tape read and punch units
The NCR Century Series reads punched tape created offline by NCR Accounting Machines, Cash Registers, and Adding Machines or by other tape systems such as communication networks. The Century Series outputs punched tape for subsequent input or for transmission over communication networks.

The NCR tape reader and tape punch process 11/16-, 7/8-, or 1-inch tape in 5-, 7-, or 8-channel format. Tape is punched at the rate of 200 characters per second and read at the rate of 1500 characters per second. Both units can be used in continuous or in a start-stop operation. They are designed to stop within a frame's length to ensure reliable reading of the first and last frames in a record.

Both units are common trunk peripherals that can be placed on either trunk of any member of the Century Series. They do not require a controller.

665-101 TAPE PUNCH
- Punches 200 characters per second
- Uses paper or mylar tape
- Punches 5-, 7-, or 8-channel, any code
- Has built-in error-checking features
- Tape width: 11/16, 7/8, or 1 inch
- Reel size: 8"-10½" optional

660-101 TAPE READER
- Reads 1500 characters per second photoelectrically, strip or reel
- Uses paper or mylar tape
- Reads 5-, 7-, or 8-channel tape, any code
- Rewind is a standard feature
- Handles any code—has built-in hardware to handle three different codes
- Rewind speed: 150 inches per second
- Operation can be continuous or start-stop mode
- Tape width: 11/16, 7/8, or 1 inch