being used. Each UKEK is a multi-character key typically assigned by the Crypto/Security Officer for the system, and is used to communicate with other secure equipment such as a KMF. The exact number of characters is determined by the algorithm.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter the UKEK for KMF operation.

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When and where to use:

Use these steps to enter the UKEK.



You enter the UKEK only once, after which it is permanently stored in the KVL memory. The UKEK is destroyed if the FIPS mode is enabled.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Settings \rightarrow KMF \rightarrow UKEKs.

Step result: A list of available algorithms appears.

2 Select the algorithm you want to enter the UKEK for.

Step result: A screen with the Hex keypad appears.

3 Enter the UKEK using the Hex keypad.

Step result: As you enter the digits, they appear in the info field and the green background indicates the progress. If you enter an incorrect digit, a **bad bonk** tone is played. When you have entered a valid string of digits, a check mark appears next to it.



To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation, tap **Cancel**.

4 Tap Done.

Step result: The UKEK for the selected algorithm has been entered.

5 Repeat step 2 through step 4 for each algorithm you want to enter a UKEK for. Then, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.2 Selecting Main or Backup KMF

The KVL supports dial-up phone numbers for a Main and a Backup KMF. You can determine which KMF is communicated with when making a connection.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can select Main or Backup KMF.

On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KMF** \rightarrow **Active KMF**.

Step result: A list of available options (Main or Backup KMF) appears, with the currently selected KMF highlighted.

Select the desired KMF.

Step result: The KMF you have selected is now active.

3 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.3 Entering Main and Backup KMF Phone Numbers

The KVL supports dial-up phone numbers for the Main and Backup KMF.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter KMF phone numbers.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to enter the Main and Backup KMF phone numbers.



You might have to experiment with your particular calling card service to determine the number of pauses needed and in which locations in the phone number string they must be placed. For example, a typical dialing sequence might be:

- · Dial Access Number
- Pause 4 seconds (2 commas)
- Dial the desired phone number
- Pause 2 seconds (1 comma)
- Dial Credit Card Number (or PIN number)

Procedure Steps

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KMF** \rightarrow **Phone** #s.

Step result: The phone keypad appears.

Figure 7-1 Phone #s Screen





The screen appears with the tab for the currently selected KMF open.

2 Select the tab for the KMF you want to enter the phone number for.

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3 Enter the phone number using the phone keypad.



If you need to enter an * or # characters, use the PDA keypad.



- As you tap the digits, they appear in the phone info field.
- To enter a pause, tap the **Pause** button. (A pause appears as comma-space, two pauses as comma-comma, and so on.)
- For the United States, the US parsing rules are used to split the string in 3-3-4 chunks.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits.
- To abort the operation, tap Cancel.
- 4 When you have entered a valid phone number, tap **Done**.

Step result: The phone number is changed.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.4 Entering Main and Backup KMF Ports

For the KVL to connect with the KMF through the Network, you need to configure the KMF port on the KVL.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter Main and Backup KMF ports.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KMF** \rightarrow **KMF port**.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

2 Enter the port number for the Main KMF.



The available range is 49156 through 65535.



If you change the default value, ensure it matches the port number configured on the KMF.

- 3 Select the **Backup** tab and enter the port number for the Backup KMF.
- 4 Tap Done.

Step result: The KMF ports are set.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.5 Entering Main and Backup KMF IP Addresses

For the KVL to connect with the KMF through the Network, you need to configure the KMF IP address on the KVL.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter Main and Backup KMF IP addresses.

Obtain the IP address from your radio network administrator.



The IP address have to be IPv4.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KMF** \rightarrow **IP address**.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

- 2 Enter the IP address of the Main KMF.
- 3 Select the **Backup** tab and enter the IP address of the Backup KMF.
- 4 Tap Done.

Step result: The IP addresses are set.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.6 Entering the KMF RSI

The KMF requires a Radio Set Identifier (RSI) in order to operate in the OTAR system. The KVL only accepts keys and KMMs from the KMF with this RSI.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter the KMF RSI.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to enter the KMF RSI.



Changing the KMF RSI removes received jobs.

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On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KMF** \rightarrow **KMF RSI**.

Step result: The decimal keypad appears.

2 Enter the RSI using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 1 through 9999999. The default value is 9999999.
- As you enter the digits, they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 7-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation, tap **Cancel**.
- 3 When you have entered the RSI, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.7 Entering the MNP for OTAR

The Message Number Period (MNP) is a feature used in an ASTRO® 25 system that provides additional security in the over-the-air rekeying of subscriber units. The MNP number serves as an offset value used in synchronizing OTAR rekeying transmissions.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter the MNP.

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On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KMF** \rightarrow **MNP**.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

2 Enter the MNP using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 0 through 65535. The default value is 1000.
- As you enter the digits, they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 5-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation, tap **Cancel**.
- 3 When you have entered the MNP, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.1.8 Entering the KVL RSI for OTAR

The KVL requires a Radio Set Identifier (RSI) in order to operate in the OTAR system.

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can enter the KVL RSI.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KVL RSI**.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

2 Enter the RSI using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 1 through 9999999. The default value is 9999998.
- As you enter the digits, they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 7-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation, tap **Cancel**.



The KVL RSI must match the individual RSI assigned to this KVL in the KMF.

3 When you have entered the RSI, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.2 Using the Store and Forward Feature

The Store and Forward feature (supported only in the ASTRO® 25 mode of operation) offers a simple and secure method of transferring keys and other messages from the KMF to target devices through the KVL.



The UKEK must be present in the KVL and target devices in order to support the Store and Forward operation.

7.2.1 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using Direct Connection

You can download encryption keys stored in the KMF to the KVL using a direct cable connection.

Prerequisites:

The KVL must have a UKEK assigned for the algorithm type of the keys being downloaded, and the UKEK must match the UKEK defined for this KVL in the KMF.

- 1 Connect the KVL to the KMF using the Null Modem Cable. (See 1.4.4.3.1 Connecting the KVL to the KMF Direct Connection, page 1-16.)
- 2 On the KVL main screen, select Store & Forward \rightarrow Connect to KMF \rightarrow Direct.

Step result: The following takes place:

- 1. The connection between KVL and KMF is established.
- 2. KVL sends status reports of radios to KMF.
- 3. KVL receives keys and jobs for radios from KMF.
- 3 When all the information has been sent, tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

7.2.2 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using Modem Connection

You can use a modem connection to download keys from a KMF to a KVL.

The following modem procedures are available:

- 7.2.2.1 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using USB Modem Connection, page 7-12
- 7.2.2.2 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using Serial Modem Connection, page 7-13

7.2.2.1 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using USB Modem Connection

Prerequisites:

Ensure that:

- The KVL has a UKEK assigned for the algorithm type of the keys being downloaded, and the UKEK matches the UKEK defined for this KVL in the KMF.
- You have the power supply and USB modem.

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1 Connect the KVL to the USB modem. (See 1.4.4.3.2 Connecting the KVL to the USB Modem for the KMF Communication, page 1-17.)



For the USB communication to work, the power supply must be connected to the KVL at all times.

- 2 On the KVL main screen, select Store & Forward → Connect to KMF → Through modem (USB).
 - **Step result:** The following takes place:
 - 1. The connection between KVL and KMF is established.
 - 2. KVL sends status reports of radios to KMF.
 - 3. KVL receives keys and jobs for radios from KMF.
- 3 When all the information has been sent, tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

7.2.2.2 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using Serial Modem Connection

Prerequisites:

The KVL must have a UKEK assigned for the algorithm type of the keys being downloaded, and the UKEK must match the UKEK defined for this KVL in the KMF.

- 1 Connect KVL to the serial modem. (See 1.4.4.3.3 Connecting the KVL to the Serial Modem for the KMF Communication, page 1-18.)
- 2 On the KVL main screen, select Store & Forward → Connect to KMF → Through modem (Serial).
 Step result: The following takes place:
 - 1. The connection between KVL and KMF is established.
 - 2. KVL sends status reports of radios to KMF.
 - 3. KVL receives keys and jobs for radios from KMF.
- When all the information has been sent, tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

7.2.3 Downloading Keys from KMF to KVL Using Network Connection

You can download encryption keys stored in the KMF to the KVL using a Network connection.

Prerequisites:

Ensure that:

- The KVL has a UKEK assigned for the algorithm type of the keys being downloaded, and the UKEK matches the UKEK defined for this KVL in the KMF.
- You have entered the KMF port and IP address in the KVL.
- You have performed 1.4.8 Configuring VPN Settings, page 1-26, if you want to establish the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola.
- You have the USB to Ethernet Adapter, MINI-B to Type-A USB Cable, and Ethernet cable.

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- 1 Connect the KVL to the Network. See 1.4.4.3.4 Connecting the KVL to the Network for the KMF Communication, page 1-19.
- If you want to establish the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola, see 1.4.9 Establishing the VPN Connection, page 1-43.
- 3 Launch the KVL application.
- 4 On the KVL main screen, select Store & Forward → Connect to KMF → Through network.

Step result: The connection between the KVL and KMF is established. The KVL sends status reports of radios to the KMF and then receives keys and jobs for radios from the KMF.

- 5 When all the information has been sent, tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.
- If you established the KVL to KMF Ethernet connection using the VPN client provided by Motorola, terminate the VPN connection. See 1.4.10 Terminating the VPN Connection, page 1-46.

7.2.4 Updating a Target Device

Prerequisites:

Keys are downloaded from the KMF to the KVL.

On the KVL main screen, select Store & Forward → Forward to radio.

Step result: A list of available target devices appears.



You can use the **Sort** button to sort the target devices on the list by:

- Name
- · Serial number
- ID
- · Update status

You can use the smart bar to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area (tapping a letter on the smart bar takes you to the first item on the list starting with this letter). If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

- 2 If the target device is an APX or XTS radio, set it to an OTAR-enabled personality.
- 3 Connect the target device to the KVL using an appropriate key load cable (see 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13) and tap the item for this device on the list.



If there are no updates for the device, it is indicated on the screen and the **attention** tone is played.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the device is being updated. When the update is completed, it is indicated on the screen and the **completed** tone is played.

- 4 Disconnect the target device.
- 5 Connect another target device to update, or tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

Postrequisites:

After you have performed a successful update on a target device, it cannot be updated again until you have connected the KVL to the KMF to upload the unit response messages.

7.2.5 Viewing the List of Received Jobs

Prerequisites:

The KVL received keys and jobs for radios from the KMF.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select Store & Forward → View received jobs.

Step result: A list of received jobs appears.



You can use the **Sort** button to sort items on the list by:

- Name
- · Serial number
- ID
- · Update status

You can use the smart bar to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area (tapping a letter on the smart bar takes you to the first item on the list starting with this letter). If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 To clear the list of received jobs, continue to 7.2.6 Clearing the List of Received Jobs, page 7-17.

7.2.6 Clearing the List of Received Jobs

Prerequisites:

- The KVL received keys and jobs for radios from the KMF.
- Only an Administrator can clear the list of received jobs.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to clear the list of received jobs.



Clearing the messages also erases all unit responses. Do not clear the messages until you have reconnected with the KMF and uploaded the unit responses.

- 1 Perform 7.2.5 Viewing the List of Received Jobs, page 7-16.
- 2 Tap the Clear button.

Step result: A confirmation screen appears.



To restore the list, tap the **Undo** button.

3 Tap Accept.

Step result: The list of received jobs has been cleared.

4 Tap Cancel to return to the KVL main screen.

7.3 Performing a Keyset Changeover on a Target Device

You can use the KVL to perform a keyset changeover (such as switching from Keyset 1 to Keyset 2) on a target device.

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- · an appropriate key load cable
- an adaptor (if required)

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1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect a target device.



If a device is already connected, this prompt is skipped. If a device becomes disconnected, you are returned to the prompt.

- 2 Connect the target device. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

 Step result: A connected tone is played and a list of available options appears.
- 3 Select Keysets.

Step result: A list of available keysets appears, with the active keyset highlighted and indicated with a check mark.

4 Tap the list item for the keyset which you want to set as active.

Step result: If the change takes more than 1 second, a progress animation appears while the keyset is being changed. Otherwise, the keyset is changed instantly, the **completed** tone is played, and the list item for the new keyset receives a check mark.

5 Disconnect the target device and tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.4 Managing OTAR Configuration Parameters in Target Devices

The following parameters are required by target devices in order to operate within an OTAR system:

- · Target's RSI
- KMF RSI
- MNP

In most cases, these parameters are loaded into the target devices automatically by the KVL during the initial Store and Forward update through the KMF. The KVL has the capability of viewing these parameters, as well as loading new parameters into target devices (if necessary).

7.4.1 Viewing the Target's MNP

You can connect the KVL to a target device (such as a radio, DIU, or RNC) and view the MNP currently stored in the device.

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- an appropriate key load cable
- an adaptor (if required)

Procedure Steps

1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect a target device.



If the device is already connected, this prompt is skipped. If a device becomes disconnected, you are returned to the prompt.

- 2 Connect the target device. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.) **Step result:** A **connected** tone is played and a list of available options appears.
- 3 Select MNP.

Step result: The **MNP** list item appears with the currently selected value presented.



If the value is being actively updated, the list item says [updating...] instead of presenting the value.

4 To change the target device's MNP, continue to 7.4.3 Changing the Target's MNP, page 7-21.

7.4.2 Viewing the Target's RSI and KMF RSI

You can connect the KVL to a target device (such as a radio, DIU, or RNC) and view the RSI and KMF RSI currently stored in the device.

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- · an appropriate key load cable
- an adaptor (if required)

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1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect a target device.



If the device is already connected, this prompt is skipped. If a device becomes disconnected, you are returned to the prompt.

- 2 Connect the target device. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.) Step result: A connected tone is played and a list of available options appears.
- 3 Select RSIs.

Step result: A list of RSI values appears.



- If a value is being actively updated, the list item says [updating...] instead of presenting the value.
- The Group RSI list item is read-only.
- 4 To change the target device's RSI or KMF RSI, continue to 7.4.4 Changing the Target's RSI and KMF RSI, page 7-22.

7.4.3 Changing the Target's MNP

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- · an appropriate key load cable
- an adaptor (if required)

- 1 Perform 7.4.1 Viewing the Target's MNP, page 7-19.
- 2 Tap the MNP list item.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

3 Delete the existing MNP using the < Del key, and enter the new MNP using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 0 through 65535. The default value is 1000.
- As you enter the digits they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 5-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation and return to the previous screen, tap **Cancel**.
- 4 When you have entered the MNP, tap **Done**.

Step result: The MNP is changed and you return to the previous screen. When the MNP is updated in the target device, the **completed** tone is played.

5 Disconnect the target device, and tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

7.4.4 Changing the Target's RSI and KMF RSI

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- · an appropriate key load cable
- · an adaptor (if required)

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- 1 Perform 7.4.2 Viewing the Target's RSI and KMF RSI, page 7-20.
- 2 Tap the **RSI** or **KMF RSI** list item, depending on which one you want to change.

Step result: A screen with the decimal keypad appears.

B Delete the existing value using the < Del key, and enter the new value using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 1 through 9999999. The default value is 9999999.
- As you enter the digits they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 7-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation and return to the previous screen, tap **Cancel**.
- 4 When you have entered the correct value, tap **Done**.

Step result: The value is changed and you return to the previous screen. When the value is updated in the target device, the **completed** tone is played.

5 Disconnect the target device, and tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



8 KVL 4000 Operations Through a Remote Control Head

Sometimes, when servicing a mobile radio's secure parameters, it can be difficult to gain access to the radio's direct key loading port. The radio may be mounted in a vehicles trunk along with other assorted equipment or in another equally inaccessible location.

Motorola's Remote Control Head Key loading feature allows you to remotely perform operations on a radio through a Remote Control Head that can be mounted in a vehicles cabin.

8.1 Performing KVL Operations Through a Remote Control Head

Process Steps

- 1 Set up your KVL for Remote Control Head operations. See 8.2 Setting Up KVL for Remote Control Head Operations, page 8-1.
- 2 Provision a radio for Remote Control Head key loading. See 8.3 Provisioning a Radio for Remote Control Head Key Loading, page 8-5.
- 3 Connect the KVL to the Remote Control Head. See 8.4 Connecting the KVL to the Mobile Radio's Remote Control Head, page 8-6.
- 4 Initiate one of the operations. For details, see the appropriate chapters of this manual:
 - Chapter 4 KVL 4000 Loading Encryption Keys into Target Devices
 - Chapter 5 KVL 4000 Managing Keys in Target Devices
 - Chapter 7 Using KVL 4000 in OTAR Systems

8.2 Setting Up KVL for Remote Control Head Operations

Before using your KVL to perform operations on a radio through a Remote Control Head, program several security parameters.

Process Steps

Enter a Signaling Encryption Key (SEK) and a Key Encryption Key (KEK) required per algorithm in the KVL. See 8.2.1 Entering the SEK and KEK, page 8-2.



- The KEK secures keys exchanged between the KVL and the radio through the Remote Control Head.
- The SEK secures messages exchanged between the KVL and the radio through the Remote Control Head.
- 2 Entry a 5-digit Message Number Period. See 8.2.2 Entering the MNP for Remote Control Head Operations, page 8-3.



The MNP provides additional rekeying security for remote key loading.

3 Enter a 7-digit KVL Radio Set Identifier (KVL RSI) number. See 8.2.3 Entering the KVL RSI for Remote Control Head Operations, page 8-4.

8.2.1 Entering the SEK and KEK

In order to perform KVL operations on a radio through a Remote Control Head, define a SEK and KEK for each algorithm used by the KVL.

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On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **Control head keys**.

Step result: A list of available algorithms appears.

2 Select the desired algorithm.

Step result: A screen with the **SEK** and **KEK** entries appears.



NOTE

Since both parameters are required, the **Done** button is not available until you have entered both the SEK and KEK.

3 Select SEK.

Step result: A Hex keypad appears.

4 Enter the parameter using the Hex keypad and tap **Done**.

Step result: The SEK has been entered.

5 Select **KEK** and repeat step 4.

Step result: The KEK has been entered.

- 6 Tap Done.
- If you want to set up the SEK and KEK for another algorithm, perform step 2 through step 6 for this algorithm. Otherwise, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

8.2.2 Entering the MNP for Remote Control Head Operations

The Message Number Period (MNP) is used in an ASTRO® 25 system to provide additional security in the remote rekeying of subscriber units. The MNP number may range from 0 through 65535, and serves as an offset value used in synchronizing remote rekeying transmissions.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to enter the MNP.



Entering an MNP value of 0 or 65535 disables Message Number checking and weakens your system's security. Consult with your Security Officer to obtain the recommended value.

On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **Tactical OTAR** \rightarrow **MNP**.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

2 Enter the MNP using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 0 through 65535. The default value is 1000.
- As you enter the digits they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 5-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation, tap **Cancel**.
- 3 When you have entered the MNP, tap **Done**.



If you have entered an incorrect value, the **Done** button is disabled.

4 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

8.2.3 Entering the KVL RSI for Remote Control Head Operations

The KVL requires a Radio Set Identifier (RSI) in order to operate in the Remote Control Head key loading mode.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** \rightarrow **KVL RSI**.

Step result: A decimal keypad appears.

2 Enter the RSI using the decimal keypad.



- The available values range from 1 through 9999999. The default value is 9999998.
- As you enter the digits they appear in the info field. If you have entered a 7-digit value, the keypad becomes disabled.
- To delete a digit you have entered, tap the < **Del** key, or hold it to delete all entered digits. To abort the operation, tap **Cancel**.
- 3 When you have entered the RSI, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

8.3 Provisioning a Radio for Remote Control Head Key Loading

In order to be able to perform operations through a Remote Control Head, provision a radio with keys for the available algorithms.

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- an appropriate key load cable
- an adaptor (if required)

Procedure Steps

1 Select Configure a radio on the KVL main screen.

Step result: You are prompted to connect a radio.



If the device is already connected, this prompt is skipped. If the device becomes disconnected, you are returned to the prompt.

2 Connect the radio. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A **connected** tone is played and a list of available options appears.

3 Scroll down the screen and select **Provision radio**.

Step result: A list of available algorithms appears.

4 Tap Start >.

Step result: The provisioning process starts for each of the defined algorithms one by one. The status of the process is indicated on the list item for each algorithm:

- Waiting... waiting to be provisioned
- **Provisioning...** in process

When all the processes are completed, a screen appears with the statuses for each of the algorithms. The possible statuses are:

- **Provisioning successful** when the process is completed successfully.
- **Provisioning failed** when the process is completed but failed.
- **Keys not defined** when there are no keys defined for the particular algorithm.
- 5 Disconnect the radio.
- 6 If you want to provision another radio, tap **Done** to return to the list of options and repeat step 2 through step 5. Otherwise, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

8.4 Connecting the KVL to the Mobile Radio's Remote Control Head

Prerequisites:

Ensure you have:

- Data cable
- · DB9 Gender Changer

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- 1 Take the data cable (HKN6183) and the DB9 Gender Changer (provided with the KVL).
- 2 Connect the KVL to the mobile radio's Remote Control Head through the DB9 (RS-232) Port and the DB9 Gender Changer.

Figure 8-1 KVL Connected to a Mobile Radio's Remote Control Head





9 KVL 4000 – Working with Tactical OTAR Groups

Tactical OTAR is a Motorola feature that allows a KVL to wirelessly manage a key (TEK only) for a small group of radios, with one radio serving as an RF modem. The radio serving as an RF modem must be equipped with the Tactical Rekey/OTAR feature. The radio serving as an RF modem may also be a member of any one of the managed Tactical OTAR groups.

9.1 Equipment Needed For Tactical OTAR

You need the following equipment for Tactical OTAR:

- Data cable (see Table B-5 Interface Cables)
- DB9 Gender Changer
- Radio equipped with the Tactical Rekey/OTAR feature

Figure 9-1 Tactical OTAR Equipment (Example)



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9.2 Setting Up Tactical OTAR

Prerequisites:

All radios must be configured with distinct RSIs and IP addresses for proper operation.

Procedure Steps

1 Create a Tactical OTAR group (see 9.3 Creating a New Tactical OTAR Group, page 9-2).

Step result: The group is now ready for new members.

2 Add members to the Tactical OTAR group (see 9.6 Adding a Member to a Tactical OTAR Group, page 9-5).

Step result: The members are now ready to be updated wirelessly.

3 Update the Tactical OTAR group (see 9.9 Updating a Tactical OTAR Group, page 9-8).

Step result: The members can now talk securely.

9.3 Creating a New Tactical OTAR Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can create a Tactical OTAR group.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to create a Tactical OTAR group.



You can create up to 10 Tactical OTAR groups.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Tactical OTAR → Manage OTAR groups.

Step result: The list of available tactical OTAR groups (if any) appears.

- 2 Tap the + button to define the parameters of a new tactical OTAR group.
- 3 Enter the name of the group using the PDA keypad.



The name can consist of up to 8 characters, including spaces.

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4 Select an algorithm for the group.



The **Algorithm** list item is read-only if only a single algorithm is defined.

5 Select **TEK** to define the Traffic Encryption Key for the group.

Step result: The list of TEKs appears.

6 You can either select a key from the list or enter a new key by tapping the + button.



For details on how to enter encryption keys, see 3.1 Entering Encryption Keys, page 3-1. When entering a new key, remember that **Algorithm** and **Key Type** have already been predefined.

7 Select **SEK** to define the Signaling Encryption Key for the group.

Step result: The list of SEKs appears.

8 You can either select a key from the list or enter a new key by tapping the + button.



For details on how to enter encryption keys, see 3.1 Entering Encryption Keys, page 3-1. When entering a new key, remember that **Algorithm** and **Key Type** have already been predefined.

9 Select **KEK** to define the Key Encryption Key for the group.

Step result: The list of KEKs appears.

10 You can either select a key from the list or enter a new key by tapping the + button.



For details on how to enter encryption keys, see 3.1 Entering Encryption Keys, page 3-1. When entering a new key, remember that **Algorithm** and **Key Type** have already been predefined.

- 11 If you want to add a member to the group, perform 9.6 Adding a Member to a Tactical OTAR Group, page 9-5.
- 12 Tap Done when ready.

Step result: A new tactical OTAR group has been created.

13 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

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9.4 Deleting an Existing Tactical OTAR Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can delete a Tactical OTAR group.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Tactical OTAR → Manage OTAR groups.

Step result: The list of available tactical OTAR groups (if any) appears.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Select the group you want to delete.

Step result: Details for the group appear.

3 Tap Delete.

Step result: A confirmation screen appears.

4 Tap Accept to confirm.



To restore the group, tap Undo.

Step result: The group has been deleted.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

9.5 Viewing the Members of a Tactical OTAR Group

Prerequisites:

A Tactical OTAR group is created.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select Tactical OTAR → Manage OTAR groups.

Step result: The list of available Tactical OTAR groups (if any) appears.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Select the group you want to view members for.

Step result: The details for the group appear.

3 Select Members.

Step result: A list of available members appears.

4 When finished, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

9.6 Adding a Member to a Tactical OTAR Group

Before a radio can be a part of a Tactical OTAR group, it must first be added to that Tactical OTAR group.

Prerequisites:

A Tactical OTAR group is created.

When and where to use:

Use these steps to add a member to a Tactical OTAR group.



You can add up to 50 members to one Tactical OTAR group.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Tactical OTAR** → **Manage OTAR groups**.

Step result: The list of available Tactical OTAR groups (if any) appears.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Select the group you want to add a member to.

Step result: The details for the group appear.

3 Select Members.

Step result: A list of available members appears.

4 Tap the + button.

Step result: You are prompted to connect a radio.

5 Connect the radio. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: The target radio has been added as a member, and a completed tone is played.

6 Disconnect the radio and connect a new radio if you want to add another target unit as a member, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

9.7 Removing a Member from a Tactical OTAR Group

Prerequisites:

A Tactical OTAR group is created.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Tactical OTAR** → **Manage OTAR groups**.

Step result: The list of available Tactical OTAR groups (if any) appears.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Select the group you want to remove a member from.

Step result: The details for the group appear.

3 Select Members.

Step result: A list of available members appears.

4 Drag the slider from right to left to remove a member from the group.

Step result: The member has been removed.

5 Remove another member, or tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

9.8 Editing the TEK of a Tactical OTAR Group

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can edit the TEK of a Tactical OTAR group.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Tactical OTAR** → **Manage OTAR groups**.

Step result: The list of available Tactical OTAR groups (if any) appears.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

2 Select the group you want to edit the TEK for.

Step result: The details for the group appear.

3 Select TEK.

Step result: The list of TEKs appears.

4 You can either select a key from the list or enter a new key by tapping the + button.



For details on how to enter encryption keys, see 3.1 Entering Encryption Keys, page 3-1. When entering a new key, remember that **Algorithm** and **Key Type** have already been predefined.

Step result: The TEK has been modified.



Upon the next update request for the Tactical OTAR group using the updated CKR as a TEK, the new key information is sent to all the members of the group.

5 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

9.9 Updating a Tactical OTAR Group

Prerequisites:

A Tactical OTAR group is created.

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- 1 Power on all the member radios of the Tactical OTAR group.
- 2 On the KVL main screen, select Tactical OTAR → Update an OTAR group.

Step result: The list of available Tactical OTAR groups appears.



You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

3 Select the group you want to update.

Step result: The list of group members appears.



An icon indicates whether a member is updated (check mark), or requires an update (exclamation mark).

4 Tap Quick update if you want only the members that require and update to be updated or select Full update if you want all members to be updated.

Step result: You are prompted to connect the radio.

5 Connect the radio. (See 1.4.4.1 Connecting the KVL to a Radio or Another Target Device, page 1-13.)

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the group is being updated. When the process is complete, a screen with all Success and Failed members appears.



The following status messages are possible during and after the update process:

- No update needed displayed in case of a quick update.
- Updating... displayed for the current member being updated.
- Update successful displayed for a successful update.
- Waiting to be updated displayed for other members to be updated.
- Not responding or Can't decrypt messages Reasons for failed update displayed in case of update failure.
- 6 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



10 Managing Log Records

The KVL maintains a running record of the most recent 100 successful key load operations.

The format of each log record entry on the list is as follows:

• First line: Date/Time

· Second line: Role/Action Performed

• Third line: Entity Name/CKR ID/PID/Target ID

Log records can be:

- · Viewed and scrolled on the KVL screen.
- Exported to a PC for printing or saving to a file.
- Cleared (erased) from the KVL memory.

10.1 Organization of Log Records

The log records are stored chronologically in a 100-location continuous buffer, with the most recent log record displayed first each time you access the log records.

Each new log record created is appended to the beginning of the buffer, with each existing log record moving down one position.

When the buffer is full (100 entries maximum), the next new log record is appended to the beginning, the existing log records move down one position, and the oldest log record is overwritten.

10.2 Accessing Log Records

Prerequisites:

There are log records in the KVL memory.

1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** → **Operations log**.

Step result: The list of log records appears.

Figure 10-1 Operations Log (Example)





You can scroll through the list or quickly jump to a selected area using the smart bar on the right side of the screen.

When you have finished viewing log records, tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

10.3 Clearing Log Records

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can clear log records.

Procedure Steps

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On the KVL main screen, select Settings → Operations log.
 Step result: The list of log records appears.

Figure 10-2 Operations Log – Clear (Example)



2 Select the Clear button.

Step result: A confirmation screen appears.

Figure 10-3 Clearing Logs - Confirmation Screen



To restore the log, tap **Undo**.

3 Tap Accept to confirm.



Only the logs for the current mode of operation (ASN, ASTRO® 25, or Radio Authentication) are cleared. **Step result:** The log records have been cleared.

4 Tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

10.4 Exporting Log Records to a PC

You can connect the KVL to a COM port on a PC (typically a laptop) and export log records to the PC. You can then print log records from the PC or save them on the PC as a file.

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Prerequisites:

A communications program, such as Microsoft HyperTerminal, must be running on the PC in order to export log records.

Procedure Steps

1 Connect an appropriate cable between the KVL DB9 Port (RS-232) and a COM port on the PC. Depending on the cable type, you may need to use a gender changer.



Ensure that the baud rate set up in the KVL matches the baud rate in the communications program.

- 2 Launch a communications program on the PC (such as Microsoft HyperTerminal or equivalent). Set up the program as follows:
 - No parity
 - 8 bits
 - 1 stop bit
 - Translate line feeds <LF> to Carriage Return and Line Feed <CR><LF>
 - 80 character width
- 3 On the KVL main screen, select Settings \rightarrow Operations $\log \rightarrow$ Print \rightarrow Print Now>.

Step result: A progress animation appears, indicating that the log records are being exported to the PC. When the log records have been exported successfully, you return to the list of log records.

4 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.



11 Keys

KVL 4000 – Converting Encryption



This chapter is applicable only if your KVL is configured to work in both ASN and ASTRO® 25 modes of operation.

If your KVL is configured to work in both ASN and ASTRO® 25 modes of operation, you can convert encryption keys between these two modes. Converting keys allows you to copy an ASN Traffic or Shadow key from its ASN memory location (stored to a PID and containing a LID) and load it into an empty ASTRO® 25 TEK or KEK memory location (stored to a CKR and containing a KID), and the other way around.

11.1 When to Convert Keys

Converting keys is used most commonly for copying keys between ASN and ASTRO® 25 in the KVL memory.

There may be occasions when you have an existing key in an ASN memory location and wish to duplicate it for use on an ASTRO® 25 target. By converting the key from the ASN memory to ASTRO® 25 memory within the KVL, you save the effort of recreating the key in the ASTRO® 25 memory and reentering the encryption key data. You may also convert keys from the ASTRO® 25 memory and load them into the ASN memory.

11.2 Key Converting Restrictions and Guidelines

Observe the following restrictions and guidelines when converting keys:

- Only keys with AES-256, DES-OFB, DES-XL, DVP-XL, and DVI-XL algorithms can be converted.
- TEKs of the same algorithm type stored in ASTRO® 25 memory cannot have duplicate KIDs (including 0000).
- Traffic Keys (ASN) can be converted only to Traffic Encryption Keys (TEK) locations in ASTRO® 25
 memory (and the other way around); Shadow Keys (ASN) can be converted only to Key Encryption Keys
 (KEK) locations in ASTRO® 25 memory (and the other way around).
- Keys can be converted only to an empty memory location; overwriting is not allowed.
- Keys must be converted one at a time.

11.3 Converting a Key from ASN to ASTRO 25

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can convert keys.

Procedure Steps

1 On the KVL main screen, select Manage \rightarrow Keys.

Step result: The Manage keys screen appears, with a list of available Traffic keys.

Figure 11-1 Manage Keys Screen – Converting ASN Key (Example)





To see the list of available Shadow keys, select the **Shadow** tab. You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

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2 Select the desired key.

Step result: A screen with details for the selected key appears.

Figure 11-2 Converting to ASTRO 25 (Example)



3 Select Convert to ASTRO25.

Step result: If you have made changes to the key, you are prompted to confirm conversion. Otherwise, you are prompted to provide details for the ASTRO® 25 key.

4 From the list of available algorithms, select the algorithm for the key.

Step result: A screen with the decimal keypad appears, prompting you to enter the CKR ID for the key.

5 Enter the CKR ID using the decimal keypad.



If you are converting a Traffic key, the valid CKR range is 1-4095. If you are converting a Shadow key, the valid CKR range is 61440-65535.

6 Tap Convert >.

Step result: A screen appears, informing that the conversion has completed successfully.

- 7 Tap **OK**.
- 8 Tap Done.

9 If you want to convert another key, perform step 2 through step 8 for this key. Otherwise, tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.

11.4 Converting a Key from ASTRO 25 to ASN

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can convert keys.

Procedure Steps

Select Manage keys on the KVL main screen.

Step result: A list of available keys appears.

Figure 11-3 Manage Keys Screen – Converting ASTRO 25 Key (Example)





You can use the smart bar on the right side of the screen to scroll through the list or quickly jump within the list to a selected area. If the list fits completely on the screen, the smart bar is disabled.

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2 Select the desired key.

Step result: A screen with details for the selected key appears.

Figure 11-4 Converting to ASN (Example)



3 Select Convert to ASN.

Step result: If you have made changes to the key, you are prompted to confirm conversion. Otherwise, a screen with the decimal keypad appears, prompting you to enter the Physical ID for the key.

4 Enter the PID for the key using the decimal keypad.



The valid PID range is 0–511.

5 Tap Convert >.

Step result: A screen appears, informing that the conversion has completed successfully.

- **6** Tap **OK**.
- 7 If you want to convert another key, perform step 2 through step 6 for this key. Otherwise, tap **Done** to return to the KVL main screen.



12 KVL 4000 – Troubleshooting

12.1 KVL Error Messages

Error messages displayed by the KVL can be divided into two types:

- User Entry Errors Displayed in response to an illegal or disallowed action (such as entering an invalid value, entering a duplicate KID, and so on). See 12.1.1 KVL User Entry Errors, page 12-1.
- **Operational Errors** Displayed during normal operation in response to a user-initiated action, such as attempting to load a key to a target device. See 12.1.2 KVL Operational Errors, page 12-2.

12.1.1 KVL User Entry Errors

This section lists all possible user entry errors along with their probable causes and remedies.

Table 12-1 KVL User Entry Errors

Error/Status Message	Probable Cause	Remedy
Algorithm mismatch	(Displayed for a single algorithm mismatch.)	1. Use the KVL that has the same algorithm as the target device.
	 During key loading, the KVL does not have the same algorithm as the target device. 	2. Purchase an appropriate algorithm and add it to the KVL or target device.
	2. During sharing, the KVLs do not have the same algorithm.	
[X] algorithm mismatches.	(Displayed for more than one algorithm mismatch.)	1. Use the KVL that has the same algorithms as the target device.
	 During key loading, the KVL does not have the same algorithms as the target device. 	2. Purchase appropriate algorithms and add them to the KVL or target device.
	2. During sharing, the KVLs do not have the same algorithms.	
Error Key could not be converted. Enter another CKR value.	Displayed when you have entered a duplicate CKR value while attempting to convert an ASN PID key to an ASTRO® 25 CKR Key.	Enter another CKR value.

Table 12-1 KVL User Entry Errors (cont'd.)

Error/Status Message	Probable Cause	Remedy
Error Key could not be converted. Enter another PID value.	Displayed when you have entered a duplicate PID value while attempting to convert an ASTRO® 25 CKR Key to an ASN PID key.	Enter another PID value.
Error The key entered is weak. Enter a strong key.	Displayed when you have entered key that has been determined to be cryptographically weak and unworthy for use in the system.	Try entering another key.
Oops Red key transfers are not allowed in FIPS Level 3 mode.	Displayed when an unencrypted (red) key transfer is initiated while in FIPS Level 3 mode, where only encrypted (black) key loading is allowed.	Use a target device that supports encrypted (black) key loading only, or change FIPS to Level 2.
Error Duplicate Key ID found.	A key with this KID already exists in the KVL database.	Enter another KID value.
Error Duplicate Name found.	The name you have entered for the key already exists.	Enter another name.
Error Duplicate CKR ID found.	A key with this CKR already exists in the KVL database.	Enter another CKR value.

12.1.2 KVL Operational Errors

This section lists all operational errors along with their probable causes and remedies.

For most of the operational errors, the cause is a faulty cable connection between the KVL and the target device. Ensure that the connection is good and try the operation again. If it still fails, contact Support (see 12.9 Contacting Motorola, page 12-14).

Table 12-2 KVL Operational Errors

Error/Status Message	Probable Cause	Remedy
Out of memory	The KVL internal database is full and cannot store any more data.	Delete any items stored in the KVL to make room for new data. This includes items such as unused keys, logs, and Store & Forward jobs.
No updates for this radio.	No jobs have been received for the connected target device.	Connect to KMF to obtain jobs for the target device.



The KMF operator may have to associate this target device with the KVL in use to have the KVL Store &

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Table 12-2 KVL Operational Errors (cont'd.)

Error/Status Message	Probable Cause	Remedy
		Forward jobs for this target device.
Radio has already been updated.	The KVL has already delivered the jobs it had to this target device. No additional updates can be made.	Connect to the KMF before attempting another upload to this target device.
Error Serial connection could not be established. Retry?	The direct link or modem link between the KVL and the KMF could not be established. Serial cable may be detached.	Check the connection and select Yes, try connecting again.
Error USB connection could not be established. Retry?	A connection between the KVL and the USB modem could not be established. USB modem may be detached or Security Adapter external power adapter may be not	Check the connection and select Yes , try connecting again .
	attached.	External power adapter must be used for USB modems.
Error Load All could not be performed. {Out of memory}	The target device or KVL cannot hold any more keys.	Remove any keys or Store & Forward messages in the target device or KVL to make room for the keys that the KVL is trying to send.
Error Load All could not be performed. {Algorithm mismatch}	Displayed for a single algorithm mismatch during a share operation when the source KVL is trying to send a key to the destination KVL that has an algorithm that the destination KVL does not support.	Do not attempt to share keys with an algorithm that is not supported by the destination KVL.
Error Load All could not be performed. {[X] algorithm mismatches.}	Displayed for more than one algorithm mismatch during a share operation when the source KVL is trying to send a key to the destination KVL that has algorithms that the destination KVL does not support.	Do not attempt to share keys with algorithms that are not supported by the destination KVL.
Error Database has been corrupted.	The KVL has suffered an event that left its database corrupted and the resulting data cannot be trusted.	Perform a System Reset or exit the application.
Can't decrypt messages.	A Tactical OTAR member has not been provisioned correctly. Either the Tactical TEK, SEK or KEK is missing from the radio.	Add the member again to the Tactical OTAR group.
Error Security adapter not connected. Check connection.	The Security Adapter got disconnected.	Reattach the Security Adapter and select Retry connection .

Table 12-2 KVL Operational Errors (cont'd.)

Error/Status Message	Probable Cause	Remedy
Oops Could not update radio. Check connection.	The target device may be disconnected.	Check connection and retry the operation.
Oops Could not get the radio's MNP. Check connection.	The target device may be disconnected.	Check connection and retry the operation.
Oops Could not get the radio's keysets. Check connection.	The target device may be disconnected.	Check connection and retry the operation.
Oops Could not get the radio's KMF RSI. Check connection.	The target device may be disconnected.	Check connection and retry the operation.
Oops Could not get the radio's RSI. Check connection.	The target device may be disconnected.	Check connection and retry the operation.
Oops Could not change the radio's active keysets. Check connection.	The target device may be disconnected.	Check connection and retry the operation.
Check radio's algorithm (Displayed as a key subtitle)	An algorithm issue occurred.	Check the connection to the target device and make sure that the target device supports the algorithm of the key being loaded.
Not supported by radio (Displayed as a key subtitle)	An algorithm is not supported.	Check the connection to the target device and make sure that the target device supports the algorithm of the key being loaded.
The KVL 3000/3000 Plus is emitting continuous success tones when connected to the KVL 4000 for sharing.	The KVL 4000 is trying to determine if the KVL 3000/3000 Plus is connected or disconnected.	Turn off the sound for the KVL 3000/3000 Plus.

12.2 Performing a System Reset

Resetting causes the KVL to erase the UKEKs, all stored keys, key groups, log records, and passwords, and reset the configuration settings to the factory defaults. For KVLs equipped for triple mode operation (ASN, ASTRO® 25, and Radio Authentication), resetting erases UKEKs, ASN keys, ASTRO® 25 keys, all stored radio – key pairs, macros, key groups, log records, and passwords.

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1 On the KVL main screen, select **Settings** → **System reset**. Alternatively, if user authentication is set on your KVL, press the Windows key on the PDA and hold it for 5 seconds to go to the System Reset screen.



CAUTION

Use this option with caution as a system reset resets the KVL to its original state. All settings are reset and all data is deleted.

2 Drag the Reset System slider from left to right. Alternatively, highlight the slider and use the navigation key on the PDA to move it.

Step result: The system is being reset. When the action is completed, you are logged out of the KVL application and the Welcome screen appears.

Figure 12-1 KVL System Reset Slider – Subsequent States



12.3 Unlocking the Operator Account

Prerequisites:

Only an Administrator can unlock the Operator account.

Procedure Steps

 $1 \quad \text{Select Settings} \rightarrow \text{Security} \rightarrow \text{Unlock operator account} \rightarrow \text{Yes, unlock now}.$

Step result: The Operator account is unlocked.

2 Tap **Done** on the consecutive screens to return to the KVL main screen.

12.4 Setting the PDA USB Mode

When and where to use:

Sometimes, the PDA may not automatically detect whether it should work in a Host mode (when connected to the Security Adapter), or in a Client mode (when connected to a PC). In such a case, use these steps to set the PDA USB mode manually.



- On the Today screen, select
- 2 Select Settings \rightarrow System \rightarrow USBConfig.
- 3 Perform one of the following actions:
 - If there are two options available (USB Host and USB Client), then select USB Host if you need to connect the PDA to the Security Adapter, or select USB Client if you need to connect the PDA to a PC.
 - If there are three options available (USB Host, USB Client, and USB OTG), then select USB OTG to allow the KVL to auto detect whether it is connected to the Security Adapter or a PC.

12.5 KVL 4000 Disaster Recovery

Table 12-3 KVL 4000 Disaster Recovery

Event	Remedy	
Hardware failure	Replace the device and reenter all the lost data. Refer to this manual to configure your KVL with all the necessary parameters.	
	SUGGESTION	
	Keep non-sensitive data in a secure location so that you can restore it quickly when needed.	
KVL application failure	Reinstall the KVL application. See "Running the KVL Software Installation Wizard" in the KVL 4000 FLASHPort Upgrade User Guide.	

12.6 Troubleshooting KVL Application and/or VPN Software Failure

If you are experiencing problems with the KVL and/or NCP applications, follow "Running the KVL Software Installation Wizard" in the KVL 4000 FLASHPort Upgrade User Guide to reinstall the applications.

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12.7 Disassembling the Security Adapter

When and where to use:

Use these steps to disassemble the Security Adapter.

Figure 12-2 Security Adapter - Exploded View





Make sure to exit the KVL application on the PDA before disconnecting the Security Adapter. Otherwise, you may lose any unsaved work or cause data corruption.

Procedure Steps

1 Remove the self-tapping screws and then remove the back housing.

Figure 12-3 Removing Back Housing



2 Remove the dust covers from the tongue features on the front housing.

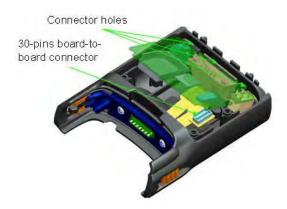
Figure 12-4 Removing Dust Covers



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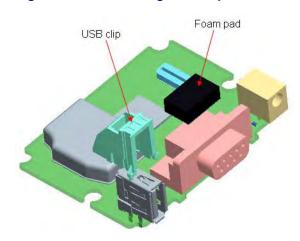
3 Remove the connectors from the front housing connector holes, disconnect the 30-pins board-to-board connector from the flex to the PCB, and remove the PCB assembly from the front housing.

Figure 12-5 Removing PCB Assembly



4 Remove the USB clip from the USB connector and the foam pad from the DB-9 connector on the PCB assembly.

Figure 12-6 Removing USB Clip and Foam Pad

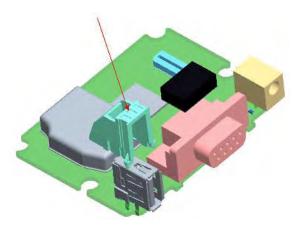


12.8 Assembling the Security Adapter

Procedure Steps

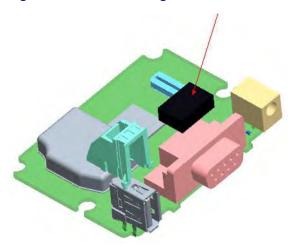
1 Attach the USB clip to the USB connector on the PCB.

Figure 12-7 Assembling USB Clip



Attach the foam pad on top of the DB-9 connector. Ensure that the foam pad is aligned to the middle of the DB-9 face.

Figure 12-8 Assembling Foam Pad



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3 Dress the O-ring to the O-ring groove at the back housing. Ensure that the O-ring tabs are slotted to the back housing features. Orient the O-ring so that its tabs' size matches the back housing features' size.

Figure 12-9 Assembling O-Ring



4 Connect the 30-pins board-to-board connector from the flex to the PCB.

Figure 12-10 Assembling Front Housing - PCB



5 Slot the connectors through the front housing connector holes.

Figure 12-11 Assembling Front Housing – Connectors



6 Place the PCB assembly to the front housing. Ensure the PCB sits properly on screw bosses.

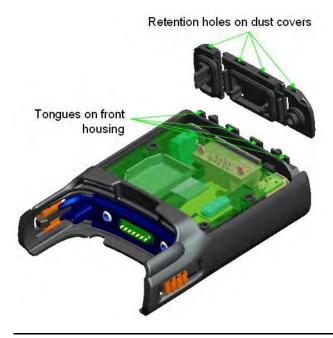
Figure 12-12 Assembling Front Housing – PCB Placed



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7 Slot in the dust cover retention holes through the tongue features on the front housing.





8 Press down the back housing to the front housing vertically. Before closing the back housing, verify that the USB clip is assembled correctly.

Figure 12-14 Assembling Back Housing to Front Housing



9 Tighten the back housing with the self-tapping screws (tightening torque: 7 lbf.in).

Figure 12-15 Tightening Back Housing



10 Press the dust covers until they are flush with the front housing.

Figure 12-16 Pressing Dust Covers



Result:

The assembly is complete.

12.9 Contacting Motorola

This section contains information about calling Motorola for help.

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12.9.1 Motorola System Support Center and Radio Support Center

After collecting the required information and writing a detailed problem report, contact one of the following support centers to help with the problem:

• Motorola System Support Center (SSC):

North America: 800-221-7144International: 302-444-9800



NOTE

The Motorola System Support Center (SSC) provides technical support, return material authorization (RMA) numbers, and confirmations for troubleshooting results. Call the System Support Center for information about returning faulty equipment or ordering replacement parts.

• Motorola Radio Support Center:

Phone: 800-247-2346Fax: 800-318-0281



NOTE

The Motorola Radio Support Center repairs mobile and portable radios, and related RF equipment.

12.9.2 North America Parts Organization

The North America Parts Organization is your source for manuals, replacement parts, and assemblies.

Table 12-4 North America Parts Organization Telephone Numbers

Purpose	Telephone Number
For ordering	• 800-422-4210 (US and Canada orders)
	• 302-444-9842 (International orders)
For Fax Orders	800-6226210 (US and Canada orders)
For help identifying an item or part number	800-422-4210; select choice 3 from the menu



Appendix A: KVL 4000 - Performance Specifications

Table A-1 Physical Characteristics

Item	Description
KVL (PDA + Security Adapter)	Height: 216 mm (8.5 in)
	Width: 84 mm (3.3 in)
	Depth: 39 mm (1.5 in)
	Weight: 473 g

Table A-2 Encryption

Supported Encryption Protocols	12 kbps Advanced SECURENET®	
	9.6 kbps Secure ASTRO® (VSELP Vocoder)	
	9.6 kbps Secure APCO Project 25 (IMBE Vocoder)	
Encryption Keys	1,024 Total Traffic and Shadow Keys (ASN)	
	Traffic Encryption Keys (TEK) and Key Encryption Keys (KEK) (ASTRO® 25)	
Standards	FIPS 46-3	
	FIPS 140-2	
	FIPS 197	

Table A-3 Supported Algorithms

Algorithm	ASN	ASTRO 25	KMF (ASTRO 25 Only)	Radio Authentication
DES	~	×	×	×
DES-XL	×	~	~	×
DES-OFB	×	~	~	×
DVI-XL	~	~	~	×
DVP-XL	~	~	~	×
AES-128	×	×	×	~
AES-256	~	~	~	×
ADP	×	~	×	×



In the ASN mode, the KVL GUI does not distinguish between DES, DES-XL, and DES-OFB, but you can load keys for all DES types by selecting the DES option.



ADP does not support the following features related to OTAR:

- · Store & Forward
- · KEK Key loading
- · Tactical OTAR
- · Remote Control Head Key loading

Table A-4 Electromagnetic Compatibility

EN 55022 Class A
EN 55024
FCC Part 15 Class A

Table A-5 Regulatory Compliance and Approvals

Safety	EN 60950-1
	UL 60950-1
	cUL 60950-1

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Appendix B: KVL 4000 – Orderable Parts

Table B-1 KVL 4000 Model

Item	Count	Part Number
MC55 Kit (see Table B-2 MC55 Kit)	1	NNTN7864
Security Adapter Super Tanapa (see Table B-3 Security Adapter Super Tanapa)	1	NTN2564
KVL 4000 Documentation CD	1	CLN8627
KVL 4000 Quick Start Guide	1	6871015P34
DB9 Gender Changer	1	2871926Н02
Packing Kit	1	HBN5096

Table B-2 MC55 Kit

Item	Count	Part Number
MC55 PDA	1	MC55A0-P30SWQQA79R
Power Supply	1	PWRS-14000-249S
Battery (2400 mAH)	1	BTRY-MC55EAB00
MC55 Quick Start Guide	1	72-127603-02
MC55 Regulatory Guide	1	72-108860-02

Table B-3 Security Adapter Super Tanapa

Item	Count	Part Number
Front Housing Assembly (see Table B-4 Front Housing Assembly – Orderable Parts)	1	01009328004
PCB Assembly Kit	1	NNTN7650
Back Housing	1	15009431001
Main O-ring	1	32009316001
Self tapping screw Dia. 3 x 18 mm	4	03009288001
USB Cover	1	32012053001
DB-9 Cover	1	32012052001
DC Jack Cover	1	32012051001
Foam Pad	1	75009419001
USB Clip	1	42009269001

Table B-4 Front Housing Assembly - Orderable Parts

Item	Count	Part Number
MX Dust Cover	1	32012050001

Table B-5 Interface Cables

Item	Part Number	Used with	Adaptor Required
Key Load Cable	TKN8531	XTL 5000/2500	TRN7414 (W Control Head) HKN6182 (M/O Control Head)
		XTS 5000/3000/2500	NTN8613
		ASTRO Spectra	TRN7414
		APX 7500/6500	HKN6182
		APX 7000/6000/4000	NNTN7869
		RNC, DIU, MGEG, MCC 7500 Console, KMF, PDEG, CDEM, KMF CryptR	n/a
	CKN6886	XTS 4000	n/a
	TDN9390	XTS 5000/3000/2500	n/a
	WPLN6904	APX 7000/6000/4000	n/a
	TKN1039	CRYPTR micro	n/a
OTAR / Radio Authentication	HKN6183	APX 7500/6500, XTL 5000/2500, ASTRO Spectra	n/a
Cable	NKN1027	XTS 4000	n/a
	RKN4106	XTS 5000/3000/2500	n/a
	WPLN6905	APX 7000/6000/4000	n/a
KVL To KVL Cable	TKN8209	KVL 3000/3000 Plus/4000	n/a
USB Programming Cable	25-108022-02R	PDA to PC	n/a
MINI-B to Type-A USB Cable	25-68596-01R	USB to Ethernet Adapter	n/a
Other	CKN6324	Serial Modem	n/a
	TKN8210	Service Monitor	n/a

Table B-6 Optional Accessories

Item	Part Number
AC Line Cord US	50-16000-182R
AC Line Cord cEE7/16 Plug	50-16000-255R
AC Line Cord BS 1363 Plug	50-16000-670R
AC Line Cord GB 2099-1-1996 Plug	50-16000-664R
AC Line Cord AS3112 Plug	50-16000-666R
AC Line Cord Brazil	50-16000-726R

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Table B-6 Optional Accessories (cont'd.)

Item	Part Number
MultiMobile™ USB Modem V.92/56K	DSMT9234MUCDCXR
CradlePoint Technology USB to Ethernet Adapter	PS6U1UPE
3600mAH Battery	BTRY-MC55EAB02



Appendix C: Radio Frequency Interference Requirements

C.1 Radio Frequency Interference Requirements – USA

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user is required to correct the interference at his own expense.

C.2 Radio Frequency Interference Requirements – Canada

This Class A digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

Cet appareil numrique de la classe A est conforme la norme NMB-003 du Canada.

C.3 Radio Frequency Interference Requirements – European Union – EMC Directive 2004/108/EC

This is an EMC Class A product.

This product may cause interference if used in residential areas. Such use must be avoided unless the user takes special measures to reduce magnetic emissions to prevent interference to the reception of radio and television broadcast.



Appendix D: Acronyms

Table D-1 Acronyms

Item	Description
ADP	Advanced Digital Privacy
AES	Advanced Encryption Standard
AME	Assured Mobile Environment
ASN	Advanced SECURENET
CKR	Common Key Reference
CSK	Common Shadow Key
DES	Data Encryption Standard (Cipher)
DES-OFB	Data Encryption Standard-Output Feedback
DES-XL	Data Encryption Standard-Counter Addressing
DIU	Digital Interface Unit
DVI-XL	Digital Voice International-Range Extension
DVP	Digital Voice Protection
DVP-XL	Digital Voice Protection-Range Extension
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standard
I/O	Input/Output
KID	Key ID
KEK	Key Encryption Key
KMF	Key Management Facility
KMM	Key Management Message
SEK	Signaling Encryption Key
KVL	Key Variable Loader
LED	Light Emitting Diode
LID	Logical ID
MDC	Motorola Data Communications
MGEG	Motorola Gold Elite Gateway
MNP	Message Number Period
OTAR	Over-the-Air Rekeying
PID	Physical ID
RNC	Radio Network Controller
RSI	Radio Set Identifier
ТЕК	Traffic Encryption Key
UKEK	Unique Key Encryption Key

Table D-1 Acronyms (cont'd.)

Item	Description
USK	Unique Shadow Key
VPN	Virtual Private Network
WACN	Wide Area Communications Network

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