
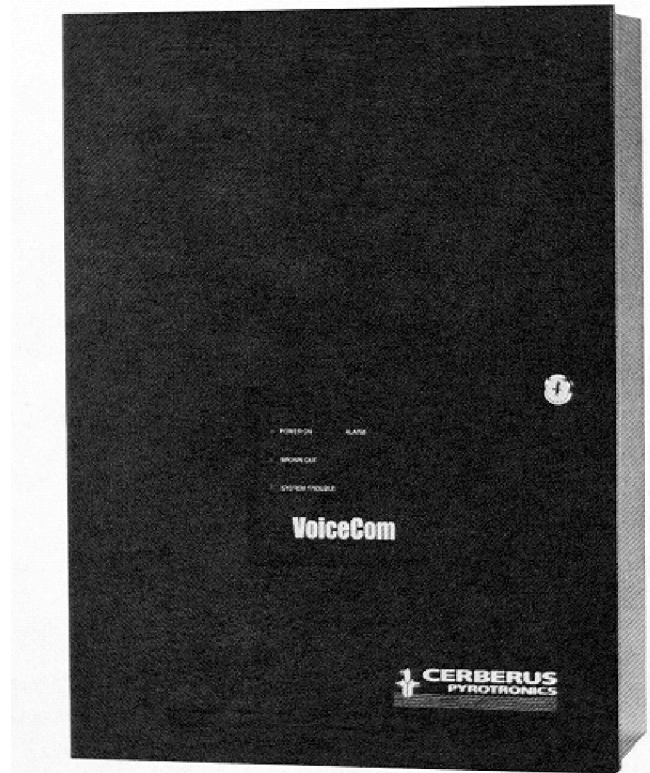


# VoiceCom

## Emergency Voice Alarm Communication System

### ENGINEER AND ARCHITECT SPECIFICATIONS

-  Listed 864
- CSFM, NYMEA Approved
- Style Y (Class B) and Style Z (Class A) speaker and strobe circuits
- Power Supply and Battery Charger with output over-voltage protection
- Dry contact or polarity reversal activation
- Activation inputs are fully supervised
- High efficiency digital amplifier
- True 100 Watts RMS output capacity
- 25 or 70.7 VRMS audio (field selected)
- Up to 11 optional Speaker and Strobe supervision modules in one cabinet
- All outputs are power limited
- Stand-alone or for use with any Fire Alarm/Suppression Control panel
- Optional digital MessageMaker is field programmable
- Coded tone option
- Backup evacuation tone option



### Description

The VoiceCom is a PRE-BUILT emergency voice and tone alarm communication system. The VoiceCom can be used as a stand alone system or in conjunction with any listed/ approved fire alarm control panel. The VoiceCom is completely self-contained and has its own power supply, battery charger, brown-out supervision and transfer, earth-ground detection, trouble and trouble ring-back circuitry. It also incorporates an emergency paging microphone, tone generator, 50 Watt RMS audio amplifier and a speaker supervisory circuit. The power supply is capable of a full 3.5 Amps DC at 24 volts. A set of dry form "C" trouble contacts is provided for external connection to a fire alarm control panel or fire suppression system. Speaker and strobe circuits are supervised by the VoiceCom panel. The power supply is capable of charging up to 24 AH batteries although only 6 AH batteries are required for 24 hours of standby and 15 minutes of maximum alarm load operation.

Optional expansion of the VoiceCom system can be achieved with the use of speaker (101-SPK) and strobe (101-STRB) supervisory modules. Up to five speaker and/ or strobe supervisory modules will mount in the same VoiceCom enclosure in any combination. An optional digital message unit called the MM-1 (MessageMaker) can be added in the place of two speaker or strobe zone modules (three zone spaces in the large cabinet option). The MM-1 comes pre-installed in the VoiceCom-MM system package. The MM-1 comes with 20 seconds of field programmable digital voice message capacity and 18 seconds of capacity for virtually any evacuation tone(s) required. Through the use of up to two optional 20 second "VOICE-CHIP" expansion devices, up to 60 seconds of a digital message can be recorded. The digital message can be recorded through audio coupling using the microphone on the MM-1 or electrically (with a tape recorder) using the headphone jack on the MM-1. The MM-1 MessageMaker comes with a standard test message, alert tone, alarm tone

and a standard evacuation message which can be overwritten if a specific message and tone are required. The MM-1 MessageMaker has a built-in sequencer which provides an ALERT tone followed by the emergency message, and in turn followed by the ALARM tone. The ALARM tone can be coded to conform to any local and national codes. The emergency message can be set to repeat up to seven times with the setting of DIP switches. The digital message can also be programmed to repeat until the system is reset. The MM-1 MessageMaker uses non-volatile memory thus retaining its messages indefinitely. As a further safeguard the 101-AMP amplifier module will activate an evacuation tone backup in the event of a MessageMaker failure.

The auxiliary audio input can be used for connection to a remote paging microphone RMT-PG, telephone paging, or other required audio signal. The auxiliary audio input can be set to the lowest priority so that it will be disabled in the event of an alarm condition or when the system microphone button is pressed. The auxiliary audio input can also be set to the highest priority ensuring that the remote microphone RMT-PG has precedence over the VoiceCom microphone.

All the VoiceCom modules/options are centrally monitored for ground faults and supervision troubles. Troubles are annunciated on the panel via a LED and an audible trouble signal. A form "C" system trouble relay is used to create a trouble at the fire alarm control panel. The audible trouble signal may be silenced by activating the trouble silence button. Full annunciation of troubles is provided at both the main control panel and the individual modules. LEDs are provided for short circuit and open circuit trouble annunciation at every module. The system can be configured to give a reminder audible signal after the trouble has been acknowledged.

The VoiceCom provides 50 Watts RMS of voice and tone audio power per amplifier. Up to two amplifiers can be housed in VoiceCom's larger enclosure. The system can be configured in the field for 25 or 70.7 VRMS operation. It will meet the requirements of an "Assembly Occupancy" and other locations where voice and tone broadcasting is required. The VoiceCom incorporates a high efficiency amplifier that requires minimal energy for its operation. Up to 100 Watts RMS can be split in any ratio by up to twelve speaker circuits. Up to eleven strobe circuits can be housed in the VoiceCom cabinet to comply with requirements such as ADA. A remote reset input is available to reset VoiceCom from a distant control panel. The VoiceCom can be made latching or non-latching thus requiring only two wires from the control panel for both alarm and reset functions.

The VoiceCom is capable of recognizing a short on a zone while the speech, tone, or strobe is active on other zones. Short circuited zones are isolated from the system and cause a zone trouble. The type of zone fault is annunciated at the zone card and a general system trouble audible signal and LED are activated at the main control module. Because of its full speaker zone isolation capabilities the VoiceCom meets the requirements specified by NFPA 72 for survivability.

## Engineer And Architect Specification

The emergency voice and tone communication system shall be the Cerberus Pyrotronics model VoiceCom. The VoiceCom shall be a pre-built system and shall only require two wires from a polarity reversal circuit or a dry contact for

activation. It shall supervise the "NO" dry contact (if used) and provide a form "C" trouble relay activation in the event of a system fault. The VoiceCom shall incorporate 50 Watts true RMS amplifiers for both tone and speech amplification. The system shall have a load capacity of up to 100 watts. Optionall, the VoiceCom system shall be capable of providing 50 watts of audio with full backup. The VoiceCom shall be capable of operating as a stand alone system or follow the activation of the fire alarm/suppression system. The VoiceCom shall include a regulated power supply and shall be capable of charging and housing its own batteries. There shall be no need to calculate the load requirements or draw any energy from the fire alarm/suppression system. The VoiceCom shall come with one speaker supervisory zone as a standard and shall be capable of supervising any combination of up to eleven speaker (101-SPK) and/or strobe (101-STRB) monitoring modules.

A full set of control switches including an "all call", "tone interrupt", "trouble silence" and "reset" shall be available at the VoiceCom. The VoiceCom control panel shall also have a green "Power On" LED, a red "Alarm" LED, a yellow "Brown Out" LED and a yellow "System Trouble" LED.

The VoiceCom shall be able to detect a short on any speaker or strobe zone during the normal and alarm mode. The shorted zone shall be isolated from the system and a dedicated LED on the supervised zone shall indicate the short circuit condition. The system shall produce an audible and visual signal indicating that a trouble condition has occurred. Similarly an open circuit shall create a trouble condition and corresponding LED annunciation at the affected zone and at the main control module. Zones that are not shorted or opened shall remain operational.

The VoiceCom shall be able to detect a Brown-Out condition on the AC supply. In the Brown-Out condition the VoiceCom shall activate a dedicated LED and an audible trouble signal. Ground faults shall activate the system trouble LED and the audible trouble signal, as well as specific LEDs indicating negative and positive ground faults.

The VoiceCom shall be field configurable for 25 or 70.7 volt RMS audio output via program jumpers.

The VoiceCom shall have a digital message player/recorder option (MM-1). The digital message player/recorder shall be capable of storing alert and evacuation tones as well as an emergency voice message. It shall be possible to modify the digital message and tones in the field using a built-in acoustic microphone or a headphone jack connected to a tape recorder. There shall be no need for the burning of eeproms in order to program the digital message player/recorder. The digital message player/recorder shall be supervised by the VoiceCom. The VoiceCom shall provide a backup evacuation tone in the event of a digital message player/recorder failure.

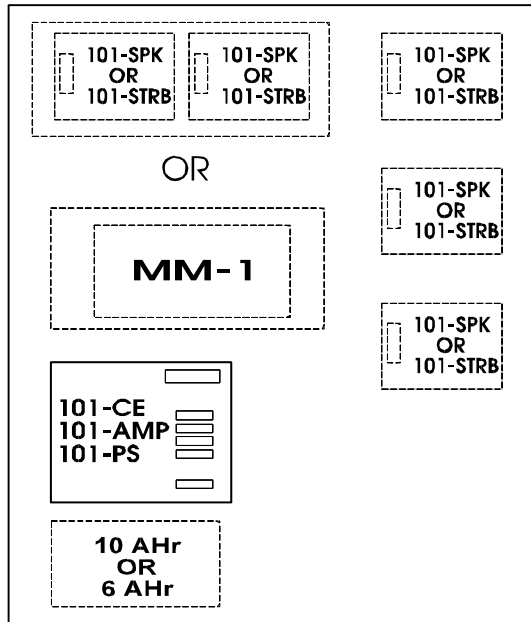
An alarm condition shall cause an audible signal and a red LED to activate. A VoiceCom with a digital message player/recorder shall produce an ALERT tone followed by an emergency voice message, and in turn followed by an ALARM tone. The number of tone repetitions shall be configurable by the setting of DIP switches on the digital message player/recorder. A VoiceCom without a digital message player/recorder shall produce an evacuation "whoop" tone in the event of an alarm.

The sheet metal enclosure shall include a hinged deadfront allowing easy access to all the VoiceCom components for the purposes of wiring, setting the system configuration and servicing. A flush trim (CAB-TRIM) shall be available. A door with a key lock shall be part of the VoiceCom enclosure.

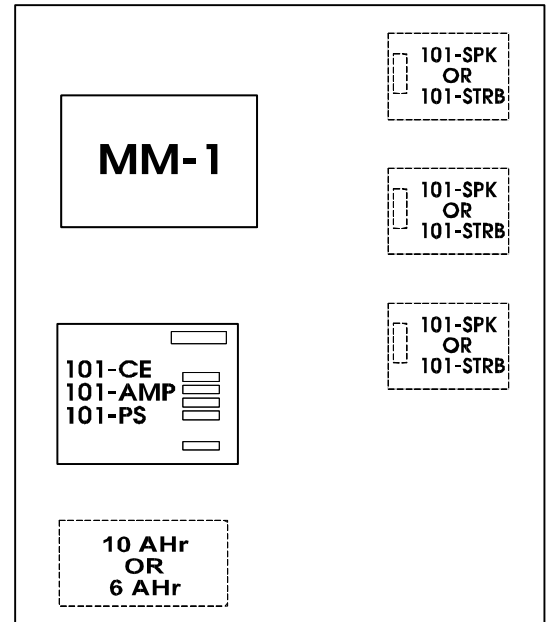
# Ordering Information

## VoiceCom Family of Pre-built Kits Ordering Information

### VoiceCom, VoiceCom-R

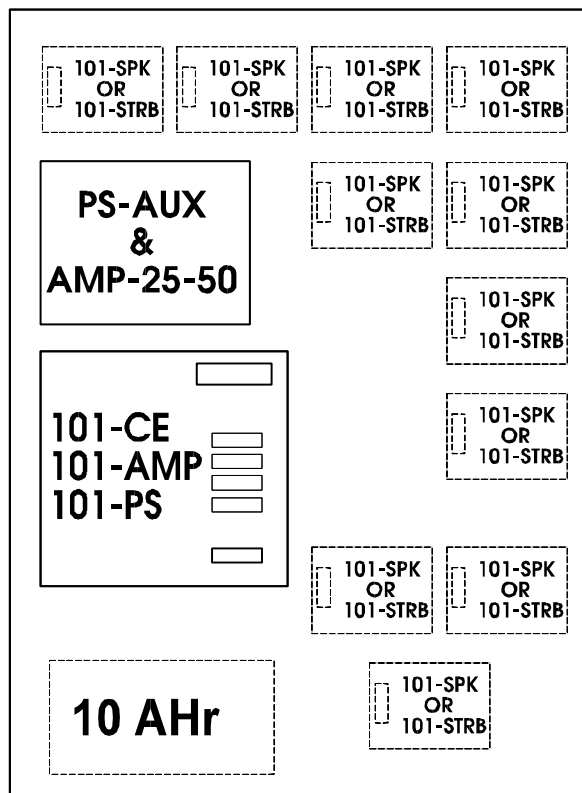


### VoiceCom-MM, VoiceCom-MMR

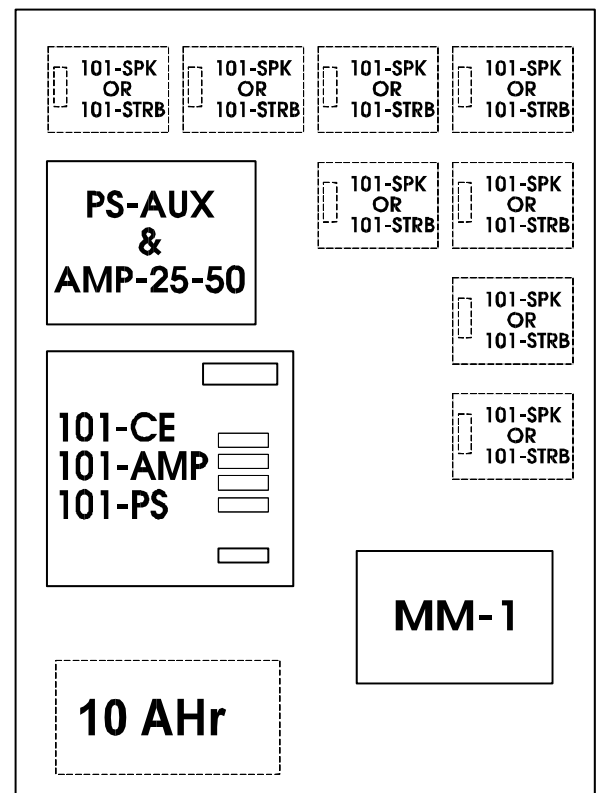


( Dimensions in inches: 20Hx15Wx5.4D )

### VoiceCom-L, VoiceCom-LS VoiceCom-LR, VoiceCom-LSR



### VoiceCom-MML, VoiceCom-MMLS VoiceCom-MMLR, VoiceCom-MMLSR



( Dimensions in inches: 32Hx18Wx5.56D )

\* Items in dashed lines are optional and indicate possible expansion capacity

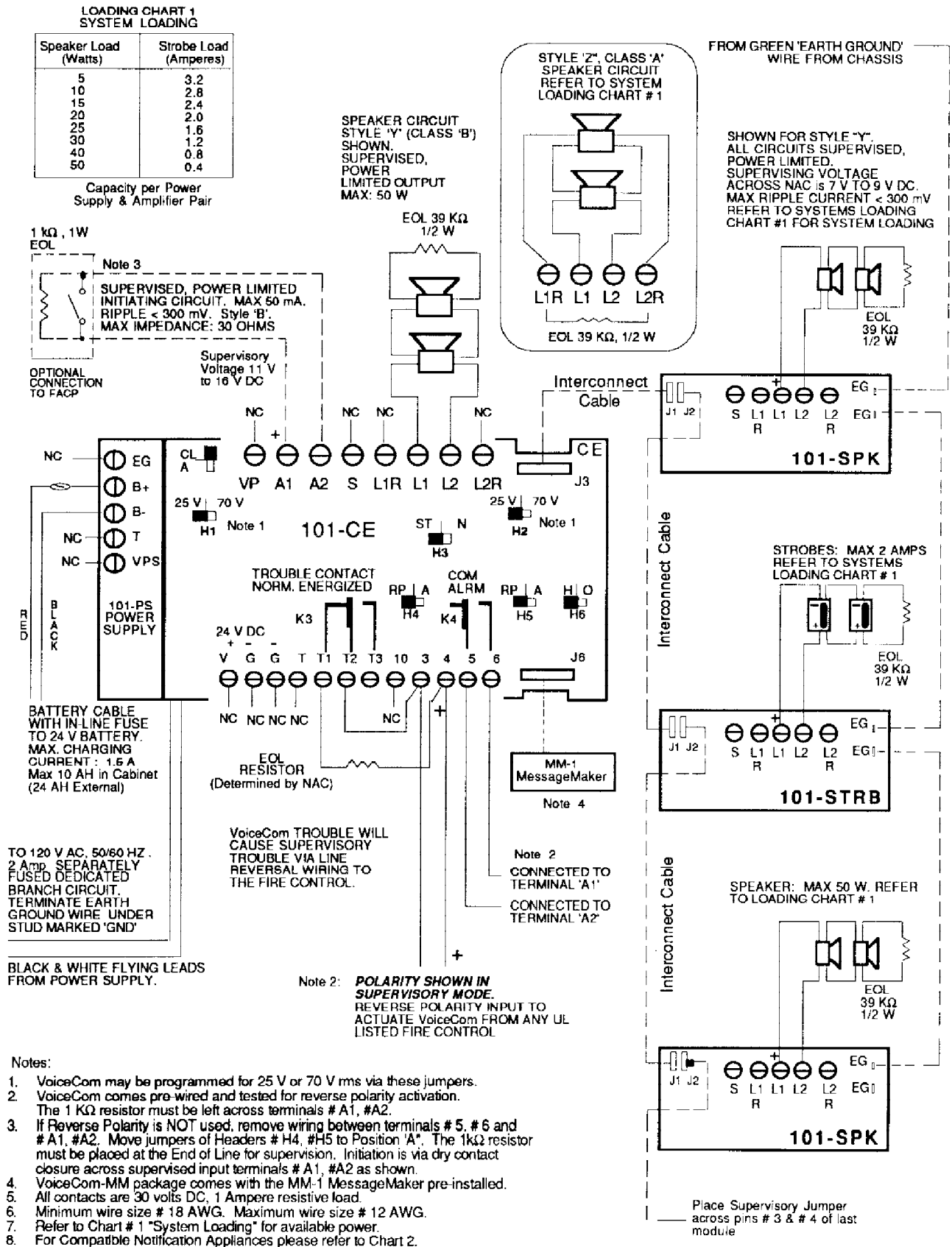
## Chart 1. Ordering Information

Model	Part Number	Description
VoiceCom	500-693713	Pre-built system comes with: 3.5 Amp power supply and battery charger 50 Watt high efficiency amplifier (25/70.7 VRMS) Battery cables Main control board with one speaker circuit Paging microphone Black enclosure with deadfront (space for 5 zone modules).
VoiceCom-R	500-694226	Same as VoiceCom with red cabinet
VoiceCom-L	500-694227	VoiceCom system components in large enclosure with: Auxiliary power supply (PS-AUX), extra 50 Watt amplifier (AMP-25-50), space for 11 zone modules 4 PS-AUX Strobe Zone Cables 1 AMP-25-50 Speaker Zone Cable (SYSTEM HAS A TOTAL OF 100 WATTS AMPLIFICATION)
VoiceCom-LS	500-694228	VoiceCom-L System components with the 50 Watt amplifier configured for standby only. (SYSTEM HAS A TOTAL OF 50 WATTS AMPLIFICATION)
VoiceCom-LR	500-694229	VoiceCom-L system in red enclosure
VoiceCom-LSR	500-694230	Same as the VoiceCom-LS in red enclosure
VoiceCom-MM	500-693714	Pre-built system comes with: VoiceCom components plus the MM-1 digital MessageMaker (Pre-installed). System has space for 3 zone modules
VoiceCom-MMR	500-694231	Same as VoiceCom-MM in red enclosure
VoiceCom-MML	500-694232	Same as VoiceCom-MM components in large black enclosure. Comes with auxiliary power supply (PS-AUX), additional 50 Watt amplifier (AMP-25-50) 4 PS-AUX Strobe Zone Cables 1 AMP-25-50 Speaker Zone Cable System has space for 8 zone modules (SYSTEM HAS A TOTAL OF 100 WATTS AMPLIFICATION)
VoiceCom-MMLS	500-694233	Same as VoiceCom-MML with the 50 Watt amplifier configured for standby only. (SYSTEM HAS A TOTAL OF 50 WATTS AMPLIFICATION)
VoiceCom-MMLR	500-694234	Same as VoiceCom-MML in a red enclosure
VoiceCom-MMLSR	500-694235	Same as VoiceCom-MMLS in a red enclosure
<i>Flush Trim for VoiceCom and VoiceCom-MM</i>		
CAB-TRIM	500-693720	Small cabinet semi-flush trim
CAB-TRIM2	500-694240	Large cabinet semi-flush trim
<i>Speaker and Strobe Expansion Modules</i>		
101-SPK	500-693715	One supervised speaker zone
101-STRB	500-693716	One supervised strobe zone
<i>MessageMaker with 20 Second Message (Takes 2 Module Spaces in small cabinet, 3 in large cabinet)</i>		
MM-1	500-693719	Digital MessageMaker
<i>Voice Message Expansion Chip (2 Maximum per MessageMaker)</i>		
VOICE-CHIP	500-693767	20 sec message expansion
<i>Remote Paging Microphone</i>		
RMT-PG	500-693721	Remote paging mike
<i>Batteries</i>		
BT-33	175-387141	6 AH Battery set
BT-34	175-387140	10 AH Battery set

# Typical Wiring

## VoiceCom System Wiring Diagram

Figure 1



## Chart 2. Compatible Notification Appliances

Compatible Speakers		Compatible Speaker/Strobes		Compatible Strobes	
<i>Model No.</i>	<i>Part No.</i>	<i>Model No.</i>	<i>Part No.</i>	<i>Model No.</i>	<i>Part No.</i>
SH25-F	500-694320	SH70-S15-F	500-694326	S15-FS	500-694481
SH70-F	500-694321	SH70-S15-S	500-694327	S15-F	500-694482
SH25-S	500-694322	SH70-S15-C	500-694328	S15-S	500-694483
SH70-S	500-694323	SH25-S15-F	500-694329	S17-FS	500-694484
SH25-C	500-694324	SH25-S15-S	500-694330	S17-F	500-694485
SH70-C	500-694325	SH25-S15-C	500-694331	S17-S	500-694486
SL25-F	500-694346	SH70-S17-F	500-694332	S75-FS	500-694487
SL70-F	500-694347	SH70-S17-S	500-694333	S75-F	500-694488
SL25-S	500-694348	SH70-S17-C	500-694334	S75-S	500-694489
SL70-S	500-694349	SH25-S17-F	500-694335	S110-FS	500-694490
SL25-C	500-694350	SH25-S17-S	500-694336	S110-F	500-694491
SL70-C	500-694351	SH25-S17-C	500-694337	S110-S	500-694492
		SH70-S75-F	500-694338		
		SH70-S75-S	500-694339		
		SH25-S75-F	500-694340		
		SH25-S75-S	500-694341		
		SH70-S110-F	500-694342		
		SH70-S110-S	500-694343		
		SH25-S110-F	500-694344		
		SH25-S110-S	500-694345		
		SL70-S15-F	500-694352		
		SL70-S15-S	500-694353		
		SL70-S15-C	500-694354		
		SL25-S15-F	500-694355		
		SL25-S15-S	500-694356		
		SL25-S15-C	500-694357		
		SL70-S17-F	500-694358		
		SL70-S17-S	500-694359		
		SL70-S17-C	500-694360		
		SL25-S17-F	500-694361		
		SL25-S17-S	500-694362		
		SL25-S17-C	500-694363		
		SL70-S75-F	500-694364		
		SL70-S75-S	500-694365		
		SL25-S75-F	500-694366		
		SL25-S75-S	500-694367		
		SL70-S110-F	500-694368		
		SL70-S110-S	500-694369		
		SL25-S110-F	500-694370		
		SL25-S110-S	500-694371		



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