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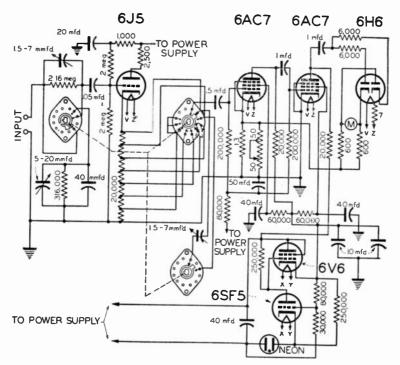
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AN A-C V-T VOLTMETER*

A stabilized high impedance system is a feature of the arc vacuum-tube voltmeter shown in the accompanying diagram. Designed to be used over a frequency range from 10 cps to 1 megacycle, this model, Hewlett-Packard 400A, provides 9 ranges from 0.03 volt to 300 volts in 10 db steps. This makes it convenient to make measurements on a decibel base. The meter is calibrated in db above 1 mil iwatt in 600 ohms. The level is obtained by adding or subtracting the merer reading to the db value indicated on the range switch.

The circuit consists of a 3-stage amplifier operated at a rather low impedance level with fixed bias to obtain the necessary gain and flat frequency characteristic. The input terminals are connected to a 6J5 triode through a .05-mfd blocking condenser except on the 100- and 300-volt ranges where a 2.16-megohm resistor, shunted by a 1.5-7 mmfd trimmer, is inserted in series with the grid. This resistor acts as a voltmeter multiplier which is made stable by operating the grid in a potentiometer circuit so that the tube input impedance is constant. The



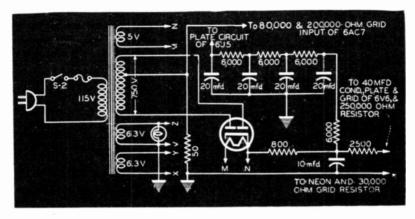
An a-c vacuum-tube voltmeter with a frequency range of 10 cps to 1 megacycle. Nine ranges, from 0.03 volt to 300 volts in 10 db steps, are provided.

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trimmer is required because of the wide frequency band to be covered. On the 300-volt range a 316,000-ohm shunt from grid to ground reduces the sensitivity and, again, a condenser corrects for frequency.

volt range (multiplier added), and 2.4 megohms on the 300-volt range (multiplier and shunt).

Inversed feedback is employed to improve stability and frequency response. The low potential side of the



Power supply for the a-c vacuum-tube voltmeter shown on page 3.

The 615 is used as a cathode follower, the load being taken from the cathode. A 20,000-ohm wire-wound resistor with seven taps is used as a load, the taps, of course, being for the different ranges. The lowest voltage tap is used for the three highest ranges, selection being obtained by the multiplier and shunt already described. Two stages of resistance-coupled amplifiers using 6AC7 pentodes build up the voltage and feed it to a 6H6 fullwave rectifier, the decoutput of which is used to operate a d-c meter. Large blocking capacitors, 0.5, 0.1, and 1 mfd, keep up the gain at 10 cps, and low plate load resistors, 20,000 ohms, favor the high frequencies by minimizing the shunting effects of tube and circuit capacities.

The input impedance at any frequency may be derived by taking the input capacity, approximately 15 mmfd, and the input resistance, which is equal to 1 megohm from the .03- to the 30-volt ranges, 3.16 megohms on the 100-

meter rectifier is connected to the cathode of the first 6AC7 via a 13-ohm feedback resistor. This is shunted with an adjustable 100-ohm resistor which is used as a sensitivity adjustment for recalibration of the voltmeter. Such recalibration should be required only in the event of tube replacement and, even then, not for all tubes. The meter is calibrated to read rms value of a sine wave and the indication is proportional to the average value of the full wave.

For voltage stability the instrument includes a voltage regulator consisting of a 6SF5 controlling the resistance of a 6V6 triode-connected. A neon lamp in the cathode of the 6SF5 serves as the voltage standard to which the grid voltage is compared. Since the grid is fed from the output dec voltage, any change in this voltage is amplified and fed to the 6V6 which, in turn, causes a greater or lesser voltage drop in the tube to compensate for the change in output voltage.



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TRACING RADIO NOISE*

Location of Internal Receiver Noises and Suggested Remedies

Noise service problems can be divided into three categories. In the first may be placed noise that is continuously present while the set is being serviced. In the second, we may put noise that is intermittent. In the third, we can place noise that does not readily develop and must be forced to occur.

When noise is continuously present, the service problem is not too difficult. The most likely offenders are checked at once—volume and tone controls, short-wave switches, and

ganged tuning capacitors.

The quickest way to determine if a volume control is noisy is, of course, to rotate it, listening for the typically scratchy sounds that a defective control produces. Tuning the set off a station while rotating the control eliminates the possibility that another source may be responsible for these sounds. Noisy volume controls result when dirt gets between the movable contact and the fixed resistance, or when the composition element wears "thin" in spots. Not only noise, but fading, hum, rise and fall in volume, and distorted reception, frequently result.

Sometimes a noisy volume control produces symptoms that closely resemble those of an open filter capacitor. On one service inspection of this sort, noise, hum, distortion, and decreased volume were the symptoms, and a fairly loud hum was present even when the control was turned to minimum—an almost certain indication of an open filter capacitor. At one point on the control, however, perfect reception, without hum, was received. It was this peculiarity that indicated to the radioman that the control, and not the filter capacitor, was to blame.

After spending a moment checking the volume control, the short-wave switch should be checked. Contacts on these switches frequently become dirty or corroded, causing noise. Not infrequently the switch jaws lose tension. In all these cases, not only noise, but fading and intermittent operation may occur. Moving the switch to and fro from broadcast to short-wave usually intensifies the noise, leading to easy detection of the trouble. Dirty switch contacts can be cleaned with any of the prepared products or by tetrachloride and brush. Tension on loose contacts should be increased.

Ganged tuning capacitors are also checked in the quick, preliminary inspection. Noise occurring during their rotation indicates where the trouble lies. Tuning capacitors become noisy because of dirt, plating blisters, bent plates, or imperfect ground connections. When dirt gets between the plates, the tuners will be noisy over most of the dial. A small brush may be used to clean out large particles of dust. Smaller dust particles can be removed by dropping tetrachloride through the plates with an eye-dropper.

Scraping noises at particular points on the dial indicate bent rotor plates, or blisters. Bent plates are readily repaired: blisters, however, may have to be burned off. A power transformer whose primary is plugged into the line, and high voltage secondary attached to rotor and stator terminal points with test prods, may be used.

When noises occur throughout the rotation of the tuning capacitors, and no dirt is present, imperfect rotor ground springs are to blame. These springs should be removed from their position on the capacitor as-

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sembly, cleaned, polished, and bent to create more tension.

RF and oscillator padding capacitors may also become dirty. It is sometimes difficult to locate this trouble, but turning the screws of the padders slightly back and forth will usually determine whether or not they are noisy. If they are, noise symptoms will be intensified, and reception may sometimes completely disappear, due to dirt particles shorting the plates together.

Tetrachloride can be dropped on these padders to clean them. The screws may be rotated back and forth slightly during the process, but returned, of course, to the same position afterward.

When volume and tone controls, short-wave switch and tuning capacitors have been eliminated as causes of noise, the tubes should be checked

When noise is continuously present, radio components may be checked by simple mechanical means, such as tapping and wiggling suspicious capacitors, resistances, and leads. When tapping can be regulated so that one unit alone produces noise when struck—no response, or a much lesser response, being received from other units, by sympathetic vibrations—the defective part has probably been discovered.

Noisy by pass and coupling capacitors generally have other associated symptoms that help identify them. Noisy screen by-pass capacitors, for instance, tend to cause fading, whistles, and squeals, as well as noise. Noisy coupling capacitors are apt to open and produce intermittent low volume. Noisy AVC audio filter capacitors often open intermittently. causing low volume, distortion, and low noise level between stations When intermittently shrill reception. accompanied by hisses and noise, occurs, a plate by pass condenser on a detector or AF tube may be opening.

RF and antenna coils, especially on TRF sets, often produce noise. A lug that grounds the coil is frequently used to support it as well, and is soldered directly to chassis. Because of the coil's weight, the solder connection may become imperfect, causing noise and fading. Moving the coil about will intensify the symptoms and help locate the trouble.

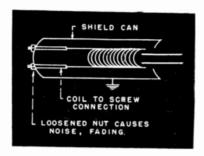


Fig. 1. Poor coil ground can cause noise.

Some of the old-type RF coils are enclosed in cans placed under the chassis. The ground lead of the coil is attached to a screw mounted on the coil form, and a nut on the outside of the can fastens the screw to the can, which is grounded to the chassis. When the nut works loose—a frequent occurrence—noise and fading are produced. Care should be used in tightening the nut, because it is very easy to break the screw off from the coil form. See Fig. 1. A good lock washer helps.

Coil Corrosion

Primaries of IF coils sometimes become corroded at some points due to moisture. The result is a high resistance contact that produces noise. This type of trouble can be detected by using the low range scale on a voltmeter. Place leads across coil terminals — usually from screen to plate — and watch for an erratic deflection of the needle. See Fig. 2. The volume control should be turned to minimum to avoid deflections due to the signal.

To repair this type of defect, the coil will have to be removed from

its shield can and unwound. Green traces on the coil form indicate the corroded area. The break in the wire is generally found at this point. Rewind the wire carefully after repair, duplicating original spacing. Use only high grade rosin core solder

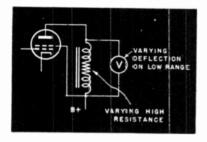


Fig. 2. Corroded coil turns often cause noise.

Poor connections in line cords or plugs produce short, ripping 60 cycle sounds. Tube lighting will be affected. Moving the line cord or plug about will generally reveal the source of trouble.

Aerial leads (the attached types) often open beneath their insulation, causing noisy and intermittently low reception. If noise is intensified while the aerial lead is being shaken, the trouble lies in the lead. To locate the break, hold wire at point C (see Fig. 3), keep section A to C immovable, and shake portion C-D. If noise is not increased, grip wire at B, keep A-B still, shake portion B-D. Keep this procedure up till a noisy section of wire is reached—this will indicate that the area of the break has been located.

Aerials may also short against the chassis, when the insulation wears off in that portion of the lead which comes through the chassis eyelet. This type of short is quickly discovered.

Aerial capacitors may open intermittently, producing noisy, as well as intermittently low reception. Tapping the unit while keeping the aerial lead still usually indicates the source of trouble.

Pushbutton sets frequently become noisy, due to dirty trimmer capacitors on the pushbuttons. This is particularly true of AC-DC midget sets. Tetrachloride dropped on the trimmers, while moving buttons in and out continuously, will repair them.

Imperfect solder connections sometimes cause noise. These had connections are not always easy to locate. Tapping tests may clicit equally loud responses from all units and connections in a large area, and thus be ineffective. Resoldering all the solder connections in the area under suspicion may take too long.

In obscure cases like these, where continuous noise is present and cannot be located by mechanical or voltage tests, several further test procedures may be used.

A one-tube noise tester may be rigged up (see Fig. 4). On AC sets, the filaments of this tester may be connected in parallel with the 6 volt filament supply. The earphones alone cannot be used for checking noise, because when they are placed across high impedance circuits, load and change of characteristics in these circuits occurs. The high impedance of the tube prevents such changes. With points B. C. and D hooked to set common ground, prod A can be used to probe all suspicious points. Look for trouble where the greatest noise is heard.

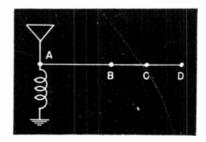


Fig. 3. Finding aerial breaks. See text.

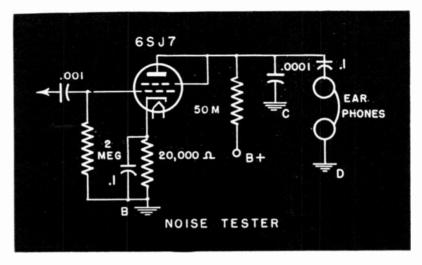


Fig. 4. This one-tube noise tester amplifies and detects noises in any stage.

Radiomen who own signal tracing equipment can use it to good advantage in hunting noise. The same procedure is used as in tracing a radio signal. No test oscillator is required—the noise itself serves as a signal.

Place test probe in order on points 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 (see Fig. 5). Noise will be evident by fluctuations on the v·t voltmeter. Earphones may be connected and used for more certain identification of the noise.

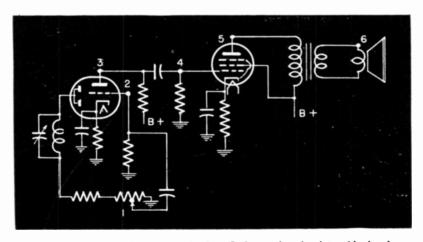


Fig. 5. Locating audio sources of noise. Probe numbered points with signal tracer's "hot" lead.

For RF and IF sections of the receiver, the tuned v-t voltmeter is used—for power supply and AF checking, use AF v-t voltmeter.

If noise is found at the plate of an amplifying tube, test at a B plus terminal. If the noise response is equally great there, the fault probably lies in the power supply, which should be probed.

Localizing Noise

Noise can be localized to particular stages by turning volume control to minimum. If noise remains just as loud at either setting, its source is in the AF or power stages. If noise disappears at this minimum setting, it originates in the RF and IF sections.

If noise is found at the plate terminal of a socket, but not at the grid, check the tube, which may be defective, by substituting a new one. If noise persists, the output transformer may be to blame. When the noise level is much stronger at the plate of the output transformer than at a B plus terminal, the transformer is probably at fault. If the noise level is the same at both points, the transformer may be eliminated from consideration. RF, IF, and AF transformers may be checked in this way.

Where internal noise is not very evident, a test oscillator may be used to bring it out. If the origin of the noise is suspected to lie in the RF, 1st detector, or oscillator stages, connect the test oscillator to set aerial and ground, leaving modulation switch in the unmodulated position.

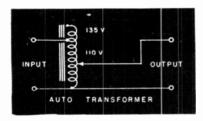


Fig. 6. An auto transformer can step up line.

Feed in a very strong RF signal. The noise will substitute for the customary modulation, and will be received much more loudly than before. Bad tubes are a frequent cause of hum modulation.

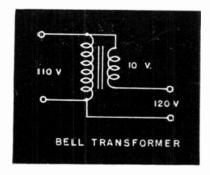


Fig. 7. Bell transformer hook-up for 120 v.

By tapping and moving suspected parts about, the noise may become worse—in which case the guilty unit will be easily detected.

When testing IF stages, procedure is the same, except that an IF unmodulated signal is fed into the gridcap of the first detector. This IF signal should be even stronger than the RF one previously introduced, since the amplification has been reduced.

Noisy coils, transformers, volume controls, intermittently noisy condensers and resistors are quickly located by this method. Microphonics and acoustic feed-backs are also brought out by this test method

In cases where noise is the complaint, but fails to appear, it must be forced to occur. Allowing the set to play for several hours in its cabines may be tried. It may heat up sufficiently to cause the faulty unit to break down and produce noise. Enclosing the set in a box may further reduce the ventilation and speed up the breakdown process.

Stepping up the line voltage often forces an intermittent defect to show

up. An auto-transformer may be used for this purpose (see Fig. 6). A bell transformer may be similarly employed. Depending on the lead connections (see Fig. 7), either 100 or 120 volts will be delivered from a 110 v. power supply line.

Simple mechanical methods should not be scorned in forcing noisy units to go bad. Squeezing a suspected condenser with a pair of long-nose pliers—not too hard, of course—often brings intermittent defects out. Tapping and wriggling parts is also help-

ful. Heavy pressure from a screwdriver may be used on heavy bakelite case capacitors.

Sometimes light taps and wriggling will prove better than heavy action in getting results. It goes without saying that making sure the guilty unit has actually been located is important.

Not one method, but many methods, may have to be used in hunting down intermittent noises. Where instruments fail, bare-handed ingenuity can succeed.

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- WANTED—Triplett 1213 tube tester, good condition. Give description and price. All letters answered. Cash. Bert Buckner, 280 W. Central, St. Paul 3, Minn.
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