Case IH AFS Black Box

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- Pre-Harvest Checklist: http://www.isafarmnet.com/Tools/black-box-preharvest-checklist.pdf. Source: August 1999 AFS User Link Page 3.
- Keypad Functions: http://caseihafs.com/uploads/2/Black_Box_Keypad_Functions-pdf.php.
- Current Firmware: Version 6.02B-C. Contact your Case IH dealer to obtain the ROM chip if you do not have this version.
- Additional Information:
  - Historic grain weight calibration loads from previous years are not cleared out making it difficult to calibrate in the current year. To avoid this problem, choose NO when asked "KEEP CAL LOADS" during the Clearing All Fields in the Monitor process during pre-harvest setup.
  - Date cannot be set to the correct four digit year which often results in files that are corrupt and cannot be downloaded from the SRAM memory card. Contact Ag Leader and request the 6.02B-C ROM chip.
  - Data loss can be caused by several factors including:
    - Bad SRAM card or bad card battery. When monitor is turned on watch to see if the monitor displays "Card battery is good". If not replace battery or entire card if necessary.
    - Card becomes full while harvesting. Use two SRAM cards and develop a system for downloading and backing up the yld files. For example attach a label to each card so that both the date and the person who downloaded is recorded. Also assign a number to both cards. This will help avoid confusion.
    - Card is formatted before data is downloaded. Backup the yld file to a folder on your computer before reading into any mapping software. You should also check to make sure data is recording correctly early in the harvest season using your mapping software.
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