

## ARC PATROL V2 information

Posted by ARC PATROL - 01 Aug 2011 07:16

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ARC PATROL information V2.00 build 1 :

(Preliminary information, subject to change)

"ARC PATROL V2.0 will be available as soon as Uniden releases the new firmware in August."

ARC PATROL V2.0 is compatible with the new HPD 2.0 file format that the HP1 uses in firmware V2.0.

ARC PATROL V2.0 supports the new channel based settings like delay, attenuator and alerts. It also supports programming icalls and UNIT id's. ARC PATROL 2.0 supports the new custom and race service types.

Benefits of ARC PATROL over Sentinel System editor:

ARC PATROL uses a true excel style editor with many handy features like sorting, inserting lines, fill down and fill series options and has full support for the clipboard.

Data can be imported from other ARC programs and RadioReference.

With the new bulk programmer you can change settings for all or selected channels with only a few mouse clicks.

ARC PATROL HP1 hpd files can be easiliy shared with other HP1 users.

ARC PATROL 2.0 has a system 'super save' option. This will save every system in separate HPD files. This makes it very easy to create your own custom hpd files from the database files.

1. Load the database file in ARC PATROL
2. Hit Super Save

3. Every system from the original HPD is saved in a separate HPD file

Also ARC PATROL can now directly import data from database files used by Sentinel.

Service searches: ARC PATROL includes many popular service search files. A new handy service search menu lets you add service searches with only one button click.

Support for Unit id's: Unit id lists can be saved as separate files. The benefit is that after a database update these unit id list files can be easily linked to updated systems and the same uid list can be easily used for multiple systems.

And more to come...

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**Re:ARC PATROL V2 information**

Posted by Ohio-user - 18 Aug 2011 04:50

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Virtual crashed on my win7. If you need it I'll upload a screenshot later. Rest looks fine so far in the little amount of time I had.

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**Re:ARC PATROL V2 information**

Posted by nudave - 18 Aug 2011 06:35

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Been doing tests with APV2. Excellent job so far, I haven't tried the virtual control yet though.

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**Re:ARC PATROL V2 information**

Posted by joemo - 18 Aug 2011 13:19

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Oh oh. V2 Beta doesn't like "Custom" service types. It won't read them from the HP, they come back as "NOT DEFINED" and won't save them when entered in an ARC hpd file. Re-open a saved hpd in ARCV2 and the "Custom 1" entry comes back as "NOT DEFINED."

I tried writing an open system to the HP and "Custom 1" was written as "Multi-dispatch."

The "Bulk Channel Edit" doesn't edit. Click on "Select all" then "Apply to selected," close the editor, and the systems collapse, but when re-expanded, nothing has changed.

Still playing around with this.

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### Re:ARC PATROL V2 information

Posted by jmsanders8301 - 19 Aug 2011 09:22

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I have downloaded the ARCPatrol V2 Beta and I am having difficulty figuring out how to use the new "rectangular" GPS feature.

Any advice?

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### Re:ARC PATROL V2 information

Posted by ARC PATROL - 20 Aug 2011 06:16

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Rectangular GPS is not supported yet, will be in 2.1

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## Re:ARC PATROL V2 information

Posted by ARC PATROL - 20 Aug 2011 06:33

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### joemo wrote:

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The service type problem is known issue, I cant duplicate the problem with the bulk editor, make sure that you also tick which parameter you want to change. Only the selected parameters will be changed in the database.

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