

TRX50 Emergency Reporting and Wide Area Mass Notification System



Description

Sigcom TRX50 system offers a fully integrated solution for reporting and managing major emergencies including fire and security alarms, terrorist activities, hazardous chemical releases, severe weather, and other situations that may endanger the occupants of an area or facility. The system provides a long range radio backbone to report emergency incidents to a central dispatch location, and the capability to respond, including initiating prerecorded and live voice messages from the head end back to any remote location. The TRX50 system meets the stringent requirements of municipal fire protection systems and the specific requirements of the U.S. Military for security and force protection applications.

Applications

Applications for TRX50 system include municipal fire alarm networks as well as fire alarm monitoring and wide area mass notification at military facilities, college campuses, oil refineries and production platforms, petro-chemical plants, hospital campuses, and manufacturing plants. TRX50 is a modular design giving users and designers the ability to add functionality and to significantly expand the system and the radio network. For municipalities, military bases, industrial sites, academic institutions, and any location requiring the most versatile and reliable emergency communication network for the fastest and most complete response to any situation

Features

- Wide area coverage with long range radio transceivers up to 25 miles – Longer range applications with repeaters
- Modular design supports both one way or two way radio communication with full command and control
- Supports voice over radio network with Mass Notification System option
- Integrates legacy hardwire municipal networks enabling transition to long range radio
- Powerful Integrated embedded software platform saves room in the dispatch center

Benefits

- Sigcom's private long range radio is the most stable and reliable emergency and alarm communication technology – no risk of technology sunset
- Ideal for fast and cost effective deployment of new alarm and emergency reporting networks
- Enables cost effective managed transition for existing Telegraph and other aging hardwire networks to modern long range radio
- Approved for both Public and Proprietary Alarm Reporting Systems (NFPA 72 Chapters 26 and 27)
- Easy deployment of wide area Mass Notification Systems for communicating live and pre-recorded voice messages
- Supports full remote command and control functions through the head end software to any radio location – turn anything on and off manually or automatically

Operation

Alarm inputs are received from fire alarm panels, security alarm panels, gas or radiation monitoring sensors, or manual activating devices by Sigcom DTX long range radio alarm transceivers and communicated back to the TRX50 over the radio network. Signals can also be communicated to TRX50 from existing hardwire networks such as municipal Telegraph networks. The TRX50 System Processor software receives the signals and produces a visual and audible indication on a monitor or touchscreen that there is an incident or alarm. The dispatch center operator can see information pertaining to the event and respond. Command signals can be sent back to the radio transceivers. These commands can be manually activated by the operator or configured to activate automatically and can trip pre-recorded or live voice messages and/or tones, activate lights and strobes, initiate message signs, shut down HVAC or other critical systems, and more.



TRX50 System Components

System Processor – TRX50-SP Series

The System Processor is a rack mount module that is the central component for the system and is used to process all data and for system operation, configuration, and prog ramming. For user interface, a display monitor or touch screen, keyboard, and mouse attach to the System Processor via dedicated ports. Additional modules, such as the Radio Module, connect directly to the System Processor. The System Processor also contains the power distribution for all system components and provides automatic switch over to a Charger Module in the event of an AC power outage.

Charger Module – TRX50-CM Series

The Charger Module is a rack-mount or wall-mount power source that serves as the uninterruptible power supply (UPS) for the system. The Charger Module includes the battery backup supply along with all circuitry and components necessary to recharge the batteries. The Charger Module and the battery size depend on the backup power requirements of each particular installation. The batteries with the Charger Module will have capability to provide 24 hours standby power to the system.

TRX50 System Components (cont.)



Radio Module – TRX50-RM Series

The Radio Module is a rack mount module that can be configured for the individual application based on requirements for the radio network - one-way supervised reporting, two-way command and control, or two way command and control with Mass Notification System functionality. An integral radio receiver in the Radio Module is designed to operate in the 72-76 MHz or 135-175 MHz bands. This receiver complies with FCC Part 15 and is narrow band compliant. The Radio Module transmits frequency modulated (FM), Frequency Shift Keyed (FSK) encoded radio signals that are compatible with the System Processor.

Remote Dispatch Stations – TRX50-RDS Series

The System Processor can support up to 5 remote dispatch workstations in the same physical building as the System Processor to allow multiple users to respond to and manage system events. The Remote Dispatch Stations connect via secure dedicated LAN to the System Processor. Each Remote Dispatch Station includes user interface hardware – color monitor or touch screen, keyboard, and mouse.

Telegraphic Module – TRX50-TM Series

The Telegraphic Module provides connections to legacy municipal hard wired systems through Form 4 decoders and allows seamless integration with the new Radio system so all alarms and incidents can be reported and responded to by a single user interface display. The Telegraph Module is a 3U plate that is installed near and is connected to the System Processor.

Mass Notification Module – TRX50-MNS Series

The Mass Notification Module is a rack mount module that provides the essential elements of a Mass Notification System. It delivers live voice anywhere and provides centralized control of pre-recorded messages stored in MNS panels installed in buildings. The module includes 2 live microphones. One is directly attached to the MNS module and serves as an 'All Call' microphone. The other is the primary microphone that is provided at the operator console and can be user selected to page into a particular building.

Specifications

System Processor

1 **Power Supply:** 0 2 **Operating Voltage:** Standby Current: 0 **Back-Up Battery Size:** 2 Maximum Number of Boxes: 5 e **Radio Decoding Channels:** 2 32° to 125°F **Operating Temperature: Dimensions: Rack Mount:** Desktop: Weight: 13 lbs **Rack Mount:** Desktop: 40 lbs

Radio Module

Operating Voltage:

Power Consumption: Frequency Range:

Modulation: Narrowband Compliant: Number of Channels:

Operating Temperature:

Dimensions: Rack Mount: Desktop:

Weight:

10/240 VAC, 50/60 Hz
.97 Amps @ 115 VAC, Nominal
4 Volts, nominal
.85 Amps @ 24 VDC
4 V, 26 AH (24 Hour Back-Up)
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5.22"h (3U) x 14"d, 19" EIA Rack 11.75"h x 19.75"w x 18"d

24 VDC nominal (from System Processor or External Source) 0.25 Amps (max.) @ 24 VDC

72-76 MHz 138-170 MHz

FM Yes 1 Standard, 2 max.

32° to 125°F

5.22"h (3U) x 12"d, 19" EIA Rack Can fit in with System Processor in a case with dimensions 11.75"h x 19.75"w x 18"d 15 lbs (max.)

Mass Notification System Module

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Operating Voltage:	24 VDC Nominal (from System Processor or External Source)
Power Consumption: Idle Mode: 1 W Tx:	20 mA @ 24 VDC 270 mA @ 24 VDC
Number of Channels:	1 Transmitter
Operating Temperature:	32° to 125°F
Dimensions:	5.22″h (3U) x 12″d, 19″ EIA Rack
Weight:	7.5 lbs
Charger Module	
Power Supply:	100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz
Power Consumption:	1.5 Amps (max.) @ 110 VAC
Operating Voltage:	28 VDC nominal
Operating Temperature:	32° to 125°F
Dimensions: Rack Mount: Wall Mount:	10.47″h (6U) x 5.62″d, 19″ EIA Rack 10.47″h (6U) x 5.62″d x 19″ w
Weight:	7.5 lbs
Telegraphic Modu	ıle
Power Supply:	24 VDC nominal

Power Supply:	24 VDC nominal 100 mA @ 24 VDC
Operating Temperature:	32° to 125° F
Input:	15 optically isolated coded dry contact inputs
Output:	6 coded re-transmission outputs
Dimensions:	5.25″H x 19″W Rack mountable; 1.5″ depth



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