



Typical impedance: mic 150–200ohm, mixer/preamp 1.5–2kOhm.
Matching impedance is not used between a mic and preamp.
Usually the receiving end must have a very high impedance of almost 10x the source.
This means that loading the mic -> mixer with a small resistor has no impact.
Thus mixer side after resistor can be shorted as it has a large impedance.

Power Details:
Led must be of 2V, 15mA.
Jack is powered by 9v, 200mA max.

Muting is done by short-circuiting the audio signals.
Mosfets are pulled down so the signal is passed through if power fails.
Attiny85 will enter deep sleep after period of no sound.
Thresholds changed with potentiometer.
Led lit up automatically.
Jack for external use: buzzer.

XLR is most certainly mic-level not line-level: <https://producerhive.com/ask-the-hive/line-in-vs-mic-in/>
XLR is balanced aka differential: <https://www.boxcast.com/blog/balanced-vs.-unbalanced-audio-whats-the-difference>
XLR has 4 pins:
1 Audio ground reference
2 Positive
3 Negative
4 Shell of connector – safety feature; should be connected to metal frame
XLR voltages are around 0.001V

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