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# MODEL 122A/AR OSCILLOSCOPE 

## SERIALS PREFIXED: 521-08210

See Section VII for Instruments with other Serial Prefixes.

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SWEEP
Sweep Range: 15 calibrated sweeps, from 5 $\mu \mathrm{sec} / \mathrm{cm}$ to $200 \mathrm{msec} / \mathrm{cm}$, accurate to within $5 \%$, in a $1,2,5$ sequence. Vernier permits continuous adjustment of sweep time between calibrated steps and extends the $200 \mathrm{msec} / \mathrm{cm}$ range to at least $0.5 \mathrm{sec} / \mathrm{cm}$.
Sweep Expand: X5 sweep expansion may be used on all ranges and expands fastest sweep to 1 $\mu \mathrm{sec} / \mathrm{cm}$. Expansion is about the center of the CRT and expanded sweep accuracy is $\pm 10 \%$.
Synchronization: Automatic from 50 Hz to 250 kHz ; internally from vertical deflection signals causing $1 / 2 \mathrm{~cm}$ or more vertical deflection; from external signals 2.5 volts peak-to-peak or greater, and from line voltage.
Trigger Point: Control overrides automatic and permits the trigger point to be set between -10 and +10 volts. Turning fully counterclockwise into AUTO restores automatic operation. Positive or negative slope may be selected on the INTernal trigger. Triggering in EXTernal is automatically established on the negative slope.

## VERTICAL AMPLIFIERS

Bandwidth: DC coupled: DC to 200 kHz . AC coupled: 2 Hz to 200 kHz . Bandwidth is independent of calibrated sensitivity setting.
Sensitivity: $10 \mathrm{mv} / \mathrm{cm}$ to $100 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm} .4$ calibrated steps accurate within $\pm 3 \%, 10 \mathrm{mv} / \mathrm{cm}, 100$ $\mathrm{mv} / \mathrm{cm}, 1 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$, and $10 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$. Vernier permits continuous adjustment of sensitivity between steps and extends $10 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$ step to at least $100 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$.
Internal Calibrator: Calibrating signal automatically connected to vertical amplifier for standardizing of gain, accuracy $\pm 2 \%$.

Input Impedance: 1 megohm, approximately 50 pf shunt capacitance.
Phase Shift: Vertical and horizontal amplifiers have same phase characteristics within $\pm 2^{\circ}$ to 100 kHz when verniers are fully clockwise.
Isolation: Greater than 80 db isolation between channels A and B from dc to 200 kHz .
Balanced Input: On $10 \mathrm{mv} / \mathrm{cm}$ range on both amplifiers. Input impedance, 2 megohms shunted by approximately 25 pf . Common mode rejection is at least 40 db . Common mode signal must not exceed $\pm 3$ volts peak.
Difference Input: Both input signals may be switched to one channel to give differential input on all vertical sensitivity ranges. The sensitivity switches may be set separately to allow mixing signals of different levels. Common mode rejection is at least 40 db with both switches on most sensitive ranges; 30 db on other ranges.
Vertical Presentation: Switch selects: A ONLY, B ONLY, B-A, ALTERNATE or CHOPPED.

## HORIZONTAL AMPLIFIER

Bandwidth: DC coupled: DC to 200 kHz . AC coupled: 2 Hz to 200 kHz . Bandwidth is independent of calibrated sensitivity setting.
Sensitivity: $0.1 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$ to $100 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm} .3$ calibrated steps, accurate within $\pm 5 \%, 0.1 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}, 1 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$, and $10 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$. Vernier permits continuous adjustment of sensitivity between steps and extends $10 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$ step to at least $100 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$.
Input Impedance: Approximately 1 megohm shunted by 100 pf .
Phase Shift: Horizontal and vertical amplifiers have same phase characteristics within $\pm 2^{\circ}$ to 100 kHz .

# SECTION I GENERAL INFORMATION 

## 1-1. DESCRIPTION.

1-2. The Hewlett-Packard Model 122A/AR (Figure 1-1) is a dc to 200 kHz (kilocycle) dual-trace cathode-ray oscilloscope. It has accurately calibrated input sensitivity and sweep speed ranges. This oscilloscope features dc-coupled differential amplifiers and dual trace operation. Differential amplifiers are useful since they reject the common mode (in-phase) part of the input while amplifying the differential (out-of-phase) part. For instance, they will reject hum pick up while amplifying the desired signal. In addition, using differential amplifiers has other advantages. Normally dc amplifiers are difficult to keep stable. Changes such as aging and changes of potentials cause this drift. However, these changes are of the common mode type and are rejected by differential amplifiers. Thus differential amplifiers are also used as stabilized de amplifiers.
1-3. Dual trace operation is obtained with an electronic switch. This permits observation of two signals at the same time. The two signals may be viewed either alternately during consecutive sweeps or chopped on each sweep. Chopped operation involves switching rapidly between the two signals so that both appear
to be traced simultaneously. The most useful type of presentation in each case will depend upon the frequencies involved. Generally, chopped operation is used with low frequency signals. These signals may also be viewed separately or with their difference (B-A) displayed on the screen. Complete specifications for the Model 122A/AR are given in Table 1-1.

## 1-4. CATHODE-RAY TUBE.

1-5. The Model 122A/AR uses an internal graticule CRT which eliminates parallax error in observing the display. The CRT is equipped with a nonglare safety face plate.

1-6. A type P31 aluminized phosphor CRT is normally furnished with the Model 122A/AR, however, P2 phosphor (general purpose), P7 phosphor (long persistence) with amber filter, and P11 (fast writing rate). are also available at no extra cost. An external graticule which is edge-lighted with controlled illumination is available under Option 05 (see Table 1-1, Specifications).

Table 1-1. Specifications (Cont'd)

## GENERAL

Cathode Ray Tube: 5AQP31 mono-accelerator, normally furnished. Other phosphors available, see Modifications. Accelerating potential 3000 volts.
Internal Graticule (standard): $10 \mathrm{~cm} \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$, marked in cm squares with axes in 2 mm subdivisions. Eliminates parallax error.
External Graticule (see Modifications): Edgelighted with controlled illumination, 10 cm x 10 cm marked in cm squares. Major horizontal and vertical axes have 2 mm subdivisions. Color of filter compatible with CRT phosphor supplied: Green with P31 and P2, Amber with P7, Blue with P11.
CRT Bezel: Light-proof bezel provides firm mount for oscilloscope camera.
CRT Plates: Directconnection to deflection plates via terminals on rear. Sensitivity approximately $20 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{cm}$.

- Intensity Modulation: Terminals on rear. +20 v pulse will blank trace of normal intensity.
Weight:
Cabinet Mount: Net, $35 \mathrm{lbs}(15,8 \mathrm{~kg})$. Shipping, $45 \mathrm{lbs}(20,3 \mathrm{~kg})$.
Rack Mount: Net, 34 lbs (11, 3 kg ). Shipping, $49 \mathrm{lbs}(22 \mathrm{~kg})$.
Power: 115 or 230 volts $\pm 10 \%, 50$ to 1000 Hz ; approximately 150 watts.
Dimensions:
Cabinet Mount: 9-3/4 in. ( 248 mm ) wide, 15 in. ( 310 mm ) high, 21-1/4 in. ( 540 mm ) deep.

Rack Mount: As Shown.


Modifications: CRT Phosphors: (Specify by phosphor number) P31 Standard. P2, P7 with amber filter, P11 available, no charge.
Options: (Specify by option number.) 05: External graticule with P31 phosphor (specify P2, P7, or P11 if required). 06: Rear terminals in parallel with front terminals. Three 3-pin $\mathrm{A} / \mathrm{N}$ connectors for vertical inputs and horizontal/external trigger input. (Mating $\mathrm{A} / \mathrm{N}$ connectors included.)
Special order: For single sweep operation specify H15-122A (cabinet) or H15-122AR (rack mount).

## 1-7. CATHODE-RAY TUBE WARRANTY.

$1-8$. The CRT usedin the Model 122A/AR is covered by a warranty separate from the instrument warranty. The CRT warranty is included at the back of the manual for your use in the event of CRT failure during the warranty period listed therein.

## 1-9. ACCESSORY AVAILABLE.

1-10. A Model 10175B Viewing Hood is available at extra cost. This is a face-fitting molded rubber hood used to shade the face of the CRT under high ambient light conditions. It will permit the use of lower beam intensity setting.

## 1-11. MANUAL IDENTIFICATION.

1-12. Information in this manual applies directly to Model 122A/AR instruments with serial prefix of 521-. The serial prefix is the first 3 digits of the eight digit
serial number (000-00000) used to identify each Hewlett-Packardinstrument. If the serial prefix of a Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ is not 521-, a change sheet supplied with the manual, or Appendix I will define the difference between that Model 122A or 122AR and the one described in this manual, or a different manual may provide the information. Corrections to this manual due to any errors which existed when this manual was printed, are called Errata and appear only on the change sheet supplied. For information pertaining to change sheets, contact the nearest Hewlett-Packard Sales/Service Office.

## 1-13. SCOPE OF MANUAL.

1-14. This manual supplies operating and maintenance instructions for the Model 122A/AR Oscilloscopes. Directions are given for the Cabinet Model 122A, but are the same for the Rack Model 122AR. The locations of the controls on the front panel are different, but their functions are the same.

# SECTION II <br> INSTALLATION 

## 2-1. INITIAL INSPECTION.

2-2. MECHANICAL CHECK. If external damage to the shipping carton is evident, ask the carrier's agent to be present when the instrument is unpacked. Check the instrument for external damage such as broken controls or connectors, and dents or scratches on the panel surface. If damage is evident, see Paragraph 2-4 for recommended claim procedure and repackaging information. If the shipping carton is not damaged, check the cushioning material and note any signs of severe stress as an indication of rough handling in transit. If the instrument appears undamaged, perform the electrical check.

## $2-3$. ELECTRICAL CHECK. Check the electrical

 performance of the Model 122A/AR as soon as possible after receipt. Paragraphs 5-7 through 5-20 contain the performance check procedures which will verify instrument operation within the specifications listed in Table 1-1. This checkis also suitable for incoming quality control inspection. If the Model 122A/AR does not perform within the specifications when received, refer to Paragraph 2-4 for recommended claim procedure and repackaging information.
## 2-4. CLAIMS AND REPACKAGING.

$2-5$. If physical damage is evident, or if the instrument does not meet specifications when received, notify the carrier and the nearest Hewlett-Packard Sales/Service Office (see list at rear of manual). The Sales/Service Office will arrange for repair or replacement without waiting for settlement of a claim with the carrier.

2-6. The original shipping carton and packaging material, with the exception of accordion-pleated pads, should be used for reshipment. The accordion-pleated pads are fatigued with one use and are not reusable. The Hewlett-Packard Sales/Service Office will also provide information and recommendations on materials to be used if the original packaging material is not available or is not reusable. Materials used should include:
a. A double-walled carton, see Table 2-1 for test strength required.

Table 2-1. Shipping Carton Test Strengths

| Gross Weight (lbs) | Carton Strength (test lbs) |
| :---: | :---: |
| up to 10 | 200 |
| 10 to 30 | 275 |
| 30 to 120 | 350 |
| 120 to 140 | 500 |
| 140 to 160 | 600 |

b. Heavy paper or sheets of cardboard to protect all instrument surfaces; use a nonabrasive material such as polyurethane or cushioned paper suchas Kimpak around all projecting parts.
c. At least 4 inches of tightly-packed, industry approved shock-absorbing material such as extrafirm polyurethane foam.
d. Heavy-duty shipping tape for securing outside of carton.

## 2-7. PREPARATION FOR USE.

## 2-8. POWER REQUIREMENTS.

$2-9$. The Model 122A/AR Oscilloscope requires a power source of either 115 or 230 volts ac, $\pm 10 \%$, single phase, 50 to 1000 Hz , which can deliver approximately 150 watts.

## 2-10. 230-VOLT OPERATION.

$2-11$. If the instrument is to be operated from a $230-$ volt source, the power transformer dual primary windings must be reconnected as follows: Remove the instrument from its case by removing the two large screws from the rear. (Model 122AR requires removal of four screws from the bottom. ) Locate the power transformer primary terminals. The two outer pairs of terminals (1 \& 2) and ( $3 \& 4$ ) are jumpered together, connecting the windings in parallel. Remove these two jumpers. Connect an insulated jumper between terminals 2 and 3 , which connects the two windings in series. Refer to the Low-Voltage Power Supply schematic for details. Replace the 2.0 amp slow-blow fuse with a 1.0 amp slow-blow fuse.

## 2-12. THREE-CONDUCTOR POWER CABLE.

$2-13$. For the protection of operating personnel, the National Electrical Manufacturers' Association (NEMA) recommends that the instrument panel and cabinet be grounded. The Model 122A/AR is equipped with a three-conductor power cable which, when plugged into an appropriate receptacle, grounds the instrument. The offset (round) pin on the power cable connector is the ground pin. To preserve the protection feature when operating the Model 122A/AR from a two-contact outlet, use a three-conductor to two-conductor adapter and connect the green lead on the adapter to ground at the power outlet.

## 2-14. VENTILATION REQUIREMENTS.

$2-15$. The Model 122A (cabinet mount) and Model 122AR (rack mount) instruments are provided with adequate ventilation openings for circulation of cooling air. When operating, the instrument should be located with at least 3 inches of clearance around the top, bottom, and rear of the housing.

## 2-16. INSTALLATION OF AMBER FILTER.

2-17. An amber filter (hp Part No. 120A-83A) is supplied with oscilloscopes having a CRT with type P7 phosphor. This filter may be installedfor improved visual observation of displays such as single-shot phenomena or very low frequency applications. The filter will improve the long persistency characteristics
desired for visual observance of this type display. To install the filter, proceed as follows:
a. Remove front panel CRT bezel.
b. Set filter into bezel, aligning larger rectangular slots in the edge of filter with guide metal posts of the bezel casting.
c. Remove oscilloscope top cover or case for access to rear of CRT.
d. Loosen clamp at socket of CRT.
e. Carefully push CRT toward rear of instrument enough to provide clearance for thickness of installed filter (about $1 / 8$ inch).
f. Replace bezel with filter and tighten bezel screws.
g. Slide CRT forward until light mask on front of CRT just lightly touches filter.
h. Tighten clamp just enough to keep CRT from turning. Do not over-tighten clamp or tube damage may result.
i. Check alignment of trace with graticule according to procedure in Paragraph 3-9.

# SECTION III OPERATION 

## 3-1. INTRODUCTION.

3-2. The Model 122A/AR Oscilloscope provides features of dual trace and 200 kHz bandwidth in both vertical and horizontal amplifiers. All operating controls are located on the front panel in a functional arrangement. The instrument may be used as an ordinary oscilloscope with a single trace, or when you want to compare two quantities it can provide two separate traces, which in many ways is like having two oscilloscopes. Both vertical amplifiers will accept either single-ended or balanced input signals on all ranges of sensitivity.

## 3-3. CONTROLS AND CONNECTORS.

3-4. FRONT PANEL. Figure 3-1 identifies the front panel controls, connectors and indicators, and provides a short description of their functions. The functions of the controls are discussed more completely in Paragraphs 3-5 through 3-16, below.
3-5. INTENSITY/POWER. Rotate clockwise to turn on the oscilloscope. The pilot lamp should glow, indicating power applied. After approximately $30 \mathrm{sec}-$ onds of warm-up, the trace or a spot should appear on the screen. Adjust the control for the desired intensity.
3-6. FOCUS. Adjust for optimum trace width in conjunction with setting of INTENSITY.
3-7. HORIZONTAL POSITION. Adjust to shift the trace right or left of the center line of the graticule.
3-8. VERTICAL POSITION. Adjust to position the Channel A and Channel B traces above and/or below the horizontal center line of the graticule.
3-9. SCALE (alignment ajdustment). To compensate for external magnetic disturbances and slight manufacturing tolerances, a front panel screwdriver adjustment has been provided to align the trace with the graticule. Adjust SCALE whenever realignment of the trace seems necessary. A check should be made after moving the instrument to a new operating location.
3-10. VERTICAL SENSITIVITY Set the Channel A and Channel B SENSITIVITY switches to the desired degree of deflection sensitivity, ac or dc input. Adjust the vernier knob to the value desired between the switch settings.

## Note

Do not exceed the common signal voltage limit under any circumstances. This limit is $\pm 3$ volts on the input grid. Note that this is the sum of all voltages (dc plus peak ac).

3-11. CHANNEL A POLARITY. Set this switch to the position required for upward deflection of the trace, either positive or negative.

Table 3-1. Common Signal Limits

| Attenuator Setting | Common Signal Limit |
| :---: | :---: |
| 0.01 volts $/ \mathrm{cm}$ | $\pm 3$ volts |
| 0.1 volts $/ \mathrm{cm}$ | 30 volts |
| 1.0 volts $/ \mathrm{cm}$ | 300 volts |
| 10.0 volts $/ \mathrm{cm}$ | 500 volts |

3-12. VERTICAL PRESENTATION. Set this switch to the position required for the type presentation desired. (Figures 3-2 through 3-12 give detailed information for various input modes.)
3-13. SWEEP TIME/HORIZONTAL SENSITIVITY. Set this switch to the desired SWEEP TIME or to the degrees of HORIZONTAL SENSITIVITY desired, if using external sweep source. Adjust the vernier knob to the value desired between switch settings.
3-14. SYNC. Select the source of synchronization by setting the SYNC switch to INTernal + or -, or to LINE or to EXTernal for the desired display.
3-15. TRIGGER LEVEL. Adjust this control to the desired level of trigger voltage, or rotate it to the extreme counterclockwise position for AUTOmatic sweep. The toggle switch to the right of the TRIGGER LEVEL/ SYNC controls selects either ac or dc coupling for the horizontal input, or when using external sweep source, allows ac coupling only. Horizontal deflection or external sync signals are fed into the terminals immediately below this toggle switch.
3-16. SWEEP EXPAND. This toggle switch enables the user to display normal sweep, or to expand the presentation five times horizontally, depending on switch position, X1 or X5.

## 3-17. REAR PANEL CONNECTORS.

3-18. Rear panel connections are available for direct input to the Z -axis for intensity modulating the trace. (A negative polarity will brighten the trace.) See Figure 3-13.

3-19. Direct input to the vertical and horizontal deflection plates is available at the rear panel. Either ac or dc coupling may be used. See Figure 3-14.


1. Applies power; controls intensity.
2. Controls position, horizontal trace.
3. Aligns trace with graticule.
4. Adjusts focus of trace.
5. Controls position, Channel A.
6. Controls position, Channel B.
7. Adjusts sensitivity between ranges, Channel A.
8. Adjusts sensitivity between ranges, Channel B.
9. Selects deflection sensitivity, Channel A.
10. Selects deflection sensitivity, Channel B.
11. Vertical input, Channel A.
12. Vertical input, Channel B.
13. Selects sweep speed or horizontal deflection sensitivity.
14. Adjusts sensitivity between ranges.
15. Multiplies sweep speed X 1 or X 5 .
16. Selects ac or dc horizontal input.
17. External horizontal or sync input.
18. Selects vertical presentation.
19. Selects polarity, Channel A.
20. Selects sweep sync source.
21. Adjusts level of trigger point on sync signal.

22. Feed input signal to upper red terminal of channel A.

Follow same procedure for other channel.

Figure 3-2. Unbalanced Input

## DIFFERENCE INPUT



To measure the difference between two signals:

1. Feed the larger signal to INPUT B.
2. Adjust channel B sensitivity with the VOLTS/ CM switch (VERNIER in CAL).
3. Feed the smaller signal to INPUT A.
4. Adjust A sensitivity with the VOLTS/CM switch to the same sensitivity as channel B in step 2.
5. Switch the VERTICAL PRESENTATION control to $\mathrm{B}-\mathrm{A}$ ( B minus A ).

Adjust the pattern by means of the B channel VERTICAL POSITION control, if necessary.

Figure 3-3. Difference Input


Balanced input may be used only on the . 01 VOLTS/CM ranges (AC or DC) because only the upper red terminal has an attenuator in series between it and the amplifier input grid. Same procedure may be used for other channel.
To connect proceed as follows:

1. Disconnect ground strap.
2. Connect input to red terminals.
3. Set VERT. SENSITIVITY switch to . 01 VOLTS/CM (AC or DC).
4. Set VERT. PRESENTATION to A.
5. Set CHANNEL A POLARITY to polarity desired. Channel B may be connected similarly. Both channels may be connected and observed with either CHOP. or ALT. presentation.

## INTERNAL SWEEP - INTERNAL SYNCHRONIZATION



1. Feed vertical input signal(s) into vertical input terminal(s).
2. Set VERT. PRESENTATION switch to desired presentation.
3. Adjust VERT. SENSITIVITY switch(es) for desired sensitivity. (Note that there are both AC and DC coupled ranges.)
4. Set SYNC switch to INT (+ or -), depending upon slope of trigger point desired.
5. Set SWEEP TIME - HOR. SENS. switch for desired sweep speed.
6. If AUTOMATIC sweep is not desired, rotate TRIGGER LEVEL control to select level of trigger point.


Useful for observing low frequency signals (less than approximately 2 kc ). Synchronize sweep externally to avoid '"jitter".

1. Feed input signal to upper red terminal of channel A.
2. Feed input signal to upper red terminal of channel B.
3. Set VERT. PRESENTATION to CHOP.
4. Connect external sync signal.

## ALTERNATE SWEEP OPERATION



Useful for observing higher frequency signals (above approximately 2 kc ).

1. Feed input signal to upper red terminal of channel A.
2. Feed input signal to upper red terminal of channel B .
3. Set VERT. PRESENTATION to ALT. Use this method of presentation for fast sweep speeds. Since each is individually triggered, this presentation can be used with internal
triggering even when the two signals are not related in frequency. When operating in this manner the intensity of the traces will be reduced if the traces are separated on the screen. This may be eliminated by adjusting the VERTICAL POSITION controls so that the traces overlap. Usually operation will involve signals related in frequency. Also, if it is desired to maintain phase information between the two signals being viewed, it is necessary to use external triggering. If this is the case, use external triggering. It is then possible to separate the traces without intensity reduction.

Figure 3-7. Alternate Sweep Operation

INTERNAL SWEEP - EXTERNAL SYNCHRONIZATION


1. Feed vertical input signal(s) into vertical input terminal(s).
2. Set VERT. PRESENTATION switch to desired presentation.
3. Adjust VERT. SENSITIVITY switch(es) for desired sensitivity. (Note that there are both AC and DC coupled ranges.) Use DC coupling below 2 cps or to preserve dc level. AC couple above 2 cps or to eliminate dc component in input. AC coupling may introduce excessive tilt in low-frequency square waves.

The sum of the dc and peak ac applied to the INPUT terminals must not exceed 600 volts.
4. Feed synchronizing signal $(2-1 / 2 \mathrm{v} p-\mathrm{p}$ or more) into external synchronizing terminals which are ac coupled. AC-DC switch has no effect.
5. Set SYNC switch to EXT.
6. Adjust SWEEP TIME - HOR. SENS. switch for desired sweep speed.
7. If AUTOMATIC sweep is not desired, rotate TRIGGER LEVEL control to select level of trigger point.

Figure 3-8. Internal Sweep -- External Synchronization

## VERTICAL BALANCE ADJUSTMENT



Figure 3-9. Vertical Balance Adjustment

VERTICAL SENSITIVITY CALIBRATION


1. Set A VERT. SENSITIVITY switch to CAL position.
2. Set VERNIER to CAL position.
3. Set VERT. PRESENTATION switch to A.
4. Adjust GAIN control to give a pattern height of 6 cm . Repeat this procedure for channel $B$.

The vertical amplifier is now calibrated so that the engraved markings on the VERT. SENSITIVITY controls are accurate within $\pm 5 \%$ whenever the VERNIERs are in CAL.

Figure 3-10. Vertical Sensitivity Calibration

INTERNAL SWEEP MAGNIFICATION


1. Make sure SWP. EXP. switch is in X1 position.
2. After obtaining pattern, center the two centimeters of pattern to be magnified on center vertical axis with HORIZ. POS. control.
3. Set SWP. EXP. switch to X5.

Any two cm portion of pattern may be selected to be viewed magnified five times by adjustment of HORIZ. POS. control.

Figure 3-11. Internal Sweep Magnification

EXTERNAL HORIZONTAL INPUT


1. Feed horizontal signal to horizontal input terminals.
2. Set AC-DC switch for type of input coupling desired.
3. Set SWEEP TIME - HORIZ. SENS. switch for desired sensitivity.

This type of input will be found useful for viewing Lissajous patterns, etc.

Figure 3-12. External Horizontal Input

## INTENSITY MODULATION OPERATION



CAUTION - The deflection plates of the oscilloscope operate at a dc potential above ground.

TURN THE INSTRUMENT OFF BEFORE REMOVING THE COVER PLATE FROM THE DEFLECTION PLATE TERMINALS, TO AVOID COMING IN CONTACT WITH HIGH VOLTAGES.

To intensity modulate with an external signal:

1. Remove the vertical jumper marked $Z$-axis.
2. Connect the external intensity modulation signal to these terminals (a negative signal will brighten the trace).

Figure 3-13. Intensity Modulation Operation

## CONNECTION TO DEFLECTION PLATES



CAUTION: Deflection plates of cathode-ray tube operate at high de potentials. TURN MODEL 122A OFF BEFORE REMOVING COVER PLATE FROM DEFLECTION PLATE TERMINALS.

To connect an external signal to the deflection plates:

## AC COUPLED

1. Remove the jumpers going to terminals D1 and D2 for horizontal input and/or D3 and D4 for vertical input.
2. Connect 1 megohm, $1 / 2$ watt resistors in place of the jumpers removed in step 1.
3. Connect the vertical input blocking condensers to terminals D3 and D4 and the horizontal blocking condensers to D1 and D2.

The POSITION controls on the Model 122A will still control the pattern and good focus will be maintained.

## DIRECT COUPLED

1. Remove the jumpers going to terminals D1 and D2 for horizontal input and/or D3 and D4 for vertical input.
2. Connect leads from the vertical input directly to D3 and D4 and the lead from the horizontal input directly to D1 and D2.

POSITION controls will no longer control pattern. Position voltages must be furnished by the signal source. Best picture focus is obtained when plates are at +275 volts with respect to Model 122A chassis.

Figure 3-14. Connection to Deflection Plates

## CONNECTING EXTERNAL CAPACITORS TO EXTEND SWEEP TIME



The slowest calibrated sweep provided on the instrument is $1 / 5$ second $/ \mathrm{cm}$. This can be extended with the SWEEP TIME VERNIER to at least $1 / 2$ second/cm or 5 seconds for the full 10 cm sweep. If you wish a slower sweep the range can be extended indefinitely by connecting a pair of external capacitors to the sweep circuits.

To extend the sweep time, remove chassis from cabinet.

1. Connect external capacitor across capacitor shown on SWEEP TIME/CM switch.
2. Connect external capacitor from point shown to ground.

Values of both capacitors are the same and will be determined by the sweep speed desired. Note that the only ranges that these capacitors will affect are the 50, 100, and 200 MICROSECONDS/CM ranges. The extension of the sweep time is in proportion to the amount of capacity added to the circuit. Using $2 \mu \mathrm{fd}$ capacitors will increase the calibration of the above ranges to approximately $0.5,1$, and 2 seconds/cm respectively.

The capacitor mentioned in step 1 of this figure must be a high-quality type such as mylar. No loss of sweep linearity occurs if a capacitor with these specifications is used. The second capacitor is connected to the hold-off circuits and does not require special characteristics.

Figure 3-15. Connecting External Capacitors to Extend Sweep Time

# SECTION IV PRINCIPLES OF OPERATION 

## 4-1. OVER-ALL DESCRIPTION.

## 4-2. GENERAL CONTENT.

$4-3$. This section contains a description of the principles of operation of the Model 122A/AR Oscilloscope. The oscilloscope is comprised of five major functional circuit groups: the vertical amplifiers, the sweep generator, the horizontal amplifier, the low-voltage power supply, and the high-voltage power supply (see Figure 4-1).

### 4.4. VERTICAL AMPLIFICATION CHANNELS.

$4-5$. Since the two vertical channels are similar, only one description will be given. The vertical amplifier receives the input signal, amplifies it, and drives the vertical deflection plates. It provides attenuation of the input signal, determines the vertical position of the spot on the screen, and supplies a signal for internal synchronization. The signal comes into the input terminals and is fed to the ac-dc section of the VERT SENSITIVITY switch. If the switch is on
an ac range, the signal goes through a capacitor. If the switch is on a dc range, the signal goes directly to the attenuator. The attenuator has three frequencycompensated networks: a straight-through range, an OFF position (where the input grid is shorted), and a CAL position. In the CAL position the calibrator output is connected to the vertical amplifier input and plate voltage is connected to the calibrator. The calibrator is a neon-lamp relaxation oscillator. The vertical amplifier is composed of three dc-coupled differential stages in cascade. Common to the two input channel amplifiers are a switching amplifier, a switching multivibrator and a trigger amplifier. The input stage of each channel has the BAL adjustment between the cathodes. The VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER and the GAIN adjustment are between the plates of the input amplifier stage. The second and output stages in each channel have plate-to-grid neutralization. The VERTICAL POSITION control is connected between the cathodes of the second stage. The output stage is controlled by the switching amplifier whose plates furnish the cathode


Figure 4-1. Over-all Block Diagram
currentfor the output stage. The switching amplifier is controlled, in turn, by the switching multivibrator.

## 4-6. VERTICAL PRESENTATION SWITCH.

4-7. The vertical presentation switch selects the type of vertical amplifier operation as follows:
a. A or B. The locked state is used when the VERT PRESENTATION switch is set to A, B, or B-A. Note that the multivibrator can be locked in either of its two possible states (Channel A on, or Channel B on). The other channel (not used) is biased off. In the B-A position, Channel B is locked on.
b. ALT. The bistable state is used when the VERT PRESENTATION switch is set to ALT. Bistable means stable in either of two positions. For example, when operating in the ALT position, Channel A is off and Channel B is on until a trigger pulse is received from the sweep. At this moment Channel A is turned on and Channel B is turned off. This action is repetitive and occurs at the end of each sweep.
c. CHOP. In the CHOP position the multivibrator is astable. The circuit is a free-running multivibrator with approximately a 40 kHz rate.
d. B-A. In the B-A (B minus A) position the signal from Channel B input is fed directly into the Channel B amplifier. The signal from Channel A input is fed into the opposite side of the Channel Bdifferential amplifier. The output of the Channel B amplifier is then the difference between the Channel B and Channel A signals. This is the only signal shown on the screen.

## 4-8. HORIZONTAL AMPLIFICATION SWITCH.

4-9. The horizontal amplifier receives an input signal either from the horizontal input terminals or from the internal sweep generator, amplifies the signal, and drives the horizontal deflection plates. The horizontal amplification channel also provides attenuation of the input signal, magnification of the internal sweep and determines the horizontal position of the trace on the screen. The signal comes into the input terminals and is fed to the AC-DC switch. If this switch is in the AC position the signal goes through a capacitor which blocks any de component. If this switch is in the DC position the signal goes straight through. The horizontal input signal passes through the horizontal sensitivity section of the SWEEP TIME HORIZ SENS switch. This switch has a three-position frequencycompensated attenuator.
4-10. The signal which is fed into the horizontal amplifier may be from either an external source or a sawtooth voltage from the sweep generator. The position of the SWEEP TIME-HORIZ SENS switch will determine which signal is fed into the amplifier. The amplifier consists of two differential stages in cascade. Plate-to-grid neutralization is used in both stages. The input differential amplifier, V101A, is driven single-ended. The grid of the undriven tube, V101B, connects to the POSITION potentiometer to obtain its bias. Two potentiometers, HORIZ SENS VERNIER and Horiz Gain, in the cathode circuit of V101 provide gain adjustment. These potentiometers are in the circuit only when the SWEEP TIME-HORIZ SENS switch is in the HORIZ SENS ranges. In the SWEEP TIME ranges the SWP EXP switch is used.

Either the X1 or the X5 $\dot{\mathrm{R}} \mathrm{C}$ networks may be switched into the cathode circuit of V101. A Horiz Bal potentiometer and a Phase Adj capacitor are connected between the plates of V101. Tube V101 feeds another differential amplifier stage, V102. The output of V102 drives the horizontal deflection plates of the CRT.

## 4-11. SWEEP GENERATOR.

$4-12$. The sweep generator consists of a trigger generator and a sawtooth generator. The trigger generator receives the synchronizing signal selected by the SYNC selector switch and generates a pulse which initiates the action of the sawtooth generator. The sawtooth generator then produces one complete cycle. It automatically shuts itself off by means of feedback upon completion of one cycle. The sweep circuit will operate again when another pulse is received from the trigger generator, but only after a hold-off time during which all of the circuits have had time to return to their quiescent voltages. This delay is necessary so that successive waveforms will start from the same voltage each time.

4-13. TRIGGER GENERATOR. The trigger generator consists of a synchronizing circuit and a trigger tube, V201. The synchronizing circuit receives a signal either from the vertical amplifier for internal synchronization (+or-), from an internal 6.3-volt source for line frequency synchronization, or from the horizontal input terminals for external synchronization. The trigger generator converts the signal into a fast, constant-amplitude pulse for operation of the startstop trigger, V202. Trigger generator, V201, is a Schmitt Trigger with narrow hysteresis limits. A negative signal starts the action by causing the trigger generator to change state. This action generates a square wave output. This square wave output is differentiated by L201 into a series of positive and negative pulses. These pulses are fed to the startstop trigger.

4-14. SAWTOOTH GENERATOR. The sawtooth generator consists of a start-stop trigger, an integrator switch, an integrator, and a hold-off cathode follower. The pulse from the trigger generator controls the start-stop trigger which, in turn, controls the integrator switch. The integrator switch controls the action of the integrator. The integrator generates a linear, rising voltage. This action plus the switching action of the integrator switch generates a sawtooth voltage. This sawtooth voltage is fed to the horizontal amplifier and to the hold-off cathode follower. The output of the hold-off cathode follower is fed to the grid of the start-stop trigger. This voltage keeps the start-stop trigger from triggering until all the circuits have had time to recover to their original quiescent voltage.
4-15. GATE CATHODE FOLLOWER. Another function of the sweep generator is to furnish a positive pulse to unblank the cathode-ray tube. This pulse is obtained from the start-stop trigger. Normally the voltage applied to the grid of the cathode-ray tube cuts off the beam. During the time of the sweep period a positive pulse is applied which overrides the negative voltage and unblanks the display.

## 4-16. HIGH VOLTAGE POWER SUPPLY.

4-17. The High Voltage Power Supply consists of a Hartley Oscillator driving two separate secondary windings and associated rectifiers. The Hartely Oscillator, pentode V302, is connected to the tapped primary winding of the high-voltage transformer. This circuit oscillates at approximately 100 kHz . The output of one of the rectifiers, V304, is connected to the grid of the CRT. The unblanking pulse is also directlycoupled to this supply and hence to the grid of the CRT. Output from rectifier V303 is connected to the cathode of the CRT. The INTENSITY control in the output divider of this supply determines the voltage on the CRT control grid and thus the brightness of the pattern. Voltage is taken from this supply and fed into the input of a two stage dc-coupled amplifier V301A \& B. The output of this amplifier is fed back to the screen of the Hartley Oscillator in the proper phase to oppose any change in the dc output of the cathode supply. The INTENSITY MODULATION terminals are ac-coupled to the cathode of the CRT. A negative voltage input will brighten the trace while a positive voltage of approximately twenty volts will blank the tube from normal intensity.

## 4-18. LOW VOLTAGE POWER SUPPLY.

4-19. The Low Voltage Power Supply consists of three regulated supplies, one positive output, one negative output, and a dc heater supply.

4-20. POSITIVE VOLTAGE SUPPLY. This supply furnishes +380 volts and +100 volts. It consists of a transformer, four silicon rectifiers, a pentode amplifier and a triode regulator in a typical regulated power supply configuration. A triode cathode follower is included to drop the full output of +380 volts down to furnish +100 volts. Neon tube, V315, protects the cathode follower from excessive cathode-to-grid voltage during warmup.
4-21. NEGATIVE VOLTAGE SUPPLY. This supply furnishes -150 volts and -30 volts. It consists of a transformer, two silicon rectifiers, and a regulator-amplifier-reference tube combination in a typical regulated power supply configuration. The -30 volt output is used as a heater reference voltage.

4-22. REGULATED HEATER SUPPLY. This supply furnishes regulated +24 volts to the heaters of the four input tubes of the vertical amplifiers. These tubes, V1, V2, and V4, V5 are connected in series parallel. By supplying this filament voltage from a regulated dc source, vertical trace drift is greatly reduced.
The supply consists of a transformer, a silicon rectifier, a transistor regulator, and a reference diode. The transistor is in series with the supply and the output voltage is applied to its base through the reference diode, CR308. The transistor, Q301, acts like a variable resistor which adjusts its resistance to maintain a constant voltage output.

Table 5-1. Required Test Equipment

| Recommended Instrument | Required for | Required Characteristics |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Voltmeter Calibrator hp Model 738B | Par. 5-9 Vert Amp Sensitivity Check <br> Par. 5-15 Horiz Amp Sensitivity Check <br> Par. 5-33 Chan B Gain Adj <br> Par. 5-34 Chan A Gain Adj <br> Par. 5-40 Horiz Gain Adj | $300 \mu \mathrm{v}$ to 300 vdc or ac rms and pk-pk $400 \mathrm{~Hz} ; 0.1 \%$ accuracy dc; $0.2 \%$ accuracy ac |
| Wide Range Oscillator hp Model 200CD | Par. 5-10 Vert Amp Bandwidth Check <br> Par. 5-11 Vert Amp Common Signal Rejection Check <br> Par. 5-16 Horiz Amp Bandwidth Check <br> Par. 5-18 Sweep Generator Triggering Check <br> Par. 5-26 EXT Trigger Sensitivity Adjustment <br> Par. 5-36 Chan A Atten Compensation \& B-A Common Mode Rejection Adjustment <br> Par. 5-41 Square Wave Response Adjustment | Output frequency 40 Hz and 400 kHz |
| Vacuum Tube Voltmeter hp Model 400H | Par. 5-10 Vert Amp Bandwidth Check <br> Par. 5-16 Horiz Amp Bandwidth Check Par. 5-18 Sweep Generator Triggering Check | 1. 0 mv to 300 v ranges; $\pm 1 \%$ accuracy; 50 Hz to 500 kHz ; input Z 10 meg shunted by 15 pf |
| Adjustable Attenuator hp Model 350D | Par. 5-11 Vert Amp Common Signal Rejection Check | 110 db in 1 db steps; dc to 100 $\mathrm{kHz} \pm 0.25 \mathrm{db} \mathrm{Z}=600$ ohms |
| Time Mark Generator Tektronix Type 180 or 184 | Par. 5-19 Internal Sweep Time Check Par. 5-20 Expanded Sweep Calibration Check <br> Par. 5-46 X1 Calibration Adjustment <br> Par. 5-47 X5 Calibration Adjustment <br> Par. 5-48 Sweep Linearity Adjustment <br> Par. 5-49 $50 \mu \mathrm{sec} / \mathrm{cm}$ Sweep Adjustment <br> Par. $5-500.5 \mathrm{~ms} / \mathrm{cm}$ Sweep Adjustment <br> Par. 5-51 $50 \mathrm{~ms} / \mathrm{cm}$ Sweep Adjustment <br> Par. 5-52 Sweep Length Adjustment | Accurate markersfrom $1 \mu$ sec to 5 sec |
| Vacuum Tube Voltmeter/ Ohmmeter hp Model 410B | Par. 5-24 Turn On Procedure Par. 5-28 Stability Adjustment | 1 to 300 v ranges; dc to 700 $\mathrm{MHz} ; \pm 3 \%$ accuracy; Input Z ac 10 meg shunted by 1.5 pf dc 122 megohms |
| Voltage Divider Probe hp Model 11045A | Par. 5-24 Turn On Procedure | 100: 1 division $\pm 5 \%$; 12 meg ohms input; (Calibrate to 1\%) |
| Square Wave Generator hp Model 211A | Par. 5-35 Chan B Attenuator Compensation Adjustment <br> Par. 5-42 Horiz Attenuator Compensation Adjustment | 1 kHz output; 200 nsec rise time;> 50 v into 1 megohm |

# SECTION V MAINTENANCE 

## 5-1. INTRODUCTION.

$5-2$. This section contains the performance check, Paragraph 5-5, adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-21. Schematic diagrams, troubleshooting information, and Component Identification are in Section VIII.

## 5-3. TEST EQUIPMENT.

5-4. Test equipment required for maintaining and checking the performance of the Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ is listed in Table 5-1. Test equipment having characteristics similar to those listed in the table may be substituted for the performance check and adjustments.

## 5-5. PERFORMANCE CHECK.

$5-6$. The performance check verifies whether or not the Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ is operating within the specifications outlined in Table 1-1. This check may be used as part of an incoming quality control inspection, as a periodic operational check, or after repairs and/or adjustments have been made. Recently calibrated test equipment should be usedwhen performing this check. If the instrument fails to meet a specification, carefully recheck instrument setup and the procedure; then if necessary, refer to the troubleshooting paragraphs or adjustment procedures. Refer to Section II for warranty and claims information. The performance check should be completed in the sequence given below. Do not attempt to start the procedure in mid-sequence, as succeeding steps are dependent upon control settings and results of previous steps.

## 5-7. VERTICAL AMPLIFIER.

5-8. ADJUST DC BALANCE AND VERTICAL CALIBRATION. A small screwdriver is required for this adjustment.
a. Check the vertical dc balance as shown in Figure 3-9.
b. Check the vertical sensitivity calibration as shown in Figure 3-10. If these controls do not function properly, refer to Vertical Amplifier adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-30, before proceeding further.
$5-9$. VERTICAL AMPLIFIER SENSITIVITY. A Voltmeter Calibrator (such as hp Model 738B) is required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

VERT PRESENTATION • . . . . . . . . . . . A
A VERT SENSITIVITY • • DC, . 01 VOLTS/CM A VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER •••• CAL TRIGGER LEVEL • . . Max ccw, not in AUTO
b. Connect a 0.1 volt ac signal from the calibrator to input terminal A. The vertical trace should be 10 $\mathrm{cm} \pm 3 \%(9.7-10.3 \mathrm{~cm}$ ). If not, refer to Vertical

Amplifier adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-30, before proceeding further.
c. Check dc response by switching a 0.1 volt dc level from the calibrator off and on. As the voltage is switched off and on, the CRT spot should shift 10 cm $\pm 3 \%$. Adjust VERTICAL POSITION as necessary.
d. Check the accuracy of the remaining positions of the attenuator. Table 5-2 lists the selector switch positions and gives the peak and rms voltage which should produce the deflection listed.

Table 5-2. Vertical Deflection Sensitivity

| Sensitivity <br> Volts/cm | Deflection <br> $\mathrm{cm} \pm 3 \%$ | Voltage Required |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | pk -pk | rms |
| 0.01 | 5 | 0.05 | 0.01767 |
| 0.1 | 5 | 0.5 | 0.1767 |
| 1 | 5 | 5.0 | 1.767 |
| 10 | 5 | 50.0 | 17.67 |

e. Repeat steps c and d using the ac ranges.
f. Repeat above procedure for channel B.

5-10. VERTICAL AMPLIFIER BANDWIDTH. AWide Range Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a Vacuum Tube Voltmeter (such as hp Model 400H) are required for this check.
a. Set the Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ controls:

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VERT PRESENTATION • . . . . . . . . . . . A
    A VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . 01 VOLTS/CM
    TRIGGER LEVEL . . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
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b. Connect the oscillator to input terminal A, and set it to 2 kHz ; adjust for 10 cm of deflection. Note reading on the vtvm.
c. Set the oscillator to 200 kHz and output to previous reading on the vtvm. The deflection should be at least 7.07 cm ( 3 db down point).
d. Repeat above procedures for channel B.

## 5-11. VERTICAL AMPLIFIER COMMON-SIGNAL

 REJECTION. A Wide Range Oscillator (such as hp Model 200 CD ) and an Adjustable Attenuator (such as hp Model 350D) are required for this check.a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { A VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . } 01 \text { VOLTS/CM } \\
& \text { A VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER . . . . . CAL } \\
& \text { SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . . } 5 \text { MILLISEC/CM } \\
& \text { VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . . A } \\
& \text { TRIGGER LEVEL . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO } \\
& \text { SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT }
\end{aligned}
$$

b. Connect the oscillator to the channel A input terminal through the adjustable attenuator terminated with 600 ohms.
c. With the oscillator set to 1 kHz and maximum output, switch the attenuator into the circuit until 1 cm of deflection is displayed.
d. Change input so that the same signal is fed into both red input terminals. Remove ground strap and connect ground side of oscillator to black terminal.
e. Switch the adjustable attenuator (reducing attenuation) until a deflection of 1 cm is again obtained. The attenuation change is the common-signal rejection and should be at least 40 db .
f. Repeat the above procedure for channel B.

5-12. VERTICAL AMPLIFIER COMMON-SIGNAL REJECTION (B-A). A Wide Range Oscillator (such as hp Model 200 CD ) is required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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A VERT SENSITIVITY • . . . 10 VOLTS/CM
B VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . 10 VOLTS/CM
B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER . . . . CAL
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . . }5\mathrm{ MILLISEC/CM
VERT PRESENTATION
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b. Connect the oscillator to both the Channel A and Channel B input terminals.
c. Set the oscillator to 2 kHz and adjust its output to display at 5 cm deflection.
d. Switch VERT PRESENTATION to B-A. Deflection should be less than 0.2 cm .
e. Set A and B VERT SENSITIVITY to 1 VOLT and readjust the oscillator output for 5 cm deflection. $B-A$ presentation should be less than 0.2 cm .
f. Switch A VERT SENSITIVITY and B VERT SENSITIVITY to. 1 VOLTS/CM and readjust the oscillator output for 5 cm of deflection. B-A presentation should be less than 0.2 cm of deflection.
g. Repeat steps above using 200 kHz output from the oscillator. Limits are the same as in the 2 kHz check.
h. If the instrument fails to meet any of these limits consult the appropriate part of the Vertical Amplifier adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-30.

5-13. DUAL TRACE PRESENTATION. No test equipment is required.
a. Set the Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ controls:

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TRIGGER LEVEL • . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . CHOP
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . 50 MILLISEC/CM
A VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . . . . . . OFF
B VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . . . . . . OFF
```

b. Adjust remaining oscilloscope controls to display the chopped trace.
c. The A VERTICAL POSITION control should move one chopped trace and the B VERTICAL POSITION control should move the other.
d. Set VERT PRESENTATION to ALT. The Channel A and Channel B traces should be displayed alternately.

## 5-14. HORIZONTAL AMPLIFIER.

5-15. HORIZONTAL AMPLIFIER SENSITIVITY. A Voltmeter Calibrator (such as hp Model 738B) is required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

> HORIZ SENS . . . . . . . . . . . 1 VOLTS/CM
> HORIZ SENS VERNIER . . . . . . . . . CAL
> VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . . A A A
> DC-AC . . . . . (horizontal input coupling) DC
b. Connect the Voltmeter Calibrator, set for 1.0 volt 400 Hz peak-to-peak, to the horizontal input terminals. Adjust the position controls to center the horizontal trace. The trace should be $10 \mathrm{~cm} \pm 5 \%$ long ( $9.5-10.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ ). If not, refer to the Horizontal Amplifier adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-38.
c. Check the dc response by switching a 0.1 volt dc voltage from the voltmeter calibrator off and on. As the voltage is switched off and on, the CRT spot should shift $10 \mathrm{~cm} \pm 5 \%$. Adjust A VERTICAL POSITION as necessary.
d. Check the accuracy of the remaining VOLTS/CM positions as shown in Table 5-3.

Table 5-3. Horizontal Deflection Sensitivity

| Sensitivity <br> Volts $/ \mathrm{cm}$ | Voltage for $10( \pm 5 \%) \mathrm{cm}$ Deflection |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathrm{pk}-\mathrm{pk}$ | rms |
| 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.3535 |
| 1.0 | 10.0 | 3.535 |
| 10.0 | 100.0 | 35.35 |

5-16. HORIZONTAL AMPLIFIER BANDWIDTH. A Wide Range Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a Vacuum Tube Voltmeter (such as hp Model 400H) are required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

HORIZ SENS . . . . . . . . . . 1 VOLTS/CM
TRIGGER LEVEL . . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
b. Connect the oscillator to the oscilloscope horizontal input terminals. Monitor the sine wave amplitude with the vtvm.
c. Adjust the remaining oscilloscope controls to display the horizontal trace.
d. Set the oscillator to 2 kHz and adjust for a 10 cm deflection. Note the reading on the vtvm.
e. Set the oscillator to 200 kHz . Set output to previous reading on the vtvm. The deflection should now be at least 7.07 cm ( 3 db down point). If not, refer to the Horizontal Amplifier adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-38.

## 5-17. SWEEP GENERATOR.

5-18. SWEEP GENERATOR TRIGGERING. A Wide Range Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a Vacuum Tube Voltmeter (such as hp Model 400H) are required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:
SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT
TRIGGER LEVEL. . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
A VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . 1 VOLTS/CM
A VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER . . . . CAL
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . . . A
b. Connect the oscillator, set for approximately $0.5 \mathrm{v} \mathrm{rms}, 400 \mathrm{~Hz}$, to the oscilloscope vertical input.
c. Adjust remaining oscilloscope controls to display a few cycles of signal.
d. Decrease the input from the oscillator until the pattern goes out of synchronization. The pattern should be 0.5 cm high or less.
e. Connect the oscillator to the external synchronization terminals and to the oscilloscope input. Monitor the sine wave amplitude with the vtvm.
f. Set SYNC switch to EXT.
g. Decrease the amplitude of the oscillator until the pattern goes out of synchronization. The reading on the vtvm should be 0.885 volts or less.
h. If the oscilloscope fails to meet either check, refer to the Sweep Generator adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-44.
5-19. INTERNAL SWEEP TIME. A Time Mark Generator (such as Tektronix Type 180) is required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . . . 1 MILLISEC/CM
SWEEP TIME VERNIER . . . . . . . . CAL
SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT
TRIGGER LEVEL . . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
b. Connect the output of the Time Mark Generator to the oscilloscope vertical input. Set the Time Mark Generator for $1 / 1000 \mathrm{sec}$ or a 1 millisecond period. Adjust remaining oscilloscope controls to display the signal with a vertically centered peak-to-peak deflection of 4 to 6 cm . This signal should produce 10 cycles in $10 \pm 5 \%(9.5-10.5) \mathrm{cm}$ of horizontal deflection.
c. Each step of the SWEEP TIME selector is checked using the method outlined above. Table 5-4 provides complete information on selector position, frequency or period of the timing signal and the number of cycles of the signal produced in $9.5-10.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ of horizontal deflection. If your oscilloscope does not meet these checks, refer to the Sweep Generator adjustment procedures, Paragraph 5-44.
5-20. EXPANDED SWEEP CALIBRATION. A Time Mark Generator (such as Tektronix Type 180) is required for this check.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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SWEEP TIME • . . . . . . 1 MILLISEC/CM
SWEEP TIME VERNIER • . . . . . . . . CAL
SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT
TRIGGER LEVEL . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
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b. Connect the output of the Time Mark Generator to the oscilloscope vertical input. Set the Time Mark Generator for $1 / 1000 \mathrm{sec}$ or a 1 millisecond period. Adjust remaining oscilloscope controls to display the signal with a vertically centered peak-to-peak deflection of 4 to 6 cm . This signal should produce 10 cycles in $10 \pm 5 \%$ centimeters of horizontal deflection.
c. Set SWP EXP switch to X5. Two complete cycles should now appear in $10 \pm 5 \%$ centimeters of horizontal deflection.

Table 5-4. Sweep Time Accuracy

| SWEEP TIME Position | Timing Signal |  | Cycles Produced in 9.5 to 10.5 cm |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Frequency | Period |  |
| *200 MILLISEC/CM | 1 Hz | 1 second | 2 |
| 100 MILLISEC/CM | 10 Hz | 100 milliseconds | 10 |
| 50 MILLISEC/CM | 10 Hz | 100 milliseconds | 5 |
| 20 MILLISEC/CM | 10 Hz | 100 milliseconds | 2 |
| 10 MILLISEC/CM | 100 Hz | 10 milliseconds | 10 |
| 5 MILLISEC/CM | 100 Hz | 10 milliseconds | 5 |
| 2 MILLISEC/CM | 100 Hz | 10 milliseconds | 2 |
| 1 MILLISEC/CM | $1,000 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 1 millisecond | 10 |
| . 5 MILLISEC/CM | $1,000 \mathrm{~Hz}$ | 1 millisecond | 5 |
| $200 \mu$ SEC/CM | 1, 000 Hz | 1 millisecond | 2 |
| $100 \mu$ SEC / CM | 10 kHz | 100 microseconds | 10 |
| $50 \mu$ SEC/CM | 10 kHz | 100 microseconds | 5 |
| $20 \mu$ SEC/CM | 10 kHz | 100 microseconds | 2 |
| $10 \mu$ SEC/CM | 100 kHz | 10 microseconds | 10 |
| $5 \mu$ SEC/CM | 100 kHz | 10 microseconds | 5 |
| *Use DC input coupling to avoid degrading the input signal. |  |  |  |

## 5-21. ADJUSTMENTS.

5-22. Table 5-1 lists the test equipment required to make these adjustments. Equipment having the required characteristics may be substituted for that listed. Equipment required for each procedure is also listed at the beginning of that procedure. Usually a particular oscilloscope will not need complete testing and calibration. Only one or two tests will be needed and they can be done without completing the entire test procedure.
$5-23$. The Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ and the test equipment to be used should be turned on and allowed to warm up for 30 minutes before making the adjustments. (Figures $5-1,5-2$, and $8-2$ identify various adjustments and their locations. ) The following procedures are listed in a recommended sequence for a complete test and calibration of the instrument. In general, tubes are the main cause of trouble and new ones should be tried before making adjustments or component replacements.

## 5-24. TURN ON PROCEDURE.

$5-25$. Perform this procedure only after repair work has been done on the instrument. The purpose of this procedure is to check that none of the power supplies have been shorted and to serve as a partial checkupon the correctness of the repairs that have been made.
a. Measure, as shown in Table 5-5, from the power supplies to chassis ground. A vacuum tube voltmeter/ ohmmeter (such as hp Model 410B) should be usedfor these measurements. When turning the oscilloscope on for the first time after repair in any of the power supply circuits, turn the INTENSITY control to its lowest (ccw) position to prevent possible damage to the CRT during warm-up. If you are able to get a small, round, and sharply focused spot with good brilliance by adjusting the controls, the high voltage power supply can be assumed to be operating properly.

Table 5-5. Low Voltage Power Supply Tolerances

| Power Supply | Voltages | Resistances |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| +380 | $365-395$ | 75 k ohms |
| +100 | $97-103$ | 120 k ohms |
| -150 | $135-175$ | 14 k ohms |
|  | (adj R344) |  |
| +24 | $22.5-25$ | 2.2 k ohms* |
| *With V1, V2, V4 and V5 removed from sockets |  |  |

b. Measure resistances to chassis ground into the vertical and horizontal input termina1s for all dc switch positions. These resistances should be 1 megohm. When switched to the OFF or CAL positions, the resistance readings should be infinity.
c. If necessary, the high voltage can be adjusted by R308 (see Figure 8-2). This voltage should be approximately -2250 as measured with a vtvm and voltage divider probe (such as hp Model 410B vtvm and hp Model 11045A Divider Probe). Make this measurement on the rectifier terminal with the orange wire.

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## HIGH VOLTAGE, DANGEROUS TO HUMAN LIFE:

(If the high voltage is changed, it may be necessary to recalibrate the Vertical and Horizontal amplifier gains, as covered in Paragraphs 5-33, 5-34, and 5-40.)
d. Adjust FOCUS control and Astigmatism adjustment, R316 (see Figure 5-1) at a low setting of the INTENSITY control to obtain a small, round, and sharply focused spot.


Figure 5-1. Left-Side Adjustment Location Diagram
e. Adjust the SCALE potentiometer on the front panel to align a finely-focused horizontal trace with the horizontal lines of the graticule. Repeat this adjustment whenever necessary due to changes in the location of the instrument or the influence of fields generated by nearby electrical equipment.

## 5-26. TRIGGER GENERATOR

$5-27$. The Trigger Generator circuit must be properly adjusted before the Vertical and Horizontal Amplifiers can be adjusted. Also, these Amplifiers must be properly adjusted before the Sawtooth Generator can be adjusted. The Trigger Generator circuit is adjusted as follows.
5-28. STABILITY ADJUSTMENT. A vacum tube voltmeter/ohmmeter (such as hp Model 410B) and asmall screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { A VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . . . . . OFF } \\
& \text { B VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . . . . . OFF } \\
& \text { SWEEP TIME • . . . . . . . } 5 \text { MILLISEC/CM } \\
& \text { SYNC. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT } \\
& \text { TRIGGER LEVEL • fully ccw, but not on AUTO } \\
& \text { VERT PRESENTATION • • . . . . . . A or B }
\end{aligned}
$$

b. Connect the vtvm ( -100 v dc range) to pin 8 of V203. Slowly rotate Stability control R228(see Figure $5-2$ ) ccw until the sweep starts free-running, then back control off until it just stops.
c. Take voltage reading (which should be approximately - 78 volts). Adjust R 228 for a reading 3 volts more positive than the last reading.
5-29. EXTERNAL TRIGGER SENSITIVITY
ADJUSTMENT. A wide range oscillator (such as hp Model 200 CD ), a test oscilloscope, and a small screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

> SYNC

TRIG . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .EXT
TRIGGER LEVEL . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
DC/AC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . DC
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . A or B
Trigger Sens R247 • . . . . . . . . . fully ccw
b. Connect a 250 kHz sine-wave of 0.7 v rms to the SYNC external input terminals, and observe the square wave by clipping the test oscilloscope probe over the body of R204 (V201A plate resistor).
c. Increase Trigger Sens control R247 (see Figure 5-2) until stable triggers are obtained. Check trigger sensitivity from 50 Hz to 250 kHz . Stable triggering should be obtained with less than 0.7 v rms over this range.
d. Remove the test set-up and check the rate when the TRIGGER LEVEL control is in the AUTO position (should be approximately $120 \pm 50 \mathrm{~Hz}$ ).

## 5-30. VERTICAL AMPLIFIERS.

5-31. CHANNEL B BALANCE ADJUSTMENT. A small screwdriver is required for this adjustment.

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B INPUT . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Shorted
B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER . . . . ccw
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b. Adjust spot to center of screen with B VERTICAL POSITION control.
c. Turn B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER fully clockwise and readjust spot to center with B BAL adjusting screw.
d. Repeat this sequence until there is no displacement of spot as VERNIER is rotated.
e. Set B VERTICAL POSITION control to its center ( 12 o'clock). Spot should now be on screen, near center.
5-32. CHANNEL A BALANCE ADJUSTMENT. A small screwdriver is required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { VERT PRESENTATION • . . . . . . . . A } \\
& \text { A VERT SENSITIVITY • AC, } 0.01 \text { VOLTS/CM }
\end{aligned}
$$ HORIZ SENSITIVITY • . . . 10 VOLTS/CM A INPUT • . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Shorted A VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER • •fully ccw

b. Adjust spot to center of screen with A VERTICAL POSITION control.
c. Turn A VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER control fully clockwise and readjust spot to center with A BAL adjusting screw.
d. Repeat this sequence until there is no displacement of spot as VERNIER is rotated.
e. Set A VERTICAL POSITION control to its center (12 o'clock). Spot should now be on screen, near center.
5-33. CHANNEL B GAIN ADJUSTMENT. A Voltmeter Calibrator (such as hp Model 738B) and a small screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

VERT PRESENTATION • . . . . . . . . . . B
B VERT SENSITIVITY • AC, 0. 01 VOLTS/CM
B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER : • . CAL
b. Connect 100 millivolt peak-to-peak signal from the Voltmeter Calibrator into channel B input terminals.
c. Set GAIN adjustment screw of Channel B to give exactly 10 centimeters of deflection.
d. Check this setting at 127 (or 254) and 103 (or 206) volts line input. Gain should be within $3 \%$ at all line voltages. If not, check power supplies and vertical amplifier tubes.

5-34. CHANNEL A GAIN ADJUSTMENT. A Voltmeter Calibrator (such as hp Model 738B) anda small screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls: VERT PRESENTATION • . . . . . . . . . . A A VERT SENSITIVITY • • AC, 0.01 VOLTS/CM A VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER • . . . CAL
b. Connect 100 millivolt peak-to-peak signalfrom the Voltmeter Calibrator into channel A input terminals, and repeat the procedure outlined in Paragraph 5-33, adjusting channel A GAIN.

5-35. CHANNEL B ATTENUATOR COMPENSATION ADJUSTMENT. A Square Wave Generator (such as hp Model 211A) and a small screwdriver are required for this adjustment. (Access to C13, C16, and C18 on Model 122A is througha rectangular opening in the chassis below the channel B attenuator assembly.)
a. Set the Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ controls:
B VERT SENSITIVITY . .DC, 0.01 VOLTS/CM
B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER . . . . CAL
SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT+
TRIGGER LEVEL. . . . . . . . . . AUTO
SWEEP TIME. . . . . . . . $200 \mu$ SEC/CM
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . .
b. Connect a 5 kHz square wave signal to channel $B$ input terminals. Adjust level for an 8 cm vertical deflection. Adjust C13 on.channel B vertical attenuator for a flat-topped square wave.
c. Switch B VERT SENSITIVITY to 1 VOLTS/CM and increase input level to give 8 cm deflection. Adjust C16 for flat response.
d. Switch B VERT SENSITIVITY to 10 VOLTS/CM and apply full output of square wave generator to input. Adjust C18 for flat response.
e. Switch back through the four attenuator positions and check for $10: 1$ divisions (should be within $2 \%$ ).
5-36. CHANNELA ATTENUATOR COMPENSATION AND B-A COMMON MODE REJECTION ADJUSTMENT. A Sine Wave Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a small screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

## A \& B VERT SENSITIVITY

DC, 0. 1 VOLTS/CM

A \& B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER • • CAL SYNC . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . INT+ TRIGGER LEVEL. . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO SWEEP TIME • . . . . . . . . . $200 \mu$ SEC/CM VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . B-A
b. Apply a 200 kHz sine wave to both channels A and $B$ vertical input terminals from the oscillator set for $20-25$ volts. Adjust C3 (see Figure 5-1) on channel A attenuator for minimum deflection.
c. Set both A and B VERT SENSITIVITY controls to 1 VOLTS/CM and adjust C6 (see Figure $5-1$ ) on Channel A attenuator for minimum deflection.
d. Set both A and B VERT SENSITIVITY controls to 10 VOLTS/CM and adjust C8 for minimum deflection.
e. Set VERT PRESENTATION to A and A VERT SENSITIVITY to DC, 0.1 VOLTS/CM.
f. Apply a 5 kHz square wave to channel A input and adjust level for 8 cm deflection. Adjust C22 on VERT PRESENTATION switch for flat response.
5-37. CALIBRATOR AMPLITUDE ADJUSTMENT. A small screwdriver is required for this adjustment.

## Note

Channel A gain should have been adjusted before amplitude adjustments.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

A \& B VERT SENSITIVITY . . . . . . . . CAL A \& B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER • . CAL VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . . . A TRIGGER LEVEL. . . . . . . . . . . . AUTO
b. Adjust Calibrator set, R356, (see Figure 5-2) for exactly 6 cm of vertical deflection.


Figure 5-2. Right-Side Adjustment Location Diagram

## 5-38. HORIZONTAL AMPLIFIER.

5-39. BALANCE ADJUSTMENT. A small screwdriver is required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { HORIZ SENS . . . . . . . . . } 0.1 \text { VOLTS/CM } \\
& \text { HORIZ SENS VERNIER . . . . . . . . . CAL } \\
& \text { Input toggle switch . . . . . . . . . . . . . DC }
\end{aligned}
$$

b. Place shorting jumper across the horizontal input terminals.
c. Adjust the spot to center of screen with HORIZ POSITION control.
d. Turn HORIZ SENS VERNIER fully counterclockwise and readjust position of spot with Horizontal Balance Adjustment, R110.
e. Turn HORIZ SENS VERNIER to CAL and center spot with HORIZ POSITION control to center (12 o' clock). The spot should now be on the screen near center.
5-40. HORIZONTAL GAIN ADJUSTMENT. A Voltmeter Calibrator (such as hp Model 738B) and a small screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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HORIZ SENS . . . . . . . . . 0.1 VOLTS/CM
HORIZ SENS VERNIER . . . . . . . . . CAL
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b. Apply 1.0 volt peak-to-peak signal from the voltmeter Calibrator to the horizontal input terminals.
c. Set the Horiz Gain Adjustment, R114 (see Figure 5-2), for exactly 10 cm of deflection.
d. Check this setting at high and low line voltages, as outlined in Paragraph 5-33, d. Setting of Gain Adjustment should be within $3 \%$ at all line voltages. If not, check power supplies and horizontal amplifier tubes.

5-41. SQUARE WAVE RESPONSE ADJUSTMENT. A Sine Wave Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a Square Wave Generator (such as hp Model 211A) and a small screwdriver are required for this adjustment.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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HORIZ SENS . . . . . . . . . 0.1 VOLTS/CM
HORIZ SENS VERNIER . . . . . . . . C CAL
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . . . B
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b. Connect 8 kHz (approximately) sine wave signal to channel B vertical input terminals and to the SYNC IN terminals of the Square Wave Generator.
c. Adjust the output of the oscillator for a 10 cm deflection.
d. Apply a 50 kHz square wave signal to Horizontal input terminals andadjust the square wave amplitude for 6 to 8 cm deflection.
e. Adjust C110 (see Figure 8-2) for best square wave response. A maximum of $2 \%$ overshoot is permitted.
5-42. ATTENUATOR COMPENSATION ADJUSTMENT. A Sine Wave Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a Square Wave Generator (such as hp Model 211A or 212A) and a small screwdriver are requiredfor these adjustments.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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HORIZ SENS · . . . . . . . . . 1 VOLTS/CM
HORIZ SENS VERNIER . . . . . . . . . .CAL
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . . . . . . B
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b. Connect 800 Hz (approximately) sine wave to channel B vertical input terminals and sync-in terminal of square wave generator.
c. Adjust the output of the oscillator for a 10 cm deflection.
d. Connect a 5 kHz square wave signal to horizontal input terminals and adjust the square wave amplitude for 6 to 8 cm deflection.
e. Adjust C235 (see Figure 5-2) on SWEEP TIME switch for flat response.
f. Set HORIZ SENS to 10 VOLTS/CM, increase input to display 6 to 8 cm deflection, and adjust C233 for flat response.
g. Now switch back through the three attenuator ranges and check for 10:1 division. Division should be within $5 \%$.
5-43. PHASE ADJUSTMENT. A Sine Wave Oscillator (such as hp Model 200CD) and a small screwdriver are required for these adjustments.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

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HORIZ SENS · . . . . . . . . 0. 1 VOLTS/CM
HORIZ SENS VERNIER . . . . . . . . . .CAL
A & B VERT SENSITIVITY - 0.1 VOLTS/CM
A & B VERT SENSITIVITY VERNIER • · CAL
VERT PRESENTATION . . . . . . CHOP
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b. Apply a 100 kHz sine wave to both channel A and channel B input terminals, and to the horizontal input terminals.
c. Adjust amplitude to give about 6 cm deflection along both axes.
d. Adjust C107 (see Figure 8-2) for best closure of the $B$ pattern.
e. Adjust C44 for best closure of the A pattern.
f. Switch channels A and B and HORIZ SENS to $10 \mathrm{~V} / \mathrm{CM}$ range.
g. Readjust Sine Wave Oscillator to display approximately 6 cm deflection in both axes.
h. Readjust C8 (chan A) and C18 (chan B) for best closure of patterns.
i. Check phase shift on the attenuated ranges.

## 5-44. SWEEP GENERATOR.

5-45. The Vertical and Horizontal amplifiers must be satisfactorily adjusted before the Sweep Generator Adjustment can be completed.
5-46. X1 CALIBRATION ADJUSTMENT. A Time Mark Generator (such as Tektronix Type 180 or 184) and a small screwdriver are required for the adjustments covered in this and following paragraphs.
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . 10 MILLISEC/CM
VERNIER . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . CAL
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1

Paragraphs 5-47 to 5-52
b. Apply a 10 -millisecond time marker to the Vertical Input terminals.
c. Adjust TRIGGER LEVEL control and choose either INT+ or INT- for best presentation.
d. Adjust X1 Sweep Gain Adjustment, R107 (see Figure 5-2), so that the markers coincide with every major division on the graticule ( 1 marker $/ \mathrm{cm}$ ).
5-47. X5 CALIBRATION ADJUSTMENT. (Use same test equipment as outlined in Paragraph 5-46.)
a. Set SWP EXP to X5.
b. Apply 10-millisecond time marker signals to Vertical Input terminals.
c. Adjust TRIGGER LEVEL control for best presentation.
d. Adjust X5 Sweep Gain Adjustment, R108 (see Figure 5-2), for 1 marker per 5 centimeters.
5-48. SWEEP LINEARITY ADJUSTMENT. (Use same test equipment as outlined in Paragraph 5-46.)
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

```
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . . . . . 10 NSEC/CM
VERNIER • . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . CAL
SWP EXP • . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
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b. Apply a 10 -mic rosec ond time marker signal to the vertical input terminals.
c. Adjust TRIGGER LEVEL control for best presentation.
d. Adjust HORIZ POSITION control so last marker on the trace is aligned with last graticule marking.
e. Adjust C226 (see Figure 5-2) so that last five markers coincide with every major graticule division (1 marker/cm).
f. Set R231, Sweep Length, to obtain approximately 10 cm of sweep.
g. Adjust C214 (see Figure 8-2) so that first five markers on the trace coincide with every major graticule division. If necessary, adjust HORIZ POSITION control so that last marker on the trace is always aligned with last graticule marking.
h. Change SWEEP TIME switch to $5 \mu$ SEC/CM and apply a 1 -microsecond time marker to Vertical Input terminals.
i. Adjust VERT SENSITIVITY, SYNC, and TRIGGER LEVEL for best presentation.
j. Adjust HORIZ POSITION control so that sweep starts on left-hand graticule mark.
k. Adjust C105 (see Figure 8-2) for equal spacing of markers onfirst portion of sweep ( 5 markers $/ \mathrm{cm}$ ).
m . Change SWEEP TIME switch to $20 \mu \mathrm{SEC} / \mathrm{CM}$ and SWP EXP to X5.
n. Apply 1-microsecond time marker signal to Vertical Input terminals and adjust for best presentation.
p. Adjust HORIZ POSITION control so that sweep starts on left-hand graticule mark.
q. Adjust C106 (see Figure 8-2) for equal spacing of marker on first portion ( 4 markers $/ \mathrm{cm}$ ).
5-49. $50-\mu$ SEC/CM SWEEP ADJUSTMENT. (Use same test equipment as outlined in Paragraph 5-46.)
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . . . . . $50 \mu$ SEC/CM
VERNIER . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .CAL
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
b. Apply 100-microsecond time marker signal to Vertical Input terminals.
c. Adjust TRIGGER LEVEL control for best presentation
d. Adjust C225 (see Figure 5-2) for marker coincidence with every other major graticule division ( 1 marker/2 cm).
5-50. 0.5-MILLISEC/CM SWEEP ADJUSTMENT. (Use same test equipment as outlined in Paragraph 5-46.)
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . 0.5 MILLISEC/CM
VERNIER . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . CAL
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
b. Apply 1-millisecond marker signal to Vertical Input terminals.
c. Adjust VERT SENSITIVITY, SYNC, and TRIGGER LEVEL for best presentation.
d. Adjust C223 (see Figure 5-2) for marker coincidence with every other major graticule division ( 1 marker/2 cm).
5-51. 50-MILLISEC/CM SWEEP ADJUSTMENT.
(Use same test equipment as outlined in Paragraph 5-46.)
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

SWEE P TIME • . . . . . . . 50 MILLISEC/CM
VERNIER • . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . CAL
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
b. Adjust VERT SENSITIVITY, SYNC, and TRIGGER LEVEL for best presentation.
c. Adjust R251 (see Figure 5-2), 50 msec Adjust, for marker coincidence with every other major graticule division ( 1 marker $/ \mathrm{cm}$ ).
5-52. SWEEP LENGTH ADJUSTMENT. (Use same test equipment as outlined in Paragraph 5-46.)
a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:
SWEEP TIME . . . . . . . . 1 MILLISEC/CM
VERNIER . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . CAL
SWP EXP . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . X1
b. Apply 1-microsec ond marker to the VerticalInput terminals.
c. Adjust VERT SENSITIVITY, SYNC, and TRIGGER LEVEL for best presentation.
d. Acjust R231 (see Figure 5-2), Sweep Length, for 10.5 cm of sweep.

## SECTION VI REPLACEABLE PARTS

## 6-1. INTRODUCTION.

6-2. This section contains information for ordering replaceable parts for the Model 122A/AR. Table 6-1 lists reference designators and abbreviations that are used in the Table 6-2 component descriptions. Table 6-2 lists the parts in alpha-numerical order of their reference designations and provides the following information for each item:
a. The hp part number.
b. Total quantity (TQ) used in the instrument; given only first time the part number is listed.
c. Description of part (refer to Table 6-1).

6-3. Parts not identified by a reference designation are listed at the end of Table 6-2, under miscellaneous. Cabinet Model 122A and Rack Model 122AR are pictured in Figure 1-1.

## 6-4. ORDERING INFORMATION.

$6-5$. To order replacement parts from the HewlettPackardCompany, address the order or inquiry to
the nearest hpSales/Service Office (see list of addresses at rear of this manual) and supply the following information:
a. The hp part number of item (s).
b. Model number and eight-digit serial number of the instrument.
c. Quantity of parts desired.

6-6. To order a part not listed in Table 6-2, provide the following information:
a. Model number and eight-digit serial number of the instrument.
b. Description of part including function and location.

## Note

Upon request, information will be supplied to allow ordering applicable parts from a manufacturer other than HewlettPackard. Contact the hp Sales/Service Office for details.

Table 6-1. Reference Designators and Abbreviations

| REFERENCE DESIGNATORS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A | = assembly | E | $=$ misc electronic part | MP | $=$ mechanicar part | TB | $=$ terminal board |
| B | $=$ motor | F | $=$ fuse | P | $=$ plug | TP | $=$ test point |
| C | $=$ capacitor | FL | $=$ filter | Q | $=$ transistor | V | $=$ vacuum tube, neon |
| CP | $=$ coupling | J | $=$ jack | R | $=$ resistor |  | bulb, photocell, etc |
| CR | $=$ diode | K | $=$ relay | RT | $=$ thermistor | W | = cable |
| DL | $=$ delay line | L | $=$ inductor | S | $=$ switch | X | $=$ socket |
| DS | = device signaling (lamp) | M | $=$ meter | T | $=$ transformer | Y | = crystal |
| ABBREVIATIONS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A | = amperes | GE | = germanium | N/C | $=$ normally closed | RMO | $=$ rack mount only |
| A.F.C | $=$ automatic frequency control | GL | $=$ glass | NE | $=$ neon | RMS | $=$ root-mean-square |
| AMPL | = amplifier | GRD | $=$ ground(ed) | NI PL | $=$ nickel plate |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | N/O | = normally open | S-B | = slow-blow |
| B. F.O. | = beat frequency oscillator | H | = henries | NPO | = negative positive zero | SCR | = screw |
| BE CU | = beryllium copper | HEX | $=$ hexagonal |  | (zero temperature | SE | = selenium |
| BH | $=$ binder head | HG | $=$ mercury |  | coefficient) | SECT | $=$ section(s) |
| BP | = bandpass | HR | $=$ hour (s) | NRFR | $=$ not recommended for | SEMIC | $\mathrm{ON}=$ semiconductor |
| BRS | $=$ brass | hp | = Hewlett-Packard |  | field replacement | SI | $=$ silicon |
| BWO | = backward wave oscillator | IF | $=$ intermediate freq | NSR | $=$ not separately | SIL | $=$ silver |
|  |  | IMPG | = impregnated |  | replaceable | SL | $=$ slide |
| CCW | = counter-clockwise | INCD | $=$ incandescent |  |  | SPL | = special |
| CER | = ceramic | INCL | $=$ include(s) | OBD | $=$ order by description | SST | = stainless steel |
| CMO | $=$ cabinet mount only | INS | $=$ insulation(ed) | OH | $=$ oval head | SR | $=$ split ring |
| COEF | $=$ coefficient | INT | = internal | OX | $=$ oxide | STL | = steel |
| COM | $=$ common |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| COMP | = composition | K | $=$ kilo $=1000$ | P | $=$ peak | TA | tantalum |
| CONN | $=$ connector |  |  | PC | $=$ printed circuit | TD | $=$ time delay |
| CP | = cadmium plate | LIN | $=$ linear taper | PF | $=$ picofarads $=$ | TGL | $=$ toggle |
| CRT | = cathode-ray tube | LK WASH = lock washer |  |  | 10-12 farads | TI | $=$ titanium |
| CW | = clockwise | LOG | $=$ logarithmic taper | PH BRZ | = phosphor bronze | TOL | $=$ tolerance |
|  |  | LPF | $=$ low pass filter | PHL | $=$ Phillips | TRIM | $=$ trimmer |
| DEPC | $=$ deposited carbon |  |  | PIV | $=$ peak inverse voltage | TWT | $=$ traveling wave tube |
| DR | $=$ drive | M | $=$ milli $=10^{-3}$ | P/O | $=$ part of |  |  |
|  |  | MEG | $=\mathrm{meg}=10^{6}$ | POLY | $=$ polystyrene | U | $=$ micro $=10^{-6}$ |
| ELECT | = electrolytic | METF | $\mathrm{M}=$ metal film | PORC | = porcelain |  |  |
| ENCAP | = encapsulated | MFR | $=$ manufacturer | POS | $=$ position(s) | VAR | $=$ variable |
| EXT | = external | MINA' | = miniature | POT | = potentiometer | VDCW | dc working volts |
|  |  | MOM | = momentary | PP | $=$ peak-to-peak |  |  |
| F | = farads | MTG | $=$ mounting | PT | = point | W/ | with |
| FH | $=$ flat head | MY | $=$ "mylar'r | RECT | $=$ rectifier | W | watts |
| FIL H | $=$ fillister head |  |  | RF | $=$ radio frequency | WW | $=$ wirewound |
| FXD | $=$ fixed | N | $=$ nano (10-9) | RH | $=$ round head | W/O | $=$ without |

Table 6-2. Replaceable Parts

| Ref Desig | hp Part No. | RS | TQ | Description (See Table 6-1.) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C1 | 0170-0022 |  | 2 | C: fxd my 0.1 1 f $20 \% 600 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C2 | 0140-0042 |  | 2 | C: fxd mica 27 pf 5\% 500vdew |  |
| C3 | 0130-0012 |  | 5 | C: var cer 5-25 pf |  |
| C4 | 0140-0030 |  | 2 | C: fxd mica 390 pf 10\% 500vdew |  |
| C5 | 0140-0004 |  | 5 | C: fxd mica 15 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C6 | 0130-0012 |  |  | C: var cer 5-25 pf |  |
| C7 | 0140-0029 |  | 2 | C: fxd mica 3300 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ | - |
| C8 | 0132-0004 |  | 2 | C: var poly 0.7-3 pf 350vdcw |  |
| C9 | 0160-2103 |  | 2 | C: fxd cer 0. $002 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C10 | 0150-0012 |  | 13 | C: fxd cer $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C11 | 0170-0022 |  |  | C: fxd my 0.1 1 f 20\% 600vdcw |  |
| C12 | 0140-0042 |  |  | C: fxd mica 27 pf 5\% 500vdcw |  |
| C13 | 0130-0012 |  |  | C: var cer 5-25 pf |  |
| C14 | 0140-0030 |  |  | C: fxd mica 390 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C15 | 0140-0004 |  |  | C: fxd mica 15 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C16 | 0130-0012 |  |  | C: var cer 5-25 pf |  |
| C17 | 0140-0029 |  |  | C: fxd mica 3300 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C18 | 0132-0004 |  |  | C: var poly $0.7-3 \mathrm{pf} 350 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C19 | 0160-2103 |  |  | C: fxd cer 0. $002 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C20 | 0150-0012 |  |  | C: fxd cer $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C21 | 0140-0001 |  | 2 | C: fxd mica 5 pf $20 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C22 | 0130-0013 |  | 2 | C: var cer 3-12 pf |  |
| C23A/B | 0180-0030 |  | 2 | C: fxd elect 40/120 $\mu \mathrm{f} 450 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C24 | 0150-0031 |  | 8 | C: fxd ti ox 2 pf $5 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C25 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox 2 pf 5\% 500vdew |  |
| * C26 | 0140-0024 |  | 4 | C: fxd mica 2200 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| * C 27 | 0140-0024 |  |  | C: fxd mica 2200 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C28 | 0150-0012 |  |  | C: fxd cer $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C29 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox 2 pf 5\% 500vdcw |  |
| C30 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox 2 pf 5\% 500vdcw |  |
| C31 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox 2 pf 5\% 500vdcw |  |
| C32 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox 2 pf $5 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| * C33 | 0140-0024 |  |  | C: fxd mica 2200 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| *C34 | 0140-0024 |  |  | C: fxd mica 2200 pf 10\% 500vdew |  |
| C35 | 0150-0012 |  |  | C: fxd cer $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C36 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox $2 \mathrm{pf} \mathrm{5} \mathrm{\%} \mathrm{500vdew}$ |  |
| C37 | 0150-0031 |  |  | C: fxd ti ox $2 \mathrm{pf} 5 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C38 | 0150-0012 |  |  | C: fxd cer $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C39 | 0140-0004 |  |  | C: fxd mica 15 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C40 | 0140-0004 |  |  | C: fxd mica 15 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C41 | 0140-0145 |  | 2 | C: fxd mica $22 \mathrm{pf} 5 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C42 | 0140-0145 |  |  | C: fxd mica 22 pf 5\% 500vdew |  |
| C43 | 0140-0043 |  | 2 | C: fxd mica 330 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C44 | 0131-0005 |  | 4 | C: var mica $2-25$ pf 175 vdcw |  |
| C45 | 0140-0001 |  |  | C: fxd mica 5 pf $20 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C101 | 0160-0001 |  | 1 | C: fxd paper $0.1 \mu \mathrm{f} 10 \% 600 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C102 | 0150-0015 |  | 4 | C: fxd ti ox $2.2 \mathrm{pf} 10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C103 | 0150-0012 |  |  | C: fxd cer $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f} 20 \% 1000 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C104 | 0150-0015 |  | 1 | C: fxd ti ox 2.2 pf $10 \% 500 \mathrm{vdcw}$ |  |
| C105 | 0131-0005 |  |  | C: var mica $2-25$ pf 175 vdcw |  |

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| Ref Desig | hp Part No. | RS | TQ | Description (See Table 6-1.) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R46 | 0687-1831 |  |  | R : fxd comp 18 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R47 | 2100-0175 |  |  | R : var comp 250k ohms $20 \% 1 / 4 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R48 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R49 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R : fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R50 | 0730-0068 |  |  | R : fxd car flm 98k ohms 1\% 1w |  |
| R51 | 0730-0068 |  |  | R: fxd car flm 98k ohms 1\% 1w |  |
| R52 | 0730-0025 |  |  | R: fxd car flm 8700 ohms 1\% 1w |  |
| R54 | 0686-1635 |  |  | R: fxd comp 16k ohms $5 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R55 | 0686-1635 |  |  | R : fxd comp 16k ohms 5\% 1/2w |  |
| R56 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R57 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 w$ |  |
| R58 | 0690-8221 |  |  | R: fxd comp 8200 ohms 10\% 1w |  |
| R59 | 0692-2235 |  |  | R : fxd comp 22 k ohms 5\% 2w |  |
| R60 | 0693-1831 |  | 4 | R : fxd comp 18k ohms 10\% 2w |  |
| R61 | 0693-4731 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 47k ohms 10\% 2w |  |
| R62 | 0689-2435 |  | 4 | R : fxd comp 24 k ohms 5\% 1w |  |
| R63 | 0689-2435 |  |  | R : fxd comp 24 k ohms 5\% 1w |  |
| R64 | 0727-0279 |  | 2 | R : fxd car flm 1. 15 megohms 1\% 1/2w |  |
| R65 | 0727-0279 |  |  | R: fxd car flm 1.15 megohms 1\% 1/2w |  |
| R66 | 0727-0287 |  | 3 | R : fxd car flm 2 megohms 1\% 1/2w |  |
| R67 | 0727-0287 |  |  | R : fxd car flm 2 megohms 1\% 1/2w |  |
| R68 | 0687-2741 |  | 2 | R: fxd comp 270k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R69 | 0687-5641 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 560 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R70 | 0687-1551 |  | 3 | R : fxd comp 1.5 megohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R71 | 0687-5631 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 56k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R101 | 2100-0015 |  | 2 | R : var comp 500 k ohms |  |
| R102 | 0687-1241 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 120k ohms 10\% 1/2w |  |
| R103 | 0687-1051 |  | 9 | R : fxd comp 1 megohm $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R104 | 0687-1041 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R105 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R : fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R106 | 0687-2231 |  | 2 | R : fxd comp 22 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R107 | 2100-0192 |  | 3 | R : var comp 50 k ohms $20 \% 1 / 3 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R108 | 2100-0193 |  | 1 | R: var comp 5000 ohms $20 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R109 | 0687-2721 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 2700 ohms 10\% 1/2w |  |
| R110 | 2100-0190 |  | 2 | R: var comp 2500 ohms $20 \% 1 / 2 w$ |  |
| R111 | 0687-1231 |  | 2 | R : fxd comp 12 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R112 | 0690-1041 |  | 3 | R : fxd comp 100k ohms 10\% 1w |  |
| R113 | 2100-0173 |  | 1 | R : var comp conc 50 k ohms front; 100 k ohms rear $20 \%$ w/dpst S (includes R257) |  |
| R114 | 2100-0190 |  |  | R : var comp 2500 ohms $20 \% 1 / 2 w$ |  |
| R115 | 0690-1041 |  |  | R : fxd comp 100k ohms 10\% 1w |  |
| R116 | 0687-1231 |  |  | R : fxd comp 12k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R117 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R118 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R119 | 0692-3635 |  | 2 | R: fxd comp 36 k ohms $5 \% 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R120 | 0687-6821 |  | 2 | R : fxd comp 6800 ohms 10\% 1/2w |  |
| *R121 | 0693-1031 |  | 2 | R : fxd comp 10 k ohms $10 \% 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R122 | 0686-2425 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 2400 ohms 5\% 1/2w |  |
| R123 | 0687-6821 |  |  | R: fxd comp 6800 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R124 | 0692-3635 |  |  | R: fxd comp 36k ohms 5\% 2w |  |

Table 6-2. Replaceable Parts (Cont'd)

| Ref Desig | hp Part No. | RS | TQ | Description (See Table 6-1.) |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| P200 | 0687-1021 |  |  | R. fxd comp 1000 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R201 | 0687-1051 |  |  | R: fxd comp 1 megohm $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R202 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R : fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R203 | 0687-1051 |  |  | R : fxd comp 1 megohm $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R204 | 0686-3925 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 3900 ohms $5 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R205 | 0727-0202 |  | 1 | R: fxd car flm 83k ohms $1 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R206 | 0686-3625 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 3600 ohms 5\% 1/2w |  |
| R207 | 0687-1031 |  | 1 | R: fxd car flm 10 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R208 | 0689-2435 |  |  | R : fxd comp 24 k ohms 5\% 1w |  |
| R209 | 0686-1045 |  | 1 | R : fxd comp 100k ohms 5\% 1/2w |  |
| R210 | 2100-0188 |  | 1 | R : var comp 200k ohms $20 \% 1 / 4 \mathrm{w}$ (includes S202) |  |
| R211 | 0686-1245 |  | 2 | R: fxd comp 120k ohms $20 \% 1 / 2 w$ |  |
| R212 | 0727-0201 |  | 1 | R: fxd car flm 71.56 k ohms $1 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R213 | 0686-1245 |  |  | R: fxd comp 120k ohms $20 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R214 | 0687-6831 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 68k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R216 | 0687-1831 |  |  | R : fxd comp 18 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R217 | 0687-1011 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 w$ |  |
| R221 | 0690-1041 |  |  | R: fxd comp 100k ohms $10 \% 1 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R223 | 0687-1021 |  |  | R: fxd comp 1000 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R224 | 0687-2731 |  | 6 | R : fxd comp 27 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R225 | 0687-6841 |  | 3 | R: fxd comp 680k ohms 10\% 1/2w |  |
| R226 | 0693-1831 |  |  | R : fxd comp 18k ohms 10\% 2w |  |
| R227 | 0687-2731 |  |  | R : fxd comp 27k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R228 | 2100-0260 |  | 1 | R : var comp 20k ohms $20 \% 1 / 3 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R229 | 0687-2731 |  |  | R : fxd comp 27k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R230 | 0686-4345 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 430k ohms 5\% 1/2w |  |
| R231 | 2100-0191 |  | 1 | R: var comp 250k ohms 20\% 1/4w |  |
| *R232 | 0687-2241 |  | 2 | R: fxd comp 220k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| *R233 | 0687-2241 |  |  | R : fxd comp 220k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R234 | 0771-0006 |  | 1 | R: fxd metflm 27 k ohms $10 \% 4 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R235 | 0686-2435 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 24 k ohms $5 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R236 | 0686-1645 |  | 1 | R : fxd comp 160 k ohms $5 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R237 | 0686-1055 |  |  | R: fxd comp 1 megohm 5\% 1/2w |  |
| R238 | 0686-2055 |  | 1 | R : fxd comp 2 megohms $5 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R239 | 0687-4711 |  |  | R: fxd comp 470 ohms 10\% 1/2w |  |
| R240 | 0687-2731 |  |  | R : fxd comp 27 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R241 | 0693-1041 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 100k ohms 10\% 2w |  |
| R242 | 0687-8241 |  | 2 | R: fxd comp 820 k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R243 | 0687-4711 |  |  | R: fxd comp 470 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R247 | 2100-0194 |  | 1 | R: var comp 1000 ohms $20 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R248 | 0689-2435 |  |  | R : fxd comp 24 k ohms 5\% 1w |  |
| R249 | 0686-5635 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 5600 ohms $5 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| .R250 | 0687-3921 |  | 1 | R: fxd comp 3900 ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 w$ |  |
| R251 | 2100-0192 |  |  | R: var comp 50 k ohms $20 \% 1 / 3 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R252 | 0687-2231 |  |  | R : fxd comp 22k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| *R253 | 0687-6841 |  |  | R : fxd comp 680k ohms $10 \% 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$ |  |
| R254A | 0727-0292 |  | 4 | R : fxd car flm 3 megohms 1\% 1w |  |
| R254B | 0727-0292 |  |  | R : fxd car flm 3 megohms 1\% 1w |  |
| R255 | 0727-0292 |  |  | R : fxd car flm 3 megohms 1\% 1w |  |
|  |  |  |  | *Optimum value selected at factory; average value shown. |  |

Table 6-2. Replaceable Parts (Cont'd)


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# SECTION VII <br> MANUAL CHANGES AND OPTIONS 

## 7-1. MANUAL CHANGES.

7-2. This manual applies to standard hp Model 122A and Model 122AR Oscilloscopes having a serial number prefixed by 521-. The following paragraphs provide instructions for modifying this manual to cover older or newer instruments. Refer to the separate "Manual Changes" sheet supplied with this manual for Errata.

## 7-3. OLDER INSTRUMENTS.

7-4. Table 7-1 contains information on changes required to adapt this manual to an older instrument (lower serial prefix). Check Table 7-1 for your instrument serial prefix and make the changes indicated. Note that these changes adapt the manual to cover a particular instrument as manufactured and therefore will not apply to an instrument subsequently modified in the field.

Table 7-1. Manual Changes

| Instrument Serial <br> Prefix or Number | Incorporate <br> Change Number(s) |
| :--- | :---: |
| Prefix 501- | 1 |
| Prefix 436- | 1,2 |
| Prefix 425-, 333-, 320- | 1 thru 3 |
| Prefix 141- | 1 thru 4 |
| Prefix 037- | 1 thru 5 |
| Prefix 006- | 1 thru 6 |
| Number 752 thru 1449 | 1 thru 6 |
| Number 651 thru 751 | 1 thru 7 |
| Number 251 thru 650 | 1 thru 8 |
| Number 101 thru 250 | 1 thru 9 |

CHANGE 1
Table 6-2,
R353: Information given in manual is preferred replacement on all Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}^{\prime} \mathrm{s}$.
T302: Change to hp Part No. 9100-0105; same description; Mfr hp.

## CHANGE 2

Table 6-2,
C306, C309: Change to hp Part No. 0160-0046; C: fxd, paper, $3300 \mathrm{pf}, 20 \%$, 6000 vdcw ; Mfr 56289; Mfr Part No. 184P332060.
C307, C310: Change to hp Part No. 0160-0061; C: fxd, paper, 1500 pf, 20\%, 5000vdcw; Mfr 56289; Mfr Part No. 184P152020.
C312: Change to hp Part No. 0160-0062; C: fxd, paper, $0.015 \mu \mathrm{f}, 10 \%, 3000 \mathrm{vdcw}$; Mfr 56289; Mfr Part No. 184P153930.
C314, C315: Delete.
Figure 8-8, High Voltage Power Supply Schematic,
C306, C309: Change value to 3300 pf .
C307, C310: Change value to 1500 pf .
C312: Change value to. $015 \mu \mathrm{f}$.
C314, C315: Delete.

CHANGE 3
Table 6-2,
CR308: Change to hp Part No. 1902-0165; same description; Mfr hp.
Under MISCELLANEOUS: Delete entries for hp Part No!s. 1205-0003, 1205-0007, and 1205-0008.

## CHANGE 4

Sections I, II, III, V, VI, and VIII: references in text and illustrations to SCALE control apply to instruments having an internal graticule CRT. To adapt this manual to cover instruments with an external graticule CRT, refer to Option 05 in Paragraph 7-10.

## CHANGE 5

Table 6-2,
CR302 thru CR307: Change to hp Part No. 19010007; CR: si, $500 \mathrm{ma}, 400 \mathrm{piv} ; \mathrm{Mfr} \mathrm{hp}$.
R119, R124: Change to hp Part No. 0692-3035; R: fxd comp, 30k ohms, 5\%, 2w; Mfr hp.
R122: Change to hp Part No. 0687-1821; R: fxd, comp, 1800 ohms, $10 \%, 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$; Mfr hp.
R337: Change to hp Part No. 0819-0013; R: fxd, ww, 3500 ohms, $10 \%, 20 \mathrm{w}$; Mfr hp.

## CHANGE 6

Table 6-2,
C335: Change to hp Part No. 0150-0012; C: fxd, cer, $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f}, 20 \%$, 1000vdcw; Mfr 56289; Mfr Part No. CD4-53050.
R228: Change to hp Part No. 2100-0187; R: var, comp, 10 k ohms, $30 \%, 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$; Mfr hp.
R249: Change to hp Part No. 0686-2745; R: fxd, comp, 270 k ohms, $5 \%, 1 / 2 \mathrm{w}$; Mfr hp.
Figure 8-6,
R228: Change value to 10 k ohms.
R249: Change value to 270 k ohms; connect end opposite switch to ground instead of junction of R209 and R210.
V204: Change plate connection (pins 1 and 5) to CR202 cathode.
Figure 8-9,
C335: Change value to $0.01 \mu \mathrm{f}$.

## CHANGE 7

Table 6-2,
C219: Delete.
Figure 8-6,
C2 19: Delete.

CHANGE 8
Table 6-2,
P301: Change to hp Part No. 8120-0015; same description; Mfr hp.
R121: Change to hp Part No. 0693-6821; R: fxd, comp, 6800 ohms, $10 \%$, 2 w ; Mfr hp.

## CHANGE 8 (Cont'd)

R253: Change to hp Part No. 0690-4731; R: fxd, comp, 47 k ohms, $10 \%$, 1 w ; Mfr hp.
R360A, B: Change to R360; hp Part No. 2100-0078; R: var, comp, 500 ohms, $30 \%, 0.3 \mathrm{w}$; Mfr hp.
V204: Change to hp Part No. 1932-0039; V: 12AU7; Mfr 80131; Mfr Part No. 12AU7.
Add V215, V216, V217: hp Part No. 2140-0083; V: ne aged and selected blue code; Mfr 74276; Mfr Part No. A091.
Figure 8-6,
CR202: Change to V204A, 1/2 of 12AU7 tube; plate pin 6 and grid pin 7 connect common to junction of C18, R200, and R223; cathode pin 8 connects same as replaced CR202 cathode.
R121: Change to 6800 ohms.
V204: Change to V204B, $1 / 2$ of 12 AU 7 tube; plate pin 1, grid pin 2, and cathode pin 3.
Add V215, V216, V217: Connect neon bulbs in series between input end of R243 and pin 6 of V205B.
Figure 8-7,
R253: Change value to 47 k ohms.
Figure 8-9,
R360A, B: Replace with one 500 ohm variable resistor; variable arm connects to -30 v . Label "Hum Balance".

## CHANGE 9

Table 6-2,
C29, C30, C36, C37: Change to hp Part No. 01500011; C: fxd, ti ox, $1.5 \mathrm{pf}, 20 \%$, 500vdcw; Mfr 78488; Mfr Part No. Type GA.
Figure 8-3,
C29, C30, C36, C37: Change value to 1.5 pf .

## 7-5. NEWER INSTRUMENTS.

7-6. As changes are made to the Model $122 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{AR}$ Oscilloscope, newer instruments may have serial prefixes higher than 521-. The manual for these instruments will be supplied with a "Manual Changes" sheet which contains the required updating information. If the change sheet is missing, contact the nearest Hewlett-Packard Sales/Service Office.

## 7-7. OPTIONS.

7-8. Options for a hp instrument are factory-installed standard modifications to the standard instrument. Two options, covered in Paragraphs 7-9 and 7-11, are currently offered for the Model 122A/AR. For information on other options which may be available at a later date, contact the nearest Helwett-Packard Sales/Service Office. Also, see Paragraph 7-13 for information about special order instruments.

## 7-9. OPTION 05.

7 -10. Option 05 on the Model 122A/AR consists of an external graticule CRT with related circuitry for the graticule lighting. (Option 05 is the same as standard instruments with a serial prefix of 141 - and below.) For instruments equipped with Option 05 , make the following changes in this manual.

[^1] amp; Mfr 24455; Mfr Part No. \#47.

Add R361: hp Part No. 2100-0140; R: var, ww, 25 ohms, $10 \%$, 2 w (includes S303); Mfr hp.
Add S303: NSR, part of R361.
V305: Change to hp Part No. 5083-0010 for P1 phosphor (5083-0020 for P2; 5083-0030 for P7; 5083-0041 for P11); CRT external graticule. Mfr hp.
Figure 8-9, Low Voltage, Filament Supplies, and Calibrator Schematic,
L302: Delete.
R364, R365: Delete.
Add graticule lighting circuit in Figure 7-1.


Figure 7-1. Option 05 Graticule Lighting Schematic

## 7-11. OPTION 06.

7 -12. Option 06 on the Model 122A/AR consists of three connectors added on the rear panel of the instrument. This provides an input connection in parallel with front panel Channel A and Channel B vertical inputconnectors and with the EXT horizontal input connector. The specification on input impedance for the Vertical Amplifier is changed to " 1 megohm, approximately 100 pf shunt capacitance. " Mating connectors and cable clamps are supplied with the option. Make the following additions to the standard manual:

Table 6-2,
Add: Type MS-3102A-10SL-3P male connector; hp Part No. 1251-0039.
Add: Type MS-3106A-10SL-3S female connector; hp Part No. 1251-0038.
Add: Type AN-3057-4 cable clamp; hp Part No. 1251-0040.
Figure 8-4,
Add: Parallel connector with J1 and J2. Pin A is connected to the upper binding post (red); pin B is connected to the center binding post (red); pin C is connected to chassis ground.
Figure 8-5,
Add: Parallel connector with J101. Pin A is connected to the upper binding post (red); pins $B$ and $C$ are connected to chassis ground.

## 7-13. SPECIAL INSTRUMENTS.

7-14. Modified versions (per customer's specifications) of any hp instrument are available on special order. The manual for these special instruments (having electrical modifications) includes separate insert sheets, which describe the modification and any manual changes required, in addition to any possible "Manual Changes" sheet (refer to Paragraph 7-6). Contact the nearest hp Sales/Service Office if either of these sheets is missing from the manual for a special instrument, being sure to refer to the instrument by its full specification number and name.

# SECTION VIII SCHEMATIC DIAGRAMS 

## 8-1. SCHEMATIC DIAGRAMS.

## 8-2. GENERAL NOTES.

8-3. The schematic diagrams, Figures $8-3$ through $8-9$, are in this section of the manual. They are drawn to show the electronic function of the circuitry and the circuits shown on one schematic may include all or part of several different functional areas. Generally, the schematics cover the Vertical Amplifiers and their input switching, the Horizontal Amplifier. the Sweep Generator and its time switching, the High Voltage Power Supply, and the Low Voltage and Filament
Power Supply. Figures $8-1$ and $8-2$ are included to indicate the normal voltage and resistance values to be found at tube socket pins, as an aid to trouble shooting. Adjustable components are identified and located in Figures 5-1,5-2, and 8-2. Waveforms are indicated on the schematics near the point where they may be measured and observed on a separate oscilloscope, if required.
a. Heavy solid lines in the schematic show main signal paths.
b. Heavy dashed lines show control, secondary signal, or feedback paths.
c. Heavy boxed callouts indicate front panel labeled controls.
d. Light boxed callouts indicate chassis markings.
e. Arrows on potentiometers indicate clockwise rotation as viewed from the round shaft end.
f. Resistance values in ohms, inductance in microhenries and capacitance in picofarads, unless otherwise specified.

## 8-4. VOLTAGE AND RESISTANCE DIAGRAM NOTES.

a. Each tube socket terminal is numbered and lettered to indicate the tube element and pin number, as follows:

| $*=$ no tube element | $\mathrm{T}=$ target (plate) |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{H}=$ heater | $\mathrm{R}=$ reflector repeller |  |
| $\mathrm{K}=$ cathode | $\mathrm{A}=$ anode (plate) |  |
| $\mathrm{G}=$ control grid | $\mathrm{S}=$ spade |  |
| $\mathrm{Sc}=$ screen grid | $\mathrm{Sh}=$ shield |  |
| $\mathrm{Sp}=$ suppressor grid | $\mathrm{NC}=$ no external connection |  |
| $\mathrm{Hm}=$ heater mid-tap |  | to socket |
| $\mathrm{IS}=$ internal shield | $\Delta$ | $=$ indefinite reading due |
| P | $=$ plate |  |

The numerical subscript to tube-element designators indicates the section of a multiple-section tube; the letter subscript to tube-element designators indicates the functional difference between like elements in the
same tube section, such as $t$ for triode and $p$ for pentode. A socket terminal with an asterisk may be used as a tie point and may have a voltage and resistance shown.
b. Voltage values shown are for guidance; values may vary from these shown due to tube aging or normal differences between instruments. Resistance values may vary considerably from those shown when the circuit contains potentiometers, crystal diodes, or electrolytic capacitors.
c. Voltage measured at the terminal is shown above the line, resistance below the line. Measurements are made with a vtvm from terminal to chassis ground unless otherwise noted.
d. A solid line between socket terminals indicates a connection external to the tube between the terminals; a dotted line between terminals indicates a connection inside the tube. Voltage and resistance are given at only one of the two joined terminals.

## 8-5. REMOVING THE CHASSIS.

8-6. Disconnect the power cable and remove two large screws on the rear of the cabinet (Model 122A) and slide the chassis forward out of the cabinet. Access to the chassis (Model 122AR) may be gained top and/or bottom by removal of four screws.

## WARNING

If the instrument is operated with the cabinet removed, dangerous voltages are exposed. Take adequate safety precautions, especially when working around the cathode-ray tube terminals and the power supplies.

## 8-7. TUBE REPLACEMENT.

8-8. In many cases an instrument malfunction can be corrected by replacing a weak or defective tube. Before changing the setting of any internal adjustment, check the tubes. Adjustments that are made in an attempt to compensate for a defective tube will of ten complicate the repair problem. It is a good practice to check tubes and instrument performance by substitution rather than by use of a "tube checker". The results obtained from the "tube checker" can be misleading. Before removing a tube, mark it so that if the tube is good it can be returned to the same socket. Replace only those tubes proved to be weak or defective. Any tube with corresponding standard EIA (JEDEC) designations can be used for replacement.

Figure 8-1


Figure 8-1. Top View Adjustment Location and Resistance Diagram













Figure 8-9


Figure 8-9. Low Voltage and Filament Supplies


[^0]:    a. Set the Model 122A/AR controls:

    VERT PRESENTATION • . . . . . . . . . . B
    B VERT SENSITIVITY • AC, 0.01 VOLTS/CM HORIZ SENSITIVITY • . . . . 10 VOLTS/CM

[^1]:    Table 6-2,
    Add DS302, DS303, DS304, DS404: hp Part No. 2140-0009; Lamp; incandescent, 6-8w; 0.15

