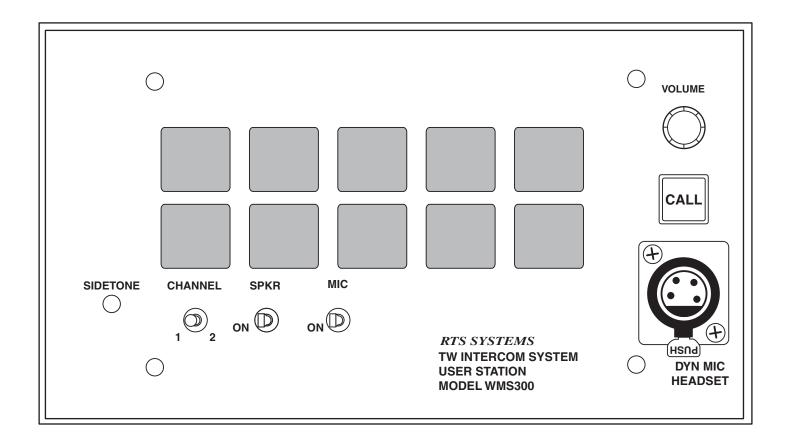
# Technical Manual Model WMS300 Wall Mount Speaker User Station

**RTS**<sup>™</sup> Two Wire Intercom Series



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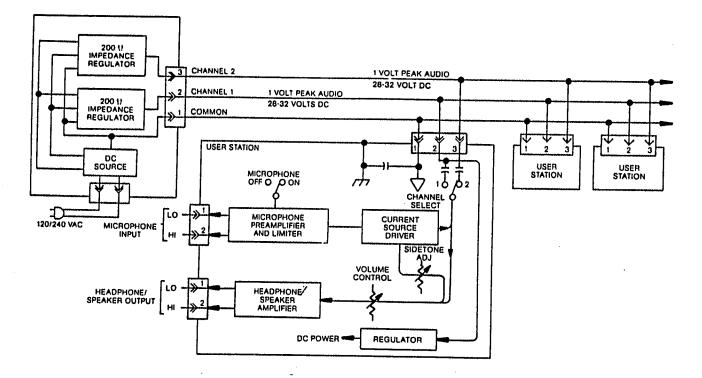


Figure 1-1 TW System Concept Block Diagram

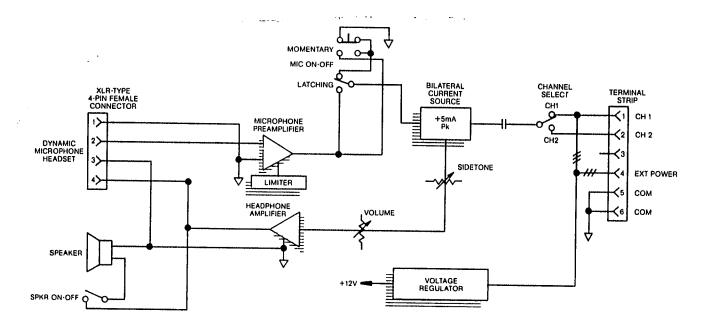


Figure 1-2 WMS300 Block Diagram

#### **SECTION 1: DESCRIPTION & SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **1.1 DESCRIPTION**

The Model WMS300, a Wall Mount Speaker User Station, is a component used in the TW INTERCOM SYSTEM. Each User Station is a communications unit along a multiunit conference bus. The System Concept Block Diagram, Figure 1-1, shows User Station interconnection, and User Station connection to the system power supply.

User Station interconnection can be:

- 1) centrally wired, with each cable coming from a central point, or
- 2) distributed, where all the user stations are looped together from one to another, or
- a combination of both. The centrally wired interconnection not only reduces interchannel crosstalk, but also allows for easier expansion into an assignable channel, multi-channel system.

The WMS300 Block Diagram, Figure 1-2, shows user station functional components, input/output connections, and controls. The WMS300 User Station has the following functional components:

- 1) a microphone preamplifier with limiter
- 2) a latching action microphone on/off switch
- 3) a momentary action microphone on/off switch
- 4) a "bilateral current source" line driver
- 5) a listen volume control
- 6) a headphone/speaker amplifier
- 7) a speaker switch
- 8) a channel selector switch

The microphone preamplifier/limiter converts the small microphone signal to a strong line level signal, conditions the signal strength so that loud and soft talkers sound almost the same, and sends the signal to the line via the microphone switch and a "bilateral current source". The bilateral current source adds signal via the channel select switch to the line without affecting any signals already on the line. The bilateral current source also extracts the listen signal from the line and sends it to the headphone amplifier via the volume control. Some of the user's own voice signal ("sidetone") is also fed to the headphone amplifier.

The Channel Selector Switch selects the channel on which the user will talk and listen. The headphone amplifier output drives the user's headphones speaker and the speaker through the on/off switch.

The Volume Control adjusts Listen Level of the headphones and speaker. Note: The headphones are always "on"..

The user station voltage regulator takes power from channel 1, regardless of the channel selector switch setting

(exception: local power option units). The regulator not only supplies regulated power to the user station, but also prevents unwanted interaction between the user station and that intercom line which is supplying the power. Because the regulator takes power from channel 1, channel 2 can be expanded into many channels by using a switch and, for each channel, a separate wire and a termination network consisting of a 200 ohm resistor and a 10 microfarad capacitor in series. (See the Application Diagrams in the TW Intercom Systems Technical Manual). A TW System Power Supply terminates each channel line with 200 ohms.

#### **1.1.2 Operational Controls**

The WMS300 User Station has the following controls, described and shown in Section 3.1:

- 1) Channel Select Switch
- 2) Latching-action MICrophone ON-OFF toggle switch.
- Momentary-action MICrophone ON-OFF pushbutton switch (not standard with the call-light option).
- A speaker/headphone VOLUME control (May be a dual control for the Dual Listen (DL) Option or the Program (E) Option
- 5) CALL LIGHT switch/indicator (Call Light Option (-L)
- 6) SPeaKeR ON/OFF switch
- 7) SIDETONE Adjustment

#### **1.1.3 Connection, Inputs and Outputs**

The WMS300 User Station has two input/output connectors described in Section 2.4:

- 1) DYNamic MICrophone type HeaDSeT or handset
- 2) Line INPUT (ties the station to the intercom line)

#### 1.2 MODEL WMS300 SPECIFICATIONS

Input DC voltage:20 to 35 volts DC, operating from -200 to +36 volts DC without damageDC Current10 to 40 milliampsQuiescent10 to 40 milliampsOperating50 milliamps, typical (w/25 ohm headphones)

50 milliamps, typical (w/25 ohm headphones) 75 milliamps, typical (w/25 ohm headphones + light) 100 milliamps, typical(w/8 ohm speaker)

10,000 ohms typical

Operating: 0°C to 60°C Storage: -55°C to 125°C

One Unit: -75 dBu Ten Unit: -67 dBu

470 ohms 200 ohms, nominal 150 millivolts 54 dB 100 Hz to 10,000 Hz, ±3dB 30 dB 10 milliamps, nominal (when optioned for Carbon Mic)

\*Dynamic Microphone Input

Carbon Mic Excitation Current

#### **Current Source**

Transfer ratio: Output:

#### Headphone Amplifier

Impedance across line:

Noise contribution

Input impedance\*

Voltage gain:

Limiter range

Source Impedance\*

Frequency Response

Maximum Input Level\*

**Microphone Preamplifier** 

to 200 ohm line:

Ambient Temperature Range

Voltage gain Output voltage Output power:

Frequency Response Headphone Impedance Range Sidetone Adjustment Range

Call Light:

Dimensions

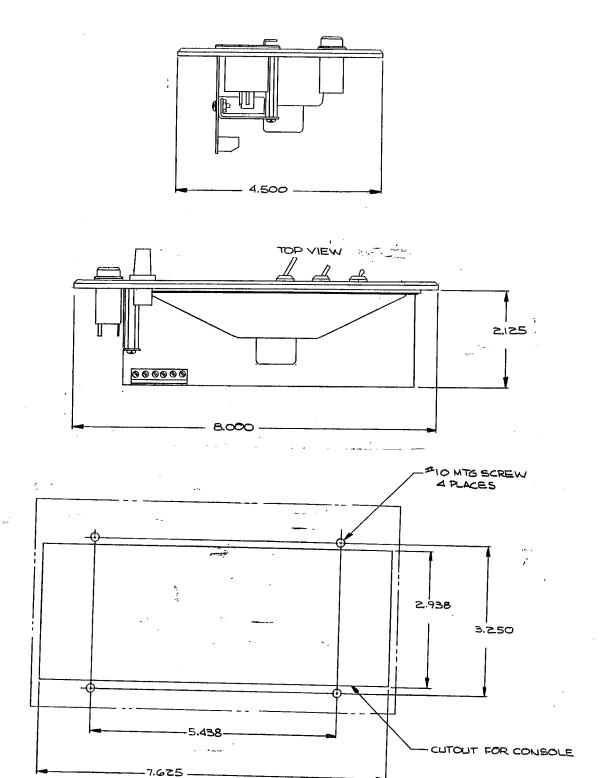
5 milliamps / 1.5 volts ± 5 milliamps into 200 ohms

34 dB

9 volts peak-to-peak into 25 ohms Headset station: 1/2 watt into 25 ohms Speaker Station: 2 watts into 8 ohms 150 Hz to 8,000 Hz, ±3 dB 25 to 600 ohms 20 dB to full on

Signaling Frequency $20,000 \text{ Hz} \pm 100 \text{ Hz}$ Flashing Rate $5 \text{ Hz} \pm 2 \text{ Hz}$ 

4.5" H × 8.0" W × 2.25" D 114.3 mm × 203.2 mm × 57.2 mm



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Figure 2-1 WMS300 Installation Diagram

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#### SECTION 2: INSTALLATION

#### 2.1 MECHANICAL INSTALLATION

The Model WMS300 is designed to fit into an 8-gang standard electrical conduit box, 2.25 inches deep (57.2 mm). See Figure 2-1, WMS300 Installation Drawing for additional mechanical installation information.

When installing this station, allow space for control access, cabling and servicing. Provide space for: cabling service loops, reaching AXR type connector lock releases, and headset connectors/cables. If the headset connector is remotely located, allow space between this cable and interfering sources such as video/TV monitors. power supplies and equipment with internal power supplies. There are no ventilation requirements.

#### 2.1.1 Headset Requirements

Dynamic microphone headset type:

50 to 1000 ohm microphone 25 to 1000 ohm headphone(s)

High efficiency headphones are recommended because less line current is required from the power supply. Use headphones with an impedance of 25 ohms or greater. Low impedance 8 ohm headphones are not recommended. Headphones with good acoustic isolation (20 to 40dB) improve communication in high ambient noise environments, and allow the user to use the headphones at a less tiring, lower volume.

In the headset connecting cable, prevent coupling between the microphone and headphone leads by using a shielded, twisted pair for the microphone, and a separate, twisted pair for the headphones. Do not allow headphone ground to contact microphone ground or shield. Tie the shield to microphone ground or "mic low". The headset cable can be made longer when the microphone and headphone pairs are physically separated. The wider the separation, the longer the cable length which may be used. Estimated maximum usable headphone cable lengths are as follows:

Single cable, 2 shielded twisted pair: 10 ft (3 m) Dual ribbed cable, 2 shielded twisted pair: 30 ft (9 m) Separate cables, shielded twisted pair in each: 50 ft (15.24 m)

Balanced microphone input: up to 100 feet (30.48 m)

#### 2.2 ELECTRICAL

#### 2.2.1 Power

The WMS300 receives electrical power from either:

(1) a system power supply (26 to 32 volts DC on line connector pins 2 (+) and 1 (com) (two channel operation); or

(2) a local power supply option (12 to 18 volts DC). A user station requires 18 to 33 volts to be a 10,000 ohm bridging impedance across the powering line, but the station can otherwise operate (as in the local power option) from 12 to 33 volts.

Model WMS300 current requirements range from 30 to 100 mA, and WMS300-L from 40 to 150 mA; Since, in (1), above, the power and communications signals may share conductors, it may be necessary to overcome power losses by increasing conductor size over long runs (over 1/2 mile (804 m)). Typical operating distance for one WMS300 station is 1/2 mile (.80 km), and for one WMS300-L, 1/3 mile (0.53 km) using a normal #22 AWG conductor size.

#### 2.2.2 Signal

The required number of conductors to interconnect user stations is as follows (For standard unbalanced TW user stations):

# of Channels	# of Conductors
1	2
2	3
3	4

Use shielded cable to interconnect user stations in areas of possible electrical interference, (areas such as those near: digital equipment, high current primary power conductors ("mains"), transformers, transmitters, and lamp dimmers).

Most two channel applications may use either standard microphone cable (for convenience) or two-twisted-pair cable (considerably less expensive than microphone cable). Standard wire size for the TW Intercom System is #22 gauge wire for interconnection.

For permanent installations it is recommended that each channel should have individually shielded twisted pair of at least #22 gauge wire, such as Belden #8723 for 2 channels. Connect the shield to system common but do not tie the shield to chassis, earth or connector shell ground.

#### 2.2.3 Crosstalk Control

In the TW Intercom System all channels share a common circuit ground return. Crosstalk due to common ground resistance can be lowered by reducing the common ground resistance. Reduction of ground resistance can occur as a side benefit of using shielded cable, since the shield drains can be tied together and electrically parallel the circuit ground. Another way of lowering resistive crosstalk is to "homerun" all interconnecting cables to a central or "home" location. In this configuration, the ground path is short and the corresponding ground resistance is small. Crosstalk due to mutual capacitance occurs when the signal on one wire of a twisted pair couples into the other wire. Separating the two conductors with a shield greatly reduces the capacitive crosstalk.

To reduce both capacitive and resistive crosstalk and to afford a degree of RF and electrostatic shielding, use a cable which has a shielded twisted pair for each channel. Each pair consists of a conductor for the channel, a conductor for circuit ground return and a shield around the two conductors. The shield is accessed via a drain conductor. This drain conductor and the shield can augment the circuit grounds and thus lower the ground resistance.

Routing the TW Intercom System cables along the same ductways and pathways as power cabling can increase the noise and hum levels.

#### **2.2.4 Hum Prevention**

Prevent inducing hum into the system by not locating user stations near hum sources such as power transformers, electrical switch panels, lamp dimmers or TV cameras. When the microphone switch is turned on, the dynamic microphone acts as a sensitive antenna for hum sources.

#### 2.4 USER STATION CONNECTIONS

Dynamic Microphone headset connector: AXR-4-31 type receptacle (J1) Input level: -55 dbu nominal Output level to headphone: 10 volts peak-to-peak open circuit.

> Pin 1 - Microphone low Pin 2 - Microphone high Pin 3 - Headphone low Pin 4 - Headphone high

Line input connectors: (TB1)

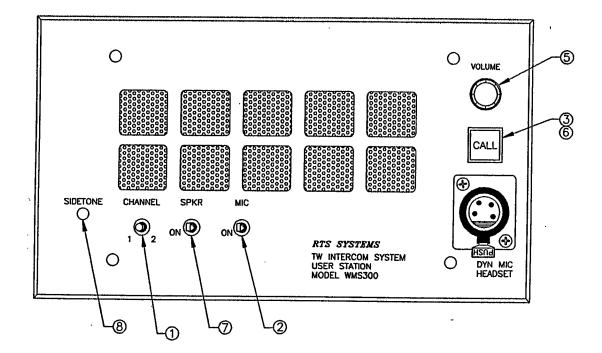
Terminal #1 - Channel 1 Terminal #2 - Channel 2 Terminal #3 - Channel 3 (3CH option) Terminal #4 - Ext Power In (LP option) Terminal #5 - Common (low side of line) Terminal #6 - Common (low side of line)

USM option:

Terminal #4 - USM High Terminal #5 - USM Low

#### INSTALLATION, LOCAL POWER OPTION, WMS300

The WMS300 can be powered from an external (local) power supply of between 18 to 33 volts DC. The local power option, as supplied by RTS Systems uses a 117 VAC 60 Hz in, 24 VDC 400mA out supply. The external supply is wired across terminal block, TB1 pins 4 (external power +) and 5 (common). When using an external supply, the circuit board trace running between TB1 pins 1 (channel 1) and 4 must be cut.



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Figure 3-1 Model WMS300 Front Panel

#### SECTION 3: OPERATION /Operating Controls (See Figure 3-1)

Table 3-1 lists the Model WMS300 operating controls, with reference numbers corresponding to Figure 3-1.

		<u>Table 3-1</u>
<u>Ref No</u>	o. <u>Name</u>	Description
1	Channel Select Switch	Selects one of two channels (standard) or one of three channels (optional). The Call Light Option transmitter and receiver operate on the channel selected by this switch. The CHannel Select Switch is omitted in the Single Channel (SC) option.
2	MIC ON-OFF Toggle	A latching-action switch.
3	MIC ON-OFF Pushbutton	A momentary-action pushbutton switch. Not standard with the Call Light Option. Turning on the microphone here also slightly "dims" or attenuates the speaker.
4	MIC SWITCH	A momentary MIC switch is located on the optional push-to-talk microphone and requires that 2) above is ON. The push-to-talk microphone schematic is included in the speaker station schematic.
.5	VOLUME	A speaker/headphone volume control. May be a dual control for the Dual Listen (DL) or Program (E) Option.

# CAUTION: ALWAYS TURN THIS CONTROL ALL THE WAY COUNTERCLOCKWISE (TO THE LEFT) BEFORE PLUGGING IN THE HEADSET.

6 CALL Light Switch Indicator		This switch/indicator appears only on the user stations with the "Call Light" option. When the CALL Switch is depressed, a 20 kilohertz signal is added to the TW intercom line on the same channel that the CHannel Select Switch has been set. This signal activates the Call Light receiver on all user stations which are switched to the same channel.				
7	SPeaKeR ON/OFF	This switch turns on the speaker.				
8	SIDETONE	The screwdriver-adjusted SIDETONE control sets the "sidetone" level during headset operation and sets the "balance" nulling during speaker/panel microphone operation.				

To adjust the SIDETONE control for speaker operation:

1) turn ON the SPeaKeR switch, 2) turn ON the MICrophone switch, 3) set the VOLUME control to about 50%, 4) plug in a microphone 5) hum into the microphone and adjust SIDETONE for minimum sound through the loudspeaker.

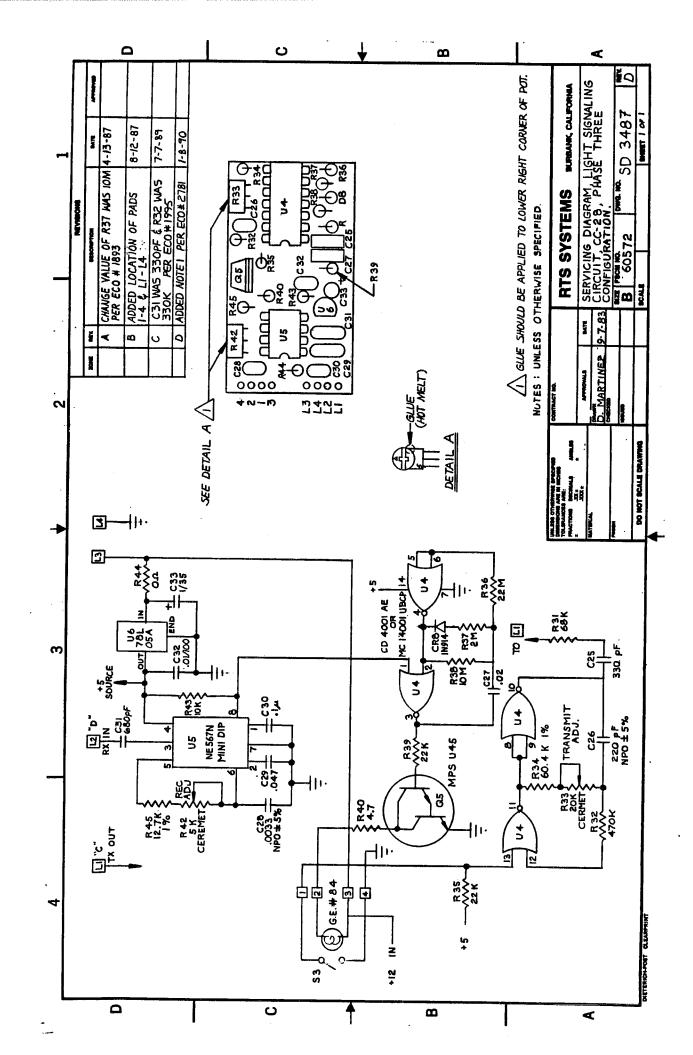
To adjust the SIDETONE control for headset operation:

1) turn OFF the SPeaKeR switch, 2) turn ON the MICrophoone switch, and 3) plug in a headset, 4) set the VOLUME control to about 50%, 5) turn the SIDETONE control fully counterclockwise, the adjust it clockwise for a comfortable level of your own voice while talking into the headset microphone.

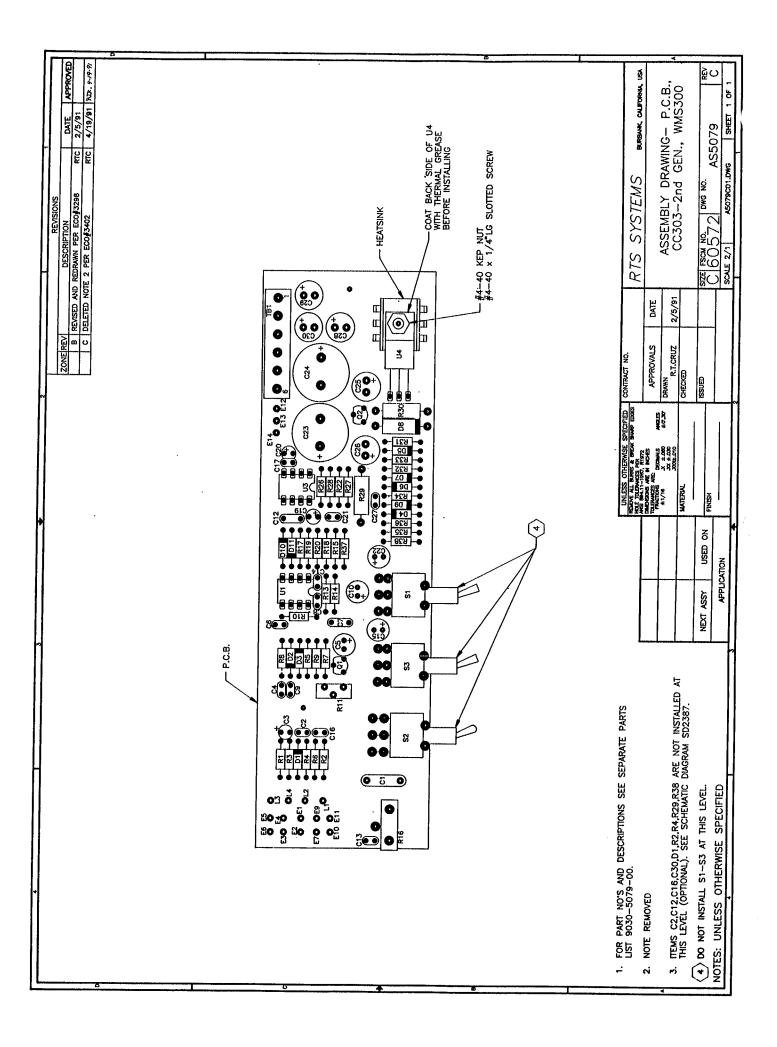
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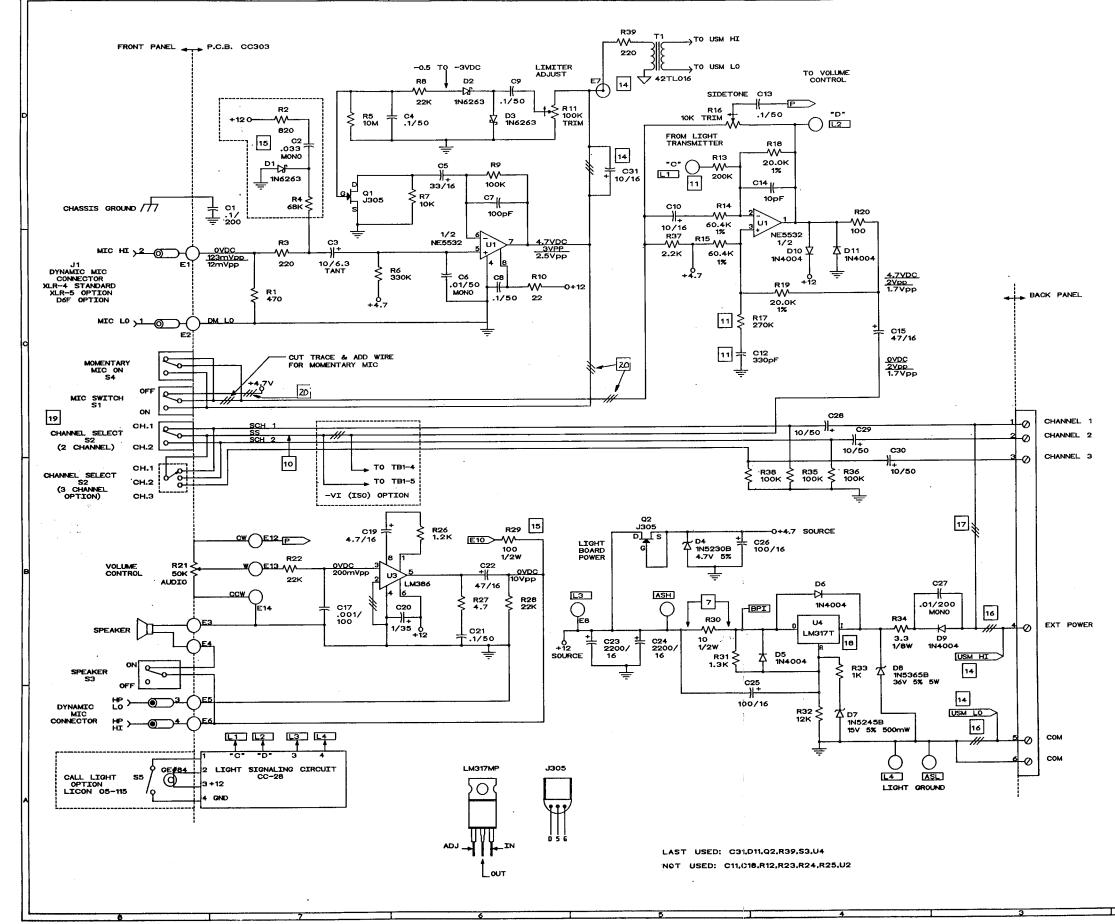
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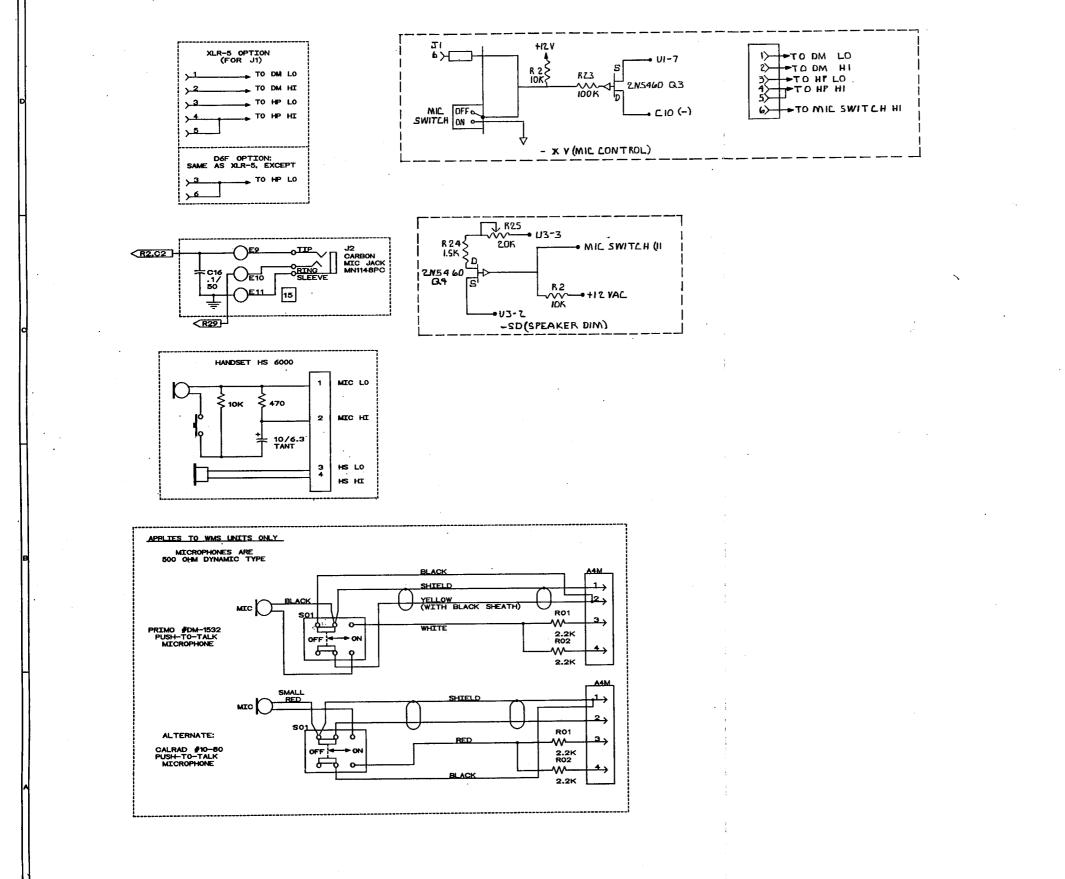


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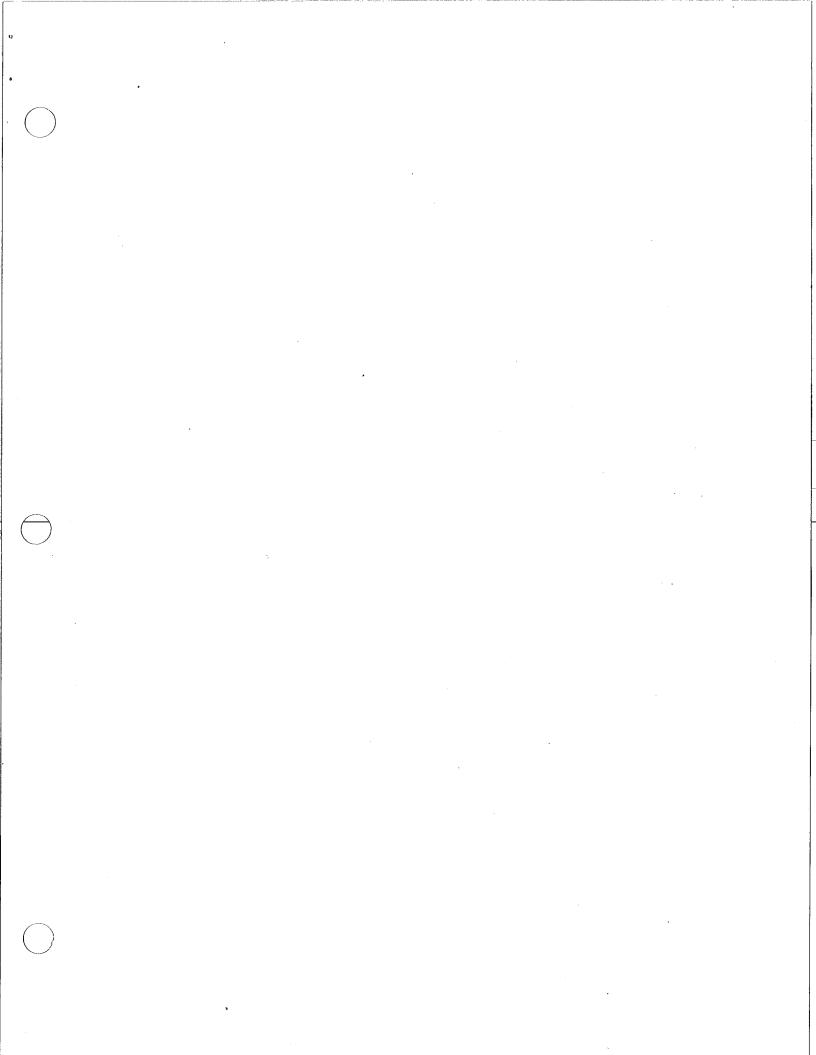


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