



GAI-TRONICS®
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Model 723-003 24 V DC Remote Handset/Speaker Amplifier

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General Information

The Model 723-003 24 V DC Remote Handset/Speaker Amplifier is an important component of the Page/Party® communications system and an integral part of GAI-Tronics desktop, desk-edge, and flush-mount stations. It has been designed to be remotely mounted within an enclosure, allowing the associated subsets to be placed on a desktop, mounted on the side of a desk, or to be flush mounted. The Model 723-003 Remote Handset/Speaker Amplifier is constructed of fabricated steel durable enough for even the toughest industrial environments.

Installation

 **WARNING**  **Explosion Hazard – Substitution of components may impair suitability for Class 1, Div. 2 usage.**

 **CAUTION**  **Do not install this equipment in hazardous areas or areas other than those indicated on the equipment approval list in the “Specifications” section of this manual. Such installation may cause a safety hazard and consequent injury or property damage.**

To install the remote handset/speaker amplifier, plug the amplifier into the appropriate enclosure, and tighten the four screws in the corners of the amplifier. See Figure 1 for typical installation details.

Model 723-003 24 V DC Remote Handset/Speaker Amplifier is shown mounted in the 7245 Series enclosure and connected to the Model 7265-101 Desktop Subset. Remember, while your specific configuration may be different, the installation details will be the same.

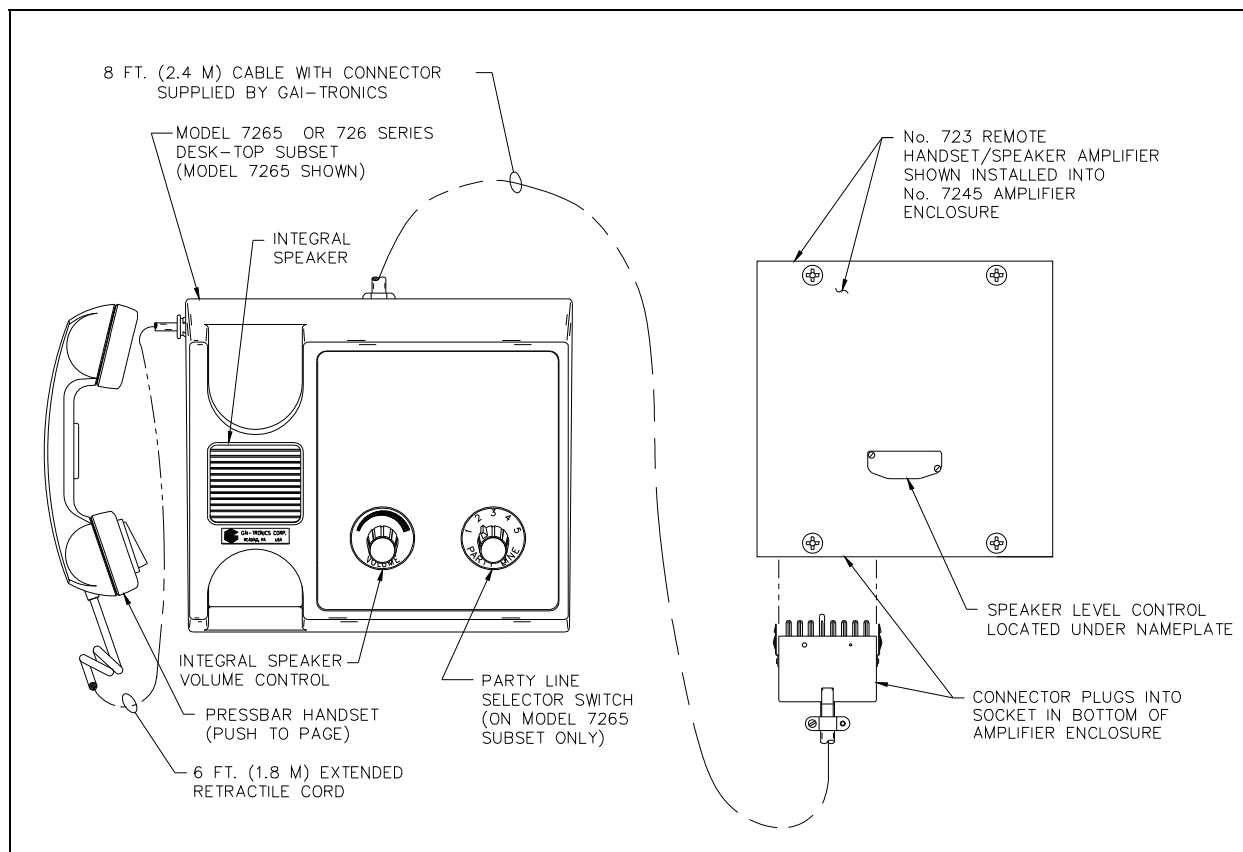


Figure 1. Installation of Model 723-003 Remote Handset/Speaker Amplifier

Operation

GAI-Tronics offers two types of Page/Party[®] systems: Single party with one page line and one party line, and multi-party with one page line and five party lines allowing up to five simultaneous two-way conversations.

For *single party* systems, complete the following steps to make a page announcement:

1. Lift the handset from the cradle.
2. Depress and hold the handset pressbar.
3. Speak directly into the microphone to broadcast your announcement over the loudspeakers.
4. Release the handset pressbar, and if requested, wait for a response.

The paged individual(s) responds by picking up a station handset.

For *multi-party* systems, complete the following steps to make a page announcement:

1. Lift the handset from the cradle.
2. If party line conversation is desired, rotate the selector switch to an unoccupied party line.
3. Depress and hold the handset pressbar.
4. Speak directly into the microphone to broadcast your announcement over the loudspeakers.
5. Release the handset pressbar, and if requested, wait for a response.

The paged individual(s) responds by picking up a station handset and turning the selector switch to the requested party line.

With either type of system, the full duplex party line communication is not broadcast over the system speakers. Other individuals can also pick up and join the conversation at any time. Always return the handset to the cradle following a page or a party line conversation.

Maintenance

The following adjustments are accessible through the rear chassis of the remote amplifier using a small standard screwdriver. Each adjustment is clearly labeled:

- *Microphone Gain*: adjusts the gain level from the microphone signal to the page or party lines.
- *Receiver Sidetone*: adjusts the signal transmitted from the microphone to the receiver of a handset.
- *Receiver Volume*: adjusts the gain level from a party line to the receiver.

Troubleshooting

The following table lists some hints to aid technicians in troubleshooting:

Problem	Solution
Feedback/distortion (a hum or buzz on the line) occurs during all Page/Party [®] station operation.	The line may be improperly terminated. Inspect the system cable for loose connections, shorts, and grounds. Line balance assembly connections are critical.
Associated speaker level requires adjustment.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Adjust the speaker volume control located on the front panel of the subset, if equipped. Refer to Figure 1.2. Adjust the speaker volume control at the amplifier. Use a small standard screwdriver to perform these adjustments. Refer to Figure 1

Specifications

Power input, voltage 21–28.8 V dc range, 25 V dc nominal
 Power consumed Zero signal: 2.75 W
 Maximum signal: 27 W
 Construction/Finish..... 16-gauge cold-rolled steel/gray polyurethane

Handset Amplifier

Output level 1.5 V_{RMS} nominal into 33-ohm load
 Output limiter 1.5 V_{RMS} nominal
 Gain 55 dB nominal (below limiter level); adjustable from 40 to 63 dB
 Frequency response 250–4,000 Hz, +0/-3 dB ref. @ 1 kHz
 Distortion..... 1.5% maximum THD @ 1 kHz
 Controls Microphone gain, receiver volume, and sidetone
 (adjusted through the access holes on the rear surface of the unit.)

Speaker Amplifier

Output..... Push-pull, Class B, 12 watts minimum,
 with nominal supply voltage
 Amplifier sensitivity..... 0.5 V ac, at rated output
 Frequency response 250–4,000 Hz, +0/-3 dB ref. @ 1 kHz
 Distortion..... 1% maximum THD @ 1 kHz
 Input impedance 50,000 ohms nominal
 Controls Speaker volume (adjusted through an access
 hole behind the nameplate on the front panel)
 Temperature range..... -22° F to +158° F (-30° C to +70° C)
 Dimensions 8.1 H × 8.1 W × 3.0 D inches behind panel (3.5 D in front of panel)
 (206 × 206 × 76 [89] mm)
 Shipping weight 5.6 lbs. (2.6 kg)

Approvals

NRTL certified for use in US and Canada..... Class I, Div. 2, Groups A, B, C, D,
 when mounted into a certified GAI-Tronics Model 7245 Amplifier Enclosure
 Temperature Code..... T3C (Maximum ambient = 70° C)
 CE Mark

REPLACEMENT PARTS

Part Number	Description
10440-003	Maintenance Cable, 24-pin
12508-002	Screw Kit (32 pack)
12530-002	Transformer, Connector Subassembly Kit
12523-001	GTC Nameplate Kit (5 pack)
12604-004	Fuse, Slow 2A (10 pack)
12604-012	Fuse, 0.2A (10 pack)
25210-005	Gasket (1 piece)
69723-202	PCBA Replacement
12601-001	PCBA Standoffs (10 pack)

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Return Policy

If the equipment requires service, contact your Regional Service Center for a return authorization number (RA#). Equipment should be shipped prepaid to GAI-Tronics with a return authorization number and a purchase order number. If the equipment is under warranty, repairs or a replacement will be made in accordance with the warranty policy set forth above. Please include a written explanation of all defects to assist our technicians in their troubleshooting efforts.

Call 800-492-1212 (inside the USA) or 610-777-1374 (outside the USA) for help identifying the Regional Service Center closest to you.