### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for your purchase of the PM57 Headphone Tap. The PM57 is for connecting headphones to a speaker line. The 1/4" Mono/stereo loop jacks are for cascading more boxes in series. There are two headphone jacks and volume control. The Headphone Tap uses the speaker line signal for power, therefore requires no batteries or external power.

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# WARNING

USING THIS SYSTEM AT EXCESSIVE VOLUMES CAN CAUSE PERMANENT HEARING DAMAGE. USE AS LOW A VOLUME AS POSSIBLE

In order to use this system safely, avoid prolonged listening at excessive sound pressure levels. Please use the following guidelines established by the Occupational Safety Health Administration (OSHA) on maximum time exposure to sound pressure levels before hearing damage occurs.

90 dB SPL at 8 hours 95 dB SPL at 4 hours 100 dB SPL at 2 hours 105 dB SPL at 1 hour 110 dB SPL at 1/2 hour 115 dB SPL at 15 minutes 120 dB SPL - *avoid or damage may occur* 

It is difficult to measure the exact Sound Pressure Levels (SPL) present at the eardrum in live applications. In addition to the volume setting on this Personal Monitor unit, the SPL in the ear is affected by ambient sound from floor wedges or other devices. The isolation provided by the fit of quality earphones is also an important factor in determining the SPL in the ear.

Follow these guidelines in the use of this product to protect your ears from damage:

1. Turn up the volume only to the point where hearing is comfortable.

2. Ringing in the ears may indicate that the levels are too high. Lower the volume level.

3. Have your ears checked by an audiologist on a regular basis.

4. ALWAYS START WITH THE VOLUME AT 0 OR OFF THEN GRADUALLY TURN IT UP TO A COMFORTABLE LEVEL!

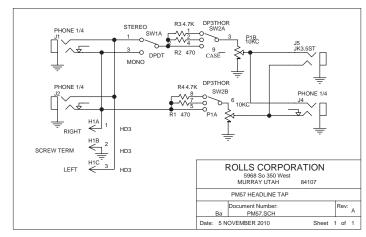
#### WARRANTY

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#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Input Impedance: Size: Weight: 150 Ω 2.75" x 3" x 1.25" .5 lbs

## SCHEMATIC





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- Converts speaker level signals to headphone level
- Eliminates heavy wedge monitors
- Passive no power required

The PM57 is the ideal device for anyone wanting to use headphones, rather than a wedge or speaker monitor. Drummers, instrumentalists, and sound professionals alike will benefit from the PM57.



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ATTENUATION SWITCH: This is a three way switch for selecting the level of attenuation to the headphones. Follow the silk screening on the unit for proper settings.

AMP >50 WATTS: For amps above 50 watts in size

AMP <50 WATTS: For amps 50 watts and lower.

DIRECT: This is NOT FOR AN AM-PLIFIER INPUT (ANYTHING WITH WATTAGE)! This is only used for AT-TENUATING THE LEVEL OF HEAD-PHONE LEVEL INPUTS plugged into the loop section. When selected you can use the PM57 as a headphone volume attenuator. Just plug your headphone signal into the POWER AMP LOOP section of the PM57. Then plug headphones into the headphone output section of the PM57 and use the volume to control the level.

IF YOU USE THE DIRECT SET-TING FOR AN AMPLIFIER INPUT OF ANY SIZE, OR A SETTING THAT IS NOT RECOMMENDED FOR THE LEVEL OF POWER YOU ARE PUTTING INTO THE PM57 YOU WILL BLOW OUT THE PM57'S VOLUME POT. IF THIS OCCURS YOU WILL HAVE TO SEND THE UNIT BACK TO THE FACTORY FOR RE-PLACEMENT OF THE VOLUME POT. THIS IS NOT COVERED UNDER ANY WARRANTY, AND YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COST OF REPAIR. THE ONLY WAY TO DAMAGE THE VOLUME POT IS TO IMPROP-ERLY USE THE PM57 WITH TO MUCH WATTAGE PLUGGED IN TO THE PM57 OR THE ATTENU-ATION BEING ON THE WRONG SETTING, THIS CAN ALSO CAUSE PERMANENT DAMAGE TO YOUR HEADPHONES, AND YOUR EARS. PLEASE BE CARE-



