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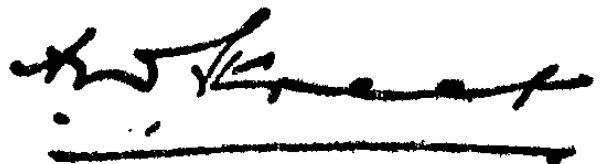
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TYPE OF WAVE	C.W., M.C.W., and R.T.
FREQUENCY RANGE	18 Mc/s. to 3 Mc/s. and 1.500 kc/s. to 75 kc/s. with gap between 600 kc/s. and 500 kc/s.
FREQUENCY STABILITY	Not applicable
CRYSTAL MULT. FACTOR	Not applicable
PERCENTAGE MODULATION	Not applicable
MAXIMUM SENSITIVITY	Input of 12 micro-volts at 210 kc/s. gives output in excess of 50 milliwatts Input of 6 micro-volts at 16 Mc/s. gives an equivalent output
SELECTIVITY	Approximately 4 kc/s. to 6 kc/s. total bandwidth for 6 db attenuation
OUTPUT IMPEDANCE	5,000 ohms
AMPLIFIER CLASS	Not applicable
MICROPHONE TYPE	Not applicable
VALVES	Visual D/F switching, triode-hexodes, two V.R.99 (Stores Ref. 10E/277).

Supplied by L.T. power unit used for T.1154 L.T. Input to unit, type 34,
10.5 v., 24 amp. D.C.; output, 7 v., 13 amp. D.C. and 217 v., 110 mA.

(Stores Ref. 10A/12245) or type 15 (Stores Ref. 10A/12247)

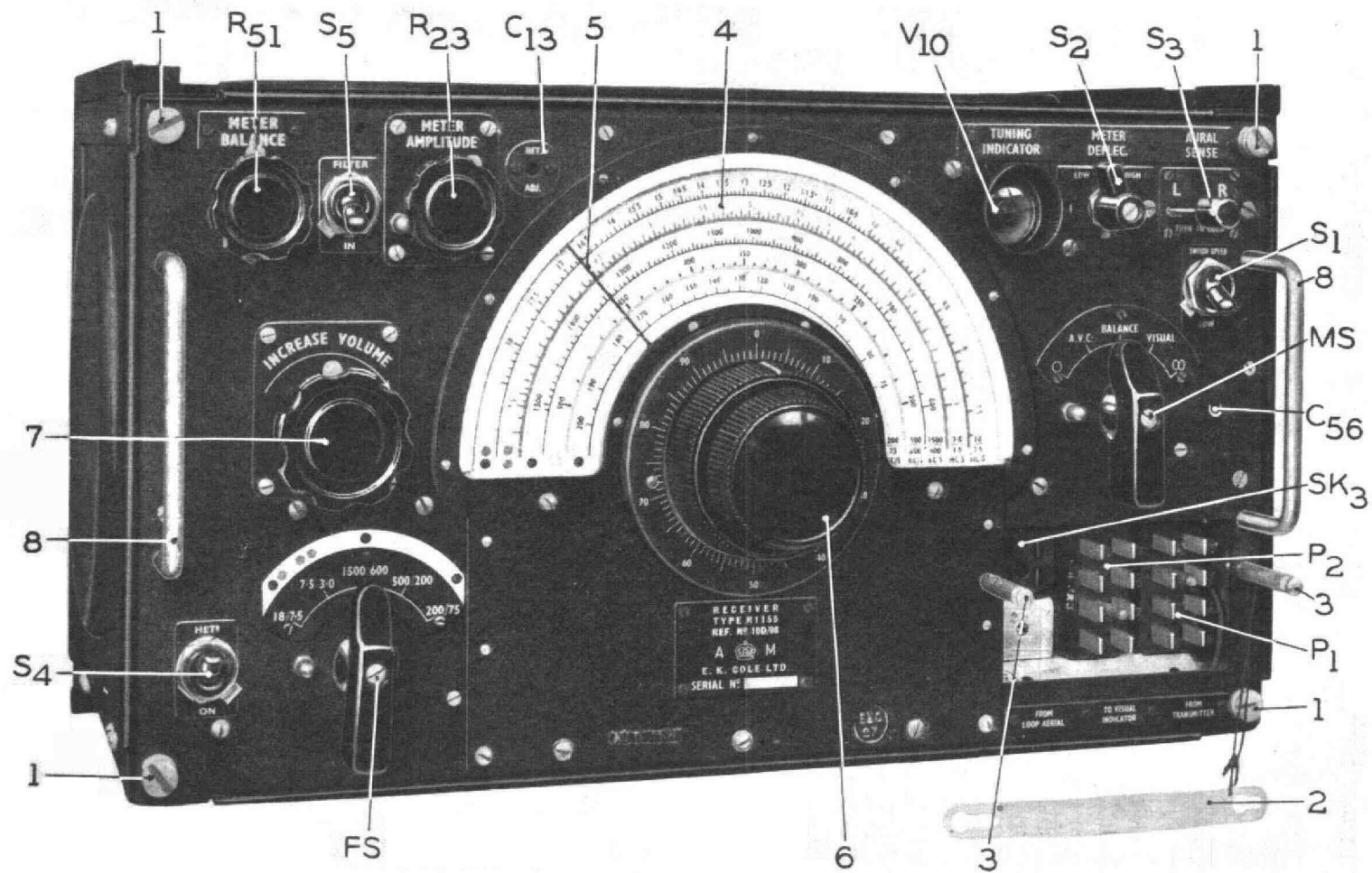


FIG. 1.—THE RECEIVER R.1155

RECEIVERS, TYPES R.1155, R.1155A AND R.1155B

INTRODUCTION

1. The receivers of the type R.1155 have been designed for use in aircraft in conjunction with transmitters of the T.1154 group described in Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of this publication. The receiver, type R.1155 (Stores Ref. 10D/98) is the parent type; the R.1155A (Stores Ref. 10D/820) and R.1155B (Stores Ref. 10D/13045) are equipped for employment in circumstances in which R.F. interference may be experienced. It is expected that, ultimately, the type R.1155A will become standardised and will incorporate the additional filter circuits of the R.1155B.

2. The receiver covers the bands of frequencies from 18.5 Mc/s to 3 Mc/s. and from 1,500 kc/s to 75 kc/s with a gap between 600 kc/s and 500 kc/s. The coverage is effected in five ranges:—

RANGE 1 (H.F.)	18.5 Mc/s to 7.5 Mc/s.
RANGE 2 (H.F.)	7.5 Mc/s to 3.0 Mc/s.
RANGE 3 (M.F.)	1,500 kc/s to 600 kc/s.
RANGE 4 (M.F.)	500 kc/s to 200 kc/s.
RANGE 5 (M.F.)	200 kc/s to 75 kc/s.

Tuning is of the uni-control type, the scales appropriate to the RANGES being colour coded and, where applicable, the colour coding of the T.1154 RANGES is adopted. It should be noted that the term RANGES is used in this Chapter as a convenient method of avoiding repetition of the frequency bands. The receiver controls are not engraved with the term.

3. Provision is made for the reception of modulated and of unmodulated signals and, on D/F, or, in certain circumstances for communications, for direction-finding. The receiver is a D/F or communications receiver on the M.F. RANGES 3, 4 and 5 and a communications receiver on the H.F. RANGES 1 and 2. The determination of bearings in D/F and of "homing" course are made in conjunction with a visual indicator, type 1. Bearings may be taken aurally. Sense of bearings can be determined aurally or visually.

4. The receivers may be worked on either fixed or trailing aerials for communications and on a suitable loop aerial, such as the loop aerial, type 3, for D/F. Aerial switching is, however, interlocked with that of the associated transmitter, and an exterior common switching device, such as the aerial switching unit, type J, or an aerial plug board, is used. The fixed aerial is normally between 25 ft. and 65 ft. long overall, including the lead-in, 45 ft. being, approximately the optimum length. The trailing aerial is 200 ft. long. The D/F loop aerial, type 3, has a nominal inductance of 100 μ H and self-capacitance of 20 $\mu\mu$ F.

5. The receiver uses ten valves and is based on a super-heterodyne circuit. The communications circuit has one R.F. stage, a frequency-changer stage, two intermediate frequency amplifier stages, a combined beat frequency oscillator (B.F.O.) and automatic volume control (A.V.C.) stage, with a combined second detector, visual meter limiter and output stage. The I.F. is 560 kc/s and the B.F.O. oscillator frequency is about 280 kc/s. A visual tuning indicator shows correct tuning. The D/F circuit arrangements incorporate a visual direction-finding system in which two triode hexode valves electronically switch the fixed aerial into phase and anti-phase, or 90 deg. lead or lag, relationship to the loop aerial at a pre-determined frequency. A meter switching valve synchronously switches the rectified output to a visual indicator, type 1. A limiter valve, already mentioned, automatically controls the input to the visual indicating meter.

6. The I.F. selectivity of the receiver is, approximately, 4 kc/s to 6 kc/s band width for an attenuation of 6 db. The two I.F. stages have either A.V.C. or manual gain control according to the position of a master switch. The sensitivity is such that the input of 12 microvolts at 210 kc/s gives an output in excess of 50 milliwatts and at 16 Mc/s an input of 6 microvolts has an equivalent output. A maximum working output of approximately 100 milliwatts is obtainable when working into a 5,000-ohm impedance.

7. The L.T. and H.T. power for the receiver, when airborne, is obtained from a rotary transformer power unit driven from the aircraft general electrical system. This power unit is also used for the supply of L.T. to the associated transmitter and may be the power unit, type 34 (nominal input D.C. 12 volts) or type 35 (nominal input D.C. 24 volts). Derived types of these units such as the type 34A, 34X and 35A may also be used. When utilized for ground training purposes it is customary to employ power units, type 114 or type 115 in conjunction with the 230-volt, 50 c/s A.C. mains. These units are described in Sect. 6, Chap. 18 of this publication.

8. The overall dimensions of the receiver are, approximately, 16 $\frac{7}{8}$ in. by 9 $\frac{3}{8}$ in. by 11 $\frac{3}{8}$ in. The weight of the instrument, with valves, is 25 lb. 14 oz. The receiver R.1155 is shown in the illustration of fig. 1.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

9. A schematic diagram of the receiver is shown in fig. 2. A complete theoretical circuit diagram of the receivers R.1155, R.1155A, and R.1155B is given in fig. 3. The simplified communications circuit diagram in fig. 4, a simplified visual D/F circuit diagram in fig. 10 with the switching diagrams of figs. 11, 12 and 13, should materially assist towards an understanding of the circuits. The annotational references of fig. 3 have, as far as possible, been preserved throughout the simplified diagrams.

10. Both the fixed aerial, F.Ae., and the trailing aerial T.Ae. are connected to the receiver *via* an exterior aerial switching device and the transmitter. The aerial switching is described in Sect. 1, Chap. 7, of this publication, in connexion with the transmitter T.1154. The correct aeriels for reception on the H.T., M.F. or D/F RANGES are selected by a frequency range switch and a master selector switch. The trailing aerial is used on all M.F. RANGES, the fixed aerial being used for the H.F. RANGES and also for SENSE determination on D/F. When the aerial selector switch is in the D/F position, ordinary reception may be obtained if desired.

11. The frequency range switch selects the five frequency RANGES. In this chapter it is designated as FS. The wafers associated with this switch are, for the purpose of clarity, dispersed on the theoretical circuit diagram of fig. 2 and for easier identification the annotation FS prefixes each wafer. The individual wafers are shown as "wf," "wr," "xf," "xr," "yf," "yr," "zf," and "zr," these references being included as subscripts to FS. Thus, the section "wr" of FS is annotated as "FS_{wr}." The "f" and "r" subscripts refer to "front" and "rear," respectively, of the wafer sections.

12. The general functions of the switch FS are to select the appropriate aerial (*see* para. 10), to select the correct RANGE coils of the grid and anode circuits, to select the correct grid and anode circuit oscillator coils and to regulate the grid bias for the R.F. amplifier, frequency-changer and I.F. stages on the H.F. RANGES in order to preserve constant amplification. The individual wafers are "w," loop aerial input, "x," aerial to grid of R.F. valve, "y," anode of R.F. valve and "z," grid and anode coils of the oscillator of the frequency changer valve. These are shown, with contact details, on fig. 2.

13. The master selector, functional, or operational switch, is a five-position switch and is designated in this chapter as MS. The wafers are annotated in a manner similar to that described for the switch FS. These are the sections "af," "ar," "bf," "br," "cf," "cr," "df," "ef" and "er," shown on fig. 2. The section "a" controls visual meter, manual and A.V.C. volume control switching, section "b" switches the fixed and trailing aerial circuits with M.F. biasing, section "c" is associated with the L.F. switching valve used for D/F, section "d" deals with the communications aerial input and section "e" switches loop and dummy aerial, the latter for circuit balancing purposes.

14. The five positions of the switch MS are:—

- (i) OMNI (⊙) or plain reception. The gain of the R.F. amplifier, frequency-changer and I.F. stages is controlled, manually, by a potentiometer $R_{s(1)}$, the A.V.C. being out of circuit.
- (ii) A.V.C. This position gives A.V.C. with the manual control of the A.F. input to the output stage by means of a potentiometer $R_{s(2)}$.
- (iii) BALANCE (for visual D/F). This is for the purpose of matching the circuits and valves V_1 and V_2 associated with the visual indicator.
- (iv) VISUAL D/F: The twin needle indicator and associated circuits, including valves V_1 , V_2 and V_3 are switched into circuit. In this position A.V.C. is provided.
- (v) FIGURE-OF-EIGHT (∞) which represents aural D/F. In this position bearings can be taken on aural "nulls" (zero signals), using a hand-switch S_3 for the determination of sense. The R.F. gain is manually controlled, A.V.C. being disconnected.

The communications circuit, R.1155

15. Referring to the schematic diagram of fig. 2, it will be seen that the communications circuit commences at the R.F. amplifier valve V_3 , the valves V_1 and V_2 being used for visual switching in the D/F circuit. The valve V_3 is an aligned grid variable-mu pentode and, in the simplified communications circuit diagram of fig. 4, it is shown as the basis of a R.F. amplifier stage.

16. Before studying the main circuit in fig. 3, it is desirable to understand the plug and socket arrangements of the receiver and the connexions to the various points. Looking at the front panel of the instrument, the socket P_2 is engraved FROM LOOP AERIAL, the central plug P_2 TO VISUAL INDICATOR and the right-hand plug P_1 FROM TRANSMITTER.

17. The Table A overleaf gives the connexions to the individual points of the plugs and socket. The style of connector cable with its end connexions, is also set out. The first plug, or socket, mentioned is that which is connected to the receiver.

18. The aerial is capacitatively coupled to the grid circuit of the R.F. amplifier valve V_3 . A condenser C_{100} is in the trailing aerial (T.Ae) circuit and a condenser C_{102} does similar service in the fixed aerial (F.Ae) circuit.

19. For convenience in studying the theoretical circuit diagram of fig. 3, a complete coil and choke table is given as an Appendix I to this chapter. The inductance values of the various components are included in this Appendix.

20. The trailing aerial is connected through the switch section MS_{bt} , the condenser C_{100} , switch sections MS_{df} and FS_{xr} to the coils L_4 , L_5 or L_6 , the aerial coils for the M.F. RANGES 3, 4 or 5, whence *via* the switch section FS_{xr} connexion is made to a variable condenser C_{84} and the control grid of the variable-mu pentode valve V_5 . The variable-mu characteristic permits control of volume by means of grid bias variation and full automatic volume control can be applied without distortion on normal signals. The valve V_5 is actually tetrode connected.

21. The fixed aerial is connected through the switch section MS_{bf} , condenser C_{102} , sections MS_{df} , FS_{xf} and the H.F. RANGES 1 or 2, coils L_2 and L_3 , through switch FS_{xr} to the control grid of V_5 . These coils are also tuned by the condenser C_{84} which forms part of a ganged assembly including an anode circuit tuning condenser C_{83} and an oscillator circuit condenser C_{82} .

22. The resistances R_{83} and R_{83} in series across the fixed and trailing aeriels, are joined to earth at their junction. These resistances afford a drain path for static charges. A condenser C_{40} is a blocking condenser enabling the moving vanes of the tuning condenser C_{84} to be earthed and is, together with a resistance R_{45} , part of the A.V.C. system (*see* paras. 43 to 49). Small trimmer condensers are connected across the coils and their tuning condenser C_{84} . These are the condensers C_{61} (with a fixed condenser C_{110} in parallel) for L_2 , C_{60} for L_3 , C_{59} for L_4 , C_{58} for L_5 and C_{57} for L_6 .

23. The screen grid voltage for V_5 is decoupled by a resistance R_{43} forming part of a virtual potentiometer composed of R_{43} , R_{44} and R_1 . A condenser C_{95} , in conjunction with another condenser C_{89} , by-passes the circuit to earth. The resistance R_1 is by-passed by a condenser C_1 . The earth is tapped in at a positive point across the H.T. supply. Bias for the control grid of the valve V_5 is obtained from a resistance network in the A.V.C. circuit (*see* paras. 43 to 49). The cathode is not automatically biased by a resistance but the A.V.C. resistance network is returned to a point 3.6 volts negative with respect to the cathode. This point is taken from the junction of resistances R_3 and R_4 in series and parallel with R_1 and it provides for standing bias on V_5 during no-signal periods.

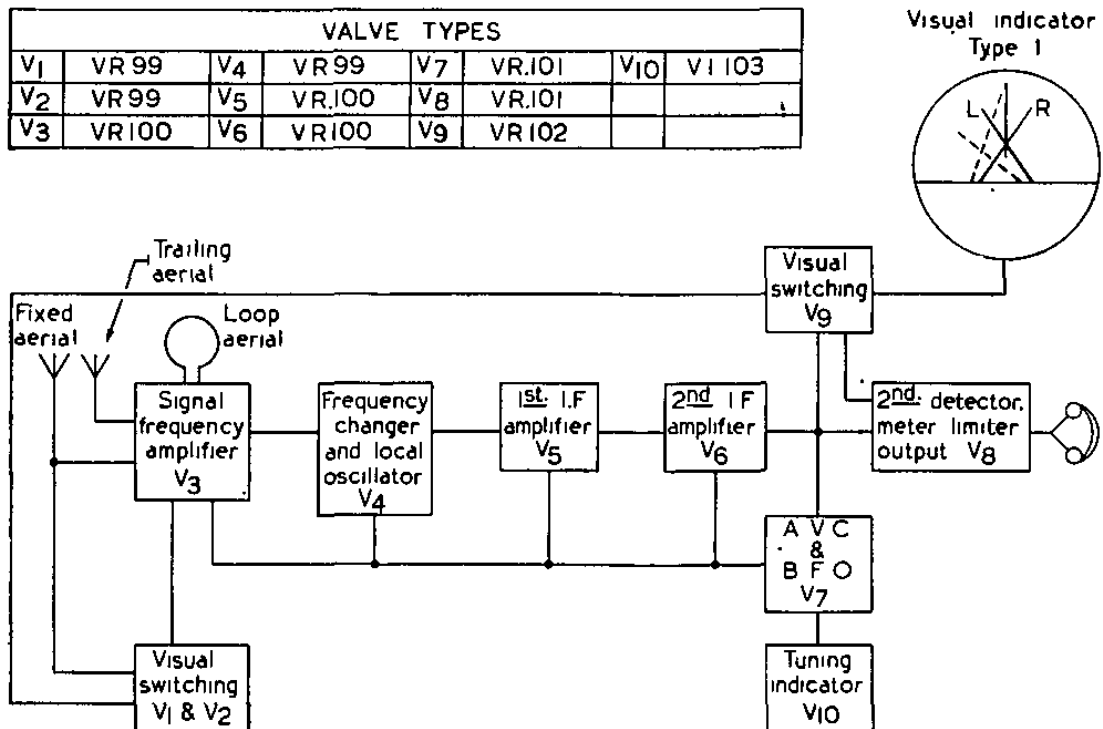


FIG. 2.—SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM

TABLE A

PLUGS, SOCKET AND CONNECTORS FOR R.1155

SINGLE RECEIVER WITH VISUAL INDICATOR, TYPE 1

Points	SOCKET P ₃ FROM LOOP AERIAL	PLUG P ₂ TO VISUAL INDICATOR	PLUG P ₁ FROM TRANSMITTER
1	—	To V.I. terminal A (GREEN)	F.Ae. (H.F. RANGES)
2	—	To V.I. terminal D (RED)	T.Ae. (H.F. RANGES)
3	—	To V.I. terminals B, C (BLUE)	L.T. †
4	—	To V.I. screening earth	L T — and screen earth
5	—		H.T.+ through interlock
6	—		Telephone+
7	—	WHEN TWO INDICATORS FITTED	H.T.+ 220-v.
8	—	Points	H.T. —
13	Earth	1 To V.I. terminal A (Green)	—
14	Earth	2 To V.I. terminal D (Red)	—
15	MS _{er} contact 5 and loop	3 To V.I. terminal F (Blue)	—
16	MS _{er} contact 11 and loop	4 To V.I. screening earth	—
	CONNECTOR Plug, type 209 Dulocapmet No. 1 Socket, type 63 or Cable end eye (to matching unit).	CONNECTOR Socket, type 137 Trimet 4 Cable end eye	CONNECTOR Socket, type 137 Octocoremnet No. 2 Plug, type 210

SINGLE RECEIVER WITH TWO VISUAL INDICATORS

As above

As above but with, additionally:
CONNECTOR
Between visual indicators
Cable end eye,
Trimet 4,
Cable end eye
TERMINAL CONNEXIONS

First V.I.	Colour	Second V.I.
B	Green	A
C	Red	D
F	Blue	BC

TWO RECEIVERS (ONE NAVIGATOR-OPERATED) WITH 2 INDICATORS
W.T. OPERATOR RECEIVER

Socket P ₃	Plug P ₂	Plug P ₁
DUMMY SOCKET BLOCK INSERTED		As above
		CONNECTOR As above

C04	C05	C06	C07	C08	C09	C10	C11	C12	C13	C14	C15	C16	C17	C18	C19	C20	C21	C22	C23	C24	C25	C26	C27	C28	C29	C30	C31	C32	C33	C34	C35	C36	C37	C38	C39	C40	C41	C42	C43	C44	C45	C46	C47	C48	C49	C50	C51	C52	C53	C54	C55	C56	C57	C58	C59	C60	C61	C62	C63	C64	C65	C66	C67	C68	C69	C70	C71	C72	C73	C74	C75	C76	C77	C78	C79	C80	C81	C82	C83	C84	C85	C86	C87	C88	C89	C90	C91	C92	C93	C94	C95	C96	C97	C98	C99	C00
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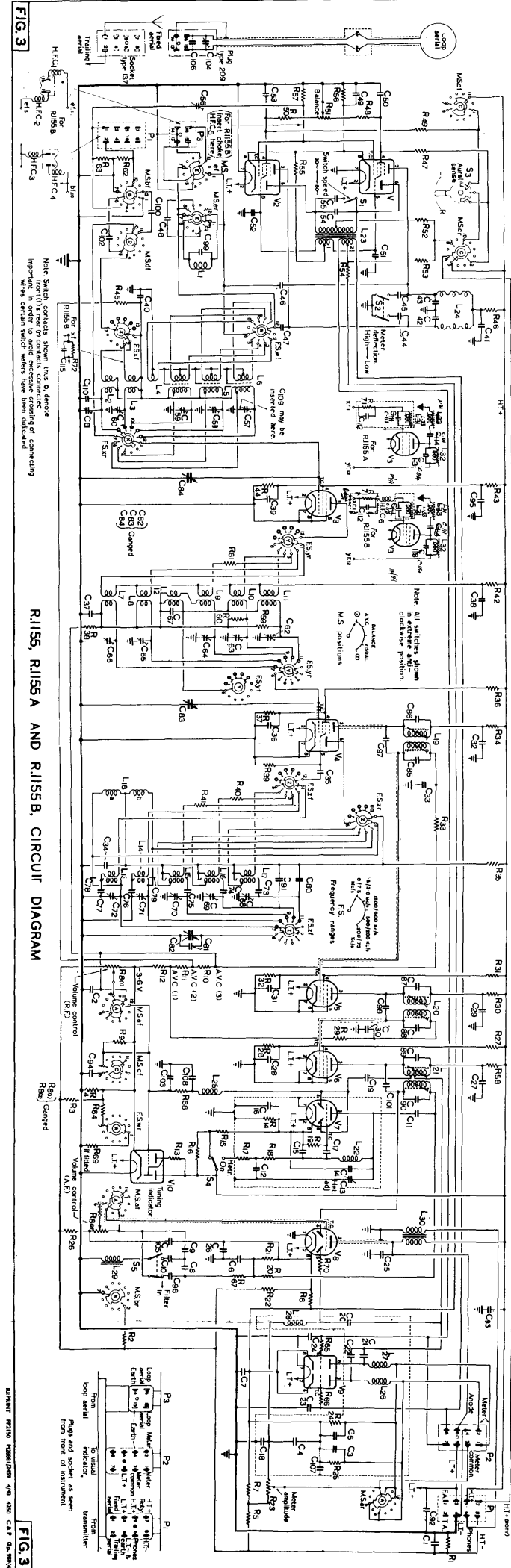
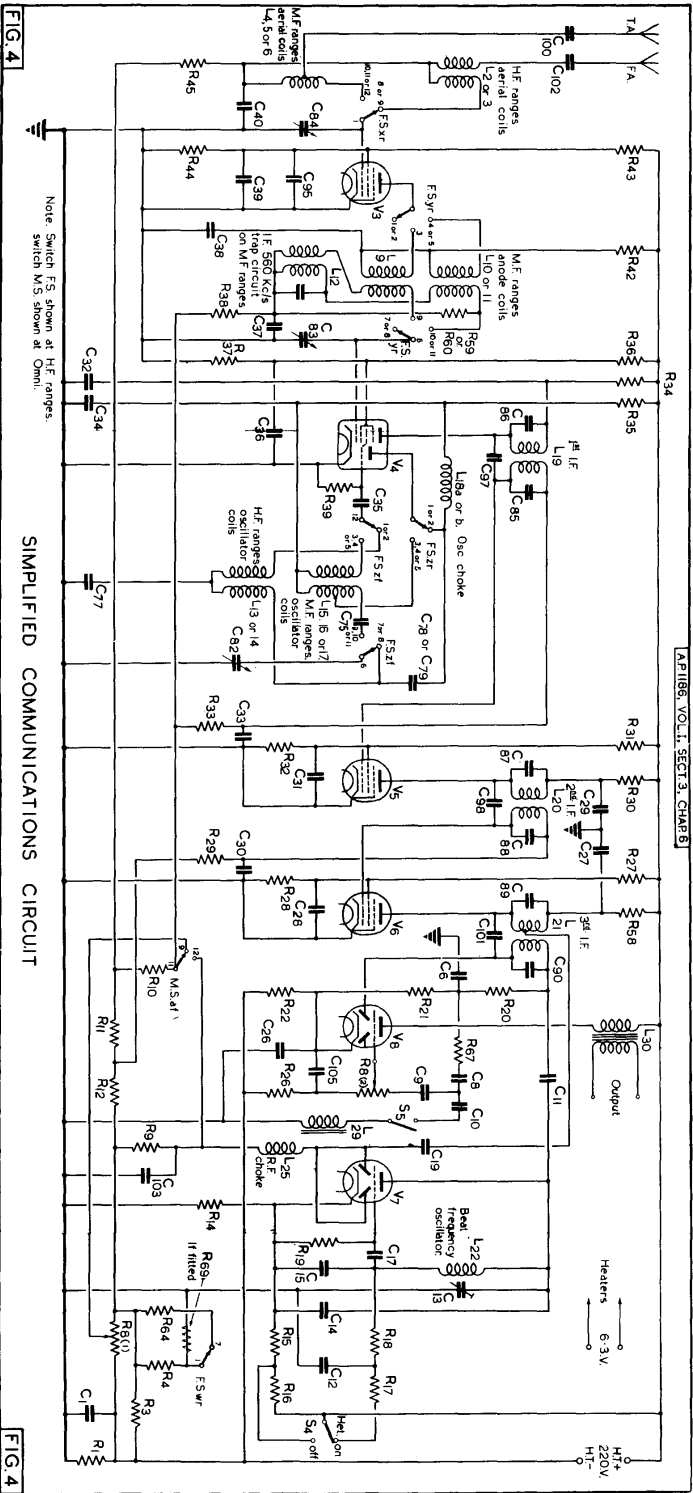


FIG 3 RIISSE, RIISSE A AND RIISSE B. CIRCUIT DIAGRAM



Note: Switch FS shown at HF ranges.
Switch MS shown at Omni.

SIMPLIFIED COMMUNICATIONS CIRCUIT

FIG. 4

FIG. 4

This table should be read in conjunction with fig. 3

COMPONENT LIST FOR R.1155, R.1155A AND R.1155B

CONDENSERS

Annotation	Value	Stores Ref	Type	Annotation	Value	Stores Ref.	Type		
C ₁ *	2.5μF	10C/960	892	C ₅₁	0.1μF	10C/961	893		
C ₂	2 × 0.1μF	10C/961 or 10C/3399	893 1662	C ₅₂	0.1μF	or			
C ₃ †	2.5μF	10C/962	894	C ₅₃	0.1μF	10C/3399	1662		
C ₄ †	10μF			C ₅₄	0.04μF	10C/973 or 10C/4257	905 2202		
C ₅ †	20μF			C ₅₅	0.5μF	10C/970 or 10C/3401	902 1664		
C ₆	0.0001μF	10C/963 or 10C/2155	895 995	C ₅₆	max. 8-115μμF or 8-105μμF	10C/974 or 10C/3402	906 1665		
C ₇	0.005μF	10C/964 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₅₇	4-40μμF	10C/3173	Unit type 34		
C ₈	0.001μF	10C/965	897	C ₅₈	4-40μμF				
C ₉	0.001μF	10C/965	897	C ₅₉	4-40μμF				
C ₁₀	0.004μF	10C/966	898	C ₆₀	4-40μμF				
C ₁₁	0.0001μF	10C/963 or 10C/2155	895 995	C ₆₁	4-40μμF				
C ₁₂	0.1μF	10C/967	899	C ₆₂	4-40μμF				
C ₁₃	75μμF	10C/968	900	C ₆₃	4-40μμF				
	60μμF	(1st 1,000) 10C/3129	1525	C ₆₄	4-40μμF			10C/3173	Unit type 34
		(after)		C ₆₅	4-40μμF				
C ₁₄	1,600μμF	10C/969 (2 off)	901	C ₆₆	4-40μμF				
C ₁₅	4,550μμF	10C/2005	917	C ₆₇	2,000μμF	10C/2011	923		
C ₁₆	0.5μF	10C/970 or 10C/3401	902 1664	C ₆₈	4-40μμF	10C/3174	Unit type 35		
C ₁₇	0.0001μF	10C/2006	918	C ₆₉					
C ₁₈	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₇₀					
C ₁₉	0.001μF	10C/651	782	C ₇₁	5-40μμF	10C/976	908		
C ₂₀	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₇₂	5-40μμF	10C/976	908		
C ₂₁	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₇₃	93μμF	10C/2012	924		
C ₂₂	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₇₄	255μμF	10C/2013	925		
C ₂₃	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₇₅	537μμF	10C/2014	926		
C ₂₄	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201	C ₇₆	1,670μμF	10C/2015	927		
C ₂₅	0.001μF	10C/651	782	C ₇₇	6,170μμF	10C/2016	928		
C ₂₆	0.1μF	10C/961	893	C ₇₈	20μμF	10C/10948	429		
C ₂₇	0.1μF	or		C ₇₉	15μμF	10C/978	910		
C ₂₈	0.1μF	10C/3399	1662	C ₈₀	10μμF	10C/977	909		
C ₂₉	0.1μF	10C/961	893		25μμF	(1st 1,000) 10C/3027	1439		
C ₃₀	0.1μF	or			(after)				
C ₃₁	0.1μF	10C/3399	1662	C ₈₁	15-cms.	10C/978	910		
C ₃₂	0.1μF	10C/961 or 10C/3399	893 1662	C ₈₂	Ganged	10C 584	770		
C ₃₃	0.1μF	with C ₃₈		C ₈₃	tuner	(1st 1,000) 10C/3028	1440		
C ₃₄	0.1μF	10C/967	899	C ₈₄	(after)				
C ₃₅	0.0002μF	10C/972 or 10C/2719	904 1322	C ₈₅	300μμF	10C/2017	929		
C ₃₆	0.1μF	with C ₃₂ , C ₃₃		C ₈₆	300μμF	10C/2017	929		
C ₃₇	0.1μF	10C/967	899	C ₈₇	300μμF	10C/2017	929		
C ₃₈	0.1μF	10C/967	899	C ₈₈	300μμF	10C/2017	929		
C ₃₉	0.1μF	10C/3399	893	C ₈₉	600μμF	10C/971	903		
C ₄₀	0.1μF	10C/967	899	C ₉₀	300μμF	10C/2017	929		
C ₄₁	0.1μF	with C ₄₉ , C ₅₀		C ₉₁	40μμF	10C/853	858		
C ₄₂	25μμF	10C/2007	919	C ₉₂ *	2.5μF	10C/960	892		
C ₄₃	25μμF	10C/2007	919	C ₉₃	4.0μF	10C/979	911		
C ₄₄	240μμF	10C/2008	920	C ₉₄ *	1.0μF	10C/960	892		
C ₄₅	240μμF	10C/2008	920	C ₉₅	0.5μF	10C/970 or 10C/3401	902 1664		
C ₄₆	80μμF	10C/2009	921		0.02μF	10C/2000 or 10C/4258	912 2203		
C ₄₇	80μμF	10C/2009	921	C ₉₇	2μμF	10C/2001	913		
C ₄₈	200μμF	10C/2010	922	C ₉₈	2μμF	10C/2001	913		
		10C/961 or	893	C ₉₉	100μμF	10C/2006	918		
C ₄₉	0.1μF	10C/3399	1662	C ₁₀₀	200μμF	10C/2010	922		
C ₅₀	0.1μF	with C ₄₁		C ₁₀₁	4μμF	10C/2002	914		
				C ₁₀₂	0.001μF	10C/651	782		
				C ₁₀₃	0.005μF	10C/964 or 10C/4256	896 2201		
				C ₁₀₄	75μμF. var.	10C/968	900		
				C ₁₀₅	0.1μF	10C/2003	915		
				C ₁₀₆	65μμF	10C/2649	1265		
				C ₁₀₇	0.1μF	10C/2003	915		

Annotation	Value	Stores Ref.	Type	Annotation	Value	Stores Ref.	Type
C_{108}	0-0002 μ F	10C/972 or 10C/2719	904 1322	C_{111}	160 μ F	10C/4923	2613
$C_{109}\dagger$	10 cms.			C_{113}	30 μ F	10C/4922	2612
C_{110}	40 μ F	10C/853	858	C_{114}	160 μ F	10C/4923	2613
					8 μ F	10C/3860	1949

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* $C_1 + C_{92} + C_{94}$ Block † $C_3 + C_4 + C_5$ Block ‡ In early receivers || In R.1155A and R.1155B

RESISTANCES

Annotation	Value in ohms	Stores Ref. No.	Type	Annotation	Value in ohms	Stores Ref. No.	Type
R_1	2,000 or 4,700	10C/1001	1,001	R_{37}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010
R_2	1,200	10C/1002	1,002	R_{38}	100,000	10C/993	993
R_3	1,200	10C/1002	1,002	R_{39}	56,000	10C/1008	1,008
R_4	120	10C/1003	1,003	R_{40}	1,500	10C/1082	1,082
R_5	1,000	10C/11667	500	R_{41}	1,500	10C/1082	1,082
R_6	1,500	10C/124	592	R_{42}	2,200	10C/691	875
R_7	270	10C/1505	1,505	R_{43}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006
$R_8(1)$	50,000	10C/1000	1,000	R_{44}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010
$R_8(2)$	500,000	} dual pot.		R_{45}	100,000	10C/993	993
R_9	2 M		10C/1004	1,004	R_{46}	1,500	10C/1082
R_{10}	150,000	10C/11382	478	R_{47}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006
R_{11}	150,000	10C/11382	478	R_{48}	6,800 or 3,300	10C/991	991
R_{12}	27,000	10C/1005	1,005	R_{49}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006
R_{13}	1 M	10C/11384	480	R_{50}	6,800 or 3,300	10C/991	991
R_{14}	1,000	10C/11667	500			10C/1464	1,464
R_{15}	30,000	10C/1007	1,007	R_{51}	20,000 pot	10C/999	999
R_{16}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006	R_{52}	6,800	10C/991	991
R_{17}	1,500	10C/1082	1,082	R_{53}	560,000	10C/992	992
R_{18}	10,000	10C/777	906	R_{54}	56,000	10C/1008	1,008
R_{19}	56,000	10C/1008	1,008	R_{55}	56,000	10C/1008	1,008
R_{20}	56,000	10C/1008	1,008	R_{56}	240	10C/995	995
R_{21}	470,000	10C/989	989	R_{57}	560,000	10C/992	992
R_{22}	1,000	10C/11667	500	R_{58}	2,200	10C/691	875
R_{23}	20,000	10C/998	998	R_{59}	220,000	10C/648	855
	(min. 6,000)			R_{60}	220,000	10C/648	855
R_{24}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010	R_{61}	1,200	10C/1081	1,081
R_{25}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010	R_{62}	2.2 M	10C/996	996
R_{26}	100,000	10C/993	993	R_{63}	2.2 M	10C/996	996
R_{27}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006	R_{64}	200 or 100	10C/1634	1,634
R_{28}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010			10C/2006	918
R_{29}	100,000	10C/993	993	R_{65}	10,000	10C/11671	505
R_{30}	2,200	10C/691	875	R_{66}	10,000	10C/11671	505
R_{31}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006	R_{67}	22,000	10C/1278 or 10C/1010	1,278 1,010
R_{32}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010			10C/1008	1,008
R_{33}	100,000	10C/993	993	R_{68}	56,000	10C/1008	1,008
R_{34}	2,200	10C/691	875	R_{69}	100	10C/2006	918
R_{35}	22,000	10C/1010	1,010	R_{70}	1,000	10C/11667	500
R_{36}	27,000	10C/1006	1,006	R_{71} *	150,000		

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R_1 normally 2,000 ohms but in certain receivers 4,700 ohms.

R_{44} is 100 ohms ; R_{69} (100 ohms) fitted.

R_{46} , R_{60} are 6,800 ohms but in certain receivers 3,300 ohms.

* In R.1155A and R.1155B.

TABLE A—(Contd.)

NAVIGATOR-OPERATED RECEIVER

SOCKET P ₃	PLUG P ₂	PLUG P ₁
Points and connector detail as for single receiver (above)		CONNECTOR Socket, type 299 Dumet 7 (to power unit) Plug, type 336 Ducl 4 (to telephones) Terminal block B (2-way) Unicl 4 (to aerial) Cable end eye

The connexion points are numbered in accordance with the above table and are shown, as viewed from the back, in fig. 3.

24. The incorporation, before the frequency-changer, of the R.F. amplifier stage, represented by the valve V₃ and its associated circuits, leads to an increase in the signal-to-noise ratio and to an improved image ratio or suppression of second channel interference. It also prevents the frequency-changer from overloading and obviates any tendency to cross modulation which would otherwise develop.

25. The anode circuit of the valve V₃ is inductively coupled to the grid circuit of a frequency-changer valve V₄. Operation of the switch FS, through its section FS_{yt}, brings into the anode circuit of V₃ and the grid circuit of the valve V₄, one of the RANGE coils L₇, L₈, L₉, L₁₀ or L₁₁, which are R.F. transformers tuned in their secondary circuits by a condenser C₈₃ forming part of the three-ganged assembly with C₈₂ and C₈₄. The use of a tuned secondary circuit brings about a greater stage gain with increased stability and is generally preferred to a circuit in which a tuned primary is used.

26. The grid circuit coils of the assemblies L₇, L₈, L₉, L₁₀ and L₁₁ are, further, "trimmed" by variable condensers C₈₆, C₈₅, C₈₄, C₈₃ and C₈₂. The M.F. RANGES 3, 4 and 5 are also equipped with an accurately adjusted common rejector circuit consisting of a coil L₁₂ and a fixed condenser C₈₇. This combination constitutes a frequency filter tuned to the I.F. of 560 kc/s. The circuit eliminates the possibility of instability due to I.F. feedback *via* the circuits of V₃ either at the low frequency end of RANGE 3 or at the high frequency end of RANGE 4.

27. In the absence of the filter circuit L₁₂ and C₈₇, should the impedance of the tuned grid circuits of L₉, L₁₀ or L₁₁ become appreciably near, or actually equal to, that of the I.F. feedback might occur, either due to the direct influence of the stray field in the circuit itself, or by the amplification of the valve V₃. The inclusion of the circuit of L₁₂ and C₈₇ causes the impedance of the grid circuit of the valve V₄ to fall very sharply at the I.F. thereby preventing feedback due to either of the causes mentioned above.

28. The valve V₄ is a triode hexode and combines the functions of a first detector and a R.F. oscillator. The incoming signal frequency, amplified by the stage V₃, is admitted at the signal grid of the hexode portion of V₄. The screen grids are internally joined and form a screening electrode for the internal injector grid which is directly connected to the grid of the triode portion of V₄. The triode portion is the R.F. oscillator and this functions at a frequency which is, at all times, greater than the signal frequency by 560 kc/s. The signal and oscillator frequencies are "mixed" electronically within the valve V₄ and the resultant difference frequency of 560 kc/s appears in the anode circuit of the hexode portion. A complete theoretical discussion of the super-heterodyne principles can be found in Chapter XI of A.P.1093.

29. The screen grid of the valve V₄ derives its H.T. voltage through a resistance R₃₆ which forms part of a potentiometer composed of R₃₆, R₃₇ and R₁ across the supply. The condenser C₃₆ serves to decouple the circuit from the common cathode, which is at earth potential. A grid condenser for the triode, or oscillator portion, is C₃₅ and a resistance R₃₉ is a grid leak. The oscillator circuit consists of a tuned anode circuit loosely coupled to an untuned grid circuit. The grid circuit is switched, according to the RANGE, by the switch section FS_{zt} and embraces the primary windings of the transformers L₁₃, L₁₄, L₁₅, L₁₆ or L₁₇. A condenser C₃₇ is a blocking condenser and a resistance R₃₈ a decoupler. These components are the counterpart of C₄₀ and R₄₆ mentioned in para. 22.

30. The oscillator anode circuit, switched by the switch sections FS_{2r} and FS_{2l} , consists of the secondary windings of L_{13} , L_{14} , L_{15} , L_{16} or L_{17} , all of which are tuned by a condenser C_{82} . On the RANGES 3, 4 and 5 the anode is tap connected, through the switch section FS_{2r} , from the secondary of the coil L_{15} , L_{16} or L_{17} whilst on RANGES 1 and 2 the anode is coupled through separate small R.F. choke coils L_{18a} or L_{18b} . The choke coils are of such a value and arrangement that, with the stray capacitance across them, they resonate at a frequency just below the lowest frequency in their respective bands.

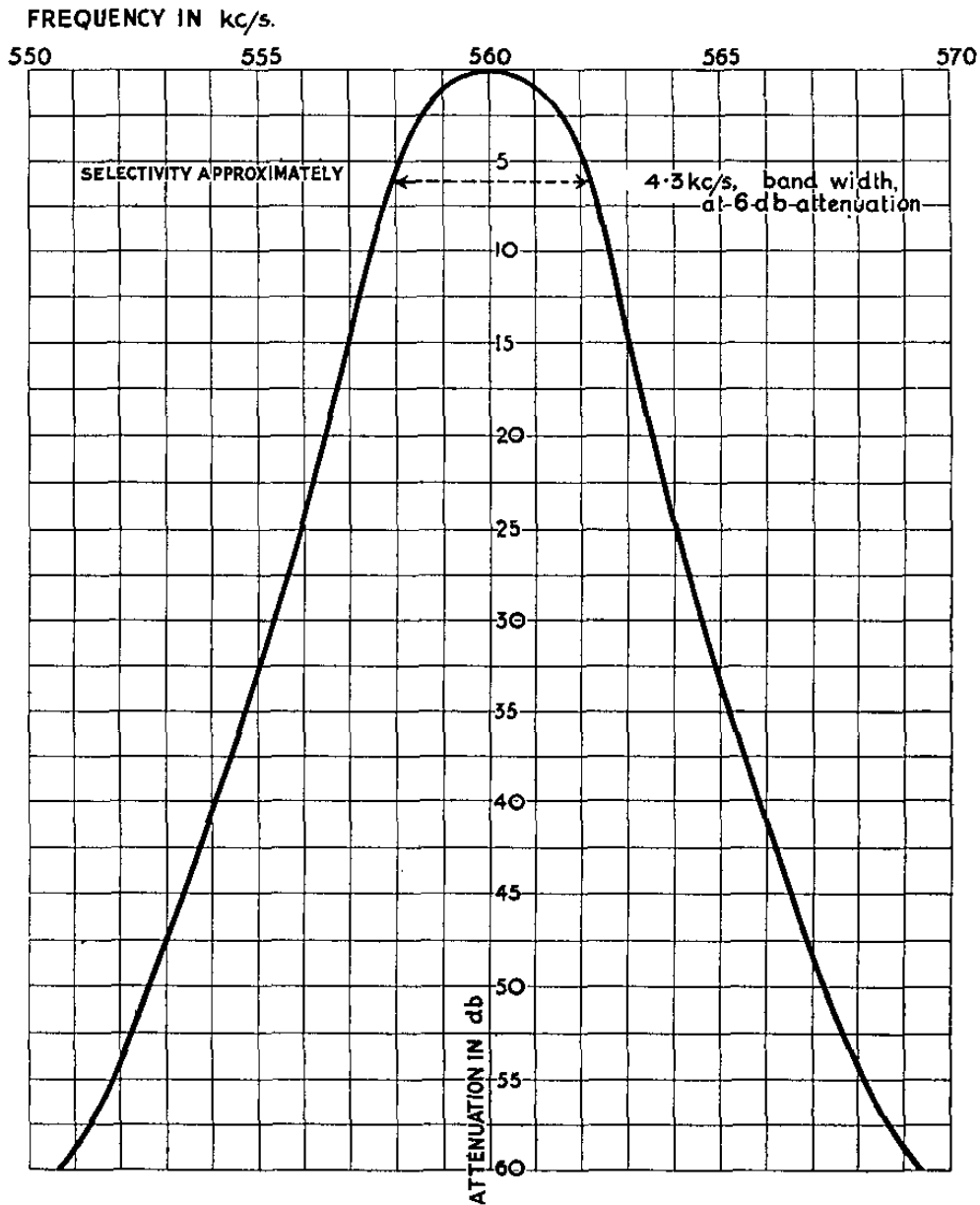


FIG. 5.—I.F. RESPONSE CURVE

31. The combination of L_{18a} or L_{18b} , with the condensers C_{78} or C_{79} , provides for the maintenance of the correct coupling between the anode and the tuned circuit throughout the frequency band. The design of the circuit is calculated to give a high degree of frequency stability on the H.F. RANGES, particularly in the obviation of initial frequency drift due to changes in valve constants either during the heating-up process or caused by replacements. There is, in consequence, a greater retention of calibration accuracy than in more conventional circuit arrangements.

32. Stability is materially assisted in the oscillator circuits also, by the incorporation of fixed condensers, which, in conjunction with trimmer condensers, keep the oscillator tuning at a constant difference from the incoming signal tuning circuits. These condensers are identified as C_{77} , C_{78} ,

C_{75} , C_{74} and C_{73} and they decrease the maximum capacitance of the tuning condenser C_{82} . The absolute minimum capacitance of C_{82} is determined by the small fixed condenser C_{81} which is effective over all RANGES; pre-set trimmer condensers C_{68} to C_{72} determine the lower limits for each RANGE. A condenser C_{34} is a R.F. by-pass or decoupler for all RANGES.

33. The receiver includes two stages of I.F. amplification employing three band-pass coupling units. The peaked nature of these coupling units is shown in the response curve of fig. 5, the selectivity of the I.F. circuits being of the order of a bandwidth of from 4 kc/s to 6 kc/s for an attenuation of 6 db, and about 8.5 kc/s bandwidth for an attenuation of 20 db. Very little mutual inductive coupling exists between the tuned circuits of the band-pass units, the coupling being effected by the small condensers C_{97} , C_{98} and C_{101} . The coils are adjusted to the I.F. of 560 kc/s by means of dust-iron cores, there being no adjustable capacitance across the coils.

34. The anode of the hexode portion of the valve V_4 is joined to the primary of the 1st I.F. transformer L_{19} , the connexion to the H.T. positive being made from the opposite end of the primary winding through a decoupler resistance R_{34} . The circuit is decoupled by a condenser C_{32} . A fixed condenser C_{86} is across the primary winding of L_{19} , C_{85} occupying a similar position for the secondary winding. The I.F. transformer is by-passed to earth through a condenser C_{33} and decoupled for biasing purposes, by a resistance R_{33} .

35. The I.F. amplifier valves V_5 and V_6 are aligned grid variable-mu pentodes. The I.F. transformer units between V_5 and V_6 and between V_6 and the subsequent stage V_8 are similar to that of the V_4 - V_5 stage. The second I.F. unit comprises the primary and secondary windings of L_{20} with the coupling condenser C_{99} and the fixed condensers C_{87} and C_{88} . The third I.F. unit is composed of L_{21} , a coupling condenser C_{101} and the fixed condensers C_{89} and C_{90} .

36. The output from the I.F. amplifier valve V_6 which passes through the I.F. transformer unit L_{21} , is taken to one diode of an indirectly-heated double diode triode common cathode valve V_8 . The diode acts as a second detector, the triode section functioning as the output valve. Another function of the valve V_8 will be dealt with later in this chapter (see para. 59).

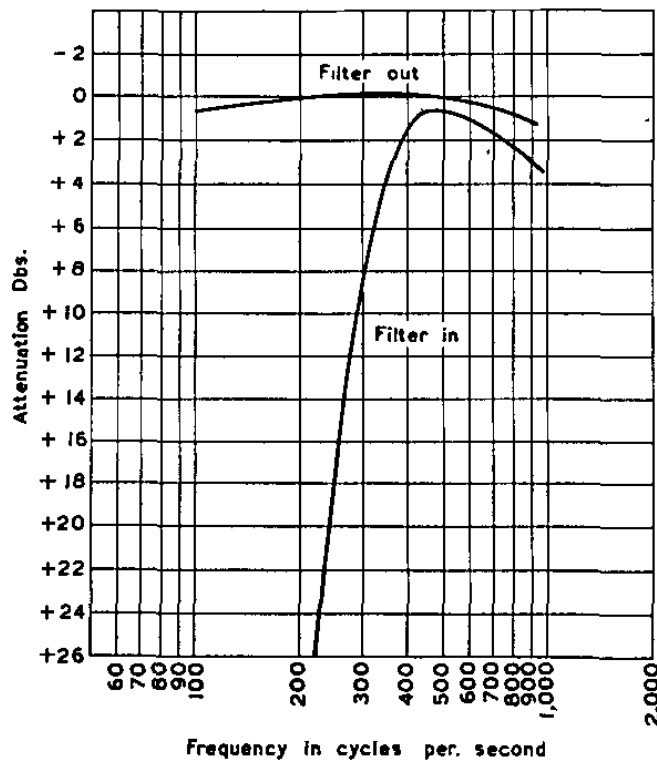


FIG. 6.—L.F. FILTER CHARACTERISTICS.

37. The rectified voltage from the diode detector is developed across a resistance R_{31} . A resistance R_{20} , in conjunction with a condenser C_8 , forms part of a R.F. filter system to prevent R.F. being passed to the A.F. circuit. A condenser C_{35} with C_1 decouples the cathode. The A.F. passes through a network comprising R_{67} and two series condensers C_6 and C_9 to a potentiometer $R_{8(a)}$, the variable contact of which is connected to the grid of the valve V_8 . Before the potentiometer $R_{8(a)}$ there is a L.F. filter "T" network composed of the condensers C_8 and C_9 with a condenser C_{10} , passing from their junction, to an A.F. choke coil L_{22} and earth.

38. The A.F. filter network, which may be switched in or out of circuit by a switch S_5 , prevents the greater proportion of the frequencies below 300 c/s from reaching the volume control $R_{8(2)}$ and the output stage. The filter removes part of the aircraft electrical and ignition noises. The diagram of fig. 6 gives the A.F. filter characteristics. The attenuation of 300 c/s is approximately 9 db and below that frequency the curve drops 1 db, for, approximately, every 5 c/s. It is a test requirement for this filter that not less than 21 db attenuation takes place at 200 c/s.

39. The voltage developed across $R_{8(2)}$ is admitted *via* the grid of V_8 , the anode impedance of which is the primary of an output transformer L_{30} , by-passed to earth by a condenser C_{25} and connected directly to the H.T. positive input terminal. A condenser C_{105} and resistance R_{28} decouple the cathode bias resistance R_{22} in the triode section of V_8 .

Gain control of communications receiver (manual)

40. The R.F. gain of the valves V_3 , V_4 , V_5 and V_6 is controlled by the application of varying degrees of grid bias to their respective grids and is manually effected by the potentiometer $R_{8(1)}$. When the master switch MS is in the OMNI position the grid of the output valve V_8 is joined through section MS_{af} to the top end, that is, further from the H.T. negative, of the A.F. volume control $R_{8(2)}$ and the variable slider is out of circuit. The full A.F. voltage is therefore applied to the grid of V_8 . The automatic volume control (A.V.C.) system is inoperative.

41. With the switch at OMNI the circuits are:—

- (i) A fixed potentiometer R_{10} , R_{11} and R_{12} is connected, through the switch contacts MS_{af} , to the slider of the manual gain control $R_{8(1)}$.
- (ii) The A.V.C. diodes (strapped together) of V_7 are connected, through the load resistance R_9 , to a point 3.6 volts negative along the resistances R_3 and R_4 , the rectified voltage across R_9 operating the tuning indicator V_{10} .
- (iii) On RANGES 1 and 2 the switch FS_{wr} connects R_{64} and R_{69} (if fitted) across R_4 to reduce the minimum bias voltage and also the delay on the operating voltage of the indicator V_{10} .

42. The chassis is, approximately, 30 volts positive with respect to H.T. negative. The method by which this figure and that of the 3.6 volts negative, previously mentioned, are assessed may be rendered less obscure by the diagram of fig. 7. It is convenient to consider potentiometer networks across the supply, an example of which is R_{13} , R_{44} , chassis and R_1 . The effective resistance of these circuits, having regard to the switch positions, gives a basis for calculation. Effective resistance should not be confused with the values appearing on the component table shown on fig. 3.

43. The resistance R_1 has, at a minimum, $R_3 + R_4$ in parallel with it and these form a potential divider so that 26.4 volts are across R_3 and 3.6 volts across R_4 . The manual volume control $R_{8(1)}$ is connected across R_3 and any voltage between —3.6 and —30 can be applied to V_5 and V_4 for grid bias. This voltage is broken down by means of the fixed potentiometer R_{10} , R_{11} and R_{12} for connexion to V_6 and V_3 (see fig. 7).

Automatic volume control

44. Automatic control of the gain of the valves V_3 , V_4 , V_5 and V_6 is effected by the strength of the received signals when the master switch MS is in the A.V.C. position. Manual control of the A.F. from the second detector diode of V_8 to the output valve, that is, the triode of V_8 , is also provided from the potentiometer $R_{8(2)}$. The controls of $R_{8(1)}$ and $R_{8(2)}$ are ganged for simplification of operation and the joint front panel control is labelled VOLUME CONTROL. The position of the master switch MS determines which of the potentiometers is operative:—OMNI for $R_{8(1)}$, A.V.C. for $R_{8(2)}$.

45. The received signal which is applied to the grid of the R.F. amplifier valve V_8 , detected and frequency-changed at V_4 , is amplified at I.F. by V_5 and V_6 . The amplified I.F. voltage appears across the primary winding of the third I.F. transformer L_{21} . This primary winding is tapped and a proportion of the R.F. voltage is led to the strapped diodes of the indirectly-heated double diode triode valve V_7 . Rectification takes place and the rectified current flows through a series R.F. choke coil L_{23} , a resistance capacitance filter and decoupling circuit composed of R_{68} and the condensers C_{108} and C_{103} .

46. At A.V.C., BALANCE and VISUAL, the switch MS_{af} disconnects the slider of $R_{8(1)}$ and connects the fixed potentiometer network R_{10} , R_{11} and R_{12} across R_9 , the A.V.C. diode (V_7) load which has a delay of —3.6-V due to the drop across R_4 in series with R_3 . On RANGES 1 and 2 this delay is reduced to —2.4-V by switching R_{64} (and R_{69} , if fitted) across R_4 . The rectified current flows through R_{10} , R_{11} and R_{12} , with R_9 in parallel, back to the cathode *via* R_4 . The

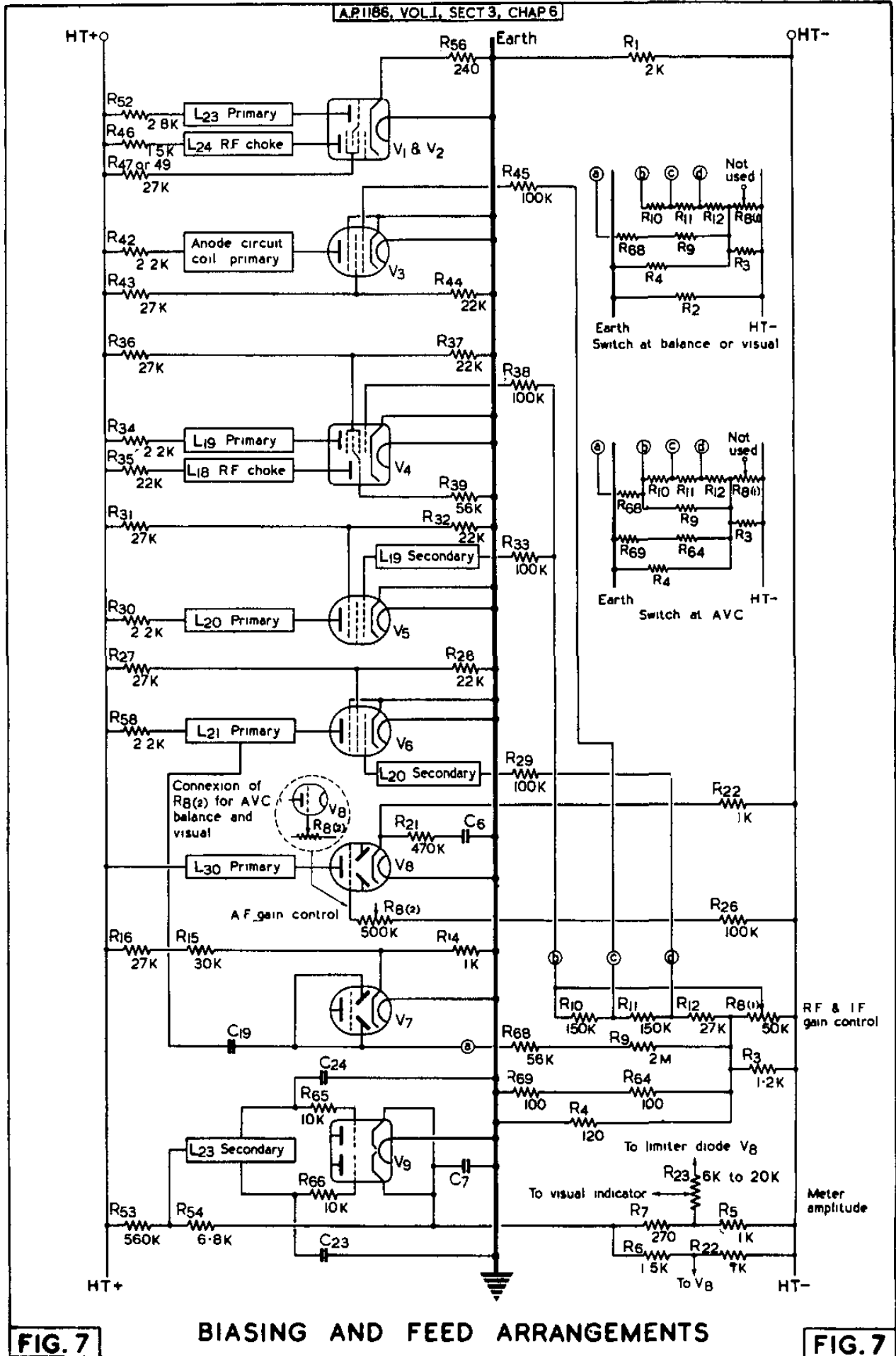


FIG. 7

BIASING AND FEED ARRANGEMENTS

FIG. 7

voltage developed across R_9 and the network R_{10} , R_{11} and R_{12} is divided to suit V_3 and V_6 . On BALANCE and VISUAL, C_{94} is shunted across R_9 to give a longer time constant and reduce the flicker of V_{10} .

47. The R.F. amplifier valve V_3 receives approximately one half the full value of the biasing voltage, through the line A.V.C.2, tapping the junction of R_{10} and R_{11} , and the grid-return circuit includes the resistance-capacitance circuit of R_{45} and C_{40} preventing back-coupling between V_3 and V_4 , V_5 and V_6 and has a time-constant which is much longer than the lowest incoming signal frequency and which has been previously mentioned. The frequency changer V_4 and the first I.F. amplifier V_5 receive full A.V.C. bias voltage from the top end of the resistance R_{10} through the line A.V.C.3 and decoupling combinations $R_{38}-C_{37}$ and $R_{35}-C_{33}$ respectively. The second I.F. valve V_6 receives approximately one-tenth of the bias volts through the circuit $R_{29}-C_{30}$.

48. The A.V.C is subjected to a voltage delay of approximately 13 volts, that is, it does not come into operation until the received carrier reaches the pre-determined level of strength, represented by the 13 volts. This delay is partially accomplished by running the cathode of V_7 positive with respect to its diode by means of resistances R_{14} and R_{15} which are connected with R_{16} between H.T. positive and earth. An additional resistance R_{16} is introduced on C.W. to reduce this delay voltage. The full delay voltage is a composition of the voltage produced here and the standing bias on the R.F. valves (see para. 50). The voltage delay assists in giving an A.V.C. characteristic which, for a change in input signal of 80 db results in a change in output of approximately 8 db.

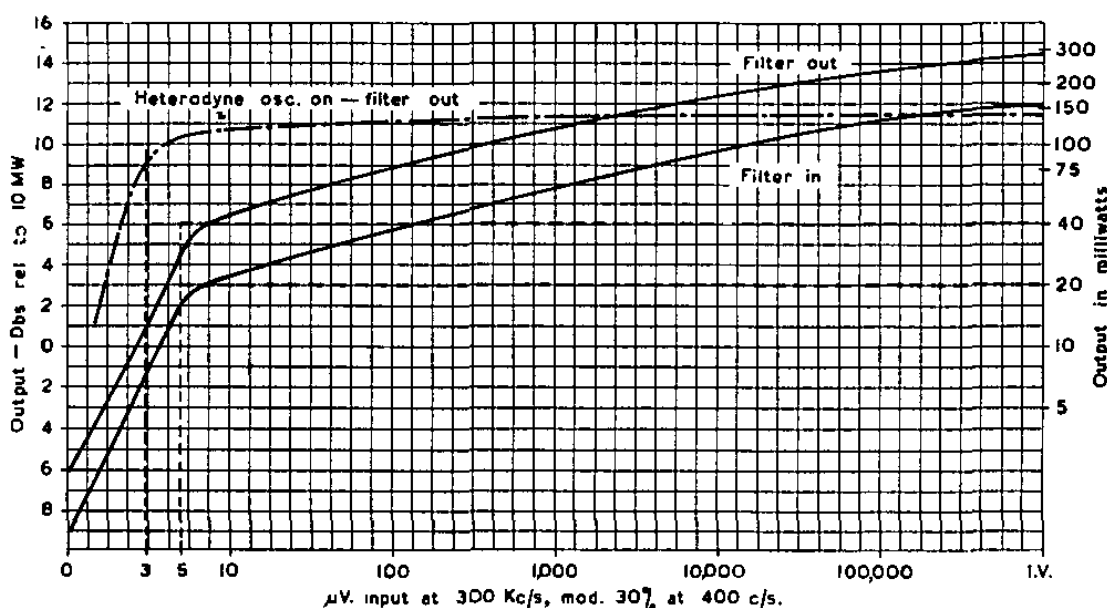


FIG. 8.—A.V.C. CHARACTERISTICS

49. The A.V.C. characteristic curves of fig. 8 are taken on an input of from 1 μ volt to 1 volt ($10^6 \mu$ volt) and show an output in decibels with an arbitrary zero at 10 milliwatts. The curves show the output plotted against input voltages at 300 kc/s, modulated 30 per cent. at 400 c/s. No curve is given for a "no control" condition, that is, with A.V.C. removed, but it is indicated by the steep straight portions of the curves which show a slope of approximately 16 db for 10 times the voltage. The effect of the A.V.C. is to level off the curves, at inputs above 5 μ volt, to a slope of approximately the same input voltage as with the filter IN but the slope is a trifle less steep. The heterodyne oscillator ON curve, with filter OUT, is practically level and comes into operation at a lower input voltage. The A.V.C. action is clearly defined by the sharp bend in all curves. There is nowhere any indication of excessive modulation rise. The input/output characteristics of the receiver are shown in fig. 9. These are taken for R.F. sensitivity, with or without the L.F. filter in circuit, and the carrier input of 300 kc/s is modulated 30 per cent. at 400 c/s. Since this description was written a fresh specification provides for 210 kc/s, 10 mW at 100 μV and 32 mW at 104 μV .

50. As mentioned in para. 22 in connexion with the R.F. amplifier valve V_3 none of the A.V.C. controlled valves are automatically biased by cathode resistances. To preserve a standing bias on the cathode during no-signal periods, therefore, the resistance network of R_{12} , R_{11} and R_{10} is returned to a point (R_9) which is 3.6 volts negative with respect to the cathodes. On RANGES 1 and 2 (H.F.)

this standing bias is reduced to approximately 2.5 volts in order to preserve reasonably constant amplification over the five RANGES. On these RANGES the resistances R_{64} and R_{69} are included in the circuit.

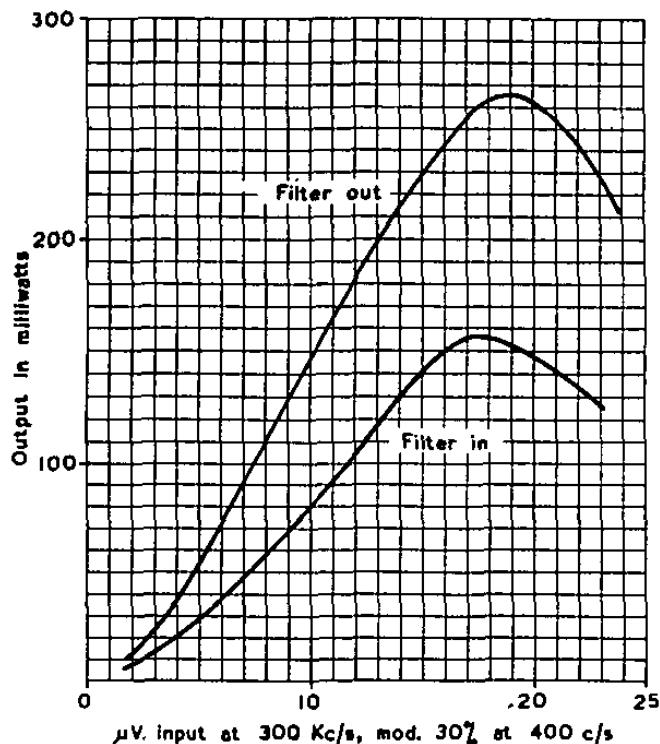


FIG. 9.—INPUT/OUTPUT CHARACTERISTICS

Beat frequency oscillator

51. In addition to providing the A.V.C. the valve V_7 also acts as a beat frequency oscillator, the triode section of the valve being used for this purpose. The oscillatory circuit consists of a coil L_{22} and the condensers C_{14} and C_{15} in the Colpitt's arrangement, the anode and grid circuits being capacitance coupled. A variable pre-set condenser C_{13} enables the beat frequency to be adjusted by means of screwdriver control to a variation of approximately 3 kc/s. The grid condenser is C_{17} and a grid-leak resistance R_{19} gives the grid its correct negative potential. The oscillatory circuit is tuned to approximately half the I.F., that is, to 280 kc/s and the second harmonic is used to heterodyne the incoming signal. The use of second harmonic prevents "pulling" of the two oscillations into synchrony which would give no resultant A.F. note. A peak voltage of, approximately, 42 volts is produced and this gives optimum heterodyne.

52. The H.T. for the oscillatory circuit is fed in series with the tuning coil L_{22} , R_{17} and C_{12} , forming a decoupling circuit, and R_{18} a choke to R.F. The condenser C_{15} provides for the 180 degrees out-of-phase grid/cathode voltage. The output from the oscillator is coupled *via* C_{11} to the signal diode of V_8 where it mixes with the I.F. signals, the resultant A.F. beat being produced across the diode load $R_{21}-C_6$.

The tuning indicator

53. Correct tuning of the receiver is indicated by means of a cathode ray indicator V_{10} . The indicator gives a varying shadow angle on a fluorescent anode, the angle of light being dependent upon the voltage developed across the resistance R_9 which is the diode load on OMNI (see paras. 41 to 43). The anode of the triode portion of V_{10} is connected to H.T. positive through a resistance R_{13} the grid being fed from the voltage developed across R_9 . A potential difference thus exists between the fluorescent anode and the triode anode. The greater the difference in potential between these anodes, the greater the deflection of the electronic stream.

54. The deflection of the electronic stream is brought about by a wire which is in the direct path of the stream. This wire is adjacent to the fluorescent anode but slightly off-centre from it, and is joined to the anode of the triode section. In the absence of a signal the voltage drop through R_{13} makes the wire negative with respect to the fluorescent anode repelling the electronic stream and producing a V-section. When a strong signal is received, the control grid becomes more negative with consequent reduction in the triode anode current and of the voltage across R_{13} . This

FIG. 10

These connections removed when MS switch at OMNI A.V.C. of FIG. 8

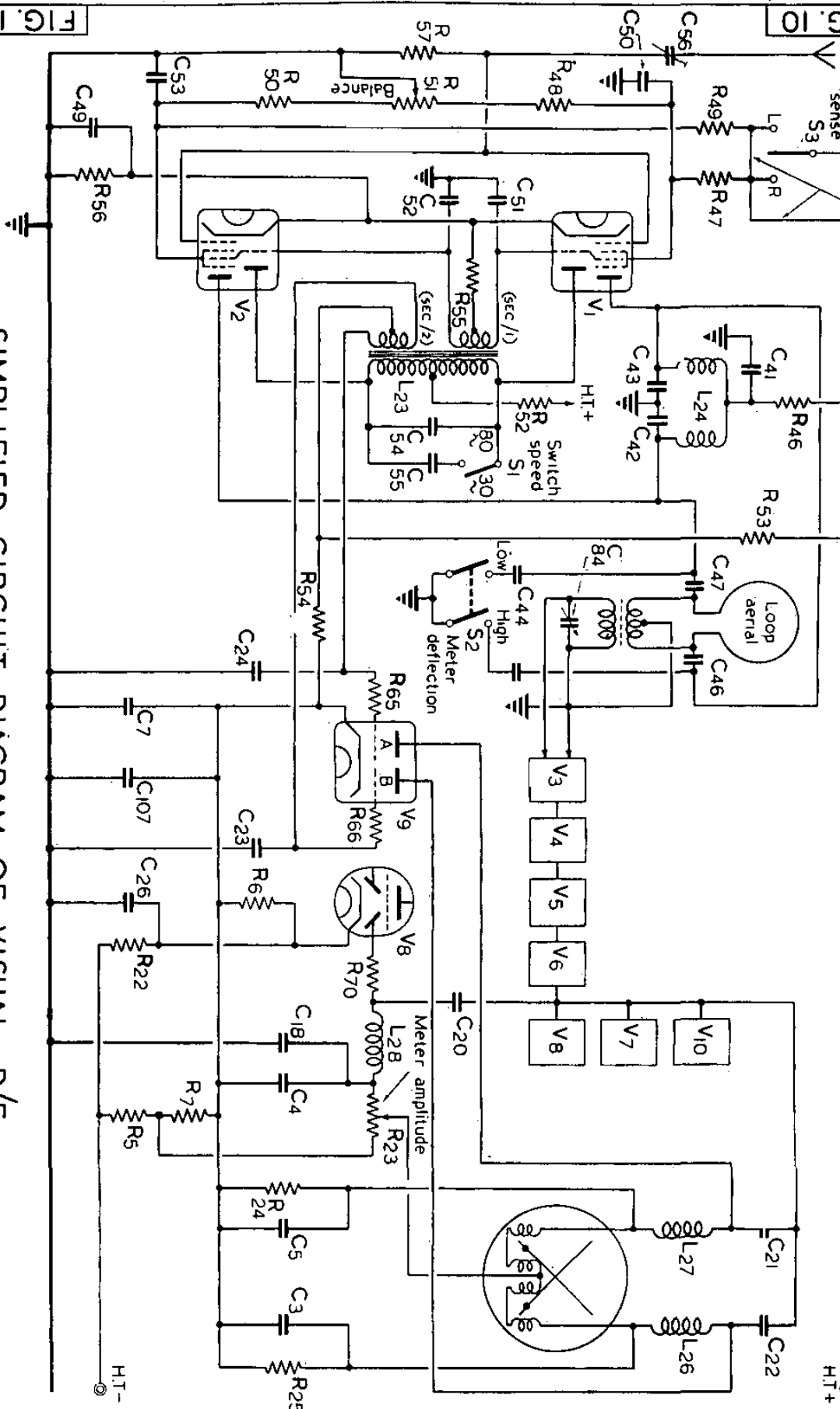


FIG. 10

SIMPLIFIED CIRCUIT DIAGRAM OF VISUAL D/F

in turn causes a smaller potential difference between the two anodes, and the electron stream will be repelled less, giving a smaller V . The direct bombardment illuminates a greater part of the fluorescent anode and a greater part of the indicator will be coloured green.

The D/F circuits

55. The frequency ranges covered by the R.1155 for D/F purposes are primarily the RANGES 3, 4 and 5, covering from 1,500 kc/s to 75 kc/s. Provision is also made for D/F reception on the RANGE 2, from 7.5 Mc/s to 3 Mc/s. The change from the communication circuit to the D/F circuit is made by means of the switch MS, the OMNI or plain reception and A.V.C. positions of which have already been described. A simplified circuit diagram of the visual D/F system is shown in fig. 10.

56. The following operations can be performed with the receiver when coupled to a suitable D/F loop:—

- (i) Determination of bearings of a selected transmitting station either visually or aurally with sense discrimination.
- (ii) Homing on to a transmitter by the visual method, in which the loop is set athwartship (except in special circumstances) and the course determined by the point of intersection of the twin needles on the centre line of the scale.

57. Primarily, the receiver has been designed to work in conjunction with the loop aerial, type 3, which has a nominal inductance of $100 \mu\text{H}$ and self-capacitance, when installed, of $20 \mu\mu\text{F}$. In order to effect a match between this aerial and the receiver, that is, to adjust the total impedance of loop and lead to the receiver adjustment, a small pre-set condenser C_{104} is provided, built into the loop lead terminating plug, parallel, in certain conditions, to the fixed condenser C_{106} shunting the loop. The condenser C_{106} is of small capacitance ($65 \mu\mu\text{F}$) and is included in circuit only when the total loop and lead capacitance is too small to enable tuning by C_{104} alone to be effected. Referring to fig. 3, it will be seen that the loop is connected through the switch sections MS_{ef} , MS_{er} and the frequency range switch section FS_{wf} to the input circuit of V_3 .

58. Suitable impedance matching units are provided for use with types of loop aerial other than the type 3, to enable the input tuned circuits to gang correctly with the other tuned circuits. These, are, normally, the impedance matching units, types 12, 13 or 15 and the application will be dealt with later in this chapter (paras. 136 to 142).

59. A general picture of the electron switching system should be obtained before commencing a study of the details of the circuits. D/F is accomplished by using:—

- (i) Signals received on a loop aerial.
- (ii) Signals received on a vertical aerial, and
- (iii) A twin-needle visual indicator meter or
- (iv) Aural methods.

60. The use of a loop aerial, or its electrical equivalent, is a fundamental feature of D/F and depends upon the fact that the E.M.F.'s induced in the vertical sides and, consequently, the resultant E.M.F. from the loop, is determined by the angle of the plane of the loop relative to the path of the transmitted wave. When the plane of the loop is at right-angles to the direction of the distant transmitter no signal is heard. The signals received upon the vertical aerial are unaffected by direction so that when the two aerial systems are operated together it will be seen that the resultant produces a cardioid polar diagram of reception.

61. The vertical aerial E.M.F.'s are injected into the loop aerial E.M.F. and, dependent upon whether they are in phase or in anti-phase with the instantaneous voltages of the loop, become additive to or subtractive from the loop voltages. This phasing process is brought about by a system of electronic switching which may occur either at a frequency of 30 c/s or of 80 c/s. The conjoint loop and vertical aerial E.M.F.'s are amplified and, finally, rectified. The rectified D.C. is then applied, synchronously with the original switching, by another electronic switch, alternately to the two moving coils of a visual indicator and drives the indicator needles up or down in accordance with the greater or lesser E.M.F.'s determined by the proportion of the loop aerial E.M.F.'s (resulting from the orientation of the loop) to the practically constant E.M.F.'s of the vertical aerial.

62. The twin needle indicator is a positive method of providing ON COURSE direction through the action of the differential currents upon the needles. The aural D/F methods are standard practice and are not complicated by the electronic switching processes referred to in the previous paragraph.

63. The switching of the visual indicator is accomplished by electronic means on what is known as the "switched heart" principle. The indirectly-heated triode hexode valves V_1 and V_2 switch the fixed aerial with relation to the loop at a predetermined frequency. A double triode valve,

referred to as the meter switching valve, switches the rectified output to the visual indicator. The two operations are synchronized. A limiter valve automatically controls the input to the indicating meter. The simplified diagrams of figs. 10, 11, 12 and 13 will assist in an understanding of the operations.

64. The expression "switched heart" is based on the typical cardioid reception polar diagram arising from a conjoint vertical aerial and loop aerial system. For convenience, polar diagrams of a loop aerial (A) system ("figure of eight") alone, a vertical aerial system (B) alone ("circle") and resultants from differing proportions in amplitude of the received waves (C), (D) and (E) are shown in the diagram of fig. 14.

65. Upon the reception of signals the E.M.F.'s of the fixed and loop aerial systems are 90 deg. out-of-phase. The application of the fixed aerial voltages to those of the loop aerial must, ultimately, however, be either in phase or in anti-phase. The essential phase-opposition is brought about by the valves V_1 and V_2 operating according to the well-known push-pull procedure. The necessary switching of V_1 and V_2 is controlled by a L.F. oscillatory system which is described in paras. 69 to 73.

66. Whilst the fixed aerial original signal is subjected to a phase-splitting process in V_1 and V_2 , the original angular difference ± 90 deg. between the voltage and that of the loop aerial, would still persist were the phase-restoring condensers C_{46} and C_{47} not incorporated in the circuit to bring the signals into phase and anti-phase.

67. The resultant potentials, that is, fixed aerial with loop aerial, ultimately appear across the variable condenser C_{84} , which is part of the tuned aerial circuit, and are amplified and finally rectified in the normal manner.

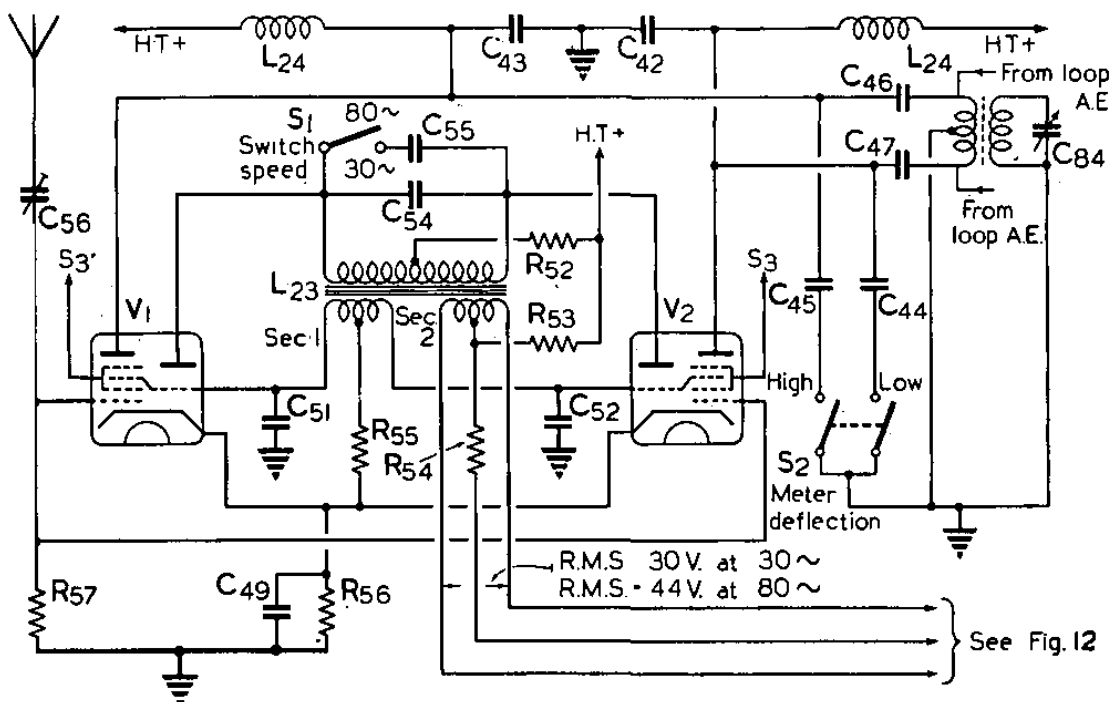


FIG. 11.—L.F. OSCILLATOR SWITCHING CIRCUIT

68. The visual circuit of the receiver consists of three principal valves, V_1 , V_2 and V_3 , together with one of the diodes of the valve V_3 . The fixed aerial component is capacitance coupled to the joined input grids of the hexode portions of the indirectly heated triode-hexode valves V_1 and V_2 . The coupling condenser is the pre-set variable condenser C_{56} which provides for an initial installation, adjustment of the amount of fixed aerial input to the switching valves. The resistance R_{57} is the grid return of V_1 and V_2 .

L.F. switching oscillator for D/F

69. The triode portions of the valves V_1 and V_2 are connected to form a push-pull L.F. oscillator the frequency of which is internally injected into the hexode section of the valves. The oscillator frequency is determined by the inductance of the primary winding of a L.F. transformer L_{23} directly connected between the anodes of the triodes in conjunction with two condensers C_{54} and C_{55} . Switching

is provided, by means of S_1 , to incorporate either C_{54} alone, in the oscillatory circuit, giving a frequency of 80 c/s, or to include C_{54} and C_{55} in parallel, giving a frequency of 30 c/s. The necessity for the two frequencies is explained in paras. 75 and 76.

70. The push-pull oscillator circuit brings about a condition in which the mutual inductive excited oscillator grids of V_1 and V_2 are in anti-phase. This is brought about by the phase-splitting process rendered possible by the centre-tapped secondary winding SEC_1 of L_{23} . Two equal voltages, 180 deg. out-of-phase are fed to the triode grids of V_1 and V_2 . The hexode anodes are connected differentially to the loop aerial circuit through the condensers C_{47} and C_{46} . Thus, when V_1 is amplifying and V_2 is not amplifying, anode current flows in one sense with respect to the loop whilst if V_2 is amplifying and V_1 not amplifying the current flows in the opposite sense.

71. At each valve, during the positive half-cycle, the oscillator grids are held at a uniform and slightly positive value. Grid current through the resistance R_{58} causes the oscillator grid to become only slightly positive due to the injector connexion and this positive voltage holds the hexode gain practically constant. During the negative half-cycle the full secondary voltage is applied to the oscillator grids. Due to the reservoir condenser C_{52} or C_{51} the negative volts block the hexode portions, rendering them inoperative for a longer period than would, normally, be the case during the negative half-cycles, thus bringing about a sharp cut-off.

72. Two condensers C_{51} and C_{52} have a value of capacitance which does not permit an appreciable negative charge to be built up due to rectifying action by the grids. These condensers by-pass to earth any R.F. voltages which might appear on the grids. The H.T. positive is series fed *via* the centre-point of the primary winding of L_{23} , R_{52} acting as a R.F. choke and voltage dropper for the anode. The voltages to the screens are dropped by the potentiometers R_{47} , R_{48} and R_{51} and R_{49} , R_{50} and R_{51} . The screens are by-passed to earth by C_{50} and C_{53} .

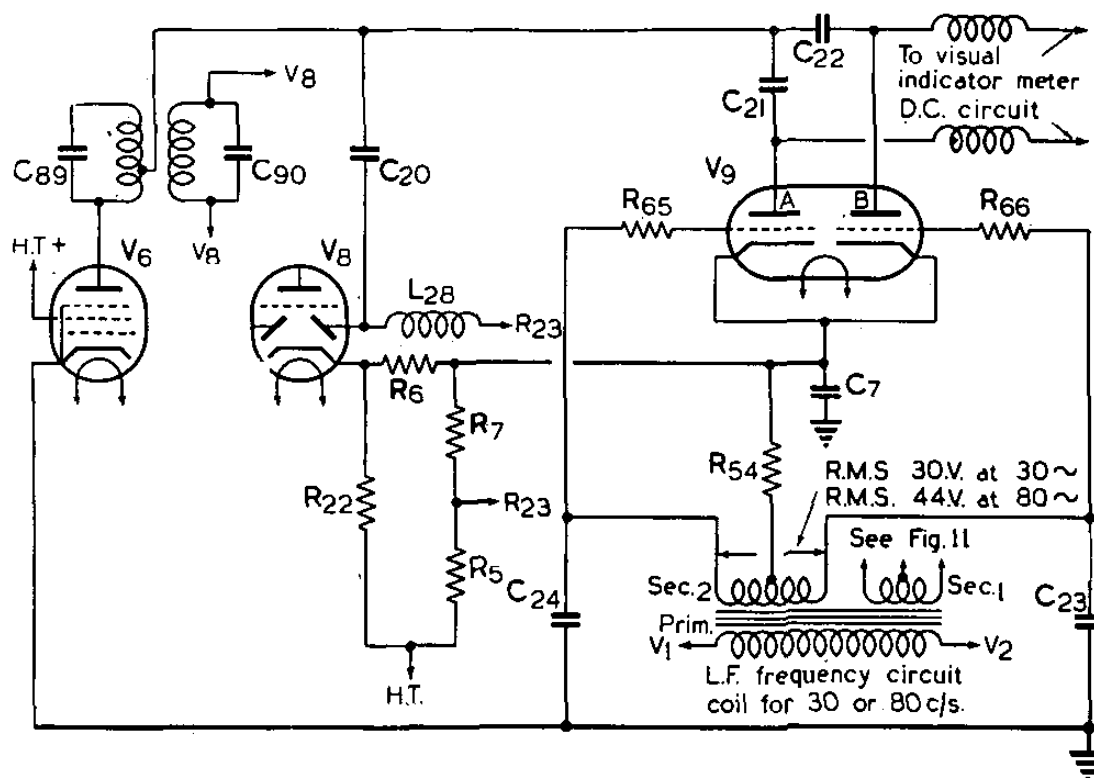


FIG. 12.—THE VISUAL METER SWITCHING CIRCUIT

73. A resistance R_{56} is a cathode biasing resistance for the valves V_1 and V_2 and is by-passed by a condenser C_{49} . The resistance R_{57} affords a grid return for the mixer valves. The potentiometer R_{51} , having two equal resistances R_{48} and R_{50} , one on either side of it, in the screen circuit of V_1 and V_2 , is used to balance the screens to earth. The potentiometer R_{51} is referred to later in this chapter (para. 94).

74. The combined potential differences (loop and fixed) across the condenser C_{84} are taken to the control grid of the valve V_3 and, following the sequence of the communications circuit, through the valves V_4 , V_5 and V_6 , are ultimately applied to the anodes of an indirectly-heated double-triode valve V_9 from a tapping on L_{21} *via* C_{21} or C_{22} . The anodes A and B (fig. 10) of V_9 act as diode

anodes and the valve functions as an electronic switching device by means of which the L.F. switching voltage from a second secondary winding SEC_2 of the oscillator transformer L_{23} is utilized to provide simultaneous switching of the receiver output to the visual indicator.

75. As indicated in fig. 12, the voltage from L_{23} which may be approximately 30 volts R.M.S. at 30 c/s or 44 volts peak at 80 c/s is applied to the two grids of the valve V_6 . The resistances R_{54} and R_{53} form a potentiometer to put a positive voltage between the grid and cathode of V_6 , reducing the valve impedance and increasing its sensitivity.

76. Whenever the fixed aerial voltage is switched by the action of the valves V_1 and V_2 there must, necessarily, be some interruption of the received signal at the time of phase reversal. The process of switching actually implies a condition in the valves V_1 and V_2 analogous to Class C amplifier operation, that is, that the valve working point is considerably beyond cut off. The negative pulses of grid voltages are high and the sudden phase reversal, causing cessation in the individual valves, tends to produce momentarily excessive harmonics with consequent wave distortion. This is reflected in the received signal as a "wobble" which is least noticeable when the axis of the loop is pointing in the direction of the transmission, that is, when the amplitude of the loop received signal is sufficiently high to tend to override the fixed aerial signal at the moment of phase reversal.

77. Interference with intelligibility of R.T. signals is negligible when the switching frequency is 30 c/s. For telegraphy, however, 30 c/s is too low a switching frequency and arrangements have, therefore, been made to provide an oscillator frequency of 80 c/s. As mentioned in para. 69, the L.F. oscillator frequency is determined by the primary winding of the transformer L_{23} and either the condenser C_{54} alone, for 80 c/s, or the condensers C_{54} and C_{53} in parallel, for 30 c/s. The frequency change is accomplished by the switch S_1 .

Meter deflection sensitivity

78. The "sharpness" of D/F bearing is determined by the relative amplitude of the fixed aerial voltage to that of the loop aerial. Variation of the fixed aerial voltage with respect to that of the loop will therefore make it possible to adjust for a high degree of sensitivity to change of direction. As will be seen from the polar graph D of fig. 14, a displacement of a few degrees in the loop direction brings about a given change from maximum to minimum signals whereas, from graph E it will be appreciated that a considerably greater angular displacement is required to bring about the same change from maximum to minimum signals.

79. The valves V_1 and V_2 , with their associated circuits, are electrically balanced to provide for equal gain during their respective operative half cycles. Variation of the fixed aerial voltage input to the valve grids would result in a reduction in the gain of the valves but would also reduce the signal to valve noise ratio. The amplitude of the fixed aerial voltage introduced into the loop aerial circuit has therefore been reduced by the introduction of two condensers C_{43} and C_{42} which may be switched between the anodes of V_1 and V_2 and earth by means of the ON-OFF switch S_2 which is the METER SENSITIVITY SWITCH. The sensitivity is HIGH when the switch S_2 is ON.

80. When the switch S_2 is ON and the two condensers C_{44} and C_{45} are in circuit, maximum deflection of the visual indicator occurs when the loop aerial is offset from the true bearing by a small amount. When taking bearings by the visual method therefore, the switch S_2 should be closed. When the switch S_2 is open and C_{44} and C_{45} are out of circuit, maximum deflection does not take place until the loop is off-set by a considerably greater number of degrees. This condition is used for "homing" as the "blunting" of direction sensitivity enables an approximate COURSE to be maintained without the strain of constant search and correction imposed by the sharper indication obtaining when the switch S_2 is open.

The visual indicator, type 1

81. The visual indicating meter is of the twin needle type giving an ON COURSE indication by the intersection of two needles on the centre line of a scale. The position of the point of intersection is dependent upon the amount of current passing through the circuits associated with each needle. The presence of signal voltages automatically ensures that the point of intersection of the two needles lies on the working part of the scale. The no-signal condition is shown by a complete collapse of the needles. The indicator is dealt with in greater detail in paras. 195 to 198.

82. A certain advantage attaches to the use of a twin-needle indicator when compared with the single needle indicating instrument. In the latter type the ON COURSE signal is indicated when the needle is at the central position, that is, no current is flowing through the meter. There is, in consequence, no means of determining, visually, whether the needle is actually giving the ON COURSE indication or whether its condition arises from failure of current through cessation of the signal or failure to receive. A simplified visual meter switching diagram is shown in fig. 13.

83. Referring to fig 13 the combined diode and switch action of the valve V_9 is presented in simplified form. Rectification of the signal impulses takes place at the anodes of V_9 and, as previously indicated, these may be regarded as diode anodes. The grids of V_9 alternately accept the L.F. oscillator switching voltage and the diodes are rendered conducting, or non-conducting, accordingly as the grids pass through positive or negative half cycles.

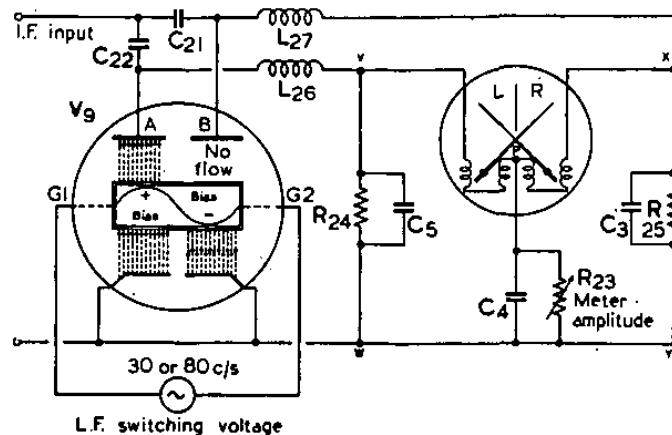


FIG. 13.—SIMPLIFIED VISUAL METER SWITCHING CIRCUIT

84. The grids of V_9 are represented as G_1 and G_2 and an idealized waveform is attached to them. This is, of course, merely conventional and does not represent the true condition. It will be seen that when the grid wave is in the positive half cycle the electronic flow is maintained between anode and cathode of the valve V_9 . When G_1 or G_2 is biased strongly negative the through current flow ceases. When either of these grids is biased slightly positive the current flow exists and the diode is operative. In synchronization with the reversal of phase in V_1 and V_2 so the application of the L.F. switching voltages to the grids G_1 and G_2 takes place.

85. The I.F. voltage from the secondary winding of L_{21} is applied to the anodes A and B of the valve V_9 and, according to the condition of G_1 and G_2 , it is rectified by the unilateral conductivity of the diode action. The effect of this rectified voltage upon the circuits associated with the visual indicator meter is described in the subsequent paragraphs.

86. The sections A and B of the valve V_9 pass current in quick succession (either 30 or 80 c/s) at values which are dependent upon the voltages resulting from the switched heart mentioned in para. 63. The condensers C_5 and C_3 become charged through the voltages developed across the anode load resistances R_{24} and R_{25} to values proportional to the mean currents in the sections A and B respectively.

87. The condensers C_5 and C_3 will tend to discharge through the coils of the visual indicator meter *via* the variable resistance R_{23} . When the charges are equal, that is when the current in sections A and B is equal, the indicator needles rise by an equal amount and intersect on the centre scale of the meter. If the charges in C_5 and C_3 are unequal, the needles rise to different heights giving intersection to left or right according to which section is passing the greater current.

88. Additionally, however, when the charges are unequal, current will pass from the point of greater charge to that of lesser charge in such a manner as to emphasize the deflection of the needle, bringing about a greater differential movement. As the resistance R_{23} is variable, the values of the currents can also be varied with the result that the height at which the needles intersect is controllable.

89. In the diagram of fig. 13 the potential points are indicated by V, X, Y, W and P. When C_3 and C_5 charges are equal, the potentials between XY and VW are equal. The potential at P is equal to those of X and V. The potential at P remains practically constant under all conditions and it is this fact which assists the condition mentioned in para. 88.

90. The necessity for the variable resistance R_{23} is imposed by the potential action of the A.V.C. system. It follows that, due to A.V.C. when the loop aerial is rotated from the ON COURSE position, one needle of the visual indicator would remain steady whilst the other would move downwards. The output from V_1 and V_2 always affects the same section of V_9 , that is V_1 supplies section A of V_9 , and V_2 supplies section B. If the loop aerial is rotated OFF COURSE, therefore, V_1 supplies a larger signal to section A than V_2 supplies to section B. The A.V.C. will hold the larger signal but cannot control the weaker signal. One needle therefore would remain in its original position whilst the other would fall.

The diode limiter valve V_9 .

91. That the sections A and B of valve V_9 operate alternately and in synchronization with the L.F. oscillator switch of V_1 and V_2 has already been explained. Through the condensers C_{21} and C_{22} the I.F. is fed to the valve V_9 and the D.C. switched-output flows through the R.F. chokes L_{27} and L_{28} to the meter indicating circuit. A delay bias is applied between the cathode and the anodes of V_9 in order to prevent them from delivering a current and raising the meter needles, due to noise output of the receiver in the absence of a signal.

92. Through a condenser C_{20} from the secondary winding of L_{21} a proportion of the L.F. voltage is taken to one diode of the double-diode triode V_9 , the second detector and output valve already dealt with in its communications circuit application. The rectified output from V_9 flows *via* a "swamp" resistance R_{70} , and a R.F. choke L_{28} to the variable resistance R_{23} . The circuit is decoupled by the condensers C_{18} and C_4 in parallel and by-passed from R.F. by C_{18} . The cathode of V_9 is biased through a resistance R_{33} . Any current injected at R_{23} tends to drive both needles downwards without interfering with the differential action of the circuit. The normal A.V.C. arrangements of the receiver are not sufficient to keep the intersection point of the needles on the scale for the possible range of signal variation.

93. The limiter delay voltage is supplied across the resistances R_9 and R_7 in series and is adjusted to be approximately 4 volts. It does not come into action until the peak voltage applied to the common points C_{20} , C_{21} and C_{22} exceeds the delay voltage. This limiter deals with input changes up to 80 db and is so adjusted as to make it impossible, given correct setting of R_{23} , for the point of intersection of the needles to move off the scale. A small positive bias potential is given to the grids of V_9 by the resistances R_{53} and R_{54} and this, by lowering the working impedance of the anode circuit, greatly increases sensitivity. This positive bias also reduces the effect of any difference in impedance between the diodes A and B circuits of V_9 .

94. Accuracy of indication depends upon the balance of the two input switching valves V_1 and V_2 and all associated circuits throughout the receiver. Between the screens of V_1 , V_2 and earth there is a balancing circuit consisting of the potentiometer formed by R_{47} , R_{48} and R_{51} , R_{49} , R_{50} and R_{51} . The variable portion of this is R_{51} . When the meter switch MS is in the BALANCE position the loop aerial is disconnected and is earthed by MS_{ef} . A suitably matched dummy loop consisting of a coil L_1 with a condenser C_{99} is connected in place of the loop aerial.

95. As the dummy loop does not pick up signals any side deflection of the visual indicator needles, when the dummy is in circuit, is due to lack of symmetry in the circuit. In order to balance out this lack of symmetry the potentiometer R_{51} is adjusted until the point of intersection of the indicator needle coincides with the centre scale line.

Visual sense

96. The direction of movement of the visual indicator needle reflects the angle of the plane of the loop aerial relative to the path of the incident wave. Now, orientation of the loop so that one side of it is nearer to the distant transmitter than is the opposite side brings about a current condition (due to phase difference in the two sides) in which increased current is indicated in the needle corresponding to the nearer side. Supposing the loop to be swung off course to the RIGHT. The aircraft must go to the left to return to its course and the increased current is indicated by the LEFT movement of the needles because the LEFT side of the loop is nearer to the transmitter *if the aircraft is travelling towards the transmitter*. If the transmitter is astern the indication is, of course, reversed.

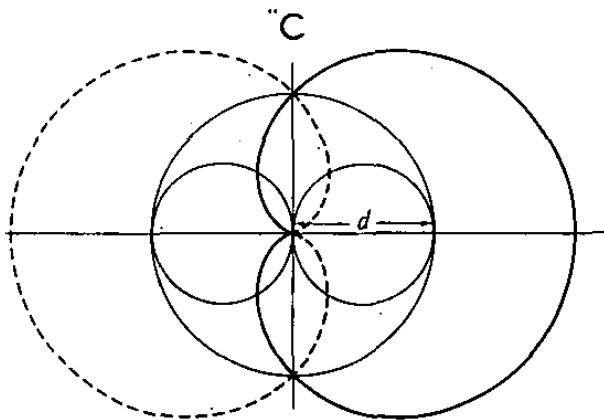
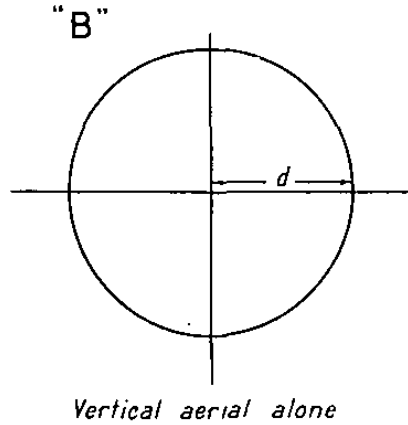
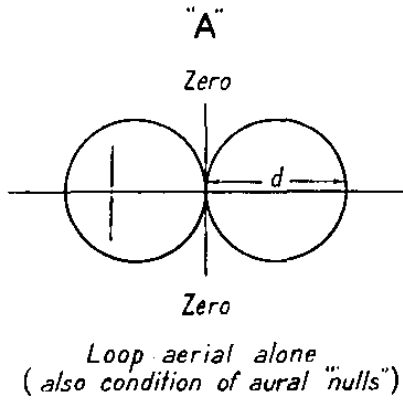
Aural D/F "figure-of-eight"

97. For aural D/F using the conventional "figure-of-eight" polar reception diagram shown, in fig. 14, for the loop aerial, the fixed aerial is disconnected in the FIGURE-OF-EIGHT position of the master switch MS_{bf} . The H.T. to the L.F. oscillator L_{23} is disconnected by the switch MS_{cr} rendering the meter switching circuits of V_9 inoperative. The A.V.C. system is changed to manual control by MS_{af} and MS_{cf} (see paras. 41 to 43).

98. Consideration of the polar diagram will show that two aural "nulls" exist for any given station, resulting in an ambiguity of 180 degrees. Application of fixed aerial voltage by means of a three-position switch S_3 gives a cardioid polar graph and enables the correct minimum to be selected. The spring-loaded switch S_3 applies H.T. to the screens of one or the other of the hexode portions of V_1 or V_2 thus coupling the fixed aerial through to the loop circuit. Sense determination is described in para. 182.

Receiver R.1155A

99. The receiver, type R.1155A, is a modified form of the R.1155 with which it is interchangeable. It incorporates arrangements designed to prevent interference from certain M.F. broadcasting stations the carrier frequency of which approximates to the receiver I.F. of 560 kc/s. It is possible

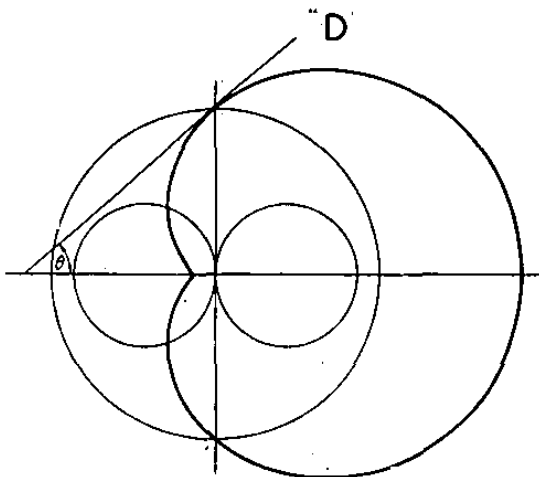


Note - These polar graphs are non-scalar and serve only to present idealistic conditions illustrating the effect of vertical aerial voltage amplitude upon the visual indicator response.

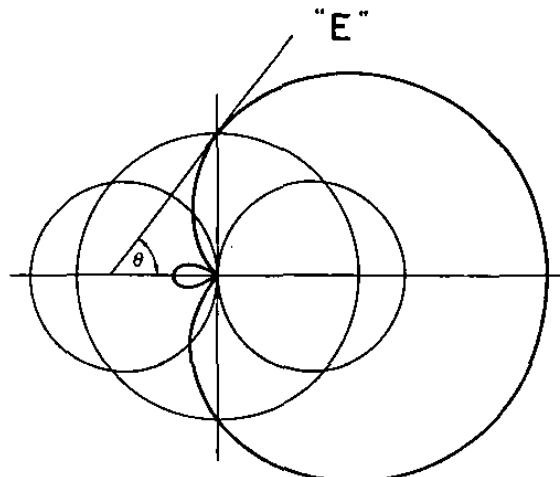
$\angle \theta$ is measure of $\frac{\text{Signal}}{\text{Off-set}}$ ratio.

(Off-set = degrees rotation of loop aerial)

Vertical superimposed upon loop in phase and anti-phase. Amplitude of vertical and loop voltages equal. } This also represents the momentary condition for aural sense discrimination when S_3 is switched R. or L.



Vertical amplitude > loop amplitude.
(Low sensitivity switch S_2 off)



Vertical amplitude < loop amplitude.
(High sensitivity switch S_2 on)

POLAR DIAGRAMS

FIG. 14

FIG. 14

that this instrument will eventually become the standard receiver and will incorporate the suppression units at present associated with the R.1155B (paras. 103 and 104). These notes describe the R.1155A in its existing limited form.

100. The arrangement comprises three assemblies which are the grid rejector circuit, the anode rejector circuit and the anode acceptor circuit. These three assemblies are shown inset in the theoretical circuit diagram of fig. 3 which gives only that portion of the R.1155 circuit affected by their inclusion.

101. The grid rejector circuit is included in the grid circuit of the R.F. valve V_3 from the top end of the variable condenser C_{84} and the aerial circuit coils to the grid of V_3 . The circuit consists of a coil L_{74} with a parallel fixed condenser C_{74} . In series with the rejector circuit there is the added impedance of a condenser C_{112} having a resistance R_{71} of 150,000 ohms in parallel. This circuit minimises the additional capacitance to earth produced by the addition of the filter and associated wiring.

102. The anode rejector circuit between the anode of V_3 and the switch section FS_{yr} , which switches the anode coil primaries of this stage, consists of a coil L_{32} with a parallel fixed condenser C_{32} . The anode acceptor circuit consists of a condenser C_{74} and a coil L_{75} in series between the anode of V_3 and the chassis earth.

Receiver R.1155B

103. The receiver, type R.1155B is a modified form of the R.1155 and whilst incorporating the arrangements designed to prevent interference by broadcast transmitters whose carrier frequencies approximate to the I.F. of 560 kc/s it has, in addition, six R.F. choke coils all introduced at the points indicated in the inset in fig. 3. These chokes are designed to filter the unwanted frequencies from transmitters utilizing a V.H.F.

104. In order to bring about a condition of maximum impedance in respect of the R.F. chokes they have been designed to represent an electrical $\frac{\lambda}{2}$. In the circuit diagram of fig. 16 they are annotated generally, as HFC. The choke HFC_4 is in series with the trailing aerial and the choke HFC_3 is in series with the fixed aerial. The chokes HFC_1 and HFC_2 are in series with the loop aerial leads. In the common grid circuit of the L.F. switching valves V_2 and V_1 , the choke HFC_5 is inserted. The choke HFC_6 is incorporated in the grid circuit of the valve V_3 and is, in series with the grid M.F. rejector circuit and the resistance-condenser combinations C_{112} - R_{71} . A condenser C_{113} shunted by a resistance R_{72} is connected between the switch contact 3 of FS_{xt} section and the primary of L_3 .

CONSTRUCTIONAL DETAILS

Receiver R.1155

105. The control panel of the receiver, type R.1155 is shown in fig. 1. Other illustrations of the R.1155 are given in fig. 15, which is a view of the upper deck of the chassis, and fig. 16 which shows the chassis underside view. The composite diagram of fig. 17 gives the location of components. To facilitate search this diagram has been "gridded" and a reference table is provided.

106. The containing box of the receiver is easily removed by loosening the four screws indicated as (1) on fig. 1 and by pulling on the handles (8). The box is mounted on special rubber anti-vibrational suspension units, which are known as the mounting, type 54. This method of mounting is also used when the receiver is back mounted. All cable connexions to the receiver are terminated in plugs and sockets which are non-reversible and non-interchangeable. Cables are, wherever possible, metal braided, the braiding being earthed to reduce interference from external sources. The receiver containing box and chassis and panel are of metal construction, being earthed to the main bonding system of the aircraft.

107. Referring to fig. 1, the metal strip (2) is a retaining strip by means of which the cable connector plug and sockets are secured to the receiver by means of the metal posts (3). The calibrated tuning dial (4) which differs as to type in certain models (*see* Appendix 2) shows the frequency to which the receiver is tuned by a pointer (5). The tuning control (6) has two speeds, direct drive (outer knob) and 100 : 1 slow-motion gearing (inner knob) for vernier tuning. The exact point of resonance is indicated on the tuning indicator V_{10} , located to the right-hand side of the tuning scale. The tuning control (6) is coupled to a three-gang condenser comprising C_{82} , C_{83} and C_{84} .

108. The tuning scale is divided as follows:—

- RANGE 1** 18.5 Mc/s to 7.5 Mc/s. The scale colouring refers to the dial colouring on the transmitter of the T.1154 group. Ranges not covered by the transmitter are engraved **BLACK**. The part of the scale marked 10 Mc/s to 7.5 Mc/s refers to **RANGE 1** on the transmitters T.1154, T.1154A and T.1154B, and is coloured **BLUE**. The scale is marked in divisions of 100 kc/s.
- RANGE 2** 7.5 Mc/s to 3 Mc/s. From 7.5 Mc/s to 5.5 Mc/s the scale is coloured **BLUE** referring to **RANGE 1** on the T.1154. The portion coloured **RED** corresponds to the transmitter **RANGE 2**. Scale divisions are marked every 50 kc/s.
- RANGE 3** From 1,500 kc/s to 600 kc/s. This is engraved **BLACK** and marked every 10 kc/s.
- RANGE 4** From 500 kc/s to 200 kc/s. This is coloured **YELLOW** corresponding to **RANGE 3** on the transmitter. Scale divisions are marked every 10 kc/s.
- RANGE 5** From 200 kc/s to 75 kc/s. This is engraved **BLACK** and marked every 5 kc/s.

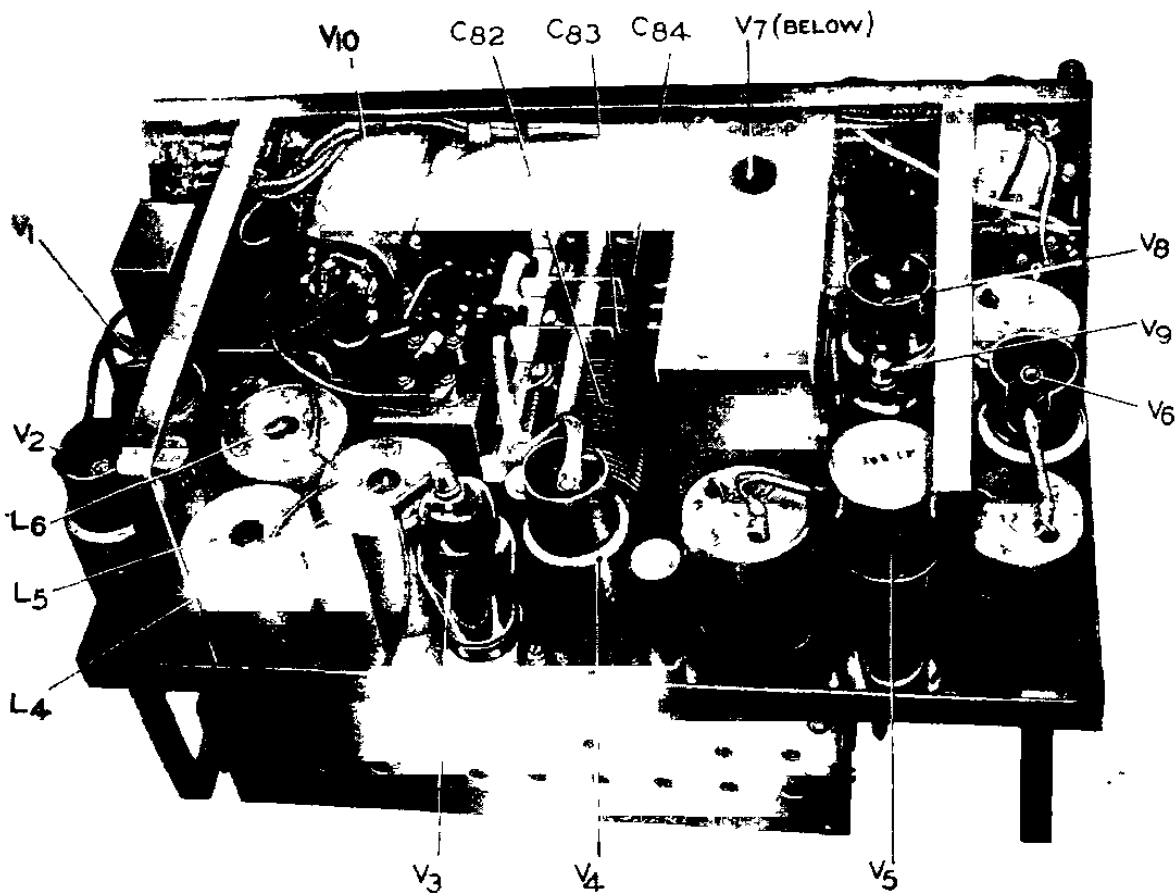


FIG. 15—R 1155 CHASSIS UPPER DECK

109. The five-wafer master switch (MS), type 234, has five positions which are as follows:—

- OMNI** (◊)—The R.F. and I.F. gain is manually controlled by $R_{8(1)}$ which is represented by the control (7). The control (7) actuates $R_{8(1)}$ in this position of the master switch but brings a ganged potentiometer $R_{8(2)}$ into circuit in the A.V.C. position (see below). The knob (7) is rotated clockwise and is engraved **INCREASE VOLUME**.
- A.V.C.**—The R.F. and I.F. gain is automatically controlled. This position is used for W.T. reception and for back-tuning between transmitter and receiver.
- BALANCE**—For balancing the visual indicator before using D/F. This position is used in conjunction with the adjustment of the meter balance control R_{51} .
- VISUAL**—For visual D/F "homing" by the pilot.

FIGURE-OF-EIGHT—For aural D/F reception on "null" signals, using the switch S_3 (L-R) for sense discrimination.

110. The frequency range switch FS is at the lower left-hand side of the tuning scale and selects the five frequency RANGES. Its five positions are engraved with the numerical band coverage and there is a supplementary colour-coded scale. It is composed of one switch, type 368 for oscillator wafer, one switch, type 369 for anode wafer, one switch, type 370 for aerial wafer, and one switch, type 371 for the loop aerial wafer.

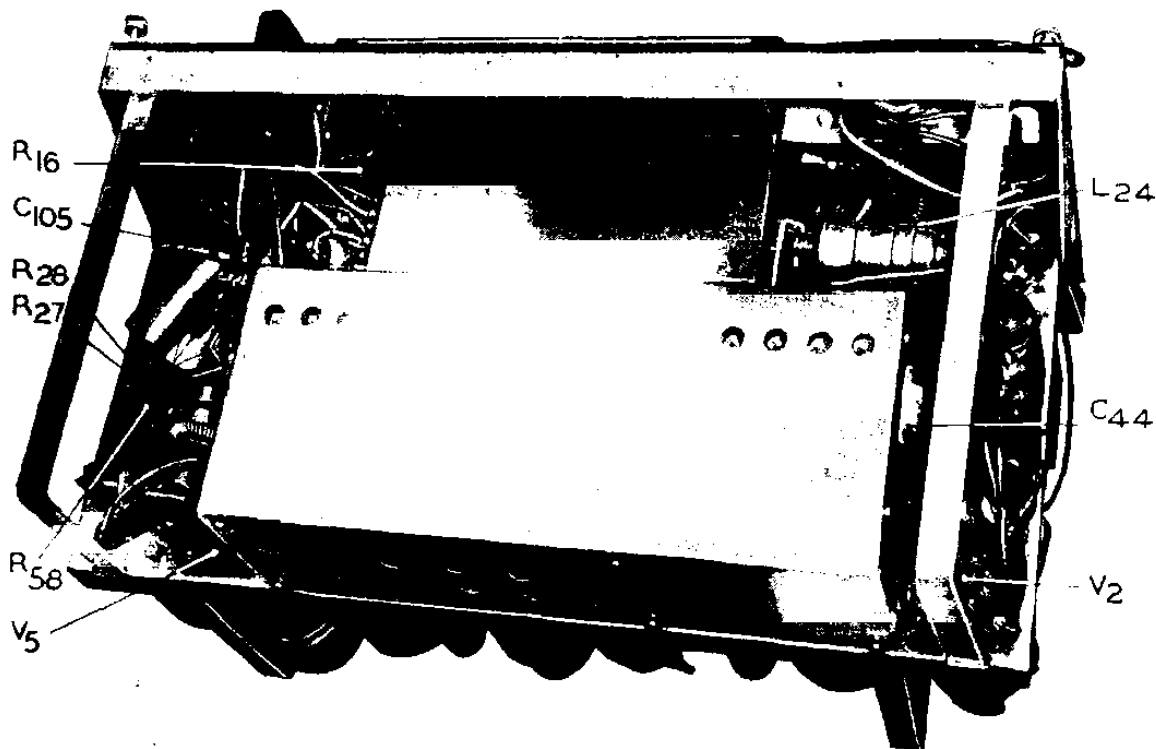


FIG. 16.—R.1155 CHASSIS, UNDERSIDE

111. The remaining front panel controls include the L.F. filter switch S_5 , the meter amplitude control of R_{23} , the heterodyne switch S_4 , the meter sensitivity switch S_2 , type 235, and the meter frequency switch S_1 . The switches S_1 , S_4 and S_5 are single-pole switches of the type 152.

112. The aural sense switch S_3 has three positions and is spring-loaded to allow it to revert to the centre position when not normally held to the left or to the right. It is of the type 239. Screwdriver adjustment is provided, on the panel, for the B.F.O. circuit of V_7 by C_{13} which is of the type 1525. The condenser C_{18} near to the meter amplitude control R_{23} is adjustable between capacitance limits of from $5 \mu\mu F$ to $60 \mu\mu F$.

113. The degrees of fixed aerial input to the switching valves V_1 and V_2 and thence to the loop aerial, are adjusted, when the receiver is installed, by means of C_{56} which is found below S_1 and is of the screwdriver, adjustable, type 906, from $8 \mu\mu F$ to $115 \mu\mu F$.

114. The panel is attached to a metal tray, braced top and bottom, by right-angle strips returned to the panel upper and lower edges. The strips provide an equalising fit into the receiver container. The upper deck plan view in fig. 15 shows the chassis with valves in position. For the purposes of this illustration the screening container of the valve V_3 has been removed. The disposition of the components can be seen in the location diagram of fig. 17.

115. An underside view of the chassis is given in fig. 16. The aerial circuit, anode circuit and local oscillator coils, associated condensers, resistances, and the wafers, wr-wf, xr-xf, yr-yf and zr-zf of the frequency range switch FS are contained inside the large screening case at the bottom of fig. 16. Fifteen ports can be seen near the top edge of this container and, reading from left to right, they are the adjustment ports for the trimmer condensers C_{69} , C_{70} , C_{68} , C_{71} , C_{72} , C_{63} , C_{64} , C_{65} , C_{62} , C_{66} , C_{59} , C_{60} , C_{61} , C_{58} and C_{57} .

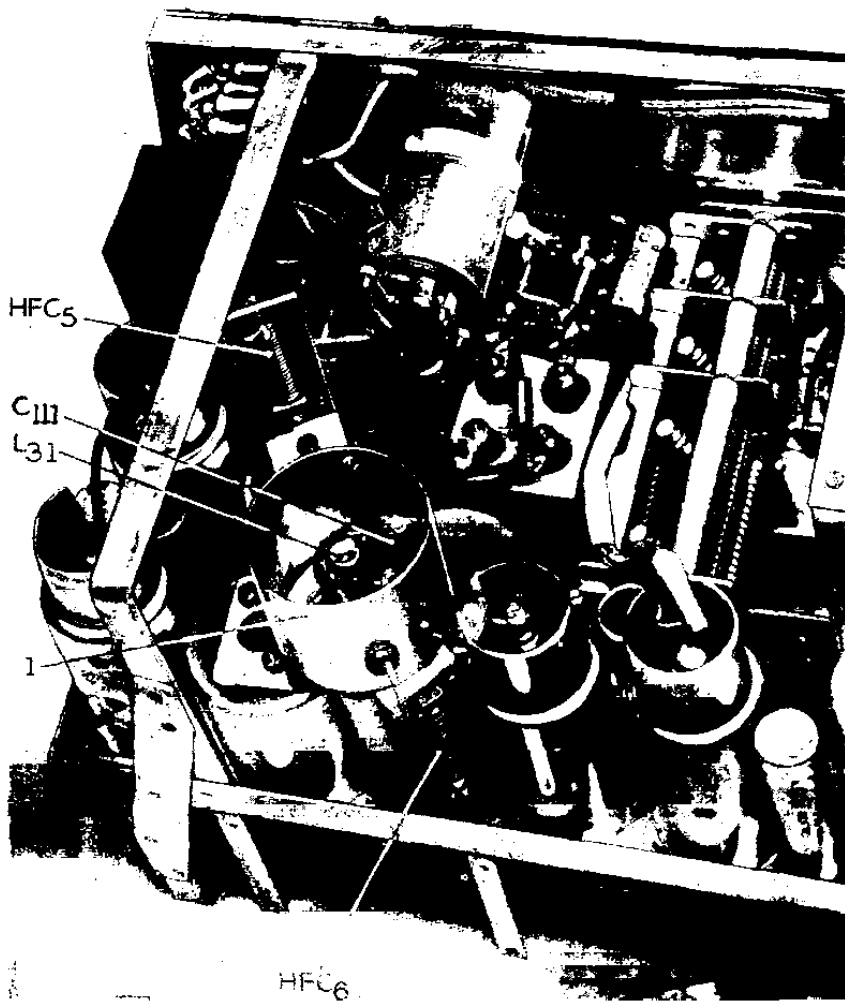
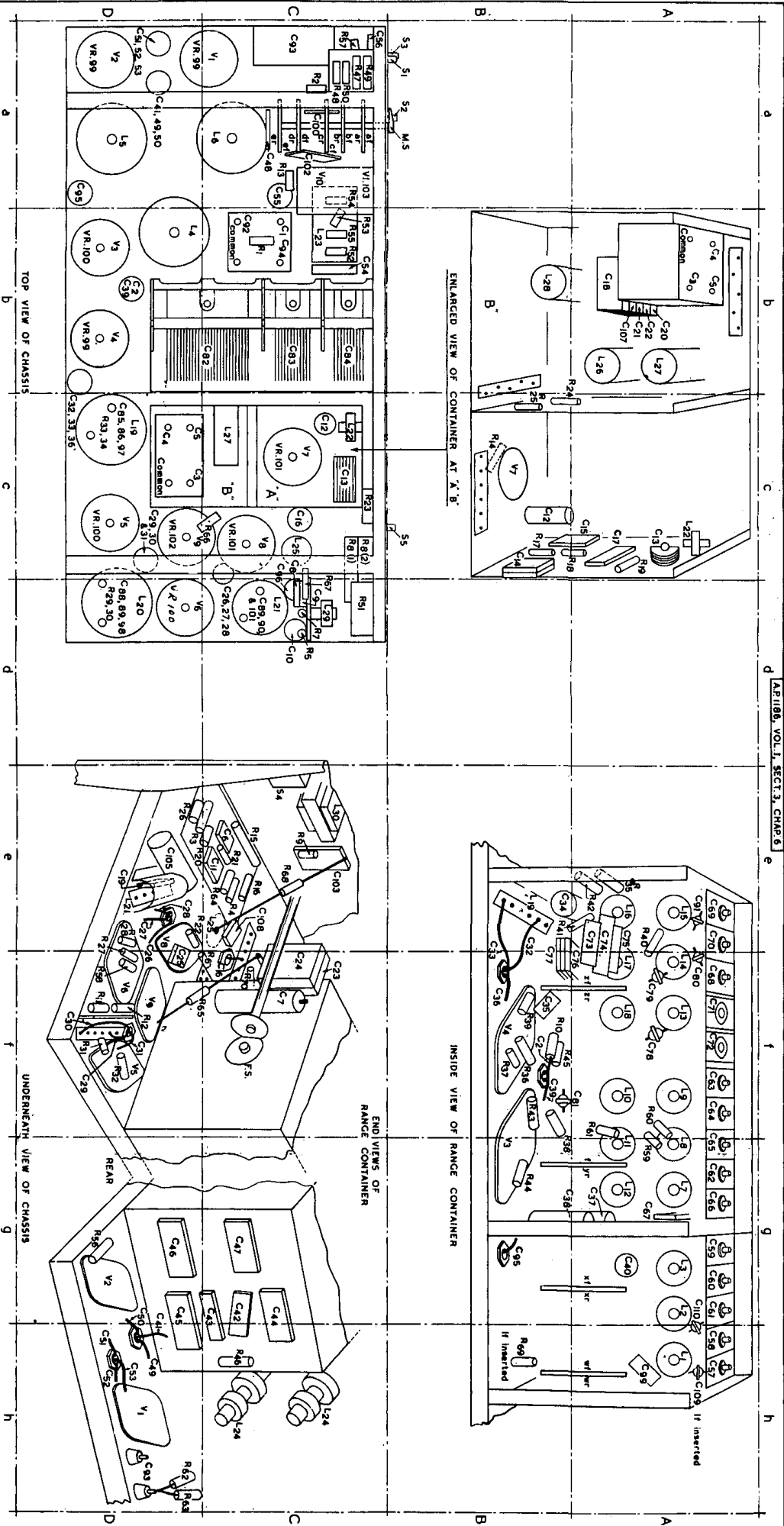


FIG. 18.—R.1155B CHASSIS UPPER DECK

Receivers R.1155A and R.1155B

118. Referring to fig. 18 the screening can (1), mounted over the three D/F aerial coil assemblies on the upper side of the deck, contains the rejector filter unit, type 44, comprising a coil L_{31} , type 393, with a condenser C_{111} , type 2,613. In the R.1155A this can also contains a condenser C_{111} , type 2,612 and a resistance R_{71} , type 7373. In the R.1155B these two components are located in the H.F. coil box under the deck and are connected between the choke HFC_6 and the switch section xr. The choke HFC_5 connected between the vertical aerial tuning condenser C_{56} and the control grids of V_1 and V_2 is mounted on a bracket adjacent to the top caps of V_1 and V_2 . The illustration of fig. 19 shows the H.F. coil box removed. The positions of the suppressor components are indicated.



COMPONENTS LOCATION DIAGRAM

FIG. 17

FIG. 17

This table should be read in conjunction with fig. 17
COMPONENTS LOCATION (GRID REFERENCES)

Component	G. R.	Component	G. R.	Component	G. R.	Component	G. R.
C ₁	Cb	C ₂₉	Dc	C ₅₇	Ah	C ₈₅	Dc
C ₂	Db	C ₃₀	Dc	C ₅₈	Ah	C ₈₆	Dc
C ₃	Ab, Dc	C ₃₁	Dc	C ₅₉	Ag	C ₈₇	Dd
C ₄	Ab, Dc	C ₃₂	Db	C ₆₀	Ag	C ₈₈	Dd
C ₅	Ab, Dc	C ₃₃	Db	C ₆₁	Ag, Ah	C ₈₉	Cd
C ₆	Ce	C ₃₄	Be	C ₆₂	Ag	C ₉₀	Cd
C ₇	Cf	C ₃₅	Bf	C ₆₃	Af	C ₉₁	Ac
C ₈	Cd	C ₃₆	Db	C ₆₄	Af	C ₉₂	Cb
C ₉	Cd	C ₃₇	Ag, Bg	C ₆₅	Af, Ag	C ₉₃	Ca, Dh
C ₁₀	Cd	C ₃₈	Ag, Bg	C ₆₆	Ag	C ₉₄	Ch
C ₁₁	Ce	C ₃₉	Bf, Db	C ₆₇	Ag	C ₉₅	Da
C ₁₂	Bc	C ₄₀	Ag	C ₆₈	Af	C ₉₆	Cd
C ₁₃	Ac, Cc	C ₄₁	Da	C ₆₉	Ae	C ₉₇	Dc
C ₁₄	Bc	C ₄₂	Cg, Ch	C ₇₀	Ac, Af	C ₉₈	Dd
C ₁₅	Ac	C ₄₃	Cg, Ch	C ₇₁	Af	C ₉₉	Ah
C ₁₆	Cc	C ₄₄	Cg, Ch	C ₇₂	Af	C ₁₀₀	Ca
C ₁₇	Ac	C ₄₅	Dg, Dh	C ₇₃	Ae, Af	C ₁₀₁	Cd
C ₁₈	Ab	C ₄₆	Dg	C ₇₄	Ae, Af	C ₁₀₂	Ca
C ₁₉	De	C ₄₇	Cg	C ₇₅	Ae, Af	C ₁₀₃	Ce
C ₂₀	Ab	C ₄₈	Ca	C ₇₆	Bc, Bf, Af	C ₁₀₄	Plug type 209
C ₂₁	Ab	C ₄₉	Da	C ₇₇	Be, Bf	C ₁₀₅	De
C ₂₂	Ab	C ₅₀	Da	C ₇₈	Af	C ₁₀₆	Plug type 209
C ₂₃	Ce, Cf	C ₅₁	Da	C ₇₉	Af	C ₁₀₇	Ab
C ₂₄	Ce, Cf	C ₅₂	Da	C ₈₀	Af	C ₁₀₈	Ce
C ₂₅	De, Df	C ₅₃	Da	C ₈₁	Bf	C ₁₀₉	Ah
C ₂₆	Cd, Cc	C ₅₄	Cb	C ₈₂	Db, Cb	C ₁₁₀	Ag
C ₂₇	Cd, Cc	C ₅₅	Ca	C ₈₃	Cb		
C ₂₈	Cd, Cc	C ₅₆	Ca	C ₈₄	Cb		

RESISTANCES

R ₁	Cb	R ₁₉	Ac	R ₃₇	Bf	R ₅₅	Cb
R ₂	Ca	R ₂₀	Ce, De	R ₃₈	Bf	R ₅₆	Dg
R ₃	Ce, De	R ₂₁	Ce	R ₃₉	Bf	R ₅₇	Ca
R ₄	Ce	R ₂₂	De	R ₄₀	Ae	R ₅₈	Df
R ₅	Cd	R ₂₃	Cc	R ₄₁	Ae	R ₅₉	Af, Ag
R ₆	Cf, Df	R ₂₄	Ac, Bc	R ₄₂	Ae	R ₆₀	Af
R ₇	Cd	R ₂₅	Bc	R ₄₃	Bf	R ₆₁	Af
R ₈	Cc	R ₂₆	De	R ₄₄	Bg	R ₆₂	Dh
R ₉	Ce	R ₂₇	Df	R ₄₅	Bf	R ₆₃	Dh
R ₁₀	Bf	R ₂₈	De	R ₄₆	Bf	R ₆₄	Ce
R ₁₁	Df	R ₂₉	Dd	R ₄₇	Ca	R ₆₅	Cf, Df
R ₁₂	Df	R ₃₀	Dd	R ₄₈	Ca	R ₆₆	Cc
R ₁₃	Ca	R ₃₁	Df	R ₄₉	Ca	R ₆₇	Cd
R ₁₄	Bc	R ₃₂	Df	R ₅₀	Ca	R ₆₈	Ce
R ₁₅	Ce	R ₃₃	Dc	R ₅₁	Cd	R ₆₉	Bh (if used)
R ₁₆	Ce	R ₃₄	Dc	R ₅₂	Cb	R ₇₀	Cf
R ₁₇	Bc	R ₃₅	Ae	R ₅₃	Cb		
R ₁₈	Ac, Bc	R ₃₆	Bf	R ₅₄	Ca		

COILS AND CHOKES

L ₁	Ah	L ₉	Af	L ₁₇	Ae, Af	L ₂₅	Ce, Cd
L ₂	Ag, Ah	L ₁₀	Af	L ₁₈	Af	L ₂₆	Ab
L ₃	Ag	L ₁₁	Af, Ag	L ₁₉	Dc, Be	L ₂₇	Ab, Ce
L ₄	Db	L ₁₂	Ag	L ₂₀	Dc, Dd	L ₂₈	Bb
L ₅	Da	L ₁₃	Af	L ₂₁	Ce, De	L ₂₉	Cd, Cc
L ₆	Ca	L ₁₄	Af, Ae	L ₂₂	Ac	L ₃₀	Ce
L ₇	Ag	L ₁₅	Ae	L ₂₃	Cb		
L ₈	Af, Ag	L ₁₆	Ae	L ₂₄	Ch		

VALVES

V ₁	Ca, Da, Dh	V ₄	Db; Bf	V ₆	Dd, Cd, Dc,	V ₈	Cc
V ₂	Da, Dg	V ₅	Dc; Df		Df	V ₉	Cc, Dc, Df
V ₃	Dd, Bf, Bg			V ₇	Bc, Cc	V ₁₀	Ca

SWITCHES

S ₁	Ca	S ₃	Ba	S ₅	Bc	F.S.	Af to Ah
S ₂	Ba	S ₄	Ce	M.S.	Ca		

VALVES AND POWER SUPPLIES

119. The accompanying TABLE B gives a list of the valves used in the receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B, showing their respective function, type and Stores Reference number.

TABLE B
R.1155 VALVE LIST

Ref. in fig. 2	Function	Type	Stores Ref. No.
V ₁ , V ₂	Visual D/F switching	Triode-hexode, V.R.99	10E/277
V ₃	R.F. amplifier	Aligned grid variable-mu pentode V.R.100 (tetrode connexion)	10E/278
V ₄	Frequency-changer	Triode-hexode, V.R.99	10E/277
V ₅ , V ₆	I.F. amplifiers	Aligned grid variable-mu pentode, V.R.100 (tetrode connexion)	10E/278
V ₇ V ₈	A.V.C. and B.F.O. Second detector, visual meter limiter and output	Double diode triode, V.R.101	10E/280
V ₉	Visual meter switching		
V ₁₀	Tuning indicator	V.I.103	10E/305

All the above valves are fitted with international octal bases. A diagram of the base connexions is given in fig. 20.

120. The receivers R.1155 were originally issued with the valve positions marked with trade nomenclatures. Later issues of the receivers are marked with the standard A.M. V.R. numbers as indicated in the table of para. 119. To remove the difficulty arising when it is necessary to fit spare valves marked in one system into a receiver marked in the other system a valve identification label (Stores Ref. 10D/580) has been prepared. Instructions for affixing this label to the screening box of the valve V₇ and its associated components are contained in the leaflet A.P.1186/B.48-W.

121. The sequence of operations for affixing the valve label is as follows:—

- (i) Remove the receiver from its outer screening case.
- (ii) Identify the flat screening box immediately behind the front panel and adjacent to the tuning condensers. Remove the four fixing screws in the centre of the top screening plate.
- (iii) Use shellac varnish (Stores Ref. 33A/511) to fix the label to the rear inside face of the receiver can in the most suitable position for reading.
- (iv) Apply a thin coat of shellac varnish over the label.
- (v) Replace the receiver in its outer screening case.

122. Due to restricted space in early issues of the receiver, difficulty may be experienced in removing the B.F.O. valve V₇ without altering the adjustment of the B.F.O. tuning condenser C₁₃. Originally this condenser was a type 900 but this has been replaced by a type 1525 and no difficulty will be experienced in removing, or inserting, the valve V₇.

123. The procedure to be followed when removing V₇ is as follows:—

- (i) Remove the receiver from its outer case by withdrawing the four screws from the front panel.
- (ii) Remove the top cover of the oscillator unit, type 18, by withdrawing the six screws securing it. The valve V₇ and condenser, type 900, C₁₃ will now be exposed.
- (iii) Using a suitable screwdriver, rotate the condenser, type 900, until the moving vanes are fully engaged with the fixed vanes. The valve can now be readily removed and replaced without fouling the condenser.
- (iv) Replace the top cover of the oscillator unit and replace the receiver in its outer case.

The procedure for setting up the B.F.O. is laid down in para. 165.

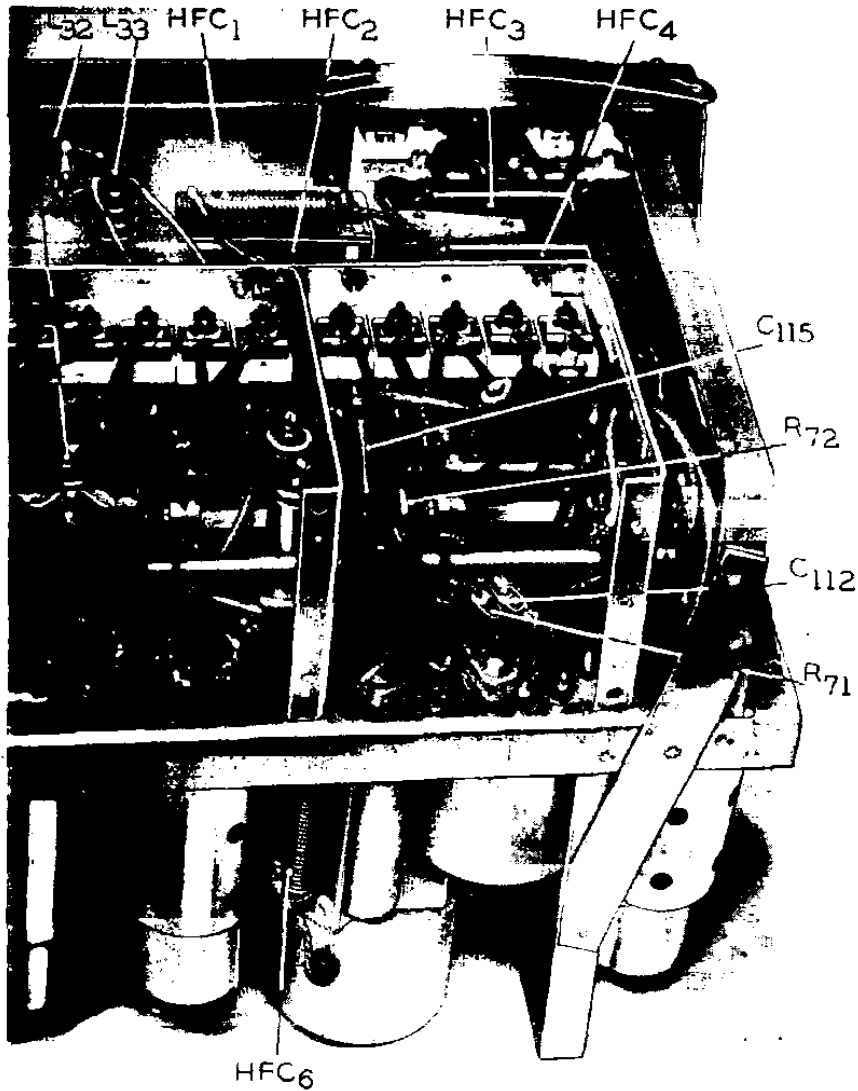


FIG. 19.—R.1155B CHASSIS UNDERSIDE

~~When the R.1155B is used solely as a communications receiver, the visual D/F switching and meter valves V₁, V₂ and V₃ are removed to conserve power. Whilst the valves V₁, V₂ and V₄~~

126. A small padded valve stowage box (Stores Ref. 10E/542) is provided for use, where necessary, for carrying spare valves and it is desirable to carry one V.R.101, and one V.R.100 for the receiver.

127. The power supplies for both L.T. and H.T. of this receiver are derived from a power unit incorporating a three-commutator compound wound rotary transformer driven off the aircraft general electrical system. The power unit, which may be either the type 34 (Stores Ref. 10K/19) of the type 35 (Stores Ref. 10K/20), is described in detail in Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of this publication. The power units, types 34A and 35A which are improved versions of these units are also described therein.

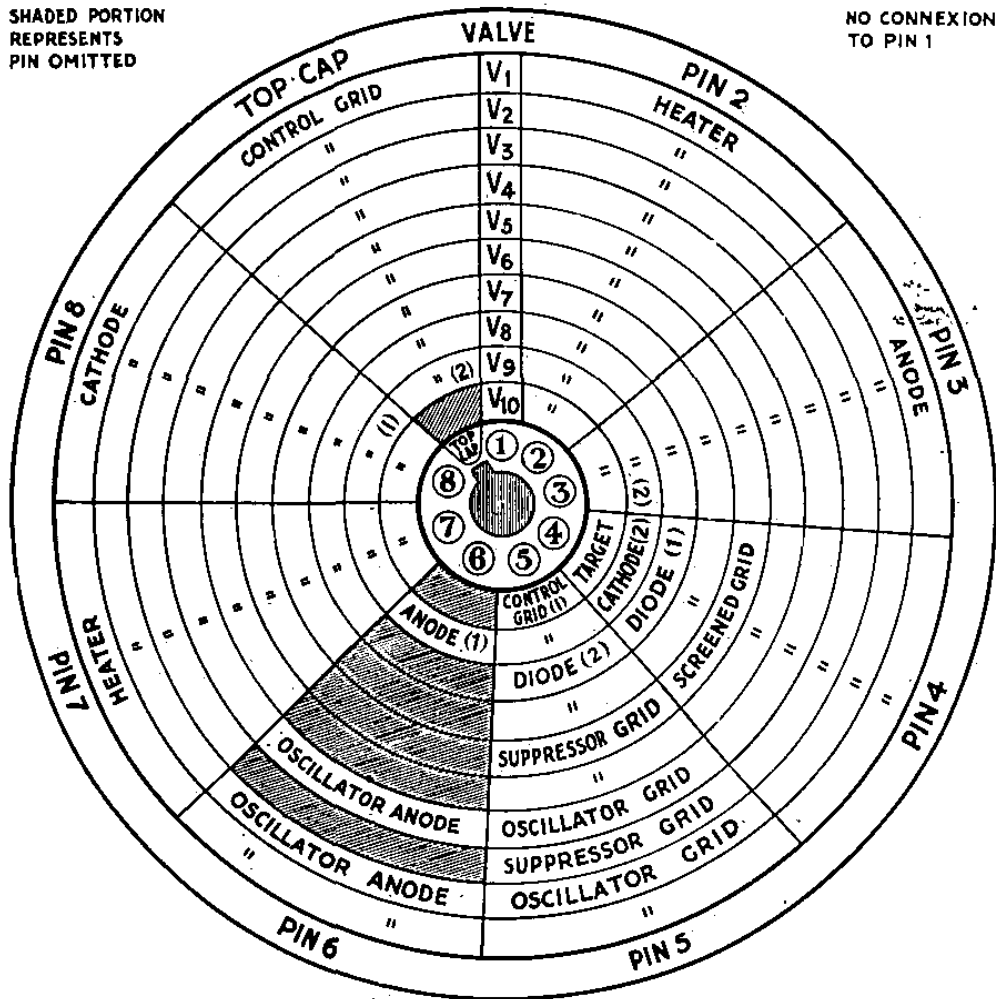


FIG. 20.—VALVE CONNEXIONS

128. The power unit is used in common with the transmitter and supplies the L.T. for that instrument. The accompanying TABLE C gives the power unit types and details.

TABLE C
R.1155 ASSOCIATED POWER UNITS

Type	Stores Ref. No.	Input D.C.		L.T. — Outputs — H.T.				Rated Watts
		Volts	Amps.	Volts	Amps.	Volts	mA.	
34	10K/19	10.3	24	7	13	217	110	115
35	10K/20	18.5	12	7	13	217	110	115
34A	10K/13065	10.3	24	7	13	217	110	115
35A	10K/13066	18.5	12	7	13	217	110	115

The receiver D.C. feed varies according to the master switch position ranging from 48 mA at OMNI with volume control at a minimum to 69 mA or more at BALANCE or VISUAL with maximum setting of volume control.

129. The aircraft electrical supply is connected to the L.T. power unit through a resistance unit, type 47 (Stores Ref. 10C/2221), or type 52 (Stores Ref. 10C/2295), for the type 34 and type 35 respectively. This resistance unit is adjusted to maintain the filament voltage between 6 volts and 7.8 volts and to compensate for the voltage alteration between the charge and no-charge condition of the aircraft batteries. It is dealt with in detail in Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of this AIR PUBLICATION.

INSTALLATION

General

130. The following notes upon the installation of the receiver duplicate, to some extent, the installation paragraphs included in Sect. 1, Chap. 7; of this AIR PUBLICATION upon the transmitter T.1154. This is unavoidable due to the interdependence of the transmitter and receiver when used as airborne equipment. A typical installation diagram is given in fig. 21. When it is realized that the transmitter is the main focal point of the wiring any initial confusion is dispelled. The power unit connectors plug into the transmitter, also the fixed and trailing aerals and connexions from the receiver.

131. In laying out the equipment in the aircraft the receiver is placed in the most convenient position for operation and where possible it is at desk level. The transmitter is mounted above, or to one side of the receiver. The tuning scales of the receiver are easily visible and the controls are accessible to the operator. The coloured click-stop dials on the transmitter are in an accessible position and visible without effort on the part of the operator.

Receiver position

132. The receiver is normally positioned horizontally. If space is limited it may be mounted vertically. The receiver is mounted on suspension fittings, mounting, type 54, and as these fittings will be 90 deg. out when the receiver is mounted vertically, a sponge rubber pad, mounting, type 55, may be positioned between the table and the bottom of the receiver. The receiver may be either table mounted or back mounted depending upon the aircraft layout.

133. From $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. to 2 in. is left between the receiver and the table or between the transmitter and the receiver (if mounted one above the other) to permit freedom of movement for the suspension fittings. Clearance around the receiver and transmitter should be sufficient to allow for removal and replacement of plugs and sockets and of the chasses themselves. The transmitter case retaining screws will also be accessible. The equipment is not provided with internal illumination and is put in such a position that the natural illumination is good. For night work artificial illumination is provided and this is easily adjustable for direction and intensity.

Power unit position

134. The H.T. and L.T. power units, the latter of which is used to supply the receiver, are positioned in an accessible position. Complete instructions on the installation of the power units power cables and fuses, the L.T. dropping resistances, types 47 and 52, and the positioning of apparatus with respect to the aircraft compass, are given in Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of the AIR PUBLICATION dealing with the transmitter T.1154 group. The receiver should be at least 24 in. from the compass and the visual indicator at least 18 in. to guarantee negligible interference.

Aerial switch position

135. The aerial switching unit, type J or the aerial plug board, which is the temporary alternative to the switch unit, is positioned between the transmitter and the aerial lead-in points so that the "run" of the aerial leads is clean and short, but accessible for easy operation. Complete instructions upon the switch unit, the aerial plug board, internal aerial leads and other relevant detail are given in the transmitter chapter previously mentioned.

D/F loop aerial and impedance matching units

136. The D/F circuits of the receiver have been arranged to work with a D/F loop, type 3, which has a nominal inductance of 100μ H and a self-capacitance, when installed, of $20 \mu\mu$ F. When loops, having constants widely differing from these figures, are used, it is necessary to use an impedance matching unit with a series or shunt coil between receiver and loop.

137. Two small condensers C_{106} and C_{104} , the latter adjustable, are contained within the plug, type 209 (Stores Ref. 10H/433) which connects the D/F loop to the receiver. The condenser C_{104} should be adjusted for maximum sensitivity. The fixed condenser C_{106} should be wired in circuit only if the length of low-loss cable between loop and receiver is less than 12 ft. The position of the adjustment of C_{106} can be seen on the diagram of the plug, type 209, in fig. 22. The screwdriver used for adjusting C_{104} should have an insulated shaft to prevent short circuiting to the receiver metal casing. A suitable tool is the tool, tuning (Stores Ref. 10A/11421).

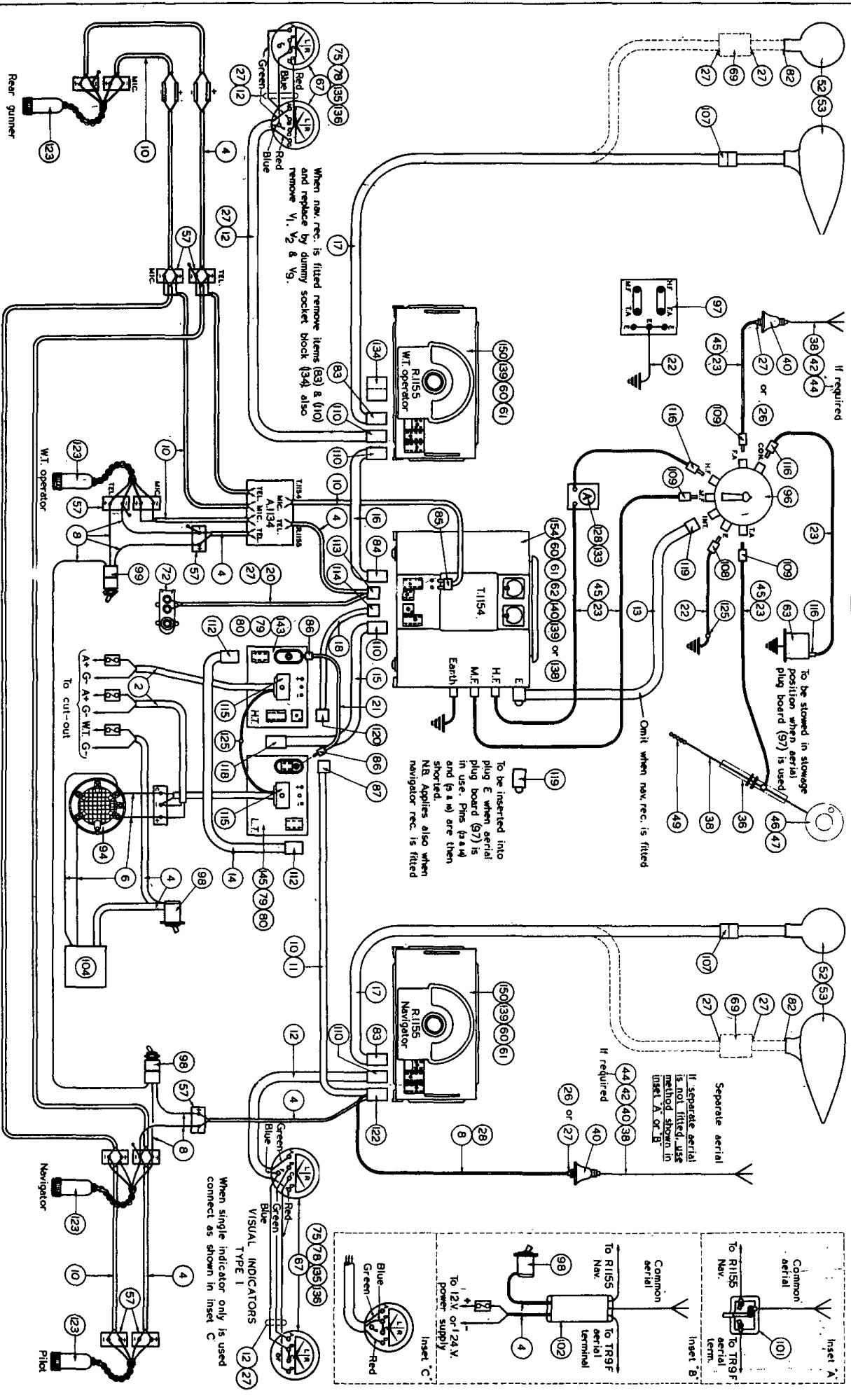


FIG. 21

TYPICAL INSTALLATION DIAGRAM

FIG. 21

GENERAL WIRING		FIXED EQUIPMENT		REMOVABLE EQUIPMENT				
2A	5E/1364	27	5A/911	69	10A/12148	112	10H/427	Socket type 168
	Cable L.T. Duncel 19 Celsse, braided	28	5A/910	69A	10A/12247	113	10H/428	Socket type 169
2B	5E/1365	31	5A/1810	72	10A/7741	114	10H/429	Socket type 170
	Cable L.T. Duncel 37 metal braided	34	5A/1073	73	Special	115	10H/431	Socket type 171
4	5E/1362			75A	Special	116	10H/432	Socket type 172
	Cable L.T. Duncel 4 Celsse, braided			75B	10A/13078	117	10H/423	Socket type 173
6A	5E/1360			78	10A/12954	118	10H/424	Socket type 174
	Cable electric L.T. Unceal 19 Celsse, braided or			79	10A/12421	119	10H/425	Socket type 175
6B	5E/1361			80	10A/12422	120	10H/435	Socket type 176
	Cable electric L.T. Unceal 37 Celsse, braided			82	10H/9872	122	10H/1498	Socket type 299
8	5E/1358			83	10H/433	123	10H/2206	Socket type 359
	Cable electric L.T. Unceal 4 Celsse braided			84	10H/434	125	5A/1058	Terminal 2 B.A. type A spring type
10	5E/1328			85	10H/451			
	Cable electric L.T. Dumnet 4 metal braided			86	10H/8516			
11	5E/1348			87	10H/1518			
	Cable electric L.T. Dumnet 7 metal braided			92	10A/12436			
12	5E/1351			94A	10C/2221			
	Cable L.T. Trimet 4 metal braided			94B	10C/2295			
13	5E/1353			96	10F/126			
	Cable L.T. Quad-			97				
14	5E/2069							
15	5E/2067							
16	5E/2068							
17	5E/2033							
18	5E/758							
20	5E/916							
21	5E/130							
22	5E/							
23	5E/82							
26	5A/912							

TYPICAL CONNECTOR SET INSTALLATION
(Note.—This installation is typical and refers only to the SUNDERLAND type aircraft)
KEY TO BASIC TYPE NOS. AND FUNCTION

Aircraft Type Identification Connector Set	Comprising Connector Set		Stores Ref. No.	Cable type	Length	Socket			Plug		References in Figure
	Stores Ref. No.	Type				Stores Ref. No.	Type	Qty.	Stores Ref. No.	Type	
Sunderland Mk. II and Mk. III "A" Fitted with single receiver Connector Set Type T.1154/R1155 (Stores Ref. 10H/1556)	10H/1634	541/1	5E/2069	Sextocoremnet	1' 3"	10H/427	168	2			14, 112
	10H/1635	542/1	5E/2068	Octocoremnet No. 2	3' 2"	10H/322	137	1	10H/434	210	16, 110, 84
	10H/1636	543/1	5E/2067	Octocoremnet No. 1	3' 0"	10H/322	137	1			15, 110
	10H/1637	544/1	5E/758	Uniplugmet No. 1	3' 6"	10H/424	174	1	10H/433	209	118 18, 114
Fitted with extra Receiver R.1155 for D/F. Connector Set Type T.1154/2 R.1155/A (Stores Ref. 10H/1735)	10H/1638	545/1	5E/1353	Quadrarnet 4	1' 10"	10H/435	176	1			120
	10H/1639	546/1	5E/2033	Dulocapmet No. 1	13' 8"	10H/425	175	2			13, 119
	10H/1718	548/1	5E/1362	Ducel 4	6' 0"	10H/1051	63	1	10H/433	209	17, 107, 83
Conversion of Single Recr. Instn. To Two Recr. Instn. Connector Set Type T.1154/R.1155/Convn./A (Stores Ref. 10H/1986)	10H/2317	545/3	5E/2033	Dulocapmet	6' 6"	10H/11051	63	1	10H/433	209	17, 107, 83
	10H/1640	545/3	5E/1328 5E/1328 5E/1362	Dumnet 4 Dumnet 7 Ducel 4	25' 0" 25' 0" 9' 6"	10H/1498	299	1	10H/1518	358	11, 122, 87 10 11 4

Item 10H/2317 (below) replaces Item 10H/1639 when converting to two Receiver installation

The following items refer to 14 connectors without reference Nos.:-

Stores Ref. No.	Cable	Approx. length	Ref. in fig.	Sockets			Ref. in fig.	Plugs			Ref. in fig.
				Stores Ref. No.	Type	Qty.		Stores Ref. No.	Type	Qty.	
5E/82	Unispark 7 Uniflex 19 Unishearth 4 Dumet 4 Ducel 19 Trimet 4 Ducel 4	21' 0"	23	10H/8531	40	1	106	10H/451	217	1	85
5E/86		6' 0"	22	10H/319	135	2	108				
5E/916		6' 0"	20	10H/320	136	4	109				
5E/1328		4' 0"	10	10H/322	137	1	110				
5E/1349		5' 0"	2	10H/428	169	1	113				
5E/1351	Trimet 4 Ducel 4	14' 0"	12	10H/431	171	2	115				
5E/1362		4' 0"	4	10H/422	172	4	116				
				10H/423	173	2	117				

The following items refer to 15 connectors without reference Nos.:-

5E/82	Unispark 7 Uniflex 19 Unishearth 4 Dumet 4 Ducel 19 Ducel 4 Trimet 4 Unishearth 7	19' 0"	23	10H/8531	40	1	106	10H/8531	68	2	86	
5E/86		6' 0"	22	10H/319	135	2	108	10H/451	217	1	85	
5E/916		7' 0"	20	10H/320	136	4	109					
5E/1328		9' 0"	10	10H/322	137	1	110					
5E/1349		4' 0"	2	10H/428	169	1	113					
5E/1362		10' 0"	4	10H/431	171	2	115					
5E/1351		Trimet 4 Unishearth 7	28' 0"	4	10H/422	172	4	116				
5E/130			3' 0"	21	10H/423	173	2	117				

The following items refer to 2 connectors without reference Nos.:-

5E/1351	Trimet 4	18' 0"	4	10H/322	137	1					
5F/130	Unishearth 7	3' 0"	21	10H/8531	68	2					Replaces Receiver to Indicator connector Connector between power units

- (iii) Adjust the trimmer condenser C_{106} to the position which gives maximum signals. Observe the tuning indicator V_{10} for minimum shadow during this operation.
- (iv) Remove the loop plug, type 209, from the receiver and note the position of the rotor plates in the condenser C_{106} . If it is found that the plates are in a position between maximum and minimum capacitance, that is, at about 90 deg., the adjustment is satisfactory and the plug should be replaced.
- (v) If it is found that the rotary plates are fully meshed it is an indication that insufficient capacitance adjustment is obtainable and additional capacitance should be added by removing the insulated covering from the leads, running the insulated covering from the leads across the paxolin strips from the lower pair of tags to the top pair of tags and by soldering the leads to the middle pair of tags adjacent to the leads.
- (vi) If examination shows that the rotor plates are in the position of minimum capacitance it is an indication that too much capacitance is in circuit. The additional capacitance of the fixed condenser C_{104} should be removed by reversing the procedure outlined in (v) above. Unsolder the connecting wires from the middle pair of tags and cover the wires with suitable insulation to prevent contact with the middle pair of tags.

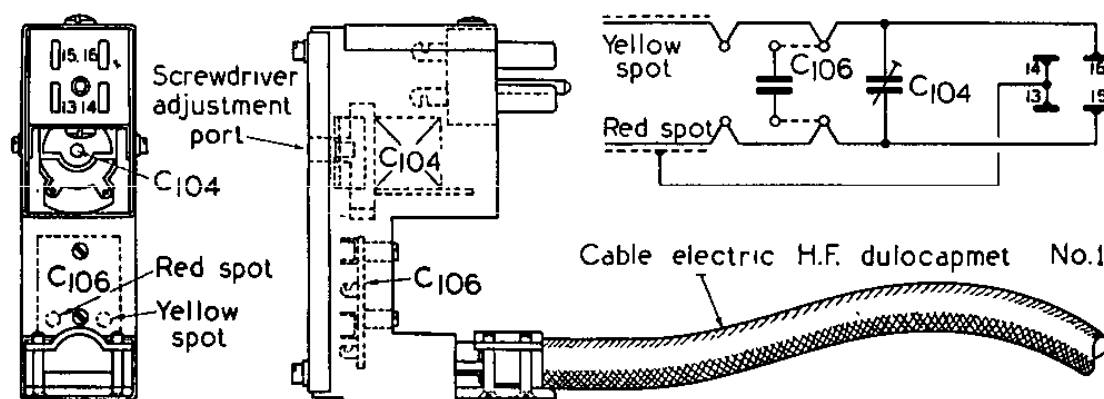


FIG. 22.—THE PLUG, TYPE 209

139. When the loop aerial, type 1, is installed, an impedance matching unit, type 12, is used. When the receiver is installed on Hampden aircraft fitted with the retractable loop, an impedance matching unit, type 13, is used. When installed in aircraft fitted with the Bendix type loop, a matching unit, type 15, is used.

140. The position of the impedance matching unit, with the maximum permissible length of cable between the loop and the receiver, is clearly indicated in the installation schedules, a typical specimen of which is included in the diagram fig. 21. The lengths between loop and matching unit, when installed, and between matching unit and receiver must, naturally, depend upon the position of the matching unit.

4 ft. If the matching unit is not more than 7 ft. from the receiver a maximum total length of 22 ft. from loop to receiver is permissible. If the unit is not more than 3 ft. from the loop, the cable should not exceed 18 ft., total length, from loop to receiver.

143. When the Bendix loop is installed the matching unit, type 15, should be, preferably, as near as possible to the receiver. The length of dulocapmet between loop and receiver should not be less than 4 ft. If the matching unit is not more than 6 ft. away from the receiver, the total length of cable from receiver to loop should not exceed 20 ft. If the unit is not more than 2 ft. from the loop, the total length of cable between receiver and loop should not exceed 17 ft.

Fixed aerial input

144. The amount of fixed aerial input to the switching valves V_1 and V_2 and hence to the loop aerial circuit, is adjusted, on installation, by inserting a screwdriver into the small port on the right-hand side of the master switch MS. This is indicated on fig. 1 as C_{56} . Once adjusted, the condenser needs no further attention. An insulated screwdriver should be used in order to avoid the possibility of short-circuiting the trimmer to earth.

145. The following procedure should be followed:—

- (i) Set the aerial switch, type J, to D/F. (If plug board in use set plug marked FIXED AE to group marked HF, *see* para. 138(i).) Set the Meter deflection sensitivity S_2 to HIGH.
- (ii) Tune the receiver to a suitable signal on RANGE 4 and rotate the loop to a position which gives the MINIMUM signals in the telephones. The signal selected should be one the bearing of which remains constant. This may be checked by turning the master switch MS to VISUAL and noting that the needles of the visual indicator remain steady on the bearing. It is advisable, also, that the volume control R_8 should be adjusted to give the lowest possible signal strength, consistent with accurate observation, during this and other adjustments.
- (iii) Set the receiver master switch to BALANCE and adjust balance control of R_{51} and meter amplitude control R_{23} to a position which causes the visual indicator needles to intersect along the white centre line on the dial face.
- (iv) Return the receiver master switch MS to FIGURE-OF-EIGHT and rotate the loop 30 deg. from the position previously obtained for (ii) above.
- (v) Operate the aural sense switch S_3 to L and R and hold the switch to the side which gives the weaker signal.
- (vi) With the aural sense switch held in the position selected as at (v) adjust the trimmer C_{56} so that zero or minimum signals are obtained. Observe the tuning indicator V_{10} during this operation as correct adjustment is indicated by maximum shadow.

The visual indicator, type 1

146. It is usual to install two visual indicators, type 1, one on the pilot's instrument panel for "homing" purposes and the other in a convenient position for the operator of the receiver and D/F loop. These indicators are provided with a dim, but independent, illumination so that they may be used at night. The indicators are mounted on a sprung panel, or otherwise protected against jars and vibrations, as the movements are extremely fragile. The methods of wiring to the visual indicator when either one or two of these instruments is installed are shown as part of the typical installation diagram, fig. 21.

147. The mounting, anti-vibration, type 119, is used with the visual indicators, and filament lamps, jack, type G.P.O. No. 3 (12-volts) or G.P.O. No. 3 (24 volts) with lampholders, type 61, are provided when required. The following points should be noted when fitting the visual indicators:—

- (i) The instruments are mounted in the retaining strap so that they are suspended horizontally. The side brackets of the mounting, type 119, are adjusted as necessary. A minimum clearance of $\frac{1}{8}$ inch is allowed between the face of the instrument and the rubber cushion of the mounting.
- (ii) Not less than 9 in. of loose cable is left between the indicator and the first cable fixing point.
- (iii) The instrument retaining strap is tightened by means of a screw.

Setting up the D/F loop

148. The polarity of the leads connecting the visual indicators to the receiver must be correct as indicated in fig. 21. This must be carefully checked. Similarly, the connexions from the receiver to the D/F loop should be checked. If the loop, type 3, is used and has been installed with the

red end of the cradle toward the rear and the cursor reading at 180 deg. on the black marking of the scale ring, then the sense of the visual indicators should be correct. If a D/F loop, other than the type 3, is used it should be stated quite clearly on a label in the aircraft how the loop scale must be adjusted so that the sense is correct.

149. The following procedure should be adopted to ensure that the sense is correct:—
- (i) Turn the master switch MS to FIGURE-OF-EIGHT. Tune the receiver to any signal in RANGES 3 or 5. This signal should be definitely identified and its relative position, with respect to the aircraft, known.
 - (ii) Set the loop to the approximate bearing of the station and finally adjust for minimum or zero signal to give the exact relative bearing.
 - (iii) Turn the meter deflection sensitivity switch S_3 to LOW. Hold the aural sense switch S_2 to R and reduce the loop scale reading. The signals should rise in strength.
 - (iv) If the signals decrease in strength it will indicate that the installation has been incorrectly made and the loop and associated circuits should be checked.
 - (v) The above test should be repeated with the master switch MS at VISUAL. If sense is correct, the visual indicator meter needles will swing to the right.

After installation of a new apparatus, when making a test flight, the routine for visual D/F sense discrimination should be carried out in order to determine whether the loop connexions are actually correct. It is necessary to check on a station, the position of which, relative to the aeroplane, is known.

Loop centre tap

150. The receiver is designed to work on loops having no centre tap. As the receiver aerial coils are centre-tapped to earth, the loop centre tap is unnecessary. Since it is possible that the tap may have been removed with new installations a check should be made as follows:—

- (i) Remove loop plug at receiver and connect a test meter, type E across contacts 15 and 16 using the OHMS range. This should give a low resistance reading.
- (ii) A reading should then be taken from contact 15 or 16 to 14 and 13. Open circuit should be indicated.
- (iii) If a reading is obtained at (ii) it indicates that the loop has not had the centre tap removed, or that one side is earthed. The necessary action as indicated in para. 151, should be taken in these circumstances.
- (iv) Adjust the loop lead capacitance (*see* para. 138).

Checks of sense, vertical aerial input and loop lead capacitance should always be applied as a matter of routine after any repair or replacement of items in the loop aerial or visual meter circuits.

151. The following is the sequence of operation, as laid down in the leaflet A.P.1186/E.62-W, for the removal of the loop centre tap:—

- (i) Remove the fabric seating strips from around the centre seam of the streamlined housing.
- (ii) Remove and retain the six screws securing the tail and centre section of the housing.
- (iii) Withdraw the tail portion of the housing. The loop winding will now be exposed.
- (iv) Identify the loop winding inner terminations and remove the connexion from one winding termination, inner, to the metal centre piece.
- (v) Remove the connexion from the other winding termination, inner, to the spill on the corner fixing screw.
- (vi) Connect the winding terminations, inner, by a short length of 18 s.w.g. tinned copper wire (Stores Ref. 5E/1779) encased in insulating tubing, grade E (Stores Ref. 5F/1910).
- (vii) Disconnect the loop plug from the receiver and using a test meter, type E, check the loop circuit as follows:—
 - (a) Plug the negative lead into the OHMS socket and connect the test meter between the loop winding and earth. The test meter should remain undeflected.
 - (b) Connect the test meter across the loop winding outer terminations and it should register full-scale deflection.
- (viii) Replace the tail piece of the loop housing and secure it by the six screws.
- (ix) Re-seal the centre seam, using 2-in. wide tape (Stores Ref. 32B/409), approximately 10 ft. and special adhesive, bostik No. 103 (Stores Ref. 10C/590)

Navigator-operated receivers

152. In certain aircraft an additional receiver is installed for the exclusive use of the navigator for D/F purposes: The D/F loop is then connected to the navigator-operated instrument and the existing loop connector is deleted and a new connector fitted, the length varying to suit individual installations. The typical installation diagram of fig. 21 includes this navigator-operated receiver.

153. The D/F loop which is normally connected to the communications receiver is now connected to the navigator-operated receiver and the D/F valves are removed from the communications receiver in order to conserve the electrical supply. The existing loop connector is dispensed with and a new connector fitted, the length of this varying to suit individual installations.

154. The visual indicator, previously located and wired in a position accessible to the W/T operator, is removed and mounted at the navigator's station, a suitable connector being used. The visual indicator is connected to the navigator-operated receiver. The visual indicator provided for the use of the pilot will remain. A dummy socket, Stores Ref. 10H/1938, is provided for the purpose of blanking out the D/F loop and visual indicator connexions on the communications receiver. Existing remote controls may have to be repositioned or deleted and where no remote controls exist these may have to be provided.

155. To provide for sense indication a fixed aerial is required for use with the navigator-operated installation. For this purpose it is necessary to employ a separate fixed aerial. In certain circumstances it may be necessary to utilise one of the existing fixed aeriels and a change-over switch.

156. In order to provide for any difficulty which might arise over signal identification, means is provided to enable signals to be switched from the navigator back to the W/T operator. This is accomplished by means of two switches, type 170, suitably wired. One switch is controlled by the navigator whilst the other is controlled by the W/T operator. When the navigator's switch is set to the D/F position his telephones are connected to the output of the additional receiver. Should it be necessary for the W/T operator to identify the signal, the operator's switch is set also to the D/F position. Normal I/C facilities are established when the switches are set to the I/C position.

157. The modifications to the power unit, to enable the additional power for the navigator operated receiver, entail the fitting of a relay unit to the L.T. power unit and a single pole socket to the H.T. power unit. These modifications are described in the appropriate sub-section of Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of this publication.

158. It has been found that in certain navigator-operated receivers, type R.1155, some valves are not connected to the H.T. supply. This is due to the omission of a lead between pins Nos. 5 and 7 of the socket, type 299, which is fitted at the receiver end of the cable between the L.T. power unit and the receiver. If, upon examination, the socket, type 299, is found deficient in this respect, the procedure as laid down in the leaflet A.P.1186/B.58.W should be followed:—

- (i) Withdraw the socket, type 299, from the receiver and remove its cover.
- (ii) Connect a 1 in. length of 18 s.w.g. tinned copper wire, encased in grade E insulating tubing, between pins No. 5 and No. 7.
- (iii) Replace the cover of the socket.
- (iv) Replace the socket in the receiver.

Prevention of frequency drift

159. Cases have occurred of excessive frequency drift in the beat frequency oscillator of the R.1155. This has been traced to (i) the overheating of the fixed silver mica condensers in the B.F.O. compartment causing alteration of capacitance and (ii) the presence of sulphur from the sorbo pad used to prevent the valve V₇ from touching the lid. The modification consists of drilling a ventilation hole in the B.F.O. compartment lid with replacement of the valve identification label. The procedure detailed in the leaflet A.P.1186/B.54.W is as follows:—

- (i) Withdraw the receiver from its case.
- (ii) Remove the lid of the B.F.O. compartment situated immediately behind the front panel, by withdrawing the six securing screws.
- (iii) Remove the sorbo pad from the inside of the lid.
- (iv) Cut a hole $1\frac{1}{4}$ in. dia. in the B.F.O. compartment lid, the centre of the hole being directly above the valve top cap, that is, approximately 1 in. from the long edge and $1\frac{7}{8}$ in. from the short edge of the lid.
- (v) Refit and secure the lid to the compartment.
- (vi) Readjust, if necessary, the frequency of the trimmers as described in para. 165.

- (vii) Use shellac varnish to fix the valve identification label to the rear inside face of the receiver case in the most suitable position for reading.
- (viii) Apply a thin coat of shellac varnish over the label.
- (ix) Replace the receiver in its case.

Power units

160. Installation instructions in connexion with the power units and the full procedure for adjustment of the resistance unit, type 47 (12-volt) or type 52 (24-volt) which is connected between the aircraft electrical supply and the L.T. power unit, supplying the receiver L.T. and H.T., can be found in the chapter on the transmitter, type T.1154, Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of this publication.

OPERATION

General

161. The operation of the R.1155 will be facilitated by reference to fig. 1 which shows the front panel controls, plugs and socket. An initial necessity is that the operator should satisfy himself that all valve top cap connectors are making secure contact. The plugs and socket should be securely engaged and the retaining bar (2) should be in position on the posts (3) provided. The receiver socket and plugs are grouped at the bottom right-hand corner and, from left to right, they are:—Socket P₃, "FROM LOOP AERIAL"; plug P₂, "TO VISUAL INDICATOR"; plug P₁, "FROM TRANSMITTER."

162. For communications reception the fixed aerial is normally used on the H.F. RANGES 1, 18.5 Mc/s to 7.5 Mc/s, and 2, 7.5 Mc/s to 3.0 Mc/s; the trailing aerial is used for the M.F. RANGES 3, 1,500 Mc/s to 600 Mc/s, 4, 500 Mc/s to 200 Mc/s and 5, 200 Mc/s to 75 Mc/s. By operation of the aerial selector switching unit, type J, or the aerial plug board, the fixed or trailing aerial can be used on all RANGES. This ensures continuity of communication should one of the aerials become unserviceable. For D/F the fixed aerial and loop aerial are used. D/F reception, using visual and aural methods, is available on all RANGES except RANGE 1. The operator should ensure that the correct matching unit, for the type of loop aerial being used, is installed, as specified in paras. 133 to 136. He should be familiar with the RANGE coverage and colour code associated with it. The sequence of RANGES 1 to 5 corresponds to the five positions of the frequency switch reading from left to right.

Main controls

163. The receiver has three main communication controls:—

- (i) The tuning control (6) with direct frequency calibrated dial (4), the frequency being indicated by a pointer (5) on the full-vision scale. The front knob has direct drive and the inner knob is the vernier adjustment. The exact point of resonance is shown by the narrowest shadow indicated on the tuning indicator V₁₀. The scale colour code is based on that of the transmitter, type T.1154, frequencies outside the transmitter RANGES being indicated in BLACK (*see* para. 108).
- (ii) The frequency range switch FS selects the desired RANGE 1 to 5.
- (iii) The master switch MS has five positions:—
 - "OMNI"—(☉) Manual control of H.F. and I.F. (R₈₍₁₎). Used for W/T reception and transmitter-receiver inter-tuning, that is, using receiver as a monitor.
 - A.V.C.—Automatic control of H.F. and I.F. gain. Manual control of L.F. gain (R_{8(a)}). Used for R.T.
 - BALANCE—For balancing visual indicator before using D/F.
 - VISUAL—For visual D/F and "homing."
 - FIGURE-OF-EIGHT (∞) For aural D/F.

164. The receiver secondary controls are:—

- (i) INCREASE VOLUME (R₈)—Adjusts input to grid of V₈ when MS is at A.V.C. and adjusts bias of H.F. and I.F. when MS is at OMNI and FIGURE-OF-EIGHT. The knob is rotated clockwise.
- (ii) HETERODYNE SWITCH (S₄)—Switches in the B.F.O. valve V₇ for W/T reception.
- (iii) METER AMPLITUDE (R₂₃)—Varies height of visual indicator needles when setting up to D/F balance. May also be used for occasional adjustment of the needles on weak signals.
- (iv) METER BALANCE (R₅₁)—Adjusted with MS at BALANCE and must not be adjusted with MS at any other position. Balance is indicated when the two needles of the visual indicator intersect along the centre line.

- (v) METER SENSITIVITY SWITCH (S_2)—Effects maximum deflection of visual indicator needles at 25 deg. off course for "homing" purposes (LOW) or maximum deflection of 10 deg. off minimum when taking bearings by visual indicator (HIGH).
- (vi) METER FREQUENCY SWITCH (S_1)—Causes L.F. switching oscillator (V_1 and V_2) frequency to be either 80 c/s (HIGH) for W/T, or 30 c/s (LOW) for R.T.
- (vii) AURAL SENSE SWITCH (S_3)—Spring loaded. Used for sense determination when aural D/F reception is employed.
- (viii) FILTER SWITCH (S_6)—Used to eliminate the switching frequency when monitoring visual D/F and for elimination of aircraft electrical noises.

Setting up heterodyne oscillator

165. To bring the B.F.O. valve V_7 into operation when receiving W/T the switch S_4 is used. It is first necessary to set up the heterodyne oscillator and this is accomplished as follows:—

- (i) Turn the aerial selector switching unit, type J, to the position M/F on FIXED or, if using aerial plug board, FIXED AE. TO M/F.
- (ii) Put the transmitter master switch to STAND BI and the receiver master switch MS to A.V.C.
- (iii) The frequency range switch FS should be at RANGE 3 and a convenient C.W. transmitting station tuned in until the minimum shadow is seen in the tuning indicator V_{10} .
- (iv) Now switch on the heterodyne, using S_4 .
- (v) Insert a screwdriver into the HET.ADJ. port of C_{13} and slowly adjust the condenser until an audible note is heard in the telephones. A variation of approximately 3 kc/s can be effected and the note should be adjusted to the required frequency.

Back-tuning

166. In the absence of a crystal monitor the back-tune method can be used to facilitate the setting up of the transmitter "spot" frequencies. The receiver frequency range switch FS is set to the RANGE in which the required transmitter frequency occurs. Set the receiver to the required frequency and set the master switch to OMNI. Set volume control R_8 about half-way.

167. With the transmitter master switch at TUNE, press the morse key and swing the master oscillator dial until maximum signal strength, that is minimum shadow, is indicated in the tuning indicator V_{10} , adjusting the receiver volume control R_8 as necessary. Adjust the transmitter output in the normal manner and recheck the M.O. tuning by reference to the receiver tuning indicator V_{10} . Send a series of dots and observe flicker in V_{10} .

168. It will be realized that it is possible to set up the receiver exactly to a click-stopped "spot" frequency on the transmitter by means of back-tuning. The transmitter should be tuned, using the M.O. calibration, to the correct frequency. Set the receiver FREQUENCY RANGE switch to the required RANGE in which transmitter frequency occurs. Set the receiver master switch to OMNI with volume control half-way. Set the transmitter master switch to TUNE, press key and adjust receiver, tuning for minimum shadow as shown in V_{10} : N.B.—If the edges of light on the tuning indicator overlap during tuning operations, reduce the volume control. If shadow cannot be reduced, increase volume control.

Normal communication

169. The aerial switching unit, type J, is turned to NORMAL (when using aerial plug board FIXED AE. to H/F, TRAILING AE. to M/F). The transmitter master switch is at STAND BI. Turn up the receiver volume control until background noise is heard. Put the receiver master switch MS to OMNI and V_{10} should show a green light. Turn the receiver frequency range switch FS to the required RANGE and adjust the receiver frequency, first by the outer tuning knob (6) and finally by the inner fine-tuning knob. If working C.W., switch ON the heterodyne by S_4 . Whilst sending signals a 1,200 c/s side-tone should be heard in the telephones. Listening-through can be tested, with the morse key up, by listening for signals or receiver background noise. The tuning indicator V_{10} will flicker to dots and dashes when transmission is taking place if the receiver is tuned to the same frequency as the transmitter.

Heavy atmospheric interference

170. In heavy static, or thunder conditions, the fixed and trailing aerials should be earthed. This condition is met by turning the aerial selector switching unit, type J, to EARTH (when using an aerial plug board, FIXED and TRAILING AE. TO EARTH). Reception is still possible,

using RANGES 2 to 5, in conjunction with the loop aerial. Turn the frequency range switch FS to the required RANGE. Turn the master switch MS to FIGURE-OF-EIGHT and tune in the signal. Rotate the loop aerial to the position of maximum strength, noting the V_{10} shadow. Adjust the volume control (7).

D/F bearings with visual indicator

171. Frequency RANGES 3, 4 and 5 (occasionally 2) are used. Only the BLACK scale on the loop should be used. First, turn the aerial selector switch to D/F or, if using aerial plug board TRAILING AE. on M/F and FIXED AE. on H/F. If an aerial plug board is fitted, care must be taken by the operator to see that the transmitter switch is at STAND-BI and that the key is not pressed. Turn the transmitter master switch to STAND-BI and the receiver frequency range switch FS to the required RANGE. Turn the receiver master switch to OMNI.

172. Tune in the signal as for normal communication and adjust volume (7) to a low level. Turn the receiver master switch to BALANCE. Adjust the visual indicator needles by METER BALANCE control R_{51} so that they intersect exactly along the centre line on the dial face. If necessary, adjust the needles to a suitable working height by rotating the METER AMPLITUDE control R_{23} . Turn the METER SENSITIVITY switch S_2 to HIGH.

173. Turn the METER FREQUENCY switch S_1 to HIGH for W/T or LOW for R.T. Switch FILTER S_5 to IN. Readjust balance by METER BALANCE control R_{51} . Turn the master switch MS to VISUAL. The indicator needles should now operate. Turn the loop aerial to position at which the indicator needles intersect along the centre line on the dial face.

174. Check for sense by reducing the scale reading of loop. If indicator needles swing to the RIGHT, sense is correct. If to the LEFT, sense is incorrect. When sense is correct, turn the loop back to the position on BLACK SCALE to which needles intersect along the centre line on the dial face, and note reading. If sense is incorrect, rotate through 180 deg. to determine bearings. The routine may be easily remembered by the RRR rule:—Reduce reading; Right deflection; Right sense.

“Homing,” using visual indicator

175. The sequence of operations detailed in paras. 171 to 173, up to that in which the master switch MS is turned to VISUAL, should be carried out prior to the following. The loop is then set to loop scale reading zero, that is, athwartship. The meter deflection sensitivity switch S_2 is positioned at LOW and the master switch MS to BALANCE. The balance is readjusted by R_{51} and the switch MS put to VISUAL. The pilot should now be asked to alter course until the needles intersect along the centre line on the visual indicator dial face. There may be occasions when it is not known whether the “homing” transmitter lies ahead or astern of the aircraft, and sense discrimination must then be carried out as described herein.

176. After the aircraft has been set to a course which causes the needles to intersect on the centre line the course is off-set a few degrees to the left; if the station is ahead, the needles will intersect on the right; if the station is astern, the needles will intersect on the left and the course should be altered to 180 degrees. This sense discrimination may, if desired, be carried out by reducing the scale reading by, say, 10 deg. instead of altering the aircraft's course. Sense will be indicated in the same manner.

177. Care should be taken to ensure that the loop is restored to zero after sense determination. During “homing,” balance should be checked every ten minutes. If necessary, make adjustments to the meter amplitude by R_{23} and re-check the balance after this operation.

178. It should be remembered that “homing” by visual indication is only in the nature of an “aid to navigation” and that normal navigation should not be neglected whilst it is being used. The aircraft should, for example, be prevented from drifting if there is a cross wind. The homing method, when properly used, will always bring the aeroplane to the source of transmission, but unless the standard navigational methods are observed, the course flown may be increased beyond the point-to-point distance due to wind, speed and direction.

179. A method of off-setting the loop to the fore-and-aft line of the aircraft in order to traverse a true point-to-point course is possible, but this is dependent upon very accurate information as to cross wind, speed and direction. When flying over the home station the indicator needles will collapse for a few seconds indicating that the station is directly below. After passing the station the sense will reverse and if the instructions given are observed the course of the aircraft can be reversed until the station is again directly below. When homing on a keyed transmitter, it is necessary to note that the indicator needles collapse symmetrically down the centre scale as the distant transmitter is keyed. If the needles collapse asymmetrically it will indicate that signals are being received with

interference and resulting false indication of course. When homing, signals should be monitored from time to time to ensure that the desired frequency is not subject to interference.

Aural D/F

180. When using the aural method of D/F the fixed aerial is disconnected, the loop being the sole source of signal pick-up. The L.F. oscillator, incorporated in V_1 and V_2 and the meter switching circuits of V_9 , are inoperative. Volume control is effected manually, the A.V.C. system being out of circuit.

181. The operational routine is as follows:—The aerial selector switching unit is turned to D/F or, when using the aerial plug board, the positions TRAILING AE. on M.F. and FIXED AE. ON H.F. should be used. The range switch FS is turned to the required range and the master switch MS to OMNI. The meter deflection switch S_2 is placed at LOW and the required signal tuned in. The volume control (7) is then readjusted and the tuning re-checked on the tuning indicator V_{10} .

182. The master switch MS is then turned to the FIGURE-OF-EIGHT position, the loop is swung to the position of MINIMUM signal and the volume control adjusted to obtain a zero. The loop scale reading for this zero signal should be observed. To check for sense, reduce the scale reading of the loop, putting the sense switch S_3 to the R position. If the signal strength rises the sense is correct. If the signal strength decreases the sense is wrong, and the loop should be turned through 180 deg. and the zero signal setting noted. The L and R positions of S_3 permit the operation of V_1 or V_2 by applying H.T. to the screens. This, of course, brings in the fixed aerial signals for application to the loop aerial circuit.

PRECAUTIONS AND MAINTENANCE

Ground testing

183. The following procedure should be adopted for ground testing the R.1155. Having set the aerial switching unit to the NORMAL position the range switch FS should be placed at either RANGE 1 or RANGE 2. The master switch MS is then positioned at either OMNI or A.V.C. Having turned the transmitter master switch to STAND-BY the L.T. power unit should start up and, in a few seconds, the tuning indicator should glow. The telephones are then inserted and the reception of signals checked.

184. To receive in the M.F. RANGES 3, 4 and 5 the aerial switching unit is set to the position engraved M.F. ON FIXED AERIAL. If a check of D/F reception is made the aircraft should be clear of all metal obstructions such as hangars, before verifying sense of bearings. To carry out this test the aerial switching unit should be placed to D/F. With the aerial switching unit in this position or in the EARTH position, the H.T. power unit should remain inoperative in all positions of the transmitter master switch.

185. On installations fitted with the aerial plug board, the fixed aerial socket must be connected to the H/F plug in order to receive on the H.F. RANGES 1 and 2. To receive on the RANGES 3, 4 or 5, the fixed aerial socket should be connected to the M.F. plug. When using visual D/F, it should be remembered that the aerial plug board does not break the H.T. power unit relay circuit in any position and therefore the transmitter master switch MUST be kept at STAND-BY.

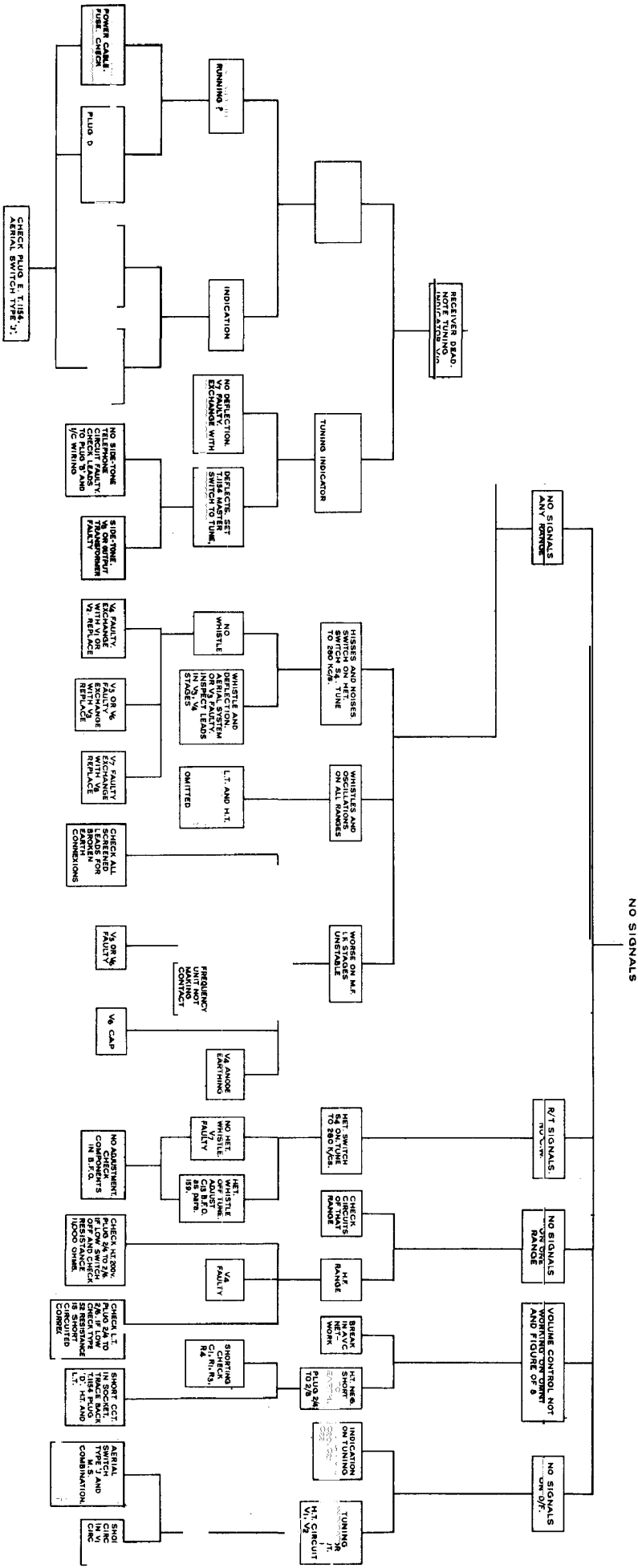
186. When the aeroplane nominal supply is 12 volts the minimum permissible voltage with the L.T. power unit running is 10.5 volts. When the aircraft supply is 24 volts the minimum permissible voltage with the L.T. power unit running is 21 volts. A high resistance voltmeter should be used to check these figures. The minimum filament voltage permissible for normal functioning of the receiver is 5.7 volts. If reception fails or signals are weak, when the filament voltage is between 5.7 volts and 6 volts, the frequency changer valve V_4 should be replaced.

Starter trolley batteries

187. As the current drawn by the T.1154–R.1155 equipment will discharge the aircraft batteries very rapidly, ground tests are to be carried out using the larger batteries on a starter trolley. It is usual for equipment to be so arranged that plugging in the trolley starter service leads to the normal point, automatically isolates the aircraft starter accumulator and connects the W/T equipment to the trolley accumulator.

Visual indicator meter unserviceable

188. Should either of the visual meters be rendered unserviceable, operation can be carried out with a single instrument. The windings are connected in series and connexions A, B, C and D on the unserviceable meter should be short-circuited to enable the serviceable meter to operate.

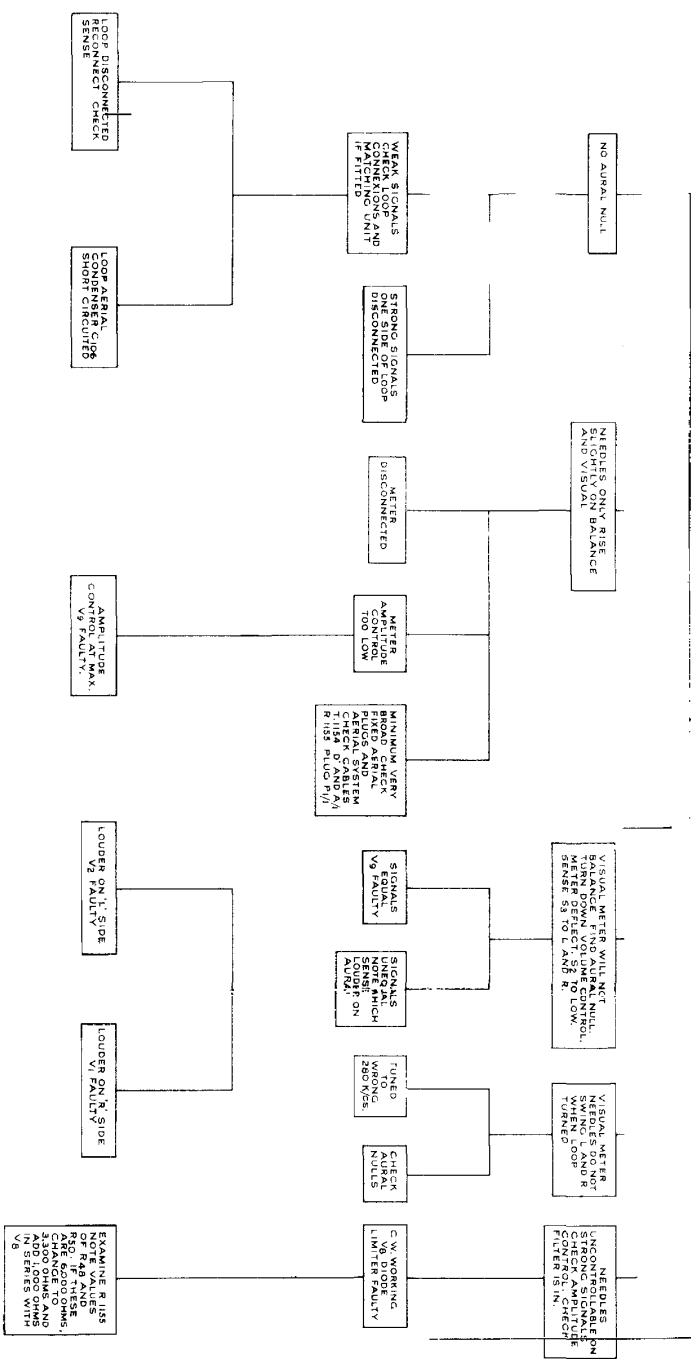


COMMUNICATION CIRCUITS - TROUBLE LOCATION CHART

FIG. 23

FIG. 23

TROUBLE WITH D/F



D/F SWITCHING CIRCUITS — TROUBLE LOCATION CHART

FIG. 23a

FIG. 23a

D.C. RESISTANCE TABLE

Component	Test Points	Resistance ohms	Component	Test Points	Resistance ohms
<i>I.F. Coils</i>					
L ₁₉ prim. sec.	V ₄ anode to R ₃₄ , C ₃₂ V ₅ grid to R ₃₃ , C ₃₃	2 approx. 2 approx.	Range 4 input	V ₃ grid to C ₄₀ junction	6
L ₂₀ prim. sec.	V ₅ anode to R ₃₀ , C ₂₉ V ₆ grid to R ₂₉ , C ₃₀	2 approx. 2 approx.	Range 5 input	V ₃ grid to C ₄₀ junction	57
L ₂₁ prim. sec.	V ₆ anode to R ₂₉ , C ₂₇ V ₇ diode to R ₂₀ , C ₁₁	2 approx. 2 approx.	Loop input circuit	Tested between C ₄₆ (switch end) and C ₄₇ (switch end)	
<i>B.F.O. Coil</i>					
L ₂₂	Fixed plates C ₁₃ to R ₁₈	5	Aerial circuits		Less than 1 to earth
<i>Anode chokes</i>					
V ₁ , V ₂			V ₄ input circuits		
L ₂₄	V ₁ anode to R ₄₆ , C ₄₁	550		V ₄ grid to C ₃₇ , R ₃₈ junction	
L ₂₄	V ₂ anode to R ₄₆ , C ₄₁	550			
<i>Visual meter chokes</i>					
L ₂₆	V ₉ diode to C ₅ , R ₂₅	130	Range 1	Switch to R ₁	Less than 1
L ₂₇	V ₉ diode to C ₅ , R ₂₄	130	Range 2	Switch to R ₂	Less than 1
<i>Limiter diode choke</i>			Range 3	Switch to R ₃	3.5
L ₂₈	V ₈ limiter diode to C ₄ , R ₂₂	130	Range 4	Switch to R ₄	11.0
			Range 5	Switch to R ₅	78.0
<i>A.V.C. choke</i>			V ₄ osc circuit		
L ₂₅	V ₇ diode to C ₁₀₉ , R ₈₈	130		V ₄ osc. grid C ₃₅ (zf contact 12) to joint R ₃₈ , C ₃₄	
<i>L.F. filter choke</i>					
L ₂₉	S ₅ to earth	2020	Range 1	Switch to R ₁	Infinity
<i>Output transformer</i>			Range 2	Switch to R ₂	Infinity
L ₃₀ prim.	V ₉ anode to pin 5, power plug P ₁	1528	Range 3	Switch to R ₃	1,600
L ₃₀ sec.	P ₁ pin 6 to earth	1063	Range 4	Switch to R ₄	1,650
<i>A.F. oscillator trans.</i>			Range 5	Switch to R ₅	0.5
L ₂₃ prim.	V ₁ osc. grid to V ₂ osc. grid	800	<i>H.F. Ranges 1 and 2</i>		
L ₂₃ sec.	V ₁ osc. grid to V ₂ osc. grid	355		FS zf12 to zf6	0.5
L ₂₃ 2nd sec.	R ₆₅ , C ₂₉ to R ₆₆ , C ₂₈ or across P ₂ pins 7 and 8	331	<i>Ranges 3, 4, 5</i>	FS zf12 to zf6	Infinity
<i>Aerial circuit</i>			<i>Oscillator anode coil</i>		
Range 1 input	V ₃ grid to C ₄₀ junction	Less than 1	Range 3	C ₃₄ , R ₃₅ to C ₇₅	2.5
Range 2 input	V ₃ grid to C ₄₀ junction	Less than 1	Range 4	C ₃₄ , R ₃₅ to C ₇₄	4.5
Range 3 input	V ₃ grid to C ₄₀ junction	2	Range 5	C ₃₄ , R ₃₅ to C ₇₃	8.5
			<i>Oscillator anode coils tap check</i>		
			Range 1	FS zr6 to C ₃₅ or zr.12	Infinity
			Range 2	FS zr6 to C ₃₆ or zr.12	Infinity
			Range 3	FS zr6 to C ₃₅ or zr.12	1,600
			Range 4	FS zr6 to C ₃₅ or zr.12	1,600
			Range 5	FS zr6 to C ₃₅ or zr.12	1.5

VOLTAGE TESTS, ETC

Measure	Test Points	Voltage and Resistance
L.T. volts	Withdraw meter plug P ₂ Measure across contacts 4 and 5	6 to 7.5 v.
H.T. volts	Measure across contacts 4 and 6	200 v. approx
<i>Standing bias on</i> V ₃ , V ₄ , V ₅ and V ₆	Remote end of R ₁₂ and chassis Vol. control to OMNI max position	-3 v. M.F. -1.5 v. H.F.
	Remote end of R ₁₂ and chassis Vol. control to OMNI max position	
<i>Output transf.</i> L ₃₀	Withdraw meter plug P ₂ Measure between pin 6 and C ₉₃	1,528 ohms
<i>D.C. resistance</i> across H.T. + across H.T. - A.F. oscillator	Withdraw meter plug P ₂ Measure between pin 6 and chassis Withdraw plug P ₂ Measure between pins 7 and 8 using A.C. range of AVOMETER	11,000 ohms 28 v. at 30 c/s 35 v. at 80 c/s

COLOUR CODE

Wiring Red, H.T. positive
Yellow, H.T. negative
Blue, L.T. positive

Black, earth
Green grids

SWITCHES

w is aerial input
x is grid V₃
y is anode V₃
z is grid and osc. V₄

189. Water or dampness will affect the readings on the visual meters if allowed to remain on the terminals of the instrument. The back of the meters should therefore be wiped dry before use. Periodical observations should be made to check that the pilot's and operator's visual meters are giving approximately equal readings. If not approximately equal the pair should be tested against a known serviceable meter and the faulty instrument replaced. When carrying out these checks the receiver master switch MS should be in the BALANCE position.

Trouble location

190. Simple trouble location charts, figs. 23 and 23A, are included and these should be of assistance in the rapid localizing of faults. They are given as indicative only. Various circuit continuity tests are also included for the checking of burnt-out or deteriorated components. A necessary preliminary to the rapid solution of difficulties is a familiarity with the location of the various components and this will be materially assisted by the location diagram of fig. 17.

Test apparatus

191. Ground tests of the R.1155 are normally carried out by means of the test rig, type 22. For the use of civilian repair organizations and maintenance units for bench testing, a special test set, type 65, is provided. This is, however, not a normal service issue. By means of this unit all the test conditions necessary for communications and D/F reception can be simulated and are easily selected for each particular test by means of switches. The unit, type 22, comprises a single panel carrying the visual indicator, four switches for selecting the test conditions, four plugs for connecting the unit to the receiver and power supplies, and terminals for the connexion of the signal generator, output meter and telephones. The test set, type 65, is described in Sect. 5, Chap. 18 of this publication.

THE IMPEDANCE MATCHING UNITS, TYPE 12, TYPE 13, AND TYPE 15

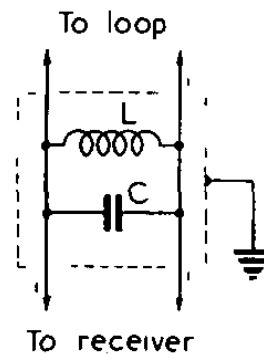
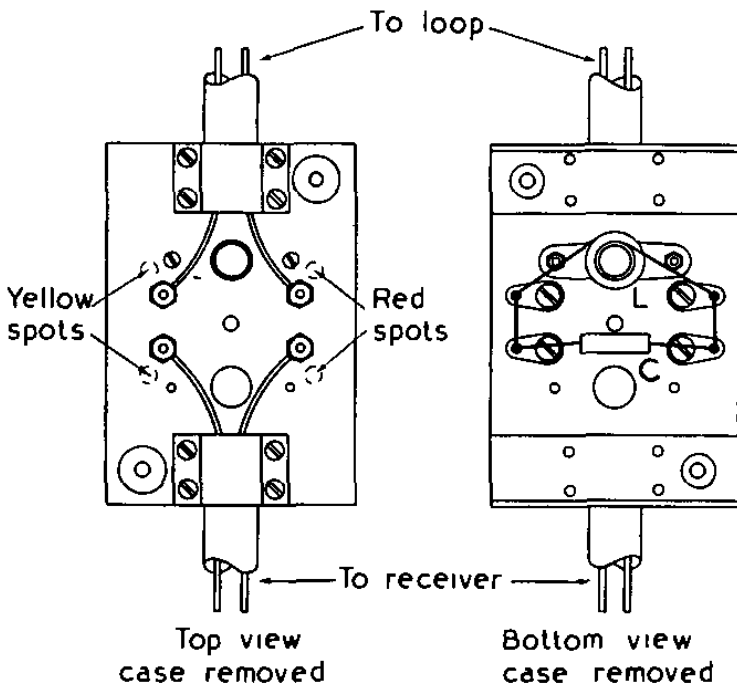
192. The R.1155 is designed for use with the D/F loop aerial, type 3, which has an inductance value of approximately 100μ H and a self-capacitance of $20 \mu\mu$ F. Should the inductance placed across the loop terminals differ appreciably from this value, the input tuned circuit will not gang correctly with the other tuned circuits. As the receiver is required for use with loop aerials of widely differing values of inductance from the type 3, a matching unit is necessary with these loops. The impedance matching units, type 12 (Stores Ref. 10A/12248), type 13 (Stores Ref. 10A/12245) and type 15 (Stores Ref. 10A/12247) have been designed for application as indicated in para. 139. The matching unit consists of a small metal box containing a panel of bakelized liner carrying four terminals to which are connected the dulocapmet No. 1 screened cables from the loop and to the receiver. The matching coils and condensers are also mounted on this panel. The unit weighs $11\frac{3}{4}$ oz.

193. The theoretical circuits and constructional details of the matching units are shown in fig. 24. The matching unit circuit depends upon whether it is required to reduce the inductance of the loop or to increase it. If a reduction in value is required a shunt unit (type 12) is used. This consists of one matching coil L with a condenser C both in shunt across the twin leads of the loop. If an increase in value is necessary the series units (types 13 and 15) are used. To preserve the symmetry of the loop two series coils L_1 and L_2 , of equal inductance, are connected, one to each lead from the loop to the receiver. A condenser C_1 is connected in shunt across the receiver leads. The condenser brings the total capacitance of the circuit to the correct value.

194. The unit condenser C, type 12, has a capacitance of $40 \mu\mu$ F and the coil L consists of 150 turns of 38 d.s.c. wire on a former and is adjusted by a dust iron screwed core to 410μ H. The unit condenser C_1 , type 13, is $70 \mu\mu$ F and the coils L_1 and L_2 each consist of 29 turns of 30/48 litz wire adjusted to 20μ H. The corresponding values for components of the unit, type 15, are $70 \mu\mu$ F and 8.25μ H. The four terminals are colour-coded by indicator spots of red and yellow and it is essential that due regard should be paid to these when fixing the cable ends.

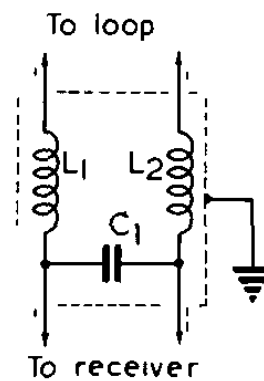
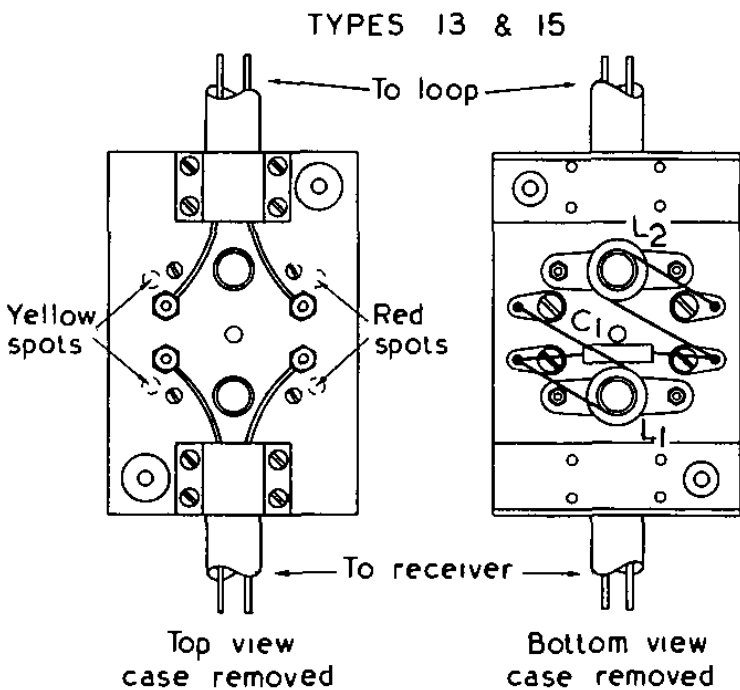
THE VISUAL INDICATOR, TYPE 1

195. The visual indicator, type 1 (Stores Ref. 10Q/2) consists essentially of two D.C. millimeter movements mounted side by side. The windings, which are connected in series, each have a resistance of 500 ohms. The current sources applied to opposite ends of the conjoint winding produce deflection of heavily damped indicator needles in opposite sense. The intersection of the indicator needles follows a straight line between zero and 90 microamps current. Approximately 2.4 microamps are required to produce one degree scale deflection. The visual indicator is shown in the diagram of fig. 25.



TYPE 12	
C	40 $\mu\mu\text{F}$
L	410 μH

TYPE 12



TYPE 13	
C1	70 $\mu\mu\text{F}$
L1	20 μH
	1H
	15
	μF
	μH
L2	8 25 μH

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TYPES 12, 13 & 15

196. The visual indicator is contained in a circular metal screening case of, approximately, $3\frac{1}{4}$ in. diameter. The depth of the casing may vary in different models but the overall maximum depth is $3\frac{3}{4}$ in. The instrument weighs 1 lb. 7 oz. Its general appearance is shown in the drawings of fig. 25 and a theoretical circuit forms part of fig. 13.

197. The indicator is fixed in position through four fixing lugs of 0.187 in. dia. and a space of 4.12 in. dia. by 4 in. deep should be allowed behind the panel for an anti-vibrational mounting. Five terminals, nominated A., B., C., D. and F., are mounted on the rear of the indicator. The terminal F. is a binding post for securing the cable. The connexions of terminals A., B., C. and D. differ according to the number of indicators installed. The normal connexions are shown in the installation diagram of fig. 21.

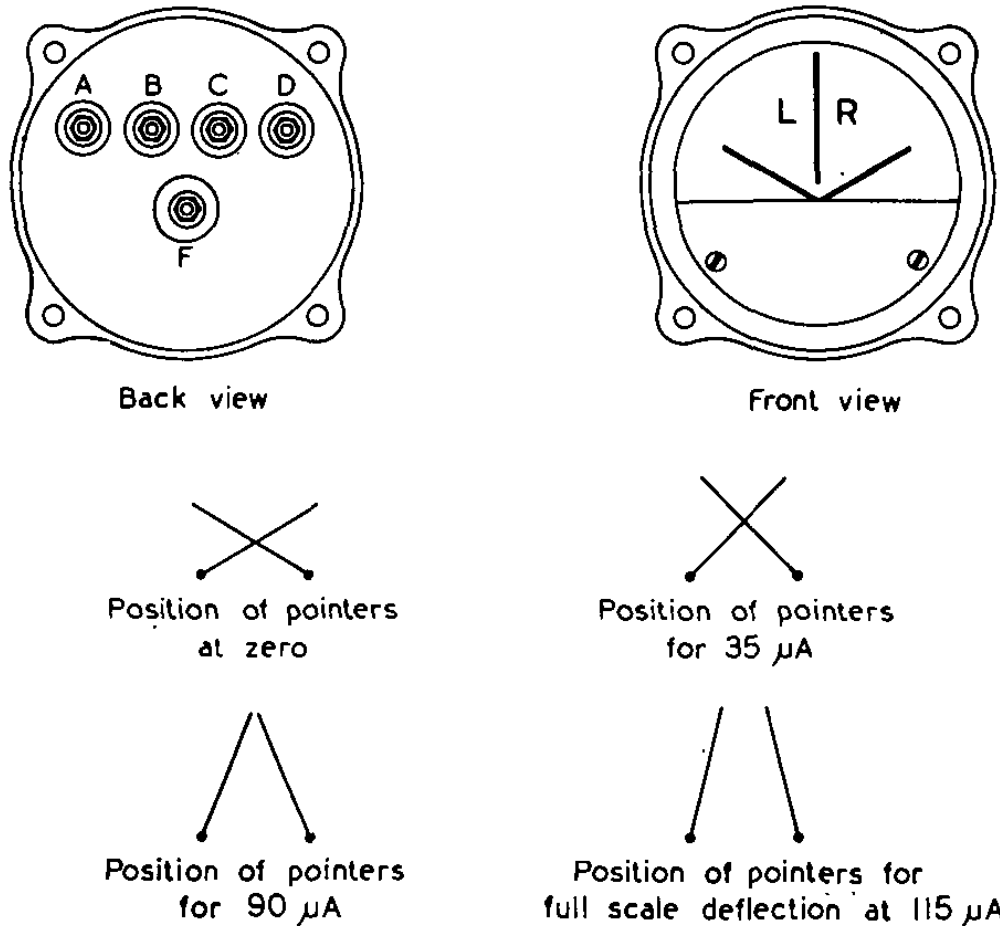


FIG. 25—THE VISUAL INDICATOR, TYPE 1

198. The mounting, anti-vibrational, type 119 (Stores Ref. 10A/12954) has been introduced for use with the visual indicator. The lampholder, type 61 (Stores Ref. 10A/13078), lamp, filament, 12 volts, jack type, G.P.O. No. 3 (Stores Ref. 5L/1150) and lamp, filament, 24 volts, jack type, G.P.O. No. 3 (Stores Ref. 5L/1898) are also used when required. The equipment required and the installation procedure are detailed in para. 147 and is the subject of leaflet A.P.1186/E entitled Indicators, visual, type 1 (Stores Ref. 10Q/2)—Mounting, type 119 (Stores Ref. 10A/12954)—Introduction.

APPENDIX 1

R.1155 COILS AND CHOKES

Ref. in fig. 3	Function	Value <i>in situ</i>
L ₁	Dummy loop coil	109 μ H
L ₂	Aerial coil, RANGE 1	Sec. 0.74 μ H
L ₃	Aerial coil, RANGE 2	Sec. 5.64 μ H
L ₄	D/F coil, RANGE 3	Sec. 158 μ H
L ₅	D/F coil, RANGE 4	Sec. 1462 μ H
L ₆	D/F coil, RANGE 5	Sec. 11, 426 m H
L ₇	Anode coil, RANGE 1	Sec. 0.77 μ H
L ₈	Anode coil, RANGE 2	Sec. 6.21 μ H
L ₉	Anode coil, RANGE 3	Sec. 163 μ H
L ₁₀	Anode coil, RANGE 4	Sec. 1374 μ H
L ₁₁	Anode coil, RANGE 5	Sec. 10.5 m H
L ₁₂	I.F. trap or filter coil	Sec. 40 μ H
L ₁₃	Oscillator coil, RANGE 1	Sec. 0.7 μ H
L ₁₄	Oscillator coil, RANGE 2	Sec. 5.83 μ H
L ₁₅	Oscillator coil, RANGE 3	Sec. 70.6 μ H
L ₁₆	Oscillator coil, RANGE 4	Sec. 248 μ H
L ₁₇	Oscillator coil, RANGE 5	Sec. 699.2 μ H
L ₁₈	Oscillator choke coil	{ (a) RANGE 1, 18.8 μ H† (b) RANGE 2, 102.3 μ H†
L ₁₉	1st I.F. coil assembly	Pri. 244.5 μ H Sec. 251.0 μ H
L ₂₀	2nd I.F. coil assembly	Pri. 250.5 μ H Sec. 251.5 μ H
L ₂₁	3rd I.F. coil assembly	Pri. 132 μ H Sec. 254.5 μ H
L ₂₂	Beat frequency—oscillator coil	272 μ H
L ₂₃	Switching oscillator transformer assembly	Pri. 27 μ H Sec. 1, 1.82 μ H Sec. 2, 1.44 μ H
L ₂₄	R.F. choke assembly	290 m H
L ₂₅	R.F. choke assembly (screened)	6.7 m H
L ₂₆	R.F. choke assembly (screened)	6.7 m H
L ₂₇	R.F. choke assembly (screened)	6.7 m H
L ₂₈	R.F. choke assembly (screened)	6.7 m H
L ₂₉	A.F. choke assembly	200 H**
L ₃₀	Output transformer. (1.75 : 1)	{ Pri. 14 H Sec. 4.5 H

† Measured off chassis.

* Measured at 1,000 c/s. with no D.C.

** Measured at 150 c/s.

APPENDIX 2

NOMENCLATURE OF PARTS

The following list of parts is issued for information only. When ordering spares for these receivers the appropriate section of AIR PUBLICATION 1086 must be used.

Ref. No.	Nomenclature	Qty.	Ref. in fig. 3	Remarks
10D/98	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B			
	Principal components			
10D/508	Case	1		
	Choke, H.F.			
10C/583	Type 71	1	L ₂₄	250 μ H, 637 ohms, D.C.
10C/2019	Type 83	3	L ₂₆ , L ₂₇ , L ₂₈	250 μ H, 637 ohms, D.C.
10C/2186	Type 94	1	L ₂₅	250 μ H, 637 ohms, D.C.
10D/157	Coil unit, R.F.	1		For first 1,000 receivers only
	Fitted with:—			
	Coil			
	Aerial	3	L ₁ to L ₃	RANGES 1 to 2 and "dummy"
	Anode	6	L ₇ to L ₁₂	RANGES 1 to 5 and I.F. trap
	Oscillator	6	L ₁₃ to L ₁₈	RANGES 1 to 5 and anode choke
	Condenser unit			
10C/3173	Type 34	2	C ₅₇ to C ₆₁ , C ₈₂ to C ₈₆	4 to 40 $\mu\mu$ F trimmer
10C/3174	Type 35	1	C ₆₈ to C ₇₀	4 to 40 $\mu\mu$ F trimmer
	Condenser			
10C/10948	Type 429	1	C ₇₈	20 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/853	Type 858	1	C ₉₁	40 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/965	Type 896			
	or	2	C ₇ , C ₁₈	0.005 μ F
10C/4256	Type 2201			
10C/967	Type 899	4	C ₃₇ , C ₃₈ , C ₃₄ , C ₄₀	0.1 μ F
10C/972	Type 904	1	C ₈₅	0.0002 μ F
10C/976	Type 908	2	C ₇₁ , C ₇₂	5 to 40 $\mu\mu$ F trimmer
10C/977	Type 909	1	C ₈₀	10 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/978	Type 910	1	C ₇₉	15 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2003	Type 915	1	C ₁₀₅	0.1 μ F
10C/2006	Type 918	1	C ₉₉	100 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2007	Type 919	2	C ₄₂ , C ₄₃	25 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2008	Type 920	2	C ₄₄ , C ₄₅	240 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2009	Type 921	2	C ₄₆ , C ₄₇	80 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2011	Type 923	1	C ₆₇	2,000 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2012	Type 924	1	C ₇₃	93 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2013	Type 925	1	C ₇₄	255 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2014	Type 926	1	C ₇₅	537 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2015	Type 927	1	C ₇₆	1,670 $\mu\mu$ F
10C/2016	Type 928	1	C ₇₇	6,170 $\mu\mu$ F
	Resistance			
10C/648	Type 855	2	R ₅₉ , R ₆₀	220,000 ohms
10C/691	Type 875	1	R ₄₂	2,200 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	1	R ₃₈	100,000 ohms
10C/1081	Type 1,081	1	R ₆₁	1,200 ohms
10C/1082	Type 1,082	3	R ₁₇ , R ₄₀ , R ₄₁	1,500 ohms
10C/1278	Type 1,278	1	R ₃₅	22,000 ohms
	Switch			
10F/154	Type 368	1	FS _{Zf} , FS _{Zr}	Oscillator wafer
10F/155	Type 369	1	FS _{Yf} , FS _{Yr}	Anode wafer
10F/156	Type 370	1	FS _{wf} , FS _{wr}	Aerial wafer
10F/157	Type 371	1	FS _{xf} , FS _{xr}	Loop aerial wafer
10D/380	Coil unit, R.F.	1		After 1st 1,000 receivers
	Fitted with:—			
	Coil			
	Aerial	3	L ₁ to L ₃	RANGES 1, 2 and "dummy"
	Anode	6	L ₇ to L ₁₂	RANGES 1 to 5 and I.F. trap
	Oscillator	6	L ₁₃ to L ₁₈	RANGES 1 to 5 and anode choke

Ref. No.	Nomenclature	Qty.	Ref. in fig. 3	Remarks
	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (contd.)			
	Principal components (contd.)			
	Coil unit, R.F. (contd.)			
	Fitted with (contd.)			
	Condenser unit			
10C/3173	Type 34	2	C ₅₇ to C ₆₁ , C ₆₂ to C ₆₆	4 to 40 μμ F trimmer
10C/3174	Type 35	1	C ₆₈ to C ₇₀	4 to 40 μμ F trimmer
	Condenser			
10C/10948	Type 429	1	C ₇₈	20 μμ F
10C/853	Type 858	1	C ₉₁	40 μμ F
10C/965	Type 896			
	or	2	C ₇ , C ₁₈	0.005 μ F
10C/4256	Type 2201			
10C/967	Type 899	4	C ₃₇ , C ₃₈ , C ₃₄ , C ₄₀	0.1 μ F
10C/972	Type 904	2	C ₃₅ , C ₁₀₈	0.0002 μ F
10C/976	Type 908	2	C ₇₁ , C ₇₈	5 to 40 μμ F trimmer
10C/978	Type 910	1	C ₇₉	15 μμ F
10C/2003	Type 915	1	C ₁₀₅	0.1 μ F
10C/2006	Type 918	1	C ₉₉	100 μμ F
10C/2007	Type 919	2	C ₄₂ , C ₄₃	25 μμ F
10C 2008	Type 920	2	C ₄₄ , C ₄₅	240 μμ F
10C/2009	Type 921	2	C ₄₆ , C ₄₇	80 μμ F
10C/2011	Type 923	1	C ₆₇	2,000 μμ F
10C/2012	Type 924	1	C ₇₃	93 μμ F
10C/2013	Type 925	1	C ₇₄	255 μμ F
10C/2014	Type 926	1	C ₇₅	537 μμ F
10C/2015	Type 927	1	C ₇₆	1,670 μμ F
10C/2016	Type 928	1	C ₇₇	6,170 μμ F
10C/3027	Type 1,439	1	C ₈₀	25 μμ F
	Resistance			
10C/648	Type 855	2	R ₅₉ , R ₆₀	220,000 ohms
10C/691	Type 875	1	R ₄₃	2,200 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	1	R ₃₈	100,000 ohms
10C/1081	Type 1,081	1	R ₆₁	1,200 ohms
10C/1082	Type 1,082	3	R ₁₇ , R ₁₀ , R ₄₁	1,500 ohms
10C/1278	Type 1,278	1	R ₃₅	22,000 ohms
	Switch			
10F/154	Type 368	1	FS _{zf} , FS _{zr}	Oscillator wafer
10F/155	Type 369	1	FS _{yf} , FS _{yr}	Anode wafer
10F/156	Type 370	1	FS _{wf} , FS _{wr}	Aerial wafer
10F/157	Type 371	1	FS _{xf} , FS _{xr}	Loop aerial wafer
	Coil, D/F.			
10D/161	Range 3	1	L ₄	1,515 kc/s. to 600 kc/s.
10D/162	Range 4	1	L ₅	502 kc/s. to 198 kc/s.
10D/163	Range 5	1	L ₆	202 kc/s. to 74 kc/s.
	Condenser			
10C/10948	Type 429	1	C ₇₈	20 μμ F
10C/584	Type 770	1	C ₆₂ , C ₆₃ , C ₆₄	Var. 3-ganged (1st 1,000 receivers)
10C/651	Type 782	3	C ₁₉ , C ₂₅ , C ₁₀₂	0.001 μ F
10C/853	Type 858	1	C ₉₁	40 μμ F
10C/760	Type 892	1	C ₁	2.5 + 2.5 + 1.0 μ F (or 10C/3399)
10C/961	Type 893			
10C/3399	or Type 1662	6	C ₂₆ to C ₂₈ ; C ₂₉ to C ₃₁ ; C ₃₂ + C ₃₃ + C ₃₆ ; C ₄₁ + C ₄₉ + C ₅₀ ; C ₅₁ to C ₅₃ ; C ₂ + C ₃₉	0.1 + 0.1 + 0.1 μ F
10C/962	Type 894	1	C ₃ + C ₄ + C ₅	2.5 + 2.5 + 1.0 μ F
10C/963	Type 895			
	or	2	C ₆ , C ₁₁	0.0001 μ F
10C/2155	Type 995			
10C/964	Type 896			
	or	8	C ₇ , C ₁₆ , C ₂₀ to C ₂₄ , C ₁₀₃	0.005 μ F
10C/4256	Type 2201			
10C/965	Type 897	2	C ₈ , C ₉	0.001 μ F
10C/966	Type 898	1	C ₁₀	0.004 μ F
10C/967	Type 899	5	C ₁₂ , C ₃₄ , C ₃₇ , C ₃₈ , C ₄₀	0.1 μ F
10C/968	Type 900	1	C ₁₀₄	75 μμ F, trimmer
10C/969	Type 901	2	C ₁₄	800 μμ F (2 off) = 1,600 μμ F

Ref. No.	Nomenclature	Qty.	Ref. in fig. 3	Remarks
	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (<i>contd.</i>)			
	Principal components (<i>contd.</i>)			
	Condenser (<i>contd.</i>)			
10C/970	Type 902	3	C ₁₆ , C ₃₅ , C ₉₅	0.5 μ F
10C/3401	or Type 1664			
10C/971	Type 903			
10C/972	Type 904	2	C ₃₅ , C ₁₀₈	0.0002 μ F
10C/2719	or Type 1322			
10C/973	Type 905	1	C ₅₄	0.04 μ F
10C/4257	or Type 2202			
10C/974	Type 906	1	C ₅₆	8 to 115 μ F, trimmer
10C/3402	or Type 1665			
10C/976	Type 908	2	C ₇₁ , C ₇₂	5 to 40 μ F, trimmer
10C/977	Type 909	1	C ₈₀	10 μ F (1st 1,000 receivers)
10C/978	Type 910	1	C ₇₉	15 μ F
10C/979	Type 911	1	C ₉₃	4 μ F
10C/2000	Type 912	1	C ₉₆	0.02 μ F
10C/4258	or Type 2203			
10C/2001	Type 913	2	C ₉₇ , C ₉₈	2 μ F
10C/2002	Type 914	1	C ₁₀₁	4 μ F
10C/2003	Type 915	2	C ₁₀₅ , C ₁₀₇	0.1 μ F
10C/2005	Type 917	1	C ₁₅	4,550 μ F
10C/2006	Type 918	2	C ₁₇ , C ₉₉	100 μ F
10C/2007	Type 919	2	C ₄₂ , C ₄₃	25 μ F
10C/2008	Type 920	2	C ₄₄ , C ₄₅	240 μ F
10C/2009	Type 921	2	C ₄₆ , C ₄₇	80 μ F
10C/2010	Type 922	2	C ₄₈ , C ₁₀₀	200 μ F
10C/2011	Type 923	1	C ₅₇	2,000 μ F
10C/2012	Type 924	1	C ₇₃	93 μ F
10C/2013	Type 925	1	C ₇₄	255 μ F
10C/2014	Type 926	1	C ₇₅	537 μ F
10C/2015	Type 927	1	C ₇₆	1,670 μ F
10C/2016	Type 928	1	C ₇₇	6,170 μ F
10C/2017	Type 929	5	C ₈₅ , C ₈₆ , C ₈₇ , C ₈₈ , C ₉₀	300 μ F
10C/3027	Type 1,439	1	C ₉₀	25 μ F after 1st 1,000
10C/3028	Type 1,440	1	C ₈₂ , C ₈₃ , C ₈₄	Var. 3 ganged after 1st 1,000
10C/3129	Type 1,525	1	C ₁₃	5 to 60 μ F var.
10C/3860	Type 1,949	1	C ₁₁₄	8 μ F (R.1155A and R.1155B)
10C/4922	Type 2,612	1	C ₁₁₂	30 μ F (R.1155A and R.1155B)
10C/4923	Type 2,613	2	C ₁₁₁ , C ₁₁₃	160 μ F (R.1155A and R.1155B)
10C/3173	Condenser unit Type 34	2	C ₅₇ to C ₆₁ , C ₈₂ to C ₈₆	4 to 40 μ F trimmer
10C/3174	Type 35	1	C ₆₈ to C ₇₀	4 to 40 μ F trimmer
10A/12684	Drive, slow-motion, type 13	1		
10H/326	Holder, valve Type 51	10		American octal (1st 1,200 receivers)
10H/326	Type 51	9		After 1st 1,200 receivers
10H/493	Type 73	1		After 1st 1,200 receivers
10P/13005	Filter unit, type 44	1		Grid rejector (R.1155A)
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
10C/4838	Coil, type 393	1	L ₃₁	
	Condenser			
10C/4922	Type 2,612	1	C ₁₁₂	30 μ F.* In H.F. coil box, R.1155B
10C/4923	Type 2,613	1	C ₁₁₁	160 μ F
10C/7373	Resistance, type 7373	1	R ₇₁	150,000 ohms. In H.F. coil box R.1155B

Ref. No.	Nomenclature	Qty.	Ref. in fig. 3	Remarks
	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (contd.)			
	Principal components (contd.)			
10P/13006	Filter unit, type 45	1		Anode rejector (R.1155A and B)
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
10C/4839	Coil, type 394	1	L ₃₂	
10C/4923	Condenser, type 2;613	1	C ₁₁₃	160 μμ F
10P/13007	Filter unit, type 46	1		Anode acceptor (R.1155A and R.1155B)
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
N.I.V.	Coil	1	L ₃₃	
10C/3860	Condenser, type 1,949	1	C ₁₁₄	8 μμ F
10D/164	Output unit, type 4	1		
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
	Choke L.F.	1	L ₂₉	
	Condenser			
10C/965	Type 897	2	C ₈ , C ₉	0.001 μ F
10C/966	Type 898	1	C ₁₀	0.004 μ F
10C/2000	Type 912			
	or	1	C ₉₁	0.02 μ F
10C/4258	Type 2,203			
	Resistance			
10C/11667	Type 500	1	R ₅	1,000 ohms
10C/1505	Type 1,505	1	R ₇	270 ohms
10V/1	Oscillator unit, type 18	1		
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
10C/2019	Choke, R.F., type 83	3	L ₂₂ , L ₂₇ , L ₂₈	
	Condenser			
10C/962	Type 894	1	C ₂ , C ₄ , C ₅	2.5 + 2.5 + 1.0 μ F
10C/964	Type 896			
	or	5	C ₁₀ , C ₂₁ , C ₂₂ , C ₂₃ , C ₂₄	0.005 μ F
10C/4256	Type 2201			
10C/967	Type 899	1	C ₁₂	0.1 μ F
10C/968	Type 900	1	C ₁₃	75 μμ F (1st 1,000 receivers)
10C/969	Type 901	2	C ₁₄	800 μμ F (2 off) = 1,600 μμ F
10C/2005	Type 917	1	C ₁₅	4,550 μμ F
10C/2006	Type 918	1	C ₁₇	100 μμ F
10C/3129	Type 1,525	1	C ₁₃	5 to 60 μμ F (after 1st 1,000 receivers)
10C/3129	Holder, valve, type 51	1		
	Resistance			
10C/11667	Type 500	1	R ₁₄	1,000 ohms
10C/777	Type 906	1	R ₁₆	10,000 ohms
10C/1008	Type 1,008	1	R ₁₈	56,000 ohms
10C/1010	Type 1,010	1	R ₂₂	22,000 ohms
10C/1082	Type 1,082	1	R ₁₇	1,500 ohms
10H/323	Plug, type 194	2	F ₁ , P ₂	Power and meter
	Resistance			
10C/11382	Type 478	2	R ₁₀ , R ₁₁	150,000 ohms
10C/11384	Type 480	1	R ₁₃	1 megohm
10C/11667	Type 500	3	R ₅ , R ₁₄ , R ₂₂	1,000 ohms
10C/1505	Type 505	2	R ₆₅ , R ₆₆	10,000 ohms
10C/124	Type 592	1	R ₄	1,500 ohms
10C/648	Type 855	2	R ₅₉ , R ₆₀	220,000 ohms
10C/691	Type 875	4	R ₃₀ , R ₃₄ , R ₄₂ , R ₅₃	2,200 ohms
10C/777	Type 906	1	R ₁₈	10,000 ohms
10C/989	Type 989	1	R ₂₁	470,000 ohms
10C/991	Type 991	3	R ₄₉ , R ₅₀ , R ₅₂	6,800 ohms (or 10C/1464)
10C/992	Type 992	2	R ₅₃ , R ₅₇	.560,000 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	5	R ₂₆ , R ₂₉ , R ₃₃ , R ₃₈ , R ₄₅	100,000 ohms
10C/995	Type 995	1	R ₅₆	240 ohms
10C/996	Type 996	2	R ₆₂ , R ₆₃	2.2 megohms
10C/998	Type 998	1	R ₂₃	20,000 ohms, var.
10C/999	Type 999	1	R ₅₁	20,000 ohms, pot.
10C/1000	Type 1,000	1	R ₅₍₁₎ and R ₅₍₂₎	0.5 megohm + 50,000 ohms
10C/1001	Type 1,001	1	R ₁	2,000 ohms
10C/1002	Type 1,002	2	R ₂ , R ₃	1,200 ohms
10C/1003	Type 1,003	1	R ₄	120 ohms
10C/1004	Type 1,004	1	R ₉	2 megohms

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	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (contd.)			
	Principal components (contd.)			
	Oscillator unit, type 18 (contd.)			
	Resistance (Contd.)			
10C/1005	Type 1,005	1	R ₁₂	27,000 ohms
10C/1006	Type 1,006	6	R ₁₆ , R ₁₇ , R ₅₁ , R ₃₆ , R ₄₃ , R ₄₇	27,000 ohms
10C/1007	Type 1,007	1	R ₁₅	30,000 ohms
10C/1008	Type 1,008	6	R ₁₉ , R ₂₀ , R ₂₉ , R ₅₄ , R ₅₅ , R ₆₀	56,000 ohms
10C/1010	Type 1,010	7	R ₂₄ , R ₂₅ , R ₂₈ , R ₃₂ , R ₃₅ , R ₃₇ , R ₄₄	22,000 ohms
10C/1081	Type 1,081	1	R ₅₁	1,200 ohms
10C/1082	Type 1,082	4	R ₁₇ , R ₄₀ , R ₄₁ , R ₄₆	1,500 ohms
10C/1278	Type 1,278	1	R ₅₇	22,000 ohms
10C/1464	Type 1,464			
	or	2	R ₄₈ , R ₅₀	3,300 ohms
10C/991	Type 991	1	R ₇	270 ohms
10C/1505	Type 1,505	1	R ₉₄	200 ohms
10C/1634	Type 1,634	1	R ₇₁	150,000 ohms
10C/7373	Type 7,373	1	Sk ₃	Loop socket
10H/327	Socket, type 138	1		
	Switch			
10F/10338	Type 152	3	S ₄ , S ₁ , S ₅	S.P. c/o. Het.; speed, filter
10F/158	Type 234	1	MS	5 wafer, 5 position
10F/159	Type 235	1	S ₂	D.P. c/o. meter deflection
10F/163	Type 239	1	S ₃	S.P. D.T. aural sense
10F/154	Type 368	1	FS _{zf} , FS _{zr}	Oscillator wafer
10F/155	Type 369	1	FS _{yf} , FS _{yr}	Anode wafer
10F/156	Type 370	1	FS _{xf} , FS _{xr}	Aerial wafer
10F/157	Type 371	1	FS _{wf} , FS _{wr}	Loop aerial wafer
10K/12136	Transformer, type 130	2		I.F.
	Fitted with:—			
	Condenser			
10C/2001	Type 913	1	C ₉₇ or C ₉₈	2 μμ F
10C/2017	Type 929	2	C ₈₅ , C ₈₆ or C ₈₇ , C ₈₈	300 μμ F
	Resistance			
10C/691	Type 875	1	R ₃₄ or R ₃₀	2,200 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	1	R ₂₃ or R ₂₉	100,000 ohms
	or, as alternative			
	Transformer			
10K/12136	Type 130			
	and	1		As above
10K/251	Type 366			
	Fitted with:—			
	Condenser			
10C/2001	Type 913	1	C ₉₇	2 μμ F
10C/2017	Type 929	2	C ₈₅ , C ₈₆	300 μμ F
	Resistance			
10C/691	Type 875	1	R ₃₄	2,200 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	1	R ₂₃	100,000 ohms
10K/12137	Transformer, type 131	1		3rd I.F. coil assembly
	Fitted with:—			
	Condenser			
10C/971	Type 903	1	C ₈₉	600 μμ F
10C/2002	Type 914	1	C ₁₀₁	4 μμ F
10C/2017	Type 929	1	C ₉₀	300 μμ F
10K/12138	Transformer, type 132	1	L ₂₃	30 c/s. transformer assembly
	Fitted with:—			
	Condenser			
10C/973	Type 905			
	o.	1	C ₅₄	0.04 μF
10C/4237	Type 2202			
	Resistance			
10C/991	Type 991	1	R ₅₂	6,800 ohms
10C/992	Type 992	1	R ₅₃	560,000 ohms
10C/1008	Type 1,008	2	R ₅₄ , R ₅₅	56,000 ohms
10K/12139	Transformer, type 133	1		

Ref. No.	Nomenclature	Qty.	Ref. in fig. 3	Remarks
	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (contd.)			
	Accessories			
10D/315	Case, transit	1		
	Valve :			
10E/277	Type V.R.99	3	V ₁ , V ₂ , V ₄	
10E/278	Type V.R.100	3	V ₃ , V ₅ , V ₆	
10E/280	Type V.R.101	2	V ₇ , V ₈	
10E/279	Type V.R.102	1	V ₉	
10E/305	Type V.I.103	1	V ₁₀	
10Q/2	Indicator, visual, type 1	2		

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	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (<i>contd.</i>)			
	Principal components (<i>contd.</i>)			
	Oscillator unit, type 18 (<i>contd.</i>)			
	Resistance (<i>Contd.</i>)			
10C/1005	Type 1,005	1	R ₁₃	27,000 ohms
10C/1006	Type 1,006	6	R ₁₆ , R ₂₇ , R ₃₁ , R ₃₆ , R ₄₃ , R ₄₇	27,000 ohms
10C/1007	Type 1,007	1	R ₁₃	30,000 ohms
10C/1008	Type 1,008	6	R ₁₉ , R ₂₀ , R ₃₉ , R ₄₄ , R ₅₅ , R ₆₃	56,000 ohms
10C/1010	Type 1,010	7	R ₂₄ , R ₂₅ , R ₂₈ , R ₃₂ , R ₃₅ , R ₃₇ , R ₄₄	22,000 ohms
10C/1081	Type 1,081	1	R ₄₁	1,200 ohms
10C/1082	Type 1,082	4	R ₁₇ , R ₄₀ , R ₄₁ , R ₄₆	1,500 ohms
10C/1278	Type 1,278	1	R ₆₇	22,000 ohms
10C/1464	Type 1,464			
	or	2	R ₄₈ , R ₅₀	3,300 ohms
10C/991	Type 991	1	R ₇	270 ohms
10C/1505	Type 1,505	1	R ₄₄	200 ohms
10C/1634	Type 1,634	1	R ₂₁	150,000 ohms
10C/7373	Type 7,373	1	Sk ₃	Loop socket
10H/327	Socket, type 138	1	Sk ₃	Loop socket
	Switch			
10F/10338	Type 152	3	S ₄ , S ₁ , S ₅	S.P. c/o. Het., speed, filter
10F/158	Type 234	1	MS	5 wafer, 5 position
10F/159	Type 235	1	S ₃	D.P. c/o. meter deflection
10F/163	Type 239	1	S ₂	S.P. D.T. aural sense
10F/154	Type 368	1	FS _{2f} , FS _{2r}	Oscillator wafer
10F/155	Type 369	1	FS _{5f} , FS _{5r}	Anode wafer
10F/156	Type 370	1	FS _{3f} , FS _{3r}	Aerial wafer
10F/157	Type 371	1	FS _{5f} , FS _{5r}	Loop aerial wafer
10K/12136	Transformer, type 130	2		I.F.
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
	Condenser			
10C/2001	Type 913	1	C ₉₇ or C ₉₈	2 μμ F
10C/2017	Type 929	2	C ₉₅ , C ₉₆ or C ₉₇ , C ₉₈	300 μμ F
	Resistance			
10C/691	Type 875	1	R ₂₄ or R ₃₀	2,200 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	1	R ₃₃ or R ₃₉	100,000 ohms
	or, as alternative			
	Transformer			
10K/12136	Type 130			
	and	1		As above
10K/251	Type 366			
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
	Condenser			
10C/2001	Type 913	1	C ₉₇	2 μμ F
10C/2017	Type 929	2	C ₉₅ , C ₉₆	300 μμ F
	Resistance			
10C/691	Type 875	1	R ₂₄	2,200 ohms
10C/993	Type 993	1	R ₃₃	100,000 ohms
10K/12137	Transformer, type 131	1		3rd I.F. coil assembly
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
	Condenser			
10C/971	Type 903	1	C ₉₉	600 μμ F
10C/2002	Type 914	1	C ₁₀₁	4 μμ F
10C/2017	Type 929	1	C ₉₀	300 μμ F
10K/12138	Transformer, type 132	1	L ₂₃	30 c/s. transformer assembly
	<i>Fitted with:—</i>			
	Condenser			
10C/973	Type 905			
	or	1	C ₆₄	0.04 μF
10C/4237	Type 2202			
	Resistance			
10C/991	Type 991	1	R ₅₂	6,800 ohms.
10C/992	Type 992	1	R ₅₃	560,000 ohms
10C/1008	Type 1,008	2	R ₆₄ , R ₆₅	56,000 ohms
10K/12139	Transformer, type 133	1		

Ref. No.	Nomenclature	Qty.	Ref. in fig. 3	Remarks
	Receivers, types R.1155, R.1155A and R.1155B (contd.)			
	Accessories			
10D/315	Case, transit Valve	1		
10E/277	Type V.R.99	3	V ₁ , V ₂ , V ₄	
10E/278	Type V.R.100	3	V ₃ , V ₅ , V ₆	
10E/280	Type V.R.101	2	V ₇ , V ₈	
10E/279	Type V.R.102	1	V ₉	
10E/305	Type V.I.103	1	V ₁₀	
10Q/2	Indicator, visual, type 1	2		

A complete installation schedule is included in Sect. 1, Chap. 7 of this AIR PUBLICATION

APPENDIX 3.

RECEIVERS, Types R.1155C, D, E, F, L, M, and N

1. The above-mentioned receivers are all variants of the basic R.1155 series. The receivers R.1155C and L have certain circuit modifications which will be promulgated in due course. The remaining receivers, with the exception of R.1155M, differ from the basic type only so far as the casing material is concerned.

2. The following list of receivers, stores reference numbers and basic types from which developed, is supplied for reference:—

<i>Receiver type</i>	<i>Stores Ref. No.</i>	<i>Basic type</i>	<i>Comments</i>
R.1155C	10D/1105	R.1155B	Modified for H.F.D/F. Primarily intended for Coastal Command.
R.1155D	10D/1331	R.1155	Steel case.
R.1155E	10D/1332	R.1155A	Steel case.
R.1155F	10D/1333	R.1155B	Steel case.
R.1155L	10D/1477	R.1155B	75-200 Kc/s range replaced by 1.5-3.3 Mc/s range for A.S.R. launches. Aluminium case.
R.1155M	10D/1597	R.1155A	For use in ground schools only. These are R.1155A receivers which, for certain reasons, have been rejected as unfit for other use.
R.1155N	10D/1667	R.1155L	Steel case. With modified extended ranges for A.S.R. launches as in R.1155L.