CATHODE-RAY OSCILLOSCOPE TYPE 524AD

INSTRUCTION MANUAL



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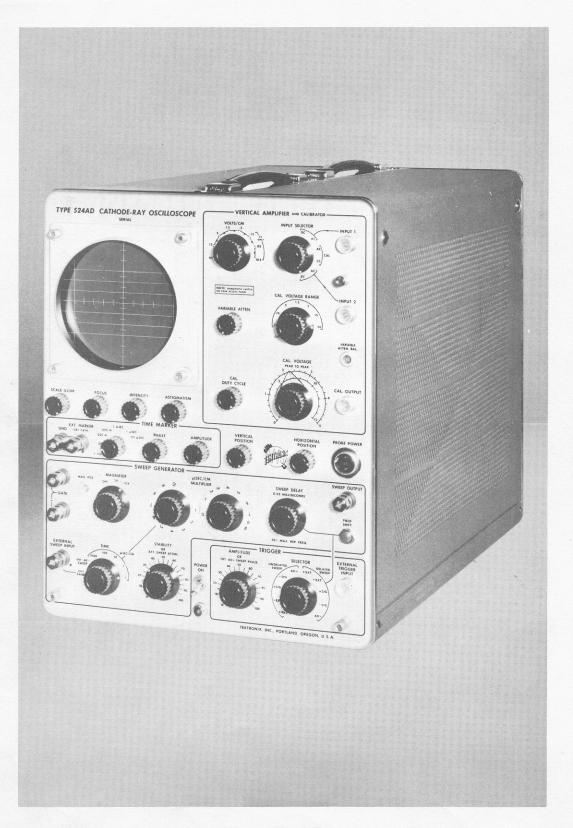
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GENERAL DESCRIPTION

General

The Tektronix Type 524AD is a portable, self-contained cathode-ray oscilloscope specifically designed for maintenance and adjustment of television transmitters and studio equipment.

With this oscilloscope, any portion of the television picture can be observed, from complete frames to small portions of individual lines. Any one of the 525 lines in the picture can be selected and observed in detail. Internally-generated time markers facilitate sync-pulse timing. The wide-band vertical amplifier is provided with a network that can be switched in to limit the high-frequency response to that recommended by the IRE Standards Committee for standardized pulse-level measurements. A second switch position adds high-frequency compensation to make flat frequency response to 5 mc, within one per cent, but at the sacrifice of best transient response.

The vertical amplifier has a bandwidth to 10 megacycles, a dc sensitivity to 0.15 volts per centimeter, and an ac sensitivity increased by a 10X ac-coupled preamplifier to 0.015 volts per centimeter. A built-in variable-duty-cycle calibrator aids in pulse-level measurements.

The sweep system provides calibrated sweeps as fast as 0.1 microsecond per centimeter, includes a 3X and 10X magnifier, a television composite-video-signal sync separator, and a variable delayed sweep. The unblanking pulse is dc coupled.

Characteristics

SWEEP CIRCUIT

Hard-tube type, triggered or recurrent operation as desired.

SWEEP-TIME RANGE

Continuously variable, 0.1 microsecond per centimeter to 0.01 second per centimeter.

TRIGGER REQUIREMENTS

TV composite video signal between 0.5 volt and 15 volt peak, or pulses 0.15 to 15 volts peak to peak.

SWEEP MAGNIFICATION

Magnifier expands the trace to right and left of center, either 3X or 10X. Magnified sweep speed limited to 0.1 microsecond per centimeter.

EXTERNAL SWEEP INPUT

External sweep voltage can be coupled in via 100-k potentiometer through dc-coupled sweep amplifier, with magnification, if desired. Horizontal positioning included.

SINE-WAVE, 60-CYCLE PHASED SWEEP

This sine-wave sweep is adjustable in amplitude and the phase can be varied through 150 degrees. Applied via the sweep amplifier. Includes sweep-magnifier and horizontal-positioning circuits.

TIME MARKERS

Five time intervals are provided of $1 \mu sec$, $0.1 \mu sec$, $0.05 \mu sec$, $0.318 \mu sec$ and $1.59 \mu sec$. (200 markers and 40 markers per television line.)

DC UNBLANKING

The dc-coupled unblanking pulse permits the slowest sweeps to be used with uniform spot intensity throughout the sweep.

VERTICAL AMPLIFIER

Four dc-coupled stages provide sensitivities from 0.15 volts per centimeter. Output stage is a three-section push-pull distributed amplifier. An ac-coupled 10X preamplifier can be switched in for highest sensitivity, giving a sensitivity of 0.015 volts per centimeter.

AC VERTICAL-DEFLECTION SENSITIVITY

Continuously variable from 0.015 volts per centimeter to 50 volts per centimeter, peak to peak.

DC VERTICAL-DEFLECTION SENSITIVITY

Continuously variable from 0.15 volts per centimeter to 50 volts per centimeter, peak to peak.

VERTICAL-AMPLIFIER FREQUENCY RESPONSE

DC to 10 megacycles at a maximum sensitivity of 0.15 volts per centimeter. Two cycles to 10 megacycles with the ac-coupled preamplifier for sensitivity increased to 0.015 volts per centimeter.



Over-compensation of high frequencies can be selected with a switch to provide flat frequency response, within 1 per cent, to 5 mc, but with some overshoot on transient response.

VERTICAL-AMPLIFIER TRANSIENT RESPONSE

Rise time 0.04 microseconds between response points 10 per cent and 90 per cent of the final value.

Vertical-Amplifier Input Impedance
One megohm shunted by 45 μμf capacitance.

PROBE INPUT IMPEDANCE

Ten megohms shunted by 15 $\mu\mu$ f; 10X attenuation.

SIGNAL-DELAY NETWORK

A delay network supplies an additional 0.25 microsecond of delay to the vertical-amplifier system to permit the triggering waveform to be displayed. Total signal delay is 0.34 microseconds.

CALIBRATOR

A variable-duty-cycle square wave is provided. Seven full-scale ranges between 0.05 volts and 50 volts, continuously variable, can be read directly from the dial settings with an accuracy within three per cent of full scale. The duty cycle is variable between 1 per cent and 99 per cent. Frequency varies with duty cycle.

CATHODE-RAY TUBE

A type 5ABP1 cathode-ray tube is supplied with the Type 524AD unless a P7 or a P11 is specified as the optional choice.

CATHODE-RAY TUBE ACCELERATING VOLTAGE Four kilovolts. (+2.5 and -1.5 kv.)

Construction

Welded aluminum alloy, with photo-etched panel and blue wrinkle case.

DIMENSIONS

25" long, 13" wide, 1634" high.

Weight

61 pounds.

Power Requirements

105 to 125 volts or 210 to 250 volts ac, 50 to 60 cycles. 500 watts at 117 or 234 volts.



Front-Panel Controls and Connectors

VERTICAL AMPLIFIER

VOLTS/CM Seven-position gang switch. Selects attenuators or preamplifier at the input to the vertical amplifier to select vertical-deflection sensitivity.

INPUT Six-position switch connects INPUT 1, INPUT 2, or the calibrator output to the SELECTOR vertical amplifier, and inserts or removes a capacitor for ac or dc coupling.

INPUT 1, Coaxial connectors to the vertical-amplifier system via the INPUT SELECTOR switch.

GND Binding post connected to the instrument case.

VARIABLE Variable resistor between cathodes of the cathode-coupled variable-gain stage.

Varying this resistor varies the coupling between stages and varies the overall stage gain.

CAL. VOLT- Eight-position switch selects attenuators providing seven calibrator voltage ranges, and turns the calibrator off.

VARIABLE Adjusts grid bias of vertical variable-gain stage. When the two cathodes of this cathode-coupled stage are at equal voltage, no vertical positioning occurs when the VARIABLE ATTEN. control is adjusted.

CAL. DUTY

CYCLE

Variable resistor adjusting time constants of calibrator multivibrator. Time constant of one-half of multivibrator is lengthened while time constant of other is shortened. Permits duty cycle to be varied between one per cent and 99 per cent limits.

Calibrated potentiometer across the CAL VOLTAGE RANGE step-attenuator output. Gives continuously variable voltage within the step range.

Coaxial connector from arm of CAL VOLTAGE potentiometer. Provides the same voltage as is applied to vertical amplifier input.

Connector to provide plate and filament power for a cathode-follower probe.

CRT CONTROLS

SCALE Potentiometer in the graticule light circuit to vary brightness of scale illumination. ILLUMINA-TION

FOCUS Potentiometer varying the voltage of the focusing anode of the cathode-ray tube.

INTENSITY Potentiometer adjusting the control-grid bias on cathode-ray tube to adjust spot intensity.

ASTIGMATISM Potentiometer adjusting the grid bias of a cathode-follower voltage regulator supplying astigmatism-grid voltage on cathode-ray tube.

Potentiometer setting the grid voltage of one-half of the phase-inverter amplifier stage. Since the amplifier is de coupled, variation of the de level at this stage varies the average de voltage between the vertical-deflection plates.

VERTICAL

POSITION

CAL.

PROBE POWER

VOLTAGE

CAL. OUTPUT

HORIZONTAL POSITION

Potentiometer setting bias of first sweep-amplifier V218A. Since sweep amplifier is dc coupled, change in dc level at this point affects average voltage between horizontal-deflection plates.

TIME MARKER

EXT MARKER (CRT CATH)

Front-panel connector connected through the EXT position of the time marker switch and through a .015-µf capacitor to the cathode-ray tube cathode.

Time Marker Switch Six-position gang switch selects circuit constants for time-mark time intervals and connects marker to cathode-ray tube cathode circuit in five of the six switch positions. In sixth position switch turns off time-marker generator and connects cathode-ray tube cathode to external binding post.

PHASE

Control to delay the start of the markers up to 1.5 µsec.

AMPLITUDE

Variable resistor setting bias of clipper amplifier and thereby setting amplitude of marker pips.

SWEEP GENERATOR

+GATE

Front-panel binding post to cathode of gate-output amplifier. Peak voltage about 30 volts dc coupled to binding post.

-GATE

Front-panel binding post to plate of gate-output amplifier through 0.047- μ f capacitor. Peak voltage about 30 volts.

MAG. POS.

Screwdriver front-panel control adjusts bias of phase-inverter sweep-amplifier stage to permit adjustment fo magnified-sweep position so that the magnified sweep centers at the center of the screen.

μSEC/CM MULTIPLIER Ganged variable resistors in timing-capacitor charging circuit and multivibrator-timing circuit. Units dial controls ten-position gang switch increasing resistance by equal increments in both timing-capacitor circuit and multivibrator-timing circuit. Tenths dial controls dual variable resistors in series with step resistors. Dial is calibrated in conjunction with variable resistors. Sum of units-dial reading and tenths-dial reading gives sweep-time multiplying factor.

SWEEP DELAY Three-turn potentiometer setting grid bias of voltage-comparator tube. Determines point on triggered sawtooth at which delayed trigger voltage is generated. Triggered sawtooth has maximum repetition rate of 30 per second. Permits triggering sweep on any line of television field.

SWEEP OUTPUT Front-panel connector from cathode-follower amplifier provides a positive-going sawtooth voltage simultaneously with the sweep. Fixed peak voltage of about 40 volts, dc coupled to binding post.

FIELD SHIFT Extends duration of one delay-timing sawtooth so that an extra vertical sync pulse is missed, and sawtooth thereafter synchronizes with alternate field.

EXTERNAL SWEEP INPUT External front-panel connection to the sweep amplifier, dc coupled to amplifier through EXT SWEEP ATTEN potentiometer.



TIME

Seven-position ganged switch. Selects five sizes of timing capacitors in sweep circuit and corresponding five sizes of capacitors in multivibrator timing circuit. In remaining two positons, connects **EXTERNAL SWEEP INPUT** connector or internally-developed 60-cycle sine wave to sweep amplifier, and biases gating multivibrator off to unblank cathode-ray tube.

STABILITY (EXT. SWEEP ATTEN.) Ganged dual potentiometer. Adjusts bias on gating multivibrator in region of bias for recurrent operation. Second potentiometer provides amplitude adjustment for external sweeps.

TRIGGER

AMPLITUDE (INT 60∿ SWEEP PHASE) Potentiometer setting bias on trigger-amplifier tube to adjust gain and operating point. Ganged with variable resistor in 60-cycle phasing circuit which varies phase of sine-wave sweep when SWEEP TIME switch is in INTERNAL 60~ SWEEP position.

SELECTOR

Ten-position switch selects various sources of trigger voltage and arranges trigger-amplifier output circuit to maintain positive trigger output for either polarity of input pulse. In the **UNDELAYED SWEEP** positions, output of the trigger-phase changer is applied to sweep circuit directly. In the **DELAYED SWEEP** positions marked in red on the panel, input triggers pass through a sync separator and are arranged to trigger a sawtooth generator which produces a second trigger delayed by an adjustable time after the first trigger.

EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT

Coaxial connector to EXT position of trigger SELECTOR switch.

POWER

Toggle switch in primary circuit of power transformer.



OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Preliminary Instructions

COOLING

The Type 524AD Oscilloscope is cooled by filtered, forced-air ventilation. The instrument must therefore be placed so the air intake is not blocked, and the filter must be clean enough to permit adequate air circulation. If the interior temperature does rise too high for some reason, a thermal cutout switch will disconnect the power and keep it disconnected until the temperature drops back to a safe value.

Keep the instrument dry. If is it exposed to excessive dampness, let it dry thoroughly before operating it.

CATHODE-RAY TUBE CONTROLS

The Type 5ABP cathode-ray tube used in this instrument has a total deflection potential of about 4000 volts. With this amount of acceleration, the spot can be bright enough to damage the screen if it is left long in one place. Be careful to turn the INTENSITY control to the left so that the spot is dim whenever you leave the instrument unattended.

Individual FOCUS, ASTIGMATISM, and INTENSITY controls are available on the front panel. These controls are slightly interdependent, and may require readjustment for different INTENSITY control settings.

ILLUMINATED GRATICULE

The adjustable graticule lighting control labeled SCALE ILLUM., can be adjusted to suit the lighting conditions of the room. The colored filter supplied is colored to provide the maximum trace contrast for the P1 phosphor in the presence of room light.

The graticule is accurately scribed in centimeters, and the sweep times and vertical-deflection factors are given in units per centimeter. To find volts from the amplitude of deflection, therefore, multiply centimeters of deflection from the graticule reading by the volts per centimeter indicated by the vertical-amplifier dial settings. Similarly, to find time, multiply centimeters along the time axis of the graticule by the sweep time per centimeter indicated by the sweep-dial settings.

The graticule can be mounted in either of two positions, rotated 180 degrees from each other. In one position, the graticule illumination is

colored red, and in the other position it is white. The red contrasts well with the green filter. The white is more satisfactory photographically.

First Time Operation

To place the Type 524AD in operation for the first time, the following procedure is suggested:

1. Connect to a source of 50-60 cycle, 105-125 v power (or 210-250 v if T401 primary connections have been changed according to the directions shown in the Adjustment Section of this manual).

CAL., AC

Clockwise

15-50

EXT

2. Set controls as indicated below.

INPUT SELECTOR

VARIABLE ATTEN.

TIME MARKER

VOLTS/CM

NGE 50	CAL. VOLTAGE RAI		
Mid range	CAL. DUTY CYCLE		
0	CAL. VOLTAGE		
UNDELAYED SWEEP	SELECTOR +SIG,		
Counterclockwise	AMPLITUDE		
Counterclockwise	STABILITY		
$100~\mu sec/cm$	TIME		
5.0	TIME MULTIPLIER		
OFF	MAGNIFIER		

- Turn POWER switch to ON and wait about 60 seconds.
- 4. Set INTENSITY control at about ½ clockwise rotation.
- Adjust VERTICAL POSITION, HORIZONTAL POSITION, ASTIGMATISM, and FOCUS until a sharply focussed spot is obtained at the left center of the screen.

CAUTION — DO NOT ALLOW THIS SPOT TO BE EXCES-SIVELY BRIGHT OR REMAIN FOR LONG IN ONE POSI-TION.



- 6. Advance the sweep STABILITY control until a sweep appears, then turn it back until the sweep just disappears.
- Set the CAL. VOLTAGE control to 5 (50 v).
- Advance the trigger AMPLITUDE control to obtain a stable trace of a square wave (about 31/3 cm vertical deflection).

The oscilloscope is now displaying the square-wave calibrating voltage. To observe other waveforms, connect to either INPUT 1 or INPUT 2 and set the INPUT SELECTOR accordingly. Adjust the VOLTS/CM and VARIABLE ATTEN for the desired amount of vertical deflection, and then select the appropriate sweep time by means of the sweep TIME and uSEC/CM MULTIPLIER controls.

Sweep Operation

GENERAL

The sweep circuit of the Type 524AD is very flexible and is capable of synchronizing at high frequencies. Fundamental frequencies as high as 10 mc can be observed easily. By adjusting the sweep STABILITY control, the sweep can be made to run recurrently or triggered as desired.

ADJUSTMENT OF SWEEP STABILITY

The sweep STABILITY control varies the multivibrator bias and therefore determines whether the sweep will operate recurrently or wait for a trigger impulse. Correct functioning for triggered operation is therefore obtained when the STABILITY control is set just under the point where oscillation takes place. The procedure is to remove the trigger source by turning the trigger AMPLITUDE control counterclockwise, advance the STABILITY knob until a sweep appears, and then decrease it until it just disappears.

NOTE — When using the internal (+SIG. or —SIG.) trigger impulses to view signals at fundamental frequencies of about 2 mc or higher, it will be necessary to advance the STABILITY control somewhat above the normal operating point to secure a stable pattern.

The µSEC/CM MULTIPLIER dials also may have some effect upon the critical bias for triggered operation of the multivibrator. The STABILITY control may need to be readjusted when the MULTIPLIER dials are changed.

FUNCTION OF TRIGGER SELECTOR

This control selects the trigger impulses to be used from three sources: the line frequency (60 \sim), the vertical amplifier (+SIG. or -SIG.) and the EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT coax connector. The trigger SELECTOR switch is divided into two sectors of rotation. One sector, marked in black, provides positions for all types of trigger signals without the delayed-trigger circuit. The other sector provides the same positions as the first sector, but includes the delayed trigger circuits. When using those marked (+), the sweep starts during the rising portion of the trigger impluse. When using the positions marked (-), the sweeps start during the falling protion. For satisfactory operation in the EXT positions, trigger amplitudes between .5 volts and 15 volts peak should be provided. Larger trigger voltages should be attenuated externally.

ADJUSTMENT OF TRIGGER AMPLITUDE

The trigger AMPLITUDE control sets the bias in the trigger amplifier and thereby adjusts the amplitude of the impulse which reaches the multivibrator. After the sweep STABILITY is set as described previously, and the trigger SELECTOR switch is set to the correct position, advance the trigger AMPLITUDE control until a stable trace is obtained. When the trigger source is a slowly changing wave such as a sine wave or sawtooth, adjustment of the AMPLITUDE setting will change the phase of the signal relative to the start of the sweep.

In general, it is desirable to use the minimum **AMPLITUDE** setting required to insure a stable trace.

If poor synchronizing is experienced when the Type 524AD is used to observe repetitive signals containing erratic peak voltages, such as are produced by vibrating contacts, it may be possible to form a stabilized trigger signal by the use of auxiliary limiting and differentiating circuits. The trigger SELECTOR switch should then be set to the proper EXT polarity, and connection should be made to the EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT connector.

Adjustment of Sweep Time

The combination of sweep TIME and µSEC/CM MULTIPLIER controls allows the operator to vary the sweep time so that the marked portion of the graticule (10 cm) is covered in any time from .1 sec to 1 microsec. The approximate number of microseconds for a horizontal deflection of 1 cm can be determined easily by multiplying the TIME setting by the sum of the MULTIPLIER dial readings. Multiply this figure by ten to determine the time required to sweep the entire 10-cm portion of the graticule which is calibrated in centimeters.

The MULTIPLIER consists of a 10-step control and a continuously variable control, with the step-control dial numbers serving as indices for the hand-calibrated variable dial. These dial readings are added to determine the multiplying number. Since 100 dial divisions are provided for each 10-to-1 TIME range, accurate indication and precise resetting are made possible.

The overall accuracy of the sweep-time calibration is dependent on several factors, including linearity of the sweep amplifier and the cathode-ray tube, but the actual time for a 10-cm sweep will be within five per cent of the indicated time at any setting of the controls. Compensation for variations caused by different tubes, etc., can be made by means of screwdriver adjustments inside the case. Procedure for these adjustments will be found in the Maintenance section.

RECURRENT SWEEP

In case it is desirable to have a sweep without using any sort of trigger, retard the trigger AMPLITUDE control and advance the sweep STABILITY control until a stable repetitive sweep is obtained.

SINGLE SWEEP

The triggered sweep circuit used in the Type 524AD inherently provides for singlesweep operation. The beam is blanked out until the trigger simultaneously turns it on and starts the sweep. For single-sweep operation, a mechanical contact or hand key can be connected between the EXTERNAL TRIGGER INPUT connector and ground, with the trigger SELEC-TOR switch at -EXT. If multiple sweeps occur because of intermittent or bouncing contact, a capacitor of .1 µf to 1 µf should be connected across the contact. This capacitor will charge toward about 10 volts through 1 megohm and the long time constant will prevent an immediate recurrence of the sweep. Use minimum dependable trigger AMPLITUDE setting.

SWEEP DELAY

The SWEEP DELAY control will produce triggers no faster than 30 times per second. This control adjusts the amount of delay between receipt of the trigger and the start of the sweep. The delay circuit operates only when the trigger SELECTOR switch is in the DELAYED SWEEP sector. The panel markings give an approximate indication of the delay.

When a composite television signal enters the sweep-delay circuitry a sync separator extracts the 60-cycle field-sync pulse. The sweep delay, operating 30 times per second, accepts every other vertical-sync pulse and starts the sweep from zero milliseconds to 25 milliseconds after the accepted sync pulse. This amount of delay allows the sweep to display any of the lines in one field.

FIELD SHIFT

When the **FIELD SHIFT** button is depressed, the other 60-cycle vertical-sync pulse is accepted by the sweep delay circuitry, allowing display of the other interlaced field.

SWEEP MAGNIFIER

Frequenty it is desirable to examine a portion of the waveshape under observation in greater detail, for instance the rate of fall of a fairly long pulse. In the 524AD, the sweep magnifier makes it possible to expand any desired 33.3 per cent or 10 per cent of the sweep to cover the entire tube face. The operating procedure is as follows: Turn the sweep MAGNIFIER to OFF. Adjust the sweep-time and horizontalpositioning controls so that the portion of the wave to be magnified is at the center of the tube. Then move the MAGNIFIER control to either 3X or 10X and the portion of the wave in the center of the tube will be magnified linearly in both directions. The accuracy of sweep magnification will be within five per cent for sweep speeds to 1.0 µSEC/CM. The accuracy will decrease for sweep speeds in excess of this amount.

If the portion of the wave to be magnified moves from the center of the screen when the MAGNIFIER is turned to one of the two positions for magnification, the MAG. POS. adjustment should be reset. (See Maintenance section.)

NOTE: A sweep of 10 cm per microsecond is about the limit of the sweep amplifier. Some non-linearity will result if the sweep exceeds this value.

EXTERNAL SWEEP INPUT

In the full-counterclockwise position of the sweep TIME switch a binding post labeled EXT SWEEP INPUT is connected to the sweepamplifier input. This connection can be used, for example, for a sine-wave oscillator for frequency-comparison measurements, for an auxiliary slow-sweep generator, etc. The connection to the sweep amplifier is made through a potentimeter ganged with the sweep STABILITY control, for adjustment of the amplitude of the external sweep. The magnifier circuits and the horizontal-positioning control operate on sweep voltages applied at this connector. At maximum sensitivity with the MAGNIFIER at 10X and the SWEEP ATTEN. control full clockwise, the deflection factor is about .25 volts per centimeter, peak to peak.



INT 60∿ SWEEP

This circuit is provided in the second most counterclockwise position of the sweep TIME switch. The principal use of this circuit is to facilitate the determination of bandpass characteristics of filters, amplifiers, etc., in conjunction with swept-frequency signal generators which can be swept at a 60-cycle rate. A 60-cycle sine-wave sweep is provided whose phase can be varied over a 150-degree range by means of a ganged control on the trigger AMPLITUDE control knob, and whose amplitude can be varied by means of the ganged control on the sweep STABILITY control knob. The signal is applied to the sweep amplifier so that the magnifier and positioning circuits function in the conventional manner.

Vertical Amplifier

The risetime of the Type 524AD is designed so that at the fastest sweep time of one-tenth microsecond per centimeter at the fastest risetime that the vertical amplifier is capable of, the rise will take place in a little less than half a centimeter of horizontal distance, and the trace of a sine wave near the upper-frequency limit at 10 megacycles will appear as one cycle per centimeter of horizontal distance.

The use of dc coupling in the vertical amplifier makes it possible to display both the dc and ac components of a signal simultaneously. The ability to include the dc component makes it possible to observe, for example, when zero bias or grid cutoff occurs, or how close to the cathode voltage the plate voltage of a tube can drop, and such similar characteristics.

VARIABLE ATTEN BAL, FRONT-PANEL CONTROL

After a warm-up period of several minutes, it should be possible to rotate the VARIABLE ATTEN. control back and forth to different positions without a change in the vertical position of the no-signal trace. If such a change should occur, the VARIABLE ATTEN. BAL. control should be readjusted while the VARIABLE ATTEN. control is being rotated back and forth until no such change in vertical position occurs.

SIGNAL DELAY

The sweep circuit requires approximately a tenth microsecond of time to get underway and to get the crt beam unblanked after receipt of a trigger signal. A total signal delay of 0.34 microsecond occurs in the vertical amplifier, including a quarter-microsecond delay in a signal de-

lay line. When the triggering waveform has a very sharp rise, therefore, approximately a quarter-microsecond of sweep shows on the screen before the waveform appears. However, when the triggering waveform begins with a slower rise, an appreciable portion of the wave may pass before an adequate trigger voltage can develop. In practice it has been found that the additional quarter-microsecond of delay provided is about the optimum to permit the display of the start of a slower-rising waveform.

CONNECTION TO DEFLECTION PLATES

Banana jacks are provided to permit connections to be made directly to the deflection plates with low stray capacitances. These jacks are located at the left rear, accessible through an opening in the back of the case. The terminal marked Y2 is the top plate and the terminal marked X2 is the right-hand plate. Deflection factors are approximately 25 volts per cm dc at the horizontal-plate jacks, and 15 volts per cm at the vertical-plate jacks.

A switch on the access panel makes connections to the vertical-deflection plates in four ways labeled IRE, NORMAL, FLAT and EXT.: IRE for bandwidth reduced to comply with IRE minimum standards, NORMAL for a normal 10-mc response with optimum transient response, FLAT for high-frequency compensation to 5 mc, flat within one per cent, but with some overshoot, and EXT. for external connection to the deflection plates by means of connectors on the access panel. In the EXT. position, the external signal is applied to the deflection plates through blocking capacitors with one-megohm resistors to the vertical amplifier. The one-megohm resistors retain the function of the vertical position control.

If direct connection to the horizontal plates is desired, it is important to maintain the correct average potential to prevent defocusing of the beam. The average potential of the vertical-deflection plates (measured from the chassis) is approximately 160 volts and this same value should be maintained on the horizontal plates when they are dc coupled. When dc coupling to the horizontal plates is not necessary, external connection may be accomplished by replacing the jumper plugs with 1-megohm resistors and inserting blocking capacitors in series with the horizontal-signal source. The HORIZON-TAL POSITION control will then function for positioning the external signal. The TIME switch should be turned to EXT SWEEP, to prevent internal-sweep signals from coupling through the 1-megohm resistors. When balanced input is not desired, the unused deflection plate should be bypassed to ground.

Miscellaneous

SWEEP OUTPUT

The SWEEP OUTPUT binding post makes available the sawtooth waveshape appearing at the plate of the sweep-generator tube. A cathode follower isolates the sweep generator from the effects of the external loads connected to the binding post. The sawtooth amplitude is approximately 30 volts, peak to peak.

GATE OUTPUT

A thirty-volt peak-to-peak squarewave of either polarity is available at the binding posts marked +GATE and -GATE. The -GATE signal is taken from the plate of the gate-output amplifier through a 0.05- μ f capacitor to remove the dc component. The +GATE signal is dc coupled from the cathode of the gate-output amplifier and provides a good flat-topped squarewave at the slowest sweep speeds.

TIME MARKERS

Time markers are inserted as beam intensification pips on the cathode-ray tube at intervals of $1 \mu \text{sec}$, $0.1 \mu \text{sec}$, and $0.05 \mu \text{sec}$, or pips spaced 40 or 200 per television line. The marker **PHASE** control delays the start of the markers up to 1.5 microseconds, allowing the markers to be phased along the sweep. The **AMPLITUDE** control varies the brightness of the marker pip. This should be kept as low as possible for minimum sweep distortion and trace defocusing. In the **EXT**. position of the marker switch, the crt cathode is capacitively coupled to the front-panel binding post labeled **EXT**. **MARKER**.

The first marker pip may be slightly out of position, but all subsequent pips will be well within the 2-per-cent timing accuracy.

Special Television Instructions

IRE RESPONSE

The full bandwidth of the Type 524AD will generally be desired for all engineering measurements or maintenance of television circuits or equipment. However, for monitoring the signal level of an existing facility it has been found that restricted high-frequency response is desirable, with bandwidth as low as is consistent with satisfactory readings of signal levels.

The IRE-response position of the VERTI-CAL AMPLIFIER switch on the crt access panel has been provided to limit the high-frequency response for signal-level measurements, as recommended by the IRE Standards Committee.

The **FLAT**-response position of the switch provides flat-frequency response to 5 mc, within 1 per cent, but with attendant overshoot for fast pulses.

SWEEP DELAY

The 524AD sweep-delay system contains a sync-separator circuit which adapts the system particularly to television signals but limits its usefulness for other applications. Jitter-free sweep delay is obtained with television signals by establishing a coarse time delay from a vertical-sync pulse and then actually triggering the sweep from a selected horizontal-sync pulse. Thus, by operating the FIELD SHIFT button in conjunction with the SWEEP DELAY control and selecting the appropriate sweep speed, any particular horizontal-sync pulse, line, or lines can be observed.

Hood

When using sweep delay the sweep is triggered 30 times per second. With a sweep speed of 0.1 microsecond per centimeter (1 microsecond for 10 cm) the beam is on the screen only 30 microseconds of each second or 0.00003 of the time. The resulting display is correspondingly dim and should be viewed through the viewing hood when the ambient light is objectionably bright.

TIME MARKER

Time markers are useful for accurately measuring and adjusting the timing of the horizontal sync and blanking pulses generated in the sync generator. They are normally not required for adjusting the vertical pulse group.

Individual horizontal-sync pulses may be observed with sweep delay and with the viewing hood, the best technique being to start the sweep on a selected sync pulse and to choose a sweep length which allows the next pulse to be inspected with time markers and sweep magnification.

A much brighter picture will be obtained if the sweep is triggered directly by the horizontal sync pulses without sweep delay. Trigger from +SIG or -SIG and advance the trigger AM-PLITUDE control until a stable, clear display is obtained. Sweep speed should be about 6 to 10 microsec/cm. This display requires much lower marker amplitude than for the first method, giving better marker accuracy. A high marker amplitude may change the crt cathode potential sufficiently to affect the horizontal-and vertical-deflection sensitivities during the time of each marker pip, thus displacing the pips from their proper positions on the screen.



The .005H time marker will be found very useful in adjusting and measuring horizontal-sync pulse timing, since the F.C.C. standards give time measurements in terms of H. H is the time between horizontal sync pulses, approximately 63.5 microseconds. The .005 H marker is set to 3.15 megacycles, 200 times 15.75 kc, thus producing markers each .5 per cent of H. Similarly the 0.025 H marker is set to 630 kilocycles.

RADIO-FREQUENCY INTERFERENCE

In some transmitter locations of interference to the video trace may be experienced from of pickup into the station video equipment itself or directly into the oscilloscope input. This type of difficulty can be reduced by use of completely shielded connections, short signal leads, and husky, short ground straps. When using the probe, be sure at all times to maintain the shortest possible ground connection directly to the probe body.

PROBE ADJUSTMENT

Proper operation of the sweep delay depends somewhat upon correct adjustment of the probe and vertical-amplifier attenuators. Adjustment of the probe can be checked by observing the calibrator VOLTS/CM waveform through the probe with the switch at 0.15 volts/cm to 0.5 volts/cm. Further instructions for tuning the attenuators are contained in the Maintenance section.

LINE INDICATING VIDEO

In the event it is found necessary to observe a particular horizontal line or other detail with the 524AD Oscilloscope, a spare picture monitor may be connected to the LINE-INDICATING VIDEO output jack at the rear of the cabinet to determine that the oscilloscope is displaying the desired portion of the picture. The picture appearing on the monitor will be brightened during the time of the 524AD sweep gate. The bandwidth of the line-indicating video circuit is somewhat restricted but is adequate for this purpose.

The line-indicating video technique can be used to determine the range and resolution of a television system which is transmitting a monoscope test-chart signal. Grey-scale information from the test chart will be displayed by the 524AD as signal-voltage level, while the line-indicating video system depicts the portion of the test chart being scanned. Test-chart bandwidth wedges provide squarewave test signals whose frequency is determined by the portion of the wedges being scanned.

CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

SWEEP BLOCK DIAGRAM DESCRIPTION

The trigger SELECTOR switch selects the source and polarity of input trigger voltage and determines whether delayed triggering is provided.

The trigger phase inverter provides the required positive input to the trigger amplifier or the sync separator for either polarity of input trigger voltage.

The sync separator extracts the synchronizing pulses from the television composite signal.

The sweep-delay circuit provides a means of delaying the initiation of a sweep by an adjustable amount of time after receipt of the vertical sync pulse.

The FIELD SHIFT switch changes synchronization of the sweep to either field of a television frame.

The trigger amplifier raises the level of the trigger signal for triggering the multivibrator.

The multivibrator provides a basic squarewave signal used in several circuits: The clamptube sweep generator, unblanking, external gate, time-marker circuit, and the video monitor line indicator.

The clamp and dc restorer provide a linear sawtooth voltage of constant dc starting level which is applied through a cathode follower to the sweep amplifier. The sweep sawtooth voltage is also available at a front-panel connector through a cathode-follower impedance converter.

The unblanking circuit applies a positive square wave to the cathode-ray tube to turn on the beam during the period of the sweep.

The floating power supply is added in series with the output of the unblanking amplifier to provide the unblanking pulse at high-voltage negative bias to the cathode-ray tube control grid.

The external-gate circuit provides both positive and negative square-wave pulses at front-panel connectors which are synchronized with the sweep.

The magnifier circuit includes the horizontalpositioning control. A switch selects a multiplication of the sweep speed by a factor of ten, three, or one. The trace is magnified both to right and to left of screen center.

The sweep output amplifier provides phase inversion and amplified push-pull sawtooth sweep voltage at the horizontal-deflection plates, D1 and D2, of the cathode-ray tube.

VERTICAL AMPLIFIER BLOCK DIAGRAM

The INPUT SELECTOR switch connects the vertical-amplifier system to either of two

front-panel connectors or to an internal calibrator circuit.

A vertical-deflection-sensitivity switch selects a preamplifier for the two most sensitive positions and selects various attenuators for the positions of less sensitivity.

The preamplifier provides a gain of ten times for the two most sensitive positions of the **VOLTS/CM** switch. In the second position the overall gain is reduced by means of an input attenuator.

A cathode follower reduces the effects of changing input capacitance with gain in the variable-gain cathode-coupled amplifier.

Gain of this amplifier is adjusted by switching cathode-coupling resistors. Plate output from the grounded-grid half feeds vertical signal through the delay network. Plate output from the input half supplies vertical signal to the triggering circuit through the trigger-selector switch.

The VARIABLE ATTEN. BAL. control adjusts the cathode-follower grid voltage which sets the dc level of the cathode-coupled stages so that adjustment of the VARIABLE ATTEN. control will not affect the vertical position of the trace.

The delay network provides a signal delay of ½ microsecond which is long enough to permit the sweep to be triggered by the observed signal and well under way before the signal itself is applied to the deflection plates.

Single-ended output from the delay network is converted to balanced push-pull output by a cathode-coupled phase-inverter stage, which also includes the vertical-positioning control.

The current regulator provides an adjustment for the operating point of the push-pull amplifier.

Cathode-follower drivers drive the push-pull distributed-amplifier output stage which in turn drives the vertical deflection plates.

The IRE-NORMAL-FLAT-EXT switch located on the access panel on the left rear panel provides four circuit connections for the vertical deflection plates of the cathode-ray tube: 1—for normal, 10-mc bandwidth, 2—for bandwidth reduced to comply with the IRE minimum standards, 3—for high-frequency compensation to 5 mc, but with slight overshoot, and 4—for external connection to the deflection plates by means of connectors located on the access panel.



AUXILIARY CIRCUIT BLOCK DIAGRAM

The time-mark generator provides accurately spaced time markers by intensity modulating the cathode-ray beam with shaped pulses from inductance-capacitance oscillators.

The calibrator oscillator produces square waves of adjustable duty cycle with peak-to-peak amplitude set by calibrated controls.

The line-indicating video circuit provides a video signal output on which is superimposed a positive gate synchronized with the oscilloscope sweep, to apply to the television video monitor for the purpose of indicating, by a bright line on the monitor raster, the line of the composite video signal being displayed on the Type 524AD Oscilloscope.

The internal 60-cycle phased-sweep circuit provides a 6.3-volt 60-cycle ac voltage adjustable approximately 150 degrees in phase.

Detailed Circuit Description

TRIGGER SELECTOR

The trigger-selector switch, SW201 is a three-section, ten-position front-panel control. This control selects the source of trigger signal, arranges the circuits to accommodate either negative or positive trigger signals, and includes or removes a delayed-trigger circuit. The switch is divided into two sectors of rotation. One sector provides positions for all the types of trigger signals without the delay-trigger circuit. The other sector provides the same positions as the first sector but includes the delayed-trigger circuits.

In the undelayed-trigger sector positions, marked in black on the front panel, either the in-phase or inverted output of the trigger-inverter stage feeds directly to the trigger amplifier.

In the **DELAYED SWEEP** sector positions, marked in red on the front panel, either the inphase or inverted output of the trigger-inverter stage is applied through the trigger-delay circuits to the trigger amplifier.

TRIGGER CIRCUITS

V201A is the trigger-inverter amplifier. A positive trigger signal is obtained regardless of trigger input polarity by selecting either inverted signal from the plate or in-phase signal from the cathode of V201A.

Internal 60-cycle triggering is provided in both delayed and undelayed positions of the SELECTOR switch. In the undelayed position, 6.3-volt, 60-cycle ac is applied to the grid of the trigger-inverter tube V201A, and cathode output is applied directly to trigger amplifier V207 on the

sweep chassis. In the delayed position the 60-cycle voltage taken from the cathode of V201A is applied to the television sync-separator circuits to trigger the phantastron, V204. The sync-separator circuits will also accept a 60-cycle signal. V202 is over-driven so that a flat-topped waveform is applied through V203B, V203A, and C210 to the grid of V204. The negative square wave at the grid of V204 triggers the phantastron rundown action. In the quiescent state the grid of V205B is held above the grid of V205A, so that the B section conducts while the A section is cut off. When the plate of V204 starts its phantastron rundown action, it carries the grid of V205B with it. When the grid of the B section of V205 has dropped down near the grid voltage of the A section, current transfers from the B to the A section and a positive step is generated at the B-section plate. The voltage of the A-section grid is determined by R230, labeled SWEEP DELAY on the front panel, which can be adjusted to cause current transfer at any point on the sawtooth. Internal 60-cycle triggering is not sufficiently stable to use for observing a line of a television composite video signal. For observing a single line of a television signal, triggering should be accomplished by means of the sync pulses of the composite video signal.

SYNC SEPARATOR

The sync-separator circuits separate the sync portion of the composite video signal for the purpose of triggering the sweep delay. Diodeconnected V201B establishes a bias level at the grid of V202B through R212 such that the sync pulses of the composite video signal are kept well within the amplifying region of V202 regardless of the signal amplitude. V202 is a pulse amplifier whose in-phase output is applied to the grid of the sync-separator tube V203B. The grid of V203B is returned to +120 volts through R215 and limited by grid current to a voltage near cathode, which is at ground potential. The positive peaks of the pulses are effectively clamped to ground potential. The video portion of the composite signal is therefore below cutoff of V203B because the sync pulses have an amplitude of several volts at this point.

Between pulses the plate of V203B rests at +120 volts. During the period that a sync pulse is present at V203B grid, the plate drops several volts. The vertical sync pulses are transmitted through R217, V203A and C210 to the grid of V204, the phantastron, while the horizontal pulses are not transmitted through R217 to the cathode of V203A because of C208, but are differentiated by C209 and R218, and applied to the grid of V205B. The vertical pulses arriving at the phantastron grid are formed into a negative-going waveform of several volts to trigger the rundown action.



PHANTASTRON SAWTOOTH GENERATOR

In the quiescent state just before the operation of the phantastron, the control grid of the phantastron is held at approximately ground potential by grid current flowing in R220 and R221 which connect to +120 volts, and the suppressor is held below plate-current cutoff by screen current flowing in voltage divider, R223, R222, R224, which is connected between +225 and V203A arrives at the grid of V204, the grid is driven toward screen-current cutoff.

As the grid approaches screen-current cutoff, screen current is rapidly reduced and the screen rises, carrying the suppressor with it through C211 to a voltage high enough to allow plate current to flow. When plate current begins to flow, the plate begins to drop from its zero-plate-current voltage of +120 volts and the phantastron rundown action commences.

The grid of V204 is connected to a positive voltage source through R220 and R221 which total several megohms, so that in the quiescent state before the phantastron is tripped, current flowing in these resistors prevents the grid voltage from rising more than a fraction of a volt positive. One end of timing capacitor C210 is connected to the plate of V204 which with no plate current flowing, rests at approximately +115 volts. The timing capacitor C210, is therefore initially charged to about 115 volts.

When the rundown is initiated and plate current begins to flow, the plate voltage drops momentarily, a few volts, carrying the grid down with it the same amount through C210, which is still charged to 115 volts. C210 begins to discharge into +120 volts through R220 and R221. The discharge current through R220 and R221 determines the voltage of the grid of V204, which in turn determines the plate voltage, because during the rundown phase of operation the phantastron tube acts as a class A linear amplifier in which the plate voltage varies inversely but linearily with grid voltage. A given grid voltage therefore exactly determines a corresponding plate voltage.

The charge voltage remaining on C210 must always be slightly larger than the plate voltage because the grid end must be slightly below ground but above plate-current cutoff, to remain within the linear region. If, for example, the voltage across C210 were momentarily to become too small, the grid voltage would rise and the plate voltage would therefore drop, thus restoring the grid end to its proper potential so as to maintain the discharge current constant.

Since the voltage drop from the discharge current from C210, flowing through R220 and R221, determines the grid voltage of the phan-

tastron, a change in voltage drop across these resistors, resulting from a change in discharge current from C210, will therefore cause a change in grid voltage in the correct direction to oppose the change in voltage drop. For example, if C210 were simply to discharge through a resistor, the discharge current would fall off exponentially with time. The falling off of discharge current would result in a decreasing drop in R220 and R221 and cause the grid of V204 to rise. V204 plate would then fall, dropping the control-grid end of C210 the requisite amount to increase the discharge current and thus tend to maintain it at a constant value. With a constant discharge current flowing from C210 the voltage across this capacitor will fall off linearly, and since the righthand end of this capacitor remains near ground voltage, the plate of V204 also falls linearly.

When C210 is nearly discharged and the plate V204 nears cathode potential, the cathode current, which has been flowing largely through the plate, suddenly transfers to the screen, the screen voltage drops, carrying the suppressor with it, and thereby completely cuts off plate current from V204.

When plate current is cut off the plate immediately returns toward +120 volts as fast as C210 can charge, carrying the grid with it through C210, until grid current through R220 and R221 prevents it from going farther positive, and the original quiescent state is resumed with the phantastron ready to accept another negative triggering voltage.

V205 is the comparator tube which generates a trigger pulse when the sawtooth reaches a prescribed percentage of its final value. During the quiescent state of phantastron V204, the grid of comparator tube V205B is held at approximately 115 volts through resistor R218, and the cathode of the comparator tube rests at a point just above the grid. The grid of the second half of the comparator, V205A, is set at a bias determined by the setting of R230, labeled SWEEP DELAY on the front panel, at any point between ground and +120 volts.

When the phantastron rundown action begins, the sawtooth voltage of the phantastron plate carries the grid of V205B down. V205B cathode closely follows the grid as it drops until it approaches the grid voltage of the A section, at which time cathode current transfers from the B section to the A section.

The differentiated horizontal sync pulses arriving at the B-section grid of V205 through C209 are of greater amplitude than the drop in sawtooth voltage resulting from the phantastron rundown action during the time between horizontal sync pulses. The time of transfer of cathode current from the B section to the A section of



the comparator tube is therefore always coincident with a horizontal sync pulse, and a single line of the video picture can thus be displayed without jitter.

FIELD SHIFT

The rundown time of the phantastron trigger-delay circuit is made approximately half again as long as the time between vertical sync pulses so that the maximum frequency of operation is somewhat less than the 60-cycle repetition rate of the pulses. This arrangement assures that the sweep will be triggered only by alternate vertical sync pulses, and one of the interlaced fields can therefore be observed repetitively to the exclusion of the other interlaced field. When the composite video signal is first applied to the trigger circuit the delayed trigger will synchronize with one of the fields and stay synchronized with this same field unless the rundown time is momentarily changed. The FIELD SHIFT circuit performs this change by extending the time of one rundown by approximately the interval between vertical sync pulses. A momentary pushbutton switch, normally closed, is labeled FIELD SHIFT on the front panel. In the closed position of this switch, the junction between R225 and C212 is grounded and C212 is therefore charged to about 110 volts. When the switch is opened, the negative end of C212 is connected to +225 volts through R225, which reverses the direction of charge and leaves it charged to about 100 volts in the opposite direction. Then, when the button is released, the junction of R225 and C212 is grounded again and the current through R220 is reversed so that the grid of the phantastron is momentarily depressed to the extent that the plate voltage actually rises for a short period before continuing its rundown. As the reverse voltage of C212 decreases, the phantastron grid rises and when equilibrium is reestablished with C212 again charged to 110 volts as before, the rundown action of the phantastron resumes. The time of delay caused by the temporary runup is approximately equal to the time between vertical sync pulses, so that two pulses are skipped instead of one, and the rundown is thereafter synchronized with the alternate interlaced fields.

SWEEP CIRCUIT

Trigger output from the trigger delay circuits or from the undelayed circuits is applied to trigger amplifier V207 by means of the C section of the trigger SELECTOR switch SW201. The bias of V207 is adjustable by means of the frontpanel control, R242, labeled trigger AMPLITUDE, a part of a voltage divider with R243, connected between —150 volts and ground. Negative plate output of V207 is coupled through disconnect diode V208 and multivibrator coupl-

ing capacitor C221 through C225 to the grid of positive-going multivibrator V210. In the quiescent state, V210 is conducting and its plate is down. When the negative pulse from V208 arrives at V210 grid, plate current is cut off and V210 plate rises toward +225 volts carrying the grid of negative-going multivibrator V209 up. V209 plate then drops, carrying the grid of V210 down still farther. Diode V208 disconnects the trigger circuit from the plate of V209 as soon as this plate drops below the plate of trigger amplifier V207. The grid of V210 is returned to +225 volts through R251 and through uSEC/CM MULTIPLIER resistor R290 and R291, and starts immediately to go positive but is controlled in its rise by the charging rate of the sweep TIME capacitor. (C225 in the diagram as drawn.) When this capacitor has charged so that the grid of V210 just gets into the region of plate-current conduction, V210 plate drops and the resulting negative step is coupled to the grid of V209 through C226 which causes the plate to rise, and, through C225, further raises V210 grid, and the original stable quiescent state is rapidly resumed with V210 conducting. The length of the period of cutoff depends on the size of the capacitor selected by SW202A and B, and the size of R290 and R291.

During the period of conduction of V209, the negative-going multivibrator, the grid voltage of V213 is held below plate-current cutoff. V213 is the sweep-clamp tube whose grid is normally held at about ground potential by voltage divider R264, R263, R240 and R241 connected between -150 volts and +225 volts. With this grid near ground, the tube conducts heavily so that the plate is held near ground. When the negative gate from V209 depresses the grid of V213 below plate-current cutoff, the plate is free to rise toward +450 volts at a rate determined by the charging rate of the timing capacitor, C231 to C235, charging toward +450 volts through R292 and R293 and R294. The negative gate to the grid of V213 is chosen to be appreciably longer than the time required for the beam to sweep across the cathode-ray tube screen, but short compared to the time constant of the timing capacitor and resistor, so that the final voltage to which the timing capacitor charges is only about ten per cent of the +450 volts, and the portion of the charge curve during which the beam is on the screen is only five per cent of this voltage. The first six to ten per cent of the charge curve of a capacitor is very nearly linear.

At the termination of the negative gate at the grid of clamp tube V213, the grid returns positive, clamp-tube plate current again flows and brings the plate down near ground potential, at the same time charging the timing capacitor, and the sweep circuit is restored to its original quiescent state ready for another trigger voltage to arrive at the multivibrator.

The sweep STABILITY control adjusts the bias of the normally-cutoff negative-going multivibrator, V209. If the bias is set near enough to ground potential, plate current will commence to flow, tripping the multivibrator and initiating a sweep. When the multivibrator resets at the termination of one sweep it will immediately retrip and the circuit will free run. A bias level just below the free-run level is normally used when it is desired to trigger the sweep from the trigger-amplifier signal.

The sawtooth voltage from the clamp-tube sweep generator is capacitively coupled to the grid of cathode follower V215B, whose cathode is returned to -150 volts. V214 is a clamp which sets the grid of V215B at ground potential before each sweep. Output from the cathode of cathode follower V215B supplies sawtooth voltage to the sweep output and magnifier section, and to V215A, a second cathode follower which provides a sawtooth voltage to a front-panel connector labeled SWEEP OUTPUT.

The unblanking waveform is gated by the multivibrator. The grid of V212A is connected to the grid of positive-going multivibrator V210 so that it is driven negative below plate-current cutoff during the same period that V210 is cut off. The rise time of the plate of V212A is speeded by L202. Cathode follower V212B removes the loading effects on V212A of the remainder of the unblanking circuit.

External gate signals of both polarities are available at the front panel through connectors labeled +GATE and -GATE. Both are derived from V211B whose grid is coupled to the plate of positive-going multivibrator V210. Between sweeps the grid of V211B is held below cutoff by means of voltage divider R254, R255 connected between the plate of V210 and -150 volts. C229 speeds the rise time of the grid of V211B. The +GATE pulse output has a peak value in the vicinity of 30 volts and a rise time of about 0.2 microseconds. The output impedance is approximately 300 ohms coupled from the cathode. The negative pulse from the plate of V211B is capacitively coupled to the -GATE at an impedance level of about 10,000 ohms. The wave shape of this output is therefore more susceptible to external circuit effects.

V211A is a cathode-follower voltage regulator whose grid voltage is set by means of R268, a voltage divider labeled ASTIGMATISM on the front panel, connected between +450 volts and -150 volts, used to set the voltage of pin 9, the second anode of the cathode-ray tube, for astigmatism control.

MAGNIFIER AND SWEEP OUTPUT AMPLIFIER

V218A is an amplifier. Its output is applied to the grid of V221 through cathode follower

V219B. Feedback between the grid circuit of V221 and the grid of V218A is provided through V217 by way of frequency-compensated resistor networks, R310 A to C. The amount of feedback is determined by the voltage division of the feedback-loop voltage divider, R301, R310. SW301, labeled MAGNIFIER, selects the series arm of the voltage divider, R310, so that voltage division in the ratio 1, 3, or 10 is accomplished to produce net gain at the grid of V221 in these ratios. With the switch in either the 3X or 10X magnified positions, the grid of V218A is driven to grid current in the positive direction. V217 eliminates the effects of this grid current from the feedback system. V217B is a cathode follower whose cathode is connected to the cathode of diode-connected V217A. The anode of this diode is connected to the grid of V218A and to +225 volts through R305. By this arrangement, the plate of the diode closely follows the cathode, which follows the grid of V217B, until grid current starts to flow in V218A. When this occurs, grid current through R305 holds the diode plate at this voltage level while the cathode is free to rise past.

Horizontal positioning is provided by adjustable R303, a three-turn helical potentiometer, which determines the negative voltage return point of the grid circuit of V217 and V221. C304 on the lower end of R303 bypasses voltages induced in the long lead from the front-panel control to the sweep chassis.

V218B is a cathode-follower voltage regulator supplying the screen of V218A.

Push-pull output is obtained by means of common-cathode coupling between V221 and V220. Plate output is applied to the cathode-ray-tube deflection plates through cathode followers V222A and V222B, and through two NE2 neon tubes in series. The neon tubes provide a dc drop of about 150 volts below the dc level of the cathode-follower cathodes to place the quiescent-state deflection-plate potential near +160 v. R352 and R357 limit current which might otherwise be excessive in the case of accidental grounding of the deflection plates. C307 and C308 provide high-requency bypassing for these resistors.

Screwdriver adjustable R325, labeled SWEEP AMP CURRENT ADJ on the chassis adjusts the size of the common-cathode resistor to set the quiescent-state current level.

Screwdriver adjustable R328, labeled MAG. POS. on the front panel, adjusts the grid of V220 about the level of the grid of V221 to provide horizontal positioning of the magnified sweep so that the magnified sweep will center at the same point as the unmagnified sweep.

A feedback loop between the plate and grid of V220, R335, R330, stabilizes the gain of the



amplifier. R330 is a screwdriver adjustable resistor labeled L.F. SWEEP TIME ADJ. on the chassis, by means of which the amount of feedback can be adjusted to accommodate the horizontal sentitivity of the cathode-ray tube to the front-panel sweep-time calibrations. A screwdriver adjustable capacitor, C305A, labeled H.F. SWEEP TIME on the chassis, and paralleled by C305B, provides compensation for the grid-to-plate capacitance of V220.

R353 and R356, which present high impedance to the sweep-signal voltage while supplying operating current for the NE2 neon tubes, form the positive end of a voltage divider which provides adjustable focusing potential for the cathode-ray tube. The voltage at this junction is about -400 volts.

TIME-MARKER GENERATOR

The time marks are generated by means of V602 in a Colpitts oscillator clrcuit with the screen used for the anode at +120 volts, and the plate used for electron-coupled output. Switched inductors and capacitors provide the five timing intervals. V625 is a dc-coupled multivibrator with the triode section conducting in the quiescent state. The positive-gate waveform causes the pentode grid to rise at a rate determined by the time constants in the grid circuit until the pentode section begins to conduct and the triode section is cut off. The PHASE control determines the voltage level at which this occurs and thus the time at which the markers begin. D630 is cut off in the quiescent state and does not begin to conduct until the plate of V625A has begun its fall. This helps to improve the gating waveform.

During the quiescent period, V601A remains conducting and the resulting low cathode impedance loads the grid circuit of V602, preventing oscillation. The negative gate drives V601A well below cutoff and cathode current ceases. Magnetic energy in the oscillator coil changes to oscillating energy, maintained by V602 and limited in amplitude by grid current in this tube. Only short-duration current pulses reach the plate. These pulses are peaked in L605 and applied to V601B as negative pips through C609. The grid of V601B is held positive between pulses limited by grid current through R607, so that positive pulses appear at V601B plate. These in turn are shaped by L606 and applied to the grid of V603 where they are again amplified and shaped. The gain of V603 is adjustable by means of variable resistor R610, labeled AM-PLITUDE on the front panel. Marker pips are applied to the cathode-ray tube cathode to cause brightening of the trace. External marker sig-nals can be applied to the cathode-ray tube through a front panel connector labeled EXT MARKER with the time-marker control set to

EXT. The grounding link must be opened when external connections are made to the cathode, but must be replaced and left connected at other times.

CALIBRATOR

The CAL. VOLTAGE RANGE switch applies dc power to the multivibrator and selects the desired tap on the calibrator voltage divider. The plates of multivibrator sections V41A and V41B are grounded through their plate-load resistors and the cathodes are connected to -150 volts. The grids are returned to ground (positive with respect to cathode) through R125 and variable potentiometer R127, labeled CAL. DUTY CYCLE on the front panel. The time constant of the grid-to-plate coupling-capacitor charging circuits can be varied by adjusting the position of the potentiometer arm to add resistance to one grid while subtracting resistance from the other. The length of the time constant determines the time the grid is kept below gridcurrent conduction during its cutoff period.

V42A is an amplifier whose grid is held below plate-current cutoff during the same period as V41B. During this period V42A plate rests at the voltage determined by voltage divider R128, R129, R131 and adjustable R130 connected between ground and +225 volts.

During the conduction period of V41B the plate of V42A drops below cutoff of V42B. The cathode of V42B therefore operates between ground and approximately the divider voltage. The cathode resistor in cathode follower V42B is tapped to provide various voltage ranges, selectable by means of the D section of the CAL. VOLTAGE RANGE switch, SW40. An adjustable potentiometer, R136, labeled CAL. VOLTAGE on the front panel, provides a calibrated, continuously-adjustable squarewave output to the CAL. OUTPUT front-panel connector.

VERTICAL AMPLIFIER

The INPUT SELECTOR switch, SW2, connects either INPUT 1, INPUT 2 or the calibrator to the vertical amplifier, and inserts or removes a capacitor from the input circuit to provide either ac or dc coupling.

The VOLTS/CM switch, SW3, connects the signal selected by the INPUT SELECTOR switch to the vertical-amplifier system through a preamplifier for the two most sensitive positions, and through resistor-capacitor attenuators for the positions giving less sensitivity. In the first, full-clockwise position, a sensitivity of .015 to .05 volts per centimeter is obtained with a preamplifier which has a gain of ten. In the second position, a sensitivity of .05 to .15 volts per centimeter is obtained by inserting a 10/3 resistance-capacitance attenuator in the input

circuit of the preamplifier. The third position of the switch connects the input directly to the vertical amplifier, and subsequent positions insert attenuators with increasingly large attenuation. An ac-dc switch permits a capacitor to be inserted in the input circuit in the event a dc component is undesirable.

PREAMPLIFIER

The preamplifier consists of two pentode amplifiers with a cathode follower between stages and a second cathode-follower output stage feeding the B section of the VOLTS/CM switch, SW3. The use of the cathode follower between stages and into the switch circuit minimizes the effect on the preamplifier of the change of capacitance with switch position.

VERTICAL AMPLIFIER ATTENUATOR

The vertical-amplifier input stage is also a cathode follower which supplies the variable attenuator stage through series-peaking coil L4.

The variable-attenuator stage is a cathodecoupled long-tail pair of pentodes, with a separate cathode resistor for each, and with coupling between cathodes provided by means of a variable resistor, R35, labeled VARIABLE AT-TEN. R34 in the plate circuit of the input tube, V12, of this pair provides the internal trigger source. V11B, a cathode-follower voltage regulator supplying grid bias voltage for the grounded grid is for the purpose of adjusting the nosignal cathode voltage of V13 to the no-signal voltage of the cathode of V12, so that adjustment of the VARIABLE ATTEN. control will not affect the dc level and position of the trace. A screwdriver front-panel control labeled VARI-ABLE ATTEN. BAL. permits this adjustment to be made. Plate and screen voltage supply is provided by means of V14, a cathode-follower voltage regulator. Plate voltage to V13 is fed through the delay-network termination resistor, and the delay network.

DELAY NETWORK

The delay network provides ¼ microseconds of delay to the vertical-deflection signal which is time enough to permit the sweep-sawtooth voltage to be well under way before the vertical-deflection signal is displayed on the cathode-ray tube when the sweep is triggered by the signal being displayed.

The delay network consists of 24 M-derived low-pass sections. The M of these sections is 1.27 which produces the minimum phase dispersion with frequency for the best transmission of pulses without phase distortion. Regulated +105 volts from cathode-follower voltage regulator V14 is supplied to the plate of V13

through the delay network and its terminating resistor, R501. The shunt capacitors of the network sections are adjustable to compensate for slight variations in the manufactured components. Cutoff frequency of the sections is about 3.5 times the upper frequency limit of the balance of the amplifier to minimize any distortion of the pulse response caused by the network.

PHASE INVERTER, VERTICAL POSITIONING

Output from the delay network is applied to V21, the input stage of a cathode-coupled phase inverter. The VERTICAL POSITION adjustment is provided by means of R59 which adjusts the grid bias on V22. Positioning results from the difference in dc level between the two halves of the phase inverter. Since the amplifier is dc coupled, a dc change at this level appears also at the deflection plates. Push-pull output from the phase inverter drives the push-pull distributed amplifier through cathode followers, V23B and V24B.

CURRENT ADJUST CIRCUIT

Bias level of the cathode followers is set to control the dc operating level of the distributed amplifier, by V23A and V24A which, in turn, receive bias from screwdriver-adjustable voltage divider R66, labeled CURRENT ADJ. The ac impedance of V23A and V24A is kept very high by use of large unbypassed cathode-resistors R68 and R74, while the plate current can be varied easily through a sufficient range to effect the required bias range.

DISTRIBUTED OUTPUT AMPLIFIER

The push-pull distributed amplifier has three tubes in each half. L9 and L11 are the grid and plate delay lines. The signal from the cathode follower V23B is fed down the grid line terminated in R85. As the signal passes each grid, it is amplified and appears at the plate of each tube. At each plate the amplified grid-line signal is applied to the plate line whereupon it travels down the plate line at the same speed as the signal in the grid line, and is therefore reinforced each time it passes a plate. For example, a positive pulse traveling down grid line L9 from the cathode of V23B passes the grid of V31 and passes on toward V33. The negative pulse voltage at the grid of V31 is amplified and appears at the plate of V31 as a negative pulse. The negative pulse on the plate line L11 starts to travel to right and to left along the line, and the portion going to the right approaches the plate tap of V33. The lines are constructed so that the time of propagation of the pulse along the grid line between V31 and V33 is the same as the time of propagation of the amplified pulse along the plate line between V31 and V33 so that at the moment the grid pulse, amplified in



V33, appears at the plate of V33, the plate pulse from V31 also appears at the plate of V33. Since the two plate-line signals are in phase, they add at this point and the result is a pulse twice as high leaving the plate of V33 toward the right. Similarly, as this pulse passes the plate of V35, the grid-line pulse passes the grid of V35, is amplified and added to the plate-line pulse from V31 and V33, so that the pulse is now three times as large as the first pulse out of V31.

The plate pulse at the plate of each tube is also propagated in the left-hand direction as well as in the right-hand direction in the plate line. The portion going to the left is dissipated in R79 which is equal to the characteristic impedance of the plate line so that there is no reflection. The opposite side of the distributed output stage, with V32, V34 and V36, functions in the same manner.

Access Panel Switch

Output from the distributed amplifier is applied through compensating inductors L13 and L14 to switch SW5, labeled IRE-NORM-FLAT-EXT. This switch, located on the access panel at the left rear of the instrument, applies the vertical-deflection signal to the vertical-deflection plates, D3 and D4. In the NORM position the amplifier output is applied to the deflection plates directly. In the IRE position, C56 is shunted across the deflection plates to slow down the amplifier rise time and reduce the bandwidth so that the response conforms with the IRE bandwidth standard for pulse-measurement. In a third position labeled FLAT, the switch adds series-peaking inductance at the deflection plates to provide over-compensation, so the frequency response will be flat to 5 mc. In a fourth position, labeled EXT, the deflection plates are available at the access panel through C47 and C48 with the positioning control retained through R93 and R94.

ELEVATED HEATERS

Hum otherwise present in the low-level stages resulting from heater-to-cathode current is reduced by operation of the heaters at a dc bias of +37.5 volts obtained from the output-stage cathode. R95 and R96 balance the ac voltage to ground to further reduce hum pickup.

INTERNAL-TRIGGER AND MONITOR-VIDEO PICKOFF

V15A is an amplifier whose grid is supplied with a portion of the vertical signal from a load resistor, R34, in the plate circuit of V12. Cathode output is connected to the internal-trigger positions of the trigger SELECTOR switch.

Plate output is applied to the grid of cathodefollower V15B, where it is combined linearly with a portion of the +gate signal coupled in from the sweep circuit via R261 (sweep circuit).

LINE-INDICATING VIDEO TO MONITOR

The combined video and gate signal is taken from the cathode of V15B and connected to a UHF coaxial connector at the rear of the instrument, labeled LINE INDICATING VIDEO (TO MONITOR). This circuit is provided so that the television video monitor can indicate on the video-monitor raster which lines of the video field are displayed on the Type 524AD Oscilloscope. The indication on the monitor consists of a horizontal strip brighter than the rest of the picture.

POWER SUPPLY

Power supply transformer T401 provides heater voltage and high-voltage ac to the rectifiers which furnish direct current for all parts of the instrument except the cathode-ray tube. This is a 60-cycle transformer with two primary windings to permit use of either 117-volt or 234-volt ac input. A thermal cutout protects the instrument from damage of overheating.

REGULATED —150-VOLT SUPPLY

Reference voltage for the negative 150-volt supply is a type 5651 voltage regulator tube. Regulation of this supply is accomplished by comparing the 87-volt drop across the regulator tube to the voltage of a tap near 87 volts on voltage divider R405, R406, R407. The difference voltage is amplified in V402 and applied to the grid of V403, a series-regulator tube. R408 connected between ground and the unregulated part of the supply increases the current available at the regulated negative 150-volt bus. C404 between grid and ground of comparator tube V402 increases the ac gain of the feedback loop to improve the ac regulation and reduce the ripple. A center-tapped winding to two full-wave rectifiers provides the direct current to the regulator.

REGULATED +225-VOLT SUPPLY

The regulated +225-volt supply consists of a difference amplifier, V407, an amplifier, V408, and a series tube, V409. A change in the output voltage of the regulated supply will cause the voltage at the junction of the sampling resistors, R429 and R430, to change. This voltage change is amplified by V407 and V408. The phase of this amplified voltage change is such when it is fed into the series tube, V409, the current through the series tube is changed in the direction needed to keep the output voltage of the regulated supply constant. Resistors R424 and R425 form a voltage divider which is necessary to place the proper



operating voltage on the grid of V408. C423 and C424 improve the regulation of the supply against rapid changes in load and also help to reduce the output ripple.

REGULATED +120-VOLT SUPPLY

The +120-volt supply drops the voltage of the regulated +225-volt bus through series-regulator tube V412. The voltage is determined by comparing to ground in comparator tube V411 the voltage near ground on voltage divider R410, R411 connected between -150 volts and the regulated 120-volt bus. C410 reduces ripple by improving the ac gain of the feedback loop.

Regulated +450-volt Supply

The +450-volt supply drops the voltage of the unregulated +600-volt supply through series-regulator tube V415. Regulation is accomplished by comparing to regulated +225 volts, in comparator tube V414, the voltage near +225 volts on voltage-divider R445, R446 connected between ground and the regulated +450-volt bus. The error voltage is amplified in V414 and applied to the grid of series-regulator tube V415. R447 reduces the current through V415. C441 increases ac gain through the regulator loop to reduce ripple.

HIGH-VOLTAGE SUPPLY

The primary of the high-voltage power transformer, T802, is the inductor of a Hartley type of oscillator operating at about 60 kilocycles, with C803 as the tank capacitor and V803 as the oscillator vacuum tube. The secondary contains three filament windings and two high-voltage windings. The two high-voltage windings are wound bifilar to keep the ac voltage between windings as small as possible. The winding connected to V806 is raised to about 200 volts positive by the unblanking circuitry.

The other bifilar winding is therefore also biased to +225 volts at its ac grounded end to reduce the dc voltage between windings. This winding is tapped. The full ac voltage is rectified by V805 at about +2500 volts for the post-

deflection acceleration voltage. The ac from the tap is rectified in V804 at about -1500 volts for the cathode supply voltage. The -1500-volt supply is regulated by comparing to regulated -150 volts, the voltage near -150 volts on a voltage divider R806, R807, R808 and R809, connected between -1500 volts and +225 volts, in comparator tube V802A. The difference voltage is amplified in V802A and applied to the grid of V802B, a shunt-regulator tube controlling screen voltage to the oscillator tube, V803, so as to correct the oscillator output level. R807, labeled Adj to -1500, a screwdriver control located on the sweep chassis, adjusts the voltage divider in the comparator circuit.

UNBLANKING

The positive unblanking pulse from V212B on the sweep chassis is applied to the crt control grid through the second high-voltage power supply, whose rectifier tube is V806. The whole power supply therefore follows the unblanking waveform. The unblanking pulse is therefore dc coupled to the crt control grid so as to provide a stable unblanking voltage even for very slow sweeps. C701 improves the rise time tor faster sweeps. R705, a front-panel control labeled INTENSITY, adjusts the dc level of the unblanking voltage to control the intensity of the trace.

Focus

R708, a potentiometer front-panel control labeled FOCUS, is a portion of a voltage divider between the negative 1500-volt supply and a point on the sweep chassis at negative 400 volts. This control permits the voltage of grid number 4 of the crt to be varied for focusing the trace.

ASTIGMATISM

The astigmatism control is R268, a frontpanel-control potentiometer labeled ASTIG-MATISM, in the grid circuit of V211A, a cathode-follower, voltage regulator located on the sweep chassis, which controls the voltage at pin 9, anode number 2, of the cathode-ray tube.



MAINTENANCE

Replacement of Components

Tektronix will supply replacement components at current net prices. However, since most of the components are standard electronic and radio parts we suggest you get them from your local dealer if you can. Be sure to consult your instruction manual first to see what tolerances are required.

We specially select some of the components, whose values must fall within prescribed limits, by sorting through our regular stocks. The components so selected will have standard RETMA color-code marks showing the values and tolerances of the stock they were selected from, but they will not in general be replaceable from dealers stocks.

Such selected parts, as well as the parts we manufacture at Tektronix, are identified in the parts lists either by notes or by our own stock numbers. Order these parts from the Tektronix factory in Portland, Oregon.

Parts-Ordering Information

You will find a serial number on the frontispiece of this manual. This is the serial number of the instrument the manual was prepared for. Be sure the manual number matches the number of the instrument when you order parts.

A Tektronix instruction manual usually contains hand-made changes to diagrams and parts lists, and sometimes text. These changes are in general only appropriate to the instrument whose serial number appears on the manual frontispiece. The hand-made changes show changes to the instrument that have been made after the printing of the manual.

We make some of the instrument changes during the factory test procedure. Our technicians hand-tailor the circuits, if it seems appropriate, to provide the widest possible latitude of operation. Other changes are made to include the latest circuit improvements as they are developed in our engineering department, or when improved components become available. In any event, the changes are to your benefit. We have tried to give you the best instrument we can.

Soldering Precaution

The solder used on the ceramic terminals in this instrument must contain a small percentage of silver. If for any reason you resolder, be sure the solder you use contains silver. Silver-bearing solder is used in printed-circuit techniques, and is therefore available from all solder manufacturers. Repeated use of ordinary tin-lead solder will dissolve the fused bond of silver that makes the solder adhere to the porcelain, especially if the soldering iron is quite hot.

Removing the Cabinet

Each side panel and the bottom panel are individually removable when service becomes necessary. To remove a side panel, release the two fasteners and swing the top of the panel out until the bottom hinge releases. To remove the bottom panel, release the four fasteners and lift the panel.

CAUTION — Voltages high enough to be dangerous are present in this instrument. Since maintenance must necessarily be performed with the case removed, great care should be taken. Use only insulated tools, stand on a dry floor, and if possible keep one hand in your pocket.

Power Supply

OPERATION ON 210-250 VOLT LINE

The power transformer of the Type 524AD is wound with two 115-volt primaries. When the instrument leaves the factory, the primaries are ordinarily connected in parallel for 105-125-volt operation. If operation from 210-250-volt lines is desired, remove the jumpers connecting 1 to 2 and 3 to 4. Then connect terminals 2 and 3 together. Move the fan lead from the switch side of the thermal cutout to the terminal-1 side. With the line still connected to terminals 1 and 4, the instrument is ready for 210-250-volt operation.

The fuse supplied when the Type 524AD is wired for 105-125-volt operation is a 6.25-amp 250-volt fast blow. For proper protection on 210-250-volt operation this fuse should be changed to a 3-amp 250-volt fast blow.

Locating Troubles

An early step to take in locating troubles is to determine if the various plate-supply voltages are correct. Convenient measuring points are accessible on the under side of the chassis. If there is no voltage, check the fuse at the rear of the case and the thermo-disk cutout near the transformer. The disk opens at 130° F. and closes at 100° F., approximately. For 120-volt operation the fan continues to run when the cutout opens. Since all the regulated voltages are referred to negative 150 volts, start with



this one. Use an accurate dc voltmeter and measure the voltage between pin 7 of V401 and ground. This voltage should be within one per cent of 150 volts.

Then check +120 volts at pin 1 of V412. +225 volts at pin 6 of V412. +450 volts at pin 1 of V415.

These voltages should be within 3 per cent of their nominal values.

Then check +330 volts at pin 5 of V409. +600 volts at pin 9 of V415.

These voltages are unregulated and will vary with line voltage but should be within ten or fifteen per cent of their nominal values.

Since most troubles with the equipment will result from tube deterioration or failure, first determine whether any departure from these voltages is caused by bad tubes. Look for evidence of overheating of components associated with a tube found to be defective. It is usually advisable to replace tubes before making adjustments. The circuits of the Type 524AD oscilloscope are designed and adjusted to operate properly with the correct plate voltages and should not be sensitive to minor changes of components values or tube characteristics. The usual cause of deteriorated performance, therefore, will be tube or component failure and not misadjustment. However, after replacement of tubes or components, readjustment may be necessary.

Adjustment

Since the instrument is adjusted to operate correctly when the power-supply voltages are set accurately to their nominal values, before making other adjustments these voltages should be checked and if necessary, readjusted.

-150-volt Adjustment

This control is located at right rear of the power supply, accessible from the underside. Measure between ground and pin 7 of V401 with an accurate voltmeter (within 1 per cent) and set accurately to 150 volts.

SET CURRENT ADJUST CONTROL

Connect positive voltmeter lead to top of R87, 200-ohm 20-watt wire wound, adjacent to V23 on vertical amplifier chassis, and negative meter lead to chassis. Adjust R66 to get exactly 37.5 volts. This is cathode voltage on the output tubes.

CHECK FOR 120 VOLTS, 225 VOLTS, AND 450 VOLTS

Check for 120 volts between pin 1 of V412 and ground. Check for 225 volts between pin 6 of V412 and ground. Check for 450 volts between pin 1 of V415 and ground. These voltages should be within 3 per cent.

ADJUST -- 1500 VOLTS

Connect negative meter lead at crt filament jacks, positive lead to chassis, and set R807 labeled ADJ to —1500 v, located on left side of sweep chassis, for exactly 1500 volts, use 20,000 ohm-per-volt meter. Check oscillator screen voltage between pin 6 on V803 located on high-voltage supply on left side, and ground. Should be between 150 and 170 volts at normal intensity.

CHECK RIPPLE AND REGULATION

Using a second oscilloscope, check ripple at —150 volts. Should be 40 millivolts or less. Check ripple at 225 volts, should be 20 millivolts or less. Check ripple at 120 volts, should be 10 millivolts or less. Check ripple at 450 volts, should be 50 millivolts or less.

SET SWEEP AMP. CURRENT

Position spot on crt at center of screen and set INTENSITY to normal. Now set the voltage on the sweep-amplifier deflection plates at 150 to 155 volts by adjusting R325 labeled SWEEP AMP. CURRENT ADJ. Measure voltage between X plates and ground. Should be same as Y plates.

CHECK UNBLANKING PULSE

Set sweep time at 500 µSEC/CM, TRIGGER SELECTOR at 60 \(^\) UNDELAYED, and advance the STABILITY control until sweep runs recurrently. Connect a second scope probe to the unblanking post, located by V213, on the sweep deck. The amplitude of the unblanking pulse should be 50 volts or more.

CHECK SWEEP OUTPUT

Connect the second-scope probe to the SWEEP OUTPUT binding post on the front panel, and turn the trigger AMPLITUDE control counterclockwise. With the sweep running recurrently, a regular sawtooth should be indicated on the test scope having a peak-to-peak amplitude of 30 volts or more.

CHECK POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE GATE OUTPUT

Using the same setup as before, connect the second-scope probe, first to the +GATE and



then to the —GATE binding posts on the front panel. The waveform of the +GATE should be square on top. The peak amplitude of each should be about 30 volts.

Adjust Variable Attenuator Balance Control

Position the trace to the center of the screen with the calibrator voltage off. Rotating the VARIABLE ATTEN. control should not change the position of the trace. If it does, the VARIABLE ATTEN BAL. control should be adjusted until there is no change while the VARIABLE ATTEN. control is rotated. Note: this control may require readjustment as the tubes age. Check for V11 grid current by switching to DC input, and changing the VOLTS/CM control throughout its range. The trace should not shift more than 2 mm.

Adjust Vertical Driver Compensation, C28, C31

Set the VOLTS/CM switch to the .15-.5 position. Connect a Tektronix Type 105 Square-Wave Generator to the vertical input and adjust it for about 4 cm of vertical deflection at about 2.5 kc. Adjust C28 and C31, adjacent to V21 and V22, for best leading edge and a flat top on the square wave. These trimmers should have approximately the same capacitance when the adjustment is completed. If you don't have a Tektronix Type 105 Square-Wave Generator, the calibrator waveform can be used, although the rise time is not fast enough for best results.

ADJUST INPUT ATTENUATOR AND PROBE

The built-in attenuators are resistor voltage dividers paralleled by capacitor voltage dividers. The division of low-frequency voltage components is determined by the ratio of the resistors, while the division of high-frequency voltage components is determined by the inverse capacitance ratio. When both division ratios are equal, components of all frequencies are equally divided so that a complex wave will be accurately reproduce at the attenuated level. A square wave is an ideal complex wave for determining whether the attenuated wave is accurately reproduced.

If the attenuation ratio of the capacitor divider is lower than that of the resistor divider a spike will appear at the leading edge of the attenuated output waveform when a square wave is applied to the input of the attenuator. Conversely, if the attenuation ratio of the capacitor divider is greater than that of the resistor divider, the leading edge of the output wave will be rounded.

The probe is also a resistor-capacitor voltage divider, similar to the built-in attenuators, except

that the shunt leg of the divider is formed by the input impedance of the oscilloscope.

The input impedance is one megohm paralleled by approximately $40 \mu\mu$ f, or a time constant of 40 microseconds. The input time constant must therefore be made equal for all positions of the **VOLTS/CM** switch so that the high-frequency response through the probe will be the same for all switch positions.

The following procedure is based on the use of the calibrator waveform for making the attenuator adjustments. If you have a Type 105 Square Wave Generator, its faster rise time will allow a more accurate adjustment of the series trimmers. It can be used to make all the adjustments or to recheck the series trimmers only.

To make these adjustments, lay a sheet of metal on top of the instrument to simulate the presence of the cabinet. A special aluminum shield with suitable openings for making these adjustments may be purchased from Tektronix. Connect a 10 to 1 attenuation probe to INPUT 2. Insert the tip of the probe into the CAL. OUT-PUT connector. Set the VARIABLE ATTEN-UATOR clockwise, the INPUT SELECTOR to the AC position of INPUT 2 and adjust the calibrator controls to give about 3 cm of deflection on the crt screen. Set the sweep and triggering controls to display several cycles of the square wave. Make the adjustments indicated in the following table in the order shown. Adjust in each case for the best leading edge and flattest top on the square wave.

VOLTS/CM	Adjust		
.15 to .5	Probe trimmer		
(Change the INPUT SELECTOR switch to the AC position of INPUT 1. Connect the probe to			
INPUT 1.)			

.15	to .5	C136
.5	to 1.5	C103 & C104
1.5	to 5	C105 & C106
5	to 15	No adjustments
15	to 50	C111 & C112
.015	to .05	C1 & R10
.05	to .15	C101 & C102

In the 15-to-50 position of the VOLTS/CM switch the deflection caused by the maximum calibrator voltage through the 10-to-1 attenuation of the probe is only a third of a centimeter so that it is somewhat difficult to adjust C111 properly. A better adjustment can be obtained if the sweep is allowed to run unsynchronized. Reduce the trigger AMPLITUDE control setting and advance the STABILITY control until the sweep runs recurrently. The display will be two parallel lines. Adjust the FOCUS and AS-



TIGMATISM carefully and then adjust C111 so that no spikes or rounding appear above or below the lines. The presence of spikes or rounding will appear as a barely discernible blurring or deterioration of the sharpness of the trace. A magnifying glass will help.

Adjustment of C11 and C112 can both be made more accurately with more deflection than is available through the 10-to-1 attenuation of the probe. Five times more deflection can be obtained by substituting a 2-to-1 external attenuator for the 10-to-1 probe. A 2-to-1 attenuator can be made quite easily using a 1-megohm resistor shunted by a capacitance which can be adjusted in the vicinity of 40 $\mu\mu$ f, for example a 7-to-45 $\mu\mu$ f trimmer.

Connect this 2-to-1 attenuator between the CAL OUTPUT and the INPUT 1 terminals and repeat the settings of controls as used for adjusting C106 and adjust the external attenuator trimmer for best squarewave response. Then repeat the settings of controls for adjustment of C111 and C112.

CALIBRATOR CHECK

Set the CAL. VOLTAGE RANGE to 50, CAL. VOLTAGE dial accurately to 5, CAL. DUTY CYCLE full clockwise. Measure output voltage between the CAL. OUTPUT terminal and ground on a 20,000 ohm-per-volt meter shunted with a capacitance of 0.1 μ f or higher. The reading should be 50 volts. The meter should be accurate within one per cent.

TRIGGER SENSITIVITY

Set VOLTS/CM to 5 to 15, VARIABLE ATTEN. full clockwise, CAL. VOLTAGE to 0, sweep time 100 µsec/cm, trigger SELECTOR+SIG UNDELAYED, trigger AMPLITUDE full counterclockwise. Advance the sweep STABILITY control until the sweep runs recurrently and then return it counterclockwise until the sweep stops. Advance the AMPLITUDE control full clockwise and then advance the CAL. VOLTAGE control until the sweep starts. If more than 3 millimeters of deflection is required V207 may need replacement.

ADJUST VERTICAL AMPLIFIER GAIN

First, recheck that the cathode voltage of the output amplifier is 37.5 volts to ground at Pin 8 of V23.

Set the VOLTS/CM dial at .15-.5. Set CAL. VOLTAGE RANGE to 1.5, and set the CAL. VOLTAGE control to .9. Rotate the VARIABLE ATTEN. control to get 6 centimeters of vertical deflection. If the control encounters

the stop before 6 centimeters of deflection occurs, or if the deflection is more than 6.3 centimeters when the **VARIABLE ATTEN**. control is turned full right, loosen the appropriate collar on the shaft near the control (inside the instrument) and reset the collar on the shaft so that the control stops when the deflection is 6 centimeters.

Leave the VOLTS/CM dial at .15-5, set the CAL. VOLTAGE RANGE control to 5, and leave the CAL. VOLTAGE control at 3. Turn the VARIABLE ATTEN. knob to the left to get 6 centimeters of vertical deflection as before. If necessary to do this, readjust the appropriate collar slightly on the shaft.

Leave the CAL. VOLTAGE control at the setting that provides 6 centimeters of vertical deflection. Turn the VARIABLE ATTEN. control full right. Set the CAL. VOLTAGE RANGE control to .15 and set the VOLTS/CM control to .015-.05. Adjust the PREAMP GAIN control (R16, located on the upper side of the vertical-amplifier chassis) for 6 centimeters of vertical deflection.

CHECK CRT CATHODE CIRCUIT

Set the time-marker control to EXT, the sweep TIME to 100 µSEC/CM, advance the STABILITY control so that the sweep runs recurrently, and then reduce the intensity control setting until the sweep trace disappears. Open the CRT CATH. shorting link on left side of the front panel, and connect CAL. OUTPUT to the CRT CATH. terminal. Starting with zero volts, slowly advance the CAL. VOLTAGE control clockwise until the trace reappears. Reducing the CAL. VOLTAGE control counterclockwise should make the trace disappear again. This indicates that the crt cathode and associated circuits are satisfactory. Close the link.

SET THE MAG. POS. CONTROL

Turn the HORIZONTAL POSITION control so that the sweep starts at the center graticule line, then turn the SWEEP MAGNIFIER switch to 10X position and position the start of the sweep at the center graticule line with the HORIZONTAL POSITION control. Now turn the SWEEP MAGNIFIER control to OFF and reposition the start of the sweep to the center line by using the MAG. POS. screwdriver adjustment on front panel. Repeat the above steps until there is no difference in the position of the start of the sweep in the two positions.

SWEEP CIRCUIT ADJUSTMENTS

Before making any adjustments of these circuits, be sure the crt accelerating voltage is correctly set to 1500 volts. See the paragraph con-



cerning this adjustment. Adjust the FOCUS, INTENSITY and ASTIGMATISM controls for a well defined spot.

We check the sweep timing with a Tektronix Type 180 or 181 Time-Mark Generator. However, you can use any other frequency generator accurate to one per cent or better. Because the small amount of non-linearity present in the sweep is concentrated in the first and last centimeters, we adjust the timing over the center 8 centimeters of the display. In this way the errors are minimized.

The following procedure is based on that used in our test department. This sequence should be followed.

1. Adjust R330, L. F. Sweep Time

Display 100-microsecond markers from the time-mark generator with the sweep TIME control set to 100 µSEC/CM and the µSEC/CM MULTIPLIER controls set at 1.0. If necessary, adjust R330, marked L.F. ADJ. at the rear of the sweep chassis so that the markers correspond with the graticule lines.

2. ADJUST C305A, H. F. SWEEP TIME

Display 1-microsecond markers with the TIME control set to $1\,\mu\text{SEC/CM}$ and the MULTIPLIER controls set at 1.0. Adjust C305A, labeled H.F. SWEEP TIME at the rear of the sweep chassis so that the markers correspond with the graticule lines.

3. .1 Microsec/cm Adjust, C231A

Display 1-microsecond markers with the TIME control set to .1 µSEC/CM and the MULTIPLIER set to 10.0. Adjust C231A, on the rear section of the TIME switch, accessible from the left, so that the markers correspond with the graticule lines.

4. Sweep Magnifier 10X Adjust, C301

Turn the MAGNIFIER to 10X and position the trace slightly to the right so that markers occur near the right and left sides of the graticule. Ajust C301 so that the markers are 10 cm apart.

5. Sweep Magnifier 3X Adjust, C302B

Turn the MAGNIFIER to 3X and the MULTIPLIER to 3.0. Adjust C302B so that the markers are 10 cm apart.

6. C302C ADJUST

Turn the MAGNIFIER to OFF and the MULTIPLIER to 10.0. Adjust C302C so the markers correspond with the graticule. If an appreciable change is made in this adjustment, recheck steps 2 through 6.

TIME-MARKER ADJUSTMENTS

Time-marker intervals are changed by changing the inductance of the oscillator coils, L601, L602, L603, L604, and L608. These inductors are mounted near the panel just above the timemarker switch.

The frequency of the time-marker oscillators can be determined by comparison with another oscillator of known frequency, such as a BC221 frequency meter, or a calibrated signal generator. A Tektronix Type 180 or 181 Time-Mark Generator can be used to adjust L601, L602 and L603. To make the comparison, display a stable pattern of several cycles of the signal-generator output wave, and determine the positions on the trace where brightening occurs when the time marker is turned on.

For example, set the signal generator to 1 mc, and set the time marker switch for 1 µSEC. Each cycle of the sine wave should have one bright spot on the trace. After determining with only five or ten cycles displayed that each cycle is brightened once, slow the sweep so that fifty or so cycles are displayed, and adjust the marker oscillator inductor, L603, so that the brightening occurs at the same height on each cycle displayed clear across the screen. By this means, the difference in frequency between the signal generator and the time-marker oscillator can be observed over the relatively long period of the sweep. Since the sweep and time-marker oscillator are both triggered by the signal generator, several cycles need to be observed before a change in phase can occur corresponding to a difference in frequency. If the height of the brightened part of the trace remains quite nearly constant for fifty cycles, the relative phases of the signal generator and time-marker oscillator are constant within a small part of a cycle in fifty cycles, corresponding to an equality in frequency within a small fraction of one per cent.

For the $0.1 \mu SEC$ marker, set the oscillator to 10 mc or a submultiple of 10 mc. Adjust L602 for a horizontal bright line on the screen as for the $1 \mu SEC$ marker.

For the 0.05 μSEC marker, set the oscillator to 10 mc and adjust L601 for two horizontal bright lines.

For the .005H and .025H markers use an oscillator frequency of 3.15 mc or a submultiple of 3.15 mc and proceed as for the other markers.



VERTICAL AMPLIFIER ADJUSTMENT

A good square wave source of voltage is required for adjustments to the vertical amplifier. The risetime must be 0.04 microseconds or faster for adjustment of the high-frequency response and the top of the wave must remain flat without appreciable slope for a good fraction of a second for low-frequency adjustments. The Tektronix Types 105 and 107 Square-Wave Generators provide an excellent waveform for the amplifier adjustments. The risetime of the calibrator waveform of the Type 524AD oscilloscope is not fast enough for these adjustments. If there are any irregularities in the test waveform the tendency will be to compensate for them by mistuning the amplifier. If there is any question about the quality of the test waveform, it should be observed on the oscilloscope connected directly to the vertical-deflection plates without the vertical amplifier.

If you are sure that the test waveform is good enough, proceed as follows to check the vertical amplifier and if necessary, readjust it.

REMOVAL OF DELAY LINE

First, disconnect the delay line, by unsoldering the blue-tracer lead from pin 6 of V13, the orange-tracer lead from pin 2 of V21, and the brown-tracer lead from the bakelite-post tie point at the right-hand side of the delay-line assembly. Then connect a jumper between pin 6 of V13 and pin 2 of V21, a 570-ohm resistor between pin 2 of V21 and the post-mounted tie point, and connect a 330-ohm resistor and a 40-µf capacitor in series between pin 2 of V21 and ground.

PREAMP LOW-FREQUENCY ADJUSTMENT

Set the VOLTS/CM switch to the .015 to .05 position. Set the sweep TIME switch to 10 µSEC/CM, and the trigger SELECTOR switch to —EXT. Advance the STABILITY control so that the sweep runs recurrently and displays an unsynchronized 50- to 100-cycle square wave. The trace will appear as two horizontal lines. Adjust R10, labeled L.F. ADJ. on the chassis, for the most sharply defined trace.

DISTRIBUTED AMPLIFIER, C41 AND C42 TRIMMERS

Set the VERT. AMP. switch to NORMAL. Set the VOLTS/CM to .15 to .5 and the sweep TIME controls to about $4 \mu SEC/CM$, and obtain a stable display of the square wave. Adjust C41A and C42A through C41F and C42F in that order so as to get the squarest corner on the leading edge of the square wave. When the adjustments are completed, each pair of trimmers in like positions in the two lines should have approximately equal capacitance settings.

DRIVER-STAGE HIGH-FREQUENCY SHUNT-PEAKING COILS, L6 AND L7

With the control settings and input pulse the same as for the foregoing trimmer adjustments, adjust L6 and L7 for best leading-edge squarewave response.

OUTPUT-STAGE NORMAL-PEAKING COILS, L13 AND L14

With the control settings and input pulse the same as for the foregoing trimmer adjustments, adjust L13 and L14 for best square wave response.

The shunt and series coils should be adjusted alternately for best overall response. The shunt coils, L6 and L7 have a short time constant and their effect is most noticeable on the upper left corner of the square wave. The series coils have a longer time constant and their contribution is to the start of the flat portion of the square wave. After these adjustments have been completed, check the adjustments of the distributed-amplifier trimmers and the peaking coils alternately a time or two more for the best overall response.

OVER-PEAKING COILS, L17 AND L18

First be sure that peaking coils, L13 and L14, are properly adjusted for transient response when the VERT. AMP. switch, SW5, is at NORMAL. Then switch to the FLAT position. There will be about 10 per cent overshoot if you are observing a fast pulse with a rise time of .02 µsec or less, such as the output from a Tektronix Type 105 Square-Wave Generator.

Check the response to a sine wave at 750 kc and at 5 mc. The response should be equal within 1 per cent at the two frequencies. Keep in mind that 1 per cent is a very close tolerance for a signal generator. A swept-frequency oscillator with constant output voltage is the best type for this purpose.

With this type of signal input you will observe a slow drop, no greater than 1 per cent, in the response curve between 1 mc and 2 mc; a similar rise, no greater than 1 per cent, near 3.5 mc; slowly dropping to 1 per cent low at about 5.5 mc. Adjust L17 and L18 located on the access panel while observing the response. The adjustment is not critical.

DELAY-LINE ADJUSTMENT

Do not adjust the delay line without first assuring yourself that the vertical amplifier is in adjustment. See foregoing tuning procedure. Remove the 570-ohm and 330-ohm resistors and the connection between pin 6 of V13 and pin 2 of V21. Reconnect the delay line, the brown-



tracer lead to pin 2 of V21 and the blue-tracer lead to pin 6 of V13. Apply a square wave voltage of about 250-kc frequency, set the sweep time to about six microseconds per centimeter. Obtain a stable trace of at least four-centimeter peak-to-peak amplitude.

First adjust C525 and L525, located on the back of the delay line, for flattest top. The effect of these adjustments appears about half a microsecond from the leading edge of the pulse. Then adjust the remaining trimmers, C524, C523, C522, etc., in this order for the flattest top while frequently switching the sweep time between 6 µSEC/CM and 60 µSEC/CM, to help assure that gradual slope to the top of the pulse is not resulting from the adjustments. The presence of slope is more readily discernible when the trace is shorter, but the contribution of individual trimmer adjustment is more apparent when the trace is longer. Recheck the adjustment at least once again.

While you are adjusting the delay line, you may experience difficulty in gaining the correct adjustments due to the proximity of your arm and hand. This trouble may be eliminated by shielding the delay line and associated circuits from the effects of body capacitance. A shield is available from the factory for this purpose. When ordering, specify part number 333-363.

PREAMP HIGH-FREQUENCY PEAKING

Set the VOLTS/CM control to the .015 to .05 position, INPUT SELECTOR switch to AC, sweep time to about $6 \mu \text{sec/cm}$ and apply a square wave signal to give at least four centimeters of deflection, peak to peak, at a repetition rate of about 250 kc. Obtain a stable pattern and adjust L1, L3 and L2, in this order, for best leading edge without overshoot. These inductors are located on the front part of the vertical amplifier chassis. All three should have approxi-

mately the same setting when adjustment is completed. Then check the risetime and bandwidth

RISETIME MEASUREMENT

Risetime is measured by measuring the time between points on the leading edge of a square-wave response at which the amplitude is 10 per cent and 90 per cent of the peak-to-peak value.

To make this measurement set the sweep-time controls to get .1 µsec/cm. Obtain a stable pattern 2.4 cm, peak to peak, extending 2 mm above the +1-cm graticule mark and 2 mm below the —1-cm graticule mark. Position the trace so that it intersects the vertical center graticule line and the —1-cm graticule line, and read the horizontal distance to the intersection with the +1-cm line. This distance should be less than 3 mm corresponding to a risetime of 0.03 microseconds.

FREQUENCY RESPONSE

A check of the frequency response will help to determine whether the vertical amplifier is performing properly. To make this determination, a source of sine-wave voltage is required which will operate over the frequency range of about 5 mc to 12 mc at a constant or measurable amplitude. Display the sine wave on the oscilloscope with an unsynchronized sweep. Adjust the input level to get a ±2-cm deflection (4 cm peak to peak) with the VOLTS/CM control in the .015 to .05 position and the oscillator frequency at about 5 mc. Increase the frequency while maintaining the input voltage constant until the deflection decreases to ± 1.4 cm (2.8 cm peak to peak). Determine the oscillator frequency at this point. It should be 10 mc or higher.

Switch the **VOLTS/CM** control to the .15 to .5 position, and then repeat the foregoing check. This bandwidth should be well over 11 mc.

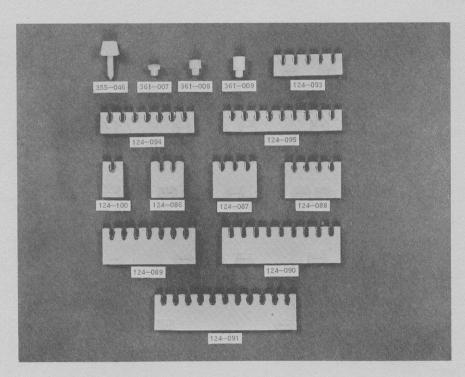


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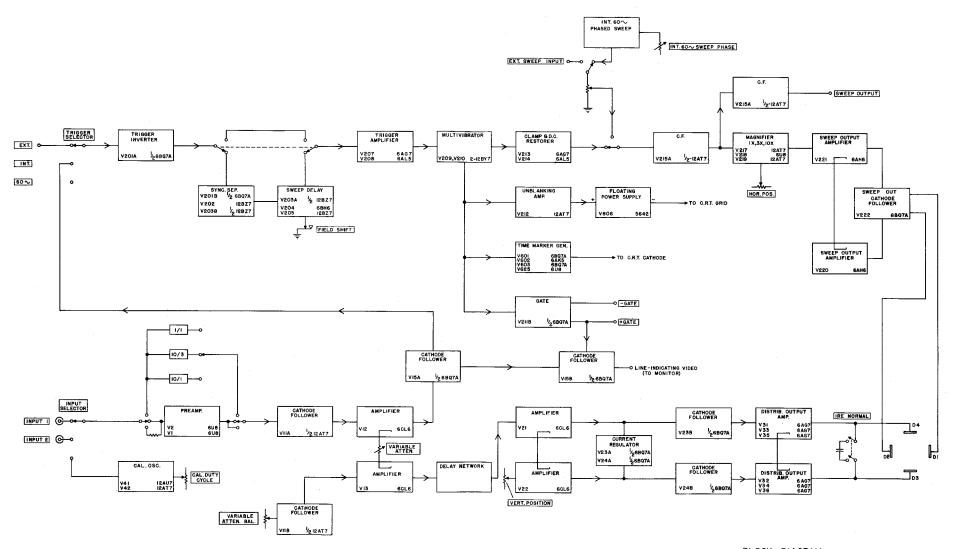
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CERAMIC STRIP PARTS LIST	PART NUMBER
STUD, CLIP, MOLDED NYLON	355-046
SPACER, MOLDED NYLON, 5/32" HEIGHT	361-007
SPACER, MOLDED NYLON, 1/4" HEIGHT	361-008
SPACER, MOLDED NYLON, 3/8" HEIGHT	361009
CERAMIC STRIP. 7/16" BY 3 NOTCHES	124092
CERAMIC STRIP, 7/16" BY 5 NOTCHES	124-093
CERAMIC STRIP, 7/16" BY 7 NOTCHES	124-094
CERAMIC STRIP, 7/16" BY 9 NOTCHES	124-095
CERAMIC STRIP, 7/16" BY 11 NOTCHES	124-106
CERAMIC STRIP. 3/4" BY 1 NOTCH	124—100
CERAMIC STRIP. 3/4" BY 2 NOTCHES	124086
CERAMIC STRIP, 3/4" BY 3 NOTCHES	124-087
CERAMIC STRIP, 3/4" BY 4 NOTCHES	124-088
CERAMIC STRIP, 3/4" BY 7 NOTCHES	124089
CERAMIC STRIP, 3/4" BY 9 NOTCHES	124-090
CERAMIC STRIP, 3/4" BY 11 NOTCHES	124-091



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BLOCK DIAGRAM

TYPE 524AD CATHODE-RAY OSCILLOSCOPE

£.U.P. 10-28-58

ABBREVIATIONS

Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻²
Comp.	composition	Ω	ohm
EMĊ	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	PT	paper tubular
h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ³ ohms	v	working volts dc
meg	megohm or 106 ohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	w	watt
μμ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	ww	wire wound
r·r·	GMV guaranteed minir	nu m va !	lue

SYNC SEPARATOR, TRIGGER DELAY, AND FIELD SHIFT

Capacitors

C202 C203 C204 C205 C206	.022 μf ½ 2x20 μf 47 μμf .01 μf .01 μf	PT EMC Cer. PT PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 450 v 500 v 400 v 400 v	20% 20% 20% 20% 20%	+50% with C411		285515 290037 281518 285510 285510
C207 C208 C209 C210 C211	.01 μf .01 μf 2.2 μμf .01 μf .22 μμf	PT PT Cer. PT Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 400 v 500 v 400 v 500 v	20% 20% ±0.5 µµ	uf (Selected —10 to -	5%)	285510 285510 281500 295016 281510
C212 C213 C214	.047 μf .01 μf .22 μμf	PT PT Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 400 v 500 v	20% 20% 20%			285519 285510 281510
				Resistors				
R201 R202 R204 R205 R206	1 meg 22 meg 1.5 meg 47 Ω 330 Ω	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%			302105 302226 302155 302470 302331
R207 R208 R209 R210 R211	1.2 k 1.5 k 1.2 k 1 k 1 meg	½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%			302122 302152 302122 302102 302105
R212 R213 R214 R215 R216	1 meg 68 k 22 k 10 meg 820 Ω	1/2 W 1 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%			302105 304683 302223 302106 302821
R217 R218 R219 R220 R221	10 k 100 k 330 k 3 meg 220 k	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Prec. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 1% 1%			302103 302104 302334 309026 302224
R222 R223 R224 R225 R226	330 k 100 k 470 k 2.7 meg 3.9 k	1/2 W 1 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%			302334 304104 302474 302275 302392
R228 R229 R230 R231	100 k 150 k 30 k 10 k	1 w ½ w 3 w	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed	Comp. Comp. helipot Comp.	10% 10%	linearity SWEEP	DELAY	304104 302154 311021 302103

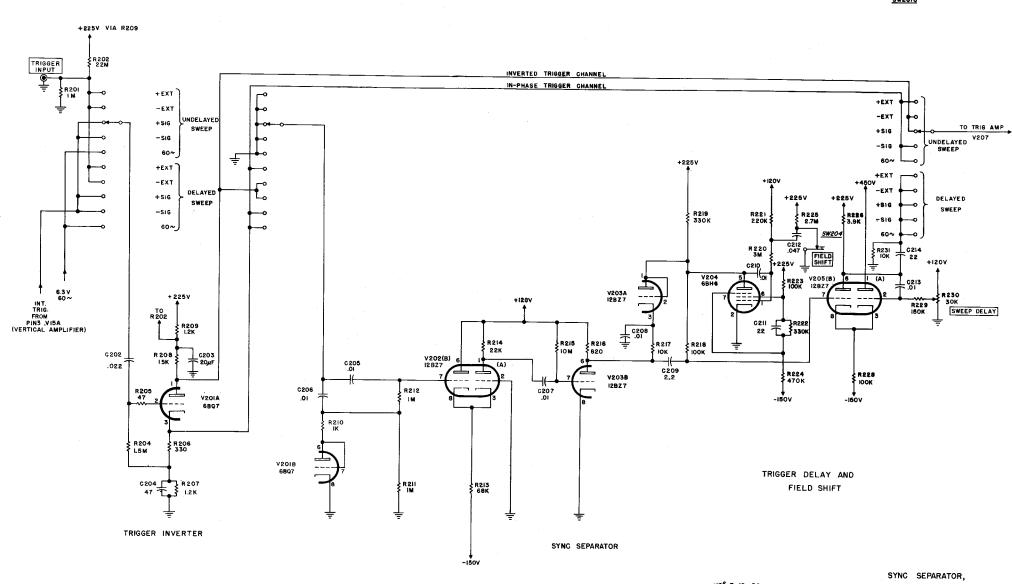


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TRIGGER DELAY, AND FIELD SHIFT

SW20IA

SELECTOR

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Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻³
Comp.	composition	Ω	ohm
EMĈ	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	PT	paper tubular
h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ³ ohms	v	working volts dc
meg	megohm or 106 ohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	w	watt
μμ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
1-1-	GMV guaranteed min	imum va	lue

MULTIVIBRATOR AND SWEEP GENERATOR Bulbs

B270	Type NE	-2 Neon Bu	ılb			150002
				Capacitor	s	
C218 C219 C220 C221 C222	.01 μf .01 μf ½ 2×20 μf 22 μμf 150 μμf	PT PT EMC Cer. Mica	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 400 v 450 v 500 v 500 v	20% 20% 20% +50% (with C412) 20% (Selected0 to +20%) 10%	285510 285510 290037 295002 283508
C223 C224 C225 C226 C228	.0015 μf .015 μf .15 μf 47 μμf 47 μμf	PT PT PT Cer. Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 400 v 400 v 500 v 500 v	-2% +20% $-2% +20%$ $-2% +20%$ $20%$ $20%$	285504 285512 285532 281518 281518
C229 C230 C231A C231B C232	8 μμf .047 μf 7-45 μμf 22 μμf .001 μf	Cer. PT Cer. Cer. Specia	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed	500 v 400 v 500 v 500 v	20% 20% 20%	281503 285519 281012 281510 291017
C235A C235B C235C C236 C237	.01 μf .1 μf 1 μf 2x20 μf .47 μf	pecial timin Order repla EMC PTM	ng series man acements fro Fixed Fixed	ufactured by m factory. 450 v 400 v	y Tektronix. 20% +50% (½ unused) 20%	291002 290037 285562
C238 C241 C242 C267	.001 μf .047 μf 1 μf .01 μf	Cer. PT PMC Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 400 v 400 v 500 v	GMV 20% 20% GMV	283000 285519 285542 283002
				Inductors	S	
L202	100 μh	Fixed	CF104			108002
				Resistors	3	
R235 R236 R237 R238 R239	470 k 47 Ω 470 Ω 10 k 390 Ω	½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	302474 302470 302471 306103 302391
R240 R241 R242	4.7 k 4.7 k 500 k	2 w 2 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Var. Dual	Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 20% AMPLITUDE GANGED WITH R286	306472 306472 311037
R243 R244	1.5 meg 1 k	½ W ½ W	Fixed Fixed	Comp.	10% 10%	302155 302102



R245 R246 R247 R248 R249	33 k 47 Ω 220 k 100 k 100 k	2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Var. Dual	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 20% STABILITY GANGED WITH R278	306333 302470 302224 302104 311028
R250 R251 R252 R253 R254	47 Ω 220 k 2.2 k 2.7 k 500 k	1/2 w 1 w 2 w 2 w 1/2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Prec.	10% 10% 10% 10% 1%	302470 304224 306222 306272 309003
R255 R256 R257 R258 R260	500 k 6.8 k 4.7 k 47 Ω 100 k	1/2 w 1/2 w 2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Prec. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	1% 10% 10% 10% 10%	309003 302682 306472 302470 304104
R261 R262 R263 R264 R265	470 k 10 k 120 k 150 k 47 Ω	1/2 W 1 w 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	302474 304103 302124 302154 302470
R266 R267 R268 R269 R270	10 k 180 k 500 k 330 k 10 k	1 w ½ w 2 w 1 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 20% ASTIGMATISM 10% 10%	304103 302184 311034 304334 306103
R271 R272 R273 R274 R276	10 k 15 meg 22 meg 1.5 k 22 meg	2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	306103 302156 302226 302152 302226
R277 R278	10 meg 100 k	½ w 2 w	Fixed Var. Dual	Comp.	10% 20% SWEEP ATTEN. GANGED WITH R249	302106 311028
R279 R280 R281	100 Ω 1 meg 27 k	1/2 w 1/2 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10%	302101 302105 306273
R282 R285 R286	10 k 220 k 20 k	1 w ½ w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Var. Dual	Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 20% INT. 60 ~ SWEEP PHASE GANGED WITH R242	304103 302224 311037
R289 R290A-J	3.3 meg 220 k	½ W ½ W	Fixed Fixed	Comp.	10% 10%	302335 302224
R291 R292A-J R293 R294	220 k 200 k 220 k 200 k	2 w ½ w 2 w 2 w	Var. Dual Fixed Var. Dual Fixed	Comp. Prec. Comp. Prec.	10% TIME MULT.** 1% 10% TIME MULT.** 1%	312103 309051 312103 310501

^{*}R291 Special, combined with R293 and calibrated dial.

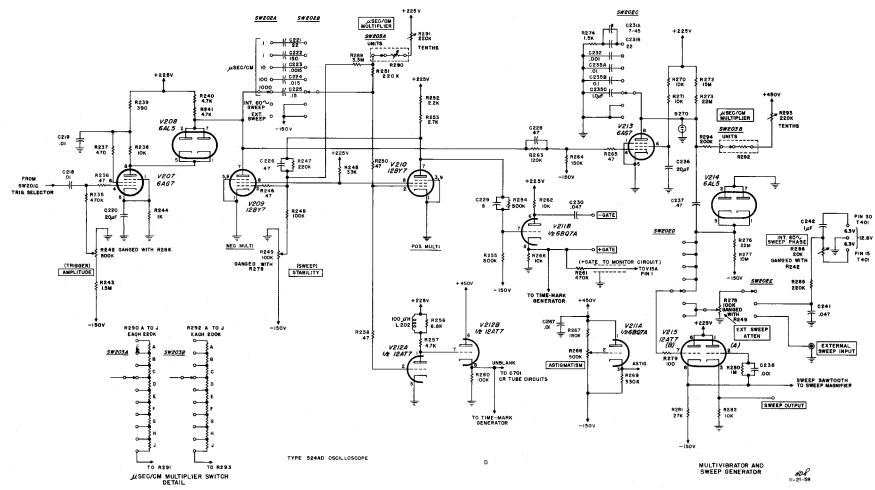


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Switches

SW201A,B, SW202A,B,I SW202C,D SW203A,B		10 Position 7 Position 7 Position 10 Position	Rotary Rotary Rotary Rotary	SELECTO: TIME (from	nt)	not wired wired 260041 — 260050 262048 260051 262049 260035 262050
		Vacı	ıum Tube	es		
V207 V208 V209 V210 V211A	6AG7 6AL5 12BY7 12BY7 1⁄2 6BQ7A	Trigger Amplifier Trigger Coupling Sweep Multivibra Sweep Multivibra Astigmatism Cath	Diode tor Negativ tor Positive			154012 154016 154047 154047 154028
V211B V212A V212B V213	½ 6BQ7A ½ 12AT7 ½ 12AT7 6AG7	Gate Output Amp Unblanking Pulse Unblanking Pulse Sweep Generator	Amplifier a Cathode Fo Clamp		}	154039 154012 154016
V214 V215A V215B	6AL5 ½ 12AT7 ½ 12AT7	Sweep DC Restor Cathode Follower Sweep Generator		llower		154039





Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻³
Comp.	composition	Ω	ohm
EMĊ	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
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h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ^s ohms	v	working volts dc
meg	megohm or 106 ohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	w	watt
μμ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
	GMV guaranteed minis	mum va	lue

SWEEP OUTPUT AMPLIFIER AND MAGNIFIER Bulbs

B338 B346 B351 B352 B357 B358	Type NE- Type NE- Type NE- Type NE-	-2 Neon Bu	ilb ilb ilb ilb			150002 150002 150002 150002 150002 150002
				Capacito	rs .	
C301 C302A C302B C302C	7-45 μμf 2.2 μμf 3-12 μμf 7-45 μμf	Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer.	Var. Fixed Var. Var.	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v	±.5 μμf	281012 281500 281007 281012
C303 C304 C305A C305B	22 μμf .01 μf 7-45 μμf 12 μμf	Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer.	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v	20% GMV 10%	281510 283002 281012 281505
C306 C307 C308	82 μμf .01 μf .01 μf	Cer. PT PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 400 v 400 v	10% 20% 20%	281528 285510 285510
				Resistor	s	
R301 R302 R303	31.1 k 100 k 30 k	½ w 2 w 3 w	Fixed Fixed Var.	Prec. Comp. WW	1% 10% 5% HELIPOT,	309037 306104 HOR. POSITION 311021
R304 R305	22 k 180 k	2 w ½ w	Fixed Fixed	Comp.	10% 10%	306223 302184
R306 R307 R308 R309 R310A	68 k 100 k 330 k 120 k 31.1 k	1 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Prec.	10% 10% 10% 10% 1%	304683 302104 302334 302124 309037
R310B R310C R315 R316 R317	95 k 355 k 360 k 2.7 k 22 k	½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Prec. Prec. Comp. Comp. Comp.	1% 1% 5% 10% 10%	309044 309054 301364 302272 306223
R318 R319 R320 R324 R325	150 k 47 Ω 180 Ω 10 k 2 k	½ w ½ w ½ w 12 w 10 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Var.	Comp. Comp. WW' Comp.	5% 10% 10% 5% 20% SWEEP AI	301154 302470 302181 308023 MP CURRENT ADJ. 311008



R327 R328 R329 R330 R334	22 k 20 k 270 k 500 k 180 Ω	1 w 2 w ½ w 2 w	Fixed Var. Fixed Var. Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 20% MAG. POS. 10% 20% L. F. SWEEP TIME ADJ 10%	304223 311018 302274 . 311034 302181
R335	820 k	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302824
R337	180 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302181
R338	47 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302470
R339	25 k	½ w	Fixed	WW	5%	308026
R340	120 k	10 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	306124
R343	5.6 k	2 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	306562
R344	25 k	10 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308026
R345	180 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302181
R346	47 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302470
R351	30 k	1/2 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308027
R352	100 k	¹ / ₂ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302104
R353	4.7 meg	2 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	306475
R356	4.7 meg	2 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	306475
R357	100 k	¹ / ₂ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302104
R358	30 k	10 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308027

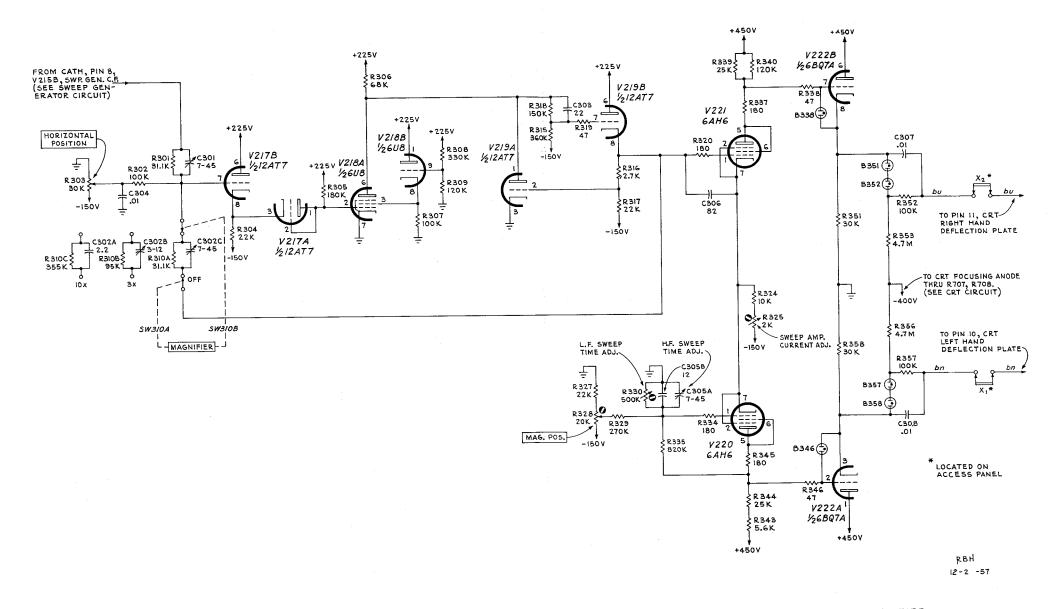
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SW301A,B	2-wafer	3 Position	Rotary	MAGNIFIER	260027	262051

Vacuum Tubes

V217A	½ 12AT7	Magnifier Coupling Diode	154039
V217B V218A	½ 12AT7 ½ 6U8	Magnifier Amplifier Cathode Follower { Magnifier Amplifier V218A Screen Supply Cathode Follower {	154033
V218B V219A	½ 6U8 ½ 12AT7	Sweep Clamp	154039
V219B V220 V221	⅓ 12AT7 6AH6 6AH6	Magnifier Output Cathode Follower \(\) Sweep Amplifier D2 Sweep Amplifier D1	154013 154013
V222A V222B	½ 6BQ7 ½ 6BQ7	Sweep Output Cathode Follower D2 Sweep Output Cathode Follower D1	154028





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$\mu\mu$	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
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TIME MARK GENERATOR

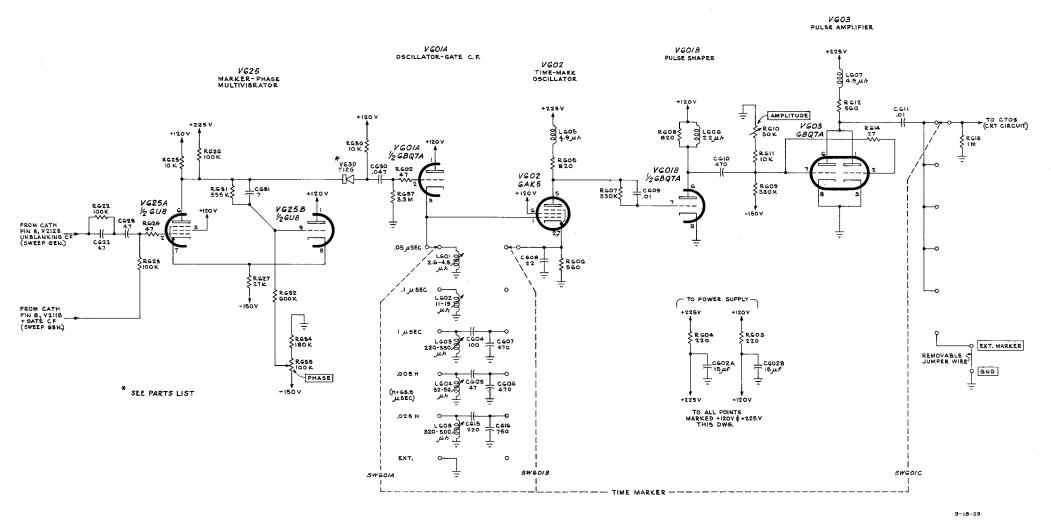
				Capacitors			
	½ 2x15 μf ½ 2x15 μf 100 μμf 47 μμf 470 μμf	EMC EMC Mica Cer. Mica	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	450 v -	20% +50% 20% +50% 10% 20% 10%	}	290035 283505 281519 283522
C607 C608 C609 C610 C611	470 μμf 22 μμf .01 μf 470 μμf .01 μf	Mica Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v	10% 20% GMV 20% GMV		283522 281511 283002 281525 283002
C615 C616 C622 C623 C630 C631	220 μμί 750 μμί 4.7 μμί 4.7 μμί .047 μί 7 μμί	Mica Mica Cer. Cer. PT Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 400 v 500 v	10% 5% ±1 μμf ±1 μμf 20% ±1/4 μμf		283536 283524 281501 281501 285519 281502
				Inductors			
L601 L602 L603 L604	2.6-4.8 μh 11-19 μh 220-330 μh 32-56 μh	Var. Var. Var. Var.	CV272 CV113 CV224 CV323				114011 114001 114008 114015
L605 L606 L607 L608	4.9 μh 22 μh 4.9 μh 320-500 μh	Fixed Fixed Fixed Var.	CF492 CF223 CF492 CV324				108017 108014 108017 114016
				Resistors			
R602 R603 R604	47 Ω 220 Ω 220 Ω	½ W ½ W ½ W	Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10%		302470 302221 302221 302821

R602 R603 R604 R605 R606	47 Ω 220 Ω 220 Ω 820 Ω 560 Ω	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	302221 302221 302821 302561
R607	330 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302334
R608	820 Ω	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302821
R609	330 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302334
R610	50 k	2 W	Var.	Comp.	20% AMPLITUDE	311023
R611	10 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302103
R612	560 Ω	½ W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302561
R613	1 meg	½ W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302105
R614	2 7 Ω	½ W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302270



R622 R623 R624 R625 R626	100 k 100 k 47 Ω 10 k 100 k	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	302104 302104 302470 302103 302104		
R627 R630 R631 R632 R634	27 k 10 k 355 k 600 k 180 k	2 w ½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Pres. Prec. Comp.	10% 10% 1% 1% 1%	306273 302103 309054 309004 302184		
R635 R637	100 k 3.3 meg	2 w ½ w	Var. Fixed	Comp.	20% PHASE 10%	311026 302335		
				Switches				
SW601A,E	3,C 3-	-wafer	6 position	Rotary	TIME MARKER	260103		
Vacuum Tubes								
V601A	½ 6BQ				g Cathode Follower)	154028		
V601B	½ 6BQ		ne Marker Pul)	154014		
V602 V603	6AK: 6BQ?	-	ne Marker Ose ne Marker Pul			154028		
V 603 V 625	6U8		rker-Phase M			154033		
V630	T120	Ger	rmanium Dio	đe		152008		





Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻³
Comp.	composition	Ω	olım
EMC	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	PT	paper tubular
ħ	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ³ ohms	v	working volts dc
meg	megohm or 106 ohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	w	watt
μμ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
••	GMV guaranteed mini	mu m va	lue

PREAMPLIFIER

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				Capacitors		
C1 C2 C3 C4 C5	.5-5 μμf 275 μf ½ 2×20 μf ½ 2×20 μf ½ 2×20 μf	Cer. EMC EMC EMC EMC	Var. Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 6 v 450 v 450 v 450 v	20% +50% (with C4) {20% +50% (with C3) {20% +50% (with C6) }	281001 290020 290037
C6 C7 C8 C11 C13 C101	1/2 2x20 μf .1 μf .1 μf .047 μf 1.5 μμf 3-12 μμf	EMC PT PT PT Cer. Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Var.	450 v 400 v 400 v 400 v 500 v 500 v	20% +50% (with C5) ∫ 20% 20% 20%	285526 285526 285519 281526 281007
C102 C103 C104 C105 C106	3-12 μμf 3-12 μμf 3-12 μμf 4.5-25 μμf 1.5-7 μμf	Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer.	Var. Var. Var. Var. Var.	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v		281007 281007 281007 281010 281005
C107 C111 C112 C113 C127	27 μμf 4.5-25 μμf 1.5-7 μμf 330 μμf .1 μf	Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer. PT	Fixed Var. Var. Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 600 v	10% 20% (Selected 0 to +20%) 20%	281512 281010 281005 295010 285528
C128 C136	.001 μf .7-3 μμf	Cer. Tub.	Fixed Var.	500 v 500 v	GMV	283000 281027
				Inductors		
L1 L2 L3	1.3-2.2 μh 2.2-4.4 μh .92-1.5 μh	Var. Var. Var.	CV132 CV222 CV921			114003 114007 114028
				Resistors		
R1 R2 R3 R4 R5	1 meg 47 Ω 220 Ω 18 k 1 k	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Prec. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	1% 10% 10% 10% 5%	309014 302470 302221 306183 301102
R6 R7 R8 R9 R10	33 k 27 Ω 18 k 330 k 1 meg	1 w ½ w 2 w ½ w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Var.	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10% L. F. ADJ.	304333 302270 306183 302334 311039



R11	6.8 k	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302682
R12	1 meg	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302105
R13	15 k	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302153
R15	47 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302470
R16	200 Ω	2 w	Var.	Comp.	20% PREAMP GAIN	311004
R17 R18 R19 R20 R21	18 k 1.5 k 33 k 27 Ω 15 k	2 w ½ w 1 w ½ w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 5% 10% 10%	306183 301152 304333 302270 306153
R101	700 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309008
R102	429 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309170
R103	700 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309008
R104	429 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309170
R105	900 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309111
R106 R109 R110 R135 R137	111 k 990 k 10.1 k 47 Ω 1.5 k	½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Prec. Prec. Prec. Comp. Comp.	1% 1% 1% 10% 10%	309046 309013 309034 302470 302152

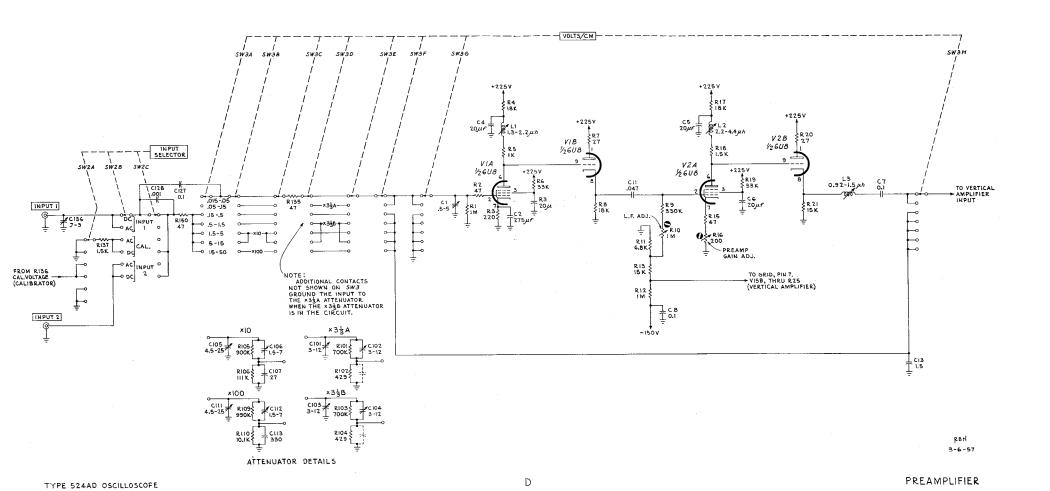
Switches

SW2A,B,C 2-wafer SW3A,B,C,D 6-wafer			INPUT SELECTOR VOLTS/CM	260112 262096 260170 262131
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Vacuum Tubes

V1A	½ 6U8	First Stage Preamplifier	154033
V1B	⅓ 6U8	Cathode Follower	S
V2A	½ 6U8	Second Stage Preamplifier	154033
V2B	1/2 6U8	Cathode Follower	151000





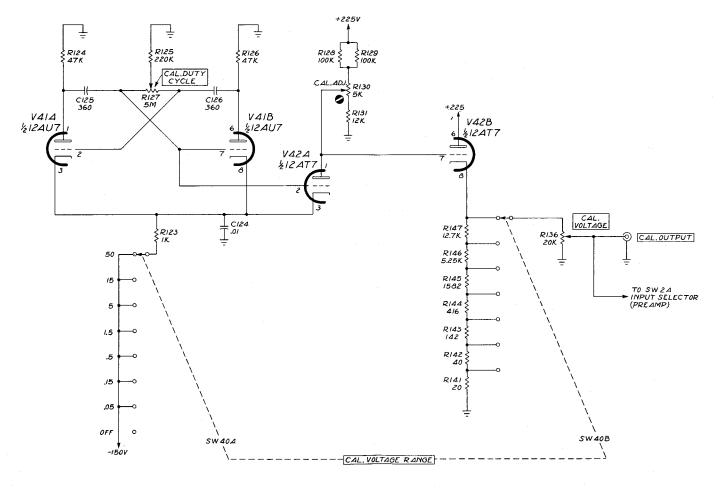
Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻³
Comp.	composition	Ω	ohm
EMC	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	PT	paper tubular
h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ³ ohms	v	working volts dc
meg	megohm or 106 ohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	w	watt
μμ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
• •	GMV guaranteed min	imum va	lue

CALIBRATOR

Capacitors

C124 C125 C126	.01 μf 360 μμf 360 μμf	Cer. Mica Mica	Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v	GMV 5% 5%		283002 283519 283519			
Resistors										
R123 R124 R125 R126 R127	1 k 47 k 220 k 47 k 5.0 meg	1/2 w 1 w 1/2 w 1 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Var.	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 20% CAL. DU'	TY CYCLE	302102 304473 302224 304473 311044			
R128 R129 R130 R131 R136	100 k 100 k 5 k 12 k 20 k	2 w 2 w 2 w 1 w 3 w	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed Var.	Comp. Comp. WW Comp. WW	10% 10% 10% CAL. AD 10% 5% (Selected	J. ±2%) CAL. VO	306104 306104 311012 304123 LTAGE 312003			
R141 R142 R143 R144 R145	20 Ω 40 Ω 142 Ω 416 Ω 1582 Ω	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Prec. Prec. Prec. Prec. Prec.	1% 1% 1% 1% 1%		309064 309066 309071 309079 309029			
R146 R147	5.25 k 12.7 k	½ w ½ w	Fixed Fixed	Prec. Prec.	1% 1%		309032 309122			
				Switch	ne s					
SW40	2-wa	fer 8 pc	osition	Rotary	CAL. VOLTAGE	RANGE not v	vired wired 0111 262095			
Vacuum Tubes										
V41A,B V42A V42B	12AU7 ½ 12AT7 ½ 12AT7	Calib	orator Multi orator Ampi orator Outp	lifier	Follower }		154041 154039			





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Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻³
Comp.	composition	Ω	ohm
EMĆ	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	PT	paper tubular
h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ^s ohms	v	working volts dc
meg	megohm or 106 ohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	w	watt
μμ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
1.1.	GMV guaranteed mini	mu m val	lue

DELAY LINE

Bulbs

				DUIDE		
B77		on, Type N				
B78	Ne	on, Type N	±-2			130002
			C	apacitors		
C501-C524 C501A C502A C503A-C506 C507A-C523	, ,	Cer. Cer. Cer.	Var. Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v	10% 10% 10% 10%	281005 281547 281503 281504 281506
C525 C526	.5-5 μμf .1 μf	Poly. PT	Var. Fixed	500 v 400 v	20%	281001 285526
			I	nductors		
L501-L506 L507-L512 L513-L518	6.2 μh 6.2 μh	each 44 turn each 44 turn each 44 turn	is #32, on or is #32, on or	ne rod ne rod	FC524DL FC524DL FC524DL	108048 108048 108048
L519-L523 L524 L525	6.2 µh 7 µh 46 .79-1.5		is #32, on or on end of ro Var.	ne rod od with L519-	FC524DL2 L523 CV 791	108049 114025
		•	τ	Resistors		
R501 5	570 Ω 1	w Fix		Prec.	1%	310091
		,	VERTICA	L AMPL	IFIER	
				apacitors		
C10 C12 C15 C16 C18	.01 μf .005 μf .005 μf .005 μf .01 μf	Cer. Cer. Cer. Cer. PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 400 v	GMV GMV GMV GMV 20%	283002 283001 283001 283001 285510
C19 C20 C22 ½ C25 C26	.005 μf .005 μf 2x20 μf .005 μf .005 μf	Cer. Cer. EMC Cer. Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 450 v 500 v 500 v	GMV GMV -20% +50% (with C34) GMV GMV	283001 283001 290037 283001 283001
C27 C28 C31	.005 μf 9-180 μμf 9-180 μμf 2 2x20 μf .1 μf	Cer. Mica Mica EMC PT	Fixed Var. Var. Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 450 v 400 v	GMV20% +50% (with C22) 20%	283001 281023 281023 290037 285526
C41A C41BCDEF	.5-5 μμ f	Poly. Poly.	Var. Var.	500 v 500 v		281001 281003
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Capacitors (Continued)

			Capacito	ors (Conti	mueu)	
C42A C42BCDI C43 C44 C47	.5-5 μμf 1-8 μμf .005 μf .005 μf .022 μf	Poly. Poly. Cer. Cer. PT	Var. Var. Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 500 v 500 v 500 v 600 v	GMV GMV 20%	281001 281003 283001 283001 285517
C48 C50 C52 C53	.022 μf 56 μμf .01 μf .01 μf	PT Mic a Cer. Cer.	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	600 v 500 v 500 v 500 v	20% 10% GMV GMV	285517 283503 283002 283002
			1	Inductors		
L4 L6 L7 L9 L10	.75 μh 2.9-5.2 μh 2.9-5.2 μh 12 μh 12 μh	Fixed Var. Var. Fixed Fixed	CF751 CV292 CV292 FC3F1 FC3F1			108072 114014 114014 108029 108029
L11 L12 L13 L14 L17	15 μh 15 μh 2.5-4.5 μh 2.5-4.5 μh 2.9-5.2 μh 2.9-5.2 μh	Fixed Fixed Var. Var. Var.	FC3F1 FC3F1 CV252 CV252 CV292 CV292			108031 108031 114010 114010 114014 114014
				Resistors		
R23 R24 R25 R26 R27	18 k 10 k 1 meg 1 k 1 meg	1 w ½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Prec.	10% 10% 10% 10% 1%	304183 302103 302105 302102 309014
R28 R29 R30 R31 R32	1 meg 100 Ω 500 k 370 k 27 Ω	½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W ½ W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Prec. Prec. Comp.	10% 10% 1% 1% 10%	302105 302101 309003 309055 302270
R33 R34 R35 R38 R39	20 k 2.2 k 1 k 10 k 10 k	8 w 2 w 2 w 5 w 5 w	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed Fixed	WW Comp. Comp. WW WW	5% 10% 20% VARIABLE ATTEN. 5% 5%	308011 306222 311006 308008 308008
R42 R44 R45 R46 R47	27 Ω 27 Ω 20 k 68 k 1 meg	½ w ½ w 8 w ½ w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. WW Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 5% 10% 10%	302270 302270 308011 302683 302105
R48	10 meg	¹⁄₂ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302106
R49	20 k	2 w	Var.	Comp.	20% VARIABLE ATTEN.	BAL. 311018
R54 R55 R56	2.4 k 680 Ω 1 meg	25 w 2 w ½ w	Fixed Fixed Fixed	WW Comp. Comp.	10% 5% 10%	308041 305681 302105
R57 R58 R59 R60 R61	47 Ω 10 k 20 k 270 k 10 k	1/2 W 1/2 W 2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 20% VERTICAL POSITIO 10% 10%	302470 302103 N 311018 302274 302103
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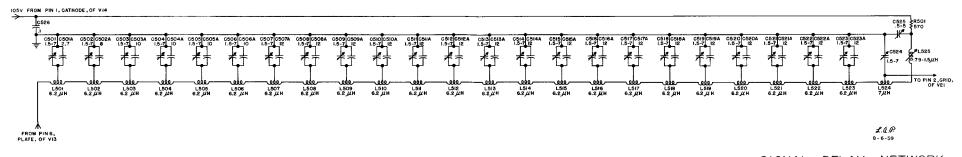
R62 680 Ω	2 w ½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w ½ w	Fixed	Comp.	5%	305681
R63 1 meg		Fixed	Comp.	10%	302105
R64 47 Ω		Fixed	Comp.	10%	302470
R65 22 k		Fixed	Comp.	10%	302223
R66 20 k		Var.	Comp.	20% CURRENT ADJ.	311018
R67 56 k	1 w	Fixed	Comp. Prec. Comp. Comp. Prec.	10%	304563
R68 120 k	½ w	Fixed		1%	309047
R69 10 Ω	½ w	Fixed		10%	302100
R70 10 Ω	½ w	Fixed		10%	302100
R72 220 k	½ w	Fixed		1%	309052
R73 27 Ω	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302270
R74 120 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309047
R75 27 Ω	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302270
R76 220 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309052
R77 470 Ω	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	5%	301471
R78 470 Ω R79 875 Ω R80 875 Ω R81 27 Ω R82 3 k	½ w 25 w 25 w 1 w 10 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. WW WW Comp. WW	5% Non Ind. Selected* Non Ind. Selected* 10% 5%	301471 312548 304270 308020
R83 20 k	8 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308011
R84 2.2 k	2 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	306222
R85 680 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	5%	301681
R86 680 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	5%	301681
R87 200 Ω	10 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308013
R89 330 k R90 330 k R93 1 meg R94 1 meg R95 47 k R96 82 k	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	302334 302334 302105 302105 302473 302823

^{*}R79 and R80 paired, equal within 1%.

Switches

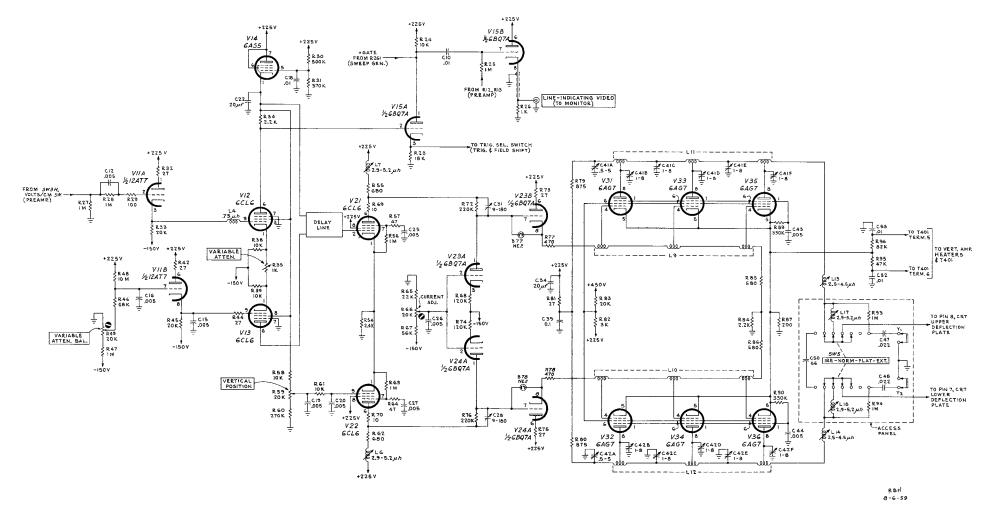
			Switc	hes		not wired wired
SW5	1-wafer	3 position	Rotary	IRE-NORM-FLAT-EX (located on access panel)	T	260083 262128
			Vacuum	Tubes		
V11A V11B V12 V13 V14	1/2 12AT7 1/2 12AT7 6CL6 6CL6 6AS5	Atten. Stag Atten. Stag	e Output Amp	de Follower hode Follower fier, Int. Trigger Source lifier, Delay Network Input		157030 157007 157007 154018
V15A V15B V21 V22 V23A	½ 6BQ7 ½ 6BQ7 6CL6 6CL6 ½ 6BQ7	Video Mon Cathode-Co Cathode-Co	rigger Amplific itor Out Catho oupled Phase I oupled Phase I urrent Source:	ode Follower / nverter: D4 nverter: D3		154028 157006 157006
V23B V24A V24B V31 V32	½ 6BQ7 ½ 6BQ7 ½ 6BQ7 6AG7 6AG7	Constant C Distributed Distributed	urrent Source:	thode Follower Driver: D4	}	157003 154012 154012
V33 V34 V35 V36	6AG7 6AG7 6AG7 6AG7	Distributed Distributed	Amplifier: D4 Amplifier: D3 Amplifier: D4 Amplifier: D3	3 4		154012 154012 154012 154012



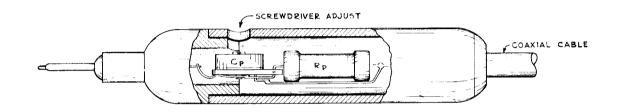


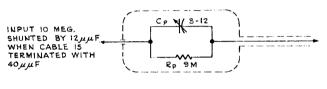
TYPE 524 CATHODE-RAY OSCILLOSCOPE

SIGNAL DELAY NETWORK



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Cp 3-12 μμF CER. VAR. 500 V Rp 9 MEG. IW FIXED PREC. 1%.

RBH 1-13-55

TEKTRONIX TYPE PSIOA PROBE

Cer.	ceramic	m	milli or 10 ⁻³
Comp.	composition	Ω	olım
EMĊ	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	РΤ	paper tubular
h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	kilohm or 10 ³ ohms	v	working volts dc
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μ	micro or 10 ⁻⁶	W	watt
<i>μ</i> μ	micromicro or 10 ⁻¹²	WW	wire wound
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LOW VOLTAGE POWER SUPPLY

Bulbs

B407 B408 B409	# 47 # 47 # 47					150001 150001 150001		
	Capacitors							
C49 C401 C402 C403 C404	.01 µf ½ 2×20 µf ½ 2×20 µf .01 µf .01 µf	Cer. EMC EMC PT PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	500 v 450 v 450 v 400 v 400 v	GMV 20% +50% (with C402) 20% +50% (with C401) 20% 20%	283002 290036 285510 285510		
C405 C410 C411 C412 C420	.02 μf .047 μf ½ 2×20 μf ½ 2×20 μf 40 μf	Cer. PT EMC EMC EMC	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	900 v 400 v 450 v 450 v 450 v	20% -20% +50% (with C203) -20% +50% (with C220) -20% +50% (2 x 20)	283022 285519 290037 290037 290037		
C421 C422 C423 C424 C440	40 μf 40 μf .01 μf .047 μf 40 μf	EMC EMC PT PT EMC	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	450 v 450 v 400 v 400 v 450 v	$\begin{array}{c}20\% +50\% & (2 \times 20) \\20\% +50\% & (2 \times 20) \\ 20\% \\ 20\% \\20\% +50\% & (2 \times 20) \end{array}$	290037 290037 285510 285519 290036		
C441 C442 C449 C452	.01 μf .01 μf 6.25 μf 6.25 μf	PT PT EMC EMC	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 600 v 300 v 300 v	20% 20% —20%+50% —20%+50%	285510 285511 290000 290000		
				Fuses				
F1 F1	6 amp 3 amp	3AG 3AG	Fast-Blo Fast-Blo	_	or 117 v operation or 234 v operation	159013 159015		
				Resistor	s			
R400 R401 R402 R403 R404 R405	15 Ω 33 k 1.2 m 82 k 2.2 k 220 k	25 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	WW Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	5% 10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	308133 302333 302125 302823 302222 302224		
R406 R407 R408 R409 R410	250 k 330 k 1.5 k 50 Ω 600 k	2 w ½ w 25 w 2 w ½ w	Var. Fixed Fixed Var. Fixed	Comp. Comp. WW WW Prec.	20% —150 ADJ 10% 5% 10% SCALE ILLUM. 1%	311032 302334 308040 311055 309004		



R411 R412 R416 R417 R420	700 k 1 meg 27 Ω 27 Ω 470 k	1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W 1/2 W	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Prec. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	1% 10% 10% 10% 10%	309008 302105 302270 302270 302474
R421 R422 R424 R425 R426	150 k 47 k 1.5 meg 2.2 meg 47 k	1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 10%	302154 302473 302155 302225 304473
R427	180 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302184
R428	1.5 meg	1/2 W	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302155
R429	500 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309003
R430	333 k	1/2 W	Fixed	Prec.	1%	309053
R433	125 Ω	25 W	Fixed	WW	5%	308035
R434	125 Ω	25 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308035
R435	125 Ω	25 w	Fixed	WW	5%	308035
R440	220 k	1 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	304224
R441	1 meg	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302105
R442	120 k	2 w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	306124
R443 R444 R445 R446 R447	100 k 10 k 500 k 500 k 6 k	1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 1/2 w 20 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Prec. Prec. WW	10% 10% 1% 1% 5%	302104 302103 309003 309003 308034
R448	10 k	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302103
R449	50 Ω	2 w	Var.	WW	20% HUM BALANCE	311055
R452	470 Ω	½ w	Fixed	Comp.	10%	302471

Switches

SW401 Single Pole Single Throw Toggle POWER	260134
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Vacuum Tubes

V400A-H		Silicon Diode		152011
V401	5651	Voltage Reference		154052
V402	6AU6	DC Amplifier	—150 v Supply	154022
V403	12B4	Series Regulator	—150 v Supply	154044
V404	6BW4	Rectifier	—150 v Supply	154119
V405	6BW4	Rectifier	—150 v Supply	154119
V407	12AX7	Voltage Comparator	+225 v Supply	154043
V408	6AU6	DC Amplifier	+225 v Supply	154022
V409	6AS7	Series Regulator	+225 v Supply	154020
V411	6AU6	DC Amplifier	+120 v Supply	154022
V412	6AS5	Series Regulator	+120 v Supply	154018
V414	6AU6	DC Amplifier	+450 v Supply	154022
V415	12B4	Series Regulator	+450 v Supply	154044
V416	6BW4	Rectifier	+450 v Supply	154119

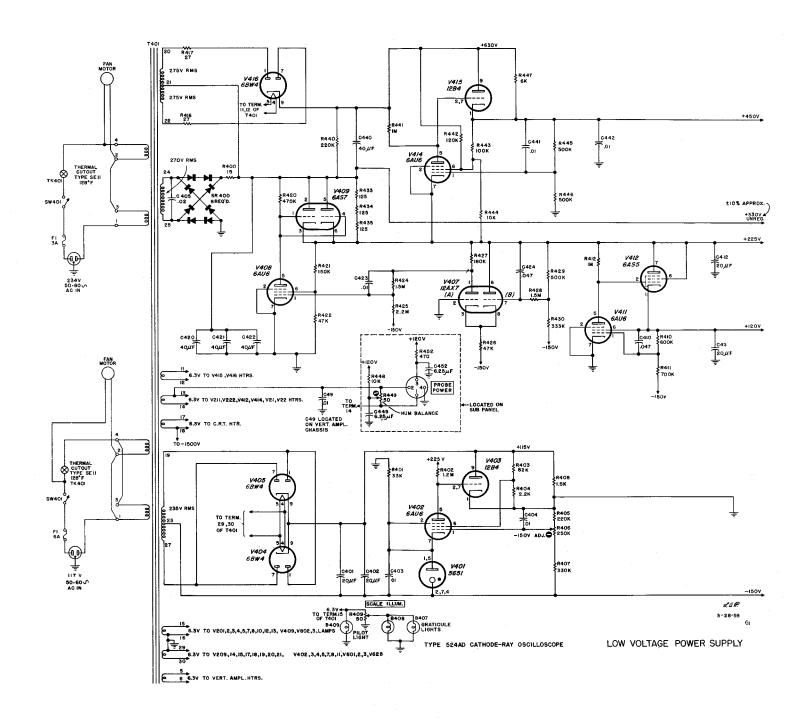
Transformers

T401	Plate and heater	T524PA4	120031
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Thermal Cutout

TK401 Thermal Cut-out, 133° F 260208





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CRT CIRCUIT AND HV SUPPLY

				Capacitors		
C701 C702 C703 C801	.015 μf .015 μf .015 μf .001 μf	PT PT PT PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	3000 v 3000 v 3000 v 600 v	20% 20% 20% 20%	285513 285513 285513 285501
C802 C803 C804 C807	.022 μf .001 μf .001 μf .0068 μf	PT PT PT PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed	400 v 600 v 600 v 3000 v	20% 20% 20% 20%	285515 285501 285501 285508
C808 C809 C810	.0068 μf .0068 μf .0068 μf	PT PT PT	Fixed Fixed Fixed	3000 v 3000 v 3000 v	20% 20% 20%	285508 285508 285508
				Resistors		
R701 R702 R703 R704 R705	47 k 1.0 meg 10 meg 10 meg 2 meg	½ w ½ w 2 w 2 w 2 w 2 w	Fixed Fixed Fixed Fixed Var.	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 10% 10% 10% 20% INTENSITY	302473 302105 306106 306106 311042
R707 R708 R709 R710 R711	2.2 meg 2 meg 1 meg 56 k 100 Ω	2 w 2 w 1 w ½ w	Fixed Var. Fixed Fixed Fixed	Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp. Comp.	10% 20% FOCUS 10% 10% 10%	306225 311042 304105 302563 302101
R801 R802	82 k 470 k	2 w	Fixed Fixed	Comp.	10% 10%	306823 302474 302102

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R807

R808

R809

R810

R811

R812

R813

R814

1 k

1.5 k

47 k

1.5 meg

4.7 meg

4.7 meg 1 k

22 meg

22 meg

22 meg

1 k

2 meg

½ w

1∕2 w

1/2 W

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2 w

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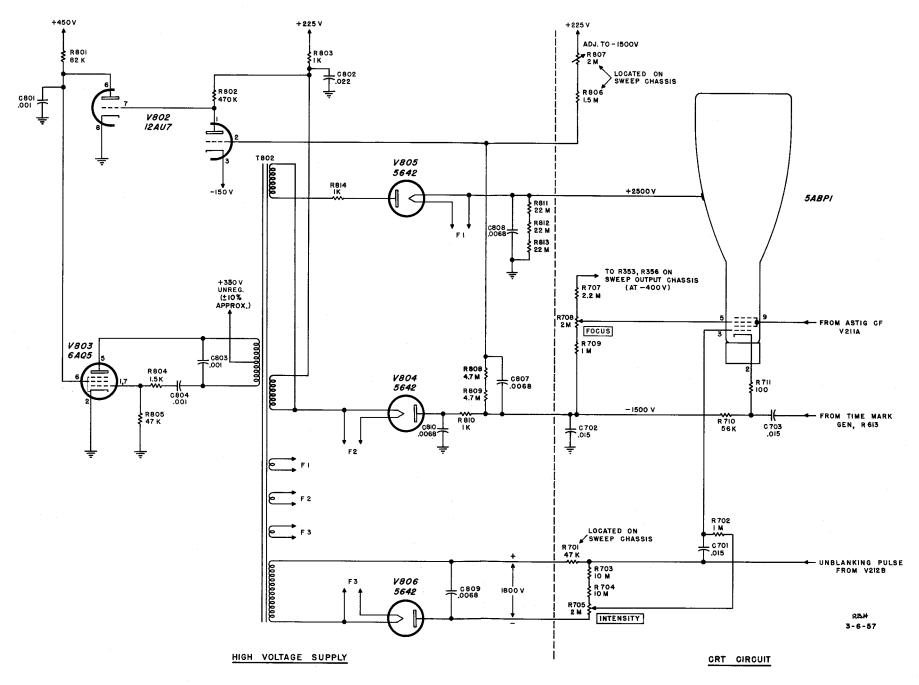
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Transformers

Т802	CRT Supp	ty	T524OA2	120030
		Vacuum Tubes		
V802 V803 V804 V805 V806	12AU7 6AQ5 5642 5642 5642 5ARP1	DC Amplifier HV Oscillator Supply HV Oscillator —1500 v Rectifier +2500 v Rectifier —1800 v Rectifier Cathode Ray Tube		154041 154017 154051 154051 154051 154068





ABBREVIATIONS USED IN OUR PARTS LISTS

Cer.	ceramic	m	milti
Comp.	composition	Ω	ohm
EMC	electrolytic, metal cased	Poly.	polystyrene
EMT	electrolytic, metal tubular	Prec.	precision
f	farad	PT	paper tubular
h	henry	Tub.	tubular
k	thousands of ohms	٧	working volts dc
meg	megohms	Var.	variable
μ	micro	w	watt
$\mu\mu$	micromicro	WW	wire wound
	GMV guaranteed minimu	ım value	

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN OUR CIRCUIT DIAGRAMS

Resistance values are in ohms. The symbol k stands for thousands. A resistor marked 2.7 k has a resistance of 2,700 ohms. The symbol M stands for million. For example, a resistor marked 5.6 M has a resistance of 5.6 megohms.

Unless otherwise specified on the circuit diagram, capacitance values marked with the number 1 and numbers greater than 1 are in $\mu\mu f$. For example, a capacitor marked 3.3 would have a capacitance of 3.3 micromicrofarads. Capacitance values marked with a number less than 1 are in μf . For example, a capacitor marked .47 would have a capacitance of .47 microfarads.

Inductance values marked in mh are in millihenrys. Inductance values marked in μ h are in microhenrys.

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SERIAL NO. _____

IMPORTANT

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WARRANTY

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