

Reviews Summary for AOR AR3030



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Description: General Coverage Receiver

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STEVEG3POR	Rating: 5/5	Oct 15, 2006 01:23	Send this review to a friend
The best receiver			Time owned: 0 to 3 months
<p>WOW! I have had over many years all the receivers that you can imagine and by pure chance I came upon the AOR 3030, Mind blowing! Stations around the world I have never heard before romping in at 5.9+++ on all bands, very low noise level, superb audio, and you do not need all the fancy ariels, just 66 feet of wire and no ATU to pull in everything. I have fitted a DSP and now the Rolls Royce of receivers. 110 percent rig, If you get the chance of one,BUY IT.</p>			

NL6001SWL	Rating: 5/5	Jun 12, 2005 15:32	Send this review to a friend
Some receiver			Time owned: 3 to 6 months
<p>This little receiver blows away high-priced semi professional receivers easily...Bought a used one after reading the reviews here, because i was curious why everyone gave this receiver the maximum score. Well, now i know.. it's really one of the best receivers i've owned, and it even beats my NRD-535 loaded with all options. SSB is very good, ECSS is amazing, filters and AGC-timing very well choosen, very low-noise and rock-stable, audio very good even without an external speaker.</p> <p>For anyone into serious HF-listening: do yourselves a favour and buy one, you'll never regret it! No need for extra filters, mods or accessoires.</p> <p>I've owned quite a few receivers, lcom R75+DSP / R70, Lowe HF225, NRD-535G, FRG7700, just to name a few, but this one surely beats them all.</p> <p>Of course, the tuning knob is small compared to the one on my JRC...Right, it lacks a NR-circuit, yes the other knobs are small too, but it still deserves a big 5 out of 5 for me.</p> <p>Like other reviewers mentioned: This is the best kept secret at AOR...get one while you can.</p> <p>NL6001SWL</p>			

VR2XMQ	Rating: 5/5	May 5, 2004 05:11	Send this review to a friend
Superb Radio on a par with the best JRC's			Time owned: 0 to 3 months
<p>There has been alot of raving and fuss about the AR-7030 and the AR-7030+, but in my own humble opinion the AR-3030 has been one of the best kept secrets from the AOR stables without the much higher price tag of the AR-7030's to boot. Unfortunately discontinued, one should seek out one in prestine comestic and working condition and without further ado, snap it up!</p> <p>This is without doubt one of the best receivers in my now 20+ arsenal of table top communications receiver collection and is probably one of my favourites. Sensitivity and selectivity are up there with the big boy professional grade receivers. Adding one of the new external DSP filters only makes an extremely good receiver even better.</p> <p>This baby uses a Direct Digital Synthesizer (DDS) and has a "Collins" 6KHz mechanical filter fitted as standard to provide the highest level of AM selectivity. The noise floor is extremely quiet and sometimes one wonder if there is something wrong? High frequency stability is accomplished by way of a standard installation into the package of a Temperature Compensated Crystal Oscillator (TCXO) with accuracy of 5 parts per million from -10 to +50 deg. C. Image rejection 70db!</p> <p>the frequency range tunable is over the range 30KHz to 30MHz with 29.9999MHz being the upper limit of tuning. The tuning is accomplished in 5Hz steps (display resolution is to 10Hz). It has provisions for AM, Sync. AM, USB, LSB, CW, FAX & FM. mode display is via a set of led's on the front panel and other operating data and frequency are displayed on a backlit LCD.</p> <p>Although 5Hz tuning steps are available, other KHz steps are also availble by way of pushing a KHz button and change of MHz is done the same way by way of MHz button.</p> <p>A seperate BFO which can be switched in independently in USB, LSB, FAX & CW allows greater flexibility resulting in a manual form of pass band tuning (PBT).</p> <p>A silky smmoth rotary spinner knob with finger tip indent is provided for the VFO. Frequencies may be keyed in directly by way of the front panel alpha-numeric keypad and there ar two VFO for you to shuttle between. There are 100 memories provided for and these can be toggled to VFO mode.</p> <p>A very large S meter and front firing speaker are provided provided which produces amazing clear audio quality.</p> <p>On the rear there are provision for antennas, VHF converter connections, RS-232 computer contol and ancillary connections. A tilt bail is provided so that the front of the receiver can be tilted up for better viewing and operation. A dream machine to operate and one of the best of the best.</p> <p>Do not pass up a chance to own onel If you have one, need I say more, enjoy!</p> <p>VR2XMQ</p>			

7N4NJJ	Rating: 5/5	Jun 27, 2003 12:48	Send this review to a friend
Very Good			Time owned: 0 to 3 months
<p>I bought this nice rig at auction 520 GBP and I surprised it's design, what a cute rig it is.and again I say WOW as sound is so good to enjoy the music from distance. human interface is perfect.crisp sound give me the joy to listen to the news detail. and it is very very quiet rig. noise level is low. so tuning is fun. I recomend you this rig. this give me the joy of the radio again.</p>			

STEVE	Rating: 5/5	Feb 10, 2002 18:09	Send this review to a friend
good kit			Time owned: more than 12 months
<p>I love the ar3030 i have owned 3 of these they all worked well,dead easy to work real good on ssb& bril on fm.A bit on the rare side now if you see a good one snap it up quick,only bad thing is they cost a good few quid 2nd user in the uk.</p> <p>You can get comp control & vhf converter they work well,check AOR web site for more details.</p>			

G4CGE	Rating: 5/5	Jan 30, 2002 12:42	Send this review to a friend
A vastly underated little receiver!			Time owned: more than 12 months
<p>One of the best small receivers I have had the pleasure of owning and operating. Small enough to carry on trips and holidays, etc.</p> <p>It covers all modes with three stock filters fitted. A separate Collins 7 segment 500Hz filter can be fitted for CW. Don't bother fitting a Collins SSB filter as the Ceramic one is very good!</p> <p>Stability is very good with the standard fitted Temperature Controlled Crystal Oscillator (TCXO), and the DDS tuning is clean.</p> <p>I've owned this great little RX for two years plus, and for its size and price it hard to beat! It may not have the "Bells and Whistles" of its big brother, the 7030, but its a lot easier to operate!</p> <p>Although it will run off internally fitted batteries, it draws a hefty current and the batteries do not last very long. A separate power connector is useful to connect to an external DC source. Indoors the receiver runs off a mains PSU.</p> <p>I use my '3030 with a AOR LA320 active antenna when away from home. At home I use a longwire and a Lowe PR150 preselector, and also a Wellbrook AR1530 loop antenna.</p>			