



Centra Page/Party®







Market

Application

Product

Dependable paging and party line communications for rugged and hazardous offshore platforms and rigs.



GAI-Tronics' Centra Page/Party® system provides dependable paging and party line communications for rugged and hazardous industrial facilities. Centra Page features centrally-located electronics which provide environmental protection, and unitized amplification for easy maintenance. Standard Centra Page cabinets can support up to 30 handset stations and in most cases up to 60 paging speakers. Alarms and telephone interfacing can also be added to Centra Page.

Basic Operation:

Basic system operation is simple: an individual lifts a station handset, locates an available party line, depresses the handset pressbar and announces a page, and releases the pressbar. The paged individual goes to an available station, turns the party line selector switch to the proper party line, lifts the handset and answers the page. Telephone type, duplex communication can then be held on the party line without broadcasting over speakers.

The primary component of a Centra Page system is the card rack. This unit houses the individual line cards (Part # 69037-101), which corresponds to specific handset stations and speakers in the system. The card rack contains termination points for power and the alarm / tone generator and telephone interface connections. Each card rack accommodates up to ten line cards.





All stations are homerun wired to the central cabinet, where station status is monitored. To maximize flexibility, stations are available in Desktop, Desk-Edge, Weatherproof, Indoor, Flush-mount, and Jack Stations when used with headset configurations.



The 10961-001 AMI Centra Page Interface contains a priority alarm test and telephone interface panel, allowing the customer access to the public telephone network. The AMI I/O Controller Board is mounted onto the panel with a terminal block. The interface connects the alarm, page and party audio between the Audio Messenger and Centra-Page System.





The 10959-006 Audio Messenger Interface provides the capability to generate emergency tone alarms, prerecorded voice message and automated normal operations announcements over the Centra Page System. A Smart Media® memory card stores the configuration programming, the voice and tone recordings. Five standard alarms are factory installed.

Specifications

Central Cabinet

Construction: Wall mounted, 16-gauge cold rolled steel with polyurethane enamel finish

Dimensions 20.625"W X 18.5" D x 31" H

(523.9mm x 469.9 mm x 787.4 mm)

Connections: All connections are made to terminal blocks located on wall-mounted rear section

Contents: Up to three card racks with up to ten line cards, AMI Centra Page Interface, Rackmount Audio Messenger Interface

Weight: 165 lbs. (74.8 kg) approx.

Power Requirements: 22-28 VDC negative ground 35A maximum; 3A idle

Line Cards

- Handset Amplifier
- Speaker Amplifier portion delivers to 16 W to 8 ohm or 70.7 v line
- Short circuit current limited
- Five indicator lights:
 - Power to handset
 - · Off-hook
 - Page Activated
 - Power to Speaker
 - Signal Intensity

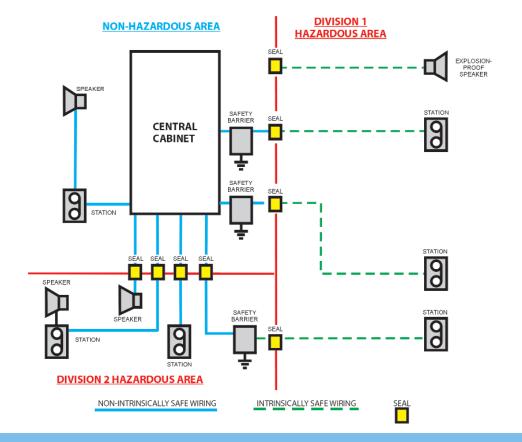
Audio Messenger Interface: Five tones, internally selected priority, Alarm muting available when voice page initiated, Alarm test switches

Tones: The following tones are factory-set: Yelp, Warble, Siren, Pulse, and Steady. Additional tones are customer configurable using AMI's ACT Software.

Telephone Interface: Standard modular plug/jack to ordinary telephone line (48 VDC, 20 Hz bridged ringing), "In Use" indicator on front panel, Signal on page line indicates incoming calls 1300 and 1600 Hz tones toggled at 20 Hz

Inputs / Outputs: Can support the addition of 29 inputs and 29 outputs.

Typical Diagram



The Central Cabinet must be located in a non-hazardous area. Stations and speaker may be then located in both hazardous and non-hazardous locations, depending on the method used to install wiring.

Reference Manual: 42004-356A

Part Number Description

Cabinet Components

10468-002Central Cabinet
10461-00219" P.C. Card Rack
69037-101 Station Line Card
C83018 Crew's Quarters Muting Card
10961-001 AMI Central-Page Interface
10959-006 Rack-Mount Audio Messenger Interface
14736-242 Blank Panel 19" x 10.5"

Safety Barrier / Stations / Headsets

10439-102	. Safety Barrier
472-002	. Indoor Handset Station
473-002	. Outdoor Weatherproof Handset Station
475-002	. Indoor Handset / Headset Jack Station
475-004	. Weatherproof Handset / Headset Jack Station
476-002	. Flush Mount Handset Station
478-002	. Desk Top Handset Station with Speaker
10453-501	. Headset Microphone Assembly
10410-002	. 30' Headset Assembly Ext. Cable
10450-202	. Handset Assembly

System / Speaker Cable

60051-001	6 Conductor System Cable - PVC Jacket
60051-003	6 Conductor System Cable - Bronze Braid / PVC Jacket
60028-101	3 Conductor Speaker Cable - PVC Jacket
60028-003	3 Conductor System Cable - Bronze Braid / PVC Jacket

Horns / Drivers

13309-001 Horn Non-Metallic Weatherproof
13309-001SB Horn Non-Metallic Weatherproof with Stainless Steel Bracket
13340 Horn Non-Metallic Weatherproof
12526-001 Stainless Steel Mounting Bracket
13314-003Speaker Driver Division II, 70V Weatherproof
13310-203Speaker Driver Division I, 70V
13351Wall Speaker 70V Non-Classified, Weatherproof
B406T-70WIndoor Wall Speaker without Volume Control (with Transformer)
B650T-70Indoor Ceiling Speaker without Volume Control (with Transformer)
12506-001Volume Control Kit











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