

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

A - RECEIVER LOCATION

In recommending a location for placing receiver, the following factors should be taken into consideration.

- Greatest Viewing Comfort
- Availability of electric power
- Length of antenna lead-in wire
- Availability of A.C. outlets
- Customer's convenience
- Possible interference from other equipment
- A minimum of direct light should fall on the viewing screen

The receiver should be kept away from wall to provide adequate ventilation. Antenna lead-in wire should be long enough to permit movement of set for cleaning purposes.

B - ANTENNA

The installation of a television antenna is of the utmost importance. The finest instrument is not capable of its best performance unless presented with its antenna. Your customer's satisfaction will depend entirely on the skill with which you erect and adjust the antenna installation.

It is a good practice in many cases to make a pre-installation survey of the reception conditions in a specific area, and to determine what special conditions may be necessary. This will avoid a great deal of added expense and trouble at the time the actual installation is made.

Freed-Bieseman Models 77, 55 & 56 television receivers are designed to receive all 12 channels and operate from a 300 ohm balanced system. Under special conditions it may be necessary to install two or more antennas in order to obtain good reception from non-centrally located transmitters.

Depending on location, the following types are recommended:

STRONG SIGNAL AREA

Outdoor Antenna

1. Folded dipole with reflector for low band plus folded dipole with reflector for high band.
2. "Conical Antenna" as manufactured by Telrex, Inc., New Jersey (type 2X-TV). The firm is located in Asbury Park, N.J. A uni-directional, high-gain Conical "V" beam covering all channels. Good for distances up to 50 miles.

Window or Indoor Installation

1. Adjustable V-type table antenna.
2. The "Superex" as manufactured by Telrex, Inc., Asbury Park, N.J. An inconspicuous, inexpensive TV antenna designed to mount on window or wall in metropolitan areas of high signal strength.

FRIDGE AREA RECEPTION

1. The Telrex 4X-TV. A uni-directional, hi-gain, stacked Conical "V" Beam. This consists of two hi-gain Conical "V" beams, one for each of the two bands on all frequencies. Presents quarter wave stacking on channel 2 and full wave stacking on channel 13. All signal voltages are additive and in phase. Ideal for long distance.

2. The Telrex 6X-TV. A Uni-directional all channel arrangement consisting of four stacked hi-gain Conical "V" Beams. Ideal for commercial installation in areas where the DX-TV does not produce a usable signal. TV reception is impractical or impossible.

The following points should be closely observed with any type of antenna if clear pictures are to be obtained.

- a. The antenna should be placed as high as possible and in line of sight of the transmitting station.
- b. The antenna should be aimed correctly at the transmitting station.
- c. It is most important that the antenna be correctly oriented for a minimum of ghost signals.
- d. Outdoor antenna should be mechanically secure and properly guided to prevent variations in signal.
- e. All electrical connections should be soldered.
- f. Mast should be grounded and lightning arrester used on lead-in.

C - TRANSMISSION LINES

Freed-Bieseman television receivers are intended for use with 300 ohm balanced transmission line. This line must be held away from any walls, metal or the antenna mast by means of approved stand-off insulators. The

line should be twisted about one turn each foot throughout its length to cancel out direct signal and/or noise pick-up by the transmission line. The transmission line should be firmly anchored to prevent change in position during windy weather.

D - REFLECTIONS

The appearance of multiple images on the television screen slightly displaced from one another are known as ghost multipath images, or reflections. This condition is caused by the arrival of one or more signals at the antenna terminals, which are slightly out of time phase with one another.

Signals emanating from the transmitting antenna are propagated in a radial direction. The shortest and most direct path of the radiated signal would be a straight line between transmitting antenna and receiving antenna. The radiated signal may also arrive at the receiver by an indirect path as the case of signals being reflected from the side of a building or mountain. This is called a reflection. The signal arriving at the receiver by this indirect path will arrive at the receiver some time later than the signal arriving at the receiver by the direct path. The reflected signal, displaced by an amount proportional to the time difference between the two signals.

The problem of ghost elimination due to multipath reception is most pronounced in metropolitan areas. It can be eliminated or its effect reduced by the use of one or more of the following methods.

1. Orientation of antenna or relocation on the roof.
2. The use of a separate antenna for each station.
3. The use of a highly directive antenna to permit reception from very narrow angle.

E - INTERFERENCE

REMEDIES FOR INTER-CHANNEL AND FM INTERFERENCE

Four methods are available for the reduction of interchannel interference. Traps (double conversion interference), Stubs (for double conversion or second harmonic conversion interference), Removal of R-F bias (for double or second harmonic conversions) and reorientation of the antenna (for double or second harmonic conversions). Use as many of these methods as necessary to eliminate the interference.

Interference has been encountered between stations operating on channels 5 and 7 and between stations operating on channels 6 and 10. The interference is obtained as follows: Assume that two television stations in a city are transmitting on channels 6 and 10. When the receiver is operated on channel 6, the receiver oscillator is at 109 mc. A small amount of the oscillator signal is coupled to the receiver amplifier grid. This beat is within the range of the picture converter and is amplified. The beat is fed into the converter and shows up as interference on the channel 6 picture. Similar interference is obtained between channels 5 and 7 when the receiver is tuned to channel 5.

The trap in the front end of our input tuner has been designed so that it will couple the amplifier grid for any frequency between 92 and 136 mc. This trap which reduces the voltage on the amplifier grid the more the frequency is reduced, the voltage on the amplifier grid the more the frequency is increased. The signal strength of the two stations present at the receiver antenna terminals and other factors. Electrically the trap consists of two series resonant circuits connected between each grid and ground. Such a circuit is resonant from each grid and ground, and from grid to grid, and will provide rejection against balanced or unbalanced signals.

This trap may alternately be employed to provide rejection of FM interference. This is done by tuning the trap to the FM frequency. The trap can equipment on the images of channel 2 and 5. The trap may also be used to prevent oscillator radiation from a receiver operating on channel 6 from interfering with a nearby receiver operating on channel 3.

TO ADJUST THE TRAP IN THE FIELD, tune in the station on which the interference is observed. Tune the cores for maximum rejection of interference in the picture. Keep the side extensions of the cores approximately the same length. If the interference is not completely eliminated, the trap may be adjusted. Turn one core one half turn clockwise and readjust the trap. If the interference is still further, continue until the greatest rejection is obtained. If, however, the interference becomes worse, then turn on counter-clockwise one half turn and readjust the other. Continue until maximum rejection is obtained.

In making the above adjustments, several precautions must be observed. For the case of channel 10 or 6, when the interference is light, the trap has been adjusted so that the interference has been almost completely eliminated. The interference is somewhat dependent upon the fine tuning adjustment. The interference is most noticeable when the fine tuning adjustment is such as to cause the beat to appear as vertical bars in the picture. When the bars are at a considerable angle across the picture, the interference is least noticeable. It is therefore necessary when making

trap adjustments while observing the picture to adjust the fine tuning control so that the interference bars are vertical in the picture. If this is not done, and the trap is adjusted with the bars at a considerable angle, the interference will reappear when the fine tuning is changed and the bars line up vertically. The adjustment of the trap may pull the oscillator slightly out of frequency. After the trap is adjusted, check the frequency of the picture control. The picture is being adjusted. This variation of the fine tuning control is very slight and occurs well within the tolerance of the correct setting for clear sound.

In the case of channel 10 on 6, interference, if channel 10 is on the air and six is off, the channel 10 picture will appear on 6. If the trap is adjusted to eliminate the channel 10 picture, the picture will reappear in the channel 10 position. It may be found that the picture will reappear as the picture control is turned counter-clockwise unless the R-F amplifier grid bias has been removed. In other words, the proper adjustment of the trap is dependent on the setting of the picture control unless the R-F bias is removed as described later.

Since the channel 7 on 5 interference is caused by the channel 7 sound carrier, the channel 5 picture will appear on 7. The picture control in this case the interference is somewhat less subject to fine tuning variations but is still subject to the picture control setting as above.

WHEN A RECEIVER WITH A TRAP IS ALIGNED IN THE SHOP, the antenna trap should be adjusted to reject the type of interference encountered at the customer's home. It can be adjusted by actual observation of the interference. The adjustment of the trap is made by turning the picture control. Two methods of adjustment are available. If signal strength is satisfactory, select the method of adjustment and the frequency to suit the test equipment available and the channel on which interference is obtained. Method 1 is the most direct, but is subject to difficulty if the adjustment is made in a location where the signal from the station 5 or 6 as the case may be is on and very strong at the time the adjustment is made. Method 2 may also be subject to difficulty if a very strong signal is received on the channel to which the receiver channel switch is set. Between the two methods, however, one method will undoubtedly be workable.

METHOD 1 FOR CHANNEL 6-10 INTERFERENCE. Switch the receiver to channel 6 and tune the receiver oscillator to 109 mc. by frequency meter or by tuning in the channel 6 station. Connect the "voltmeter" to the picture generator and set it on the 3 volt scale. Connect the signal generator to the receiver antenna terminals and feed in a channel 10 picture carrier frequency signal (19.25 Mc.). Set the picture control for maximum gain (80% on the "voltmeter" reading both core stud extensions about the same by visual inspection. For final touches, adjust one core one half turn clockwise and readjust the other for maximum rejection. Repeat as described above for maximum rejection.

METHOD 2 FOR CHANNEL 6-10 INTERFERENCE. With the same setup as described in method 1, switch the receiver to channel 7 and tune the receiver oscillator to 81 mc. Feed in a 103 mc. signal from the generator and adjust the trap as before for minimum reading on the "voltmeter".

METHOD 1 FOR CHANNEL 5-7 INTERFERENCE. With the same setup as above, set the receiver on channel 5 and tune the receiver oscillator to 103 mc. Feed in a channel 7 sound carrier frequency signal (17.75 mc.) and adjust the trap as before.

METHOD 2 FOR CHANNEL 5-7 INTERFERENCE. With the same setup as before, set the receiver on channel 2 and tune the receiver oscillator to 81 mc. Feed in a 103 mc. signal from the generator and adjust trap as before.

METHOD FOR FM IMAGE INTERFERENCE. With the same setup as above, switch the receiver to channel 5 and tune the receiver oscillator to 81 mc. Feed in a signal of the frequency of the interfering FM station and adjust the trap as before.

In case of severe interference, it may be necessary to retouch these adjustments when the receiver is installed in the customer's home.

When a receiver with an antenna trap is aligned in the shop, it may be necessary to detune the trap by screwing the cores all the way counter-clockwise to prevent the trap from adversely affecting the channel 6 reception. After the receiver has been completely aligned, the trap should then be returned.

REMOVAL OF R-F BIAS

Basically this change is to remove the bias from the R-F amplifier and permit it to operate at maximum gain. This condition also results in minimum conversion on the R-F amplifier due to the fact that the tube is operating in its linear region. The removal of the bias from the R-F amplifier will result in maximum gain, but on 5 and 7 on 5 are thereby reduced. At the same time, maximum R-F gain is obtained and maximum picture input to the converter stage results in maximum suppression of oscillator harmonic conversions such as 10 on 3, 13 on 4, etc.

The above mentioned change is performed by unsoldering the green lead coming from the R-F unit and resoldering the lead to ground as shown in figure 2.

10. Final Inspection

Check all thumb screws on yoke and focus adjustments to see that they are tight. Replace back.

INSTALLATION ADJUSTMENTS (MODEL 55-56)

(Use Test Pattern Only)

1. Ion Trap Magnet Adjustment (See Fig. 7)

The ion trap rear magnet poles should be approximately over the ion trap flaps of the kinescope. Starting in this position adjust the magnet by moving it slightly back or forward at the same time rotating it slightly to obtain the brightest raster on the screen. Reduce brightness control until the raster is barely visible. Adjust the focus control for clearest indication and readjust the ion trap for maximum brightness. The final adjustment should be made with the brightness control at the maximum position at which good line focus can be maintained.

2. Width and Horizontal Linearity Adjustments

Adjust the width control (L 213) on rear chassis until the picture just fills the mask horizontally (13-3/4 inches). Adjust the horizontal linearity control (L 214) until the test pattern is symmetrical left to right.

3. Focus Coil Adjustments (See Fig. 7.)

Loosen wing nuts on focus coil saddle, and center focus coil about neck of tube. Check vertical positioning control for centering at mid point of travel. Readjust focus coil to properly center raster and prevent shadows on the screen, maintaining at the same time the maximum possible distance between focus coil and deflection yoke within the limits of the above settings. Adjust focus control for best line definition at maximum brightness.

WARNING:

WHEN CARRYING OUT THIS ADJUSTMENT, EXTREME CARE SHOULD BE EXERCISED SO THAT NO ABNORMAL PRESSURE IS EXERTED ON THE NECK OF THE PICTURE TUBE.

4. Deflection Yoke Adjustment (See Fig. 7)

Loosen deflection yoke wing screw, rotate deflection yoke until lines of raster are horizontal in picture mask.

5. Vertical Height and Linearity Adjustments (See Fig. 9)

Adjust the height control (R 168 on rear apron) until the picture fills the mask (10-1/4"). Adjust vertical linearity (R171 on rear apron) until test pattern is symmetrical from top to bottom. Adjustment of either control will require a readjustment of the other. Adjust vertical centering to align the picture with the mask.

6. Final Focus Adjustments (See Fig. 9)

Tune is test pattern. Adjust focus control for maximum definition in test pattern wedges.

7. Check of Horizontal Sync. Alignment (See Fig. 12)

Tune in television station. Set picture control so picture is barely visible. Receiver should remain in horizontal sync. Repeat check for all stations. If receiver passes above check horizontal oscillator is properly aligned. If receiver fails to pass above check, turn horizontal frequency adjustment on top rear of chassis until picture falls into sync. Repeat above checks. If receiver fails to lock properly or locks with black vertical bar in picture refer to horizontal phase adjustment.

8. Horizontal Phase Adjustment (See Fig. 13)

This adjustment is not necessary if receiver passed horizontal sync. check.

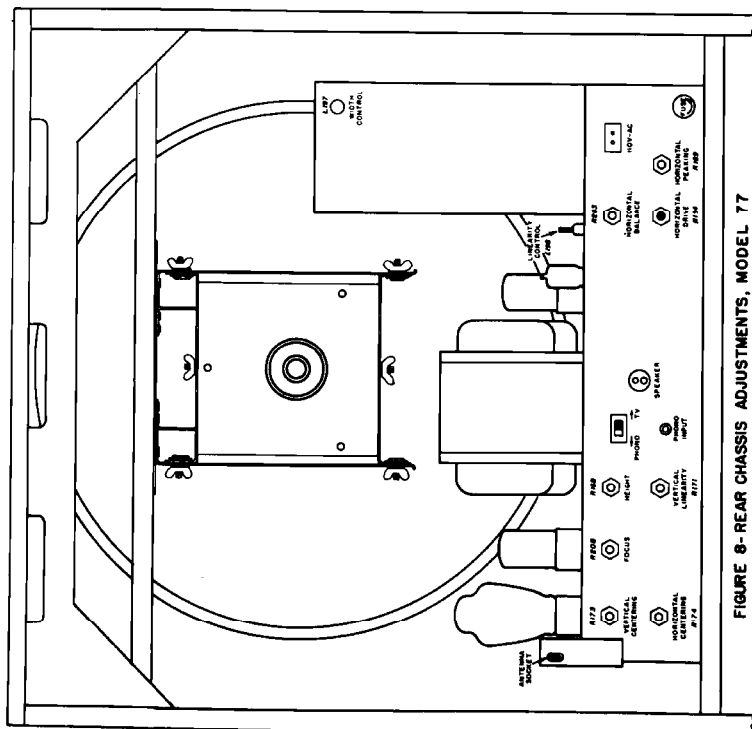


FIGURE 8-REAR CHASSIS ADJUSTMENTS, MODEL 77

7. Check of Horizontal Sync. Alignment (See Fig. 10)

Tune in television station. Set picture control so picture is barely visible. Receiver should remain in horizontal sync. Repeat check for all stations. If receiver passes above check, horizontal oscillator is properly aligned. If receiver fails to pass above check, turn horizontal frequency adjustment on top rear of chassis until picture falls into sync. Repeat above checks. If receiver fails to lock properly or locks with black vertical bar in picture, refer to horizontal phase adjustment.

8. Horizontal Phase Adjustment (See Fig. 11)

This adjustment is not necessary if receiver passed horizontal sync. check.

Reduce horizontal size until both edges of raster are clearly visible on the screen. Turn up brightness control and reduce contrast so that normally blanked borders of raster are clearly visible. Readjust Phase Control (under chassis, rear) so that normally blanked borders are equal on both sides.

9. Horizontal Balance (See Fig. 8)

The setting for horizontal balance, which is in effect, a horizontal linearity adjustment, will be correct when the test pattern is centered on the tube face horizontally.

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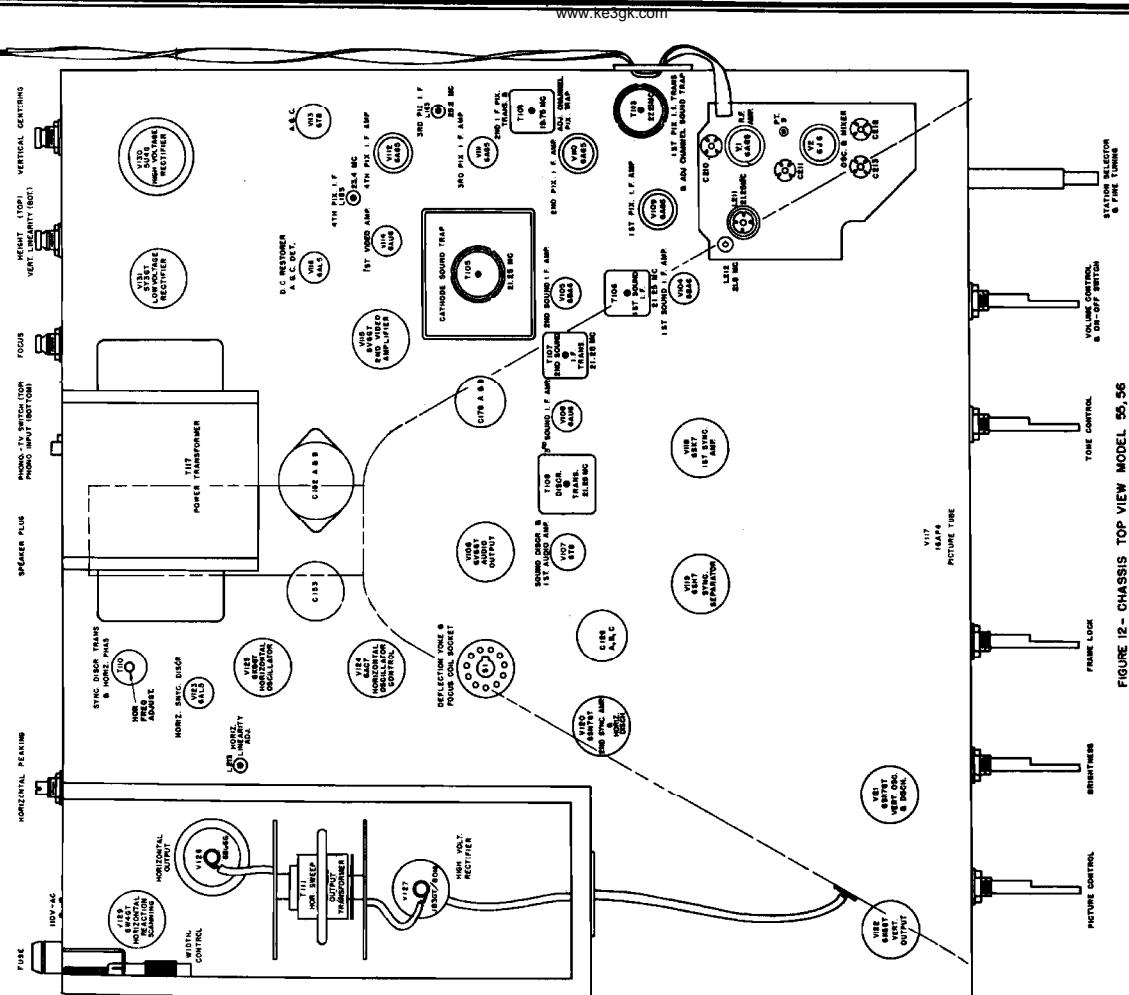


FIGURE 12- CHASSIS TOP VIEW MODEL 55, 56

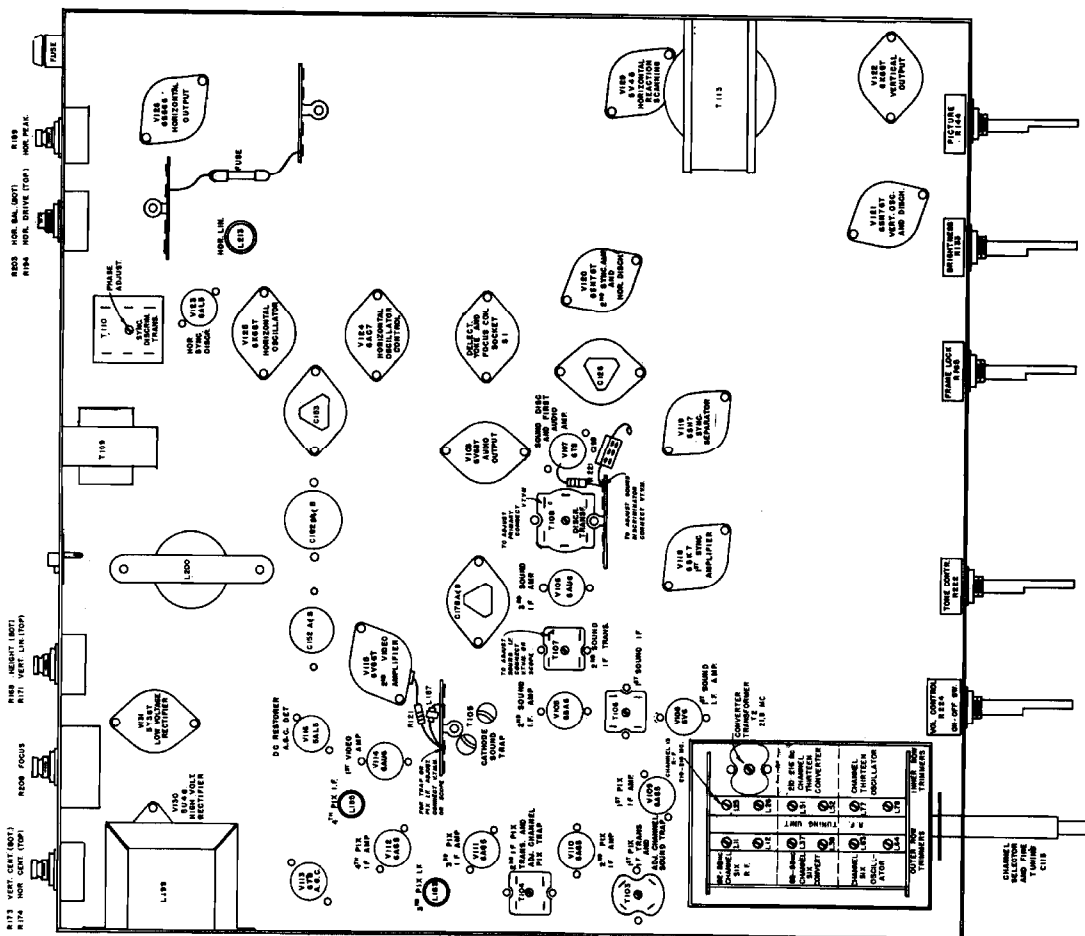


FIGURE 11- CHASSIS BOTTOM VIEW MODEL 77

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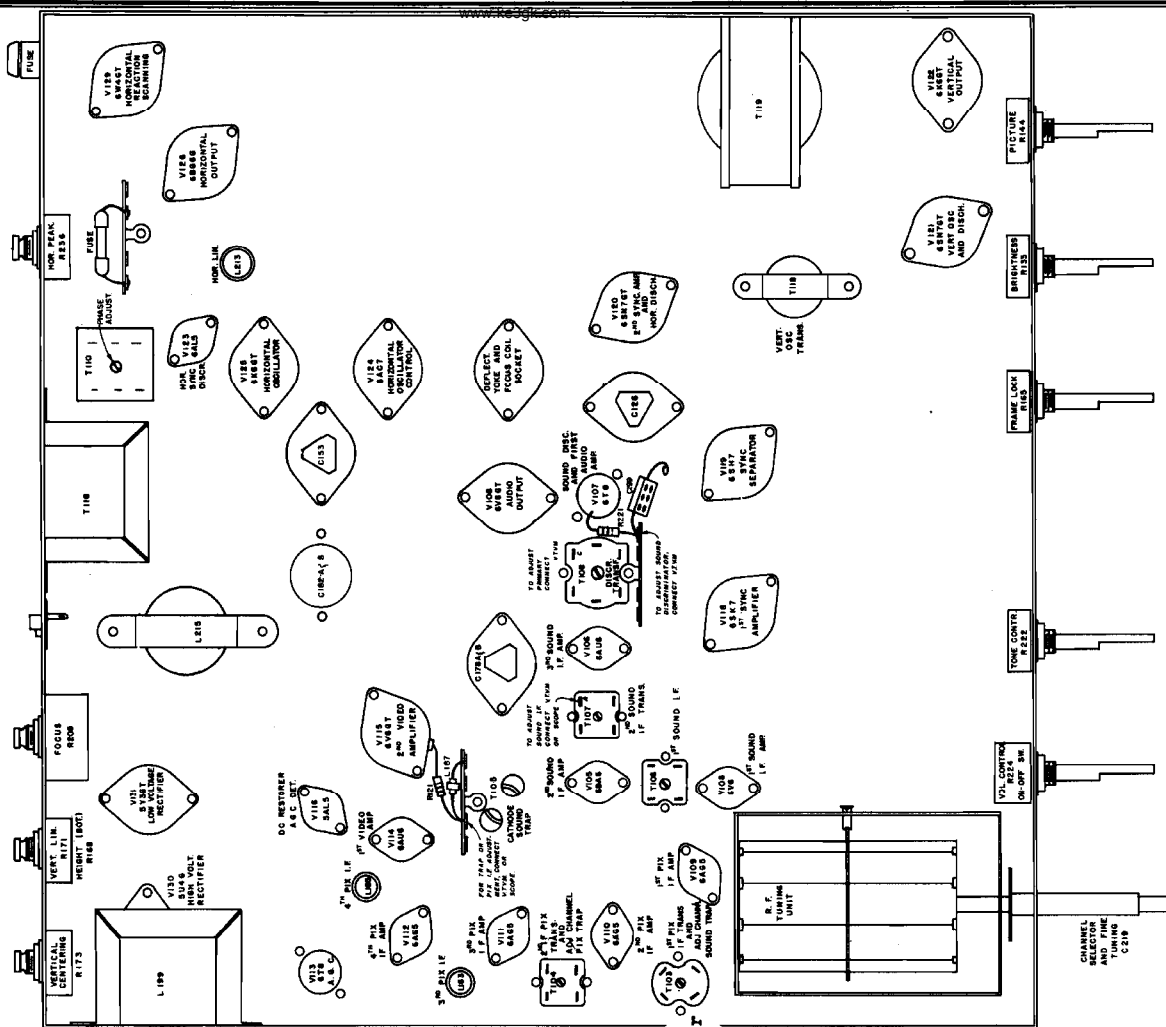


FIGURE 13- CHASSIS BOTTOM VIEW MODEL 55, 56

Section 5 - ALIGNMENT

A. TEST EQUIPMENT

The following is a list of test equipment used in aligning a television receiver.

SIGNAL GENERATOR - 10 MC to 225 MC frequency range (minimum). Low impedance output. Calibrated output attenuator.

MARKER GENERATOR - 10 MC to 30 MC and 45.25 to 215.75 MC frequency ranges. Extreme accuracy or crystal calibrator. Low impedance output. Output attenuator.

SWEEP GENERATOR - 10 MC to 30 MC and 44 MC to 216 MC. (Sweep IF's and channels 2 to 13) frequency range. 300 ohms balanced output. Output attenuator.

VACUUM TUBE VOLTMETER - 3 volt DC, low range desirable.

OSCILLOSCOPE - Essentially flat vertical amplifier frequency response up to at least 100 KC. Calibrator or step attenuator on input of vertical amplifier.

B. ADJUSTMENTS REQUIRED

Normally only the RF oscillator line will require the attention of the service technician. All other circuits are either broad or very stable and hence will seldom require readjustment.

Due to the high frequencies at which the RF oscillator operates, the oscillator tuning adjustment is critical. A tube change will effect the tuning. Tuning can be adjusted for any 606 on Channel 13, but it may not then be possible to adjust channels 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12. For a tube to be satisfactory it should be possible to adjust the tuning with the fine tuning control in the middle third of its range. If this cannot be done, select a tube for the oscillator which will match the old one. If the above method does not work, it will be necessary to realign the oscillator coils.

C. ORDER OF ALIGNMENT

When complete receiver alignment is necessary, proceed as outlined below:

- Sound Discriminator
- Sound IF Transformers
- Picture IF Traps
- Picture IF Transformers
- R-F and Converter
- R-F Oscillator
- Retouch picture IF Transformers

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High-Frequency Oscillator Alignment. (Model 77 only)

Connect signal generator to antenna terminal. VTVM to junction of R221 and C1199. Center fine tuning control on receiver. Zero-center VTVM. Proceed as follows. See Figure 18.

Step	Channel	Generator Frequency (MC)	Adjust
1	13	215.75	as L77 & L78 for zero on meter
2	12	209.75	L76 as above
3	11	203.75	L74 as above
4	10	197.75	L72 as above
5	9	192.75	L70 as above
6	8	186.75	L68 as above
7	7	179.75	L66 as above
8	6	87.75	L63 & L64 as above as
9	5	81.75	L62 as above
10	4	71.75	L60 as above
11	3	56.75	L58 as above
12	2	59.75	L56 as above

Notes: These align adjustment screws should protrude approximately

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MALINGUENST PROCEDURE

Standard TV Tuner - Model 55 and 56 - (See Figures 12 and 13)

Typ and Trap Alignment

connect VTVM in series with 10,000 ohm resistor to junction of L187 and R121. Connect VTVM in parallel with 10,000 ohm resistor to junction of L187 and R121. Set VTVM to 500 V. Turn power switch on. Signal generator set to 100 Kc. Set frequency of generator to 6.5 Mc. Set frequency of VTVM to 6.5 Mc. Set frequency of ungrounded shield over 6.5 Mc and connect generator to ungrounded shield. Set frequency of generator to 21.25 Mc. Turn L212 on. Set VTVM to minimum voltage on VTVM. Set generator to 21.25 Mc and turn L211 for maximum output on VTVM. Use high output on signal generator at 21.25 Mc. and low output on 21.8 Mc for above alignment procedure.

T.F. and Mixer Alignment

1. Set station selector switch to Channel 12.
2. Connect oscilloscope through 10,000 ohms to test point 9 (wire loop on top of tase - Figure 12).
3. Set bias to 1.6 volts. Set sharp tuning control at approximately midpoint of its tuning range.
4. Feed sweep generator into antenna terminals, sweeping Channel 12.
5. Adjust C210, C211, C212 (Figure 12) for flat top response curve. Check markers on all channels. They should fall in atomically on all channels.

Oscillator Alignment

1. Turn station selector switch to Channel 12.
2. Connect signal generator to one antenna terminal. Set to sound carrier frequency 209.75 MC.
3. Connect vacuum tube voltmeter to DC output of discriminator in main chassis (R221 and C199 - Figure 13).
4. Adjust C213 for zero reading on VTVM between positive and negative peak.
5. Check all channels for zero reading on VTVM. It is usually not necessary to make any further adjustments. If necessary to touch up the oscillator coils, the following procedure is recommended.

Oscillator Re-check (Not usually necessary)

- a. Center sharp tuning control.
- b. Place a non-metallic screwdriver through opening on front of tuner and adjust just coil on channel 12.
- c. This adjustment can be repeated for all channels, or if necessary, on any single channel.

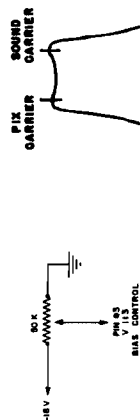


FIGURE 16 - BIAS CONTROL

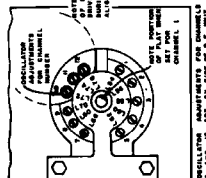


FIGURE 17 R-F RESPONSE

FIGURE 18 - R-F OSCILLATOR ADJUSTMENTS

RF and Converter Alignment. (Model 77 only).

Sweep generator to antenna terminal. Marker generator to sweep generator. Trant locations show in Figure 11. RF response in Figure 17.

Step	Marker Gen. Freq. (LC)	Sweep Gen. Freq.	Connect Oscilloscope to	Test Connections and Instructions	Adjust
1.	178.25 179.75	Sweeping Channel 7	Through 10,000 ohms to junction of R6 & L20	Gen. grid of 1st IF V109 with 1000 MFD. Rec. on Channel 7	L25, L26, L31 & L32 for approx. flat response between markers. Markers above 70%.
2	181.25 185.75	8	"	"	Check response as above.
3.	187.25 191.75	9	"	"	"
4.	193.25 197.75	10	"	"	"
5.	199.25 203.75	11	"	"	"
6.	205.25 209.75	12	"	"	"
7.	211.25 215.75	13	"	"	"
8.	83.75 87.75	6	"	"	L1, L12, L37, & L38 for response as above.
9.	77.25	5	"	"	Check to see that response is as above.
10.	67.25 71.75	4	"	"	"
11.	61.25 65.75	3	"	"	"
12.	55.25 59.75	2	"	"	"

Do not make adjustments unless better reception is desired on a specific high or low band channel. Adjustment on a specific channel can then be made.

Step	Signal Name, Freq., Vol.	Connect VTR to	Test Connections and Instructions	Adjust
1.	21.25	One Hrs. Ohm resistor in series with probe to junction of R213 & R219 10 Volt scale.	Decrease T106 (Sec.) bottom. Signal gen. to V106 pin #1 max. output.	T103 (top) primary for max. output.
2.	21.25	Junction of R221 and C109		T103 (bottom) sec. for sec. balance and max. negative and max. positive voltage.
3.	21.25	Terminal "A" of T107	Signal Generator to Pin #1 V104. Max. output. Use 4 meg. resistor in standard output level.	T106 & T107 (top & bottom) for maximum output.
4.			Remove V113 and conn. Bias control to Pin #6 V113. Adjust for 3 volts.	For Bias control refer to Fig. 6
5.	21.25	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Sig. Generator output to ungrounded shield can on V2.	T105 (top) for minimum.
6.	21.25	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Sig. Generator output to ungrounded shield can on V2.	T2 (top) for minimum.
7.	21.25	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Sig. Generator output to ungrounded shield can on V2.	T203 (top) for minimum.
8.	19.75	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Sig. Generator output to ungrounded shield can on V2.	T104 (top) for minimum.
9.	21.6	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Reduce output as required.	T2 (bottom) for maximum.
10.	25.3	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Reduce output as required.	T103 (bottom) for maximum.
11.	22.3	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Reduce output as required.	T104 (bottom) for maximum.
12.	25.2	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Reduce output as required.	L183 (top chassis) for maximum.
13.	23.4	Junction of L187 & R121 -3 volt scale.	Reduce output as required.	L186 (top chassis) for maximum.

Note: If T104 (bottom) required adjustment in step 11, repeat step 8).

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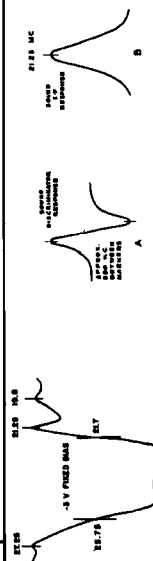


FIGURE 15- SOUND DISCRIMINATOR & I-F RESPONSE

FIGURE 14- VIDEO I-F RESPONSE

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TROUBLE SHOOTING CHART

Symptoms	Check	Remarks
No sound or picture Raster O.K.	A.C. Power line or line fuse 1. Tubes V ₁ , V ₂ and V ₁₃₁ 2. R-F Tuner 3. Picture control circuit	
No sound	1. R-F tuner align- ment 2. Audio I-F align- ment 3. Discriminator al- ignment 4. Speaker	Oscillator V3 alignment most probable cause
Weak video (insufficient contrast)	1. Tubes V17, V120, V126, V127, V128, V129, V130, V131 2. Ion trap adjust- ment 3. High voltage power supply (V130) 4. 1KV. Power supply 5. V127, V128 oscil- lator V125 6. Horizontal output V126 7. Reaction Scanning V129 8. Focus coil open 9. Picture tube V117 10. Screen open in H.V.	Failure of horizontal oscil- lator (V125) or horizontal discharge (V120) will result in a weak picture and hori- zontal output stage (V126) due to excessive plate dissipa- tion.
No raster Sound O.K.	1. Tubes V17, V120, V126, V127, V128, V129, V130, V131 2. Ion trap adjust- ment 3. High voltage power supply (V130) 4. 1KV. Power supply 5. V127, V128 oscil- lator V125 6. Horizontal output V126 7. Reaction Scanning V129 8. Focus coil open 9. Picture tube V117 10. Screen open in H.V.	Failure of horizontal oscil- lator (V125) or horizontal discharge (V120) will result in a weak picture and hori- zontal output stage (V126) due to excessive plate dissipa- tion.
No sound Weak Sound Noisy Sound Intermittent Sound	1. R-F tuner align- ment 2. Audio I-F align- ment 3. Discriminator al- ignment 4. Speaker	Oscillator V3 alignment most probable cause
No raster Sound O.K.	1. Tubes V17, V120, V126, V127, V128, V129, V130, V131 2. Ion trap adjust- ment 3. High voltage power supply (V130) 4. 1KV. Power supply 5. V127, V128 oscil- lator V125 6. Horizontal output V126 7. Reaction Scanning V129 8. Focus coil open 9. Picture tube V117 10. Screen open in H.V.	Failure of horizontal oscil- lator (V125) or horizontal discharge (V120) will result in a weak picture and hori- zontal output stage (V126) due to excessive plate dissipa- tion.
Intermittent raster Sound O.K.	Check circuits as above in No raster.	Check for arc-over or corona discharge in 1KV power sup- ply. V127, V128
Insufficient Brilliance	Ion trap adjustment Tubes (V17, V127, V128) 1KV power supply (V130) 1. Ion trap adjust- ment 2. Ion trap adjustment 3. Position adjustment of focus coil	
Rounded corners on raster	1. Ion trap adjustment 2. Ion trap adjustment 3. Position adjustment of focus coil	
Raster not centered	1. Ion trap adjustment 2. Ion trap adjustment 3. Position adjustment of focus coil	
Excessive raster size (too large picture for the picture tube mask.)	1. Height and width adjustments: (V126, V127, V128) 2. Horizontal width open (V127) 3. 1KV power supply	Low second anode potential increases the deflection sen- sitivity (V127, V128) (V126, V127) Check V127, V126, by substitution
Insufficient raster width	1. Width adjustment (V127) 2. Tubes (V120, V126) 3. Horizontal width open (V127) 4. Horizontal output (V126)	
Insufficient raster height	1. Height adjustment (V127) 2. Vertical oscil- lator (V121) 3. Vertical output (V122)	
Bright horizontal line. No vertical deflection, no raster	1. Vertical oscil- lator (V121) 2. Vertical output V122	
Bright vertical line. No horizontal deflec- tion, no raster	1. Horizontal oscil- lator (V121) 2. Horizontal output V122	
Excessive raster brightness. Bright- ness control has no effect.	1. Picture tube (V117) 2. Brightness control circuit 3. Negative supply tube (V122)	
Bunching of several trace lines appearing white band across raster.	1. Vertical amplifier tube (V122)	Replace tube (V122 and V125) can be switched to correct this difficulty

TROUBLE SHOOTING CHART (Cont'd)

Symptoms	Check	REMARKS
Vertical lines or wrinkles on left side of raster	1. Spurious oscil- lations in hori- zontal output (V126) 2. Deflection yoke 3. Horizontal drive circuit 4. Damping tube (V125)	If trouble is "V" replace tube V126, 50m- μ cond. defective
Light and dark horizontal lines Horizontal lines bars covering picture tube screen	1. High voltage (V130) for open filter C182A or B 2. Video Section V109 to V115 3. Video I-F (V109 I-F V112) 4. Video Detector (V114) 5. Video amplifier (V114, V115) 6. Check above tubes and circuits 7. V1 tuner V1, V2, V3 8. Low voltage power supply (V131) 9. Picture control circuit	Replace tube (V125)
No picture. Raster and sound OK.	1. Video Section V109 to V115 2. Video I-F (V109 I-F V112) 3. Video Detector (V114) 4. Video amplifier (V114, V115) 5. Check above tubes and circuits 6. V1 tuner V1, V2, V3 7. Low voltage power supply (V131) 8. Picture control circuit	
Intermittent video Intermittent raster OK. Raster and sound OK.	1. Video Section V109 to V115 2. Video I-F (V109 I-F V112) 3. Video Detector (V114) 4. Video amplifier (V114, V115) 5. Check above tubes and circuits 6. V1 tuner V1, V2, V3 7. Low voltage power supply (V131) 8. Picture control circuit	
Weak video (insufficient contrast) Sound and raster OK.	1. Video I-F align- ment (V109 to V112) 2. Video I-F's (V109 to V112) 3. Video Detector (V114) 4. Video amplifier (V114, V115) 5. Check above tubes and circuits 6. V1 tuner V1, V2, V3 7. Low voltage power supply (V131) 8. Picture control circuit	
"Snow" in picture background	1. For weak signal 2. Noisy tubes in RP tuner 3. 1KV. power sup- ply for corona discharge 4. Integrator net- work 5. Horizontal sync. discriminator circuit (V123) 6. Horizontal oscil- lator control circuit (V124)	Weak signal from station. Receiver antenna and/or transmission line diffi- culties.
No vertical sync. Horizontal sync. OK. Vertical sync. OK.	1. Integrator net- work 2. Horizontal sync. discriminator circuit (V123) 3. Horizontal oscil- lator control circuit (V124)	
No horizontal or vertical sync.	1. D.C. restorer (V116a) 2. Sync. amplifier (V118) 3. Sync. separator (V119) 4. Horizontal hold and/or phase adjustment 5. Check horizontal output, (V126) 6. If regular sec- tions of the pic- ture are observed in R-F, video and sweep sections of the receiver	
Picture jitter	1. Horizontal hold and/or phase adjustment 2. Check horizontal output, (V126) 3. For noisy tube(s) in R-F, video and sweep sections of the receiver	
Horizontal non- linearity.	1. Horizontal drive control (V194) 2. Horizontal lin- earity control setting (V108) 3. Horizontal dis- charge (V120B) 4. Horizontal out- put, (V126) 5. Reaction scanning circuit (V127) 6. Control setting (V121) 7. Vertical output (V122)	
Vertical non- linearity	1. Vertical lin- earity control setting (V108) 2. Vertical oscil- lator (V121) 3. Vertical output (V122)	

TRUBLE SHOOTING CHART (Cont'd)

Symptoms	Check	REMARKS
Improper focus (best at extreme control position)	1. Focus coil (V192) 2. Focus control circuit 3. For circuit defect causing either excessive or low current drain from power sup- ply	
Improper focus (control has no effect)	1. Focus coil (V192) 2. Focus control circuit 3. Picture tube (V117) is "V" picture tube (V117) may be glassy.	If "V" check for open short- circuit in picture tube (V117) is "V" picture tube (V117) may be glassy.
Engraved or bass relief effect in picture	1. Video output am- plifier (V115) 2. First video am- plifier (V114) 3. Video detector (V114) 4. Peaking chokes (open)	
Smear effect in pic- ture (poor low freq- uency video response)	1. Video detector (V114) 2. First video am- plifier (V114) 3. Video output am- plifier (V115) 4. Peaking chokes (open)	
Poor picture detail (poor definition)	1. R-F and video 2. Video amplifier high frequency response	
Vertical bars on right side of pic- ture	1. Alignment of video I-F sound traps. 2. Alignment of "2" secondary 3. Oscillator align- ment V ₃	
Herringbone pattern superimposed on pic- ture.	FM, diathermy or other forms of R-F interference.	
Brown or yellowish tint on picture tube screen	1. Picture tube (V117) by substitution	Burned phosphor on picture tube screen. Replace tube if objectionable.

Replacing Picture Tube 164PH (V117)

Remove the defective tube in the following manner.

- Remove back cover
- Remove control knobs from chassis
- Remove four chassis bolts
- Remove antenna and pilot indicator
- Remove antenna and pilot indicator
- Slide chassis back and disconnect each voltage lead from picture tube socket and deflection assembly bracket.
- Remove ion trap
- Remove deflection assembly by taking out two front screws and loosen two rear screws. Slide assembly off tube.

CAUTION DO NOT ALLOW WEIGHT OF ASSEMBLY ON TUBE NECK

- Remove four screws holding lower half of picture tube rim support, and remove tube.

To install a new picture tube the above procedure should be reversed. Re-
move plastic ring and plastic shield from defective tube and place on new
lead and compartment.

Distortion Due to Magnetization of Metal Cone

If a strong magnetic field is brought near the 164PH kinescope, the met-
al cone can be sufficiently magnetized to cause objectionable distortion in
the image. The principal indication of distortion is a kink in the edge of
the raster. The most likely cause of cone magnetization is contact of the
section with the frame of a permanent-magnet loudspeaker. Magnetized
section of the tube and small end of the cone produce the most dis-
turbance. The magnetizer is usually localized and can readily be
detected with a pocket compass.

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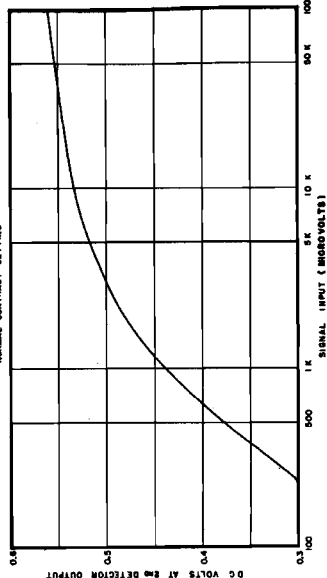


FIGURE 21 - BIAS VERSUS SIGNAL INPUT

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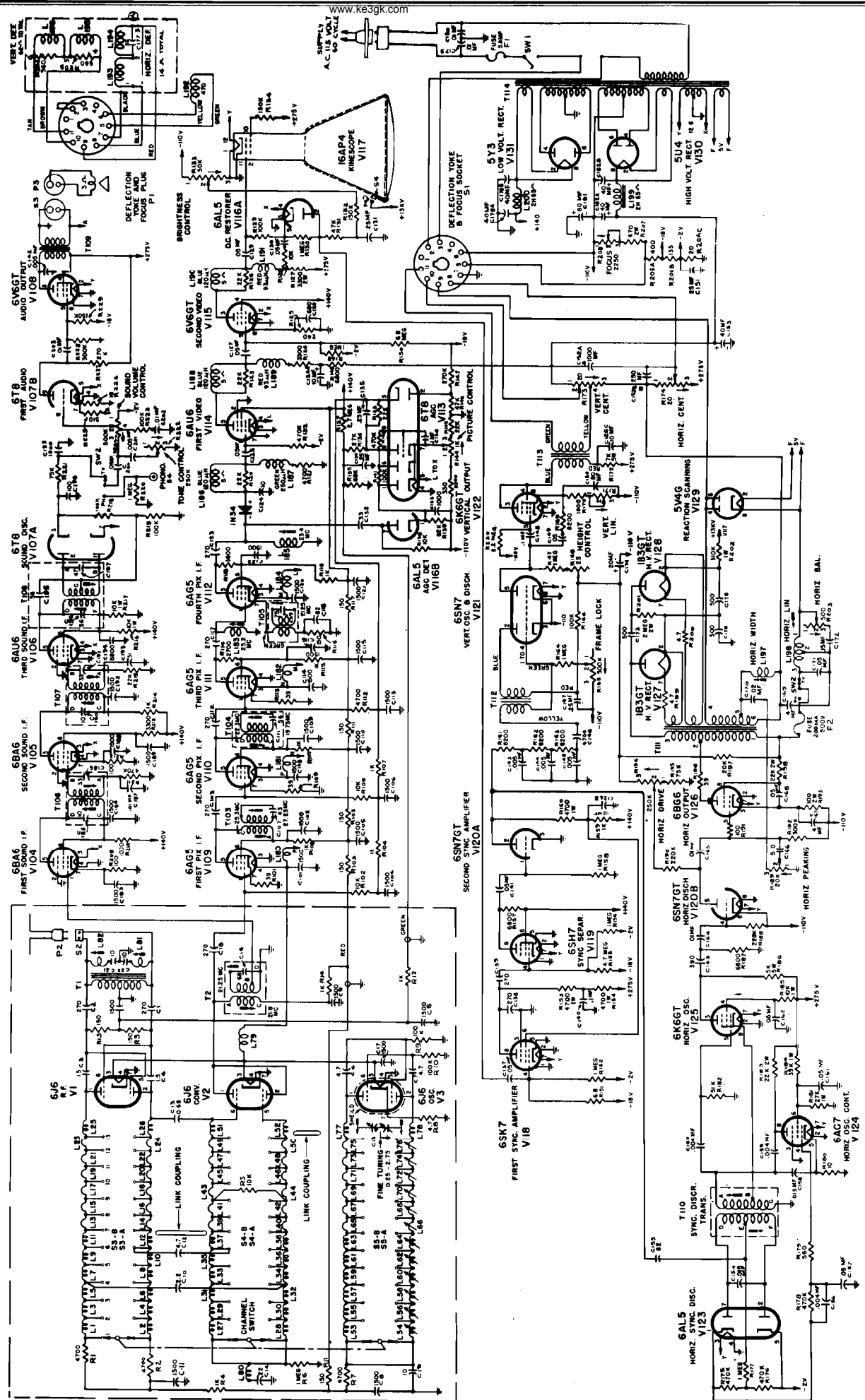


FIGURE 19 - MODEL 77 SCHEMATIC (CH 1610)



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SECTION 7 - REPLACEMENT PARTS

Stock No.	Description	Stock No.	Description
A-237	Bearing - Bearing for R7 unit shaft.	RC-A4	Resistor - 5100 ohm 1/2 watt (R236).
C-418	Capacitor - Mica 10 MFD (C124).	RC-A12A	Control - Brightness (A133).
C-419	Capacitor - Ceramic 33 MFD (C132).	RC-A12B	Control - Picture control (R144).
C-420	Capacitor - Ceramic 51 MFD (C133).	RC-A15	Control - Focus (R208).
C-421	Capacitor - Mica 56 MFD (C177).	RC-A20	Control - Horizontal Driver (R194).
C-422	Capacitor - Mica 82 MFD (C118, C155).	RC-A22	Control - Frame Lock (R166).
C-423	Capacitor - Mica 100 MFD (C198).	RC-A103	Control - Vertical or Horizontal Centering (R173, R174).
C-424	Capacitor - Mica 270 MFD (C103, C112, C117, C125, C139, C139).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-425	Capacitor - Mica 350 MFD (C163).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-426	Capacitor - Mica 510 MFD (C166).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-427	Capacitor - Mica 680 MFD (C188).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-428	Capacitor - Mica 1000 MFD (C189, C133).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-429	Capacitor - Ceramic 1500 MFD (C101, C102, C104, C105, C106, C108, C109, C110, C113, C114, C115, C116, C120, C121, C122, C185, C186, C188, C189, C192).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-430	Capacitor - Mica 4700 MFD (C146).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-431	Capacitor - Ceramic 500 MFD (C173) Hi-Voltage Filter.	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-432	Capacitor - Ceramic 500 MFD (C175) Hi-Voltage Filter.	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-433	Capacitor - Ceramic 500 MFD (C176) Hi-Voltage Filter.	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-434	Capacitor - Mica .01 MFD (C187).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-435	Capacitor - Paper .004 MFD - 400 V (C156, C159).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-436	Capacitor - Paper .005 MFD - 1000 V (C160).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-437	Capacitor - Paper .01 MFD - 400 V (C142, C143, C144, C145, C201).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-438	Capacitor - Paper .01 MFD - 400 V (C164, C200, C202, C203).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-439	Capacitor - Paper .01 MFD - 1000 V (C165).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-440	Capacitor - Paper .015 MFD - 400 V (C154, C158).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-441	Capacitor - Paper .02 MFD - 1000 V (C170).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-442	Capacitor - Paper .05 MFD - 400 V (C137, C141, C149, C157, C161, C162, C168, C171, C205).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-443	Capacitor - Paper .05 MFD - 400 V (C138).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-444	Capacitor - Paper .1 MFD - 200 V (C140, C146).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-445	Capacitor - Paper .15 MFD - 200 V (C172).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-446	Capacitor - Paper .25 MFD - 200 V (C131).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-447	Capacitor - Paper .25 MFD - 200 V (C147).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-448	Capacitor - Electrolytic 4 MFD 150 V (C167, C169).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-449	Capacitor - Electrolytic 10-10-10 MFD 450 V (C128a, C126b, C126c).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-450	Capacitor - Electrolytic 20 MFD 500 V (C174).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-451	Capacitor - Electrolytic 25 MFD 50 V (C151, C209).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-452	Capacitor - Electrolytic 40 MFD 450 V (C158).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-453	Capacitor - Electrolytic 40-40 MFD 240 V (C173a, C178b).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-454	Capacitor - Electrolytic 40-40 MFD 450 V (C182a, C182b).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-455	Capacitor - Electrolytic 50 MFD 50 V (C150).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-456	Capacitor - Electrolytic 50 MFD 150 V (C131).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-457	Capacitor - Electrolytic 1000 MFD 5 V 250 MFD 10 V (C152a, C152b).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-458	Choke. Filter (L199, L200a).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-459	Coil - Choke coil (L180, L181, L182, L184).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-460	Coil - Horizontal linearity control coil (L196).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-461	Coil - Peaking coil 120 ohm blue (L186, L188, L190, L192, L196).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-462	Coil - Peaking coil 93 ohm red (L189, L191).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-463	Coil - Peaking coil 250 ohm green (L187).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-464	Coil - Focus (L192).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-465	Coil - Width control (L197).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).
C-466	Coil - Width control (L197).	RC-A103	Control - Volume On-Off (R224) (S1-1).</