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# Introduction

This chapter introduces the installation and operation manual for the Internal NIU Transmitter Controller with the WMS Data 1.0 software. This chapter includes information on the following topics:

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## About This Manual

This manual describes how to install and operate the Network Interface Unit (NIU) with the WMS Data 1.0 software. This manual includes the following chapters and appendixes:

- Chapter one: Introduction—This chapter provides a brief description of this manual, a list of the sections and their functions, a description of the intended audience, a list related publications, and a description of the conventions used in this manual.
- Chapter two: Quick Start—This chapter provides quick start procedures for starting basic operation of the NIU.
- Chapter three: System Description—This chapter provides a brief overview of the NIU, including a discussion of the controls, indicators, connectors, and modules. This chapter also provides detailed mechanical, electrical, and environmental specifications as related to the NIU.
- Chapter four: Installation—This chapter provides instructions for installing the NIU.
- Chapter five: Configuration—This chapter provides instructions on how to configure the NIU hardware and operation, including information on how to select the proper parameters for your specific needs.
- Chapter six: Operation—This chapter provides important features of the NIU useful during normal operation, such as status information, alarms, using the event log, and a discussion of N+1 redundant operation.
- Chapter seven: Maintenance—This chapter provide information on maintaining the NIU including reference oscillator alignment procedures, built-in test information, and troubleshooting information.
- Appendix A: Abbreviations and Acronyms—This appendix provides definitions of the abbreviations and acronyms used in the manual.
- Appendix B: NIU Commands—This appendix provides descriptions of the NIU software commands
- Appendix C: NIU Alarms and Events—This appendix provides definitions of the NIU alarms and events.
- Appendix D: NIU Traces—This appendix provides information on the NIU Traces.
- Appendix E: Nonvolatile Parameter Default—This appendix provides information on nonvolatile parameter defaults.
- Appendix F: RS-485 SuperStream Input—This appendix provides a description of SuperStream software configuration.

- Appendix G: C-NET to SuperStream Upgrade/Regression—This appendix provides information on upgrading from C-NET to SuperStream and reverting back to C-NET from SuperStream.
- Appendix H: Configuration and Installation Record—This appendix provides the Configuration and Installation Record Table which is used during installation to record the configuration of the NIU DIP switches.

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## Audience

This manual is intended for system technicians and Engineers responsible for installing, operating, and maintaining the Nucleus NIU Transmitter. A strong knowledge of messaging systems and telecommunications is recommended for personnel performing the tasks contained in this manual.

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## Related Publications

The following are related publications:

- *Wireless Messaging System Planner*, part number 6880491G50
- *Choreographer! Software Interface Installation and Operation*, part number 6880492G07
- *Choreographer! Software Interface Concepts Description*, part number 6880492G08
- *RF-C! Controller SilverSword SSCB FRU*, part number 6880493G88
- *RF-C! Controller SilverSword IOTB FRU*, part number 6880493G89
- *RF-C! Controller SilverSword I/O Cable Kit FRU*, part number 6880493G91
- *RF-C! Controller Hardware Installation*, part number 6880494G53
- *RF-C! Controller Software Installation and Operation*, part number 6880494G54
- *Internal NIU Transmitter Controller Installation and Operation*, part number 6880497G15
- *NUCLEUS Paging Station Transmitter Installation and Operation*, part number 6881002F05

## Conventions

This section provides a description of conventions, command syntax, and admonitions used in this manual (see Table 1-1):

*Table 1-1: Conventions and Command Syntax*

Example	Convention/Syntax	Description
Type: <b>yes</b> < <b>Return</b> > < <b>Control+O</b> >	Helvetica bold Dual angle brackets (< >) Dual angle brackets and plus sign (+)	Indicates input by the user from the keyboard in the form of text, key commands, or both; for key commands, the plus sign indicates to hold down the first key and press the second key.
<b>Ok</b> button <b>File</b> pull-down menu <b>File</b> > <b>New</b>	Palatino bold Palatino bold plus single bracket (>)	Indicates GUI pull-down or menu pop-up commands performed by the user

# Quick Start

This chapter provides quick start procedures for starting basic operation of the NIU. This chapter includes information on the following topics:

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# System Description

This chapter provides a brief overview of the NIU, including a discussion of the controls, indicators, connectors, and modules. This chapter also provides detailed mechanical, electrical, and environmental specifications as related to the NIU. This chapter includes information on the following topics:

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  - NIU and the Paging System, 3-4
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## Overview

The NIU interfaces a paging system controller with a paging transmitter through a SuperStream data distribution link (see Figure 3-1).

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### *Figure 3-1: Internal NIU Board*

The NIU accepts SuperStream data from the controller across a distribution link, decodes the received information, and extracts the paging data, key commands, and control information for the paging transmitter.

The NIU can receive SuperStream data from an audio wireline, a satellite downlink (analog or digital), or from receiver audio (see Figure 3-2). A link modem (QAM) is required for wireline, analog satellite, or link receiver input. A dial modem is required for Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) diagnostics. After processing, the NIU sends the data in Synchronous Local Control (SYLC) to the Station Control Board (SCB).

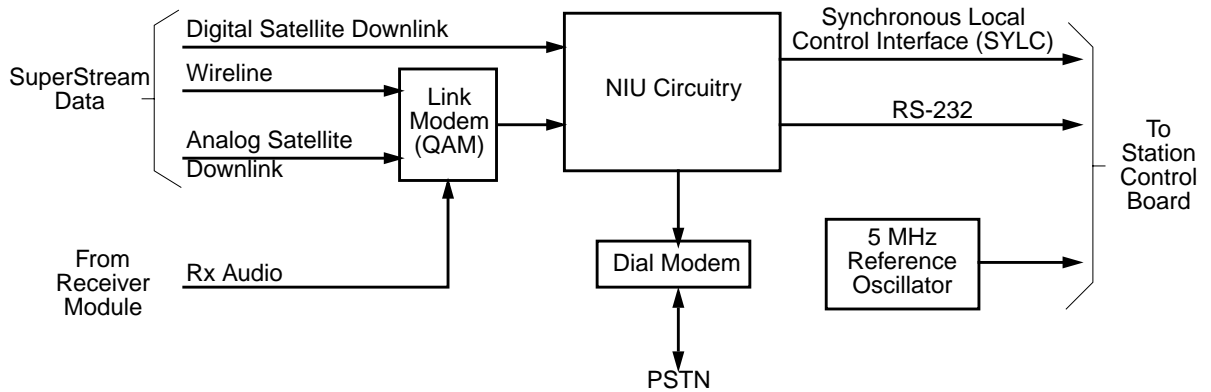


Figure 3-2: NIU Link Distribution System

The NIU is also responsible for maintaining transmitter synchronization through the use of Global Positioning System (GPS) receivers, allowing transmitters to function correctly within a simulcast system.

An NIU can be configured to operate as a:

- Transmitter NIU
- Monitor NIU

## Transmitter NIUs

Transmitter NIUs decode the system, device, and stream IDs from the incoming data and perform forward-error correction on the data. Also, the paging data and the page-launch time (the transmission of the page) is extracted from the SuperStream data stream.

Transmitter NIUs also:

- Schedule paging data for delivery to a transmitter at the appropriate time to ensure proper simulcast operation
- Monitor transmitter alarm lines

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## Monitor NIUs

The Monitor NIUs provide simulcast verification and control the Monitor Receiver's channel selection. Synchronization data is captured from the Monitor Receiver by the Monitor NIUs, where synchronization is verified using the GPS as a time reference.

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## NIU and the Paging System

The NIU is just one of the elements that make up a Motorola paging system. Additional elements include the following:

- **Terminal**

The terminal accepts paging requests through either a direct dial-up phone interface or data entry equipment. Terminals generally connect to a controller, which handles key requests, communication handshaking, and passes on pager addresses and information for transmission. Terminals maintain subscriber data, and can provide paging data and billing information.

- **Control Point**

The control point for the paging system is the RF-Controller! (RF-C!). The RF-C! is responsible for:

- controlling and routing messaging traffic.
- batching and scheduling ReFLEX™, InFLEXion™, FLEX™, and POCSAG™ messaging protocol.
- performing one- and two-way functions, such as subscriber location, message entry, acknowledgements, and unit registration.

- **Communication Path**

The SuperStream data path from the control point to the paging station may be an Radio Frequency (RF) link, a wireline link, or a satellite link. An RF link requires a link receiver, while a satellite link requires a satellite downlink at the paging station.

- **Paging Station**

The Nucleus II Paging Station typically includes a Network Interface Unit (NIU), which decodes the SuperStream data sent from the control point. The NIU converts the paging data into SYLC format and sends the data to the Station Control Module (SCM) for processing. The data is then converted into modulated RF energy for transmission to the pager.

- **Monitor Receiver**

The use of a monitor receiver depends on the type of system synchronization used:

- *Monitor Receiver Synchronization* – The monitor receiver monitors the paging station transmissions for modulation characteristics. When misaligned modulation is detected, the problem is reported back to the control point by dial-up phone line for corrective action.
- *Direct Synchronization with Digital Satellite Link* – The monitor receiver is used for setup and diagnostics but not for synchronization.
- *GPS Synchronization (Self-Synchronization)* – the monitor receiver is used for setup and diagnostics but not for synchronization.

- **Pager**

The pager is a miniature radio receiver carried by the user for retrieval of information from the paging terminal. Pagers can provide the user with an alert, a voice transmission, a numeric display, or an alphanumeric display.

A typical system configuration is shown in the figure that follows (see Figure 3-3).

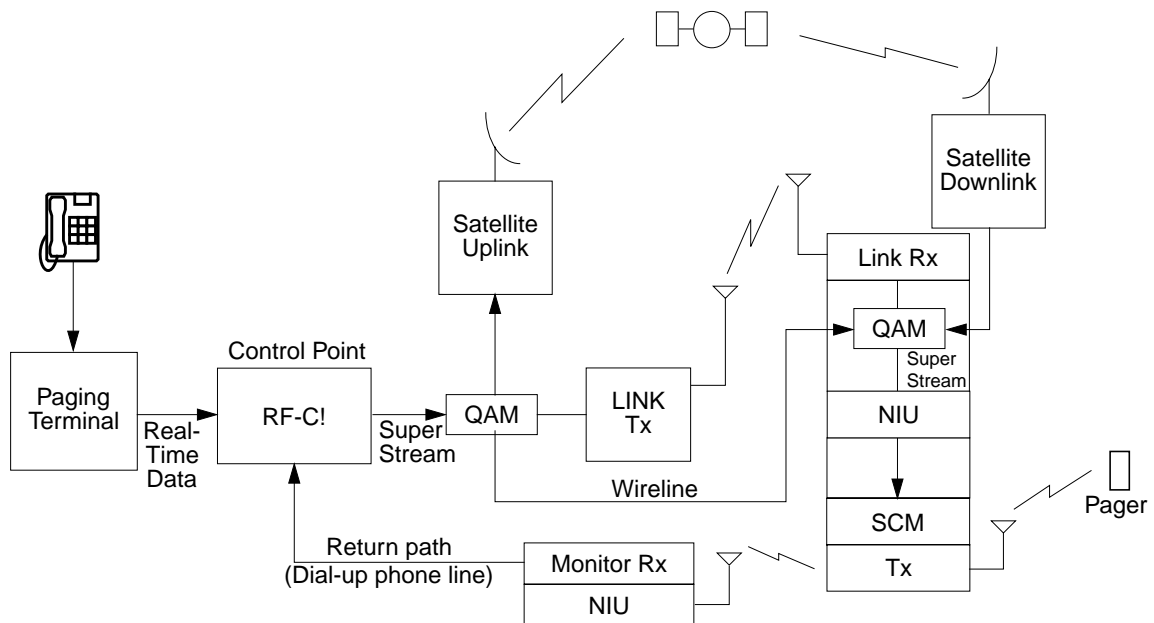


Figure 3-3: Typical Paging System with Monitor Receiver Synchronization

## Controls and Indicators

The NIU contains LED indicators which provide information on the state of the NIU. The unit also contain switches for switching functional states.

### LEDs

There are four indicating LEDs located on the front edge of the NIU board (see Figure 3-1).

- STATUS—Unit alarm status
- LINK—SuperStream data stream
- KEY (located behind the front panel)—Unit key status
- C-LAN (located behind the front panel)—C-LAN data status

A description of each state of the STATUS LED is provided in Table 3-1.

*Table 3-1: STATUS LED States*

Indication	Description
Slow flashing green	Normal operation, no alarm conditions
Fast flashing green	Dial modem has DCD connected
Slow flashing orange	Alarm exists or has occurred
Fast flashing orange	Alarm exists or has occurred, and a dial modem is connected
Steady red	Unit hung up

A description of each state of the LINK LED is provided in Table 3-2.

*Table 3-2: LINK LED States (Sheet 1 of 2)*

Indication	Description
Slow flashing green	SuperStream has sync
Fast flashing green	SuperStream has sync and running from ROM
Steady orange	Lost SuperStream sync for less than 30 seconds
Slow flashing orange	Running from ROM and lost SuperStream data for less than 30 seconds

*Table 3-2: LINK LED States (Sheet 2 of 2)*

Indication	Description
Steady red	SuperStream lost sync for more than 30 seconds
Flashing red	SuperStream lost sync for more than 30 seconds and running from ROM

A description of each state of the KEY LED is provided in Table 3-3.

*Table 3-3: KEY LED States*

Indication	Description
Off	Output inactive
Steady green	Key output active
Steady orange	Unit cannot key until sync adjust occurs
Steady red	Key output disabled

A description of each state of the C-LAN LED is provided in Table 3-4.

*Table 3-4: C-LAN LED States*

Indication	Description
Flashing green	Sending C-LAN data
Flashing orange	Receiving C-LAN data
Flashing red	C-LAN receive data error occurred

## Switches

There are three switches located behind the Console connector , P1 on the NIU board (see Figure 3-1).

- **ALARM**—Unit alarm reset toggle switch (clears all latched noncurrent alarms)
- **DISABLE**—Unit enable/disable/maintenance disable toggle switch
- **RESET**—Unit master reset toggle switch (resets the hardware)

## Connections

The NIU has connections for the following interfaces (see Figure 3-4):

- front panel connections (see paragraph, "Front Panel Connection")
- SuperStream analog link interface
- SuperStream digital link interface
- transmitter interface
- alarm interface (two user-programmable inputs)
- monitor receiver interface
- auxiliary relay interface
- C-LAN interface
- option port RS-232 interface
- dial-up modem interface
- external reference sources
- primary power and battery backup connection



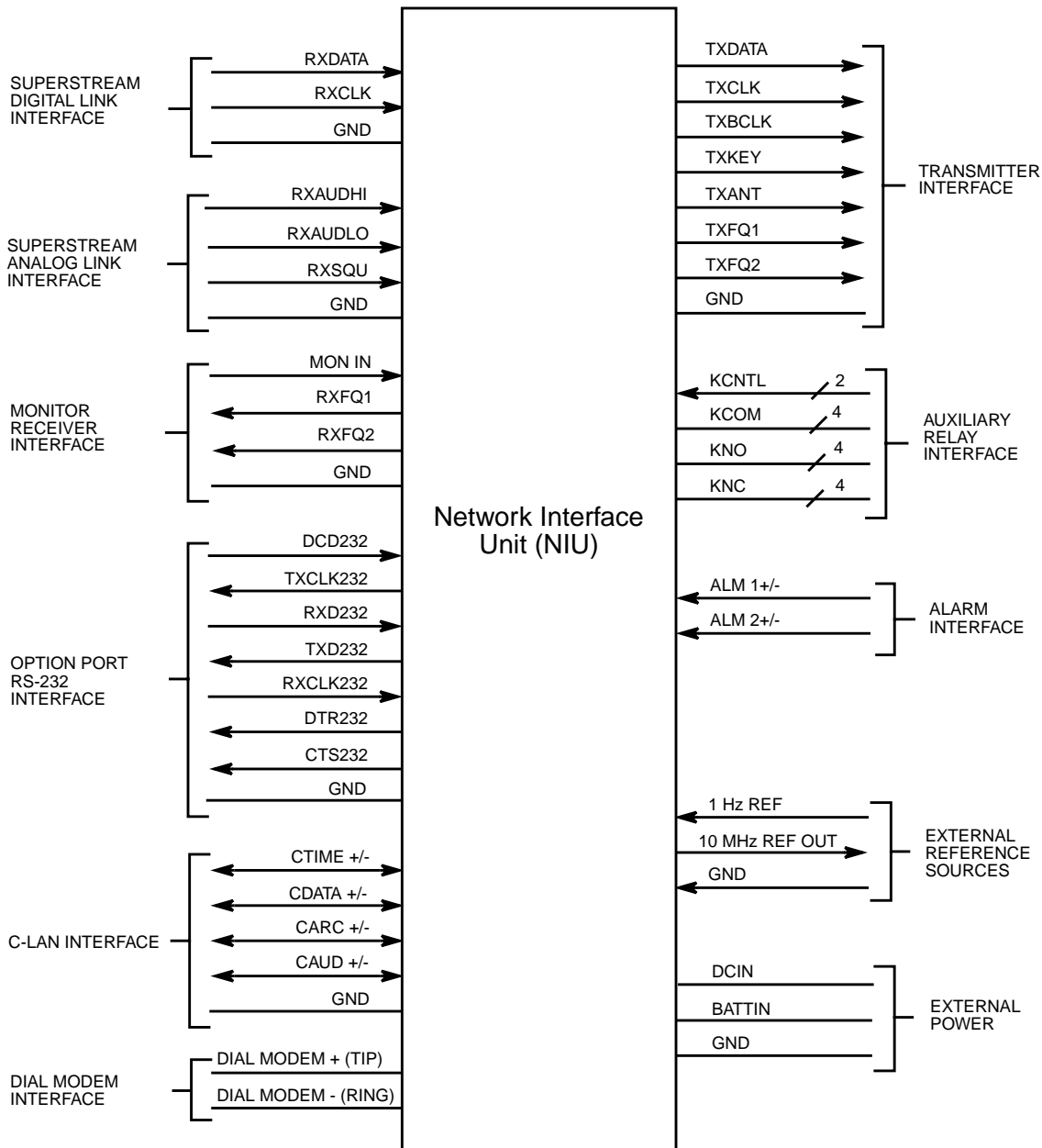


Figure 3-4: NIU Interfaces

## Front Panel Connection

There is a Console DB9 communications port (provides terminal interface) located on the front of the NIU (see Figure 3-1).

A list of the front panel Console connector pin assignments is provided in Table 3-5.

*Table 3-5: Pin Assignments for Console DB9 Connector*

Number	Signal Name	Description
1	DCD	Data carrier detect input
2	RXD	Receive data input
3	TXD	Transmit data input
4	DTR	Data terminal ready output
5	GND	Signal ground
6	NU	Not used
7	NU	Not used
8	NU	Not used
9	NU	Not used

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## Rear Panel Connections

To be supplied.

## Modules

There are locations on the NIU board for three module:

- dual flash (preinstalled on the board)
- dial modem (optional)
- link modem (optional)

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### Dual Flash

The NIU is delivered with the Dual Flash installed. The two flash chips allow the system user to continue paging while performing a linkload as a background task.

The **flash A** or **flash B** command allows the user to select which flash bank the NIU is running. The user can select a flash bank based on the version of software loaded into each flash memory bank. A user may also accomplish a forced bank select, bringing the off-line side on line. Paging is interrupted when a bank select is accomplished.

The dual flash configuration allows the user to linkload updated software to the off-line flash bank. This allows the user to continue paging while the linkload is in progress. Paging is given priority during the dualflash linkload process. If a large volume of paging traffic begins during the dual flash load process, the linkload will be blocked. Therefore, the dualflash link load should NOT be started during peak traffic periods.

#### Dual Flash controls and indicators

The dual flash contains no physical controls or indicators.

#### Dual Flash configuration

The dual flash contains no jumpers or other settings.

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### Dial Modem

The optional Dial Modem is a dual-card set consisting of a Modem Board and a Dial Access Arrangement (DAA) board. The board set provides communication to and from phone equipment over dial-up circuits. The dial modem is required equipment in CIUs and monitoring NIUs. In monitoring NIUs, the dial modem is used to send call-in alarm, status,

and timing information to the CIUs. When placed in NIUs the dial modem can provide remote interrogation of a paging site, and can be used to provide wireline alarm reporting. The dial modem is optional for paging NIUs.

The modem board provides the conversion of the digital communications data to an analog form that is suitable for transmission over a dial-up phone line. The output of the modem is interfaced to the DAA.

The DAA is an FCC part 68 approved interface to a dial-up phone circuit. The DAA provides ring detection, 2 to 4 wire conversion, and hook switch control.

The modem and DAA combined together form a Bell 212A 300/1200/2400 style modem.

### **Dial Modem controls and indicators**

The dial modem contains no physical controls or indicators.

### **Dial Modem configuration**

The dial modem contains no jumpers or other settings.

### **Dial Modem installation**

The modem card plugs into the XA3 slot in the NIU, and the DAA plugs into the XA4 slot in the NIU.

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## **Link Modem**

The optional Link Modem is a synchronous serial 9600 bps, V.29, modem card used to convert the 9600 bps SuperStream data stream into a voice-bandwidth signal. The link modem allows for point to multipoint operation over dedicated phone circuits, radio links (both standard and narrow band), and analog satellite circuits. The link modem is required in NCUs and NIUs in any SuperStream system using an analog link distribution network. SuperStream systems using analog link distribution networks are required to have a minimum 23 dB signal-to-noise ratio. The link modem provides equalization functions that improve performance when operating over low quality voice circuits.

### **Link Modem controls and indicators**

The link modem contains no physical controls or indicators.

### **Link Modem configuration**

The link modem contains no jumpers or other settings.

### **Link Modem installation**

The link modem is installed in the NIU. The link modem is physically placed inside these units and mounted in a “piggyback” fashion on four 5/8-inch PCB posts. The electrical connection to the NIU is made to the link modem 60-pin male connector which is attached to the NIU 64-pin female connector.

## Specifications

Specifications for the internal NIU are provided in Table 3-6.

Table 3-6: NIU Specifications (Sheet 1 of 2)

<b>General</b>	
<b>Configuration Settings</b>	Configuration settings are stored in battery backed up RAM. The battery voltage is monitored and a low battery condition produces an alarm.
<b>Event log</b>	All equipment includes an event log which records the last 128 significant events in battery backed up RAM. Significant events include maintenance activities, user setup data, and all alarms.
<b>Alarm inputs</b>	Internal NIUs have two programmable alarms. Each allows for a programmable name, mode (analog, digital, or power), high and low alarm limits, input debounce, key qualification, inhibit if other alarms already exist. A directional coupler is required to monitor forward and reflected power levels.
<b>Alarm reporting</b>	The NIU maintains a record of the last 128 significant events in battery backed-up RAM. Each alarm can be programmed to initiate a call-in to a console. Each call-in to a console. Each call-in will transfer all alarm information since the last call-in and, if programmed, all alarms listed within the log will be transferred.
<b>Primary power</b>	+10 to +30 Vdc
<b>Environmental</b>	Temperature: -30 to +60 celsius Humidity: 10% to 90% non-condensing
<b>Power consumption</b>	1.0 Amp @ +24 Vdc, or 2.0 Amps @ +12 Vdc, automatic selection
<b>Link system interface:</b>	
<b>RXAUD</b>	Balanced, 600- to- 20K-ohm selectable, adjustable -35 to 0 dBm. Recommended minimum signal-to-noise ratio: 25dB at 9600 bps link speed, or 18 dB at 4800 bps link speed (as measured by NIU).
<b>RXSQU</b>	Adjustable threshold +1 to +10 volts, 500 millivolts hysteresis
<b>RXDATA</b>	Digital link receiver data input, RS-232
<b>RXCLK</b>	Digital link receiver data clock input, RS-232
<b>Transmitter interface</b>	
<b>TXDATA</b>	TX data output, programmable polarity

Table 3-6: NIU Specifications (Sheet 2 of 2)

<b>TFREQ1</b>	LSB frequency control output, programmable polarity
<b>TFREQ2</b>	MSB frequency control output, programmable polarity
<b>TXKEY</b>	Key line output, programmable polarity
<b>TXCLK</b>	TX data clock output
<b>TXBCLK</b>	TX baud clock output
<b>TXANT</b>	TX/RX antenna output control
<b>Outputs</b>	All digital outputs are TTL, open-drain with 4.7K pull-up resistors; 16 milliampere current sink capability
<b>Relay interface:</b>	
<b>Two form "C" relays</b>	Normally Open (NO), Normally Closed (NC), Common (COM), and Control



# Installation

This chapter provides instructions for installing the NIU. This chapter includes information on the following topics:

- Equipment Installation, 4-2
- DIP Switch Settings, 4-3
- Transmitter Connections, 4-6
- SuperStream Connections, 4-7
  - Analog SuperStream Link System, 4-7
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## Equipment Installation

To be supplied.

## DIP Switch Settings

DIP switches are used to set up the default NIU configuration. Before proceeding with the NIU installation, verify that the DIP switches on the NIU board are set properly for your particular application. Figure 4-1 shows the location of the DIP switches on the NIU circuit board.

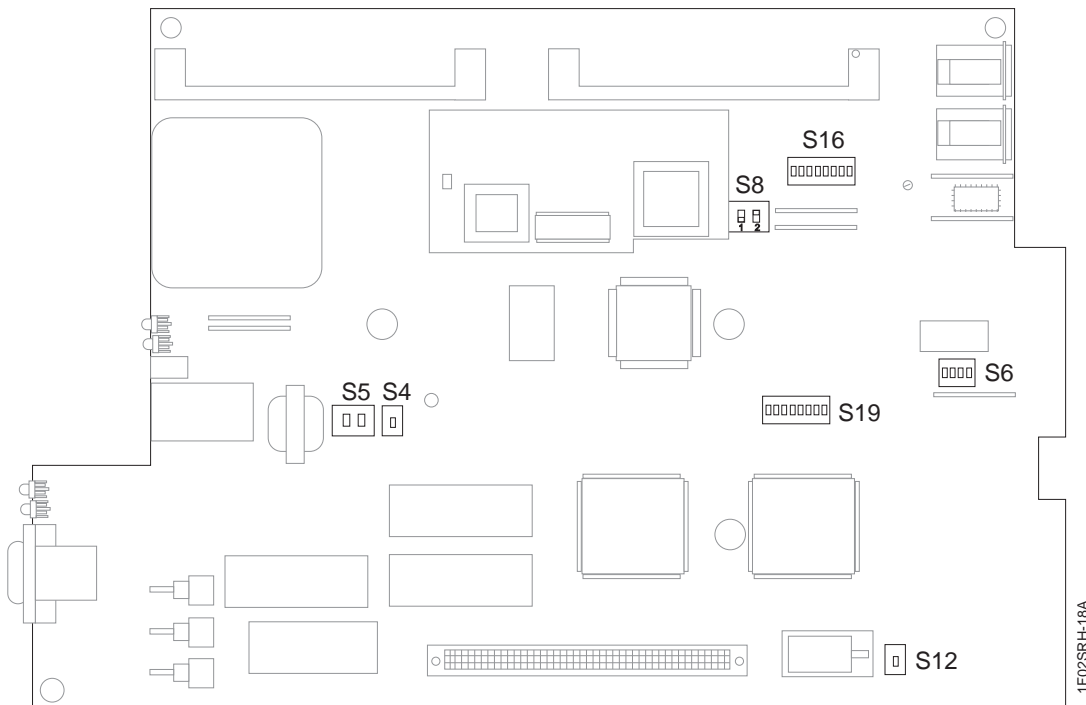


Figure 4-1: NIU DIP Switch Locations

NIU DIP switch information is provided in Table 4-1. This table lists all of the DIP switches and the configurable NIU function that can be set by each switch.

Table 4-1: NIU DIP Switch Settings (Sheet 1 of 2)

DIP Switch	NIU Function
<b>S4</b>	<b>Analog Link Input Impedance Selection (Affects Impedance only when S5 is on)</b> On = 600 Ohm Impedance Off = High Impedance
<b>S5</b>	<b>Analog Link Input Audio Transformer In/Out</b> In = Transformer In-line Out = Transformer Out
<b>S6</b>	<b>Alarms 1 and 2, and 4 Pull-up Select</b> <i>Note: The 10 k pull-up resistors being applied with the following switch poles are for use with open collector input</i> Pole 1 On = 10 K pull-up resistor applied to alarm 1 input Off = 10 K pull-up resistor not applied to alarm 1 input Pole 2 On = 10 K pull-up resistor applied to alarm 2 input Off = 10 K pull-up resistor not applied to alarm 2 input Pole 3 Reserved Pole 4 On = 10 K pull-up resistor applied to AUX4 Off = 10 K pull-up resistor not applied to AUX4
<b>S8</b>	<b>Frequency Reference Select</b> Pole 1 On = Nucleus Ref Mod Provides 5 MHz to Station Off = NIU Provides 5 MHz to Station (A Nucleus Ref Mod must not be installed to use this option) <i>Note: The following switch pole must always be set On.</i> Pole 2 On = 1 Hz In Off = Reserved
<b>S12</b>	<b>Non-Volatile RAM Battery Enable</b> <i>Note: If this switch is set off, the configuration will be lost when power is removed from the NIU.</i> On = Battery Enabled Off = Battery Disabled

Table 4-1: NIU DIP Switch Settings (Sheet 2 of 2)

DIP Switch	NIU Function
<b>S16 Receiver, AUX1, AUX2, and AUX3 Pull-up Select</b>	
Pole 1	Reserved
<i>Note: On the following switch pole settings, 1 = On and 0 = Off</i>	
Poles 2, 3, and 4	100 = To use an Internal Nucleus Link receiver 011 = To use an External Link receiver
<i>Note: If both an Internal Nucleus Link receiver and an External Link receiver are not connected at the same time, then poles 2, 3, and 4 can be set to on for either Link receiver type</i>	
Pole 5	On = 10K pull-up resistor applied to AUX3 Off = 10K pull-up resistor not applied to AUX3
Pole 6	On = 10K pull-up resistor applied to AUX1 Off = 10K pull-up resistor not applied to AUX1
Pole 7	On = 10K pull-up resistor applied to AUX2 Off = 10K pull-up resistor not applied to AUX2
Pole 8	On = Rx1 grounded (for single ended Link receiver input) Off = Rx1 not grounded (for balanced Link receiver input)
<b>S19 Link Type and Hardware Configuration Select</b>	
Link Type	
Pole 1	On = Digital Link SuperStream Off = Analog Link SuperStream
Pole 2	Reserved
Pole 3	Reserved
Pole 4	On = FM3 Off = FM2
Poles 5 thru 8	Reserved

## Transmitter Connections

The interface between the NIU and the paging transmitter consists of the following signals:

- transmitter data output (TXDATA)
- transmitter clock output (TXCLK, TXBCLK)
- transmitter key (TXKEY)
- transmitter antenna (TXANT)
- two transmitter frequency controls (TXFREQ1, TXFREQ2)
- ground (GND)

## SuperStream Connections

SuperStream link system operation may use either analog or digital stream signal inputs. Information on connecting these inputs are provided in the following paragraphs.

If the same SuperStream stream is to be shared with other NIUs, the C-LAN must be connected and operational. For C-LAN connection information, see paragraph, "C-LAN Connections".

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### Analog SuperStream Link System

The interface between the NIU and an analog SuperStream link system consists of the following signals:

- receiver audio high (RXAUDHI)
- receiver audio low (RXAUDLO)
- receiver squelch (SQU)
- ground (GND)

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### Digital SuperStream Link System

The interface between the NIU and a digital SuperStream link system consists of the following signals:

- receiver data (RXDATA)
- receiver clock (RXCLK)
- ground (GND)

## Console Port Connections

The console port interface requires a method of control over the hardware and software. The interface requires an RS-232 cable and a dumb terminal or terminal emulator program running on a computer.

An RS-232 cable is required to connect the interface from the Console DB9 connector on the NIU front panel device to the terminal or computer. For convenience, the cable should be approximately 10 feet long. There are five connections required for the interface: TXD in (pin 3), RXD out (pin 2), DTR (pin 4), DCD (pin 1), and ground (pin 5). These connections should be connected to their corresponding connections on the terminal or computer RS-232 serial COM port. Figure 4-2 shows a schematic diagram of the connections.

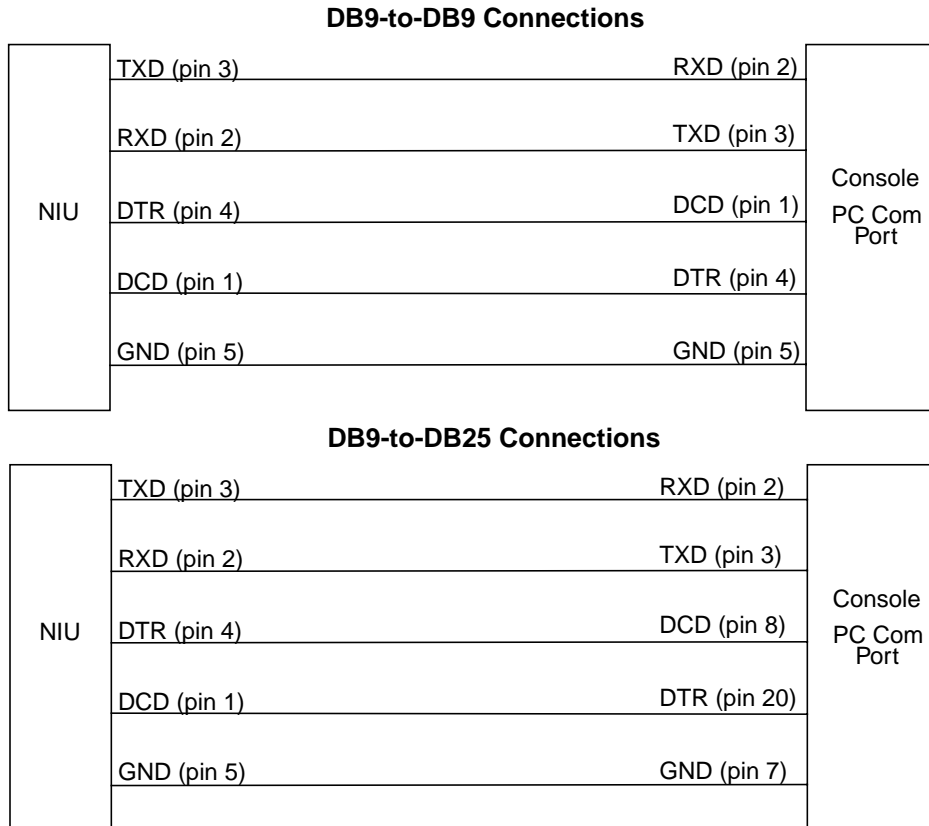


Figure 4-2: CONSOLE Port RS-232 Cable Connections



## Monitor Receiver Interface

The minimum paging monitor receiver interface contains the following signals:

- the monitor receiver input (MONIN)
- two receiver frequency controls (RXFREQ1, RXFREQ2)

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### RL-900 Receiver Interface

The RL-900 receiver interface converts the Glenayre/Quintron RL900 link receiver demodulated analog signal to a digital signal (RS232 Levels) suitable for processing by a monitor NIU.

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### Motorola Receiver Interface

The receiver interface converts the Motorola Spectra-TAC receiver demodulated analog signal to a digital signal (RS232 Levels) suitable for processing by a monitor NIU.

## GPS Installation

To be supplied.

## C-LAN Connections

A typical C-LAN connection of three External NIUs is shown in Figure 4-3.

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*Figure 4-3: C-LAN Connections*

In the C-LAN connections diagram, note the following:

- A C-LAN Termination Board must be connected at one end of the network.
- A Passive DIP must be installed at the other end of the network.
- Power (10 to 30 Vdc) must be connected to the C-LAN Termination Board.
- All connections other than power are RJ-45 cables.

If an Internal NIU to an External NIU C-LAN connection is required, the pinout of the RG-45 cable connectors must be reversed between the two connectors.

## N+1 Connections

To be supplied.

## External Dial Modem Connections

To be supplied.



# Configuration

This chapter provides instructions on how to configure the NIU hardware and operation, including information on how to select the proper parameters for your specific needs. This chapter includes information on the following topics:

- ProComm Plus Setup, 5-2
- Loading Software, 5-4
  - Loading Software Using ROM, 5-4
  - Loading Software Using the Active Flash, 5-6
- Setting Up the System, 5-8
  - Configuring Name, 5-8
  - Configuring System ID, 5-8
  - Configuring Device ID, 5-8
  - Configuring Valid Channels, 5-8
  - Configuring Transmitter Maintenance Group, 5-9
  - Configuring Transmit Data Inversion, 5-9
  - Configuring Maintenance Data Inversion, 5-9
- SuperStream Link Source, 5-10
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- SuperStream Parameters, 5-14
  - Configuring the Stream ID, 5-14
  - Configuring the System ID, 5-14
- Synchronization, 5-15
  - Configuring Synchronization Type, 5-15
  - Configuring GPS Synchronization, 5-16
  - Configuring Direct Synchronization, 5-16
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- Configuring the Transmitter Interface, 5-18
- Configuring the Station ID, 5-19
- Configuring C-LAN, 5-20
- Configuring Alarms, 5-21

## ProComm Plus Setup

Loading software requires a PC with Procomm Plus terminal emulator software, version 2.0 or greater installed and the PC connected to the NIU CONSOLE port.

To use the PC with Procomm Plus terminal emulator, set the protocol parameters as follows:

1. From the Procomm Plus Ready! prompt, press **<Alt>S** to enter the Procomm Plus Setup Utility.
2. Cursor down to the PROTOCOL OPTIONS entry and press **<ENTER>** to access the PROTOCOL OPTIONS menu.
3. With the cursor on GENERAL OPTIONS, press **<ENTER>** to access the GENERAL PROTOCOL OPTIONS menu.
4. Select menu item **C - "Abort xfer if CD lost"** and change the field to **NO**. Press **<ENTER>**, then **<ESC>** to return to the PROTOCOL OPTIONS menu.
5. Cursor down to the ASCII PROTOCOL OPTIONS entry and press **<ENTER>** to access the ASCII TRANSFER OPTIONS menu.
6. Set the screen parameters as follows:
  - A—Echo locally ..... NO
  - B—Expand blank lines ..... NO
  - C—Expand tabs ..... NO
  - D—Character pacing (millisec) .... 0
  - E—Line pacing (1/10 sec) ..... 0
  - F—Pace character ..... 10
  - G—Strip 8th bit ..... NO
  - H—Ascii download timeout ..... 0 seconds
  - I—CR translation (upload) ..... NONE
  - J—LF translation (upload) ..... STRIP
  - K—CR translation (download) .... NONE



L—LF translation (download) ..... NONE

7. Press the <ESC> key three times to return to the Procomm Plus Ready! prompt.

## Loading Software

There are two ways of loading software into the NIU from the console port:

- Load using ROM
- Load using the active flash

Loading while executing from ROM is the fastest method (requires about 12 minutes). However, using the ROM takes the NIU off-line. Loading from flash allows the NIU to continue operating on-line, but takes about twice as long to complete.

Loading software requires a PC with Procomm Plus terminal emulator software, version 2.0 or greater and the flash software file from Motorola.

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### Loading Software Using ROM

*Note: This procedure loads the software into the flash memory bank that was inactive before switching to ROM.*

Execute the **rom** command to switch from the flash memory to ROM memory.

1. To begin the load process, connect to the NIU console port using Procomm Plus, and type:

**load <Return>**

The unit responds:

```
Flash A Ver (<current version>) will be erased!  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

2. Type **y** to continue or **<Return>** to abort the process.

After typing **y**, the unit starts flashing all four front panel LEDs in amber and responds:

```
Erasing FLASH A...
```

3. When the flash memory is erased, the unit prompts the user to start downloading the new software and starts printing periods (.):

```
Ready for Download  
.  
.  
.
```

The unit is ready to receive the download file.

4. Type in **Procomm Plus**.

Procomm Plus prompts with a menu selection for the protocol type.

5. Select **ASCII protocol**.

Procomm Plus then prompts for the file name.

6. Type the download file path and file name and press **<Return>**.

Procomm Plus starts the file transfer and continues until the file is transferred. During the transfer all four front panel LEDs continue flashing amber until the file load is complete.

After the file is transferred, the unit performs the following actions (see Figure 5-1):

- Performs a checksum of the flash just loaded
- Starts operating in the flash just loaded
- Reports any exceptions since the last reset
- Displays the start-up banner

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```
Flash Checksum OK.  
Starting FLASH
```

```
No exception since last reset.
```

```
Checking for Communication with SCM.....
```

```
      M o t o r o l a  N I U  
      Copyright (c) 1997 Motorola  
      All rights reserved
```

```
NVRAM:  APR 28, 1997 7:39 PM  
FLASH A: AUG 14, 1997 9:07 AM (HNU1_10)  
FLASH B: AUG 01, 1997 4:44 PM (HNU1_09)  
ROM:    APR 16, 1996 8:31 AM (NUC4_19)  
**FLASH A Active.**  
NIU:    NUCLEUS
```

```
[ 1] MNUCNIU! >
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[ 1] MNUCNIU! > Enter Password:
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*Figure 5-1: Loading Using ROM Display*

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## Loading Software Using the Active Flash

*Note:* This procedure loads the software into the off-line flash memory.

1. To begin the load process from the flash that is active, type:

**load <Return>**

If the console speed is more than 9600 bps, the unit responds:

```
Console load must be 9600 bps or less, use set bps command!
```

2. Using the **set bps** command, set rate to **9600 bps**.
3. Re-establish communication with Procomm Plus by setting it to communicate at 9600 bps.
4. At the NIU prompt, type:

**load <Return>**

The unit responds:

```
On line Flash A Ver(<current version>)  
Off line Flash B Ver(<current version>) will be erased!  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

Type **y** to continue or **n** to abort the process. After typing **y**, the unit responds:

```
Erasing FLASH A...
```

When the flash memory is erased, the unit prompts the user to start the downloading the new software and starts printing periods (.):

```
Ready for Download  
.  
.  
.
```

The unit is ready to receive the download file.

5. Type in **Procomm Plus**.  
Procomm Plus prompts with a menu selection for the protocol type.

6. Select **ASCII protocol**.

Procomm Plus then prompts for the file name.

7. Type the download file path and file name and press **<Return>**.

Procomm Plus starts the file transfer and continues until the file is transferred. After the file is transferred, the unit checks the checksum of the flash just loaded and continues operating in the active flash. The unit responds:

```
Flash checksum OK.  
[ 1] MNUCNIU! >  
  
[ 1] MNUCNIU! > Enter Password
```

## Setting Up the System

Before configuring an NIU, the user must determine the following:

- What is the name of the site where this unit is located?
- What system number should be used?
- What device number should be used?
- What frequency/channels should this NIU key on?
- What transmitter maintenance group number should this NIU belong to?
- Does the transmit data need to be inverted?
- Does the maintenance data need to be inverted?

Responses to these questions are used to set up the NIU configuration using various **config** commands.

The **show config** command is used to display the current NIU configuration.

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### Configuring Name

The first config parameter that should be set is the name. The name is usually the name of the site where the base station is located. Using the **config name** command, enter the name (maximum of 20 characters).

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### Configuring System ID

Using the **config sysid** command, enter the system ID number (range of 1 to 255).

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### Configuring Device ID

Using the **config devid** command, enter the device ID number (range of 1 to 8191).

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### Configuring Valid Channels

Using the **config valid\_chan** command, enter the numbers (1 to 8) of the channels that the NIU should key on

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### Configuring Transmitter Maintenance Group

The transmitter maintenance group to which this unit belongs must be set. Using the **config tx\_maint** command, enter the number of the transmitter maintenance group (0 to 63).

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### Configuring Transmit Data Inversion

The polarity of the POCSAG and FLEX/ReFLEX transmit data output to the base station may be inverted, if necessary. Using the **config tx\_polarity** command, set the POCSAG polarity to either normal (norm) or inverted (inv) and the FLEX/ReFLEX polarity to either normal (norm) or inverted (inv).

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### Configuring Maintenance Data Inversion

The polarity of the maintenance data output to the base station may be inverted, if necessary. Using the **config maint\_polarity** command, set the maintenance polarity to either normal (norm) or inverted (inv).

## SuperStream Link Source

*Note: Analog inputs are currently not supported.*

The NIU can receive the SuperStream link input in several different ways for maximum flexibility. Both digital and analog inputs are supported. A digital link can be received through either RS-232 or RS-485 inputs. Using an optional link modem, an analog input can be received from a voice bandwidth analog link such as a leased line.

The NIU can also be configured to route the SuperStream link input to other NIUs at the same site via the C-LAN network. This simplifies cabling and allows sharing of resources.

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### Configuring the SuperStream Input Link

The **set link** command configures the SuperStream input link. The link type, link speed, and link input source must be specified.

*Note: Prior to starting the SuperStream input software configuration, verify that the hardware is properly configured for the desired link configuration.*

The link type can be **analog**, **fm2**, or **fm3**.

- For SuperStream data received through the optional link modem, select the **analog** option.
- For SuperStream data received from a Skydata FM<sup>3</sup> or HyperCubed satellite link, select the **fm3** option.
- For all other digital input links (FM<sup>2</sup>, VSAT, SCPC, etc.), select the **fm2** option.

The link speed parameter must be set to match the nominal bit rate of the SuperStream input link. Table 5-1 shows the supported link speeds for each link type. Note that the nominal bit rate without the FM<sup>3</sup> overspeed factor is used when specifying FM<sup>3</sup> link speeds.

*Table 5-1: Link Speeds*

Link Type	Bits Per Second
<b>fm2</b>	4800, 9600, 19200, 38400, 56000, 57600, 64000, 76800
<b>fm3</b>	9600, 19200, 38400, 57600, 64000, 76800
<b>analog</b>	4800, 9600



*Note:* RS-485 is recommended for digital link rates above 19200 bps.

The link input source depends on the link type. Table 5-2 shows the available options.

Table 5-2: Link Input Sources

Link Type	Input Source
fm2	clan or digital_in
fm3	clan or digital_in
analog	ext_rx, clan, loopback (for test purposes only), or phone (not recommended)

For digital links (link type **fm2** or **fm3**), the SuperStream link source can be either **clan** or **digital\_in**. The **clan** option selects the RS-485 digital clock and data inputs from the C-LAN connector. Use this option when the NIU is receiving RS-485 SuperStream directly from a satellite receiver or digital SuperStream is routed from another NIU via the C-LAN. Use the **digital\_in** option when the NIU is receiving digital SuperStream via the NIU's RS-232 digital clock and data link inputs.

For analog links (link type **analog**), the SuperStream link source can be either **ext\_rx**, **clan**, **loopbk**, or **phone**. Only the first two options should be used. The **loopbk** option is for test purposes only, and the **phone** option is not recommended for customer use. The **ext\_rx** option selects the analog audio input, and should be used when the analog input is directly connected to the NIU. The **clan** option selects the analog C-LAN input, and should be used when receiving analog input via the C-LAN connection.

*Note:* An NIU must have the optional link modem installed to accept an analog SuperStream input.

After configuring an analog link, the analog input level must be checked. This requires either a 1000 Hz tone or an analog SuperStream signal on the NIU's analog input. Check the input level using the **test level** or **show status** commands. If the analog input level is not -10 dBm (+/-1 dBm), use the **set level** command to adjust the level. If the target level is not reached within several attempts, check the analog input configuration and analog input.

The signal-to-noise ratio can also be checked using the **test level** command, but an analog SuperStream input must be present on the analog input. The minimum operational signal-to-noise ratio is 23 dB, however, this does not allow any margin. It is recommended that a minimum signal-to-noise ratio of 25 dB be achieved.

When the SuperStream input is properly configured and a SuperStream signal is being received, the LINK LED on the NIU front panel is green and the SYNC field displayed by the **show status** command shows **yes**. If these indicators are not correct, check your SuperStream hardware and software configuration.

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## Routing SuperStream to Other NIUs

An NIU which is receiving SuperStream through its digital or analog input can supply the same SuperStream to other NIUs at the site connected to the C-LAN.

A SuperStream input received through the RS-232 or RS-485 input can be routed out to the C-LAN to the RS-485 input of other NIUs at the site. An analog SuperStream input can be routed to the other NIUs as either analog data or RS-485 digital clock and data through the C-LAN. The latter allows use of a single link modem for multiple NIUs at a site.

*Note: Only one NIU should be configured to output the SuperStream signal to the C-LAN. All other NIUs on the C-LAN must be configured to use the C-LAN SuperStream signal as an input.*

## Routing Digital SuperStream through the C-LAN

SuperStream received through the RS-485 input is automatically routed to all other NIUs on the C-LAN if the digital clock and data lines on the C-LAN on the NIUs are connected. Each of the NIUs should be configured to accept the C-LAN digital clock and data as inputs. Use the **set link** command on each NIU to select **clan** as the link source. This automatically configures the C-LAN digital SuperStream signals as inputs.

SuperStream received through the RS-232 input of an NIU can also be routed to other NIUs on the C-LAN as RS-485 signals. The NIU receiving the RS-232 input must be configured to use the RS-232 inputs and route them to the C-LAN. To configure the NIUs, perform the following steps.

1. On the NIU with the C-LAN digital SuperStream signal, using the **set link** command, select **digital\_in** as the link source.
2. Using the **set cdig\_out** command, select the **digin** option (routes the RS-232 clock and data inputs to the C-LAN RS-485 signals).
3. Using the **set cdig\_dir** command, select the **output** option (enables the output of the signals to C-LAN).

4. On each of the other NIUs which is to receive the C-LAN digital SuperStream signal, using the **set link** command, select **clan** as the link source.

### Routing Analog SuperStream through the C-LAN

SuperStream received from an NIU's analog audio input can be routed to other NIUs via the C-LAN as either an analog or digital signal. Choosing the analog option routes the analog audio input directly to the C-LAN analog line. Choosing the digital option routes the digital outputs of the NIU's link modem to the C-LAN.

To route the analog audio input of an NIU to the C-LAN as an analog signal, perform the following steps.

1. On the NIU with the analog audio signal, using the **set link** command, select the **analog** link type and **ext\_rx** link source options.
2. Using the **set caud\_out** command, select the **rx** option (routes the analog input to the C-LAN).
3. Using the **set caud\_dir** command, select the **output** option (configures the C-LAN analog line as an output).
4. On each of the other NIUs which is to receive the C-LAN SuperStream signal, using the **set link** command, select the **analog** link type and **clan** link source options.

To route the analog audio input of an NIU to the C-LAN as a digital signal, perform the following steps.

1. On the NIU with the analog audio signal, using the **set link** command, select the **analog** link type and **ext\_rx** link source options.
2. Using the **set cdig\_out** command, select the **r96** option (routes the digital output of the R96 link modem to the C-LAN).
3. Using the **set cdig\_dir** command, select the **output** option (configures the C-LAN digital lines as an outputs).
4. On each of the other NIUs which is to receive the C-LAN SuperStream signal, using the **set link** command, select the **digital** link type and **clan** link source options.

## SuperStream Parameters

The RF-C! can send paging data to multiple NIUs over multiple SuperStreams. It uses two identifiers, the system ID and stream ID to indicate which NIUs should receive and transmit the paging data. The system ID and stream ID configured in the NIU must match the SuperStream identifiers used by the RF-C!.

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### Configuring the Stream ID

The stream ID identifies the SuperStream link between the RF-C! and NIU. All NIUs sharing a physical SuperStream link via C-LAN will share the same stream ID. The stream ID configured in the NIU must match the stream ID configured for the link at the RF-C!.

If the NIU is receiving SuperStream, indicated by the green LINK LED on the front panel, the stream ID received from the RF-C! can be determined using the **show status** command.

*Note:* For a description of the show status screen, see Appendix B.

The stream ID is configured using the **config streamid** command.

The stream ID currently configured for the NIU can be determined using the **show config** command.

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### Configuring the System ID

The RF-C! allows for the configuration of multiple zones within a system. Each zone has a unique zone ID. A zone ID in the RF-C! is equivalent to a system ID in the NIU. Since a single NIU can be an element of multiple zones, the **config sysid** command allows for the configuration of both a primary and alternate system IDs.

The primary system ID is required. It should correspond to the primary zone for the NIU.

The alternate system IDs are optional. They identify up to eight other zones of which the NIU is an element. The NIU does not allow a system ID to be configured as both a primary and alternate system ID.

The system IDs are configured using the **config sysid** command.

The primary and alternate system IDs currently configured for the NIU can be determined using the **show config** command.

## Synchronization

All NIUs in a paging system must be precisely synchronized to coordinate simulcast transmission by all paging transmitters. The NIU supports two synchronization methods:

- GPS Synchronization
- Direct Synchronization

GPS Synchronization uses GPS equipment at each paging transmitter site to provide an accurate, system-wide synchronization source. Direct Synchronization uses timing information from the SuperStream link as its synchronization source. Direct Synchronization eliminates the need for GPS receivers at the transmitter sites, but requires a stable input link signal with a constant link delay. All NIUs within a paging system must use the same synchronization method.

The NIU uses a high-stability voltage-controlled crystal oscillator (VCO) to generate a local reference clock. A digital phase-locked loop (PLL) locks the local reference clock with the synchronization source using a digital-to-analog converter (DAC) which provides a control voltage to adjust the VCO frequency. The NIU uses the local reference clock to transmit paging data precisely at the scheduled launch time. The local reference clock can be adjusted to compensate for differences between NIUs caused by factors such as link delays and transmitter delays.

When using GPS Synchronization the NIU receives a 1-pulse-per-second signal and GPS time-of-day data from a GPS receiver. This provides an accurate time source that is common to all NIUs in the paging system. By locking its local reference clock to the GPS time source, the NIU can precisely launch paging data in synchronization with other NIUs in the system.

In Direct Synchronization mode, the NIU extracts timing information directly from the SuperStream link. This timing information is common to all NIUs in the system except for the offset caused by transport delays in the distribution links. By locking its local reference clock to the SuperStream link and compensating for the link delay, the NIU can precisely launch paging data in synchronization with other NIUs in the system.

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### Configuring Synchronization Type

The **set align\_type** command selects the alignment type. Either GPS synchronization (**gps**) or Direct Synchronization (**dir\_sync**) may be selected. If GPS synchronization is selected, the NIU will ask if fallback should be enabled. If fallback is disabled, the NIU will stop transmitting paging data whenever GPS tracking is lost. Enabling fallback allows the NIU to continue transmitting even if GPS tracking is lost for up to a configured time period.

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## Configuring GPS Synchronization

The **set fallback\_timer** command specifies the amount of time that GPS can be lost without disabling transmission. The fallback time can be set to 1 to 65535 minutes, or it can be set to 0, which makes the time unlimited.

*Note: Carefully consider the fallback time value you choose. Since a synchronization timing source is not available while GPS is lost, the local reference clock phase and frequency will drift over time. This can cause simulcast and transmitter frequency problems if the fallback time is too large.*

For GPS Synchronization, the **set gps\_delay** command must be used on each NIU during initial system configuration to coordinate simulcast transmission by all paging transmitters in the system. The delay parameter compensates for variations in delays through the GPS equipment and paging transmitter. The parameter specifies the amount of time by which the NIU must adjust the scheduled page launch time to insure that the paging data leaves the transmitter antenna at the scheduled time.

*Note: See chapter 6 paragraph "Simulcast Alignment" for a description of the procedure used to determine the correct GPS delay value to use.*

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## Configuring Direct Synchronization

For Direct Synchronization, the **set link\_delay** command must be used on each NIU during initial system configuration to coordinate simulcast transmission by all paging transmitters in the system. The delay parameter compensates for variations in delays through the input link and paging transmitter. The parameter specifies the amount of time by which the NIU must adjust the scheduled page launch time to insure that the paging data leaves the transmitter antenna at the scheduled time.

*Note: See chapter 6 paragraph "Simulcast Alignment" for a description of the procedure used to determine the correct link delay value to use.*

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## Other Adjustments

The **set da** command can be used for test purposes to manually change the DAC value used to control the VCO frequency. This command writes the new value to the DAC and restarts the PLL.

The **set pll** command enables or disables the PLL. If the PLL is disabled, normal paging transmission will be inhibited. If the PLL is enabled, the PLL will be restarted.

The **set maxwait** command can be used to adjust the maximum wait time between DAC adjustments. As the PLL stabilizes, it increases the time between adjustments (wait time) until it reaches the maximum wait time value. If a large DAC adjustment is needed, the NIU decreases the wait time to make the PLL more responsive. A high wait time is desirable because it allows the PLL to remain stable in spite of momentary instabilities in the synchronization source. The WT field in the **show status** command displays the current wait time value. The maximum wait time parameter is unique to each link type. Only the value for the current link type can be adjusted.

The **set osc** command is used to calibrate the VCO.

## Configuring the Transmitter Interface

To be supplied.



## Configuring the Station ID

Morse code station IDs are configured using the **config statid** command. Station IDs can be configured for each of the eight channels supported by the NIU. A single station ID can consist of up to 12 alphanumeric characters.

The NIU supports two station ID modes:

- substitute
- automatic

In substitute mode, the NIU will only transmit station IDs when scheduled by the RF-C!. The RF-C! should be configured to schedule station ID transmissions to meet the appropriate regulatory requirements. The NIU transmits the station ID on the channel requested by the RF-C!, provided the channel is configured as a valid channel in the NIU. Valid channels are configured using the **config valid\_chan** command.

In automatic mode, the NIU will automatically transmit station IDs at a user-defined interval. This mode can be used to keep a frequency channel occupied if the NIU will not be transmitting paging data for an extended period of time. The NIU transmits the configured station ID on each valid channel. Valid channels are configured using the **config valid\_chan** command.

For automatic mode, an interval can be configured to specify the amount of dead-air time between station ID bursts. The NIU transmits the station ID configured on each valid channels, waits for the specified interval, and repeat the transmission. This cycle continues until the station ID mode is changed to substitute mode.

*Note: Automatic mode does not disable paging while transmitting station IDs. It should not be used while an NIU is transmitting paging data as it could result in lost pages. It should also not be used in a simulcast area because the station IDs are not scheduled by the RF-C! so they could disrupt paging.*

## Configuring C-LAN

C-LAN is configured using two commands.

- `config arcnetid`
- `config clan_netid`

The **config arcnetid** command allows for the high order address to be defined. There are 255 arcnetid addresses available. The arcnet ID is typically set to the same number as the device ID. For information on using the **config arcnetid** command, see Appendix B.

The **config clan\_netid** command allows for the C-LAN communications ID to be defined. Those devices communicating on the same LAN configuration should have the same C-LAN ID. For information on using the **config clan\_netid** command, see Appendix B.

## Configuring Alarms

To be supplied.



# Operation

This chapter provides important features of the NIU useful during normal operation, such as status information, alarms, using the event log, and a discussion of N+1 redundant operation. This chapter includes information on the following topics:

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## Maintenance Tool

The Maintenance Tool provides a user interface to the NIUs for performing on-site or dial-up maintenance and installation. This is supported through an ASCII terminal (e.g., a PC running a serial communication program) connected to the NIU Console port or connected through the dial modem. Remote access to other NIUs on the network is also supported through the C-LAN. Through this tool, a user can set up and display NIU parameters, monitor alarms and status, download new software, and perform other maintenance functions.

The user can execute the software located in one of the following memory areas:

- Flash (normal operation)—Flash A or Flash B
- ROM

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### Software Commands in Flash

During normal operation when the user is executing the software programmed in a flash memory bank, the software commands listed in Table 6-1 are available. For a complete description of each command, refer to Appendix B.

*Table 6-1: Software Commands in Flash (Sheet 1 of 6)*

Command	Description
<b>ack_page</b>	Acknowledge page alert
<b>alarms</b>	Set up alarms
<b>clear_np1</b>	Clear N+1 redundancy fault and switch the master back to standby
<b>config arcnetid</b>	Set Arcnet ID number
<b>config clan_netid</b>	Set clan_netid number
<b>config color_code</b>	Set ReFLEX color_code index
<b>config devid</b>	Set NIU device identification (ID) number
<b>config maint_polarity</b>	Configure OTA maintenance transmit polarity
<b>config name</b>	Set device name
<b>config ota_maint</b>	Configure NIU to monitor ota maintenance cycles
<b>config ota_threshold</b>	Set delay adjustment threshold for OTA maintenance cycles

Table 6-1: Software Commands in Flash (Sheet 2 of 6)

Command	Description
<b>config password</b>	Change NIU password
<b>config redundancy</b>	Configure N+1 Master NIU
<b>config statid</b>	Configure station ID parameters
<b>config streamid</b>	Set link stream ID
<b>config sysid</b>	Set system ID
<b>config tx_maint</b>	Configure NIU maintenance group
<b>config tx_polarity</b>	Configure POCSAG and FLEX/ReFLEX data polarity
<b>config valid_chan</b>	Configure valid transmission channels
<b>date</b>	Program the time and date
<b>flasha</b>	Start executing software programmed in flash memory bank A
<b>flashb</b>	Start executing software programmed in flash memory bank B
<b>gps</b>	Display and change GPS parameters
<b>help</b>	Display help information on each NIU command
<b>level</b>	Adjust analog link audio input level
<b>load</b>	Download software into the NIU
<b>logout</b>	Exit user interface
<b>modem</b>	Switch console port to modem operation
<b>page</b>	Enable sending of page alert pages
<b>report</b>	Set up OTA alarm and system maintenance reporting functions
<b>reset alarm</b>	Reset all latched noncurrent alarms
<b>reset all</b>	Reset alarms, log, and statistics
<b>reset call_atmpts</b>	Reset report call attempt counter
<b>reset iobd</b>	Reset I/O board parameters
<b>reset key</b>	Reset key time statistics
<b>reset log</b>	Clear event log

Table 6-1: Software Commands in Flash (Sheet 3 of 6)

Command	Description
<b>reset measure</b>	Clear OTA measurement data in a monitor NIU
<b>reset modem</b>	Reset dial modem
<b>reset nvram</b>	Reset configuration parameters to default values and states
<b>reset ph_stats</b>	Reset report calling statistics
<b>reset stats</b>	Reset statistics
<b>reset unit</b>	Reset unit
<b>rlog</b>	Remote login to another NIU through C-LAN
<b>rom</b>	Start executing software programmed in ROM
<b>rtab</b>	Display CLAN routing table and Arcnet address table information
<b>scm alarms</b>	Display current and latched SCM alarms
<b>scm clr_alarms</b>	Clear SCM alarms
<b>scm load</b>	Load SCM software
<b>scm rst_alarms</b>	Reset SCM alarms
<b>scm switch</b>	Switch SCM banks
<b>scm version</b>	Display software version of SCM banks
<b>set align_type</b>	Configure NIU for synchronization method used by paging system
<b>set ant</b>	Set antenna relay to either receive (Rx) or transmit (Tx)
<b>set auxports</b>	Set auxports to either inactive or active
<b>set bps</b>	Set console port baud rate
<b>set caud_dir</b>	Set C-LAN audio line direction
<b>set caud_out</b>	Set C-LAN audio line source
<b>set cdig_dir</b>	Set C-LAN digital link signal direction
<b>set cdig_out</b>	Set the C-LAN digital link signal source
<b>set con</b>	Set dial modem parameters
<b>set cpuok</b>	Set status of cpuok parameter



Table 6-1: Software Commands in Flash (Sheet 4 of 6)

Command	Description
<b>set da</b>	Set value of D/A converter controlling the 10 MHz oscillator
<b>set daa</b>	Control DAA board in dial modem
<b>set dis</b>	Control disabling of transmitter
<b>set failsafe_timeout</b>	Set SuperStream link failsafe time out
<b>set fallback_timer</b>	Set GPS fallback time
<b>set gps_delay</b>	Set GPS delay
<b>set hi_ber</b>	Set upper bit error rate threshold
<b>set key</b>	Manually key the transmitter
<b>set level</b>	Adjust analog link stream audio level
<b>set link</b>	Configure link type, speed, and source
<b>set link_delay</b>	Set link delay offset
<b>set lo_ber</b>	Set lower bit error rate threshold
<b>set maxwait</b>	Set maximum wait time between PLL adjustment
<b>set osc</b>	Align 10 MHz reference oscillator
<b>set pll</b>	Enable or disable PLL
<b>set redundancy</b>	Enable or disable N+1 redundancy
<b>set resync</b>	Force NIU to resynchronize to link data stream
<b>set rx_delay</b>	Set monitor receiver delay for OTA
<b>set txfreq</b>	Select one of eight available transmit channels
<b>set txttype</b>	Identify the transmitter type used with the NIU
<b>show alarms</b>	Display current and latched NIU alarms
<b>show analog</b>	Display state of analog inputs
<b>show clan</b>	Display C-LAN Arcnet statistics
<b>show config</b>	Display configuration parameters
<b>show dipsw</b>	Display DIP switch S15 settings

Table 6-1: Software Commands in Flash (Sheet 5 of 6)

Command	Description
<b>show except</b>	For debugging purposes only
<b>show gps</b>	Display global positioning system data and information
<b>show key</b>	Display key time statistics
<b>show log</b>	Display logged alarms and events
<b>show measure</b>	Display OTA maintenance measurement data
<b>show mem</b>	Display NIU memory usage and task information
<b>show ota</b>	Display OTA information from a reporting NIU
<b>show phone</b>	Allow access to alarm status from a reporting NIU
<b>show report</b>	Display options for the alarm reporting function
<b>show rom_sum</b>	Display ROM memory checksum
<b>show statid</b>	Display station ID information
<b>show stats</b>	Display NIU statistics report
<b>show status</b>	Displays setup and parameter values
<b>show sum_a</b>	Display flash memory bank A checksum
<b>show sum_b</b>	Display flash memory bank B checksum
<b>show ver</b>	Display software version of NVRAM, flash banks, and ROM
<b>test all</b>	For factory testing only
<b>test ber</b>	Test the bit error rate in the link data stream
<b>test clan</b>	Test C-LAN
<b>test da</b>	Test reference oscillator digital to analog converter
<b>test end</b>	End a test that is currently running
<b>test forever</b>	Extend length of any currently active test
<b>testi io</b>	Test NIU input/output lines
<b>test launch</b>	Test launch time
<b>test led</b>	Test front-panel LEDs

Table 6-1: Software Commands in Flash (Sheet 6 of 6)

Command	Description
<b>test level</b>	Test analog link signal level
<b>test ota</b>	Test OTA maintenance operation
<b>test page</b>	Test paging operations
<b>test phase</b>	Test PLL phase measurement circuit
<b>test statid</b>	Test transmission of station IDs
<b>test switch_panel</b>	Test transmitter
<b>test txd</b>	Test transmitter
<b>time</b>	Display NIU run-time since power-up or the last reset
<b>trace</b>	Enable display of debug information

## Software Commands in ROM

When the user is executing the software programmed in ROM, the software commands listed in Table 6-1 are available. For a complete description of each command, refer to Appendix B.

Table 6-2: Software Commands in ROM (Sheet 1 of 2)

Command	Description
<b>config arcnetid</b>	Set Arcnet ID number
<b>config clan_netid</b>	Set clan_netid number
<b>config devid</b>	Set NIU device identification (ID) number
<b>config sysid</b>	Set system ID
<b>flasha</b>	Start executing software programmed in flash memory bank A
<b>flashb</b>	Start executing software programmed in flash memory bank B
<b>help</b>	Display help information on each NIU command
<b>load</b>	Download software into the NIU

*Table 6-2: Software Commands in ROM (Sheet 2 of 2)*

<b>Command</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>logout</b>	Exit user interface
<b>reset nvram</b>	Reset configuration parameters to default values and states
<b>reset unit</b>	Reset unit
<b>set bps</b>	Set console port baud rate
<b>set dis</b>	Control disabling of transmitter
<b>set key</b>	Manually key the transmitter
<b>set level</b>	Adjust analog link stream audio level
<b>set link</b>	Configure link type, speed, and source
<b>show alarms</b>	Display current and latched NIU alarms
<b>show dipsw</b>	Display DIP switch S15 settings
<b>show log</b>	Display logged alarms and events
<b>show sum_a</b>	Display flash memory bank A checksum
<b>show sum_b</b>	Display flash memory bank B checksum
<b>show ver</b>	Display software version of NVRAM, flash banks, and ROM
<b>trace</b>	Enable display of debug information

## Status

The current NIU status can be determined by using the following commands:

- `show status`—displays current NIU status
- `show key`—displays current NIU transmitter keying statistics
- `show stats`—displays current NIU link statistics

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### Using Show Status

The **show status** command displays the current status of the SuperStream link, PLL alignment, I/O signals, transmitter, and redundancy (see Figure 6-1).

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```

DEVICE 2      : 20 char string          TIME/DATE 10:16:28 09-09-1997
TIME TO FAIL-SAFE TIMEOUT: 23:56:32
-----
Link
TYPE:      fm2      SOURCE:  clan      R96-SRC:  ext_rx      SPEED:    76800
STREAM:    -1      SYNC:    no        BER:      0 E-06
CDIG-OUT:  r96     CDIG-DIR: input    CAUD-OUT: rx        CAUD-DIR: input
ANA-S/N:   14 dB   ANA-LVL: -14 dB
-----
Alignment
PLL:       lock    D/A:     8675      WT:        25000    OSC_TYPE: uhso
ALIGN:     gps w/fb DELAY: 0
FALLBACK FREERUN TIME: 00:00:06 REMAINING FREERUN TIME: forever
-----
I/O Signals
KEY:       no      TXFREQ:  1      ANT:       rx
AUX1:     active  AUX2:    inactive
DIPSW:    0xfe    CPUOK:   yes     LINKOK:   no
-----
Transmitter
DISABLED:  yes    IO-BD:   generic TYPE: unknown
-----
Redundancy
ACT LNK:  b_side  MODE:    auto
N+1:     master, standby

```

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*Figure 6-1: Show Status Display*

For definitions of the show status display fields, refer to **show status** command in Appendix B.

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### Using Show Key

The **show key** command displays the current transmitter keying statistics (see Figure 6-2).

```

Key stats accum time      : 1 days & 19:03:15
TX KEY state              : KEYED
Current key time          : 0 days & 20:00:45
Last key time             : 0 days & 00:01:04
Total key time            : 1 days & 07:44:25
Time since last key       : 0 days & 00:00:00
Last key stats reset      : 11:08:04 09-09-1997

Reset the key time stats? (y/n):

```

Figure 6-2: Show Key Display

For definitions of the show key display fields, refer to **show key** command in Appendix B.

The key statistics can be reset by selecting **y** at the **Reset the key time stats?** prompt or by using the **reset key** command.

## Using Show Stats

The **show stats** command displays the SuperStream link statistics. The information that is most useful in detecting and resolving SuperStream link problems is displayed on the first screen (see Figure 6-3).

```

Stats accum time  : 1 days & 19:13:29
Link drop outs    : 3
Link lost time    : 0 days & 00:01:44
Peak BER          : 0 E-06      00:00:00 01-01-1988
Worst S/N         : 36 dB      21:19:25 09-09-1997
Last maint cycle  : 00:00:00 01-01-1988

      0 frames received                0 with invalid sync,
      0 frames parsed,                 0 with ver/stream mismatch,
      0 with parsing error(s)          0 with valid header info,
      0 with invalid hdr checksum      0 with invalid hdr FEC
      0 with invalid sync hdr,         0 with sync hdr unacquired

```

Figure 6-3: Show Stats Display, Screen One

The fields of screen one of the show stats display are defined in Table 6-3.

Table 6-3: Show Stats Display Screen One Field Definitions

Field	Definition
<b>Stats accum time</b>	Elapsed time since the statistics were reset.
<b>Link drop outs</b>	Number of times the NIU has detected a loss of the SuperStream link signal.
<b>Link lost time</b>	Total amount of time the NIU has detected a loss of the SuperStream link signal.
<b>Peak BER</b>	Highest bit error rate detected by the NIU since the statistics were reset. The time stamp of the last peak BER is also displayed.
<b>Worst S/N</b>	Lowest measured signal to noise ratio and the time it was measured. The higher the signal to noise ratio, the clearer the signal.
<b>Last maint cycle</b>	Time at which the NIU last transmitted a maintenance burst.

The second screen displayed by the **show stats** command provides detailed SuperStream statistics. This information is used to monitor for errors in the SuperStream link (see Figure 6-4).

```

0 fragments parsed,
0 frags for reassembler,
0 frags completed PDM,
0 frags incomplete msg,
0 frags had bad CRC,
0 frags had bad msg FEC
0 frags had parse error
0 blocks deinterleaved,
0 codewords FEC decoded,
0 cdwrds had 1 bit error
0 cdwrds had 3 bit errors
0 current BER,
0 peak BER,
0 resynchs req by decoder
0 with accepted ids
0 with reassembler abort
0 frags completed ICM
0 frags failed assembly
0 frags bad sys/szm id
0 frags had bad hdr FEC
0 frags in idle frames
0 codewords CRC checked
0 cdwrds had 0 bit errors
0 cdwrds had 2 bit errors
0 cdwrds had 4 bit errors
0 cdwrds in current BER
0 cdwrds in peak BER
0 peak consecutive errors

```

Figure 6-4: Show Stats Display, Screen Two

The third screen displayed by the **show stats** command provides statistics about the paging data being processed by the NIU. The RF-C! bundles paging data into paging data messages (PDMs) and sends them to the NIU. This screen groups the PDMs by protocol, baud rate, and modulation level (see Figure 6-5).

```
562 PDMS for site encoding
0 PDMS are invalid
0 PDMS are FLEX 1600 FM 2
0 PDMS are FLEX 3200 FM 4
0 PDMS are ReFLEX 1600 FM 2
0 PDMS are ReFLEX 3200 FM 4
0 PDMS are POCSAG 512
0 PDMS are POCSAG 2400

562 PDMS are valid
0 PDMS are special data
0 PDMS are FLEX 3200 FM 2
562 PDMS are FLEX 6400 FM 4
0 PDMS are ReFLEX 3200 FM 2
0 PDMS are ReFLEX 6400 FM 4
0 PDMS are POCSAG 1200
0 total POCSAG cap codes
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*Figure 6-5: Show Stats Display, Screen Three*

The number of PDMS that are invalid should be zero. If this statistic is non-zero, it could indicate a link problem such as a high bit error rate.

Special data PDMS include all non-paging data such as maintenance cycles and morse code station IDs.

To reset the statistics, use the **reset stats** command or respond **y** to the **Reset the stats?** prompt at the end of the display.



## Alarms/Events

To be supplied.

## Page Alert

The Page Alert feature provides the paging system with the capability to initiate a page to alert a system manager or other appropriate personnel when a problem occurs. This feature is enhanced the mobility and rapid response ability of service personnel.

The NIU generates a Page Alert whenever a predefined alarm condition occurs. The NIU dials out using a modem to a designated paging terminal using Telocator Alphanumeric Protocol (TAP). With a Pager Identification Number (PIN) number defined in the protocol sent, the paging terminal accepts the page, processes the page, and the system manager or service technician is alerted as to an alarm condition.

The Acknowledge Page, or ack page, feature allows for the page to be sent at a predefined interval until the alarm condition is acknowledged. The acknowledgment is done via dial-up or direct connection with the alarming device.

## Remote Dial-In

To be supplied.

## GPS Operation

To be supplied.

## N+1 Operation

The N+1 Redundancy feature provides the system user with backup capability with a minimum equipment costs. One “Master” NIU is configured to accept a maximum of four “Slave” NIUs. In the event of “Slave” NIU failure or predefined alarm situation the “Master” will assume the “Slaves” identity.

In each network configuration of NIUs, one NIU is defined as the “Master”. It monitors the operation of the “Slave” devices by polling the units. The Master monitors the SuperStream data stream, but processes no paging. The “Master” is the dedicated standby unit. All communications from the “Master” to the “Slave” devices is accomplished over C-LAN.

C-LAN communications are comprised of the following:

- CLOCK—Communicates the system timing functions
- AUDIO—Communicates analog signals
- C-LAN—Communicates analog signals
- ARCNET—Communicates high speed data

The “Master” is the only device capable of generating a LAN request. It polls the “Slave” devices in LAN id order looking for a “change” in their operational state. The C-LAN connections between devices are made by using the appropriate wiring configuration and terminations for your respective system. The “Master” is a dedicated standby unit continually monitoring the SuperStream data stream and polling over C-LAN to determine the status of all slave NIUs on the LAN. When a failure or alarm occurs that requires a switchover, the “Master” disables the “Slave” (select line), and assumes the “failed Slaves” identity.

Each “Slave” device functions in a similar manner to a non-N+1 Redundancy unit as it decodes the network data stream received from the link system, looking for data addressed to its associated transmitters. When relevant paging data is found, the associated transmitter broadcasts the data. The “Slave” device continues to function in this manner until an alarm condition requiring a switchover occurs.

If more than one “Slave” fails, the “Master” will assume the identity of the “Slave” with the highest priority. The other “Slave” will be left “off-the-air”. Priorities are configured in the Master Unit when configuring it for redundancy.

## Dual Flash

To be supplied.

## Modem Sharing

Modem Sharing allows NIUs in the same network to share the modem contained in one NIU for reporting alarm and event information, initiating maintenance cycles, and performing Page Alert dial-outs. This feature reduces the expense of obtaining dial modems and phone lines for all devices. One phone line may be connected to the modem in the primary NIU, and all other NIUs may share the modem.

When powering up, the master modem checks for the presence of dial tone. If dial tone is found, the NIU writes to memory that a modem is present. If no dial tone is found, the NIU writes to memory that no modem is present.

A modem that is physically present but with no connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) causes a no modem message to be written to memory. If a PSTN connection is made after power is applied to the NIU, then the NIU must be reset to remove the no modem indication stored in memory.

Modem sharing requires the use of the C-LAN to communicate between NIUs, as well as the use of several software commands.

In the event that the modem is not available when a device attempts to report, or dial out, the NIU will either attempt to resend the information, or a message will appear on the console indicating that the modem is already in use, depending on the NIU function and the parameters defined by the system user.

Shortly after power-up, all devices within the Modem Sharing configuration broadcast a request over C-LAN for the modem status of all other units in the configuration.

## Over-The Air Maintenance

The paging system uses maintenance cycles to monitor transmitter site alarms and to maintain system timing synchronization to assure continued proper simulcast operation. Maintenance cycles are initiated by the RF-C during system idle times. A complete cycle consists of two successive iterations through up to 64 maintenance cycle time slots (maintenance groups). Paging data can be interspersed between successive maintenance cycle time slots. During each maintenance time slot, the control point requests a group of NIUs to send a maintenance data burst.

A maintenance cycle always consists of two iterations through the maintenance groups. It must always begin with the lowest maintenance group number in the system, followed by the remaining group numbers in increasing order until maintenance for all groups has been requested. This process is then repeated.

When a maintenance request is received, each NIU in the maintenance group keys and sends a maintenance data burst over the air containing current alarm, identification, and timing information. This information is received by monitor NIUs via their monitor receivers.

Each monitor NIU verifies the validity of the over-the-air (OTA) maintenance bursts and checks the modulation alignment of the associated transmitter. The monitor NIU verifies alignment by analyzing timing information from the data burst and comparing it with its internal database of propagation delay times.

If two successive timing measurements exceed the programmed limits, the monitor NIU sets an alarm. The monitor NIU also checks the OTA alarm data and determines whether a change in the alarm status has occurred. If modulation misalignment is detected or the OTA alarm status has changed, and the monitor NIU is configured to report this information, the monitor NIU issues a report to a logging site and/or issues a page alert via a phone line.

The monitor NIU also saves the timing information and other data from the maintenance burst for later examination by the user.

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### OTA Operation

When a monitor NIU receives a maintenance burst, it extracts timing information from the burst to determine when the transmitting NIU sent the burst. It compares this transmission time with the time it received the burst to determine the propagation delay between the transmitting site and the monitor NIU site. By subtracting the programmed propagation delay from the measured propagation delay and compensating for the delay through the monitor receiver, the monitor NIU determines how closely synchronized the transmitting NIU is to the



correct time (the monitor NIU uses its internal time as the reference). The difference between the programmed delay and the measured delay is the simulcast misalignment of the transmitting NIU. The transmitting NIU should then be adjusted to eliminate the simulcast error.

Every transmitter in the system which is to be monitored must be assigned to a maintenance group in accordance with the following rules:

- Every transmitter to be monitored by a common monitor NIU must be in a unique maintenance group.
- Transmitters within the same maintenance group must not be able to destructively interfere with each other at any assigned monitor NIU site.
- If a transmitting NIU is also a monitor NIU, it must be in the lowest numbered maintenance group monitored by that monitor NIU so that it is the first NIU to transmit a maintenance burst.
- If there are multiple monitor NIUs with overlapping simulcast areas, every monitor NIU must have at least one transmitting NIU in common with another monitor NIU in the area.

Figure 6-6 shows an example of a system configured for over-the-air maintenance. In this example, there are three monitor NIUs, each monitoring multiple transmitting NIUs. Each monitor NIU has at least one transmitting NIU in common with another monitor NIU. All transmitting NIUs heard by a common monitor NIU are in unique maintenance groups. Each monitor NIU would be configured to listen to the maintenance cycle transmissions from its transmitters. For example, monitor B would be configured to listen to groups 0, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10 and 11. All monitor NIUs are assumed to be co-located with a paging transmitter and are assigned to the lowest group number, group 0.

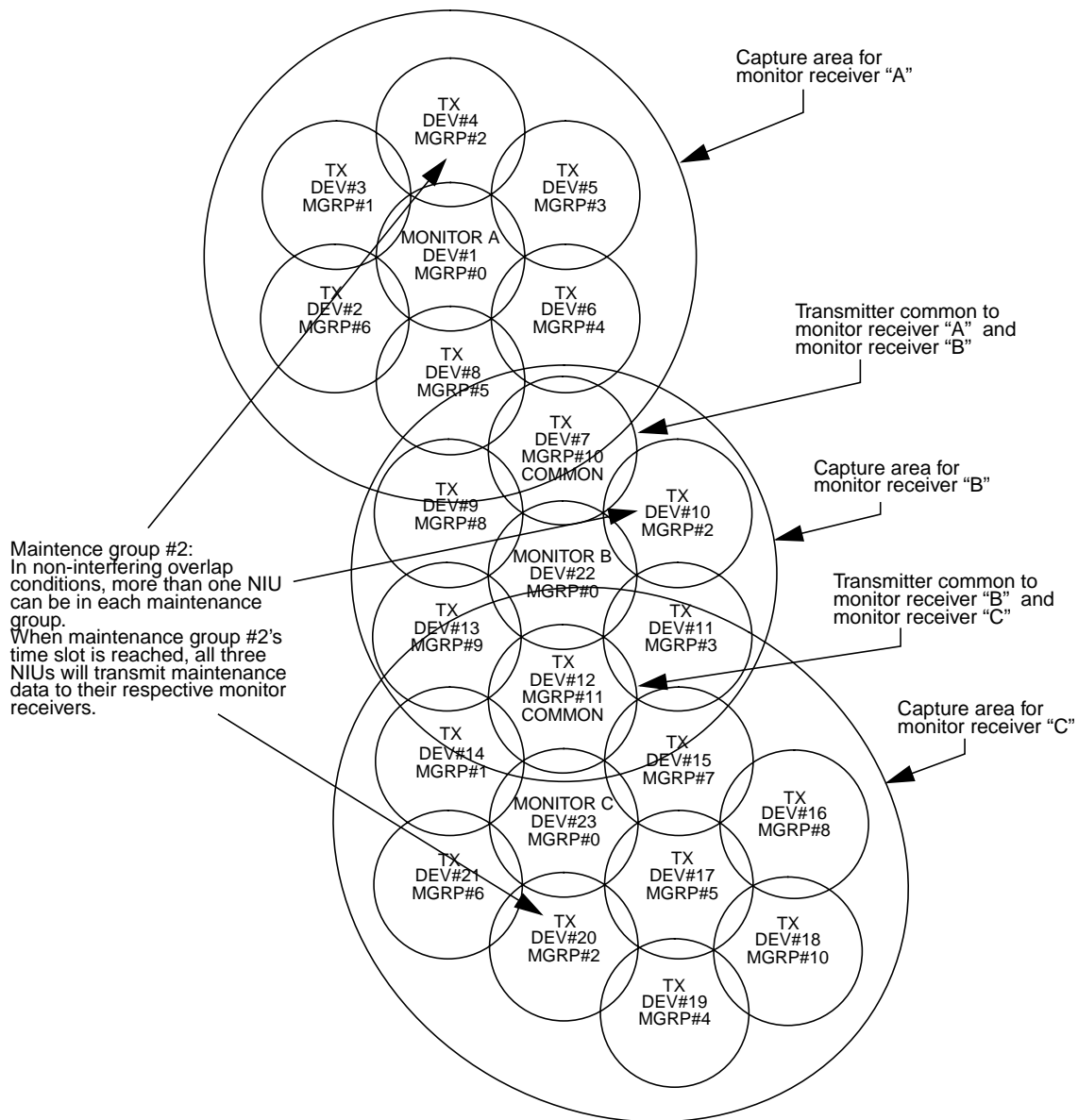


Figure 6-6: Sample OTA Maintenance System

When a maintenance request for a maintenance group is sent, all transmitting NIUs assigned to that maintenance group transmit a maintenance data burst. All other transmitting NIUs which receive the maintenance request dekey to prevent interference. In order to avoid destructive interference between NIUs sending a maintenance burst, only one transmitter in a maintenance group should be heard by any monitor NIU assigned to monitor that maintenance group.

A monitor NIU may also be used as a transmitter NIU by using a transmit/receive coax relay to switch between the paging transmitter and the monitor receiver. This switching is performed automatically by the NIU.

A monitor NIU which is also a transmitting NIU can take self-measurements, that is, it can receive its own maintenance bursts. For systems using GPS Synchronization, the monitor NIU treats these self-measurements as if they were for an external transmitting NIU and calculates the appropriate GPS delay adjustment to align its transmitter output with GPS time. For systems using Direct Synchronization, the monitor NIU uses its self-measurements internally to align measurements of other monitored NIUs with its own transmitter output. For such systems, a valid self-measurement is required before any other measurements can be used.

If a system has multiple monitor NIUs, simulcast performance throughout the system can only be monitored correctly if all of the monitor NIUs are aligned with each other. This requires that each monitor NIU have a transmitting NIU in common with at least one other monitor NIU. One monitor NIU in the system should be selected as the master. The remaining monitor NIUs become slaves.

The slaves must then be aligned with the master monitor NIU during initial system set-up using the following procedure.

1. Execute a maintenance cycle which includes the maintenance group assigned to a transmitting NIU which is common to both the master monitor NIU and the slave monitor NIU being aligned.
2. Compute the difference between the "required adjust" value shown by the **show measure** command on the master and slave monitor NIU for the common transmitter. Add this value to the slave monitor NIU's link delay (use the **set link\_delay** command) for Direct Synchronization systems or receiver delay (use the **set rx\_delay** command) for GPS Synchronization systems. For example, if the required adjust value is 33  $\mu$ s on the master monitor NIU and 30  $\mu$ s on the slave monitor NIU and the NIUs are configured for Direct Synchronization, subtract the difference (33 - 30, or 3) from the current link delay on the slave monitor NIU.

*Note: Do not use a measured maintenance adjustment value unless the value has no associated errors.*

3. Repeat the maintenance cycle and the adjustment process until the difference between the "required adjust" value on the master and slave monitor NIUs for the common transmitter is 0 (+/-2  $\mu$ s).
4. Repeat the above three steps for each slave monitor NIU which has a common transmitter with the master monitor NIU.
5. If there are any slave monitor NIUs which do not have a common transmitter with the master monitor NIU, repeat the first three steps above for each of these slave monitor NIUs. In place of the master monitor NIU, use a slave with a common transmitter that has already been aligned to the master monitor NIU. Work outwards from the master monitor NIU until all monitor NIUs have been aligned.

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## Transmitting NIU Configuration

Each NIU must be assigned to a maintenance group. When the NIU receives a maintenance request for its maintenance group it will transmit a maintenance data burst. The **config tx\_maint** command is used to assign the NIU's maintenance group.

*Note: If a transmitting NIU is also a monitor NIU it should be assigned to the lowest numbered maintenance group which it is configured to monitor, normally group 0.*

The data polarity for maintenance data bursts may need to be configured for transmitting NIUs due to differences in transmitters. This is done using the **config maint\_polarity** command.

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## Monitor NIU Configuration

Each monitor NIU must be configured to define the maintenance groups and transmitting NIUs it should monitor. The monitor NIU only processes a maintenance data burst if the burst matches a maintenance group and NIU device ID it is configured to monitor. The **config ota\_maint** command defines the list of maintenance groups and NIUs to be monitored. It also specifies the propagation delay from each configured transmitter site to the monitor site, and defines whether alarm changes from the OTA maintenance data should be logged.

*Note: If a monitor NIU is also a transmitting NIU it should be configured to monitor itself, and its own maintenance group should be the lowest numbered maintenance group which it is configured to monitor.*

The **config ota\_threshold** command sets the threshold for checking modulation alignment in received maintenance data bursts. If both timing measurements for a transmitting NIU in a maintenance cycle exceed the threshold, the OTA maintenance error alarm is set on the monitor NIU.

The delay through monitor receivers may vary between different receivers. The monitor NIU can compensate for these variations by subtracting a programmed receiver delay from the OTA timing measurements. The **config rx\_delay** command sets the receiver delay parameter.

*Note: The receiver delay value must be accurate to align non-Nucleus transmitters to absolute GPS time.*

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## OTA System Monitoring

Maintenance cycles can also be used to check the status of transmitting sites. The monitor NIUs collect status and version information from maintenance data bursts. This information can be examined by dialing in to the monitor NIUs via phone line. Some information can also be automatically reported via phone line to a logging device.

The **show ota** command displays logged alarm changes, alarm state, or version information from received maintenance bursts. If logging was requested when a monitored maintenance group was configured with the **config ota\_maint** command, the monitor NIU saves any changes in alarms reported in maintenance bursts from that maintenance group. The **log** option in the **show ota** command displays these saved events. The **alarms** option displays the alarm information reported in the last maintenance burst from a monitored transmitting NIU. The **versions** option displays the version information last reported for all monitored transmitting NIUs.

A monitor NIU can be configured to automatically report received OTA alarm information via a phone line if specified alarms are set in a received OTA maintenance burst. This is done using the **report** command by enabling the **ota\_rpt** option and specifying which alarms should cause a report using the **alarm#s** option.

The **page** command can also be used to request that a page be sent via phone line whenever an alarm (such as an OTA maintenance error alarm) occurs.

## Simulcast Alignment

Simulcast alignment is required during initial system configuration, and should be verified periodically using maintenance cycles. After a maintenance cycle, the monitor NIUs should be checked to verify that all monitored transmitting sites are correctly simulcasting.

The **show measure** command displays the results of OTA timing measurements. The last four OTA timing measurements for any monitored transmitter can be displayed.

Use the **show measure** command on the monitor NIU after a maintenance cycle to determine what adjustments are required on the transmitting NIUs. The "REQUIRED ADJUST" column shows the adjustment required on each monitored transmitting NIU to achieve proper simulcast operation. If the adjustment value has a tilde (~) next to it, the measurement had errors and the adjustment value **should not** be used. If no errors are indicated and the "MEASURE TIME & DATE" indicates that the measurement was taken in the last maintenance cycle, the required adjust value can be used. On the corresponding transmitting NIU, add the required adjust value to the link delay (using the **set link\_delay** command) for Direct Synchronization systems or GPS delay (using the **set gps\_delay** command) for GPS Synchronization systems.

*Note: Do not use a required adjust value unless the value has no associated errors.*

*Note: The required adjust value is an offset relative to the current delay setting, not an absolute delay value. It should be added to the current delay on the NIU being adjusted.*

## Remote Dial-In

To be supplied.





# Maintenance

This chapter provide information on maintaining the NIU. This chapter includes the following:

- Reference oscillator alignment procedure
- Built-in tests information
- Troubleshooting information

This chapter contains the following sections:

5 MHz Reference Oscillator Alignment Procedure, 7-2

Built-in Tests, 7-3

Troubleshooting Chart, 7-4

## 5 MHz Reference Oscillator Alignment Procedure

To be supplied.

## Built-in Tests

To be supplied.

## Troubleshooting Chart

To be supplied.

# Abbreviations and Acronyms

Table A-1 provides definitions for the abbreviations and acronyms used in this manual.

*Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 1 of 16)*

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>A</b>	ampere(s)
<b>A/D</b>	analog-to-digital
<b>ACB</b>	advanced control board
<b>ACK</b>	acknowledgment
<b>ADPCM</b>	adaptive differential pulse code modulation
<b>ALT</b>	accelerated life testing
<b>AC</b>	alternating current (when used alone)
<b>ac</b>	alternating current (when used with a value)
<b>AC-DC</b>	alternating current and direct current
<b>AC to DC</b>	alternating current to direct current
<b>AF</b>	audio frequency
<b>AFC</b>	automatic frequency control
<b>AGC</b>	automatic gain control
<b>Ah</b>	ampere-hours
<b>ALC</b>	automatic level control
<b>AM</b>	amplitude modulation
<b>a.m.</b>	time designation before noon
<b>AMMR</b>	Advanced Messaging Manual Revision
<b>APM</b>	augmented phase modulation
<b>ASC</b>	advanced simulcast controller

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 2 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>ASCII</b>	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
<b>ASIC</b>	application specific integrated circuit
<b>ATC</b>	advanced transmitter controller
<b>AVC</b>	automatic volume control
<b>AWG</b>	American Wire Gauge
<b>BCD</b>	binary-coded decimal
<b>Bell 103</b>	modem line specification 300 bps
<b>Bell 202</b>	modem line specification 1200 bps
<b>BER</b>	bit error rate
<b>BHCR</b>	busy hour call rate
<b>BIOS</b>	basic input/output system
<b>BIW</b>	bit information word
<b>BMS</b>	Billing Management System
<b>bps</b>	bits per second
<b>Btu</b>	British thermal unit
<b>°C</b>	Celsius
<b>Capcode</b>	personal message unit radio signaling address
<b>C-LAN</b>	ARCNET local area network
<b>CCIR</b>	Consultative Committee on International Radio
<b>CCITT</b>	Comite Consultatif Internationale de Telegraphique et Telephonique
<b>CCS7</b>	Common Channel Signaling System 7
<b>CCW</b>	counterclockwise
<b>CD-ROM</b>	Compact disk read-only memory
<b>CDR</b>	call detail recording
<b>CEPT</b>	Conference des administrations Europeen des Postes et Telecommuniucations (European conference of postal and telecommunications administrations)

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 3 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>CIB</b>	computer interface board
<b>CIU</b>	channel interface unit
<b>CLI</b>	calling line identifier
<b>cm</b>	centimeter(s)
<b>CMOS</b>	complementary metal-oxide semiconductor
<b>CO</b>	central office (telephone)
<b>CODEC</b>	coder/decoder
<b>COS</b>	class of service
<b>CP</b>	central processor
<b>CP/IOP</b>	central processor/input output processor
<b>CPU</b>	central processing unit
<b>CRC</b>	cyclic redundancy check
<b>CRT</b>	cathode ray tube
<b>CSU</b>	channel service unit
<b>CTC</b>	computer-to-computer
<b>CW</b>	continuous wave or clockwise
<b>D/A</b>	digital-to-analog
<b>DAA</b>	data access arrangement
<b>DAC</b>	digital-to-analog converter
<b>DACS</b>	digital access and cross-connect system
<b>DAT</b>	digital audio tape
<b>DATD</b>	digital audio tape drive
<b>dB</b>	decibel(s)
<b>DC</b>	direct current (when used alone)
<b>dc</b>	direct current (when used with a value)

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 4 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>DCD</b>	data carrier detect
<b>DCE</b>	data communications equipment
<b>DCI</b>	digital channel interface
<b>DCS</b>	digital cross-connect system
<b>DDC</b>	digital diagnostics controller
<b>DDD</b>	direct distance dialing
<b>DDM</b>	dual device module
<b>DEMUX</b>	demultiplexer
<b>DID</b>	direct inward dialing
<b>DIOP</b>	digital input/output processor
<b>DIP</b>	dual in-line package
<b>DMA</b>	direct memory access
<b>DMI</b>	dual multifunction input
<b>DMS</b>	direct message storage
<b>DOS</b>	Disk Operating System
<b>DPL</b>	digital private line
<b>DPSK</b>	differential phase-shift keying
<b>DPU</b>	defects per unit
<b>DRAM</b>	dynamic random access memory
<b>DRC</b>	digital remote control
<b>DRC I</b>	digital remote control [used with PURC, PURC 5000, PURC 5000 with Advanced Control and Nucleus with Advanced Control (NAC)]
<b>DRC II</b>	digital remote control [used with PURC 5000 with Advanced Control and Nucleus with Advanced Control (NAC)]
<b>DSP</b>	digital signal processor
<b>DS1</b>	digital signal 1 (T1 physical)



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Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>DSU</b>	data service unit
<b>DTE</b>	data terminal equipment
<b>DTI</b>	dual telephone input
<b>DTMF</b>	dual-tone multifrequency
<b>DTO</b>	dual transmitter output
<b>DTR</b>	data terminal ready
<b>DVP</b>	digital voice protection
<b>E &amp; M</b>	Ear and Mouth Wires (a type of signaling system)
<b>E1</b>	standard for digital transmission in Europe
<b>ECL</b>	emitter-coupled logic
<b>ECN</b>	engineering change notice
<b>EEPOT</b>	electrically erasable potentiometer
<b>EEPROM</b>	electronically erasable programmable read-only memory
<b>EIA</b>	Electronics Industries Association
<b>EMF</b>	electromotive force
<b>EMBARC</b>	electronic mail broadcast to a roaming computer
<b>EMI</b>	electromagnetic interference
<b>EMOS</b>	High-density, N-channel metal-oxide semiconductor
<b>ENET-CNT</b>	Ethernet Control LAN
<b>ENET-VD</b>	Ethernet Voice and Data LAN
<b>EPIC</b>	Enhanced Pendulum Integrated Circuit
<b>EPROM</b>	erasable programmable read-only memory (typically programmed electronically by ultraviolet light)
<b>ERMES</b>	European Radio Message System
<b>ERP</b>	effective radiated power
<b>ESSC</b>	enhanced site status controller

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 6 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
°F	Fahrenheit
FAX	facsimile transmission
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FDD	floppy disk drive
FDDI	fiber distributed data interface
FDM	frequency division multiplex
FET	field effect transistor
FIFO	first in-first out
FIPS	Federal Information Processing Standards
FM	frequency modulation
FMECA	failure mode effects and criticality analysis
FRAD	frame relay assembler/disassembler
FRU	field replaceable unit
FS	file server
FSK	frequency shift keying
ft-lb	foot-pound(s)
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
GPS	Global Positioning System
GSC	Golay Sequential Code
GUI	graphical user interface
HDR	high data rate
hex	hexadecimal
HF	high frequency
HIX	home index
HLGT	high-level guard tone

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Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>HPF</b>	high-pass filter
<b>HSO</b>	high-stability oscillator
<b>HSP</b>	high-speed paging
<b>Hz</b>	Hertz
<b>I/O</b>	input/output
<b>ICC</b>	intelligent communications controller
<b>ICD</b>	interface control document
<b>ID</b>	identification (or identity)
<b>IDE</b>	integrated disk electronics
<b>IF</b>	intermediate frequency
<b>ILR</b>	internal link receiver
<b>IMACS</b>	integrated multiple access communication server
<b>in. lb</b>	inch-pound(s)
<b>INR</b>	intrinsic noise ratio
<b>IOP</b>	input/output processor
<b>IOS</b>	input/output selector
<b>IPA</b>	intermediate power amplifier
<b>IPS</b>	integrated paging system
<b>IQ</b>	intelligent query
<b>IRQ</b>	interrupt request
<b>ISA</b>	Industry Standard Architecture (for PCs)
<b>ISBT</b>	independent-sideband transmission
<b>ISDN</b>	integrated services digital network
<b>ISU</b>	Integrated Service Unit
<b>K</b>	kelvin

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Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>kB</b>	kilobyte
<b>kbps</b>	thousand bits per second
<b>kg</b>	kilogram(s)
<b>kHz</b>	kilohertz
<b>kilobit</b>	kb
<b>KSR</b>	keyboard send/receive
<b>kV</b>	kilovolt(s)
<b>kVA</b>	kilovolt-ampere(s)
<b>kW</b>	kilowatt(s)
<b>kWh</b>	kilowatt-hour(s)
<b>LAN</b>	local area network
<b>LASER or laser</b>	light amplification through stimulated emission of radiation
<b>LCD</b>	liquid crystal display
<b>LCM</b>	local control station control module
<b>LED</b>	light-emitting diode
<b>LF</b>	low frequency
<b>LLGT</b>	low-level guard tone
<b>LNA</b>	low-noise amplifier
<b>LO</b>	local oscillator
<b>LPF</b>	low-pass filter
<b>LSB</b>	least significant bit
<b>LSI</b>	large scale integration
<b>LSP</b>	low-speed paging
<b>m</b>	meter(s)
<b>mA</b>	milliampere(s)

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Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>MB</b>	megabyte
<b>MCW</b>	modulated continuous wave
<b>MDA</b>	modulation domain analyzer
<b>MDF</b>	main distribution frame
<b>MDS</b>	multifunction dual synthesizer
<b>MF/R1</b>	multifrequency/Region 1
<b>MFC/R2</b>	multifrequency compelled/Region 2
<b>mg</b>	milligram(s)
<b>mH</b>	millihenry(s)
<b>MHz</b>	megahertz
<b>μA</b>	microampere(s)
<b>μF</b>	microfarad(s)
<b>μH</b>	microhenry(s)
<b>μs</b>	microsecond(s)
<b>μV</b>	microvolt(s)
<b>μW</b>	microwatt(s)
<b>MIPS</b>	millions of instructions per second
<b>MISO</b>	master in/slave out (used to indicate data flow to master on SPI)
<b>ml</b>	milliliter(s)
<b>mm</b>	millimeter(s)
<b>MODEM or modem</b>	modulator/demodulator
<b>MOS</b>	metal-oxide semiconductor
<b>MOSI</b>	master out/slave in (used to indicate data flow from master on SPI)
<b>MPL</b>	multiple private line
<b>MPU</b>	microprocessor unit

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 10 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>ms</b>	millisecond(s)
<b>MS</b>	messaging switch
<b>MSB</b>	most significant bit
<b>MS-H</b>	home messaging switch
<b>MS-I</b>	input messaging switch
<b>MS-O</b>	output messaging switch
<b>MSO</b>	medium stability oscillator
<b>MSK</b>	minimum shift keying or minimum phase shift keying
<b>MTBF</b>	mean time between failures
<b>MTTR</b>	mean time to repair
<b>MUX</b>	multiplexer
<b>mV</b>	millivolt(s)
<b>N1</b>	Nippon trunk level 1
<b>NAK</b>	negative acknowledgment
<b>NCU</b>	Nucleus™ control unit
<b>NIC</b>	network Interface controller
<b>NIU</b>	network interface unit
<b>NMI</b>	nonmaskable interrupt
<b>NMS</b>	network management system
<b>NTT</b>	Nippon Telephone and Telegraph
<b>NVRAM</b>	nonvolatile RAM
<b>OCU</b>	office channel unit
<b>Ω</b>	ohm
<b>OMC</b>	Operations and Maintenance Center
<b>OPS</b>	operational system

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 11 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>OS</b>	operating system
<b>OSI</b>	Open Systems Interconnect
<b>OTA</b>	Over-the-Air
<b>P-LAN</b>	PURC local area network
<b>PA</b>	power amplifier
<b>PABX</b>	private automatic branch exchange
<b>PAD</b>	packet assembler/disassembler
<b>PC</b>	printed circuit or personal computer
<b>PCD</b>	personal communications device or communicator
<b>PCI</b>	personal computer interface
<b>PCID</b>	Personal Communications Industry Association
<b>PCS</b>	personal communications services
<b>PCT</b>	paging communications terminal
<b>PET</b>	page entry terminal
<b>pf</b>	power factor
<b>PGA</b>	programmable gate array
<b>PIN</b>	personal identification number
<b>PL</b>	private line
<b>PLL</b>	private leased line or phase-locked loop
<b>p.m.</b>	time designation after noon
<b>PMOS</b>	positive metal-oxide semiconductor
<b>PMU</b>	personal message unit
<b>POCSAG</b>	Post Office Code Standardization Advisory Group
<b>POTS</b>	plain old telephone service
<b>ppb</b>	parts per billion

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 12 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
ppm	parts per million
PPM	pulse-position modulation
pps	pulses per second
PRF	pulse repetition frequency
PRI	primary rate interface
PRM	paging reference module
PROM	programmable read-only memory
PSDN	packet switched data network
PSK	phase-shift keying
PSTN	public switched telephone network
PTT	push-to-talk
QAM	quadrature amplitude modulation
R/W	read/write
RF	radio frequency
RAID	redundant array of independent disk/redundant array of inexpensive disk (drives)
RAM	random-access memory
REN	ringer equivalence number
RF	radio frequency
RG	ring generator
RIC	radio identity code
RISC	reduced instruction set computer
RMP	radio metering panel
ROM	read-only memory
RMS	root-mean-square
rpm	revolutions per minute



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Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>rps</b>	revolutions per second
<b>RS-232</b>	serial interface specification
<b>RTC</b>	real-time clock
<b>RTS</b>	ready to send
<b>RU</b>	rack unit
<b>Rx</b>	receiver
<b>s</b>	second
<b>SAC</b>	splitter amplifier control
<b>SAM</b>	status annunciator module
<b>SAT</b>	system availability tool
<b>SCI</b>	serial communications interface
<b>SCM</b>	station control module
<b>SCSI</b>	small computer system interface
<b>SDD</b>	software design document
<b>SDLC</b>	synchronous data link control
<b>SIMMS</b>	single in-line memory modules
<b>single-pole, double-throw</b>	SPDT
<b>single-pole single-throw</b>	SPST
<b>SLIP</b>	Serial Line Internet Protocol or Synchronous Line Interface
<b>SMDR</b>	station message detail recording
<b>SNMP</b>	Simple Network Management Protocol
<b>SOP</b>	standard operating procedure
<b>SPC</b>	serial-to-parallel converter
<b>SPI</b>	serial/parallel interface OR serial peripheral interface
<b>SRAM</b>	static random access memory

Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 14 of 16)

Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>SRS</b>	software requirements document
<b>SS7</b>	Signaling System 7
<b>SSC</b>	site status controller
<b>SSCB</b>	synchronous serial communication board
<b>SSDA</b>	synchronous serial data adapter
<b>STDINT</b>	standard interface
<b>STI</b>	serial timer interface
<b>SHF</b>	super-high frequency
<b>SVC</b>	supervisor/controller
<b>SYNCC</b>	synchronization control
<b>T1</b>	standard for digital transmission in the US, Canada, Hong Kong, and Japan
<b>TAM</b>	two-way asymmetric
<b>TAP</b>	Telocator Alphanumeric Protocol
<b>TBD</b>	to be determined
<b>TCP/IP</b>	Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol
<b>TCU</b>	transmitter control unit
<b>TDM</b>	time division multiplexer
<b>TDP</b>	Telocator Data Protocol
<b>TDSS</b>	triple drive support subsystem
<b>TDU</b>	total defects per unit
<b>TELCO</b>	telephone company
<b>TIPP</b>	Telocator Internetworking Paging Protocol
<b>TIS</b>	Telocator Inter-Switch paging application protocol
<b>TME</b>	telocator message entry
<b>TNPP</b>	Telocator Networking Paging Protocol

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Abbreviation/Acronym	Definition
<b>TRC</b>	tone remote control
<b>TSI</b>	time slot interchange or interchanger
<b>TTL</b>	transistor-transistor logic
<b>Tx</b>	transmitter
<b>UAP</b>	universal applications processor
<b>UCC</b>	universal communications controller
<b>UDS</b>	universal data system
<b>UHSO</b>	ultra-high stability oscillator
<b>UPS</b>	uninterruptible power supply
<b>UTC</b>	universal time control
<b>V.21</b>	modem line specification 300 bps
<b>V.22</b>	modem line specification 2400 bps
<b>V.27</b>	facsimile line specification 4800 bps
<b>V.29</b>	facsimile line specification 9600 bps
<b>V.32</b>	modem line specification 9600 bps
<b>V.42</b>	modem line specification 19, 200 bps
<b>Vac</b>	volts AC
<b>VCB</b>	voice controller board
<b>VCO</b>	voltage-controlled oscillator
<b>Vdc</b>	volts DC
<b>VDT</b>	video display terminal
<b>VME bus</b>	Versa Module Europa bus
<b>VOR</b>	voice-operated receiver
<b>VOX</b>	voice-operated transmitter
<b>VSWR</b>	voltage standing wave ratio

*Table A-1: Abbreviations and Acronyms List (Sheet 16 of 16)*

<b>Abbreviation/Acronym</b>	<b>Definition</b>
<b>WAN</b>	wide area network
<b>WASP</b>	Wide Area Signaling Protocol
<b>W</b>	watt
<b>X.25</b>	packet switching standard (CCITT)
<b>X.400</b>	message handling system standard

# NIU Software Commands

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## Ack\_page Command

### Command

ack\_page—acknowledges page alert acknowledgment (ACK) pages that require an acknowledgment

### Command Use

```
ack_page <Return>
```

### Description

After typing the command, if the NIU currently has a page that requires acknowledgment, the unit responds:

```
<name of page alert page>
```

```
Acknowledge all pages (y/n):
```

After typing **yes**, all pending page alert pages that require acknowledgment are acknowledged (acknowledge repeat function cleared). If the NIU currently does not have a page that requires acknowledgment, the unit responds:

```
There are currently no pages to acknowledge.
```

### Related Commands

page—enables the sending of page alerts when a selected alarm occurs

page alert general—performs the general setup for page alert operation

page alert general ack\_enable—selects alarms that require acknowledgment

## Alarms Command

### Command

alarms—used to setup alarms 1, 2, 6, and 7 in the NIU.

### Command Use

alarms <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit enters the alarm setup mode and the Current Alarm Settings screen is displayed (see example in Figure B-1).

---

```

                20 char string  CURRENT ALARM SETTINGS
                                L-LIMITS-H  DEBOUNCE  OFFSET  KEY  INHIBIT
                                (V,W,C) (V,W,C)  (sec)   (mV)  REQ  IF TRUE
-----
01 20 char string      diglo      5V  0,800  2,000  2,00  90  .  .  .
02 20 char string      diglo      5V  0,800  2,000  2,00  90  .  .  .
06 rx squelch         dighi     25V  1,000  7,000  0,20  90
07 ram battery        a-in      5V  0,000  2,900  2,00  90
enter alarm #(1,2,6 or 7) to edit:

```

Figure B-1: Current Alarm Settings Display

The first column in the Current Alarm Settings display (labeled ##) is the alarm number. This number is fixed. Alarm numbers 1 and 2 are user programmable external alarms from the NIU's alarm interface inputs and alarm numbers 6 and 7 are configurable internal alarms.

The last line of the Current Alarm Settings display prompts for the alarm number. Type an alarm number in the range of 1, 2, 6, or 7. After typing an alarm number, the unit responds:

```

edit what (name|mode|range|low-limit|hi-limit|debounce|offset|key|inhibitors)
[1]enter:

```

The edit display lists the nine available alarm edit commands. The number in the brackets is the alarm number currently being edited.

All of the alarm edit commands may be used for alarms 1 and 2, while only the following edit commands are allowed for alarms 6 and 7:

- **low-limit**

- **hi-limit**
- **debounce**
- **offset**

The unit is ready for input of the alarm edit commands (see Table B-1). Each of these commands may be entered from the alarm setup prompt.

*Table B-1: Alarm Edit Commands*

Commands	Description	State/Range
<b>name</b>	Used to enter a name; used for display and reporting	20 character maximum
		diglo digital low
		dighi digital high
<b>mode</b>	Used to enter the state which causes an alarm to occur	a-in analog in
		a-out analog out
		p-in power in
		p-out power out
<b>range</b>	Sets the voltage input range for each alarm input	(5 V or 25 V)
<b>low-limit</b>	Sets the low limit for each alarm input	In digital or analog modes: 0–5000 mV
		In power modes: 0–500 W
<b>hi-limit</b>	Sets the high limit for each alarm input	In digital or analog modes: 0–5000 mV
		In power modes: 0–500W
<b>debounce</b>	Sets the amount of time required for an alarm state to become valid (filters out momentary glitches)	0–327675 ms
<b>offset</b>	Sets voltage that is removed from the input measurement	0–65535 mV
<b>key</b>	Indicates that the transmitter must be keyed for the alarm to be set or cleared	
<b>inhibitors</b>	Modifies the set of alarms that inhibit this alarm	1 or 2

## Clear\_np1 Command

### Command

clear\_np1—clears an N+1 redundancy fault and switches the master back to standby

### Command Use

```
clear_np1 <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used on N+1 master to clear N+1 faults and force the master back to standby mode (allowing the N+1 slave to go back online).

After typing the command on the N+1 master, the unit responds:

```
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

The user types **yes** to continue or **<Return>** to abort the process. After typing **yes**, the unit clears the N+1 redundancy fault and returns to the standby mode.

## Config Arcnetid Command

### Command

config arcnetid—sets the Arcnet ID number

### Command Use

**config arcnetid <Return>**

### Description

The Arcnet ID range is from 1 to 255 and assigns the Arcnet hardware address to the NIU (Arcnet is the data communication part of C-LAN)

Each NIU connected to a common C-LAN must have unique Arcnet ID.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
arcnetid = <current arcnetid number>  
Enter new arcnetid (1-255):
```

After typing the new arcnetid number, the unit responds::

```
arcnetid = <new arcnetid number>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Clan\_netid Command

### Command

config clan\_netid—sets the clan\_netid number

### Command Use

```
config clan_netid <Return>
```

### Description

The Clan net ID range is from 1 to 255.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
clan_netid = <current clan_netid number>  
Enter new clan_netid (1-255):
```

After typing the new clan\_netid number, the unit responds:

```
clan_netid = <new clan_netid number>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Color\_code Command

### Command

config color\_code—used to set the ReFLEX color\_code index

### Command Use

```
config color_code <Return>
```

### Description

The ReFLEX color code index range is 0 to 127 and maps to actual ReFLEX color codes as shown in Table B-2.

Table B-2: ReFLEX Color Codes (Sheet 1 of 2)

Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code
0	0x5555	1	0xfb40	2	0xeec0	3	0x21c0	4	0x93c0
5	0x46e0	6	0xc210	7	0xe910	8	0x0d10	9	0x8b50
10	0x51d0	11	0x07d0	12	0x9bb0	13	0x2370	14	0xc770
15	0xf9f0	16	0x1df0	17	0x6318	18	0x5d98	19	0x16c4
20	0x6bc4	21	0xaf5c	22	0xbadc	23	0x23dc	24	0x57a2
25	0x8e66	26	0x4e41	27	0xd741	28	0xc2c1	29	0x26c1
30	0x0dc1	31	0x8421	32	0xd221	33	0xf921	34	0xaf21
35	0x5ea1	36	0x23a1	37	0xe661	38	0x3ce1	39	0xf3e1
40	0x5c11	41	0xfb91	42	0xa751	43	0xa231	44	0x8931
45	0x9cb1	46	0x53b1	47	0xeb71	48	0x4209	49	0xa609
50	0xacc9	51	0x9de9	52	0x2839	53	0x5539	54	0xe739
55	0x6179	56	0x1b05	57	0x0e85	58	0x0445	59	0x5245
60	0xb645	61	0x47c5	62	0x42a5	63	0x1e65	64	0x92e5
65	0x0be5	66	0x1615	67	0xd915	68	0x2255	69	0x0955
70	0xbb55	71	0x1cd5	72	0x4ad5	73	0xd3d5	74	0x32b5



Table B-2: ReFLEX Color Codes (Sheet 2 of 2)

Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code	Color Code Index	ReFLEX Color Code
<b>75</b>	0xdc75	<b>76</b>	0x8a75	<b>77</b>	0x50f5	<b>78</b>	0xc9f5	<b>79</b>	0x2df5
<b>80</b>	0x051d	<b>81</b>	0xb71d	<b>82</b>	0x469d	<b>83</b>	0xcf7d	<b>84</b>	0xdc23
<b>85</b>	0xf723	<b>86</b>	0x06a3	<b>87</b>	0x32e3	<b>88</b>	0xd6e3	<b>89</b>	0x598b
<b>90</b>	0xeb8b	<b>91</b>	0xe14b	<b>92</b>	0x992b	<b>93</b>	0x3eab	<b>94</b>	0x0d3b
<b>95</b>	0x5b3b	<b>96</b>	0x0a47	<b>97</b>	0xee47	<b>98</b>	0x9347	<b>99</b>	0x49c7
<b>100</b>	0xadc7	<b>101</b>	0xjbc7	<b>102</b>	0x9627	<b>103</b>	0x4ca7	<b>104</b>	0xa267
<b>105</b>	0x4667	<b>106</b>	0xdf67	<b>107</b>	0x2ee7	<b>108</b>	0xf977	<b>109</b>	0xaf77
<b>110</b>	0xecf7	<b>111</b>	0xbaf7	<b>112</b>	0x5ef7	<b>113</b>	0xdc8f	<b>114</b>	0x6e8f
<b>115</b>	0x138f	<b>116</b>	0x0ccf	<b>117</b>	0xe76f	<b>118</b>	0xef1f	<b>119</b>	0x425f
<b>120</b>	0x8d5f	<b>121</b>	0xdb5f	<b>122</b>	0xde3f	<b>123</b>	0xa33f	<b>124</b>	0x473f
<b>125</b>	0x04bf	<b>126</b>	0x9dbf	<b>127</b>	0x2fbf				

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
color_code index = <current color_code index number>
Enter new color_code index (0-127):
```

After typing the new color\_code index number, the unit responds:

```
color_code index = <new color_code index number>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Devid Command

### Command

config devid—used to set the NIU device identification (ID) number

### Command Use

```
config devid <Return>
```

### Description

The device ID allows the user to give each unit a unique identification number. The device number allows the RF-C! controller to issue commands that pertain only to a unique unit. There are 8191 device IDs available in a range of 1 to 8191. All NIUs on the same SuperStream link must have a unique device number.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
devid = <current device ID number>  
Enter new device (1-8191):
```

After typing the new device ID number, the unit responds:

```
devid = <new device ID number>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Maint\_polarity Command

### Command

config maint\_polarity—used to configure the OTA maintenance transmit polarity

### Command Use

```
config maint_polarity <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to configure the OTA maintenance transmit polarity in the NIU for inverted (inv) or noninverted (norm).

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
maint_polarity = <current polarity>  
Enter new maint polarity (norm, inv):
```

After typing **norm** or **inv**, the unit responds:

```
maint_polarity = <new polarity>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Name Command

### Command

config name—used to set the device name

### Command Use

```
config name <Return>
```

### Description

The device name is a 20-character string used for display and reporting.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
name = <current device name>  
Enter new name:
```

After typing the new name (up to 20 characters), the NIU responds:

```
name = <new device name>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Ota\_maint Command

### Command

config ota\_maint—used to configure the NIU to monitor over-the-air maintenance cycles

### Command Use

```
config ota_maint <Return>
```

### Description

This command configures the NIU to monitor over-the-air maintenance cycles from a list of transmitting NIUs.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
ota_maint what (add|delete|list)
```

If **add** is selected, the unit prompts for the maintenance group to be monitored:

```
group to add (0-63):
```

After typing the maintenance group number, the unit requests the device ID of the NIU to be monitored:

```
NIU device (1-8191):
```

After typing the NIU device ID, the unit prompts for the air delay time (the radio propagation delay from the reporting NIU to the monitoring NIU):

```
Air delay in uS (0-50000):
```

After typing the air delay, the unit responds:

```
Log OTA items (y/n):
```

Type **y** if logging of alarm changes from the OTA maintenance cycles is desired. Type **n** to disable OTA logging.

If **delete** is selected, the unit prompts:

```
group to delete (0-63):
```

Type the maintenance group number which is to be deleted.

If **list** is selected, the unit displays the current OTA maintenance configuration.

Type **<Return>** at the **ota\_maint (add/delete/list)** prompt to exit the command.

### **Related Command**

**show config**—displays all configuration parameters.

## Config Ota\_threshold Command

### Command

config ota\_threshold—used to set the delay adjustment threshold for OTA maintenance cycles

### Command Use

```
config ota_threshold <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the threshold for determining if an ATO maintenance delay adjustment measurement is out of tolerance.

After typing the command, the unit prompts for a threshold value:

```
ota_threshold = <current value> usecs  
Enter new ota_threshold in usecs (0-10000):
```

After typing the new threshold value, the unit responds:

```
ota_threshold = <new value> usecs
```

If the required delay adjustment measured by two successive OTA maintenance cycles exceeds the programmed threshold, the “ota maint error” alarm will be set.

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters.

show measure—displays OTA maintenance measurement data

## Config Password Command

### Command

config password—used to change the NIU password

### Command Use

```
config password <Return>
```

### Description

This command changes the password used to logon to an NIU.

The entered password may contain up to 20 characters.

After typing the command, the unit prompts for the current password:

```
Enter old password:
```

After typing the old password, the unit prompts for the new password:

```
Enter new password:
```

After typing the new password, the unit prompts for the confirmation of the new password:

```
Enter new password again:
```

After the new password is typed correctly the second time, the unit responds:

```
password accepted
```

If the new password is typed incorrectly the second time, the unit responds:

```
password not accepted
```



## Config Redundancy Command

*Note:* This command should only be used on an NIU which will be an N+1 Master.

### Command

config redundancy—used to configure an N+1 Master NIU

### Command Use

**config redundancy <Return>**

### Description

This command should be performed after the slave is configured using the **set redundancy** command.

In the following steps, type **<Return>** to skip entry for that option and continue to the next entry step.

After typing the command, the unit displays the current N+1 slave configuration (see Figure B-2).

---

```
                N+1 Slave table
Slave #  Device Id
1        <current assigned device Id>
2        <current assigned device Id>
3        <current assigned device Id>
4        <current assigned device Id>
Enter slave # to change:
```

*Figure B-2: N+1 Slave Table Display*

After typing the slave number to change, the unit prompts for the slave device ID number

```
Enter new slave device id [disable, 1-8191]:
```

*Note:* If **disable** is entered, the slave number is disabled and “none” is displayed for the device ID.

After typing either **disable** or the new slave device ID number, the unit responds with the N+1 Slave table display again so that a new device ID number may be assigned to another slave number. After all of the desired changes are made to the N+1 Slave table, the NIU Internal Alarms table is displayed (see Figure B-3).

---

```

NIU internal Alarms

# Description      switch # Description      switch
00 powerfail/restart  no 16 link modem fail      no
01 20 char string    no 17 timing fail          no
02 20 char string    no 18 dial modem fail      no
03 SCM alarms        no 19 lost link clock       no
04 N+1 fault          no 20 bad stream id         no
05 Multi slave fail  no 21 synthszr out of lock  no
06 rx squelch         no 22 low forward power     no
07 ram battery        no 23 GPS fail              no
08 not used in nucleus no 24 flash cksum err       no
09 lost stream sync  no 25 nv ram error          no
10 tx disable         no 26 high reflected power  no
11 high BER           no 27 tx fault              no
12 ota maint error   no 28 frm overrun           no
13 paging disabled   no 29 not used in nucleus   no
14 DAC hi/low limit  no 30 DIP switches          no
15 page scheduling err no 31 daily call-in         no

Enter item # to toggle:

```

---

*Figure B-3: NIU Internal Alarms Display*

Type the item number of an alarm to toggle the switch state for the alarm.

If the switch state for an alarm is **yes**, the N+1 Master NIU will attempt to switch in for any slave NIU on which that alarm is currently active. Setting the switch state to **no** disables switch in for that alarm.

If the NIU is not configured as an N+1 Master, the set redundancy command must be used to enable N+1 redundancy and configure the NIU as a Master.

After all of the desired changes are made to the NIU Internal Alarms table, the SCM Alarms table is displayed (see Figure B-4).

---

```
SCM Alarms

# Description                switch
00 HIGH REFLECTED POWER      no
01 LOW FORWARD POWER         no
02 EXT HIGH REFLECTED POWER  no
03 EXT LOW FORWARD POWER     no
04 BATTERY REVERT           no
05 SYNTH OUT OF LOCK         no
06 PA FAN                    no
07 SYS TIMER EXPIRED         no
08 HIGH STABILITY REF FAIL   no
09 PA FAIL                   no
10 EXCITER STARUP FAILURE    no
11 STATION RESET             no
12 ALIGNMENT ID MISMATCHED   no
13 PA NOT ALIGNED            no
14 HIGH FORWARD POWER        no

Enter item # to toggle:
```

---

*Figure B-4: SCM Alarms Display*

Type the item number of an alarm to toggle the switch state for the alarm.

If the switch state for an alarm is **yes**, the N+1 Master NIU will attempt to switch in for any slave NIU on which that alarm is currently active. Setting the switch state to **no** disables switch in for that alarm.

After all of the desired changes are made to the SCM Alarms table, press <**Return**> to exit the command.

### **Related Commands**

set redundancy—used to enable or disable N+1 redundancy.

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU.

## Config Statid Command

### Command

config statid—used to configure station ID parameters

### Command Use

**config statid** <Return>

### Description

This command configures the NIU for sending station Morse code IDs.

*Note:* Station IDs are sent out for valid channels only.

After typing the command, the unit displays the current station ID configuration (see Figure B-5).

---

```
station id mode = <current mode>
CHAN  ID
 1     []
 2     []
 3     []
 4     []
 5     []
 6     []
 7     []
 8     []
statid what (statid|mode|auto_int|list)
```

---

Figure B-5: Configure Station ID Information Display

The display lists all of the possible statid subcommands.

The following is a list of statid subcommands with a description of each:

**statid**—used to enter or change the station ID for one of the eight channels station IDs.

After typing the **statid** subcommand, the unit prompts for the channel to change:

```
station id to change (1-8):
```

After typing the channel number, the unit responds:

```
station id = []  
Enter new station id (max 12 chars) or none:
```

Type the new station ID (12 alphanumeric character maximum), or none to delete the current station ID.

**mode**—used to select either automatic or substitute station ID mode.

After typing the mode subcommand, the unit prompts for the new mode:

```
mode = <current mode>  
Enter new mode (auto,sub):
```

If automatic mode is selected, the NIU will automatically send all programmed station IDs at the selected auto interval. If substitute mode is selected, the NIU will substitute the programmed station IDs when commanded to send station ID.

**auto\_int**—used to set auto interval when in the auto mode. The auto interval has a range of 1 to 1,000 minutes.

After typing the **auto\_int** command, the unit prompts for the new auto interval:

```
auto interval = 60 minutes  
Enter new interval in minutes (1-1000):
```

**list**—displays the current station ID configuration for all channels.

### Related Command

**config valid\_chan**—used to configure the valid transmission channels.

**show statid**—displays station ID information.

**test statid**—used to test transmission of station IDs over the air

## Config Streamid Command

### Command

config streamid—used to set the link stream ID

### Command Use

```
config streamid <Return>
```

### Description

This command configures the stream ID for the SuperStream link. The NIU will only process paging data addressed to the programmed stream ID.

The NIU stream ID must match that of its controlling RF-C! controller. Use the **show status** command to display the stream ID currently being received from the RF-C! controller.

After typing the command, the unit prompts for the new stream ID:

```
streamid = <current stream ID number>  
Enter new streamid (1-1023):
```

After typing the new stream ID, the unit responds:

```
streamid = <new stream ID number>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Config Sysid Command

### Command

config sysid—used to set the system ID

### Command Use

```
config sysid <Return>
```

### Description

The system ID is used to uniquely identify the source and destination for all data coming from a single paging terminal output encoder. System numbers need to match for an entire simulcast system.

Primary system ID and alternate system IDs can be configured with this command.

All system IDs should be unique. If a primary system ID is entered that matches one of the alternate system IDs, the alternate system ID is removed.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
primary system id = <current primary ID number>  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

After typing **yes**, the unit prompts for the new primary station ID:

```
Enter new primary system id (1-255):
```

After typing the primary system ID, the unit responds:

```
primary system id = <new primary ID number>  
alternate system ids = <current list of alternate IDs>  
Operation(add/delete)?
```

Up to eight alternate system IDs may now be entered or existing alternate IDs may be deleted.

*Note:* *Alternate system IDs can not match primary system ID.*

*No two alternate system IDs can match.*

Type **add** or **delete** and the unit responds:

```
Enter system ids to add (1-255):
```

or

```
Enter system ids to delete (1-255):
```

After typing the alternate ids that are to be added or deleted, the unit responds:

```
alternate system ids = <new alternate IDs>
```

### **Related Command**

`show config`—displays all configuration parameters



## Config Tx\_maint Command

### Command

config tx\_maint—used to configure the maintenance group of the NIU

### Command Use

```
config tx_maint <Return>
```

### Description

Each NIU is assigned a maintenance group. This group is used when the RF-C! controller initiates a maintenance cycle. A maintenance cycle causes all NIUs programmed in a specific maintenance group to key and send maintenance data. The maintenance cycle starts with the lowest selected maintenance group number and ends with the highest maintenance group number. Multiple NIUs can be assigned the same maintenance group in a given system as long as no more than one of the NIUs can be heard by any monitoring NIU.

After typing the command, the unit prompts for the new maintenance group:

```
tx_maint group = <current maintenance group>  
Enter new tx_maint group (0-63):
```

After typing the new maintenance group, the unit responds:

```
tx_maint group = <new maintenance group>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

config ota\_maint—used to configure the NIU to monitor over-the-air maintenance cycles

## Config Tx\_polarity Command

### Command

config tx\_polarity—used to configure POCSAG and FLEX/ReFLEX data polarity

### Command Use

```
config tx_polarity <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to configure POCSAG and FLEX/ReFLEX data polarity to inverted (inv) or noninverted (norm).

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
POCSAG polarity      = <current polarity of norm or inv>
FLEX/ReFLEX polarity = <current polarity of norm or inv>
Enter new POCSAG polarity (norm, inv):
```

After typing the new POCSAG polarity, the unit requests the FLEX/ReFLEX polarity:

```
Enter new FLEX/ReFLEX polarity (norm, inv):
```

After typing the new FLEX/ReFLEX polarity, the unit responds:

```
POCSAG polarity      = <new polarity of norm or inv>
FLEX/ReFLEX polarity = <new polarity of norm or inv>
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Config Valid\_chan Command

### Command

config valid\_chan—used to configure the valid transmission channels

### Command Use

```
config valid_chan <Return>
```

### Description

This command selects the channels on which the NIU will transmit.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
valid_chan what (add|delete|list)
```

If **add** is selected, the unit prompts for a channel to be added:

```
Channel to add (1-8):
```

If **delete** is selected, the unit prompts for a channel to be deleted:

```
Channel to delete (1-8):
```

Only one channel can be added or deleted at a time.

If **list** is selected, the unit displays the current list of valid channels:

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Date Command

### Command

date—used to program the time and date

### Command Use

```
date <Return>
```

### Description

This command allows the user to program the time and date used for logging events and displaying status. This command should be used when a unit is configured and placed in service. During operation the time and date are normally updated periodically over the link data stream by the RFC! controller.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
time: <current time>    date: <current date>  
new time/date? enter: hh:mm mm-dd-yy
```

Type in the new time and date in the following format:

```
hh:mm mm-dd-yy
```

For example, type:

```
12:59 07-15-97 <Return>
```

The unit responds by displaying the time and date that was set:

```
time: 12:59:00    date: 07-15-1997
```

## Flasha Command



---

*This command causes the unit to reset.*

---

### Command

flasha—used to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank A

### Command Use

**flasha** <Return>

### Description

This command allows the user to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank A.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```



---

*Ensure that flash bank A is loaded with valid software.*

---

The user may type **yes** to continue or <Return> to abort the command. After typing **yes**, the unit will reset and start executing the software loaded in flash bank A.

If flash bank A is not programmed, the unit switches to ROM.

### Related Commands

show ver—displays the software version of the NVRAM, flash banks, and ROM

flashb—used to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank B

rom—used to start executing the software programmed in Read Only Memory (ROM)

## Flashb Command



---

***This command causes the unit to reset.***

---

### Command

flashb—used to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank B

### Command Use

**flashb <Return>**

### Description

This command allows the user to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank B.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```



---

***Ensure that flash bank B is loaded with valid software.***

---

The user may type **yes** to continue or **<Return>** to abort the command. After typing **yes**, the unit will reset and start executing the software loaded in flash bank B.

If flash bank B is not programmed, the unit switches to ROM.

### Related Commands

show ver—displays the software version of the NVRAM, flash banks, and ROM

flasha—used to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank A

rom—used to start executing the software programmed in Read Only Memory (ROM)



## GPS Command

*Note:* This command should only be used on an NIU which controls a GPS receiver.

### Command

gps—used to display and change GPS parameters

### Command Use

gps <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-6).

---

```
GPS SETUP : in GPS receiver : in NIU
-----
GMT time  : 22:37:47         : 22:37:47
GMT date  : 06-21-1997      : 06-21-1997
Latitude  : 32:50:33 N     : 32:50:33 N
Longitude : 97:17:35 W     : 97:17:35 W
Height    : +220.72 Meters : +220.72 Meters
Tracking  : 6              : n/a

Recalculate GPS position? (y/n):
```

---

*Figure B-6: GPS Parameters Display*

The user may type **y** to recalculate GPS position or **n** to abort the command. After typing **y**, the unit prompts for the current GMT time:

```
Enter new GMT time(hh:mm):
```

After typing the GMT time, the unit requests the current GMT date:

```
Enter new GMT date(mm-dd-yy):
```

After typing the GMT date, the unit requests the latitude:

```
Enter new latitude(deg(0-90) min(0-59) sec(0-59) N/S) :
```

After typing the latitude, the unit requests the longitude:

```
Enter new longitude(deg(0-180) min(0-59) sec(0-59) E/W) :
```

After typing the longitude, the unit requests the height:

```
Enter new height in meters (-1000,00 - 18000,00):
```

After typing the height, the unit redisplayes the GPS parameters.

### **Related Command**

`show gps`—displays the global positioning system (GPS) status, time/position, tracking data and information

## Help Command

### Command

help—displays help information on each NIU command

### Command Use

```
help <Return>
help * <Return>
help <command> <Return>
```

### Description

A complete list of all available commands can be displayed by typing the **help** command with no argument. Use the asterisk (\*) argument to display help information for all commands. Help information for a particular command can be displayed by typing the command, **help**, followed by a space and the name of the command.

For example, to display a list of the NIU commands, type **help <Return>** (see Figure B-7).

---

```
CMDS ARE:
alarms   config   clear_npl  date      flasha    flashb
help     logout   load       level     report    modem
page     ack_page rlog       rtab     reset     rom
scm      set      show       test      time      trace
gps
```

---

Figure B-7: Help Command Display

To access information on the **set** command, type **help set <Return>** (see Figure B-8).

---

```
COMMAND: DESCRIPTION:      OPTIONS:
set      [set signal]             ] {key|dis|ant|auxports|txfreq|bps|link|dal
r96_src|p1|l|cpuok|hi_ber|lo_ber|cdig_out|
cdig_dir|caud_out|caud_dir|daa|level|con|
txtype|resync|maxwait|oscl|align_type|
link_delay|gps_delay|redundancy|
fallback_timer|freq_accuracy|rx_delay|
failsafe_timeout}
```

---

Figure B-8: Help Set Command Display

## Level Command

### Command

level—used to manually adjust the audio level of the analog link input

### Command Use

```
level <Return>
```

### Description

This command allows the user to manually adjust the audio level of the analog link stream.

After typing the command, the unit request an adjustment value:

```
Enter adjustment (+/- 1-255):
```

Positive values increase the audio gain. Negative values decrease the gain.

After typing the adjustment value, the unit responds:

```
Adjusted <up/down adjustment value> tick(s).
```

### Related Commands

set level—used to adjust the audio level of the analog link stream

test level—used to test the level of the audio signal of the analog stream

## Load Command

### Command

load—used to download software into the NIU

### Command Use

load <Return>

### Description

This command allows the user to update software in the NIU from the DB9 console port. There are two ways of loading software into the NIU from the console port:

- Load using ROM
- Load using the active flash

Loading while executing from ROM is the fastest method (requires about 12 minutes). However, using the ROM takes the NIU off-line. Loading from flash allows the NIU to continue operating on-line, but takes about twice as long to complete.

This command requires a PC with Procomm Plus terminal emulator software, version 2.0 or greater and the flash software file from Motorola.

### Loading Software Using ROM

*Note: This procedure loads the software into the flash memory bank that was inactive before switching to ROM.*

Execute the **rom** command to switch from the flash memory to ROM memory.

1. To begin the load process, connect to the NIU console port using Procomm Plus, and type:

**load <Return>**

The unit responds:

```
Flash A Ver (<current version>) will be erased!  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

2. Type **y** to continue or **<Return>** to abort the process.

After typing **y**, the unit starts flashing all four front panel LEDs in amber and responds:

```
Erasing FLASH A...
```

3. When the flash memory is erased, the unit prompts the user to start downloading the new software and starts printing periods (.):

```
Ready for Download  
.  
.  
.
```

The unit is ready to receive the download file.

4. Type in **Procomm Plus**.

Procomm Plus prompts with a menu selection for the protocol type.

5. Select **ASCII protocol**.

Procomm Plus then prompts for the file name.

6. Type the download file path and file name and press **<Return>**.

Procomm Plus starts the file transfer and continues until the file is transferred. During the transfer all four front panel LEDs continue flashing amber until the file load is complete.

After the file is transferred, the unit performs the following actions (see Figure B-9):

- Performs a checksum of the flash just loaded
- Starts operating in the flash just loaded
- Reports any exceptions since the last reset
- Displays the start-up banner

```
Flash Checksum OK.
Starting FLASH

No exception since last reset.

Checking for Communication with SCM.....

      M o t o r o l a  N I U
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NVRAM:  APR 28, 1997 7:39 PM
FLASH A: AUG 14, 1997 9:07 AM (HNU1_10)
FLASH B: AUG 01, 1997 4:44 PM (HNU1_09)
ROM:    APR 16, 1996 8:31 AM (NUC4_19)
**FLASH A Active.**
NIU:    NUCLEUS

[ 1] MNUCNIU! >

[ 1] MNUCNIU! > Enter Password:
```

Figure B-9: Loading Using ROM Display

### Loading Software Using the Active Flash

*Note:* This procedure loads the software into the off-line flash memory.

1. To begin the load process from the flash that is active, type:  
**load <Return>**  
If the console speed is more than 9600 bps, the unit responds:  
Console load must be 9600 bps or less, use set bps command!
2. Using the **set bps** command, set rate to **9600 bps**.
3. Re-establish communication with Procomm Plus by setting it to communicate at 9600 bps.
4. At the NIU prompt, type:  
**load <Return>**

The unit responds:

```
On line Flash A Ver(<current version>)
Off line Flash B Ver(<current version>) will be erased!
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

Type **y** to continue or **n** to abort the process. After typing **y**, the unit responds:

```
Erasing FLASH A...
```

When the flash memory is erased, the unit prompts the user to start the downloading the new software and starts printing periods (.):

```
Ready for Download
.
.
.
```

The unit is ready to receive the download file.

5. Type in **Procomm Plus**.

Procomm Plus prompts with a menu selection for the protocol type.

6. Select **ASCII protocol**.

Procomm Plus then prompts for the file name.

7. Type the download file path and file name and press **<Return>**.

Procomm Plus starts the file transfer and continues until the file is transferred. After the file is transferred, the unit checks the checksum of the flash just loaded and continues operating in the active flash. The unit responds:

```
Flash checksum OK.
[ 1] MNUCNIU! >
[ 1] MNUCNIU! > Enter Password
```



## Logout Command

### Command

logout—used to exit from the NIU user interface

### Command Use

**logout** <Return>

### Description

This command exits the current login session.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
[ 1] NUCNIU! > Enter Password: []
```

To enter any commands, the user must login by entering the correct password. The factory set default password is **complex**.

## Modem Command

### Command

modem—used to switch the console port to modem operation

### Command Use

**modem <Return>**

### Description

This command connects the console to the NIU dial modem.

1. Type **<Control D>** to exit this mode.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
MODEM READY; <ctrl> d to exit
```

```
OK
```

The console is now connected for dial modem operation. Standard Hayes modem commands may be entered.

2. To exit modem operation, type:

**<control> d**

The unit responds:

```
exiting  
[ 1] MNUCNIU! >
```

The unit is now switched back to console port operation.

## Page Command

### Command

page—used to enable the sending of page alert pages when a selected alarms occurs

### Command Use

page <Return>

### Description

This command allows the user to enable the sending of page alert pages when a selected alarms occurs.

After typing the command, the unit enters the page alert setup mode and the unit responds:

```
page alert (initial|general|main|backup|terminal|filter_status|
           page_phone_status|send_test|cancel_test)
Enter choice:
```

The unit is ready for input of the page alert commands. The following paragraphs describe each of the page alert commands and parameters. Each of these commands must be entered from the page alert enter choice prompt.

### Related Commands

The following page alert commands:

initial—used to perform the initial page alert setup

general—used to perform the general setup for page alert operation

main—used to setup the parameters for the main pager for page alert operation

backup—used to setup the parameters for a back pager for page alert operation

terminal—used to select terminal usage for page alert operation

filter\_status—used to display the status of the alarm filter operation

page\_phone\_status—used to display the phone status report for page alert operation

send\_test—used to send a test page to a pager

cancel\_test—used to cancel a test page to a pager

---

## Page Alert Initial Command

### Command

**initial**—used to perform the initial page alert setup

### Command Use

**initial** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the user progresses through all three of the setup tables that are necessary for the user to set up the initial page alert operation:

- Page Alert General Setup (see paragraph, "Page Alert General Command")
- Main Pager Setup (see paragraph, "Page Alert Main Command")
- Backup Pager Setup (see paragraph, "Page Alert Backup Command")

### Related Commands

page alert general—used to perform the general setup for page alert operation

page alert main—used to setup the parameters for the main pager for page alert operation

page alert backup—used to setup the parameters for a back pager for page alert operation

---

## Page Alert General Command

### Command

general—used to perform the general setup for page alert operation

### Command Use

**general** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the Page Alert General Setup display appears (see Figure B-10).

---

```
Page Alert general setup:
Enable Page Alert                = NO
Alarms causing a page when set   = NONE
Alarms causing a page when clear = NONE
Filtered alarms that cause a page = NONE
  -> Alarm filter time (minutes) = 1
  -> Max alarms before alert     = 5

Alarms that require ack          = NONE
  -> Ack repeat interval        = 5

Max # of attempts before terminal switch = 3

Items to page                    = no

Page Alert general setup (enable|set_alarms|clr_alarms|filtered_alarms|
time_filter|max_filter|ack_enable|repeat_ack|attempts_max)
Enter choice:
```

---

*Figure B-10: Page Alert General Setup Display*

The Page Alert General Setup display lists the commands for all of the parameters that can be entered or changed.

The unit is ready for input of the parameter commands. Each of these commands must be entered from the enter choice prompt.

The following is a list of the parameter commands with a description of each (see Table B-3).

*Table B-3: Page Alert General Setup Commands*

Commands	Description	Range
<b>enable</b>	Used to enable or disable page alert.	yes or no
<b>set_alarms</b>	Used to select the alarms that will cause a page when set.	0–31
<b>clr_alarms</b>	Used to select the alarms that will cause a page when cleared.	0–31
<b>filtered_alarms</b>	Used to select the filtered alarms that will cause a page.	0–31
<b>time_filter</b>	Used to set the alarm filter time.	1–255 min
<b>max_filter</b>	Used to set the maximum number of filtered alarms required before page.	0– 255 (0 = disable)
<b>ack_enable</b>	Used to select the alarms that will require page acknowledgment.	0–31
<b>repeat_ack</b>	Used to set the time interval between acknowledgment pages.	4 –60 min
<b>attempts_max</b>	Used to set the maximum number of call attempts before terminal switch.	1–10 min

---

## Page Alert Main Command

### Command

main—used to setup the parameters for the main pager for page alert operation

### Command Use

main <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, Main Pager Setup display appears (see Figure B-11).

---

```
      Main Pager Setup;
      Phone number           : NONE
      Password               : NONE
      Pager id number        : NONE
      Message length         : 80
      Modem speed            : auto
      Modem bit settings     : 7 1 Even
      Main Pager Setup (phone#|password|pager_id|msg_length|speed|bit_settings)
      Enter choice;
```

---

*Figure B-11: Main Pager Setup Display*

The Main Pager Setup display lists the commands for all of the parameters that may be entered or changed.

The unit is ready for input of the parameter commands. Each of these commands must be entered from the enter choice prompt.

The following is a list of the parameter commands with a description of each (see Table B-4).

Table B-4: Page Alert Main Pager Setup Commands

Commands	Description	Range
<b>phone#</b>	Used to input up to a 37-character string that is used, in conjunction with the Hayes ATD command, to allow a modem to dial a designated paging switch using Telocator Alphanumeric Protocol (TAP). A sequence of Hayes command dial modifiers may also be placed in the phone number <sup>1</sup> .	Up to a 37 character string. For an input of none, type: <b>erase</b>
<b>password</b>	Used to enter password.	Up to a 6 character string
<b>pager_id</b>	Used to enter up to a 20 character string password Pager Identification Number (PIN) number for the pager.	For an input of none, type: <b>erase</b>
<b>msg_length</b>	Used to set the page message length.	1 to 255 characters
<b>speed</b>	Used to set the internal or external modem speed.	Internal: Auto, 300, 1200, and 2400 bps. External: Auto, 300, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200, 38400, and 57600 bps.
<b>bit_setting</b>	Used to set the modem bit setting.	7, 1, even or 8, 1, none

1. Contact Motorola for information regarding the valid modifiers for the internal dial modem.



---

## Page Alert Backup Command

### Command

backup—used to setup the parameters for a back pager for page alert operation

### Command Use

**backup <Return>**

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-12).

---

```
Backup Pager Setup:
Phone number           : NONE
Password              : NONE
Pager id number       : NONE
Message length        : 80
Modem speed           : auto
Modem bit settings    : 7 1 Even

Backup Pager Setup (phone#|password|pager_id|msg_length|speed|
bit_settings)
Enter choice:
```

---

*Figure B-12: Backup Pager Setup Display*

The Backup Pager Setup display lists the commands for all of the parameters that may be entered or changed.

The unit is ready for input of the parameter commands. Each of these commands must be entered from the enter choice prompt.

The following is a list of the parameter commands with a description of each (see Table B-5).

Table B-5: Page Alert Backup Pager Setup Commands

Commands	Description	Range
<b>phone#</b>	Used to input up to a 37-character string that is used, in conjunction with the Hayes ATD command, for a modem to dial a designated paging terminal using Telocator Alphanumeric Protocol (TAP). A sequence of Hayes command dial modifiers may also be placed in the phone number <sup>1</sup> .	Up to a 37 character string. For an input of none, type: <b>erase</b>
<b>password</b>	Used to enter password.	Up to a 6 character string
<b>pager_id</b>	Used to enter up to a 20-character string password Pager Identification Number (PIN) number for the pager.	For an input of none, type: <b>erase</b>
<b>msg_length</b>	Used to set the page message length.	1 to 255 characters
<b>speed</b>	Used to set the modem speed.	Internal—Auto, 300, 1200, and 2400 bps External—Auto, 300, 1200, 2400, 4800, 9600, 19200, 38400, and 57600 bps
<b>bit_setting</b>	Used to set the modem bit setting.	7, 1, even or 8, 1, none

1. Contact Motorola for information regarding the valid modifiers for the internal dial modem.

---

## Page Alert Terminal Command

### Command

terminal—used to select terminal usage for page alert operation

### Command Use

**terminal** <Return>

### Description

When main or backup terminal operation is selected, the unit sends page alerts from that terminal until the value, Max # of attempts before terminal switch, is reached. The unit switches terminals and sends page alerts from the new terminal. When both terminal operation is selected, the unit alternates the sending of page alerts between the main and backup terminal.

The value, Max # of attempts before terminal switch, displays in the Page Alert General Setup table (see paragraph, "Page Alert General Command").

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-13).

---

```
Page Alert Terminal Selection;
Terminal selection = MAIN
Page Alert Terminal Selection (main|backup|both)
Enter choice;
```

---

*Figure B-13: Page Alert Terminal Selection Display*

The unit is ready for entry of the terminal selection.

Select either main, backup, or both at the enter choice prompt.

### Related Command

general—used to perform the general setup for page alert operation

## Page Alert Filter\_status Command

### Command

filter\_status—used to display the status of the alarm filter operation

### Command Use

**filter\_status** <Return>

### Description

Alarm filter operation is set up using the Page Alert General command (see paragraph, “Page Alert General Command”).

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-14).

```

Filtered Alarm Status
## _____name_____ filt time set  ## _____name_____ filt time set
00 powerfail/restart      no  --- ---  16 link modem fail      no  --- ---
01 20 char string        no  --- ---  17 timing fail          no  --- ---
02 20 char string        no  --- ---  18 dial modem fail      no  --- ---
03 SCH alarms            no  --- ---  19 lost link clock      no  --- ---
04 N+1 fault              no  --- ---  20 bad stream id        no  --- ---
05 Multi slave fail      no  --- ---  21 synthszr out of lock no  --- ---
06 rx squelch             no  --- ---  22 low forward power    no  --- ---
07 ram battery           no  --- ---  23 GPS fail             no  --- ---
08 not used in nucleus   no  --- ---  24 flash cksum err      no  --- ---
09 lost stream sync      no  --- ---  25 nv ram error         no  --- ---
10 tx disable             no  --- ---  26 high reflected power no  --- ---
11 high BER               no  --- ---  27 tx fault             no  --- ---
12 ota maint error       no  --- ---  28 frm overrun          no  --- ---
13 paging disabled       no  --- ---  29 not used in nucleus  no  --- ---
14 DAC hi/low limit      no  --- ---  30 DIP switches         no  --- ---
15 page scheduling err    no  --- ---  31 daily call-in       no  --- ---

Do you wish to reset the filters (y/n):

```

Figure B-14: Filtered Alarm Status Display

Type **y** to reset the alarm filters or **n** to not reset the filters.

### Related Command

page alert general—used to perform the general setup for page alert operation

---

## Page Alert Page\_phone\_status Command

### Command

page\_phone\_status—used to display the phone status report for page alert operation

### Command Use

**page\_phone\_status** <Return>

### Description

The report provides status information for both the main pager and the backup pager.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-15).

---

```

Main Pager PHONE STATS - (disabled)
      Running Total          Last valid
Total tries      0              0
Successful       0              n/a
No dialtone     0              0
Busy            0              0
No answer       0              0
Bad connect     0              0
Accum time      0 days & 06:27:29    0 days & 06:27:29
Last reset     00:16:16  01-01-1988    00:16:16  01-01-1988

Backup Pager PHONE STATS - (disabled)
      Running Total          Last valid
Total tries      0              0
Successful       0              n/a
No dialtone     0              0
Busy            0              0
No answer       0              0
Bad connect     0              0
Accum time      0 days & 06:27:29    0 days & 06:27:29
Last reset     00:16:16  01-01-1988    00:16:16  01-01-1988

Do you wish to reset the stats (y/n);

```

---

*Figure B-15: Pager Phone Statistics Display*

Type **y** to reset the page alert phone statistics or **n** to not reset the statistics.

---

## Page Alert Send\_test Command

### Command

send\_test—used to send a test page to a pager

### Command Use

```
send_test <Return>
```

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
**** Sending a Test Page. ****
```

If a previous test page exists that was not sent, the unit responds:

```
!!!! ALREADY SENDING A TEST PAGE !!!!
```

### Related Command

page alert cancel\_test—used to cancel a test page to a pager

---

## Page Alert Cancel\_test Command

### Command

cancel\_test—used to cancel a test page to a pager

### Command Use

**cancel\_test** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
**** Cancelling Test Page ****
```

If a test page does not exist, the unit responds:

```
!!!! NO TEST PAGE ACTIVE !!!!
```

### Related Command

page alert send\_test—used to send a test page to a pager

## Report Command

### Command

report—used to set up the OTA alarm and system maintenance reporting functions from the NIU

### Command Use

**report** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit enters the reporting setup mode and responds (see Figure B-16).

---

```

DEVICE 1      : 20 char string          TIME/DATE 15:17:25 07-15-1997
rept_phone#   : 20 char string
auto_rpt      : no
alarm#'s      : 31
events        : no
ota_rpt       : no
max_tries     : 10
dial_type     : tone
daily_call    : none
ans_rings     : 1
attempts used : 0
items to rpt  : no

edit what (rept_phone#|auto_rpt|alarm#'s|events|ota_rpt|max_tries|dial_type|
          daily_call|ans_rings|list)

```

---

*Figure B-16: Report Setup Display*

The edit what display lists all of the possible report edit commands.

The unit is ready for input of the report edit commands. Each of these commands must be entered from the report setup prompt.

The following table is a list of the report edit commands with a description of each (see Table B-6).



Table B-6: Report Edit Commands

Commands	Description
<b>rept_phone#</b>	Used to input up to a 20-character string that is used, in conjunction with the Hayes ATD command, for a modem to dial the console for alarm reporting. This is the phone number that is used for alarm reporting. A sequence of Hayes command dial modifiers may also be placed in the phone number <sup>1</sup> .
<b>auto_rpt</b>	Used to enable or disable the automatic alarm reporting function.
<b>alarm#s</b>	Used to provide a list of alarms that cause the unit to call-in and report immediately (rather than wait for the daily call-in time) when any one or more of them become valid by changing state.
<b>events</b>	Used to enable or disable sending of the event log during report call-ins.
<b>ota_rpt</b>	Used to enable or disable OTA alarms dial reporting.
<b>max_tries</b>	Used to set the attempts-per-hour (1 to 10) the unit makes when calling the console to report alarms. When the number of tries set in max_tries is reached, the unit stops dialing and sets alarm number 18 (dial modem fail). During the next hour the unit resets max_tries and starts over. The max_tries function limits the phone line usage if a wrong number is programmed or some other malfunction occurs.
<b>dial_type</b>	Used to select either pulse or tone dialing for the dial modem.
<b>daily_call</b>	Used to set the time when alarm number 31 (daily call-in) occurs.
<b>ans_rings</b>	Used to set the number of rings (1 to 9) the unit allows, when calling the console, before hanging up. Answer rings may also be turned off (0).
<b>list</b>	Provides a report setup screen with two additional parameters: attempts used—indicates the number of attempts that the unit made to call the console to perform the automatic alarm reporting function. items to rpt—indicates whether the unit has an item to report.

1. Contact Motorola for information regarding the valid modifiers for the internal dial modem.

The **attempts used** parameter on the report setup screen indicates the number of attempts that the unit has made to call the console to perform the automatic alarm reporting function.

The **items to rpt** parameter on the report setup screen indicates whether the unit has an item to report.

### Related Command

show report—displays the options selected for the alarm reporting function

## Reset Commands

### Command

reset—used to reset parameters and devices

### Command Use

<reset command> <Return>

Use one of the reset commands listed in the following paragraph.

### Description

These commands allow the user to reset various parameters and devices (see Table B-7). The commands are entered one at a time.

*Table B-7: Reset Commands*

Command	Description
<b>reset alarm</b>	Resets (clears) all latched noncurrent alarms (same function as toggling the alarm reset switch)
<b>reset all</b>	Resets alarms, log, and statistics (same as executing the <b>reset alarm</b> , <b>reset log</b> , and <b>reset stats</b> commands)
<b>reset call_atmpts</b>	Resets report call attempt counter
<b>reset iobd</b>	Resets I/O board parameters
<b>reset key</b>	Resets key time statistics
<b>reset log</b>	Clears the event log
<b>reset measure</b>	Clears the OTA measurement data in a monitor NIU
<b>reset modem</b>	Resets the dial modem
<b>reset nvram</b>	Resets all configuration parameters to default values and states
<b>reset ph_stats</b>	Resets report calling statistics
<b>reset stats</b>	Resets statistics
<b>reset unit</b>	Resets the unit (same function as toggling the reset switch)

## Rlog Command

*Note:* The C-LAN network must be connected and operating properly for this command operate.

### Command

rlog—used to perform a remote login to another NIU through C-LAN

### Command Use

rlog <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit displays a routing table showing the remote NIUs which have been previously accessed (see Figure B-17).

---

```
Routing Table for: c-lan net# 1, device# 1, arcnetid 1

Entry#  c-lan net#  device#
a.      1           6
Pick from table or enter [net# device#]:
```

---

Figure B-17: Rlog Routing Table Display

*Note:* Attempting to remotely login to another NIU automatically disables any currently active traces.

Type the entry # of one of the selections available from the Routing Table display or type the C-LAN network ID and device ID of the NIU that you want to remotely access.

*Note:* When typing the C-LAN network ID and device ID of the NIU, a space is required between the two numbers.

The unit responds (see Figure B-18).

---

```
Rlogging to IP 80010006
<ctrl> z to exit
*

[ 6] NUCNIU! > Enter Password: [ ]
```

---

*Figure B-18: Rlogging into a Remote NIU Display*

Log into the remote NIU by typing the password.

To exit from the remote NIU and return to the original NIU, type **<ctrl> z**.

## Rom Command



---

*This command causes the unit to restart.*

---

### Command

rom—used to start executing the software programmed in Read Only Memory (ROM)

### Command Use

rom <Return>

### Description

This command is used to switch to ROM when the unit is running in flash memory bank A or B. Under normal operating conditions, the unit is executing in one of the flash banks.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

After typing **y**, the unit reboots and displays the start-up banner and the login prompt (see Figure B-19).

```
Checking for Communication with SCM.....

C-NET Pt Advanced Paging Network
Copyright (c) 1992-1995 by Motorola, Inc.
Copyright (c) 1990 by Complex Systems, Inc.
Copyright (c) 1984-1988 by Cellular Technology, Inc.

NVRAM:  MAY 30, 1995 11:55 AM
FLASH A: AUG 14, 1997 9:07 AM (HNU1_10)
FLASH B: AUG 01, 1997 4:44 PM (HNU1_09)
ROM:    APR 16, 1996 8:31 AM (NUC4_19)
**ROM Active.**
NIU:    NUCLEUS - FLEX

[ 1] NUCNIU % Enter Password: *
```

*Figure B-19: Executing Software Programmed in ROM*

The % prompt indicates the unit is running from the ROM memory.

### **Related Commands**

**show ver**—displays the software version of the NVRAM, flash banks, and ROM

**flasha**—used to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank A

**flashb**—used to start executing the software programmed in flash memory bank B

## Rtab Command

### Command

rtab—used to display the CLAN routing table and the associated Arcnet address table information

### Command Use

**rtab** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-20).

---

```
Routing Table for device 1, Arcnet ID 1
Device Interface
  1 internal
  6 Arcnet A

Arcnet Address Table
Device Interface Arcnet ID Timeout
  6 Arcnet A      6          2
```

---

*Figure B-20: Rtab Routing Table and Arcnet Address Table Display*

The Routing Table section shows the device ID of all NIUs which have been accessed and the interface used to access the NIU.

The Arcnet Address Table section shows the device ID of all NIUs which have been accessed through the CLAN and the Arcnet ID of those NIUs.

## SCM Alarms Command

### Command

scm alarms—displays the current and latched alarms for the SCM

### Command Use

scm alarms <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-21).

---

```

DEVICE 1      : 20 char string          TIME/DATE 13:50:51 06-26-1997

####  _____name_____ latch curr
f881 HIGH REFLECTED POWER             clr  clr
f882 LOW FORWARD POWER                clr  clr
f883 EXT HIGH REFLECTED POWER         clr  clr
f884 EXT LOW FORWARD POWER           clr  clr
f886 BATTERY REVERT                   clr  clr
f889 SYNTH OUT OF LOCK                clr  clr
f88b PA FAN                            clr  clr
f89a SYS TIMER EXPIRED                clr  clr
f89d HIGH STABILITY REF FAIL          clr  clr
fa40 PA FAIL                           clr  clr
fa73 EXCITER STARUP FAILURE           clr  clr
fa80 STATION RESET                    clr  clr
fa81 ALIGNMENT ID MISMATCHED         clr  clr
fa82 PA NOT ALIGNED                   clr  clr
fa83 HIGH FORWARD POWER              clr  clr

```

---

Figure B-21: SCM Current and Latched Alarms Display



## SCM Clr\_alarms Command

### Command

scm clr\_alarms—used to clear the SCM alarms that are currently set

### Command Use

```
scm clr_alarms <Return>
```

## SCM Load Command

### Command

scm load—used to load updated software into the SCM

### Command Use

```
scm load <Return>
```

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

The user types **yes** to continue or <Return> to abort the process. After typing **yes**, the unit responds:

```
Active bank version: 3,310H
Inactive bank version: 3,210
Download to inactive or active bank (inactive/active)?;
```

The user must type **inactive**. If active is selected, the unit switches to the inactive bank before continuing.

After typing **inactive**, the unit responds:

```
Beginning download to SCM inactive bank
Ready for download
+
+
```

When the periods begin after the message, Ready for download, type:

```
<Control> a <PgUp> A <filename> <Return>
```

The SCM software load begins.

Once the download is complete, the banks are not switched automatically. To switch banks use the scm switch command.

### Related Command

scm switch—used to switch banks in the SCM

## SCM Rst\_alarms Command

### Command

scm rst\_alarms—used to reset the SCM alarms that are latched set

### Command Use

```
scm rst_alarms <Return>
```

## SCM Switch Command

### Command

scm switch—used to switch banks in the SCM

### Command Use

```
scm switch <Return>
```

### Description

This command causes the active and inactive banks to swap states.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
Active bank version: 3,310H  
Inactive bank version: 3,210  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

Type **yes** to continue or <**Return**> to abort the process. After typing **yes**, the SCM switches to the other bank.

## SCM Version Command

### Command

scm version—used to display the software version of the active and inactive banks of the SCM

### Command Use

**scm version** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
Active bank version: 3.310H  
Inactive bank version: 3.210
```

## Set Align\_type Command

### Command

set align\_type—used to configure the NIU for the synchronization method used by the paging system

### Command Use

```
set align_type <Return>
```

### Description

The alignment type is set to either GPS or direct synchronization.

After typing the command, the unit prompts for the synchronization type:

```
Alignment type is <current alignment type>  
Enter alignment type (gps,dir_sync):
```

After typing the new alignment type, the unit responds:

```
Alignment type is <alignment type entered>
```

If **gps** alignment is entered, the unit asks if you want to enable or disable fallback. Enabling fallback allows the NIU to freerun if GPS tracking is lost and continue paging. Type **y** to enable fallback or **n** to disable fallback. If fallback is selected, refer to the **set fallback\_timer** command to set the maximum fallback time.

### Related Commands

set fallback\_timer—used to set the GPS fallback time

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Ant Command

### Command

set ant—used to set the antenna relay to either receive (Rx) or transmit (Tx)

### Command Use

```
set ant <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the state of the antenna relay.

After typing the command, the unit prompts for the new relay setting:

```
ant = <currently set rx or tx>  
Enter new ant (rx,tx):
```

After typing the new relay setting, the unit responds:

```
ant = <new antenna selection rx or tx>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Auxports Command

### Command

set auxports—used to set the four auxports to either inactive or active

### Command Use

```
set auxports <Return>
```

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
aux1 = <current state>  
Enter new state (inactive/active):
```

In the following steps, press <Return> to skip entry for that option and continue to the next auxport state entry step.

After typing the state selected for auxport one, the unit prompts for the state of auxport two:

```
aux1 = <state entered>  
  
aux2 = <current state>  
Enter new state (inactive/active):
```

After typing the state selected for auxport two, the unit prompts for the state of auxport three:

```
aux2 = <state entered>  
  
aux3 = <current state>  
Enter new state (inactive/active):
```

After typing the state selected for auxport three, the unit prompts for the state of auxport four:

```
aux3 = <state entered>  
  
aux4 = <current state>  
Enter new state (inactive/active):
```

After typing the state selected for auxport four, the unit responds:

```
aux4 = <state entered>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU



## Set Bps Command

### Command

set bps—used to set the console port baud rate

### Command Use

set bps <Return>

### Description

This command sets the baud rate of the front panel console port.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
bps = <current bps>  
Enter new bps (300,1200,2400,4800,9600,19200,38400,57600):
```

After typing the new baud rate from the displayed choices, the unit console port switches to the newly entered baud rate for communication.

After the baud rate is changed, the baud rate for the dumb terminal or terminal emulation software on the PC must be changed to match the console rate (with Procomm Plus terminal emulation software, use the <Alt P> command to change the baud rate).

## Set Caud\_dir Command

### Command

set caud\_dir—used to set the C-LAN audio line direction (see Appendix F)

### Command Use

```
set caud_dir <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the direction of the C-LAN audio line. The audio line should be set as an input if the analog link input is to be received over the C-LAN. It should be set as an output if the NIU is supplying the analog link signal to other NIUs across the C-LAN.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
caud_dir = <current source>  
Enter new caud_dir (input,output):
```

After typing the audio line direction, the unit responds:

```
caud_dir = <source entered>
```

*Note: No more than one NIU on the C-LAN should be configured with the C-LAN audio line as an output.*

### Related Commands

set link—used to setup the configuration of link stream type, speed, and source

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Caud\_out Command

set caud\_out—used to set the C-LAN audio line source (see Appendix F)

### Command Use

```
set caud_out <Return>
```

### Description

This command selects the source for the C-LAN audio signal when it is configured as an output. The audio signal can be routed from the NIUs external analog input (**rx**) or from the dial modem (**phone**).

*Note: Use of the **phone** option is not recommended.*

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
caud_out = <current source>  
Enter new caud_out (rx,phone):
```

After typing the selection for the audio source, the unit responds:

```
caud_out = <source entered>
```

### Related Commands

set link—used to setup the configuration of link stream type, speed, and source

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Cdig\_dir Command

### Command

set cdig\_dir—used to set the C-LAN digital link signal direction source (see Appendix F)

### Command Use

```
set cdig_dir <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the direction of the C-LAN digital link signals (clock and data). The direction should be set to input if the digital link signals are to be received over the C-LAN. The direction should be set to output if the NIU is supplying the digital link signals to the other NIUs across the C-LAN.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
cdig_dir = <current source>  
Enter new cdig_dir (input,output):
```

After typing the digital link signal direction, the unit responds:

```
cdig_dir = <source entered>
```

*Note: No more than one NIU on the C-LAN should be configured with the C-LAN digital link as an output.*

### Related Commands

set link—used to setup the configuration of link stream type, speed, and source

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Cdig\_out Command

### Command

set cdig\_out—used to set the C-LAN digital link signal source (see Appendix F)

### Command Use

```
set cdig_out <Return>
```

### Description

This command selects the source of the source of the C-LAN digital link signals when they are configured as outputs. The source can be either the link modem (**r96**) or the external digital input (**digin**).

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
cdig_out = <current source>  
Enter new cdig_out (r96,digin):
```

After typing the selection for the digital source, the unit responds:

```
cdig_out = <source entered>
```

### Related Commands

set link—used to setup the configuration of link stream type, speed, and source

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Con Command

### Command

set con—used to set dial modem parameters

### Command Use

```
set con <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to set the dial modem parameters.

After typing the command, the unit shows the current settings and prompts for the new modem type (see Figure B-22).

---

```
modem type = <current modem type>
auto baud  = <current auto baud state>
max rate   = <current max rate>
init string = <current init string>

Modem type (internal|external):
```

---

*Figure B-22: Set Con Modem Parameters Display*

In the following steps, type <Return> to skip entry for that option and continue to the next step.

After typing the new selected modem type, the unit prompts for whether autobauding should be enabled:

```
Auto baud (y/n):
```

After typing the new selected state of autobaud setting, the unit prompts for the maximum baud rate:

```
Enter new max rate (300,1200,2400):
```

After typing the new maximum baud rate, the unit prompts for the modem initialization string:

```
Enter new init string (40 char max):
```

After typing the new initialization string, the unit displays the new settings:

```
modem type = <modem type entered>  
auto baud  = <auto baud state entered>  
max rate   = <max rate entered>  
init string = <init string entered>
```

## Set Cpuok Command

### Command

set cpuok—used to set the status of the cpuok parameter to either yes or no

### Command

```
set cpuok <Return>
```

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
cpuok = <current state>  
Set cpuok (y/n):
```

After typing the selected cpuok state, the unit responds:

```
cpuok = <state entered>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU



## Set Da Command

### Command

set da—used to set the value of the D/A converter controlling the 5 MHz reference oscillator

### Command Use

```
set da <Return>
```

### Description

The output frequency of the 5 MHz reference oscillator is controlled by a D/A converter. The PLL normally automatically adjusts the D/A to maintain the correct output frequency. This command allows the user to directly set the D/A value.

- A D/A value of 0 sets the oscillator to its minimum value
- A D/A value of 16383 sets the oscillator to its maximum value

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
D/A = <current D/A value>  
Enter new D/A value (0 - 16383):
```

After typing the new D/A converter value, the unit responds:

```
D/A = <D/A value entered>
```

The PLL will be restarted if the D/A value is changed.

### Related Command

set osc—used to align the 5 MHz reference oscillator

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Daa Command

### Command

set daa—used to control the DAA board in the dial modem

### Command Use

```
set daa <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the DAA board to the modem, off-hook, or on-hook state. In the modem state, the DAA is automatically controlled by software. This is the normal mode of operation. Selecting the off-hook or on-hook state allows the user to override software control and force the modem off-hook or on-hook respectively.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
daa = <current daa state>  
Enter new daa (modem,offhk,onhk):
```

After typing the new DAA board state, the unit responds:

```
daa = <daa state entered>
```

## Set Dis Command

### Command

set dis—used to control disabling of the transmitter

### Command Use

```
set dis <Return>
```

### Description

This command controls the capability of the NIU to key the transmitter.

Three states are available:

- **No** state—clears disabling of the transmitter
- **Yes** state—disables the transmitter, preventing it from being keyed
- **Maintenance** state—disables keying of the transmitter for normal paging traffic, but allows keying for test data, OTA maintenance, and station ID

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
dis = <current state>  
Disable (no,yes,maint):
```

After typing the new disable state, the unit responds:

```
dis = <state entered>
```



---

*The set dis command is not intended for controlling transmitter keying for servicing the transmitter and antenna. Always take appropriate precautions before performing service*

---

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Failsafe\_timeout Command

### Command

set failsafe\_timeout—used to set the SuperStream link failsafe time out

### Command Use

```
set failsafe_timeout <Return>
```

### Description

This command configures the SuperStream link failsafe time out. If the timeout is enabled, the NIU will automatically switch to the off-line flash software bank (if it contains C-NET software) if the SuperStream link is lost for more than the timeout value. This failsafe feature is intended for use when switching over a paging system from a C-NET link to a SuperStream link

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
failsafe_timeout <is disabled or = current value>  
Enter new failsafe_timeout (disable, 180-86400):
```

Enter the new timeout value in seconds, or **disable** to disable failsafe timeout operation.

After typing the new time-out value, the unit responds:

```
failsafe_timeout <is disabled or = entered value>
```

*Note: The failsafe timeout should be disabled after the C-NET to SuperStream conversion is complete and reversion to C-NET is longer desired.*

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Fallback\_timer Command

### Command

set fallback\_timer—used to set the GPS fallback time

### Command Use

```
set fallback_timer <Return>
```

### Description

This command set the amount of time that the NIU PLL is allowed to freerun if GPS is lost.

This timer is used only when GPS fallback is enabled in the set align\_type command.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
GPS fallback time = <current fallback time>  
Enter new time in minutes (max = 65535, forever = 0):
```

Enter the freerun time in minutes (1-65535), or 0 to allow freerunning forever.

After typing the new fallback time value, the unit responds:

```
GPS fallback time = <forever or entered value>
```

*Note: Carefully consider the fallback time value you choose. Since a synchronization timing source is not available while GPS is lost, the local reference clock phase and frequency will drift over time. This can cause simulcast and transmitter frequency problems if the fallback time is too large.*

### Related Command

set align\_type—used to configure the NIU to match the synchronization method used by its paging system

## Set Gps\_delay Command

### Command

set gps\_delay—used to set the GPS delay (for GPS synchronization only)

### Command Use

```
set gps_delay <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the GPS delay offset. The GPS delay offset compensates for varying equipment delays through the GPS equipment and the transmitter. The delay must be set properly for each NIU to coordinate simulcast transmission by all paging transmitters in a system.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
GPS delay = <current delay> uS  
Enter new GPS delay in uS (-450000 to +450000):
```

Enter the GPS delay value in microseconds.

After typing the new GPS delay, the unit responds:

```
GPS delay = <entered time> uS
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Hi\_ber Command

### Command

set hi\_ber—used to set the upper bit error rate (BER) threshold

### Command Use

```
set hi_ber <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the upper threshold for reporting a high BER alarm.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
hi_ber = <current high ber value> E-06  
Enter new high ber (BER/E-06)[<current low ber value>-65535]:
```

Enter the new threshold in bit errors per million. The value must be greater than or equal to the current low BER threshold.

After typing the new high BER threshold value, the unit responds:

```
hi_ber = <entered high ber value> E-06
```

### Related Command

set lo\_ber—used to set the lower bit error rate (BER) threshold

## Set Key Command

### Command

set key—used to manually key the transmitter

### Command Use

```
set key <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to control manual keying of the transmitter to active (**yes**) or inactive (**no**).

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
key = <current state>  
Key (y/n):
```

Enter **y** to key the transmitter, or **n** to dekey the transmitter.

*Note: The effect of manual keying is temporary and will be overridden if the NIU is receiving paging data.*

After typing the selected key state, the unit responds:

```
key = <state entered>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU



## Set Level Command

### Command

set level—used to adjust the audio level of the analog link stream

### Command Use

```
set level <Return>
```

### Description

This command adjusts the audio level of the analog link stream to its optimal value of -10db (+/- 1db). If the NIU is able to achieve the target level, the NIU responds with the new signal-to-noise ratio and the new level as follows:

```
ANA-S/N: <current level> dB   ANA-LVL: <current level> dB  
Adjusting level to -10db  
ANA-S/N: <current level> dB   ANA-LVL: 10 dB
```

If the NIU can not adjust to the target level, the unit responds:

```
ANA-S/N: <current level> db   ANA-LVL: <current level> db  
Adjusting level to -10db  
Couldn't achieve desired level  
ANA-S/N: <current level> db   ANA-LVL: <current level> db
```

### Related Command

level—used to manually adjust the audio level of the analog link input

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

test level—used to test the level of the audio signal of the analog stream

## Set Link Command

### Command

set link—used to configure the link type, speed, and source (see Appendix F)

### Command Use

```
set link <Return>
```

### Description

This command configures the link input.

In the following steps, type <Return> to skip entry for that option and continue to the next entry step.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
link = <current link type, link speed, and link source>  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

After typing **yes**, the unit responds:

```
Enter new type (analog,fm2,fm3):
```

Enter the new link input type. Select one of the following:

- **analog**— for an analog link input
- **fm2**—for a standard digital input
- **fm3**— for a digital input with FM<sup>3</sup> overspeed

After typing the new link type, the unit responds:

```
Enter new speed (4800,9600,19200,38400,56000,57600,64000,76800):
```

*Note:* The list of available speeds will vary depending on the selected link type.

Enter the new link speed. For FM<sup>3</sup> type links, enter the nominal speed (without the overspeed factor).

After typing the new link speed, the unit responds if the link type is **fm2** or **fm3**:

```
CNET2 source (clan,digital_in):
```

Enter **clan** if the link input source is the CLAN digital lines. Enter **digital\_in** if the source is the external digital input.

If the link type is analog, the unit responds:

```
Enter new source (ext_rx,clan,loopbk,phone):
```

Enter the analog link input source. Select one of the following:

- **ext\_rx**— for external audio input
- **clan**—for the C-LAN analog input
- **loopbk** and **phone**— these options are intended for testing purposes only and should not be used.

After typing the new link source, the unit display the new settings:

```
link = <New link type, link speed, and link source>
```

### Related Command

**show status**—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

**set caud\_dir**—used to set the C-LAN audio line direction

**set caud\_out**—used to set the C-LAN audio line source

**set cdig\_dir**—used to set the C-LAN digital link signal direction source

**set cdig\_out**—used to set the C-LAN digital link signal source

## Set Link\_delay Command

### Command

set link\_delay—used to set the link delay offset (for direct synchronization only)

### Command Use

```
set link_delay <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the link delay offset.

The link delay offset compensates the delay through the transmitter and for varying link propagation delays between the paging transmitter sites in the system and the paging controller. The delay must be set properly for each NIU to coordinate simulcast transmission by all paging transmitters in a system. OTA maintenance cycles can be used to determine the correct delay value for each transmitter.

The range of time is from  $-4000000$  to  $+4000000$   $\mu$ s.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
link delay = <current delay> uS  
Enter new link delay in uS (-4000000 to +4000000):
```

Enter the link delay value in microseconds.

After typing the new link delay offset, the unit responds:

```
link delay = <entered time> uS
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Lo\_ber Command

### Command

set lo\_ber—used to set the lower bit error rate (BER) threshold

### Command Use

```
set lo_ber <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the lower threshold for the high BER alarm. Once the high BER alarm is set, the BER must drop below the lower threshold before the alarm will be cleared.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
lo_ber = <current low ber value> E-06  
Enter new low ber (BER/E-06)[0-<current high ber value>]:
```

Enter the new threshold in bit errors per million. The value must be less than or equal to the current high BER threshold.

After typing the new low BER threshold value, the unit responds:

```
lo_ber = <entered low ber value> E-06
```

### Related Command

set hi\_ber—used to set the upper bit error rate (BER) threshold

## Set Maxwait Command

### Command

set maxwait—used to set the maximum wait time allowed between PLL adjustments

### Command Use

```
set maxwait <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to set the maximum wait time between PLL adjustments to the reference oscillator. Only the current link type is affected by the setting; each link type retains its own setting.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
Max <current link type> wait is 25000  
Enter new maxwait, (500-25000):
```

Enter the new wait time in seconds.

After typing the new maximum wait time, the unit responds:

```
Max <current link type> wait is <entered time>
```

## Set Osc Command

### Command

set osc—used to align the 5 MHz reference oscillator

### Command Use

```
set osc <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to align the 5 MHz reference oscillator. Before proceeding with the command, connect a frequency counter to the 5 MHz reference output BNC connector, J30 on the Nucleus Paging Station Backplane.

*Note: NIU oscillator alignment should be performed only after the NIU has been powered up for at least one hour. A frequency counter of 0.6 ppb or greater accuracy is recommended to assure accurate alignment. The frequency counter should be allowed to warm up and should be calibrated per the manufacture's instructions.*

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

The user types **yes** to continue with the alignment or **no** to abort the process.

After typing **yes**, the unit responds:

```
PLL is off, and D/A set to low end (D/A = 0)  
Adjust osc to 4,999,997.0 Hz  
<RET> to cont, <ESC><RET> to exit
```

Remove the oscillator tuning slug cover screw and adjust the oscillator tuning screw until the frequency matches the displayed value.

Type **<Return>** to proceed to the next step.

```
D/A is set to high end (D/A = 16383)  
Adjust R29 to 5,000,003.0 Hz  
<RET> to cont, <ESC><RET> to exit
```

Adjust potentiometer R29 until the frequency matches the displayed value.

Type <**Return**> to complete the alignment process:

D/A is set to mid-point (D/A = 8192)

The frequency counter should indicate 5,000,000.0 Hz with little or no error.



## Set PLL Command

### Command

set pll—used to enable or disable the PLL

### Command Use

```
set pll [1 or 0] <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to enable or disable the PLL.

An optional parameter of 0 or 1 may be entered with the command. If this parameter is entered, the PLL is disabled (0) or enabled (1), and the new PLL status is displayed.

If only the command is entered, the unit responds:

```
PLL is <current state>  
Enable PLL (y/n):
```

After typing **y** to enable the PLL or **n** to disable it, the unit responds:

```
PLL <state entered>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Redundancy Command

### Command

set redundancy—used to enable or disable N+1 redundancy

### Command Use

```
set redundancy <Return>
```

### Description

This command is used to enable or disable N+1 redundancy and configure the unit as a master or slave.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
redundancy = <current state>  
Enable N+1 redundancy: (y/n):
```

To disable N+1 redundancy, type **n** and the unit responds:

```
redundancy = no
```

To enable N+1 redundancy, type **y** and the unit responds:

```
redundancy = yes  
master = no  
Set device as master: (y/n):
```

The device can be set to be a master by typing **y** or set to be a slave by typing **n**.

### Related Commands

config redundancy—used to configure an N+1 Master NIU

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Resync Command

### Command

set resync—used to force the NIU to resynchronize to the link data stream

### Command Use

```
set resync <Return>
```

### Description

This command forces the NIU to resynchronize to the link data stream.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
BREAKS STREAM  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

Type **yes** to force a resynchronization.

## Set Rx\_delay Command

### Command

set rx\_delay—used to set the monitor receiver delay for OTA

### Command Use

```
set rx_delay <Return>
```

### Description

The range of time is from -1000000 to +1000000  $\mu$ s.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
rx_delay = <current delay> uS  
are you sure!!! y(es), if so.
```

After typing **yes**, the unit responds:

```
Enter new rx_delay in uS (-1000000 to +1000000):
```

After typing the new receiver delay time, the unit responds:

```
rx_delay = <entered time> uS
```

### Related Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

## Set Txfreq Command

### Command

set txfreq—used to select one of eight available transmit channels (frequencies)

### Command Use

```
set txfreq <Return>
```

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
txfreq = <current TX freq>  
Enter TX freq - (1-8):
```

After typing the new transmit frequency channel, the unit responds:

```
txfreq = <TX freq entered>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Set Txtype Command

### Command

set txtype—used to identify the transmitter type used with the NIU

### Command Use

```
set txtype <Return>
```

### Description

This command sets the name of the transmitter type being controlled by the NIU.

Any name of up to eight characters may be entered. This command is for informational purposes only and does not affect NIU operation.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
txtype = <current txtyp>  
Enter new txtype:
```

After typing the new txtype, the unit responds:

```
txtype = <txtype entered>
```

### Related Command

show status—displays setup and parameter values for the NIU

## Show Alarms Command

### Command

show alarms—displays the current and latched NIU alarms

### Command Use

show alarms <Return>

### Description

This command displays the current and latched state of the NIU alarms.

Appendix C, Table C-1 contains a complete list of all NIU alarms and their definitions.

After typing the command, the unit displays the alarm state (see Figure B-23 and Table B-8).

---

```

DEVICE 1      : 20 char string      TIME/DATE 07:25:25 07-15-1997
## _____name_____ latch curr  ## _____name_____ latch curr
00 powerfail/restart   clr clr   16 link modem fail      clr clr
01 20 char string      SET SET   17 timing fail          clr clr
02 20 char string      SET SET   18 dial modem fail      clr clr
03 SCM alarms          clr clr   19 lost link clock      SET clr
04 N+1 fault           clr clr   20 bad stream id        SET clr
05 Multi slave fail    clr clr   21 synthszr out of lock  clr clr
06 rx squelch          clr clr   22 low forward power     clr clr
07 ram battery         clr clr   23 GPS fail             clr clr
08 not used in nucleus  clr clr   24 flash cksum err      clr clr
09 lost stream sync    SET clr   25 nv ram error         clr clr
10 tx disable          clr clr   26 high reflected power  clr clr
11 high BER            clr clr   27 tx fault             clr clr
12 ota maint error     clr clr   28 frm overrun          clr clr
13 paging disabled     clr clr   29 not used in nucleus  clr clr
14 DAC hi/low limit    clr clr   30 DIP switches         clr clr
15 page scheduling err  clr clr   31 daily call-in        clr clr

```

---

Figure B-23: Show Alarms Current and Latched NIU Alarms Display

Table B-8: Latched and Current Alarm States

Latched	Current	Definitions
Clr	Clr	Alarm has not occurred since last alarm reset.
Set	Set	Alarm has occurred since last alarm reset and is currently active.
Set	Clr	Alarm has occurred since last alarm reset and is not currently active.

**Related Command**

reset alarm—resets (clears) all latched noncurrent alarms (same function as toggling the alarm reset switch)



## Show Analog Command

### Command

show analog—displays the state of the analog inputs

### Command Use

**show analog** <Return>

### Description

This command displays the current state of the analog inputs.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-24).

---

```
DEVICE 1    : 20 char string      TIME/DATE 13:06:11 07-16-1997
unkeyed
 1. 20 char string:      3.1 V      2. 20 char string:      3.1 V
 3. forward power:      0.0 W      4. reflected power:      0.0 W
 7. ram battery:        3.5 V      6. rx squelch:          4.0 V
29. not used in nucleus: 8. not used in nucleus:
```

---

*Figure B-24: Show Analog Alarm Name and Voltage Display*

The display is periodically updated until <Return> is typed.

### Related Command

alarms—used to setup alarms 1, 2, 6, and 7 in the NIU

## Show Clan Command

### Command

show clan—displays the C-LAN Arcnet statistics

### Command Use

```
show clan <Return>
```

### Description

This command displays a summary of C-LAN Arcnet event statistics.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-25).

---

```
C-LAN statistics:
Tx interrupts:   14049
Rx interrupts:   0
ExcNak interrupts: 0
Recon interrupts: 1
Mj recons:      0
Tx errors:      1
Tx timeouts:    0
Rx fulls:       0
```

---

*Figure B-25: Show C-LAN Statistics Display*

The Tx interrupts and Rx interrupts statistics can be used as a measure of C-LAN Arcnet traffic. The remaining statistics should be very low if the C-LAN is operating properly.

## Show Config Command

### Command

show config—displays all configuration parameters

### Command Use

**show config** <Return>

### Description

This command displays a summary of the configured NIU parameters.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-26).

---

```
DEVICE NAME:      20 char string
TIME & DATE:      07:33:53 07-15-1997
PRIMARY SYSTEM ID: 1
ALTERNATE SYS IDS: none
DEVICE ID:        1
C-LAN ID:         1
ARCNET ID:        1
STREAM ID:        1023
FAIL-SAFE TIMEOUT: disabled
TX MAINT GROUP:   0
VALID TX CHANNELS: 1
POCSAG POLARITY: norm
FLEX/ReFLEX POL: norm
MAINT POLARITY:   norm
COLOR CODE:       0 (0x5555)
RX DELAY:         0 uS
OTA THRESHOLD:    30 uS
```

<RET> to cont, <ESC><RET> to exit

---

*Figure B-26: Show Configuration Parameters Display*

The user may type <Return> to continue with the remainder of the display or <Esc> <Return> to exit this command. After typing <Return>, if you have configured maintenance groups, the unit responds:

```
OTA MAINT GROUPS:
GROUP  DEVICE  AIR_DELAY  LOG OTA
  1         1         0 uS      yes
```

## Related Commands

config arcnetid—used to set the arcnetid number

config clan\_netid—used to set the clan\_netid number

config color\_code—used to set the color\_code index

config devid—used to set the NIU device identification (ID) number

config maint\_polarity—used to configure the OTA maintenance transmit polarity

config name—used to set the device name

config ota\_maint—used to configure the NIU to monitor over-the-air maintenance cycles

config ota\_threshold—used to set the ota\_threshold value

config streamid—used to set the link stream ID

config sysid—used to set the system identification

config tx\_maint—used to configure the maintenance group of the NIU

config tx\_polarity—used to configure POCSAG and FLEX/ReFLEX data polarity

config valid\_chan—used to configure the valid transmission channels

set failsafe\_timeout—used to set the SuperStream link failsafe time out

set rx\_delay—used to set the monitor receiver delay for OTA

## Show Dipsw Command

### Command

show dipsw—displays the settings of DIP switch S19

### Command Use

**show dipsw <Return>**

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-27 and Table B-9).

---

```

DIP switch S19:
  Off On  Function    DIP setting  NV setting
  ---- --  -
1 |   X | Link mode    digital      digital
2 | X   | Reserved
3 | X   | Reserved
4 | X   | Link type    fm2          fm2
5 | X   | Reserved
6 | X   | Reserved
7 |   X | Reserved
8 | X   | Reserved
-----

```

Figure B-27: Show Dipswitch S19 Display

Table B-9: Description of the Dipswitch S19 Display

Column	Description
<b>Off/On</b>	Lists the current state of each switch pole of dipswitch S19
<b>Function</b>	Lists the function of each switch pole; poles 2, 3, and 5 through 8 are reserved (unused)
<b>DIP setting</b>	Lists the configuration defined by the DIP switch setting
<b>NV setting</b>	Lists the configuration defined by the NVRAM settings

## Show Except Command

### Command

show except—for debugging purposes only

## Show Gps Command

### Command

show gps—displays the global positioning system (GPS) status, time/position, tracking data and information

### Command Use

**show gps <Return>**

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-28).

---

```

DEVICE 1   : 20 char string          TIME/DATE 14:13:21 06-11-1997
-----
GPS STATUS >>>>> GOOD <<<<<< -----
GPS TOD status : good                GPS 1PPS status: active
Update source  : local

----- GPS TIME/POSITION -----
GMT           : 19:13:05             Latitude    : 32:50:33 N
Date          : 06-11-1997          Longitude   : 97:17:35 W
Height        : +220.72 meters

----- GPS TRACKING INFO -----
Visible sats  : 7                   SAT ID  SS  LOCK  SAT ID  SS  LOCK
Tracking sats : 6                   1   5  55  yes   2  10  59  yes
DOP           : hold                 3   9  38  yes   4  30  37  yes
Fix type      : --                   5   7  31  NO    6  24  60  yes

----- LOCAL GPS RECEIVER INFO -----
Local receiver : Basic Oncore       Software ver : 8
Software rev   : 4

```

---

Figure B-28: Show GPS Information Display

## Show Key Command

### Command

show key—displays key time statistics

### Command Use

**show key**<Return>

### Description

This command displays the keying statistics since the last key time statistics reset.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-29 and Table B-10).

---

```

DEVICE 1      : 20 char string          TIME/DATE 09:23:30 06-20-1997
Key stats accum time    : 2 days & 23:50:20
TX KEY state           : unkeyed
Current key time       : 0 days & 00:00:00
Last key time          : 0 days & 00:00:00
Total key time         : 0 days & 00:00:00
Time since last key    : 2 days & 23:50:20
Last key stats reset   : 09:33:10 06-17-1997

Reset the key time stats? (y/n):

```

---

*Figure B-29: Show Key Time Statistics Display*

The user may type **y** to reset the key time statistics and exit this command or **n** to exit this command without resetting the key time statistics.

*Table B-10: Description of Key Time Statistics (Sheet 1 of 2)*

Statistic Name	Description
<b>Key stats accum time</b>	total accumulated time since last key statistics reset
<b>TX KEY state</b>	current key state (either keyed or unkeyed)
<b>Current key time</b>	elapsed time of current key; if dekeyed this time is zero (0)
<b>Last key time</b>	elapsed key time of the last time the transmitter was keyed



*Table B-10: Description of Key Time Statistics (Sheet 2 of 2)*

<b>Statistic Name</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>Total key time</b>	total accumulated time keyed since last key statistics reset
<b>Time since last key</b>	elapsed time since last key
<b>Last key stats reset</b>	time and date of the last key statistics reset

## Show Log Command

### Command

show log—displays a list of logged alarms and events (see Table C-1 and Table C-2)

### Command Use

show log [<count> or all] <Return>

### Description

This command displays the alarms and events logged by the NIU.

If no option is entered, all alarms and events which have occurred since the last **show log** command are displayed. If the option **count** is entered, the last count entries from the log are displayed. If the option **all** is entered, the entire log is displayed.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-30).

---

```

DEVICE 1      : 20 char string
NUM DEV ID   EVENT NAME      TIME/DATE 11:30:16 07-15-1997
66 NIU  1    bad stream id    ### TYPE TIME  DATE      STATUS
67 NIU  1    powerfail/restart 0  A  08:23:17 07-15-1997 SET
68 NIU  1    20 char string          1  A  08:23:17 07-15-1997 SET
           val = 0
69 NIU  1    20 char string          2  A  08:23:17 07-15-1997 SET
           val = 0
70 NIU  1    DIP switches           30 A  08:23:17 07-15-1997 SET
71 NIU  1    lost stream sync          9  A  08:23:49 07-15-1997 SET
72 NIU  1    timing fail              17 A  08:24:12 07-15-1997 SET
73 NIU  1    load flash               32 E  08:34:51 07-15-1997 n/a
74 NIU  1    powerfail/restart        0  A  08:34:58 07-15-1997 SET
75 NIU  1    lost link clock          19 A  08:34:59 07-15-1997 SET
76 NIU  1    paging disabled         13 A  08:34:59 07-15-1997 SET
77 NIU  1    DIP switches           30 A  08:34:59 07-15-1997 SET
78 NIU  1    20 char string          1  A  08:35:01 07-15-1997 SET
           val = 0
79 NIU  1    20 char string          2  A  08:35:01 07-15-1997 SET
           val = 0
10 more events in log;
<RET> to cont, <ESC><RET> to exit

```

---

Figure B-30: Show Log Display

The user may type <**Return**> to continue with the remainder of the log display or <**ESC**> <**Return**> to exit this command. Each time <**Return**> is pressed, the unit responds with the next portion of the log display.

## Show Measure Command

### Command

show measure—displays OTA maintenance measurement data

### Command Use

show measure [<maint group> or all] <Return>

### Description

This command displays data from received OTA maintenance bursts.

If no option is entered, the last measurement for each configured maintenance group is displayed. If the option **maint group** is entered, all of the recorded measurements for that maintenance group are displayed. If the option **all** is entered, all of the recorded measurements for all configured maintenance group are displayed.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-31).

---

```
[ ] = Self measurement
< > = Master switched in for displayed device

DEVICE 1      : 20 char string      TIME/DATE 14:40:51 06-11-1997
DEVICE MAINT  AIR                    REQUIRED      MEASURE
  ID  GROUP  DELAY  ERROR STATUS  ADJUST      TIME & DATE
   1    1    0 uS  End of bufrs. last=  +0 uS      00:00:00 01-01-88
```

---

Figure B-31: Show Maintenance Measurement Data Display

## Show Mem Command

### Command

show mem—displays NIU memory usage and task information

### Command Use

**show mem** <Return>

### Description

This command displays the current memory usage and information about all of the NIU tasks.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-32).

---

```

Region 0: 89264 of 94916 bytes used
Region 1: 80384 of 131072 bytes used

Task      Stack
Name Pri Top      Size Used %  Task      Stack
LED_  100 0001b3fc 1280 365 28  PORT  100 0001aefc 1280 535 41
POR1  100 0001a9fc 1280 542 42  NIUM  100 0001a4fc 1280 375 29
NSIG  102 00019ffc 2560 1414 55  NPLL  100 000195fc 1536 345 22
REPT  100 00018ffc 2048 953 46  TEST  99 000187fc 1536 297 19
NOTA  100 000181fc 1792 355 19  SALM  100 00017afc 1280 319 24
SHEL  100 000175fc 2304 1663 72  SHL1  100 00016cfc 2304 997 43
RSHE  100 000163fc 2304 1049 45  GPS_  101 00015afc 2048 1137 55
  SCM  100 000152fc 1280 605 47  SCMA  100 00014dfc 1536 1141 74
CCMD  101 000147fc 1536 357 23  ARCO  102 0000defc 1280 370 28
ARCA  102 0000d9fc 1280 367 28  ECHO  100 0000d4fc 768 355 46
IPTK  102 0000d1fc 1280 297 23  NP1_  101 0000ccfc 2048 965 47

```

Figure B-32: Show Memory Display

## Show Ota Command

### Command

show ota—displays OTA information from a reporting NIU

### Command Use

```
show ota <Return>
```

### Description

This command displays the log, alarms status, and versions information for NIUs reporting over the air to it.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
Display OTA log, alarms or versions?
```

Select and display the OTA log, alarms, or versions.

## Show Phone Command

### Command

show phone—allows access to the alarm status from a reporting NIU

### Command Use

**show phone** <Return>

### Description

This command displays the alarm status for NIUs reporting over the air to it.

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-33).

---

```
REPORTING PHONE STATS - 20 char string (disabled)
Running Total
Total tries          0
Successful           0
No dialtone          0
Busy                 0
No answer            0
Bad connect          0
Accum time           0 days & 02:08:57
Last reset           08:34:58 07-15-1997

Reset the stats? (y/n):
```

---

*Figure B-33: Show Reporting Phone Status Display*

The user may reset the phone statistics. Type **y** to reset the statistics or **n** to not reset the statistics.

## Show Report Command

### Command

show report—displays the options for the alarm reporting function

### Command Use

**show report** <Return>

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-34).

---

```
DEVICE 1      : 20 char string          TIME/DATE 15:17:08 07-15-1997
rept_phone#   : 20 char string
auto_rpt      : no
alarm#'s      : 31
events        : no
ota_rpt       : no
max_tries     : 10
dial_type     : tone
daily_call    : none
ans_rings     : 1
attempts used : 0
items to rpt  : no
```

---

*Figure B-34: Show Report Setup Display*

### Related Command

report—used to set up the OTA alarm and system maintenance reporting functions from the NIU



## Show Rom\_sum Command

### Command

show rom\_sum—displays checksum of ROM memory

### Command Use

```
show rom_sum <Return>
```

### Description

This command computes and displays the checksum of the ROM memory.

After typing the command, the unit responds:

```
EPR0M cksum: <current checksum value>
```

## Show Statid Command

### Command

show statid—displays station ID information

### Command Use

**show statid <Return>**

### Description

After typing the command, the unit responds (see Figure B-35).

---

```
station id mode = sub
CHAN  ID
  1   [station_1]
  2   [test_station]
  3   []
  4   []
  5   []
  6   []
  7   []
  8   []
```

---

*Figure B-35: Show Station ID Information Display*