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CTG-1

Clock Controlled Tone Generator

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Add Time Controlled Alert Tones and Emergency Tones to Your Paging System



Viking's model **CTG-1** is a clock controlled tone generator designed to provide accurately timed alert tones or buzzer sounds over an existing paging system.

The **CTG-1** can be programmed to output single, double or triple alert tones or buzzer sounds with up to 128 events in a 24 hour period. These tone/buzzer sounds are ideal for indicating the start and end of shifts, break times, lunch periods, etc. for factories, schools, or any business requiring an audible indication of specified times. Each day of the week can be programmed to

either on or off, allowing you to turn off the alert tones during specific days of the week (weekends, etc.)

The **CTG-1** has three contact closure inputs for triggering an emergency siren, evacuation signal or a door bell sound.

Features -

- Accurate 24 hour digital time clock displays hours and minutes
- User programmable 24 hour, 128 event timer
- Programmable day of week on/off feature
- Programmable single, double or triple alert sound output (selectable tone or buzzer)
- Three contact closure controlled sounds:
 - 1) Emergency siren (yelp) sound
 - Temporal (slow whoop) evacuation signal
 *NFPA/ANSI compliant when used with supporting equipment
 - 3) Doorbell (chime) sound
- Volume controllable, 600 ohm line level audio output
- Non-volatile programming memory
- · Battery backup for maintaining clock time
- Battery backup charging circuit for charging 9V NiCad/NiMh batteries
- DPDT relay contacts for muting paging or background music during event tones

Applications -

- Signal the beginning and end of class periods, breaks, and lunch periods for schools
- Signal the beginning and end of shifts, breaks, and lunch periods for factories and other businesses
- Provides a door bell and/or alarm sounds over an existing paging system, for such applications as door entry, fire, severe weather, etc.
- Use with Viking's DVA-2WA to provide timed messages (Fax Back Document 110)

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Specifications •

Power: 120V AC/13.8V AC 1.25A UL listed adapter provided **Dimensions:** 133mm x 91mm x 44mm (5.25" x 3.6" x 1.75")

Weight: 0.9 Kg (2 lbs)

Environmental: 0°C to 32°C (32°F to 90°F) with 5% to 95%

non-condensing humidity

Connections: 10 position cage clamp terminal strip

Battery Backup: 9V alkaline or NiCad rechargeable battery

(not included) maintains clock time for over 8 hours

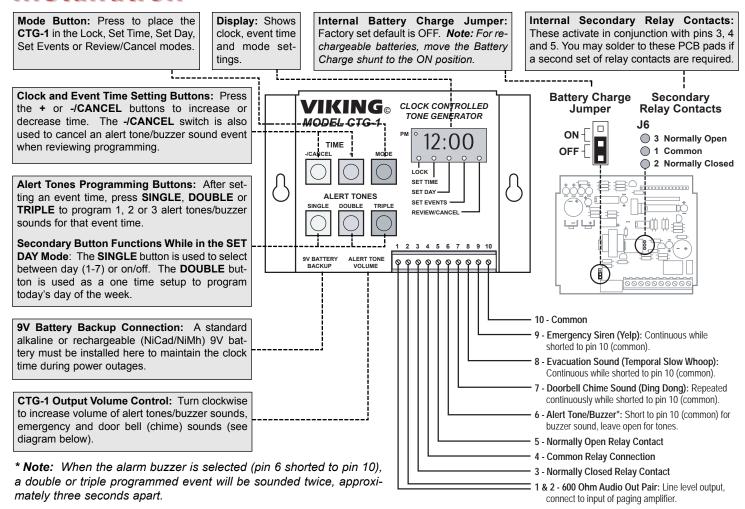
Time Base: 60Hz AC power line

Time Base Battery Backup Accuracy: +/- .001%

Audio Output: 600 ohm with volume adjust potentiometer, max-

imum level = 0.4 dBm/1.05Vrms across 600 ohm load **Relay Output:** DPDT rated 125V AC, 30 W (resistive load)

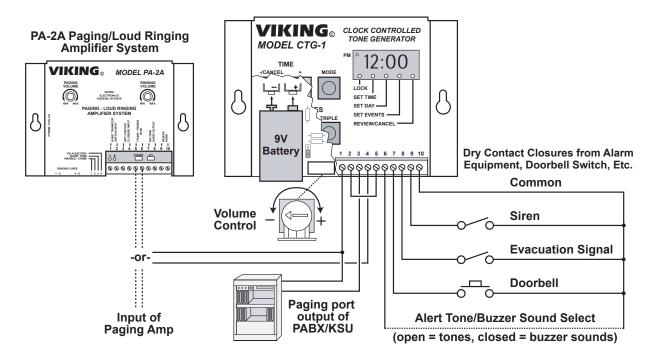
Installation



A. Typical Installation on the Paging Port of a Phone System

Connect the **CTG-1** between your phone system and your paging amplifier as shown in the diagram below. A 9V battery must be installed in the **CTG-1** to maintain clock time during a power outage. Either a standard or rechargeable 9V battery will maintain the clock time for over 8 hours.

Note: When using a rechargeable 9 volt battery, the battery charging jumper must be in the **ON** position (see diagram above). When using a non-rechargeable 9 volt battery, this shunt must be in the **OFF** position.



Programming

A. Setting the Clock Time

- 1. Press the MODE button repeatedly until the SET TIME indicator lights.
- 2. Increase or decrease the clock time by pressing the + or -/CANCEL button until the desired time is displayed.
- 3. Leave the set time mode by pressing the **MODE** button.

Note: Either the + or -/CANCEL button MUST be pressed at least once prior to leaving the set time mode. The clock will then start to run the moment you leave the set time mode, allowing you to synchronize the **CTG-1** with your building clocks.

B. Setting the Day of the Week

Note: This step is only required if you want to turn off the Alert Tones on certain days of the week.

- 1. Press the MODE button repeatedly until the SET DAY indicator lights.
- **2.** A flashing "**A**" indicates all 7 days of the week are "**on**" and today's week day has not been set. The day of the week has already been set if a flashing number (**1-7**) and "**on**" or "**of**" are displayed.
- **3.** Select today's day of the week using the **TIME** (+ and -/**CANCEL**) buttons. As a general rule, Sunday is day 1 and Saturday is day 7. When the correct day of the week is flashing on the display, set it by pressing the **DOUBLE** alert tone button. The week day number and "**on**" will now be displayed.

Note: The day of the week setting is a one time set up and does not need to be reset unless you have experienced a brown out long enough to discharge the 9V battery backup (approximately 8 hours). To reset the day of the week, you must power down the **CTG-1**, remove the 9V battery and repeat steps 1-3 above.

C. Turning the Alert Tones On/Off for Specific Days of the Week

- 1. Press the **MODE** button repeatedly until the **SET DAY** indicator lights. The current day of the week and "on" or "of" will be displayed. "on" = alert tones are ON and "of" = alert tones are OFF for that day of the week.
- 2. Pressing the **SINGLE** button will toggle between flashing the day of the week and flashing "**on**" or "**of**". The flashing portion of the display is the section that can be changed.
- 3. With the day of the week flashing, use the **TIME** (+ and -/CANCEL) buttons to select the day of the week you would like to set to ON or OFF. When the correct day of the week is displayed, press the **SINGLE** button to flash "on" or "of". The day can then be set to ON or OFF by using the **TIME** (+ and -/CANCEL) buttons.
- **4.** Review your day of the week programming by pressing the **SINGLE** button until the weekday (1-7) is flashing, then increment through each day of the week with the **TIME** (+) button and monitor each day for its on or off setting. Exit the **SET DAY** mode by simply pressing the **MODE** button.

D. Setting Timed Alert Tones

- 1. Press the **MODE** button repeatedly until the **SET EVENTS** indicator lights.
- 2. Increase or decrease the event time by pressing the TIME (+ or -/CANCEL) button until the desired time is shown.
- **3.** Press one of the single, double, or triple **ALERT TONES** buttons to program that selected tone you wish to output at the specific event time. A single, double, or triple confirmation beep should be heard.

Note: If more than 128 events have been entered, a long beep will be heard indicating that the event memory is full.

E. Reviewing and/or Cancelling Timed Alert Tones

- 1. Press the MODE button repeatedly until the REVIEW/CANCEL indicator lights.
- 2. Press one of the **ALERT TONES** buttons (single, double, or triple) repeatedly to rotate through the event times associated with that alert tone button.

Note: Event times are stored in the order of programming, not chronologically.

3. Press the -/CANCEL button to permanently cancel an event tone. The next consecutive event for that specific alert tone will then be displayed.

F. Adjusting Output Volume

- 1. Short pins 7 and 10 together. The door bell sound will then begin to chime.
- **2.** Adjust the volume control potentiometer (see **Installation** section **A**).

G. Activating Contact Closure Alarm Tones

To activate different sounds, short the corresponding pins with a dry contact closure as shown right (see **Installation**, section **A**).

Note: While the appropriate contact closure is maintained the sounds will be repeated continuously.

| Sound | Short Pins |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Door Bell (Dong Dong) | 7 to 10 |
| Evacuation Sound (Slow Whoop) | 8 to 10 |
| Siren (Yelp) | 9 to 10 |

H. Locking the CTG-1 for Operation

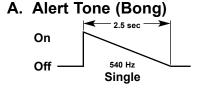
When finished programming, press the **MODE** button until the **LOCK** indicator lights. In the lock mode, the time and alert tone keys will be disabled and the current time will be displayed with the colon flashing once per second.

Operation

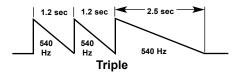
When the clock time matches an event time and that day is set to "ON" or "A", the CTG-1 will output the corresponding single, double or triple alert tone or buzzer sound. The CTG-1 will also open terminals 3 and 4 (normally closed) and close terminals 4 and 5 (normally open), allowing the capability of switching out the audio from the phone system and switching in the alert tone from the CTG-1. Similarly, while a contact closure is made shorting pins 7, 8 or 9 to pin 10, the CTG-1 will continuously output the corresponding sound (door bell, evacuation signal or emergency siren). In case of the siren or evacuation signal, terminals 3 and 4 will open, and terminals 4 and 5 will close for the duration of the contact closure input. Terminals 3, 4 and 5 will return to their normal states at the end of each doorbell tone.

IMPORTANT: While operating, the **CTG-1** continuously checks the event time information stored in memory. If a problem is detected, the **CTG-1** displays "**EEE**" to indicate an error. Normal clock function continues in the background. To clear the error, press any button and the **CTG-1** will return to normal operation. If the "**EEE**" display persists, contact Viking Technical Support at 715-386-8666.

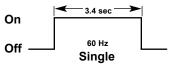
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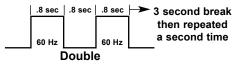


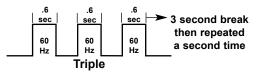




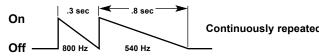
B. Alert Buzzer





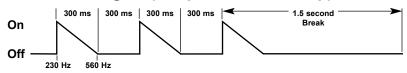


C. Door Bell (Ding Dong)



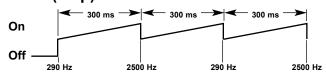
Continuously repeated while pin 7 is shorted to pin 10.

D. Evacuation Signal (Temporal Slow Whoop)



Continuously repeated while pin 8 is shorted to pin 10.

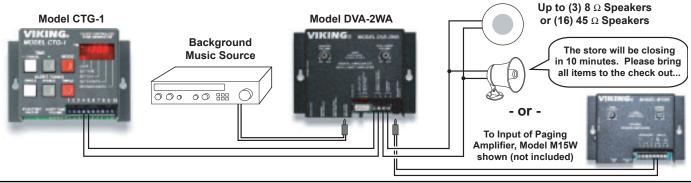
E. Siren (Yelp)



Continuously repeated while pin 9 is shorted to pin 10.

Other Applications

Use Viking's **DVA-2WA** Digital Voice Announcer (**Fax Back Document # 110**) in conjunction with a **CTG-1** to provide time activated promotional voice messages over an existing paging system. The **CTG-1** will be used only to provide time activated contact closures to the **DVA-2WA** for initiating multiple (up to 7.5 minutes total length) promotional messages. **Note:** It is recommended that a UPS (uninterruptable power source) be used to maintain the proper message order in the **DVA-2WA** during a power outage.



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