

Tactical Communication and Hearing Protection Systems

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Increasing Mission Success

Efficient Communication

On todays military battlefield, efficient communication is essential for reducing risk for the soldier and ensuring mission success.

INVISIO systems support full radio functionality for different mission scenarios, for both the mounted and dismounted soldier. Radio communication and hear-thru

are separate with continuous and unimpeded hear-thru in both ears, even when transmitting. Transmission using the radio's internal push-to-talk or wireless remote push-totalk is possible as well as radio sidetone, radio warning tones, full duplex and multi net functionality.

The Modern Soldier

Faces Many Challenges

Preventing Hearing Damage Intelligent Hearing Protection

For soldiers, the ability to communicate clearly in high noise environments while protecting their hearing and still retaining situational awareness, is a tactical advantage and can be a life saver. Soldiers in the field often experience very high noise levels that can impede mission critical communication and damage the soldier's hearing. Hearing impairment is the most common injury of soldiers

returning from active duty. Combine this with the risk of short term hearing damage due to explosions and the risk of mission failure increases. The INVISIO systems provide certified hearing protection solution rated at *SNR 32 dB and *NRR 29 dB to meet the needs of demanding users in high noise environments.

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Reducing the Burden Size, Weight and Power

The modern soldier is faced with a significant burden both cognitively and physically. The soldier's mobility, sustainability and ability to communicate are adversely affected by this burden.

INVISIO systems addresses today's soldier system's challenges of size and weight reduction, integration, power optimisation and battlefield situational awareness by simplifying the system down to what the soldier needs

and only what he needs. The user interface is reduced to face the real issue of mission critical communication and supplying state-of-the-art hearing protection to the soldier. As a consequence of this simplification, size and weight are significantly reduced, and the power supply is centralised. Soldier efficiency, safety and mobility increases.

The INVISIO Solution Is Unique

Improving Safety and Efficiency

INVISIO Comfort and Fit

Solution Is Unique

The INVISIO

Soldier safety and efficiency is severely reduced by inadequate fit and uncomfortable equipment. INVISIO hearing protection headsets are established as the headset of choice for future soldier programs today, due to comfort, reliability, hearing protection and superior audio quality that gives natural sounding situational awareness and accurate directionality. All INVISIO headsets offer unsurpassed performance, comfort and fit to soldiers and are available as both in-the-ear and overthe-ear headsets. INVISIO in-the-ear headsets are compatible with helmets, eyewear, breathing apparatus and ear muffs. The headset adapts perfectly to the contours of any ear offering maximum comfort and a secure fit. INVISIO overthe-ear hearing protection headsets pose a significant improvement over traditional cup headset design, as it removes weight and complexity from the headset by centralising operation of the headset to the INVISIO control unit.

Enhancing Situational Awareness

INVISIO 360° Hear-Thru

Full situational awareness with the ability to communicate and hear the surroundings at all times is critical. Soldiers need to maintain natural hearing and still have protection from potentially damaging impulse noises, such as gunshots or explosions, as well as continuous noise from vehicles and aircrafts. INVISIO systems use advanced digital signal processing, miniaturised audio components and ergonomic headset design to provide the most natural hearing possible - even in extreme conditions. INVISIO in-the-ear headsets have hear-thru microphones positioned within the external contours of the outer ear, utilizing the outer ear capability of detecting the origin of sounds and providing full 360 degree situational awareness. Advanced miniaturised speakers and microphones reproduce the sound naturally. Digital signal processing improves hear-thru quality and situational awareness, but also protects the user against audio signals that exceed a dangerous threshold.

Enabling Crystal Clear Communication INVISIO Bone Conduction Technology

Clear communication in the heat of battle can mean the difference between life and death. INVISIO in-the-ear headset systems utilise the INVISIO Bone Conduction Technology. Instead of traditional sound wave technology, a small, comfortable in-the-ear microphone picks up vibrations from the user's jawbone. The vibrations are converted into speech, delivering crystal clear communication under extreme and noisy conditions, even when whispering.



MIL-Standard Compliant Battle Proven

INVISIO systems have been tested extensively to meet MIL-standards and has total EMC shielding from the metalised housing and connectors.

INVISIO systems use breakaway connectors to improve safety especially for the dismounting soldier or in case of entanglement.

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Intuitive and Intelligent Advanced Comms Made Simple

INVISIO Communication System



Open Microphone In-ear headset with hot-mic

INVISIO systems can operate with all radio communication microphone lines open at all times – even to multiple com sources. This makes it possible to maintain full radio functionality like full-duplex communication, radio sidetone, priority voice, VOX and keying the radios onboard PTT buttons.



Independent Audio Streams Four separate audio streams

INVISIO systems have up to four separate and independent input audio (Rx) streams that can be directed to either ear with different audio amplification. Up to three output audio streams (Tx) are also separate and independent with different audio amplification for each device connected.



Split Ear Audio Dynamic assignment to both ears

INVISIO systems feature split ear received audio so that different talk groups can be assigned between left and right ear to improve intelligibility and battlefield situational awareness. Received audio is automatically and dynamically assigned when connecting or disconnecting a radio.



Advanced Mode Settings User configurable

INVISIO systems can be configured to meet different operational requirements through preset key combinations, enabling users to set up the system as required for their mission.



Automatic Start-Up Starts with radio - no calibration

INVISIO systems start automatically when the first connected radio is turned on and then shuts down again when the last connected radio is turned off. Once the system is turned on, the communications and hear-thru are fully functional and there is no need for any calibration of the system.



Hear-Thru Control Simplified volume control

INVISIO control units use a single button volume control for hear-thru that reduces the number of buttons required and makes it simpler to get the amplification required for a situation. The hear-thru starts automatically when the radio is turned on and can be turned off by pressing and holding the hear-thru controller. A short press of the hear-thru controller then scrolls between different hear-thru levels.



INVISIO systems require no internal battery and can power directly from an attached radio, intercom system or other central power supply. This not only reduces the size and weight of the system, it also reduces the system's complexity, and the number of batteries to be changed during or after missions.



INVISIO control units are the world's smallest and lightest, with volumes and weights reduced by more than half compared to most other multi-com control units on the market. The INVISIO V20 control unit measures 64 × 40 × 25 mm and weighs 99 grams.



Control Units

INVISIO Communication System

INVISIO Soldier and Intercom Systems are based on simplicity, modularity and flexibility to fit the communication needs of both the mounted and dismounted soldier, regardless of operational requirements.

The INVISIO Soldier System is based on a range of control units and headsets that are fully interchangeable. All INVISIO control units allow for communication on multiple talk-groups on a single radio, as well as multiple audio inputs to enable full compatibility with modern team and combat net radios. INVISIO offers headset options that include in-the-ear and over-the ear hearing protection, 20 meters submersible and lightweight patrol headsets. The provided hearing protection is industry leading and offers state of the art situational awareness. The INVISIO Intercom System bridges the gap between the mounted and dismounted soldier, making it possible for multiple users and radios to connect simultaneously using their existing dismounted soldier system. The soldier can access all vehicle communications directly from their INVISIO control unit, so there is no need to disconnect or connect other equipment when entering or exiting a vehicle. Allowing for a safe and seamless connection to the vehicle intercom system.

Seamless plug and play integration between control units, intercoms, headsets and interface cables is key to the versatility of the INVISIO system, as it allows for deployment of new equipment without the need for updating existing INVISIO equipment. All INVISIO systems feature INVISIO IntelliCable[®], a unique identification that enables all equipment to be interchangeable across current and future INVISIO systems.



Multi-Headset Interface Adapts to legacy and future headsets

INVISIO systems have the ability to operate multiple types of headsets including dual in-ear, single-sided submersible in-ear, ear-cups with boom mics, lightweight and throat mics. Multiple adapter cables are available so that new and legacy headsets works seamlessly within the same system.



INVISIO systems enable automatic detection of hot-swap devices such as radios, intercom systems, mobile phones, computers and remote PTTs to set the audio and system parameters instantaneously. A key benefit is being able to deploy new equipment without having to reprogram the INVISIO system.



Cables







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Connect either a radio, intercom system, mobile phone, computer, remote PTT or power supply to any of the com ports and the system will automatically sense it and change the settings. Control units are available with one to three com ports to meet any operational requirement.



INVISIO systems are submersible to 20 meters. The control units and in-ear headsets can be cleaned in fresh water to remove dust, dirt and sand. The INVISIO V60 is so light it even floats.

INVISIO V10 Single Com Control Unit



INVISIO V50 Dual Com Control Unit

INVISIO V60 Tri Com Control Unit



COM 3 Headset **PTT 3** • PTT 1 **PTT 4** • PTT 2 Mode Button (Hear-Thru) COM 1 **COM 2** Ó Available Colors:

3 Com Ports

4 PTT Buttons

145 Grams

70 x 63 x 25 mm

INVISIO V60 The INVISIO V60 control unit is designed to be the ultimate communications hub. With 3 com ports and 4 PTT buttons, the control unit is capable of connecting into practically any type of communication device, such as multiple net radios, smart phones, a broad range of audio devices, headsets (tactical, covert and commercial) and intercom systems for land, sea and air vehicles.

Ultimate tactical communication hub

for the soldier to specialist user.

internal power supply and two communication devices, such as team radio, combat net radio or vehicle intercom system. The control unit can handle multiple talk-groups and can also power from any of the connected communication devices. Lightweight and small, the control unit offers state of the art situational awareness and is fully compatible with other INVISIO systems.



Powers From Comms

Multiple Headsets

Com Auto-Sensing

20 Meters

Submersible

INVISIO X5 Dual In-Ear Headset

INVISIO M3s In-Ear Submersible Headset

Speaker

Available Colors:



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In-Ear Headset	2 Meters Submersible	T Tł
Hearing Protection 32 dB SNR/29 dB NRR	Dual Sided	fu lt w
Bone Conduction Microphone	54 Grams	m IN sc w

Market leading in-ear

INVISIO X5

The INVISIO X5 in-ear headset is designed exclusively for NVISIO's range of advanced control units and is Fundamental to the INVISIO hearing protection system. It is a dual sided in-ear hearing protection headset with state of the art external microphones for natural near-thru and six sizes of exchangeable foam plugs for market leading hearing protection and comfort. The NVISIO X5 is the in-ear headset of choice for future soldier programs today. The headset is fully compatible with other INVISIO systems.

In-Ear Headset	20 Meters Submersible
No Hearing Protection	Left or Right Version
Bone Conduction Microphone	18 Grams

INVISIO M3s

The INVISIO M3s in-ear headset enables the INVISIO system to be submersible to 20 meters. This lightweight headset is ideal for use as both a dive solution under the water and for land operations where a lightweight and comfortable single sided patrol headset is required. The entire INVISIO M3s headset is encased with no openings, making it extremely robust and easy to maintain.

Dive headset

that allows for use whilst submerged to 20 meters.

Cable Retainer Bone Conduction Microphone

Soft

Spring

hearing protection headset with natural situational awareness.

INVISIO T5 Over-the-Ear Headset

INVISIO T7 Over-the-Ear Headset



Light and simple

tactical over-the-ear hearing protection headset.

tactical over-the-ear hearing protection headset.

INVISIO Intercom System Bridging The Gap

INVISIO Intercom Mounted or On The Go





INVISIO Intercom

The INVISIO Intercom is designed to bridge the gap between the dismounted and mounted soldier, by seamlessly integrating to the INVISIO system. Capable of connecting up to 4 combat net radios, and 5 users for internal voice communication, the Intercom provides clear communication in the noisiest of environments. It is a small and lightweight system that can be powered from a vehicle or common combat radio battery. The Intercom is a highly mobile system that can either be mounted in the vehicle or carried on the go between vehicles.

Seamless Integration

between the dismounted and mounted soldier.



INVISIO Accessories

Connectivity Options



Connect to any radio, including full-duplex and multiple networks simultaneously.



Computer

Allows situational awareness information from soldier-worn computer.



Smart Phone

Use mobile or smart phone simultaneously with tactical communication equipment.

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Intercom System

Connect to any platform intercom, with full operation of the intercom's platform radio.

Mine Sweeper

The mine sweeper audio response is heard in the headset and not transmitted to the surroundings.



Audio playback from audio devices for mission notes. Alternatively music playback for headset training.

Medic Cable

Medic to soldier cable for direct and unimpeded communication.

Power Supply

Use a centralised power supply or an optional INVISIO power pack, connected to the control unit.



Other Headsets



OTTO Diver Intricon LV39 20m Headset

20 meter dive headset 20 meter dive headset with noise cancelling boom microphone designed to fit under a and bone conduction helmet.

Accessories

with noise cancelling

boom microphone

Headset

speakers.



Kit Pouch Storage system for complete INVISIO system.



There are six foam plug

• Two lengths - Original

Standard & Large.





Leonardo Light Patrol Headset

Single-sided, low profile and lightweight headset with a high comfort ear pad.

Peltor ComTac XPi Headset

Hearing protection headset with situational awareness. Fully independent dual earphone system for talk through and external radio signals.

Headset Pouch Molle pouch for any

in-ear headset.

PS30 Power

Power supply for

Supply

Headset Case





M30 Finger Mounted PTT

Remote PTT for finger mounting. Submersible down to 2 meters.



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Ear Fitting Tool

correct foam plug size.

Used to measure the

Wireless PTT Remote wireless PTT for rifle mounting. Submersible down

M80 Remote



Foam Tips

sizes:

Technical Specifications

Test Standards and Results

Headsets	M3s	X5	T5	Τ7
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Style	In-The-Ear (ITE)	In-The-Ear (ITE)	Over-The-Ear (OTE)	Over-The-Ear (OTE)
Hearing Protection	None	Yes	Yes	Yes
(Tx) Microphone	Bone Conduction	Bone Conduction	Boom	Boom
Size (Earpiece only)	13 × 11 × 24 mm	13 × 11 × 24 mm	84 × 110 × 45 mm	83 × 110 × 49 mm
Weight (Incl. connector)	18 grams	54 grams	360 grams	347 grams
Colour	Black or tan	Black or tan	Black or tan	Black or tan
Immersion	20 meters	2 meters	1 meter	10 meters

Control Unit	V10	V20	V50	V60
COM Ports	1	1	2	3
PTT Buttons	1	2	4	4
Hear-Thru Button	1	1	1	1
Size	69 × 40 × 27 mm	64 × 40 × 25 mm	70 × 63 × 30 mm	70 × 63 × 25 mm
Weight	122 grams	99 grams	170 grams	145 grams
Colour	Black or tan	Black or tan	Black or tan	Black or tan
Immersion	20 meters	20 meters	20 meters	20 meters
Power	From Comms	From Comms	From Internal battery or Comms	From Comms

Tests according to MIL-STD-810				
Test	Procedure	Test	Procedure	
Low Pressure Storage and Air Transport	I	Solar Radiation Sunshine, Heating effect	I, A1	
Low Pressure Operation and Air Carriage	Ш	Solar Radiation Sunshine, Actinic effects	Ш	
Low Pressure Rapid Decompression	Ш	Rain	1	
High Temperature Storage	I, A1 (Hot Dry)	Humidity Induced, Storage & Transit	I, B2	
High Temperature Operation	II, A1 (Hot Dry)	Fungus		
High Temperature Tactical standby to operation	III, A1 (Hot Dry)	Salt Fog Corrosion and mist		
Low Temperature Storage	l, C3 (Severe Cold)	Sand and Dust	I, II	
Low Temperature Operation	II, C2 (Cold)	Immersion Fresh Water	L	
Low Temperature Manipulation	Ш	Vibration Transportation	II, Annex C 2.2 Category 5	
Temperature Shock High	I-D	Drop Transit Drop	IV	
Temperature Shock	I-D	Shock Functional Shock	I	
Contamination by fluids Chemical Resistance	Ш	lcing and Freezing Rain	General conditions, light loading	

Hearing Protection Results				
	EN-Standards	ANSI Standards	AS/NZS Standards	
INVISIO X5	Sound attenuation according to EN 352-2: SNR=32 dB, H=34 dB, M=29 dB, L=27 dB	Sound attenuation according to ANSI S3.19-1974: NRR = 29 dB. Sound attenuation according to ANSI S12.6 - 2008 Method A: For most individually trained users: Achieve or exceed NRS _{A80} = 29.5 dB; For a few motivated proficient users: Achieve or exceed NRS _{A20} = 36.5 dB	Sound attenuation according to AS/NZS 1270:2002: SLC ₈₀ = 26 dB, Class: 5	
INVISIO T5	Sound attenuation according to EN 352-1: SNR = 24 dB, H = 27 dB, M = 21 dB, L = 15 dB	Sound attenuation according to ANSI S12.6 - 2008 Method A: For most individually trained users: Achieve or exceed NRS _{A80} = 21.1 dB; For a few motivated proficient users: Achieve or exceed NRS _{A20} = 27 dB	Sound attenuation according to AS/NZS 1270:2002: SLC ₈₀ = 24 dB, Class: 4	
INVISIO T7	Sound attenuation according to EN 352-1: SNR = 28 dB, H=27 dB, M=26 dB, L=19 dB	Sound attenuation according to ANSI S3.19:-1974: NRR = 22dB. Sound attenuation according to ANSI S12.6 / ANSI S12.68 For most individually trained users: Achieve or exceed NRS _{A80} = 25 dB; For a few motivated proficient users: Achieve or exceed NRS _{A20} = 30 dB	Sound attenuation according to AS/NZS 1270:2002: SLC ₈₀ = 26 dB, Class: 5	

About INVISIO

INVISIO offers cutting-edge personal communication and hearing protection systems. The systems enable users to operate and communicate safely and clearly in all environments, even under extreme conditions, such as loud noise, heat, and underwater. INVISIO systems consist of headsets and advanced control units that interface to a wide range of communication devices. The systems provide hearing protection while maintaining the natural level of situational awareness. Customers are mainly from the public sector. Sales are made via a global network of partners and to some extent directly to end customers. INVISIO is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm (IVSO).

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