

Transponder Phraseology	
SQUAWK (number)	Set the discrete code and operate the radar beacon transponder on that designated code in Mode A (Mode A/3 4096)
SQUAWK STANDBY	Switch transponder to standby position (removing this data from radar screen to free up the ATC screen)
SQUAWK LOW / NORMAL	Operate transponder on low or normal sensitivity as specified. Transponder is operated in "NORMAL" position unless ATC specifies "LOW", ("ON" is used instead of "NORMAL" as a master control label on some types of transponders)
SQUAWK ALTITUDE	Activate MODE C (twist the dial) with automatic altitude reporting
STOP ALTITUDE	Turn off altitude reporting; switch and continue SQUAWK transmitting MODE C framing pulses; if your equipment does not have this capability, turn off MODE C
STOP SQUAWK	(Mode in Switch off specified mode. (Used for military aircraft use) when the controller is unaware of military service requirements for the aircraft to continue operation on another MODE. Switch off transponder
SQUAWK MAYDAY	Operate transponder in the emergency position (MODE A Code 7700 for civil transponder; MODE 3 Code 7700 and emergency feature for military transponder)
SQUAWK VFR	Operate radar beacon transponder on code 1200 in the MODE A/3, or other appropriate VFR code
IDENT	Push the "IDENT" button (The military I/P (identification) of the transponder)
SQUAWK (number) and Operate transponder on specified code in MODE A/3 and IDENT	Engage the "IDENT" (military I/P) feature while operating radar beacon transponder on designated code in MODE A/3