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1 Introduction and Features

1.1 Introduction

The Model MC682 MicroCab Traffic Controller contains most of the features of a complete NEMA Traffic Controller Assembly Cabinet, but in a package about the size of a shoe box. The MicroCab includes a traffic controller, a conflict monitor, and the equivalent of a six-position loadbay with integral flasher and transfer relay. The controller's features include virtually all of those found in Cubic | Trafficware's fullyfeatured NEMA controllers, the Series 900. Even communications and closed-loop compatibility are provided. Additionally, the front vanel contains switches for controlling power, flashing operation, and stop-time; controls normally requiring a separate operator maintenance panel. The resulting package is an extremely powerful, physically small, and cost efficient traffic controller assembly.

In addition to features, the MicroCab addresses the other major considerations about traffic control equipment: Ease of use, reliability, and flexibility. The MC682 is easy to use because it employs "menu" screens, traffic terminology, and because abbreviations are used instead of numeric or letter codes. Since the MC682 is programmed identically to Cubic | Trafficware's Series 900 controllers, organizations already familiar with Cubic | Trafficware controllers will find that almost no training is required to put the MicroCab into service.

The MicroCab combines two of Cubic | Trafficware's products with long track records of reliable operation; the Series 900 controller and the Model 124 Emergency Replacement Unit. The design of the MC682 is microprocessor-based and completely solid state with the exception of an integral transfer relay. The unit has been designed and tested for operation over the full NEMA environmental range.

To ensure flexibility, the MicroCab includes the input and output signals necessary to allow the unit to be used with different combinations of external modules. -For example, if an external conflict monitor is desired., the MicroCab accommodates it easily. Although an internal flash buss is provided, an external flasher and transfer relay are commonly used with the MC682 in permanent applications to allow the MicroCab to be replaced while the signals are flashing.

Cubic | Trafficware, Inc. designs and manufactures all of the major components of traffic controller assemblies; controllers, conflict monitors, load bays, and cabinets. Our expertise in these areas has been combined to make the MicroCab the most useful device for solving traffic control problems not best solved by standard controller assemblies. Typical applications for the MicroCab are those where time, physical space, or money are in short supply. Thus, it is ideal for emergency replacement of standard controllers, permanent replacement of electro-mechanical controllers, or for new installations where a low-cost, full-featured traffic control system is required.

1.2 Features

The MicroCab includes the following features.

Controller

- 8 phases, 2 rings, 4 barriers 6 overlaps
- 6 pedestrian phases
- Internal phases, overlaps, and ped phases may be mapped to 6 output load bay channels (18 outputs)
- Internal/External/Time-based Coordination
- Mappable Detectors
- Serial Communications (2 ports)
- Closed-Loop Compatible
- Preemption (5 inputs) and Flash

Conflict Monitor

- 6 channel (red, yellow, green input per channel) Conflict monitoring
- Red Failure monitoring
- Dual indication fault monitoring
- Initial Flash Time
- Red Failure and Dual Indication enabled on a per channel basis
- Permissive programming in EEPROM

Internal Load bay

- Eighteen 10 Amp AC outputs organized in 6 channels of green, yellow, and red outputs
- Programmable Red/Yellow flash through the internal transfer relay by pluggable wire jumpers
- 20 amp signal load capacity

Front Panel Controls, Display and Indicators

- All operator controls and connections are on the front panel
- 4 line by 40 character LCD display
- 20 key key-pad
- Separate fuses for Signal and Controller power
- Switches for Power, flashing, stop-time and resetting conflict monitor faults
- LED indicators for Power, Coordination Active, and Conflict Monitor Fault

Input/Output Signal Connectors

 Main connector (P1, 37 pin) is compatible with Cubic | Trafficware Model 124P and 124F Emergency Replacement Controllers

AC Power

- o AC Hot for Signals
- o AC Hot for Logic
- o AC Neutral
- o Chassis Ground
- Eighteen 10 amp AC signal driver outputs, arranged in six channels of Red, Yellow & Green
- Six Detector inputs (DC, Logic True Ground)
- Other Inputs (DC, Logic True Ground):

- o Manual Control Enable Interval Advance
- o UTC-Flash or Force-off
- Flash Command or Detector Input
- Sync-in, Phase 2 Hold, or Detector Input

Other Outputs (DC, Logic True Ground)

- o Sync-Out
- Logic Ground (DC signal reference)

Second I/O connector (P2, 55 pin)

O Signals on P2 are all DC, logic true ground signals. All DC signals on P1 are also found on P2.

Inputs

- Detector 1 12
- o Preempt 1 5
- Coordination
 - Offset 1 4
 - Cycle 0,1
 - Split 0,1
- o Alarms 1,2
- o Manual Control Enable
- Interval Advance
- Flash Command
- UTC Flash or Force-off
- Stop Timing

Outputs

- Controller Voltage Monitor
- Preempt Active
- o Flash Active
- Coordination
 - Offset 1 4
 - Cycle 0, 1
 - Split 0, 1
 - Sync Out
- o Special Output 1 8
- o +12 Volts DC
- Logic Ground
- Chassis Ground

Serial Communications

Two 9-pin connectors provide serial, RS232 communication to closed-loop system master controllers, portable computers, or printers. The baud rate of each port is programmable to 19.2.

Operational Specifications

- Voltage:95 to 135
- VAC Output: Up to 6 Phases
- Temp:-35° F to +165° F
- Humidity:0 to 95 percent

Physical Specifications

- Height:8.25 in.
- Width:12.5 in.
- Depth:7.5 in.
- Weight:11 lb

1.3 Overview

The simplest way to think of the MC682 MicroCab is to consider it as a NEMA controller with an integral six channel load bay and the ability to map phases, overlaps and pedestrian movements to the six load bay channels through keypad entries. The controller is not restricted internally in its capabilities compared to a Series 900 NEMA controller. It retains 8 phases, 8 overlaps, and 8 pedestrian movements. An operator maps the phase and overlap movements to load switch outputs through a single data entry screen. The flexibility provided by this arrangement makes the MicroCab suitable for any intersection control application where six or fewer load switches are required and the total signal load is 2400 watts or less.

The functional modules of the MC682 are physically separated on different printed circuit boards (PCB's) within the unit. The controller, keypad and display, and DC I-/O circuitry is contained on-the Controller PCB. The loadswitch and power supply circuitry is located on the Triac module, which is attached to the large heat sink on the rear of the unit. The conflict monitor is on a separate PCB that plugs into the triac board.

Conflict monitor permissives are programmed into an EEPROM module that plugs into a socket on the conflict monitor. The EEPROM module is programmed by installing it into a separate socket on the controller PCB, and by defining the permissives through the keypad. Once programmed, the permissive EEPROM module is re-installed onto the conflict monitor board. This method of defining permissives has the advantages of providing a conflict monitor that is independent of the controller during normal operation, is physically small, and is easily programmed using the controller's keypad and display



2 FUNCTIONAL CHARACTERISTICS

This section will describe the operational features of the MicroCab unit with emphasis on the internal controller module. Parts of this section describe the standard NEMA features under TS1-1989. Other sections describe functions in the controller which exceed the NEMA Standard. The latter sections address the operation of the controller and applications not covered by the NEMA standards.

2.1 Standard NEMA Characteristics

The MicroCab MC682 Traffic Controller contains two timing Rings with both Rings containing 4 phases. The NEMA characteristics are divided into three groups: per Phase, per Ring, and per Unit.

2.1.1 Characteristics per Phase - Time Settings

The duration of each interval is set with the front panel keyboard and has the following ranges:

	Time settings phases				
Code	Interval.	Range	Res	olution	
01	Minimum Green	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
02	Preset Gap	0-9.9 sec.	0.1	sec	
03	Maximum I	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
04	Maximum II	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
05	Yellow 0-9.9 se	c	0.1	sec	
	(If pencil SW7 C	on) 3-9.9. sec.	0.1	sec	
06	Red 0-9.9 se	c.	0.1	sec	
07	Walk 0-99 se	c.	1	sec	
08	Ped Clearance	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
09	Added Initial	0-9.9 sec.	0.1	sec	
10	Time To Reduce	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
11	Time Bef. Red.	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
12	Minimum Gap	0-9.9 sec.	0.1	sec	
13	Maximum Initial	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
14	Walk 2 0-99 sec	. .	1	sec	
15	Ped Clearance ⁻ 2	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
16	Maximum III	0-99 sec.	1	sec	
17	Max Extension	0-99 sec.	1	sec	

2.1.1.1 Phase Intervals

2.1.1.1.1 Actuated Green without Density

Without density features the Green interval will vary upon vehicle actuations. The length of this interval is limited by the Maximum Green time, which begins timing when the Green of the phase is started and a serviceable conflicting call is present.

The phase can be terminated by the Maximum Green time-out if the Minimum Green interval has been completed. Three time settings are provided to determine the Green interval of an actuated phase without density features.

- (1) Minimum Green The first timed portion of the Green interval which cannot be terminated before its time has timed out, even by a force off input.
- (2) Preset Gap The extendable portion of the Green interval is a function of the vehicle actuations that occur during this interval. The phase remains in this interval as long as the Gap timer does not expire. The timer is reset with each actuation and begins timing when the actuation is removed. This operation continues to extend the green, subject to the limit of the Maximum Green time.
- (3) Maximum Green This setting determines the maximum length of time the phase may be held Green in the presence of an opposing serviceable call. In the absence of a serviceable conflicting call, the Maximum Green timer remains reset.
- (4) Maximum Extension This entry allows Max 1 or Max 2 to extend to a Maximum 3 time by intervals defined under the Maximum Extension time entry. This feature is programmable on a per phase basis.

If the green of a phase is terminated on two consecutive cycles because of a vehicle extension Max-Out, then the Max time in operation is extended by the time setting in the Maximum Extension. The Max time in operation increases by the Maximum Extension time each time the phase is Maxed-Out once the Maximum Extension becomes active. The Max 3 setting limits the Maximum Extension additions. The Maximum Extension is terminated once the total time has reached the Max 3 time setting.

NOTE: In-order for the Maximum Extension to operate properly, the Max 3 setting must be greater than Max 1 or Max 2.

If the phase or phases gap out on two consecutive cycles, the Max timer is reset. If the Max 3 setting is equal to zero or the Maximum Extension setting is equal to zero, then the Maximum Extension function is inactive.

2.1.1.1.2 Actuated Green with Density

In addition to the Minimum Green, Preset Gap, and Maximum Green timing, Density features are provided for each phase, including Variable Initial and Gap Reduction. The Initial timing may be increased as a function of the number of vehicles stored on the phase while its signal is not Green.

During the extendable portion, the allowable Gap time is decreased as a function of the time vehicles are waiting for an opposing phase.

- (1) Variable Initial The Variable Initial timing is determined by two time settings
 - (a) Minimum Green settings determine the minimum Variable Initial time.
 - (b) Added Initial (per actuation) determines the time by which the Variable Initial time is increased from zero for each vehicle actuation received during the Yellow and Red intervals.
 - (c) Maximum Initial settings limit the variable initial time, except that the Minimum Green time may not be shortened by this setting.
 - (d) The Initial green time is equal to Added Initial (per actuation) times the number of actuations received during the Yellow and Red intervals, subject to limitation by Maximum Initial, and is never less than the Minimum Green setting.
- (2) Gap Reduction The Gap Reduction feature has the following settings:
 - (a) The Time Before Reduction setting begins timing when the phase is Green and there is •a serviceable conflicting call. During this time, the Gap is reduced.
 - (b) The Time To Reduce setting sets the time required to reduce from the Preset gap to the Minimum Gap.
 - (c) The Preset Gap is the amount of time allowed between vehicle actuations to maintain the Green interval, prior to the start of Gap Reduction.
 - (d) The Minimum Gap is the amount of time allowed between vehicle actuations to maintain the Green interval, at the completion of Gap reduction. The allowable Gap is linearly reduced, from

the Preset Gap to the Minimum Gap in the time programmed under Time To Reduce.

2.1.1.1.3 Pedestrian Timing

Concurrent pedestrian timing is permitted for each phase with any mode of vehicle signal timing. Two separate pedestrian timings are available.

- (1) Walk and Walk 2 This setting controls the time duration that the Walk output is active.
- (2) Ped Clear and Ped Clear 2 This setting controls the time duration of the Pedestrian Clearance output and the flashing period of the Don't Walk output.

When a pedestrian call is stored in memory for any phase, the pedestrian timing begins when that phase enters the Green interval if the Pedestrian omit input is not active. The pedestrian outputs can be recycled if there is no serviceable conflicting call and a Pedestrian Omit input is not active.

2.1.1.1.4 Non-Actuated Phase Operation

Non-Actuated operation is activated by the internal commands calling for the Non-Actuated Mode. The Non-Actuated mode is considered to have four Green states.

- (1) State A is the minimum timing state. The duration of this state is determined by the Walk or Walk 2 setting. Signal indications during this state are Green and Walk.
- (2) State B will immediately follow the minimum timing estate. The controller will dwell in this state in the presence of the Hold input, or if the Walk Rest Modifier input is active and no serviceable call exists. Signal indications are the same as State A. The controller will not leave this state unless the Hold input is inactive, or a serviceable conflicting call exists and the Force Off input is active.
- (3) State C is the Pedestrian Clearance interval, during which time the Ped Clear or Ped Clear 2 times and the Don't Walk output flashes. The duration of this state is determined by the Ped Clear or Ped Clear 2 time setting.
- (4) State D is a Green Dwell/Select state from which the controller selects the next phase to be serviced. During this state, signal indications are Green and a steady Don't Walk. If a serviceable conflicting call does not exist, and the Pedestrian Recycle or Walk Rest Modifier input is active, the phase will return to State A and service the Walk or Walk 2 again. If a serviceable, conflicting call does not exist and neither of these inputs are active, the controller will remain in State D. When in state D, if a serviceable conflicting call exists, the controller will terminate the phase. The duration of the Green interval is never less than the Minimum Green setting.

If the sum of the Walk or Walk 2 time setting, the duration of Hold state, and the Ped Clear or Ped Clear 2 time setting is less than the Minimum Green setting, the controller will remain in state D until the Minimum Green timer expires, and the signal indications will be Green and steady Don't Walk.

2.1.1.1.5 Termination of Green Timing

Termination of the Green interval occurs in response to at least one of the conditions:

- (1) Application of the Interval Advance input when timing the last portion of the Green interval.
- (2) Application of the Interval Advance input when Manual Control Enable is applied.
- (3) Initial including variable portion completed, pedestrian service completed, a serviceable conflicting call or 'red rest input, and one of the following:
 - (a) Preset Gap timed out without Hold
 - (b) Reduced Gap timed out without Hold
 - (c) Maximum Green termination without the Hold input applied.
 - (d) Force Off applied.

2.1.1.1.6 Vehicle Clearance Intervals

Following the Green interval, the controller provides a Yellow Clearance interval, the duration of which is determined by the Yellow Clearance time setting for the phase. During this interval, the signal indications are Yellow and flashing Don't Walk.

Following the Yellow interval is a Red Clearance interval, the length of which is determined by the Red Clearance setting. During this interval, the signal indications are Red and a steady Don't Walk, and no Green indication is shown to any conflicting phase. This interval may be omitted by entering a time setting of zero in the red clearance interval for that particular phase or by activating the Omit Red Clearance input.

2.1.1.1.7 Phase Selection Points

The phase next to be serviced is determined at the end of the Green interval of the terminating phase, if possible. If the determination cannot be made at this time, it is not made until after the end of the vehicle clearance intervals.

2.1.1.1.8 Storage of Demand

A call for vehicle service may be stored when the phase is not displaying a Green indication. This memory feature may be disabled from the keyboard. A call for pedestrian service can be stored only when the phase is not displaying a Walk indication.

2.1.1.1.9 Maximum Recall

A keyboard entry may be made to place a call on a phase so that the Green interval is extended to the maximum. When selected, the maximum timing begins as if there is always a serviceable conflicting, call, but the phase will not terminate unless there is an actual serviceable conflicting call.

2.1.1.1.10 Minimum Recall

A keyboard entry may be made to place a recurring demand for vehicle service on each phase when the phase is not in its Green interval.

2.1.1.1.11 Pedestrian Recall

A keyboard entry may be made to place a recurring pedestrian demand on each phase, which functions identical to an external pedestrian call, except that the pedestrian service is not recycled as a result of this entry until an opposing phase is serviced.

2.1.1.1.12 Per Phase Inputs

- (1) Vehicle Detector Call places a demand for vehicle service on the associated phase.
- (2) Pedestrian Detector Call places a demand for pedestrian service on the associated phase.
- (3) Phase 2 Hold This input retains the existing right-of-way and has different controller responses, dependent upon operation in the actuated or Non-Actuated mode. This input is only available when the unit is in the NT124P mode of operation, which is set by pencil switches 5 and 6. The operation is described in the following paragraphs:
 - (a) For a Non-Actuated phase, application of the Hold will maintain the controller in the timed out Walk interval with a Green and Walk indication. Removal of the Hold input with the Walk interval timed out causes the controller to advance into the Pedestrian Clearance interval. Application of Hold during any other interval will have no effect on the controller.
 - (b) For an Actuated phase, application of the Hold input allows the controller to time normally but inhibits advance into the Yellow Clearance interval. Application of Hold also inhibits the recycling of the pedestrian service unless the Pedestrian Recycle input is active and a serviceable pedestrian call exists on the phase. With the Hold input applied, the controller will rest in Green and Don't Walk.
 - (c) Removal of Hold allows the controller to advance into the Green Dwell/Select state when all Green

portions are timed out.

(d) Removal of Hold with all intervals timed out allows the controller to recycle the Walk interval in the absence of conflicting calls if a pedestrian call exists for the active phase. When a serviceable *conflicting* call exists the controller will advance to the Yellow Clearance interval.

2.1.1.1.13 Per Phase/Channel Outputs

- (1) Vehicle and Pedestrian Signal Lamp AC Drivers -
 - (a) Green or Walk, Yellow, and Red or Don't Walk output drivers are provided for each channel. Vehicle and pedestrian phases are mapped to channel outputs by operator entries.

2.1.2 Enhanced Characteristics per Phase

The MicroCab controller contains some features which exceed the NEMA Standard. The characteristics described in this section allow the NEMA timer to execute its normal timing but modify its operating procedure slightly.

2.1.2.1 Barriers

A timing Ring contains 4 phases which have a priority sequence of 1,2,3,4,1,2, etc. for Ring 1 and 5,6,7,8,5,6, etc. for Ring 2. When concurrent timing of the two rings is allowed, a barrier is utilized to determine the compatibility of phases in ring 1 with Phases of Ring 2 since both Rings time simultaneously.

In the MicroCab, there are 4 barriers which have a sequence of priority similar to that of a Ring. Also, the barrier operates with the same Ring rules in that a barrier without a call present will be skipped. Phases programmed within a barrier still follow the Ring rotation sequence, except that when the last phase in the sequence times it will check to see if there is another barrier requesting service. If no calls exist outside the active barrier, phases inside the active barrier will continue to sequence according to the calls and the rotation. Leaving the barrier is only considered when the last phase in sequence in that barrier has timed its Green Interval and a call exists beyond the barrier.

The standard 8 phase assignment is made by placing phases 1,2 of Ring 1 in the same barrier as phases 5,6 of Ring 2. Also, phase 3,4 of Ring 1 are placed in the barrier with phase 7,8 of Ring 2. The other two barriers do not contain any phases. The standard 4 phase assignment is made by placing phase 1,2,3,4 of Ring 1 in the same barrier and none of the Ring 2 phases.

It is possible to program the same phase in multiple barriers, but the operator must be aware that a Green phase does not place an active barrier call. These programmable barriers can be overidden by fixed barriers as programmed by the setting of pencil switches 1 and 2 as described in the appendix.

Phase Omit Entry - The MicroCab is either a 4 Phase or 8 Phase unit. It provides a keyboard entry to program a continuous Phase Omit. This allows phases to be omitted when less than standard number of phases are required.

Flashing Walk - In normal operation the Walk output is continuously active when in the Walk Interval. Occasionally it is desired to flash the Walk indication when the pedestrian movement is subjected to vehicular traffic turning across the crosswalk. For such cases, a keyboard entry is provided on a per phase basis.

Rest in Walk - This keyboard entry allows the controller to rest in the Walk Interval after timing the interval in the absence of a serviceable conflicting call. Programming this feature requires the timing of the pedestrian clearance interval prior to servicing a conflicting call.

Pedestrian Clearance Protect - A keyboard entry which will prevent the termination of the Pedestrian Clearance interval when the Interval Advance is applied with Manual Control Enable active unless the pedestrian clearance interval has completed its timing. When this feature is inactive, the timer responds according to TS2-1989.

Select Maximum II - This keyboard entry allows the Maximum II value to be used in the Maximum timer in place of the Maximum I time.

Last Car Passage - Last Car Passage is used in Density Operation only. When a phase terminates due

to a Gap out, the phase will continue to display Green after the Gap out occurs for a time equal to the difference between the Preset Gap time and the reduced Gap time, if the Last Car Passage is enabled by the keyboard entry. This entry allows the phase to display Green for one entire Preset Gap time after the last vehicle actuation is removed from the vehicle call input. During Last car Passage, subsequent calls will not re-extend the phase, but will be retained in the vehicle detector memory. If Last Car Passage is not enabled, the Green indication will terminate when Gap out occurs.

Simultaneous Gap-out - When operating in the Dual-Ring mode, a phase that gapped out with the next serviceable conflicting call being across the barrier will lock in a Green Dwell/Select state, and remain so until the phase timing in the other Ring reaches its Green Dwell/Select state due to Gap out or Maximum termination. Subsequent actuations on the Gapped out phase will have no effect, as long as a serviceable conflicting call exists. The MicroCab Controller provides a keyboard entry for each phase called Simultaneous Gap-Out. With this feature enabled, a phase that has gapped out as described may be re-extended out of its Green Dwell/Select state, thus maintaining both phases in the Green interval until both phases reach the Gapped out or Max out condition simultaneously.

Dual Entry - Dual entry allows a phase with a serviceable call in one Ring to cause the programmed non-conflicting traffic movement in the other Ring to be serviced concurrently.

Dual Entry operation is selected by a keyboard entry on a per-phase basis. A phase programmed for Dual Entry is the phase that will be serviced in the absence of demand for service for any other phase within the same timing Ring and within the same barrier as the Dual Entry Phase.

No Skip Phase - An entry is present which allows a phase to be programmed as a No-Skip phase. This entry insures that the phase will be serviced in its normal Ring sequence priority even if it does not have a call present. The phase programmed for No-Skip is only activated when it is trying to be skipped in the Ring rotation. The call generated by the No Skip logic is not subject to being stored in vehicle memory and will be terminated if the reason for the call is terminated.

Soft Recall - The Soft Recall entry will place a Minimum recall on any phase programmed as a soft recall phase when there are no calls existing in the controller. This means that the controller will try to rest in a phase programmed for Soft Recall.

Conditional Service - The Conditional service entry will be activated only in standard 8 phase quad left configuration. This entry alters the barrier crossing in that if both Rings are in their barrier phases and one phase Gaps out. It allows the gapped out Ring to service the phase away from the barrier upon receipt of a call. This service takes place only if the Max timer of the other Ring has enough time remaining for the Yellow plus Red Clearance of the barrier phase and the Min Green or Walk plus Ped. Clearance of the phase to be "conditionally" serviced to be timed. This service allows the controller to "Back up".

Conditional Reservice - Conditional reservice is the feature that allows the phase in conditional service to reservice the barrier phase. This will happen if there is enough maximum time remaining in the concurrent barrier phase to service at least the Min Time / Walk and Pedestrian Clearance of the barrier phase. If reservice occurs, the detectors assigned to the re-serviced phase will be switched to the controlling barrier phase. Conditional service will not occur from a reserviced phase.

Conflicting Phase - An entry is available which allows phases in different rings on the same side of the compatibility line to be programmed as conflicting phases. Two phases programmed as conflicting phases have the same effect on a phase as placing that phase or phases in a separate barrier. An example of the use of a conflicting phase movement would be a divided highway where the distance between the divided requires that the left turns operate in conflicting movements. This allows for a safer intersection control device.

2.1.3 Characteristics per Ring

2.1.3.1 Per Ring Inputs

Two inputs that are normally provided per ring have been changed to per unit inputs. These are Force-off and Stop Timing. A discussion of the operation of these inputs is now provided in the Per Unit Input section (3.1.5). There

are no other inputs provided on a per ring basis.

2.1.3.2 Per Ring Outputs

There are no outputs provided on a per ring basis.

2.1.4 Other Enhanced Characteristics

The MicroCab has some added features which change the sequence of service for each phase pair.

Phase Reversal (Lead/Lag) - Entries can be made which will reverse the sequence of phases within a Ring. In the MicroCab there are four such entries; Reverse 1/2, Reverse 3/4, Reverse 5/6, and Reverse 7/8.

2.1.5 Characteristics per Unit

2.1.5.1 Initialization

Initialization occurs under either of the two following conditions; Restoration of power after a defined power interruption or; Activation of the External Start input. Keyboard entries allow the timer to initialize at the beginning of the Green, Yellow, or Red interval of any phase or phase pair, or in a Red Rest condition. When initialization occurs, vehicle and pedestrian calls are placed on all phases and retained until serviced, even though the vehicle memory circuit is disabled.

2.1.5.2 Power Interruption

With a loss of AC Power of less than 1/2 second, the controller will continue timing when the power is restored. A loss of Power of 1 second or more will always result in the controller re-initializing. Time between 1/2 second and 1 second may or may not cause the controller to re-initialize.

2.1.5.3 Red Revert Timing

If a phase turns red without a phase next decision (e.g., enters Red Rest), the Red Revert time will time if a phase next decision is made to re-time the phase that just entered Red Rest. Red Revert time is entered from the Keyboard.

2.1.5.4 Per Unit Inputs

- (1) AC+: connects the controller to the line side of the 120 Volt 60 Hertz power source.
- **(2) AC-**: AC- connects the unfused and unswitched neutral side of the power source to the controller. This input is isolated from logic or chassis ground.
- (3) Chassis Ground: Chassis Ground connects only to the chassis the controller unit.
- **(4) Interval Advance -** A complete ON/OFF cycle of this input causes immediate termination ._of the interval that is timing. If concurrent interval timing exists, this input will immediate terminate the interval that would terminate next without such action.

Phases without stored vehicle or pedestrian calls are omitted from the resultant phase sequencing of the controller unless External Min. recall to all vehicle phases or Manual Control Enable inputs are active.

The controller selects the next phase to be serviced in the normal manner. If the Interval Advance is activated during the Green interval and no serviceable conflicting call exists, the controller will not advance beyond the Green Dwell/Select state, unless Red Rest is active.

Application of Interval Advance during Green and Walk causes the controller to advance to Green and Pedestrian Clearance. Application of Interval Advance during Green and Pedestrian Clearance causes the controller to display steady Don't Walk and advance to the Green Dwell/Select state, select the next phase to be serviced, and immediately advance to the Yellow Clearance interval, provided a serviceable conflicting call is present.

Application of Interval Advance during Green and steady Don't Walk causes the controller to advance to the Green Dwell/Select state, select the next phase to be serviced, and immediately advance to the Yellow Clearance interval, subject to the presence of a serviceable conflicting call.

Application of Interval Advance during a Yellow or Red Clearance interval will not terminate these

intervals if Manual Control Enable is applied. Also, the Pedestrian Clearance interval cannot be terminated by Interval Advance if Manual control Enable is applied and the Protect Pedestrian Clearance keyboard entry is programmed.

- **(5) Manual Control Enable :** This input places vehicle and pedestrian call on all phases, stops controller timing in all intervals except Yellow and Red clearance intervals (and the Pedestrian Clearance Interval if Ped Protect is programmed), and inhibits , operation of Interval Advance during the above intervals.
- **(6) Force-Off:** This input is only available in the NT124-P operating mode. When available and active, it terminates the Green timing of an actuated phase or Walk Hold of a phase operating in the Non-Actuated mode, subject to a serviceable conflicting call. This one input affects both rings. _This input has no effect during the timing of Minimum, Walk, or Pedestrian Clearance. Force-Off is effective only as long as the input is applied.
- (7) **Stop Timing:** The Stop timing input inhibits both rings from timing for the duration of the input. When the input is removed, the interrupted portion continues timing. With the Stop Timing input applied, vehicle actuations on Non-Green are recognized, vehicle actuations on Green phases reset the Gap timer, and the controller will not terminate any interval or select another phase, except by application of the Interval Advance input. Application of Interval Advance with Stop Timing applied clears all stored calls on the phase if the controller is advanced through the Green interval of that phase.

2.1.5.5 Per Unit Outputs

(1) The MicroCab controller has eight overlap phases called overlap 1 - 8. Each overlap phase has a Green, Yellow, and Red output driver. The output state of overlaps 1-4 is determined by the overlap program board or, if desired, by a keyboard entry. Overlaps 5-8 can be programmed from the keyboard only.

Overlaps are programmed as a function of phases, phases which conflict with the overlap, and overlaps which conflict with other overlaps.

Three variations of overlap logic outputs are provided which are defined as follows: Normal, Illinois, or Florida. When programming the overlaps for the Illinois or the Florida style overlaps, the programming of a suppression phase is allowable. The Suppression phase alters the overlap output depending on the selected style.

If Calc From Parent Phases is programmed ON the overlap clearance will be timed by the parent phase terminating the overlap.

The Florida suppression style causes the overlap output to be dark if the Suppression phase is Green or Yellow; otherwise, the overlap operates in a normal mode. This style allows the left turns to suppress the ball indications in a four or five section head if the left turn is active.

The Illinois style turns the overlap Red if the Green of the Suppression phase is active, and the overlap will remain Red if a suppression phase next call is detected during the Suppression phase Green.

The Dallas mode programs as a function of the time of day.' In this mode, the overlap remains dark as long as the Green or Yellow of the Suppression phase is active. The overlap remains Red when the Red of the Suppression phase is active.

- (2) Logic Ground The isolated DC power supply common, to which all input and output logic circuits are referenced.
- (3) Voltage Monitor This output is on when all internal voltages are within their operating limits. Also, an internal Watchdog timer monitors the processor for a locked-up condition and if this condition is found will cause this output to revert to a logical off state.
- (4) +12 Volts External This voltage is a regulated positive supply at 12 + /- 2 VDC. Up to 250 milliamps is available for powering external devices from this output.

2.1.6 Enhanced Characteristics Per Unit

Several functions exist *which* extend the MicroCab Controller beyond the NEMA standards. These Functions are Coordination, Rail Preemption, Fire Preemption, Internal Flash, and Communications. All of these special features will be discussed in their own section. To control these features from the external control lines, several extra

connectors are added to the standard controller.

2.1.6.1 Enhanced Per Unit Inputs

Most of the extra unit inputs are contained in connector "D". These inputs consist of the 8 bicycle inputs, special preemption inputs, 8 system detector inputs and several other special functions to be discussed later.

2.1.6.1.1 Preemption

Five inputs allow the controller to enter into a Preemption condition as defined by section 2.4.1. Each input can be assigned a rail or emergency preemption. When an input is assigned as emergency preemption input, it can operate as a high or low priority preemption input simultaneously.

2.1.6.1.2 System Detector Inputs

Four inputs are identified as system detector inputs although all 12 detector inputs may be used for this purpose. For each input an occupancy and count value can be obtained. Also, the system detector inputs, 9 - 12, can be mapped as vehicle detectors for a phase. Refer to the paragraph on vehicle detector mapping for more information.

2.1.6.2 Enhanced Per Unit Outputs

The extra unit outputs are contained in connector "P2" of the MicroCab.

2.1.6.2.1 Plan and Offset Selection

Eight output lines define the currently selected Plan and Offset of the local traffic controller. These outputs are Split 2 and 3, Cycle 2 and 3, and offset 1-4.

2.1.6.3 Command Outputs

Eight outputs are provided which can be programmed as a function of Time of Day or selected by the External Configuration if so desired. The outputs are defined in the Controller Configuration command entry.

The eight outputs program as follows:

- 1. Special Outputs 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, and 8 can be turned on and off.
- 2. Special Output 8 can be programmed to pulse for a time period of 0.0 to 9.9 seconds.

2.2 Time Base

The internal clock is normally timed from the power line and kept to a resolution of 1/60 of a second. When AC power is removed, the clock will continued to be maintained by a super-cap backed up clock chip. Time Base for the MicroCab allows the controller's traffic configuration to be changed as a function of time. To implement the configuration changes, 17 commands can be selected by the Real time Clock. These commands can change such things as phase recall, controller rest state, and phase detector assignments. The Time Base operation also selects. the Coordination Mode as well as the Offset and Plan which are used during coordination.

Timer Configuration and Coordination are selected by two different types of entries called Weekday and Holiday selection entries. The Weekday entries are based upon a weekly cycle and the Holiday entries are based upon a yearly cycle. Both entries designate the time of day for calling both the controllers' configuration and the coordination pattern to be used.

2.2.1 Weekday and Holiday Entries

Operation of the Time Base (TB) in, the controller searches the Weekday and Holiday entries once a minute and decides which of the two types of entries is active or matches the current time of day. Once one of the entries is found to be active, the controller and coordinator configuration will remain constant as called for by the active entry until a new entry is found.

Controller configuration is defined by a Select Command Number in the active entry. Coordination is defined by the configuration found in the active entry and is defined by the acronym TMOP which stands for (Timer, Mode, Offset, Plan).

2.2.2 Controller Configuration Commands

Each of the 17 possible commands selected by the TB entries allows the function of the MicroCab to be altered. The Command Mode will define how these commands are selected and if they are active. The following is a definition of the command Modes:

- 1. OFF Disable the use of Controller Commands
- 2. TBC Allow the commands to be selected from the internal Time Base Weekday and Holiday entries.
- 3. EXT Allow the commands to be selected from the External inputs.
- 4. AUT Allow the commands to be selected in an automatic mode such that an when TBC is active the commands are selected from the TBC configuration and when TBC is inactive the commands are selected from the External configuration.
- 5. If Controller Commands are selected to be active when Coordination is active, and Coordination fails (skipped phases due to improper programming), then the default command, Command 00, will become active.

Each of the 17 commands allow the following to be selected:

- 1. Detector Assignment Map
- 2. Eight Programmable outputs
- 3. Conflicting Phases
- 4. Recall selection and Phase Omit
- 5. Rest in Green, Red, or Walk
- 6. No skip phase
- 7. Soft Recall
- 8. Max I, Max II, and Inhibit Maximum
- 9. Run Ped 2 times
- 10. Dallas Mode for overlaps
- 11. Dual Entry
- 12. Pedestrian Omit
- 13. Extension 2 selection
- 14 Lead/Lag, Conditional Service, Reservice

2.2.3 Coordination configuration

Each of the Weekday and Holiday entries can select the coordination patterns as a function of Time Base. The Coordination Mode (M) of TMOCS has seven possible selections:

Mode of Coordination

- 1. OFF Disable Coordination
- 2. AUT Auto Coordination (Close loop, Revert to TB)
- 3. TBC TB selection of Offset, Plan (OP)
- 7. FL Flash, Coordination off.

Also selected by the Weekday and Holiday entries are the Coordination Configuration of Offset and Plan.

2.3 Coordination

The MicroCab coordinator will operate if the following conditions are met:

- 1. No Coordination failure Recorded
- 2. Manual Control Input is inactive 3. System input active
- 4. No Preemption or Flash input is. active
- 5. Coordination Mode is not in Flash or Off.
- 6. All of the Primary Force off entries are not zero for a selected Plan.

The internal Coordination Cycle counter will continue to run and keep in step even though coordination is not operational.

2.3.1 Coordination Mode

Coordination operation is determined by.. the Controller Coordination Mode and is determined as follows:

- 1. The Test Coordination Mode determines how the controller will operate. When the Test Coordination Mode is set to the RTC entry, Then the Time Base Coordination Mode will determine the coordination operation.
- 2. When the TBC Mode is active (above paragraph) and the TBC Mode coordination is set to off, then activation of the flash input will override the TB mode and set the Controller Coordination Mode to FL (Flash) and inhibit coordination.
- 3. If paragraph 2 conditions hold and the flash input is not active, then activation of the External Coordination input will set the Controller's Mode to EXT (External) and external coordination will start.

2.3.2 Coordination Timing

The coordination cycle length is selected as a function of the system plan. When in sync, the cycle length indicates the time in seconds from the last sync point.

The offset entry defines the time from the last master sync to the beginning of the local cycle counter 0 point. All permissive states and some force-off points are referenced to the local cycle counter.

2.3.3 Coordination Type

The current coordination has 7 types of coordination. These various selections allow the traffic engineer to choose a particular type that is suited for his application.

Coordination Standard: Cubic | Trafficware's standard type which uses selectable permissive starting points and, calculated ending points. Permissive ending is based upon the entered force off.

Easy Coordination: Based upon the State of Texas requirement to only enter the split time for each phase and the coordinated phase. All force-offs, permissive starts, and permissive ending are calculated. New Jersey: Based upon the requirement for floating force offs., a single selectable permissive period, selectable coordinated phase, and selectable floating force-off points, one for each phase. During the permissive period, all phases are yielded to.

2.3.3.1 Permissive Mode

Four (4) different coordination types based upon the requirement for selectable dual, permissive periods, selectable yield phases for each permissive. period, and two selectable force off points for each phase.

- 1. Fixed force-offs based on the local cycle counter and timed in seconds.
- 2. Floating force-offs which begin when the phase is entered and timed in seconds.
- 3. Fixed force-offs base on the local cycle counter and timed in percent, 0 to 99.
- 4. Floating force-offs which begin when the phase is entered and timed in percent.

2.3.3.2 Coordination Standard

In the standard coordination package, Cubic | Trafficware provides the following yield entries and force-offs per plan.

Two types of yield (permissive) entries are allowed for each phase. The first is the Vehicle Yield Point and the second is the Pedestrian yield Point. Front panel entry of the Vehicle Yield point will also program the Pedestrian Yield to the same time. Therefore, it is necessary to set the vehicle first and then change the Pedestrian Yield to a different value, if desired.

Two types of Force-Off points are also programmable for each phase. The first is called the Primary Force-Off, which will apply a constant, locking force-off to a phase until the phase leaves the Green interval. The second type is a Secondary Force-Off which only applies a force off to the phase for the duration the local cycle timer indicates the force-off is active. Again, when the Primary Force-Off is programmed, the Secondary Force-Off will be set to the same value.

With these coordination entries it is possible to generate 8 independent permissive periods per plan.

Vehicle and Pedestrian permissive periods are calculated for each phase. The vehicle permissive period begins at the Vehicle 'Yield Point and ends at the time determined by the following equation.

Primary Force Off - Max Clr. (Red + Amber) - Phase Min

Where the Max Clr. (Red + Amber) is the maximum of the sum bf the red and amber clearance times of any of the eight phases.

The Pedestrian Permissive period is stated at the Pedestrian Yield Point and ends at the time determined by the following equation.

Prim. F.O. - Ph. Walk - Ph. Ped Clear.

The Pedestrian Yield point must occur equal to or later in the cycle than the vehicle Yield. When setting up coordination, be aware that it is possible to set the permissive period to zero or even start the end permissive point before the yield point. Incorrect setting may cause certain phases to be skipped. (See Coordination Failure.) The controller is designed so that an entry into the vehicle yield will set the pedestrian yield to the same value. The Yield points are a function of plan for a total of 16 yield points per phase. If the yield point is set to a value greater than the cycle length, the phase will be skipped. Make sure that all phases intended to be skipped are programmed to apply an omit to the phase.

The controller will be released to operate in Free mode if the current selected plan has all of the Primary Force Offs set to zero.

In setting up coordination two other selections may be helpful. one is the option of setting the end of the pedestrian yield period equal to the end of the vehicle yield period. The other is to stop the local time base coordinator if it has reached the force off point and either a walk or pedestrian clearance interval is still timing. Both of these options help in allowing the engineer to accommodate pedestrian movements which are longer than allowed split time for the phase. I.E. the engineer knows that when a pedestrian movement occurs on the phase, the controller will not be coordinated.

2.3.3.3 Easy Coordination Software Package

Easy programming is a mode of operation that allows the controller to calculate the yield start and force off points from a single entry called. Easy Split. The operator makes a single entry of each phase in a pattern that follows a simple set of rules

- 1. 8 Phase Quad Left Operation The sum of the Ring Split Entries must equal the Cycle Length Entry,,, for a given cycle split combination. Phases 1 + 2 splits must equal phases 5 + 6 splits.
- 2. 8 Phase Sequential The sum of the 8 Phases splits must equal to the cycle length
- 3. Quad Sequential The sum of splits for phases 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 7 + 8 must equal the cycle length. The sum of splits for phases 5 + 6 must equal the splits for phases 1 + 2.
- 4. Coordinated Phase This is the phase that has a guaranteed beginning of green. Entries of Phases 2,4,6,,8 and 2 and 6 or 4 and 8 are allowed.

A Split Entry set to zero-is considered as an entry to skip a phase. All phases to be skipped should be omitted through the use of a keyboard entry or a time of day command.

2.3.3.4 New Jersey Coordination Software Package

The Cubic | Trafficware controller provides a special coordination package which can be activated by programming

the Coordination Parameter called COOR TYPE to New Jersey. When this mode is active. a floating point force-off type of coordination is activated which is defined as follows:

Permissive Start to Permissive End - Two entries which define the permissive period. When in the permissive period and in the coordinated phase(s) all omits will be dropped on all phases

Coordinated Phase(s) - Phases from both rinvs which define the coordinated phases which when in service apply an omit to all other phases until the start of Permissive Period.

Floating Force Off - All phases contain a floating force off point which will begin to time immediately upon entry of the green of that phase. When the force off time expires, a force-off will be applied to the phase causing the controller to leave that phase. Note that a force off will only shorten the green time.

2.3.3.5 Permissive Coordination Software Package

The Cubic | Trafficware controller has implemented a special type of coordination which allows the traffic engineer a degree of flexibility in selection of one of four different modes for dual permissive operation. Since this feature does not automatically calculate the end of permissive operation, the engineer must be careful in handling force-offs. Entries for the dual permissive mode of operation consists of the following:

- 1. Begin and. End times for. both permissive periods.
- 2. A set of yield phases for each permissive period.
- 3.,A coordinated phase entry for each ring.
- 4. A primary and secondary force-off for each phase.
- 5. A force off all phases entry. This allows an end force off point encase the engineer calculates his points incorrectly.
- 6. A recycle the Walk time entry. When coordinating with a rest in walk programed, the timer will leave the walk interval at a point calculated as the force-off minus the pedestrian clearance time. If the coordinated phase reaches the green rest state and a conflicting call is not present, The timer will recycle to the walk interval at the recycle time. This calculated is done only when timing in seconds.

The permissive mode operates in four modes:

- 1. Time in seconds, force-off points fixed to the local cycle length.
- 2. Time in seconds, force-off points begin timing when the phase is entered. This mode is referred to as floating force-offs.
- 3. Time in percent, force-off points fixed to the local cycle length.
- 4. Time in seconds, force-off points are floating.

The Cubic | Trafficware timing display will always show the external sync pulse or the internal time base clock timing in seconds even with the selection of timing in percent.

2.3.4 Plan Selection

The Plan selection provides for selection of different parameters determined by the controller configuration during coordination. The following items are always the same for the three different types of coordination allowed.

- 1. Cycle length for the local cycle counter.
- 2. Percent cycle change for synchronization
- 3. Dwell Time Period

The controller plan number will only change at the local cycle zero.

2.3.4.1 Plan Selection for Standard Coordination

The Plan number of the controller configuration selects the following for each phase during standard coordination.

- 1. Vehicle Yield Point
- 2. Pedestrian Yield Point
- 3. Primary Force-Off
- 4. Secondary Force-Off

2.3.4.2 Plan Selection for Easy Coordination

The Plan number of the controller configuration selects the following during easy coordination.

- 1. Split Times per Phase
- 2. Coordinated Phase(s)

2.3.4.3 Plan Selection for New Jersey Mode Coordination

The Plan number of the controller configuration selects the following during New Jersey Mode Coordination.

- 1. Ring 1 Coordinated Phase Phases 1 to 4 or none
- 2. Ring 2 Coordinated Phase Phases 5 to 8 or none
- 3. Start of Permissive Period value of 0 to 254
- 4. End of Permissive Period value of 0 to 254
- 5. Floating Point Force off for each phase

2.3.4.4 Plan Selection for Dual Permissive Coordination

The Plan number of the controller configuration selects the following during Dual Permissive.

- 1. Ring 1 Coordinated Phase Phases 1 to 4 or none
- 2. Ring 2 Coordinated Phase Phases 5 to 8 or none
- 3. Start of Permissive 1 or 2
- 4. End of Permissive 1 or 2
- 5. Permissive Period 1 Yield phases
- 6. Permissive Period 2 Yield phases
- 7. Primary Force-off for each phase
- 8. Secondary Force-off for each phase
- 9. A Force-off all phases point
- 10. A recycle the walk in coordinated phase entry point

2.3.5 Offset Selection

The controller configuration offset number selects the following:

1. Offset value

The system offset selection value changes as directed by the current mode of operation such as Test, Time Base or External.

2.3.6 Coordination Failure

Coordination failure can be defined as the coordinator not servicing phase calls for two complete cycles. When this occurs, the controller will be released to operate in the free mode and the reason for failure will be stored. Using the coordination failure entry will allow the display of the phases, which were involved in the failure and the system configuration at the time of the failure.

Coordination failures are usually caused by an operator programming an incorrect entry when they set up the coordination parameters. The major reason for failure is that when the local coordination cycle-is speeding up, shortening the cycle length to synchronize itself, the fixed time for each phase in a Ring may not have enough time. Fixed times are those interval times which are not allowed to be shortened, such as the Minimum Green, Amber, Red, etc.

To allow for shortening cycles by as much as 25%, the operator must be cautious in setting the coordination Yield points and also in allowing enough time to properly service all fixed intervals. To aid in this problem, it is possible to program the percent cycle change so that the cycle time is not allowed to be shortened.

An entry is available to inhibit coordination failure from suspending coordination. In this case the last coordination failure that occurred would be recorded and saved for displaying at the operators convenience. Once coordination is suspended, a change in the System plan Configuration will cause coordination to begin.

2.3.7 Notes about pedestrian timing during coordination

It is very easy during coordination not to allow enough time to service the pedestrian intervals, especially during short cycles. To allow the extra pedestrian timing, a Stop In Walk option exists in the **Coordination Parameters Menu**. This will cause the local TBC coordination to pause if it reaches the force-off point and the pedestrian clearance intervals are still timing. After the pause, the coordinator will again get in step.

2.4 Controller Preemption

Several special modes of preemption exist in the Cubic | Trafficware Controller. When a preemption mode becomes effective, it will alter the controllers operation in the following ways.

2.4.1 Preemption

Preemption is invoked when several *conditions* are met: Both the Manual Enable and Stop Timing inputs are not active, one or more preempts are enabled, and one of the enabled preempts has an input that is active. Once a call to preemption is recognized, a five step process begins:

- 1. A programmable delay starts. Other than the timing of this delay, the controller continues to operate in the standard manner. This delay may eliminated by programming it to 0 seconds.
- 2. The controller begins preempting normal operation by terminating the current phase. A Minimum Green and Minimum Walk time (both are programmable) are guaranteed before continuing to. the pedestrian clearance, yellow clearance and red clearance intervals. Each preempt contains its own set of programmable, begin-clearance interval times. These times are substituted for the normal equivalent intervals of the active phase.
- 3. If Track Clearance Phases are programmed, the controller enters the track clearance step. The Green, Yellow, Red, Walk, and Pedestrian Clearance times are selected from the Track Clearance row of the Preemption Times screen. At the end of the Track Clearance step, the controller begins the preemption state.
- 4. In the Rail Preemption state, several options are allowed:
 - a. Cycle among selected (programmable) phases, with or without pedestrian movements.
 - b. Flash the intersection using a programmable flash pattern that may be unique for each available preempt. A flash pattern allows signals (phases and overlaps) to flash yellow or red or to be dark, and pedestrian signals to be steady DON'T WALK or to be dark.
- 5. The last step of preemption is a return to normal controller operation. The phases to which the controller returns are selected by the operator. If the intersection has been operating in yellow flash during preemption, the Yellow and Red return intervals are timed. If it was in all- red flash during preemption, then only the red return interval is timed. If the controller has been operating in a phase cycling mode, then none of the return intervals will be timed. Finally, the controller returns to the phases programmed as the return from preemption phases.

Any of the five preempts can be used as either Railroad Preemption or as Fire or Emergency Vehicle preemption.

2.4.2 Flash

There are two types of flashing provided internally by the MicroCab ---Transfer Flash and Controller Flash. These two flashing modes are invoked in different ways depending upon the setting of pencil switches 5 and 6, and of the Transfer Flash parameter which is key pad programmable (found under the Conflict Monitor Menu). The table on the next page lists the flashing modes available and how they are invoked for the different operating configurations of the MicroCab.

Transfer Flash

Transfer flash is similar to flashing a cabinet through its loadbay flasher and transfer relays. In the MicroCab, this method of flashing uses the internal flasher circuitry and internal transfer relay. During transfer flash, the triacs driven by the controller are disabled.

Controller Flash

The second method of flashing, controller flash, uses the controller and its triacs. The transfer relay stays in its normal (timing) position. Controller flash operation is started when Manual Enable is inactive, Flash is inactive, Flash is enabled, and the system configuration mode is set to FL(Flash). Alternatively, controller flash may be invoked by an external input (Flash Command or UTC Flash) instead of the configuration mode. When flash is activated, the controller is first forced into an all red condition and then will begin flashing according to its programming.

Once flash is active, removing the flash condition will cause the controller to enter the special return sequence. It is the operator's responsibility to insure that the return phases are compatible.

TYPE OF FLASH VS. OPERATING MODE AND INPUTS

Pencil	Pencil	MC682	Transfer	Front	Flash	UTC	Config	Type of
Switch	Switch	Operating	Flash	Panel	Command	Flash	Mode	Flashing
#5	#6	Mode	Parameter	Flash	Input	Input	Flash	Operation
0	0	MC682	OFF	1	N/A	X	X	Controller
0	0	MC682	OFF	X	N/A	1	X	Controller
0	0	MC682	ON	1	N/A	X	X	Transfer
0	0	MC682	ON	X	N/A	1	X	Transfer
0	0	MC682	X	0	N/A	0	Flash	Controller
1	0	124 - P	OFF	1	X	N/A	X	Controller
1	0	124 - P	OFF	X	1	N/A	X	Controller
1	0	124 - P	ON	1	X	N/A	X	Transfer
1	0	124 - P	ON	X	1	N/A	X	Transfer
1	0	124 - P	X	0	0	N/A	Flash	Controller
0	1	124 - F	OFF	1	X	X	X	Controller
0	1	124 - F	OFF	X	1	X	X	Controller
0	1	124 - F	OFF	0	0	1	X	Controller
0	1	124 - F	ON	1	X	X	X	Transfer
0	1	124 - F	ON	X	1	X	X	Transfer
0	1	124 - F	X	0	0	1	X	Controller
0	1	124 - F	X	0	0	X	1	Controller

Legend:

1 = Active 0 = Inactive X = Don't Care N/A = Not Available

Note: "Cnfg Mode Flash" refers to calling for flash through the system configuration mode, usually by using the Time-of-day scheduler (weekdays, holidays, etc.).

2.5 Communications

A mode of operation is available which allows two controllers to transfer information. When setting up communications between controllers first the baud rate must be set to the same value in both units as well as the Station I.D. Second, connect the data cable from the Comm 1 Port on the transmitting unit to either of the ports on the receiver unit. Using keyboard and the Comm menu in the transmitting controller, send the data or time of day to the receiving unit. If the security code option is enabled, the security code must be entered before beginning this operation . Several internal timers must be set up before the communications will run properly. These definitions are as follows:

2.5.1 Communication Timer

Generally this time is set to 3.0 seconds. The communication timer sets the amount of time the controller will wait for a response from the Master or another controller.

2.5.2 Modem Timer

Generally this time is set to 30 tens of seconds which equals 300 seconds or 5 minutes. The modem time is the time that the controller waits between messages. During this wait period, the controller will test the attached modem or will test the USART to insure that communications are still, established.

2.5.3 Dial Timer

Generally this time is set at 90 seconds. The dial timer is the amount of time the controller will take to re-dial if it finds the telephone line busy in order to send in an alarm.

2.6 Alarm Generator

The MicroCab controller monitors numerous functions, both internal to the controller and external inputs, and can generate alarms if a monitored function changes state. Sixty four alarms are provided for in the MicroCab, for monitoring the controllers operation.

Alarms may be individually enabled by operator programming. If the controller is part of a Cubic | Trafficware closed-loop system, it will report its alarms to its onstreet master. If the controller is not part of a closed-loop system, it may be programmed to auto-dial via a modem and report alarms to a central monitoring computer. Alarms can be programmed to be placed into the event buffer or if they are considered critical programmed to be placed into the alarm buffer and forwarded to the. central system. The functional assignment of alarms, by alarm number, in the MicroCab are as follows:

- Power Up reports each time the controller unit is turned on.
- 2 Stop timing or Manual enable reports each time they are activated or deactivated.
- 3 Cabinet Door Open (Display) reports each time the cabinet door is opened or closed.
- 4 Coordinator Fail reports each time the controller detects a coordination failure and when the failure is cleared.
- 5 External Alarm 1 Input, pin 34 on the P2 connector
- 6 External Alarm 2 Input, pin 57 on the D connector
- 7 8 Not used
- 9 Closed-Loop Enable reports whenever the closed-loop enable program entry is changed. This location is changed only by operator action; either through the front-panel keypad or else remotely from a central computer via communication.
- 10 16 Not Used
- 17-28 Local detector failures for detectors 1 12. These twelve alarms report the occurrence of detectors operating outside of limits established by operator programming. One alarm is provided for each detector.
- 33 36 Not used

2.7 Event Buffer

Each local controller has an event buffer which stores a total of 50 of 6 different types of events. Each event contains the time of day stamp, Controller I.D. and data concerning the event.

- 1. **Alarm Event -** Each time an alarm occurs or clears, the event is placed into the event buffer if programmed to be active.
- 2. **Preemption Event -** Each preemption event is placed into the event buffer and provide information on flash, and phase cycling
- 3. **Access type -** Two types of accesses are recorded when a user either logs on through the keyboard or dials the controller from the central. The user number and user I.D. recorded as well as the time the log on was made
- 4. **Coordination Changes -** Patterns changes for the local include the plan, offset,. coordination mode, command mode, command number, and the accumulated offset value.
- 5. Current Monitor Failures Records the binary pattern when a lamp outage is first detected.
- 6. **Split Study -** Records the % time a phase is green during a set period of time. Lists all 8 phases and the amount of time they are green.

2.8 Conflict Monitor

The internal conflict. Monitor detects conflict, red failure and dual indication faults on the. six output channels. it also has a "watch-dog timer" feature that must receive regular pulses from the controller for normal operation to be maintained. The level of monitoring is determined by user programming, by input voltage level, by the Red Monitoring Disable input and whether the unit is flashing. This section describes these features in detail.

2.8.1 Conflict Faults

The conflict monitor determines that a conflict fault has occurred when two channels that are not programmed as permissive are sensed to be active simultaneously for at least the minimum conflict duration time (350 ms. nominal). A channel is active if either the yellow or the green inputs are active. 'Upon detecting a conflict, the transfer relay is deactivated which places the unit in transfer flash, and the fault indicator on the front panel is illuminated. Conflict faults are latched and are cleared only by manually activating the momentary fault reset switch on the front panel of the MicroCab. Interruption of AC power does not clear a latched fault.

2.8.2 Red Failure Fault

A red failure occurs when there are no active inputs on a channel (ie. red, yellow and green are all detected as off) for at least the minimum red failure time (800 ms. nominal).

Upon detecting a red failure, the transfer relay is deactivated which places the unit in transfer flash, and the fault indicator on the front panel is illuminated. Red failure faults are latched and must be cleared by manually activating the fault-reset switch on the front panel. Interruption of AC power does not clear a latched fault.

Monitoring for Red Failure must be keyboard enabled for each channel. Red failure monitoring is inhibited for all channels while any of the following are true:

- 1) Red Failure Monitor Disable input on connector P1 is asserted
- 2) Transfer Flash or Controller Flash is active
- 3) The internal logic supply voltage is not within operating range and for a short period (less than 0.5 seconds) after power-up.

2.8.3 Dual Indication Fault

A dual indication fault is detected when the Red input of a channel is active simultaneously with either the green or yellow input of the same channel for at least the red failure minimum time (800 ms. nominal). Upon detecting a dual indication fault, the transfer relay is deactivated which places the unit into transfer flash, and the fault

indicator on the front panel is illuminated. Dual indication faults are latched and must be cleared by manually activating the fault reset switch on the front panel. Interruption of AC power does not clear a latched fault.

Monitoring for Dual Indication must be keyboard enabled for each channel. Dual Indication monitoring is inhibited whenever Red Failure monitoring is inhibited. Refer to the red failure section above for the inhibiting conditions.

2.8.4 Dark Channel due to Burned-Out Lamps - NOT monitored

If all signal lamps of a color on a channel are burned-out, the signals for that movement are dark for the affected interval. In some systems, this condition is recognized as a conflict fault by the conflict monitor. This condition is NOT detected-as a fault by the MicroCab conflict monitor. Therefore, Cubic | Trafficware recommends that there be more than one signal head per movement installed at intersections where MicroCab controllers are used to provide redundancy in the event of burned out lamps.

2.8.5 Non-Latched Transfer Flash

The conflict monitor places the MicroCab into non-latched transfer flash while any of the following conditions persist.

- 1. Watch-Dog timer pulses are not received from the CPU for approximately 350. ms.
- 2. There is insufficient logic supply voltage for the CPU to operate.
- 3. Transfer flash is commanded from the front panel switch or one of the flash inputs

The unit automatically ends transfer flash when all of the above conditions are no longer true and there are no latched faults.

3 Operating Procedures

3.1 Overview of Operation

An operator enters data into the MicroCab by using the controllers display and keyboard. A piezoelectric "speaker" provides audible feedback as to how the controller is proceeding with what the operator instructs it to do.

Access to enterable data and status displays is based on "screens" and "menus". A screen is a grouping of enterable values, selections, text, or status information that is called up from a menu selection. Menus are special screens that contain from 2 to 9 selections, each of which calls up a screen or other menu. For the rest of this manual, the term screen is used to refer to any screen other than a menu screen.

Within a screen, the places where operator entries can be made are called "fields". Fields are from 1 to several characters long and generally contain a programmable value. A blinking cursor indicates which field will be affected by an operator entry at any particular time. Cursor movement keys permit access to any field on a screen by allowing the operator to move the cursor from one field to another. Screens also contain text that the operator cannot change. The cursor skips over these portions of the screen. Thus, access to all programmable values and status displays in the unit is accomplished by selecting appropriate screens from menus, moving the cursor to the specific field(s) of interest, and then entering the desired value into the field.

Operation of the Cubic | Trafficware MicroCab controller is based on techniques proven effective in computer products and process control systems known for their ease of use. The consistent application of these techniques provide for simple and "user friendly" operation.

3.1.1 Overview of Operating Features

3.1.1.1 Display

Four lines of 40 characters each may be displayed simultaneously. Menus are never larger than this and so can be viewed in their entirety whenever one is displayed. Screens, on the other hand, may be many times longer than 4 lines (lines are also referred to as rows). Whenever a screen is accessed that is longer than the display, the screen may be scrolled (moved up or down) until the portion of the screen that is desired is brought into view (This is accomplished by using the cursor keys and is discussed later). Neither screens nor menus are ever wider than 40 characters, so there is no need of horizontal scrolling --and none is provided.

There are several types of fields, but they fall into four major categories. They are:

- 1. Numeric fields Numeric fields are those that accept data as a series of numbers. The types of fields that fall into this category are whole numbers, decimal numbers, dates and times-of-day. Entries are made into numeric fields by pressing the numeric keys corresponding to the desired digits. For multi-digit fields, the left-most or most-significant digit is entered first. As each digit is pressed, the previously entered digits are shifted one position to the left so that the entire number is right-justified in the field. This entry/display sequence is identical to that of most calculators.
- 2. Encoded fields Encoded fields are those that may be set to one of a few specific choices. Examples of encoded fields are day-of-week entries, flash state settings (green, yellow, or dark), or on/off settings which are also depicted as 1 and 0. Encoded fields use traffic terminology or abbreviations to denote values. Selections for a given field are automatically, cycled with each press of any numeric, key thus, there are no troublesome codes to remember or to look up.
- 3. Encoded field groups When encoded fields occur repeatedly such as for each phase or for each ring -on the same screen, there is a special quick-entry mode that allows any of the repetitive fields on the row to be changed without first moving the cursor to the field. These multiple, encoded fields are referred to as encoded field groups and, where used, they save as many as eight cursor-movement keystrokes per entry.

When an encoded field group is encountered during operation, the cursor is positioned between the field name -- which is to the left of the first field in the group -- and the first field. Each field in the row is identified by a numeric column heading, beginning with 1. The value of a particular field in the group is cycled through its possible choices by pressing the numeric key corresponding to the column identifier. For example, to display the next encoded value for the field in the third column (identified by a heading

of 3), press the "3" key once.

4. Select/Proceed fields - Select/Proceed fields are places where the cursor stops to allow the operator to issue a command to the controller. For example, each menu selection has a Select/Proceed field located at the selection number. A menu selection is made by moving the cursor to the desired selection number and pressing ENTR or directly selecting the number. Warning screens also use Select/Proceed fields to allow the operator to cancel or proceed with the command that drew the warning.

3.1.1.2 Keyboard

The keyboard consists of 20 keys divided into three groups. For easy identification, keys are color coded by group. The 10 numeric keys (0 - 9) form the first group and they are used to enter or modify data. These keys are white. The second group consists of the cursor movement keys; they are grey. The final group consists of four red function keys which are used to issue specific commands to the controller. The functions of the keys vary somewhat depending upon the type of screen and field being accessed; however, mastering the few guidelines that follow allow for easy and efficient programming and operation of the controller.

3.1.1.2.1 Numeric Keys

Numeric Fields - pressing a numeric key causes the digit associated with the key to be added to the current field. If the key pressed is the first key since the cursor was moved to the field, then the field will be cleared first and then the digit placed in the right-most position. The controller now considers this field as having an 'edited' status. If the field already has an edited status when a numeric key is pressed (ie. a numeric key was pressed before the current one), then the digits already in the field are shifted to the left one character and the new digit is placed in the right-most position.

Encoded Fields - pressing any numeric key causes the value in this type of field to be changed to the next value in its cycle of possible values. For example, if the value of a field may be RED, YELLOW or DARK, and it is currently YELLOW, then pressing a numeric key will cause the value to change to DARK. Pressing a numeric key again (the same key or a different one) will cause the value to change to RED, and so forth.

Encoded Field Groups - these Vroups of 2 to 8 fields on the same row are similar to standard encoded fields except that each field in the group is changed by a different numeric key and only that key. The key that is associated with each field is determined by the column heading of that field. For example, pressing the 1 key will change the value in column 1, the 2 key in column 2 and so forth.

Select/Proceed Fields - pressing a numeric key when the cursor is located at a field of this type will have no effect. The keystroke is ignored.

3.1.1.2.2 Cursor Movement Keys

The action of cursor movement keys is the same for all types of fields and only changes slightly for different types of screens. Note that if a data field (numeric or encoded) has been edited, a cursor movement keystroke causes an 'implied' enter to be executed as if the ENTR key had been pressed. The ENTR key, which is covered in detail below, causes data entered in the current field to be stored in the controller's memory. The implied enter of the cursor movement keys eliminates an explicit ENTR keystroke that in most cases would otherwise be needed.

RIGHT-ARROW and LEFT-ARROW keys - these keys move the cursor to the-next field *in* the direction of the arrow. If the cursor is in the right-most field of a row, pressing the RIGHT-ARROW key will cause it to 'wrap-around' to the left-most (or first) field in the same row. Similarly, if the cursor is in the first field and the LEFT-ARROW key is pressed, it will move to the last field in the row. If there is only one field in the row, these keys are ignored.

UP-ARROW and DOWN-ARROW keys - pressing these keys causes the cursor to move up or down respectively to the nearest field (horizontally) in the adjacent row. If the cursor is positioned in the first row that has an enterable field, UP-ARROW keystrokes are ignored. The same is true for DOWN-ARROW keystrokes in the last row of a screen.

In cases where the screen contains more lines (or rows) than the display so that all of the screen cannot be displayed at the same time, moving the cursor 'beyond' the top or bottom of the display causes the

display to be re-positioned on the screen so that the cursor always remains 'in view'.

Note that when appropriate, the column headings remain fixed during 'scrolling' so that the fields continue to be easily identified.

PAGE-UP and PAGE-DOWN keys - these keys allow for quicker screen scrolling than is capable with the up-arrow and down-arrow keys. On screens that are larger than the display, a 'page' is part of a screen equal to the size of the display excluding any header rows. Since screens usually have one header row, most of them have a page size of 3 rows.

The page keys move the cursor and the display up or down one full page. If the cursor is too close to the top (bottom) of the screen to move a full page, it moves to the top (bottom) of the screen.

3.1.1.3 Function Keys

ENTR key - The enter key instructs the Cubic | Trafficware controller to process the current field. In the case of data entry fields, this means that if the field has been edited, store the new value in memory. If the field is a select field, then the controller is to load the specified screen or take the desired action. If the current field is a proceed (continue?) field, an enter keystroke means 'yes'.

Certain fields or menu selections have actions associated with them in addition to the standard processing for that type of field. For these fields, the additional actions are initiated along with the standard processing by the enter keystroke.

ESC key - The escape key causes the controller to exit the current screen and load the screen previously accessed. Usually, the previous screen will be a menu. Successive escape keystrokes will cause successively previous screens (menus) to be loaded until the main menu is displayed, at which point additional escape keystrokes are ignored.

In the case of a warning screen, pressing the escape key not only returns the previous screen but reinstates the conditions just prior to the keystroke that drew the warning. The most likely warning encountered is the "edited data has not been "entered";" warning which occurs if an escape is attempted that will cause edited data to be lost. Instructions as to how to proceed are included with warnings.

In the example just given, an escape from the warning screen returns the original screen to the display, the cursor to its previous location, and the edited value displayed in the field but not yet entered into memory.

The escape function is slightly different for help screens. In this case, pressing the escape key causes the previous Help screen to be loaded regardless of whether that was the previous screen displayed. Successive escape keystrokes load higher-level help menus until the main help menu is reached. Pressing the escape key while the help main menu is displayed causes the previously accessed data entry screen to be loaded with the context restored to the state from which the original "call for" help was made. Calls for help and returning from help are explained in detail in the ALT FCN key section below.

MAIN/DISP or DISP CTRL key - This key allows a quick movement back to the Main Menu. It also allows the back-light on the display to be turned on or off upon the second key stroke once in the Main Menu. If in the Main Menu and the back-light is off, pressing MAIN/DISP or DISP CTRL will turn it on. Similarly, if the back-light is on, pressing the DISP.CTRL key will turn it off.

ALT FCN Key - The alternate function key signals to the controller the beginning of a two-key sequence used to invoke one of the 'alternate functions' defined below. With the exception of HELP, which is invoked using an alternate function key sequence, alternate functions are not required to operate the MicroCab controller. They are merely convenience features that allow the controller to be programmed more efficiently.

Each ALT-FCN sequence is composed of two keys and always begins with the ALT-FCN key. The sequence is two full keystrokes; that is, the ALT FC,N key is pressed and released followed by pressing the second key and releasing it. The selected alternate function is executed on the down-stroke of the second key. Next to each of the ALT-FCN descriptions below, the full two-key sequence is listed.

3.1.1.3.1 Alternate Functions

1. Help - ALT-FCN, ALT-FCN

If not in a help screen, invoking help causes the current action to be suspended and loads a help screen. The help

screen which is loaded depends on the screen and field being accessed. This type of help is often, referred to as being "context sensitive".

Issuing the help sequence from a help screen causes the previous non-help screen to be reloaded and the operational state of the controller at the time help was invoked to be restored.

2. Restore/Clear Field - ALT-FCN, ESC

This alternate function restores the original value of a field that has been edited, but not 'entered'. The controllers memory is not updated with a new value of a field until the ENTR key is pressed or an implied enter is performed as part of a cursor movement. If after a field is edited, the operator wishes to restore the original value, this sequence allows him to do so. Note that after an enter is performed, the original value no longer resides in memory and thus cannot be restored in this way. It must be reentered.

If the ALT-FCN, ESC sequence is issued and the current field has not been edited, the displayed value of the field will be 'cleared' and the controller will consider it to have been edited (as though a series of 0 digits were entered).

3. Back-light ON/OFF - ALT-FCN, MAIN/DISP or DISP CTRL

This alternate function allows the operator to control the back-light from any screen in the controller without having to be in the Main Menu.

4. Print Active Screen - ALT-FCN, 0

This alternate function routine allows the operator to print out any screen on the controller display by this two key combination.

However, the keyboard is non-responsive while the controller is printing. The controller is able to print while the unit is operating in the field without affecting normal operation.

5. Escape During Printing - ESC

The ESC key aborts the printing operation and performs the normal escape function to a previous menu or screen.

6. Console Reset – ALT-FCN, 9

This key sequence causes the console to abort any entry sequence that may be in progress and turns the display off.

3.1.1.3.2 Audible Tones

Three audible tones are produced that indicate to the operator the results of each keystroke.

- 1. **Key Click** If no other sounds are produced in response to a keystroke, the key click provides the user with audible feedback that the keystroke was detected by the controller.
- 2. **Accepted Tone -** Consisting of two short 'beeps', the 'accepted' tone indicates that a function was executed successfully. This tone is usually sounded when an entered data value has been accepted and written to the controllers EEPROM.
- 3. **Error Tone** This single tone that lasts about 1/3 second indicates that an operation could not be performed. It is sounded if a value that has been 'entered' is out of acceptable limits and thus rejected by the controller. It is also given when a warning is displayed.

3.2 Step By Step. Data Entry Procedures

The MicroCab controller may be fully programmed by using only the following procedures:

- 1. Select a menu item
- 2. Enter a number
- 3. Select an encoded field value
- 4. Select values for fields in an encoded field group
- 5. Exit a screen (or move to a previous screen)

- 6. Call Help and return from Help
- 7. Get help on any topic (or move around within help)

Additionally, the procedures listed below make programming the controller easier.

- 1. Exit a screen, go to the Main Menu
- 2. Restore or Clear the value of an edited field

This section provides step-by-step instructions for each. of the above procedures.

3.2.1 Select a Menu Item

To select an item from a menu, do the following:

- 1. Move the cursor to the desired selection using the RIGHT, LEFT, UP and DOWN arrow keys.
- 2. When the cursor is located on the number of the desired selection, press ENTR.
- 3. The screen associated with the selection will be displayed.

Note: Menu screens are never larger than the display, so scrolling is not enabled.

3.2.2 Enter a Number

Numbers may only be entered into numeric fields. There are several types of numeric fields, but the differences only relate to the size of the field and the way the numbers are displayed. The types of numeric fields are listed in the Table below.

Type Numeric Field	Format	<u>Description</u>
Whole Number	12 <u>3</u>	From 1 to 3 digits, displayed without additional characters.
Decimal Number	9. <u>9</u>	Usually two digits, displayed with a decimal point in the second
		position from the right.
Date	12-31-0 <u>4</u>	Displayed in MM-DD-YY format; all six digits are one field;
		displayed with "-" characters in the third and fifth positions.
Time	23:5 <u>9</u>	Displayed in HH:MM format; all four digits are one field; displayed
		with the ":" character in the third positions.

Note: The underscore in the right-most character indicates the cursor position when it is located at that type field.

The procedure for entering values in the above type numeric fields is as follows:

- 1. Locate the cursor on the desired numeric field by using the grey cursor movement keys. The cursor will rest in the right-most position of the field.
- 2. Use the white numeric keys (0 9) to enter the digits of the number. The display will shift the digits already entered to the left and add the new digit in the right-most position. This is the same entry/display method used on most calculators.

For decimal, date and time fields, the display format characters (" \cdot ", " \cdot " and " \cdot ") are not entered. The entered digits will "skip-over" these special characters as they are shifted to the left.

- 3. If an error is made, simply keep entering digits until the correct number appears in the field. Extra digits are discarded when shifted out of the field to the left.
- 4. When the desired number appears in the field, press ENTR to instruct the controller to process it. In most cases, processing involves checking that the value is within certain limits and then storing it in EEPROM. If the value is accepted, the ACCEPTED tone is sounded. If the value was not valid, the Audible ERROR tone is sounded to indicate that the value was NOT stored into memory.

A cursor movement, key may be pressed in instead of the ENTR key, in which case an enter function is performed as described in the preceding paragraph. If the value is accepted, the cursor will move appropriately. If the value is rejected, the cursor is not moved from the edited field.

3.2.3 Select an Encoded Field Value

Encoded fields may be set to one of a few possible values. The values may be numbers, but usually they are abbreviations of traffic terms (eg. RED, YEL for yellow, and DRK for dark).

To select a value of an encoded field, do the following.

- 1. Use the grey cursor movement keys to locate the cursor on the desired encoded field. The cursor will rest in the left-most position of an encoded field.
- 2. Press any white numeric key to cycle the field setting to the next possible value. Continue to press a numeric key (or hold it down to "repeat") until the desired setting is displayed.
- 3. Press ENTR to instruct the MicroCab controller to process the new value. If the setting is accepted, an ACCEPTED tone is sounded; if rejected, an ERROR tone is sounded.

A cursor movement key may be pressed instead of the ENTR key, in which case an enter function is performed as described in the preceding paragraph. If the value is accepted, the cursor will move appropriately. If the value is rejected, the cursor is not moved from the edited field.

3.2.4 Select Values for fields in an Encoded Field Group

Encoded field groups consist of two to eight encoded fields that are configured to be updated as a croup. Programming encoded field groups is very efficient because values may be selected for individual fields within the group without first moving the cursor to the field. The procedure for updating encoded field groups follows.

- 1. Use the cursor movement keys to locate the cursor at the desired encoded field group. The cursor will rest on the same row as the group between the group name and the first field of the group; that is, to the right of the name and to the left of the first field.
- 2. To cycle the value of one of the fields in the **Croup**, press the numeric key associated with that field's column as indicated by the column heading. Continue to press the numeric key (or hold it down to "repeat") until the desired setting is displayed.
- 3. Press ENTR to instruct the controller to process the values in all the fields of the group. If the values are accepted, an ACCEPTED tone will sound. If the values are rejected, the ERROR tone will sound.

A cursor movement key may be pressed instead of the ENTR key, in which case an enter function is performed as described in the preceding paragraph. If the value is accepted, the cursor will move appropriately. If the value is rejected, the cursor is not moved from the edited group.

3.2.5 Exit from a Screen

To exit a screen and proceed to the previous screen, the following procedure is used:

1. Press the ESC key.

If processing is complete, the previously displayed screen will be loaded and re-displayed (usually this is a menu). If processing was not complete (i.e. A field was edited and not "entered"), a warning screen will be displayed with instructions as how to proceed. Usually, pressing ENTR from a warning screen ignores the warning and proceeds with the original escape. Pressing ESC from a warning screen cancels the escape command which drew the warning, returns to the original screen and restores the display to the condition just prior to the offending escape.

3.2.6 Invoke HELP and Return

"Help" screens may be called up at any time to provide information about a screen or an operation. When help is invoked, the current screen/operation is suspended and a help screen displayed. Once in the "Help" mode, other help screens may be viewed or browsed (the procedure following this one describes how to do so). Upon returning from Help, the condition of the display is restored to its state just before Help was invoked.

Help is invoked using an Alternate Function To call help, do the following:

- 1. Press the ALT FCN key and release it. Other than a key-click sound, nothing will happen.
- 2. Press the ALT FCN key_i again. A help screen will be displayed that pertains to the screen, field, or operation currently accessed.
- 3. Use the cursor movement keys to view the entire help screen if necessary.
- 4. Return from Help using the same alternate function sequence described in steps 1 and 2 above.

3.2.7 Get Help on Other Topics

From within help, it is possible to view other help screens on related or completely different topics. Help screens may be accessed by Help Menu screens just as data entry and display screens are accessed by-.standard menus. To select and view other help, screens, follow the procedure below.

- 1. If not viewing a help screen or help menu, invoke help using the previous procedure.
- 2. While viewing a help screen, press ESC to load a help menu that contains selections with related topics. If the desired topic is on the menu, select the item using the standard procedure. If the desired topic is not on the menu, press ESC again to view a "higher level" menu which contains selections with more general topics.
- 3. Repeat step 2 until the Help Main Menu is displayed.
- 4. Return from help by pressing ALT FCN twice.

3.2.8 Alternate Function Procedures

The three procedures below involve alternate function sequences. These features are not required in order to fully utilize the capabilities of the MicroCab controller, but they do allow some of the programming to be accomplished more efficiently.

3.2.8.1 Exit to Main Menu

This optional procedure is equivalent to pressing ESC as many times as would be necessary to reach the main menu. The procedure is:

1. Press MAIN/DISP or DISP CTRL and release it. A keyclick will sound. An escape will be executed. If no warning is displayed, the main menu will be loaded and displayed. If a warning is drawn, the screen will provide instructions for proceeding.

3.2.8.2 Restore/Clear Field Value

This optional feature restores the value of an edited field to its value before it was edited. Note that: once an edited field value is entered, the new value is stored in memory and its status is no longer "edited"; thu's, it cannot be restored.

If the Restore/Clear sequence is issued on a field whose status is NOT edited, the field display will be cleared and the status changed to "edited". This would be equivalent to entering enough zeros to clear the field.

- 1. Press the ALT FCN key and release it. A key-click will sound.
- 2. Press the ESC key. Depending upon the edit status of the field, it will be restored or cleared as described above.

3.2.8.3 Print Active Screen

The Print Active Screen command is accomplished through a two-step keystroke utilizing the ALT Function key and the numeric key 0. This command will print any screen currently being displayed by the controller.

3.3 Data Entry Screens

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3.3.1 Sign-On

Whenever power is applied to a Cubic | Trafficware MicroCab NEMA Traffic Controller or after a programmed time of no keyboard activity, the controller console (display, keyboard and speaker) automatically enters the standby mode. In this mode, the display is either turned off or it displays the sign-on screen; the back-light is turned off; and the security access enable is reset (refer to section 3.3.10 for a discussion of the security feature). The sign-on screen identifies the controller by model number and software version and includes the copyright notice. Also displayed is the MicroCab operating mode as set by pencil switches 5 and 6. The three available operating modes are MC682, NT124-P and NT124-F.

To initiate a console session from the standby mode, press any key on the keyboard. If the sign-on screen was displayed prior to the first keystroke, the main menu will replace it and the console will be in the 'operating' mode. If the display was off, the first keystroke will cause the sign-on screen to be displayed. A second keystroke (again, any key will do) is then required to reach the Main Menu. In either of the above cases, the normal function of keystroke(s) is suspended until the main menu is displayed and the console has entered its operating mode. Note that the console operating mode is in no way 'associated with the timing operation of the controller which-is..determined by a separate control. The controller may be timing (ie. running) or not timing regardless of the console mode (standby or operating).

3.3.2 Main Menu

	MAIN MENU	
1 - CONTROLLER	4 - T.B. COOR.	7 - STATUS DISPs
2 - COORDINATE	5 - DETECTORS	8 - SPECIAL FCNs
3 - PREEMPTS	6 - COMMs	9 - CONFLICT MON

The main menu contains 9 selections, each of which causes another menu to be displayed. These secondary menus contain various selections which in turn load other menus, data entry screens, or status display screens. Menus and the selections on them are organized so that related functions appear together.

The remainder, of this section of the manual is organized in the same manner as the menus.

The selections on the main menu are:

1. Controller

Functions accessed under the controller sub-menu include basic controller programming items such as phase interval timing, ring initialization phases, flash phases, overlaps, and others.

2. Coordinate

The coordinate sub-menu contains selections used to program coordination features such as force-offs, yields, splits, etc.

3. Preempts

Programming of rail and fire preempts are accessed by this selection. Sub-menu functions include preempt phases, flash states and timing.

Time Based Coordination is programmed by using functions accessed under this menu selection. Specific functions include real-time clock/calendar setting, programming weekday and holiday schedules, programming TBC commands and cycle/split outputs.

5. Detectors

The mapping of detectors to phases and setting of detector related options are accomplished under this selection.

6. Comms

Communications parameters and utilities are found on the sub-menu under this selection.

7. Status Disps

Selection 7 accesses a sub-menu of controller status displays. These displays show the current state of the controller timing, outputs and coordination in summary and detail.

8. Special Functions

Special Functions include features that do not fall into any of the other general categories, such as security code entry, diagnostics, and maintenance. Diagnostics are the programs which include operator initiated self-tests and troubleshooting functions. Also found on the diagnostics sub-menu are initialization functions which allow programming of the controller to begin from a known condition of program memory.

9. Conflict Monitor

Conflict monitor permissives, other monitoring, and transfer flash features are programmed using screens under this sub-menu selection.

3.3.3 MAIN MENU, Selection 1, CONTROLLER MENU

	CONTROLLER	
1 - Ø SETUP	4 - FLASH	7 - ACTIVATE RUN
2 - PARAMETERS 3 - RING SETUP	5 - OVERLAPS 6 - ALARMS	8 - OUTPUT MON

This selection under the Main Menu provides nine sub menus pertaining to the controller functions. These eight entries are as follows:

Phase Setup
 Parameters
 Ring Initialization
 Flash
 Overlaps
 Activate Run
 Parameters
 Flash
 Alarms
 Output Map

3.3.3.1 CONTROLLER, Selection 1, PHASE SETUP

The Phase Setup menu is a second-level sub-menu that contains functions for programming phase timing, barriers, conflicts, recalls, phase reversals and other options. Entry procedures for selections found on this sub-menu follow.

3.3.3.1.1 PHASE SET UP, Selection 1, INTVL TIMES

	Ø	.1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
MIN GRN		5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
GAP, EXT		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
MAX 1		15	30	15	30	15	30	15	30
MAX 2		15	30	15	30	15	30	15	30
YELLOW		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
RED		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
WALK		0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7
PED CLR		0	12	0	12	0	12	0	12
ADD INIT		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TT REDUC		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TB REDUC		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MinGap/2		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MX IN GR		0	10	0	10	0	10	0	10
PED 2		0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7
PED CLR 2		0	12	0	12	0	12	0	12
MAX3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MAX EXT		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Use the Interval Times screen to enter phase timing values and limits. Details regarding the functions of these parameters and, their limits are discussed in Section 2.0.

This entry screen is organized in a matrix of 8 columns and 17 rows. Each row pertains to one timing parameter, and each column to a phase. All of the fields on this screen are either whole numbers or decimal numbers. The following is a list of interval times and the limits of acceptable entries that are programmable under this selection.

Interval Abbreviation	Description	Acceptable Range
MIN GRN	Minimum Green	0 – 99
GAP, EXT	Extension Gap	0 - 9.9
MAX 1	Maximum 1	0 – 99
MAX 2	Maximum 2	0 – 99
YELLOW	Yellow (if Pencil SW 7 is ON)	3 - 9.9
RED	Red	0 - 9.9
WALK	Walk	0 – 99
PED CLR	Pedestrian Clearance	0 – 99
ADD INIT	Added Initial	0 - 9.9
TT REDUC	Time to Reduce	0 – 99
TB REDUC	Time before Reduction	0 – 99
MIN GAP	Minimum Gap	0 - 9.9
MX IN GRN	Maximum Initial Green	0 – 99
WALK 2	Walk 2	0 – 99
PED CLR 2	Pedestrian Clearance 2	0 – 99
MAX 3	Maximum 3	0 – 99
MAX EXT	Maximum Extension	0 – 99

Note: Min Gap is used as Extension 2 when TB REDUC = 0 and EXT2 is selected by time of day command

3.3.3.1.2 PHASE SET UP, Selection 2, BARRIERS

BARRIER Ø			Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	BARRIER	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		2		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This screen allows each phase to be declared active or inactive for each of the four available barriers. The screen is organized as a matrix of 4 rows and 8 columns. Each row corresponds to a barrier and each column to a phase. The entry fields are of the encoded-group type with two possible values per field; 0 indicates that a phase is inactive in the selected barrier while 1 indicates the phase is active. This programmable feature can be replaced by fixed barriers, dependent upon the setting of pencil switches 1 and 2 as described in the appendix. In order to program the barriers, the dip switch on the I/O module must have positions 1 and 2 set to "ON".(4.1.C.1). When the dip switch is so programmed, you cannot use "Easy Programming". Easy Diagnostics will give you a "EASY CONF ERROR" message.

3.3.3.1.3 PHASE SET UP, Selection 3, CONFLICTING PHASES

CONFLICTING Ø's	Ø 1 with	NONE
	Ø_2 with	NONE
	Ø 3 with	NONE
	Ø 4 with	NONE

The MicroCab controller allows the operator to define conflicting phases through a keyboard entry. Phases 1 and 2 may each be configured to conflict with phases 5 or 6. Phases 3 and 4 may each be configured to conflict with 7 or 8. Four encoded fields are provided, one each for phases 1 through 4, for specifying conflicting phase conditions.

3.3.3.1.4 PHASE SET UP, Selection 4, RECALL

RECALL	Ø,	ØTYPE		YPE
	1	MIN	6	MIN
	2	MAX	7	MAX
	3	MIN	8	MIN
	4	MIN	9	MIN

Use this screen to set the type of recall to be applied to each of the eight phases. Recall may be set to one of eight possible types as listed below.

Recall Type Abbreviation	Definition
MEM ON	Memory On
MEM OFF	Memory Off
MIN	Minimum
MAX	Maximum
PED & MIN	Pedestrian and Minimum
PED & MAX	Pedestrian and Maximum

The Recall Definitions screen contains eight fields, one per phase, organized in four rows and two columns. Scrolling is active to allow access to the last line of the screen. The entry fields are of the encoded type.

3.3.3.1.5 PHASE SET UP, Selection 5, ROTATION

Ø ROTATION	Ø PAIR	1/2	3/4	5/6	7/8
	RESERVICE	NO	NO	NO	NO
	REVERSE Ø's	NO	NO	NO	NO
	CONDITIONAL SERVICE	NO	NO	NO	NO
	INHIBIT BACKUP	NO	NO	NO	NO

1. CONDITIONAL RESERVICE

This entry is again identical to Phase Reversal. Conditional reservice is only active once a phase has been reserviced and the entry is active. Reservice is activated if there is enough maximum time remaining in the concurrent barrier phase to service the minimum or walk + ped. clearance if-a ped. call is present for the forward phase and the yellow and red clearance time of the current phase. Also the phase to be reserviced cannot have been serviced twice.

2. PHASE REVERSAL

Use this screen to reverse the phase sequence by phase pair in the MicroCab controller. There are four fields, one per phase pair, each with possible values of **NO** and **YES. NO** indicates phase sequence is NOT reversed for a pair; **YES** indicates phase sequence is reversed. The fields are of the encoded type.

3. CONDITIONAL. SERVICE

This entry is identical to Phase Reversal. Conditional Service is only active in the standard NEMA 8 phase Quad Left configuration. A phase can be reserviced if one of the Rings contains a barrier phase resting in green, and the other Ring barrier phase which is timing contains enough Maximum time to allow the resting phase to "backup" and service the first phase of it's Ring.. As long as a call exists on the other side of the barrier, the Ring will not reservice the barrier (forward) phase, but will gap out and cross the barrier.

A phase can be programmed to service the barrier phase and this is call the reservice option.

4. INHIBIT BACKUP

This entry allows the inhibit of phase pair backup. If the backup of pair 1/2 is active, if phase 2 is the barrier phase, then the controller will not back up from phase 2 to 1 even if these are the only two phases with calls. The machine must service a phase in the other barrier to be able to again service phase 1.

3.3.3.1.6 PHASE SET UP, Selection 6, OPTIONS

PHASE OPTIONS	Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PED PROTECT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NON ACTUATION 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NON ACTUATION 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAST CAR PASSAGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REST IN WALK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DON'T SKIP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOFT RECALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SELECT MAX 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SELECT PED TIMING 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLASHING WALK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OMIT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUAL ENTRY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIMUL. GAP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This screen allows 13 optional features to be invoked on a per phase basis. The screen is organized in 13 rows and 8 columns; one row for each optional feature and one column for each phase. The entry fields are of the encoded-group type with two possible values per field; a 0 value indicates that the optional feature is not active for the associated phase while a value of 1 indicates that the feature is active. A description of each of the phase options follows.

1. PED PROTECT - Pedestrian' Protected Phases

This feature allows a phase to act in a protected pedestrian mode in which the manual control enable and interval advance have no effect on the pedestrian clearance interval. Each phase is capable of operating in a protected pedestrian mode.

2. NON ACTUATED 1 - Call to Non Actuated 1

This feature will allow a call to Non Actuated 1 to be applied on a per phase basis, phases 1 - 8. When this feature is active, the phase will operate in a call to

Non Actuated mode when the NEMA input call to Non Actuated Mode 1 (CNA I) is active.

3. NON ACTUATED 2 - Call to Non Actuated 2

This feature will allow a call to Non Actuated 2 to be applied on a per phase basis, phases 1 - 8. When this feature is active, the phase will operate in a call to Non Actuated mode when -the NEMA input call to Non Actuated Mode 2 (CNA II) is active.

4. LAST CAR PASSAGE

This feature will enable the Last Car Passage feature to operate on a per phase basis. This feature is used in Volume Density operations. Consult manual under Functional Characteristics.

5. REST IN WALK

This entry is available on a per phase basis. The Rest in Walk entry allows the controller to rest in the Walk interval after the timing of that interval in the absence of a serviceable conflicting call.

6. NO SKIP PHASE

This entry is available on a per phase basis. The No Skip Phase entry allows the controller to operate a phase as a No Skip Phase in its normal Ring sequence. A No Skip Phase will be serviced in the correct

priority in its appropriate Ring even if no call is present. However, the phase programmed as a No Skip Phase is only activated when the controller tries to skip the phase in a Ring rotation.

The call generated by the No Skip logic is not subject to being stored in vehicle memory, and will be dropped if the reason for the call is terminated.

7. SOFT RECALL

The Soft Recall entry will place a Minimum recall on any phase programmed as a soft recall phase when there are no calls existing in the controller. This means that the controller will rest in a phase programmed for Soft Recall in the absence of any calls. This feature provides for a more efficient means of programming the controller to rest in Main Street Green. The controller will rest in Main Street Green on two *conditions only:* No vehicle calls or a real vehicle call *on* the main street. The advantage is that the phase can be skipped if the controller has calls on other phases and no calls on the main street, but will rest in the main street green with no calls at all. This feature is available for every phase; however, if Soft Recall is used on every phase its purpose will be defeated.

8. SELECT MAX II

This feature will enable the Max II timer on a per phase basis. The Max II timer will time in place of the Max I timer when activated.

This feature also operates in conjunction with the Apply Hold input on a per phase basis. Apply Hold is referenced under Coordination Parameters.

9. SEL.PED TIMING 2 - Select Pedestrian Timing 2

This feature enables the Pedestrian 2 timer on a per phase basis. The Walk 2 and Ped Clear 2 will time in the defined phase in place of the Walk and Ped Clear timer when activated through the keyboard.

10. FLASHING WALK - Flashing Walk Phases

This feature defines which phase(s) will cause the walk output to flash during the walk interval.

11. OMIT PHASES

The MicroCab controller contains 8 phases. For applications that require less than 8 phases this keyboard entry omits the unused phases.

An omit will be applied to the defined phase when the omit feature is ON - "1". The phase is allowed when the omit feature is OFF - "0".

12. DUAL ENTRY PHASES

In Dual Ring operation of an 8 Phase Quad Left Turn, a call on a single phase of the controller will cause the phase to time by itself as the controller crosses the barrier. The other Ring which does not have a phase call will go to Red Rest. This operation is defined as Single Entry.

Dual Entry causes a call to be placed on a selected phase of the Ring which would normally go to Red Rest. The controller will only place a call and service the phase when no other calls are present in that Ring as the controller crosses the Barrier.

13. SIMUL. GAP PHASES - Simultaneous Gap Phases

As described in Section 2, simultaneous Gap Out is related to a standard 8 Phase Quad Left Turn Operation. When two phases are timing concurrently with a,-",call across the barrier, a phase that Gaps Out due to no demand will normally enter a green dwell state. The phase in which this occurs will remain in that state until the phase in the other Ring terminates. With Simultaneous Gap out programmed, the first phase to Gap Out will be allowed to re-enter and leave the green dwell state. The controller will continue to re-extend both phases until the phases simultaneously Gap Out, Max Out, or Force Off.

3.3.3.1.7 PHASE SET UP, Selection 7, COPY TIMING

COPY Ø TIMING DATA		
	FROM Ø:	0
	TO Ø:	0

Copy timing is a function which allows sixteen timing parameters of one phase to be copied to another phase including the recall setting. Only Max 3, the extendable Max time, and Bicycle timing is not transferred Under the copy timing menu. First enter the phase number of the "phase from" entry. Now enter the phase number of the "phase to" entry and press the enter key. When the timer indicates that the entry is accepted, the transference of data contained in the "from" phase to the "to" phase has occurred.

3.3.3.1.8 Phase Setup, Selection 8 Short Interval Fail Times

SHORT INTERVAL	RING	11	2
	GREEN	0.0	0.0
	YELLOW	0.0	0.0
	RED	0.0	0.0

Short Interval Fail Times sets the minimum Green, Yellow and Red Intervals allowed in each Ring. Typical setups are Green = 4.0 seconds, Yellow = 2.9 seconds, and Red = 0.0 seconds

3.3.3.1.9 PHASE SET UP, Selection 9, SKIP YELLOW

SKIP YELLOW	Ø1 with _	Ø5 with _
FAIL TIMES	Ø2 with _	Ø6 with _
	Ø3 with _	Ø7 with _
	Ø4 with _	Ø8 with _

Skip yellow phasing is designed to meet the 5-section head logic used in the State of Illinois. When phases 2, 4, 6, or 8 terminate and the corresponding left turn terminates, then the yellow arrow should not be displayed. To accomplish this, a programming feature was implemented that will cause the corresponding left turn phase to skip its yellow clearance time when the thru movement terminates. Programming is accomplished by placing pencil switch 4 on the I/O board to the on position. Listed in the selection menu are the through movement phases. Make a selection next to the through movement phase, the phase that is to skip yellow when it terminates with the through movement. As an example, if phase 5 is to skip its yellow movement when terminating with phase 2, then next to phase 2 select phase 5.

3.3.3.2 CONTROLLER, Selection 2 - PARAMETERS

CONTROLLER PARAMETERS					
RED REVERT TIME	3.0	INPUT	ASSIGN		
V/O SAMPLE TIMES	0	TEST A:	NONE		
# of SAMPLES	0	TEST B:	NONE		
EXCLUSIVE PED	OFF				
V/O STOP ON FUL	OFF	TXMT ALARMS	OFF		
REC PAT EVTS	OFF	% GRN SMPL TIME	0		
H/W STN ID	OFF	CONSOLE TIMEOUT	10		

This screen is reserved for programming miscellaneous parameters that affect the operation of the controller. Their function is described below.

1. Red Revert Time

Red revert timing can occur during the Red Rest mode if a call is placed on a Phase during its clearance interval in the absence of any conflicting calls. The phase receiving the call cannot re-enter the Green interval until after the timing of the clearance intervals, and the phase must then enter the Red Rest interval and time the Red Revert time. One entry is used for all eight (8) phases and cannot be programmed for less than 2.0 seconds.

One decimal field is provided for setting red revert time. An acceptable value is from 2.0 to 9.9 seconds.

2. Available Inputs

3. Test A and Test B

These two entries are not functional on the MicroCab.

4. Exclusive Pedestrian

An **On** entry along with the continued activation of phase 1 pedestrian call input will enable the 9th phase called the exclusive pedestrian phase. During this phase all of the walk signals for the eight phases will come on simultaneously and will time the Walk and Don't Walk time as programmed for phase one.

The 9th phase is serviced whenever a ped call is detected on any of seven (7) phases with the exception of phase 1, which must be held low to enable this feature. Note that the exclusive pedestrian phase is to be used in standard NEMA operation only and will occur when the controller leaves the left side barrier i.e. phases 1,2,5,6.

5. Transmit Alarms

This entry, when ON, will cause the timer to transmit the alarm number of the active alarm to the computer master via direct wire or Hayes compatible Modem. Normally OFF in a closed loop system unless the controller is on Street Master or stand- alone monitor application.

6. Rec Pat Evts - Record Pattern Events

This entry, when active, will allow the timer to input into the event buffer changes in all of the timers system configuration.

7. Console Time Out Time

This entry allows the operator to set the amount of time after the last keystroke has been made on the keyboard before the controller will disable the security code and blank the display. The entry is from 0 to 99 seconds.

3.3.3.3 CONTROLLER, Selection 3 - RING SETUP

RING SETUP 1 - RING INIT 2 - RING INPUT MAP

Entries are made on this screen to define controller initialization sequencing. and selection of ring inputs for each phase.

3.3.3.1 RING SETUP, Selection 1, RING INITIALIZATION

INITIALIZATION	RING	1	2
OFRINGS	PHASE	Ø2	Ø6
	INTERVAL	YEL	YEL
	IF YEL, NEXT Ø	Ø4	Ø8

This entry includes fields to set initial phase, interval, and the phase next decision if the initialization phase is brought up in the yellow interval.

The initial phase fields are numeric. An acceptable value for ring 1 is 1 to 4, for ring 2 is 5 to 8.

Possible initial field settings are green, yellow, and red (abbrev. GRN, YEL and RED) which is defined by an encoded field. This entry per ring selects the initial interval for the define phase.

A yellow phase-next decision field is provided per ring. The entry parameters are identical to the initial phase fields. This entry only applies if the initial phase is programmed for a YEL interval *initialization*.

3.3.3.3.2 RING SETUP, Selection 2, RING INPUT MAP

RING INPUTS	RING			<u>,</u>			·	<u>z</u>	
	Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
USE,OPP RING'S INPUT		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This entry provides the programing to select programming individual phases to use the other ring's external inputs for Max termination inhibit, Red Rest, Stop Time, Force Off, Ped Recycle, Omit Red Clearance and Max II.

If the Run Timer is activated after initialization has been incorrectly programmed, an initialization error will be displayed.

3.3.3.4 CONTROLLER, Selection 4 - FLASH

FLASH MENU						
1 -	FLASH PARMS	4 -	RETURN CLEARANCES			
2 -	FLASH STATES	5 -	COMMON Ø's & OVLPS			
3 -	BEG/END FLASH @'s					

This menu contains selections for programming the "controller flash" operation. There are two types of flashing provided internally by the MicroCab: Transfer Flash and Controller Flash. The two flashing modes are invoked in different ways depending upon the setting of pencil switches 5 and 6, and of the Transfer Flash parameter which is keypad programmable (MM>9>3).

Transfer Flash is similar to flashing a cabinet through its load bay flasher and transfer relays. In the MicroCab, this method of flashing uses the internal flasher circuitry and internal transfer relay. During transfer flash, the triacs, driven by the controller are disabled. Transfer flash operates independently from controller flash and is not addressed at all under this sub-menu.

Controller Flash uses the controller and its triacs. The transfer relay stays in normal position. Controller flash operation is started when Manual Enable is inactive, Flash is enabled, and the system configuration mode is set to FL (Flash). Alternately, controller flash may be initiated by an external input (Flash Command or UTC Flash) instead of the configuration mode. When flash is activated, the controller is first forced into an ALL-RED condition and then will begin flashing according to its programming.

Once flash is active, removing the flash condition will cause the controller to enter the special return sequence. It is the operator's responsibility to insure that the return phases are compatible

The Flash sub-menu contains selections for programming the "controller flash" operation. These parameters include phase and overlap flash states, beginning and ending flash phases, return from flash clearances and common flash phases and overlaps. Also accessed from the flash menu is the flash enable "switch".

3.3.3.4.1 FLASH, Selection 1 - FLASH PARAMETERS

FLASH PARAMETERS	
ALLOW FLASH?	YES/NO
VOLT MON. FLASH:	OFF/ON

The Allow Flash screen contains an encoded field for enabling the flash logic. Possible values are **NO** and **YES**. A value of No disables the function; a Yes enables it.

The Allow Flash feature causes the controller to preempt to Flash if the *coordination* mode of the system configuration word is "FLASH".

Voltage Monitor Flash

Voltage Monitor Flash allows the voltage monitor output for the controller to go high to allow the conflict monitor to begin flash. Entry procedure is the same as Allow Flash.

3.3.3.4.2 FLASH, Selection 2 - FLASH STATES

FLSH	Ø/O	1 / A	2 / B	3 / C	4 / D	5 / E	6 / F	7 / G	8 / H
	VEH	RED							
	PED	OFF							
	OVERLAP	RED	RED	RED	RED	DRK	DRK	DRK	DRK

This screen permits programming of independent vehicle, pedestrian and overlap flash states for each phase during the external flash mode or time of day flash. The encoded fields are organized in a matrix of three rows by eight columns; outputs are assigned to rows and phases to columns. The possible flashing states for the vehicle and overlap outputs are red, yellow and dark (abbreviated RED, YEL, DRK). The pedestrian outputs are either 1 or 0 (i.e. **ON** and **OFF** respectively).

3.3.3.4.3 FLASH, Selection 3 - BEG/END FLASH PHASES

BEG/END FLASH	RING	1	2
	BEGIN	ANY Ø	ANYØ
	END	ALL RED	ALL RED

The operator uses this screen to define where in the phase sequence flashing begins or ends when it is invoked by flash input or by the time of day flash command. Four numeric fields are provided to define the beginning and ending flash phases for each ring. Valid entries are the phases that comprise their respective rings; ie. 1 - 4 for ring one and 5 - 8 for ring two. 0 is also an acceptable entry for either field.

3.3.3.4.4 FLASH, Selection 4 - RETURN CLEARANCES

RETURN FROM FLASH CLEARANCE TIMES				
YEL - 4.0	RED - 1.0			

This screen allows the operator to select two clearance times for the controller to time after ending the flash sequence. Two decimal numeric fields are provided, one for yellow clearance time and the second for red clearance. Acceptable values range from 0.0 to 9.9.

3.3.3.4.5 FLASH, Selection 5 - COMMON PHASES AND OVERLAPS

COMMON FLASH Ø's	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
& OVERLAPS Ø'S	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERLAPS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two encoded field groups are provided to allow the operator to program, through the keyboard, the flash sequence for the signal. head indications for all eight phases and all eight overlaps. The flash sequence applies only to flashing applications in which the controller is defining the flashing operation.

One encoded group is used to define common flash phases and the other common flash overlaps. Eight columns allow each phase to be assigned independently. Encoded selections are 0 and 1. All 0 selections are flashed together while the 1 selections are dark and vice-versa.

3.3.3.5 CONTROLLER, Selection 5, OVERLAPS

OVERLAPS MENU							
1 - PARAMETERS	4 - CONFL g's	7 - CLEARANCES					
2 - PROGRAM	5 - CONFLOLPS	8 - OUTPUT MAP					
3 - TYPES	6 - SUPPR Ø's	9 - PED OVLPS					

The Overlap menu is a second level sub-menu that provides all the program information for overlap setup and operation. Entry procedures for selections 1 - 9 are as follows:

3.3.3.5.1 OVERLAPS, Selection 1, PARAMETERS

OVERLAP PARAMETERS								
INTERNAL PROGRAMMING	ON							
LOCK MODE	ON							
Ø NEXT CONFLICT MODE	OFF							
CALC. FROM PARENT Ø's	OFF							

This entry allows the operator to define the method of Overlap programming for the Controller. The Overlap programming is accomplished through the keyboard or through a standard NEMA overlap program card. The display header will read Overlap Parameters. This menu contains three basic entries:

1. INTERNAL PROGRAMMING	ON/OFF	Internal overlaps
2. LOCK MODE	ON/OFF	Lock Overlaps in Red
3. NEXT CONFLICT MODE	ON/OFF	Conflict Phase Lock
4. CALC. FROM PARENT	ON/OFF	Parent Phase Active

- 1. The MicroCab controller contains the option of utilizing a standard NEMA overlap card or Internal Overlaps programmed through the keyboard for overlaps 1-4. With the internal overlap programming mode OFF, the controller reads the NEMA overlap program card. With the internal overlap programming mode **ON**, the controller reads the internally defined program for the overlaps.
- 2. The second parameter is the option of having the overlaps lock in red until their separate clearance times have timed out. With the Lock in the **OFF** mode the overlaps could possibly time into another phase movement. With the Lock in the **ON** mode the overlap added green and clearance must be timed out for a phase next to occur.
- 3. The conflict phase lock entry mode allows the operator to define the operation of the Overlaps to

function relative to the Overlap Conflicting Phases.

The Conflict mode functions in a similar manner as the **LOCK** mode <u>except</u> the **CONFLICT** mode only applies when a phase next conflicts with an overlap. This relates to Overlap Conflicting * Phases, which define phases conflicting with overlaps.

The **CONFLICT** mode when set to **ON** will lock the controller in the **RED** interval until the conflicting overlap clearance times have terminated. To disable the feature, the **CONFLICT** mode is placed in the **OFF** position.

4. The parent phase entry. when **ON** will cause an overlap to time the clearance times of the phase causing the overlap to terminate. The delay green time can still be used and must be entered in the overlap clearance times. When using the parent phase times we do not recommend that overlaps be programmed for *conflicting* phases or overlaps.

3.3.3.5.2 OVERLAPS, Selection 2, PROGRAM

PROGRAM OVERLAPS		Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
OVERLAP	A/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B/2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C/3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	D/4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	E/5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This entry allows the operator to program the Internal Overlaps through the keyboard. Note: For the *Internal* Overlap Outputs to function, the Internal overlap mode which is found in the previous menu must **ON**. The MicroCab controller *contains* eight (8) internal overlaps. The four extra overlaps can be defined to utilize the unused ped movement outputs for phases 1, 3, 5, and 7 and must be programmed from the keyboard.

The overlap program screen allows the operator to view any three of the overlap program configurations at one time. Enter an ON or OFF under each phase which you desire to be included in the one of the eight overlaps being programmed.

3.3.3.5.3 OVERLAPS, Selection 3, TYPES

OVERLAP	A/1	B/2	C/3	D/4	E/5	F/6	G/7	H/8
TYPE	NRM							

The operator is able to define the overlap types for each of the eight (8) overlaps available in the MicroCab controller. Internal to the controller, three (3) overlap type selections are available. These are defined as follows:

NORMAL

ILLINOIS

FLORIDA

The eight (8) overlaps in the MicroCab series controller are independent of each. other. Each of the eight (8) overlaps can be defined as any one of the three types.

The entry procedure allows the operator to toggle each phase entry through the three possible overlap types. Once the desired overlap type is selected, press the **ENTR** key.

DEFINITIONS:

1. NORMAL

In the normal mode the overlap will operate as a direct function of the parent phase(s).

2. ILLINOIS

Condition 1 - If the suppression phase is green the overlap is red.

 $\underline{\text{Condition 2}}$ - If in a suppression phase and the phase next is a suppression phase then the overlap will remain red.

Condition 3 - In all other conditions the suppression phase does not alter the overlap.

3. FLORIDA

<u>Condition 1</u> - In a suppression phase the overlap operates in a dark mode - all three outputs.

<u>Condition 2</u> - in all other cases the Florida style overlap operates the same as the Normal style overlap.

3.3.3.5.4 OVERLAP, Selection 4, CONFLICTING PHASES

CONFLICTING O's		Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	OVERLAP A	/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B,	/2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C,	/3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	D	/4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This entry allows the operator to define any of the eight phases as conflicting with any overlap.

Enter the conflicting phases with the defined overlaps needed for the application. The phase numbers are listed on the top line header in order from one to eight. The eight overlaps are listed in rows. Cursor up or down to view all eight overlap inputs, and then toggle the phase number to enter an **ON** or **OFF** value.

An example of a phase conflicting with an overlap would be on a right turn movement (overlap 1) displaying a green turn arrow. For example -overlap 1 = phases 2 + 5 + 6. Phase 1 conflicts with overlap 1, so when phases 1 and 5 are timing, overlap 1 would remain red. This allows an efficient and safer intersection control device.

3.3.3.5.5 OVERLAP, Selection 5, CONFLICTING OVERLAPS

CONFLICTING OLP'S		OLP	Α	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н
OVERLAP	A/1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B/2		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C/3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	D/4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This entry screen allows the operator to define an overlap to conflict with another overlap. The eight overlaps are listed on the top line header with the eight overlaps also listed on the screen in rows to form a matrix. Toggle the overlap number to enter the correct ON or OFF value for each matrix entry.

3.3.3.5.6 OVERLAP, Selection 6, SUPPRESSION PHASES

SUPPRESSION O'S		Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	OVERLAP A	/1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	B/	'2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	C/	/3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	D/	/4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	E/	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This entry allows the operator to define a phase as a suppression phase. This entry should be used <u>only</u> in conjunction with the Illinois and Florida style overlaps.

3.3.3.5.7 OVERLAP, Selection 7, CLEARANCES

OVERLAP	A/1	B/2	C/3	D/4	E/5	F/6	G/7	H/8
ADD GRN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
YEL CLR	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
RED CLR	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0

The MicroCab controller allows the operator to program separate green yellow and red clearance times for each overlap. Each entry has a range of valid entries from 0.0 to 9.9 seconds. The entries for all eight overlaps can be

viewed on one screen selection.

Green	0.0 - 9.9
Yellow	0.0 - 9.9
Red	0.0 - 9.9

3.3.3.5.8 OVERLAP MENU, Selection 8, OUTPUT MAP

NON/NEMA OVERLAP						
OUTPUT MAP		OLP	E/5	F/6	G/7	H/8
	PED OUT		NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE

This entry allows the operator to define the outputs for overlaps 5 - 8. The outputs available include all eight (8) pedestrian outputs on phase 1 - 8. The output programming is accomplished through an output map. Enter the appropriate output location for the additional 4 overlaps.

In Particular the following are the appropriate choices for this screen:

Overlap	<u>E/5</u>	<u>F/6</u>	<u>G/7</u>	<u>H/8</u>
Choices	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
	Ø 1	Ø 2	Ø3	Ø 4
	Ø 5	Ø6	Ø 7	Ø 8

3.3.3.5.9 OVERLAP MENU, Selection 9, Pedestrian Overlap

PED OVLPS	INPUTS	Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PED OUT	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	5		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	6		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	7		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The pedestrian overlap is a feature that will allow any of the eight phase pedestrian movements to be mapped onto any of the eight possible pedestrian phase outputs. With the feature active and pedestrians assigned from the other ring (phase 1 ped assigned to phase 5), caution must be taken when the assigning these overlaps. A pedestrian output mapping must always be in place for the pedestrians to work in a normal manner. After erasing the EEPROM, initializing the phase data will cause these entries to be mapped for standard NEMA.

3.3.3.6 CONTROLLER, Selection 6, ALARMS

There are several screens which allow for alarms to be defined.

3.3.3.6.1 ALARMS, Selection 1, ALARM PARAMETERS

TXMIT ALARMS - This screen is used to activate the active alarm buffer to be transmitted to the master **RECORD PATTRN EVTS** - This screen is use to activate the recording of the timer 'changes in the system configuration. This entry can also be activated in several other places.

3.3.3.6.2 ALARM MASK

Used to enable or disable alarms being placed into the event buffer. There are a total of sixty-four (64) alarm enable fields presented.

The alarm enable fields are grouped in rows of eight. The alarm numbers on a particular row are identified to the left of the first enable field on that row. The column headings identify the number of the alarm in the group. For example, the alarms in the second row are from alarm #9 to #16 with #9 being located in the first column and #16 in the last.

An alarm is enabled by selecting a "1" in the appropriate field; selecting "0" disables it.

3.3.3.6.3 FWD ALARM MASK

The forward alarm mask is used to generate alarms desired to be forwarded to the central timer

3.3.3.7 CONTROLLER, Selection 7, ACTIVATE RUN



This entry is similar to a modified **ON/OFF** switch. When the ACTIVATE RUN TIMER s set to **YES** the controller functions normally. The **OFF** mode applies stop timing to the controller and disables all outputs including Voltage Monitor. If the controller is in a cabinet, turning the Run Timer **OFF** will cause the conflict monitor to activate cabinet flash. This entry must be in the **OFF** position for some of the crucial entries in the MicroCab controller to be enabled. The barrier programming and the internal diagnostics are two examples. When the Run Timer is reactivated, the controller will begin in its start-up sequence, however; if the barriers are incorrectly programmed an error will occur. Upon error detection, the Activate Run will still remain in the **OFF** position, until the error is corrected.

3.3.3.8 CONTROLLER, Selection 8, OUTPUT MAP

OUTPUT MAP	CHAN	ASSIGN	CHAN	ASSIGN
	1	Ø-1	4	Ø-4
	2	Ø-2	5	PED 5
	3	Ø-3	6	PED 6

The output map screen is used to assign the six AC signal output channels to controller phases, overlaps and pedestrian movements. Each channel may be assigned to one phase, one overlap or one pedestrian movement. Channel one may be assigned to phase 1, overlap 1 or pedestrian movements for phase 1. Channel 2 may be assigned to phase 2, overlap 2 and pedestrian movements for phase 2. And so on for the six channels. Phases 7 and 8 may be assigned to output channels by first programming an overlap (1 - 6) to follow the Phase, and then assigning the overlap to its corresponding output channel.

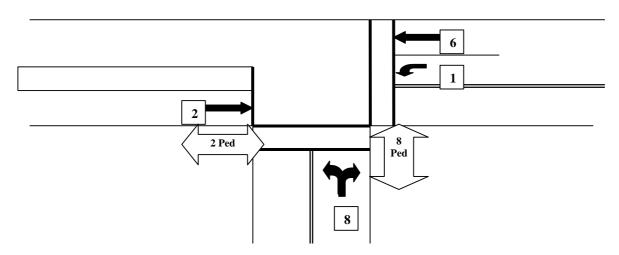
From the Output Map Screen you can map each of the six channels as follows:

Channel 1	2	3	4	5	6
Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4	Phase 5	Phase 6
OLP 1	OLP 2	OLP 3	OLP 4	OLP 5	OLP 6
PED 1	PED 2	PED 3	PED 4	PED 5	PED 6

You can set up any combination of the above Phases, Peds or OLPs. For example, you could have Phase 1 thru 4 with Channels 5 and 6 set for Peds.

Each Load Switch (LS) is assigned to a Channel: Channel 1 = LS, Channel 2 = LS 2 and so on.

In the example below the user would assign Chan 1=PH 1, Chan 2=PH 2, Chan 3=2 Ped, Chan 4=Ph 8, Chan 5=8 Ped



3.3.4 MAIN MENU, Selection 2, COORDINATION

COORDINATION MENU

- 1 TEST CONFIG 4 INPUT MAP 7 ERRORS
- PLAN CY/OFT 5 OUT C/S MAP
- PLAN SPLITS 6 PARAMETERS 9 EASY DIAG

3.3.4.1 COORDINATION, Selection 1, TEST CONFIGURATION

The Controller Test Configuration is a entry that allows the operator to define a coordination test set up for the controller. The Test configuration operates on the highest priority level in the controller. The Test Configuration defines the mode of command selection, mode of coordination selection, offset selection, a plan number selection (0-16) and a command mode selection.

- 1. **Command Mode Selection** The command selection defines how one of the seventeen (17) commands will be selected. The screen entries are the encoded field type with the following definitions.
 - **OFF** Command mode is inactive, commands will never be used
 - **AUT** Auto Uses external inputs and reverts to TBC if inputs are lost.
 - TBC TBC Command number selects commands

RTC Use the Command Mode as defined in the TBC Configuration as generated by the RT Clock from the Holiday and Weekday entries.

- 2. Coordinator Mode Entries The screen entries are the encoded field type and define from which configuration the offset and plan number will be selected to develop the internal coordination.
 - **OFF** Coordinator Off, will never run
 - **AUT** Auto Uses external inputs and reverts to TBC if inputs are lost.
 - **EXT** External Coordination only
 - XCY External Cycle Counter Time Base selects Offset, Plan
 - ICY Internal Cycle Counter External selects Offset, Plan
 - FL Flash
 - RTC Use the Mode as defined in the TBC configuration generated by the RT Clock
- 3. **Offset** This entry selects the test offset or allows the selection of the offset based on the coordination mode.
 - Offset 1 to 4 1 4 Offsets
 - Offset 9 Use the Offset defined by coordination mode
- 4. **Plan** This entry selects the test plan or allows the selection of the plan based on the coordination mode.
 - **Plan 0 to 16** 17 independent plans
 - Plan 99 Use the Plan defined by the coordination mode

3.3.4.2 COORDINATION, Selection 2, CYCLE OFFSET TRANSITION

This screen allows the cycle length, four (4) offset values, the transition Vercentage, and the dwell time to be entered for the 16 different coordination plans. All of the 16 plans may be divided into a combination of cycles and splits to conform to the operators ideas of traffic flow. The field type used for these entries is the numeric type with all data pertaining to a plan displayed on one line.

- 1. **CYCLE LENGTH** The interval of time for the coordinator to guarantee either the beginning or end of green for a single sequence through all the used phases. The selection range As from 000 to 255 seconds.
- 2. **OFFSET TIME** Offset time is defined as the amount of time from the Sync pulse to the beginning time (Time 00) of the local cycle counter. The local counter is used to determine the Yield and Force Off point during coordination. There are 4 Offset times allowed for each Plan (Cycle) or a total of 64 offset entries. The offset times are entered in real time in seconds.
- 3. **TRANSITION PERCENTAGE** This entry allows the operator to define the percentage change allowed during synchronization of the local cycle counter to the master cycle counter or external sync pulse. one entry is allowed per plan for short way (cycle length decreased) and one entry is allowed for long way (cycle length increased). The percentage range is from 10% to 24%. An entry of 00 will disable the short or long-way change.

When short way is disabled, the synchronization is similar to dwell and the percentage is defined by the long way entry. When both the short and long entry are set to 00 then the controller will automatically use the dwell time.

4. **DWELL TIME** - When transition percentage is set to 00 for both the short and long change, the dwell time is activated. When the timer's local coordinator counter reaches 0, the dwell timer will begin timing and the and the coordinator counter will stop until it is finished.

3.3.4.3 COORDINATION MENU, Selection 3, PLAN SPLITS

For plan splits, one of four screens will be displayed depending upon the coordination type selection.

3.3.4.3.1 Standard Coordination Split Menu

1. **Primary Force Off** - This entry allows the operator to define the last. Force Off point for each phase. During coordination, this Force Off point is used to calculate the end of the vehicle and pedestrian permissive periods. The primary force off must be entered before the secondary force off.

The secondary force off is set to the same value as the primary force off until the secondary force off point is manually changed.

- 2. **Secondary Force Off** This entry allows the operator to define a Secondary Force Off point for each phase. The Secondary Force Off point is normally the same value as the Primary Force off point; however, the Secondary Force off point allows the operator to define a point for conditional re-service of a phase during coordination or to force the controller out of a phase if an early minor permissive period was used.
- 3. **Vehicle Yield Point** This entry allows the operator to define the beginning of the permissive period for each of the eight (8) phases. During a coordinated operation, omits are applied as a method of control. The Vehicle Yield Point is the point in the cycle that the omits applied during coordination are lifted. This allows the phase to be serviced.
- 4. **Pedestrian Yield Point** This entry allows the operator to define the beginning of the Pedestrian Permissive period for each of the eight (8) phases. The Pedestrian Yield Point is the time at which the coordination pedestrian omits are lifted.

Using a combination of the above programming entries it is possible for the operator to program Eight

independent permissive periods for each plan.

3.3.4.3.2 New Jersey Coordination Split Menu

If the operator selects the New Jersey Mode of Coordination then a plan menu of the following entries will be displayed.

- 1. **Floating Force Off Values** One floating force off value is entered for each phase which will define the end of green time for a phase. When calculating the Floating Force Off Values for a given plan, be sure to take into consideration the yellow and red clearance times.
- 2. **Start of Permissive Period** A programmable entry which will allow the permissive period to start. The permissive period is that time at which the controller can leave the coordinated phase and service any phases with an active call.
- 3. **End Of Permissive Period** A programmable entry which will define the end of the permissive period.
- 4. **Ring 1 Coordinated Phase** An entry defining the ring 1 coordinated phase to be phases 1,2,3,4 or none.
- 5. Ring 2 Coordinated Phase An entry defining the ring 2 coordinated phase to be phases 5,6,7,8 or none.

3.3.4.3.3 Dual Permissive split Menu

As expressed earlier, dual permissive coordination is designed to operate in percent or in time. If the operator selects one of the four permissive modes of coordination, a screen designed for entry of data in the dual format will appear as the split screen.

- 1. Start of Perm. Period A programmable entry which will allow the permissive period to start.
- 2. **End of Perm. Period** A programmable entry which will define the end of the permissive period.
- 3. **Yield Phases** Eight programmable entries which allow selection of the yield phases during the permissive period.
- 4. **Permissive Period 2** A second permissive which has the same three entries as above.
- **5. Ring 1 and 2 Coordinated Phase** An entry which allows selection of phases 1,2,3,4 or none and 5,6,7,8 or none as the coordinated phases.
- 6. **Force Off All Phases** An entry which allows selection of a point along the coordinated cycle cause a force-off on any phase which is green.
- 7. **Recycle Walk Point** An entry activated when timing the permissive mode in seconds as the point along the coordinated cycle when the coordinated phase(s) recycle to walk.

3.3.4.3.4 Easy Coordination Split Menu

If the operator needs a simple coordination operation, one that provides automatic calculation of Permissives and Force Offs and the flexibility of semi-actuated operation on the side street and turn phases, the easy programming mode of coordination should be set ON. If easy is set ON, a screen displaying the Easy Split entries for each phase and the Coordination Phase(s) entry for each phase will be displayed on a per plan basis. The selection of the easy coordination split option also gives the operator two options for allowing the start of pedestrian service on the coordinated phases as described in:

1. **Easy Split** - This-entry allows the operator to define the time allocated to each phase. The total time allocated for each ring should equal the cycle length and the time in each ring on the same side of the barrier should be equal. From these entries the internal coordinator will calculate and implement the proper permissives and force offs.

3.3.4.4 COORDINATION, Selection 4, INPUT MAP

3.3.4.5 COORDINATION, Selection 5, OUT C/S MAP

Both these selections allow the user to hardwire inputs (INPUT MAP) from another controller or external coordinator or hardwire outputs (OUT C/S MAP) to another controller to control coordination. These options are associated with the hardware Pinouts as described in Appendices at the end of this manual

3.3.4.6 COORDINATION, Selection 6, COORDINATION PARAMETERS

These parameters are useful when setting. up coordination to match. a hard-wire system, a computer controlled system, or setting up a Cubic | Trafficware closed loop secondary. The coordination parameters screen consists of the following entries:

- 1. **SYNC LENGTH** This entry allows the operator to define the length of the sync pulse output. Range is adjustable from 0.0 to 9.9 seconds. This sync output length also applies when the sync is placed on the offset lines.
- 2. **PSEUDO SYNC** This entry allows the operator to activate the pseudo sync timer. The Pseudo timer inhibits false sync inputs from triggering a premature sync. Used when interfacing to a hard-wire system containing an offset interrupter.
- 3. **COORDINATION RUN** This entry allows the operator to override any coordination errors. CRUN stands for Coordination Run. In this mode, only the first coordination error is recorded. When CRUN is on and an error occurs which causes the controller to run free, the next change in plan will cause the coordination to become active again.
- 4. **APPLY HOLD** This entry will allow the coordinator to hold in a non-coordinated phase until the force-off point value for that phase has completed timing. Once a call is placed on the phase and the controller is operating in a coordinated sequence, a hold is applied to that phase. This entry is done on a per phase basis. This feature works in conjunction with the Select Max 2 option of each phase. For this option to operate, the Select Max 2 option must be ON for each non-coordinated phase that is desired to operate.
- 5. **COORDINATION TYPE** The Cubic | Trafficware Controller has 7 selections for different types of coordination operation. Each are briefly discussed in the following paragraphs.

Normal Coordination - This selection will cause the standard Naztec coordination operation to be implemented in the MicroCab. The display screen will allow two yield points and two force off points for each phase in a given plan.

EASY - This entry will activate the easy programming coordination mode as specified by the State of Texas. This mode changes the Plan Split Screen from displaying Yield and Force Off points to displaying the Easy Split entries and Coordinated Phases. It also causes the internal coordination firm-ware to begin an automatic calculation of permissive periods and forceoffs. There are two options for Pedestrian Service for the coordinated phases under the coordination programming if the "Easy Programming" option is selected. One option is to allow the pedestrian service to begin as soon as the coordinated phase enters green. The other option is to force the pedestrian service to wait until the zero point of the local cycle counter. This prevents the pedestrian service from starting early in the event the coordinated phases return to green early in the cycle due to a lack of demand on the other phases. This option is selected from the mode of recycle below (Par 8.3) if the easy programming option is programed "on".

NEW JERSEY - This entry will allow activation of the permissive mode of coordination. When active the permissive mode plan screen is also activated. NOTE: CNA not to be utilized in this mode.

DUAL PERMISSIVE TIMED.

DUAL PERMISSIVE TIMED WITH FLOATING FORCE OFFS

DUAL PERMISSIVE PERCENT

DUAL PERMISSIVE PERCENT WITH FLOATING FORCE OFFS

The four dual permissive selections select a single screen. The screen contains the following.

Two Start and ending entries for the dual permissive periods. Two entries which allow the selection of the yield phases during the permissive periods. One coordinated phase entry for each ring. Two force off points for each phase. One force off all phases point and one recycle the walk entry point.

The force off entries are related to the local cycle counter when timing in seconds or percent. When a floating selection is made, the force off begins timing when the phase enters green. Caution must be taken by the timing engineer when permissive type of operation is selected that all phases can be service with the amount of cycle time programmed.

- 6. **ELECTRO MECHANICAL** This entry determines how the external coordination will receive its sync and offset. If the electromechanical is active, the four (4) offset inputs are used and the Sync is imposed on the active offset line. When the entry is inactive, then the offset is binary encoded on lines 1 and 2 and the sync is assumed to be on the offset 3 line.
- 7. **CLOSED LOOP OPTION** When this option is active, it is necessary that the on street master be set up to run the entire arterial in traffic responsive operation. To make sure that the controller will respond to the master, it is necessary to set the system timer (Section 3.3.8.1) to a value. If the local does not receive a request from the master within this timed value, then it will revert to the TBC configuration to run both coordination and commands.
- 8. WALK RECYCLE During coordination the MicroCab controller contains several options on how to program the Pedestrian movement if the Rest in Walk entry is active for a phase. There are three (3) entries to describe how the controller will recycle if the rest in walk entry is selected during coordination. The three conditions programmed are; LV WLK BEF (Leave Walk before Recycle), LV WLK AFT (Leave Walk after Recycle) and RECYC MODE (Mode of Recycle).

Leave Walk Before Recycle - When a phase has a rest in walk activated during coordination, the controller will enter the phase, time the Walk interval, then Rest. A decision on when to leave the Walk interval relates to the LWB entry.

LWB = TIMED

Leave the Walk Interval when the Primary Phase Force Off point minus the Pedestrian Clearance time is equal to the Local Coordinator Cycle time. Note that this is an automatic calculation of the rest in walk time

LWB = ON DEMND

Leave the Walk Interval when an opposing demand is placed on the phase.

Leave Walk After Recycle - When a phase has recycled back to the Walk Interval during coordination, the phase Force Off memory will be active. When the phase is resting in Walk, the LWA entry allows the same two Walk termination selections as the LWB entry.

Mode of Recycle - This entry applies to the Coordinated Phase, programmed for Rest in Walk..: The recycle options are only active after the phase has been forced off and no opposing demand has been preset.

RCY = OFF

Do not recycle. If Easy Programming is selected, allow pedestrian service as soon as the phase enters green. With the Easy option, it is necessary to program the rest in walk option active for the coordinated phases (Par. 3.3.3.1.6(5)) if these phases are programmed for pedestrian recall.

RCY = IMMED

Recycle immediately. If Easy Programming is selected, pedestrian service not allowed to begin until the local cycle counter zero point.

RCY = PH OMIT 2

Recycle when phases 1,2 and 5,6 have phase omits applied.

RCY = PH OMIT 1

Recycle when phases 3,4 and 7,8 have phase omits applied.

RCY = NoPedOmt

Recycle when the Pedestrian Omits are lifted on the coordinated phase. .(Earliest moment the coordination will allow the Walk Interval to be serviced).

- 9. **INTERCONNECT** This entry when set to SYS will set the system input to cause the coordinator to change from External to TBC if the Free input is active high, or disable the coordinator and cause Free operation if the Free input is active low. When set to FREE, this input will disable the coordinator and cause the controller to run free. The System input is active high and inactive when grounded.
- 10. EXTERNAL COORDINATION LINE This entry will activate the external coordination input.
- 11. **STOP IN WALK** As explained in section 3, this entry will stop the local coordinator as long as a Walk or Ped clearance is being output.
- 12. **WALK=VEH PERM** When operating in coordination, this entry will force the end of the Walk Permissive period to equal that of the Vehicle Permissive period. This allows Pedestrian Intervals to occur later than they normally do.

3.3.4.7 COORDINATION, Selection 7, COORDINATION ERRORS

This entry allows the operator to display the first active coordination error to be defined by the controller. The defined errors occur when after 2 consecutive cycles, the MicroCab controller attempts to service a phase but is unable to do so due to incorrect programming of the coordination parameters. After the programming errors have been corrected, Coordination Errors need to be cleared before the coordinator will operate. The screen layout for the Configuration that caused a failure is similar to the Test configuration. The phases that were skipped will be displayed using the encoded field group.

3.3.5 MAIN MENU, Selection 3, PREEMPTS

PREEMPTION MENU 1 - ALLOW PREEMPs 3 - φ/OVLPS 6 - RECALL 2 - PARAMETERS 4 - TIMES WHICH PREEMPT? 5 - FLASH

The Preempt Menu contains 5 screen selections for programming preemption operation. It also contains a field used to identify which of the. preempts is currently being programmed. To select a preempt screen for a particular preempt, first enter the number of the preempt to be programmed in the field at the bottom of the Preemption Menu. It is labelled "Which Preempt?". Then select the screen that contains the desired parameters. HINT: An

easy way to access the "Which Preempt?" field is to press the **PAGE DOWN** key. After the preempt number is entered, press the **PAGE UP** key, then select the screen.

3.3.5.1 PREEMPTS, Selection 1, ALLOW PREEMPTS

Entering a "1" into any of the five (5) "ALLOW PREEMPT" fields causes the associated preempt to be enabled. A "0" disables the preempt and causes the controller to ignore activity on that preempt's input.

Note that, for convenience, this preempt screen differs from the other preempt screens in that all preempts may be enabled / disabled from a single screen. The rest of the preempt screens access fields only associated with the currently selected preempt.

3.3.5.2 PREEMPT, Selection 2, PARAMETERS

The Preempt Parameters screen contains seven entries that define or modify a preempts' function. They are:

- 1. **DELAY** Delay before preemption This parameter allows a time delay from 0 to 999 seconds to elapse before an active preemption input is recognized.
- 2. **MINIMUM** Minimum preemption state time This parameter defines a minimum amount of time the controller will stay in the preemption state regardless of whether the preempt input remains active. Once the minimum time has elapsed, the controller will continue in the preempt state.,, for as long as the preempt input is active.
- 3. **TYPE** Type of Preempt Any preempt may be identified as a Rail or Fire (emergency vehicle) preempt. This entry is used to make this selection. The difference between the two types involves priority. A rail preempt is given higher priority than a fire preempt and will therefore interrupt (or preempt) a fire preempt that may be in progress. Generally, no more than one preempt will be identified as rail, in which case it will be given highest priority by the controller.

If multiple preempts of a type are enabled, they will be given priority based on the preempt number. For example, if preempts 1, 2, and 4 are defined as FIRE, they will be prioritized in the same order, with preempt 1 being highest (among the fire preempts only). If, in this example, preempt 3 is programmed to be a RAIL type, then it will receive the highest priority among all preempts.

One final note regarding preempt priority; if more than one preempt is defined as RAIL, the rail preempts will be prioritized among themselves based on preempt number exactly the same as for multiple fire preempts. All rail preempts will still receive priority over any fire preempts.

- 4. **TRACK LOCK** Enabling this parameter causes momentary preemption inputs to be captured, or "locked", so that the controller proceeds to the preemption state and remains there until the minimum preemption time is satisfied. If the input is re-asserted and is active when the minimum time expires, the controller remains in the preemption state as if the input had been present continuously from the time that it was first recognized.
- 5. **FLASH** Preemption Flash This parameter allows the preemption routine to call up a flash sequence in accordance with the defined preemption flash parameters. The controller will flash when the appropriate preempt call is recognized if the parameter is set to ON. If this parameter is OFF, the controller will cycle among the user-programmed allowable phases.
- 6. **PED OMIT** Pedestrian Omit Pedestrian movements are inhibited during preemption sequences (track clearance and preemption states) if this parameter is enabled.
- 7. **SKIP CLR** Skip Track Clearance If enabled, this parameter causes the track clearance state to be skipped when the applicable preempt interrupts another preempt. If this. feature is not enabled (OFF), then the preempt progresses normally, timing track clearance intervals if they are defined, regardless of whether a lower-priority preempt was interrupted.

3.3.5.3 PREEMPTS, Selection 3, Phases/Overlaps

Use this screen to select the phases and overlaps that are to be active if the preempt is programmed to cycle (ie. not flash) during preemption. It is also used to select track clearance phases/overlaps and return phases for both

cycling and flashing preempt sequences.

- 1. **Track Clearance Phases** Only -one (1) track clearance phase .per ring is allowed. If a track clearance phase is not defined for a ring, the ring will enter into a RED REST state while the other ring times the track clearance phase. If neither ring has a track clearance phase defined, the controller will skip the track clearance interval and enter directly into the preemption state.
- 2. **Track Clearance Overlaps** Each overlap may be enabled or disabled during the track clearance interval. Enabled overlaps will time green intervals according to the standard overlap program. Overlaps disabled in this field will remain red during track clearance.
- 3. **Preemption Phases** This entry is used to define the phases that will cycle during the preemption state. Phases not enabled will be skipped. More that one phase per ring may be enabled. If no phases are enabled, the controller will go to an all red condition for the duration of preempt.
- 4. **Preemption Overlaps** Use this entry to enable /disable individual overlaps during the preemption state. If enabled, an overlap will operate according to its standard program; if disabled, it will remain red during the preemption state.
- 5. **Return from Preemption Phases** Use this entry to specify the starting phases following a preemption sequence. Only one phase per ring is allowed.

The entry fields on this screen are all of the encoded-group type. Selections are limited to 0 and 1 which indicate **DISABLED** and **ENABLED** (or **OFF** and **ON**) respectively.

3.3.5.4 PREEMPTS, Selection 4, Preemption Times

Values for various preemption intervals are entered on this screen. Five columns of intervals accept entries as follows:

MIN imum	0- 99
WaLK	0- 99
Ped CLr	0- 99
YELlow	0.0-9.9 (3.0 - 9.9 if Min yellow is on)
RED	0.0- 9.9

Three rows are provided, as described below, each of which contains some or all of the above intervals.

- 1. **Begin Preemption Clearance Times** These are the clearance times used to terminate the phases that are active when a call to preemption is recognized, in place of the times for these intervals which are programmed for the active phase.
- 2. **Track Clearance Times** This row sets the track clearance times for the phases programmed as the track clearance phases.
- 3. **Return Clearances** Red and Yellow clearance times to be used when returning from preemption are entered in the two applicable fields on this row.

3.3.5.5 PREEMPTS, Selection 5, FLASH

Use this screen to define the flashing states for phases, overlaps and pedestrian movements if flash preemption is enabled. One entry is provided for each phase, overlap and pedestrian movement.

- 1. VEHicle phase flash The settings in this row define the states of the signal heads during flash preemption. Each head may be programmed to flash YELlow, flash RED, or to remain DaRK.
- 2. **PED**estrian Each phase may be programmed to have the pedestrian head be dark (**OFF**) or to display solid don't walk (**ON**) during preemption state.
- 3. OverLaP flash Use the fields in this row to define the overlap flash states during preemption. The selective settings are YELlow flash, RED flash, and DaRK.

3.3.5.6 PREEMPTS, Selection 6, Recall

Each preemption has a recall that can be activated for each phase that determines how each phase will operate during preemption cycling. The standard Nema preemption modes can be procramed. If there is no desire to change the recall mode during preemption, no effect can be selected.

3.3.6 MAIN MENU, Selection 4, TIME BASED COORDINATION

	TIME BASED COOR, MENU	
1 - CLOCK/CAL	4 - WEEKDAYS 7 - ERRORS	
2 - TBC PARAMs 3 - COMMANDS	5 - HOLIDAYS 6 - TBC CONFIG	
3 - COMMANDS	6 - TBC CONFIG	

Selection 4, the TIME BASED COORDINATION menu provides the operator with all the necessary entries to enable the TBC control in the MicroCab. Under this menu there are 7 screens which apply to the TBC entries. A brief description of each screen is listed below.

3.3.6.1 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 1, CLOCK/CALENDAR

This entry allows the operator to set the time of day clock.

3.3.6.2 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 2, TBC PARAMETERS

This entry allows the operator to manually turn the Real Time Clock On of Off through the keyboard. The method of referencing for the TBC *function* and the point of reference for the Real Time Clock are both selectable under this feature.

The second entry under this screen defines the application of where the sync coordinates on any pattern change. This entry is called the Change Mode. With the Change mode OFF, the sync coordinates in reference to the real time clock. With the Change mode ON, the sync coordinates in reference to the next pattern change.

The third entry allows the operator to set the pulse length for the sync pulse. This will be the length of the sync pulse output by the controller if used as a master. The range is 0-9.9 seconds.

The fourth entry enables Time Of Day Dimming of the signals if this feature is programmed

The fifth entry allows the operator to program the Month and the week of that month when Daylight Savings Time begins and ends.

The sixth entry allows the operator to define Re-synchronization Reference Point for the real time clock. An entry of all zeroes (default) will select midnight. Any hour and minute entry is acceptable.

3.3.6.3 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 3, COMMANDS

The use of the Command menu provides the user with a vast array of T.O.D. selectable options and signal sequence patterns. The first screen under this selection will ask Which Command? The options are plans 0-16 with 0 being the default plan.

3.3.6.3.1 COMMANDS, Selection 1, OUTPUTS/DETECTOR-MAP/DIMMING

This entry permits the state of 8 special outputs and the detector map and detector fail map to be programmed for each command, thus placing the items under T.O.D. control. Special Output number 7 is assigned to dimming when the T.O.D. dimming switch is ON. Special output number 8 is assigned to Pulse Output. This output can be used to reset the conflict monitor.

3.3.6.3.2 COMMANDS, Selection 2, CONFLICTING PHASES

A conflicting phases definition may be specified for each command. Refer to section 3.3.3.1.3.

3.3.6.3.3 COMMANDS, Selection 3, RECALL DEFINITIONS

Each phase recall definition is selectable on a T.O.D. control basis. In addition to the standard 6 recall definitions an additional 3 entries are allowed.

3.3.6.3.4 COMMANDS, Selection 4, PHASE OPTIONS

Using the encoded field group entries on this screen, the following optional features may be enabled or disabled on a per phase basis for each T.O.D. activated command:

Rest in Walk

No Skip Phase

Dual Entry

Soft Recall

Pedestrian Omit

Max 2 Selection

Inhibit Max

Ped 2 Selection

Dallas Mode

3.3.6.3.5 COMMANDS, Selection 5, PH ROTATE & CONDITIONAL

The operator is able to reverse the phase pair sequence and select the conditional service option as a function of T.O.D. The following modes are permitted for each entry as follows:

With all REVERSE PH's entries set to NO, the controller will operate in a normal sequence. Any phase pair programmed as YES will reverse the sequence of the pair. An entry of YES for conditional service/reservice for any phase pair will enable conditional service/reservice for that pair. A NO entry will not allow conditional service/reservice.

3.3.6.4 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 4, WEEKDAYS

This entry allows the operator to define the command mode, coordination mode, offset number, plan number, and command number on a weekly basis. Weekday Entries provides a means for the operator to select and change coordination configurations on the basis of the day of the week and the time of day. The MicroCab controller contains one hundred and fifty (150) Weekday Entries. An entry allows the operator to define a specific start and stop date during the year for each entry. The operator also has the flexibility to program one entry to control all seven days of the week, or five days of the week (Monday - Friday), or a specific day of the week.

3.3.6.5 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 5, HOLIDAYS

The MicroCab controller contains fifty (50) Holiday entries. This entry allows the operator to define a special event for up to 50 independent occurrences during the year. The Holiday entries also contain provisions for the selection of Annual and Floating Holidays.

The Annual Holiday is a specific date on the calendar that occurs the same date every year. Example: New Years or Christmas. This feature is selected by programming the Month, Day of month, and programming 87 as the year. This will automatically set the year to AN and cause the entry to repeat annually.

The Floating Holiday is a holiday which occurs on a specific day of a specific week during a certain month each year. Example: Thanksgiving Day. This feature is selected by programming the Month, then the Week of that

month (instead of the day), and then programming 86 as the year. This will automatically set the year to FL (floating) and the day of the week must be selected under the DAY heading of the column.

3.3.6.6 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 6, TBC CONFIGURATION

This entry screen allows the operator to manually override or enable any particular coordination sequence through the keyboard. The TBC Configuration entry only overrides temporarily; meaning that at the next scheduled Weekday or Holiday entry the manual entry is no longer active.

3.3.6.7 TIME BASED COORDINATION, Selection 7, ERRORS

This entry allows the operator to display the first active coordination error to be defined by the controller. The defined errors occur when after two consecutive cycles the MicroCab controller attempts to service a phase but is unable to do so due to due to incorrect programming of the coordination parameters. After the programming errors have been corrected, the skipped phases error should be cleared to re-enable', the coordinator.

3.3.7 MAIN MENU, Selection 5, DETECTORS

- 1 φ CALLED 3 DELAY DEFEAT
 2 φ EXTENDED 4 DELAY/STREETO
 - 4 DELAY/STRETCH
- 5 FAILURE TABLE

3.3.7.1 DETECTORS, Selection 1, PHASES CALLED

This Screen allows the operator to map the location of the 12 detectors to any of the eight (8) phases in the controller. The first eight (8) detectors are the standard NEMA vehicle detectors. The four extra or special detectors are vehicle detector inputs 9 to 12 on the P2 connector. A detector only call the phase is mapped to.

When the, DETECTOR screen is first entered it will ask Which Map? There are three (3) detector maps available. Map one (1) is the default map. The detector maps are a function of the time of day commands. When the time of day commands are not active, Map Number One (1) is read by the controller.

The screen uses encoded field group format for data entry. The screen layout allows each of the twelve (12) possible detector inputs *to be assigned to any of the eight (8) phases. A default program exists under the diagnostic initialization menu to assign the standard NEMA setup to the map 1 assignments.

3.3.7.2 DETECTORS, Selection 2, PHASES EXTENDED

This screen allows the operator to define a detector map for all 12 detectors that only extends, the phase which they are mapped.

This screen enters data in the same format as selection 1. Detector Phase Called.

3.3.7.3 DETECTORS, Selection.3, DELAY DEFEAT

This entry allows the operator to define a detector map for all 12 detectors in the controller to defeat the detector delay timer for certain detector arrangements. This screen enters data in the same format as selection 1, Detector

3.3.7.4 DETECTORS, Selection 4, DELAY AND STRETCH

This Screen allows the operator to define a delay timer and stretch timer for each of the 12 independent detectors in the controller. The delay timer has a range from 0 -99 seconds while the stretch time is programmable from 0 to 9.9 seconds.

The delay timer functions with the vehicle call input to the controller. When the controller has a vehicle call, the delay timer will start counting down. After the delay time has expired, the controller then receives a vehicle call from that particular detector. The call for each detector is delayed by the time the operator programs into that detector timer.

The Stretch Timer allows the operator to define a stretch time for each of the 12 detectors. The stretch timer becomes active after the delay time has timed out. The stretch timer will continue to place a vehicle call after the vehicle has left the detector for the time programmed for each detector. The stretch timer range is from 0.0 to 9.9 seconds. This screen is arranged so that the operator can program both the delay and stretch time entry for each detector. The screen uses the numeric field type.

3.3.8 MAIN MENU, Selection 6, COMMUNICATIONS MENU

1 - PORT 1	COMMS MENU 4 - RECEIVE DATA 7 - DWNLD
PARAMS	5 MDM CH
2 - PORT 2	5 - PORT 3 8 - MDM SU
PARAMS 3 - TRANSFER DATA	6 - PORT 4
	PARAMS

This menu selection provides the operator with all the necessary entries to establish the setup parameters for each communication port. The Houston Metro specification defines the following functions to each of 4 ports. Port #1 is defined as the Upload/Download port. Port #2 is defined as the central communications port and has the Protocol 90 format, a trade mark of Computran Inc., implemented. Port #3 is defined as the detector interface port and Port #4 is defined as the conflict monitor interface port.

3.3.8.1 COMMUNICATIONS, Selection 1, COMM PORT 1 PARAMETERS

This entry allows the operator to define the parameters for communication port number 1.

Modem: EV24 or HS12

Baud: Supported Baud Rates are: 600 Baud 4800 Baud

1200 Baud 9600 Baud 2400 Baud 19200 Baud

Station ID No.: 000 to 999

Communication Timer: 0.0 to 9.9 seconds

Modem Timer: 00 to 2550 (in tens of seconds)

Duplex: FULL or HALF **Dial Command:** OFF. DIAL

System Timer: 00 to 99 minutes. Amount of time the controller had its last comm.

When Dial is selected, these additional functions need to be programmed.

Dial Time: 00 to 99 seconds

Area Code 1: Exchange Number 1 Telephone Number 1

Area Code 2: Exchange Number 2 Telephone Number 2

3.3.8.2 COMMUNICATIONS, Selection 2, COMM PORT 2 PARAMETERS

This entry allows the operator to define the parameters for communication port number 2.

Baud: Supported baud rates are: 600 Baud 4800 Baud

1200 Baud 9600 Baud

2400 Baud 19200 Baud

Comm: 0.0 to 9.9 seconds **Duplex:** FULL or HALF

Modem: 00 to 2550 (in tens of seconds)

3.3.8.3 COMMUNICATIONS MENU, Selection 3, TRANSFER DATA

Entries for Transfer Data and Receive Data allow the operator to upload/download Controller parameters from one unit to another via a data Transfer cable. Four categories of data may be selected for transfer. They are:

NONE

PHASE= All Phase Data
FEATURE= All Feature Data
RT CLK= Real Time Clock Data
COOR= Coordination Parameter Data

BARRIER= Barrier Data
ALL LOC= All Data

If an error occurs while transmitting or if the receiver unit creates an error, the display will present a transmission error for the transmitting unit and a receiver error for the receiving unit.

3.3.8.4 COMMUNICATIONS, Selection 4, RECEIVE DATA

This entry is the second component to Feature 63, Transmit Data. Place the controller in the receive mode in order to monitor a transfer.

3.3.8.5 COMMUNICATIONS, Selection 5, PORT 3 PARAMETERS

Port 3 is not available on the MicroCab.

3.3.8.6 COMMUNICATIONS, Selection 6, PORT 4 PARAMETERS

Port 4 is not available on the MicroCab.

3.3.8.7 COMMUNICATIONS, Selection 7, DOWN LOAD

This selection allows the operator in the field to request a download of the permanent database from the central

computer. To set up this request, alarm 37 must be activated. The alarm must also be forwarded to the Cubic | Trafficware Upload/Download computer.

3.3.9 MAIN MENU, Selection 7, STATUS DISPLAYS

STATUS DISPLAYS				
1 - TIMING	4 - DET. DEL/STR	7 - VOL/OCCPY		
2 - COORD. 3 - φ INPUTS	5 - ALARMS 6 - COMM PORTS	9 - MORE		

The status displays, selection. 7, from the main menu provide the operator with the controller real time data. There are 6 status displays screens under selection 7. The description of each selection is listed below.

3.3.9.1 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 1, TIMING STATUS

The timing status display is probably one the most useful screens on the controller. The operator is able to view the actual timing for each phase and interval for all phases on one view screen. Additional status information is also available on this screen such as Phase ON, Phase Next, Max II timing, Reason for Termination, etc.

3.3.9.2 STATUS DISPLAYS, Select 2, COORDINATION CONFIGURATION

This display provides the operator with all the information regarding coordination functions. These Functions include:

Local Cycle Counter

Master Cycle Counter

Current Plan in Progress

Current Offset in Progress

Current Command Number in Progress

Transition Percentage Indicator

System Configuration

TBC Configuration

External Configuration

Closed Loop Status

3.3.9.3 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 3, INPUTS

This display will allow the operator to view the real-time intersection inputs such as vehicle calls, pedestrian calls, holds, phase and pedestrian omits. The display will also show coordination and preemption operation by displaying the vehicle and pedestrian inhibits. The inhibits are functions of the coordination programming and apply omits to the phases at various times.

3.3.9.4 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 4, DETECTOR DEL/STR

This display will provide the user with a means of viewing the delay and stretch times and their countdown when active for each detector input. Multiple detectors (nine) are displayed at one time.

3.3.9.5 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 5, ALARMS

The MicroCab NEMA Traffic Controller contains a total of 64 internal and external alarm input/outputs. This

screen will allow the operator to view the alarm status for each individual alarm. The screen will indicate active alarms, alarms which have changed from 0 (inactive) to 1 (active) and alarms which have changed from 1 to 0.

3.3.9.6 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 6, COMM TIMER

This display shows the status of the communications ports 1 and 2. The row labeled "4" is not active on the MicroCab.

3.3.9.7 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 7, REPORTS AND BUFFERS

This set of displays allows the display of the Event and the Alarm Buffer to be displayed.

3.3.9.7.1 REPORTS AND BUFFERS, Selection 1, Clear Alarm Buff

This entry allows the pointer for the alarm buffer to be reset so that all alarms are stored at the beginning of the buffer area.

3.3.9.7.2 REPORTS AND BUFFERS, Selection 2, Clear Event Buff

This entry allows the pointer for the event buffer to be reset so that all events are stored at the beginning of the buffer area.

3.3.9.7.3 REPORTS AND BUFFERS, Selection 3, EVENTS

Displays the major information about a event such as Date, Time, Station I.D., Type of Event, and 6 bits of information about the event. The types of events are as follows:

- 1. **Alarms** A copy of the Alarm is store into the event buffer.
- 2. **Preemption** A copy of the preemption activity is stored into this buffer.
- 3. **Access** A copy of the user number and use I.D. is stored into the event buffer each time.
- 4. **Pattern** A status of the controllers closed loop operation is stored into the event buffer for each type of change including the accumulated offset.

3.3.9.7.4 REPORTS AND BUFFERS, Selection 4, ALARMS

This screen will display the time tagged alarms stored for transfer to the upload - download laptop computer. Alarms numbers as well as station number are indicated in the display. An alarm will only be stored in this buffer if it is activated and also programmed to be forwarded.

3.3.9.7.5 REPORTS AND BUFFERS, Selection 3, LAST 10 EVENTS

This screen will display the last ten events in a circular buffer.

3.3.9.8 RESERVED

3.3.9.9 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection. 9, OVERLAPS

This display will allow the operator to see the color of any of the eight overlaps as well as the timing of each of the overlap intervals of Green, Yellow, or Red.

3.3.9.10 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 10, EASY CALCULATION

This display will allow the operator to see the force-offs and yield points calculated in real-time for the easy plan

coordination entries.

3.3.9.11 STATUS DISPLAYS, Selection 11, COORDINATION 2

A second realtime coordination display which shows more information about coordination. Some of the information shown is: The reason the controller is running free, the value of the cycle and offset selected, the amount of error correction needed, whether the controller is running fast or slow. Also shown are all of the possible configurations.

3.3.10 MAIN MENU, Selection 8, SPECIAL FUNCTIONS

SPECIAL FUNCTIONS MENU

1 - ENTER 4 - DIAGNOSTICS

SEC.

2 - SET SEC.

3 - PRINT

This menu selection provides the operator with access to the security code and security code programming and other special functions.

3.3.10.1 SPECIAL FUNCTIONS, Selection 1, ENTER SECURITY CODE

This entry screen allows the operator to enter a security code into the controller. The security code is entered by setting the user number, 01 to 64, followed by the users own personal access code.

3.3.10.2 SPECIAL FUNCTIONS, Selection 2, SET SECURITY CODE

This entry allows the operator to set up to 64 different access codes, one for each of the 1 to 64 user numbers, and to determine the level, of security for each of the users. The level of security are define as:

None: Display Only

Entry: Allow display and entry

Diagnostics: Allow all of the above and diagnostics

Download: Allow all of the above and a reload or programming of the controller software **Security:** Allow all of the above and the ability to set security codes and security priority.

If the operator access code is forgotten for the system administrator, it is impossible for any one to access this table and modify the security codes and levels.

Setting of security codes begin after the EEPROM has been cleared. Since a new EEPROM may have existing data, access to clear EEPROM can be accomplished by setting pencil switch number 3. Once memory is cleared, the controller will allow access to the Set Security as long as no security code is set and no level of access is defined. Once any entry is made and the operator leaves the screen then the security code is set. Therefore, it becomes necessary that one of users be allowed to have the highest priority, security, in order to change any of the passwords and levels of access.

A second feature of the security allows for a no security setting. If this option is desired, then after clearing the EEPROM no entries are made the in Set.. Security menu.

As long as all positions are zero and levels are none, then a security code entry is not required for any controller operation.

3.3.10.3 SPECIAL FUNCTIONS, Selection 3, PRINT

This entry allows the operator to select print parameters from an encoded field selection. The printer operates from Communication Port number 1 only. The correct compatible baud rate must be selected to match the printer functions. A baud rate of 1200 is suggested.

The printer parameters are selectable from the list below:

NONE: No printed data
ALL: All data below
CONTROLLER: Controller data
COORDINATION: Coordination data
PREEMPTS: Preemption data
TB COORD: Time Base data
DETECTORS: Detector data

COMMS: Communications data

VOL/OCC: Volume/Occupancy data

The ESC key aborts any printer functions and performs the normal escape function to the previous menu or screen.

3.3.10.4 SPECIAL FUNCTIONS, Selection 4, DIAGNOSTICS

DIAGNOSTICS MENU					
1 - CLEAR EEPROM	4 - CLEAR & INIT ALL				
2 - INITIALIZATION					
3 - SELF TESTS					

This menu is unique to the Cubic | Trafficware MicroCab Traffic Controller product line. A complete set of diagnostic tests and initialization programs are accessible through this menu.

When selecting this screen, a warning is displayed if the run timer is on advising that the run timer must be turned off to execute this function. This is a safety feature to prevent an unsafe condition being caused if the controller is operating, an intersection. After the run timer is turned off it is possible to continue this menu. The screen selection sub-menus are split into three functions:

CLEAR EEPROM INITIALIZATION SELF TESTS

3.3.10.4.1 DIAGNOSTICS, Selection 1, CLEAR EEPROM

CAUTION: This function erases ALL
Operator programmable settings --Press ENTR to continue,
Press ESC to go back . . .

This screen entry allows the operator to erase the EEPROM completely of all data values stored. A special security code and a special password are needed in order to complete this function if the security code option is enabled by pencil switch SW 3. If the security code option is not enabled, a caution screen is displayed. This two step security process provides a means for making sure that the operator wants to erase the stored data.

3.3.10.4.2 DIAGNOSTICS, Selection 2, INITIALIZATION

INITIALIZATION MENU

1 - Øs/OVERLAPS 4 - COMMANDS 2 - COORDINATION 5 - PREEMPTS

3 - WEEK/HOLIDAYS

This menu is split into five sub-menu structures for each module of the controller software. The five sub-menu structures are listed below:

3.3.10.4.2.1 INITIALIZATION, Selection 1, PHASES/OVERLAPS

This entry allows the operator to initial the Phase and overlap times to a standard value. It also turns all of the Phase entry ON/OFF parameters OFF and sets each Phase Recall to the minimum recall status. Sets up the detector mapping and pedestrian overlap mapping to standard NEMA. The initialization times are as follows:

Min Green:	10 sec	TTR	0 sec
Gap:	2.0 sec	TBR	0 sec
Max 1:	30 sec	Min Gap	0 sec
Max 2:	40 sec	MIG	10 sec
Yellow:	4.0 sec	Walk 2	4 sec
Red:	1.0 sec	Ped Clr2	14 sec
Walk:	4 sec	Max 3	0 sec
Ped Clr:	14 sec	Max Ext	0 sec
Add. Init:	0.0 sec		

3.3.10.4.2.2 INITIALIZATION, Selection 2, COORDINATION

This screen entry allows the operator to setup all coordination entries to an initialized state. The following values will be entered:

Cycle Length: 60 sec **Offset Time:** 000 sec **Veh Yield Point:** 000 sec **Ped Yield Point:** 000 sec **Primary F.O.:** 000 sec **Secondary F.O.:** 000 sec **Output Sync Width:** 1.0 sec **Transition %:** 17 %

Test Configuration: Command Mode = RTC

Coordination Mode = RTC

Offset = 9

Plan and Command = 99

Coordination Fail: Reset to all zeros

3.3.10.4.2.3 INITIALIZATION, Selection 3, WEEKDAYS/HOLIDAYS

This entry allows the operator to zero out all Weekday entries and initialize the Holiday entry programs.

3.3.10.4.2.4 INITIALIZATION, Selection 4, COMMANDS

This entry allows the operator to zero out all 17 command entries and pre-program commands 1 - 16 to correspond to plan numbers 1 - 16.

3.3.10.4.2.5 INITIALIZATION PROGRAMS, Selection 5, PREEMPTS

This entry causes all 5 of the Preemption parameters be set to a default value as follows:

TYPE: **RAIL DELAY:** 5 sec **MINIMUM:** 5 sec TRACK LOCK: **OFF** FLASH: ON **PED OMIT:** ON TRACK CLRNC PHASES: **NONE OLPS: NONE** PREEMPTION PHASES: NONE **OLPS: NONE RETURN PHASES:** 2 & 6

WLK TIMES: MIN **PCL RED YEL** 5 4 10 3.0 1.0 **BEGIN CLRNC's:** TRACK CLRNC's: 5 4 10 3.0 1.0 **RETRN CLRNC's:** 3.0 1.0

FLASH: <u>COLOR</u>
ALL VEH: RED
ALL PED: OFF

ALL OVERLAP: RED

3.3.10.4.3 DIAGNOSTICS, Selection 3, SELF TESTS

SELF TESTS MENU				
1-RAM	4 - CONNECTORS			
2 - ROM				
3 - COMM PORTS				

This menu selection allows the operator to run a complete set of diagnostic routines. on every section, including inputs/outputs in the controller system.

3.3.10.4.3.1 SELF TESTS, Selection 1, RAM

This screen selection allows the operator to check out the RAM devices in the controller. The RAM test will confirm that the RAM is in working condition. This test allows options of:

NONE: No ram test
ONCE: Tests ram once

CONT: Tests ram continuously

3.3.10.4.3.2 SELF TESTS, selection 2, ROM

This screen selection allows the operator to test the EPROM devices in the controller. The ROM test will search a specific checksum number for comparison value. If the checksum is not found or is incorrect, a fail message will be given. Otherwise a **STATUS: PASSED** and the checksum value will be shown.

3.3.10.4.3.3 **SELF TESTS, Selection 3, COMM PORTS (1-4)**

The Communication tests allow for the Communication and Printer Port diagnostics, and the E.I.A. - RS-232 inputs and outputs to be run. The Communication Port allows the controller to be connected into a system network whereas the Printer Port will connect to a local printer or computer. Running this test requires that a special test connector be connected to each port. The same test connector can be used for either Port, but must be in place during the test. The test allows the choice of either or both communications ports and the option of testing once or continuously.

3.3.10.4.3.4 SELF TESTS, Selection 4, CONNECTORS (P1 and P2)

A diagnostic check of each input/output is accomplished through the use of a wrap-around connector which completes the circuit from each input to the appropriate output. This capability built into the MicroCab for each connector. A message of COMPLETE or a Failure Message of the failed input/output will be displayed after the diagnostic is complete for each connector.

3.3.10.4.3.5 SPECIAL FUNCTIONS, Selection 5, DOWNLOAD SW

This entry provides for the downloading of the controller's computer software from the central if the controller contains Flash Proms. When this entry is made the controller will go into a 3 minute wait state and display a message "Waiting for a Download". If the computer has not established communication with the controller at the end of this period, it will again test the checksum of the prom memory and begin running. A check sum failure may occur with the prom memory. Each time power is applied to the timer a modulo 128 check sum is calculated on a CRC polynomial of $X^{**16} + X^{**12} + X^{**5} + 1$. If the check sum fails, the timer will power up in a mode that states, "Waiting for a Download". This will also occur when a set of un-programmed (i.e., new) proms are installed.

For cases where it is impossible to access the DOWNLOAD entry, it will be necessary to remove AC POWER and the top cover of the timer. Once the cover is removed, turn on pencil switch 8. When this is done and power is restored to the controller, a message will be displayed of " waiting for a download ", " pencil switch 8 is set".

As downloading the program to the controller proceeds, the next message displayed is "erasing". After about 2 minutes of erasing the display will read "programming". This will take about 4 minutes. At the end of the programming interval, the controller will begin generating the check sums. The display will read "check sum calculation". When all of programming is complete, the central computer will send the controller a signal to begin normal operation. If programming is successful and the pencil switch 8 is active, the controller will request that pencil switch 8 be reset. Once the operator has responded, and pencil switch 8 is reset, normal operation will begin.

3.3.10.4.4 DIAGNOSTICS, Selection 4, CLEAR and Init All

CAUTION: This function clears and initializes all program settings - - - press ENTR to continue press ESC to go back . . .

This entry erases the EEPROM completely of all data values stored and enters default values in their place. NOT all parameters are setup with default values. For instance, Barriers and Ring entries are left blank.

3.3.11 MAIN MENU, Selection 9, CONFLICT MONITOR

CONFLICT MONITOR

- 1 PERMISSIVES & ENABLE
- 2 PROGRAM PERMISSIVE MODULE
- 3 TXFER RELAY FLASH PARAMETERS

Use this main menu selection to access the submenu for conflict monitor programming screens and to setup transfer relay flashing.

The internal conflict monitor detects conflicts, red failure, and dual indication faults on the six output channels. It also has a "watch-dog timer" feature that must receive regular pulses from the controller for normal operation to be maintained. The level of monitoring is determined by the user programming, by input voltage level, by the Red Monitoring Disable input and whether the unit is flashing.

3.3.11.1 Conflict Faults

The Conflict Monitor determines that a conflict fault has occurred when two channels that are no programmed as permissive are sensed to be active simultaneously for at least 350 ms. A channel is active if either the yellow or the green inputs are activated. Upon detecting a conflict, the transfer relay is deactivated which places the unit in transfer flash, and the fault indicator on the front panel is illuminated.

Conflict faults are latched and can only be cleared by manually activating the momentary fault reset switch on the front panel. Interruption of AC power does not clear a latched fault.

3.3.11.2 Red Failure Fault

A red failure occurs when there are no active inputs on a channel (i.e., red, yellow and green are all detected as off) for at least the minimum fault time of 800ms. Upon detecting a red failure, the transfer relay is deactivated which latches the unit, in transfer flash, and the fault indicator on the front panel is illuminated.

Red failure faults are latched and must b cleared by manually activating the fault reset switch on the front panel. Interruption of AC power does not clear a latched fault.

Monitoring for Red Failure must be "enabled" for each channel. Red failure monitoring is inhibited for all channels while any of the following are true:

- a. Red Failure Monitor Disable input on connector P1 is asserted
- b. Transfer Flash or Controller Flash is active
- c. The internal logic supply voltage is not within operating range and for a short period (<.5 seconds) after power up

3.3.11.3 Dual Indication Fault

A dual indication fault is detected when the Red input of a channel is active simultaneously with either the green or yellow input of the same channel for at least the red failure minimum time (800ms). Upon detecting a red failure, the transfer relay is deactivated which latches the unit, in transfer flash, and the fault indicator on the front panel is illuminated.

Red failure faults are latched and must be cleared by manually activating the fault reset switch on the front panel. Interruption of AC power does not clear a latched fault.

Monitoring for Dual Indications must be enabled, by the user, for each channel. Dual Indication monitoring is inhibited whenever Red Failure monitoring is inhibited.

3.3.11.4 Dark Channel due to burned out lamps – not monitored

It is recommended that there be more than one indication per movement installed at intersections where the MicroCab is installed to provide redundancy in the event of burned out lamps

3.3.11.5 Non-Latched Transfer Flash

The conflict monitor places the controller into non-latched transfer flash while any of the following conditions exist:

- 1. Watch-Dog Timer pulses are not received from the CPU for at least 350ms.
- 2. There is insufficient logic supply voltage for the CPU to operate
- 3. Transfer Flash is commanded from the front panel switch or one of the flash inputs

The unit automatically ends Transfer Flash when all of the above conditions are no longer true and there are no latched faults.

3.3.11.6 CONFLICT MONITOR, Selection 1, PERMISSIVES AND ENABLES

CONFLICT MONITOR	CHAN	1	2	3	4	5	6
PERMISSIVES	1		0	0	0	0	1
	2			1	0	0	1
	3				0	0	1
	4					1	0
	5						0
ENA	BLE RED FAIL	1	1	0	1	0	1
ENABLE MULTI-	INDICATION	0	0	0	0	0	0

Use this screen to define the permissive channels for conflict monitoring and to enable red failure monitoring and dual indication monitoring. After these parameters are set on this screen, the conflict monitor EEPROM program module must be programmed using the second selection on this submenu (refer to the following section).

To setup the permissive programming data, the Permissives and Enables screen provides a matrix of 6 columns and five rows for defining permissive channel pairs. The arrangement of the entry fields is similar that of the jumpers on a conflict monitor program card. To establish permissive combinations of channels, set the field for the corresponding row and column to "1". Any combinations with a value of "0." will conflict if those channels are.. active simultaneously.

Two additional rows are provided at the bottom of the screen. The first of these is identified as "Enable Red Fail". To enable red failure monitoring for a channel, select a "1" in the corresponding row. Red failure monitoring may be enabled for each channel independently.

The last row on the screen is labeled "Enable Multi-Indication". Setting the fields in this row to a 1 enables

multi-indication failure monitoring. This monitoring may be enabled/disabled independently for each of the six output channels.

3.3.11.7 CONFLICT MONITOR, Selection 2, PROGRAM PERMISSIVE MODULE

You must turn off the Run Timer Before executing this function.

Press ESC to return

Program Permissive Warning Screen

Move Permissive Module to programming position, then press enter. When done Press ESC to return to menu

Program Permissive Screen after Run Timer has been turned OFF.

This screen is used to execute the function that programs the EEPROM module that contains the permissives and enables for the conflict monitor. Before this function can be run, the desired permissives and enables must be defined using screen selection #1 on the conflict monitor submenu. The procedure for programming the module is as follows:

- 1. Move the Permissive Program Module from the conflict monitor board to the CPU board. Remember to always turn off power to the MicroCab before removing or installing the program module.
- 2. After reapplying power, use this screen to start the programming process. This function stores the permissives and enables defined on the previous screen into the EEPROM program module.
- 3. The programming may take up to two minutes to complete. The screen will provide status as to progress of the programming. When complete, remove power and return the program module back to the conflict monitor board. Power may then be re-applied.

3.3.11.8 CONFLICT MONITOR, Selection 3, TXFER RELAY FLASH PARAMETERS

TRANSFER RELAY FLASH INIT FLASH TIME 0 TXFER RELAY FLASH OFF

There are two parameters on the Transfer Relax Flash screen that pertain to flashing through the internal transfer relay. These are:

INITial FLASH TIME determines the duration of transfer flash upon power-up of the unit. This entry accepts values of 0 to 24 seconds. This feature corresponds to the initial flash time feature found on NEMA conflict monitors.

TXFER RELAY FLASH - OFF or ON may be selected. If this parameter is set to ON, then the MicroCab will flash through its internal transfer relay in response to .,,a call to flash from front-panel inputs or from the front, 'panel flash switch. Whether transfer flash or controller 'flash is invoked also depends on the MicroCab operating" mode which is set by pencil switches 5 and 6. Refer to table 2.4 for details as to when each type of flash is invoked.

4 INSTALLATION AND SETUP

This section describes the installation, connection and initial setup of the unit. Detail programming of the controller features was covered in sections 2 and 3.

4.1 Interface Considerations

The electrical connections to the MicroCab fall into three categories as follows:

- 1. **120 VAC** These connections are for input power to the unit and for signal head outputs which connect directly to the field terminals of the signal lamps.
- 2. 12 Volt DC Logic level signals are provided for all other controller inputs and outputs. These signals are "ground true" (active low) with thresholds of:

Voltage (VDC)	State
0 <= Input <= 3	Active
3 < Input < 9	Active or Inactive
9 <= Input <= 12	Inactive

- 12 VDC signals are "pulled-up" to the internal power supply with a 10K ohm resistor. Externally applied voltage to an input or output should not exceed 13.2 Volts.
- 3. RS232 Serial Communications ports utilize the RS232 standard for electrical signal specifications.

CAUTION: AC and DC signals are both found on the P1 front panel connector. To avoid damage to the MicroCab or to equipment connected to it, be careful NOT to connect any AC outputs to DC signals!

4.2 Timer Connection

In some cases, a pre-wired cabinet is provided and the controller must be connected into the cabinet. Other times, a new cabinet assembly is to be wired with decisions to be made on the internal cabinet wiring.

In either case, safety should be observed by insulating all unused input and output leads such that they do not make contact with any conductive surface.

Each lead of the harness is labeled with its function and connector pin number. All AC outputs may have 120 VAC on them; therefore, exercise caution when making these connections. Inputs are active when they are connected to logic ground.

The MicroCab provides 120 VAC outputs for signal head drive. These outputs may be connected directly to signal head terminals. When an External Flash transfer bus is used, the MicroCab should be connected to the timer side of the flash transfer relay contacts.

4.3 Internal Transfer Flash

Internal transfer flash is active during initial flash time after power-up, upon detection of a conflict monitor fault, or upon command from a front panel input or the front panel flash switch. Each channel may be programmed to flash RED or YELLOW, or to be DARK. This is accomplished by removing the cover of the MicroCab and installing the flash jumpers appropriately. For each output channel, three jumper connections are available on the Triac module near the top. The one in the center is labeled with the channel number, The one on the left is labelled "Y" for yellow, and the third connection which is on the right is labeled "R" for red. To program a channel to flash Red, install the jumper between the center (channel) contact and the one to its right. To flash yellow, the jumper is installed from the center to the one on its left.

Note that transfer flash is different from flashing through the controller. As in a standard NEMA cabinet

assembly, the signals may be flashed through the flash buss and transfer relays (i.e. transfer flash) or through the load switches under the direction of the controller (controller flash). In the MicroCab, the same is true except that the flash buss and transfer relay are internal to the unit. Pencil switch settings and keypad entries are used to determine whether the front-panel switch invokes transfer flash or controller flash. The same is true of flash inputs on the P1 and P2 connectors. The affect of these options.. and settings are detailed in sections 2.4.2 and 3.3.11.3, and appendices 5.4 and 5.5.

4.4 Internal Conflict Monitor

The internal conflict monitor is programmed for permissives, for enabling red fail monitoring and for enabling dual indication monitoring on a per channel basis through an EEPROM program module. During normal operation, the program module is plugged into a socket on the conflict monitor printed circuit board. This allows the conflict monitor to operate independently of the controller. To program the module, it is physically moved to the controller PCB and initiated through keypad entries. When completed, the program module is returned to the conflict monitor PCB. Section 3.3.11 details the entries required to program the permissives and monitoring options.

4.5 Pencil Switch Options And Operating Mode

Appendix 5.1 details the-features that are configured using the pencil switches. Pencil switches 5 and 6 are used to select the operating mode of the MC682. Three modes are available; they are MC682, NT124P, and NT124F. The operating mode affects the function of several of the DC logic-level inputs; primarily the NT124 modes change some of the detector inputs to coordination functions.

The NT124P and NT124F modes are provided for compatibility with those model Emergency Replacement Units (ERUs). When operating in one of these modes, the P1 connector of the MicroCab is compatible with the P1 connector of the corresponding ERU.

4.6 External Conflict Monitor

The MicroCab can be operated with an external conflict monitor. The Controller Voltage Monitor output signal is provided for this purpose on. the P2 connector. As this is a 122 volt DC output, level shifting may be required to interface to a standard NEMA conflict monitor. Also, a 24 Volt DC level may have to be venerated external to the MicroCab unit to serve as an input for the 24V Monitor I and II inputs of the external monitor.

4.7 INITIAL INSPECTION

Prior to connecting the MicroCab and applying power, inspect the unit with the cover removed. Ensure that any screws or nuts that may have worked loose during shipment are securely tightened. Also, check that cable connectors and printed circuit boards are fully seated in their mating connectors

5 APPENDICES

5.1 Option Switch Functions

An eight-position pencil switch is located on the CPU board. These switches are used to enable optional features and to set operating modes as follows.

1. Barrier Programming - Switches 1 & 2

<u>SW1</u>	<u>SW2</u>		
ON	ON	User Programm	able Barriers
OFF	ON	Standard 8 Phas	se Quad Left
ON	OFF	1-2 3-4-7-8 5-6	PHASING (Quad-Sequential)
OFF	OFF	Standard 4 Phas	se

2. Security Code - Switch 3

SW3

OFF Security Code function of clear EEPROM disabled

ON Allow for clearing of EEPROM so that the Security Codes can be programmed

3. Skip Yellow Clearance Times - Switch 4

SW4

OFF Don't enable the feature

ON Enable the Illinois Skip Yellow feature 4.

4. MicroCab Operating Mode - Switches 5 and 6

<u>SW5</u>	<u>SW6</u>	
OFF	OFF	MicroCab (MC682) mode
ON	OFF	NT124-P mode; emulates the 124-P I/0 assignment on connector P1.
OFF	ON	NT124-F mode; emulates the 124-F I/O assignment on connector P1.

Note 1: Refer to Appendices 5.2 and 5.4 for the pinout of each operating mode.

Note 2: When either NT124-P or NT124-F modes are set, program the barrier switches (# 1 & 2) for standard four-phase operation.

Note 3: When NT124-F mode is set and hardwire interconnect (external) coordinated operation is desired,

program the TBC schedules to run "Auto" or "Ext" coordination modes in the configuration.

5. Yellow Clearance Times - Switch 7

SW7

OFF All Yellow Clearance Times are programmable from 0.0 to 9.9 seconds.

ON All Yellow Clearance Times are programmable from 3.0 to 9.9 seconds.

6. Reload Controller Firmware - switch 8 (not available on all models)

Switch 8 is functional only for MicroCab units with the Flash ROM feature. If the switch is set to ON, the MicroCab waits for firmware to be reload upon power-up.

5.2 Connector P1 Pinouts & Wiring

			LEVEL TO	-NT 124	4 MODES-
PIN	FUNCTION (MC682)	IN/OUT	OPERATE	NT124-P	NT124-F
1	P1 GREEN	0	120 VAC		
2	P5 RED	0	120 VAC		
3	DET 1	I	LOGIC GND	PI VEH DET	Pl VEH DET
4	AC PWR SENSE	0	120 VAC		
5	P2 RED	0	120 VAC		
6	P3 GREEN	0	120 VAC		
7	P5 YELLOW	0	120 VAC		
8	DET 3	I	LOGIC GND	P3 VEH DET	P3 VEH DET
9	INTERVAL ADVANCE	I	LOGIC GND		
10	P4 GREEN	0	120 VAC		
11	P3 YELLOW	0	120 VAC		
12	P6 RED	0	120 VAC		
13	DET 11	I	LOGIC GND	P2 HOLD	SYNC IN
14	DET 9	I	LOGIC GND	P2 PED DET	DIAL 3
15	MANUAL CONTROL ENABLE	I	LOGIC GND		
16	P2 GREEN	0	120 VAC		
17	P3 RED	0	120 VAC		
18	P6 GREEN	0	120 VAC		
19	P6 YELLOW	0	120 VAC		
20	LOGIC GND	I	REFERENCE		
21	DET 4	I	LOGIC GND	P4 VEH DET	P4 VEH DET
22	DET 2	I	LOGIC GND	P2 VEH DET	P2 VEH DET
23	AC+ SIGNALS	I	120 VAC		
24	P1 YELLOW	0	120 VAC		
25	P4 RED	0	120 VAC		
26	RED FAIL MONITOR DISABLE	I	LOGIC GND		
27	FLASH IN	I	LOGIC GND	FORCE-OFF	UTC FLASH
28 CMND	DET 12	I	LOGIC GND	FLASH CMND	FLASH
29	AC- (NEUTRAL)	I	AC NEUTRAL		
30	PI RED	0	120 VAC		
31	P4 YELLOW	0	120 VAC		
32	SYNC-OUT	0	LOGIC GND	SYNC-OUT	SYNC-OUT
33	DET 10	I	LOGIC GND	P4 PED DET	P4 PED DET
34	AC+ LOGIC	I	120 VAC		
35	P2 YELLOW	0	120 VAC		
36	P5 GREEN	0	120 VAC		
37	CHASSIS GROUND	I	EARTH GROUND		

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COLOR	PIN	FUNCTION	LEVEL
16 GRN	1	P1 GRN	120 VAC
16RED	2	P5 RED	120 VAC
22 VIO	3	P1 VEH DET	LOGIC GND
16 BLK	4	AC PWR SENSE	120 VAC
16 RED	5	P2 RED	120 VAC
16GRN	6	P3 GRN	120 VAC
16 YEL	7	P5 YEL	120 VAC
22 VIO	8	P3 VEH DET	LOGIC GND
22 GRY	9	INTERN. ADV.	LOGIC GND
16GRN	10	P4 GRN	120 VAC
16 YEL	11	P3 YEL	120 VAC
16 RED	12	P6 RED	120 VAC
22 BLU	13	P2 HOLD	LOGIC GND
22 ORG	14	P2 PED DET	LOGIC GND
22 GRY	15	MAN. CONT EN	LOGIC GND
16GRN	16	P2 GRN	120 VAC
16 RED	17	P3 RED	120 VAC
16 GRN	18	P6 GRN	120 VAC
16 YEL	19	P6 YEL	120.VAC
22 YEL	20	LOGIC GND	LOGIC GND
22 VIO	21	P4 VEH DET	LOGIC GND
22 VIO	22	P2 VEH DET	LOGIC GND
16 BLK	23	AC + OUTPUT	AC +
16 YEL	24	P1 YELLOW	120 VAC
16 RED	25	P4 RED	120 VAC
22 BRN	26	RED ENABLE	LOGIC GND
22 BLU	27	FORCE OFF	LOGIC GND
22 BLU	28	FLASH COM.	LOGIC GND
16 WHT	29	AC	AC -
16 RED	30	P1 RED	120 VAC
16 YEL	31	P4 YEL	120 VAC
22 BLU	32	SYNC OUT	LOGIC GND
22 ORG	33	P4 PED DET	LOGIC GND
16 BLK	34	AC + LOGIC	AC +
16 YEL	3 5	P2 YEL	120 VAC
16 GRN	36	P5 GRN	120 VAC
16GRN	37	CHASSIS GND	EARTH GND

5.3 Connector P2 Pinout

PIN	FUNCTION	IN OU	TPIN	FUNCTION	IN/OUT
1	Det. 1	In	30	Preempt 2	In
2	Det. 2, Dial 2	In	31	Preempt 3	In
3	Det. 3	In	32	Preempt 4	In
4	Det. 4	In	33	Preempt 5	In
5	Det. 9, Dial 3	In	34	Alarm 1	In
6	Det. 10	In	35	Offset 1	Out
7	Det. 11, Sync In	In	36	Sync Out	Out
8	Det. 12, Flash Cmnd	In	37	Offset 2	Out
9	Manual Control Enable	In	38	Offset 3	Out
10	Controller Volt. Mon.	Out	39	Offset 4	Out
11	Interval Advance	In	40	Cycle 0	Out
12	UTC Flash, Force-off	In	41	Cycle 1	Out
13	Stop Timing	In	42	Split 0	Out
14	Det. 5	In	43	Split 1	Out
15	Det. 6	In	44	Special Func. 1	Out
16	Det. 7	In	45	Special Func. 2	Out
17	Det. 8	In	46	Special Func. 3	Out
18	Free	In	47	Special Func. 8 (Pulse)	Out
19	Offset 1	In	48	Special Func. 4	Out
20	Offset 2	In	49	Special Func. 5	Out
21	Offset 3	In	50	Special Func. 6	Out
22	Offset 4	In	51	Special Func. 7	Out
23	Preempt Active	Out	52	+12 Volts DC	Out
24	Flash Active	Out	53	+12 Volts DC	Out
25	Cycle 0	In	54	Logic Ground	
26	Cycle 1	In	55	Chassis Ground	
27	Split 0'	In	56	Logic Ground	
28	Split 1	In	57	Alarm 2	In
29	Preempt 1	In			

Mating Connector: AMP 206437-1 57-POS, STND

5.4 Inputs Affected By Operating Mode

	OPERATING MODE		CONNECTOR	PINOUT
MC682	<u>NT124-P</u>	<u>NT124-F</u>	<u>P1</u>	<u>P2</u>
DET 1	P1 VEH DET	P1 VEH DET	3	1
DET 2	DIAL 2	P2 VEH DET	22	2
DET 3	P3 VEH DET	P3 VEH -DET	8	3
DET 4	P4 VEH DET	P4 VEH DET	21	4
DET 9	DIAL 3 P2	PED DET	14	5
DET 10	P4 PED DET	P4 PED DET	33	6
DET 11	SYNC IN	P2 HOLD	13	7
DET 12	FLASH CMND	FLASH CMND	28	8
FLASH IN	UTC FLASH	FORCE-OFF	27	12

5.5 Flashing Operations By Operating Mode

FLASH SOURCE	<u>MC682</u>	<u>NT124-P</u>	<u>NT124-F</u>
Front Panel Flash Switch	Note #1	Note #1	Note # 1
Flash Command Input	Not Available	Note #1	Note # 1
UTC Flash	Note #1	Not Available	Controller Flash

Note # 1: Flashing mode is either controller flash or transfer flash as determined by the "TXFR FLASH" parameter on the conflict monitor setup screen.

5.6 Specifications

AC LINE

Voltage: 95 to 135 Volts AC

MicroCab Logic Power: TBD

AC SIGNAL OUTPUTS

Voltage: 115 Volts AC Nominal, derived from AC line

Each output: 10 Amps Max (1200 watts)

Total Unit: 20 Amps Max (2400 watts)

LOGIC LEVEL ELECTRICAL INTERFACE

Inputs And Outputs

Logic True (Active) 0 - 3 Volts DC

Logic False (Inactive) 9 - 12 Volts DC

CONFLICT MONITOR TIMING

Conflict Fault

Recognized: Greater than 450 ms

Not Recognized: Less than 250 ms

Red Failure And Multi-Indication Faults

Recognized: Greater than 650 ms

Not Recognized: Less than 1000 ms

5.7 Statement Of Warranty

Cubic | Trafficware warrants the MicroCab controller to be free from material and workmanship defects for a period of one (1) year from the time the unit ships from the factory. Transportation charges to and from the factory are not a part of this warranty.

The warranty does not apply if the unit has been subjected to misuse, abuse, or any act of God. Cubic | Trafficware does not accept liability for nor warrant to anyone any subsequential damages that may occur with the MicroCab controller whether the unit is used properly or not.

All requests for repairs should be directed first to the distributor and then to the factory. If the equipment is to be returned for service and/or repairs, a Return Authorization must be obtained. When the equipment is returned, the Model Number, Serial Number, Return Authorization, and a statement indicating the problem must be attached.

All controllers will be shipped F.O.B. Sugar Land, Texas. In the event of shipping damage, the customer will be responsible for filing a claim with the freight carrier.

5.8 Copyright

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5.9 Wire Lists For Transfer And Diagnostic Cables

5.9.1 Data Transfer Cable

Communications Pin	Port 1 and 2 Function
2	Transmit Data
3	Receive Data
5	Clear to Send
4	Request to Send
7	Logic Ground

5.9.2 Wire List for Test Connectors P1 and P2

Connector P2

To test connector P2, use a loop-back connector that is wired as follows.

From P2	To P2	From P2	<u>To P2</u>
45	13, 18	35	16, 57
46	6, 26	36	1
47	20, 27	37	8
48	19	38	14
49	4, 33	39	22
50	7, 21	40	29
51	3, 25	41	30
10	11	42	15, 31
23	5, 34	43	9, 32
24	8, 12	44	2, 17

Connector P1

To test connector P1, use a test cable with connectors to mate with P1 and P2 that is wired as follows:

From P2	<u>To P1</u>	From P1	<u>To P1</u>
44	3	32	27
45	22		
46	8		
47	21		
48	14		
49	33		
50	13		
51	28		
23	15		
24	9		

Wire List for Communications Port Test Connectors

Communication Ports 1 and 2

From	<u>To</u>
2	3
4	5

5.10 Glossary Of Terms

This section defines the mnemonic terms used for the 682 controller and its associated programming charts.

Phase: Term used in traffic for an individual traffic movement with its own timing intervals. The symbol \emptyset is used in place of the word phase on the programming screens.

MVMT (**MOVEMENT**): This space is provided for each phase on the programming sheets for each phase to record that individual movement, i.e. northbound left turn, etc.

MIN GRN (MINIMUM GREEN): The minimum green interval.

GAP, EXT (GAP or EXTENSION): The amount of time added by a detector actuation.

MAX 1 (MAXIMUM NO. 1): The maximum green time allowed from the occurrence of a serviceable conflicting call.

MAX 2 (MAXIMUM NO. 2): A different maximum time selectable by external input or by internal time base.

YELLOW (YELLOW CLEARANCE): The yellow clearance interval following a green.

RED (**RED** CLEARANCE): The red clearance interval following the yellow clearance.

WALK (**WALK**): The walk time given in response to a pedestrian actuation (pedestrian pushing pedestrian button) or pedestrian recall.

PED CLR (PEDESTRIAN CLEARANCE): The flashing don't walk interval following the walk interval.

ADD INIT (ADDED INITIAL): An amount of time that is added to the minimum green by each vehicle on that approach crossing the detector with the red signal displayed.

TT REDUC (**TIME TO REDUCE**): The amount of time required for the controller to reduce the GAP, EXT, described above, from the time programmed to the MIN GAP time described below.

TB REDUC (TIME BEFORE REDUCTION): The time that a conflicting call must exist before the TT REDUC interval above starts timing.

MIN GAP (MINIMUM GAP): The lowest value to which the GAP, EXT described above can be reduced by the TT REDUC feature.

MX IN GR (MAXIMUM INITIAL GREEN): The maximum initial green that can be achieved by the ADD INIT feature described above.

WALK 2 (WALK NO. 2): An alternate walk time that can be selected by the controllers time base feature.

PED CLR2 (**PEDESTRIAN CLEARANCE-NO. 2**): An alternate pedestrian clearance which will follow WALK 2 if this feature is selected.

MAX 3 (MAXIMUM NO. 3): A special dynamic maximum 3 time which can be utilized if the phase terminates by the maximum timing out for two consecutive cycles.

MAX EXT (MAXIMUM EXTENSION): The amount of time added to the existing maximum time each time the maximum timer times out after the two consecutive cycles mentioned above until the value reaches the MAX 3 time programmed.

CONFLICTING PHASES: A means to, program phases which would normally time concurrently which inhibits them from timing concurrently. For example - If phases 1 and 5 which normally time concurrently are programmed. as CONFLICTING PHASES, they cannot time together, so they will each be serviced only during alternate cycles.

RECALL: A means of placing a recurring call on that phase. A minimum recall will always place a vehicle demand on that phase as if each time the phase terminates a vehicle actuates the detector. A maximum recall will duplicate recurring vehicles actuating the detector to extend the phase to the maximum time each cycle. A pedestrian recall will duplicate a pedestrian actuating the pedestrian push button for that phase every cycle during the red. These recalls can be programmed in combinations, ie pedestrian and maximum.

PH REVERSAL (PHASE REVERSAL): A means of reversing the timing sequence of phase pairs 1 & 2, 3 & 4, 5 & 6 and 7 & 8. When Phases 1 & 2 are reversed, 2 will time before 1, etc.

PLAN: A coordination plan. A total of 16 plans are available with each one capable of its own cycle length and cycle split.

SPLIT: The split is defined as the proportion of the cycle length assigned to each phase within the cycle.

COMMANDS: A command consists of various selectable options. A total of 17 commands are available and can be selected by various means including time base.

OFFSETS: An offset is defined as a time relationship to a central or reference clock. A total of 4 offsets are available.

OVERLAP: An overlap is defined as a red, yellow and green output which can be made up of a combination of phases. A total of 8 overlaps are available.

TIME BASE OPERATION: Operation on a time-of-day, day-of-week schedule. In the Cubic | Trafficware SERIES 900-METRO controller, a total of 80 weekday entries and 50 holiday entries are available to change the status of operation on a time basis.

PREEMPT: A means of altering the operation of the controller in response to an external input such as a railroad track circuit. The change might consist of flashing operation or a limited operation. There are a total of 5 preempts available in the Cubic | Trafficware Controller, allowing, as an example, four for emergency vehicle preempts (one per approach), and one for railroad preempt.

6 Barrier Examples

6.1 Barrier Configurations

The Cubic | Trafficware MicroCab Controller contains four (4) programmable barriers. Each programmable barrier is capable of containing 1 - 8 phases with unlimited patterns.

Listed below are several commonly used phase plans. Examples shown for 4 Phase Sequential, 8 Phase Quad, Quad Sequential are accessible by only changing a pencil switch configuration.

Barriers will be indicated by a line as indicated below:



6.1.1 4 Phase Sequential.

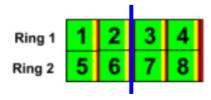


Pencil Switch Settings:

<u>SW1</u> <u>SW2</u>

OFF OFF

6.1.2 8 Phase Quad



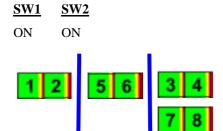
Pencil Switch Settings:

SW1 SW2

OFF ON

6.1.3 Special Sequential Quad (Also known as 6 Phase sequential)

Pencil Switch Settings:



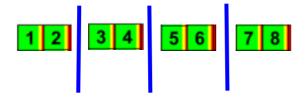
Note: In this mode, the operator can define any phasing techniques via Barrier Programming as listed below

Phase	Barrier 1	Barrier 2	Barrier 3	Barrier 4
1	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
2	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
3	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
4	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
5	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
6	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
7	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
8	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF

6.1.4 8 Phase Sequential

Pencil Switch Settings:

SW1 SW2
ON ON



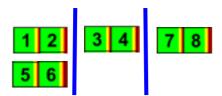
Note: In this mode, the operator can define any phasing techniques via Barrier Programming as listed below

Phase	Barrier 1	Barrier 2	Barrier 3	Barrier 4
1	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
2	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
3	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
4	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
5	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
6	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
7	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
8	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF

6.1.5 Quad Sequential

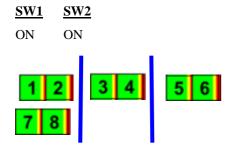
Pencil Switch Settings:

SW1 SW2
ON OFF



6.1.6 Special Quad Sequential

Pencil Switch Settings:



Note: In this mode, the operator can define any phasing techniques.

Phase	Barrier 1	Barrier 2	Barrier 3	Barrier 4
1	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
2	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
3	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
4	OFF	ON	OFF	OFF
5	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
6	OFF	OFF	ON	OFF
7	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF
8	ON	OFF	OFF	OFF

7 MicroCab Menu Screens

Main Menu (MM)

MAIN MENU 4 - T.B. COOR.

1 - CONTROLLER
 2 - COORDINATE
 3 - PREEMPTS
 4 - T.B. COOR.
 5 - DETECTORS
 8 - SPECIAL FCNs
 9 - CONFLICT MON

Controller Menu (MM>1)

CONTROLLER

1 - Ø SETUP 4 - FLASH 7 - ACTIVATE RUN
2 - PARAMETERS 5 - OVERLAPS 8 - OUTPUT MON

3 - RING SETUP 6 - ALARMS

Coordination Menu (MM>2)

COORDINATION MENU

1 - TEST CONFIG 4 - INPUT MAP 7 - ERRORS

2 - PLAN CY/OFT 5 - OUT C/S MAP

3 - PLAN SPLITS 6 - PARAMETERS 9 - EASY DIAG

Preemption Menu (MM>3)

PREEMPTION MENU

1 - ALLOW PREEMPs 3 - φ/OVLPS 6 - RECALL

2 - PARAMETERS 4 - TIMES WHICH PREEMPT? 5 - FLASH

Time Based Coordination Menu (MM>4)

TIME BASED COOR, MENU

1 - CLOCK/CAL 4 - WEEKDAYS 7 - ERRORS

2 - TBC PARAMS 5 - HOLIDAYS 3 - COMMANDS 6 - TBC CONFIG

Detector Menu (MM>5)

DETECTOR MENU

1 - Φ CALLED 3 - DELAY DEFEAT

2 - Φ EXTENDED 4 - DELAY/STRETCH WHICH MAP? 5 - FAILURE TABLE

Communications Menu (MM>6)

COMMS MENU
1- PORT 1 4- RECEIVE DATA 7- DWNLD
PARAMS
2- PORT 2 5- PORT 3 8- MDM SU
PARAMS
3- TRANSFER DATA 6- PORT 4
PARAMS

Status Menu (MM>7)

STATUS DISPLAYS 1 - TIMING 4 - DET. DEL/STR 7 - VOL/OCCPY 2 - COORD. 5 - ALARMS 3 - Φ INPUTS 6 - COMM PORTS 9 - MORE

Special Functions Menu (MM>8)

SPECIAL FUNCTIONS MENU 1 - ENTER 4 - DIAGNOSTICS SEC. 2 - SET SEC. 3 - PRINT

Conflict Monitor Menu (MM>9)

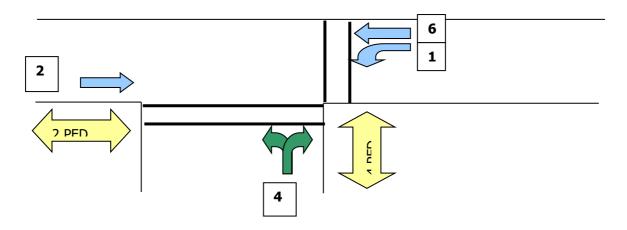
CONFLICT MONITOR

- 1 PERMISSIVES & ENABLE
- 2 PROGRAM PERMISSIVE MODULE
- 3 TXFER RELAY FLASH PARAMETERS

8 Programming Example

8.1 Tee Intersection Example

Using the intersection sketched below, as an example, an intial setup of controller timing will be shown.



Intersection Sketch of a TEE intersection.

8.1.1 PHASE SETUP, MM>1>8 (Controller> Output Map)

OUTPUT MAP	CHAN	ASSIGN	CHAN	ASSIGN
	1	Ø-1	4	Ø-4
	2	Ø-2	5	PED-5
	3	PED-3	6	Ø 6

The Fig. ABOVE shows the Output Map correct phasing setup for the Example intersection. However, PED-3 and PED-5 are still set for default operation. The Ped assignments are made through the Overlap Menu.

8.1.2 ASSIGN PEDESTRIAN PHASES, MM> 1>5>9 (Controller>Overlaps>PED OVLPS)

PED OVLPS	INPUTS	Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PED OUT	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	2		0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	5		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	6		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	7		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

This figure shows the Pedestrian Overlap Screen. The name is a little misleading as the Channel or Output for the pedestrian phase is selected here.

- 1. Select the Ped Output to be used under Inputs.
- 2. Go across that row until the Ped Phase is found, enter the Ped Phase at the cursor.

In this case, Phase 2 has a pedestrian movement and it will be assigned to PED-3. Arrow down until the cursor appears under the \emptyset symbol and across from PED OUT 2. Enter a 3 at the cursor.

Do the same thing for the Phase 4 Ped. Arrow down to PED OUT 4 then enter a 5 at the cursor, for PED-5. Refer to 8.1.1 for the PED Assignments.

8.1.3 PHASE BARRIERS, MM>1>1>2 (Controller>Ø Setup>BARRIERS)

Normal 2-Ring Barriers depected below:

RING		PHASES							
1	1	2	3	4					
2	5	6	7	8					
3									
4									

Standard 8-phase Quad Barriers

The red and blue lines indicate the two barriers in this type of operation. All the phases on the left of the red line must be served before crossing the barrier and serving those on the right of the red line. The blue line represents the second barrier. All the phases to the left of the blue line must be served before the controller can cross the second barrier and serve phase 1, 2, 5 and 6.

EXAMPLE: STANDARD 8 PHASE, QUAD OPERATION

BARRIER Ø			Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	BARRIER	1		1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
		2		0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1
		3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

To set up the barriers, as shown in Fig. A4, select all the phases inside of Barrier 1 (1, 2, 5, and 6) and then select all those phases inside of Barrier 2 (3, 4, 7 and 8). Fig. A5 shows the correct settings for this operation. This arrangement will work for most normal phasing situations.

EXAMPLE: SEQUENTIAL OPERATION

2111 HAN 221 22 Q 22											
BARRIER Ø			Ø	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	BARRIER	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		2		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		3		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		4		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The above setup shows8-phase Sequential Operation. In this case, all phases are in the same Ring with a pseudo barrier between each phase.

8.1.4 RING SETUP (MM>1>3)

RING SETUP 1 - RING INIT 2 - RING INPUT MAP

From this screen the Ring Initialization and the Ring Input Map may be reached. The Ring Initialization Screen allows the user to setup the initial operation of the controller as it comes up after a power outage. For example: Phases 2 and 6 could come up in Yellow, go to ALL RED and then serve Phase 4.

8.1.4.1 Ring Initialization, MM>1>3>1 (Controller>Ring Setup>RING INIT)

INITIALIZATION	RING	1	2
OFRINGS	PHASE	Ø2	Ø6
	INTERVAL	YEL	YEL
	IF YEL, NEXT Ø	Ø4	Ø8

The configuration as shown above would, after a power outage or power cycle, start phases 2 and 6 in yellow and then time the All Red Interval. Using the "If Yel, Next Phase", Phases 4 and 8 would be the first green phases.

8.1.5 INTERVAL TIMING

INTERVAL	NAME	TIMING
Min Grn	Minimum Green	5 - 10sec
Gap, Ext	Gap Extension or Passage	2 - 8 sec
Max 1	Maximum Green Time 1	10 -40 sec
Max 2	Maximum Green Time 2	$10 \sec > Max 1$
Yellow	Yellow Interval Time	Per Agency Standard
Red	All Red Time following Phase Yellow	0.5 - 2.0 sec
Walk	Walk Interval	7 seconds
Ped Clr	Ped Clearance Interval	Dist/4
Add Init	Added Green Initial	0.5 - 2.0 sec
TT Reduc	Time To Reduce (the Gap)	75% of Max Grn *1
TB Reduc	Time Before (Gap) Reduction	= to Min Grn *2
Min Gap/2	Minimum Gap divided by 2	1.5 - 3.0 sec
MX IN GR	Maximum Initial Green	>Min Grn *3
Walk 2	Walk Interval 2	>7 sec
Ped Clr2	Ped Clearance Interval 2	as needed
Max 3	Maximum Green Time 3	as needed

8.1.6 CONFLICTING PHASES

Sometimes because of limited geometrics it may be necessary to prevent the main line left turns from running at the same time. In addition, it may be necessary to go to Split Phase Operation on the minor street, of an intersection, whose minor street phases were 4 and 8. Rather than rewire the intersection, the user can set Phases 4 and 8 as conflicting phases.

In addition to setting up the conflicting phases it is also necessary to match the phase sequence to match the conflicting phase setup. The following sections cover this issue.

8.1.6.1 Conflicting Phases, MM>1>1>3 (Controller>Ø Setup>CONFLICTS)

CONFLICTING Ø's	Ø 1 with	Ø5
	Ø 2 with	NONE
	Ø 3 with	NONE
	Ø 4 with	NONE

Choices for each of the four phases are:

 $\emptyset 1 = \emptyset 5$, $\emptyset 6$, or $\emptyset 5$ and $\emptyset 6$

 $\emptyset 2 = \emptyset 5$, $\emptyset 6$, or $\emptyset 5$ and $\emptyset 6$

 $\emptyset 3 = \emptyset 7$, $\emptyset 8$, or $\emptyset 7$ and $\emptyset 8$

 $\emptyset 4 = \emptyset 7$, $\emptyset 8$, or $\emptyset 7$ and $\emptyset 8$

Use the Up/Down arrow keys to select the phase then use any number key to toggle between the selections. In the figure above $\emptyset 1$ is set to conflict with $\emptyset 5$.

8.1.6.2 Phase Sequence, MM>1>1>5 (Controller>Ø Setup>ROTATION)

Ø ROTATION	Ø PAIR	1/2	3/4	5/6	7/8
	RESERVICE	NO	NO	NO	NO
	REVERSE Ø's	YES	NO	NO	NO
	CONDITIONAL SERVICE	NO	NO	NO	NO
	INHIBIT BACKUP	NO	NO	NO	NO

The Phase Sequence is set using REVERSE Øs. Default Phasing is left leading with through phases lagging. Phase pairs are used to determine the lead-lag operation of the controller. The phase pairs are: 1 and 2, 3 and 4, 5 and 6, 7 and 8. To rotate the normal phase pairs:

- 1. Arrow down to the REVERSE Øs row
- 2. Arrow over to the Phase Pair to be reversed
- 3. Use any number key to toggle between YES and NO.

By toggling to YES, under Phase Pair 1/2, the Phase Sequence will change from this:

RING		PHASE		
1	1	2	3	4
2	5	6	7	8

to this.

RING	PHASE					
1	2	1	3	4		
2	5	6	7	8		

Now the phase sequence matches the conflicting phase setup. In both cases, Phases 1 and 5 are setup to NOT go at the same time.

8.1.7 RECALLS, MM>1>1>4 (Controller>Ø Setup>RECALL)

RECALL	ø,	TYPE	Ø1	YPE
	1	MIN	6	MIN
	2	MAX	7	MAX
	3	MIN	8	MIN
	4	MIN	9	MIN

Recalls for each phase may be set from this screen. The choices for each phase are:

MEM OFF - turns OFF a "Locked Call"

MEM ON – same as a "Locked Call"

MIN - set Minimum Recall

MAX - set Maximum Recall

PED & MIN – set Pedestrian and Minimum Recall

PED & MAX – set Pedestrian and Maximum Recall

Recalls are set by using the arrow keys to select the phase and then using any number key to toggle between choices.

8.1.8 OPTIONS, MM>1>1>6 (Controller>Ø Setup>OPTIONS)

PHASE OPTIONS	Ø	1	2	3	4	-5	6	7	8
PED PROTECT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NON ACTUATION 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NON ACTUATION 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAST CAR PASSAGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REST IN WALK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DON'T SKIP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOFT RECALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SELECT MAX 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SELECT PED TIMING 2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLASHING WALK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OMIT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DUAL ENTRY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SIMUL. GAP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Phase Options are normally user's choice. The only option that really bears mentioning is the OMIT option. This is the only place to omit a phase from operation. Be sure to omit all unused phases.

8.1.9 CONFLICT MONITOR, MM>9

CONFLICT MONITOR 1 – PERMISSIVES & ENABLE 2 – PROGRAM PERMISSIVE MODULE 3 – TXFER RELAY FLASH PARAMETERS

This is the Conflict Monitor Main Menu. From this menu the Conflict Monitor is setup and programmed.

8.1.9.1 PERMISSIVES, MM>9>1 (MAIN MENU>Conflict Monitor>PERMISSIVES & ENABLE)

	Phase	1	2	2P	4	4P	- 6
CONFLICT MONITOR	CHAN	1	2	3	4	5	6
PERMISSIVES	1		0	0	0	0	1
	2			1	0	0	1
	3				0	0	1
	4					1	0
	5						0
ENABL	E RED FAIL	1	1	0	1	0	1
ENABLE MULTI-II	NDICATION	0	0	0	0	0	0

This screen takes the place of the Diode Board in a 210 Conflict Monitor or a jumper board in a NEMA CMU/MMU. The phasing shown above the screen indicate the phasing setup in the example intersection diagramed at the beginning of this example section.

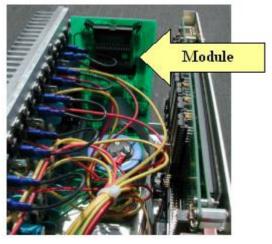
8.1.9.2 PROGRAM PERMISSIVE MODULE, MM>9>2 (Main Menu>Conflict Monitor>Program Permissive Module

Move Permissive Module to programming position, then press enter. When done Press ESC to return to menu

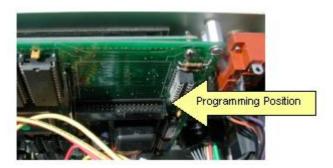
BEFORE proceeding with the programming the Permissive Module:

- 1. The RUN Timer must be turned off. This is accomplished by going to MM>1>7(MM> Controller>ACTIVATE RUN), toggling the Run Timer to NO (use any number key) and pushing the ENTR key.
- 2. Turn the Controller off and unplug.
- 3. Remove all three screws from both sides of the controller cover and remove cover.
- 4. Locate the Permissive Module

Below is a photo of the controller's side view:



5. Carefully remove module from socket and install in programming position.



- 6. After the module has been installed in the programming position, plug the controller in and turn on power.
- 7. Go to MM>9>2 and push ENTR and wait for instructions
- 8. When told to, again remove all power from controller and return the Permissive Module to its Conflict Monitor position.

