



**CD-100A**

**LaserStar®**

***Compact Disc  
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**Field Service Manual  
& Parts Catalog**

**Volume 1 of 2**

**Installation, Programming, Routine Service**

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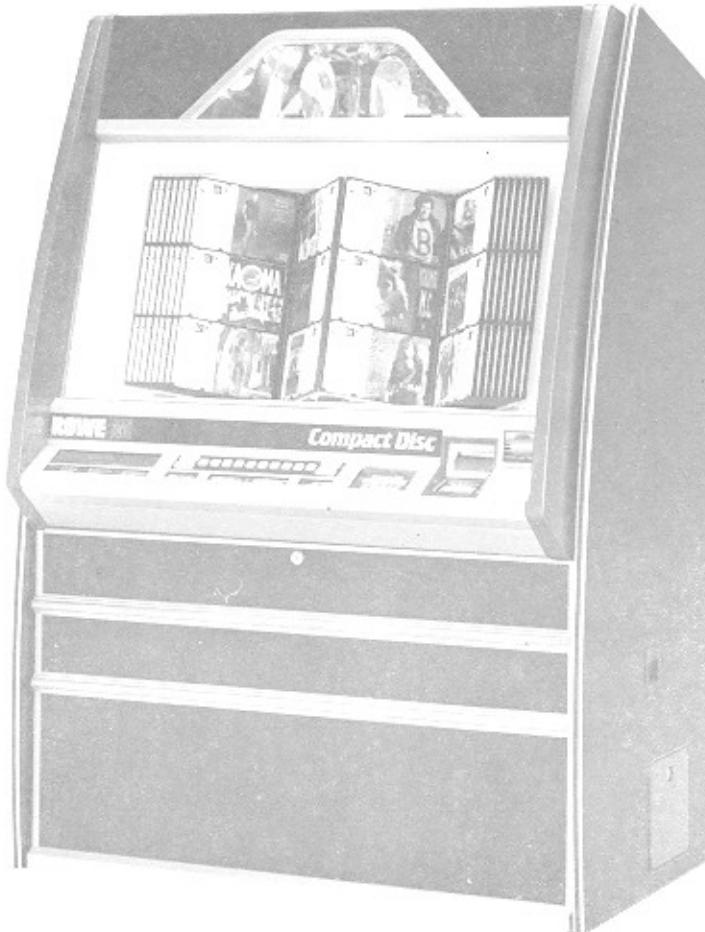
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## Preface

To make installation easier, this manual describes a typical installation. This "typical" installation only includes pricing and security code programming information.

If you wish to make further programming changes, make them using the information that follows the basic installation. This manual contains all of the information that was previously available in the *Enhanced Features Supplement*. If you have a copy of the Enhanced Features Supplement, you may use it with a CD-100, but do not use it with a CD-100A.

Because this manual has become so large, we have split it into two parts. The split is between Sections 3 and 4. The first half, Volume 1, contains routine installation and service information. The second half, Volume 2, contains troubleshooting charts, schematics, and other maintenance information. Please take time to read this page and review the *Table of Contents* in both volumes.

The *Troubleshooting* section has been expanded to include schematics, component lists, and board layouts for all serviceable modules.

This service manual is divided into eight sections:

### Volume 1

- **Section 1**      **System Description** — Introduces you to the CD-100A, its features, and its major components, principles of operation, and step-by-step unpacking instructions. After unpacking the CD-100A, you should continue the installation process by following the title rack loading and programming instructions in *Section 2*.
- **Section 2**      **Installation And Programming** — Continues the installation process with disc and title rack loading instructions, programming references, and step-by-step programming and pricing instructions. Whether you are familiar with previous Rowe phonographs or not, pay special attention to the pricing and programming.

Programming and pricing have been set at the factory, so you may not wish to change any of the CD-100A options. After you load the titles and the discs, the CD-100A is ready to play.
- **Section 3**      **Routine Service** — Provides routine service instructions for collecting money, doing cash and play audits, resetting phonograph totals, and doing preventive maintenance.

### Volume 2

- **Section 4**      **OBA-2 Maintenance** — Contains all OBA-2 maintenance information, except for the OBA-2 replacement parts, which are in the *Parts Catalog*.
- **Section 5**      **Troubleshooting** — Provides troubleshooting charts, error code and disc condition descriptions, troubleshooting procedures, block diagrams, schematics, circuit board layouts, and component lists. This section also contains the sequence of operation.
- **Section 6**      **Mechanical Adjustments** — Details the mechanical checks and adjustment procedures for all of the CD-100A's modules, except for the OBA-2 modules, which are described in *Section 4*.
- **Section 7**      **Miscellaneous** — Contains specifications, fuse and circuit breaker locations, and a resistor color code chart.
- **Section 8**      **The Parts Catalog** — Lists and illustrates all replaceable modules in the CD-100A. The Accessory Equipment List is at the end of this section.

This manual is intended for owners, route operators, and technicians. This manual provides all field and shop related service and maintenance material. Accessories and their installation and service are discussed in the corresponding accessory instructions (or manuals).

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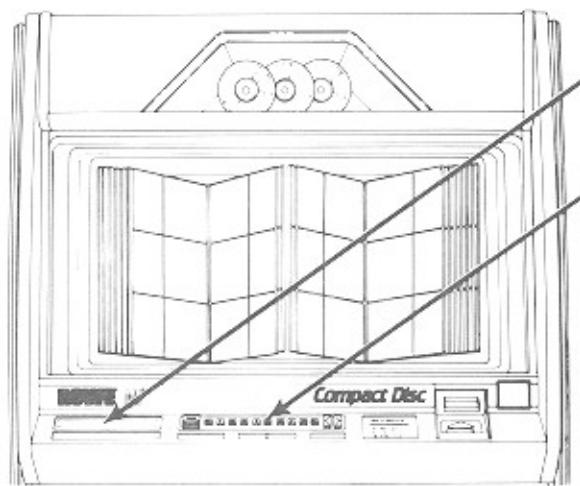
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**DIGITAL DISPLAYS -**  
Show the SELECTION PLAYING, SELECTION BEING MADE, SELECTIONS REMAINING, and SERVICE MODE DISPLAY.

**SELECTOR KEYBOARD -**  
Enters numbers and contains the POPULAR and RESET Keys

**BILL ACCEPTOR -** Accepts \$1 and \$5 bills

**COIN ACCEPTOR -** Accepts coins

**CENTRAL CONTROL COMPUTER -**  
Controls all functions of the Phonograph

**OUTPUT TRANSFORMERS -**  
Provide connections to the speakers

**SERVICE SWITCH -**  
Selects the mode of operation

**AMPLIFIER COMPARTMENT -**  
Contains the Amplifier and Main Power Supply

**CD MECHANISM -**  
Selects and plays discs

**FRONT DOOR LATCHES -**  
Allow the front door to swing out

**HANDY CASE -**  
Contains the Service Manual and spare parts

**SPEAKER SYSTEM -**  
Woofers and High/Midrange (not shown) Speakers

**MECHANISM CONTROL UNIT -**  
Controls Disc Mechanism

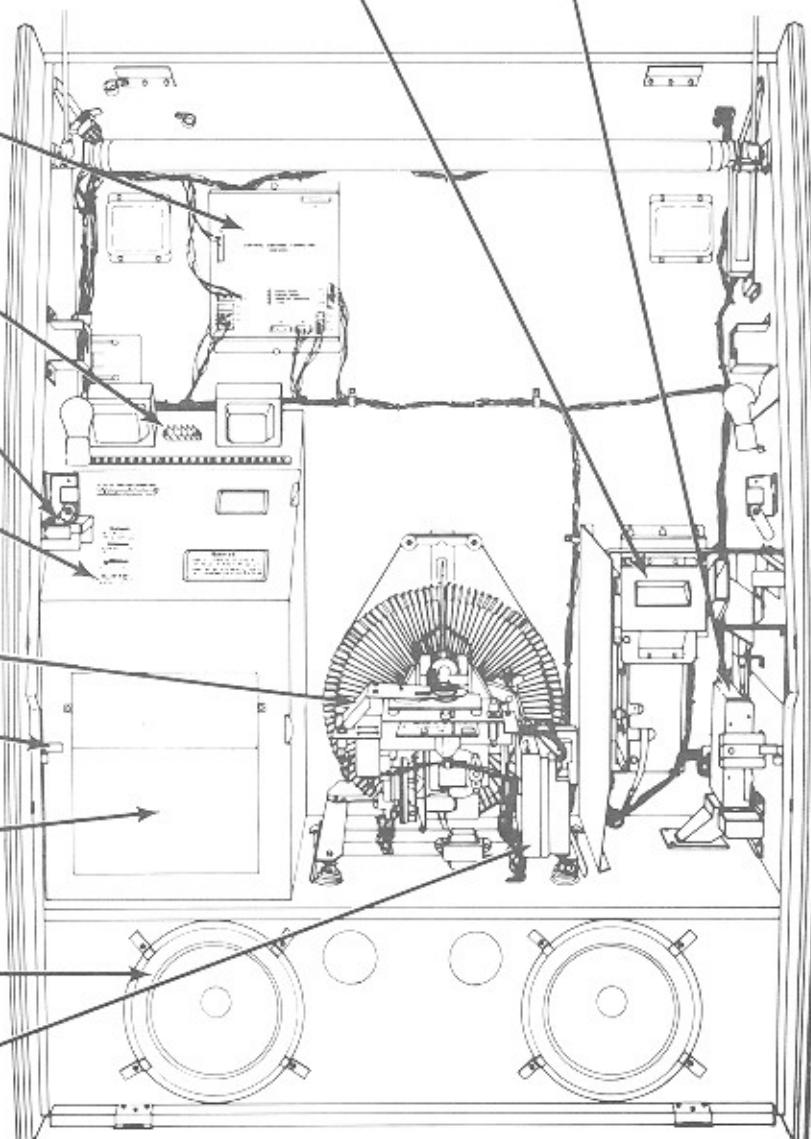


Figure 1-1. CD-100A Major Components