

# Tunisian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

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## Country name

Al Jumhuriyah at Tunisiyah (Republic of Tunisia)

Tunisiyah (Tunisia)

## Capital

Tunis

## Administrative divisions

24 wilayat (governorates)

Beja (Bajah), Ben Arous (Bin 'Arus), Bizerte (Banzart), Gabes (Qabis), Gafsa (Qafsah), Jendouba (Jundubah), Kairouan (Al Qayrawan), Kasserine (Al Qasrayn), Kebili (Qibili), Kef (Al Kaf), L'Ariana (Aryanah), Mahdia (Al Mahdiah), Manouba (Manubah), Medenine (Madanin), Monastir (Al Munastir), Nabeul (Nabul), Sfax (Safaqis), Sidi Bouzid (Sidi Bu Zayd), Siliana (Silyanah), Sousse (Susah), Tataouine (Tatawin), Tozeur (Tawzar), Tunis, Zaghouan (Zaghwan)



For a long time it was thought that this network belonged to the Ministry of the Interior. Recent TDoA bearings however revealed that this is not a MOI net but in fact a network belonging to the **Ministry of Foreign Affairs** (MFA, embassies and consulates).

The net uses MIL-STD-188-141A ALE / USB to make a connection and communicates via Pactor II 100bd/200Hz with an offset of 1700Hz of the carrier frequency, and you can occasionally hear operator chats in Morse.

The Pactor-II transmissions are used for encrypted HF e-mail. The transmissions include the message class, the sender and the receiver in plain text like "IPM. Note mail.hse DEFAULT@#HFARQ#STAT151 #HFARQ#STAT24 20120329194622:DEFAULT@"

"IPM.Note" is a Microsoft Outlook message class. "IPM" stands for "InterPersonal Message".

## Frequencies:

5810, 7954, 8014, 8180, 10113, 10176, 11111, 12140, 13945, 14700, 14723.3, 15625, 15635, 16125, 16285, 16290, 18320 kHz.

## Modes:

Morse (operator chat)

MIL-STD-188-141A ALE / USB

Pactor II 100bd/200Hz with an offset of 1700Hz

**ALE and Pactor II idents:**

MAD

RABAT

TUD, TUN, TU1, TU2, TU3, TU4, TU5

T154

RDN152

STAT1, STAT2, STAT3, STAT5, STAT6, STAT11, STAT12, STAT13, STAT14, STAT15, STAT16, STAT21, STAT22, STAT23, STAT24, STAT25, STAT151, STAT152, STAT154, STAT155

In the past callsign "RABAT" has been noted for the embassy in RABAT and MAD, probably for Madrid.

STAT151 MFA Tunis

STAT152 MFA Tunis

STAT154 MFA Tunis

STAT155 MFA Tunis

TUD MFA Tunis

STAT1 Tunisian embassy Paris (id in email is STAT1, ALE id is TU1)

STAT2 Tunisian embassy Berlin

STAT4 Tunisian embassy Riyadh

STAT6 Unid Tunisian embassy, Possibly Brussels \*)

STAT12 Tunisian embassy Ankara

STAT13 Tunisian embassy Cairo

STAT21 Tunisian embassy Algiers

STAT22 Tunisian embassy Rabat

STAT23 Tunisian embassy Madrid

STAT24 Tunisian embassy Rome

STAT25 Tunisian embassy Brussels

TU1 Tunisian embassy Paris

TU5 Tunisian embassy Baghdad

\*) mail to STAT25 followed after calling STAT6

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**Sources:**

UDXF members

<http://www.udxf.nl>

TDoA's by Priyom

<https://priyom.org/>

Ministère des Affaires Étrangères

<https://www.diplomatie.gov.tn>