

## M30

# Operating Instructions

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## **SAFETY**

### **IMPORTANT NOTES - DO'S AND DON'TS**

#### **Ventilation**

Always ensure adequate ventilation to the amplifier. Do not obstruct ventilation holes in cover or base.

#### **AC Power Input - Danger High Voltage**

Only connect to an AC 50-60 Hz 230V supply using the lead assembly supplied or an equivalent type with a suitable IEC connector.

Always ensure that the amplifier is earthed.

Always unplug the power before removing the top cover.

#### **100V Loudspeaker Output - Danger High Voltage**

Ensure that the loudspeaker connections are suitably protected and cannot be touched.

Always replace output plug insulated covers.

Always ensure that the total speaker load does not exceed the rating of the amplifier used. If unsure use an impedance meter to measure the unknown load. Using a multimeter selected to the resistance range ensure that the speaker line is not connected to earth.

#### **Moisture**

Do not allow water to come in contact with the amplifier and its external connections.

#### **Cable Types**

Always ensure that the correct cable type is used for the signal level.

A twin screened cable should be used for balanced inputs operating at mic or line level.

Zone selection and access control cables do not generally require screening but should not share the same screen as the balanced input.

Loudspeaker output cables should be rated in excess of 100V and the cross sectional area to suit the load without excessive power loss. Always ensure that output cables are kept as far away from input cables as possible reducing the risk of instability.

#### **Fuses**

Always replace using the correct rating and type to ensure safe operation.

## M30 INTEGRATED AMPLIFIER FEATURES

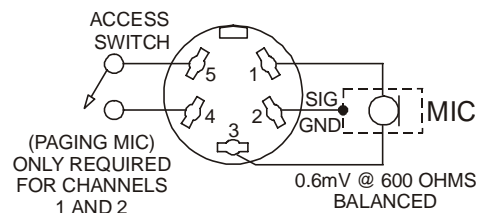
1. Two balanced microphone inputs and one unbalanced Auxiliary input.
2. Unbalanced Auxiliary Input can be converted into a Balanced Line or Balanced Microphone input.
3. Both balanced inputs have cascade priority, chime and volume restoration/busy options.
4. Built-in three note chime with pre-set volume control.
5. Internal option socket for Time Pip module (MIM20) or Alarm Tone Generator (MIM21).
6. Master volume, treble and bass controls.
7. Music mute facility, which allows for music to be totally muted or 'ducked' to a pre-set level, when paging operated.
8. Output stage protected in event of an unsuitable load being applied.
9. 24V DC output.

## CONNECTION DETAILS

### Input connections

#### **Balanced Microphone Inputs 1 & 2**

Pin 1	Signal Input
Pin 2	Screen
Pin 3	Signal Input
Pin 4 / 5	Link together to gain access using a remote switch or link mounted in the plug.

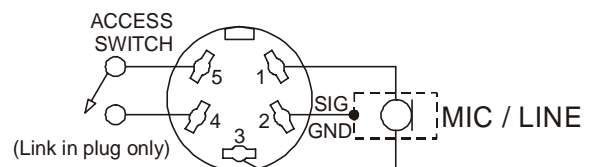


#### **Unbalanced Auxiliary Input 3 (Without MIM1 or MIM16)**

Pin 1	Not applicable
Pin 2	Signal Ground
Pin 3	Not applicable
Pin 4	Not applicable
Pin 5	Signal Input

#### **Input 3 with MIM1 or MIM16 (Converted to Balanced Mic or Balanced Line)**

Pin 1	Signal Input
Pin 2	Screen
Pin 3	Signal Input
Pin 4 / 5	Link together in plug only

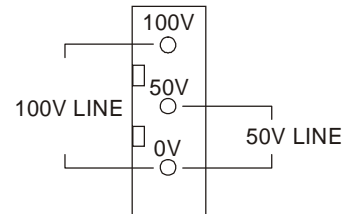


## Output Connections

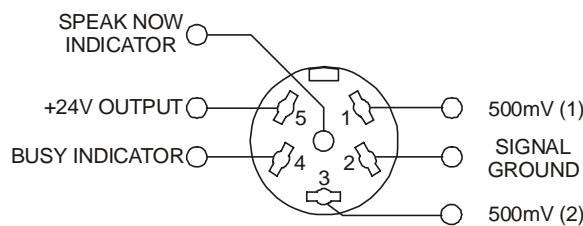
### Loudspeaker Outputs

Low Impedance Output: The two pin DIN socket provides 4 / 8 Ohm output.  
Centre Pin Earth  
Side Pin Signal

100V Line Output: The three pin connector provides 50V or 100V floating line output.



### Sub-Socket



- Pin 1 Provides 500mV signal output for driving slave amplifiers or tape recorder. This output is direct from the power amplifier after the master gain and tone controls. Output impedance 7k Ohms.
- Pin 2 Output signal ground.
- Pin 3 As pin 1 but signal is derived prior to master gain and tone controls. Output impedance 500 ohms.
- Pin 4 Open collector 'busy' indicator: 0V switched output used in conjunction with pin 5.
- Pin 5 1 A fused DC output at +24V, used in conjunction with pin 4 to provide an electrical relay supply for zoning purposes, priority circuit indicators or DC power for external tuner and also for signal processing and line pre-amplifiers.
- Pin 6 Open collector 'speak now' indicator; 0V when active.

## OPTIONS AND FACILITIES

### **Priority and Chime Facilities.**

Other than the Alarm Input (refer to section on page 6 for details) which takes total priority, mic inputs 1 & 2 can operate a chime and offer a priority facility. The chime and priority options are selectable via an internal 4 way DIL switch, which is located near the alarm socket on the main PCB (refer to schematic diagram on page 7). To gain access to this switch the lid of the amplifier must be removed.

The unit is supplied with all switches in the 'ON' position. By following the table below you can select the following options.

<b>Option</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
Chime Facility Mic 1	Select switch 1 'ON'.	Select switch 1 'OFF'.
Chime Facility Mic 2	Select switch 2 'ON'.	Select switch 2 'OFF'.
Priority on Mic 1	Select switch 3 'ON'.	Select switch 3 'OFF'.
Priority on Mic 2	Select switch 4 'ON'.	Select switch 4 'OFF'.
With switches 3 & 4 selected both mic inputs will override the auxiliary input.		

The Chime level can be adjusted via a pre-set control located on the underside of the amplifier.

### **Mixing Mode**

For full mixing of all three inputs, set DIL switches 3 & 4 to the 'OFF' position and maintain access to the inputs 1 & 2 by a remote switch or linking pins 4 & 5 in the DIN plug.

### **Music Mute control**

The amplifier has an internal pre-set control (VR2) which controls the residual level of background music (input 3) during paging. For full muting VR2 should be turned fully clockwise. For partial muting VR2 should be turned anti-clockwise to suit operational requirements. Once the priority microphone is de-selected the background music level (input 3) will fade up gently to its original setting. The unit is supplied with muting set to maximum.

### **Plug In Options**

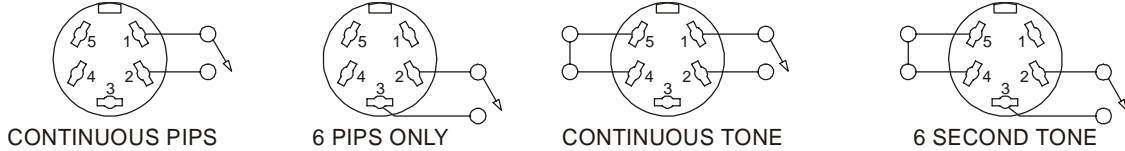
**MIM1:** Auxiliary to balanced MIC converter card. By inserting this card onto the internal connector at the rear of the amplifier the third input is converted from an unbalanced Auxiliary input into a balanced low impedance microphone input.

**MIM16:** Auxiliary to balanced LINE converter card. By inserting this card onto the internal connector at the rear of the amplifier the third input is converted from an unbalanced Auxiliary input into a balanced floating bridging 600Ω line input.

**NB:** To access these converted inputs pins 4&5 must be linked on the input plug.

## 1kHz tone Generator (MIM 20) – Options and Connections

The MIM20 is a 1kHz Tone Generator that can be set to provide a variety of outputs depending on the connections to the Alarm socket on the rear panel. To fit the MIM20 the lid of the unit must be removed and the module plugged into the internal multi-way connector. Refer to the schematic diagram on page 7 for the position of this connector.

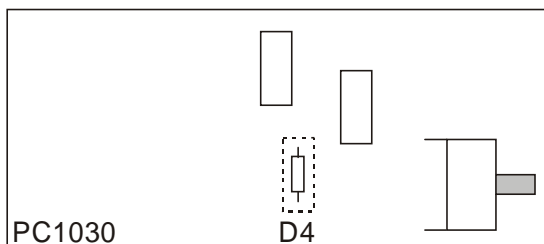
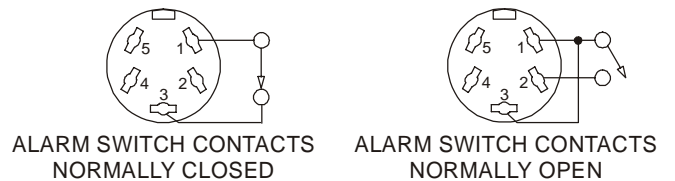


## Alarm Module (MIM 21) - Options and Connections

The MIM21 is an Alarm Tone Generator that can provide a selection of Alarm Tones depending on the internal DIL switch selection. To fit the MIM21 the lid of the unit must be removed and the module plugged into the internal multi-way connector. Refer to the schematic diagram on page 7 for the position of this connector.

Alarm Sound	SW1.1	SW1.2	Sw1.3	SW1.4
Low frequency slow whoop	On	On	Off	Off
Low frequency fast whoop	On	Off	Off	Off
High frequency slow whoop	On	On	On	Off
High frequency fast whoop	On	Off	On	Off
Low frequency slow 'Dee Daa'	Off	Off	Off	On
Low frequency fast 'Dee Daa'	Off	Off	Off	Off
High frequency slow 'Dee Daa'	Off	Off	On	On
High frequency fast 'Dee Daa'	Off	Off	On	Off

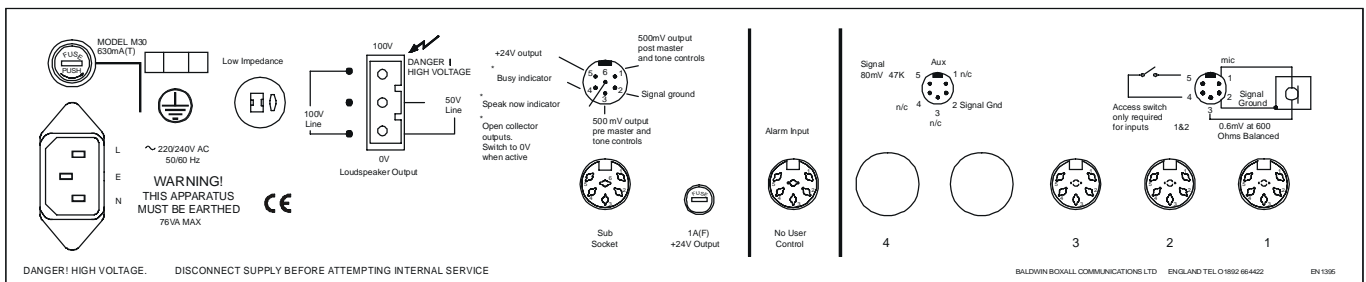
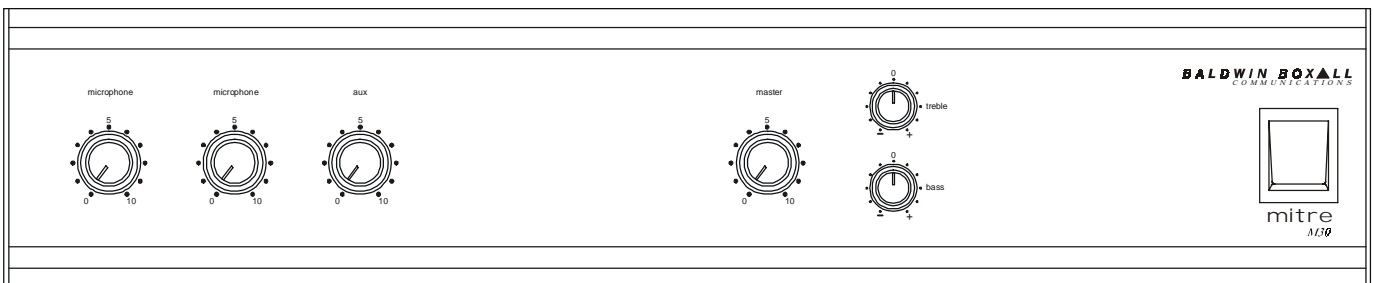
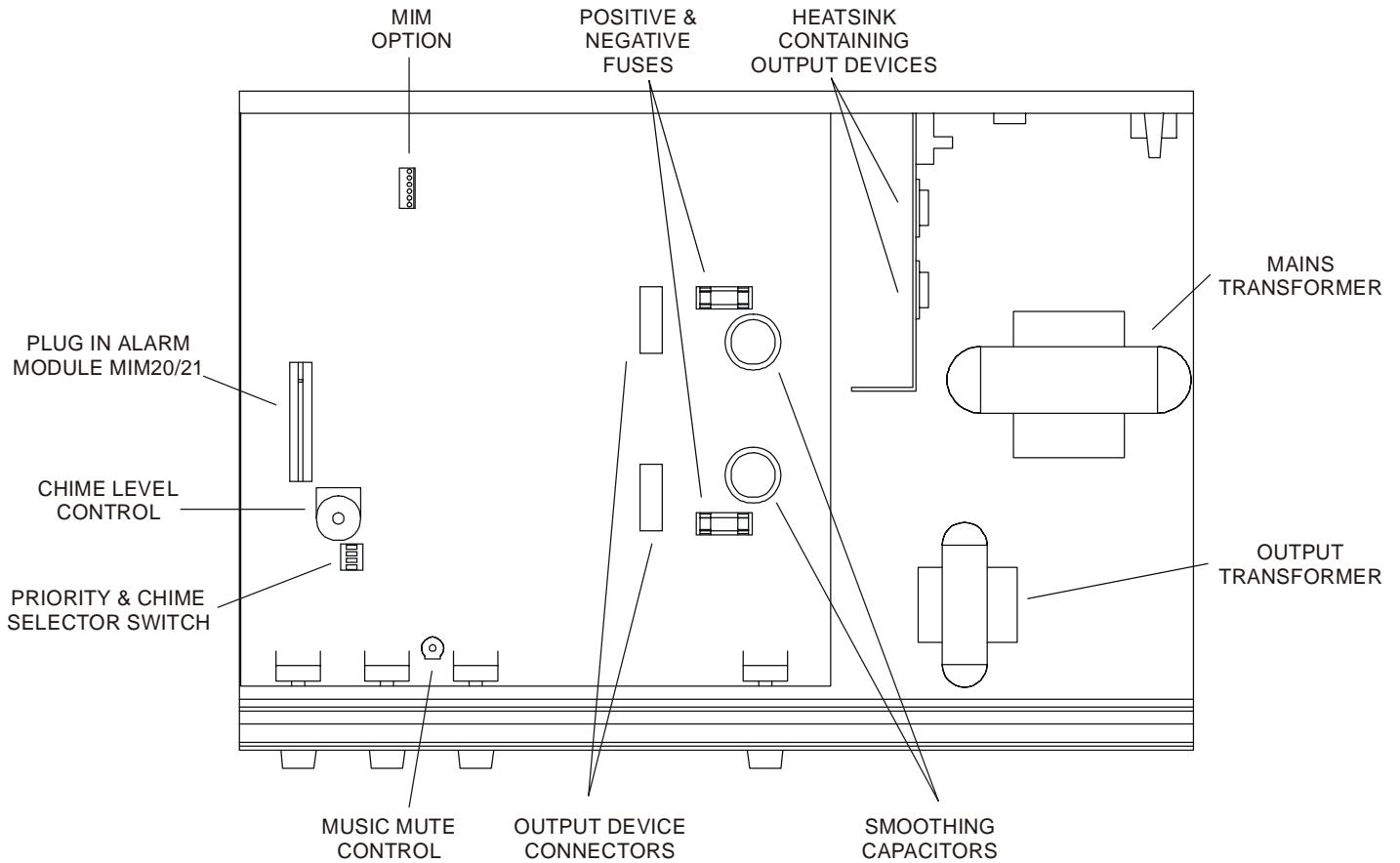
The input DIN connection for the MIM21 can be configured to use either normally closed or normally open contacts.



AS SUPPLIED THE MIM20 & MIM21 WILL PROVIDE A 24V DC SWITCHED OUTPUT (VOLUME RESTORATION) FROM THE MAINFRAME SUB SOCKET.

IF VOLUME RESTORATION IS NOT REQUIRED, REMOVE DIODE D4.

# M30 INTERNAL LAYOUT & FRONT / REAR PANEL VIEWS



## M30 TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

RATED OUTPUT POWER (100 volt line) 230V AC supply	30W
Typical RMS: (Max 1% THD @1kHz) 100V line	32W (330 $\Omega$ )
Low impedance:	
8 $\Omega$	23W
4 $\Omega$	36W
2 $\Omega$	N/A
Output voltages available: (Floating)	50V and 100V
Output Regulation: (1kHz 100V line)	1.6dB
Distortion THD: (1kHz 100V line, Aux input)	Better than 0.2%
Frequency Response (100V line, Aux input)	-3dB @ 50Hz – 18kHz
Aux Input Sensitivity	80mV @ 40k $\Omega$
Aux S/N Ratio	Better than 70dB
Mic Input Sensitivity	600 $\mu$ V @ 600 $\Omega$
Mic S/N Ratio	Better than 60dB
Tone Controls:	
Bass	$\pm$ 12dB @ 100Hz
Treble	$\pm$ 12dB @ 10kHz
Power Consumption:	
Quiescent	17VA
Nominal output power @ 1kHz	76VA
Weight	4.25Kg
Dimensions (mm)	300D x 430W x 90H
Fuse Protection:	
AC 20mm 1 off	630mA (T)
DC 20mm 2 off	2A (F)
24V DC Aux output 1 off	1A (F)
Terminations:	
AC Supply Input	3 pin DIN IEC 6A
Signal Input	5 pin 240° DIN
Input / Output	5 pin 240° DIN
Loudspeaker Line	3 pin screw terminated connector
Loudspeaker Low Impedance	2 pin speaker DIN

**CE** Low Voltage Directive  
73/23/EEC as amended  
by 93/68/EEC

EMC Directive  
89/336/EEC as amended  
by 92/31/EEC and 93/68/EEC

Applies only when the items  
are correctly fitted and operated  
in or with products of our  
manufacture and are installed  
in a recommended enclosure.