BAOFENG
UV-5R
Basic
Operations

Top View
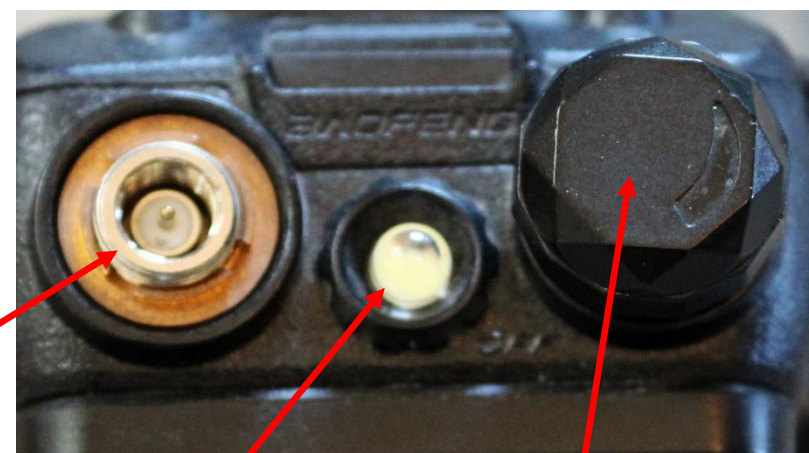
SMA Antenna

LED LIGHT

ON/OFF VOL Knob

Left Side

CALL KEY

PTT KEY

MONI Button

A/B INDICATOR

Channel Name

MEM/FREQ KEY

STATUS LED

**A/B SELECT KEY**

BAT INDICATOR

Channel #

CHANNEL UP/DOWN NAVIGATION KEYS

LOCK/ HI-LO POWER KEY

- **To turn Power On/Off,** Turn **on/off knob** clockwise.
- **To Increase Volume,** rotate the **on/off knob** clockwise.
- **To toggle between VFO/Frequency (V) or Memory/Channel (MR) modes,** press **VFO/MR**
  >> *Note:* **You are in Memory/Channel Mode when you see the Channel # in the display.**
- **To select a Channel (e.g. Ch 26 PAL730)** use white **up down arrow keys** on keypad to navigate between channels.
- **To Lock/Unlock Keypad, press the "lock" key until you hear "lock" a small key symbol will appear next to the battery indicator on the display.**
- **To use the LED light press the MONI key momentarily. Press again and it flashes. Press again and it goes off.**
- **To switch High/Low power press "lock" key momentarily to toggle between hi and low**

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Layout & Keypad Functions
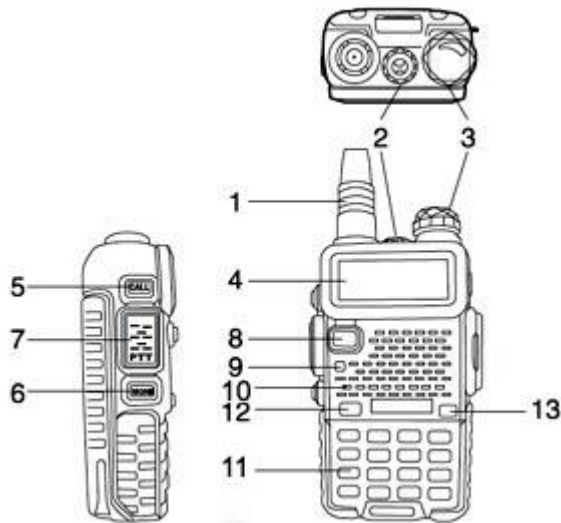
1. **Antenna**
2. **LED Flashlight**
3. **Knob (ON / OFF / volume)**
4. **LCD**
5. **Side Key 1 / CALL   (radio / alarm)**
6. **Side Key 2 / MONI   (flashlight / monitor)**
7. **PTT Key   (push-to-talk)**
8. **VFO / MR (frequency mode / channel mode)**
9. **LED   (transmit / receive indicator)**
10. **Microphone**
11. **Keypad**
12. **A/B Key   (frequency display switch)**
13. **Band Key   (switches band)**

[PTT] (Push-to-Talk)
- Press [PTT] and Hold to transmit,
release to receive.

[CALL] Side Key 1
- Press [CALL] button to activate the
FM radio; Press again to deactivate.
    Press the [*SCAN] button to scan the
FM channels.
- Press and Hold [CALL] button to
activate the alarm function;
    Press and Hold again to deactivate.

[MONI] Side Key 2
- Press the [MONI] button to turn on
the flashlight.
    Press again to turn it off.
- Press and Hold the [MONI] button to
monitor a signal / open squelch.

[VFO/MR] Button
- Press the [VFO/MR] button to switch
between these two modes.
- VFO = Frequency Mode   - MR
(Memory Recall) = Channel Mode

[A/B] Button
- Press the [A/B] button to switch the
frequency display.
- A Display = uppermost FREQUENCY /

CHANNEL / NAME Display
**- B Display = lowermost FREQUENCY /
CHANNEL / NAME Display**

[BAND] Button
**- Press the [BAND] button to switch
band display in frequency mode.**
**- While FM radio is activated, press the [
BAND] button to switch the**
    **band of the FM radio (65-75MHz /
76-108MHz).**

[*SCAN] Key
**- Press the [*SCAN] key to activate the
Reverse function.**
    **It will exchange the TX and RX
frequencies.**
**- Press the [*SCAN] key for 2 seconds to
start scanning (freq / chan).**
**- While FM radio is activated, press the [
*SCAN] key to search**
    FM radio stations.
**- While setting the RX CTCSS/DCS,
press the [*SCAN] key to scan**
    the RX CTCSS/DCS

[# ⊶] Key
**- Under channel mode, press the [# ⊶]
key to switch High/Low power.**
**- Press the [# ⊶] key for 2 seconds to
lock/unlock the keypad.**