The SRA-851 extends the connection between a KY-100 ANDVT AIRTERM (or KY-99A MINTERM) and a radio transceiver (e.g., RT-1851, AN/PRC-117, etc.) over a communications link composed of a satellite hop, a copper cable or a fiber optic cable. The SRA-851 supports all three modes of KY-100 operation - plain text (PT) analog, wideband (WB) and narrowband (NB). In a typical application, the SRA-851 at each end of the link converts the PT, WB or NB information received from its supported equipment (i.e., the KY-100 or the radio) into a common format and transmits it to the far end where it is converted back to its original format (including the extraction of the push-to-talk (PTT) signal). The SRA-851 is automatically configured to support either the KY-100 or the radio end of a link. The SRA-851 also automatically determines its operational mode, i.e., PT, WB, or NB, based on activity detection without operator intervention. This is an essential capability in unmanned facilities or shelters.

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Physical Characteristics

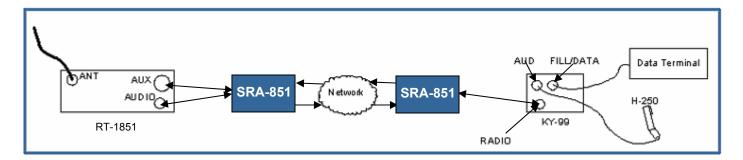
The SRA-851's enclosure occupies 1/3 U rack-mount space. A mounting tray is supplied which allows easy removal and replacement of a unit in a standard equipment rack. The SRA-851 operates from an external +5VDC power supply. In cases where several SRA-851 are used in a single facility, a larger, 1U tray is available as an option which accommodates two SRA-851s and a common AC power supply or three SRA-851s.

Interfaces

- DB-25(M) connector for cable to KY-100 or radio transceiver.
- DB-25(F) connector for cable to communications equipment (e.g., to FCC-100). Interface is in accordance with RS-422/ RS-530 standards.
- Hirose RM12BRD-2PH female jack for DC power. A ground stud (GND) is also provided for chassis grounding.

Technical Specifications

Operating Temperature:	0 to 40 [°] C
Relative Humidity:	0 to 90% non-condensing
Power:	+5 VDC
Dimensions:	1.70" x 5.65" x 12.50" (HxWxL)
Weight:	2.2 lb (incl. external power supply)



SRA-851 Concept of Operation

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