## WARRANTYREGISTRATION

We ask that you please fill out this registration form and send the bottom half to:

MANLEY LABORATORIES REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT 13880 MAGNOLIA AVE. CHINO CA, 91710

Registration entitles you to product support, full warranty benefits, and notice of product enhancements and upgrades. You MUST complete and return the following to validate your warranty and registration. Thank you again for choosing Manley Laboratories.

MODEL	_SERIALNo	
PURCHASE DATE	SUPPLIER	
	ION AND SEND IT TO MANLEY LAB	
MODEL	SERIAL No	
PURCHASE DATE	SUPPLIER	
NAME OF OWNER		
ADDRESS		
CITY,STATE,ZIP		
TELEPHONE NUMBER		
Serial #'s of Associated Man	nley Laboratories Equipment	

### **WARRANTY**

All Manley Laboratories equipment is covered by a limited warranty against defects in materials and workmanship for a period of 90 days from date of purchase to the original purchaser only. A further optional limited 5 year warranty is available to the original purchaser upon proper registration of ownership within 30 days of date of first purchase.

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Proper registration is made by filling out and returning to the factory the warranty card attached to this general warranty statement, along with a copy of the original sales receipt as proof of the original date of purchase. Only 1 card is issued with each unit, and the serial number is already recorded on it.

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If the warranty registration card has already been removed then this is not a new unit, and is therefore not warranted by the factory. If you believe this to be a new unit then please contact the factory with the details of purchase.

This warranty is provided by the dealer where the unit was purchased, and by Manley Laboratories, Inc. Under the terms of the warranty defective parts will be repaired or replaced without charge, excepting the cost of tubes. No warranty is offered on tubes, unless:

1. a Manley Laboratories preamplifier is used with a Manley Laboratories amplifier, and 2. the warranty registration card is filled out.

In such a case a 6 month warranty on tubes is available with the correct recording of the serial number of the preamplifier on your warranty registration card.

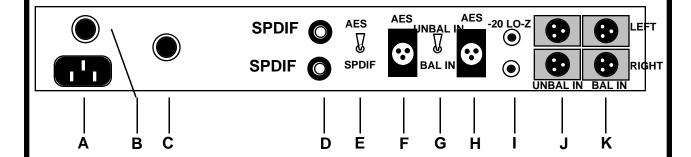
If a Manley Laboratories product fails to meet the above warranty, then the purchaser's sole remedy shall be to return the product to Manley Laboratories, where the defect will be repaired without charge for parts and labour. The product will then be returned via prepaid, insured freight, method and carrier to be determined solely by Manley Laboratories. All returns to the factory must be in the original packing, (new packing will be supplied for no charge if needed), accompanied by a written description of the defect, and must be shipped to Manley Laboratories via insured freight at the customer's own expense. Charges for unauthorized service and transportation costs are not reimbursable under this warranty, and all warrantees, express or implied, become null and void where the product has been damaged by misuse, accident, neglect, modification, tampering or unauthorized alteration by anyone other than Manley Laboratories.

The warrantor assumes no liability for property damage or any other incidental or consequental damage whatsoever which may result from failure of this product. Any and all warrantees of merchantability and fitness implied by law are limited to the duration of the expressed warranty. All warrantees apply only to Manley Laboratories products purchased and used in the USA.

Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitations may not apply to you. Some states do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damges, so the above exclusion may not apply to you.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

## **INPUT CONNECTIONS**



- I UNBALANCED RCA -20dB LO-Z INPUT: User must provide his own 20dB line stage which should include an INPUT LEVEL CONTROL into this externely low impedance input which is at "virtual earth" with an in line 4K resistor.
- **J UNBALANCED XLR INPUT:** 25K "bridging" input impedance. We have utilized the latest in op-amp design, The Linear Technology LT1028, in our standard version of front end circuitry. The LT1028 has the lowest noise and THD figures of any currently manufactured op-amp.

The pinout is as follows:

PIN 1 GROUND PIN 2 HOT (+) PIN 3 GROUND

**K BALANCED XLR INPUT:** 10K "bridging" input impedance. To achieve optimum quality from this input, ONLY A TRULY BALANCED (i.e.; fully floating or symmetrical) drive should be employed.

The pinout is as follows:

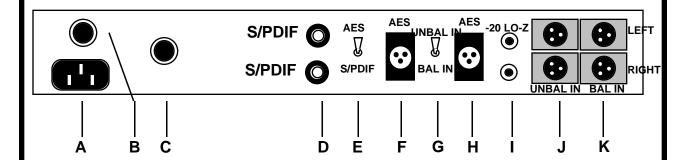
PIN 1 GROUND

PIN 2 HOT (+)

PIN 3 LOW (-)

PLEASE NOTE: Since this input is intended for use with an electronically balanced console output, NO means of internal level control has been provided in this converter unit for this input.

## REAR PANEL



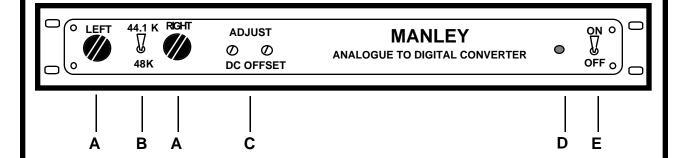
- A IEC MAINS SOCKET: Standard IEC mains socket (120/240 VAC)
- **B FUSE HOLDERS:** Replace with 1A SLO-BLO fuse only.
- C VOLTAGE CHANGEOVER SWITCH: Set for the correct mains voltage for your area by rotating the centre section with a flat screwdriver.
- **D** S/PDIF DIGITAL OUTPUTS: These two Sony-Phillips Digital Interface unbalanced digital outputs appear on UHF style jacks. BNC or RCA to UHF adaptors are easily available if you prefer to use BNC or RCA terminated cables, however, we believe the UHF connector is the most robust and well shielded connector for coaxial digital links.
- E S/PDIF / AES SELECT: This LOCKING switch will optimise either AES or SPDIF digital formats. To change the setting of this switch, PULL OUT the toggle before switching! The MANLEY A TO D CONVERTER is standardly shipped with two AES plus two SPDIF outputs, although any combination may be specially ordered.
- F AES DIGITAL OUTPUTS: These two AES balanced digital outputs appear on 3-pin XLR jacks. The pinout is as follows:

  PIN 1 GROUND
  PIN 2 HOT

PIN 3 LOW

**G UNBALANCED / BALANCED INPUT SELECT:** This switch will select either the unbalanced inputs OR the electronically balanced inputs. Be sure the correct input is selected here.

## FRONT PANEL CONTROLS



- A INPUT LEVEL-SET CONTROLS: These input attenuators function in conjuntion with the UNBALANCED XLR INPUTS only. They are marked for left and right channels.
- **B** 44.1 K / 48 K SELECT: This switch will change the sampling frequency to either 44.1 KHz or 48 KHz. PLEASE NOTE: Power down the unit before changing this switch. (For those who never intend to use this unit at 48 KHz, we can provide the converter hard-wried for 44.1 K only.)
- C DC OFFSET TRIM The DC offset trim is correctly adjusted at the factory. However, one or two conditions can, and often do, arise that COULD require the DC offset to be reset by the user.

One such case is if this unit is being used in an abnormally high ambient temperature which could cause the operating temperature of this unit to rise above its normal range. This may in turn produce a small amount of unacceptable DC offset voltage which can easily be nulled by adjusting/ trimming the screwdriver controls provided.

- **D LED:** Illuminates when the power is on.
- **E POWER SWITCH** Switch up to turn on the power, down to turn the power off.

## MAINS CONNECTIONS

Your unit has been factory set to the correct mains voltage for your country. The voltage setting is marked on the serial badge, located on the rear panel. Check that this complies with your local supply.

Export units for certain markets have a moulded mains plug fitted to comply with local requirements. If your unit does not have a plug fitted the coloured wires should be connected to the appropriate plug terminals in accordance with the following code.

GREEN/YELLOW	EARTH	terminal
BLUE	NEUTRAL	terminal
BROWN	LIVE	terminal

As the colours of the wires in the mains lead may not correspond with the coloured marking identifying the terminals in your plug proceed as follows;

The wire which is coloured GREEN/YELLOW must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked by the letter E or by the safety earth symbol or coloured GREEN or GREEN and YELLOW.

The wire which is coloured BLUE must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked by the letter N or coloured BLACK.

The wire which is coloured BROWN must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked by the letter L or coloured RED.

DO NOT CONNECT/SWITCH ON THE MAINS SUPPLY UNTIL ALL OTHER CONNECTIONS HAVE BEEN MADE.

## **INTRODUCTION**

#### THANK YOU!...

for choosing the Manley Laboratories *REFERENCE 20 BIT ANALOGUE TO DIGITAL CONVERTER*. Please read over this manual carefully as it contains information essential to proper operation of this unit.

The MANLEY ANALOGUE TO DIGITAL CONVERTER features completely dual-mono analogue sections and power supplies, the heart of which is the only TRUE 20-BIT, 128x oversampling converter unit available today, custom made for us by ULTRAANALOG. By "TRUE 20-BIT" we mean that full 20 bit perfomance IS actually achieved from years of exhaustive research and engineering on the converter chip itself. While some converters claim to be 20 bit, or 18 bit, or 16 bit, seldomly is the 18th, 16th, or 14th bit performance ever reached. The 128x oversamplig rate at which the ULTRAANALOG operates eliminates the need for anti-alias filters, and eliminates differential non-linearity and harmonic distortion for low amplitude signals.

#### **GENERAL NOTES**

#### **LOCATION & VENTILATION**

The MANLEY ANALOGUE TO DIGITAL CONVERTER must be installed in a stable location with ample ventilation. It is recommended, if this unit is rack mounted, that you allow enough clearance on the top and bottom of the preamp such that a constant flow of air can flow through the ventilation slots.

#### **WATER & MOISTURE**

As with any electrical equipment, this unit should not be used near water or moisture. If liquid enters the unit, it must be immediately returned to your dealer for servicing.

#### **SERVICING**

The user should not attempt to service this unit beyond that described in the owner's manual. Refer all servicing to Manley Laboratories.



**WARNING!** 



TO PREVENT THE RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK
DO NOT OPEN THE CABINET
REFER SERVICING TO
QUALIFIED PERSONEL

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## **OWNER'SMANUAL**

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