

Semiconductor Complement: 46 all silicon transistors

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Dynamic Power Output : Power Consumption :

System: All Silicon transistor A-M/FM FM stereo receiver (including 3FET's) 34 diodes 75 watts both channels, 8 ohms (IHF) Power Requirement: AC100, 117, 220, 240V 50/60 Hz 30 watts at no signal (36VA) 250 watts at rated output (260VA) AC Outlet: Unswitched, 500 watts maximum **Dimensions:** $17\frac{1}{16}''(w) \times 5\frac{1}{16}''(H) \times 13\frac{9}{6}''(D)$ $(440 \times 148 \times 345 \text{mm})$ Weight: 20 lb 13 oz (9.45 kg)





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SECTION 1 GENERAL DESCRIPTION

General Information

FM Tuner

A passive rf circuit and field effect transistor improve the tuner's figure of merit greatly.

A newly designed fm local oscillator circuit provides drift free operation, eliminating the need for automatic frequency control.

The passive rf circuit makes the following possible:

Excellent sensitivity and noise figure, low cross-modulation, and high overload capacity.

Seven i-f stages using six piezoelectric resonators ensure high sensitivity, sharp skirt response, and essentially flat response within the selected channel.

An electronic switching system in the multiplex decoder section switches the receiver to stereo or mono automatically, according to the characteristics of the received signal.

The muting circuit eliminates interstation noise to provide smooth and quiet tuning. The high filter decreases the hiss caused by the weak stereo signal.

A-M Tuner

Two piezoelectric resonators are used in the a-m tuner section for high sensitivity and adjacent channel rejection. In addition, one FET is employed to improve AGC response for distortion-less reception.

Control Amplifier

All controls are designed and placed for maximum operating convenience. The amplifier delivers up to 85 watts of dynamic power (42.5 watts per channel) to an 8 ohm load, measured according to IHF standards. The amplifier section consists of a flat amplifier, and a power amplifier with an effective power-transistor protection circuit.

All equalization filtering and tone control functions are performed by passive RC networks, with two feedback stabilized direct coupled amplifiers between them for isolation and gain.

Technical Specifications

Circuit:

All silicon transistor A-M / FM Stereo Receiver Superheterodyne, 46 transistors (including 3 Field-Effect Transistors) 34 diodes

FM Section

Antenna :	300 ohms balanced
Tuning Range:	87–108 MHz
Usable Sensitivity :	2.0 μV, IHF
S/N Ratio:	70 dB, IHF
Capture Ratio :	2.0 dB, IHF
Selectivity :	70 dB, IHF
Frequency Response :	30-15,000 Hz ±1 dB
Image Rejection :	75 dB
I-F Rejection:	90 dB
Spurious Rejection :	100 dB
A-M Suppression:	55 dB
Harmonic Distortion :	Mono 0.4 % at 400 Hz,
	100 % modulation

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		Stereo 0.5 % at 400 Hz, 100 % modulation
	FM Stereo Separation	: Better than 40 dB at 400 Hz 100 % modulation
	Stereo-Auto	
	Switching Level: SCA Suppression:	5 microvolts 54 dB
	A-M Section	
	Antenna:	Built-in ferrite bar antenna
	Tuning Range:	External antenna terminals 530–1,605 kHz
	Sensitivity :	44 dB / μ , built-in antenna 20 dB / μ , external antenna
	S/N Ratio:	50 dB at 5 millivolts
	Image Rejection :	47 dB at 600 kHz 45 dB at 1,400 kHz
	Harmonic Distortion:	0.5 % at 5 millivolts input
	I-F Rejection:	40 dB at 1,000 kHz
	Amplifier Section	
	Dynamic Power	
	Output (IHF) : Rated Output :	75 watts both channels into 8 ohms 30 watts per channel into 8 ohms
	Speaker Available:	4, 8 or 16 ohms speaker
	Power Bandwidth :	30–50,000 Hz
	Harmonic Distortion:	Less than 0.2 % at rated output
		Less than 0.1 % at 0.5 watts output
	IM Distortion :	Less than 0.4 $\%$ at rated output Less than 0.2 $\%$ at 0.5 watts output
	Frequency Response:	AUX, TAPE, 30–50,000 Hz ± dB
		PHONO, RIAA Standard
		TAPE, NAB Standard
		AUX $250 \text{ mV} (100 \text{ k}\Omega)$
	Impedance :	TAPE
	S/N Ratio:	AUX Better than 90 dB
		(weighting network "A")
		TAPE Better than 70 dB
		(weighting network "A") PHONO Better than 70dB
		(weighting network "A")
	Recording Output: and Impedance	250 millivolts, 10 k ohms
	Headphone Output:	Accepts all low and high impedance headphones
	Tone Control:	BASS, ±10 dB at 100 Hz TREBLE, ± 10 dB at 10,000 Hz
	General	
	Semiconductor	46 all silicon transistors
	Complement :	(including 3 FET's) 34 diodes
	Power Requirement:	AC 100, 117, 220, 240 V 60/50Hz
	Power Consumption:	
	AC Outlet:	250 watts at rated output (260 VA) Unswitched, 500 watts maximum
	Dimensions:	$17^{5}/_{16}''(W) \times 5^{13}/_{16}''(H) \times 13/_{16}''(D)$
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Weight:

General

Accessories Supplied : Ribbon Antenna (1) Phono Plugs, red (2), black (2) Polishing Cloth (1) Binaural Plug (1)

Circuit Description

The following describes the functions of all stages and controls. The description follows the signal path and lists stages by their main circuit component symbol number at the left margin. Refer to the block diagram on page 7–8 and the schematic diagram on page 22–23, 28–29.

Front End Section Stage/Control

Passive RF Circuit L101, L102, L103

Local Oscillator O102

Mixer Q101

I-F Amplifier Q103

I-F Amplifiers Q201 to Q205

CF201 to CF206

Function

A triple-tuned circuit is employed in this stage between the antenna and rf mixer.

The passive coupling circuit contains no active amplifiers. Therefore, it is perfectly linear,

and cannot produce distortion and overload components.

Thus, the factors that contribute to spurious response are eliminated ahead of the mixer.

Supplies injection signals to the mixer via L104. The circuit is a modified Hartley type with feedback applied to the emitter from the tap on L104. Temperature changes have little effect on oscillator tuning in this circuit so that this oscillator is extremely stable.

Rf signals and local oscillator signals are heterodyned in the gate-source junction of Q101 to produce the 10.7 MHz output. IFT 101 is a tuned transformer to develop the i-f output and provide proper selectivity. A low impedance output winding feeds the signal to the i-f section.

This stage amplifies the output of the mixer to drive the following i-f amplifiers.

These i-f stages are basically RC coupled amplifiers that provide essentially flat response.

The selectivity of this section is determined by the solid-state filters in the interstage coupling paths. These ceramic filters are made up of two individual sections that operate in a "trapped-energy" mode. The filters provide ex-

Stage/Control

Diode Limiters D201 to D206

I-F Output Q206

Muting Circuit Q208 to Q210 D210, D211

Tuning Meter

Ratio Detector

D207, D208.

tremely sharp skirt selectivity and flat response inside the pass band. These filters determine overall selectivity in the tuner.

Function

Limiting is accomplished by diode pairs, connected in parallel and poled in opposite directions. The diodes conduct when the signal across them exceeds the barrier potential of about 0.6 volts in the forward direction. Thus, signal is limited in both directions to 1.2 volts peak to peak. The diodes provide symmetrical limiting.

Signal at the base of Q206 has had all amplitude variations removed by the preceding limiters, and only selected signals have been passed by the solid-state filters. Q206 provides power to drive the ratio detector.

The i-f signal is extracted from the collector of Q204 to drive the muting circuit. Q208 acts as a buffer amplifier to drive the voltage doubler D210, D211.

The output of this circuit is a positive dc voltage proportional to carrier level. With the muting switch IN, fm signals of average strength keep Q209 normally saturated, cutting off Q210 and maintaining normal operation. Weak stations and interstation noise can not produce a dc voltage at the base of Q209 sufficient to keep it conducting. This makes Q209 cut off, which in turn saturates Q210. Accordingly, audio output is grounded. With the muting switch OUT, Q209 is kept saturated by placing its base at B+.

This cuts off Q210, lifting the audio output off ground regardless of the strength of the fm signal. Rv201 adjusts the muting level.

An i-f output from the collector of Q204 is coupled through C213 and R252 to D209.

This half wave rectifier feeds a dc signal to the Tuning Meter. T201 and the diodes D207 and D208 form a balanced'ratio detector that transforms the frequen-

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Stage/Control	Function cy modulated signal into an audio signal.
Emitter Follower Q207	Supplies demodulated signals to the MPX decoder circuit.
MPX Decoder Section Q401	n This stage serves two functions.
Frequency Doubler D401, D402,	The composite stereo signal is extracted from its emitter circuit and the 19 kHz pilot signal is taken from a tuned circuit at its collector. Signals developed at the collector of Q401 are transformer coupled to a full-wave rectifier D401, D402. The output of these rectifiers is not filtered. They thus produce two positive pulses for each input cycle.
38 kHz Amplifier Q402	Therefore the 19 kHz frequency is effectively doubled by D401 and D402. However, the wave- form is not sinusoidal at the base of Q402. The 38 kHz pulses produced by D401 and D402 are amplified by Q402. The tank circuit at its collector is tuned to 38 kHz to restore the sinusoidal waveshape to the signal. This signal is then transformer
Stereo Lamp Circuit Q403	coupled to the bridge-type de- modulator to supply its sampling drive. The STEREO indicator lights when an fm stereo signal is re- ceived. The emitter of Q402 is connected directly to the base of Q403, which is normally cut off. The circuit operates as follows. When a stereo composite signal is applied to the MPX decoder, the 38 kHz pulses produced at
Noise Amplifier Q404, D409, D410.	the output of the frequency doubler yield a higher average current flowing through Q402. This forces Q403 into conduction lighting the stereo indicator PL904. This circuit is employed to pre- vent the stereo indicator from lighting on interstation noise or distorted sound due to a station not being tuned properly. Noise signals above 19 kHz are extracted at L401 and applied to the base of Q404. The coupling capacitor C421,

Stage/Control

Function

filters out audio components so that the input signal is primarily high-frequency noise.

This noise signal is amplified by Q404 to drive rectifier D410. When interstation noise is received, the output of D410 is fed back to the base of O404, and drives Q404 into conduction. This in turn shorts the frequency doubler output to ground, preventing amplification of the incoming signal and, therefore, operation of the 38 kHz amplifier and stereo indicatior circuit, Q402 and Q403.

When a stereo signal is received, the signal-to-noise ratio increases, reducing the noise signal at the base of Q404. Q404 then cuts off and enables the stereo indicator circuits to operate.

The demodulator circuit employs diodes in a balanced bridge arrangement. This system has the advantage of cancelling residual components of rf (actually 38 kHz signal and some 19 kHz signal as well as higher-order harmonics of these frequencies.)

"L" and "R" components are developed at each side of the bridge as the result of the synchronous demodulator, when the tuner is operated in the stereo mode. In the mono mode, D405 and D408 are forward biased and act merely as low value resistances. Under this condition, the monaural signal is applied to both "L" and "R" audio amplifiers respectively.

Eliminates the carrier component (38 kHz) to prevent carrier leak interference.

This stage supplies injection

C411, 412 and C414 R416, 417 and R419 **A-M** Tuner Section

Twin T Filter

Local Oscillator Q305

Mixer Q301

voltage to the mixer via the secondary winding of L303 (Bar Antenna).

The circuit is a modified Hartley type with feedback applied to the emitter from the secondary winding of L304 (oscillator coil). Incoming rf signals and localoscillator signals are heterodyned

Multiplex Demodulator D405 to D408

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Stage/Control	Function	Stage/Contro
	in the base-emitter junction of Q301 to produce the 455 kHz output.	
I-F Amplifier Q302	Q301 and Q302 (FET) form a cascaded amplifier that assure stable processing of the rf and i-f signals. In addition, an ingenious AGC circuit is employed using the	
IFT301	FET that makes a large figure of merit possible in a-m reception. IFT301 is a tuned transformer for 455 kHz and its low im- pedance output winding feeds the signal to I-F amplifier Q303.	R517 to R518 and C508 to C511 (R617 to R618 and
I-F Amplifier Q303 CF301	This stage is an amplifier that provides essentially flat response. The selectivity of the stage is de- termined by two solidstate filters in its output circuit. Each of these filters is made up of three sections of ceramic	C608 to C611)
I-F Amplifier Q304	material mechanically coupled to each other. The filters provide extremely sharp skirt selectivity and flat response inside the pass- band. Provides the power to drive diode detector, D302.	R502, R504 (R602, R604)
AGC Circuit R325, R326 C323, C305	The dc component of the detector (D302) output is fed back to the FET i-f amplifier through R325 and R326, C323 and C305 to control the gain of amplifier Q302.	Mode Switch
Audio Amplifier Sec		S4
Channel Separation Adj. Rv604	This network is connected between the emitters of audio preamplifiers Q501 and Q601, when Function Switch S_2 is in the FM STEREO position. It provides a form of negative feedback between the left and	Volume Control Rv501 (Rv601)
	right channels. Any residual "L" signals in the "R" channel are cancelled out by the signal from the "L" channel. The same is true of residual "R" signals in the "L" channel. Rv604 is therefore set for maximum channel separation.	Loudness Switch S5 R523, R524 C512, C513 ($R623$, R624 (C612, C613)
Preamplifier (Equalizer) Q501, Q502 (Q601, Q602)	Amplifies the small signal pro- duced by the tuner, a cartridge or signals applied to the TAPE input jack, to the level required at the input of the driver section. The circuit employs a complicated	Flat Amplifier Q503 to Q504 (Q603 to Q604)
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age/Control

Function

negative feedback technique that provides stable operation during temperature change and good amplification at low frequencies. It also applies the audio signal to the REC OUT terminal for recording.

In addition, RIAA equalization is accomplished in this section when the Function Switch S_1 is in the PHONO position.

RIAA equalization is achieved by the negative feedback loop containing these components. Please use care when replacing any of them.

In the TUNER or AUX 1 position of the function switch, feedback is applied through R519 (13 k ohms) and R520 (13 k ohms) respectively to provide a flat response in the preamplifier. Preamplifier gain is about 39 dB at 1 kHz for the phono input. For the tuner and TAPE input, the gain changes to about 22 dB. Signals applied at the AUX 1 and AUX 2 input jacks are attenuated about 39 dB by these resistors. This allows the STR-6050 to accept signals at about 200 mV across these input jacks and amplify them without distortion. Selects the desired mode of operation. This switch may also be used for test purposes. Relation of outputs and Mode Selector positions are summarized in the table.

The level of signal applied to the power amplifier section is determined by the setting of Rv501 (Rv601), an audio-taper control.

Compensates for human hearing characteristics, which vary according to the loudness of the sound. When this switch is set to the "IN" position, high and low frequency components are increased in conjunction with a decreasing volume level.

This two-stage amplifier provides a 24 dB voltage gain to increase the signal to the level required at the input of the power amplifier.



Stage/Control	Function	Stage/Control	Function
Tone Control Rv502 (Rv602) Rv503 (Rv603)	Rv502 (Rv602) controls treble response. It has a range of $\pm 10 \text{ dB}$ at 10,000 Hz. Rv503 (Rv603) con-		in the nonlinear region of a power transistors characteristics, can be eliminated.
	trols bass response. It has a range of ± 10 dB at 100 Hz.	Thermo Compensator	The negative temperature coef- ficient of D701 and D702 performs
High Filter Switch S6	Eliminates unwanted high- frequency components from the input signal (-6 dB/oct above		thermal compensation for bias current in the complementary stage.
	8 kHz) in the ON position.	Driver Limiter Q703	Q703 limits the negative-going half cycle of the drive voltage
Power Amplifier Se			applied to the base of Q705 when
Flat Amplifier Q701	This is a conventional resistance- coupled amplifier to power the driver stage. R705 (R805) is a load resistance.		power consumption at the Q706 or Q707 collector exceeds its safety margin. Since power dissipation at the collector can be considered
Driver Q702	Acts as driver for the comple- mentary circuit, providing suf- ficient positive and negative voltage swings for the required output power. R712 (R812) is a load resistance.		a function of collector voltage and collector current flow, trigger signal for Q703 is extracted from the collector and emitter of Q707 through R721 and R720. Q703 is forced to conduct when
Complementary Q704 to Q705	These transistors operate as emitter followers to provide the current swings demanded of the output stages. They also provide the necessary phase inversion. Phase inversion is performed by using PNP and NPN type transistors which conduct during obtamate half evalua		the voltage applied to its base and emitter junction exceeds the barrier voltage. Effective input limiting is per- formed as follows: Under normal conditions, Q703 is cut off. When excessive current flows in power transistor Q707 or power dissipation at the
DC Bias Adj. Rv702	alternate half cycles. Determines the amount of current flow through driver transistors Q704 and Q705 and so current flow in the power transistors Q706 and Q707 at zero signal.		collector of Q707 exceeds the transistor's safety margin, Q703 turns on and limits the input drive voltage to protect the power transistors.
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Though Q703 only limits the negative half cycle of voltage it

Receiver Output Mode Selector Switch Position	SPEAKER OUT; LEFT	SPEAKER OUT; RIGHT	HEADPHONE LEFT	HEADPHONE RIGHT	REC OUT; LEFT	REC OUT; RIGHT
REVERSE	R	L	R	L	L	R
STEREO	L	R	L	R	L	R
L+R	L+R	L+R	L+R	L+R	L+R	L+ R
LEFT	L	L	L	L	L	R
RIGHT	R	R	R	R	L	R

RECEIVER OUTPUT

By adjusting this resistor, the cross-over distortion, which occurs

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Stage/Control

Function

Click Noise Suppressor D704, C702, C802, C812

AC Balance Adj. Rv701 (Rv801)

Power Supply Section

Regulated Power Supply Q901, to Q903 D901 also prevents excessive current flow in Q706 during the positive half cycle. This occurs because C710 charges during the positive half cycle and the voltage across C710 goes up to nearly B+, and since the negative half cycle cannot discharge C710, the following positive half cycle cannot fully drive Q706.

To prevent click noise caused by the initial charging current in the power amplifier section.

D704 is a varister which operates as a small resistance for audio frequencies but as a constant dc voltage supply for direct current. C812 eliminates the noises caused by the varister.

Determines the center line voltage to obtain a minimum of harmonic distortion at the rated output.

Dc output from the bridged rectifier is filtered by C904 and applied to the series regulator Q902. Transistor Q901 compares a sample of the output voltage, picked off at the junction of R906 and R907, with a reference voltage supplied by the zener diode D901.

A change in output voltage, detected by Q901 and amplified by Q903, results in a change in conduction in Q902 that offsets the original voltage shift.

The stable dc voltage is supplied to tuner, preamplifier and power amplifier sections. STR-6050 STR-6050

BLOCK DIAGRAM



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SECTION 2 DISASSEMBLY AND REPLACEMENT OF PARTS

2-1 Removal of Top Cover and Bottom Plate

- (a) Loosen off two machine screws at each side of the receiver and lift off the top cover by pulling it up straight.
- (b) Loosen off five Phillips-Head screws $(+RF 3 \times 6)$ at the bottom of the receiver and pull the bottom plate toward the rear of the receiver. See Fig. 2-1.

2-2 Front Panel Removal

- (a) Remove the top cover. See Section 2-1.
- (b) Remove all control knobs by pulling them out straight.

- (c) Loosen off two screws $(+B3 \times 6)$ one at the right side of the tuning shaft and the other just above the volume control shaft. See Fig. 2-2.
- (d) Loosen off two hex nuts that secure the rotary function switch and speaker switch to the front panel.

Be careful not to scratch or otherwise damage the front panel when loosening the nuts. Place a cover between the front panel and a wrench for protection.

(e) Take off the front panel.



Fig. 2-1 Removal of Bottom Plate



Fig. 2-2 Removal of Front Panel

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2-3 Removal of the Front Panel Assembly

The front panel assembly is a vertical member on which the glass dial, switches, tuning meter and pilot lamps are attached.

- (a) Remove the cover, all knobs and the front panel. See Sections 2-1 and 2-2.
- (b) Loosen off two screws (+RF 3×6) at each side of the chassis. See Fig. 2-3.
- (c) Unhook the dial cord from the dial pointer tab. Mark the dial pointer position on the dial cord

for the convenience of re-installing the dial pointer in place.

- (d) Remove the volume control and loudness switch by loosening off the hexnut and screw securing the switch to the bracket. See Fig. 2-5.
- (e) Unsolder the lead wires from both dial lamp sockets. The front panel assembly is now free, and can be tilted forward and down as shown in Fig. 2-4.



Fig. 2-3 Removal of Front Panel Ass'y (1)



Fig. 2-4 Removal of Front Panel Ass'y (2)





Fig. 2-5 Detail of Volume Control and Loudness Switch

2-4 Switch and Binaural Jack Replacement

To remove switches and binaural jack for replacement, proceed as follows:

- (a) Remove the front panel assembly. See Section 2-3.
- (b) All switches except the speaker, tone, mode and function switches can be removed by loosening their set screws (+RF 3×6).
- (c) To remove the binaural jack, loosen off two screws securing it to the chassis from the back of the front panel assembly.

2-5 Pilot Lamp Replacement

To remove pilot lamp for replacement proceed as follows:

- (a) Unplug the ac cord.
- (b) Remove the top cover. See Section 2-1.

Meter Lamp

- (a) Straighten the tab of lamp socket bracket to permit removal of lamp.
- (b) Grasp the lamp socket with a pair of pliers and slide it off the bracket. See Fig. 2-6.



Fig. 2-6 Meter and Stereo Lamp Replacement

- (c) Apply a drop of cement solvent to the point where the lamp is fixed and wait a few seconds for the cement to dissolve.
- (d) Unscrew the lamp from the socket and install a new lamp.

Stereo Lamp

- (a) Remove the bottom plate.
- (b) Loosen off two self-tapping screws $(+R \ 3 \times 6)$ from the tuning meter holder. The stereo lamp is mounted on the tuning meter holder.
- (c) Apply a drop of cement solvent to the point where the lamp is fixed and wait a few seconds for the cement to dissolve.
- (d) Pry out the lamp with a pair of tweezers and install a new lamp.
- (e) Unsolder the old lead wires from the MPX board and resolder the new wires.

Dial Lamp

- (a) Remove the control knobs and front panel.
- (b) Pry out the lamp as you would a cartridge fuse.
- (c) Push a new lamp into the clip.

Tuning Meter Replacement

- (a) Loosen off two self-tapping screws $(+R \ 3\times 6)$ securing the meter holder to the chassis.
- (b) Unsolder the lead wires, and install a meter.

2-6 Dial Glass Replacement

- (1) Remove the front panel. See Section 2-2.
- (2) Loosen off screws $(+ \text{RF } 2.6 \times 4)$ securing the dial glass bracket to the sub chassis as shown in Fig. 2-7.
- (3) Install a dial glass.



Fig. 2-7 Dial Glass Replacement

2-7 Power Transistor Replacement

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- (a) Remove the bottom plate.
- (b) Remove the heat sink by loosening the two screws that secure the heat sink to the chassis from the rear.
- (c) Take the heat sink out of the chassis through the rear panel. Pay attention to the lead wires.
- (d) Remove the power transistor by loosening the two screws $(+RF \ 3 \times 12)$. See Fig. 2-8.
- (e) When replacing a power transistor, apply a coating of a heat-conducting silicone grease to both sides of the mica. The grease fills the tiny depressions in the mating surfaces, thereby improving heat transfer to the heat sink.

2-8 Dial Cord Stringing

- (a) Remove the top cover. See Section 2-1.
- (b) Cut a 63 inch (1,600 mm) length of dial cord.
- (c) Remove the tuning capacitor drive drum by loosening the two screws and rotate the tuning capacitor shaft fully clockwise (minimum capacitance position).
- (d) Tie the cord and hook the spring to each hole of the drum, then attach the drum to the shaft of the tuning capacitor as shown in Fig. 2-9 and 2-10.



Fig. 2-9 Drive Drum Installation

- (e) After tightening the screws of the drum run the cord through the slot in the rim of the drum and position the cord close to the rear edge of the drum.
- (f) Run the cord under the drum and over the pulley (A) See Fig. 2-12.
- (g) Make three counterclockwise turns around the tuning shaft and run the cord over pulleys (B), (C) and (D).



Fig. 2-8 Power Transistor Replacement

- (h) Pull the cord taut and wrap two clockwise turns around the drive drum. See Fig. 2-12.
- (i) Pass the cord through the slot and hook it to the spring, using an eyelet as shown in Fig. 2-11.
- (j) Pull the cord to give it a tension and squeeze the eyelet.

Make a knot and apply a drop of contact cement to the eyelet.



Fig. 2-10 Start Point of Dial Cord

- (k) Put the dial pointer in place, and run the dial cord over and under the tabs at the rear of the dial pointer.
- (1) After completing dial cord threading, and making sure the tuning system works properly put a drop of contact cement on the dial pointer tabs. See Section 4-6, OVERALL ADJUSTMENTS, for accurately locating the dial pointer.



Fig. 2-11 Finish Point of Dial Cord





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SECTION 3 TEST AND ALIGNMENT

FM Section

Caution: Never attempt alignment of the front end section except for frequency coverage and dial calibration adjustments.

Factory adjustments are extremely stable and should not be reset except in unusual circumstances.

Alignment need not be performed when front end FET's have been replaced since changes in FET parameters have little effect upon tuning. In case

3-1 Front End Alignment

Note: Discriminator alignment should be performed first.

Test Equipment Required :

- (1) FM Standard Signal Generator.
 - If such a generator is unavailable, off-the-air signals at each end of the band will suffice.
- (2) Dummy Antenna See Fig. 3-1.
- (3) AC VTVM
- (4) Alignment Tools

Preparation

- (1) Remove the chassis cover.
- (2) Connect the equipment as shown in Fig. 3-2
- (3) Set the receiver's controls as follows:
 FUNCTION Selector FM
 VOLUME Control Minimum
 MODE Switch STEREO
 MONITOR Switch SOURCE
 Follow the procedures given in Table 1.

an rf stage adjustment is required, ask your nearest SONY Service Station for a comlete front end alignment to be performed at a Factory Service Center. Please excersize caution when returning the faulty unit so that it is not damaged in transit. The warranty will not cover damage incurred in this way.



Fig. 3-1 FM Dummy Antenna





TABLE 1

Coupling between Front End and SSG	SSG frequency and output	Tuning capacitor	AC VTVM connection	Adjust	Indication
Dummy Antenna Fig. 3-1	86 MHz 400 Hz 30 % Mod 20 dB/#	Maximum Capacitance position	REC OUT J504	OSC coil L104 Fig. 3-3	Maximum VTVM reading
Same as above	109.5 MHz 400 Hz 30% Mod 20 dB/µ	Minimum Capacitance position	REC OUT J504	OSC trimmer CT104 Fig. 3-4	Same as above

FM Frequency Coverage Adjustment

Note: Repeat the foregoing procedure several times until accurate dial calibration is observed.



Fig. 3-3 FM OSC Coil L104



Fig. 3-4 FM OSC Trimmer CT104 and A-M Antenna Trimmer CT302

3-2 FM Discriminator Adjustment

- Note: This is a preadjustment procedure for the discriminator section. To obtain optimum operation of the discriminator, follow the overall adjustment 4-1, 4-2, described on page 26. and 27.
- Test Equipment Required:
- (1) 10.7 MHz Sweep Generator
- (3) Alignment Tools

Preparation.

- (1) Remove the chassis cover.
- (2) Unsolder the coaxial cable from the input and output terminals of the I-F and Discriminator board.
- (3) Connect the sweep generator output to the input terminal of the I-F and Discriminator board.
- (4) Connect the Oscilloscope to the output terminal of the I-F and Discriminator board.

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Fig. 3-5 FM Discriminator Adjustment Test Set-up

Procedures:

(1) With the equipment connected as shown in Fig. 3-5, set the 10.7 MHz Sweep Generator controls as follows:

Center Frequency......10.7 MHz Sweep Width800 kHz or 1.0 MHz Set the receiver controls for fm stereo reception.

(2) Adjust the scope controls to provide a visible indication.

Note: Two or three outputs will be observed on the scope as the center frequency of the sweep generator varies ± 1 to 2MHz. The output you are looking for has the largest amplitude. Once you get this output, decrease the sweep generator output as low as possible.

- (3) Turn the top core of T201 with the hexagonalhead alignment tool to obtain an "S" curve response as shown in Fig. 3-6.
- (4) Turn the bottom core of T201 to obtain maximum response.
- (5) Turn the top core of T201 to equalize negative and positive peakes as shown in Fig. 3-6. a=b=1/2A
- (6) Disconnect the sweep generator and make sure that the scope displays only noise.



Fig. 3-6 "S" Curve Response

A-M Section

- 3-3 A-M I-F Aligument
- Test Equipment Required:
- (1) 455 kHz Sweep Generator Center Frequency455 kHz Sweep width±35 kHz (variable) Output ImpedanceLess than 300 ohms Radiating Antenna.....See Fig. 3-7 (2) Oscilloscope
 - Vertical Sensitivityat least 10mV/cm

(3) Alignment Tools

Preparation

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- (1) Remove the chassis cover.
- (2) Solder a hook-up wire directly to resistor R320 (4.7 k Ω) from the conductor side on the A-M-CP-I-F board as shown in Fig. 3-10.
- Note: Connect the ground lead of the scope as close to R320 as possible. (3) Set the receiver's controls as follows

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VOLUME ControlMinimum position	
FUNCTION SelectorA-M	
MONITOR SwitchSOURCE	



Fig. 3-7 Radiating Antenna



Fig. 3-8 A-M I-F Adjustment Test Set-up



Procedure :

- (1) With the equipment connected as shown in Fig. 3-8 adjust the sweep generator output as low as possible and set scope controls to provide a visible indication.
- (2) Turn the top core of IFT 301 to obtain a maximum and symmetrical response. See Fig. 3-9.

3-4 A-M Tuner Frequency Coverage and Tracking Alignment

- Test Equipment Required :
- (1) A Standard A-m Signal Generator (SSG)
 - If such a generator is unavailable, off-the-air signals at each end of the band will suffice.
- (2) Radiating AntennaStandard Loop Antenna (3) AC VTVM or Oscilloscope.....Capable of indi
 - cating rms voltage of 0.1V or less
- (4) Alignment Tools.

Preparation :

- (1) Remove the chassis cover.
- (2) Set the receiver's controls as follows; VOLUME controlMinimum position
- FUNCTION SelectorA-M Procedures :

With the equipment connected as shown ni Fig. 3-11. follow the procedure given in Table 2.



Fig. 3-10 A-M I-F Adjustment Test Point

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Fig. 3-8 A-M I-F Adjustment Test Set-up



Fig. 3-11 A-M Frequency Coverage and Tracking Adjustment Test Set-up

TABLE 2

Frequency Coverage and Tracking Alignment

Adjustment	SSG Coupling	SSG Frequency and output level	Tuning Capacitor	Connect VTVM	Adjust	Remarks
Frequency Coverage	Loop Antenna	520 kHz 400 Hz 30 % Mod 60 dB/μ+α	Maximum Capacitance	REC OUT J504 (J604)	OSC Coil L304 Fig. 3–12	Adjust to obtain Maximum reading
		1680 kHz Same as above	Minimum Capacitance	Same as above	OSC Trimmer CT301 Fgi. 3-4	Same as above

* α =Specified insertion loss of loop antenna (dB)

Note: Repeat the foregoing procedure two or three times until sufficient response is obtained.

Tracking	Loop Antenna	620 kHz 400 Hz 30 % Mod Output level as low as possible	Tune to 620 kHz signal	REC OUT J504 (J604)	Position of Bar Antenna core L303 Fig. 3–13	Adjust to obtain maximum reading
		1400 kHz Same as above	Tune to 1400 kHz signal	Same as above	Antenna Trimmer CT302 Fig. 3-4	Same as above

Note: Repeat the foregoing procedure two or three times until sufficient response is obtained.



Fig. 3-12 A-M OSC Coil L304



Procedure :

- (1) With the equipment connected as shown in Fig. 3-8, adjust the sweep generator output as low as possible and set scope controls to provide a visible indication.
- (2) Turn the top core of IFT 301 to obtain a maximum and symmetrical response. See Fig. 3-9.

3-4 A-M Tuner Frequency Coverage and Tracking Alignment

- Test Equipment Required :
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- (2) Radiating AntennaStandard Loop Antenna (3) AC VTVM or Oscilloscope.....Capable of indicating rms voltage of 0.1V or less
- (4) Alignment Tools.

Preparation :

- (1) Remove the chassis cover.
- (2) Set the receiver's controls as follows; VOLUME controlMinimum position FUNCTION SelectorA-M

Procedures :

With the equipment connected as shown ni Fig. 3-11, follow the procedure given in Table 2.



Fig. 3-10 A-M I-F Adjustment Test Point

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Fig. 3-13 A-M Antenna Core (L303) Adjustment

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4-2 FM Muting Operation Adj.

- (1) Connect the equiqment as shown in Fig. 4-4.
- (2) Set the fm signal generator frequency to 98 MHz, 400 Hz, 100 % modulation.
 Output level: 60 dB/n
- (4) Tune the set to obtain maximum tuning meter indication. Turn the core of T202 on the I-F Discriminator board with a non-metalic alignment tool for a maximum dc voltmeter reading at the base of Q209 and be sure that the muting will not take place.
- (5) Decrease the signal generator output and be sure that the muting function is still in operative at an output level of 15±1 dB/µ. Adjust Rv201 (100 k ohms) so that muting takes place when signal strength is decreaced below this level.

4-3 FM Monaural Distortion Adj.

- (1) Connect the equipment as shown in Fig. 4-4.
- (2) Set the fm Signal Generator frequency to 98 MHz, 400 Hz, 100 % modulation.
 Output level: 60 dB/₁/₁
- (3) Set the receiver's controls as described in section 4-2.
- (4) Tune the receiver to 98 MHz and adjust the bottom core of T201 (Discriminator Transformer), primary side, for minimum distortion.

4-4 FM Stereo Distortion Adj.

- Connect the equipment as shown in Fig. 4-4, set the fm signal generator as follows:
 - Carrier Frequency98 MHz
 - Output level60 dB/1
 - Modulation: Main Channel (400 Hz) ······45 %
 - (33.75 kHz)
 - Sub Channel (38 kHz) ······45 %
 - (33.75 kHz)
 - Pilot Signal (19 kHz)10 % (7.5 kHz)

The above mentioned modulation will be performed by following the next procedure.

(a) With the equipment connected as shown in Fig.
 4-4, set the MPX stereo generator controls as follows:

- SUB CHANNEL.....OFF
- 19 kHz (PILOT)·····ON
- (b) Adjust the MPX generator output level to obtain a 7.5 kHz deviation on the FM SSG modulation indicator.
- (c) Reset the MPX stereo generator controls as follows:

MAIN	CHANNELON	1
SUB	CHANNELOF	F

- 19 kHz (PILOT)-----OFF
- (d) Adjust the audio oscillator output control to obtain a 33.75 kHz deviation on the FM SSG modulation indicator.
- (e) Set all controls to the ON position.
- (2) Measure the distortion on each channel. Turn the core of T401 (switching transformer) in the MPX decoder board to obtain minimum distortion. See Fig. 4-5.



Fig. 4-5 Location of T401 (Switching Transformer) and RV604 (Channel Separation)

4-5 Channel Separation Adj.

- With the equipment connected as shown in Fig. 4-4, set the signal generator's and receiver's controls to the positions described in the stereo distortion check, Section 4-4.
- (2) Measure the channel separation as follows: Record the output level of the left channel when the MPX generator input selector is set to the left channel. Switch the input selector to the right channel, and read the residual signal level in the left channel.

The output level to residual level ratio represents the separation.

Adjust Rv604 (1 k-B) (separation Adj.) on the MPX and Preamplifier board for minimum residual level. Measure the right channel separation, usually there exists about an 8 to 9 dB difference after doing above mentioned procedure.

Readjust Rv604 for minimum difference between left and right separation. See Fig 4-5.

Note: The output level changes according to the setting of Rv604.

4-6 Dial Pointer Calibration

- (1) Connect the signal generator to the antenna terminals using a dummy antenna.
- (2) Set the generator to 98 MHz (crystal calibrated) 2
 400 Hz 100 % modulation, Output level, 20 dB///
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- (3) Set the MUTING switch to OFF.
- (4) Tune the set precisely to 98 MHz signal.(5) Set the pointer to 98 MHz on the dial.

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Fig. 4-6 Emitter Voltage Measurement of Power Transistors

4-7 Power Amplifier Adj.

Note: To simplify the following description, only the left channel and its related circuitry are described. The right channel is identical except for reference symbol numbers (See schematic diagram)

This adjustment should be performed after replacing any transistors removed from the power amplifier section.

Caution: To avoid accidental power transistor damage, increase the ac line voltage gradually, using the variable transformer, while measuring the voltage drop across the emitter resistor R724 (0.5 ohm). Be sure that the reading does not exceed 20 mV. See Fig. 4-6.

Preparation :

Set the receiver's controls as follows.

TONE ControlFlat (center position)

MODE Switch STEREO

FUNCTION SwitchTAPE

VOLUME Control Fully counterclockwise (A) Dc Bias Adjustment

Caution: Serious deficiencies in performance, such as thermal runaway of power transistors, will result if this adjustment is set improperly.

Connect the dc voltmeter across the emitter resistor R724 (0.5 ohm) as shown in Fig. 4-6.

Turn on the power switch: then increase the line voltage gradually up to the rated value by means of variable transformer.

3. Adjust Rv702 (500 ohm-B) to obtain a 20 mV reading on the meter. See Fig. 4-8.

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4-5 Channel Separation Adj.

- (1) With the equipment connected as shown in Fig. 4-4, set the signal generator's and receiver's controls to the positions described in the stereo distortion check, Section 4-4.
- (2) Measure the channel separation as follows:
 - Record the output level of the left channel when the MPX generator input selector is set to the left channel. Switch the input selector to the right channel, and read the residual signal level in the left channel.

The output level to residual level ratio represents the separation.

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- (5) Set the pointer to 98 MHz on the dial.



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Preparation :

Set the receiver's controls as follows

TONE Control	Flat (center position)
MODE Switch	STEREO
FUNCTION Switch	TAPE
VOLUME Control	

(A) Dc Bias Adjustment

- Caution: Serious deficiencies in performance, such as thermal runaway of power transistors, will result if this adjustment is set improperly.
- 1. Connect the dc voltmeter across the emitter resistor R724 (0.5 ohm) as shown in Fig. 4-6.
- 2. Turn on the power switch; then increase the line voltage gradually up to the rated value by means of variable transformer.
- 3. Adjust Rv702 (500 ohm-B) to obtain a 20 mV reading on the meter. See Fig. 4-8.,



Fig. 4-7 Power Amplifier Adjustment Test Set-up

(B) Ac Balance Adjustment

- Note: Serious deficiencies in harmonic distortion at heigh levels will result if this adjustment is set improperly.
- 1. With the equipment connected as shown in Fig. 4-7, feed a 1 kHz, 0 dB signal to the "TAPE" input terminal through the attenuator.
- 2. Turn the volume control gradually and watch the waveform on the oscilloscope. Turn the Rv701 (100 k Ω -B) to obtain an output waveform such that the positive and negative peaks

are clipped at the same time when increasing the volume control. See Fig. 4-8, 4-9.



Fig. 4-8 Location of RV702, 802 (DC Bias Adj.) and RV701, 801 (AC Balance Adj.)

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Service Note:

The most effective troubleshooting method is signal tracing. That is, apply a standard rf or audio signal at the antenna or input terminals and trace the signal through the amplifier chain using an AC VTVM or calibrated oscilloscope. Normal values of signal voltages are shown on the level diagram and schematic diagram.

The faulty stage usually precedes the point at which an abnormal signal voltage is found. However, signal loss can also result from a short or low impedance at the point where low signal voltage is found.





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When the defective stage has been located check dc voltages in the stage. Most current failures will affect resistance checks to locate the fault to a component.

In performing voltage check or tracing signal level by dc or ac VTVM, test leads are usually have to touch the component lead after removing the printed board from chassis. Your time will be saved by reforming test lead of your equipment to touch the leads of capacitors, transistors or resistors directly from component side of printed circuit board as shown.



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- Component Side -



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A-M I-F Board

- Conductor Side-



- Component Side -



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MPX and Equalizer Amplifier Board

- Conductor Side -

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MPX and Equalizer Amplifier Board - Component Side -





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Tone Control and Flat Amplifier Board

- Conductor Side -



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Tone Control and Flat Amplifier Board

- Component Side -





Power Amplifier Board

- Conductor Side -



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- Component Side -



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Power Supply Board

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