# "MIC-AMP"

## USER MANUAL



#### Geachte klant,

Wij danken u hartelijk voor uw keuze en het vertrouwen dat u in ons produkt stelt. U deed een goede keus, dit produkt is ontworpen door en voor professionele gebruikers.

Er is gebruik gemaakt van onze enorme "know how" in mengtafel en signaal processor technieken en dit gekombineerd met hoogwaardige komponenten geeft u de zekerheid van een lange gebruiksduur.

Bovenstaande eigenschappen resulteren in een zeer betrouwbaar en bedrijfszeker eindprodukt.

Deze gebruiksaanwijzing helpt u in het optimaal benutten van alle mogelijkheden die dit produkt in zich heeft.

Mocht u nog vragen hebben dan kunt u zich altijd tot onze dealers wenden en in uiterste nood tot ons.

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#### PRECAUTIONS:

The product you have just unpacked is manufactured with safety in mind and is double checked in the test department for reliability in its high-voltage section.

The MIC-AMP operates on 115 volt or 230 VAC, 50/60 Hz. In some products there is a voltage-selector built in on the rear panel that indicates how the unit was set at the factory

If the voltage-selector does not indicate the voltage that your country is using, remove the linecord from the mains and place the voltage-selector to its proper position. If no voltage selector is mounted inside your Mic-amp, the factory has already set the mic-amp for the right voltage used in your country.

#### WARNING

Never change the position of the voltage-selector while the unit is still connected to the mains! Should any solid object or liquid fall into the cabinet, turn off the unit immediately and have it checked by qualified personnel before operating it any further.

When the unit is not to be used for a long period, turn the power off to conserve energy and to extend the useful product life of your unit.

#### **RACK MOUNTING**

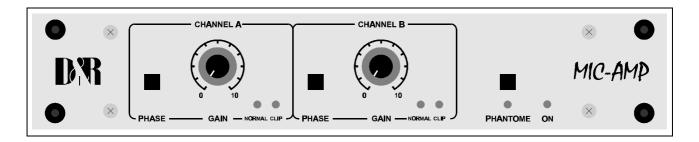
You can mount the MIC-AMP (height is 1HE, width is 9.1/2") in a 19" rack by using two MIC-AMP modules or using one MIC-AMP and one blindpanel.

- Allow adequate air circulation to prevent internal heat build-up.
- Do not place the unit on surfaces (rugs, blankets, etc.) or near materials (curtains) that may block ventilation.
- -Do not install the unit near heat sources such as radiators or power-amplifiers or in a places subject to excessive mechanical vibration.

#### **FUSEHOLDER:**

The fuseholder is mounted inside the unit (read product safety. When a fuse is blown, replacing it with a new one may not be sufficient. The actual cause must be detected and solved.

Contact your nearest dealer if the unit can not be repaired by replacing the fuse. Use only the fuses specified.



#### MIC-AMP

This two channel pre-amp is designed to be the answer for extremely high quality microphone amplification especially on equipment which only are provide with line inputs.

It transforms the balanced microphone-level signal to an unbalanced -10 dBV line-level signal to correspond to the line inputs on other equipment, for example P.C.M.-units and DAT/DCC recorders

#### **SETTING UP PROCEDURE**

Connect the microphone to the input of the MIC-AMP and the output of the MIC-AMP to the equipment it should be connected to.

#### **GAIN**

When a signal at the input is present the normal led lits regularly. (is green) Turn the gain clockwise until the clip led lits sporadic.

#### **48 VOLT PHANTOME POWERING**

For condenser microphones a 48 Volt phantome is provided per channel.

You will not hear any click while switching. This phantome circuit uses a softswitching arrangement.

This means the voltage is built up slowly. It is active after about 8 seconds.

The phantome power does not effect dynamic microphones when the microphone, cables and plugs are wired symmerical. (balanced).

Be sure, that your microphone wiring is balanced to keep optimum signal to noise ratio.

#### **PHASE**

The phase switch reverses the wiring of the microphone input, so it changes the polarity of the connected microphone. This can be useful when two microphones are out of phase or cancellations are to be heard in the low frequency range.

#### CONNECTIONS

It is recommended to unplug the MIC-AMP from the mains outlet, before making the following connections. Reconnect the mains-lead after the connections have been completed and make sure they are secure.

#### MICROPHONE INPUT

The MIC-AMP has two separate microphone inputs, each on an XLR connector.

#### WIRING DIAGRAM FOR IN/OUTPUT CONNECTORS

 $\underline{\mathsf{INPUTS}}$  XLR female pin 2 = in phase

pin 3 = out of phase pin 1 = ground

 $\underline{OUTPUTS}$  XLR male pin 2 = in phase

pin 3 = out of phase pin 1 = ground

The MIC-AMP has two separate, low impedance, ground compensated outputs on a nominal operating level of -10 dB and a maximum output level of +22 dBu.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Inputs stereo jack / XLR female 6,25 mm / 3pin XLR female balanced

impedance 2 kOhm max input level + 3 dBu

CMRR > 62 dB at 50 Hz > 70 dB at 1 kHz

> 70 dB at 1 kHz > 66 dB at 10 kHz

Output: stereo jack / XLR male 6,25 mm / 3 pin XLR male ground compensated

impedance 100 Ohm

nom. level - 7.8 dBu (-10 dBV)

max. level + 23 dBu

**OVERALL** 

THD at: O dB / 100 Hz 0,012%

O dB / 1 kHz below noise level O dB / 10 kHz below noise level

Gain min. + 20 dB / max. + 60 dB

Gain control range: 40 dB

S/N-ratio (gain max.) - 129,0 dBr (A-weighted)

Frequency-response: - 3 dB at 2 Hz, - 3 dB at 100 kHz

Phantome active after: 8 sec. Vph > 42 V (phantome led is red) Normal led on at: - 7,8 dBm (- 10 dBV) (nom. level)

Clip led on at: +18 dBu

Power requirements: 115volt - 230 volt AC 50/60 Hz

Power consumption: 3VA

Fuse 163 mA slow Storage temperature - 10C to + 65C Operating temperature + 3C to + 40C Dimensions 201 x 44 x 175 mm (w/h/d) (excl. controls)

201 x 44 x 198 mm (w/h/d) (incl. controls)

9,5" x 1HE (w/h)

Weight Approx. 1,7 kg

#### **CLEANING**

Clean the cabinet, panel and controls with a dry soft cloth. Do not use a moistened cloth or any type of solvent, such as alcohol or any other spirit, which might damage the finish.

#### **CAUTION:**

Never open your equipment yourself, there are no users serviceable parts inside, therefore we strongly advice not to open the unit yourself.

- Opening a unit is only allowed to trained and qualified service engineers, who are fully aware of the fact that it can be dangerous to service a mains powered unit.
- Always earth the unit.
- Only make use of the product in a way as is described in the manufacturers brochures and manuals, never use it for other purposes than intended by the manufacturer.
- Never use this equipment in an environment with a high humidity and never expose it to water.
- Do not use this equipment in rain/snow or equivalent type of weather.
- Check your mains cord regularly and see if it is in a safe condition with a properly connected mainsplug on one side and securely tightened in the equipment on the other side.
- Return your product yearly to your dealer for a safety checkup.
- The hazard of an electrical shock can be avoided by carefully following the rules mentioned above.

### **DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY**

Manufacturers Name: D&R Electronica Weesp b.v.

Manufacturers Address: Rijnkade 15B,

1382 GS Weesp, The Netherlands

declares that the product

Mic-amp

conforms to the following product specifications:

EMC: EN 55022: 1987

CISPR 22 (1993) class B

EN 500082-1 (1992)

Supplementary Information:

The products herewith complies with the requirements of the EMC Directive 89/336/EEC (1989) as amended by the CE Marking Directive 93/68/EEC (1993).

D&R Electronica Weesp b.v.

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President of Engineering

### PRODUCT SAFETY

This product is manufactured with the highest standards and is double checked in our quality control department for reliability in the "HIGH VOLTAGE" section.

#### **CAUTION**

Never remove any panels, or open this equipment. No user servicable parts inside.

Equipment power supply must be grounded at all times.

Only use this product as described, in user manual or brochure.

Do not operate this equipment in high humidity or expose it to water or other liquids.

Check the AC power supply cable to assure secure contact.

Have your equipment checked yearly by a qualified dealer service center.

Hazardous electrical shock can be avoided by carefully following the above rules.

#### EXTRA CAUTION FOR LIVE SOUND

Ground all equipment using the ground pin in the AC power supply cable.

Never remove this pin. Ground loops should be eliminated only by use of isolation transformers for all inputs and outputs. Replace any blown fuse with the same type and rating only after equipment has been disconnected from AC power. If problem persists, return equipment to qualified service technician

#### PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

Especially in sound equipment on stage the following information is essential to know.

An electrical shock is caused by voltage and current, actually it is the current that causes the shock.

In practise the higher the voltage the higher the current will be and the higher the shock.

But there is another thing to consider and it is resistance.

When the resistance in Ohms is high between two poles, the current will be low and vica versa.

All three of these; voltage, current. and resistance are important in determining the effect of an electrical shock.

However, the severity of a shock primarily determined by the amount of current flowing through a person.

A person can feel a shock because the muscles in a body respond to electrical current and because the heart is a muscle it can affect, when the current is high enough.

Current can also be fatal when it causes the chest muscles to contract and stop breathing. At what potential is current dangereous.

Well the first feeling of current is a tingle at 0.001 Amp of current.

The current between 0.1 Amp and 0.2 Amp is fatal.

Imagine that your home fuses of 20 Amp can handle 200 times more current than is necessary to kill. How does resistance affect the shock a person feels.

A typical resistance between one hand to the other in "dry" condition could well over 100,000 Ohm.

If you are playing on stage your body is perspiring extensively and your body resistance is lowered by more than 50%. This is a situation in which current can easily flow.

Current will flow when there is a difference in ground potential between equipment on stage and in the P.A. system. Please do check if there is any potential between the housing of the mikes and the guitarsynth amps, which will be linked by your body on stage. Imagine, a guitar in your hand and your lips close to the mike! A ground potential difference of above 10 volts is not unusual, in improperly wired buildings it can possibly be as high as 240 volts.

Allthough removing the ground wire sometimes cures a system hum, it will create a very hazardeous situation for the performing musician.

Always earth all your equipment by the grounding pin in your mains plug. Hum loops should be only cured by proper wiring and isolation input/output transformers.

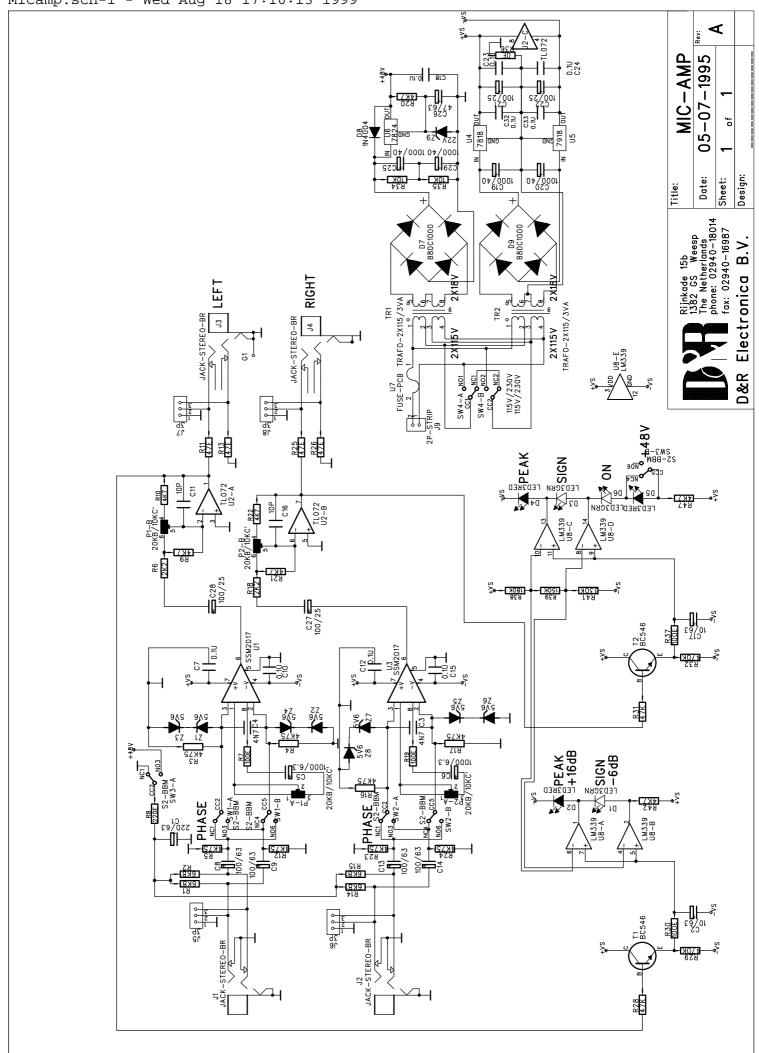
Replace fuses always with the same type and rating after the equipment has been turned off and unplugged. If the fuse blows again you have an equipment failure, do not use it again and return it to your dealer for repair.

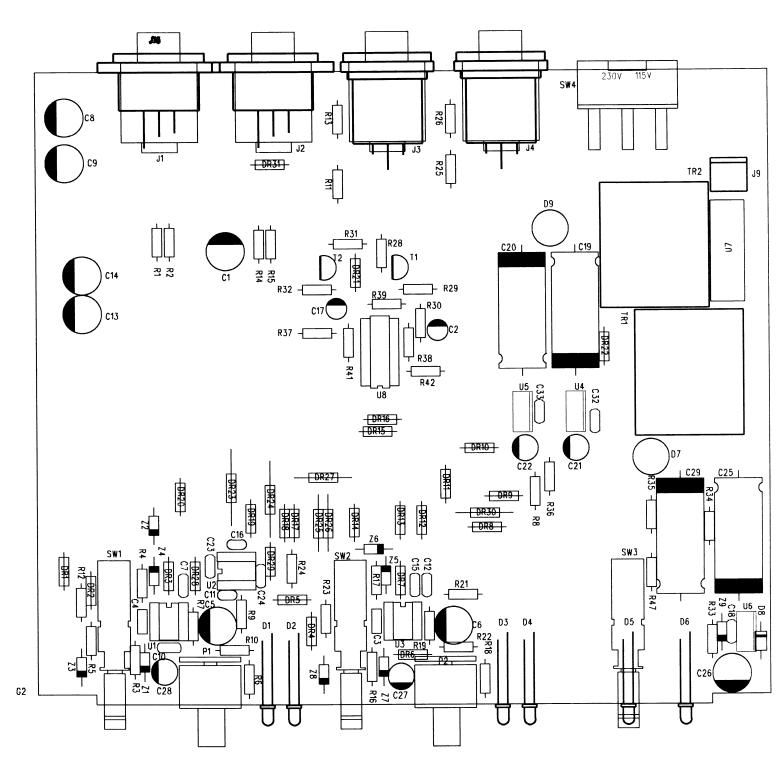
And last but not least be carefull not to touch a person being shocked as you, yourself could also be shocked. Once removed from the shock, have someone send for medical help inmediately

Always keep the above mentioned information in mind when using electrically powered equipment.

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## SERVICE MANUAL





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	91928528 Mic-amp 9.5" 2 char	nnel micamp	
Articlecode	Description	Quantity	Unit
10250345	Brugcel B80C1000 (rond)	2.0000	st
10400213	Condensator ker 10p R2.5	2.0000	st
10401241	Condensator ker 100nF/32V R5.0	9.0000	st
10401250	Condensator poly 4n7 R5.0	2.0000	st
10600180	Connector netaanslklem 2p 5mm	1.0000	st
10250343	Diode 1N4004 (rectifier)	1.0000	st
10400284	Elco 10uF / 40V radiaal R5.0	2.0000	st
10400289	Elco 47uF / 63V radiaal R5.0	1.0000	st
10400292	Elco 100uF / 25V radiaal R5.0	4.0000	st
10400302	Elco 100uF / 63V radiaal R5.0	4.0000	st
10400293	Elco 220uF / 63V radiaal R5.0	1.0000	st
10400303	Elco 1000uF / 10V radiaal R5.0	2.0000 4.0000	st st
10400297 10250322	Elco 1000uF / 40V axiaal Ic 7818 TO220 SGS (volt.reg)	1.0000	st
10250324	Ic 7818 10220 SGS (Volt.1eg) Ic 7824 T0220 SGS (volt.reg)	1.0000	st
10250324	Ic 7918 TO220 SGS (volt.reg)	1.0000	st
10250325	Ic LM-339 (comparator)	1.0000	st
10250184	Ic SSM-2017 P (audio pre-amp)	2.0000	st
10250304	IC TL-072 CP TI (dual-opamp)	1.0000	st
10600394	Ic-voet 8 pins (vork-contact)	3.0000	st
10600395	Ic-voet 14 pins (vork-contact)	1.0000	st
10600432	Jack chassis break	4.0000	st
10300374	Potm.16 1x 20kB/1x 10kC alog	2.0000	st
10200491	Print Mic-Amp/d	1.0000	st
10950582	Printtrafo 2x115V->2x18V 3.0VA	2.0000	st
10550400	Schakelaar Alps 2p-ns (2 x om)	3.0000	st
10550083	Schakelaar span.keuze 115/230V	1.0000	st
10250328	Transistor BC-546B (npn)	2.0000	st
10350517	Weerstand 1/4W 0E	32.0000	st
10350844	Weerstand 1% 1/4W 4k75	8.0000	st
10350846	Weerstand 1% 1/4W 6k81	4.0000	st st
10350713 10350717	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 47E Weerstand 5% 1/4W 100E	4.0000 4.0000	st
10350717	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 100E Weerstand 5% 1/4W 220E	1.0000	st
10350721	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 2k2	2.0000	st
10350736	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 2k2 Weerstand 5% 1/4W 3k9	1.0000	st
10350737	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 4k7	6.0000	st
10350741	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 10k	2.0000	st
10350749	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 47k	2.0000	st
10350755	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 150k	1.0000	st
10350756	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 180k	1.0000	st
10350759	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 330k	2.0000	st
10350761	Weerstand 5% 1/4W 470k	2.0000	st
10990675	Zekeringhouder print + kap	1.0000	st
10250351	Zenerdiode 5V6 / 400mW	8.0000	st
10250365	Zenerdiode 22V / 400mW	1.0000	st
.10450152	Deksel SiFam red (cap) (11mm)	2.0000	st
.10800924	Doos Randapparatuur 9.5"	1.0000	st
.10700975	Dubbelzijdig plakband 12mm dun	25.0000	cm
.10100005 .10500084	Front 9.5" Mic-Amp/c	1.0000	st st
.10600436	Isolatieplaat 9.5" randapp.PVC Jack moer	1.0000 4.0000	st
.10150093	Kast 9.5" 1HE/C versie!!!!!!	1.0000	st
.10450251	Knop Druktoets 3.3 black-squar	2.0000	st
.10450251	Knop Druktoets 3.3 red-square	1.0000	st
.10450092	Knop SiFam grey splined(15mm)	2.0000	st
.10250386	Led 3mm green round	2.0000	st
.10250387	Led 3mm red round	4.0000	st
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10700642 0898528	Trekontlasting 11m rond recht Mic-amp + verpakking	1.0000	st