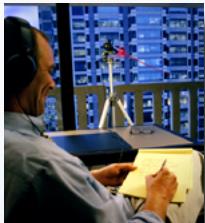




## eavesdropping protection systems

designed for today, engineered for tomorrow



soundmasking solutions  
to protect sensitive and  
confidential conversations

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## Threat Analysis

When the area of concern is viewed as a six sided enclosure, the breach points can be easily identified; windows, walls, doors, ducts and utility penetrations. A properly designed audio security system protects against inadvertent and deliberate eavesdropping attempts.



- Laser listening devices are sometimes used to capture conversations from vibrations on window surfaces.
- Ductwork can be used to listen-in on conversations from several offices away or to hide listening devices.



- Doors are an obvious point of vulnerability for eavesdroppers or passers-by.
- Ceiling plenums and open return-air grills allow conversations to travel between rooms.
- Electrical conduit is a possible sound path exiting the secure space.
- Raised access floors are highly reverberant environments that can easily transmit sound between offices.



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## The Solution

Since 1975 Dynasound has been the leading innovator in the field of electronic sound masking. Audio surveillance countermeasures, or eavesdropping protection, through the use of engineered sound is one such advancement. These solutions are regularly used to protect corporate intellectual property, mission critical conversations and national security.

Dynasound provides 70.7 volt based systems as well as state of the art networked security soundmasking systems.

## Typical Breach Points Protected

**Doors:** Door maskers provide protection from intentional eavesdroppers by applying low-level soundmasking to the door surface, filling the gaps around the door and door frame with protective sound.

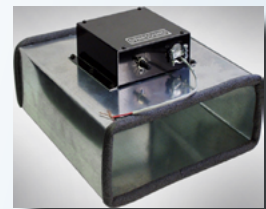
**Windows:** Windows present both visual and acoustical breach points. With only visual access to the facility, sensitive laser devices and parabolic microphones can capture conversations at great distances.

**HVAC ducts:** Metal ductwork creates a highly reverberant path that carries conversations far beyond the intended perimeter. Dynasound's duct masking devices are installed without any penetration into the duct it's self, masking conversation without impeding air flow.

**Walls and Wall penetrations:** Any utility penetration creates a breach point. Pipes and conduits may transmit sound from the secured space. Even without utility penetrations an unmasked wall can be vulnerable to contact microphones and listening devices.

**Perimeter areas:** In many cases the most effective way to prevent unintentional or accidental eavesdropping is to add conventional soundmasking to the perimeter area surrounding the secured space.

**Ceiling plenums and Raised access floors:** Reverberant cavities above and below office walls can easily transmit sound from one space to another.



## Portable Eavesdropping Protection



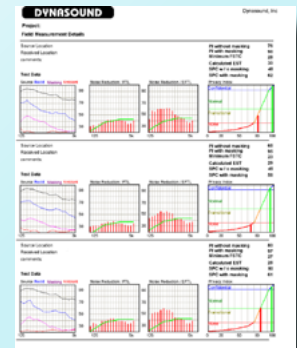
When a SCIF (Sensitive Compartmentalized Information Facility) is not available, confidential speech privacy is still attainable with Dynasound's PEP Pack. The Portable Eavesdropping Protection system comes complete and ready to travel.

- Uses the same technology as many permanent SCIFs
- Plug and play connections; uses easy to setup and remove attachments.
- Custom configurations and military spec Pelican® cases



## Testing and Reporting

- **FSTC** (Field Sound Transmission Class)
- **PI** (Privacy Index)
- **SPC** (Speech Privacy Class)



Dynasound provides testing services based on ASTM standards and uses state of the art equipment. Using Larsen Davis sound level meters and dodecahedron sound sources Dynasound can measure and document Field Sound Transmission Class, Privacy Index and Speech Privacy Class ratings.

Since 1975, Dynasound has secured the confidential speech privacy of many government and corporate facilities by designing and implementing soundmasking solutions to guard against eavesdropping. Our audio security clients include government agencies, defense contractors, military bases, senior level corporate offices, boardrooms and research & development facilities. Below are a few of our clients:

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 Allied-Signal  
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 AT&T Tech./Guilford Center  
 Argonne National Labs  
 BAE Systems  
 Bank of America  
 Bellsouth  
 BF Goodrich Aerospace  
 Boeing  
 Booze Allen & Hamilton  
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 Center for Disease Control  
 CitiGroup  
 Coca-Cola  
 Defense Intelligence Agency  
 Edwards AFB  
 Environment Research Institute  
 Ernst & Young  
 Falcon Air Station  
 Federal Communications Commission  
 Federal Reserve Bank  
 Fleet Bank

Ford Motor Company  
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 Fort Ritchie  
 Fort McPerson  
 Georgia Tech Research Institute  
 General Electric / Neutron Systems  
 General Dynamics  
 GTE  
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