

EQUIPMENT DETAILS



Sydney Ferries

SYDNEY FERRIES TICKETING SYSTEM

SITUATION

SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

SYSTEM

Comprises 38 ticket vending machines dispensing tickets for all Sydney Harbour and Manly ferries. The system also includes 6 note to coin change machines, 48 turnstiles and 9 manual ticket selling windows.

In 1987 the State Transit Authority awarded Thorn Software Sciences a head contract and Abberfield Industries the prime manufacturing sub-contract to design and build a totally automated ticketing system. Sanyo Magnetic Card Technology and Australian Totalisers Turnstiles were implemented in housing and interfacing produced by Abberfield Industries. Coin validation and change giving equipment was produced by Abberfield together with keyboards, pin number electric locks and local area software. Thorn developed the system software and, with Abberfield's assistance, installed the equipment.

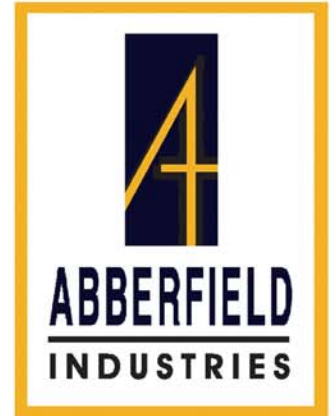
The specification called for a five year operating life. Eleven years later it is still in operation.



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