

# Speakerset 2

Descriptive leaflet

**DLE 591**

Telephone Apparatus

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**This compact unit amplifies incoming speech sufficiently for it to be heard by a small group of people.**

**It is particularly useful for anyone wanting both hands free while waiting for a call to be answered, or when listening to a call.**



## Description

The speakerset incorporates an amplifier, loudspeaker, volume control and on-off switch: its amber button contains a pilot lamp.

When required, a special handset is provided which incorporates an on-off switch in the earpiece.

## How it operates (normal arrangement)

A call is made by using the telephone in the normal way.

When the speakerset is switched on, incoming speech is transferred from the telephone receiver to the loudspeaker. The line is held by the speakerset, the telephone is disconnected and the handset can be laid down.

The volume control on the speakerset adjusts the level of sound.

The call is restored to the telephone by switching off the speakerset.

A call is ended by switching off the speakerset and replacing the handset.

## How it operates (handset control)

The speakerset switch button is left pressed down, but the speakerset is 'off' when the handset is on its rest.

A call is made by lifting the handset, listening for dialling tone on the speakerset, and then dialling.

When the call is answered, the caller raises the handset and presses the switch button to speak. This silences the speakerset. Releasing the button during the call, switches back to the speakerset.

A call is ended by replacing the handset.

## Facilities

The speakerset can be switched on at any time during a call. The switch button lights up while the speakerset is on.

The volume of sound from the speakerset can be adjusted from the level required by an individual to that for a small group of people.

The line can be restored to the handset at any time during a call.

The handset button makes it easy to switch from one to the other.

The speakerset can be used on exclusive or shared service exchange lines, most types of extensions, and private circuits.

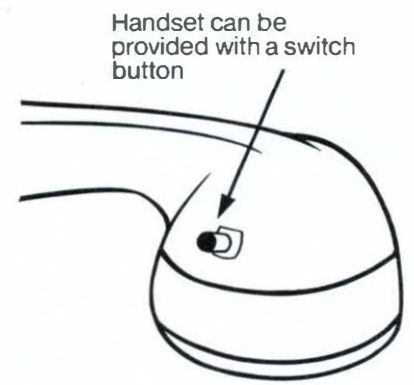
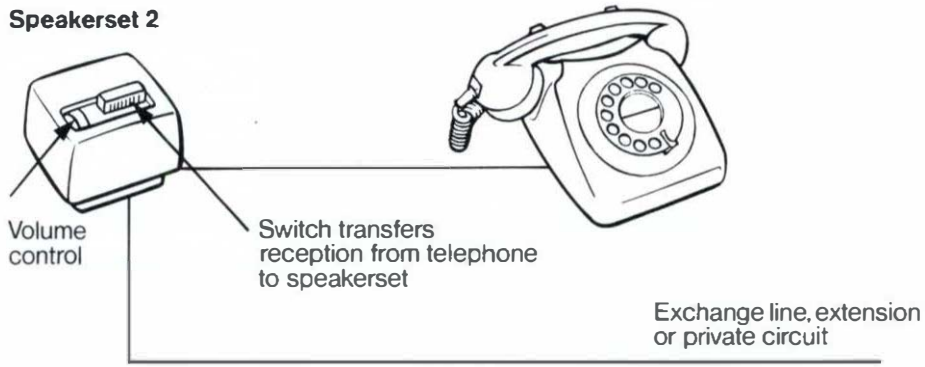
It can be associated with the main and extension telephones of plans 1, 1A, 9, 12A, 108 and 108A, and with the main telephone of plans 105, 105A, 107 and 107A.

## General information

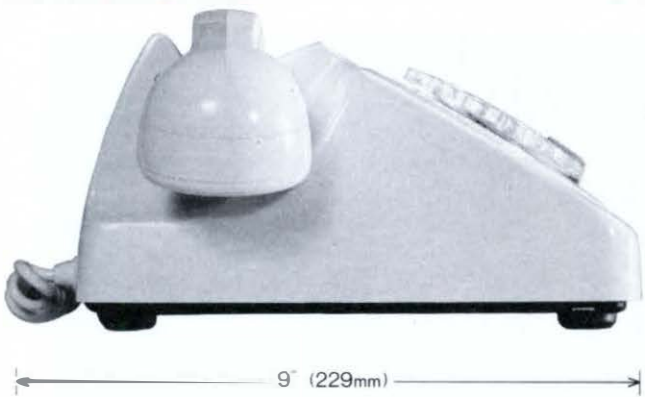
The speakerset stands near the telephone. It can be provided in black, grey, or ivory.

A separate power unit is not required as the amplifier draws power from the telephone line.

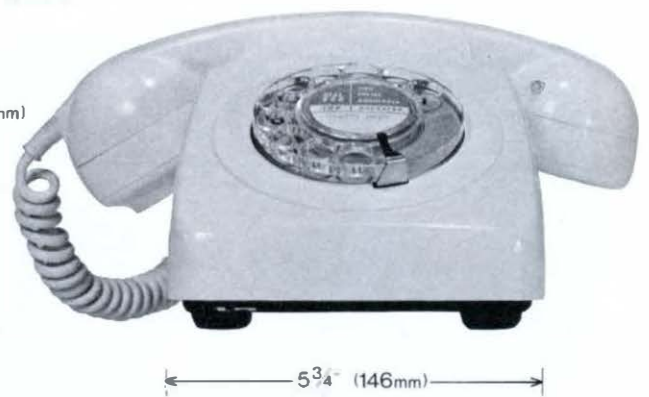
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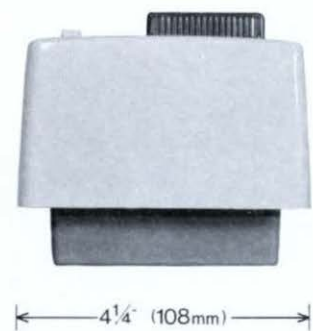
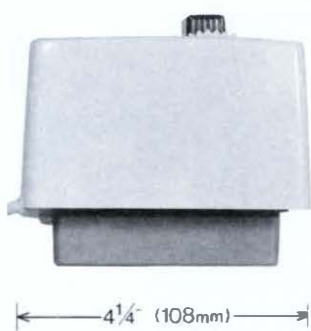
### Dimensions



### Telephone



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