

The following is the latest information on the new 35 and 36 MHz RC frequencies that will be effective from 1st September 2006

These are the frequencies that **must** be used for the control of model aircraft at any NZMAA approved site and are recommended to be used at all times whilst flying RC Aircraft. Those marked with an ‘\*’ are frequencies allocated for use of model aircraft only.

Those channels marked with an ‘!’ are to be used with caution. They should not be used in areas near (say 15km) where cranes or logging operations are taking place. Not recommended for purchase.

MHz	Ch#	MHz	Ch#	MHz	Ch#	MHz	Ch#	MHz	Ch#
26.975	197	35.000	500*	36.250	625	72.010	701	72.510	751!!
26.995	199	35.010	501*	36.270	627	72.030	703	72.530	753!!
27.020	102	35.020	502*	36.290	629	72.050	705	72.550	755!!
27.045	104	35.030	503*	36.310	631	72.070	707	72.570	757!!
27.070	107	35.040	504*	36.330	633	72.090	709	72.590	759!!
27.095	109	35.050	505*	36.350	635	72.110	711	72.610	761!!
27.120	112	35.060	506*	36.370	637	72.130	713	72.630	763!!
27.145	114	35.070	507*	36.390	639	72.150	715	72.650	765!!
27.170	117	35.080	508*	36.410	641	72.170	717	72.670	767!!
27.195	119	35.090	509*	36.430	643	72.190	719	72.690	769!!
27.220	122	35.100	510*	36.450	645	72.210	721	72.710	771!!
27.245	124	35.110	511*	36.470	647	72.230	723	72.730	773!!
27.280	128	35.120	512*	36.490	649	72.250	725	72.750	775!!
		35.130	513*	36.510	651			72.770	777!!
29.725	272	35.140	514*	36.530	653	72.270	727	72.790	779!!
29.745	274	35.150	515*	36.550	655	72.290	729		
29.765	276	35.160	516*	36.570	657	72.310	731		
29.785	278	35.170	517*	36.590	659	72.330	733		
29.805	280	35.180	518*			72.350	735		
29.825	282	35.190	519*	40.510	451*	72.370	737		
29.845	284	35.200	520*	40.530	453*	72.390	739		
29.865	286	35.210	521*	40.550	455*	72.410	741		
29.885	288	35.220	522*	40.570	457*	72.430	743		
29.925	292	35.230	523*	40.590	459*	72.450	745		
29.945	294	35.240	524*	40.610	461*	72.470	747		
29.965	296	35.250	525*	40.630	463*	72.490	749		
29.985	298	35.260	526*	40.650	465*				
		35.270	527*	40.710	471*				
		35.280	528*	40.730	473*				
		35.290	529*	40.750	475*				
		35.300	530*	40.770	477*				
				40.790	479*				
				40.810	481				
				40.830	483				
				40.850	485				
				40.870	487				
				40.890	489				
				40.910	491				
				40.930	493				

Note that the band of 35 to 35.3 MHz is at 10 KHz channel spacing, while the band from 36.25 to 36.59 MHz is at 20 KHz channel spacing. Most newer sets will now operate at a 10 KHz channel spacing and so these sets have the choice of moving to either 35 or 36 MHz. However some sets, in particular older sets, require 20 KHz channel spacing.

The following information has been received from the manufacturers on what channel spacing is required, Note that I am hoping to get some more detailed information and specific on this, but it serves as an initial guide.

**Futaba.** All current sets will operate at 10 KHz, however, they do only supply xtals at 20KHz Channel spacings, starting at (tba) So these can operate on either the new 35, or 36 MHz bands.

**JR.** All current sets will operate at 10 KHz, as will some older sets, but for safety, it would be wise to operate non-current sets on a 20 KHz channel spacing. So these can operate on either the new 35, or 36 MHz bands.

**Hitec** All sets must be on a 20 KHz channel spacing, so only the 36MHz band can be used. However, Hitec sets have not been imported on 35 nor 72 MHz, and in limited numbers on 36MHz. Synthesized modules (and synthesized receivers) on 36 MHz only, will be brought in for those with Prism 7X, Eclipse and Optic 6 transmitters.