# Mine Dial / Page Telephone

Models 491-204 and 495-001



#### **Features**

- Selective and All-Call Paging
- Private Conversations
- Can place and receive outside calls
- Each station allows simultaneous, independent conversations on each phone
- Emergency page function is automatically enabled if switchboard is out of order, or if power fails
- Flashing light designed for use in noisy areas where a ring might not be heard; light also improves ability to locate phone in dark areas
- For ease of installation, each interface cabinet supports up to 80 extensions
- 8-hour battery backup



The GAI-TRONICS Mine Dial/Page Phone system provides the convenience of a telephone station plus paging capabilities, in gaseous or dusty locations where standard telephone equipment is considered too hazardous. Mine Dial / Page Telephones are rated as "permissible" for use in coal mines by the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) of the United States Department of Labor (Approval 9B-221).

The System is used in conjunction with a public or private branch exchange (PBX). Each station in the system is made up of three components; (1) the Mine Dial/Page Phone station mounted at the point where needed, (2) a GAI-TRONICS interface card mounted outside the hazardous area and electrically connected between the station and the telephone exchange, and (3) an interface cabinet. The GAI-TRONICS Interface

Cabinet houses MSHA approved safety barriers, interface cards, electronic switching, power source, and all the equipment necessary to interface the Mine Dial/Page Phone with the customer's plant telephone system.

Once installed, the Mine Dial station can place a call to any Mine Dial/Page Phone, generate a page to a specific Mine Dial/Page Phone, page all Mine Dial/Page Phones, or place a call to a standard telephone. For maximum safety, in the event of a power failure or if the switchboard is down for any reason, the Mine Dial/Page Phone can still generate pages and allow two-way communication.

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### **MODEL 491-204 MINE DIAL/PAGE PHONE**

Line Voltage:	12 V do
Supervisory Current:	
Audio impedance, input:	
External controls (2):	Push-to-operate (in handset
	Emergency Page (on panel
Internal Controls (2):	Speaker volume sidetone
Microphone:	Dynamic, noise-canceling
Speaker:	Dynamic, horn-loading
Power Supply:	Internal dry battery, 12 volts
Page/Indicator Lamp:	66 Flashes per minute; 6.6% duty cycle
Approvals:	MSHA Permissible, Approval Number 9B-221

## **MODEL 495-001 INTERFACE CABINET**

Number of Channels:	80 Max.
Audio Impedance, switchboard:	600-900 ohms
Metering:	Power supply voltage; load current;
	Battery charging current
Transient Isolation - Telephone circuit to corresponding mine circuit: $\dots$	500 volts min.
Transient Limiter - across mine lines:	25 volts, peak
Normal Power Requirements:	120 volts, 50-60 Hz.
Standby Power Operation:	. 8 hours, minimum via rechargeable battery

#### SWITCHBOARD REQUIREMENTS

Station Selection:	DTMF (Dual Tone Modulation Frequency) Operation
Ringing:	Bridged across line 85 volts nom., 20 Hz
Open-circuit voltage:	48 V dc nomina
Supervisory Current:	50 mA., 20 mA min
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Auxiliary Requirements: ..... 1. Page Audio: 0 dBm, 600-900 ohms 2. Page Control: "A" contact, normally open

> 3. Monitor: 48 V dc nom., 1200 ohms, max. source/line resistance



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