# Tait Orca Excel Maximum Number of Channels

**Applicability :**   Tait Orca Excel Conventional hand portables and V1.03 TOPS.

**Explanation :**   The current TOPS (V1.03)  is limited in the maximum number of channels that can be programmed into an Orca Excel.  This is due to the memory allocation required by the programming software.  Because of this the maximum number of channels is approx 70.  This is dependant of the PC used.  However, the more features programmed results in a reduction of the number of channels the can be programmed before the PC crashes.

The Tait Orca software team are currently working on a 'Protection Mode' for the next TOPS release.  This will allow the full 100 channels to be programed.

**Customer Service Organisation:**   Please ensure that all internal sales/service staff are informed and also dealers at your discretion

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