SONY

MULTI DISPLAY CONTROL UNIT

BKS-R1617/R1621

OPERATION MANUAL
1st Edition (Revised 2)
**WARNING**

To prevent fire or shock hazard, do not expose the unit to rain or moisture.
To avoid electrical shock, do not open the cabinet. Refer servicing to qualified personnel only.

**VORSICHT**

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- EN55103-1: Interférences électromagnétiques (émission)
- EN55103-2: Sensibilité électromagnétique (immunité)

Ce produit est prévu pour être utilisé dans les environnements électromagnétiques suivants:
- E1 (résidentiel), E2 (commercial et industrie légère), E3 (urbain extérieur) et E4 (environnement EMC contrôlé ex. studio de télévision).

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**WARNING**

This unit has no power switch.
When installing the unit, incorporate a readily accessible disconnect device in the fixed wiring, or connect the power cord to socket-outlet which must be provided near the unit and easily accessible. If a fault should occur during operation of the unit, operate the disconnect device to switch the power supply off, or disconnect the power cord.

**WARTUNG**

Dieses Gerät hat keinen Netzschalter.
Beim Einbau des Geräts ist daher im Festkabel ein leicht zugänglicher Unterbrecher einzufügen, oder das Netzkabel muß mit in der Nähe des Geräts befindlichen, leicht zugänglichen Wandsteckdose verbunden werden.
Wenn während des Betriebs eine Funktionsstörung auftritt, ist der Unterbrecher zu betätigen bzw. das Netzkabel abzuziehen, damit die Stromversorgung zum Gerät unterbrochen wird.

**AVERTISSEMENT**

Cet appareil n’a pas d’interrupteur d’alimentation.
Quand vous installez l’appareil, branchez un interrupteur d’alimentation facile d’accès sur le câble fixe ou raccordez le cordon d’alimentation à une prise proche de l’appareil et facile d’accès.
En cas de problème en cours d’utilisation, déconnectez l’appareil par l’interrupteur d’alimentation ou débranchez le cordon d’alimentation.

**WARNING**

THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED.

**WARNUNG**

DIESES GERÄT MUSS GEERDET WERDEN.

**AVIS**

CET APPAREIL DOIT ÊTRE RELIÉ À LA TERRE.
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Overview

The BKS-R1617/R1621 Multi Display Control Unit switches the signal (called a source) fed to one of the routing switches that is adapted to the S-BUS remote and connected to the S-BUS data link, and supplies the selected signal to the designated output (called a destination). You may also switch the monitor signals using the BKS-R1617/R1621 by connecting it to the monitor S-BUS remote. Source, destination, and monitor switching is performed with the select buttons whose functions you define with the control terminal connected to the primary station of the S-BUS data link.

Features

Source name changeable with the SELECTOR knob
A source name assigned to the source select buttons on the control terminal can be changed using the SELECTOR knob on the front panel.

Four-digit display for each select button
Each select button has the four-digit display. The display for the source select button shows the source name assigned to the button, and that for the destination select button shows the source name selected for the destination assigned to the button.

Large select buttons displaying their functions with different colors
The large select buttons on the front panel are designed for easy operation. They light in green or amber, dimly or brightly to show their functions and the currently selected source and destination.

Buttons to select sources and destinations
All select buttons on the front panel can be used as source select buttons or destination select buttons. Your setting on the control terminal defines their functions. The defined function for a button is indicated by the color, green for source and amber for destination.

Displaying a source or destination name on each button
The source and destination name defined with the control terminal can be shown on a key label on a button. You can easily replace the key label so that an updated indication can follow any setting change on the control terminal.

Expanding the number of controllable sources and destinations
You can use multiple units of the BKS-R1617/R3219/R3216/R1618/R1621/R3220 in combination so as to work as one unit to expand the number of sources and destinations to be controlled. One switching system can have up to ten sets of combinations like this, and up to 253 control units can be used in one set. The maximum number of control units that can be used in one switching system is also 253.

Route function to show the expanded sources
If a switcher does not have a cascade function, and you need to expand the number of sources, the route function makes it possible to detect a crosspoint in the expanded switcher, and to have the selected source name displayed in the display window.

Controllable up to eight levels
Up to eight-level control is possible when assigned on the control terminal.

Different sources for levels selectable (break-away function)
You can select and display different sources for levels. This is called the break-away function.

Monitor function to watch the selection for the other destination
When a destination you wish to monitor is set as a monitor destination, the same source as the signal for the monitor destination is automatically obtained when the monitor function is set to ON.

Chop function to switch two sources alternately
Two sources are switched alternately in a specific interval automatically.

1) Levels
To handle different kinds of signals simultaneously, it is necessary to use a routing switcher for each type of signal, and these types are called “levels.” For example, a recording to be made on a VTR requires the use of five signal levels: video, audio 1, audio 2, time code and remote-control signals.
Several crosspoints switchable with the touch of a button (phantom function or sarvo function)
When multiple crosspoints have been set as a phantom on the control terminal, all the crosspoints defined with a phantom name can be switched by pressing one button.

Connectable with a single cable
The unit can be connected to the Sony routing switchers using a single 75-ohm coaxial cable, and can control the switchers.

Status display function
The currently selected source name, destination name, and any error messages are displayed in the display window.

Self-diagnostic function
When the power is turned on, the unit automatically checks communication on the S-BUS data link, and the buttons on the front panel, which light in succession. The results appear in the display window.

Operation on various voltages
The unit can operate on voltage between 100 V and 240 V AC without voltage adaptation.

Example of Setting the Select Button Functions
The select buttons can be used as either source select buttons or destination select buttons. The control terminal or the setup function of this unit allows you to define the function of each button. The settings are made for each button.

For details on making settings on the control terminal, refer to the Installation Manual supplied with the routing switcher.

Expanding the number of sources and destinations
You may expand the controllable number of sources and destinations using two or more control units as a block. When you use multiple control units in combination, define one of them as the mother unit, and the others as the daughter units in a block. A switching system can include up to 10 blocks and up to 253 remote control units in total. The controllable number of sources and destinations depends on the number of control units used in a system.

Note
If you control only a single destination, it is not necessary to define a mother unit and daughter units.
Only one of the REMOTE 1 connectors on a routing switcher used as a secondary station will be active.

1) (P): The P/S select switch on the CPU board of the routing switcher is set to P.
2) (S): The P/S select switch on the CPU board of the routing switcher is set to S.
3) Connect 75-ohm terminators to the T-bridge connected to the last unit of the S-BUS data link and to the unused REMOTE 1 connectors.
### Break-away Function

When the BKS-R3216 is used in combination with the BKS-R3216, different sources can be switched for levels. This is called the break-away function.

When the break-away function is used, the display of the source/destination select buttons is different from that when this function is not used. Display examples are shown below.

#### When the break-away function is not used

A single source is used for all the levels to be controlled.

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Level</th>
<th>Source</th>
<th>Destination</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>LEVEL 1</td>
<td>IN 11</td>
<td>OUT 3</td>
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<tr>
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<td>OUT 3</td>
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#### When the break-away function is used

Different sources are used for each level.

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**When the break-away function is used (single-level mode)**

![Diagram of single-level mode](image)
Use of Multiple Control Units

When you control the routing switcher using the control unit, the number of controllable sources and destinations can be expanded by using multiple BKS-R1617/R3219/R3216/R1621/R1618/R3220 units in combination. One switching system can have up to ten sets of multiple control units, and in one set, up to 253 control units can be used. The total number of control units used in ten sets within one switching system is also 253.

When using multiple control units in combination, one is to be set as the mother unit and the others as daughters on the control terminal. In one combination, only one unit can be used as the mother unit. For details on setting a unit as the mother unit or a daughter unit, refer to the installation manual supplied with the routing switcher.

Route Function

When you use a switcher B having no cascade function such as a DVS-7000 and expand the number of sources by connecting another switcher A, the source name of switcher B is displayed as a selected source, and not the source name selected on switcher A. To display the actually selected source name, you must set the route function with the control terminal. Then when you select the crosspoint set on the route function, the source on switcher A is searched for, and the name is displayed. For example, when a crosspoint is switched on switcher A in the figure below, normally IN5 appears as the source name. If the route function has been set, the source name selected on switcher A appears.

To activate the route function, set the destination of switcher A, destination and source of switcher B, and level. In the case of the figure below, set "OUT1:OUT2 <IN5 10000000."

When you use the route function, switching is possible with simple settings. For example, if you select a source (IN1) for a destination (OUT1) on switcher A, the crosspoint on switcher B (IN5-OUT2) is automatically switched.

However, when you select a source (IN1) for a destination (OUT2) on switcher A, you have to set a phantom including IN1-OUT1 and IN5-OUT2 previously. Then IN1-OUT2 is displayed if the route has been set.

For details on setting the route function, refer to the installation manual supplied with the routing switcher.

Destination offset route

The destination offset route sets the destination to a substitute parameter such as “(DST + *)”, where “*” is an offset value of the connector number of the destination. “DST” is automatically substituted with the destination selected with this unit. This function makes it possible to use expanded input for multiple destinations.

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*Diagram images not shown in this text.*
**Phantom Function**

This control unit has three phantom functions: global phantom, local phantom, and destination offset local phantom. The phantom functions have the following features.

**Global phantom**
The global phantom allows you to switch up to 2,800 crosspoints by pressing a single button. This function may be used to switch crosspoints defined for a phantom name with two or more control units.

**Note**
The global phantom is set on the primary station, so the route function does not work in combination with it. To activate the route display function in conjunction with the global phantom function, all crosspoints to be switched must be set on the phantom.

**Local phantom**
The local phantom allows you to switch multiple crosspoints by pressing a single button, or to switch crosspoints independently from destinations controlled on the unit. Up to 64 crosspoints can be set for a phantom name.

**Destination offset local phantom**
The destination offset local phantom sets the destination of the local phantom to a substitute parameter such as “(DST + *),” where “*” is an offset value of the connector number of the destination. “DST” is automatically substituted with the connector number of the destination selected when phantom-switching. For example, if the destination is OUT005, the connector number of the destination is 015, and the offset value is 2 (* = 2), the destination 017 is switched.

To execute the destination offset local phantom, first select and check the destination.

Examples of this Phantom are given below.

**Example 1**
Assign a source (audio source AUD007 for example) of a level to multiple sources of another level (video source IN001 and IN005 for example)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Source name for each level</th>
<th>Setting of destination</th>
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<td>Source</td>
<td>LEVEL</td>
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<tr>
<td>IN001</td>
<td>IN001</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>IN005</td>
<td>IN005</td>
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</table>

**Example 2**
To set a pair of crosspoints (multiple audio channels, video key signal for example)

**Setting of Destination Offset Phantom**

| IN001: DST + 0 < IN001 - 10000000 |
| IN001: DST + 1 < IN002 - 10000000 |
| IN003: DST + 0 < IN003 - 10000000 |
| IN003: DST + 1 < IN004 - 10000000 |

**VTR Control**

You can assign tape-transport functions (EJECT, STOP, PLAY, REW, F FWD, REC) to source/destination select buttons and controls a VTR from the control panel.
Monitor Function

When the destination to be monitored has been specified on the terminal, the monitor display panel automatically selects the source for that destination when the monitor function is ON.

With the conventional system, the monitor signal is returned to the input, as shown below, to monitor the destination.

Such a process is not required for the monitor function, which uses no extra crosspoint, and eliminates signal delay in loopback.

An offset can be added to the automatically selected source, which provides various monitoring possibilities (e.g. monitoring an HD source with D1).

Level Control

You can assign levels to source/destination select buttons, and use as the LEVEL select buttons.

Four Destination Control

You can divide source/destination select buttons to four blocks, and assign destinations to each blocks.
Locations and Functions of Parts

ASSIGN button/lamp
This button has the following two functions:

Changing the assignment of a source select button
While holding down this button, press a source select button, and the source name displayed in the preset display window is assigned to the pressed button.

Selecting the type
While holding down this button, turn the SELECTOR knob and the type names appear in the preset display window in sequence. When the desired name appears, release the button, and turn only the SELECTOR knob. The sources or destinations belonging to the selected type name will appear on the preset display window in sequence.
2 DEST (destination) button/lamp
Press and light the button, and the destination names assigned to the destination select buttons appear in the corresponding display window. When you press the button while it is lit, the button goes out.

3 Display window
The display for the source select button shows the source name assigned to the button. For the button set an expanded input with the route function, the expanded input name is displayed. The display for the destination select button shows the destination name assigned to the button when the DEST lamp is lit. It shows the source name assigned to the button when the DEST lamp is not lit.

4 Preset display window
This window normally shows the destination name to be controlled. If an error occurs, an error message appears. When you turn the SELECTOR knob, the name selected with the knob appears, and is kept displayed for about 30 seconds. The type-number name is displayed with two digits for type name and for number, or one digit for a type name and three digits for number. The description name is displayed with the first four characters of the name.

5 PROT (protect) button/lamp
This button has two functions: to set and release protection for the output connector (destination) and to indicate whether the currently selected destination is protected or not.
Protection indication function
When the currently selected destination is protected, the lamp is lit, and the source select buttons are disabled. When the protection is set on this unit, the lamp is lit in green, while it is lit in red when the protection is set on another unit.
Protection function
When you press this button, the button lights and the currently selected destination (output) is protected. When a destination is protected, switching of sources for the destination is disabled. To release protection, press the PROT button so that the lamp goes out.

Note
If the protection has been set to ON AIR mode at the control terminal, switching is enabled independently of the protection setting. Normally set the protection to NORMAL mode.

6 LOCK (CHOP) button/lamp
This button has two functions: lock function and chop function.
Lock function
Press and light this button in red, and the buttons on the front panel other than this button are disabled. This prevents switching by touching the select buttons accidentally. If you press a select button while the LOCK lamp is lit in red, the following message appears in the display window.

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<<<<LOCKmode>>>>CSUMxxxxxID=xxxVer.x.xx
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“CSUM” means the ROM checksum, and “ID” is the station number of this unit. When you press the button while it is lit, the lamp goes out and the lock is released.
Chop function
When you hold the button pressed for about three seconds, the button lights in green, and the chop mode is obtained. In chop mode, a source before the chop mode and a source selected in chop mode are switched alternately at a specific interval. In chop mode, CHOP appears in the preset display window, and the interval for switching signals can be changed by turning the SELECTOR knob.

7 Source/destination select buttons
These buttons can be used as source select buttons or destination select buttons. The control terminal or the setup function of this unit defines the function of these buttons. The source select buttons normally light in dim green, and the destination select buttons normally light in dim amber. When you press one of the buttons, the pressed button lights in bright green or amber to show that it is selected.

Notes
- When the source select button is lit in bright amber, the source has been selected on another level in the break-away function.
- You can assign both source and destination functions on the source/destination select buttons. When both functions have been assigned, the buttons function as source select buttons if the DEST button is lit in amber, or as destination select buttons if the DEST
button is lit in green. In 4 DESTINATION mode, dual function setting is enabled on buttons 1 to 4 only. Adding to source select function, destinations for blocks 1 to 4 can be assigned to destination select buttons 1 to 4.

For details on defining the button functions, refer to the Installation Manual supplied with the routing switcher.

Source selection function (lit in green)
When you press a button, the signal fed to the switcher (source) corresponding to the pressed button is selected and is supplied to the output connector (destination). If the phantom function has been set, the sources set for the button are selected. If prompt lamp-light mode has been set, the pressed button lights in bright green to show the selected source. If status display mode has been set, the system checks that the selected crosspoint has been switched, and the button lights in bright green.

For details, see page 16.

Note
When the PROT lamp is lit, source switching is disabled.

Destination selection function (lit in amber)
When you press a button, the output connector of the switcher (destination) corresponding to the pressed button is selected. The pressed button lights in bright amber to show the selected destination.

8 SELECTOR knob
When you turn the knob with the DEST lamp not lit, source names appear in sequence in the preset display window. When the DEST lamp is lit, a destination name appears. While you turn the knob with the ASSIGN button held down, the type name appears in sequence in the preset display window. When you release the ASSIGN button and turn the SELECTOR knob, only the source or destination names using the selected type name appear in the preset display window in sequence. You may limit the available names on the control terminal as shown below.

• A source e to which secret has been set is skipped.
• Sources and destinations can be limited using the available source/destination table.

9 ~AC IN (AC power input) connector
Connect to an AC power source using the designated AC power cord.

10 n (ground) connector
For signal grounding

11 REMOTE 1 connector (BNC connector)
Connect to the S-BUS line using the T bridge (supplied) and 75-ohm coaxial cable (BELDEN 8281 or equivalent).

12 RS-232C connector (D-sub 9-pin)
For servicing. Connect to a computer for downloading software or monitoring communication status.

13 REMOTE 2 connector (D-sub 9-pin)
To connect an RS-422 communication line
Preparations

Settings on the Control Terminal

Before switching signals with this unit, the following preparations should be made on the control terminal connected to the primary station of the S-BUS data link.

For details on making the settings, refer to the installation manual supplied with the routing switcher.

1. Set the type of the input and output connector name to either the type name and number mode or the description name mode.

2. Set the type names of sources, such as VTR, FLM, AUX, etc.
   Up to 32 type names may be set.

3. Set the source names using a type name and number from 001 to 999, such as FLM034.
   A list of the registered source names is called the source table.

4. Set the destination names using a type name and number from 001 to 999, such as VTR089.
   A list of the registered destination names is called the destination table.

5. Set the phantom names.
   A list of the registered phantom names is called the phantom table.

6. Assign the source and destination select buttons.

7. Set the level to be controlled.

8. Set the mother unit and daughter units if multiple control units are to be used in combination as follows:
   **For the mother unit**
   PANEL mode: MOTHER
   SET BLOCK NUMBER: Block number used (1 through 10)
   **For daughter units**
   PANEL mode: DAUGHTER
   MOTHER STATION ID: Station ID of the mother unit

   **Note**
   Set the mother unit first.

9. Make the route setting if the route function is to be used.

10. Set the available destination/source to limit the input/output selection.

Preparations

You may use up to 253 control units, including this unit, in combination to expand the number of sources and destinations, or use this unit alone. The required settings may differ depending on whether it is used alone or in combination. Make the necessary settings shown below to suit your system.

When multiple units are used in combination, define one as the mother unit and the others as daughter units.

Setting the station number

Set the station number using the source/destination select button 1 to 8. The station number is obtained by adding the binary place values of the buttons that are lit. For example, if the buttons 1, 2 and 4 are lit as shown below, the station number is 11 (=1+2+8).

Example of setting a station number 11

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Lit</th>
<th>1</th>
<th>2</th>
<th>3</th>
<th>4</th>
<th>5</th>
<th>6</th>
<th>7</th>
<th>8</th>
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<td></td>
<td>16</td>
<td>32</td>
<td>64</td>
<td>128</td>
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Note

Do not assign the same number to more than one unit in a routing system.

1. Press and hold the LOCK (CHOP) and PROT buttons for about five seconds to reset the software.

2. Press and hold the source/destination select buttons 1, 2, 3, and 4 during being rebooted to enter station number setting mode.

   **Note**
   When the power is turned ON for the first time, station number setting mode is automatically set, and steps 1 and 2 are not required.
Press the appropriate source/destination select buttons so that the desired station number is obtained.

Press the LOCK (CHOP) button. The set station number is registered.

**Key label indications**

It is recommended to write the source, destination or level name on the labels (these are called key labels), and attach them on the source/destination select buttons. Then you can see at a glance what functions you have assigned to each button.

**Making a key label**

1. Copy the key label guide shown below onto a sheet of OHP paper.
2. Write the name on the copied paper.
3. Cut the paper to the button size as shown below.

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**Key label guide**

For a large button (14 × 14 mm)

![Key label guide for large button]

For a small button (9.5 × 9.5 mm)

![Key label guide for small button]
Preparations

Attaching a key label
Attach the key labels to the buttons with the following procedure.

1  Attach the key-cap puller to the indentations of the sides of the key cap.
    You can easily attach the puller if you press the buttons on both sides.

2  Remove the key cap by pulling the key-cap puller.

3  Rotate the key-cap puller downwards while pinching the key-cap, and pull it down to separate the key cap, and diffuser.

4  Put the key cap, key label with the name written, and diffuser on the button and replace them as they were.

As for the key-cap puller (part number: 3-179-054-01), consult your Sony personnel.

Settings by Using the Buttons (Setup Function)

With the S-BUS system, the necessary items are normally set at the control terminal connected to the primary station. However, the following items may be set on the unit by turning the power on while holding down the two or more select buttons, as described below.

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<tr>
<td>1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  10  11  12  13  14  15  16</td>
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<td><strong>BKS-R1621</strong></td>
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<td>9  10  11  12  13  14  15  16</td>
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Initializing the settings
While holding down buttons 1 and 2, turn the power on.
The following items are set to the factory-set conditions.
1) Status display mode
2) Single-use mode
3) Phantom partial-protect mode

**Note**
Press buttons until the lamp check on the panel is completed

Setting single-use mode
While holding down buttons 5 and 8, turn the power on.
Use this mode when this unit is to be used alone.

Setting prompt lamp-light mode
While holding down buttons 1 and 3, turn the power on.
When you press a source select button, the lamp of the pressed button promptly lights.

Setting status display mode
While holding down buttons 1, 2 and 3, turn the power on.
When you press a source select button, the system checks that the designated crosspoint has been switched, then the button lights according to the crosspoint status.
Setting to 16-source select mode
While holding down buttons 1 and 4 (or 5 and 7), turn the power on.
All the source/destination select buttons work as source select buttons.

Setting to 8-source/8-destination select mode
While holding down buttons 5 and 6, turn the power on.
Select buttons 1 through 8 function as source select buttons, and select buttons 9 through 16 function as destination select buttons.

Setting to phantom full-protect mode
While holding down buttons 9 and 11, turn the power on.
If one of the crosspoints set for a phantom is protected, switching of all the crosspoints of the phantom is prohibited.

Setting to phantom partial-protect mode
While holding down buttons 9, 10 and 11, turn the power on.
If one of the destinations set on a phantom is protected, switching of the crosspoints, including the protected destination, is prohibited, but the other crosspoints are switched.

Entering station number setting mode
While holding down buttons 1, 2, 3 and 4, turn the power on.
The station number can be set with binary coding using buttons 1 through 8.

Resetting the software
Press and hold the LOCK and PROT buttons for five seconds. Then the software is reset, and the same status as the power is turned on is obtained.

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Select the destination first, then the source, following the procedure below. Before starting operation, turn the power to the unit and the system on. Then check that the PROT button is not lit.

**Selecting a source**

**Changing the display for a selected destination**

**Setting the name for a source select button**

**Selecting when the unit is connected to the monitor S-BUS data link**

When you wish to monitor the input and output signals of the DVS-V3232M/V6464M Video Routing Switcher with an optional BKDS-V3292B Monitor Board installed or of the DVS-128, you may switch the monitor signals using the BKS-R1617. Before switching signals with this unit, you should make the signal settings at the control terminal. For details on making the settings, refer to the Installation Manual supplied with the routing switcher.

**Lighting status of the source/destination select buttons**

The source select buttons are normally lit in dim green, and the destination select buttons are lit in dim amber. When you press a button for selecting a signal to be monitored, the pressed source or destination button lights in bright green.
While trouble occurs on this unit, the following error messages appear in the preset display window.

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<td>PacE</td>
<td>Reception error on the S-BUS data link</td>
<td>If this occurs only once every several minutes, it is not a problem. Power source noise or an S-BUS remote cable longer than 500 m using BELDEN cable or equivalent may be the cause. If the same errors still occur on this unit when used under conditions without the above causes, the trouble may be in this unit.</td>
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<td>RstP</td>
<td>The primary station has been reset.</td>
<td>This occurs when the primary station is turned on, or when some trouble occurs in the S-BUS data link.</td>
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<td>Scrt</td>
<td>A source set as secret is to be selected.</td>
<td>A source set as secret cannot be selected on a unit other than the primary station.</td>
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<td>ComE</td>
<td>Communication error of the S-BUS data link</td>
<td>This may occur when the communication period is too long. The primary station may be turned off, or the remote cable may be disconnected.</td>
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<td>Prot</td>
<td>The destination is protected.</td>
<td>The protected destination cannot be switched. In the preset display window, ID of the station which has set the protection to the destination, is displayed.</td>
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<td>NotF</td>
<td>The name cannot be found</td>
<td>The designated type name for type-number selection does not exist in the table.</td>
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<td>LvlE</td>
<td>All levels are not controllable.</td>
<td>All levels are set not to be controlled.</td>
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<td>NoDt</td>
<td>The destination has not been set.</td>
<td>The designated destination has not been set. Change the selection or setting.</td>
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<td>NotA</td>
<td>The source is out of the available sources.</td>
<td>The source to be switched is not found within the range of the available sources. The source cannot be changed.</td>
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