

Communicate In Multiple Languages *Simultaneously*



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PROVIDING LANGUAGE SOLUTIONS



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WHAT IS THE TALKSYSTEM®?

The TalkSystem consists of our unique, patented microphone **Sylencer®** which is linked to wireless transmitters and receivers to provide a voice-silenced communication system that is fully self-contained and portable. The TalkSystem allows an interpreter to simultaneously translate spoken words without being heard by anyone except the intended listener. This system provides clear, quiet and accurate communication between a speaker and a multilingual audience without distraction, interruption or misunderstanding.

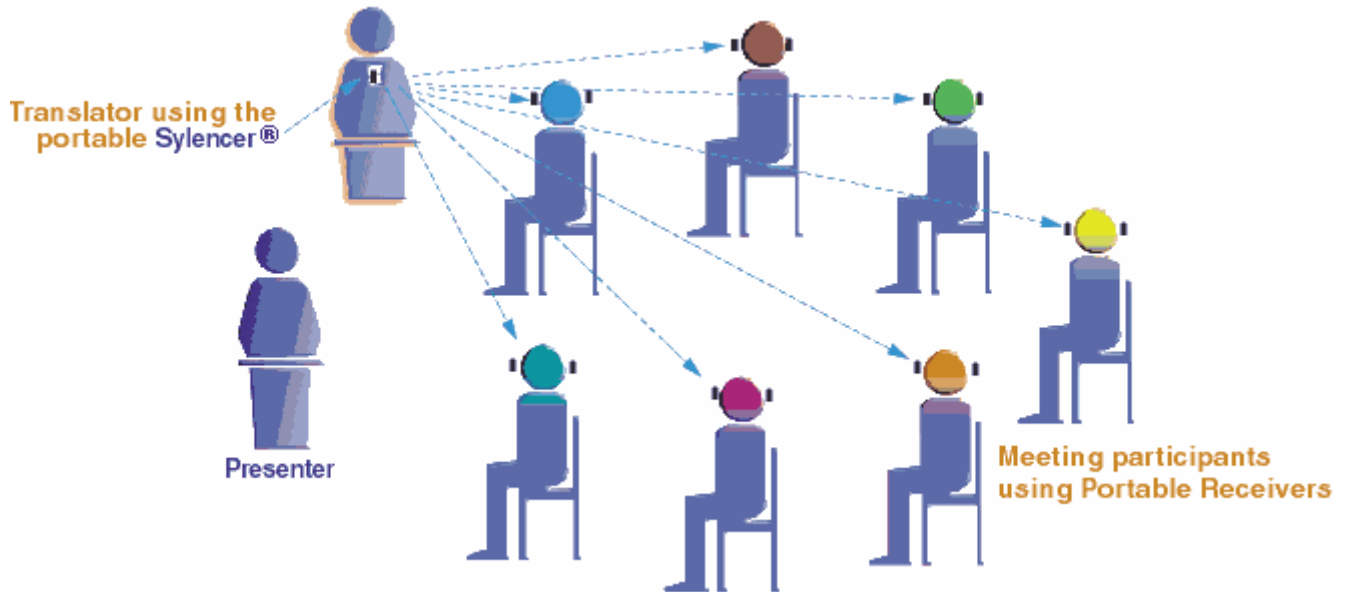
TALKSYSTEM® WORK? HOW DOES THE

The translator speaks into a handheld device called a Sylencer, a voice containment unit housing a special microphone. The Sylencer prevents anyone from overhearing the interpreter's voice. The Sylencer is connected to a small, wireless transmitter which, in turn, transmits to a pocket-size receiver with attached earbuds. The listener sets the channel on the receiver to the appropriate language and can then hear a simultaneous translation of the speaker's words as they are spoken.

A TalkSystem can handle up to 8 languages simultaneously to an unlimited number of listeners.

HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO LEARN THE TALKSYSTEM®?

There is no start-up time or learning curve to consider. All that is needed is an interpreter. This is a simultaneous language translation system that has eliminated the soundproof booth. All component parts are lightweight, portable, and wireless, allowing a presentation to take place anywhere and allowing the speaker, listeners, and translators to move about freely.



"I don't know how I ever lived without the system - it's just amazing what we are able to do!"

Lupe Simpson
Parent Involvement
LAUSD

"We were pleased with the ease this system allows in facilitating translations."

Dr. Barbara Christina
Supervisor, Bilingual/ESL
Technical Assistance Center,
New York

"[The TalkSystem] allows simultaneous translations to be heard by meeting participants in a way that doesn't disturb those around them."

EDCAL
(Newspaper of the
Association of California
School Administrators)



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What is included in a TalkSystem?

- A Sylencer microphone
- Auxiliary headset microphone
- Portable RF transmitter(s)
- Portable RF receivers with two AA batteries and dual earphones
- Heavy duty system carry case
- User Manual



TalkSystem case with Sylencer, earhook earphones, transmitter and receivers.

All TalkSystems are custom-tailored to your needs!

Frequently Asked Questions about the TalkSystem

- Does the TalkSystem do voice translation from one language to another without an interpreter?

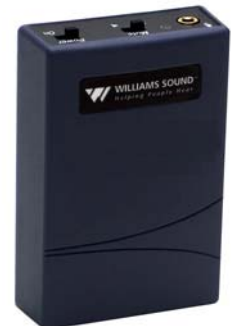
No, interpreters are still required for voice to voice translation. Software is available to do voice to print and print to voice but not voice to voice. This technology is still out of reach to date and won't likely be available for many years. Talk Technologies will certainly take advantage of the technology when it does become available! The TalkSystem Sylencer®, however, does work very well with the latest voice recognition software.

- How many languages other than the presenter's language can the TalkSystem support?

The TalkSystem can support up to eight different languages on eight different channels. If the presentation were in English, then eight interpreters would speak into eight Sylencers that would transmit out to an unlimited number of receivers used by the non-English-speaking audience members.

- Can I get other accessories with my TalkSystem?

Yes! Talk Technologies will be happy to find and provide your favorite accessory with your TalkSystem. Just ask and we can find it!





Communicate Quietly and Privately

What is a Sylencer®/Stenomask®?

The Sylencer or Stenomask is our patented, ergonomically designed, hand-held device used to contain or silence the user's voice. Inside is a special microphone allowing the speaker to transmit, record or communicate without being overheard by others. In essence, the Sylencer/Stenomask functions *like a portable sound booth* allowing quiet and private communication.

How does a Sylencer work?

The user holds the Sylencer against the face while speaking into the microphone inside the housing. The Sylencer contains or silences the user's voice as well as excluding unwanted noise from outside. The result is clear and quiet communication.

The Sylencer can be plugged into a variety of equipment including recorders, transmitters, phones, amplifiers and computers. Wherever there is a microphone, you can use a Sylencer. It is ideal for anyone requiring privacy, voice silencing or noise reduction communication.

Specifics:

- The Sylencer comes with two interchangeable facepieces. One facepiece covers only the mouth; the other facepiece covers the nose and mouth and is used for greater silencing.
- Instruction manual included
- One year parts and labor warranty
- Optional carry case available



Frequently Asked Questions about the Sylencer®

- Does the Sylencer work with voice/speech recognition?

Yes! The Sylencer works as well as the best USB headset microphones with popular voice recognition engines such as Dragon NaturallySpeaking, IBM Via-Voice, and Microsoft Speech engines. The real advantage is that it will work in noisy environments where other microphones would have terrible recognition. Reporters, Students, Investigators, Physicians, Researchers, and Police Officers or anyone who requires silent speech recognition or reliable recognition in a noisy environment will benefit from the Sylencer.

- What kind of microphone element does the Sylencer use and what will it plug in to?

The Sylencer comes with a different microphone element depending on your application. A dual microphone Sylencer is also available.

- What kind of plugs are available with the Sylencer?

Talk Technologies provides three standard plugs with our system: 1/8 inch (3.5 mm), 1/4 inch (7.5mm), and XLR ("three prong") male plugs.

- Will TalkTech do custom orders with other microphones, plugs, or hardware?

Yes, we will be happy to put together a special mic, plug, or adapter to meet your silencing needs. We will send you the device and you will have thirty days to return it, should it not work properly with your system.