Ever wished your PC could receive messages when you aren't there? Or when your PC is off? Let *MAIL*CALL* take care of business for you.

Now you can have all the capabilities of an automatic answer telex terminal within your PC. Simply plug MAIL*CALL into any extension slot in an IBM PC, XT, AT or other PC-compatible computer, and you can receive and send messages at any time, regardless of the state of your computer. Your PC can even be powered OFF!

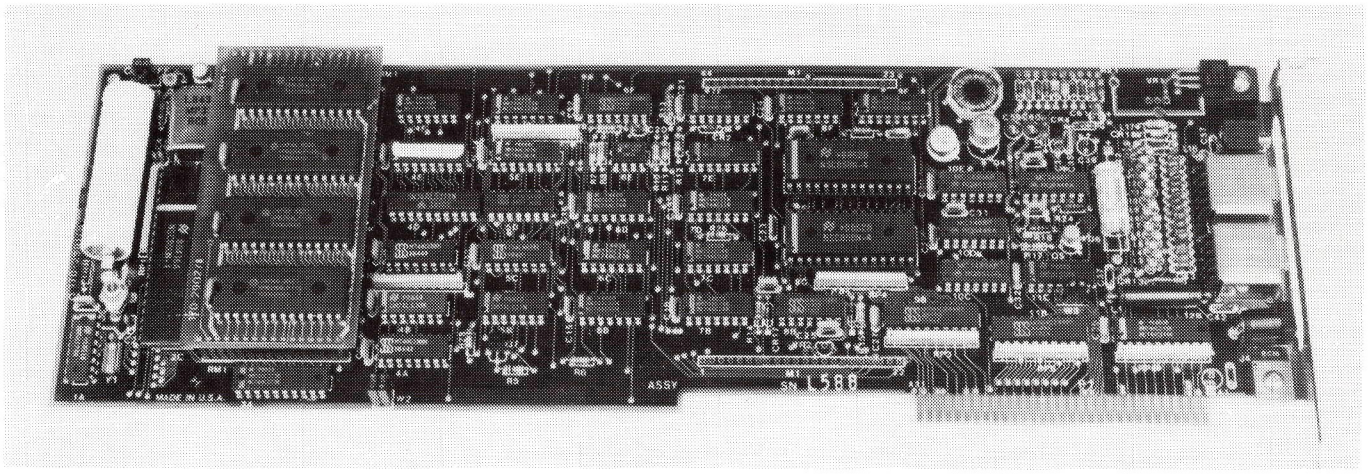
With MAIL*CALL in your PC, you can eliminate the need for other dedicated terminals for message communications. This is particularly significant in the office environment. Your PC can now be used to receive messages, send and receive electronic mail, and access dial-up services during low-rate periods, all in an unattended mode.

All the file storage capabilities and other powerful features of your PC will stay the same. In fact, you can run your office business programmes concurrently while MAIL*CALL is taking care of your message transmission and reception functions.

MAIL*CALL can turn your home PC into an extension of your office by acting as a message "answering machine" while you are away.

KEY FEATURES

- 2 communication ports
- Concurrent operation
- Independent power supply
- Real-time clock
- 64K memory
- Battery back-up
- Multiple log-on sequences
- Time-deferred message delivery
- Password for remote inquiry
- Visual indicator for messages
- CMOS logic for low power consumption



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MAIL*CALL is a two-part communications board for IBM PC's and compatibles. It is designed to allow PC users to receive and send messages without interrupting other programmes in progress. The hardware consists of two serial ports, a real time clock, an 8-bit CMOS microprocessor and 64K of memory.

• Operates when PC Power is Off

MAIL*CALL works off its own power source. This means that office personnel need not worry about leaving their PC's on at the end of the day. Message reception and delivery will still take place at all times. A fall-back battery is also supplied in case of AC power failures.

• Concurrency

When the PC is being used for other office functions, such as running word processing, spread sheet or other business programmes, messages can still be received concurrently. All incoming messages will be stored in MAIL*CALL's independent memory, which has room for 52,000 characters.

• Automatic Log-On

You can set up multiple log-on sequences with MAIL*CALL. Each sequence may be programmed individually for telephone number, line speed (bauds), word length, XON/XOFF selection, pauses, "wait for specific character" and preset character output strings.

• Message Logging

All incoming messages will be time stamped from the on-board real time clock. You can view incoming and outgoing message queues with ease.

• Deferred Delivery

With MAIL*CALL's message preparation software you can set up messages for time-deferred delivery. Each message may also be specified to go out with different log-on sequences, thereby allowing economical after-hours access to information services.

• Programmable Answerback

MAIL*CALL can be set up for an automatic answerback that can be initiated by the ENQ query from the remote terminal or computer. The answerback is also programmable by the user. Since the board works with the popular Hayes Smartmodem command set, any Hayes-compatible modem may be used with it.

• Password Security

If you are away from your PC and wish to check if there are any messages waiting, you may call in from a remote terminal and read your mail. Your own unique password provides complete privacy. This feature allows you to use your PC as an electronic mailbox.

• "Message Waiting" Indicator

As soon as a message is received, MAIL*CALL will flash an indicator to record the event. The PC user can choose to read the message immediately or wait until a more convenient time. If the message arrived while the PC was unattended, the indicator will still be flashing the next time you work at the PC.

APPLICATIONS

- Access to Record Carrier Companies
- Elimination of Teleprinters
- Access to Bulletin Board Services
- Electronic Mail
- Store-and-forward Message Handling
- Message Answering Machine
- ASCII File Transfers

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Hardware: NSC800 CPU • 64K CMOS RAM • real time clock • programmable USART's • RS-232 interface signals • on/board battery • visual indicator for messages

Software: self-contained operating programme, down-loadable from PC • separately addressable serial ports (distinct from COM1 and COM2) • MAIL*CALL application programme for operator interaction and set up

System Requirements: IBM PC, XT, AT or compatible personal computer • 64K memory • one diskette drive • monochrome or colour display • Hayes compatible modem • DOS 2.0 or higher revision • single PC expansion slot

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