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Guide to the

**Rodgers and Hammerstein Archives of Recorded Sound Technology Files**

1938-2000

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## Summary

**Title:** Rodgers and Hammerstein Archives of Recorded Sound Technology Files

**Date:** 1938-2000

**Size:** 4.5 linear feet (9 boxes)

**Source:** Collection was acquired through multiple donors between 1960-2002.

**Abstract:** Collection contains advertisements, pamphlets, flyers, newsletters, press releases, operations manuals, and schematic drawings for various technology related to recorded sound and consumer electronics from the years 1938-2000.

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## Scope and Content Note

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**Arrangement:** Items were foldered by company name and arranged alphabetically.

## Key Terms

**Subjects**

Advertising

Amplifiers (Electronics)

Magnetic recorders and recording

Phonograph turntables

Radio -- Equipment and supplies

Sound -- Recording and reproducing -- Equipment and supplies

**Names**

3M Company

Ampex Corporation

Heathkit/Zenith Educational Systems (Group)

Panasonic Industrial Corp.

## Container List

- b. 1 f. 1 Ace Products undated
- b. 1 f. 2 AGFA 1987, undated
- b. 1 f. 3 Aiwa undated
- b. 1 f. 4 AKG Acoustics 1987, undated
- b. 1 f. 5 Albiswerk 1974
- b. 1 f. 6 Alesis 1998-2000
- b. 1 f. 7 Allied Broadcast Equipment undated
- b. 1 f. 8 Altec 1965, undated
- b. 1 f. 9 American Sintronics undated
- b. 1 f. 10 Amp, Inc 1980
- b. 1 f. 11 Ampex, General file 1962, undated
- b. 1 f. 12 Ampex, Magnetic Tape Reproducer Model 352 1959
- b. 1 f. 13 Ampex, Magnetic Tape Recorder Model 350 1961
- b. 1 f. 14 Ampex, Magnetic Tape Recorder Model 350 1962
- b. 1 f. 15 Ampex, Magnetic Tape Recorder and Reproducer Model 354 1962
- b. 1 f. 16 Ampex, Magnetic Tape Recorder and Reproducer Model AG-350 and AG-355 1966
- b. 1 f. 17 Ampex, Tape Reproduce Amplifier, Model 376 1976
- b. 1 f. 18 Ampex, Oscillator Accessory Model VS-10 1974
- b. 2 f. 1 Aphex Aural Exciter 1984
- b. 2 f. 2 Audio Dynamics Corporation undated
- b. 2 f. 3 Audiotape undated
- b. 2 f. 4 Audio Technologies, Inc undated
- b. 2 f. 5 Bakelite 1950
- b. 2 f. 6 Bausch & Lomb 1968-1980
- b. 2 f. 7 BBE Sound undated
- b. 2 f. 8 Bell Laboratories 1940-1979
- b. 2 f. 9 Big DAADI 1996
- b. 2 f. 10 Blonder-Tongue 1947, undated
- b. 2 f. 11 Bogen-Presto undated
- b. 2 f. 12 Boynton Studio 1962-1984
- b. 2 f. 13 Brociner Electronics Laboratory 1951, undated
- b. 2 f. 14 B.S.R. Products undated
- b. 2 f. 15 C.A.I.G 1966
- b. 2 f. 16 Calibration Standard Instruments 1981, undated
- b. 2 f. 17 Capehart 1940
- b. 2 f. 18 Cedar undated
- b. 2 f. 19 Clevite undated
- b. 2 f. 20 C/M Laboratories 1984, undated
- b. 2 f. 21 Consumers Union undated

- b. 2 f. 22 Cook Laboratories, Inc 1981, undated
- b. 2 f. 23 Coral undated
- b. 2 f. 24 Crown, general 1983, undated  
Includes manuals for Badap 1 (The Audio Micro Computer); Tape Recorder Model 800; and Dual-Channel Power Amplifier Model D-150A Series II
- b. 2 f. 25 Crown, Model IM-7 undated
- b. 2 f. 26 J.W. Davis 1982-1983, undated
- b. 2 f. 27 DBX undated  
Includes manuals for Model 120x Subharmonic Synthesizer; Model 166XL Compressor Gate
- b. 2 f. 28 Decca 1968-1976
- b. 2 f. 29 Diapason 1991
- b. 2 f. 30 Disc Doctor undated
- b. 2 f. 31 ELPA Marketing Industries 1975
- b. 2 f. 32 E.M.I. / Scope Electronics Corporation undated
- b. 3 f. 1 Digital Audio Corporation 1983, 1986
- b. 3 f. 2 Dolby 1967
- b. 3 f. 3 Dynaflex 1971
- b. 3 f. 4 Edison, Envoy undated
- b. 3 f. 5 EICO 1962, undated
- b. 3 f. 6 Electro-Sonic Laboratories undated
- b. 3 f. 7 Electro-Voice, Professional microphones undated
- b. 3 f. 8 Elektronic, Mess- & Tonstudioteknik (EMT) 1974
- b. 3 f. 9 Europa 1978, undated
- b. 3 f. 10 Europadisk undated
- b. 3 f. 11 Fairchild Recording Equipment Corporation undated
- b. 3 f. 12 Finebuilt undated
- b. 3 f. 13 Ford Motor Company 1965
- b. 3 f. 14 Furman Sound 1988, 1993, undated
- b. 3 f. 15 General Electric (G.E.) undated
- b. 3 f. 16 Goldline undated
- b. 3 f. 17 Gotham Audio Corporation 1989, undated
- b. 3 f. 18 Hafler 1992
- b. 3 f. 19 Harrison Radio Corporation undated
- b. 3 f. 20 Heathkit 1952-1967
- b. 4 f. 1-2 Heathkit 1950s-1970s
- b. 4 f. 3 Herrington 1988
- b. 4 f. 4 H.H.B. Communications undated
- b. 4 f. 5 Ibanez 1984
- b. 4 f. 6 Inovonics, Inc 1975-1976
- b. 4 f. 7 Janszen 1962
- b. 4 f. 8 JBL, Inc 1962-1984
- b. 4 f. 9 Jensen 1989

- b. 4 f. 10 Jerrold Corporation undated
- b. 4 f. 11 Kay Electric Company 1968 (Photocopy)  
Includes manual for Sona-Graph Model 6061-B
- b. 4 f. 12 Keith Monks (Audio), Ltd 1976-1983, undated
- b. 4 f. 13 KLH Research and Development Corporation undated
- b. 4 f. 14 Koss undated
- b. 4 f. 15 Lafayette 1975  
Includes manual for Criterion Speaker System
- b. 4 f. 16 Lane Audio and Records 1980, undated
- b. 4 f. 17 The LAST Factory 1986, undated
- b. 4 f. 18 Leader Electronics Corp 1979, undated  
Includes manuals for Oscilloscope Model LBO-511; Digital Counter Models LDC-822 and LDC-822A; Color Analyzer-Generator Model LCG-397
- b. 4 f. 19 Loftech (Phoenix Audio Laboratory, Inc.) 1983, undated
  - b. 5 f. 1 Mackie 1992, undated
  - b. 5 f. 2 Marantz 1963, undated
  - b. 5 f. 3 Marsland 1968
  - b. 5 f. 4 M.A.S.C.O undated
  - b. 5 f. 5 Maxell undated
  - b. 5 f. 6 McIntosh Laboratory Products 1962, undated  
Includes manuals for Power Amplifiers Models MI 75; MC 240; MC 250; and MC 2105
  - b. 5 f. 7 Midway Radio undated
  - b. 5 f. 8 Midwestern Instruments 1964  
Includes manual for Magnerecord Model 1024
  - b. 5 f. 9 Mineroff undated
  - b. 5 f. 10 Musicraft 1938-1941, undated
  - b. 5 f. 11 Nagra 1960-1972, undated
  - b. 5 f. 12 Neal's Antiques 1981, undated
  - b. 5 f. 13 NEC Home Electronics, Inc undated  
Includes manual for Monitor Model CT-2020A
  - b. 5 f. 14 Norelco 1973, undated  
Includes manual for Studio Tape Recorder, Model Pro'36
  - b. 5 f. 15 Now! Recording Systems undated
  - b. 5 f. 16 Octagon Systems Corp 1995, undated
  - b. 5 f. 17 Ohmite 1947
  - b. 5 f. 18 Orange County Electronics International, Inc undated  
Includes manual for VS-1 Stressor
  - b. 5 f. 19 Orban Products 1970, undated  
Includes manuals for Parametric Equalizer Models 622 and 642B, Stereo Synthesizer Model 245E. Also includes pamphlets "How to Choose Equalizers" and "The Stereo Synthesizer and Stereo Matrix: New Techniques for Generating Stereo Space"
  - b. 5 f. 20 Otari Corporation 1994
  - b. 5 f. 21 OWL Audio Products undated
  - b. 6 f. 1 Packburn undated

- b. 6 f. 2 Paillard Swiss Made undated
- b. 6 f. 3 Panasonic undated
- b. 6 f. 4 P.C.I., Inc undated
- b. 6 f. 5 Peak Audio, Inc 1983, undated
- b. 6 f. 6 Pentron undated
- b. 6 f. 7 Phase Linear undated
- b. 6 f. 8 Philips undated
- b. 6 f. 9 Phonotapes, Inc undated
- b. 6 f. 10 Pioneer 1991, undated
- b. 6 f. 11 Premier Metal Products Co 1961
- b. 6 f. 12 Polydor undated
- b. 6 f. 13 Presto 1953, undated
- b. 6 f. 14 PS Audio undated
- b. 6 f. 15 Pultec undated  
Includes manual for Record Compensating System Model PC-10, Solid-State Preamplifier/Program Amplifier Model A-24 and A-40
- b. 6 f. 16 Rabco undated
- b. 6 f. 17 Radec undated
- b. 6 f. 18 RCA 1960s-1970s, undated 1960
- b. 6 f. 19 Record-A-Tape 1969, undated
- b. 6 f. 20 Redgrave-Lewis Marketing 1983
- b. 6 f. 21 Reel-Time Timer undated
- b. 6 f. 22 Rek-O-Kut undated
- b. 6 f. 23 Revere undated  
Includes manual for Revere Model T-11 Tape Recorder
- b. 6 f. 24 ReVox 1971, undated
- b. 6 f. 25 RG Dynamics 1979, undated
- b. 6 f. 26 Royce Electronic Developments, Inc undated
- b. 6 f. 27 RSI [cassette tape] undated
- b. 7 f. 1 Sandwick-Bowen undated
- b. 7 f. 2 Saul Mieroff Electronics undated
- b. 7 f. 3 Scientific Audio Electronics (S.A.E.) 1976, undated
- b. 7 f. 4 Scotch 1969-1971, undated
- b. 7 f. 5 Scott undated
- b. 7 f. 6 Scully, general file 1962, undated
- b. 7 f. 7 Scully, Models 280 and 275 1969
- b. 7 f. 8 Scully, Model 280B undated
- b. 7 f. 9 Sears/Silvertone undated
- b. 7 f. 10 Sennheiser Electronic undated
- b. 7 f. 11 Sherwood Electronic Laboratories, Inc undated
- b. 7 f. 12 Shibaden Corporation 1973, undated
- b. 7 f. 13 Shintron undated

- b. 7 f. 14 Shure 1955, 1963, undated
- b. 7 f. 15 Simpson Electric COmpany 1967
- b. 7 f. 16 SME, Ltd undated
- b. 7 f. 17 Sony 1979-1985, undated
- b. 8 f. 1 Soundcraft 1961
- b. 8 f. 2 Soundcraftsmen undated
- b. 8 f. 3 Spectra Sonics 1971-1973, undated
- b. 8 f. 4 Stanton Magnetics undated
- b. 8 f. 5 Stereo-Parti undated
- b. 8 f. 6 Swintel Typewriter 1984
- b. 8 f. 7 Synergetic Audio Concepts 1983
- b. 8 f. 8 Tandberg 1961-1973
- b. 8 f. 9 Tandy undated
- b. 8 f. 10 Tannoy undated
- b. 8 f. 11 Tapesonic undated
- b. 8 f. 12 Teac/Tascam, General file 1970-1986, undated
- b. 8 f. 13 Teac/Tascam, Two-track recorder Model 32 1982
- b. 8 f. 14 Teac/Tascam, Mixer Model M-30 undated
- b. 8 f. 15 Technics 1964-1983, undated
- b. 8 f. 16 Terminal Radio Corporation 1949
- b. 8 f. 17 Thorens 1973-1979
- b. 8 f. 18 3M 1970, undated
- b. 8 f. 19 Trutone Records 1983
- b. 8 f. 20 United Recording Electronics Industries 1972
- b. 8 f. 21 University undated
- b. 8 f. 22 Utah Radio and Electronics undated
- b. 8 f. 23 Victor Records 1949, undated
- b. 8 f. 1 Vidicraft Detailer III undated
- b. 9 f. 2 Video Interface Products 1986
- b. 9 f. 3 Voder 1939
- b. 9 f. 4 Voice Identification, Inc undated
- b. 9 f. 5 Wahrenbrock Sound Associates, Ltd undated
- b. 9 f. 6 Walco Sapphire Needles 1958
- b. 9 f. 7 Weathers Syncromatic Turntable undated
- b. 9 f. 8 Webster Wire Recorder undated
- b. 9 f. 9 Weller undated
- b. 9 f. 10 Wharfedale undated
- b. 9 f. 11 Whirlwind c. 1950
- b. 9 f. 12 Williamson Amplifier undated
- b. 9 f. 13 Windsor Tape Center undated
- b. 9 f. 14 Wollensack 1971

- b. 9 f. 15 Yamaha 1984
- b. 9 f. 16 Zalytron 1974
- b. 9 f. 17 Miscellaneous equipment and accessories 1940s-1980s