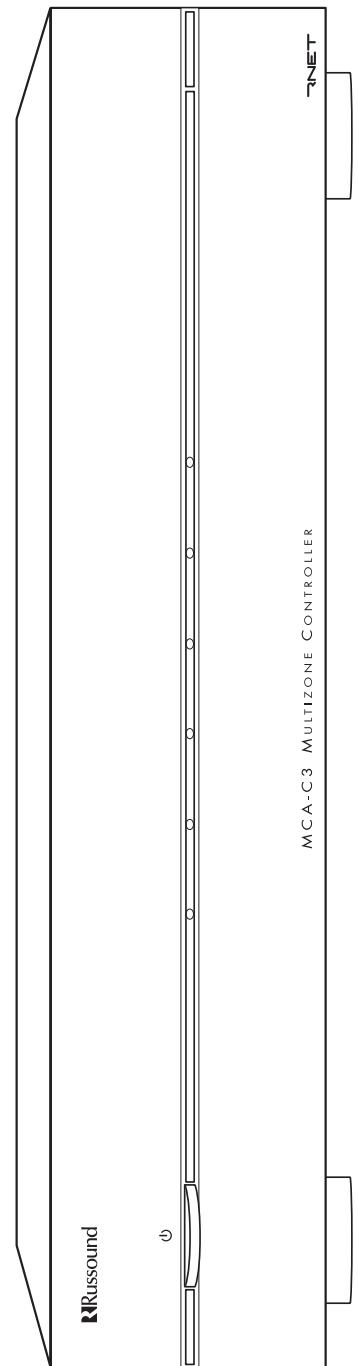


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## MCA-C3

### 6 Source Multizone Controller Amplifier User and Installation Manual

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



**WARNING:** TO REDUCE THE RISK OF FIRE OR ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS APPLIANCE TO RAIN OR MOISTURE.

**CAUTION:** TO REDUCE THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK, DO NOT REMOVE THE COVER. NO USER-SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE. REFER SERVICING TO QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL.

The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol, within an equilateral triangle, is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated dangerous voltage within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.

The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

### Safety Instructions

1. Read Instructions - All the safety and operating instructions should be read before the appliance is operated.
2. Retain Instructions - The safety and operating instructions should be retained for future reference.
3. Heed Warnings - All warnings on the appliance in the operating instructions should be adhered to.
4. Follow Instructions - All operating and user instructions should be followed.
5. Water and Moisture - The appliance should not be used near water; for example, near a bathtub, washbowl, kitchen sink, laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming pool. The apparatus shall not be exposed to dripping or splashing liquids and no objects filled with liquids, such as vases, shall be placed on the apparatus.
6. Carts and Stands - The appliance should be used only with a cart or stand that is recommended by the manufacturer. An appliance and cart combination should be moved with care. Quick stops, excessive force and uneven surfaces may cause the appliance and cart combination to overturn.
7. Wall or Ceiling Mounting - The appliance should be mounted to a wall or ceiling only as recommended by the manufacturer.
8. Ventilation - The appliance should be situated so that its location or position does not interfere with its proper ventilation. For example, the appliance should not be situated on a bed, sofa, rug, or similar surface that may block the ventilation openings, or placed in a built-in installation, such as a bookcase or cabinet that may impede the flow of air through the ventilation openings.
9. Heat - The appliance should be situated away from heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other appliances (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
10. Power Sources - The appliance should be connected to a power supply only of the type described in the operating instructions or as marked on the appliance.
11. Grounding or Polarization - Precaution should be taken so that the grounding or polarization means of an appliance is not defeated.
12. Power Cord Protection - Power supply cords should be routed so that they are not likely to be walked on or pinched by items placed upon or against them, paying particular attention to cords at plugs, receptacles, and the point where they exit from the appliance.
13. Cleaning - The appliance should be cleaned only as recommended by the manufacturer.
14. Non-Use Periods - The power cord of the appliance should be unplugged from the outlet when left unused for a long period of time. To remove all power (supply mains) from the appliance, remove the plug from the wall outlet.
15. Object and Liquid Entry - Care should be taken so that objects do not fall and liquids are not spilled into the enclosure through the openings.

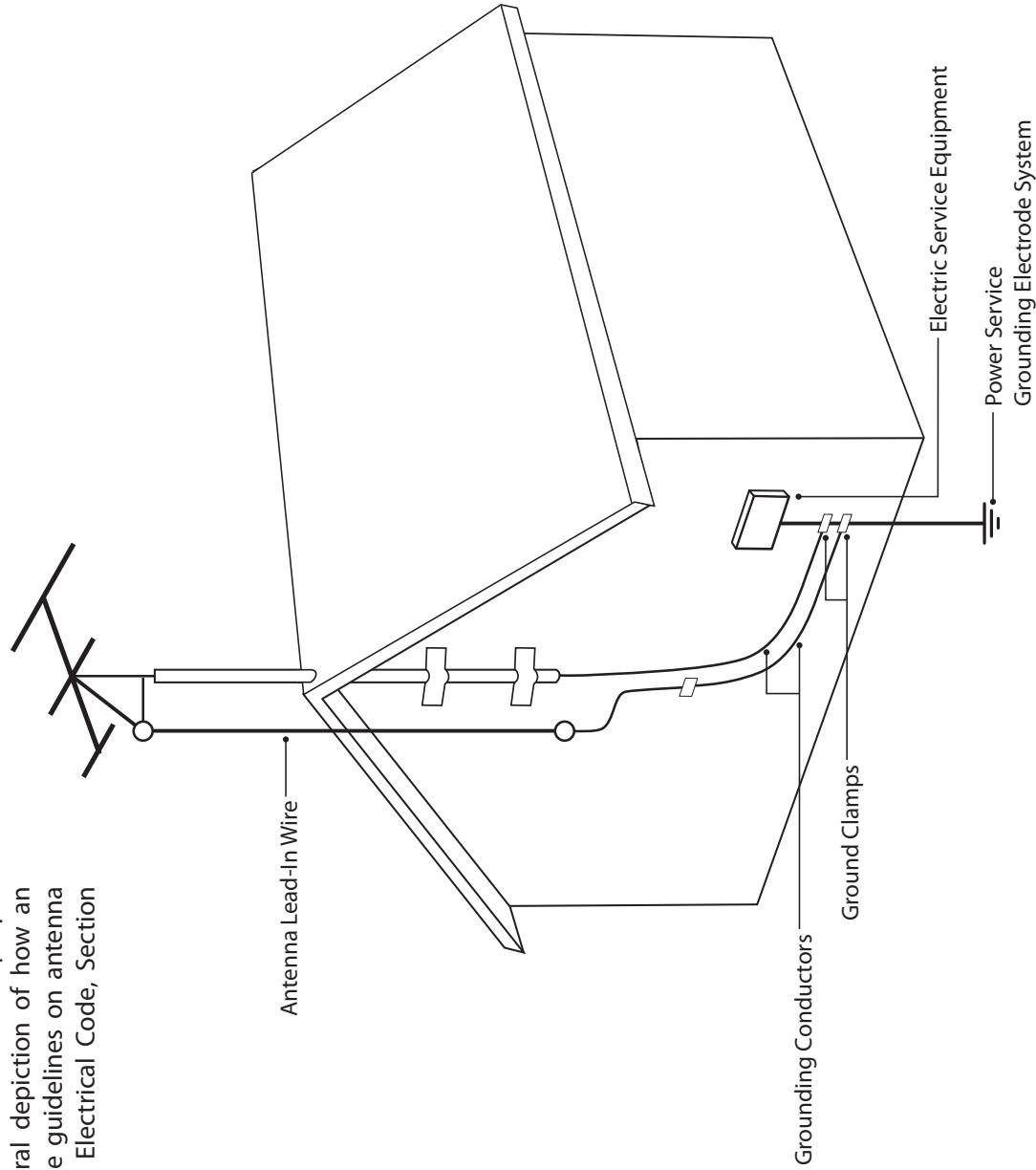
16. Damage Requiring Service - The appliance should be serviced by qualified service personnel when:
  - A. The power supply cord or the plug has been damaged;
  - B. Objects have fallen, liquid has been spilled into the appliance; or
  - C. The appliance has been exposed to rain; or
  - D. The appliance does not appear to operate normally; or
  - E. The appliance has been dropped or the enclosure is damaged.
17. Servicing - The user should not attempt to service the appliance beyond that described in the operating instructions. All other servicing should be referred to qualified service personnel.



**NOTE:** EU Standby Power Requirements are met when the MCA-C3 controller is configured with six (6) MDK-C5 keypads attached.

**Grounding an Outdoor Antenna**

If the AM/FM tuner is used with an outdoor antenna, the antenna must be grounded against static charges and voltage surges. Consult the instructions that came with the antenna or contact the antenna manufacturer for proper installation instructions. The diagram gives a general depiction of how an outdoor antenna should be grounded. For complete guidelines on antenna grounding procedures, please consult the National Electrical Code, Section 810, ANSI/NFPA No. 70-1984.



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## PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Thank you for choosing the Russound MCA-C3 multizone controller amplifier to enhance your home with multiroom audio.

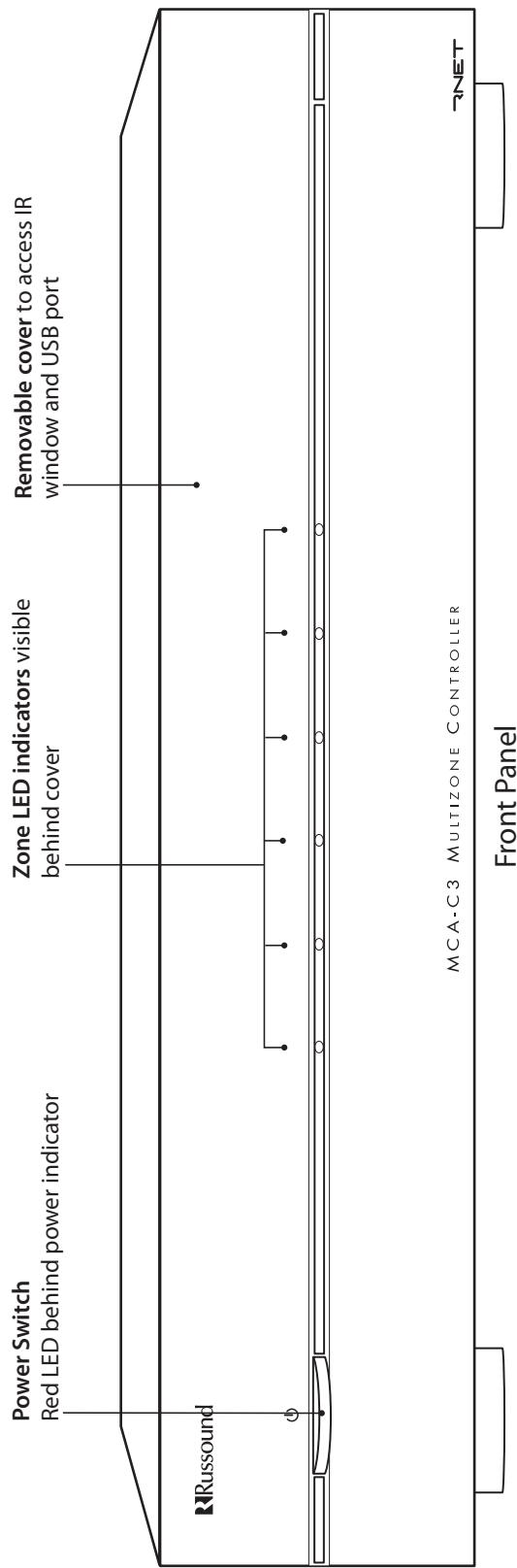
The MCA-C3 caters to homeowners who want control over their multiroom audio systems with such capabilities as infrared (IR) tools to manage the system from anywhere in the house. Six source inputs, simplified programming, and user adjustable sound controls make listening to music throughout the home easier than ever.

### Key features include:

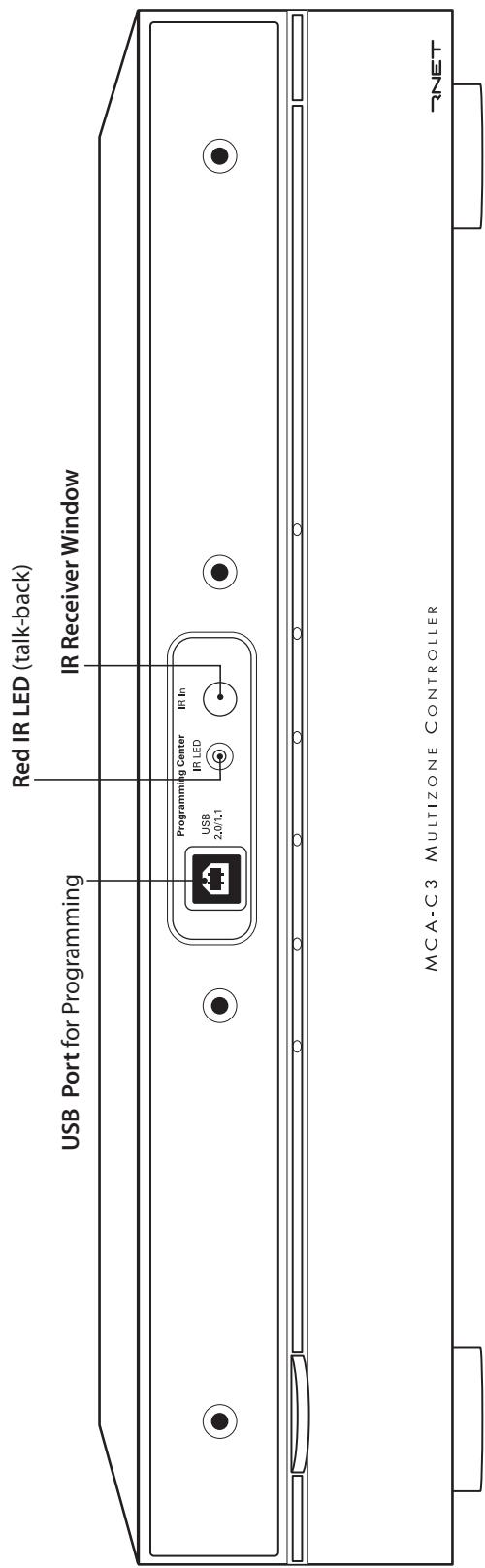
- 6 sources delivered to up to 6 zones for sharing music throughout the home
- Scalable to 36 zones by connecting up to six controllers
- Incorporates RNET smart sources, transmitting metadata (song, artist and other information) for display on the keypads
- A built-in AM/FM tuner with RDS support (source 1 optional use)
- Supported user interfaces are MDK-C5 keypad and UNO-TS2 touchscreen
- EuP compliant for low power standby mode
- Audio paging with a DC voltage trigger input
- Party mode, Do Not Disturb, and source / zone linking options
- Alarm clock and sleep timer
- A remote control with simplified programming and control via intelligent IR learning capabilities for quick setup
- Ethernet connectivity for programming and control
- Front panel USB port for programming ease
- SCS-C5 Configuration software for PC programming
- Rear panel RS232 port for integration with third party control systems
- Source power management with line level auto-sensing
- Twelve channels of analog amplification rated at 20 watts per channel
- Line level outputs for zones 1 and 2
- Six zone specific 12VDC trigger outputs

**Important Note:** SCS-C5 Configuration software is necessary to program the MCA-C3 system. It can be downloaded from the Document Center at [www.russound.com](http://russound.com).

## CONTROLLER FRONT PANEL

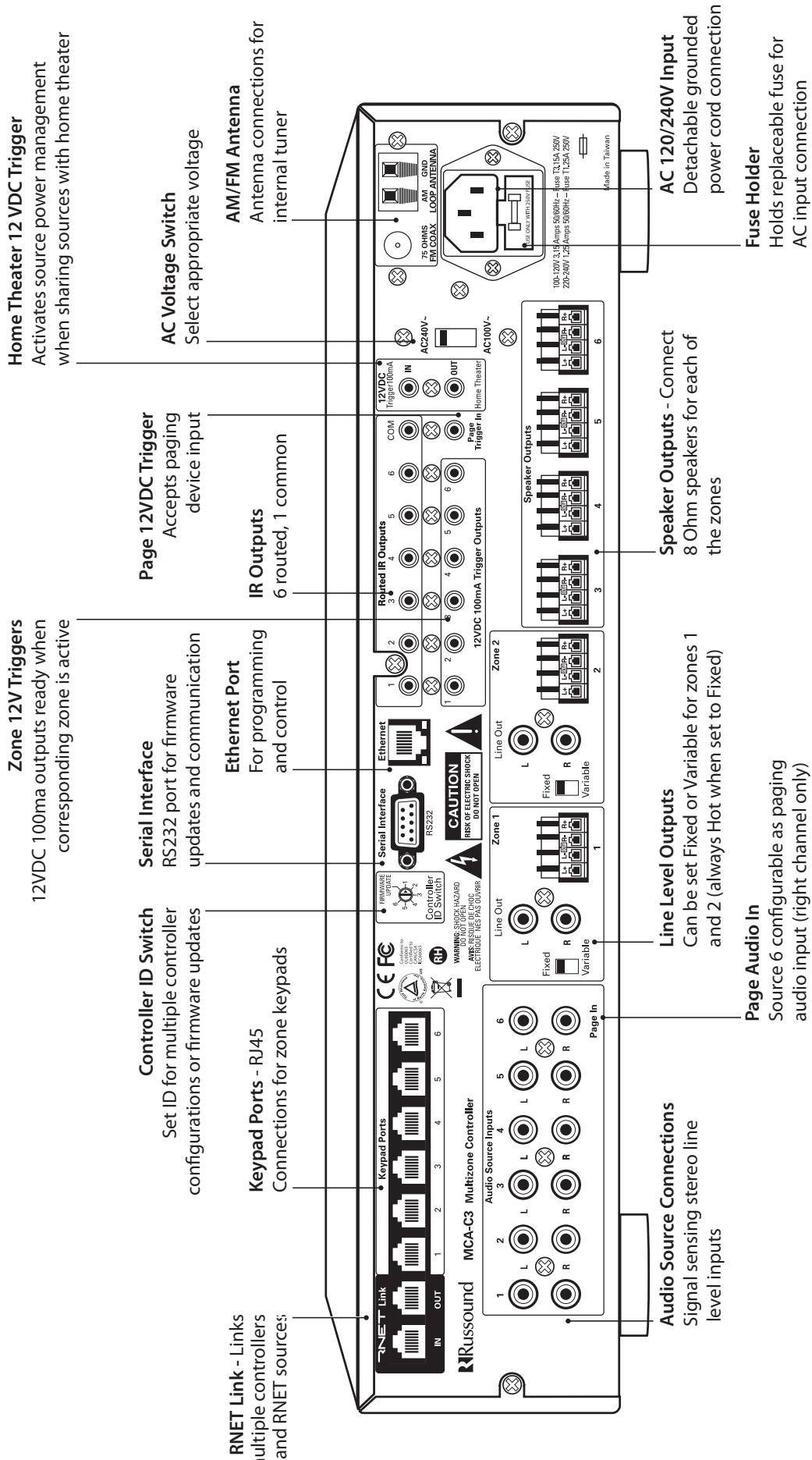


Front Panel



Front Panel with cover removed

## CONTROLLER REAR PANEL



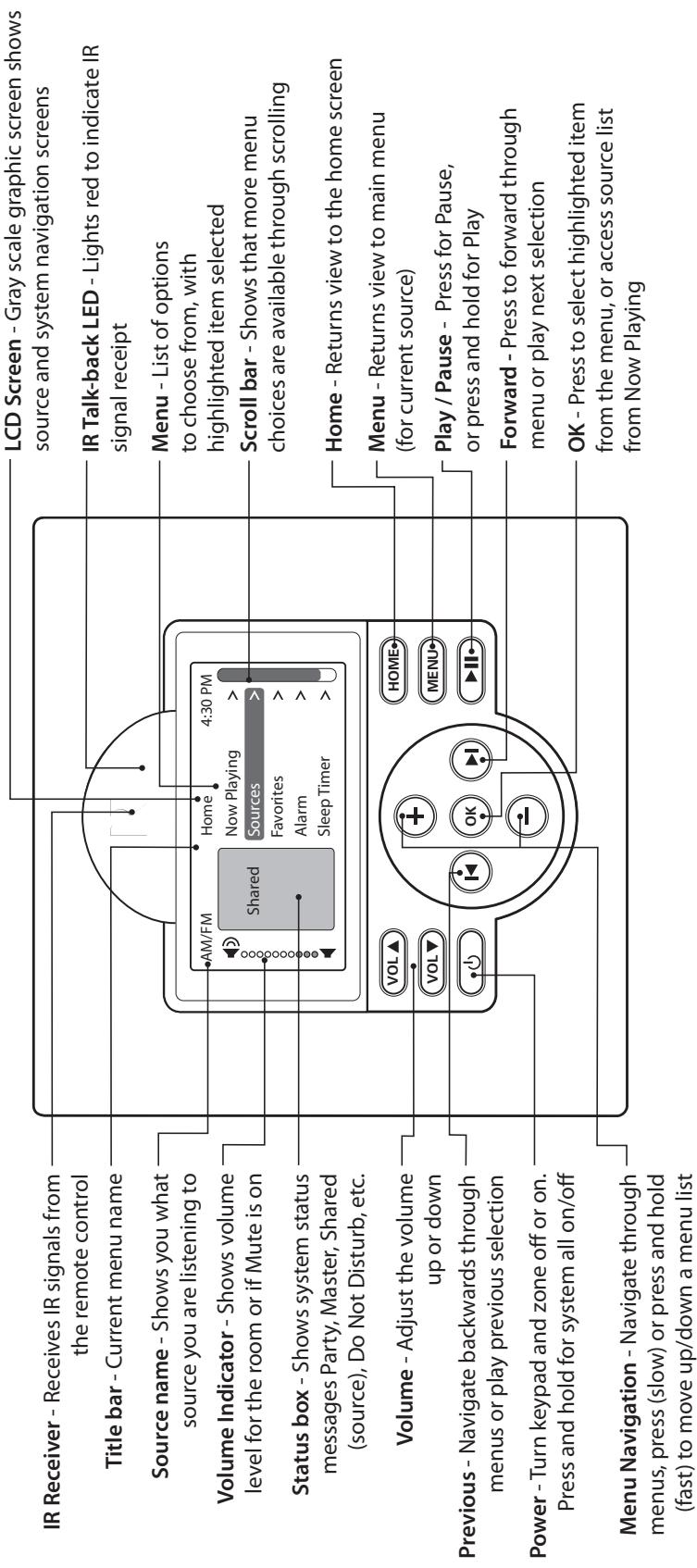
## KEYPAD FEATURES

### MDK-C5 Keypad

The MDK-C5's buttons and menus allow the user to easily find and control music sources and to make changes to system settings and room audio levels. Six backlit oblong buttons access power on/off, music play/pause, volume up/down, and menu shortcuts. The OK button in the center activates a menu choice and the navigation buttons allow you to move through menus and lists. All music sources, audio adjustments and system settings are arranged in menus and lists. The navigation buttons also act as source controls to select next / previous song, etc., depending upon the type of source.

The keypad's home screen, buttons and navigation buttons are described below.

The main menu (Home) options include: Now Playing, Sources, Alarm, Sleep Timer, Party Mode, Do Not Disturb, and Settings. The Settings menu includes the audio, clock, display, and installer options. The audio settings include bass, treble, balance, loudness, and turn on volume.



MDK-C5 Keypad Functions

**Basic Operation**

**Turn on the zone** - Press the power button on the keypad or press power on the SRC-C5 remote control to turn on the zone and hear music. The zone will default to the last playing source before being turned off. Press and hold the power button (when ON) to turn on all the keypads.

**Turn off the zone** - Press the power button on the keypad or press the power button on the SRC-C5 remote control to turn off the keypad and music. Press and hold the power button (when OFF) to turn off all other keypads.

**Volume adjustments** - Press the Volume up/down buttons on the side of the keypad, or press the VOL +/- button on the SRC-C5 remote control.

**Mute Audio** - Press the Mute button on the SRC-C5.

**Main Menu - Favorites**

**Favorites** - Save a source or a radio station/channel as a favorite.

**Add new** - Tune to the music source you want to save as a favorite. From the Favorites menu, select "Add New." Name the favorite using the +/- buttons to move through the alphabet and the forward button to move to the next character. Press the OK button to save.

**Edit name** - Choose the favorite to rename and use the +/- buttons to scroll through the alphabet and the forward button to move to the next character.

**Delete favorite** - Choose the favorite to be deleted, press the OK button to delete.

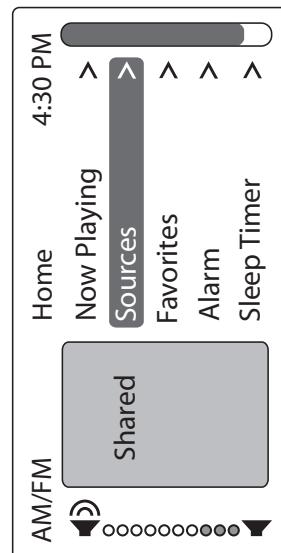
**Main Menu - Sources**

From the home screen, select "Sources." A list of available audio sources appears. Select a source, or press a numbered "Source" button on the SRC-C5 remote control.

Once selected, choose music from that source. Each source has its own menu and screens. Main menus list what is available: channels, genres, playlists, songs, or artists.

**Shared** - When you see "Shared" on the screen, what you are listening to is also playing in another room. If you change the selection (song, channel, playlist) on that source, the change will also happen in the other "Shared" room.

**Alarm level** - Set the volume of the alarm.

**How to:**

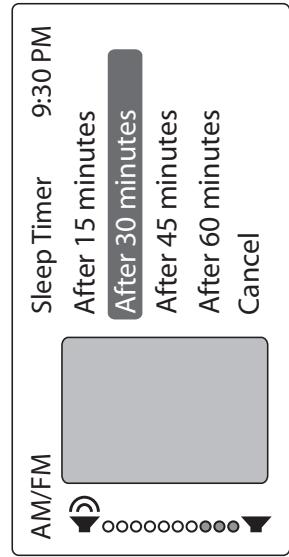
**Turn off active alarm** - Press the power button on the keypad or SRC-C5 remote control.

**Snooze** - Press the pause button on the keypad or SRC-C5 remote control.

## KEYPAD USAGE

### Main Menu - Sleep Timer

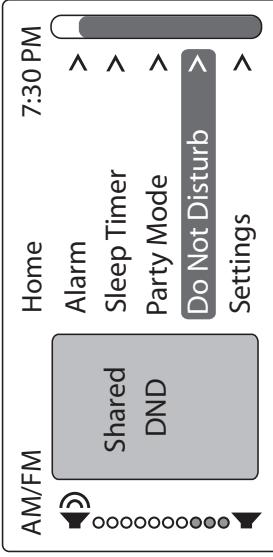
You can set the timer so the zone turns off in one of the following increments: 15, 30, 45, or 60 minutes.



### Main Menu - Set Party Mode or Do Not Disturb

**Party and Master** - The keypad that shows Master has started a "party" and keypads that show Party are "attending." All rooms are listening to the same music, and only the Master can change the music. Volume control remains independent.

**Do Not Disturb** - Someone in another room has chosen a source and locked out anyone else from changing it. That room also won't be disturbed by paging or a doorbell chime.



### Main Menu - Settings

**Audio** - From the home screen, scroll to and select "settings," and choose "audio settings." You'll see items to adjust, such as bass, treble, and balance. Each selection has its own screen and shows levels for real-time adjustments.

### Clock

**Set Time** - From the Clock menu, select "Set Time." Press the +/- buttons to move through numbers. Press the |<| or |>| buttons to move the cursor and press OK to save.

**Set Date** - From the Clock menu, select "Set Date." The date format is month/day/year. Press the +/- buttons to move through numbers. Press the |<| or |>| buttons to move the cursor, and press OK to save.

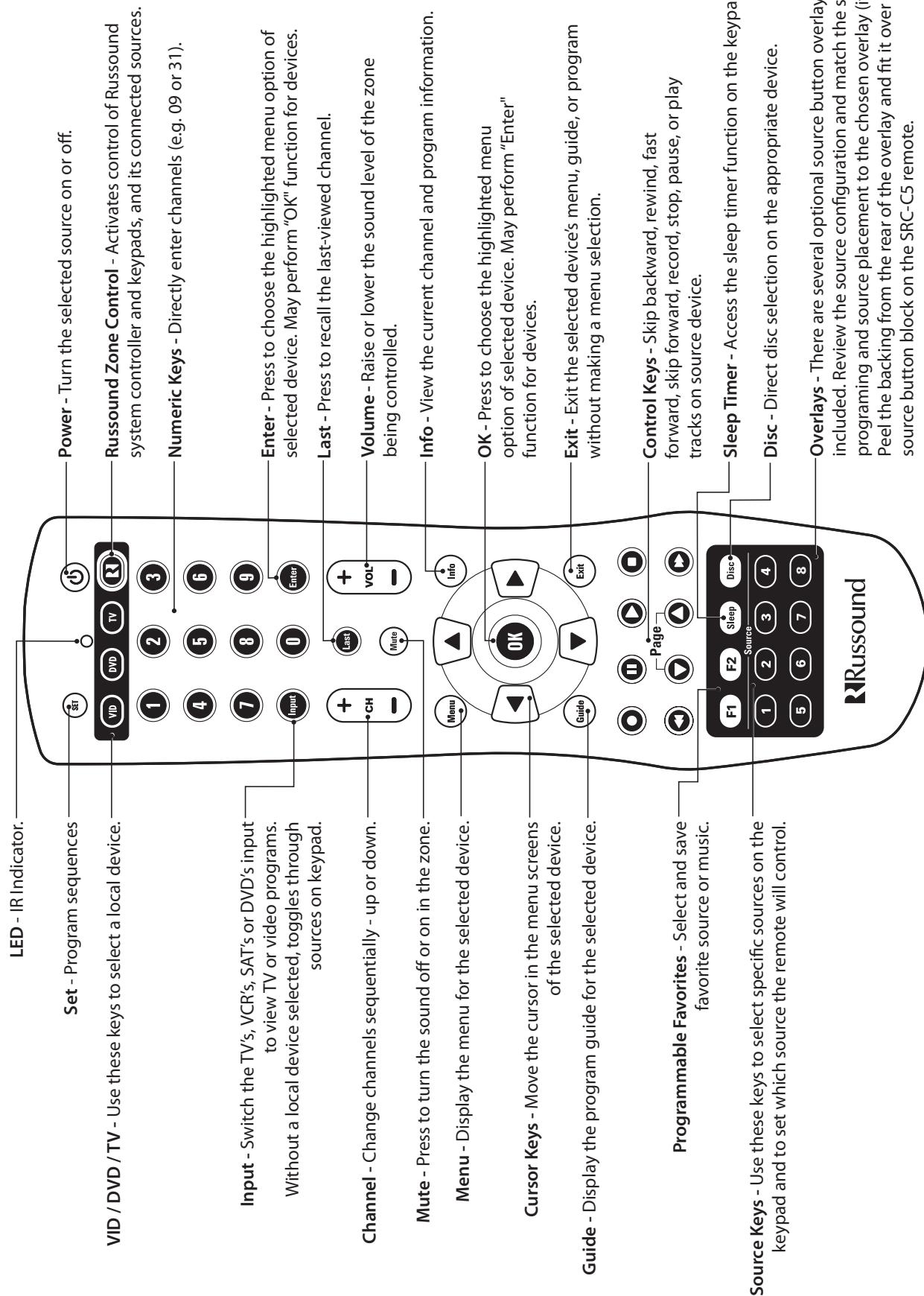
**Clock Format** - From the home menu, select "Settings," then "Clock." Choose "Clock Format," and select 12 hour (AM/PM) or 24 hour (1200) format.

**Display** - Set the contrast and brightness for the keypad display. Use the buttons to move the cursor to the desired level.

### Installer Options

**IR Enable/Disable** - The default is Enabled. If an external IR receiver is used, the keypad IR receiver should be disabled. From the main menu, select "Settings," then "Installation," then IR Enable/Disable. Select "disable" and exit back to the menu.

**Diagnostics** - The MDK-C5 provides firmware version information for Controller 1 and the keypad. Network information such as Controller IP and MAC address are also provided.



## INSTALLATION OVERVIEW

### Ventilation Requirements

**Important:** The MCA-C3 should be situated so that its location or position does not interfere with its proper ventilation. Do not block vents above or to the sides of the unit, as it requires ventilation for proper operation. Do not expose to excessive dust, and do not allow dust to build up on the unit and block vent holes. Do not place the MCA-C3 above or below a heat-generating component such as an audio amplifier.

Be sure to leave at least 2 inches of space to the sides of the unit with open air flow above. A single-space rack mount vent or about 1.75 inches must be kept clear above and below the unit.

### Installation

The MCA-C3 controller can be rack mounted or placed on a shelf in an equipment rack. The controller occupies two rack spaces with feet removed.

The controller can be installed in an equipment rack using the included rack-mount ears and hardware to attach the ears to the controller chassis.

Up to six controllers can be connected for up to 36 zones on the system.

### Electrical Power

The MCA-C3 operates at 100-120VAC ~60 Hz or 220-240VAC ~50 Hz. Voltage is selected by the voltage switch on the rear panel and incorporates the appropriate detachable power cord. It is recommended that the MCA-C3 and the source equipment be plugged into a dedicated 20-amp circuit. A power line conditioner can reduce interference problems caused by noise found in some electrical systems.

The power switch for the unit is on the front panel.

Do not connect the controller's main power feed until all other connections have been made and verified. Live connection or removal of the keypad wiring or other wiring when the system is powered can cause communication problems in the network. Double-check terminations during each phase of the installation to prevent accidental damage. Incorrect wiring is the number one cause for non-warranty product damage.

### Power Management and EU Standby Power Requirements

The MCA-C3 controller meets EU Standby Power requirements by using power management to turn off the controller and sources.

After the last zone is powered off and the Home Theater trigger input is inactive, the sources are powered off after five minutes. Then if there is no activity, the home theater trigger turns off in another minute. Finally, the controller is placed into standby after another minute. Standby power consumption is less than 1 watt.

Any keypad activity will wake the system from standby. In addition, Wake On LAN may be used to wake the system from standby.

### Important Considerations

- Disconnect the power cord before making any connections to the controller.
- Verify that all connections and polarity are correct.
- Keep all power cords away from all signal cables to prevent humming from induced noise.
- Choose reliable signal cables and patch cords.
- Label all wires with the room location at both ends of the wire.
- Avoid running speaker wires or signal cables close to house electrical wiring for any distance. If you have to run them parallel, make sure to space the wires at least two feet from the AC line. If you need to cross an AC line it should be at a 90° angle.

- For multiple controllers, the controller ID must be set with the rotary switch on the rear panel. Each controller must be set to a unique number before powering connected controllers.

**Important:** The necessary software (SCS-C5) to program and configure the system is available via download from the doc center at [www.russound.com](http://www.russound.com). With your laptop, you can configure the system and name all of the zones prior to connecting with the MCA-C3 controller. See Section on page 27 for items to be programmed with the software.

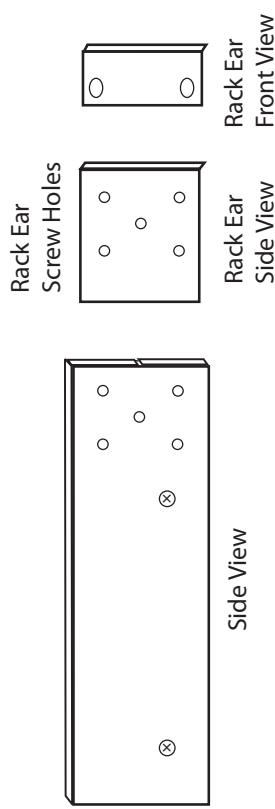
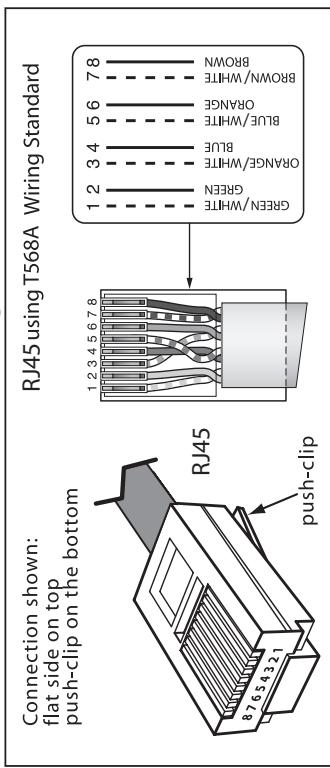
**Wiring**

Route CAT-5e cable between the keypad locations and the controller. Terminate all CAT-5e cables with an RJ45 connector using the T568A wiring standard configuration. Utilize a UL/CSA approved electrical box at the keypad (double-gang at least 32 cu. in.) and controller locations. Using connector specific wall plates at the controller location will better organize all of the incoming cables. Route CAT-5e wire from the electrical box to each keypad location, with runs not to exceed 250 feet. Label the wires at both ends with the zone and location.

Route standard 4 conductor speaker wire to each speaker location. Each speaker connection requires an 8-ohm load and will provide 20 watts per channel. Standard 16-gauge 4-conductor stranded speaker wire can be run up to 125 feet; 14-gauge wire can be run up to 250 feet.

**Rack Mount Installation**

To attach the rack ears, locate the five rack mount holes on each side of the controller's chassis. Align the holes in the rack ears with the holes in the chassis. Insert and tighten the screws.

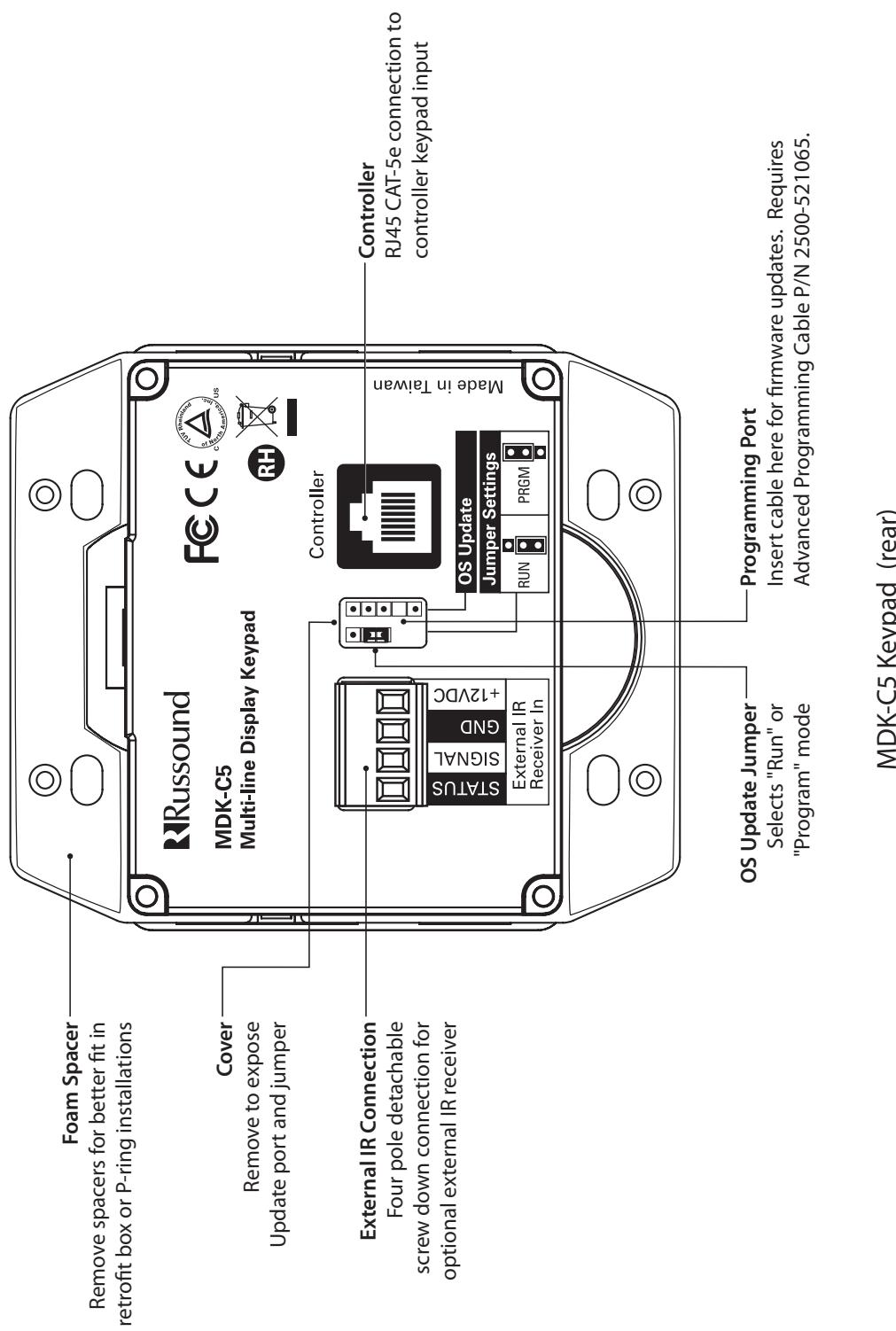
**RJ45 CAT-5 Wiring Scheme**

## KEYPAD REAR



### CAUTION

Mounting screws must be hand-tightened. Over-tightening the mounting screws can cause the buttons to jam and malfunction.



***External IR Connection to MDK-C5 Keypad***

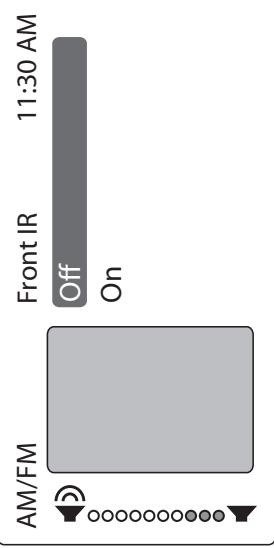
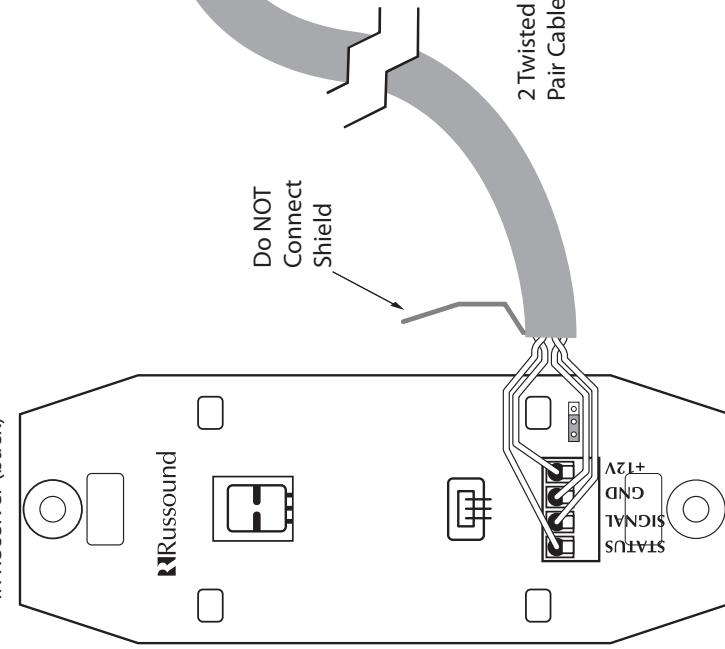
**NOTE: EU Standby Power Requirements are met WITHOUT the use of an external IR receiver.**

The MDK-C5 keypad has an External IR Receiver In terminal for connecting an external IR Receiver such as the Russound 858, SaphIR 862 Eye, or SaphIR 860 Phantom.

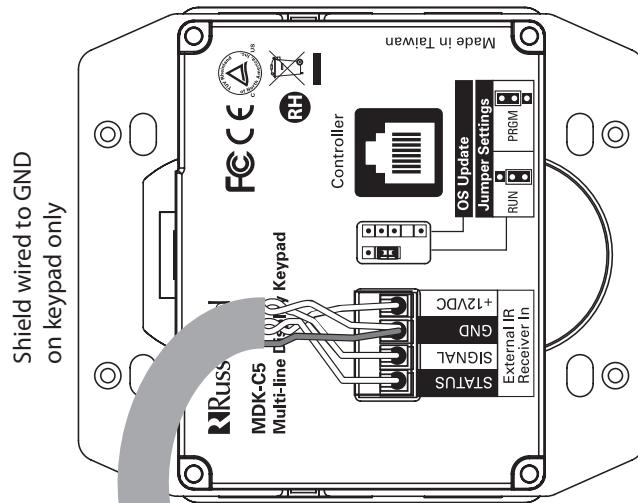
Use two twisted pair wire with one pair connecting GND (GROUND) and IR (SIGNAL) and the other pair connecting ST (STATUS) and V+ (+12VDC). Do not connect the shield to the IR receiver terminals.

If utilizing an external IR receiver, then you must disable the IR receiver in the keypad. This is disabled in the installer options menu on the keypad. See screen at right.

Russound 858  
IR Receiver (back)



Disable Keypad IR



Connection of External IR to Keypad

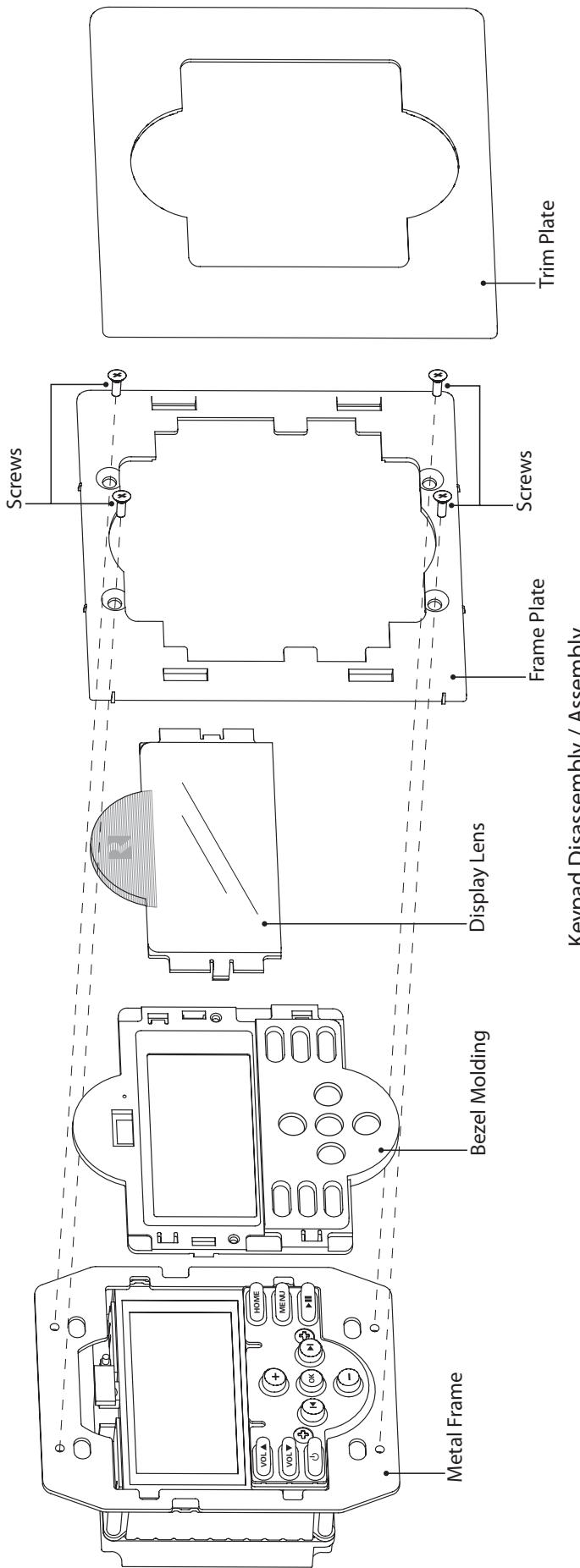
## KEYPAD COLOR PLATE CONVERSION

### MDK-C5 Color Plate Conversion

You will need both small straight and Phillips head screwdrivers to change the color plates on the keypad. The Bezel Molding and the Trim Plate will be switched for the new color plates.

1. If installed, remove the MDK-C5 keypad from the wall. Gently pull the Trim Plate off the mounting plate. Unscrew the unit from the electrical box, and disconnect the cable.
2. Unscrew the plastic Frame Plate. Keep the Frame Plate and screws for reattachment later.
3. Remove the Display Lens from the Bezel Molding by providing inward pressure to the two locking tabs while simultaneously pushing it away from the Bezel Molding.
4. Once the Display Lens is removed, put aside for reattachment later. Be careful to not damage the display.

5. Remove the Bezel Molding by gently pressing in each of the 4 locking tabs (2 per side) while pushing it away from the metal frame.
6. Reverse the order for installation, taking the following precautions.
  - a. Make sure the button key mat is positioned properly on the front circuit board and without dust or debris on the button contact points prior to attaching the Bezel Molding.
  - b. Make sure that there isn't any debris or fingerprints on either the display or back of the Display Lens prior to reattachment.
  - c. Use a clean, dry, lint-free soft cloth to gently wipe the display or back of the Display Lens to clean if necessary. Never use cleaning agents as this can cause streaking or permanent damage to either part.



## **CONTROLLER / KEYPAD CONNECTION**

Controller / Keypad Connection

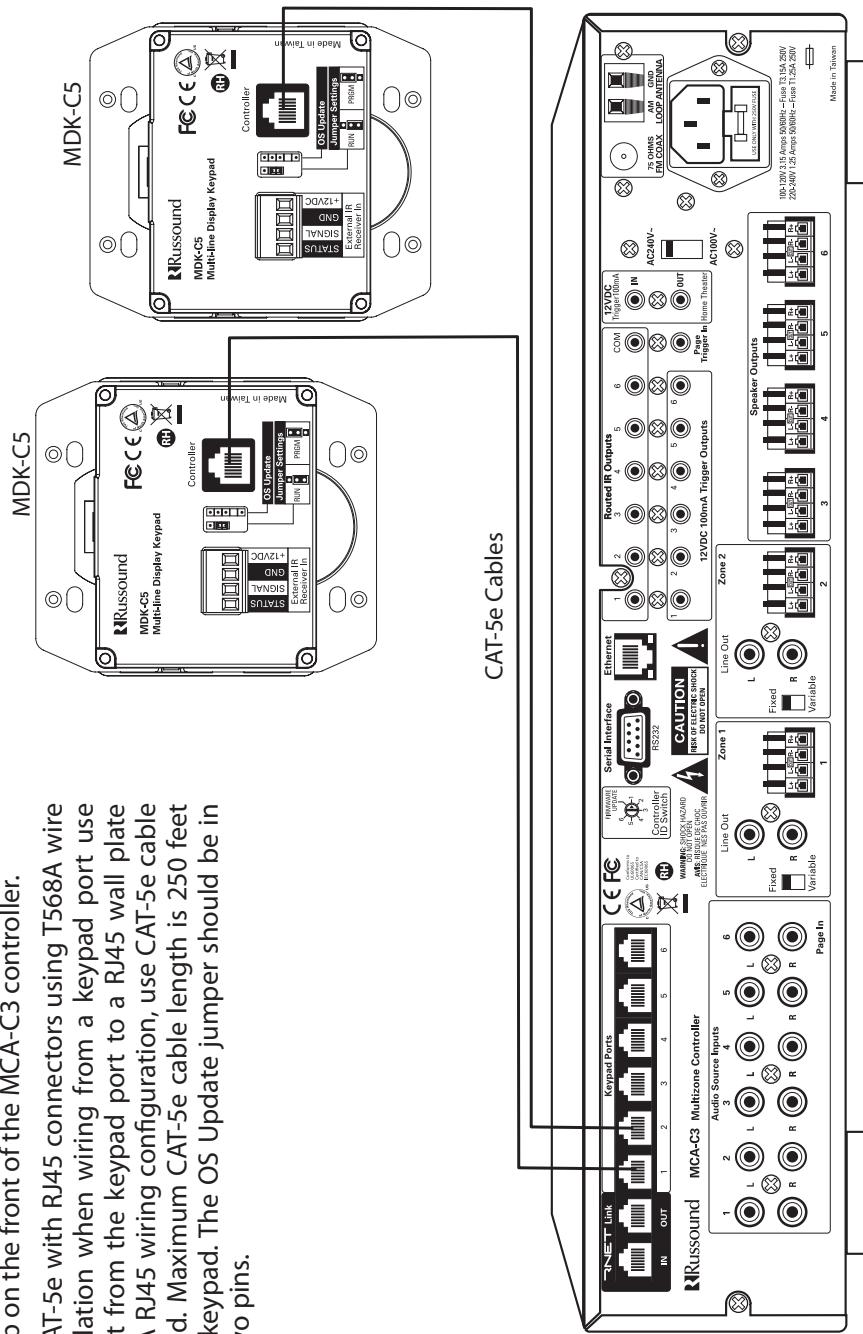
**NOTE:** EU Standby Power Requirements are met when the MCA-C3 controller is reconfigured with six (6) MPDK-C5 keypads attached.

The MDK-C5 keypad is designed for use with the C-Series controllers, and connects to a keypad port near the top left on the rear of the controller. These B145 ports support MDK-C5 keypads and INO-TS2 touchscreens.

The six keypad ports correspond to the six zones supported by the MCA-C3. When a connected keypad is powered on, the zone becomes active and the corresponding zone LED lights up on the front of the MCA-C3 controller.

Connections are made using CAT-5e with RJ45 connectors using T568A wire configuration. For a clean installation when wiring from a keypad port use a CAT-5e patch cable to connect from the keypad port to a RJ45 wall plate (optional). Using the same T568A RJ45 wiring configuration, use CAT-5e cable from the wall plate to the keypad. Maximum CAT-5e cable length is 250 feet between the controller and the keypad. The OS Update jumper should be in the RUN position on the lower two pins.

If more keypads are desired for a zone, use an optional SA-ZX3 keypad splitter with a Russound 1201A (12VDC 1A) power supply at the controller end. All keypads on an SA-ZX3 control the same zone. More detailed information regarding SA-ZX3 installation and operation can be found in its installation manual.



Keynode connection to the MCA-C3

## SPEAKER CONNECTIONS

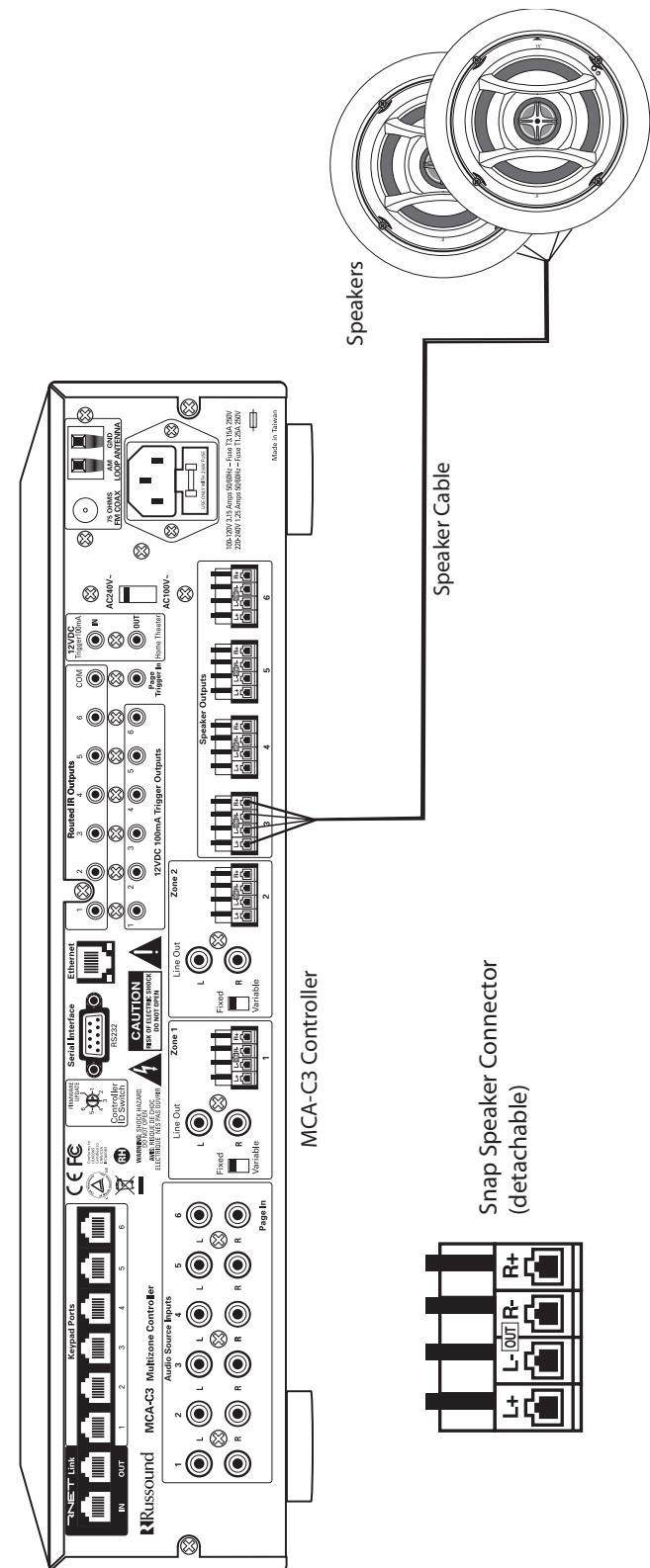
### Speaker Output Connections

The MCA-C3 supports speaker outputs for all zones. These 20 watt per channel stereo speaker level outputs have high-current two-channel analog amplifiers. Each speaker connection requires an 8-ohm load.

The speakers are connected to the MCA-C3 using the supplied modular snap speaker connectors. Each of these color coded connectors is designated for the speaker set of a particular amplified zone. To avoid confusion, connect one zone speaker set at a time starting with Zone 1, taking care to keep zone and speaker wire identities straight.

Strip 1 to 2 inches (2.5 to 5 cm) off the end of each speaker cable jacket. Then strip  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch (0.7 cm) of insulation off each wire. Twist the speaker wire strands together so there are no strands separated from the bundle.

Lift the black lever for each connection until it locks open and insert the proper speaker wire, matching channel and polarity for all four wires. Snap the lever down. Check to make sure there are no stray strands of wire outside the terminals. If there are, remove the wire, twist the strands together, and reconnect the wire to the terminal. Insert the modular connector into its designated output on the back of the MCA-C3.



Speaker Output Connections

## SOURCE CONNECTIONS

### RNET Source Data Connections

The RNET Link In and Link Out can be used to connect the MCA-C3 to other specified Russound RNET-enabled source equipment. The connection is made using a CAT-5e patch cable from the Link Out of the controller and into the Link In of the RNET-enabled source. Another CAT-5e patch cable can be used to link out of that source and link into another RNET-enabled source in the system. Use a standard CAT-5e patch cable with an RJ45 connector on each end.

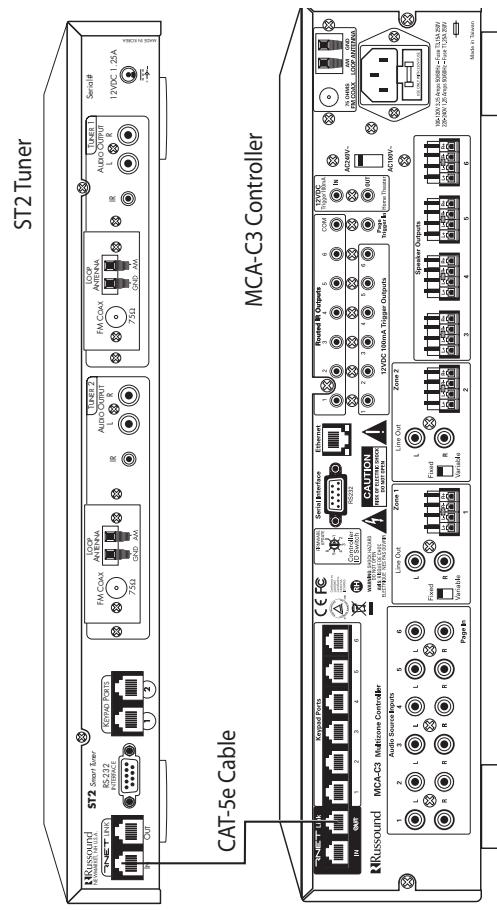
Along with RNET data signals, the RNET Link In and Link Out port passes source IR signals. To avoid potential cross-talk between the source-specific IR repeating signal lines, the cable can not exceed 18 inches in length.

### Source Audio Connections

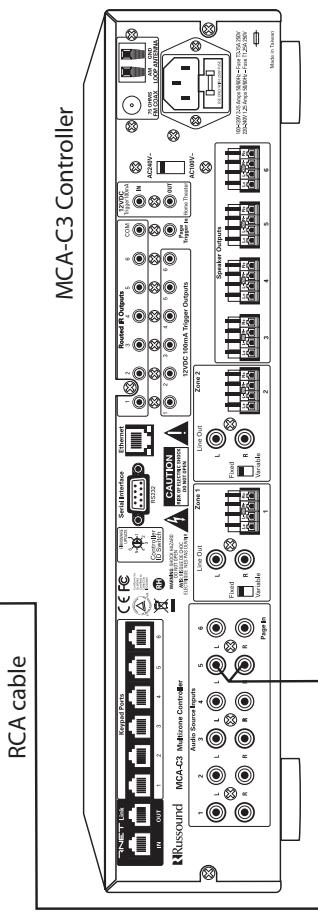
On the MCA-C3, sources 1 through 6 have standard stereo audio inputs. All source inputs have audio signal sensing. These sources can be programmed during zone setup to be global sources, or zones can be individually programmed to restrict access to sources.

There is an internal AM/FM tuner that, if enabled, will occupy source 1. The tuner is enabled with the SCS-C5 software and cannot be any other source number. If utilizing the internal tuner, do not connect/configure another source on source 1.

Connect each source output using quality RCA signal cables. Connect the Left and Right Audio outputs from each source to the corresponding inputs on the MCA-C3 controller.



RNET Source Connection to MCA-C3



Audio Source Connection to MCA-C3

## IR CONNECTIONS

### /R Connections

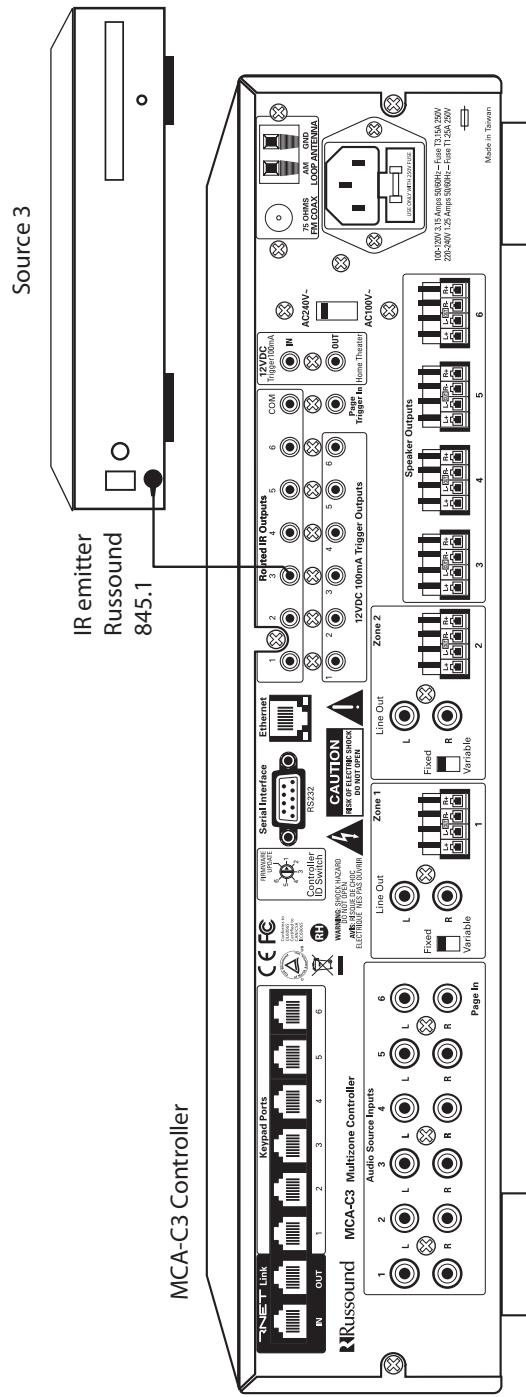
#### Routed IR Outputs

These six routed IR emitter outputs are supported by the MCA-C3 IR engine and support IR pass-through. They are also carried by the RNET Link cable to additional controllers.

Attach the end of the IR emitter with the 3.5mm plug to the IR emitter port. Remove the adhesive back at the other end of the emitter and attach the emitter over the source component's IR window. When using the IR routed outputs, in order to control this source component with IR, the source must be selected at the keypad receiving the command.

### Common IR

This output is supported by the MCA-C3 IR engine and supports IR pass-through from any of the IR sources or zones. These allow control of any source equipment without that source being selected on the keypad. The connection for the common IR output is made using an IR emitter with a 3.5mm plug. The Russound 845.1 single IR emitter is recommended, or use an IR connecting block such as the Russound 857 which allows multiple units to be controlled through a common IR output.



IR Connections to MCA-C3

### Linking Multiple Controllers

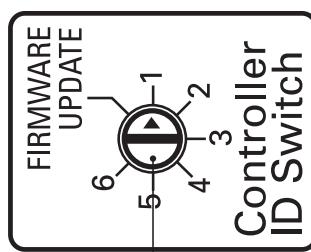
The RNET Link In and Link Out can be used to connect two or more (up to 6) MCA-C3 controllers (does not support MCA-C5, CAV6.6, CAM6.6 or CAA66 controllers). The connection is made using a CAT-5e patch cable from the Link Out of the first controller and into the Link In of the next controller. Along with RNET data signals, the RNET Link In and Link Out port passes source IR signals. The CAT-5e patch cable must have an RJ45 connector on each end with T568A wiring configuration. It can not exceed 18 inches (45.7 cm) in length to avoid potential cross-talk between the source-specific IR repeating signal lines.

**NOTE:** Use standard RCA Y-splitter cables to split audio between two controllers. In some multicontroller systems, line level audio distribution amps may be used.

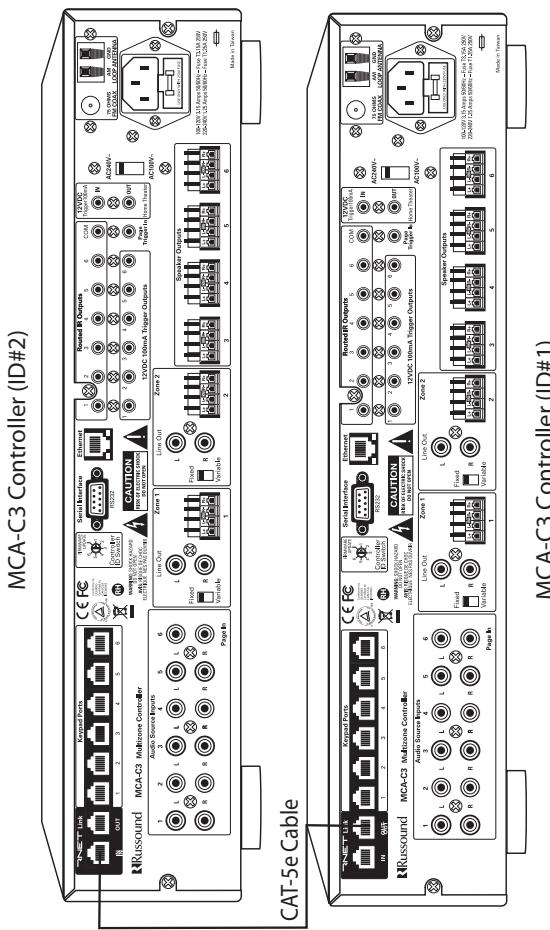
### Controller ID Switch Settings

The Controller ID switch is a rotary switch with seven positions. It is used to set the controller ID number for multi-controller systems, and to put the MCA-C3 into Firmware Update mode.

If two or more MCA-C3 controllers are connected using the RNET Link In and Link Out ports, each controller must have a unique controller ID prior to being connected through the RNET ports. Set each controller's ID switch to a unique number. Any multi-controller configuration requires that one controller be set to controller ID #1. This action must be performed before the system setup procedure is completed through SCS-C5 software and before powering up the system. The small arrow on the dial should point at the desired setting.



Rotate switch to point arrow  
to the intended position



MCA-C3 Controller (ID#1)

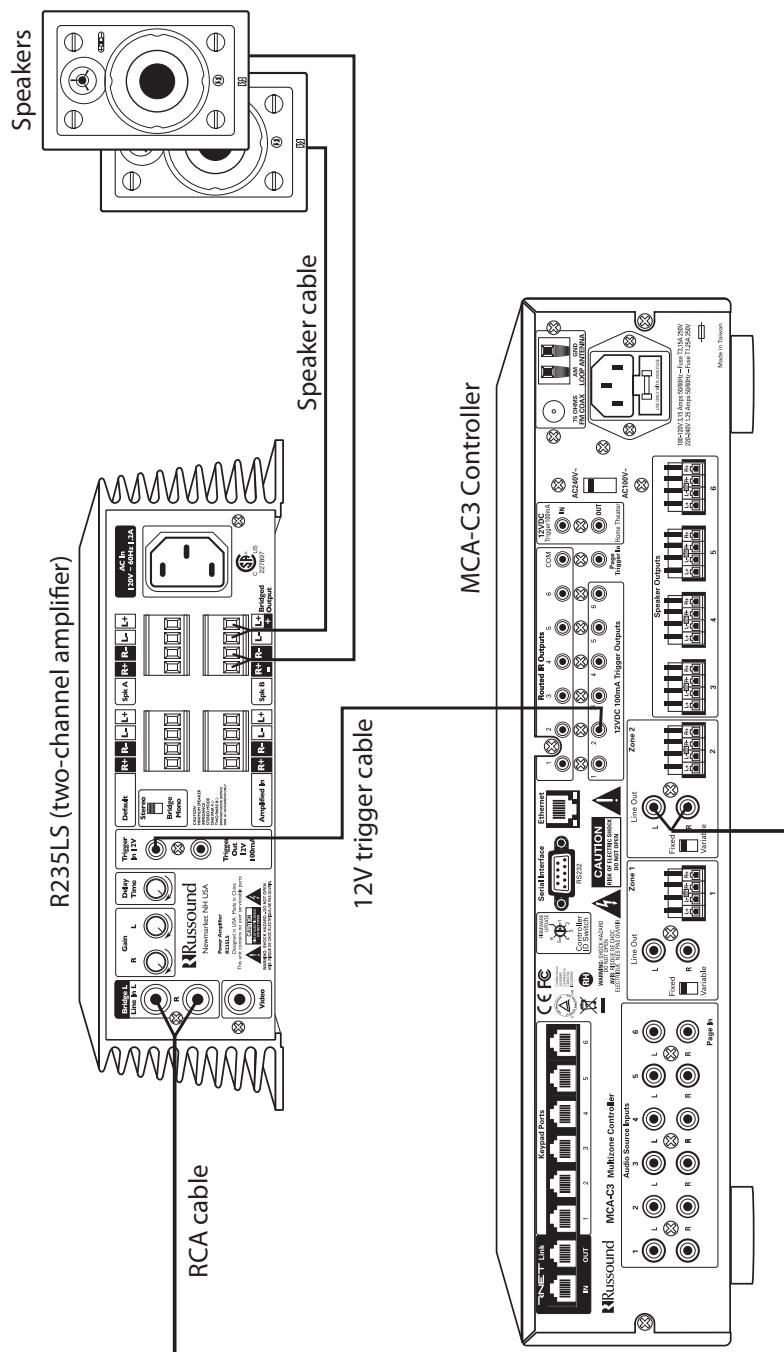
Linked Controllers

## TRIGGER CONNECTIONS

### Zone 12VDC Trigger Outputs

There are six zone 12VDC Triggers which are located under the routed IR outputs. The 3.5mm mini port provides 12VDC 100mA when the corresponding zone is turned on and is disengaged when the zone is turned off. The trigger can be used to engage any 12VDC trigger device or component that does not exceed 100mA, such as the Russound R235LS amplifier. The connections for the trigger outputs are made using a two-conductor cable with 3.5mm male mini-plug ports at each end. The tip is positive (+) and sleeve is negative (-).

**NOTE:** When the Zone 1 and/or 2 Line out connections are set at Fixed, the connection is always on.



Typical Amplifier Connection

### Page Trigger IN

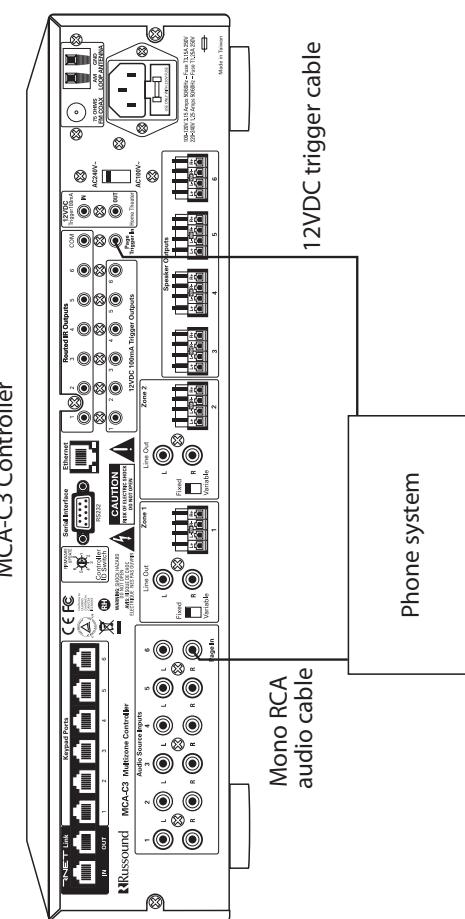
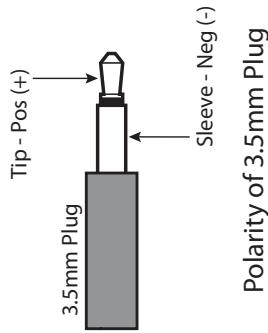
The page trigger can be used to trigger a page event, configurable using SCS-C5 software (see pg. 27). The 12VDC trigger input selects the audio input from Source 6 (if configured in software as the Page Input) and sends it to any zone that does not have page disabled or that is not in Do Not Disturb mode. **Do not use** the page trigger input if there is a regular audio source connected to Source 6.

**Note:** The diagram at right shows the required cable to the 12VDC trigger in from the phone system - this will initiate the page.

### Paging Audio IN

The MCA-C3 has a paging audio input on Source 6 (right channel only) that accepts line level audio signals via RCA cables. The paging inputs interface with the page output of a telephone system or other peripheral device. When a page event is triggered, it interrupts audio outputs for all enabled zones. System paging can be disabled permanently in each zone by software programming or temporarily with Do Not Disturb. To utilize Source 6 for paging input, it must be configured as a page source in the SCS-C5 set up.

**Note:** If Source 6 is enabled for paging events then only five source inputs are available.



Typical Paging Configuration  
(if using source 6 for paging events)

## TRIGGER CONNECTIONS

### Home Theater Triggers

These triggers are used to integrate with home theater systems that can provide a 12 volt trigger. The MCA-C3 can be used to power manage sources that are being shared with the home theater system. For example, the power management system will check to see the state of the home theater before powering down source gear. Refer to the sample configuration diagram on the next page for connections.

**IN**  
This 12VDC Trigger input will have different functionality based on the state of the system and the state of the trigger. The connections for the trigger are made using a two-conductor cable with 3.5mm male mini-plug. The tip is positive (+) and the sleeve is negative (-).

"System Off" (all zones have been off for at least 5 minutes): If 12VDC is applied to this input, it will activate the power management ON command to the sources. While all zones are still OFF and 12VDC is removed, the system will wait 5 minutes and then activate the power management OFF command to the sources.

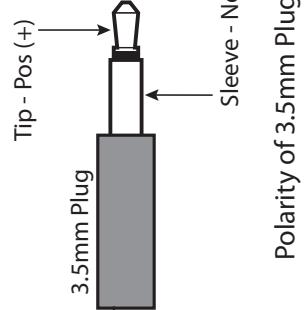
"System On" (at least one zone is on): If 12VDC is present but all zones get turned OFF, the power management OFF commands will not be sent until 5 minutes after the 12VDC is removed from the trigger.

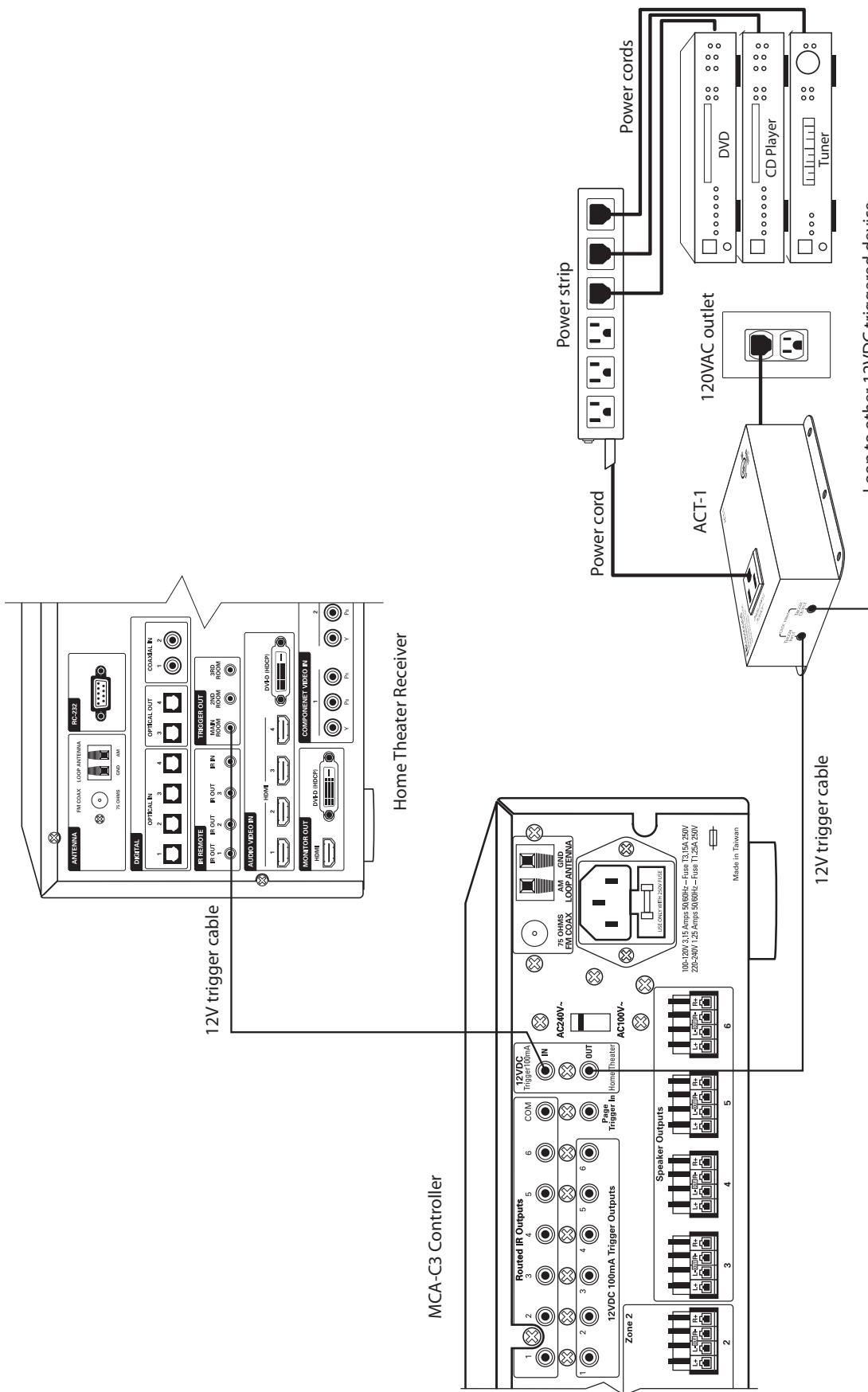
**Note:** If the trigger is not being used, power management will operate normally.

### OUT

The 12VDC 100mA trigger out can be used to engage any 12VDC trigger device or component such as the Russound ACT-1 triggered outlet. The connections for the trigger out are made using a two-conductor cable with 3.5mm male mini-plug ports at each end. The tip is positive (+) and the sleeve is negative (-).

The output will be activated when the first zone is turned on (system on) and is deactivated six minutes after the last zone is turned off (system off), unless the home trigger input has 12VDC present.



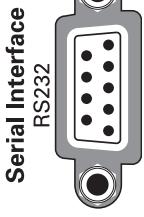


Sample Configuration - Home Theater Trigger

## ADDITIONAL CONNECTIONS

### RS232 Serial Interface

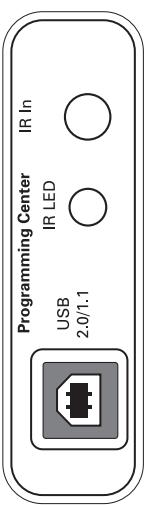
The RS232 serial port is located on the back of the MCA-C3 and uses a DB-9 cable connection. The MCA-C3 supports serial communication with various third-party automation systems through the RS232 port. The RS232 port supports RNET hex and RIO text communication protocols, and ARCAM DAB tuner control. These features can be enabled using the SCS-C5 software (see pg. 27). This port can also be used for firmware updates. A third party toolkit and firmware update protocol is available on the Document Center at [www.russound.com](http://www.russound.com).



**Serial Interface**

### USB Port

The MCA-C3 has a USB 2.0/1.1 port on the front panel for ease of controller programming with SCS-C5 software.



**USB Port**

### AM/FM Antenna Connections:

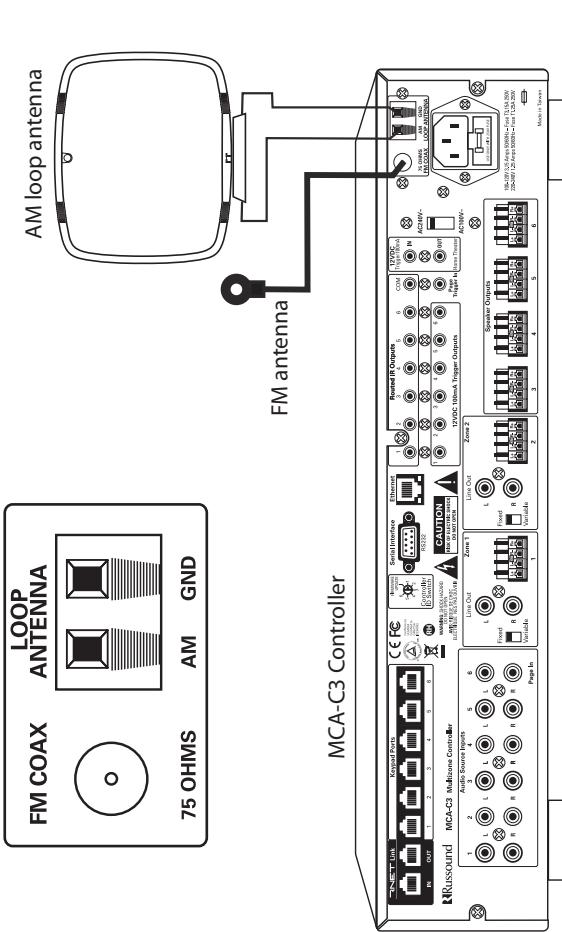
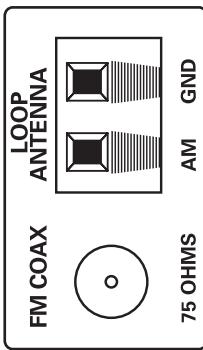
#### AM Antenna

Connect the included loop antenna for AM reception to the back panel, attaching the GND (ground) and AM ends to the appropriate connections. It is recommended to use an external outdoor or attic-mounted long wire antenna for best performance for AM reception. Use a 75-ohm to 300-ohm balun at the AM connection on the controller, and attach the 75-ohm coax cable to the balun.



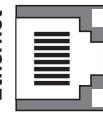
**AM Antenna**

Attach the included FM antenna to the FM COAX connection on the back panel by pushing the F-type quick-connect termination of the antenna onto the FM connection. It is recommended to use an external outdoor or attic-mounted long wire antenna for best performance for FM reception. Attach the desired length of 75-ohm coax cable directly to the FM connection on the controller.



### Ethernet Port

The MCA-C3 has an RJ45 port on the rear panel for connectivity to the local Ethernet network for SCS-C5 programming and RIO text control. In a multicontroller system, only Controller 1 Ethernet port is active.



## **SCS-C5 CONFIGURATION SOFTWARE**

### ***Programmable options with SCS-C5 software***

The necessary software (SCS-C5) to program and configure the system is available via download from the Doc Center at [www.russound.com](http://www.russound.com). With your PC laptop, you can configure the system prior to connecting with the MCA-C3 controller. The software has a Source Setup Wizard to aid in the setup and basic configuration of the sources. Once configured, the system information can be saved to a file. Reports can also be generated for a hard copy back up of the system configuration.

Items to be programmed with SCS-C5 software include:

**Source Configuration** - group by zone- or source-based options.

**Zone and Source Names** - a list of predefined names for both are available and will be visible upon keypads and in reports. Custom naming is also possible following the character parameters.

**Source Exclusion** - defines the set of sources available to each zone.

**Party Mode Participation** - defines whether the zone can participate in Party mode.

**Zone and Source Linked Groups** - Two groups of each type are allowed per controller. Groups share source selection and party mode participation.

**All ON Participation** - defines whether or not the zone will respond to the All ON command.

**Page Event mode** - defines whether a zone will respond to a page event.

**Page Volume** - sets the volume of a page event in each zone.

**Power Management of Sources** - enabled / disabled per source. If enabled the source will turn on when the first zone is turned on or the home theater trigger has 12VDC present. The source will turn off 5 minutes after the last zone is turned off, or 5 minutes after input is discontinued from the home theater trigger. This feature uses IR commands and audio signal sensing to power up sources and initiate audio to confirm source power states. **NOTE:** Power management must be enabled for RNET sources for controller to go into standby mode.

**Internal AM/FM Tuner on Source 1** - If the tuner is utilized, any input via the Source 1 input ports on the rear of the unit needs to be disabled.  
**Sound Controls** - Adjust Bass, Treble, Balance, and Loudness initial settings.  
**IR Keycode Learning** - allows IR codes to be learned, saved, and managed.  
**Page Input on Source 6** - assigns Source 6 as a paging input.

## SYSTEM START UP

### Start up

1. Make connections of sources, speakers and keypads to the controller(s).
2. In a multiple controller configuration, set the controller IDs to unique numbers. Use CAT-5e linking cables of no more than 18 in (45.7 cm) to link the controllers. Link by interconnecting the RNET Link ports.
3. Plug in and power the sources and controllers.
4. The left LED showing power on the front panel of each controller should be lit.
5. Configure the system using the SCS-C5 software. Load the program onto Controller#1 using the front USB port or back panel Ethernet port.
6. Check operation of the keypads, power on, and cycle through sources. For correct operation, each RNET source must be configured with a unique source ID and must match the assignment made with the SCS-C5 Configuration software (see pg. 27).
7. Check zone keypads. The zone LED should be lit on the front of the controller if the corresponding keypad is on. The LED will not be lit if the keypad is not turned on or is absent.
8. Check operation of all keypad functions.
9. Check for functional IR signal pass-through (if applicable).
10. The system is now ready to use.

### Troubleshooting

- Troubleshooting**
1. When the controller and the keypads are powered ON, all the corresponding zone LEDs on the face of the controller will be green. Improper connection may cause one or more LEDs not to be lit. Check all connections.
  2. Cycle power by pressing the power button, waiting 10 seconds, and then pressing the power button again.
  3. Check connections from the keypads and speakers to the controller(s).
  4. If the keypad doesn't respond to commands ensure the OS update jumper on the rear of the keypad is in the RUN position (on the lower pins).

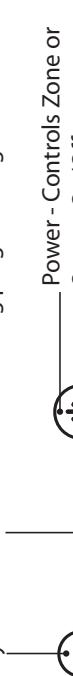
### Programming a Device

**NOTE:** System sources are programmed with SCS-C5 Configuration software.

The SRC-C5 remote has the capability of being programmed for local sources. To control Universal TV, VCR or DVD, Cable or Satellite Receivers, Amplifier or tuner, and Auxiliary devices, follow these steps. Before proceeding, find the codes for the devices you want to program in "Manufacturer's Codes" in this manual.

1. Turn on the device (e.g., DVD player) and if needed, load media.
2. Press a device key.
3. Press and hold SET until the red LED blinks twice, then release.
4. Enter the first five-digit code for your device. The LED blinks once as each digit is entered. If the code is correct, the LED blinks twice.  
Note: If the LED does not blink twice, repeat step 4 and try entering the code again.
5. Aim the remote at the device and press POWER. The device should turn off. If it does not, repeat steps 3-5, trying each code for your brand until you find one that works. If you cannot find a code that works see "Searching for Your Code" in this manual.
6. Repeat steps 1-5 for the other devices you want to control. For future reference, write down each working device code.

Set - Press and Hold until LED flashes appropriately



Source - Selects local source or RNET controls



Numeric Keypad - Enter IR codes and numeric input



### Searching for your Code

If your device does not respond to the remote after trying all codes listed for our brand, or if your brand is not listed, try searching for your code:

1. Press a device key once.
2. Press and hold SET until the red LED blinks twice, then release.
3. Enter 9-9-1, then the device group number (see below). The LED blinks twice.  
0 Cable (Cable Converters, Video Accessories, Satellite Receivers)  
1 TV (TVs)  
2 VCR (VCRs, DVD players)  
3 Audio (Audio Amplifiers, Audio Amp/Tuners, CD players)
4. Aim the remote at the device and press POWER. The remote sends IR codes from its library to the selected device, starting with the most popular code first. If the device responds, go to step 6.
5. If the device does not respond, press CH+. the remote will try the next code. Continue until the device responds. Press CH- to try the previous code.
6. Press SET to lock in code. To search for other device codes, repeat steps 1-5.

### Checking the Codes

If you have set up the remote using the procedure in "Searching for Your Code," you may need to find out which five-digit code is operating your equipment. For example, to find out which code is assigned to your TV:

1. Press the key to which the TV is assigned.
2. Press and hold SET until the red LED blinks twice, then release.
3. Enter 9-9-0. The LED blinks twice.
4. To view the code's first digit, press 1. Count the LED blinks (e.g., three blinks =3), and enter the number in the appropriate device list in step 8 of "Programming a Device." If a code digit is 0, the LED does not blink.
5. Repeat step 4 for the remaining digits, using 2 for the second digit, and so on.
6. To check for other device codes, repeat steps 1-5, using the appropriate key.

### Remote Control Programming Keys

## REMOTE CONTROL - PROGRAMMING

### Using Learning

The SRC-C5 includes a Learning feature so you can add functions that are unique to your home entertainment devices (e.g., VCR Tracking Up or Down). The following precautions apply:

- The original remote control must be in working order and available for learning to work properly.
- Learned keys are mode specific, so each one can store a unique function for each mode.
- Do not use the following keys for learning: Device Keys, SET, Back, or Record.
- Learning capacity is approximately 40 to 100 keys, depending on the code being learned.
- Certain device codes are not learnable including multi-frequency types, some high frequency ones, and other unusual formats.
- For optimum learning, avoid high levels of ambient light such as natural sunlight or energy-efficient fluorescent lights.

### Programming a learned key

*Note: If more than 15 seconds pass between key presses, the remote exits programming.*

1. Press and hold SET until LED flashes twice.
2. Press 9-7-5.
3. Press a device key once to assign a mode for learning.
4. Place the SRC-C5 head-to-head (about 2" apart) from your original remote control. Also locate the key (on original remote control) that will serve as the teaching function.
5. On the SRC-C5, press a key where the learned function will be stored.
6. On the original remote, press and hold the key to be learned. The SRC-C5 LED will turn off. Continue holding the key on the original remote until the SRC-C5 LED blinks twice.
7. Repeat steps 4-6 for another key on same device, or steps 1-6 for another device.

### Deleting a single learning key

1. Select a source.
2. Press and hold SET until the LED flashes twice.
3. Press 9-7-6.
4. Press the key (twice) containing the learned function to be deleted. The remote blinks twice.

5. Repeat steps 1-4 for another key on the same source, or press and hold SET to exit programming.

### Deleting all learned keys in a specific mode

1. Press and hold SET until the LED blinks twice.
2. Press 9-7-6.
3. Press a device key twice to delete all the learned keys for that mode. The LED blinks twice.
4. Repeat steps 1-3 for another set of keys for a device, or press and hold SET to exit programming.

### Factory Initialization of SRC-C5

1. Press and hold SET until the LED blinks twice.
2. Press 9-8-0.
3. After the LED flashes four times, the remote will be reset to factory default.

### Changing Volume Lock

The SRC-C5 remote is preset to allow independent volume control of each selected device (Global Volume Unlock). However, you may change the Volume Lock setting to Global Volume Lock so that one device's volume will control volume in all other modes. After that, you can perform Individual Volume Unlock on a selected device to set its volume control for independent operation or Global Volume Unlock to remove all volume locking.

### Locking Volume Control to One Mode (Global Volume Lock)

1. Press and hold SET until the red LED blinks twice.

2. Enter 9-9-3 and then press the mode key for the device you want to control volume (e.g., TV). The LED blinks twice. Now when you press VOL+, VOL-, or Mute, the selected device will control the volume regardless of the current mode.

### Unlocking All Volume Control (Restoring Global Unlock)

1. Press and hold SET until the red LED blinks twice, then release.

2. Enter 9-9-3 and then press VOL+. The LED blinks four times. Volume is independently controlled for all programmed devices.

### Unlocking a Single Device's Volume Control

1. Press a device key (VID, DVD, etc.).

2. Press and hold SET until the red LED blinks twice, then release.

3. Enter 9-9-3 and then press VOL-. The LED blinks four times. Volume is independently controlled for the selected devices.

## SRC-C5 REMOTE CONTROL DEVICE CODES

### MANUFACTURER's CODES

#### Setup Codes for Audio Amplifiers

AMW	31563, 31615	Lexicon	31076	Scott	30163, 30322
Amam	31074, 31609	LG	30281, 31293	Sharp 3	0186, 30771, 31286, 31361, 31386
ApeX Digital	31257, 31430	Linn	30189	Sharper Image	30797, 31263, 31385, 31409, 31410,
Accam	31120, 31189	Liquid Video	31497		31411, 31416, 31545, 31546, 31549,
Accuphase	30382	Lloyd's	30195	Sherwood	31556, 31723
Acurus	30765	XL	30181		30062, 30491, 30502, 31077, 31423,
Adcom	30577, 31100	Magnavox	30128, 30189, 30195, 30391, 30531,		31517, 31567, 31653
Aragon	30765	Marantz	30039, 30128, 30189, 30200, 31089,	Shinsonic	31426
AudioSource	30011		31189, 31269, 31289	Sirius	31602, 31627
Bel Canto Design	31583	McIntosh	31289	Sonic	30281
Bose	30639, 31229, 31253	MCS	30039, 30346	Sonic Blue	31383, 31532, 31869
Brix	31602	Menox	31596	Sony	30158, 30168, 31042, 31058, 31131,
Carver	30892	Capetronic	30531		31158, 31288, 31347, 31349, 31367,
Curtis Mathes	30300	Cambridge Soundworks	31370, 31477		31371, 31382, 31406, 31441, 31442,
Durabrand	31561	Carver	30008, 30042, 30121, 30189, 30360,		31458, 31503, 31529, 31558, 31658,
GE	30078		31089, 31189, 31289		31758, 31759, 31858
Harman/Kardon	30992	Casio	30195	Sounddesign	30670
JVC	30331	Clarinette	30195	Stereophonics	31023
Kenwood	30356	Classic	31352	Sunfire	30313, 30314, 31052, 31313
Klipsch	30765		31263, 31389, 31513	Sylvania	30797
Left Coast	30892	Compaq	31136	Nakamichi	30097, 30347, 31313, 31555
Lenoxx	31561	Criterion	31420	NEC	30235
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Marantz	30321, 30892	Mathes	30080	Nova	31389
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Nakamichi	30321		30004, 30121, 30273, 30771, 31104,	Panasonic	30219, 30440, 30531, 30670, 30738,
NEC	30264	Denon	31142, 31311, 31360, 30023, 30302		30797, 30801, 30849, 31023, 31074
Optimus	30300, 30395	Emerson	30255, 30424	Oritron	31366, 31497
Parasound	30246	Fisher	30042, 30219, 30360, 31409, 31801	Outlaw	31487
Philips	30892	Fosgate	31487	Outlaw Audio	31487
Pioneer	30013, 30300	Garrard	30146, 30281, 30424, 30440, 30463		
Polk Audio	30892	Gateway	31517, 31567	Panasonic	30039, 30309, 30367, 30518, 31288,
PS Audio	31523	GE	31379		31308, 31316, 31350, 31363, 31509,
RCA	30300	Glory Horse	31263		31518, 31548, 31633, 31763, 31764
Realistic	30395	Go Video	31352, 31532	Penney	30189, 30391, 31089, 31120, 31189,
Sansui	30321	GoldStar	30281	Philips	31266, 31268, 31269, 31283, 31365,
Shure	30264	GPX	31299	Pioneer	30014, 30080, 30150, 30244, 30531,
Sony	30689, 30815	Hafler	30146	Polk	30630, 30801, 31023, 31084, 31184,
Sounddesign	30078, 30211	Harman/Kardon	30110, 30130, 30189, 30891, 31306	Proscan	31343, 31384
Victor	30331	Hewlett Packard	31181	Polaroid	31508
Wards	30013, 30078, 30211	Hitachi	31273, 313801	Quasar	30039
Yamaha	30133, 30143, 30354, 30504	Initial	31426	RadioShack	31263
YBA	31502	Inkel	30062	RCA	30054, 30080, 30346, 30360, 30530,
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Akai	30076, 30224, 31255, 31512		30313, 30314, 30569, 31027, 31051,	Rio Audio	31383
Alco	31390		31052, 31313, 31569, 31570	Saba	31519
AMC	31077			Samsung	31295, 31500
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Amplifier Technologies	31584			Lenox	31764
				Sanyo	30219, 30801, 31251, 31469, 31801

## SRC-C5 REMOTE CONTROL DEVICE CODES

### Setup Codes for Cable Converters

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Comtronics	00040	Seam	00510	Scientific Atlanta	000008, 000117, 00477, 00877, 011877
Contec	00019	Signal	00015, 00040		
Coolmax	00883	Signature	00011		
Digi	00637	SL Marx	00040		
Director	00476	Sony	01006		
Dumont	00637	Sprucer	00021		
Eastern	00002	Starcom	00003, 00015		
Emerson	00797	Stargate	00015, 00040, 00797		
Everquest	00015, 00040	Starquest	00015		
Focus	00400	Supercable	00276		
Garrard	00153	Supernax	00883		
GC Electronics	00056, 00207	Sylvania	00001		
Gemini	00015, 00797	Tandy	00258		
General Instrument	00003, 00011, 00276, 00476, 00810	Television	00040		
Global	01327	Texscan	00001		
GoldStar	00040, 00144	TEC	00310		
Goodmind	00797	Time Warner Cable	01877		
Hamlin	00009, 00020, 00034, 00259, 00273	Timeless	00040		
Hitachi	00011	Tocom	00012, 00013		
Hytex	00007	Torx	00003		
Jasco	00015, 00153, 00315	Toshiba	00000		
Jerrold	00003, 00011, 00012, 00014, 00015,	Tristar	00883		
00276	00476, 00810	Tusa	00015		
Linsay	00440	TV86	00063		
Magnavox	00027	Unika	00022, 00153, 00207		
Memorex	00000	United Artists	00007		
Motorola	00014, 00276, 00476, 00810, 01106,	Universal	00022, 00056, 00153, 00191, 00207		
Movie Time	00063, 01376	V2	00883		
Multitech	00883	Viewmaster	00883		
Novaplex	00618	Viewstar	00027, 00063, 00258		
NSC	00063, 00156	Vision	00883		
Oak	00007, 00019	Vortex View	00883		
Optimus	00021	Zenith	00000, 00525, 00899		
Pace	00008, 00237, 01877	Zentek	00400		
Panasonic	00000, 00021, 00107	AIC	30018		
Panther	00637	Adcom	30015, 30234		
Paragon	00000	Alwa	30012, 30124, 30157		
Philips	00025, 00027, 00031, 00153, 00317,	Akai	30156		
Pioneer	00144, 00533, 00877, 01021, 01877	Acirc	30157		
Popular Mechanics	00400	Audio Alchemy	30194		
Pulsar	00000	Audio-Technica	30170		
Quasar	00000	BSR	30194, 30245		
RadioShack	00015, 00315, 00797, 00883	Burmester	30420		
RCA	00021	California Audio Labs	30029, 30303		
Realistic	00207	Carrera	30194		
Recoton	00400	Carver	30157, 30179, 30437		
Regal	00020, 00259, 00273, 00279	Classic	31297		
Regency	00002	Crown	30122		
Rembrandt	00011	DAK	30245		
Runcio	00000	DBX	30254		
Samsung	00040, 00144	Denon	30003, 30626, 30873		

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DNX Electronics	30157	Rotel	30157, 30420
Emerson	30155, 30164, 30305, 30469	SAE	30157, 30202, 30305
Fisher	30088, 30174, 30179, 30342, 311325	Sanyo	30087, 30179
Garrard	30245, 30280, 30393, 30420, 30425	Scott	30155, 30164, 30305
GE	30009	Gemini	30305
Genexxa	30032, 30164, 30305	Sharp	30037, 30180, 30861
GoldStar	30417, 31208	Sherwood	30180, 30196, 30426, 31067
GPK	31296	Shure	30043
Harman/Kardon	30157, 30173, 30426, 31202	Simaudio	30157
Hitachi	30032, 30155	Sonic Frontiers	30157
Integra	30101	Sony	30000, 30100, 30185, 30490, 30604,
JVC	30072, 30655, 31294	Sounddesign	30145, 31364
Kenwood	30028, 30037, 30190, 30626, 30681, 30826	STS	30018
KLH	31318	Sugden	30157
Kodak	30287	Symphonic	30305
Koss	31317	TAG McLaren	30157
Krell	30157	Tascam	30420
Kyocera	30018	TDK	31208
LG	31208	Teac	30174, 30180, 30393, 30420
Linn	30157	Technics	30029, 30207, 30303
Luxman	30093	Tivoli Audio	31553
LXI	30305	Vector Research	30194, 30417
Magnavox	30157, 30305	Victor	30072
Marantz	30029, 30157, 30180, 30626	Wards	30053, 30157
Mark Levinson	31484	Yamaha	30036, 30170, 30187, 30490, 30888,
McIntosh	30287	YBA	31292
MCS	30029, 30043	York	30625
Miro	30000		30461
Mission	30157		
MTC	30420, 30625		
Nakamichi	30147		
NEC	30043, 30234		
Nikko	30164, 30170, 30174, 30625		
NSM	30157		
Onkyo	30101, 30868		
Optimus	30000, 30032, 30037, 30087, 30145,		
Parasound	30175, 30179, 30194, 30280,		
Philips	30305, 30342, 30420, 30426, 30437,		
Pioneer	30468, 31063, 31075		
Panasonic	30029, 30303, 30752		
Optimus	30000, 30032, 30037, 30087, 30145,		
Parasound	30194, 30420		
Philips	30157, 30287, 30626		
Pioneer	30032, 30305, 30468, 31062, 31063,		
Polk Audio	30157		
Proceed	30420		
Proton	30157		
QED	30157		
Quad	30157		
Quasar	30029		
RadioShack	31075		
RCA	30009, 30032, 30053, 30155, 30179,		
DBX	30305, 30420, 30468, 30764, 31062		
Denon	30155, 30164, 30175, 30179, 30179,		
DKK	30000		
LG	30145		
Linksys	30122, 30135		
Macro Image Technology	301383		
Media Center PC	01272		
Microsoft	01272		
Mind	01272		
Motorola	01363		
MyHD	01383		
Niveus Media	01222		

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ADC	30018		
Adcom	30015, 30234		
Alwa	30012, 30124, 30157		
Akai	30156		
Acirc	30157		
Audio Alchemy	30194		
Audio-Technica	30170		
BSR	30194, 30245		
Burmester	30420		
California Audio Labs	30029, 30303		
Carrera	30194		
Carver	30157, 30179, 30437		
Classic	31297		
Crown	30122		
DAK	30245		
DBX	30254		
Denon	30003, 30626, 30873		
DKK	30000		

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Northgate	01272	Mchintosh	21533
Panasonic	01120	Memorex	20695
Pinnacle Systems	01268	Microsoft	20522
Pioneer	01010	Mintek	20717, 20839, 21190
Princeton	00113, 00295	Mitsubishi	20521, 21521
Rabbit	00081	Momitsu	21082
Riccati	01272	NAD	20591, 20692
Roku	01486	NEC	20785
Samsung	01190, 01490	Nesa	20717
Sensory Science	01126	Next Base	20826
Sharp	01010	Niro	22024
SiMC	01456	Norcent	20872, 21003, 21107, 211923
Sony	01272, 01324, 01364	Nova	21923
Stack 9	01272	Onkyo	20593, 20627, 20792, 211924, 21985
Streamzap	01309	Orion	20695
Systemax	01272	Oritron	20651, 21980
Tägar Systems	01272	Panasonic	20490, 20503, 20632, 21362, 21462,
TeleCaption	00171	GE	21490, 21762, 21907, 21908, 21909,
Toshiba	01272	21910, 21925, 21936, 21990, 22017	
Touch	01272	Philco	22000
Viewsonic	01222, 01329	Philips	20503, 20539, 20646, 20675, 20854,
Vizio	01126	PianoDisc	21024
Voodoo	01272	Pioneer	20525, 20571, 20631, 20632, 20638,
ZT Group	01272	Polaroid	21571, 21902, 21965
Harman/Kardon	20582, 20702	Polk Audio	21020, 21061, 21086, 21200, 211998
Hitachi	20573, 20664, 21919	Portland	20770
Hiteker	20672	Presidian	20675
Initial	20717, 211931	Prima	21016
Integra	20571, 20627, 211924	Princeton	20674
Jamo	22003	Proceed	20672
Jaton	21078	ProScan	20522
JBL	20702, 21926	ProVision	20778
Jensen	21016	Qwestar	20651
JVC	20585, 20623, 20867, 211901, 211940	RCA	20522, 20571, 20711, 20822, 211022,
JWin	21049, 21051	RCA	21132, 21193, 21193, 211965, 211974
Kenwood	20490, 20534, 20682, 21063	Regent	21938
KLH	20717, 211020, 21149, 211939	Rio	20869, 22002
KLH Digital	20717	Rotel	20623
Konka	20711, 20719, 20720, 20721	Rowa	20823
Koss	20651, 211980	Saba	211977
Landel	20826	Sampo	20698, 20752
Lasonic	20798, 21173	Samsung	20490, 20573, 20744, 20820, 20899,
Leeson	21533	Sharp	20630, 20675, 20752
Lenox	21938	Sansui	20695
LG	20591, 20801, 20869, 211906	Sanyo	21044, 21075, 211932, 211979
Liquid Video	21980	Sensory Science	211158
LiteOn	21058, 21158	Sharp	20630, 20675, 20752
Loewe	20511	Sharper Image	21117, 211995
Magnasonic	20651, 20769	Sherwood	20633, 20770, 21043, 211077
Magnavox	20503, 20539, 20646, 20675, 20821,	Shinsonic	20533, 20839, 211931
Axon	21071, 211072	Sigma Designs	20674
B & K	20655, 20662	Sonic Blue	20533, 20772, 20864, 211033, 21533,
Bel Canto Design	21571	Sony	21903, 21904, 21934, 21981, 22020
Blue Parrot	20571	Sony	20533, 20773, 20873, 211919, 211967
Cavus	21057	Sony	20670, 20695, 20873, 211919, 211967
Cinevision	20833, 20869, 20876	Sony	20533, 20772, 20864, 211033, 21533,
Marantz	21159	Sony	21903, 21904, 21934, 21981, 22020
Marantz	21159	Malata	20782, 21159

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Adcom	21094	Hiteker	20672	Prima	21016	AlphaStar	00772
Advent	21016	Initial	20717,21931	Princeton	20674	Chaparral	00216
Alwa	20641 21912	Integra	20571,20627,21924	Proceed	20672	Crossdigital	01109
Akai	20695, 20770, 20899, 21089, 21975	Jamo	22003	ProScan	20522	DirectV	00099, 00247, 00392, 00566, 00639, 00724, 00749, 00819, 01076, 01108, 01109, 01142, 01392, 01414, 01442, 01443, 01444, 01639, 01640, 01749,
Allegro	20869	Jaton	21078	ProVision	20778	Dish Network	00775
Amphion	20872, 21176, 22001, 22016	JBL	20702, 21926	Qwestar	20651	Dish Network System	00775, 01005, 01170, 01505,
AMW	20872, 21176, 22001, 22016	Jensen	21016	RCA	20522, 20571, 20717, 20822, 21022, 21132, 21193, 21193, 21965, 21974	Dishpro	01775
Anam	21913	JVC	20558, 20623, 20867, 21901, 21940	Regent	21938	Echostar	00775, 01005, 01170, 01505, 01775
Apex Digital	20672, 20717, 20755, 20794, 20796, 21061, 21100, 21004, 21020, 21056, 21061, 21100, 21915, 21937	JWin	21049, 21051	Rio	20869, 22002	ExpressVu	00775, 011775
Aspire Digital	21168	Kenwood	20490, 20534, 20682, 21063	Rotel	20623	Funai	00338
Audiologic	20736	KLH	20717, 21020, 21149, 21939	Rowa	20823	GE	00392, 00566
Audiovox	20717, 21041, 21071, 21072, 21121, 21122	KLH Digital	20717	Saba	21977	General Instrument	00869
Axion	21071, 21072	Konka	20711, 20719, 20720, 20721	Sampo	20698, 20752	GOI	00775, 011775
B & K	20655, 20662	Koss	20651, 21980	Samsung	20490, 20573, 20744, 20820, 20899, 21044, 21075, 21932, 21979	Goodmans	01246
Bel Canto Design	21571	Landel	20826	Sansui	20695	Hisense	01535
Blaupunkt	20717	Lasonic	20798, 21173	Sanyo	20670, 20695, 20873, 21919, 21967	Hitachi	00214, 00489, 00491, 00819, 01250, 00023, 00201
Blue Parade	20571	Leeson	21533	Sensory Science	21158	HTS	00775, 011775
Broksonic	20695, 20868	Lenox	21938	Sharp	20630, 20675, 20752	Hughes	00749, 01142, 01749
Brydson	20872	LG	20591, 20801, 20869, 21906	Sharpener Image	21117, 21995	Hughes Network Systems	00749, 01142, 01749
California Audio Labs	20490	Liquid Video	21980	Sherwood	20633, 20770, 21043, 21077	Malata	01443, 01444, 01749
Cambridge Soundworks	21916	LiteOn	21058, 21158	Shinsonic	20533, 20839, 21931	Sony	01903, 20772, 20864, 21981, 22002
CAVS	21057	Loewe	20511	Sigma Designs	20674	Sonic Blue	20533, 20772, 20864, 21981, 21533, 21903, 21904, 21934, 21981, 22002
Cinevision	21159	Magnasonic	20651, 20769	Sonic Blue	21093, 20772, 20864, 21981, 22002	Marantz	20533, 21157
		Magnavox	20503, 20539, 20646, 20675, 20821, 21914, 21976				
		Malata					
		Sony					

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AlphaStar	00772
Chaparral	00216
Crossdigital	01109
DirectTV	00099, 00247, 00392, 00566, 00639, 00724, 00749, 00819, 01076, 01108, 01109, 01142, 01392, 01414, 01442, 01443, 01444, 01639, 01640, 01749, 01856
Dish Network	00775, 01005, 01170, 01505,
Dish Network System	00775, 01005, 01170, 01505, 01775
Dishpro	00775, 01005, 01505, 01775
Echostar	00775, 01005, 01170, 01505, 01775
ExpressVu	00775, 01775
Funai	00338
GE	00392, 00566
General Instrument	00869
GOI	00775, 01775
Goodmans	01246
Hisense	01535
Hitachi	00214, 00489, 00491, 00819, 01250, 00023, 00201
HTS	00775, 01775
Hughes	00749, 01442, 01749
Hughes Network Systems	00749, 01142, 01442, 01443, 01444, 01749
ilLo	01535

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Apex Digital	10156, 10748, 10765, 10767, 10879, 1,1943	ESA 10171, 10812 Fisher 10154, 10159
Archer	10003	Fujitsu 10179, 10186, 10683, 10809, 10853 Funai 10171, 10179, 10180, 10264, 10342, 11904, 11913
Audiovox	00869 JVC 00492, 00775, 01170, 01775	Futuretech 10180 Gateway 11755, 11756 GE 10021, 10027, 10047, 10051, 10055, 10135, 10178, 10282, 10451, 11347, 11447, 11907, 11919, 11922
Aventura	01226, 01414	General 10186 Gibraltar 10017, 10019, 10030 Go Video 10886 GoldStar 10001, 10019, 10030, 10032, 10178, 11926
Axion	1,1937	Goodmans 10360 Grundig 10683 Grunpy 10179, 10180 Haier 10768, 11034 Hallmark 10178
Belcor	1,0019	Harley, Davidson 10179, 11904 Harman/Kardon 10054 Harvard 10180
Bell & Howell	1,0016, 10154	Havermey 10093 Helios 10865 Hello Kitty 10451 Hisense 10748 Hitachi 10016, 10032, 10038, 10056, 10145, 10151, 10178, 10179, 11145, 1150, 11245, 11904
BenQ	1,032, 11756	Hyundai 10849 Infinity 10054 Inteq 10017 Janeil 10046 JBL 10054 JCB 10000 Jensen 10761, 10815, 10817, 11933 JVC 10036, 10053, 10160, 10653, 11253, 11923
Boxlight	1,0893	Kaypani 10052 KEC 10180 Kenwood 10019, 10030 KLH 10765, 10767
Bradford	1,0180	Dumont 10017, 10019 Durabrand 10003, 10171, 10178, 10463, 11034, 11463
Brockwood	1,0019	Dwinn 10093, 10720, 10774 Electroband 10000, 10185 Electrograph 11755
Broksonic	1,0003, 10180, 10236, 10463, 11905, 11911, 11929, 11935, 11938	Lloyd's 11904 Loewe 10136 Logik 10016 Luxman 10056 LX 10047, 10054, 10154, 10156, 10178
Next Level	00869	Magnavox 10020, 10024, 10030, 10036, 10054, 10096, 10179, 10186, 10187, 10386, 10706, 10802, 11254, 11454, 11904, 11913, 11931, 11944
Panasonic	00214, 00247, 00340, 00500, 00701	Majestic 10016 Marantz 10030, 10054, 10704, 10854, 10855, 11154, 11454
Paystar	00999, 00722, 00724, 00749, 00819, 01076, 01142, 01442, 01749	Maruman 10391, Matsushita 10161, 10250, 10650
Philips	01442	Maxent 11755 Megapower 10700 Megatron 10003, 10145, 10178
Pioneer	01442	Memorex 10016, 10150, 10154, 10178, 10179, 10463, 11911, 11920, 11924, 11926, 11927
Proscan	00392, 00566	MGA 10019, 10030, 10150, 10178, 11907, Midland 10017, 10032, 10039, 10047, 10051, 10135
Proton	01535	Minutz 10221 Mitsubishi 10019, 10036, 10093, 10150, 10178, 10250, 10836, 10868, 11150, 11250, 11917
Radioshack	0,0869	Monivision 10700, 10843 Motorola 10055, 10093
RCA	00143, 00392, 00566, 00855, 01392	MTC 10019, 10030, 10056, 10060, 10185
Samsung	01,0108, 01109, 01142, 01276, 01442	Multitech 10180
Sanyo	00493, 01219	NAD 10156, 10178, 10866
Sharp	00494	NEC 10019, 10030, 10036, 10056, 10156, 10170, 10474, 10497, 10882, 11704, 11755
Sony	00163, 00294, 00639, 01639, 01640	NetTV
Star Choice	00869	Nikko 10030, 10092, 10178
Tivo	0142, 01442, 01443, 01444	Norcent 10748, 10824
Toshiba	00486, 00749, 00790, 00819, 01285, 01749	Noshi 10018
UltimateTV	01392, 01640	NTC 10092
Uniden	00722, 00724	Onwa 10180
US Digital	01535, 01535	Optimus 10154, 10166, 10250, 10650, 11913, 11924, 11927
Voom	00869	Optoma 10887
Zenith	01856	Optonica 10093, 10165
A-Mark	10003	Orion 10179, 10236, 10463, 11463, 11905, 11911, 11929
Abex	10032	Panasonic 10051, 10055, 10161, 10250, 10650, 11410, 11919, 11924, 11927, 11941, 11946, 11947
Admiral	10093, 10463	Penney 10003, 10018, 10019, 10021, 10027, 10030, 10032, 10039, 10047, 10051,
Advent	10761, 10783, 10817, 10842, 11933	Pioneer 10038, 10135, 10156, 10178, 11347, 11907, 11919, 11926
Adventura	10046	Philco 10019, 10020, 10030, 10054, 10096
Aiko	10092	Philips 10037, 10054, 10690, 11154, 11454
Aiwa	11910, 11911, 11914	Pilot 10019, 10030, 10039
Akai	10030, 10060, 10672, 10702, 10812, 11903, 11935	Pioneer 10038, 10166, 10679, 10866, 11457
Alaron	10179	Polaroid 10765, 10865
Albatron	10700, 10843	Portland 10019, 10039, 10092
Ambassador	10177	Prima 10761, 10783, 10815, 10817, 11933
America Action	10180	
Ampro	10751	
Anam	10180	
ACC	10003, 10019, 10020, 10052, 10182	
Anam National	10055, 10161	
Envision	10030, 10813	
Epson	10833, 10840	

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Princeton	10700, 10717	Sylvania	10020, 10030, 10054, 10096, 10171, 10381, 11931, 11944	Asha	20240	Hi-Q	20047
Prism	10051	Symphonic	10171, 10180, 11904, 11913	Audiovox	20037, 20278	Hitachi	20000, 20037, 20041, 20042, 20089, 20105, 20166, 21037,
Proscan	10047, 10466, 11347, 11447, 11922	Tandy	10093	Beaumark	20240	Howard Computers	21972
Proton	10003, 10052, 10178, 10466	Tatung	10003, 10055, 11756	Bell & Howell	20104	HP	21972
Pulsar	10017, 10019	Technics	10051, 10250	Broksonic	20002, 20121, 20184, 20209, 20295,	HTS	21944
Quasar	10051, 10055, 10165, 10250, 10650, 11919, 11924	Technol Ace	10179	Calix	20037	Hughes Network Systems	20042, 20739, 211949
RCA	10018, 10019, 10038, 10047, 10090, 10135, 10679, 11047, 11247, 11347, 11447, 11547, 11907, 11917, 11919, 11922, 11948, 11953, 11958	Techview	10847	Canon	20035, 20167, 21174	Humax	20739
RadioShack	10019, 10030, 10032, 10039, 10047, 10056, 10154, 10165, 10178, 10180, 11904, 11920	Techwood	10003, 10051, 10056	Carver	20081	Hush	21972
Realistic	10019, 10030, 10032, 10039, 10056, 10154, 10165, 10178, 10180	Teknika	10016, 10019, 10039, 10054, 10056, 10060, 10092, 10150, 10179, 10180, 10186	CCE	20072, 20278	Hyundai	21951
Rhapsody	10185	Telefunken	10056, 10702	Citizen	20037, 20278, 21278	IBUYPOWER	21972
Runco	10017, 10030, 10497, 10603	Thomas	11904	Colt	20072	Jensen	20041
Sampo	10030, 10032, 10039, 10052, 11755	TMK	10056, 10177, 10178	Craig	20037, 2047, 20072, 20240, 20271	JVC	20008, 20041, 20067, 20384, 21162,
Samsung	10019, 10030, 10032, 10056, 10060, 10178, 10587, 10702, 10766, 10812, 10814, 11060, 11903	TNCI	10017	Curtis Mathes	20035, 20041, 20060, 20162, 20760,	KEC	20037, 20278
Sansui	10039	Toshiba	10036, 10060, 10154, 10156, 10509, 10650, 10832, 10845, 11156, 11256, 11356, 11656, 11704, 11918, 11935, 11936, 11945	CyberPower	20240	Kenwood	20038, 20041, 20067, 20384
Sanyo	10463, 11904, 11911, 11929, 11935	Tosonic	10185	Daewoo	20045, 20278, 20561, 20637, 21278	KLH	20072
Scimitsu	10019	Totevision	10039	Dell	21972	Kodak	20035, 20037
Scotch	10178	Trical	10157	Denon	20042	LG	21037, 22010
Scott	10019, 10178, 10179, 10180, 10236	TVS	10463	DirectTV	20739, 21049, 21054, 21189	Linksys	21972
Sears	10047, 10054, 10056, 10154, 10156, 10159, 10171, 10178, 10179, 11904, 11926	Ultra	10391	Dish Network	21944	Lloyd's	20000, 20208
Sharp	10039, 10093, 10157, 10165, 10256, 10386, 10491, 10683, 10689, 10787, 10818, 10851, 11917	Universal	10027	Echostar	21943, 21944, 21045, 211946	Logik	20072
Simpson	10186, 10187	Vector Research	10030	Dish Network System	21943, 21944, 21045, 211946	LX	20037
Sole	10813	Victor	10036, 10053, 10160, 10653	Dishpro	21943, 21944	Magnasonic	20593, 21278
Scimitsu	10019	Vidikon	10054	Durabrand	20038, 20039	Magnavox	20000, 20035, 20039, 20081, 20110,
Scotch	10178	Vidtech	10019, 10036, 10178	Dynatech	20000	Magnavox	20563, 20593, 21781
Scott	10019, 10178, 10179, 10180, 10236	Viewsonic	10857, 10864, 10885, 11755	Echostar	21943, 21944, 21045, 211946	Magnin	20240
Sears	10047, 10054, 10056, 10154, 10156, 10159, 10171, 10178, 10179, 11907	Viking	10046	Electrohome	20037, 20043	Marantz	20035, 20081, 21381
Sheng Chia	10093	Vizio	10864, 10885, 11756	Emerex	20033	Marta	20037
Shogun	10019	Wards	10016, 10019, 10020, 10021, 10027, 10030, 10054, 10056, 10080, 10096, 10111, 10165, 10178, 10179, 10866, 11156	Emerson	20000, 20002, 20036, 20037, 20043, 20061, 20068, 20121, 20184, 20208, 20209, 20212, 20278, 20295, 20348, 20479, 20561, 20593, 20637, 21278, 21479, 21593	MEI	20035
Sounddesign	10178, 10179, 10180, 10186	Zenith	10016, 10017, 10092, 10178, 10463, 1145, 11904, 11909, 11911, 11929	Euro1	21962	Media Center PC	211972
Sova	11952	Zonda	10003	Expressvu	21944	Magnin	20240
Spectron	10003	Waycon	10156	Fisher	20047, 20054, 20066, 20104	MARANTZ	20035, 20037, 20046
Squareview	10171	Westinghouse	10463, 10623, 11909	Fujii	20033, 20035	Marta	20037
SSS	10019, 10180	Yamaha	10019, 10030, 10769, 10833, 10838, 10839	Funai	20045, 20052, 20366	Matsushita	20035, 20162, 20226, 20227, 20367,
Starlite	10180	Zenith	10016, 10017, 10092, 10178, 10463, 1145, 11904, 11909, 11911, 11929	Garard	20000	Media Center PC	211972
Studio Experience	10843	Zonda	10003	Gateway	21972	MARANTZ	20035, 20037, 20046
Supra-Macy	10046	Zonka	10003	GE	20035, 20060, 20202, 20240, 20760, 20761, 20807, 21035, 211060	MARANTZ	20035, 20037, 20046
Supreme	10000	Zony	10000, 10080, 10111, 10834, 11100, 11300, 11904, 11925	General	20045, 20052, 20366	MARANTZ	20035, 20037, 20046
SVA	10871, 10872	Zonka	10003	Go Video	20240, 20432, 20526, 20643	MARANTZ	20035, 20037, 20046
System	10003	Zony	10003	G.O.	21944	MARANTZ	20035, 20037, 20046
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ABS	21972	Admiral	20048, 20209, 20479	GoldStar	20037, 20038, 21237	NIKKO	20037
Adventura	20000	Alko	20278	Gradiente	20000	Nikon	20034, 20233
Alko	20000	Awa	20090, 20093, 20124, 20307, 20348, 20406, 20468, 20479	Harley Davidson	20000	Niveus Media	21972
Akai	20041, 20061, 20106, 20175	Akai	20041, 20061, 20106, 20175	Harwood	20068, 20072	Noblex	20240
Alienware	21972	Alienware	21972	Hauppage	21992	Northgate	21972
America Action	20278	America Action	20278	Headquarter	20046	Olympus	20035, 20226, 21046
American High	20035	American High	20035	Hewlett Packard	21972	Onkyo	20222

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<b>Setup Codes for VCRs (continued)</b>	
Optimus	20037, 20048, 20058, 20104, 20162, 2032, 20593, 21048, 21062, 21162, 21262
Optonica	20062
Orion	20002, 20184, 20209, 20295, 20479, 21479
Pararex	21950
Panasonic	20035, 20077, 20162, 20225, 20226, 20227, 20367, 20614, 20616, 21035, 21062, 21162, 21262
Pansat	21950
Penney	20035, 20037, 20038, 20040, 20042, 20054, 20040, 21035, 21237
Pentax	20042, 20105
Philco	20035
Philips	20035, 20062, 20081, 20110, 20618, 20739, 21081, 21181, 21381, 21949
Pilot	20037
Pioneer	20058, 20067
Polk Audio	20081
Presidian	21593
Protronics	20240
Proscan	20060, 20202, 20760, 20761, 21060, 21954
Protac	20072
Pulsar	20039
Quarter	20046
Quartz	20046
Quasar	20035, 20077, 20162, 21035, 21162
RadioShack	20000, 21037
Radix	20037
Randex	20037
RCA	20042, 20058, 20060, 20077, 20105, 20106, 20202, 20240, 20453, 20760, 20761, 20807, 20880, 21035, 21060, 21954, 21964, 21989
Realistic	20000, 20035, 20037, 20046, 20047, 20048, 20062, 20066, 20104
ReplayTV	20614, 20616
Ricavision	21972
Ricoh	20034, 20253
Runco	20039
Samsung	20045, 20240, 20739, 21014
Samtron	20643
Sanky	20039, 20048
Sansui	20000, 20041, 20067, 20209, 20271, 20479, 21479
Sanyo	20046, 20047, 20104, 20159, 20240, 20368, 20369
Scott	20043, 20045, 20121, 20184, 20210, 20212
Sears	20000, 20035, 20037, 20042, 20046, 20047, 20054, 20066, 20104, 20105, 21237
Sharp	20048, 20062, 20363, 20738, 20807, 20848

## TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

MCA-C3 Multizone Controller	MDK-C5 Keypad
Dimensions:	17"W x 3.5"H x 17.2"D (43.2 x 9 x 43.6 cm)
Weight:	28.8 lbs. (13.1 kg)
Power Supply:	120 or 240 VAC
Fuse Rating:	100-120V/T3.15A 250V US and Canada 220-240V/T1.25A 250V Europe
Power Consumption:	400 watts maximum
Standby Power Consumption:	<1.0 watt
Frequency Response:	20Hz-20kHz +/- 1 dB at 1W output into 8 ohms
Watts per channel:	20W RMS into 8 ohms
Total Harmonic Distortion:	<0.10%
Signal to Noise Ratio:	93 dB unweighted, 96 dB A-weighted
Audio Source Inputs:	6 (including internal tuner)
Audio Zone Outputs:	6 Speaker Level (Zones 1-6) (2 Line Level fixed or variable)
Trigger Outputs:	6 12VDC 100mA, 1 Home theater
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Speaker connection:	6 detachable 4 pole connectors
Keypad ports:	6 RJ45 T568A standard
IR Outputs:	6 routed, 1 common
Communication ports:	Front- 1 USB 2.0/1.1 Rear- 1 Serial RS232, 19.2 kHz baud rate 1 Ethernet RJ45, 10/100 Base T 2 RJ45 RNET Links In/Out
Frequency Range:	AM 530 - 1710 kHz FM 87.7 - 107.9 MHz
Antenna impedance AM:	300 Ohm balanced
Impedance FM:	75 Ohm unbalanced
Sensitivity:	AM: @20 dB S/N 55 dBu FM: @30 dB S/N 6 dB max 12 dBu
Image rejection:	AM: 33 dB FM: 80dB
S/N ratio:	AM: 45dB FM: 60 dB

*The MCA-C3 Controller meets EU Standby Power Requirements*

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The Russound MCA-C3 Controller Amplifier and MDK-C5 Keypad are fully guaranteed against all defects in materials and workmanship for two (2) years from the date of purchase. During this period, Russound will replace any defective parts and correct any defect in workmanship without charge for either parts or labor.

For this warranty to apply, the unit must be installed and used according to its written instructions. If service is necessary, it must be performed by Russound. The unit must be returned to Russound at the owner's expense and with prior written permission. Accidental damage and shipping damage are not considered defects, nor is damage resulting from abuse or from servicing by an agency or person not specifically authorized in writing by Russound.

This warranty does not cover:

- Damage caused by abuse, accident, misuse, negligence, or improper installation or operation
- Power surges and lightning strikes
- Normal wear and maintenance
- Products that have been altered or modified
- Any product whose identifying number, decal, serial number, etc. has been altered, defaced or removed.

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Damage to or destruction of components due to application of excessive power voids the warranty on those parts. In these cases, repairs will be made on the basis of the retail value of the parts and labor. To return for repairs, the unit must be shipped to Russound at the owner's expense, along with a note explaining the nature of service required. Be sure to pack the unit in a corrugated container with at least three (3) inches of resilient material to protect the unit from damage in transit.

Before returning a unit for repair, call Russound at (603) 659-5170 for a Return Authorization number. Write this number on the shipping label and ship to:

**Russound**  
ATTN: Service  
5 Forbes Road  
Newmarket, NH 03857

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### User and Installation Manual

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