




# RMC "HEAVY DUTY" BY-PASS DISCAPS 



## SPECIFICATIONS

POWER FACTOR: $1.5 \%$ MaX. @ 1 KC (initiol)

POWER FACTOR: 2.5\% Max. @ 1 KC (after humidity)
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A heavy ceramic dielectric element provides a safety factor where steady or intermittent high voltages occur. Type B DISCAPS show a minimum capacity charge between $+10^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ (see curve).


# ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES 

HERE it is! The Ninth Annual Microwave Issue of Electronic Industries.

On our cover we have tried to capture the latest in the way of microwave developments. It shows an optical maser, one using ruby to be specific. The background depicts the energy level diagram of the ruby.

## Microwaves

 in 1962!In our lead story, Dr. Tomiyasu treats briefly on the history of the industry, dwells at length on the most recent de-
velopments, and rationalizes on present day speculation. All in all, technologically, he considers microwave as a most fertile field. Dr. Tomiyasu's article "Microwaves, Past, Present, and Future" starts on page 90.

But, although the field is so promising in this aspect, there are some clouds. These are on the business horizon. It is generally conceded that none of the big manufacturers is getting a reasonable return on his investment in the commercial microwave field. This is due to bad pricing policies rather than to special features which customers may require.

Commercial customers are somewhat like government customers-they place too much emphasis on the low bid and too little on reliability and overall cost including maintenance.

Even the largest suppliers of commercial microwave systems are making only a marginal profit when engineering is considered. One of the big reasons for this lack of profit is that each system is treated as something new. Apparently very little thought is given to standardizing the components and the systems. In other words, it is a job shop operation instead of a production line.

In a recent report, "Microwave Communications: Commercial Possibilities in
the 60 's," members of our industry were warned not to expect too much from private microwave communications over the next two or three years.

This report was prepared and published by eight graduates of the Harvard Business School under the name of Micom Associates, P. O. Box 1306, Grand Central Sta., New York 17, N. Y.

In support of what we have just stated, the report goes on to state that the commercial end of the microwave business has been characterized by bitter competition. Profits, the report feels, among the systems manufacturers, selling equipment to the private market are negligible because there are too many in too small a market.

The report suggests that the manufacturers can help to ensure survival by a combination of right-of-way, military, and common carrier business to support their research and development programs.

Another interesting tid-bit from this report is that a recent study shows that there is little immediate demand among businessmen for high-speed data transmission facilities.

To round out this issue, and to help a little in the standardization of microwave products, we present our verified directory of manufacturers and their specific products in this field. Also, considerably expanded, and equally import-ant-up-dated, is our Summary of Microwave Electron Devices. This chart, beginning on page 139, gives the complete specifications of power generating or amplifying devices in the region above 500 MC .
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COVER: In this month's foreground we portray the optical maser. As the helical flash lamp "pumps" (concentric rings) the chrominum atoms of the ruby rod to higher energy levels, the wave grows. Mirrors reflect the wave (arrows in rod) and it continues to grow. The coherent output beam is emitted through a partially silvered mirror. In the background is the energy level diagram of the ruby. The uby's chromium atoms are pumped to one of two energy levels; fall to a metawhen stimulated by when stimulated by other chromium atom photons, emit photons of a characteri ic wavelength and fall to the ground state

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## Highlights

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## Microwaves-Past, Present, and Future

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Being a technique, microwaves are useful in many fields of technology, such as radio, physics, and optics. The areas which deserve the most attention, because of growth potential, are high power microwaves and optical masers.

## Radar Antenna Test Load

page 94
Designed for use in final radar system tests, this space type load presents a constant magnitude, variable phase, reflection to the transmitter. It is useful in studying the effects of transmitter-to-antenna mismatch caused by abnormal weather, such as icing conditions.

## Modern TWT Focusing Methods

page 96
The heart of many microwave systems is the traveling-wave tube. Integrally packaged TWT's used today employ three focusing techniques. The features of each are presented here, in a concise manner, as an aid to proper selection.

## High Power Microwave Component Testing

page 100
The recent experiments of Frankford Arsenal have shown that high power RF Testing of microwave components is necessary to ensure that performance is accurately assessed.

## Thermal Drift in Microwave Power Meters

page 102
Although bolometer type microwave power meters have been around for 15 years, not till recently have compensated devices been designed to overcome their thermal drift sensitivity. Here's how to achieve a realistic design goal of 100 times less detector mount drift than previously available.

## Eliminating Distortion in the TWT

page 104
Strange that with an art advanced to tubes with octave bandwidths, megawatts of peak power, and 2 db noise figures, we should apparently step backwards to a $10 \%$ bandwidth and 5 kw peak power. But the reason is simple-the new systems can tolerate very little distortion. Here's one approach!

## Equating 'Noise-Temperature' with 'Noise Figures' page 108

With the increased use of masers and parametric amplifiers, the term "effective noise temperature" is replacing "noise figure." Since this causes two sensitivity figures, there is much confusion-mainly in converting equations with one term to the other. Here's how to use each -and how the relationship is derived.

High Power TWT's
page 112
In the past, traveling-wave tubes were available for either high power or wide-band applications. Now, with new techniques described here, both desirable features are available in one package.


High Fower TWT's


Microwave Component Testing


Flat Response TWT


# RADARSCOPE 



## SPACE KITCHEN

How to hold food down while it is being cooked under conditions of weightlessness is just one of the problems that is solved in this experimental space kitchen designed by Whirlpool Corp. This model is a permanent part of the Aries space station, featured in the "Man in Space" exhibit at N.Y.'s Museum of Natural History.

BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING seminar course, the first of its kind in the U.S., is being given this semester at the Univ. of Rochester. The biomedical program of research and graduate training was recently established at the University of Rochester under a 5-year National Institutes of Health grant totaling $\$ 254,407$. The program of graduate studies will lead to a Ph.D. degree in engineering with special application in the fileds of medicine and life sciences.

UNITED KINGDOM EXPORTS of electronic products in the U.S. in the first quarter of this year totaled over $\$ 4.5$ million, up $6 \%$ from the same period of 1960, according to the Electronics Div., Business \& Defense Services Administration, U.S. Dept. of Commerce. Exports of record playing mechanisms accounted for over one half of the total value of electronic products to the U.S. They increased by $26 \%$ in this first quarter, but exports of record players, radios, and phonographs dropped sharply. The United Kingdom exports of electronic products to all countries during January to March 1961, totaled 48.7 million, a $26 \%$ increase over the 38.5 million total in the first quarter of 1960 . The U.S. was the largest single market, followed closely by Canada.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT performed by private industrial firms in 1960 amounted to 10.5 billion, according to the National Science Foundation. This represented a $10 \%$ increase over the 9.6 billion total for 1959. Of the 10.5 billion, $58 \%$ was financed by the Federal Government. A few industries far surpassed all others in funds for R\&D performance; the aircraft industry with 3.5 billion and the electrical-electronic equipment and communications, 2.4 billion.

FUEL CELLS will serve as power sources in special applications within the next 5 years, if the present heavy research is continued. And fuel cells to furnish electricity at home are "entirely conceivable." This opinion was delivered to the AIEE Fall General Meeting by James D. Flynn of Cincinnati Gas \& Electric Co. Backing up this view, he pointed out that more than 60 government and industrial fuel cell projects, costing $\$ 28$ million annually, are now under way.

NEW SATELLITE INSTRUMENTATION is under development at Armour Research Foundation for the Air Force. Instrumentation will measure manmade microwave frequency interference encountered by space vehicles and communication satellite. When put into orbit, electronic gear will measure electromagnetic environment in outer space, providing information for selection of frequency bands for future space communications systems.

## LUNAR ROVERS

At the American Rocket Society exhibitions in New York's Coliseum, Mrs. Judith Wrona introduces two of RCA's strange moon devices, known as "Lunar Rovers," designed for exploration on the Moon.


THE RENEGOTIATION BOARD has adopted a streamlined single form to be used by defense subcontractors in reporting renegotiable business. The board currently receives approximately 4,000 filings per year from firms having an excess of $\$ 1$ million of renegotiable business in a fiscal year.

SOLDERING ALUMINUM to stainless steel at low temperatures is now possible through a fluxfree method developed by the Atomic Energy Commission. The new solder joint provides a gas-tight durable bond. Using other soldering techniques, occlusion of flux invariably destroys the joint through electrolytic action.

NEW MATERIALS RESEARCH program has been initiated on a $\$ 11$ million contract to the University of North Carolina. The Advanced Research Projects Agency of the Dept. of Defense is putting up the money. The government is establishing eight of these inter-disciplinary laboratories at universities around the country. These new ventures in which the universities will assemble faculties and students and create advanced facilities, will, for the first time, combine modern progress and solid state physics, chemistry, metallurgy, mechanics, applied mathematics and other related fields.

MIAMI'S MUCH-TROUBLED CHANNEL 10 will have a new licensee next month. The FCC has refused to renew the license of Public Service Television, Inc., a sub. of National Airlines, which has been transmitting on Channel 10 for 4 years. It is the first time the Commission has taken away a license of an operating television broadcaster. The reason given was its back-door tactics in obtaining the channel. Of the four original applicants, the FCC found that three had employed unethical methods in competing for the franchise. Only one, L. B. Wilson, Inc., was found free of taint.

THE CHICAGO AREA ELECTRONICS INDUSTRY heard the reports at the National Electronics Conference that they are not keeping pace with East and West Coast industries in advanced research developments. The results of a Northwestern University survey point out definite deficiencies in the Chicago Area Research in the new areas of electronics such as solid-state components, electronic data processing, microwave systems, weapon systems, command and control systems, and sophisticated instrumentation. The lack of emphasis on R\&D accounts for some of the area's failure to recruit and retain the outstanding researchers and scientists, the report indicates. The situation is attributed in part to the lack of adequate programs with local universities for company-sponsored advanced degrees, cooperative research projects, and participation in research seminars.
new ceramic-metal coatings called Nucerite are available on limited production basis from Pfaudler Co. Nucerite coating is a ceramic-metal composite consisting of ceramic structure characterized by large number of very small crystals physically and chemically bonded to structural substrate. They possess good resistance to high temperature, corrosive attack at temperatures between $500^{\circ}$ and $1500^{\circ} \mathrm{F}$.

CURRENT R\&D in the field of automatic character reading equipment for data processing machines is characterized as "progress, paradox and promise" by the National Bureau of Standards. Progress, says NBS, has not been what might be expected, considering the great potential of this equipment. The Bureau has released a new state-of-the-art report, automatic character recognition, which is available through the Office of Technical Services, Business \& Defense Administration, U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Washington 25, D.C. While admitting that "there has indeed been progress," it has been rather less than might have been expected because "the domain of potential applicability (of such technique) is so widespread."

## FAR OUT POWER

Technician at Hughes Aircraft Co.'s Research Lab., Malibu, Calif., works on an experimental ion engine. Designed for powering exploratory space flights to the farthest planets, the engine uses electrostatic propulsion to gain thrust by ionizing cesium atoms and accelerating them from the rear of the engine.



## Powerlytic* Capacitors are packed with capacitance!

Designed specifically for applications requiring maximum capacitance in small physical size, Sprague Type 36D Aluminum Electrolytics find wide use in power supplies for digital computers, industrial controls, high-gain amplifiers, and allied equipment. Furnished in case sizes ranging from $1^{3 / 8^{\prime \prime}}$ dia. $x$ $21 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ long to $3^{\prime \prime}$ dia. $\times 45 / 8^{\prime \prime}$ long, Powerlytic Capacitors are available with capacitances which were previously impossible to obtain in the various case sizes.

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Choice of Terminal and Insulating Tube Styles
Tapped terminal inserts, often preferred for strap or bus bar connections, are available as well as solder lug terminals for use with permanently wired connections. In addition to the standard bare case, Powerlytic Capacitors may also be obtained with a new clear skin-tight plastic tube which adds very little to the bare case dimensions. They are also available with a Kraftboard tube.

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For complete technical data on Type 36D Powerlytic Capacitors, write for Engineering Bulletin 3431 to Technical Literature Section, Sprague Electric Company, 233 Marshall Street, North Adams, Massachusetts.
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# As We Go To Press 

## Univac Dedicates Engineering Center

Remington Rand Univac recently dedicated their new engineering center in Blue Bell, Pa. The $\$ 20$ million research center, containing 300,000 square feet, employs over 1,050 people. Of this total 700 are engineers, scientists and technicians working in 25 separate laboratories. They are engaged in basic and advanced research, product design, quality assurance and human engineering projects.
Speakers at the dedication ceremonies included Pa. Lt. Gov. John Morgan Davis, Dr. Gaylord P. Harnwell, president of the University of Pa.; Dause L. Bibby, president of the Remington Rand division of the Sperry Rand Corp.; and J. Presper Eckert and Dr. John W. Mauchly, co-inventors of the Eniac and Univac computers.

## GEM FACTORY



Scientist observes growth of synthetic ruby crystal through a flame fusion process at Hughes Aircraft Company's research labs at Malibu, Calif. The labs make experiments with ruby gems for use in its laser, a device that emits a "coherent" light beam.

## Form Data Systems Group

Radio Corporation of America has formed a data systems division in Van Nuys, Calif. It has been organized out of the West Coast missile and surface radar division which for the past two years has been operating out of the Van Nuys plant. The new name will replace that formerly used and the new division will absorb activities of the former division. Harry R. Wege has been named vice president and general manager of the division.

## GUN CONTROL SYSTEM



Engineers use Servoscope ( ${ }^{(1)}$ servo system analyzer to make dynamic analysis of tank gun elevating and turret traversing control system developed by Minneapolis-Honeywell. Test instrument made by Servo Corp. of America, Hicksville, L. I., N. Y., was key check-out for analyzing electrical characteristics and performance of gyroscope-stabilized "dynamic gun/turret control system."

## Railway Expands Microwave System

GE has been contracted to expand microwave facilities of the Southern Railway System. The railroad is already engaged in installing the largest industrial microwave system in the U.S.

GE's Communication Products Department, Lynchburg, Va., will supply a multi-channel transistorized communications design built for high channel capacity. It will be used in a new microwave network to be installed by Southern between Cincinnati, Ohio; Atlanta, Ga.; and Birmingham, Ala.

## Midget MISSILE MASTER Accepted by the Army

A midget MISSILE MASTER, much cheaper than its large size counterpart and which can be operated with a tremendous saving in electric power and personnel, has been accepted for use by the Department of the Army. Installation of the first of 19 such pocket-sized air defense coordination systems, designed to help protect military installations, or cities in the 600,000 population class, has been completed.

The new transistorized system, called BIRDIE, processes and distributes information about aircraft to guided missile batteries and coordinates Nike Ajax and Nike Hercules missile fire. It can operate independently in its own area or as part of an over-all system. The average Martin Co. BIRDIE costs approximately half a million dollars.

## Jet Simulator Contract Awarded

A contract for more than $\$ 1,000$,000,000 has been received by the Link Division of General Precision, Inc., Binghamton, N. Y., from United Airlines for the manufacture of a jet simulator of the Boeing 727 turbo-jet transport.

United Airlines is currently operating two Link DC-8 simulators and a Link 720 simulator at their Denver, Colorado training center. This center has one of the world's largest concentrations of electronics equipment for flight crew training.

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## MODEL SATELLITE

Bell Telephone Laboratories engineers B . R. Cheo (left) and W. D. Baker prepare developmental model of a Bell System communications satellite for transmission experiments. The satellite is scheduled for launching next spring.


## Electronic

## SHORTS

- Largest commercial sale of electronic data processing equipment ever made, and the signing of a patent licensing and technical information agreement, have been announced by the Radio Corporation of America and Compagnie des Machines Bull of Paris, France. Under the multimillion dollar international agreement, Machines Bull has placed an initial order with RCA for the purchase of a minimum of 50 and a maximum of 100 RCA data processing systems.
- A technical study to establish requirements for an airborne data processing system for fixed-wing anti-submarine warfare aircraft has been awarded to Loral Electronics Corporation by the U. S. Naval Air Development Center, Johnsville, Pa. Two subcontractors, Cornell Aeronautical Laboratories, Buffalo, N. Y., and Amelco, Inc., Los Angeles, Calif., will assist in the study.
- Bureau of Naval Weapons has awarded Vocaline Co. of America, Inc. a contract to operate and maintain a quality control test range for sonobouys at the company's facilities in Maine. Sonobuoys are electronic submarine detecting devices used in anti-submarine warfare.
- Page Communications Engineers, Inc., will design and build two longdistance VHF ground-air-ground antenna arrays for the Federal Aviation Agency. They will be used in tropospheric-scatter experiments to determine if this type of communications can be used in long-distance air traffic control.
- A manipulator designed to operate in outer space has been developed by The General Mills Electronics Group at Minneapolis. Design studies have established the feasibility and delivery of a remotely controlled manipulator which could operate on the surface of the moon.
- World's most powerful ion accelerator is now being installed by Langley Research Center of the National Aeronautics \& Space Agency, Langley Field, Va., and will be used to study the effects of radiation in space on space vehicle equipment. The electron beam accelerator was manufactured by Radiation Dynamics, Inc., Westbury, N. Y.
- Optics Technology, Inc., Belmont, Calif. has received an Air Force contract calling for research and development in infrared fiber optics. The project will include investigations in methods of extending coated and uncoated crystalline fibers, methods of hot drawing coated fibers, and the fabrication of infrared fiber optics devices.
- The Armament Div. of the Universal Match Corp., St. Louis, Mo., has received a $\$ 2.1$ million contract from the Army Ballistic Missile Agency (ABMA) for quantities of Transporter-Erector-Launchers (TEL) for the Pershing Missile. The rugged mobile units are designed for fast and efficient handling and launching of the Pershing, a solid propellant sur-face-to-surface ballistic missile.
- U. S. Air Force has selected Federal Electric Corp., service associate organization of I. T. \& T., as prime contractor for tropospheric-scatter communication equipment for use in Europe. The multi-million dollar project will provide tropospheric-scatter communications to augment existing Air Force communication facilities.
- A study contract for design of a new electronic aid to aviation safety has been awarded The Martin Company's Orlando Division by the Federal Aviation Agency. Contract involves design of an automatic method for transferring aircraft in flight from the control of an air route traffic center to an airport control tower.
- Three Two-Way Doppler Tracking Systems for shipboard operation on the Pacific Missile Range will be produced by General Dynamics/ Electronics, Rochester, N. Y. The systems will include tracking antennas, UHF transmitters, extremely sensitive phase-lock receivers, and data processing and recording equipment.
- NASA has awarded Electro-Optical Systems, Inc., Pasadena, Calif., a contract for a feasibility study of a laser beacon for daylight tracking and navigational purposes. Work will be performed by the company's Quantum Physics Division.


## Sampler Explores Upper Atmosphere

Successful operation of an advanced upper atmosphere sampling system has been announced by the Aerolab Development Co. in Pasadena, Calif. Known as the Cryogenic Sampler, the collector was rocket launched at White Sands Proving Ground to 50 miles altitude by the U. S. Navy Aerobee Launch Facility. It was developed under a contract to Aerolab from the Geophysics Research Directorate of the Air Force Cambridge Research Labs.

After the nose cone of the rocket is discarded, the door of the sampler is opened at about 25 miles altitude. All air, particles, and organisms encountered by the open diffuser mouth as the rocket rises are gulped in and stored. As the volume of the sample chamber is limited, the sample is reduced in size by cooling down the atmospheric gases as fast as they come in to liquid hydrogen temperature. The total sample in the form of frozen slush and some remaining gases can be contained in the sampler, although in rising to 50 miles everything in 21,000 cubic feet of air has been collected.

At the end of sampling the door is closed and the sampler returns to ground by parachute. The system is designed to retain the sample under high pressure as it warms up and returns to a gas. Laboratory analysis can later be performed.

## $U$ of $P$ Receives Large Contribution

University of Pennsylvania has received contributions having a value of more than $\$ 1$ million from the Remington Rand division of Sperry Rand Corp. Contributions were in appreciation of the University's pioneering role in the developing of the electronic computer industry.

A Univac Solid-State 80 computing system was the major contribution. It will supplement a Univac I which was presented to the University by Remington Rand in 1957.

In addition to the new computer system, four fellowship grants will be provided. Also, a group of advanced computer experts will be assigned to the University for the advancement of the institution's computer research and education programs.

we don't know yet all the things

*MYKROY
glass bonded mica

## can do

but we do know
it gives perfect dimensional stability to printed circuits, switching devices, slip rings, and commutators

- . . and to every other component where you need stability.
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Stevens Type MX thermostats, either hermetically sealed (left) or semi-enclosed (right), help you avoid complicated control circuits in thermoelectric devices.

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## Coming

## Events <br> in the electronic industry

Nov. 7-10: Packaging Machinery Mfgs. Institute Show of 1961; Cobo Hall, Detroit, Mich.
Nov. 8-9: Symp: Prototype \& Short Run Tooling Methods: ASTME; Belmont Plaza Hotel, New York, N. Y.

Nov. 8-11: 62nd Mtg. Acoustical Soc. of America, the Tech. Committee on Sonics and Ultrasonics Eng'g., IRE (PGUE); Cincinnati, Ohio.
Nov. 9-10: Mtg. Operations Research Soc. of America; Jack Tar Hotel, San Francisco, Calif.
Nov. 9-10: 5th Annual Display of the Aerospace Electrical Soc.; Balboa Park, San Diego, Calif.
Nov. 9-11: 2nd Power Industry Computer Application Conf., AIEE; Chase Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.
Nov. 13-16: 7th Annual Conf. on Mag netism and Magnetic Materials, AIEE, AIP, ONR, IRE, Metallurgical Soc. of AIME; Hotel Westward Ho, Phoenix, Ariz.
Nov. 14: Symp. on Electronic Systems Reliability (MAECON scheduled only on even years), Kansas City Sec. IRE; Kansas City, Mo.
Nov. 15: Vinyl Plastics in the Household, N. Y. Sec. with Cooperation of Vinyl Plastics PAG; Statler-Hilton Hotel, New York, N. Y.
Nov. 15-17: 19th Annual Aerospace Electrical Soc. Display; Pan Pacific Auditorium, Los Angeles, Calif.
Nov. 15-18: Annual Mtg. Soc. of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers; Waldorf Astoria Hotel, New York, N. Y.

Nov. 16: 35th Annual Mtg. of NEMA; The Plaza Hotel, New York, N. Y.
Nov. 17-18: Mtg. American Mathematical Soc.; Milwaukee, Wis.
Nov. 20-21: 1961 Electron Devices Mtg.; IRE (PGED); Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D. C.
Nov. 24-25: American Physical Soc. Mtg.; Chicago, Ill.
Nov. 26-Dec. 1: Annual Winter Mtg. ASME; Statler-Hilton Hotel, New York, N. Y.
Nov. 27-Dec. 1: 28th Exposition of the Chemical Industries; Coliseum, New York, N. Y.
Nov. 30-Dec. 1: Conf. of Professional Group on Vehicular Communications, IRE; Radison Hotel, Minneapolis, Minn.
Nov. 30-Dec. 2: Conf. Technical Progress in Communication - Wire \& Cables Symp., U. S. Army (Sig. R\&D Labs.); Berkeley - Carteret Hotel, Asbury Park, N. J.

## INTERNATIONAL

Nov. 8-10: Conf. on Non-Destructive Testing in Electrical Engineering, Institution of Electrical Engineers (BRIT.) ; London, England.
Nov. 13-18: 9th Factory Equipment Exhibition; Earls Court, London, England

## Highlights of '61

Nov. 14-16: 1961 Northeast Electronics Research and Eng'g. Mtg. (NEREM), IRE; Commonwealth Armory and Somerset Hotel, Boston, Mass.
Dec. 12-14: 1961 Eastern Joint Computer Conf. AFIPS, IRE (PGEC), AIEE, ACM; Sheraton Park Hotel, Washington, D. C.

## DECEMBER

Dec. 1: Plastics Screw Injection Molding, Cleveland Sec. SPE; Cleveland Eng'g. Soc. Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.
Dec. 2-5: 5th Annual Internat'l. Visual Communications Congress, Soc. of Reproduction Engineers, AID, ARMA; Biltmore Hotel, Los Angeles, Calif.
Dec. 6-7: Symp. Electric Machining \& Forming, ASTME; Statler-Hilton Hotel, Hartford, Conn.

## Highlights '62

IRE Internat'l. Conv., Mar. 2629, Coliseum \& Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York, N. Y.
WESCON, Aug. 21-24, IRE, WEMA; Los Angeles, Calif. Nat'l. Electronics Conf., Oct. 911, IRE, AIEE, EIA, SMPTE; Chicago Ill.
NEREM (Northeast Res. \& Eng. Mtg.) Nov. 13-15, IRE; Boston, Mass.

Dec. 6-8: 65th Annual Congress of American Industry, NAM; Waldorf Astoria, New York, N. Y.
Dec. 6-8: 19th Electric Furnace Conf., AIME; Penn-Sheraton Hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Dec. 18: Wright Brothers Lecture, IAS; Washington, D. C.
Dec. 26-31: Annual Mtg. and Exposition of Science and Industry, American Assoc. for the Advancement of Science; Denver-Hilton Hotel, Denver, Colo.

Dec. 27-29: Mtg. of the American Physical Soc.; Los Angeles, Calif.
Dec. 27-30: Annual Mtg. American Statistical Assoc.; Roosevelt Hotel, New York, N. Y.

## 1962

Jan. 9-11: 8th Nat'l. Symp. on Reliability \& Quality Control, IRE; Statler-Hilton Hotel, Washington, D. C.

Jan. 29-Feb. 2: Winter General Mtg. \& Electrical Engineering Exposition, AIEE; Coliseum, New York, N. Y.

Feb. 6-7: Symp. on Redundancy Techniques for Computing Systems, ONR(ISB); Dept. of the Interior Auditorium, Washington, D. C.
Feb. 7-8: Automatic Production-Numerical Control, ASTME; StatlerHilton Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio.
Feb. 7-9: 1962 Winter Conv. on Military Electronics, IRE (PGME), L. A. Sec. IRE; Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, Calif.
Feb. 14-16: 9th Annual Internat'l. Solid-State Circuits Conf., IRE, AIEE, U. of Pa.; Sheraton Hotel and Univ. of Pennsylvania campus, Philadelphia, Pa.
Mar. 10-13: Internat'l. Watchmakers and Mechanical Instrumentation Cong.; Hotel Commodore, New York, N. Y.
Apr. 9-13: The Business Equipment Exposition, OEMI; McCormick Place, Chicago, Ill.
Apr. 11-13: 1962 Southwestern IRE Conf.; Houston, Tex.
Apr. 25-29: Western Space Age Industries \& Eng'g. Expos./Conf.; Cow Palace, San Francisco, Calif.
May 1-3: Spring Joint Computer Conf., AFIPS; San Francisco, Calif.
May 8-10: 1962 Electronic Components Conf., AIEE, EIA, IRE; Marriott Twin Bridges Motor Hotel, Washington, D. C.
June 17-22: Summer General Mtg. AIEE; Denver, Colo.
June 25-27: 6th Nat'l. Conv. on Military Electronics (MIL-E-CON); Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D. C.
Sept. 18-19: 1962 Conf. on Rectifiers in Industry, AIEE; Deshler-Hilton Hotel, Columbus, Ohio.
Oct. 7-12: Fall General Mtg. AIEE; Chicago, Ill.
Oct. 15-19: 17th Internat'l. Instru-ment-Automation Conf. \& Exhib. and ISA Annual Mtg.; Coliseum, New York, N. Y.
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## Coming Events

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## ENGINEERING EDUCATION

Short Courses af leading instifutions, of interest to Electronic engineers.

Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich., Electrical Eng'g Dept. \& Computer Lab. Fall Quarter Seminar - Nov. 14: An Algebraic Compiler for the Mistic; Nov. 21: Factory Simulation by Computer; Nov. 28: A Drum Translating Compiler; Dec. 5: FM Multiplex. Information on the above may be obtained from Dr. R. J. Reid, Seminar Chairman at the above address.

University of Wisconsin, Extension Div., offers an Industrial Engineering Seminar Nov. 14-15. For information write to Engineering Institutes, 3030 Stadium St., Univ. of Wis., Madison 6, Wis.

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich. offers a seminar "Effective College Recruiting" Dec. 7-8. For information contact Clark C. Caskey, program director, U-M Bureau of Industrial Relations, Ann Arbor, Mich.

University Extension, University of California, Los Angeles 24, Calif. offering an intensified 10 day short course "Engineering and Management." Aim: To prepare individuals for more effective design, installation and administration of systems coordinating men, materials, machines and money. Date: Jan. 22-Feb. 1. Further information available from Reno Cole, coordinator of the course, at the above address.

## CALL FOR PAPERS

1962 PGMTT Nat'l. Symp., May 2224, 1962, Boulder Labs., Boulder, Colo. Papers to deal with research development and applications in all areas of the microwave field. Deadline: Dec. 18, 1961 for both 50-100 word abstracts and $500-1000$ word summaries with up to 6 illustrations. Forward to: R. W. Beatty, Chairman, Technical Program Committee, 1962 PGMTT Nat'l. Symp., National Bureau of Standards, Boulder, Colo.
1962 Internat'l. Congress on Human Factors in Electronics, May 3-4, Lafayette Hotel, Long Beach, Calif. Papers to deal with human factors in Automatic Control, Biological Science, Communications, Computers, Cybernetics, Electrical Engineering, Information Theory, Mathematics, Medicine, and Psychology are solicited. Send 2 copies of an abstract of 300 words. Deadline: Jan. 1, 1962, to Mr. John W. Senders, Technical Program Committee Chairman, Minneapolis - Honeywell Regulator Co., 2600 Ridgeway Rd., Minneapolis 40, Minn.

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Shock and Impact Testing-A well-known missile manufacturer used the Memo-scope oscilloscope to calibrate accelerometers. Using a Model 105 Memo-scope oscilloscope, with a Multitracer Unit, this firm was able to compare a shock signal from a "calibrated standard" accelerometer against newly purchased units and those undergoing their periodic checks.
Medical Research-A large Texas medical institution used this unique Hughes instrument for a study of the human nervous system. They were able to obtain an early diagnosis of nervous system deterioration by measuring the exact elapsed time that an electrical pulse takes to pass between two points in the central nervous system.

Welding Control-To permit high-reliability welding of metals, a leading Southern California aircraft and missile

manufacturer uses the Memoscope oscilloscope as a precision monitoring device. They were able to precisely control heat, pressure and time throughout the entire welding process.

System Check-out: Production and Field-A wellknown aircraft manufacturer used the Memo-scope oscilloscope as a key element in a check-out console. The communications and radar automatic gain controls, as well as the servo systems adjustments, were precisely monitored. It was also used in cross-talk analysis; interference monitoring; stress, vibration and flutter analysis; and general trouble-shooting.

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## As We Go To Press .. .

ARTIFICIAL SUN

D. Bickler, solar measurements specialist, takes readings from a monochrometer and verifies that light output from solar simulator developed by Hoffman Electronics Corp. has the same qualities as actual sunlight in outer space.

## NASA Names Industrial Executive to Key Post

D. Brainerd Holmes has been named Director of Manned Space Flight Programs by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The announcement was made by James E. Webb, space agency administrator.

Mr. Holmes is an industrial executive known for his ability to bring multi-million dollar government projects in on time and within predictable costs. He is at present General Manager, Major Defense Systems Division, a unit of RCA Defense Electronic Products, Moorestown, N. J. He has served in this capacity for three and one-half years as RCA's project manager of the Ballistic Missile Early Warning System (BMEWS).

## Corporation to Fulfill Army's Research Needs

The Research Analysis Corporation, Bethesda, Md., a private, nonprofit organization of experienced scientists, has begun operations to help bolster the strategic, tactical and management capabilities of the U. S. Army through scientific research and analysis.

RAC has contracted to perform the major portion of the Army's Operations Research. Mr. Frank A. Parker, Jr., formerly Assistant Director of Defense Research and engineering in the office of the Secretary of Defense, heads the new research organization. RAC is strictly a scientific advisory organization. Conclusions of its studies take the form of findings and recommendations which are intended to assist the Army's decision-makers.

## Signal Corps Award To General Instrument

U. S. Army Signal Corps has presented to General Instrument Corp.'s Semiconductor Division its special award for quality production. It is the second consecutive year that the RIQAP (Reduced Inspection Quality Assurance Plan) certificate has been awarded to General Instrument. It was given for "consistent production of highquality electronic products for the armed forces" and the most rigid internal quality control procedures, which reduce the amount and cost of product inspection by the Government. The General Instrument Semiconductor Division has principal plants at Newark, N. J., Hicksville, L. I. and Woonsocket, R. I.


## RATE CONTROLLER

Automatic Digital Rate Controller (ADRC) built by Computer Control Co., Los Angeles, will help simulate earth's movement in this environmental space lab being built by Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co. It will be used to test space reconnaissance vehicles.

## Comb-Filter System Contract Awarded

Bell Telephone Laboratories has awarded a contract to Itek ElectroProducts Co., Cambridge, Mass., for design and manufacture of two comb-filter spectrographic systems for AT\&T's space communications program.

The systems will be installed in the Rumford, Me., ground station and will detect the tracking beacon of the first commercial communications satellite, to be launched in April, 1962, and its successors. Systems will survey a frequency spectrum supplied by a receiver, detect any Doppler returns, and identify their frequency within a few cycles.

Itek will supply the precision narrow-band crystal filters, and the detector, threshold, post-detection. and amplifier circuits for the 300 channels used in the Bell Labs equipment.

RADAR AIDS SMALL PLANES


Lois Martin of RCA's Aviation Equipment Department holds indicator unit for new RCA AVQ-55 system. Designed especially for small twin-engined aircraft the system's three basic units - the indicator, the trans-mitter-receiver and antenna - have a combined weight of less than 40 pounds.

## ASTM Changes Name

Name of the American Society for Testing Materials has been officially changed to the American Society for Testing AND Materials. Signing of a court decree amended the Society's Charter originally granted in 1902 by the Commonwealth of Penna. Inclusion of the word "and" in the Society's name places added emphasis on the Society's research work in seeking knowledge of the nature of materials, according to ASTM President Miles N. Clair.

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## EAST

CBS LABORATORIES, Stamford, Conn., and GUlton industries, inc., Metuchen, N. J., have completed arrangements whereby CBS Labs has granted world-wide rights for the manufacture and marketing of a pocketsized, rechargeable dictating device to Gulton Industries.

FREQUENCY STANDARDS, Asbury Park, N. J., has changed its name to FREQUENCY ENGINEERING LABORATORIES.

SPRAGUE ELECTRIC CO., North Adams, Mass., has purchased all the equipment previously used by CBS Electronics for the manufacture of electro-chemical precision-etch transistors. The purchase included fast automatic semiconductor transfer lines and testing equipment for manufacturing MADT and MAT transistors.

LFE ELECTRONICS, DIV. LABORATORY FOR ELECTRONICS, INC., Boston, Mass, has been awarded two contracts by the U. $S$. Air Force totalling approximately $\$ 1.8$ mil lion. Contracts call for ground support equipment for flight line checkout of the AN/APN131 self-contained, airborne Doppler navigation systems.

HI-G, INC., Windsor Locks, Conn., has announced a $\$ 250,000$ building expansion program which will double their present production space to $46,000 \mathrm{sq}$. ft.

JERROLD ELECTRONICS CORP., Philadelphia, Pa., has acquired TECHNICAL AP PLIANCE CORP. (Taco), Sherburne, N. Y. through purchase of its assets for $\$ 2,700,000$.

GENERAL INSTRUMENT CORP., HARRIS ANTI-SUBMARINE WARFARE DIV., Woodbury, Conn., has received a $\$ 2,002,206$ United bury, Conn., has received a $\$ 2,002,206$ United
States Navy contract for the manufacture of States Navy contract for the manufacture of
sonar transducers used in long-range undersonar transducers used
water detection systems.

MAXSON ELECTRONICS CO., New York N. Y., has acquired HOPKINS ENGINEERING CO., San Fernando, Calif., for an undisclosed amount of Maxson stock, and will operate Hopkins as a wholly-owned subsidiary of Maxson Electronics Corp.

MELPAR, INC., SPECIAL PRODUCTS DIV., is opening new plant production facilities in Arlington, Va. to produce plastic sheeting for acoustical damping in Navy ships, in consequence of an award of $\$ 83,000 \mathrm{by}$ the Military Industrial Supply Agency in Philadelphia, Pa.
burnell \& Co., INC., Pelham, N. Y., has acquired $80 \%$ of the common stock of gle Electronics, inc., Bristol, Conn GLP will operate as a subsidiary of Burnel \& Co.
allied chemical corp., general CHEMICAL DIV., has moved its Technical Service Laboratory to new headquarters at the Company's Morris Township, N. J. Research Center. The new address is P. O. Box 405, Morristown, N. J.

AMPHENOL-BORG ELECTRONICS CORP., has dedicated a new plant at the Fair Lawn Industrial Park, N. J., part of its $\$ 41 / 2$ million expansion program. This is the first plant of expansion program. This is the first plant of
the newly-created AMPHENOL-EASTERN the newly-created AMPHENOL-EASTERN production of wire connecting devices.

ADLER ELECTRONICS INC., New Rochelle, N. Y., has received a contract of over $\$ 600,000$ for the production of high freq., SSB, dual diversity receivers, in the 2.8 to 28 mc freq.

GENERAL ELECTRIC CO.'s MISSILE AND SPACE VEHICLE DEPT., Phila., Pa., has re-
ceived a $\$ 882,600$ contract from the Air Force's Aeronautical Systems Div., to develop an aerospace test capsule for testing a 50 w fuel cell battery.

TELECHROME MFG. CORP., Amityville, N. Y., has received a U. S. Army Signal Corps award contract for $\$ 224,000$ for 300 AN/URM80 frequency metera.

RAYTHEON CO. has announced plans to expand its semiconductor operations and consolidate its silicon transistor, rectifier and Circuit-Pak activities at Lowell, Mass. The Semiconductor Div. will establish headquarters and other offices in the $204,000 \mathrm{sq}$. ft. former CBS Electronics plant.

## MIDWEST

MIRATEL ELECTRONICS, iNC., has added $10,000 \mathrm{sq}$. ft. of assembly work space to its New Brighton, Minn. plant

CENTRALAB, ELECTRONICS DIV. GLOBE-UNION INC., has completed acquisition of WILRITE PRODUCTS, INC., Cleveland, Ohio. Wilrite will operate as a whollyowned subsidiary of Centralab.

SANGAMO ELECTRIC CO., Springfield, Ill., in keeping with their program of realignment and relocation of production facilities, is expanding their Pickens. So. Carolina plant by 65,000 sq. ft., transferring their capacitor production from Marion, Ill. to Pickens. It is also beginning construction of a $150,000 \mathrm{sq}$. ft . plant in Walhalla, S. C., for the manufacture of certain types of singlephase electric meters.

GOULD-NATIONAL BATTERIES, INC., St. Paul, Minn., has been awarded a contract by the U. S. Navy in excess of $\$ 2.5$ million for submarine batteries.

The Board of Directors and stockholders of MIDWEST FOAM PRODUCTS CO., Evanston. III, and the Board and stockholders of SHELLEY URETHANE INDUSTRIES, INC., Los Angeles, Calif., have approved a plan of merger. The new corporation will be known as URETHANE INDUSTRIES INTERNATIONAL, INC., with headquarters in Evanston, 111 .

COLLINS RADIO CO., TEXAS DIV., Dallas, Tex., has received a $\$ 4$ million contract from the U. S. Army Signal Corps for an unfrom the U. S. Army Signal Corps for an un-
disclosed number of portable scatter communication terminals, AN/TRC-80.

## WEST

CONTINENTAL ELECTRONICS MFG. CO., SUB. OF LING-TEMCO-VOUGHT, INC., has received a $\$ 3$ million contract to design a multi-megawatt radar transmitter for the Army's tactical NIKE-ZEUS antimissile system.

SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT CORP. has dedicated its $\$ 3$ million Systems Simulation Research Laboratory at Santa Monica, Calif.

FAIRCHILD SEMICONDUCTOR CORP., has started construction on a new $\$ 1.5$ Research and Development Center in Stanford Industrial Park, Palo Alto, Calif. The 65,000 sq. ft. building is located on Junipero Serra BIvd.

EITEL-McCULLOUGH, INC., San Carlos Calif., has received a contract for $\$ 1,567,141$ for the manufacture of 3CX100A5 power-gri electron tubes from Procurement Headquarters, Gentile U. S. Air Force Station, Dayton, Ohio.

AMPEX CORP., Redwood City, Calif., has received a $\$ 3,600,000$ order from PHILCO CORP. for an undisclosed number of advanced memory devices

HOFFMAN ELECTRONICS CORP.. SEMICONDUCTOR DIV., El Monte, Calif., will consolidate all operations in its El Monte, Calif. plant. Fifty thousand additional sq. ft. of floor space will be devoted to manufacturing and reliability testing.

THE BENDIX CORP.. North Hollywood, Calif., has been awarded a follow-on contract in excess of $\$ 5$ million for helicopter-borne sonar systems from SIKORSKY AIRCRAFT DIV., UNITED AIRCRAFT CORP. The systems AN/AQS-10 "dunking sonar," will be installed in the Navy's HSS-2 all-weather anti-submarine helicopter.

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ALFRED ELECTRONICS, Palo Alto, Colif., hos completed their new 32,000 sa. ft. plant located at 3176 Porter Drive, Stanford Industrial Park.

DATA SENSORS, INC., Gardena, Calif, has been formed to engage in the research, development, engineering design and manufacture of electrical, electronic and electromechanical instruments used in the acquisition, conditioning and interpretation of data for military, space, and industrial programs. The company is located in a $10,000 \mathrm{sq}$. ft The company is located in a 10,000 sq. ft
building at 13112 Crenshaw Blvd., Gardena. Calif.

DAYSTROM, INC., PACIFIC DIV., Los Angeles, Calif., has received follow-on orders totaling $\$ 170,000$ for special gyroscopes for AEROJET-GENERAL CORP. sounding rockets.

HUGHES AIRCRAFT CO., SEMICONDUCTOR DIV., Newport Beach, Calif, has received a $\$ 125,000$ study contract to investigate high freq. transistors and circuits from the U. S. Navy's Bureau of Ships.

TRANSDATA, INC.. El Cajon, Calif., has received through the TELE-TRONICS CO., an order from the Navy's BuShips for the manufacture of single sideband receivers AN/-WRR-2() and AN/FRR-59(). The contract is in excess of $\$ 1$ million.

HEWILETT-PACKARD CO.. Palo Alto. Calif., has formed a new affiliated company to engage in solid-state research and develonment. The new firm will be known as HP ASSOCIATES and will be headquartered in Palo Alto.

'AUTOBANKER"
Teller and customer of the First National Bank of Waukesha, Wis can exchange conversation, cash and banking documents using Auto banker, designed by The Mosler Safe Co, and engineered by ITT Corp Closed circuit television and pneumatic tubes allow customers to transact most of their banking business from their automobiles

## IMAGE INTENSIFIER ORTHICON

Specialist 5/c A. D. Porter focuses TV camera on "enemy" tank in the dark. Camera is equipped with special tube, developed by the Radio Corporation of America for the U.S. Army Engineers, which needs only starlight, moonlight or skyglow to operate. Diffused natural light reflected from the target is intensified to present an image.


SPACE POWER SYSTEM
Niles F. Schuh, Westinghouse Electric section manager, is shown with a model of a nuclear thermoelectric power system for space, moon and other uses requiring long-lived, maintenance-free operation. System uses spontaneous decay of a radioisotope to produce heat which is converted to electricity by thermoelectric principles.

## Snapshots

 of the Electronic Industries

PHOTOCONDUCTOR TEST
At Leadquarters of Sylvanies Electronic Tube Division, Emforiam, Pa. hermetically sealed photoconductor devices are lifetested on company-designed agig equipment.

WORLDS LAREEST
Workers platform is suspended Fom a $\overline{50} \mathbf{f t}$. cane over the worlds largest raiome on Hayslack Hill, Tyngsborc, Nass. Ccastructed under drection of the USAF's Bectronic Systems Div., it will house a sensitive radio commanications and space raserch anlenna.

## SPACE VACUUM

High efficiency, triple chambe- cold traps, slown being fused together b) G. R. Neff Hughes Aircraft Co. reszarcher, will be filled with Gquid nitrogen and used with mereury drasuion and ion pumping to preduce vacuum $(0-12 \mathrm{~mm} \mathrm{Hg})$ required in space stadies.


FILAMENT VINDING MACHINE
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SPECTROL MODEL 860
1'3/" diameter precision potentiometer Linearity Tolerance $\pm 0.25 \%$ Standard Resistance Range $50 \Omega$ to 500 K (to 1 Meg at extra cost)

These two Spectrol 10 -turn precision pots are not specials in any way. They're standard production items in two popular sizes, tailor-made to fit almost all 10 -turn requirements. Here's where Spectrol excels to give you the best pot for your 10 -spot:
END RESISTANCE Spectrol's low end resistance is achieved by tap welding terminations to the turn of resistance wire nearest the mechanical stop. In addition, Spectrol provides an extra turn of helical resistance element beyond the stop insuring electrical continuity under all conditions.
ROTOR MASS Spectrol's lightweight rotor reduces inertia and starting torque, as well as minimizing the effects of shock and vibration.
WIPER MASS A wiper that's the lightest we've seen in any 10 -turn pot allows lower contact force with resultant long life and superior performance under shock and vibration.

SHAFT SUPPORT Spectrol pot shafts are supported by bearings at both ends and have provision for rear shaft extension.
STOPS Spectrol uses 750 oz . in. stops on Model 860; 50 oz . in. on Model 510 , the strongest you'll find.
LIDS SECURED BY INTERNAL SNAP RING Use of snap rings gives $360^{\circ}$ lid support as opposed to other methods of attachment. Another exclusive feature: Remove or replace lids without damaging unit.
POWER RATING Model 860, 8 watts, and Model 510,3 watts; at $40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ambient.

## SPECIAL FEATURES AVAILABLE

Additional taps up to 111 on Model 860; up to 49 on Model 510. Special front shaft configurations and rear extensions. Special linearity and resistance tolerances.

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2N2087; ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

| Storage BV ${ }^{\text {cer }}$ | $-300^{\circ} \mathrm{C} .$ $80 \text { volts }$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| BVCbo.. | 20 volts |
| BVEB | 5 volts |
| Collector Curr | 500 m |
| Total Device Dissipa | 2 watts |
| Total Device Dissipa | $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.). . 1 watt |
| Total Device Dissipa | $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.) 0.6 watt |

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS (@) $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.)

| Characteristics $h_{\text {fe }}$ | Conditions $V_{C E}=1 \mathrm{~V}$. <br> $l_{c}=150 \mathrm{ma}$. | Min. 40 | Max. $120$ |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $V_{\text {BE }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{c}}=150 \mathrm{ma} . \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}}=15 \mathrm{ma} . \end{aligned}$ |  | 1.2 | volts |
| $V_{\text {ce }}(S A T)$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{c}}=150 \mathrm{ma} . \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{B}}=15 \mathrm{ma} . \end{aligned}$ |  | 0.5 | volts |
| $f_{T}$ | $\begin{aligned} & l_{c}=50 \mathrm{ma} . \\ & V_{C E}=10 \mathrm{~V} . \end{aligned}$ | 150 |  | me |
| Cob | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CB}}=10 \mathrm{~V} . \\ & \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{E}}=0 \mathrm{ma} . \end{aligned}$ |  | 12 | pf |
| Icbo | $\begin{aligned} V_{c} & =60 \mathrm{~V} . \\ \mathrm{T} & =25^{\circ} \mathrm{C} . \end{aligned}$ |  | 2 | $\mu \mathrm{a}$ |
| Icbo | $V_{c}=60 \mathrm{~V}$. |  | 150 | $\mu \mathrm{a}$ |
| BV $\mathbf{C E R}$ | $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{R} \leqq & 10 \Omega \\ \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{c}}= & 20 \mathrm{ma} . \\ & \text { pulsed } \end{aligned}$ | 80 |  | volts |
| $\mathbf{t r}_{\mathbf{r}}$ |  |  | 85 | nsec |
| $t^{*}$ |  |  | 100 | nsec |
| $t_{4}$ |  |  | 55 | nsec | <br> \section*{2N2087 NPN <br> \section*{2N2087 NPN <br> <br> CORE DRIVER <br> <br> CORE DRIVER LINE DRIVER} LINE DRIVER}

## FIRST TO COMBINE 120 V ( $\mathrm{BV}_{\text {(880) }}$ ) 0.5 V(SAT) 150 mc. ft

You would expect Philco, as inventor of industry's most capable germanium logic transistor-the MAD', to design silicon memory components with extra capability, too. And Philco has done it. 2N2087 and 2N2086 Philco epitaxial silicon mesa transistors offer incomparable combinations of parameters that may well be the special design solutions you require.

The 2 N 2087 combines $120 \mathrm{BV}_{\mathrm{CBO}}, 40 \mathrm{~h}_{\mathrm{FE}} \mathrm{min}$., $0.5 \mathrm{~V} . \max . \mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CE}}(\mathrm{SAT}), 150 \mathrm{mc}$ min. $\mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{T}}, 12 \mathrm{pf} \max$. $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{ob}}$, and 100 nsec max. $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{s}}$.

The 2N2086 combines $\mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{FE}}$ of 20 min ., 0.7 max. $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CE}}$ (SAT), $120 \mathrm{BV}_{\text {cbo }}, 150 \mathrm{mc} \min . \mathrm{f}_{\mathrm{T}}, 12 \mathrm{pf} \max . \mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{ob}}$, and 100 nsec max. $\mathrm{t}_{3}$.

These new Philco epitaxial silicon mesa transistors deliver optimum drive for computer memory planes, serve as medium power switches in airborne control systems, and are ideally suited to a wide variety of other applications such as small power supplies, servo amplifiers, and automation controls. For complete information, write Dept. EI1161.

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## GOVERNMENT ELECTRONIC <br> CONTRACT AWARDS

This list clossifies and gives the volue of electronic equipment selected from contracts owarded by government agencies in September, 1961.

Alarm set

Anolyzers
Antenna
Relays
124,961
28,0019
31,680
36,502
239,431
14,450
$3,727,011$
15,699
$4,465,291$

540,682
Resistors
Signal generators
Spectrum analyzer
Switch
Synchros
Systems …...........................3,727,011
Telemetering equipment Test equipment

4,465,291
192,182
Batteries
171,777
Beacon array
Cable assembly
Capacitor
Coders
Communications equipment
Computers
Connectors
Coupler, directional
Direction finders
Filter
Fuses
Indicotors
Intercom equipment
Meters ............
Monitor, signal data
Multicouplers
Oscillographs
Oscilloscopes
Recorders/Reproducers
Relay armature

## 835,979

66,768
823,146
1.404,281 863,705 55,329 30,880
186,237
25,326
29,428
66,333
69,778
48,901
247,961
214,48
43,154
239,847
1,649,061
172,957

NASA Expenditures for R\&D-1953 to Date (Millions of Dollars)

| Year Ending June 30 | Total | Conduct of R\& D | Increase in R \& D Plant |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1953 | \$78.6 | \$49.5 | \$29.1 |
| 1954 | 89.5 | 47.6 | 41.9 |
| 1955 | 73.8 | 43.4 | 30.4 |
| 1956 | 71.1 | 50.5 | 20.6 |
| 1957 | 76.0 | 55.2 | 20.8 |
| 1958 | 89.2 | 72.0 | 17.2 |
| 1959 | 145.5 | 114.7 | 30.8 |
| 1960 | 401.0 | 346.7 | 54.3 |
| $1961{ }^{\text {E }}$ | 770.0 | 678.0 | 92.0 |
| $1962{ }^{\text {E }}$ | 965.0 | 834.0 | 131.0 |

- Estimate.

Source: Executive Office of the President, Bureau of the Budget, Estimate Division, Budget of the U. S. Govt." (Annual)

United Kingdom: Domestic Exports of Electronic Products to the United States, 1957-1960

| Product | Quantity in thousands of units |  |  |  | Value in thousands of dollars ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1957 | 1958 | 1959 | 1960 | 1957 | 1958 | 1959 | 1960 |
| total |  |  |  |  | 12,831 | 17,184 | 21,974 | 19,645 |
| Radio receivers, complete | 10.9 | 4.4 | 9.7 | 7.5 | 232 | 135 | 292 | 200 |
| Radio phonographs, complete | 0.9 | 3.6 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 115 | 304 | 232 | 190 |
| Speakers and microphones. |  |  |  |  | 285 | 479 | 532 | 699 |
| Phonographs, electronic, and record players. | 3.9 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 19.6 | 160 | 160 | 147 | 362 |
| Phonograph parts and accessories . . . . . . . . |  |  |  |  | 935 | 904 | 1,207 | 727 |
| Record playing mechanisms: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| With record changer | 699.8 | 926.3 | 1,251.7 | 861.1 | 6,816 | 8,678 | 11,739 | 7,920 |
| Without record changer | 12.9 | 125.2 | 102.2 | 38.3 | 133 | 520 | 623 | 219 |
| Electronic and nucleonic valves and tubes ${ }^{2}$ : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Complete. | 3,308.5 | 5,375.7 | 4,591.0 | 4,558.5 | 1,345 | 2,303 | 2,381 | 2,501 |
| Components and parts Communications, navigation, and radar equipment. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 952 | 1,221 | 1,243 | 1,458 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1,014 | 1,388 | 2,178 | 2,813 |
| Other electronic products. | ....... | $\ldots$ | $\ldots .$. |  | 844 | 1,082 | 1,303 | 2,250 |

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## Mew Sarkes Tarzian

## Sllicon Rectifiers

## for plug-in sockets and printed circuits

This new series of silicon rectifiers is especially suited for use in printed circuit assemblies, or can be plugged directly into special sockets to facilitate assembly and servicing. Insulated case $-11 / 32^{\prime \prime} \times 3 / 16^{\prime \prime} \times 1 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ high—eliminates many mounting problems. Leads are on $7 / 32^{\prime \prime}$ centers.

Reliability is excellent-in part because the construction minimizes axial strain on the junction. Special Tarzian oversize junctions increase inrush current protection, contribute to low voltage loss, and lengthen useful life in this as in other Tarzian silicon devices. Prices are realistic.

Complete line catalog available. Application engineering assistance is also available without obligation. Send for data sheet.

| Tarzian <br> Type | Amps DC <br> $\left(85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ | PIV | Maximum <br> RMS Volts | Maximum <br> Recurrent <br> Peak | Amps <br> Surge <br> $(4 M S)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 12 | .75 | 200 | 140 | 7.5 | 75 |
| 14 | .75 | 400 | 280 | 7.5 | 75 |
| 16 | .75 | 600 | 420 | 7.5 | 75 |



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 EQUIPMENT


布 344A Noise Figure Meter
Quickly, accurately measures noise figure of operating radar sets. Automatic operation; simple front panel calibration. Militarized, transistorized, reliable in extreme environments, minimum size and weight. Continuous noise figure presentation on most radar receivers. Extremely high sensitivity permits decoupling noise source up to 20 db from main transmitter line to minimize system degradation. Provision for automatic alarm, remote noise figure monitoring, modulating. Meter scale/excess noise options; 25 or 30 MC input frequency, 1 MC bandwidth, 75 ohms input impedance. Approx. $\$ 1,600.00$ (depending on options, modifications).

(40) 340B/342A Noise Figure Meters General - purpose instruments making possible, in minutes, receiver and component alignment jobs that once took hours. Simplifies accurate alignment; encourages better maintenance, performance.
640B automatically measures, continuously displays IF or receiver noise figure at 30 or 60 MC ; other frequency on order. $\$ 715.00$ (cabinet), $\$ 700.00$ (rack). 342A, similar, operates on $30,60,70$, 105, 200 MC .30 MC and 4 other frequencies between 38 and 200 MC on order.
$\$ 815.00$ (cabinet), $\$ 800.00$ (rack). (Note: Models 340B and 342A available only in the U.S.A. and Canada.)
943A VHF Noise Source,temperature limited diode broadband source, 10 to 600 MC, 5.2 db excess noise, $\$ 100.00$.
445B IF Noise Source, 30 or 60 MC (others to order); 4 impedances, 5.2 db excess noise. $\$ 100.00$.
\$347A Waveguide Noise Source, Argon gas discharge tubes in waveguide section; frequencies 2.6 to $18.0 \mathrm{GC}, 15.2$ db excess noise. $\$ 200.00$ to $\$ 300.00$. sp 349A UHF Noise Source, 400 to 4,000 MC, wider with correction. 15.2 excess noise. $\$ 325.00$.

Basic test, power and impedance measuring equipment

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## BASIC TEST EQUIPMENT

382A/B/C Broadband Precision Waveguide Attenuators
Dielectric loading in new S832, X382 produces long electrical length for high accuracy with short physical dimension, provides hitherto unknown convenience. Calibrated range, 0 to 60 db . Degree-ofrotation scale allows accurate small changes at high attenuation and accurate resetting to high values of attenuation. (7) 382B models calibrated to 0.1 degrees: 382 C models to 0.01 degrees. 382A series rotary-vane attenuators, 3.95 to 40 GC, attenuation 0 to $50 \mathrm{db}, \$ 275.00$ to $\$ 800.00$; $382 \mathrm{~B} / \mathrm{C}$ models, $\$ 295.00$ to $\$ 650.00$.

## 532/536A Frequency Meters

Comparable wideband, direct reading convenience are offered by 532 series, 3.95 to 40 GC, and 1 536A, 1 to 4 GC coaxial, Frequency Meters. Comprise high $Q$ resonant cavity tuned by choke plunger; no sliding contacts. Transmit virtually full power at resonance. 532 series, $\$ 175.00$ to $\$ 325.00$; ${ }^{(7)} 536 \mathrm{~A}, \$ 500$.


-422A, 421A, 420A/B Crystal Detectors
High sensitivity ( $0.05 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{mw}$ ), flat frequency response ( $\pm 2 \mathrm{db}$ ) and accurate square-law char acteristics ( $\pm 1 \mathrm{db}$ from -3 to - 40 dbm ) are available with new ${ }^{\text {to }}$ 422A Crystal Detectors (pictured), K and R bands, 18 to 40 GC. $422 \mathrm{~A}, \$ 200.00$ each, available in matched pairs for reflectometer systems, $\$ 420.00$ a pair. (7) also offers high sensitivity detectors covering a wide frequency range: $421 \mathrm{~A}, 7$ to 18 GC, $\$ 75.00$ to $\$ 130.00 ; 420 \mathrm{~A}$ for Type N coax lines, 10 MC to $12.5 \mathrm{GC}, \$ 50.00$ each: 420 B for reflectometer systems, matched pair, $\$ 150.00$.


Full frequency coverage, 1 to 40 GC is available from waveguide or coaxial moving loads. Model 914 series, 2.6 to 40.0 GC , are waveguide sections containing sliding, tapered, low-reflection loads. Plunger controls load position, travels $1 / 2$ wavelength at lowest

POWER MEASURING EQUIPMENT

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Calorimetric Power Meter
Connect and read powers 10 mw to 10 watts, dc to 12.4 GC. No barretter, thermistor needed, no external terminations or plumbing. Measures CW or pulsed power. Two simple controls. DC input impedance 50 ohms approx.; input SWR less than 1.7 full range, less than 1.3 to 5 GC. Accuracy within $5 \%$ full scale. $\$ 1,600.00$ (cabinet); $\$ 1,585.00$ (rack mount).
(431A Microwave Power Meters. 478A/486A Thermistor Mounts


Now end tedious zero setting with new 431A Power Meter (pictured). Measures $10 \mu \mathrm{w}$ to 10 mw full scale in 7 ranges, also reads in dbm. $\pm 3 \%$ accuracy all ranges, drift less than $2 \mu \mathrm{w} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ! One zero setting for all ranges, good for hours. Provides additional sensitivity of 10 db over previously available instruments. Operates with (6) 478A, 486A Thermistor Mounts. (7. $431 \mathrm{~A}, \$ 345.00$. New (5) 478A (center, above) covers 10 MC to 10 GC without tuning, is truly temperature compensated, contains two thermistor pairs for use with dual bridge of 431 A . SWR less than 1.5, high accuracy, drift-free operation. $\$ 145.00$. New (67 X486A Waveguide Mount, also temperature compensated, gives high accuracy, new convenience. 8.2 to 12.4 GC without tuning, SWR less than 1.5 $\$ 145.00$.

## IMPEDANCE MEASURING EQUIPMENT



Models 809B and 814B are precision built mechanical assemblies operating, respectively, with 4810 B and 815 B series slotted sections.
Combination of the 809B carriage and 810 slotted sections covers 2.6 to 18.0 GC. Combination of 814B carriage and 815 B series sections covers 18.0 to 40.0 GC .

On either carriage, waveguides can be interchanged in seconds. Only one probe (for each carriage) covers full frequency range. Manufacture is of highest quality, assures positive mechanical positioning of interchangeable waveguides and precise installation of mating 1 probes. 809B has vernier scale reading to 0.1 mm , is equipped for dial gauge mounting. (4) 814B has dial read directly to 0.01 mm 809B, $\$ 175.00$, $814 \mathrm{~B}, \$ 225$.


444A/446B Untuned Probes (5) 444A (shown) is modified crystal (1N76 or 1N26) plus small antenna in convenient housing. Probe penetration easily variable; locks in position. No tuning; sensitivity superior to elaborate single, double tuned probes. Range 3.0 to 18.0 GC ; fits $3 / 4^{\prime \prime}$ bore. (4) 446B for 4814 Probe Carriage, similar but covers 18.0 to 40.0 GC. $\$ 444 \mathrm{~A}, \$ 40.00$. (6) 446B, $\$ 145.00$. el 440A, for barretter or crystal, Type N coaxial, $\$ 85.00$.

## TESTED waveguide and coaxial equipment



752 Multi-Hole Coupler Precision directional couplers provide coupling factors of 3,10 or 20 db . Coupling accuracy $\pm 0.4$ db or 0.7 db . Directivity better than 40 db full range, SWR less than $1: 1(752 \mathrm{~A}), 1: 05(752 \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{D})$ Cover frequencies 2.6 to 40 GC . $\$ 100.00$ to $\$ 375.00$.


## 372 Precision Attenuators

Rugged, broadband fixed attenuators retaining precise calibration regardless of humidity, temperature or time. Invariant attenuation assured, by permanent, "multi-hole coupler" joining of two waveguides. 10 and 20 db models, 2.6 to 18.0 GC. $\$ 110.00$ to $\$ 400.00$.


Dual Directional Couplers
Ideal for reflectometer systems, these coaxial couplers are flat to $\pm 0.5 \mathrm{db}$ over 4 -to- 1 frequency range. Directivity is 35 db (760D) and 30 db (761D). Feature high power capacity, low insertion loss and SWR. (4) $760 \mathrm{D}, 250 \mathrm{MC}$ to 1 GC , $\$ 200.00$; ${ }^{(1)} 761 \mathrm{D}, 1$ to $4 \mathrm{GC}, \$ 185.00$.

## -375A <br> Variable Flap Attenuators

Simple, convenient for adjusting waveguide power or isolating source and load. Max. SWR less than 1.15 full range; attenuation variable 0 to 20 db , dissipates average powers up to 0.5 or 1 watt. S through R bands, 2.6 to 40.0 GC. $\$ 90.00$ to $\$ 190.00$.


## 870A/872A Slide Screw Tuners

For waveguide, coaxial (872A shown) applications. Probe position, penetration sets up reflection cancelling existing reflection. Lead screw or micrometer varies probe insertion for 870A Tuners, 2.6 to 40 GC, $\$ 125.00$ to $\$ 300.00$. Micrometer drive varies insertion on 872A, 500 MC to $4 \mathrm{GC}, \$ 525.00$.


## (1) 362A Low Pass Filter

Compact models increase SWR measurement accuracy by suppressing harmonics; feature low insertion loss, broad stop band. 8.2 to 40.0 GC (includes N band model) . $\$ 325.00$ to $\$ 385.00$.


## 430C Microwave Power Meter中. $476 \mathrm{~A} / 477 \mathrm{~B} / 485$ Mounts

(5) 430 C reads rf power direct in dbm or mw, requires no calculations. Covers 2.6 to 40.0 GC , operates with ${ }^{4} 476 \mathrm{~A}, 477 \mathrm{~B}, 485$ bolometer, thermistor or detector mounts; also with (47) 487 Broadband Waveguide Thermistor Mounts (see alongside). (tp 430C, (cabinet), $\$ 250.00$; 菏 430 CR , (rack mount), $\$ 255.00$. (47) 476A Universal Bolometer Mount, 10 to $1,000 \mathrm{MC}$ without tuning, $\$ 85.00$. (4) $477 B$ Coaxial Thermistor Mount, 10 MC to 10 GC without tuning, $\$ 75.00$. (4) 485 Detector Mounts available in three basic series: S485A 2.60 to 3.95 GC , no tuning; $485 \mathrm{~B}, 3.95$ to 12.4 GC; $485 \mathrm{D}, 2.6$ to 8.2 GC. 485 models, $\$ 75.00$ to $\$ 185.00$

(4) 487 Waveguide

Thermistor Mounts
Models covering 2.6 to 40.0 GC. Each covers full range of guide; no tuning, SWR 1.35 to 2.0 . 10 mw max power. Uses permanently installed 100 ohm negative coefficient thermistor; 18.0 to 40 GC models use 200 ohm thermistor. $\$ 75.00$ to $\$ 225.00$.

## 810/815B Slotted Sections

810B Slotted Sections. (7) 810B, for 809B carriage, flanged, waveguide section with accurately machined slot. Slot tapered at ends to minimize reflection. 3.95 to 18.0 GC . $\$ 90.00$ to $\$ 125.00$.
5810A. Complete slotted section assembly including probe carriage. In 2.6 to 3.95 GC (S-band) size only. $\$ 450.00$.
815B Slotted Sections. For mounting in 814B carriage. Available in two bands, 18.0 to 40.0 GC. Accurately machined; easy interchange, precise positioning. $\$ 265.00$.
806B Coaxial Slotted Section. 3-12 GC, fits 809 B, Type N connectors. $\$ 200.00$.

## 805C/D Slotted Lines

Utmost mechanical rigidity, less leakage, greater accuracy, SWR 1.02 or 1.04. Range 500 MC to 4 GC , reads in cm and mm to 0.1 mm . (4) 805C, for 50 ohm Type N , (14) 805 B , for 46.3 ohm RG $44 / \mathrm{U}$. (4) 805 C , $\$ 525.00$; 805D, $\$ 600.00$.

(4) 415B operates with all $\$ 4$ waveguide and coaxial slotted sections, gives readings in SWR or db. Low noise level, $0.1 \mu \mathrm{v}$ full scale sensitivity, 60 db calib. attenuator. $\$ 200.00$ (cabinet), $\$ 205.00$ (rack). New 415C (pictured) offers similar characteristics but is transistorized, incorporates revolutionary four-times expansion of readings at any point on any scale. Price on request.


416A
Ratio Meter
Displays ratio between two signals, irrespective of common amplitude variations. Especially useful for swept frequency measurement of VSWR, reflection coefficient, gain, insertion loss and other microwave parameters. Calibrated in VSWR, \% reflection, db. See offer for (4) Application Note 42 elsewhere in this advertisement. $\$ 550.00$ (cabinet), $\$ 535.00$ (rack).
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# El's International News 

## World Markets for Microwave Developments

Information supplied by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce indicates that a considerable interest is underway in the development of better communication services all over the world

For the benefit of our readers we have condensed the pertinent data in a brief run-down of the present markets, and indicated where the best potential lies for U.S. manufactured products.

## Australia

Australia is handicapped by duties for U.S. products. In spite of this there are several marketing possibilities. All government-ordered equipment which is unobtainable locally is duty free. The field covers electric test equipment, VHF radio. teletype equipment, and surveillance radar of simple design. The major customer will be the government.

## Nepal

Nepal is considering the use of protected microwave links for internal telephone communications to replace the existing lines which are persistently stolen by the local hill people.

## Netherlands

In the Netherlands the communications systems are practically complete, as the Parliament is considering the establishment of commercial television. No authority is yet established to proceed with this project.

## Norway

The Norwegian government is considering a nation-wide microwave radio relay network consisting of 60 relay stations and one television channel or 960 telephone channels, all to be completed before 1965.

## Portugal

A substantial expansion is under way in Portugal. At present, microwave is only used by the government communications. The Ministry of Defense has a long range plan for the gradual shift of VHF and UHF equipment and several new television projects are planned.

## Rhodesia and Nyasaland

Rhodesian Television plans to set up its first station in Northern Rhodesia before December, 1961. Federal Ministry of Postal and Telegraphs plans to install 2.8 million dollars worth of forward scatter equipment to be supplied by a consortium of British firms. The best potential customer for U.S. equipment is the Department of Civil Aviation for long range radar, and HF forward scatter equipment. The Federation Airline and Central African Airways uses modern communications equipment.

## Saudi Arabia

After the exploitation of the vast oil resources of Saudi Arabia, the economy has risen greatly. There are maintenance problems for radio communications equipment in the vast desert wastes. In addition, technicians do not relish, even with high salaries, the heat of the climate. However, specific plans have been made to improve communications by broadcasting and dial telephones, and for jet aircraft air-toground communications equipment. Other countries are contemplating this market. United States equipment is recognized and accepted. The major customer will be the Saudi Arabian government.

## South Africa

Government Agencies comprise the largest market for radio communications equipment. The military contracts are already under

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Mr. Jack Goodman (center) Vice President of JFD Electronics Corp., Brooklyn, N. Y., announces the signing of a sales and license agreement between JFD's Components Div. and Le Condensateur Ceramigque (LCC) of Paris. The agreement covers six countries in the European Common Market.
exclusive rights to S. A. Phillips of the Netherlands. Certain equipment has been purchased by the government for two-way radio equipment for the South African police and it is likely that the Air Force would purchase U.S. equipment.

## Switzerland

There is strong competition in Switzerland for communications equipment. However, U.S. airborne equipment is favorably accepted. It is likely that mobile radio communication can find a good United States market. It is recommended by the U.S. Consul in Switzerland that direct American representation would pay dividends for prospecting business in the various Swiss markets.
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## International News

## MICROWAVE MARKETS

## Kenya

There is a similar demand for radar in Kenya. A large expansion of the radio call service through the widely distributed population in rural areas is expected. Several agents are interested in representation of the U.S. HF equipment.

## Angola

A six-year telecommunication project for $\$ 1.4$ million is now under way for HF and VHF and UHF communications. The information about these plans may be obtained from the Ministry of Defense in Lisbon.

## Hong Kong

A limited market exists in Hong Kong for United States manufactured retail and communication equipment. Two way radio systems are being used extensively and sales to the government and commercial operators are favorable.

## West Germany

In West Germany almost all domestic radio and television stations and the Federal German Postal Authority are setting up new transmitters and relay stations.

## Bermuda

Two-way radio systems have excellent prospects for government and commercial operators in Bermuda.

## Mexico

In Mexico the industrial economy is rapidly rising because of the government's desire to promote development. There is a moderate potential for radio communications equipment; and the field at the moment is almost untouched.

## Mozambique

In Mozambique the underdeveloped nature of the economy and industrial complex provides a similar opportunity as part of the Second Development Plan, which allocates approximately half million dollars for radio communications.

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Communication system utilizes an IBM 1945 magnetic tape transmission unit (left) at each location, telephone cable and a Bell System microwave network.
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FIRST ISOTOPE - POWERED automatic weather station will soon go into operation in the Canadian Arctic, fulfilling a long time dream of weather men around the world. Power to operate the station will be provided by an isotope of strontium-90. Station and power source are housed in a cylindrical insulated container approximately 8 ft . long.

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FALLOUT from the Russian atmospheric tests is being closely watched here. The Weather Bureau is keeping a close eye on the high altitude winds that are spreading the radio active debris from the Russian tests around the world. Wind is only one of the factors; the others are the season of the year when the blast occurs, the altitude to which radioactive debris is carried, and the latitude of the earth at which the test is conducted.


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## Letters <br> to the

## Engineers Salaries

Editor, Electronic Industries:
I was surprised to read on Page 4 of the August issue of Electronic Industries that graduates in Electrical Engineering with an interest in electronics are receiving offers at the average of $\$ 490$ per month with a high of $\$ 528$ per month. Actually, the news item relating to this matter is somewhat garbled and it was obvious from the news item itself that these items cannot be taken at face value. Our engineering graduates this year are averaging $\$ 540$ per month and this is in line with reports from other major schools of engineering.

George R. Town Dean
GRT/fc
Iowa State University of Science and Technology Ames, Iowa

Dear Mr. Town:
A combination of a typing error and the fact that the error was not detected before going into print accounts for the mistake.

Ed: Starting with the second sentence, the item should have read:
"Fifty CSPE graduates accepted offers from industry with an average of $610 / m o .$, with a high of $900 / m o$. and a low of $525 / m o$. Seven graduates accepted offers from Federal Government installations at an average of $490 /$ mo., with a high of $528 / \mathrm{mo}$., (GS-7) and a low of 444/mo. (GS-5)." SR/alm

## What Price RELIABILITY?

Editor, Electronic Industries:
I am currently working on a high reliability system for air borne equipment. Your article What Price Reliability, (September 1961) fully summarizes the major problems and difficulties in this field.

I feel this article is of great interest to this department. Please send me six (6) copies so that I can distribute them to the other members of my group.

Sherman Cheu Engineer
Philco Corporation
Government and Industrial Division Western Development Laboratories 3875 Fabian Way
Palo Alto, Calif.

Editor, Electronic Industries:
Having read and enjoyed your timely article, What Price Reli(Continued on page 56)


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## Letters

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ability? in the September 1961 issue of Electronic Industries, I would appreciate twelve (12) reprints for distribution within Ryan Electronics.
Advance thanks for your cooperation.
D. M. Paff

Reliability Engineering
Kyan Electronics
Div. Ryan Aeronautical Co.

San Diego 12, Calif.

Editor, Electronic Industries:
I would like to request reprints of two fine articles in your September 1961 issue. The articles are: Checklist for Marketing a New Product and What Price Reliability.

George A. Needham
Mgr. of Administration Integrated Circuits
Motorola, Inc.
5005 East McDowell
Phoenix, Arizona
Editor, Electronic Industries:
Would you please forward five reprints of the article entitled What Price Reliability? which appeared in the September 1961 issue of Electronic Industries.
H. J. Rounds, Jr.

Executive Vice President
Benson-Lehner Corp.
1860 Franklin St.
Santa Monica, Calif.

## Editor, Electronic Industries:

Our Reliability Engineering group would appreciate receiving, if possible, six reprints of the article What Price Reliability by John E. Hickey, Jr. The article appeared in the September 1961 edition of Electronic Industries.
D. G. De Jong

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## Letters

## to the

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## New Product Treatment

Editor, Electronic Industries:
In the September issue of Electronic Industrifs you included a product release on our new coaxial pill varactors

For the benefit of design engincers I used a photograph of models to show the configuration most accurately. The actual diodes were pictured next to a postage stamp for size.
Someone on your staff took the time to identify the models as such on the photograph (see page 181) before you made your cut. It was a simple gesture but like the high editorial caliber of your magazine, the high caliber of your editing staff does not go unnoticed.

Robert J. Allen
Advertising and Public Relations Manager
Microwave Associates
Burlington, Massachusetts

## Many Thanks-

Editor, Electronic Industrifs:
Electronic Industries for April 1961 is a fine issue. In fact EI quality and utility has been climbing for a solid year.
W. L. Anderson

Research Specialist
United States Air Force
Box 530
Devine, Texas

## New Skill—Writing!

Editor, Electronic Industries:
I enjoyed reading the editorial Writing-Newest Engineering Skill, by Harry Baum, in the March 1961 edition of Electronic Industries, page 278 and 279.
As Mr. Baum states, there are some people who can write letters or papers that one can enjoy reading, while others write in such a manner that it is a tough struggle following their train of thought.

Day by day, I find I am called upon to write letters and reports that should be well written and easy to read.
The writer would certainly appreciate a reprint of this article for his own personal file and future benefit.

Frank H. Johnson Field Engineer
The Unitec Corporation
P. O. Box 5754

4003 Seven Mile Lane
Baltimore 8, Maryland
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When the chips are down, reliability is a crucial concern in the selection of a semiconductor source. Yet when you explore this parameter, you'll find a variety of vendor claims about the reliability of their devices. The statements run a wide gamut of values - and all the claims may be legitimate. One can easily find limself faced by the paradox: $2.0 \%$ can be better than $0.001 \%$ (for failure rates in \%/1000 hours).
How come? Just how reliable are reliability figures anyway? Let's shake ourselves free of the emotion of claim and counter-claim and look at the logic of methodologies. The paradox exists because of basic differences in the different approaches used to reach a final value. In order to reach that final reliability figure, several assumptions must be made. One can be conservative or liberal in the assumptions he chooses to use. Thus, the $2.0 \%$ figure may be based on conservative assumptions, the $0.001 \%$ on liberal assumptions.
Now that you've come this far, let's dig in deeper. Obviously, a raw reliability figure is not enough - and should not be accepted on face value alone. We should ask what assumptions were made in reaching that figure. What assumptions should one look for? The following are the basic ones:

1. DEFINITION OF FAILURE: Just how is failure defined? Is it so strict as to call any deviation from initial values, however slight, a failure? Is it so liberal as to call any device which still passes current an acceptable one? You can see that the definition of failure becomes a screening system. How coarse or fine one makes that definition is a variable which affects the final reliability figure.
2. Failure rate over the course of time: Here is where one gets hung on the horns of dilemma. What normally happens is that data is taken for a base period of time (usually 1000 hours) and extrapolated. A good family of devices doesn't provide enough failure data in any reasonable length of time for a valid fit to any of the mathematical models of failure rate distributions. What happens then is that the reliability people make one of two assumptions. They may assume a constant failure rate . . . or they may assume a decreasing failure rate. The differences are much like academic arguments, one chooses his side according to his persuasion. The underlying dilemma is that the same set of data can give us two radically different failure rate values . . . depending on which assumption is used. It suffices to say that the constant failure rate assumption is the conservative one. 3. CONFIDENCE LEVEL: The statisticians will talk about the confidence level of the figures provided. Let's take the mystery out of the term. While the mathematicians will take exception to our forced simplification, after a moment's reflection they'll agree. A $90 \%$ confidence level, in the long run, means that $90 \%$ of the shipments will meet the specified standards and a $60 \%$ confidence level means that only $60 \%$ will get through. If that is what is wanted, an extra decimal place or two can be squeezed into that reliability figure by reducing the confidence level. The higher the confidence level, the more conservative the resulting reliability statements will be. 4. TESTING PROCEDURES: Just where are the test points? How many and which parameters are to be ob-
served? To what stresses are the devices carried? What methodologies are used? We don't mean to imply that one approach is intrinsically superior to another. But we do mean to say that given exactly the same device, one can get different results according to the testing procedures used. Sometimes the differences can be quite gross. In comparing reliability data, one can't go wrong asking just how conservative or liberal the testing procedures are.
3. ARTIFICIAL ACCELERATION FACTORS: The rack lifetesting used to determine reliability values is basically accelerated testing. In "normal". use, devices are not usually subjected to similar strains. Some vendors use the test data exactly as derived. In order to make the failure rate look better, others choose to apply an artificial acceleration factor. Their justification is that such a factor equates the data to normal usage. Obviously, using the the data as derived is the conservative procedure.
4. WHICH QUALITY CONTROL PROCEDURES: Most of the commonly used lot acceptance procedures for semiconductors follow Mil. Std. 105. But an alternate is permissible - MIL-S-19500B, Method B. This is the Lambda ( $\lambda$ ) concept which specifically limits customer risk. The consumer specifies reliability assurance at a fixed confidence level and shifts the risk to the producer. In terms of the consumer's viewpoint, the Lambda ( $\lambda$ ) approach is the conservative one.
If you're enchanted by the complexities of reliability, your own reliability experts would welcome the opportunity to explain the mysteries - and the problems of their profession.

We'll sum up by stating our position. The Raytheon Semiconductor Division has a set policy of always making the conservative assumption. We prefer to present you with the conservative figures which derive from the device itself rather than those based on a projected use of the device.

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## to the Editor

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## Survey of Thin Films

Editor, Electronic Industries:
I have read your article "A Survey of Thin Film Technology" in the September issue of Electronic IndusTRIES with some degree of interest. Although your second part has not yet been published, your introduction indicates that you are seemingly unaware of several important processes that are part of the thin film technology.
First, there is no material that is too refractory for evaporation by electron bombardment techniques. This type of an evaporator is extremely simple and would in no case be termed elaborate. Pictures of a relative simple electron bombardment evaporator and the vacuum system with which it is used is enclosed for your information. We find sputtering is not mandatory for the deposition of refractory materials and we are not alone in the use of this process.
Secondly, chemical processes for the fabrication of thin film circuits have been shown to be relatively economical of costs and capital equipment. The Microsystems Electronics Department of the Lockheed Missile and Space Co. has developed chemical processes for the fabrication of thin film circuits from titanium. This refractory material was selected and the processes were developed to meet the requirements of the Aerospace Industry with respect to reliability, producibility, size and weight reduction and competitive costs. This program is in the pilot plant development phase and the initial requirements are being fulfilled.

There is enclosed for your information a copy of the paper on Titanium Thin Film Circuits that will be presented at NEC in Chicago in October 1961. This is just one of the many papers that have been prepared by members of the MSE Department that range from reports on the "evolution of electronics" through electroluminescense, electron beam processes, and refractory semiconductors, that have been presented at technical meetings.
Distributed parameter RC networks for thin films circuits are also one of the important parts of the thin film technology, and this part has been the subject of intensive study within the MSE Department.
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|  | $33 / 16$ long |
|  | $21 / 2$ high |
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Aerovox Corp., New Bedford, Mass., announces the following appointments: David Palamountain named Director of Quality Control and Robert W. Orr-Chief Engineer for High Voltage and Mica Capacitors and Filters.

Dr. Martin E. Dempsey-appointed Supervisor of Advanced Physical Development, Research Dept., Automatic Electric Laboratories, Inc., Northlake, Ill.

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Dr. Bernard Friedland-appointed Sr. Staff Consultant, Melpar, Inc., Applied Science Div., Watertown, Mass.

RCA Electron Tube Div., Microwave Tube Operations, announces the following appointments: Markus Nowogrodzki - Manager, Product and Equipment Engineering; Herbert J. Wolkstein-Manager, Microwave Design and Development; and Edward J. Homer - Manager, Microwave Engineering Administration and Data Systems Development.

Fred Carlson-named Sr. Reliability Engineer, Reliability Engineering Dept., International Resistance Co.'s St. Petersburg (Fla.) Div.

Frequency Engineering Laboratory (formerly Frequency Standards), Asbury Park, N. J., announces the following appointments: Robert E. Williams-named Manager, Systems Engineering; and Robert F. Slevin named Manager, Microwave and Antenna Engineering.
Dr. Jan A. Rajchman - appointed Director of the Computer Research Laboratory, RCA's David Sarnoff Research Center, Princeton, N. J.

Instruments for Industry, Inc., Hicksville, N. Y., has announced the following appointments: Lawrence I. Algase-promoted to Director of Engineering; and Anthony M. Barbella -promoted to Chief Systems Engineer.

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Willis C. Goss-has joined the Technical Staff at Electro-Optical Instruments, Inc., Pasadena, Calif.

Steven M. Sussman - appointed Head of the Communications Theory Laboratory, Melpar Inc., Applied Science Div., Watertown, Mass.

General Electric Co., Missile and Space Vehicle Dept., Phila., Pa., announces the following appointments: Edward Ray-Project Manager for Space Power; and Victor E. Boccelli Manager of Technical Facilities, Projects Planning and Special Programs Operation.

Comer L. Davies-named Technical Adviser, Instrument Corp. of Florida, Melbourne, Fla.

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James Wagner - appointed Chief, Outside Procurement Quality Control, The Garrett Corp., Los Angeles, Calif.

Consolidated Electrodynamics Corp., Data Recorders Div., Pasadena, Calif., announces the following appointments: John J. Smith and Edgar E. Hotchkin-appointed Assistant Directors of Engineering and Lewis $B$. Browder - named Manager of Advanced Development.

George De Maio-appointed Quality Control Manager, Fairchild Controls Corp., Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corp., Hicksville, L. I., N. Y.
M. Michael Moss-named Director of Reliability, Radio Receptor Co., Inc., sub. General Instrument Corp., Westbury, L. I., N. Y.
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ASM Metals Handbook. 8th Edition. Vol. 1-
Properties and Selection of Metals By 1335 Metals Specialists. Edited by Taylor Lyman. Published 1961 by the American Society for Metals, Metals Park, Novelty, Ohio. 1300 pages. Price $\$ 30.00$
This volume of the new ASM Metals Handbook is a complete presentation in istelf on the properties and selection of all metals. It is the first volume of a projected series, each volume of which, when completed, will serve as a complete and comprehensive tributary to the mainstream of present knowledge of metals and metalworking.
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## Semiconductor-Diode <br> Parametric Amplifiers

By L. A. Blackwell \& K. L. Kotrebue. Published 1961 by Prentice-Hall, Inc., Englewood Clifts N. J. 191 pages. Price $\$ 9.00$.

This book is a theoretical treatment of the major types of parametric devices, aimed at showing the design engineer how and why parametric amplifiers work, and when they can be used to best advantage.

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## Books

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## Advanced Calculus, 2nd Edition

By David V. Widder. Published 1961 by PrenticeHall, Inc.. Englewood Cliffs, N. J. 520 pages. Price $\$ 12.00$.
In this revision, the author has retained the best features of the original edition and has made many improvements. Advanced Calculus is especially designed for the reader who has some familiarity with the manipulations of elementary calculus and wishes to advance into the theoretical aspects of the subject. To aid this progression, the author emphasizes first the type of manipulative problems the reader has been accustomed to, and gradually proceeds to more theoretic problems. Readers grasp ideas quickly because they are presented in the form of precise statements.

## Electronic Radio and Microwave Physics

By D. E. Clark \& H. J. Mead. Published 1961 by The MacMillan Co., 60 Fitth Ave., New York 11 ,
A reference work for experienced technicians and for teachers in the fields of physics and electronic engineering, and a primary textbook for students in those fields. Book is divided into fifteen chapters:
Mathematical Introduction; Principles of Electromagnetic Theory; Transmission Lines; Waveguides; Spectroscopy at Radio and Microwave Frequencies; Properties of Dielectrics and Ferrites; Radiation and Propagation of Electromagnetic Waves; Artificial Lines and Filters; Thermionic Emission and Thermionic Valves; Amplification and the Single Stage Amplifier; Multi-Stage Amplifier; Oscillators; High Frequency Systems and Klystrons; Traveling Wave Tubes and Magnetrons; Noise.

## Books Received

## ABC's of Model Radio Control

By Allan Lytel. Published 1961 by Howard W. Sams \& Co., Inc., 2201 East 46 th St., Indian: apolis 6, Ind. 96 pages. Price $\$ 1.95$.

## Radio Control Manual

By Edward L. Sofford, Jr. Published 1961 by Gernsback Library, Inc., 154 West 14 th Street New York 11, N. Y. 192 pages. Paperbound
Price $\$ 3.20$.

## First-Class Radiotelephone License Handbook

By Edward M. Noll. Published 1961 by Howard W. Sams \& Co., inc., 2201 t. 46th St., Indign apolis 6, Indiana. 304 pages. Paperbound. Price $\$ 4.95$.

## Essentials of Radio-Electronics, Second Edition

By Morris Slurzberg and William Osterheld. Published 1961 by MeGraw-Hill Book Co., Inc. 330 West $42 n d$ St., New York 36, N. Y. 716
pages. Price $\$ 10.00$.
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&\left(+15^{\circ} \text { to }+35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right) \\
&\left(-65^{\circ} \text { to }+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)
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Companies throughout the industry, both here and abroad, have been queried and have answered. Manufacturers in the United States, Australia, Canada, Denmark, France and Great Britain have contributed to help make this a valuable reference piece.

Being a technique, microwaves are useful in many fields of technology, such as radio, physics, and optics. The areas which deserve the most attention, because of growth potential, are high power microwaves and optical masers.


## MICROWAVES_

Fig. 1: Normalized attenuation as a function of waveguide dimension. A large reduction in attenuation is possible using oversized rectangular waveguide. The comparative "low-loss" feature of the $T E$ " ${ }^{0}$ mode can be attained when the circular waveguide is significantly oversized.


BECAUSE sources and detectors were relatively easily obtained, the evolution of electromagnetic technology began at the low and extremely high frequency ends of the spectrum.

At the low frequency end, circuit dimensions are small compared to wavelength. The analytical procedures are based on lumped constant elements; and, the engineering entities, such as, voltages and impedances, have unique significance.

At the extremely high frequency end of the spec-trum-infrared and visible radiation-circuit elements have dimensions which are often many thousands of wavelengths. The tangible entities are quantities such as focal length, aperture, polarization, etc.

Between these limits, circuit elements may have dimensions comparable to wavelength. This is the portion which is broadly referred to as the microwave band. The band may cover from 100 Mc to 100 KMC with greater engineering importance between 1 and 35 кмс.

At microwave frequencies, the low-frequency lumped constant elements are replaced by distributed constants. And, many optical principles can be applied directly. Microwave power can be transmitted inside a single hollow conductor or waveguide, unlike the two conductors necessary at low frequencies. Like light, microwaves can be confined and transmitted by a straight waveguide; but unlike light, microwave power flow direction can be changed, easily, by the wave-guide-without loss in power.

In microwave circuits, voltages and currents are no longer unique; and, these quantities are often re-

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placed by electric and magnetic fields. Impedances no longer have unambiguous definitions and their calculations often involve stored energies in evanescent modes.

The earliest work at microwave frequencies used incoherent sources, such as spark gaps and radiant lamps. It was fairly clear that many important uses had to await the development of a more powerful coherent source. Such a source was invented by Varian in 1938. This later became the klystron. With the new tube, a new era of engineering developments followed, leading to the success of radar and numerous other achievements.

Microwave is popularly discussed in terms of its more dramatic use-radar. The importance of microwaves is actually much broader than for radar alone. The theory and techniques, being so vastly different from either radio frequency or optics, have found powerful applications in many diverse fields of science and engineering. The extent of the application is gradually widening, the rate being limited primarily by the speed of cross communication between unique technical disciplines.

As many scientific and engineering technologies have demonstrated explosive growth during the past 10 to 15 years, microwave has been no exception. During this period, many new technical developments have emerged, such as microwave spectroscopy, microwave communication, ferrites, microwave maser, parametric amplifier, microwave plasma diagnostics, high power microwaves, optical maser, etc. The present era of technological revolution can be attributed to many factors, among which are recognition of scientific importance to social advancement, exploitation of latent technical capabilities, rapid and relative ease in technical communication through journals and conventions.

What is the future of microwaves?-especially after so many advances have been made! Instead of making debatable general predictions, let's discuss a few specific areas and highlight some of the barrier problems and trends towards further development.

## Ferrite

Following the unbelievable 1952 achievement of non-reciprocal behavior in a microwave solid state device using ferrite, the use and production of ferrite components appeared very quickly-within $11 / 2$ years. Until then unattainable performance such as circuit isolation and non-reciprocal phase shifters uncovered other developments and stimulated further device study. Some recent components are ferrite power limiter, ferrite amplifier, isomodulator, etc. In less than a decade, ferrites have attained product maturity; the forecast is steady growth. New materials are being studied which should optimize present components and possibly suggest new ones.

## Varactor Diode

Perhaps one of the most simple, intriguing and versatile circuit elements is the semiconductor diode. In an ideal lossless form, it becomes a variable capacitance or varactor. The breadth of circuits and uses appear virtually limitless and analytical papers published match this breadth.

Although parametric circuit principles have been known for many decades, recent developments make frequent reference to the Manley-Rowe relations published in 1956. Perhaps the characteristic that gave the parametric circuit a surge of interest is its capability of amplifying weak microwave signals with virtually no added noise. The critical need for simple low-noise microwave receivers, required for space

## Microwaves (Continued)

communication and improved ground communication systems, appears to be met by the solid-state parametric amplifier.

Further improvements will rest primarily on improved varactors in terms of higher $Q$, higher cutoff frequencies, higher power along with low production costs. Certain uses suggest multiplicity of elements and an eventual form of a continuous distributed configuration.

While many present applications of varactors will continue into the foreseeable future, the overall field will likely expand considerably-limited only by device improvements.

High Power Microwave
The term, high power, is a relative quantity. Most present-day microwave applications can use higher power, and, if higher powers can be generated, new applications can be found.

It is clear that the technological limits of high power generation have not yet been reached. The capabilities can be extended to higher peak power, higher average power, and higher frequencies. The most serious problems facing the tube designer are efficiency, beams, thermal problems, long life, output windows and spurious-free outputs. Other problems may be bandwidth, linearity, amplitude and phase stability.

After the successful development of a super power tube, tube applications will depend heavily on the mutual compatibility and design dependence of source, components, techniques and system. In advance testing of components and technique development, profitable use is often made of resonant cavities and travel-ing-wave resonators to simulate the anticipated peak powers. Some caution is required since the source impedance cannot be simultaneously simulated.

Fig. 2: Surface resistance normalized to free-space impedance (377 ohma) as a function of frequency for four common materials.


In the design of super power components, even minute insertion losses in db become significant in terms of watts. New approaches are required which can be readily fabricated and meet the eventual operational environment. Any components oversized in dimensions compared to wavelength must consider mode conversion problems to be encountered under the operating conditions.

Super power levels raise the natural question of breakdown. What is the highest power level that any component can carry? Breakdown in vacuum cannot be reliably predicted. At above-atmospheric pressures, the effects of non-uniform electric fields have not been fully studied. In the presence of appreciable amounts of spurious frequency power, the breakdown phenomenon has not been investigated at all.

One component which often arcs or "sizzles" under high power is the waveguide coupling flange. Spurious and harmonic frequencies probably contribute to the sizzling. Although the problem carries much engineering significance, it does not seem to have received sufficient attention. Perhaps this is due to its relatively mundane nature and because no single flange design can meet most packaging and environmental requirements.

The wireless transmission of megawatts of average microwave power over distances of ten miles is being studied by Raytheon for a space platform application. Fairly efficient generation and radiation of the microwave power has been designed, and energy conversion at the receiver involves a thermal cycle. Power converters which will convert microwaves into dc are now being studied by Raytheon and Purdue University. Very efficient converters especially at the highest power levels are still needed. A device which can convert microwaves into mechanical power, i.e., a microwave motor, should find many applications.

During the past few years, solid-state devices such as transistors and junction diodes have replaced some of the low power thermionic tubes. It does not appear that solid-state devices are an obvious threat to replace high power tubes. However, recent pulsed ferrite experiments offer some bases for speculation.

## Phase Shifter

Among microwave components, that which often forces the microwave designer to an uncomfortable position of compromise, is the electronically-controllable phase shifter. Some of the desired specifications are: (1) accuracy, (2) phase range, (3) fast response, (4) small drive power, (5) high microwave power, (6) light weight, (7) small volume, (8) small insertion loss, (9) bandwidth, etc. Ferrites and junction diodes have been used in phase shifters but there is much room for improvement, especially at high microwave power levels.

Although not continuously variable, a discharge in the form of a switch can be used in a digital-type phase shifter. The discharge switch can be externally controlled but the microwave power levels must be relatively small, lest the microwaves will control the discharge. Among discharge type switches, the multipactor is the only one which can be either initiated or quenched while the high level is applied. In addition to this feature, the switch has fast response time and
requires small drive power; hence it should be beneficial for digital phase shifting of high power microwaves.

## Microwave Maser

With the impetus on microwave technology during the early 1940 's, and with the predicted and verified K-Band absorption due to water vapor, a new field of microwave spectroscopy was launched. Much of this early work on extremely high resolution spectroscopy was carried out by Professor C. H. Townes, Columbia University. These studies contributed immensely to the knowledge on structure of matter. From this work arose the development of the K-Band maser, which is a microwave amplifier using a beam of ammonia molecules instead of a beam of electrons. The maser provided unprecedented low noise figures, bordering the ideal. Subsequent developments led to solid-state masers using ruby, rutile and emerald. These devices are tunable using a magnetic field.

Though initially handicapped by narrow bandwidth, recent solid-state traveling wave structures provide practical bandwidths. The low temperatures required will prevent universal application but the microwave maser is irreplaceable in specific applications such as primary frequency standards, radio astronomy receivers, etc.

## Optical and Infrared Maser

One of the most startling achievements in modern physical science is the generation of coherent light. A coherent signal is defined as one which is monochromatic, unipolarized and uniphased across an aperture. In rapid succession three materials were announced, viz, ruby, impurity-doped calcium fluoride, and helium-neon gas mixture, which generate coherent waves at red and infrared wavelengths. The principles of these masers were published by Townes and Schawlow in 1958 and the first optical maser was announced in 1960 by Hughes Research Laboratory.

One of the predicted uses of the optical maser is wideband communication where, in theory, a $1 \%$ bandwidth can handle simultaneously one million television channels! The realization of this capability will however require very extraordinary advances in modulation and demodulation techniques. Other factors to be considered are signal-to-noise ratio, channel capacity, inter-channel interference and terminal equipment.

Due to the combination of high output power and narrow emission linewidth (narrow radiation beam) it should be possible to communicate over astronomical distances through space. The narrow radiation beam should make it possible to search the moon with a ten-mile diameter beam using an optical maser transmitter on earth.

Inasmuch as the emitted linewidth is so narrow, the energy can be focused into a spot size comparable to a wavelength. By focusing the high power output from a ruby optical maser, small holes have been drillin razor blades. Under strong focused fields, quartz exhibits non-linear behavior, and a second-harmonic blue light has been generated by extremely intense red light emitted from a ruby optical maser.

The only maser using gas delivering continuous
power in the infrared region is the one which uses a mixture of helium and neon announced by Bell Telephone Labs in January 1961. The infrared emission linewidth is significantly less than that from the ruby and it should be possible to make interferometric measurements over distances of 18 miles!

The present vigorous search for new maser materials will likely continue for many years. Without doubt there are countless applications of optical masers and practical uses will be found for all devices regardless of the emitted wavelength and whether pulsed or continuous output. Perhaps it is significant to note that maser technology has jumped from microwave to optical wavelengths. The microwave-infrared gap is still relatively undeveloped and until more powerful sources and more sensitive detectors become available, advancements in this gap will be meagre.

Despite the current explosive activity on, and study of, optical masers, there are many technical areas which demand scientific and engineering attention. These are elimination of relaxation oscillations, high overall efficiency, wide range in power output, wide range in emission wavelengths, continuous output, high peak power, etc.
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The early optical and infrared masers are selfexcited oscillators. Although oscillators are regenerative amplifiers, it was not obvious that a coherent amplifier could be built. However, such an amplifier using ruby was successfully built by Bell Telephone Labs during the spring of 1961. Power gains of two were obtained. Further areas of development would be to achieve higher power gain, lower signal sensitivity, higher $S / N$ ratio and tunability.

The optical maser and its applications are in a stage of infancy. While the technical problems are numerous, there is general agreement that the expected rewards justify the effort.

## Other Devices and Applications

As a diagnostic tool, microwave signals have been used to probe high density plasmas. High power at millimeter wavelengths is required to probe extremely dense plasmas. NASA is speculating that interaction of plasmas may generate extremely high power microwaves useful for space communication.

Microwave phonons which can freely propagate in quartz at cryogenic temperatures have been useful in studying the structure of matter. Intense microwave phonons have been demonstrated to amplify parametrically microwave signals through induced nonlinearity in quartz.

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Designed for use in final radar system tests, this space type load presents a constant magnitude, variable phase, reflection to the transmitter. It is useful in studying the effects of transmitter-to-antenna mismatch caused by abnormal weather, such as icing conditions.

## Radar Antenna Test Load

DETERMINING the effect that abnormal operating conditions have upon a radar is an important part of a radar testing program. Transmitter-to-antenna mismatch is one undesirable situation that abnormal weather-such as icing conditions-can cause. Severe transmitter to antenna mismatch may shift the transmitter frequency enough to cause the radar to malfunction. It is probable that a shift in the transmitter frequency due to mismatch is a function of both the magnitude and phase of the reflected wave.

Here we discuss a space type load that presents a


Fig. 1: The radar antenna under test was located in a radome.

Fig. 2: A maximum vswr of 1.4 was introduced when the radome was placed against an infinite ground plane.


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constant magnitude, variable phase, reflection to the transmitter. This antenna load is to be used in a final radar system test. An output not more than 25 db down from the antenna input is to be incorporated in this antenna load. This output will be used with a transponder to provide the antenna with an echo signal.

This antenna load was required to provide a constant magnitude, variable phase, reflection coefficient at the antenna input terminals. The reflection coefficient is to be continuously variable through $360^{\circ}$. This $360^{\circ}$ reflection coefficient phase variation causes the antenna input impedance to traverse a constant VSWR circle on a Smith transmission line chart. It was assumed, for this work, that 1.7 would probably be the maximum VSWR caused by severe weather conditions. Thus, the required load would cause the antenna input impedance to traverse a 1.7 VSWR circle on a Smith transmission line chart.

The antenna for this radar is located in a radome as shown in Fig. 1. The antenna provides a vertically polarized broad beam radiation pattern that is symmetrical about the radome axis. Over the operating frequency band the antenna and transmitter are matched to the 50 ohm line connecting them. The operating frequency bandwidth is about $4 \%$ of the center frequency.

It was found that a rather severe discontinuity in

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the space surrounding the radome was necessary to produce a 1.7 VSWR in the antenna input line. This is illustrated by the fact that 1.4 was the maximum VSWR introduced when the radome was placed against an infinite ground plane as shown in Fig. 2.

One approach to the problem used a parallel plate metal lens as shown in Fig. 3. The theory was to collect the antenna energy and transform it into a plane wave with the lens. The phase of the reflected wave could then be adjusted by varying the distance $d$ to a metal reflecting plate. This system was unsuccessful due to wide VSWR variations with changes in $d$. This was probably largely due to antenna to lens mismatch.

A common difficulty encountered in several approaches tried was the collection and reflection of enough energy to give a 1.7 VSWR. It was decided to collect all of the antenna energy and attempt an an-tenna-to-rectangular-waveguide match as shown in Fig. 4. The vertically polarized field produced by the antenna is compatible with the generation of a $\mathrm{TE}_{10}$ mode in the waveguide. The mouth of the horn was covered with a metal plate with a hole in the center fitted to the metal housing. The transition from antenna input to horn output could then be considered a lossless two-terminal pair network. If the antenna were matched to the waveguide and a waveguide load $Z$ transversed a constant VSWR circle on a Smith transmission line chart, the antenna impedance would traverse the same constant VSWR circle. The system shown in Fig. 5 would provide the required $Z$. The antenna input VSWR varied between 1.3 and 1.4 over the frequency band with the waveguide in Fig. 4 terminated in $Z_{0}$.

Let $\rho$ equal the input VSWR with the waveguide in Fig. 4 terminated in $Z_{0}$. It has been shown that the antenna input VSWR, with the waveguide terminated in $Z$ of Fig. 5, will vary between $1.7 \rho$ and $1.7 / \rho$ as $l$ is varied through $1 / 2$ wavelength. ${ }^{1}$ A $\rho$ of 1.1 would allow the input VSWR to vary between 1.54 and 1.87. Thus, to maintain a reasonably constant input VSWR, it was necessary to match the antenna to the $Z_{o}$ terminated waveguide within a 1.1 VSWR over the frequency band. The problem was then reduced to designing a matching network to match the horn output impedance to the waveguide.

[^5]Fig. 4: To increase antenna vswr an antenna - to - rectangu-lar-waveguide match was tried.


Fig. 5: Illustrated is a variable length of waveguide terminated in an impedance that presents a 1.7 vswr.


Fig. 6a: The horn outputadmittance curve, $\mathrm{Y}_{\text {. }}$ is shown plotted on a Smith chart.


Fig. 6b: This curve and the one above show how the matching network transforms the horn output admittance into the 1.1 vswr circle.


Fig. 6c: The waveguide matching network was used to match horn output to the waveguide.


L. INDUCTIVE WINDOW

C. CAPACITIVE WINDOW


Fig. 7: Block diagram shows the antenna load system used.

## Test Load (Concluded)

The output admittance of the horn can be found by the following procedure. ${ }^{2}$

1. Record the standing-wave ratio $S$ and position of the minimum in the input line with the horn output terminated in $Z_{0}$.
2. Determine the distance in guide wavelengths from the horn output to a short in the waveguide such that the corresponding minimum in the input line coincides with that in measurement 1.
3. Enter a Smith transmission line chart at $1 / S$ and travel counter-clockwise on a constant VSWR circle the number of wavelengths determined in 2 .
4. The point reached in 3 is the output admittance of the horn normalized with respect to $Z_{0}$.
The horn output admittance curve, $Y_{o}$, is shown in Fig. 6a.

The waveguide matching network shown in Fig. 6 was used to match the horn output to the waveguide. The curves in Fig. 6 show the manner in which the matching network transforms the horn output admittance into the 1.1 VSWR circle.

The complete antenna load system is shown in Fig. 7. The insertion of a small output probe in the waveguide presented no difficulties. Fig. 8 shows the antenna input impedance curve obtained at $f_{o}$ as $l$ was varied through $1 / 2$ wavelength.

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[^6]Fig. 8: Antenna input impedance curve provided by the system.


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## Modern

T1HE earliest traveling-wave tubes used magnetic focusing fields provided by heavy, cumbersome solenoids. Solenoids are still widely used with certain types of traveling-wave tubes, such as very-low-noise tubes, tubes requiring very strong magnetic fields, or tubes designed to deliver power outputs in the tens-of-kilowatts or megawatt range.

During the 1950's, however, under the impetus of the growth of electronic radar countermeasures and other airborne systems, intensive study of different focus structures resulted in the development of small, light-weight integrally packaged tubes containing the focus structure within the tube capsule.

Integrally packaged TWTs now employ at least three modern focus techniques: uniform-magneticfield focusing provided by miniaturized solenoids or permanent magnets, electrostatic focusing, or periodic-permanent-magnet focusing. This article describes the features of each type of structure.

## Frequency Coverage \& Power

Integrally packaged TWTs have been developed to amplify over wide frequency bands from the 500 to 1000 MC octave to the 12,000 to $18,000 \mathrm{MC}$ band, and to provide saturated power outputs ranging from milliwatts to more than ten kilowatts. Such tubes, in general, weigh from 2 to 6 lbs. for low-power and low-noise types up to 15 to 20 lbs . for the highestpower tubes-a far cry from the early solenoid-focused units which weighed several hundred pounds and consumed kilowatts of solenoid power.

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The heart of many microwave systems is the traveling-wave tube. Integrally packaged TWT's used today employ three focusing techniques. The features of each are presented here, in a concise manner, as an aid to proper selection.

## TWT Focusing Methods

Fig. 1 relates frequencies from 500 to $18,000 \mathrm{MC}$ to the highest power-output levels obtainable from both periodic-magnetic and electrostatically focused TWTs developed by the microwave industry in the last few years, with the major activity directed toward periodic magnetic focusing. In the very active radarfrequency ranges in mid S-band and lower X-band, tubes having saturated power outputs up to the tenkilowatt level have been developed. At lower powers (i.e., 1 watt and less), a wide variety of very-wideband tubes have been developed to cover all the frequency bands indicated. Integrally packaged uniformfield tubes (not shown) are used primarily for very-high-power and low-noise applications.
Fig. 2 compares the appearance of integrally packaged TWTs using the three modern focus structures

Fig. 1: Frequency coverage and power output of commercially available traveling-wave tubes using two types of beam focusing.

electrostatic focusing


Fig. 2: Comparison of TWT's with various focusing methods.

Fig. 3: A miniature TWT solenoid making use of aluminum foil.



ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVE TRAVELS
FROM LEFT TO RIGHT ALONG HELIX
Fig. 4: The basic structure of a traveling-wave tube is shown.

## TWT Focusing (Continued)

with that of the 6861 low-noise tube and its $40-\mathrm{lb}$. solenoid. The photograph shows the large reduction in size resulting from the modernization of the focus structure.

## Basic TWT Structures

The basic structure of a TWT is shown in Fig. 4. The tube contains a slow-wave structure, such as a helix, along which the wave to be amplified travels, and an electron gun which projects an electron beam through the helix to the collector. The essential components of the TWT are the electron gun, the helical slow-wave structure, the collector, the circuits used to couple r-f energy to and from the helix. The focus structure has to focus the beam for many inches without appreciable helix interception.

For frequencies in L-, S-, C-, and portions of X-band, the r-f signal is applied to or extracted from the helix by a helical coupler. The coupler consists of an external helix wound in a threaded Teflon sleeve and coupled through the tube envelope to the main helix. For frequencies in X -band and above, a waveguide coupler is coupled through the tube envelope to an antenna at one end of the helix. Because both types of couplers are separate from the electron-tube portion of the TWT, and are small in dimension, their use in modern focus systems is attractive.

## Uniform-Field Focusing

The solenoids and permanent magnets used for focusing TWTs have normally consisted of large heavy structures. A wire-wound solenoid, even of modern design (typified by the solenoid shown in Fig. 2), weighed in the order of 40 lbs . when designed for

Table 1

| Saturated <br> Power <br> Output <br> (watts) | Gain <br> (db) | Beam <br> Current <br> (ma) | Helix <br> Volts | Length <br> (inches) | Diameter <br> (inches) | Weight <br> (Ib) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.015 | 35 | 1 | 475 | $157 / 8$ | $11 / 16$ | 3 |
| 0.01 | 35 | 3 | 600 | $153 / 16$ | $11 / 16$ | $23 / 4$ |
| 0.1 | 35 | 4 | 600 | $143 / 16$ | $11 / 16$ | $21 / 4$ |
| 1 | 33 | 19 | 1100 | $153 / 16$ | $11 / 16$ | $23 / 4$ |
| 10 | 25 | 60 | 2100 | $181 / 2$ | $11 / 2$ | 4 |
| 100 | 30 | 250 | 3700 | $195 / 8$ | $21 / 2$ | $121 / 2$ |
| 1000 | 30 | 1500 | 7800 | 21 | $21 / 2$ | 15 |

use with S-band tubes. Permanent-magnet focus structures of the "football" type, designed for similar tubes, weighed considerably more.

The advent of aluminum-foil types of solenoid has made possible miniaturized uniform-field focus structures of substantially reduced weight and size. Fig. 3 is a photograph of an aluminum-foil solenoid structure illustrating these features. This structure weighs 6 lbs., is $21 / 2$ inches in diameter and $131 / 2$ inches long, and has a focus region 0.850 inch in diameter. Such solenoids have been successfully used for L- and Sband low-noise tubes. ${ }^{1}$ They are small enough to permit integral packaging of the focus structure and electron tube, as illustrated.

At C- and X-band, the reduced size of the electrontube structure permits the use of miniaturized "foot-ball"-type permanent magnets weighing less than 15 lbs. X-band integrally packaged low-noise tubes have been developed ${ }^{2}$ with package weights comparable to that of the miniature-solenoid-focused tube of Fig. 3.

Fig. 5a: Cross-sectional view of bifilar-helix type structure.


Fig. 5b: Forces exerted on an electron in focus structure


Fig. 5c: Cross-sectional of periodic permanent-magnet focusing.


## Periodic Focusing

A TWT can be periodically focused by means of the bifilar-helix structure ${ }^{3-5}$ shown in Fig. 5a. This structure consists of a pair of interleaved helices having the same diameter and turns-per-inch ratio. When the two helices are operated at different potentials, they produce the same effect as a series of closely spaced lenses. The electrostatic focusing action is therefore periodic, being repeated at very small intervals and used to balance the outward radial force on the electrons. The forces exerted on an electron and the resulting electron trajectory are shown in Fig. 5b. The bifilar helix not only provides focusing action, but has the same wideband characteristics and the same ability to couple to helical couplers as a single-helix slow-wave structure. Consequently, its use in a TWT results in no degradation of performance.

The technique of focusing the electron beam in TWTs by means of periodically spaced, permanent ring magnets ${ }^{6-9}$ has gained the widest acceptance of all focusing methods to date. Such periodic-focus structures are easily miniaturized, operate over wide ranges of ambient temperature, require no focusing power, and produce negligible stray magnetic fields and helix interception.

Fig. 5c shows a portion of a structure of ring magnets and steel shims designed to produce a periodic magnetic field. Each ring magnet is magnetized so that north and south poles are produced on its side faces. The ring magnets are then stacked between steel shims with the similarly polarized faces of each pair adjacent. The facing south poles of adjacent ring magnets produce a south pole in the steel shim between them, and the facing north poles of adjacent ring magnets produce a north pole in their common steel shim. The strength of the magnetic field along the axis of the structure thus varies periodically, being zero in a plane through the center of each steel shim, and maximum in a plane through the center of each ring magnet.

An electron beam passing along the beam axis, and provided with sufficient accelerating voltage, is constrained most in regions where the force exerted by the magnetic field is at a peak positive or negative value, and constrained least in regions where the magnetic field passes through zero.

Fig. 6: Tube is designed for use with a periodic permanentmagnet focus structure and for electrostatic focusing.



Fig. 7: Final package and the principal TWT components.

Fig. 6 is a photograph of 10 -watt S-band TWTs designed for use with a periodic-permanent-magnet focus structure (which is included in the photograph) and for electrostatic focusing by use of a bifilar helix (which is inside the tube envelope). The feature of minimum bulk is evident from these structures.

Fig. 7 is a photograph of the final package and the principal tube components of a TWT. It illustrates the structures generally representative of the components of the tubes using periodic-permanent-magnetic focus structures.

Table 1, which lists the pertinent electrical and mechanical characteristics of selected S-band TWTs, illustrates the wide range of beam currents and helix voltages representative of tubes having saturated power outputs from 10 mw to 1 kw , and operating in the frequency range from 2000 to 4000 Mc .

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## High Power

## Microwave Component Testing

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T1HE merits of high- versus low-power RF testing have been argued pro and con for a long time. In order to eliminate the necessity for high power RF testing, many attempts have been made to correlate both these techniques; unfortunately, few high power test facilities have been available to conclusively resolve this question.

Recently, however, due to the construction of a new high-power test facility at Frankford Arsenal, it has been possible to conduct positive comparison tests on components such as waveguide rotary joints and waveguide sections by using both low and high power test facilities. These components checked out well on the low power VSWR test equipment. Then, to simulate a minor environmental change, a few grains of fine sand were blown into the rotary joint, which was again tested on the VSWR test set-up with no resulting change. However, when the rotary joint was tested with the high power test set, arcing occurred at half power. The rotary joint was immediately retested on low power and again no change was found from the original condition. Similar results were obtained on a wave-guide section containing a slight deformation on the wall of the guide. Thus it can be seen that, in this situation at least, low power test results cannot be extrapolated to high power conditions.

## Dummy Loads

A particular waveguide component which, in the past, has seldom been adequately tested under high power conditions is the waveguide dummy load. ${ }^{1}$ A
dummy load is designed to simulate the lumped characteristics of an electrical circuit and to dissipate energy in the form of heat for measurements or maintaining RF silence. The load must perform its function within the following limitations: ${ }^{2}$
(1) Minimum voltage standing wave ratio.
(2) Minimum heat reflections from load into associated equipment.
(3) No electrical or mechanical breakdown of load.
(4) No arcing within load or system.
(5) No breakdown in system from gases and water emitted from load.
It is known that the power distribution within a load will vary with frequency, design configuration and material used. A well-designed load will have maximum power dissipation near the mounting flange, but sufficiently distributed to keep heat reflection from the load to the system at a minimum. It is also recognized that heat transfer is a function of the absorbing, bonding and outer shell materials as well as the physical configuration. Where a bonding material is not used, heat transfer will vary directly with the surface area contact of the absorbing and outer shell materials.

## Temperature Effects

Referring to Fig. 1, the temperature $t_{1}$ at a given point on the inner surface of the load will be a func-

[^8][^9]tion of the frequency and power output (input to the load) of the system under test, in addition to the internal configuration of the load. For good design of a load the temperature differential $t_{1}-T$ should be minimized. The temperature differentials are given by
$$
\Delta l_{n}=\frac{P_{i} \|^{-}}{K A}(n=1,2,3)
$$
where $P=$ power dissipated; $W=$ wall thickness; $A=$ inner surface area, and $K=$ thermal conductivity of dissipative material. The ratio $P / A$ is the power dissipated per unit of inner surface area.

The outer shell surface temperature $T$ will be a function of the ambient temperature and of the heat transfer:

$$
T={ }^{t} \text { ambient }+\Sigma \perp l_{n}
$$

It should be recognized that a rise in $t_{1}$ will not only increase the temperature of the dissipative materials but will also increase the temperature of the atmosphere within the load. The amount that $t_{1}$ increases will be determined from the inability of the dissipating material to remove the heat from the inner surface of the load. If the dissipating material has a high thermal barrier, heat will be forced by conduction, convection, and radiation inward to the atmosphere in the load. This will cause air circulation within the waveguide system, thereby increasing the inner atmospheric temperature and creating the possibility of system breakdown. Moisture or water in the load prior to the application of power will vaporize. The air circulation will transform the vapor back again to moisture elsewhere in the system where it can cause breakdown or arcing.


Fig. 1: Temperature Distribution in a Dummy Load.

## Materials and Moisture Control

Concerning the inner materials, good load design requires that the following be considered.
a. High moisture absorptive materials (e.g., wood without impregnant or sealer) will retain a large amount of moisture under humidity or actual soaking conditions. Sudden application of high power from a system would have a tendency to drive this moisture out of the load so rapidly as to create an explosion. This was vividly demonstrated when such an explosion occurred in the test program for the preparation of Specification MIL-D-14454(ORD) Dummy Load, Electrical. Excessive moisture in the load will cause arcing, breakdown and a change in the VSWR.
b. When an improper impregnant is used, testing has shown that repeated power cycling will change the physical and electrical characteristics of the impregnant, resulting in the same failures as indicated for materials without impregnants.
c. Dissipating materials themselves may undergo physical or electrical changes as a result of power cycling. Where an improper plastic absorptive material or an incompletely cured absorptive material is used, power cycling may thermally stress this material, resulting in mechanical and electrical failure of the load and system. Further, the material thermal conductivity may also be affected by a change in its bonding chemical during power cycling. Some materials also have elastic properties which result in a change of VSWR and thermal conductivity as a function of the applied power.

The area between the inner and outer shells may be filled with a bonding material or may be dependent on direct surface contact for heat transfer. A temperature differential will result in either a temporary or permanent separation in the area, thereby reducing $K$ and increasing $\Delta t_{2}$. Where a bonding material is used, temperature changes may result in its physical breakdown, causing deterioration of the material and contamination of the system. Arcing or breakdown results, as demonstrated with the sand particles.

## Power Cycling

Power cycling in a closed system will cause a temporary or permanent deformation of the outer shell material due to the combined effects of temperature and pressure. Deformation could cause bonding separation between the inner and outer shells, thus increasing $\Delta t_{3}$; pressure leaks could develop resulting in system arcing and breakdown.

The limiting factors in RF breakdown in a system using a dummy load are: ${ }^{3}$
a. Maximum peak power.
b. Pressurization of the load-system.
c. Inner surface condition of the load (surface roughness).
d. Inner surface dimensional stability of the load (temperature coefficient of expansion).
e. Frequency.
f. Pulse width.
g. Pulse repetition rate.
h. Electrical field configuration.
i. Impurities within waveguide (dirt, moisture).
j. Internal temperature of system (load air).

Average power limitations of a load are:
a. Physical changes of material through heating (deterioration).
b. Electrical changes of material through heating.
c. Thermal shock.
d. Safety (heat transfer should not be harmful to human and equipment).
e. Damaging differential temperatures.

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## Thermal Drift



# in Microwave Power Meters 


#### Abstract

Although bolometer type microwave power meters have been around for 15 years, not till recently have compensated devices been designed to overcome their thermal drift sensitivity. Here's how to achieve a realistic design goal of 100 times less detector mount drift than previously available.


$A^{s}$S microwave energy is absorbed by a bolometer element, it is dissipated as heat. The effect of this heat on the element itself is measured and stated in terms of power received. However, ambient temperature also affects the bolometer element; and, this ambient heat effect is erroneously measured along with the microwave power. The extent of this error can be realized by considering what happens when the temperature of a commonly used coaxial thermistor mount changes $1^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. This is equivalent to a 300 mw

change in microwave power. Thus, ambient temperature grossly limits the usefulness of $100 \mu \mathrm{w}$ ranges found on commonly available devices.

There are two possible approaches to this problem:

1. Isolate the bolometer mount by temperature control.
2. Design a circuit able to cancel out first order temperature effects.
Conventional power meter circuitry could be used for the first alternative. However, temperature control would have to be extremely good-because only one one-hundredth degree centigrade change would cause a 3 mw drift! Also, suppose the operating range was $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. This requires an oven at $60^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and thermistor control at that temperature. This is rather impractical.

Look at the second alternative. A better solution is to use two bridges containing thermistors tied to a common heat sink and biased by a common power source. The effect is analogous to the common mode rejection of a differential amplifier.

Very basically, such a circuit would consist of two bridges, each containing thermistors. Each bridge would be designed with feedback to maintain balance. Both thermistors would be biased by a
common power source (the only source of power in the zeroed condition). Microwave current applied to the first thermistor, in the first bridge, would be communicated to the second bridge, and dc current of equal magnitude would be applied to the thermistor in that bridge. In effect, we would have a 1 to 1 microwave current to dc current converter. The dc current applied to the second thermistor, of course, would be easy to meter and state in terms of microwave power.

## Circuit Proposal

For a more detailed description of this circuit see Fig. 1. AC amplifier \#1 amplifies the unbalanced signal at the bridge. This amplifier contains a circuit tuned to 10 kc . The output of amplifier \#1 is fed back to the primary of bridge transformer \#1. This is positive feedback, and forms an oscillator which oscillates at 10 Kc . The amplitude is controlled by the characteristics of the thermistor. Steady state is reached when the resistance of the thermistor is just slightly greater than $99.9 \Omega$ resistor in the other arm of the bridge. If amplifier \#1 has greater than a 60 db gain, the resistance of the thermistor is less than $1 / 10 \Omega$ greater than the $99.9 \Omega$ resistor. Note that the primary of bridge transformer \#2 is now in series with the primary of bridge transformer \#1. This means that ac amplifier \#1 is providing the bias


Fig. 2: Thermal technique used to overcome temperature gradients.
for the thermistors in both bridges. The potentiometer in the other arm of bridge \#2 is used to trim for any slight variation in the characteristics of the two thermistors, and establish zero.

The unbalanced signal, appearing at the center tap of bridge transformer \#2 is amplified, detected by a synchronous detector, dc amplified, and fed back to bridge transformer \#2 through the metering circuitry.

Basic Circuit Operation
Now let us trace what happens during operation of this circuit. First, the power meter is zeroed. The only power used to bias the thermistors to 10 kc power, supplied by ac amplifier \#1. When microwave power is applied to thermistor \#1, it heats it. This starts to unbalance the bridge. To regain a steady state balance, the ac signal, $I_{10 K O}$ in Fig. 1, must be reduced. The reduction in 10 KC power applied to this thermistor is equal to the microwave power applied. This reduction in $I_{10 K O}$ is also applied to thermistor \#2, unbalancing it. This bridge circuit regains balance only when $I_{d c}$ supplies sufficient power to thermistor \#2 to bring it back to balance. This is when the dc current supplied to thermistor \#2 is equal to the microwave current applied to thermistor \#1, since $I_{10 \mathrm{KC}}$ is common to both through identical transformers.

Thermal Stability
Now let's consider how the circuit reacts to temperature changes. If the temperature goes up, ther-

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mistor \#1 needs less electrical power to bias it to the $100 \Omega$ resistance which is required to maintain bridge \#1 in a balanced condition. This means that $I_{10 \kappa \sigma}$ decreases in value. This same temperature change also occurs to thermistor \#2 because it is in the same thermal environment as thermistor \#1. If it is identical to thermistor \#1 it also needs the same decrease in electrical power. It receives this decrease in power because $I_{10 K o}$ is applied to both thermistors through the primaries of their respective bridge transformers. This means that a temperature change would cause no change in $I_{d o}$ which is the current used to activate the metering circuitry. It is important, however, that both thermistors share the same thermal heat sink.

## Heat Sink

If the thermistor mount is connected to a piece of equipment being cycled in an environmental chamber, for instance, heat will travel up and down the waveguide or cable and the mount will tend to follow with an increase or decrease of temperature. The temperature change is a problem previously discussed, but also because flow of heat is involved there must also be temperature gradients present. If this gradient is $0.01^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. between the respective thermistor leads, a power meter drift of $3 \mu \mathrm{w}$ will result. The thermal technique to overcome this effect is shown in Fig. 2. The leads of all thermistors are returned to the same thermal heat sink which is thermally isolated from the main thermal mass of the mount. Use of this technique makes it much more difficult to develop temperature gradients within the sink. It means that if the temperature of the main mass varies, the system would work as a thermal filter, greatly attenuating the thermal fluctuations which appear in the heat sink.
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Fig. 3: Details of metering


## Other Design Benefits

Such an approach to thermal stability will also allow one to realize these other important advantages:

1) Greater sensitivity. A hundredfold decrease in thermal drift makes a more sensitive range possible.
2) Grounded recorder output. The current supplied by this recorder output would have to be linear in relation to the power being measured, so that microwave power would be a direct reading plot.
3) Zero set common to all scales. The device could be zeroed on the most sensitive scale and zero would be common to all higher scales.
4) A design capable of greater accuracy than the $\pm 5 \%$ commonly available.
5) Portability. Battery operate the power meter so that it could be used in field applications.
The factor limiting power meter sensitivity is thermal drift. By making a hundredfold reduction in drift a ten times increase in power meter sensitivity would become reasonable, and measurements of as little as $1 \mu \mathrm{w}$ feasible.

Fig. 3 shows the details of the metering circuit and the recorder output, driven by a current linear with the microwave power. $I_{d c}$ is the dc current which is fed back to bridge \#2. It is also equal to the rMS value of the microwave current. Microwave power is proportional to $\left(I_{d c}\right)^{2}$. Therefore, a current proportional to $\left(I_{d c}\right)^{2}$ is desired to drive a front panel meter and the recorder. The output of the dc amplifier, $E_{3}$, is applied to the bases of both transistor A \& B. The emitter of transistor $B$ is applied to a square root circuit which solves the formula

$$
E_{d c}^{2}=K I_{m}
$$

With the non-linear load in the emitter, it means that the collector current $I_{m}$ is proportional to $\left(I_{d c}\right)^{2}$ and, therefore, $I_{m}$ would be proportional to the microwave power.

In Fig. 3, the zero is common to all ranges. Range changes are made by switching in the correct scale factor resistor into the emitter circuit of transistor A. When the meter is zeroed, $I_{d c}$ is equal to zero; therefore, the voltage across the range switch resistor is also zero. Thus, the zero is common to all ranges.

Improved accuracy is obtained because each feedback loop has at least 60 db of gain. Accuracy is primarily dependent on the specification of various passive circuit elements. It can be expected to be better than $\pm 3 \%$.

Semiconductors make portability feasible. As active elements in this circuit design, transistors are an excellent prospect because of the circuit's low impedance levels; also, because the maximum frequency demands do not exceed the 10 kc of the oscillator circuitry.

Thus, using self-balancing bridge methods, coupled with newer thermal compensations and feedback circuit stabilization, an improved microwave power measuring design is possible with stable sensitivity on the order of $1 \mu \mathrm{w}$.

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## Sophisticated Systems are . . .

## Eliminating

THE traveling-wave tube (TWT) amplifier is used mostly where broad bandwidths are required. Depending on the needs, tubes may be designed to provide large bandwidth (several tubes now exceed one octave bandwidth), high peak power (above 5 megawatts), or low noise figure (2db). Other needs may also affect design.

This article describes a tube for use in an application requiring $10 \%$ bandwidth and 5 kw of peak power. The noise figure is not a limiting factor.

What's so novel about a tube which falls so short of the state of the art in power? bandwidth? and noise figure? Stability, ruggedness, long life, and the ability to withstand environmental extremes may also limit use. All these factors, while important, have little to do with separating this tube from most others. It is for use in a system which can permit very little signal distortion. This requirement, while not unusual, is one of ever-increasing importance. It is especially so as more sophisticated systems are devised.

Gain and Phase
A distortion-free amplifier must have constant gain over the range of frequencies considered, as well as

[^10]

Strange that with an art advanced to tubes with octave bandwidths, megawatts of peak power, and 2 db noise figures, we should apparently step backwards to a $10 \%$ bandwidth and 5 kw peak power. But the reason is simple -the new systems can tolerate very little distortion. Here's one approach!

## Distortion in the TWT



Fig. 1: Schematic of a transmission system with two reflections.
constant time delay, or a linear phase relationship with frequency independent of the drive level. Also, it must be free of intermodulation distortion. Fortunately, the physical phenomena which govern TWT operation do provide, to a first approximation, constant gain and linear phase. Gain is constant because a TWT is not a resonant device; phase is linear because all signals traverse the tube at about the beam velocity.

Gain and phase variation with input drive is not so well under control since a power amplifier must operate near saturation to provide reasonable electronic efficiency. The need to operate near saturation will also exert a profound influence on intermodulation distortion. However, this can be lessened some if the harmonics generated in the beam are negligibly coupled to the circuit.

## Reflections

A major cause of distortion which can be brought under control is that which arises due to multiple reflections of the signal in the tube. If small reflections are set up at two points along a propagating system, they will act to set up a small additional wave which adds vectorially to the carrier.

Look at the system of Fig. 1. A signal from the
generator propagates down a transmission line with small reflections at points $A$ and $B$. Since the reflections are assumed to be small, the signal transmitted through the reflection points will be negligibly perturbed. The signal at the receiver will be the sum of the generated signal plus the small signal which has been reflected at the two reflection points. If $V_{1}$ is the generator signal at point B , and $V_{2}$ is the total signal transmitted through point $B$, we may write

$$
\begin{equation*}
V_{2}=V_{1}+V_{2} \rho_{B} \rho_{A} \tag{1}
\end{equation*}
$$

where, $\rho_{A}$ and $\rho_{B}$ are the voltage reflection coefficients at points $A$ and $B$, respectively. Both reflection coefficients have included in them a phase factor corresponding to the phase shift between points $A$ and $B$.

Eq. (1) may be rearranged in the form

$$
\begin{equation*}
V_{2}=\frac{V_{1}}{1-\rho_{A} \rho_{B}} \tag{2}
\end{equation*}
$$

which is approximately

$$
\begin{equation*}
V_{2} \cong V_{1}\left(1+\rho_{A} \rho_{B}\right) \tag{3}
\end{equation*}
$$

The received wave is a distortion of the unperturbed transmitted waves which can be represented in a vector diagram, Fig. 2. The amplitude and phase of $V_{2}$ differ from that of $V_{1}$ in a cyclic manner which depends on the phase of the doubly reflected signal rela-



Fig. 3: Varian Associates' VA133 with type N adapter has $10 \%$ bandwidth, centered at 1320 MC ; it's a $5-\mathrm{kw}$ peak, 300 watt avg. amplifier.

## Eliminating Distortion(Continued)

tive to the phase of $V_{1}$. A frequency change which will increase or decrease the effective distance between $A$ and $B$ by $\lambda / 2$ will cause one complete rotation of the reflected signal vector.

The maximum excursion of the amplitude of $V_{2}$ is given by

$$
\begin{equation*}
\frac{V_{2 \max }}{V_{2 \min }}=\frac{V_{1}\left(1+\rho_{A} \rho_{B}\right)}{V_{1}\left(1-\rho_{A} \rho_{B}\right)} \tag{4}
\end{equation*}
$$

which may be expressed approximately in db in the form

$$
\begin{equation*}
د V=17.4 \rho_{A} \rho_{B}(\mathrm{db}) \tag{5}
\end{equation*}
$$

In the same manner, the maximum phase excursion may be written approximately

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Delta \phi=115 \rho_{A} \rho_{B} \text { (degrees) } \tag{6}
\end{equation*}
$$

The frequency interval over which the amplitude or phase will move from its maximum to minimum value is that for which the equivalent distance between reflections is changed by $\lambda / 4$, i.e.

$$
\begin{equation*}
\frac{\Delta f}{f}=\frac{\lambda}{4 L} \tag{7}
\end{equation*}
$$

As a numerical example, consider the case where the reflections have VSWR's of $1.2: 1$ and the distance between reflection is 10 wavelengths. Then from Eqs. (5), (6) and (7) we obtain approximately,

$$
\begin{aligned}
\Delta V & =0.143 \mathrm{db} \\
\Delta \phi & =0.95^{\circ}
\end{aligned}
$$

and

$$
\frac{\Delta f}{f}=2.5 \%
$$

## Voltage and Loop Gain

If the signal were amplified in traveling from $A$ to $B$ and unattenuated in traveling from $B$ to $A$, the situation would resemble that which exists in a TWT. Then Eqs. (5) and (7) would take the form

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Delta V=17.4 G \rho_{A} \rho_{B}(\mathrm{db}) \tag{8}
\end{equation*}
$$

and

$$
\begin{equation*}
\Delta \phi=115 G \rho_{A} \rho_{B} \text { (degrees) } \tag{9}
\end{equation*}
$$

where $G$ is the net voltage gain between $A$ and $B$.

[^11]Where attenuation exists in the return path, $G$ would be taken as the net loop gain. While the number of wavelengths along the forward path need not equal that along the return path, this fact is of little consequence to the foregoing argument and would usually result in a slight correction to Eq. (7) .

A TWT may possess many internal reflections in addition to those at the input and output transitions. Each reflection must be minimized for optimum performance. The amplitude and phase change with frequency rate increases with the distance between reflections. Hence, the greatest effort should be made to minimize the reflections which are farthest apart. This is somewhat complicated because most TWTs contain one or more internal severs which prevent any of the signal reflected at the output from returning to the input. In any TWT, one is apt to find a lossless circuit section with 15 to 20 db of gain. If $G$ is 10 and the two ends of the section cannot be matched to VSWR's better than 1.4:1, then the resultant amplitude excursion will be almost 5 db and the phase excursion will be about $32^{\circ}$.

Input and output transitions and internal terminations have been designed for this tube which possesses VSWR's less than 1.1:1 across the operating frequency band.

The tube, Fig. 3, is a 5 -kw peak, 300 -watt average power amplifier with 50 db minimum gain and $10 \%$ bandwidth, centered at 1320 MC . It is intended to operate with less than 1 db output power variation over the band with constant drive. Beam focusing is achieved using a periodic permanent magnet (PPM) stack.


PPM focusing was chosen for this tube because the required degree of beam confinement can rather easily be achieved using this method; because it is light and rugged; and, because it eliminates the need for a focusing supply. If a tube like this should be required for airborne service, a lighter PPM assembly could be designed to reduce overall weight to approx. 40 lbs . The tube, including magnet, has an overall length of 48 in . and a diameter of 4 in . It weighs 60 pounds and is water cooled.

## Construction

The circuit used in the tube, Fig. 4, is a ring-bar structure. It was chosen because it possesses a high interaction impedance at a beam voltage suitable to the task of providing 5 kw of peak power. This circuit has a relatively low backward-wave impedance, an important factor in minimizing instability due to backward-wave oscillation. The circuit is supported by three ceramic rods which fit snugly inside the tube's vacuum envelopes. The circuit is made in three sec-
tions with two severs. Suitable lossy materials in the neighborhood of the severs act to terminate the r-f wave on the circuit.

Outside the tube envelope, but inside the focusing magnet pole pieces, is a water jacket which cools the tube envelope. This is run in series with the watercooled collector. A water jacket inside the focusing magnet materially affects the size of the magnets required to focus the beam, because the body cooling system is occupying space which could be used by the magnet pole pieces. Therefore, the water jacket is designed to fit the tube as tightly as possible, consistent with obtaining the required coolant flow.

The outer jacket, surrounding the PPM stack, is a soft iron shield. This shield minimizes the effect of external magnetic fields as well as shields external equipment from the magnet fields of the PPM stack.

The electron gun is a convergent flow gridded gun using an oxidecathode. The grid bias for cutoff is about 1 volt per 100 volts of anode potential. The grid is pulsed 150 volts positive with respect to the cathode to obtain 2 amps of beam current.

Fig. 5 is a typical saturation curve showing the peak output power as a function of drive. The small signal gain is 60 db whereas the saturated gain is about 53 db . The maximum output power is 6.4 kw , an electronic efficiency of $30 \%$.

Because the beam current and beam voltage are independently controlled, it is possible to vary the gain, bandwidth, power and efficiency over a wide range. The highest power is obtained at the low frequency end of the band with high beam voltage and current. The highest efficiency occurs near band center at slightly elevated beam voltage. The best broadband performance is achieved at lower beam voltage and higher beam current. Fig. 6 shows two curves of gains versus frequency at constant drive. At 10 kv beam voltage, the maximum variation in gain over the band is 0.4 db , whereas at 10.2 kv this figure rises to about 0.6 db . These curves show no significant fine structure. This small variation in gain attests to the adequacy of r-f matching.

A strong harmonic signal is a disadvantage in many applications. Since it may be inconvenient to filter out the harmonics, it is best that the amplifier produce a signal with negligible harmonic content. Fig. 7 is representative of the total second and third harmonic output. The harmonic content shown in this figure is low enough for most applications and small enough to guarantee that other power measurements made on a total power basis do not suffer in accuracy due to neglecting it.

## Future Developments

The development of this tube will form the basis for further work which is expected to yield a tube with the following characteristics:

| Min. Peak Power | 5 kw |
| :--- | :---: |
| Min. Average Power | 1 kw |
| Bandwidth (1 db) | $25 \%$ |
| Min. Gain | 50 db |
| Min. Efficiency | $30 \%$ |
| Max. Pulse Length | 1 msec |



Fig. 5: Typical saturation curve showing the peak output power as a function of drive. Maximum output is 6.4 kw ; efficiency, $30 \%$.


Fig. 6 (above) : Small variation in gain attests to the adequacy of the r-f matching.

Fig. 7 (right): This curve is representative of the total second and third harmonic output in tube.


Further in the future is the expectation of the resolution of thermal problems which presently limit the average power. There is little reason to doubt that this work will pave the way to the development of a $10-\mathrm{kw}$ cw tube weighing no more than 40 lbs. including the PPM focusing stack. We believe that such a tube can be built with an overall efficiency in excess of $50 \%$.
The author is indebted to Messrs. N. Vanderplaats and D. Lin for their invaluable assistance.

With the increased use of masers and parametric amplifiers, the term "effective noise temperature" is replacing "noise figure." Since this causes two sensitivity figures, there is much confusionmainly in converting equations with one term to the other. Here's how to use each-and how the relationship is derived.


In the Radar Range Equation...

## Equating 'Noise-Temperature'

## with

THE new low noise receivers for long range radar and communications systems require a second look at the present receiver terminology; especially, a look at the receiver noise figure. With the advent of masers, parametric amplifiers, tunnel diode amplifiers, etc., the term noise figure lost much of its significance. The term effective noise temperature has been replacing it.

Because there are now two receiver sensitivity notations, there is widespread confusion. The main problem is converting those which use noise figure to those using effective noise temperature. The expression for radar range is one such equation.

The old approximate equation

$$
R_{\max }=\sqrt{\frac{P_{t} G_{t} G_{R} \lambda^{2} \sigma}{(4 \pi)^{3} k T_{o} B F}}
$$

where,
$P_{t}=$ peak transmitted power
$G_{t}=$ transmitter antenna gain
$G_{R}=$ receiver antenna gain
$\lambda=$ wavelength
$\sigma=$ target area
$k=$ Boltzman's constant
$B=$ bandwidth
$F=$ receiver noise figure
$T_{0}=290^{\circ} \mathrm{K}$
is completely erroneous because it sets the effective system temperature at $290^{\circ} \mathrm{K}$. For many systems, however, especially those which employ low noise receivers, or scan at high elevations, this assumption is not true.

## Elemental Question

The elemental question is-what is the maximum range which an arbitrary target can be discerned above external noise plus receiver noise. For a MDS (minimum discernible signal), target just distinguishable in the noise, the signal power and noise power (external plus receiver) ${ }^{1}$ are about equal. In some systems, the signal power to noise power, $S / N_{0}$, must be a value greater than one to perform signal processing functions. Therefore, this ratio, $S / N_{o}$, is one of the main parameters to be considered. The factor $S$ for radars is, of course

$$
S=\frac{P_{t} G_{t} C_{1 R} \lambda^{2} \sigma}{(4 \pi)^{3} R^{4}}
$$

and $N_{o}$ is the total noise power contributed by all sources in the receiving system. Therefore, if

$$
\frac{S}{N_{0}}=\mathcal{I}_{0} S=N_{0} X
$$

then the maximum range, $R_{\text {max }}$, may be expressed in terms of noise power and signal-to-noise ratio. $R_{\text {max }}$ is then

$$
R_{\text {max }}=\sqrt{\frac{\Gamma_{t} G_{i} G_{R} \lambda^{2} \sigma}{(4 \pi)^{3} N_{0} X}}
$$

${ }^{1}$ This assumes that the recejver has enough gain to mask the noise of the succeeding stages.

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## 'Noise Figure'

$$
R_{\max }=C_{1} \sqrt[4]{\frac{1}{N_{0} X}} \text { where } C_{1}=\sqrt[4]{\frac{P_{t} G_{i} G_{R} \lambda^{2} \sigma}{(4 \pi)^{3}}}
$$

Now $N_{o}=k B T_{E}$, and $T_{E}=T_{A}+T_{B}$
where
$T_{E}=$ effective noise temperature of receiving system
$T_{A}=$ antenna noise temperature
$T_{s}=$ effective noise temperature of the receiver including lossy components between antenna and receiver
The antenna temperature, ${ }^{2} T_{A}$, is a function of what the antenna "sees," but generally consists of galactic, sun, earth, and absorption noise. The "noise power" that the antenna receives depends on the gain of the antenna and the direction in which it is pointing; or, in mathematical notation is
where $\overline{G_{i}} \frac{\Delta \theta_{i}}{4 \pi}$ and $\overline{T_{i}}$ are average gain figures and temperatures, respectively, in the direction interval $\Delta \theta_{i}$.
One point which should be stressed is the noise received through the sidelobes, a deceiving amount, since a large percentage of the radiated energy is contained in the sidelobes.

## Derivation

The effective noise temperature of the receiver can be derived from the basic definition of receiver noise figure.

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Long range search radar antenna made by Bendix for the AIR Force.

$$
F_{R}=\frac{\frac{\text { signal power in }}{\text { noise power in }}}{\frac{\text { signal power out }}{\text { noise power out }}}
$$

If the noise power out is greater than the amplified input noise power then $F_{R}$ will be greater than unity indicating a more noisy receiver. Expressing this in terms of the above notation

$$
F_{R}=\frac{\frac{S}{N_{i n}}}{\frac{W_{p} S}{W_{p} N_{i n}+W_{p} N_{D}}}
$$

where
$N_{\text {in }}=$ noise power into receiver
$N_{D}=$ equivalent input noise power generated by receiver
$W_{p}=$ gain of receiver

$$
F_{R}=1+\frac{N_{D}}{N_{i n}} \quad \text { or } \quad N_{D}=\left(F_{R}-1\right) N_{i n}
$$

Now since both $N_{n}$ and $N_{i n}$ may be considered forms of Johnson noise they are also equivalent to

$$
\text { and } \quad \begin{aligned}
& N_{i n}=k B T_{o} \\
& N_{D}=k B T_{R}
\end{aligned}
$$

thus giving

$$
\begin{aligned}
k B T_{R} & =\left(F_{R}-1\right) k B T_{\circ} \\
T_{R} & =\left(F_{R}-1\right) T_{o}
\end{aligned}
$$

$T_{o}$ by IRE definition is $290^{\circ} \mathrm{K}$.
Therefore, the receiver noise temperature in terms of noise figure is

$$
T_{I l}=(F-1) 290^{\circ} \mathrm{K}
$$

## Noise Temperature (Concluded)

The noise temperature of the lossy components is by analogy

$$
T_{L}=(L-1) 290^{\circ} \mathrm{K}
$$

However, $T_{L}$ and $T_{R}$ cannot be directly added to $T_{A}$ to determine $T_{E}$, the overall system noise temperature. The reason is as follows: When two elements are cascaded, the composite noise figure is generally expressed

$$
F_{1+2}=F_{1}+\frac{F_{2-1}}{G_{1}}
$$

Here the losses, $L$, and the receiver noise figure, $F$, combine to give a composite noise figure, $F_{s}$, of
$F_{s}=L+L(F-1) \quad L$ multiplies $(F-1)$ since it is actually a negative gain.
This reduces to

$$
F_{\mathrm{s}}=L(1+F-1)=L F
$$

Again, by analogy,

$$
T_{s}=\left(F_{g}-1\right) 290=(L F-1) 290
$$

This can be expanded to

$$
\begin{aligned}
T_{s} & =(L F-1+L-L) 290 \\
& =[(L-1)+L(F-1)] 290 \\
T_{s} & =(L-1) 290+L(F-1) 290
\end{aligned}
$$

$T_{s}$ then is $T_{s}=T_{L}+L T_{R}$
Therefore,

$$
\begin{aligned}
T_{E} & =T_{A}+T_{S}=T_{A}+T_{L}+L T_{R} \\
& =T_{A}+(L-1) 290+L(F-1) 290
\end{aligned}
$$

also

$$
T_{E}=T_{A}+(L F-1) 290
$$

The range equation can now be expressed

$$
\begin{gathered}
R_{\max }=C_{1} \sqrt[4]{\frac{1}{k B X} \cdot \frac{1}{T_{A}+T_{S}}} \\
R_{\max }=C_{1} \sqrt{\frac{1}{k B X} \cdot \frac{1}{T_{A}+T_{L}+L T_{R}}}
\end{gathered}
$$

or in terms of noise figure

$$
R_{\max }=C_{1} \sqrt[4]{\frac{1}{k B X} \cdot \frac{1}{T_{A}+(L-1) 290+L(F-1) 290}}
$$

A more manageable form would be

$$
R_{\max }=\sqrt{\frac{P_{t} G_{t} G_{R} \lambda^{2} \sigma}{(4 \pi)^{3} k B X} \cdot \frac{1}{T_{A}+(L F-1) 290}}
$$

The equation is now in terms of the important parameters, $S / N_{o}$, noise figure, and/or effective noise temperature.

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## What's New

## New Engineering Cuts Drafting

$\mathrm{A}^{\mathrm{N}}$NEW engineering method promises cuts in engineering, design and drafting costs from $33-50 \%$.
Called the Panoramic Design Technique, the method was originated by T A B Engineers, Inc., 520 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago 11, Ill. It does away with drawings made by using conventional drawing boards, parallels, and T-squares. Instead, engineers now put their designs directly on wall-size blackboards and record them photographically.

T A B estimates that if the new technique were universally adopted, private industry and the government could slice at least $\$ 6$-billion from their estimated annual $\$ 22$-billion engineering, drafting, and research and development expense.

In its own use of the method, T A B has slashed both cost and time to complete projects for clients by approximately 50 per cent. On a special packaging machine for a food processor, T A B estimated it would take six months and $\$ 80,000$ to engineer and build the machine conventionally.

Using the new technique, the completed machine was delivered in 90 days at a cost of $\$ 48,000$.
The technique, developed over the past five years, is similar to "brainstorming" sessions used in advertising agencies.
In conventional engineering practice, the individual designer makes drawings of his ideas on his drawing board then submits them for approval or revision. There could have been as many as 10 or 20 engineers and designers working on parts of a design at the same time. And, the chief engineer has to look at their work individually.
When the basic design is developed, the work is turned over to detailers who spend hours preparing the detail and assembly drawings for use in making a pilot model.

Records show that an average of $78 \%$ of engineering time previously spent on a project was devoted to layout, detailing and revisions. This same drafting work, using the new method, is slashed to $34 \%$.

With this new method, he continued, the fabrication of a better-engineered machine can be started much faster.
With the T A B method, the engineers and designers work together as a group at a huge blackboard. Each man is assigned a specific part of the design to develop, and his ideas are constantly on display as he progresses.

The director of engineering or project manager can see the project in its entirety instead of inspecting individual drawings one at a time. If a change is indicated, it can be made just by erasing the chalk and sketching a new version.

The change in the engineers' efficiency is revolutionary. By seeing how his portion of the design fits the whole pattern, he is stimulated to work better himself. And he can frequently help his fellow engineers on the board by suggesting improvements for their phase of the project.

One caution. While the technique sounds simple, in actual practice it takes considerable skill to conduct properly. Getting the engineers and designers to accept the new method and acquire the proper new habits is one of the biggest challenges.

The blackboard technique has one important advantage which some engineers and designers may not want to acknowledge: It forces them to work.

It's hard to tell if a man at a drowing board or desk is studying a design or daydreaming or sleeping. He may puzzle over an idea for days before lifting a pencil. But he can't be idle at the blackboard. If he stands still, others will notice and they'll pitch in to help him. This is one of the big cost-saving advantages of the technique.

By sketching the basic design on the blackboard full-size or larger, the engineer can visualize the design more easily. He can also see how its component parts fit together. This in turn speeds the process of creative design.

When a satisfactory design is developed, a detailed drawing can be made immediately by the use of a plastic overlay which is already ruled and on which the engineer can sketch the other views and add dimensions.


Drawing boards are conspicuously missing in this engineering room where the Panoramic Design Technique is shown in action. Engineer at camera is preparing photograph design for a permanent record.

Instead of transferring this work to a drawing board, photographs are taken of the design.

First plans were to make blue-print size enlargements of the photographic print. But shop people found that the dimensions could be read right off the standard pocket-size print.

The requirements for the Panoramic Design Technique are wall size blackboards, drawing instruments made for blackboard use, photographic equipment, and the patience and skill to make the change from conventional engineering and design methods.

## 3,000-WPM Printer

Another high speed page printer, capable of producing 3,000 words per minute, has entered the field.

Developed for military teleprinter use and being readied for industry applications, the new unit is made by Motorola's Communications and Industrial Electronics Div., 4501 W. Augusta Blvd., Chicago 51, Ill. Designed for operation over cable, radio or telephone channels, it can

Interior of the new page printer shows the details of this completely dry process.

be used in connection with computer print-out, and communications applications, where rapid transfer of records or information is required.

Speed and high reliability are achieved through the use of solid state electronics and a simplified non-impact mechanical operation. The printer provides a completely dry process, increasing reliability by eliminating any fixing step; the sheets can be instantly read while printing is taking place.

The basic system consists of a message buffer, translator and the printer. In a typical system, the information is stored in an external message buffer in its entirety prior to a print cycle. The print cycle may be simultaneous with the loading of another message in an alternate buffer.

Any data code can be used with the printer. Data code is converted to print code by the translator. These signals are then fed to
a moving printing head where the alphanumeric characters are formed.

The unit has 3 separate, evenlyspaced, printing heads, which are attached to an endless belt running at a slow rate on an idler and driven pully. As one is leaving the right hand margin, the next head is entering at the left hand margin to print the next line.

All alphanumeric characters are composed out on a 35 -dot matrix. The printing head has 7 "fingers" (styli) which sweep across the page forming the dots on white coated conductive paper. With the "Moving Matrix," print head, the fingers are brushed clean after each line of printing by passing the heads over brushes held in a miniature vacuum cleaning hood removing residue as quickly as it is formed.

Use of a "Moving Matrix" print head eliminates the need to set up a separate print head for each character position, reducing the extent of electronics and mechanics involved.

THE traveling-wave tube has always been known for its large bandwidth capability. However, present traveling-wave tubes which exhibit bandwidths comparable to that of waveguide or other passive microwave components are limited in power to only a few watts of average power. These power limitations arise from the use of a helix for the tube's interaction structure. A conventional TWT helix is shown in Fig. 1. Typically, the helix wire is only a few thousandths of an inch in diameter. It is supported inside the tube envelope on ceramic rods. The fragile nature of the helix and the poor heat dissipation capability of the supporting rods limits the average power which the TWT can generate.

To reach higher average power in a TWT a narrowband periodically loaded waveguide has been used in place of the helix. A drawing of this type of interaction structure is shown in Fig. 2, and a photograph of the structure itself is shown in Fig. 3. To form this structure, a circular waveguide is periodically loaded with diaphragms which contain a center hole through which the electron beam passes, and a kidney-shaped microwave coupling hole. The details of this diaphragm can be seen in Fig. 3. The microwave signal propagates through the coupling hole, across the waveguide, and through the coupling hole on the opposite side of the next diaphragm, etc.

An alternate way of looking at this structure is to consider it as formed from a number of cylindrical microwave cavities periodically coupled by the kidney shaped coupling hole. Because of this latter way of picturing the structure, it is commonly called a "coupled cavity" interaction structure. The periodic nature of the loading results in a filter-type propagation characteristic, that is, propagation is only possible in a series of passbands.

## Bandwidth Limitations

The rugged nature of this loaded waveguide, or coupled cavity, interaction structure has made possible the generation of kilowatts of average power from a TWT. However, until recently the bandwith of these high power tubes has been limited to only $10 \%$, rather than waveguide bandwidth of about $40 \%$ which are typical of helix-type traveling-wave tubes.

To understand the reasons for the bandwidth limitations of the coupled cavity interaction structure, the basic process of TWT interaction must be considered. This basic process is that the microwave signal and the electrons in the electron beam "travel" through

Fig. 1: Helix is the conventional type found in normal TWT's.

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## High Power

the interaction structure with the same velocity. Therefore, a given phase of the microwave field and a given bunch of electrons stay together and can interact over a considerable length of travel.


Fig. 2: Narrow-band periodically loaded waveguide has been used in place of a helix to reach higher average power.

Unlike the klystron-type of microwave amplifier, no resonant cavities are needed to form strong interaction fields over a short region, so the TWT by its very nature operates with non-resonant wide band structures. However, the interaction fields of the nonresonant TWT structure are much weaker than those of a klystron and so the interaction must occur over a long region in space. It is, therefore, necessary that the electron bunches stay in phase with the micruwave signal for a long distance, and this requires that the velocity of propagation of the microwave signal must be very nearly the same as the velocity of the electron beam. It is this problem of synchronism between the velocity of the propagation of the microwave signal and the velocity of the electron beam that has limited the bandwidth obtainable from the coupled cavity interaction structure to only $10 \%$.

The velocity of propagation of the microwave signal through the helix of Fig. 1 and the narrowband coupled cavity structure of Fig. 3 are compared in Fig. 4. The microwave propagation velocity is shown as a function of the frequency of the microwave signal. Shown for comparison along the bottom of Fig. 4 is the typical operating bandwidth of standard waveguide. As the frequency of the microwave signal is changed, its velocity of propagation through both the helix and through the coupled cavity-type of TWT interaction structure changes. However, the change

Fig. 3: Close - up shows the type of structure used in Fig. 2.

In the past, traveling-wave tubes were available for either high power or wideband applications. Now, with new techniques described here, both desirable features are available in one package.

## TWT's with Wide Bandwidths

is much less for the helix, in fact over the entire waveguide bandwidth the change is only about $10 \%$.

## An Improved Structure

Until recently, therefore, the user of a travelingwave tube was limited to one of two choices. He could have either bandwidth comparable to waveguide and other passive microwave components at low average power levels, or, he could have high average power by using the coupled cavity-type TWT, but only at bandwidths of about $10 \%$. Now, however, the bandwidth capabilities of the coupled cavity structure have been greatly improved, to become comparable to those of a helix. The improved structure which makes this possible is compared to the old type of structure in Fig. 5. The section on the left is the same as that shown in Fig. 3 and is limited in bandwidth to only $10 \%$. The improved section is shown on the right.

The propagation velocity of this improved broadband circuit is compared to the older narrowband loaded waveguide circuit and to the helix in Fig. 4. The improved circuit is seen to have even less variation in propagation velocity than the helix over the entire waveguide bandwidth range. This improvement has been obtained by increasing the coupling between the cavities to increase the bandwidth of the structures propagation passband, and by shaping the coupling hole to obtain the desired propagation velocity characteristics.

Design improvements were also necessary to match from external waveguide to the broader band structure and to suppress spurious oscillations. These improvements have been accomplished with the result that the bandwidth, heretofore possible only with the fragile helix structure, can be obtained
with the rugged power handling capability of the coupled cavity interaction structure.

A typical application of this type of broadband coupled cavity interaction structure to a high average power traveling-wave amplifier is shown in Fig. 6. This traveling-wave amplifier provides 1 kw of peak output power over the X -band frequency range from 7.8 to 11.4 kmC . The tube has 40 db gain and so can be driven from a 100 mw source. The electron gun is grid controlled so that the high power electron beam can be modulated on and off with the application of a pulse voltage of only about 250 volts. The electron beam is focused with periodic permanent magnets, so that the entire tube, including its focusing structure, weighs only 15 lbs. The tube is air cooled. It can be operated at an average output power of 50 watts, this limitation being imposed by the gridded gun and not by the interaction structure. A cross sectional drawing of this tube is shown in Fig. 7. The electron beam

Fig. 4: The velocity of a microwave signal through various structures are compared.



Fig. 5: The narrow-band and wide-band structures are compared. The wide-band cavity structure has the larger opening.


Fig. 6: The application of a broad-band structure is shown.


Fig. 7: Cross sectional drawing of the TWT shown in Fig. 6.

Fig. 8: Further details of the design which combines the ppm focusing into the broad-band couplied cavity is shown.


## High Power TWT's (Concluded)

is formed by the electron gun and focused by the periodic permanent magnets through the interaction structure to the collector. The input microwave signal enters through the input window, interacts with the electron beam in the interaction structure, and the amplified signal passes out through the output window. Also, the tube is equipped with an integral electronic vacuum pump to insure that the tube can never become gassy.

Further details of the design which combines the periodic permanent magnet focusing into the broadband coupled cavity structure are shown in Fig. 8. The cavity of the microwave interaction circuit is formed with copper spacers and iron pole pieces. The copper spacer forms the outer wall of the cavity and also serves as a vacuum seal. Outside this spacer, and so outside the vacuum system, fit ferrite ceramic magnets. The magnetic field is carried from the magnets by the pole pieces to the electron beam. Using the r-f drift tubes for the ferrules of the periodic focusing structure permits the magnet period to be made very short, which results in very tight focusing.

Another type of traveling-wave amplifier made possible by the use of the broad-band coupled cavity interaction structure is shown in Fig. 9. In this X-band traveling-wave amplifier the periodic permanent magnet focusing is replaced by solenoid focusing, and the entire interaction structure made of copper to increase its heat dissipation capability. This tube provides the same 1 kw of peak power over the same wide bandwidths with the same 40 db of gain as the previous tube. However, as a result of the all copper construction and solenoid focusing, this tube can be operated at any duty cycle up to CW, to provide as high as 1 kw of average X -band power. This is several orders of magnitude more average power than could be obtained from a helix-type tube.

## Conclusions

The broadband coupled cavity-type of TWT interaction structure described above has made possible traveling-wave amplifiers with bandwidths comparable to that of waveguide, or other passive microwave components commonly used in microwave systems at the kilowatt average power level. Already this circuit has been incorporated into practical X -band travelingwave tubes, with the result that the microwave system designer now has high average power transmitter tubes available whose bandwidth is comparable to that of the other microwave components in his system.

Fig. 9: Another type of TWT made possible by the use of the broad-band coupled cavity interaction structure.


> Solid state devices have many new applications for the control of microwave energy. Methods for improving transmission rates, reduction of weight and size, and increased reliability are discussed.

# Solid State Control of Microwaves 

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MOST publicity in the advances of solid state electronics has emphasized the transistor. The semiconductor junction diode has found great use as a power rectifier, and a fast switch for computer applications. The importance of point-contact diodes for microwave detection is also well recognized. More recently, semiconductor diodes have been used for the control of microwave energy, permitting the construction of novel types of switches, phase shifters, duplexers, and other microwave components. These components provide the reliability of solid state devices required in electronic systems; they have the speed of operation necessary for high transmission rate communication systems, and are light and compact for airborne and missile applications.

Typical applications include the use of a single-pole single-throw switch as a variable attenuator for amplitude modulation of r-f energy, and of multiplethrow switches to connect between multiple loads or feeds. Semiconductor switches can also be used in stepping types of phase shifters or a continuously variable phase shifter can be constructed by utilizing the variable reactance properties of junction diodes. The reactance of these diodes is also a function of $r$ - $f$ power level and this effect can be utilized to construct crystal-protecting power limiters, or complete diode duplexing systems.

Typical performance capabilities of available solid state devices are as follows:

1. Switches: Switches having bandwidths of from $5 \%$ to over an octave have been constructed with power handling capability of 150 -watts peak and several watts CW. Frequency of operation of these switches is from 100 Mc to $12,000 \mathrm{Mc}$, and the switches have been constructed in both coaxial line and waveguide. Special switches have been constructed which can handle up to 10 kw peak power.
2. Limiters: Power limiters have been constructed with bandwidths of from $5 \%$ to $30 \%$ having power capability of 5 kw peak, and 30 watts CW. Output power is limited to safe levels for detector crystals. Frequency of operation of these devices has been from 100 to 3000 Mc .
3. Duplexers: Duplexers having bandwidths of from $5 \%$ to $20 \%$ with power handling capabilities of 10 kw peak and 30 watts CW have been built. Frequency of operation of these devices is from 200 to 1500 Mc .
When a diode is inserted in series or in shunt in a transmission line, r-f power incident on the diode is reflected by, absorbed in, or transmitted past the diode. In an ideal diode switch the incident power is


Fig. 1: Shunt switch schematic.

Fig. 2: Capacitance vs. bias voltage.


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either completely reflected or completely transmitted and practical diode switches absorb very little of the incident power. As an example, consider a switch which uses a variable reactance type diode (varactor) in shunt with a coaxial line. As shown in Fig. 1, if the diode exhibits high impedance it has little effect on the power transmitted to the load. For an impedance, $Z$, the insertion loss obtained with the generator, and the load matched to the characteristic impedance of the line is

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\text { I. } L .=1+\frac{Z_{0}^{2}}{2 Z}
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The switching properties of the network can be evaluated by inserting this equation the appropriate impedance values for the diode network in both the "on" and "off" conditions. A typical diode capacitanc .-

Fig. 3: Single pole- single throw S-band diode switch characteristics.


Fig. 4: Coaxial line varactor limiter, characteristic frequency, $1,000 \mathrm{Mc}$.


Fig. 5: Semiconductor diode duplexer.

voltage characteristic is shown in Fig. 2. Under forward bias conditions, the diode exhibits a large capacitance and resulting low reactance; thus most of the power is reflected because the diode impedance is much less than the load impedance. Under reverse bias conditions, the diode exhibits a small capacitance, or a high reactive impedance, allowing the power to be transmitted to the load with small loss.

Other types of semiconductor switches utilize different circuit configurations or different diode properties depending on the switch characteristics desired, such as, insertion loss, switching isolation, bandwidth and switch configuration. Fig. 3 shows the performance characteristics of a typical broadband switch for a device operating at S-band. Within the range of operation of the diode switches, they offer significant advantages over other devices. Most striking is the switching speed, which is on the order of nanoseconds. These switches are characterized by very small size and light weight, and the driving power to obtain switching action is only tens of milliwatts. Thus, multiple-throw switches requiring relatively modest switching power and with light weight and small size become feasible.
The varactor diode exhibits a change in impedance in response to an applied r-f voltage, in addition to the dependance on applied DC voltage. Thus, the diode impedance changes as a function of r-f power level. By placing such a diode in shunt across a transmission line, a limiter can be constructed having characteristics as shown in Fig. 4. At low power levels, the varactor reactance is tuned with a shunt inductance and presents a very high impedance across the line; thus, the insertion loss is very small. At power levels above a few milliwatts the diode capacitance increases (decreasing the shunt impedance) and the insertion loss increases with increasing power. This maintains the power output essentially constant. This simple limiter is of great value as a receiver protector.

The varactor power limiter, similar to the semiconductor switch, operates by reflecting the incident power. This makes possible the construction of a complete solid state duplexer by utilizing a circuit such as that shown in Fig. 5. At high power levels, the varactor diode reflects the transmitter power and the output emerges from the antenna terminals. The low power received by the antenna passes through the shunt diodes with low loss and emerges at the receiver terminals.

This technique permits the construction of completely solid state duplexers of very light weight and fast response.

The devices described here are only representative of the many new components which can be constructed with the help of new semiconductor technology. Current development work is aimed at improving the performance of these devices, extending operation to higher frequency with lower insertion loss, and obtaining suitable performance at higher peak and average power levels. These devices have already found an important place in electronic systems as substitutes or replacements for mechanical switches and gas devices. In some cases, equivalent performance could not be obtained with previously existing devices.

## Engineer's Notebook

# \#60-Transmission Line Nomograph 

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Chart 1 shows $\theta, L, F$, and $i$.
To find the length of a section of transmission line knowing wavelength in centimeters and stub length in centimeters.

Set rule over stub length $L$ and $\lambda$ to read $\theta$ in degrees. If $\lambda=50 \mathrm{~cm}$ and the stub is $12.5 \mathrm{~cm}, \theta$ is $90^{\circ}$. The stub is 90 electrical degrees long or $1 / 4 \lambda$.

If $\lambda=80 \mathrm{~cm}$ and the stub is $10 \mathrm{~cm}, \theta=45^{\circ}$.
Chart 2 shows $Z_{i n}$ in terms of $Z_{o}$ and $\theta$.
Case I: $Z_{L}=\infty$ (open line).

1. Using chart 1 , set rule at $F$ which is also $\lambda$.
2. Read $\lambda$ in cm .
3. Set rule over $\lambda$ and $L$ to read $\theta$ or line length in degrees.
4. Measure $\theta$ in degrees on Chart 2. Where $\theta$ crosses $Z_{L}=\infty$, this is the $Z_{i n}$ for an open-circuited line.

Example A: $F=80 \mathrm{mc}, L=10 \mathrm{~cm} ., Z_{L}=\infty$.

1. The line from $F$ to $L$ shows $\theta=45^{\circ}$ on Chart 1 .
2. On Chart 2, $45^{\circ}$ in and down to $Z_{L}=\infty$ shows $Z_{\text {in }}=-1.0 Z_{o}$. If $Z_{o}=100, Z_{i n}=-100 \Omega$ or $100 \Omega X_{c}$.

Case II: $Z_{L}=0$ (shorted line).

1. With the same steps as above read the intersection of $\theta$ and $Z_{L}=0$. For the same values as above (Case I) $Z_{i n}=+100 \Omega$ or $100 \Omega X_{L}$.

Chart 1 (left): Colored rules show how to use graph. Unlettered rule is basic example; letters refer to specific examples in text.

Chart 2 (below): Again the letters refer to specific examples in text.


## Transmission Line

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Case III: $Z_{L}=\infty$ (open line).

1. Find $X_{O}$ or $X_{L}$.
2. Read in Chart 2 until the first corresponding $X_{L}$ or $X_{C}$ is reached. This is $\beta$ or length of "apparent stub" which is exactly equal to $\pm X$, the termination of the real line.
3. Find $\theta$, actual length, as in Case I above.
4. Add $\theta$ and $\beta$ to get new total angle $\varnothing$.
5. Read, from Chart 2, the $Z_{i n}$ for a line of this
length with either $Z_{L}=\infty$ or $Z_{L}=0$ depending upon which resulted in step 2.
6. This is the line which behaves exactly as does the problem where $Z_{L}= \pm X$.
Example B: $F=300 \mathrm{Mc}, X_{L}=100 \Omega, Z_{o}=100 \Omega$, $L=12.5 \mathrm{~cm}$.
7. Read $100 \Omega$ on first $X_{L}$ curve (solid line) and find this is $45^{\circ}$ or $\beta$.
8. From Chart 1, with $L=12.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $F=300$ $\mathrm{MC}, \theta=45^{\circ}$.
9. $\theta+\beta=\varnothing 90^{\circ}$.
10. From Chart 2, $90^{\circ}$ in on solid line is infinite $X_{L}$ which is parallel resonance.
11. Thus, this line, terminated by $X_{L}$ is a parallel tuned circuit resonant at 300 mc .

## Computer Inquiry Features Automatic Voice Replies

AN economical computer inquiry device enables transmission of quiries to a UNIVAC Real-Time Computing System from a remote location and-for the first time in the history of data communica-tions-reception of stored com-puter-generated voice replies to the questions.

Unicall was introduced by the Remington Rand UNIVAC Div. of Sperry Rand Corp. during the dedication of the new Remington Rand UNIVAC Engineering Center at Whitpain Township, Pa. It is expected to simplify and accelerate updating and reporting of changes in inventory, production, distribution and sales in many businesses and industries.

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Unicall is a by-product of the Airline Interline Development System (AID), also originated by Remington Rand UNIVAC. Adoption of the AID plan could eliminate many of the difficulties and delays which now plague interline reservations or the sale of space between airlines.

Answers to pertinent questions which can be posed are stored on a magnetic drum at the computer site. After a message has been processed, the computer selects the appropriate reply from the drum and sends it back over the telephone lines. Less than 5 seconds are required for this whole transaction.

Forty sliding levers on the face of the set can be positioned to correspond to individual letters or numerals in a specific message or query. This lever-setting operation is simplified by a format guide mounted at the top of the panel. A message display window enables the operator to corroborate his selection of numerals and letters before the message is transmitted. This feature is made possible by a digit display wheel which is geared to each positioning lever.

After the appropriate lever selections have been made, the operator is ready to send his message to the computer. This is done by dialing the computer on the telephone. When the connection has
been made with the computer, an acknowledgement signal is fed back into the set. Receipt of this signal trips a scanning mechanism and the message itself is transmitted at the rate of 20 characters per second over the telephone network.

Responses to queries are made in seconds. The transfer of information from the Unicall set to the computer can be completed in 2 seconds. Then the voice reply begins immediately and takes from 3 to 5 seconds to transmit. A few of the checks which the computer makes before answering each message are:

1) Determines if 44 valid characters have been received, i.e., 3 identification digits, 40 message digits, and 1 "end-of-message" or "more follows" digit.
2) Makes sure that the message itself is complete and complies with the required format associated with the particular type of transaction.
3) Establishes whether additional messages relating to the ones received are or are not forthcoming.
4) Corroborates that the message is not a duplication of a previous transaction.

When these message validity checks are completed, the computer selects and transmits the appropriate voice reply to the telephone connected with the Unicall set. As soon as the pre-recorded answer has been transmitted, another signal is generated which disconnects the set from the line and makes the line available to other users.

## ELECTRONIC INDUSTRIES'

## 1962 Directory of

## Microwave Equipment Manufacturers


#### Abstract

Names and addresses of electronic companies making the principal microwave products for foday's markets. Section 1 gives complete alphabetical listing of all active compgnies. All these firms have


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Triex Tower Corp 2920 W Magnolia Blud Burbank Calif
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Turbo Machine Co Lansdale Penna
niversal Transistor Products Corp 36 Sylvester St Westbury LI NY Alto Calif
Acline Inc 35 S St Claír St Dayton 2 Ohio
Waltham Electronics Corp 751 Main St Waltham Mass
Waveguide Inc 1769 Placentia Costa Mesa Calif
Waveline Inc PO Box 718 W Caldwell NJ
Wave Particle 150 South 2nd Street Richmond Calif
Wayne Kerr Corp 1633 Race St Phila 3 Penna
Webcor Inc-Electronics Div 816 N Kedzie Chicago 51 Ill
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Western Int'l Co 45 Vessey St New York 7 NY
Westinghouse Electric Co Div Air Arm Div PO Box 746 Baltimore Md
Westinghouse Electric Corp 3 Gateway Center PO Box 2278 Pittsburgh 30 Penna

## Products \& Manufacturers

## Listing firms and the specific <br> products they manufacłure

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American Machine \& Foundry Co
American Microwave \& TV Corp
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Coopertronics Inc
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## NOMENCLATURE

| PLUG | RECEPTACLE | RETAINING <br> RINGS |
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| 6 contacts 204-92-06-050 | $131-16-12-098$ | $441-00-11-083(105)$ |
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Maximum Rated Voltage AC-RMS Contact to contact ........ 300 volts Contact to ground.......... 500 volts Capacitance

Measured from one contact to all other conducting parts. . 1.5 m.m.f. (Max.)

ELECTRICAL RATINGS

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3 contact (Max)......... 6 lbs 4 contact (Max) ........... 7 lbs 5 contact (Max, . ............ 8 lbs 6 contact (Max.) .............. 9 lbs. 7 contact (Max.) .............. 10 lbs Individual Contact Retension Force Minimum Gauge Weight. ... $1 / 2$ ounce

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## for Engineers

## Microwave Antennas

Telerad, Div. of The Lionel Corp., Route 69-202, Flemington, N. J., is offering a 42 -page catolog on microwave products covering coaxial transmission line equipment, antennas, waveguide, accessories, components and systems. Photographs, schematics, cut-aways, specs and engineering data are included.

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## Directional Couplers

Microlab, 570 W. Mt. Pleasant Ave., Livingston, N. J., is offering a tech. catalog No. 10 A to supplement Catalog No. 10 on coaxial components, featuring directional couplers and crystal mixers. Characteristic charts, outline drawings, photographs, and specs are included.

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## Microwave Components

Airtron, a div. of Litton Industries, 200 E. Hanover Ave., Morris Plains, N. J., is offering tech. data on their microwave components, which includes isolators, ferrite devices, circulators, mechanical switches, dummy loads, cavity devices, antenna components, r-f assemblies, and flexible waveguide.

Circle 318 on Inquiry Card

## DC Null Sensor

Verco Inc., 1430 130th N.E., Bellevue, Wash., is offering data on their solid state electronics for measuring and monitoring. Included is information on a hazardous current monitor, voltage limit detector, freq. source, overspeed indicator, battery voltage tester, ripple meter, load meter and linear ammeter.

Circle 319 on Inquiry Card

## Delay Lines

Computer Devices Corp., 6 W. 18th St., Huntington Sta., N. Y., is offering a 4-page dissertation on delay lines entitled, "An Introduction to Delay Lines." This paper provides a simple, non-technical presentation about delay lines.

Circle 320 on Inquiry Card

## Microwave Antennas

Canoga Electronics Corp., 15330 Oxnard St., Van Nuys, Calif., have tech. brochures on their AN/MPS-26 range instrumentation radar system rotary joints and their R10E-3A expanded metal radar reflectors, and tech. information on their S- and Cband cavity antennas, aerodynamic blade antennas, X-band lens antennas, in-line waveguide to coaxial adaptors, and rotary joints.

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## Microwave Accessories

Antlab, Inc., 6330 Proprietors Rd., Worthington, Ohio, has a short form catalog including antenna pattern recorders, microwave receivers, boresight systems, antenna pattern integrators, radome mounts and forkcontrolled oscillators. Schematics, photographs, outline drawings and specs are included.

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## Strain Recording

Brush Instruments Div. of Clevite Corp., 37th \& Perkins, Cleveland 14, Ohio, is offering a 20 -page illustrated booklet entitled, "Strain Recording with Brush Direct Writing Recorders." Described are applications of strain gages and strain gage based transducers for measuring strain, tension, thrust, load, torque, etc. Photographs, circuit charts and diagrams are included.

Circle 323 on Inquiry Card

## Power Supplies

Power Sources, Inc., Northwest Industrial Park, Burlington, Mass., is offering tech data on their modular transistor regulated power supplies, for laboratory and prototype work.

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## Microwave Measurement

Wiltron Co., 717 Loma Verde Ave., Palo Alto, Calif., has an article on analysis and measurement of phase characteristics in microwave systems. This article contains phase information valuable to engineers doing work with microwave tubes, components, and semiconductors and in physical science research areas such as linear accelerators.

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## Rotary Joint Design

Sage Laboratories, Inc., 3 Huron Dr., E. Natick Industrial Park, Natick, Mass., is offering 3 new tech. discussions entitled, "Microwave Crystal Diodes," "Noise Figure \& Sensitivity of Mixers \& Video Detectors" and "Rotary Joint Design." The discussions include outline drawings, schematics, diagrams, and characteristic charts.

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## UHF Power Oscillator

Maxson Instruments Div., Maxson Electronics Corp., 475 Tenth Ave., New York 18, N. Y., is offering tech data on their uhf wide range power oscillator and power supply. Features are power at 40 w .; stability of a precision coaxial cavity and a range of 200 to 2500 mc , continuously variable in 2 bands.

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## Power Conversion

Varo, Inc., 2201 Walnut St., Garland, Tex., is offering tech data on their frozen-diode power blocs. Schematics, photographs, explanations, specs and general information is included.

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## Diodes

Microsemiconductor Corp., 11250 Playa Court, Culver City, Calif., is offering tech information on their fast recovery micro-diodes, ultra-fast recovery micro-diodes, general purpose diodes, and rectifiers. Some characteristics include recovery times at 1.5 nsec., power dissipation at 0.300 w . (@) $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and average rectified current, up to 0.200 a. @ $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ : 0.060 a . @ $150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

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## UHF Bandpass Filters

Melpar, Inc., Special Products Div., Sub. of Westinghouse Air Brake Co., 3000 Arlington Blvd., Falls Church, Va., is offering tech data on their line of uhf bandpass filters featuring center freqs. of 400 to 1500 mc ; bandwidths of 5 to $20 \%$ and signal rejection greater than 20 db at one bandwidth from filter center freq.

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## Microwave Receiver

Sperry Microwave Electronics Co., Div. of Sperry Rand Corp., Clearwater, Fla., is offering tech. information on their Microline (TM) Model 61A1 parallel i-f substitution receiver system. This model is offered in 3 output freq. ranges: S-band, 2-4 GC; C-band, 4-8 GC; and X-band, 8-12.4 GC.

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## Microwave Information Kit

Andrew Corp., P. O. Box 807, Chicago 42, Ill., is offering an antenna system information kit for microwave engineers. Included are catalogs on Heliax flexible air dielectric cable, microwave antennas and accessories, rigid coaxial transmission lines, hubloc antennas, microwave log periodic antennas covering 300 to 3000 mc , and a tech. bulletin entitled, "Performance Aspects of Dish Radomes" plus a parabolic antenna system computer and transmission line and waveguide selector. The parabolic antenna system computer is for calculating parabolic antenna radiation, characteristics, performance of passive repeaters, free space and tropospheric forward scatter, propagation attenuations and thermo noise and equivalent noise in.

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# New Tech Data 

## for Engineers

## Microwave Components

Melahs, 3300 Hillview Ave., Stanford Industrial Park, Palo Alto, Calif., is offering a condensed catalog and product summary No. 861 describing their line of microwave instrumentation and special products and microwave components. Included are electronically tuned signal generators, a crystal video receiver, electronically tuned superhet receiver, low noise TWT amplifiers, parametric amplifiers, masers, telemetry receivers, antennas, satellite r-f checkout systems, band separation filters, diode switches or modulators, and isolators.

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## Delay Lines

Bel Fuse Inc., 198 Van Vorst St., Jersey City, N. J., has data available on Nanalines ${ }^{(1)}$, new nanosec. delay lines for use with high speed circuitry. Lines are available with time delays of 5 to 100 nsec ; rise-time for a 100 nsec delay line is 9 nsec

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## Resistors

Mepco Inc., Morristown, N. J., is offering Engineering Catalog WC-3 on precision resistors which include Mil-R-93B wire-wound resistors, packaged networks and filters, high stability instrument wire-wound resistors, printed circuit w.-w. resistors, Mil-R-10509C epoxy-cased car-bon-film resistors and resin-coated carbon-film resistors.

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## Ferrite Components

Rantec Corp., Calabasas, Calif., is offering tech. data on their coaxial ferrite junction devices. Information is included on coaxial 4 -port circulator, coaxial isolators, coaxial 3 -port circulators, and coaxial switches, modulators and variable attenuators. Circle 336 on Inquiry Card

## Tuning Fork Oscillator

Fork Standards, Inc., 1915 N. Harlem Ave., Chicago 35, Ill., has tech data available on tuning fork oscillators featuring 2 series of transistorized models. Model C custom series for exact high precision requirements and Model $E$ economy series for less rigorous use where low cost is a requirement.

Circle 337 on Inquiry Card

## Microwave Tubes

American Elite, Inc., 48-50 34th St., Long Island City, N. Y., has a tech. manual available, including specs and curve sheets, on a line of Telefunken special purpose tubes such as microwave, cathode ray, gasfilled, photo, transmitting, and vacuum capacitors.

Circle 338 on Inquiry Card

## Varicaps

Pacific Semiconductors, Inc., 12955 Chadron Ave., Hawthorne, Calif., has released tech. data on 10 new High-Q Varicap (voltage-variable capacitors). The line covers from 47 pf to 6.5 pf with $Q$ values from 50 to 125 and working voltages from 25 to 100 v .

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## Computing System

The Bendix Corp., Computer Div., 5630 Arbor Vitae St., Los Angeles 45, Calif., is offering a tech brochure illustrating the hardware, software and service features of the G-20 computing system. Included is information on support programs, program libraries, space programming on-site maintenance teams.

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## Resolver Bridge

Electro Scientific Industries, 7524 S. Macadam Ave., Portland 19, Ore., is offering tech. data on their impedance, resistance, comparison, synchro and resolver bridges, transformer decade voltage dividers, resistance transfer standards, standard resistors \& capacitors, and resistance decade voltage dividers.

Circle 341 on Inquiry Card

## Wires \& Cables

Rockbestos Wire \& Cable Co., Div. of Cerro Corp., Nicoll and Canner Sts., New Haven 4, Conn., is offering tech data on their line of aerospace and electronic wire and cables. Included are airframe wires, hook-up wires, ground support cables, coaxial cables, and miniature high temp. wires.

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## Frequency Meter

Measurements, A McGraw-Edison Div., Boonton, N. J., is offering tech. data on their standard frequency meter, Model 760. Specs include range, 25-475 MC; sensitivity, less than 5 mw on all ranges; crystal, oven temp. controlled type; system accuracy, $\pm 100$ cycles with crystal adjusted to WWV.

Circle 343 on Inquiry Card

## Telemetry

Applied Electronics Corp. of New Jersey, Metuchen, N. J., has tech. data available on their solid state telemetry equipment. Featured is PCM digital telemetry systems, PDM multicoders completely transistorized, PAM, Model MAH-3 series of pulse amplitude modulation multicoders, solid state commutators, and de amplifiers.

Circle 344 on Inquiry Card

## Vacuum Tube Handbook

Raytheon Co., Industrial Components Div., 55 Chapel St., Newton 58 , Mass., is offering a handbook with complete descriptions of 142 miniature vacuum electron tubes for industrial, military and communications applications. Tube characteristics, tube based diagrams and connections are included.

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## Ferrite Load Isolators

Caswell Electronics Corp., 414 Queens Lane, San Jose 12, Calif., is offering Condensed Catalog C-5 on ferrite microwave components and sub-assemblies. Included is information on variable attenuators, ferrite modulators, slide screw tuners, adjustable isolators, reversible isolators and waveguide ferrite load isolators.

Circle 346 on Inquiry Card

## Transistors

Fanon Transistor Corp., 439 Frelinghuysen Ave., Newark 12, N. J., has issued tech. data on their line of npn silicon diffused-junction mesa power transistors intended for high power industrial and military use. Features are collector currents up to 7.5 a .; collector voltages up to 100 v .; power levels up to 85 w . (a) $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ and 45 w. (a) $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

Circle 347 on Inquiry Card

## Resistors

Corning Electronic Components, Corning Glass Works, Bradford, Pa., has tech. data on their metallic oxide resistors which meet performance requirements of Mil-R-10509. Available in $1 / 4,1 / 2,1$ and $2-w$. sizes, the units are for high gain low signal amplifiers, high freq. circuits, test equipment, and circuits subject to instantaneous overloads.

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## Microwave Components

Diamond Antenna \& Microwave Corp., 35 River St., Winchester, Mass., is offering a catalog covering their line of antenna systems, rotary joints, microwave components, microwave test equipment, and microwave accessories. Specs, descriptions and photographs plus outline drawings are included. Also included is a section of custom components.

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## Microwave Switch

Kearfott Div., General Precision, Inc., Little Falls, N. J., will 'send tech. data on their new line of radar test sets, isolators, filters, ultra high speed microwave switches, circulatorduplexer, ferrite amplitude modulator and variable attenuator $X$-band, and Delta coupler.

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## To Contractors and Subcontractors on U. S. Government Projects

# THE 1N3471 "PINHEAD" 

## Western Electric offers this new Microminiature Switching Diode from Laureldale

The 1 N3471 is a diffused silicon microminiature switching diode designed for high-speed operation. The size and construction of this pinhead diode suit it for high-density packaging. Controlled manufacturing conditions assure the circuit designer of uniform lot-to-lot diode characteristics with exceptional performance and reliability. (A leaded version of the 1 N3471 diode is also available.)


| MAXIMUM RATINGS <br> (Mounting Surface Temp. $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| BV | . 40 Min . |
| Power dissipation | ...0.5 Watt |
| Tstg | $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+250^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{F}}$ | 120 mAdc |



STRESS-TIME RELIABILITY
High-temperature life tests are conducted for 1000 hours to assure (with $90 \%$ confidence) a failure rate at $250^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ of less than $5 \%$ per 1000 hours.
SPECIFIED LIMITS FOR ELECTRICAL CHARACTERIZATION

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| $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{f}}(\mathrm{IF}=10 \mathrm{mAdc})$ | 1 Volt de |
| Is ( $\mathrm{VR}_{\mathrm{R}}=20 \mathrm{Vdc}$ ) | 20 nAdc |
| $\mathrm{C}\left(\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{R}}=0 ; \mathrm{f}_{0}=100 \mathrm{kc}\right)$ | 3 pf |
| $\mathrm{BV}\left(\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{R}}=5 \mu \mathrm{Adc}\right.$ ) | 40 Vdc |

The 1N3471 microminiature switching diode can be purchased in quantity from Western Electric's Laureldale Plant. For technical information, price, and delivery, please address your request to: Sales Department, Room 105, Western Electric Company, Incorporated, Laureldale Plant, Laureldale, Pa. TelephoneArea Code 215-WAlker 9-9411.


## Silicon Transistors

Texas Instruments Incorporated, $\mathbf{P}$. O. Box 5012, Dallas 22, Tex., is offering a 22 -page brochure with complete specs on their germanium transistors, silicon transistors, diodes and rectifiers, solid tantalum capacitors, materials and sensors, resistors, and semiconductor networks. Complete specs are included.

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## Microwave Test Equipment

California Technical Industries, Div. of Textron, Inc., 1421 Old County Rd., Belmont, Calif., is offering a 22page catalog on microwave test equipment which features VSWR measuring systems, magnetron r-f supplies, variable polarization antennas and automatic radome beamship measuring system.

Circle 299 on Inquiry Card

## Infrared Heating

Fostoria Corp., Dept. 109, 1200 N. Main St., Fostoria, Ohio, is offering tech data on radiant heat. Brochure describes Fostoria's equipment for use of electric infrared radiant heating processes and pictures some of the many and varied applications.

Circle 300 on Inquiry Card

## Traveling Wave Tubes

Microwave Electronics Corp., 4061 Transport St., Palo Alto, Calif., is offering a tech data on their traveling wave tubes. Characteristic charts, complete electrical specs, and photographs are included on low noise tubes, medium power tubes, low power tubes, and Serrodyne and special purpose tubes.

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## Microwave Insulators

Isolantite Mfg. Corp., Warren Ave., Stirling, N. J., is offering tech information on its line of silicone alloy materials for microwave electronic applications. Physical as well as electrical properties are contained in a full page, easy-to-read chart.

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## Transistor Cooling

IERC Div., International Electronic Research Corp., 135 W. Magnolia Blvd., Burbank, Calif., is offering a 48-page Test Report 172A giving junction and case temps., power dissipation for power transistors in a variety of natural and forced air environments. Report evaluates an advanced dissipator design said to be twice as efficient as conventional fintypes of equal volume.

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## Cooling Devices

Rotron Mfg. Co., Inc., Woodstock, N. Y., has a condensed catalog on their line of cooling devices. Also included is information on a determinator kit for determinating correct vane size and sensitivity rating required for final equipment design.

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## Atomic Instruments

Baird-Atomic, Inc., 33 University Rd., Cambridge 38, Mass., is offering their Atomic Instrument Catalog. Included are analytical scintillation systems, scalers, analyzers, rate and survey meters, amplifiers and power supplies.

Circle 305 on Inquiry Card

## Microwave Components

Budd Stanley Co., Inc., 175 Eileen Way, Syosset, L. I., N. Y., is offering a 205-page catalog on their line of microwave test instruments and components. Some products listed include fixed waveguide attenuators, variable calibrated flap attenuators, precision multi-hole directional couplers, series Tees, standards gain horns, standard reflection waveguide terminations, shorting waveguide switches, $E$ and $H$ plane waveguide bends and coaxial slotted lines. Descriptions, photographs, outline drawings, electrical and mechanical specs and applicable military specs plus a section on basic principles of microwaves are included.

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## U-Band Oscillators

Sperry Rand Corp., Sperry Electronic Tube Div., Section 101, Gainesville, Fla., is offering tech information on their 2-cavity U band oscillator family for parametric amplifier pumping and Doppler radar applications. One of the features is the constant ontput power versus beam voltage characteristic resulting in a flat top power output mode.

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## Potentiometer

CTS Corp., Elkhart, Ind., has available tech. information on their new Series 720 compact step-driven potentiometer and switch unit. Photos, drawings and full tech. specs cover this unit which is for remote control applications.

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## Filters

Erie Resistor Corp., Erie Electronics Div., 644 W. 12 th St., Erie, Pa., is offering tech bulletin 512 covering 6 styles of high frequency low pass filters with minimum attenuation of 45 to 50 db . Capacitance of 1000 pf to 5000 pf and working voltage of 200 to 500 vdc.

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## for Engineers

## Coaxial Connectors

The Deutsch Co., Electronic Components Div., Municipal Airport, Banning, Calif., will send a 10 -page catalog describing their line of subminiature coaxial connectors. Specs, performance characteristics, and detailed information on the techniques for assembling these all-crimp terminated $r$-f connectors are included. Circle 310 on Inquiry Card

## Potentiometers

Borg Equipment Div., AmphenolBorg Electronics Corp., 120 S. Main St., Janesville, Wis., has available a wall chart which is a Borg Micropot ${ }^{( }$ selector chart. Under precision Micropot potentiometers, single-turns, three-turns, and ten-turns are listed with housing diameter, operating temps, electrical and mechanical environmental servo mount and bushing mount specs. Under trimming Micropot potentiometers, 5 series are listed with specs.

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## Breadboarding

Circuit Structures Lab., P.O. Box 36, Laguna Beach, Calif., will send data on their circuit builder which is designed for breadboarding and training; it eliminates soldering; gives quick circuit change; and is for vacuum tube or solid state circuits. Circle 312 on Inquiry Card

## Tubing

J. Bishop \& Co., Platinum Works, Malvern, Pa., is offering Bulletin No. 13,20 pages, which gives the sizes, specs, finishes, tolerances, chemistry and suitable uses for small dia. tubing line up to 1 in. O.D.

Circle 313 on Inquiry Card

## Multiple Connectors

AMP Inc., Eisenhower Blvd., Harrisburg, Pa., has available tech. data describing their 3 separate lines of multiple connectors, Fastin-Faston $®$, AMPEEZ $®$ and AMP-LOK®. Photographs, outline drawings and specs are included.

Circle 314 on Inquiry Card

## Microwave Equipment

Radio Corp. of America, Industrial Electronic Products, Camden 2, N. J., is offering the following 3 pieces of tech literature: CW-20B Microwave describing 2000 Mc microwave equipment which provides 120 channel capacity with max. economy; MM-600-6, microwave information on their 6000 MC 600 channel transcontinental microwave equipment; CT-42, transistorized tone multiplex describing their tone multiplex unit that provides telemetering, teletype, data and control channels for use with either microwave or wireline circuits.

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## OSCILLATOR

Portable, transistorized unit covers 5.5 CPS to 600 KC in 5 bands.


Model TO uses a special Wein Bridge circuit, printed circuit wiring and diode voltage regulation. High stability components are used in the freq. determining network to provide long time stability. This unit, with the Model TR Full Transistor Voltmeter, provides all the equipment necessary to check transmission lines, carrier equipment, sound systems and other types of field and laboratory work. Stewart Bros., Div. of Instrument Laboratories, 315 W. Walton Pl., Chicago 10, Ill.

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## PHOTOCONDUCTIVE CELLS

Cadmium sulfide units feature low cost and wide variety of uses.


The "Compactron" type (Z-2946) and the conventional-tube envelope type (7427) are all glass, while the medium size cell (Z-2963) and the miniature (Z-2755-1) are of metal-toglass construction. All the cells operate over a range of $1400 \AA$ units with the wavelength of max. response at $5500 \AA$. Both the "Compactron" type and the 7427 have essentially the same ratings. Power dissipation is about 400 mw ; max. current is 50 ma ; and max. applied voltage is 350 v . General Electric Co., Receiving Tube Dept., Owensboro, Ky.

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## WAVEGUIDE TUNERS

Line of 6 slide screw units cover the range of 5.85 to 40.0 GC .


These slide screw tuners consist of a section of precision waveguide, slotted longitudinally in the center of one broad wall, and an accurately constructed carriage, which supports the probe assembly. Complete shielding of the waveguide slot is achieved at all times and vswr values of 20 to 1 or higher can be reduced to 1.02 without introducing appreciable insertion loss. Sufficient longitudinal travel is provided in each unit to assure any desired phase shift. Waveline Inc., Caldwell, N. J.

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## MICROWAVE TUBES

First of a line of permanent-magnet focused BWOs from 1 to 40 GC .


These units of identical exterior appearance, feature integral perma-nent-magnet focusing, with the same reliable helix-type oscillator design used in the solenoid tubes to date. The new BWO's are both in the X-band, available either with type N or waveguide-adaptor termination at the end of RG55/U coax. cable. Significant advantages of these wideband voltage tunable devices include low cathode current, more uniform r-f power over the band, and 2 control electrodes. Stewart Engineering Co., Santa Cruz, Calif.

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MODULAR POWER SUPPLIES
These units are for laboratory and prototype work.


They may be operated at full ratings without heat sink at up to $35^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ amb. temp. The mounting base temp. is $65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. These plug-in modular packages use all semiconductor circuits and operate isolated from the ac line, providing adjustable output. They are short circuit protected by current limiting and provide automatic recovery after short removel. Available, off the shelf, in a full line of specs. from 4.5-6.0 v . to $45-55 \mathrm{v}$. Power Sources, Inc., Northwest Industrial Park, Burlington, Mass.

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## SPDT RELAY

Fast switching and stable contact resistance over long life.


This SPDT reed type relay designated Magnereed Class 103 is hermetically sealed inside a glass capsule in an atmosphere of inert gas. The contacts are actuated magnetically by a coil around the glass switch capsule. The gold contacts are rated 10 w . resistive load; 1 a. or 250 vac max. Both operate time and release time are less than 1 msec ., not including bounce time. Dimensions: coil, $21 / 8$ in. long, $1 / 2 \mathrm{in}$. dia.; overall including leads, $31 / 2$ in. long. Magnecraft Electric Co., 3350H West Grand Ave., Chicago 51, Ill.

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## New <br> for the Electronic Industries

## CIRCULAR WAVEGUIDE FEED

The 6 to 8 GC line supplied in 4 , 6, 8, and 10 ft . parabolas.


The circular waveguide feed, employing a rectangular to circular waveguide transition section 8 in. long, allows a man to adjust polarization a full $360^{\circ}$ in the field simply by rotating the transition section. A dual polarized adapter is available for converting a single polarized feed simply by replacing the transition section. In addition to the 6 to 8 GC line, parabolas for $450,900,2000$, and 12,500 Mc bands are available. Mark Products Co., 5439 Fargo Ave., Skokie, Ill.

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## PREAMPLIFIER

Amplifies signals of 1 pw, power gain of $\$ 98,000$ from low level sources.


Miniature low-level "ACROSTAT" preamplifiers both-down units are in an epoxy potted, self-contained assembly operating from 115 vac $\pm 10 \%$. Model 104 is for use with thermocouples, strain gages, Hall devices and other low-level signal sources. Fully isolated input, output and power-in is provided. Repeatability at a specific environment is good. Equivalent input drift over environment is less than $50 \mu \mathrm{v}$. and less than $10 \mu \mathrm{v}$. with moderate environment. Acromag, Inc., 22515 Telegraph Rd., Southfield (Detroit), Mich.

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## MICROAMMETER

High sensitivity panel instruments can read $2 \mu a$ full scale.


These rugged, transistorized meters are available in $11 / 2,21 / 2$ and $31 / 2$ in. sizes, and meet requirements of Mil-M-10304 specs. Designated Series HSR, these units will operate from any dc supply from 3 to 250 v . with a current drain of only 80 to $200 \mu$ a depending on supply voltage specified. Nominal input impedance is $95 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ resistive. Accuracy is $\pm 2 \%$ of full linear scale. Instrument Div., DeJur-Amsco Corp., Northern Blvd. at 45 th St., Long Island City 1, N.Y.

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## X-BAND FIXED ATTENUATOR

Unit provides 10 db of attenuation with only $1 / 2$ in. insertion length.


Designed to operate at 8.5-9.6 GC, this pad has an input vswr of 1.15 max. Illustrated, is model No. X218 which is used in X-band wave-guide systems or laboratory test set-ups. A molded-in attenuating element has high shock properties. Suitable for use over temp. range $\left(-55^{\circ}\right.$ to $+160^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) it also provides high dissipation properties, up to 1 W . CW. Other models at H-band (RG 51/U) and P-band (RG/91 U) are also available on request. Microwave Components \& Systems Corp., 1001 S. Mountain Ave., Monrovia, Calif.

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## COAXIAL HYBRIDS

Operate over a $15 \%$ bandwidth, in freq. ranges from 950 to 6000 Mc .


The new series, called the CJ type, consists of a coaxial line in the shape of a circle of $11 / 2$ wavelengths circumference with 4 branch arms. The CJ hybrids may be employed as balanced mixers, passive diplexers, power combiners, power dividers, variable phase shifters, balanced diplexers and as variable attenuators. They have a max. insertion loss of 0.2 db and an isolation of better than 25 db Microlab, 570 W. Mount Pleasant Ave., Livingston, N. J.

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## SELENIUM DIODES

For controlling damaging voltage transients in semiconductor circuits.


Thyrector diodes are now in production and available in 6 cell sizes. The 6 cell sizes range from $9 / 32$ and $15 / 32$ in. dia. disks for mounting in tubes and $1 \times 1,2 \times 2$ and $5 \times 6$ in. plates and $43 / 8$ in. disks for stud mounting. The max. peak current in a single pulse of 4 msec . is 75 a . for the $9 / 32 \mathrm{in}$. cell; 3 a . for the $15 / 32$ in. cell; 8 a. for the $1 \times 1$ cell; 30 a . for the $2 \times 2$ cell; 100 a . for the $43 / 8$ cell and 200 a . for the $5 \times 6$ cell. General Electric Co., Rectifier Components Dept., Carroll Ave. Plant, Lynchburg, Va.

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## TroNEW

## Goobelll CAPACITORS

of the Good-All type 901 solid tantalum capacitor is assured by precise control over the processing of all basic materials. This, combined with skilled handling of critical production phases gives the 901 its superior leakage characteristics, low dissipation factor and highly reliable service life. Extreme miniaturization combined with exacting design make the 901 an ideal choice for transistor, missile, communication, or similar circuitry.

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## CONTROLLED RECTIFIERS

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Circle 273 on Inquiry Card

## WIREWOUND RESISTORS

Hi-reliability wirewound unit is for microminiature use.


Designated "Aerohm," Type CE 600 measures 0.250 in . square x 0.125 in. thick and Type CE 601 measures $0.250 \times 0.500 \times 0.125 \mathrm{in}$. Specs: Max. voltage- 150 vdc ; Max. resistanceType 600-1 meg.; Type 601-1.5 meg.; Tolerance- $1 \%$ through $0.01 \%$; Wattage rating-Type $600-0.125 \mathrm{w}$. , $-55^{\circ}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; Type 601- 0.250 w., $-55^{\circ}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; Temp. Coefficient $-0 \pm 20 \mathrm{ppm},-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$; Applicable Mil Specs-Mil-R-93 and Mil-R-9444; Operating Temps. from $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{c}$ to $+150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Cinema Plant, HiQ Div., Aerovox Corp., 1100 Chestnut St., Burbank, Calif.

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## DC CRYSTAL CAN RELAY

Complete family of standardized cry-stal-can relays now available.


New 4PDT microminiature de relay ( $\mathrm{JH}-12$ ) has contact rating of 2 a. non-inductive at $29 \mathrm{vdc}, 115 \mathrm{vac}$; low-level contacts also available. Initial contact resistance: 0.05 max. Shock: 50 g operational. Temp.: $-65^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+125^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Insulation resistance $\left(+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right): 1000$ megs min. Operate time, 10 msec max.; release time, 8 msec max. at nominal coil voltage and $+25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. Hermetically sealed, Max. weight is 1.4 oz . Allied Control Co., Inc., 2 East End Ave., New York 21, N. Y.

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## BWO'S

Types TWO-85A and TWO-87A operate at 70-85 GC and 85-100 Gc.


These tubes are similar in their construction and external dimensions to the TWO-66 and TWO-67, former types, and may be operated in the same focussing solenoids. They are entirely metal-ceramic in construction and hence can be rigorously processed during their exhaust cycle for max. performance and tube life. Additionally, these designs have incorporated ion pumps to maintain the necessary high vacuum within the tube throughout the life of the oscillator. The Bendix Corp., Red Bank Div., Electron Tube Products, Eatontown, N. J.

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## IMAGE ORTHICONS

Fiber-optic face plates eliminate need for lenses.


Use of the fiber-optic face plates in some applications has achieved light transmission gains of up to 50 times that possible with conventional optics. Fiber-optic face plates up to 3 in . in dia. are available. The new fiber-optic I-O's are designated ZL-7809 and ZL-7810. The ZL-7809 has an S-10 photo surface peaking at $4500 \AA$. The ZL-7810 uses an S-20 photo surface peaking at $4250 \AA$ and has excellent red response. General Electric Co., Cathode Ray Tube Dept., Syracuse, N. Y.

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## WELDING TOOL

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# PHILCO SOLID-STATE for NEW MICROWAVE and 

Whether you are designing new millimeter-wave systems, researching microwave computers, or breadboarding new equipment for established microwave applications, you will be interested in new solid-state components and concepts from Philco. The news shown on these pages, and more to come, can help you put more of the future in your designs.


## In X- and K-Band Radars

Philco silicon mixer diodes, available in coaxial packages, offer premium features at no premium in price. Hermetically sealed packages and operating temperature ratings up to $150^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. are standard features of all types in the Philco 1 N 26 and 1 N 78 series.

Proof of outstanding uniformity-unit to unit-is the fact that any two Philco 1N263 diodes will serve as a matched pair. The 1N263, an X-Band mixer, is a low-noise performer. It can be operated fixed-tuned over the 8600 to 9600 mc -range. Its symmetrical construction allows easy polarity reversal in balanced mixers. IF impedance ( $\mathrm{Z}_{\mathrm{if}}$ ) is 140 to 210 ohms; RF impedance (VSWR) is 1.3 max; overall noise figure ( $\mathrm{NF}_{\mathrm{rec}}$ ) is 7.5 db max. Philco also provides models P-951 and P-952 narrow band and broad band crystal mounts to accommodate this X-Band mixer diode.

A new Philco concept for Doppler radar is the 1N1838-first germanium mixer diode specifically designed for ultra-low noise performance in radar receivers employing audio frequency IF amplifiers. It operates to 14 Kmc .

| POPULAR MILITARY MIXER DIODES |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Type | Applicable Military Spec. | Description |
| JAN IN263 | MIL-S.19500/191 | Germanium X-Band Mixer |
| JAN 1N26 | MIL-E-1/659B | Silicon K-Band Mixer |
| USA IN26B | MIL-S-19500/128 | Silicon K-Band Mixer |
| JAN 1N78 | MIL-E-1/662A | Silicon K-Band Mixer |
| USA IN78C | MIL-S.19500/130 | Silicon K-Band Mixer |

## In Millimeter-Wave Designs

Philco pioneered, and now makes available, proved-in-use millimeter-wave germanium mixer diodes. Type 1N2792 offers a representative profile of this device category-operating at 70 Kmc . The 1 N 2792 is a reversible crystal designed for optimum low-noise performance in high resolution radar, EHF video detector applications and for long-range high altitude or space communications ... atmospheric absorption prevents jamming from the ground. This crystal is of integrated waveguide construction with the diode mounted in a section of RG-98/U waveguide. It is hermetically sealed for resistance to moisture.

## COMPONENTS MILLIMETER-WAVE DESIGNS

## In All-Solid State Power Sources



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## In Microwave Switching

Philco originated industry's first X-Band crystal diode RF power switch-type 1N3093. This glass-packaged diode, designed to be mounted in a Philco P-901 waveguide crystal mount, switches microwave incident powers up to 500 mw . at speeds in the order of 1 nanosecond.
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# Factors to consider in silicon diode selection 

by DAVID E. HUMEZ<br>Technical Advisor to the Manager of Operations<br>Clevite Transistor, Waltham, Mass.

If your circuit does not require the superior forward conductivity characteristics of germanium diodes or if you require extremely low reverse currents or must operate at temperatures above $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, you will probably select a silicon diode.

Of the bewildering array of silicon diode types available some will almost certainly suit your circuit better than others. Current silicon diode types fall into four main categories with many sub-categories. The first category historically was the general purpose alloy junction silicon diode. These diodes are principally useful in those applications in which good high voltage characteristics, very low leakage currents, even at high temperatures, are necessary. They are available with comparatively high forward conduction and over a wide range of voltages up to several hundred volts.

The next category is that of computing application silicon diodes. These differ from the general purpose diodes in that the material from which they are made is doped or otherwise treated in such a way as to reduce its bulk lifetime. Reduction of the lifetime of the material makes possible much faster operation, that is, faster recovery when switched from the forward to the reverse condition. Such diodes have found wide application in military and commercial computing circuitry which is expected to operate at high temperatures. A price is paid, however, for higher speed since reducing the lifetime of the material results also in an increase of the reverse current and a decrease in the forward conduction.



The third and fourth groups are the most recent and employ a different method, namely, solid state diffusion for producing the PN junction. The third group, sometimes called rectifiers, are devices fabricated in either the same subminiature glass package familiar in other diode types or this glass package modified by the inclusion of a larger diameter stud at one electrode for improved heat conduction. They are large area devices compared to the diodes in categories one and two and are designed for conduction of as much as 400 milliamperes at a volt. Since their area is substantially larger, their capacitance is also larger though not as large as would be expected by the ratio of areas, since the method of producing the junction results in less capacitance per unit area than is characteristic of alloyed junctions.

## SWITCHING SPEED - REVERSE RECOVERY

Units switched by mercury wetted chopper from 15 ma forward current to 1.2 volts reverse in series with a 100 ohm load resistor. Recovery to 1 ma.

| Unit | Time $\mathbf{m} \mu$ sec. | Types |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 1N914 | 2.5 | silicon mesa diode. |
| 1N625 | 60. | high speed silicon alloy diode. |
| 1N459 | 1500. | general purpose silicon diode. |
| 1N647 | 8000. | silicon diffused rectifier. |

The fourth and newest category is that of extremely small area devices made by the newer techniques of the mesa or planar constructions. These types are also manufactured by a diffusion process. They are designed primarily for applications in which the very fastest switching speeds are required. For this additional speed, compared to conventional computing alloyed junction types, a further price must also be paid. Because they are tiny, they are also less rugged. Because their area is smaller, both the resistance of the connecting wires and the spreading resistance are larger. Consequently, these devices as a group are characterized by somewhat poorer forward conduction than is true of the larger area computing diodes.

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MAGNETRONS

| Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | Heater $\mathbf{V}: \mathbf{A}$ | Anode V:A | Pull. Fac. (mc/s) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Pls. Dur. } \\ & (\mu s) \end{aligned}$ | Power Output | Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | Heater V;A | Anode V ; $\mathbf{A}$ | Pull. Fac. (me/s) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Pls. Dur. } \\ (\mu \mathrm{s}) \end{gathered}$ | Power <br> Output |
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| AMPERE | ELECTRONIC CORP., 230 Duffy Ave., Hicksville, L.l., N.Y. |  |  |  |  |  |  | ASSOCIATED ELECTRICAL IMDUSTRIES, LTD-(Continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 J 26 | 0sc,. 001 | 1.22-1.35 | 23.5,2.2 | 28k,46 |  | 1 | 600kw | CV2313 | osc,plsd | 9.44-9.5] | 6.3.9 | 16k,12 |  | . 5 | 50 kw |
| 7090 | osc,cw | 2.425-2.475 | 5.3,3.2 | 1.6k, . 2 | 5 |  | 200w | CV5167 | osc,plsd | 9.04-9.12 | 6.3,.9 | 17k,11 |  | . 5 | 60 ww |
| 7091 | 0sc,cw | 2.425-2.475 | 5,32 | $4.5 \mathrm{k}, .75$ | 4 |  | 2kw | CV2167 | osc,plsd | 9.04-9.12 | 6.3,.9 | 14k, 6 |  | . 5 | 30kw |
| 7292 | osc, cw | 2.425-2.475 | 5,32 | 4.5k, 75 | 4 |  | 2 kw | BOMAC LABORATORIES, HNC Salen Road Bevaly, Mas |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 55125 | OSC, CW | 2.425-2.475 | 5.5,66 | 6.5k, 1.4 |  |  | 5kw | BOMAC LABORATORIES, INC., Salem Road, Beverly, Mass. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5586 | osc,.p | 2.7-2.9 | 16,3 | 32k,70 | 15 | 1 | 800 kw | BL212 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 100w |
| 5657 | 0sc, 0005 | 2.9-3.1 | 16,3 | 32.5k, 70 | 15 | 1 | 800 kw | BL250 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 150w |
| 6589 | 05c, 0005 | 3.35-3.5 | 16,3 | 30k,50 | 10 | 1 | 500kw | BL243 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 200 w |
| $4 J 59$ | osc, 0001 | 6.275-6.375 | 12.6.3.5 | 19\%,30 | 15 | 1 | 210kw | BL242 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 400 w |
| $4 J 58$ | 0sc, 001 | 6.375-6.475 | 12.6,3.5 | 19\%,30 | 15 | 1 | 210 kw | BLM008 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 400 w |
| $4 J 57$ | osc, 001 | 6.475-6.575 | 12.6,3.5 | 19*, 30 | 15 | 1 | 210kw | BLM022 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 500 w |
| 251A | 0sc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 6.3,1 | 14k,14 | 18 | 3.4 | 60kw | BLM026 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 500w |
| ${ }^{4} 788$ | osc, 001 | 9.003-9.168 | 13.7,3.5 | 23k, 27.5 | 15 | 1 | 225kw | BLMO20 tur |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 700 w |
| 55032 | OSC, 001 | 9.003-9.168 | 13.7,3.5 | 23k, 27.5 | 17.5 | 1 | 225kw | BL245 tun |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 900w |
| 55031 | osc, 001 | 9.168-9.345 | 13.7,3.5 | 23k,27.5 | 17.5 | 1 | 225kw | BL230 tum |  | 5.4-5.9 |  |  |  |  | 1000w |
| JP97A | OSC, 0001 | 9.21-9.27 | 6.3,.6 | 5.5k,4.5 | 15 | 1 | 7 kw | BLM003 tun |  | 9-9.5 |  |  |  |  | 150w |
| 7028 | 0sc, 00002 | 9.345-9.475 | 6.3,5 | 3.5k, 2.5 | 14 | . 1 | 3 kw | BLM014 tun |  | 8.5-9 |  |  |  |  | 150w |
| 2142 | osc, 0001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,6 | 5.5k, 4.5 | 15 | 1 | 7\% | BLM015 tun |  | 9-9.5 |  |  |  |  | 350 w |
| JP970 | OSc,. 0001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,.6 | 5.5k, 5.5 | 15 | . 1 | 8 kw | BLM024 tin |  | 9.3-9.5 |  |  |  |  | 100w |
| JP915 | 0sc,. 001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,6 | 8*,6.5 | 18 | 2 | 19.5kw | BL233 fix |  | $9.375 \pm 030$ |  |  |  |  | 800 w |
| 725 A | Osc, 0001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,1 | 12k, 12 | 15 | 1 | 50kw | BLMO12 tun |  | 8.9-9.4 |  |  |  |  | lkw |
| 6972 | Osc, 0002 | $9.345-9.405$ | 10,2.8 | 15k, 15 | 15 | . 1 | 75\%w | BLM046 tun |  | 8.9-9.4 |  |  |  |  | 1kw |
| 4 J 52 A | 0sc, 00001 | $9.375+.025$ | 12.6,2.2 | 15k,15 | 15 | 5 | 80 kw | 5780 tun |  | 8.5-9.6 |  |  |  |  | 250 kw |
| $4 / 50$ | osc, 001 | 9.345-9.405 | 13.7,3.5 | 23k, 27.5 | 15 | 1 | 225 kw | BL216 fix |  | 15.9-16.1 |  |  |  |  | 100kw |
| 55030 | OSc, 0001 | 9.345-9.405 | 13.7,3.5 | 23k,27.5 | 17.5 | 1 | 225kw | BLM027 tun |  | 16-16.4 |  |  |  |  | 500 w |
| 55029 | 0sc, 0001 | 9.405-9.505 | 13.7,3.5 | 23k,27.5 | 17.5 | 1 | 225 kw | 6551 fix |  | 23.8-24.27 |  |  |  |  | 40 kw |
| 7093 | osc, 00001 | 34.512-35.208 | 5,4 | 15k, 15 | 40 | . 02 | 30kw | BLM006 fix |  | 23.8-24.27 |  |  |  |  | 40 kw |
| 55008 | 0sc, 0001 | 34.512-35.208 | 5,3.9 | 16k, 17 | 40 | . 02 | 60kw | BL235 fix |  | 51-54 |  |  |  |  | 10kw |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | BL236 fix |  | 54-57 |  |  |  |  | 10kw |
| ASSOCIATED ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIES, LTD., Carlholme Rd, Lincoln, England |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | BL237 fix |  | 57-60 |  |  |  |  | 10kw |
| BM1001 | tun osc | 2.994-3.002 | 8.5,10 | 46k,110 | 7 | 2 | 2 megw | BL246 fix |  | 68-71.5 |  |  |  |  | 8 kw |
| B46787 | osc, cw | .9-1 | 10.5,52 | $4 \mathrm{k}, 9$ |  |  | 2.5 kw | BL22I fix |  | 69:70 |  |  |  |  | 10kw |
| CV2320 | osc,plsd | 2.998 | 8.5,10 | 46k, 110 |  | 2 | 2 megw |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CV2168-70 | osc, Plsd | S-band | 8.5,10 | 48k, 90 |  | 2 | 2 megw | BRITISH INDUSTRIES CORP., 80 Shore Road, Port Washington, N.Y. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CV2319 | osc, plsd | 2.98-3020 | 8.5,10 | 38k, 70 |  | 5 | 1.25 megw | CV76 | . 001 | 2.95 | 5,2.5 | 2\%k,35 |  | 2 | 450kw |
| CV2117 | osc,plsd | 2.75-2.855 | 8.5,10 | 38k, 70 |  | 2 | 1.2 megw | CV160CV192 | . 001 | 3. | 6,1.25 | $22.5 \mathrm{k}, 22.5$ | 7 | 1 | 200 kw |
| to CVI2123 cVl20C,B,A |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . 0008 | 3.288$9.65-9.1$ | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,23 |  | 1 | 225w |
| ${ }_{\text {cVi20C, }}$ B,A | Osc, plsd osc,plsd | $2.748-2.858$ $3-3.12$ | $6,7.7$ 6,15 | $27 \mathrm{k}, 40$ |  | 15 | 400\% ${ }^{\text {w }}$ | CV192 <br> CV214 | . 0005 |  | 3,2.5 | 15.5k,10 | 13 | 1 | 45kw |
| CV1495 | osc,plsd | 3-3.12 | 6,1.5 | $24.5 \mathrm{k}, 22.5$ |  | . 5 | 300 kw | CV1475 CV1476 | . 0001 | 3.23-3.38 | 5,2.6 | 26k,40 |  | 0.5 | 450kw |
| BM4119 | OSC,glsd | 9.31-9.43 | 6.3,.9 | 21k,25 |  | . 1 | 140kw | CV1476 CV1477 | . 001 | $3.23-3.38$ $3.23-3.38$ | $5,2.6$ $5,2.6$ | 26k,40 |  | 0.5 | 450w |
| CV2333 | osc,plsd | 9.505-9.695 | 6.3,.9 | 13.5k, 12 |  | . 5 | 50kw | CV1477 <br> CV1478 <br> CV1479 | . 001 | 3.23-3.38 | 5,2.6 | 26k,40 |  | 0.5 | 450 kw |
| to CV2337 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . 001 | 2.95-3.06 | 5,2.5 | 27k,35 |  | 2 | 450kw |
| BM4073 | osc, plsd | 9.42-9.5 | 6.3 .9 | 14k |  | . 25 | 40kw | CV1480 | . 001 | 2.95-3.06 | 5,2.6 | 27k,35 |  | 2 | 450kw |

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# statement about the Zenith electron-beam parametric amplifier- 

.. A New component in Radar, Telemetry, Satellite- and Deep-Space-Probe Tracking and Ranging, Radio-Astronomy, Radio-Navigation, Phase- and Frequency-Modulation Communications Systems.

In every new development, there comes a time for a review of progress and a look into the future. That time bas come for the electron-beam parametric amplifier-the Zenith "EBPA." As a low-noise amplifier, its noise performance is in the 1 db range, with gain up to 45 db . Its utility and value bave been provided in field tests of many systems.

## THIS IS WHAT THE EBPA

DOES, how it has proved itself, and what we believe it can do-

CAPSULE DESCRPPIION OF OPERRTION
The EBPA system consists of a quadrupoleamplifier tube operating in a magnetic field, an RF pump generator, and a power supply. Within the tube, the signal is coupled onto an electron beam and amplified by the action of the quadrupole structure, using energy from the RF pump generator. The power supply furnishes voltages for the tube electrodes, solenoid, and RF pump generator.

## PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS

Noise Figures Obtainable: From 0.6 to 1.5 db , as measured with broadband noise source. No cryogenic apparatus is required. Singlechannel noise figure depends on antenna and application-typically, 2.5 db . Mixer noise is negligible because of high gain.
Range of Center Frequencies: 350 to 1800 Mc (tubes of higher frequency are in development).
Phase Stability: Better than $1^{\circ}$
Amplitude Stability: $\pm 0.05 \mathrm{db}$ has been measured.
Gain: Usually operated at 25 db ; gain up to 45 db has been obtained.
Bandwidth: Up to 10 per cent of operating frequency.

## OPERATING FEATURES

The EBPA not only provides low-noise performance, but also offers characteristics unattainable with other low-noise systems, such as:

- Unconditional stability with respect to input and output terminations without the use of a circulator.
- High gain, with complete freedom from regenerative effects.
- Relatively large bandwidth independent of gain; no tuning required.
- Freedom from burnout; insensitivity to overload-several watts average, several hun-
dred watts peak power.
- Fast recovery time ( 30 nanoseconds).


## SYSIEM DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

System Protection. The EBPA tube not only withstands large amounts of incident overload power but also reflects most of it. In radars, this characteristic means that TR tubes can be eliminated. In addition, the EBPA protects mixer crystals from "spikes," and eliminates need for harmonic filters and shutters; also, down time and maintenance are reduced.
Ease of Installation. EBPA systems have been installed in minutes and have operated immediately. Once installed, they are very stable and operate for long periods without adjustment.
Reliability. Life expectancy of the EBPA tube is of the order of 10,000 hours.
Adaptability to Systems. The EBPA is normally installed as a simple insertion unit in the system front end and does not entail radical alteration of existing designs.

## APPLICATIONS

Radar: Search Type. In tests conducted on eight such radars, MDS improvements of 4 to 10 db were attained.
Radar: Phased-Arrays. The unusual phase and amplitude stability of the EBPA makes it a natural candidate for application as a preamplifier in phased-arrays. Power supply and RF pump are common to all units in such an installation to insure maximum uniformity. An experimental installation of this kind, involving 16 EBPA units, was recently delivered. (Data on this installation will be available soon.)
Tracking System. A set of three EBPA units has been completed for use in a tracking system. A common power supply and common RF pump were provided. Maximum noise figure of the equipment as shipped is 1.2 db . Lab tests indicate the equipment will meet the differential phase stability requirements for monopulse applications. (Data on this installation will be available soon.)

Radio-Astronomy. The EBPA has found its way into a number of big dishes used in radio-astronomy. It is usually installed as close to the feed as possible to cut transmission losses. It has been used for hydrogenline work at 1420 Mc , and to amplify radar returns from the planet Venus at approximately 400 Mc . The high phase stability and large bandwidth have proved particularly useful in interferometer applications.
Radio-Navigation System. When installed in a Tacan ground station receiver, the EBPA improved MDS by 4.5 db .
Radio Direction-Finder. When installed in Rawin set, the EBPA improved MDS by 15.0 db .

P-M and F-M Systems. In phase-lock receiving systems, it is feasible to use synchronous pumping with a degenerate EBPA, resulting in an effective noise figure of about 1 db . Applications are space-probe tracking, scatter communication, and in general, all systems using only phase or frequency modulation.

## COMING SOON

- EBPA tubes for operation at C-band.
- Tunable EBPA tubes: single-knob tuning will cover range of over 100 Mc .
- A metal-ceramic tube for operation from 400 Mc to about 1500 Mc ; features are exrernal tuning, lower cost, and greater resistance to adverse environment.
- More compact power supply.
- Non-degenerate EBPA tubes.

If you wish more information, send for booklet The Electron-Beam Parametric Amplifier, Operation and Applications. Please address requests and any quesions or comments to the Special Products Divi-
 sion, Dept. E-11, Zenith Radio Corporation; 6001 W. Dickens Ave.; Chicago 39, 1llinois.

MAGNETRONS-(Continued)

| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Frequency <br> (kme) | Heater <br> $\mathbf{V} ; A$ | Anode <br> $\mathbf{V} ; \boldsymbol{A}$ | Pull. Fac. <br> (me/s) | Pls. Dur. <br> ( $\mu \mathrm{s})$ | Power <br> Output |
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| BRITISH | INDUSTRIES | CORP.-(Co | (inued) |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CV1481 | . 001 | 2.95-3.06 | 5,2.6 | 27k, 35 |  | 2 | 450kw |
| CV1482 | . 001 | 2.95-3.06 | 5,2.6 | 27k, 35 |  | 2 | 450kw |
| CV1495 | . 001 | 3-3.12 | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,22.5 | 7 | , | 2096w |
| CV1496 | . 001 | 3-3.12 | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,22.5 |  | 1 | 200 kw |
| CV1497 | . 001 | 3-3.12 | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,22.5 | 1 | 1 | 200kw |
| CV1498 | . 001 | 3-3.12 | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,22.5 | 7 | 1 | 200kw |
| CV1499 | . 001 | 3-3.12 | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,22.5 | 7 | 1 | 200 kw |
| CV1500 | . 001 | 3-3.12 | 6,1.25 | 21.5k,22.5 | 7 | 1 | 200kw |
| MAG2* | . 00025 | 9.35-9.5 | 3,2.5 | 1.5k, 10 | 15 | 0.25 | 45kw |
| MAG3* | pkgd, .0001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,0.55 | 6k, 7 | 15 | 0.1 | $14 \mathrm{k}{ }^{*}$ |
| MAG4 | . 001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,0.55 | 8k,6 | 15 | 1 | 17.51w |
| MAGS | . 001 | 9.36-9.45 | 3,2.3 | 17k,12 | 15 | 1 | 60 kw |
| MAG7 | pkg, 001 | 9.2-10 | 2,10 | 16k,15 | 15 | 1 | 80 kw |
| MAG8 | . 004 | 9.2-9.6 | 6.3,0.2 | 0.95k, 025 |  | 2 | 800 mw |
| MAG ${ }^{\text {9 }}$ | . 001 | 9.335-9.485 | 3,2.5 | 13k,11 | 13 | 1 | 50kw |
| MAG10 | . 0005 | 9.74-9.89 | 6.3,1.3 | 14.5k, 10 | 13 | 1 | 50kw |
| CV214 | . 0005 | 9.65-9.7 | 3,2.5 | 15.5k, 10 | 15 | 1 | 47kw |
| CV370 | pkgd, .001 | 9.21-9.27 | 6.3,0.55 | 5.7k,4.5 | 15 | 1 | 7.7 kw |
| CV2111 | . 0005 | 9.59-9.89 | 6.3,1.3 | 14.5k, 10 | 15 | 1 | 50kw |
| CV3982 | . 001 | 9.36-9.46 | 2,3.8 | 11.5k, 12 | 15 | 1 | 45kw |
| CV5031* | . 001 | 9.003-9.168 | 3,3.5 | 13.5k,12 | 12 | 1 | 50kw |
| CV5117 | . 0006 | 3.288-3.312 | 6.1.25 | 22k, 24 | 7 | 0.5 | 180kw |
| 2151A |  | 8.5-9.6 | 6.3,1 | 14k, 14 | 15 |  | 50kw |


| CANADIAN | MARCONI CO. 2442 Trenton Ave., Montreal 16, Canada |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7138 | 05c, 0025 | 9.05-9.55 | $6.3,51$ | 7.8k,8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18kw |
| 7139 | OSC, . 0025 | 9.05-9.55 | 6.3,.51 | 7.8k,8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18kw |
| 7140 | OSC, 0025 | 9.05-9.55 | 6.3,.51 | 7.8k, 8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18kw |
| 7141 | OSc, 0025 | 9.05-9.55 | 6.3,.51 | 7.8k, 8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18kw |
| 7142 | OSc, 0025 | 9.05-9.55 | 6.3,51 | 7.8k, 8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18kw |
| 7143 | 0sc,0025 | 9.05-9.55 | 6.3,.51 | 7.8k, 8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18 kw |
| 7182 | OSc, 0015 | 2.75-2.86 | 12,14 | 33k, 185 | 5 | 6 | 2.5 megw |
| 2 J 42 | OSC, 00025 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,51 | 6k, 5.5 | 15 | 2.5 | 7 kw |
| 2142A | 05c,0025 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3 | $8 \mathrm{k}, 7.5$ | 15 | 2.5 | 18kw |
| 4J50 | OSC, 002 | 9.345-9.405 |  | 23k, 3.75 | 15 | 2.7 | 225kw |
| 4J50A | 0sc, 002 | 9.345-9.405 |  | 23k,3.75 | 15 | 2.7 | 225 kw |
| 5 J26 | 0sc, 0025 | 1.22-1.35 | 23.5,2.2 | 34k,55 | 5 | 6 | 400 kw |
| 5586 | tun | 2.7-2.9 | 16,3.1 | 30k | 15 | 2.5 | 800 kw |
| 5657 | tun | 2.9-3.1 | 16,3.1 | 30k | 15 | 2.5 | 800 kw |
| 6027 | 0sc, 0025 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3 | 84,8 | 15 | 2.5 | 18\% |
| 6249A | OSc, 0013 | 8.5-9.6 | 10 | 29k | 15 | 2.8 | 200kw |
| 62498 | OSc,0013 | 8.5-9.6 | 10 | 29k | 15 | 2.8 | 200 kw |
| 6027H | Osc, 0025 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,5 | 84,8 | 15 | 2.5 | 20 kw |
| 6764 | Osc, 0025 | 9-9.1 | 6.3,.5 | 7.6k, 8 | 18 | 2.5 | 20 kw |
| 6765 | OSC, 00025 | 9.1-9.2 | 6.3 .5 | 7.6k,8 | 18 | 2.5 | 20kw |
| 6766 | OSc, 00025 | 9.2-9.3 | $6.3,5$ | 7.6k, 8 | 18 | 2.5 | 20kw |
| 6767 | OSc,. 0025 | 9.3-9.4 | 6.3,.5 | 7.6k,8 | 18 | 2.5 | 20kw |
| 6768 | OSc, 0025 | 9.4-9.5 | $6.3,5$ | 7.6k, 8 | 18 | 2.5 | 20 kw |
| 6769 | 05c, 0025 | 9.5-9.6 | 6.3,.5 | 7.6k,8 | 18 | 2.5 | 20 kw |


| COMPAGNIE FRANCAISE THOMSON-HOUSTON, 6, Rue Mario-Nikis, Paris |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TH1249 | osc, 001 | 9.05-9.15 | 6.3,.8 | 15k,15 | 1 | 40kw |
| TH1249A | osc,.001 | 9.15-9.25 | 6.3,7 | 15k,15 | , | 40kw |
| TH1249B | 0sc,.001 | 9.05-9.25 | 6.3,8 | 15k, 15 | , | 36 kw |
| TH1250 | osc, 001 | 8.75-8.9 | 6.3, 8 | 15k,15 | 1 | 40kw |
| THI250A | osc, 0001 | 8.85-8.95 | 6.3,7 | 15k, 15 | , | 40kw |
| TH1250B | osc, 0001 | 8.8-9 | 6.3,8 | 15k,15 | 1 | 36 kw |
| TH4J50A | Osc,.002 | 9.345-9.405 | 13.75,3.4 | 23k,30 | 1 | 225 kw |
| TH4J52A | osc,. 002 | 9.345-9.405 | 12.6,2.1 | 16k, 30 |  | 80 kw |
| THF1025 | Osc, 002 | 8.5-9.6 | 12.6,2.1 | 17x,20 | 1 | 70kw |
| TH1725A | osc,,001 | 9.345-9.405 | 6.3,.8 | 15k,15 | 1 | 40kw |
| TH1725B | - osc, 0001 | 9.275-9.475 | 6.3, 8 | 15k,15 | , | 36kw |
| TH1725C | OSc, 0001 | 9.275-9.475 | 6.3,8 | 15k,15 | 1 | 36kw |
| THF1026 | 0sc, 0001 | 8.5-9.6 | 13.75,3.4 | 24k, 25 | 1 | 200 kw |
| TH2151A | Osc,. 0011 | 8.5-9.6 | 6.3,1 | 15k, 15.5 | 3.5 | 44 kw |
| THF1050 | OSc,. 0012 | 5.45-5.825 | 9.5,5.5 | 28k,30 | 1 | 250 kw |
| TH1501 | Osc,.0005 | 5.35-5.5 | 9.5,5.5 | 30k,33 | 1 | 400 kw |
| TH2J26 | 0sc, 002 | 2.992-3.019 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 | , | 240 kw |
| TH2J27 | 0sc, 002 | 2.965-2.992 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 |  | 240 kw |
| TH2J30 | Osc, 002 | 2.86-2.9 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 | 1 | 240 kw |
| TH2J31 | osc, 002 | 2.82-2.86 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 | , | 240 kw |
| TH2J32 | 0sc,,002 | 2.78-2.82 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 | 1 | 240 kw |
| TH2J33 | 0sc, 002 | 2.74-2.78 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 | 1 | 240 kw |
| TH2J34 | osc, 002 | 2.7-2.74 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 | 1 | 240 kw |
| TH5586 | osc,. 001 | 2.7-2.9 | 16,3.1 | 32.5,70 | I | 800 kw |
| TH5657 | OSC, 001 | 2.9-3.1 | 16,3.1 | 32.5,70 | , | 800kw |
| THF1001 | osc, 0001 | 3.1-3.3 | 16,3,1 | 32.5,70 | 1 | 800 kw |
| THF1007 | osc, 0001 | 2.97-3.03 | 16,3.1 | 32.5,70 | 1 | 1 meg W |
| TH1658A | osc, 001 | 2.9-2.93 | 16,3.1 | 32.5,70 | 4 | 1 meg W |
| TH1658B | osc, 0001 | 3.05-3.08 | 16,3.1 | 32.5,70 | 4 | $1 \mathrm{meg}{ }^{\text {c }}$ |
| TH5J26 | OSC, 002 | 1.22-1.35 | 23.5,2.2 | 31,60 | 1 | 400kw |
| COMPAGNIE GENERALE DE T.S.F. 79 Boulevaid Haussman, Paris 8, Fiance |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4J52A | 0sc,. 001 | 9.345-9.405 | 12.6,2.2 | 15k,15 | 1 | 75kw |
| 4J50A | osc, 001 | 9.345-9.405 | 13.75,3.3 | 21.5k,27.5 | . 5 | 240 kw |
| F1002 | osc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 12.6,2.2 | 15k,15 | 1 | 70kw |
| MCV602 | osc,,001 | 8.5-9.6 | 12.6,2.2 | 15k, 15 | , | 70kw |
| F1005 | osc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 9,2.6 | 22k, 27.5 | 1 | 220kw |
| F1026 | OSc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 9,2.6 | 22k, 27.5 | , | 200 kw |
| F1057 | osc,.0005 | 2.925-3.525 | 5.3,2.6 | 29k, 42 | 1 | 400 kw |
| F1008 | osc, 001 | 2.897-3.228 | 14,5.6 | 31k,65 | 2 | 1.2 megw |
| F1030 | Osc, 001 | 2.897-3.228 | 14,5.6 | 31k,65 | 4 | 1.2megw |
| F1084 | osc,.001 | 2,9-3.015 | 14,5.6 | 30k, 65 | 2.2 | 1.1megw |
| F1085 | OSC, 001 | 3-3.115 | 14,5.6 | 30k,65 | 2.2 | 1.1megw |
| F1086 | osc, 001 | 3.085-3.2 | 14,5.6 | 30k,65 | 2.2 | 1.lmegw |
| F1054 | osc,. 001 | 2.9-3.015 | 14,5.6 | 30,65 | 4.4 | 1.lmegw |


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| COMPAGNIE GENERALE DE T.S.F.-(Continued) |  |  |  |  |
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| Fl055 | 0sc, 001 | 3-3.11 | 14,5,6 | 30k,65 |
| Fl056 | 05c, 001 | 3.085-3.2 | 14,5.6 | 30k,65 |
| $\mathrm{MCV101Cl}$ | osc., 1 | 3.3-3.4 | 6.3,1.2 | 1.3k, 6 |
| MCV10101 | osc,. 1 | 3.5-3.6 | 6.3,1.2 | 1.3\%, 6 |
| MCV85D1 | osc., 1 | 3.5-3.6 | 4.5,2.1 | $1.4 \mathrm{k}, .5$ |
| MCV8502 | 0sc,. 1 | 3.6-3.7 | 4.5,2.1 | 1.4k, 5 |
| MC567 | osc,. 0015 | 1.27-1.37 | 20,13 | 42k, 150 |


| 4.4 | l.1magw |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4.4 | 1.1 megw |
| 1 | $.15 k w$ |
| 1 | .15 kw |
| 1 | .32 kw |
| 1 | .32 kw |
| 5 | $2.5 \mathrm{mog} w$ |




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MAGNETRONS-(Continued)

| Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | Heator V;A | Anode V;A | Pull. Fac. (me/s) | Pls. Dur. ( $\mu$ ) | Power Output | Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | Heator V;A | Anode $V_{i} \mathbf{A}$ | Pull. Fac. ( $\mathrm{mc} / \mathrm{s}$ ) | Pls. Dur. ( $\mu \mathrm{s}$ ) | Power Output |
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| RAYTHEON | CO., Microw | \% \& Powar Tub | iv., | hame Mass. |  |  |  | RAYTHEON | CO., -1. | 99-4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| QK172 | OSC, 001 | 9.33-9.42 | Div., | 30k |  |  | 440kw | 6229 | 0sc, 003 | 8.9-9.4 |  | 5k, 1 |  |  | 400w 200 kw |
| QK324 | 0sc. 0028 | 15.8-16.1 |  | 30k, 14 |  |  | 7 CW | 6249 | 0sc, 00013 | 8.5-9.6 |  | 29\%,32 |  |  | 200kw |
| QK366 | Osc, 001 | 9.2-9.28 |  | 16\%,14.5 |  |  | 75w | 6344 6402 | OSC, 001 OSc, 0016 | 5.45-5.825 $3.4-3.5$ |  | 57k,55 |  |  | 700 kw |
| QK456 | Osc, 001 | 5.3-5.4 |  | 16k,20 |  |  | 75\% ${ }^{\text {mw }}$ | 6402 | OSC, 0 , 0000 OSC, 0005 | 3.4-3.2.9 |  | 56k,95 |  |  | 1.75 megw |
| QK470 | Osc, 00012 | 1.2-1.3 |  | 75k, 100 |  |  | $2 m w$ 100 kw | 6400 6410 | Osc,. 0001 OSC, 001 | 2.7-2.8 |  | 76\%,135 |  |  | 1.5 megw |
| QK366A | ampl, 001 | $9.245 \pm .04$ |  | 15k, 13.5 |  | 0.5 | 100kw | 6517 | OSc,. 001 OSc,. 0013 | 1.2-1.3 |  | 70k,60 |  |  | 1 megw |
| QK665 | fix, 0018 | 1.25-1.285 | 15,150 | 72k,150 |  | 5 | 9.\%\% | 6841 | OSC, 0 , 001 | 1.64-1.66 |  | 19k,16 |  |  | 50kw |
| QK666 | fix. 0018 | 1.32-1.35 | 15,150 | 72k, 150 |  | 5 | 9.9\%W | 5586 | Osc,. 001 | 2.7-2.9 |  | 30k, 70 |  |  | 800 kw |
| OK735 | tur, 003 | 5.4-5.9 | 5,1 | $2.3 \mathrm{k}, 1.5$ |  | 4 | 400 w 400 kw | 5657 | 05c,. 001 | 2.9-3.1 |  | 33k,70 |  |  | 700 kw |
| RK5J26 | tun. 002 | 1.22-1.35 | 23.5,2.2 | 31k,60 |  | 4 | 400 kw 1000 kw | 6695 | Osc, 001 | 3.43-3.57 |  | 33k, 65 |  |  | 650 kw |
| RK6517 | tun, 00013 | 1.25-1.35 | 2.5,85 | 70k,60 |  | 3 | 1000kw | 6403 | OSC, 001 | 3.43-3.57 |  | 65k,90 |  |  | $2 \mathrm{mog} w$ |
| RK4J62 | tun | 2.695-3.015 | 6.3,3.5 | 1.5k, 0.15 |  | 1 | 50 kw 240 kw | QKH517B | 0sc, 00018 | .535-.545 |  | 50\%,90 |  | 6 | 2 megw |
| RK2134 | fix, 002 | 2.7-2.74 | 6.3.1.5 | 22k, 30 |  | 1 | 2400w | QKH626 | OSc,. 0018 | . $57-.63$ |  | 50k,90 |  | 6 | 2 megw |
| RK4/35 | fix, 001 | 2.7-2.74 | 16,3.1 | 30k, 70 |  | 1 | 800 kw | QKH517A | OSc,. 0018 | . $60-.61$ |  | 50k,90 |  | 6 | 2 magw |
| RK5586 | tun, 001 | 2.7-2.9 | 16,3.1 | $32 \mathrm{k}, 70$ |  | 1 | 700 kw | QKH517 | Osc, 00018 | . $67-.68$ |  | 50k,90 |  | 6 | 2 megw |
| RK2133 | fix, 002 | 2.74-2.78 | 6.3,1.5 | $22 \mathrm{k}, 30$ |  | 1 | 240 kw | QKH959 | $\mathrm{cw}^{\text {c/ }}$ | . $95-1.525$ |  | 2.9k, 227 |  |  | 190w |
| RK4J34 | fix, 001 | 2.74-2.78 | 16,3.1 | 30k,70 |  | 1 | 8800 kW | RK7484A | tun, 001 | 1.25-1.35 |  | 60k,90 |  | 3 | 2 megw |
| RK6410 | fix, 0001 | 2.75-2.86 | 8.3,85 | 76k, 135 |  | $?$ | 4500kw | QKH942 | (un, 0018 | 1.25-1.35 |  | 71k, 150 |  | 5 | 5 magw |
| RK232 | fix, 002 | 2.78-2.82 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 |  | 1 | 240kw | OKH960 | cw | $2.35-3.6$ |  | 2.96, 225 |  |  | 190w |
| RK4133 | fix, 001 | 2.78-2.82 | 16,3.1 | $30 \mathrm{k}, 70$ |  | 1 | 800 kW | RK7529 | tun, 00072 | 2.7-2.85 |  | 62k, 115 |  | 2 | 3.5 megw 45 megw |
| RK2131 | fix, 002 | 2.82-2.86 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k, 30 |  | 1 | 240 kw | OKH883 | osc, 0001 | 2.75-2.86 |  | 70k, 130 |  | 2 | 45 megw |
| RK232 | fix, 001 | 2.82-2.86 | 16,3.1 | 30k, 70 |  | 1 | 800 kw | QKH898 | Osc, 001 | 2.846-2.866 |  | 70k, 130 |  | 2 | 4.5 meg |
| RK6406 | fix, 00006 | 2.25-2.91 | 8.3,85 | 56k,95 |  | 2 | 1750kw | QKH632 | Osc,. 001 | 5.25-5.31 |  | 35k, 60 |  | 2.5 | 1 megw |
| RK230 | fix, 002 | 2.86-2.9 | 6.3,1.5 | 22k,30 |  | 1 | ${ }^{2400 \mathrm{kw}}$ | QKH821 | tun, 002 | 5.4-5.9 |  | 3.45k,2.75 |  | 0.75 | 2.5kw |
| RK\J31 | fix, 001 | 2.86-2.9 | 16,3.1 | 30k,70 |  | 1 | 800 kW 700 Ww | RK7578 | tun, 000 | 5.4-5.9 |  | 2.8k, 2 |  | 0.75 | 800kw |
| RK5657 | tun, 0001 | 2.9-3.1 | 16,3.1 | 32.5k, 70 |  | 1 | 700 NW 50 w | QKH737 | tun, 00003 | 5.43-5.57 |  | 1.67k,1.1 |  | 11 | 225 kW |
| RK4J63 | tun | 2.985-3.335 | 6.3,3.5 | 1.5k, 0.15 |  |  | 20w | QKH539 | Osc, 0001 | 5.45-5.51 |  | 35k, 60 |  | 1 | ${ }_{\text {lmegw }}^{\text {lick }}$ |
| RK2170 | fix, 002 | 3.03-3.11 | 6.3.1.25 | 7.5k, 15 |  |  | Cuw | RK7156 | tun, 0001 | 5.45-5.825 |  | 25k,24 |  | 0.5 | 250kw 250 w |
| RK4J64 | tun | 3.305-3.675 | 6.3,3.5 | 1.5k,0.15 |  |  | 50 w | RK7460 | tun, 0003 | 5.15-5.825 |  | 24.5\%,25 |  | 0.5 | 250 kw 10 kw |
| RK6403 | tun, 0014 | 3.43-3.57 | 8.3,43 | 65k, 90 |  |  | 200 kw | RK7417 | OSC, 00003 | 5.5-5.6 |  | 7.5k, ${ }^{4}$ |  | 0.2 | 10 kw |
| RK6177 | Osc | 4.268-4.35 | 6.3,0.6 | 350, 035 |  |  | 11w | QKH1000 | tun, 0001 | 8.5-9.6 |  | 28k,25 |  | 2.5 | 200 kW |
| RK6344 | tun, 001 | 5.45-5.825 | 11,11 | 24k, 30 |  |  | 175kw | QKH788 | tun, 0001 | 8.5-9.6 |  | 28k,25 |  | 2.5 | 200 kw 200 kw |
| RK2151A | tun, 00011 | 8.5-9.6 | 6.3,1 | 16k, 15.5 |  |  | 40 kw | QKH1001 | tun, 001 | 8.5-9.6 |  | 28k, 25. |  | 2.5 | 200 kw 1.1 kw |
| RK6249 | tun, 0013 | 8.5-9.6 | 9,14.4 | 32k, 32 |  |  | 200kw | RK6248 | tun, 045 | $8.7-8.9$ $8.9-9.4$ |  | $3.55 k, 0.91$ $4.25 \mathrm{k}, 0.9$ |  | ${ }_{0}^{1}$ | 1.1kw |
| RK6229 | tun, 003 | 8.9-9.4 | 5,0.45 | 5k, 1 |  |  | 400w | RK7521 | tur, 001 tum, 001 | $8.9-9.4$ $8.9-9.4$ |  | 4.25k, 0.9 4.5k,1.0 |  | 0.2 0.5 | 1kw |
| RK2J56A | fix, 001 | 9.215-9.275 | 6.3,1 | 16k,16 |  |  | 40kw | QKH790 | tum, 000 tun, 0003 | $8.9-9.4$ $9.13-9.27$ |  | $.4 .5 k, 1.0$ $1.87 k, 1.1$ |  | 0.5 0.3 | 100kw |
| RK6002 | fix, 0002 fix, 001 | $9.230-9.404$ $9.345-9.405$ | 1,40 $6,3,1$ | $30 \mathrm{k}, 40$ $16 \mathrm{k}, 16$ |  |  | 225kw | RK7718 | tur,. 0003 OSc,.0009 | 9.13-9.27 |  | 39k,69 |  | 2 | 1negw |
| RK2155 | fix. 0001 | 9.345-9.405 | $6.3,1$ $6.3,0.5$ | 16k, 16 |  |  | 40kw | QK 7798 | OSC, 0003 | 9.36-9.46 |  | 5.2k, 3.5 |  | 0.2 | 3kw |
| RK2 RK6841 | fix, 0025 fix, 001 | 9.345-9.405 $16.41-16.625$ | 6.3,0.5 | 6k,5.5 |  |  | 7kw | RK7630 | Osc. 0002 | 15.84-16.16 |  | 24k,12 |  | 0.35 | 85kw |
| 2130 | OSc, 002 | 3.1-2.7 |  | 22k,30 |  |  | 240kw | RK7449 | 0sc,.0003 | 23.78-24.3 |  | 14.,15 |  | . 07 | 45kw |
| 231 | Osc,. 002 | 3.1-2.7 |  | 22k,30 |  |  | 240 kw | RK6551 | OSC, 0006 | 23.8-24.27 |  | 14k,15 |  | . 15 | 40kw |
| 2132 | Osc. 002 | 3.1-2.7 |  | 22k,30 |  |  | 240kw |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2133 | OSC, 002 | 3.1-2.7 |  | 22k,30 |  |  | 240 kW |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2134 | Osc. 002 | 3.1-2.7 |  | 22k, 30 |  |  | 240kw | SFD LA | BORATORIES, | INC., 800 | hway Ave., | Union, N.J. | 6 |  |  |
| 2142 | Osc,.002 | 9.3-9.4 |  | 5.7\%,4.5 |  |  | 8\%w | SF0303 | 0sc, 001 | 9.375 | 26.8 | 33ky, 60 | 6 |  | Imegw |
| 2 J 51 | OSc, 0012 | 8.5-9.6 |  | 16k,16 |  |  | 45kw |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 5 5 | osc, 001 | 9.3-9.4 |  | 16\%,16 |  |  | 40kw 40.kw |  |  |  | .0. Box | 4, Elmira, N |  |  |  |
| 2156 | Osc, 001 | 9.21-9.27 |  | 16k,16 |  |  | 400kw | WL6177 | OSC, ${ }^{\text {anm }}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { If lube viv., } \\ & 4.268-4.35 \end{aligned}$ | 6.3,0.6 | 315,.030 | 4 |  | 1w |
| 4335 | ${ }^{\text {osce, }}$, 0001 | 2.7-2.9 |  | $30 k, 70$ $30 \mathrm{k}, 70$ |  |  | 800 kw 800 kw | WL6285 | OSC, 01 OSC, 0018 | 1.31 |  | 70k, 350 |  | 10 | 6.5 megw |
| $4 / 334$ 4133 | Osc,, 001 Osc, 001 | $2.7-2.9$ $2.7-2.9$ |  | 30k, 70 |  |  | 8000kw | WL7008 | OSc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 13.7,3.1 | 22k, 27.5 | 10 | 2.8 | 220 kw |
| 4 432 | Osc, 001 | 2.7-2.9 |  | 30k,70 |  |  | ${ }^{800006}$ | WL7796 | OSC, CW | 4.2-4.4 | $6.3,0.6$ $6.3,0.6$ | 350,030 425,030 |  |  | 10 wp |
| 4 J 1 | osc,,001 | 2.7-2.9 |  | $30 \mathrm{k}, 70$ |  |  | 800 kW 50 w | WL7794 WL7795 | OSC, CW Osc, ${ }^{\text {cm }}$ | 4.2-4.4 | $6.3,0.6$ $6.3,0.6$ | 425,0030 |  |  | 10wp |
| 4 4 63 | OSC | 2.98-3.33 |  | 1.5k, 15 |  |  | 50w | WL7110 | Osc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 13.7,3.1 | 22k, 27.5 | 10 | 2.8 | 220 kw |
| 4.64 | ${ }^{\text {osc }}$ Osc, | 3.3-3.6 |  | 1.5k, 15 |  |  | 20\% ${ }^{\text {w }}$ | WL7111 | osc,,001 | 8.5-9.6 | 13.7,3.1 | 22k,27.5 | 10 | 2.8 | 220kw |
| 2 J 70 | 0sc,.002 | 3-3.1 |  | 7.5k,15 |  |  | 2kw | WL7112 | osc,. 001 | 8.5-9.6 | 13.7,3.1 | 22k, 27.5 | 10 | 2.8 | 220 kw |
| 4562 | Osc 002 | 2.6-3 |  |  |  |  | 400kw | WL7541 | osc,.001 | 8.5-9.6 | 9.0,14 | 28k,25 | 12 | 1.1 | 250 kw |
| 5126 6002 | osc, 002 osc, 002 | 1.2-1.3 $9.2-9.4$ |  | 30k,40 |  |  | 225 kw | WL62498 | OSc, 001 | 8.5-9.6 | $9.0,14$ | 28\%, 25 | 12 | 3.3 2.8 | 240 kw 220 kw |
| 602 6177 | osc,002 osc | 4.2-4.3 |  | 350,.025 |  |  | 1w | WL6865 | $\mathrm{OSC}_{4 .} 001$ | 8.5-9.6 | 13.7,3.1 | 22k,27.5 | 10 | 2.8 | 220kw. |

PLANAR TRIODES AND TETRODES

| Type | Deseription <br> App; Du. Cy. | Frequency <br> (kme) | Heater <br> $\mathbf{V ; A}$ | Anode <br> $\mathbf{V ; M A}$ | Ampl <br> Fac | Mox. <br> Diss. | Power <br> Output |
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AMPEREX ELECTRONIC CORP., 230 Duffy Ave., Hicksville, LI., N.Y.

| AMPEREX | TRON |  | Ave., Hid | 250 |  |  |  |
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| 7377 | twin tetr | . 96 | 6.3 .6 | 250, $2 \times 40$ |  |  | 5 W |
| TBL $2 / 500$ | tri ampl | 1 | 3.4,1.9 | $2 \mathrm{k}, 400$ |  | 500w |  |
| 6907 | twin telr | . 6 | 6.3,1.3 | 400, $2 \times 50$ |  | $25 w$ | 15w |
| 6252 | twin tetr | . 6 | 6.3,1.3 | 400, 2x50 |  | 25 w | 15w |
| EC157 | tri ampl | 4.2 | 6.3, 73 | 180,60 | 43 | 12.5\% | 1.8w |
| ECI58 | tria ampl | 4.2 | 6.3,85 | 180,140 | 30 | 30 w | 5w |
| EC88 | tri ampl | . 9 | 6.3,.19 | 160,12.5 | 65 | 2.2w |  |


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| A2521 | tri | 1 | $6.3,0,37$ | 250,20 | 60 | 2.5 w |  |
| A2244 | tri | 3 | $6.3,0.4$ | 350,150 | 30 | $10 w$ | lw |
| A2327 | tri | 3 | $6.3,0.4$ | 350,150 | 30 | 10 w | lw |
| CV2204 | tri | 3 | $6.3,0.4$ | 350,150 | 30 | 10 w | lw |


| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Frequency <br> (kme) | Heater <br> V;A | Anode <br> V;MA | Ampl <br> Fac. | Max. <br> Diss. | Power <br> Oupput |
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| DET22 | tri | 3 | $6.3,0.4$ | 350,150 | 30 | 10 w | 4w |
| DET29 | tri | 6 | $6.3,0.4$ | 450,120 | 55 | 10 w | 1.7 w |
| DET24 | tri | 2 | $6.3,1$ | 400,600 | 33 | 20 w | 10 w |
| ACT22 | tri | 1 | $6.3,4$ | $600,1.5 \mathrm{a}$ | 22 | 75 w | 90 w |
| ACT25 | tri | 1 | $13.5,2.8$ | $1 \mathrm{k}, 5 \mathrm{a}$ | 75 | 400 w | 300 w |
| ACT27 | ti | 0.6 | $15,6.7$ | $1.5 \mathrm{k}, 10 \mathrm{a}$ | 45 | 1.5 kw | 1 kw |

COMPAGNE FRANCAISE THOMSON-HOUSTON, 6, Rue Mario-Nikis, Paris 20 w

| TH6895 | tri amol |  |  | 50 | 80 | 250w | 20w |
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| TH6885 | tri ampl | 3 | $6.3,2.1$ | 1.20, | $\infty$ | 250w | 15kw |
| TH6886 | tri ampl, 0005 | 3 | 6.3,2.1 | $6 \times$ |  |  | 1kw |
| TH6942 | tetr ampl | i9 | 5.7,24 | 4k, 100 | 17 | 450w | 20kw |
| THF6001 | tri ampl, 0003 | 1 | 6.3,5 | 8k, 150 | 0 | 1.2kw | 60kw |
| THF6002 | tri ampl, 003 | 1 | 6.3,15 | 8k,400 | 20 | 1.2kw | 60kw |

ABBREVIATIONS AND NOTES

| a-ampere | es-electrostatic |
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| a/c-forced air cooled | fix-fixed frequency |
| ampl-amplifier | gg-grounded grid |
| cav-cavity | int-intermediate amplifier |
| cw-continuous wave | $k$-thousand |
| em-electromagnetic | megw-megawatt |
| N | min-miniature |

Note 1: Velocity madulated aseillators are listed under Magnetrons.
pm-permanent magnef
Ppm-periodic permonent magnet
pwr-power
refl-reflex
res-resonator
rug-ruggedized
sol-solenoid

Note 2: Pencil tubes ond other coaxial tube types are listed under Planar Triades and Tetrodes:

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THIS TABLE summarizes currently available unclassified tubes. Many others, both classifled and developmental, are avallable in all categories. Write for detailed information or tell us about your special requirement.



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PLANAR TRIODES AND TETRODES-(Continued)

| Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Frequency } \\ & \text { (kme) } \end{aligned}$ | Heater V; $A$ | Anode V;MA | Ampl <br> Fae | Mox. <br> Diss. | Power Output | Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | Heoter V;A | Anode V;MA | Ampl Fac | Max. Diss. | Power <br> Output |
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| CAMPAGNIE FRANCAISE THOMSON-HOUSTON-(Continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | NIPPON ELECTRIC CO.-(Continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| THF6007 | tri ampl | 1 | 6.3,5 | 15k,150 | 70 | 600w | 400 W | LD509* | tri ampl | 2.5 |  |  | 90 | 230w | 50w |
| THF6017 | tetr ampl | . 7 | 5,30 | $5 \mathrm{k}$ | $15$ | 12kw | 10kw | L0531* | tri ampl | 2.2 | $6.3,2.3$ | $1.7,350$ | 130 | 550 w | 100w |
| THF6019 | tri ampl | . 6 | 6.3,10 | 3k,200 | 70 | 800 w |  | LO551* | tri ampl |  | $6.3,4$ | $3 k, 700$ |  | $2 \mathrm{kw}$ | 300 w |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7739 | tri osc, 04 | 5 | 6.1,1.18 | 350,250 |  | 7.5w |  | $5671^{\circ}$ | triosc | ${ }_{3}$ | 6.3,. 135 | 165,30 | 20 | 5w | . 475 w |
| EITEL-McCULLOUGH, INC., San Carlos, Calif. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5876{ }^{*}$ | tio osc | 1.7 | 6.3,.135 | 360,25 | 56 | 6.25w | 3 w |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $5893{ }^{\circ}$ | tri osc, ampl | 3.3 | 6, 28 | 320,35 | 27 | 7.5 w | $5 w$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 2 \mathrm{C39} \\ & 2 \mathrm{C} 39 \mathrm{WA} \end{aligned}$ | tri ampl | 2.5 | 6.3,1.1 | 800,80 |  | 100w | 27w | $6263^{*}$ | tri osc,ampl | 1.7 | 6,28 | 320,35 330,40 | 27 | 8 w | $7 w$ |
| 2C39WA | tri ampl | 2.5 | 6,1.05 | 800,80 |  | 100w | ${ }^{27 w}$ | $7552 *$ | tri anpl | 1 | $6.13,225$ | 250,25 | 80 | 2.5 w | 13db |
| 3 CPNIOA5 | tri ampl, 002 | 3 | 6,1.05 | 3.5k,3a |  | 10 w | 1.6kw | $7553{ }^{\circ}$ | tri ampl | 1 | 6.3, 2225 | 250,25 | 80 | 2.5 w | 14 db |
| $3 \mathrm{CX100A5}$ | tri ampl | 2.5 | 6,1.05 | 800,80 |  | 100w | 27w | $7554^{*}$ | tri ampl | 3 | 6.3, 225 | 300,25 | 70 | 2.5 w | 1.6 w |
| 3x100A5 $4 \times 1506$ | tria mpl | 2.5 1.5 | 6.3,1.1 | 800,80 |  | 100w | 27w | A15205* | tri osc,plsd | 3.3 | 6.3, 2225 | 1.25k,2k | 70 | 2.5w | 250w |
| 4X150G $\times 685 \mathrm{C}$ | tria ampl | 1.5 25 | 2.5,7.3 | $7 \mathrm{k}, 6 \mathrm{a}$ 900 |  | 150w | 17kwp | $6562 *$ | tri osc | 1.68 | $6, .16$ | 120,34 |  | 3.6w | . 5 w |
| X $\times 779$ | tria ampl | 2.5 2.5 | 6,1.05 | 900,90 |  | 100 w | 15w | $7533^{*}$ | trio OSC | 1.68 | 6,16 | 130,34 |  | 3.6w | . 575 w |
| L. M. ERICCSON, Stockholm 20, Sweden (State Labs., Inc., 215 Park Ave., South New York 3, N.Y.) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Al5132* tri osc,plsd |  | . $973-1.225$ | $6, .135$ 6,28 | 165,38 1.75 k |  | $5 w$ $6 w$ | . 300 w |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | A15219* | tri osc | .9-1.05 | 6.3,.135 | 250,30 |  | 5 w | 1.5 w |
|  | tri amp! |  | 6.3,1.18 | 270,33 | 300 | 7.5w |  | A15220** | tii osc, plsd | .9-1.05 | 6,.28 | 1.75k, 3k |  | $6 w$ | $800 \%$ |
| GENERAL ELECTRIC CO., Power Tube Dept., Schenectady 5, N.Y. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Al5221** | tri osc | 1-1.3 | 6.3,. 135 | 250,30 |  | $5 w$ | $1 / \mathrm{w}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Al5222** | tri osc, plsd | ${ }_{1}^{1.1 .3}$ | 6, 28 6.38 | 1.75k,3k |  | 6 w | 600 w |
| GL6848 | letr ampl, cw | . 8 | 6.3,3.6 $6.7,14.5$ | 1.6k,3 7 |  | 300w | 154w 1.25 kw | A15223** | tri osc | 1.25-1.6 | 6.3,.135 | 250,30 |  | 5w | .8w |
| GL6942 | tetr ampl,cw | . 9 | 5.7,24 | 4k,700 |  | 1.5 kw | 1.25 kw | Al5222** | tri osc, plsd tri ose | $1.25-1.6$ $1.55-1.9$ | 6,.28 | 1.75k,3k |  | 6w | 500w |
| GL7399 | tetr ampl, 001 | 1.5 | 6.3,5.6 | 9k, 9.2 |  | 300w | 52 kw | A $15226^{*}$ | tri 0sc,plsd | 1.55-1.9 | 6.3,.135 6,28 | 1.75k,3k |  | 6w | . 6 W |
| GL7985 | tetr ampl, cw | . 8 | 6.7,14.5 | 7k, 1k |  | 3.5 kw | 3.2 kw | A $15227^{*}$ | tri osc | 1.85-2.2 | $6, .28$ $6.3,225$ | 1.75k,3k |  | 6w $2.5 \%$ | 400w |
| ZP1018 | tetr ampl | 1.6 |  | 2.5k,1.3k |  | 100w | 1.6 kw | A $15228{ }^{*}$ | tri 0sc, plsd | 1.85-2.2 | 6,.28 6.3 | 1.75k,3k |  | 6w | 300w |
| THE MACHLETT LABS., Springdale, Comecticut |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Al5229* | trio osc | 2.15-2.5 | 6.3, 2225 | 250,30 |  | 2.5 w | .2w |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ${ }_{\text {Al5 }}$ A $15331^{*}$ | tri osc, plisd | 2.15-2.5 | 6,28 | 1.75k, 3k |  | 6 w | 200w |
| ML2C41 | tri ampl, 0025 | 3 | 6.3,1.03 | 3.5k,6.5k | 100 | 35w |  | A $15232^{*}$ | tri osc, pled | $2.45-2.8$ $2.45-2.8$ | $6.3,225$ 6,28 | 250,30 175 k |  | 2.5w | .15w |
| ML3CPN10A5 | tri ampl, 0025 | 3 | 6,1 | 3.5k, 4.8\% | 100 | 10 w |  | A15233* | tri osc trio | 2.45-3.8 | $\begin{aligned} & 6,28 \\ & 6.3,225 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1.75k,3k } \\ & 250,30 \end{aligned}$ |  | ${ }^{6 \mathrm{w}}$ 2.5w | .150w |
| ML3CX100A5 | tri ampl, cw | 2.5 | 6,1 | 1k,125 | 100 | 100w |  | A15234* | tri osc, plsd | 2.75-3.1 | $6, .28$ | $\begin{aligned} & 250,30 \\ & 1.75 k, 3 k \end{aligned}$ |  | 6 w | 100 w |
| ML518 ML6442 | tri ampl,cw tri ampl, 001 | 2.5 | 6,1, 6 | 600, 125 | 100 | 100w |  | A $15235^{*}$ | tri osc | 3.05-3.4 | $6.3, .225$ | 250,30 |  | 2.5w | .05w |
| ML6442 | tri ampl, 001 | 4 | $6.3, .9$ $6.3,57$ | $3 \mathrm{k}, 3.75 \mathrm{k}$ 300,33 | 50 90 | 8\% 6.25 w |  | Al5236* | tri osc, pled | 3.05-3.4 | 6.28 | 1.75k,3k |  | 6 w | 50 w |
| ML 7209 | tri ampl,.0033 | 3 | 6,1 | 3.5k,4.5k | 100 | 35 w |  | SS104** | t-d OSc |  |  |  |  |  | . 3 mw |
| ML7210 | tri ampl,cw | 3 | 6.3,85 | 1k,95 | 75 | 100w |  | SS107** | t-d osc | $.8-1.4$ |  | $.2,35$ $.4,160$ |  |  | 1 mw |
| ML7211 | tri ampl, cw | 2.5 | 6.3,1.3 | 1k,190 | 80 | 100w |  | - Coaxial pencil-type ranstruction. |  |  | - Solid-state osc. |  |  |  |  |
| ML7289 | tri amipl, cw | $2.56,1$ | 6,1 | 1k,125 | 100 | 100w |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ML7688 | tri ampl, 00025 | 3 | 6.3,1.3 | 3.5k, 7.5 k | 80 | 10w |  | STANDARD TELEPHONES \& CABLES, LTD., Brixham Rd, Paignton, Devon |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ML7815 | tri ampl, 0025 | 3 | 6,1 | 3.5k,4.8k | 100 | 10w |  | 2C39A | tri ampl | 2.5 | 6.3,1 | 1k,125 | 100 | 100w | 27w |
| ML7855 | tri ampl, cw | 2.5 | 6,1 | 1k, 125 | 30 | 100w |  | 38/106 J | tri ampl,plsd | 2.5 | 6.3,1 | 3.5k,2k | 100 | 10 w | 2.4kw |
| NIPPON ELECTRIC CO., LTD., Tokyo, Japan |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | SYLVANIA, Special Tube Operations, 1891 E. Third St, Williamsport, Pa .2C36 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $2 \mathrm{C} 39 \mathrm{~A}, \mathrm{~B}^{*}$ | tri ampl | 2.5 | 6.3,1 | 900,90 | 100 | 100w | 15w |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $2 \mathrm{C4O}$ | tri ampl | 3.37 | 6.3,. 75 | 250,20 | 35 | 6.5w | 85 mm | 2 C 37 | cw ose | 3.3 | 6,3,4 | 200,025 | 25 | 5w | 450mw |
| $2 \mathrm{C43}$ | tri ampl | 3.37 | 6.3, 9 | 3k,2a | 48 | 12w | 1kwp | 5764 | CW OSC | 3.3 | 6.3,425 | 200, 025 | 25 | 5w | 450mw |
| 5861 | tri ampl | 3.7 | 6.3,4 | 300,30 | 30 | 10 w | . $5 w$ | 5765 | CW Ose | 2.9 | 6.3,4 | 180, 020 | 25 | 5w | 250 mm |
| 2C46 LD497 | tri ampl | 1.3 | 6.3,75 | 250,15 | 65 | 12w |  | 5768 | [88 anpl | 3 | 6.3,.4 | 150,.007 | 90 | 2w | 10db gain |
| LD583* | tri ampl | 2.5 2.5 | $6.3, .3$ $6.3,1.3$ | 900,140 900,140 | 90 | 140 w | 26w | 6481 6503 | ${ }_{\text {cW O O }}$ | 3.3 | 6.3,4 | 180, 016 | 25 | 5 W | 500 mm |
| - Ceramic sealed |  |  |  |  | 5 | 140 w | 26W | 5767 | CW OSC cw osc | 3.3 3.3 | $6.3,4$ $6.3,4$ | 200,025 200,025 | 23 25 | 5w | 450mw 450mw |

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| Type | Deseription App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Heater } \\ & V ; A \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Beam } \\ V ; A \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Refl } \\ V \end{gathered}$ | Tun Range | Powar Output | Type | Deseription App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Heoter } \\ \mathbf{V} ; \boldsymbol{A} \end{gathered}$ | Beom V; A | $\begin{gathered} \text { Refl } \\ V \end{gathered}$ | Tun <br> Range | Power Output |
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| DX184 DX151 | refl | 31-36 | ${ }_{3}^{6.3,8}$ | ${ }_{2}^{2.25 k}, 015$ | 300 | 60 mc | 100 nw | BL818 | tun | 8.5-10.5 |  | 350 |  |  | 120mw |
| BENDIX, Red Bank Div., Eatontom, N. J. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | BL830 | tun | 8.69-8.79 |  | 250 |  |  | 15 mm |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | BL815 | fix | 9.142-9.152 |  | 200 |  |  | 30mw |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | BL831 | fix | 9.26 |  | 300 |  |  | 80 mw |
| TK37 | refl | ${ }_{\text {34-35.6 }}$ | 6.3 6.3 | 330,01 425,04 | 150 400 |  | ${ }^{100 \%}$ | BL832 | fix | 9.34 |  | 300 |  |  | 80 mm |
| TK38 | refl | 5.1-5.9 | 6.3 | 330,.035 | 300 |  | 70 mw | ${ }_{\text {BLLB12 }}$ | tun | ${ }_{8.5-9.5}$ |  | 400 |  |  | $0.2 w$ |
| TK53 | refl | 34-35.6 | 6.3 | 400, 029 | 110 |  | 10 mm | BL829 | fix | ${ }_{8 \rightarrow 9.5}^{8.5-9.6}$ |  | 500 |  |  | ${ }_{0}^{60.5 \%}$ |
| TK58 | refl | 8.5-9.66 | 6.3 | 300,032 | 145 |  | 20 mm | BL802 | tun | ${ }_{8.8-9.2}$ |  | 500 250 |  |  | ${ }_{3}^{0.5 \mathrm{w}}$ |
| TK59 | refl | 8.5-9.66 | 6.3 | 300,.032 | 145 |  | 20 mm | BL819 | tun | 9-9.2 |  | 300 |  |  | ${ }^{3} \mathbf{3 0 m W}$ |
| TK60 | refl | 23.25-24.75 | 6.3 | 330,03 | 300 |  | 10mm | BL820 | tur | $9.05-9.25$ |  | 300 |  |  | ${ }_{6}^{60 m w}$ |
| TK61 | refl | 10.525 | 6.3 | 300, 032 | 145 |  | ${ }^{20 \mathrm{~mm}}$ | BL824 | tun | $9.2-9.5$ |  | 300 |  |  | 60 Tw |
| TK62 | ${ }_{\text {refl }}$ | 8.5-9.6 5.12-5.43 | 6.3 | 300 <br> 300 <br> 0036 | 145 160 |  | ${ }^{20 \mathrm{~mm}}$ | BL84] | fix | 8 8-9.5 |  | 300 |  |  | 60 mw |
| TK69 | refil | 5.1-5.9 | 6.3 6.3 | 300,032 330,035 | 160 300 |  | ${ }^{8076 m}$ | BL843 | fix | 8-9.5 |  | 200 |  |  | 20 nW |
| TK78 | refl | 34-35.6 | 6.3 | 425,04 | 400 |  | 10 mw | BRITISH INDUSTRIES CORP., 80 Shore Road, Port washington, N.Y. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TK84 | refl | 16-17 |  | 300, 025 | 180 |  | 20 mw | KLX1 | 4 cav | 4.1, 4.8 | 4.1,4.8 | 11k,0.3 |  | $\pm 30 \mathrm{mc}$ | 1130w |
| TK90 | refl | 8.5-9.66 |  | 300, 025 | 150 |  | 30 mw | KLS2 | 3 cav | 5,9.5 | 5,9.5 | 10k, 1 |  | $\pm 50 \mathrm{mc}$ | 1.7\%w |
| TK91 | refl | 8.5-9.66 |  | 300, 025 | 125 |  | 30 nm | COMPAGNIE FRANCAISE THOMSON-HOUSTON, 6, Rue Mario-Nikis, Paris |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TK92 | refl | 8.5-9.66 $5 \times 35.505$ |  | 300, 0208 | 145 |  | ${ }^{20 n W}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TK97 | refl refl | ${ }_{8.5-9.6}^{5.35-5.95}$ | 6.3 6.3 | 300, 01032 |  |  | 20 mm | TH2011A | ampl | 2.9-3 | 25,25 | 230k, 220 |  | 60 mc | 12kw |
| bomac laboratories, inc., Salem Rd., Beverly, Mass. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 mm | TH20118 | ampl | 3-3.1 | 25,25 | 230k, 220 |  | 60 mc | 12kw |
|  |  |  |  | INC., Salem Rd., Beverly, Mass. |  |  |  |  |  | TH2012B | ampl | 3-3.1 | 25,25 | $140 k, 100$ $140 \mathrm{k}, 100$ |  | 60 mc 60 mc | ${ }^{10 \mathrm{~kW}}$ |
| BL801 | tun | 8.5-9.6 |  | 300 |  |  | 30mw | TH2013 | ampl | 2.95-3.05 | 25,25 | 350\%,210 |  | 20 mc | 5kw |
| BL880A | tun | 8.5-10- |  | ${ }^{200}$ |  |  | 20 mw | TH2014 | ampl | 2.95-3.06 | 25,25 | 150\%, 105 |  | 30 mc | 5kw |
| BL803 | tun | 8.5-10 |  | 200 |  |  | 20 mm | TH2015 | ampl | 2.95-3.06 | 25,25 | 250k,250 |  | 30 mc | 15kw |
| BL800 |  | 8.5-10 |  | ${ }^{200}$ |  |  | 25 mm | TH2101 | ampl | 2.9-3.1 | 6.3,5 | 24k, 9 |  | 60 mc | . 1 kw |
| BL811 6310 | fix | $8.5-10$ $8.5-10$ |  | 210 300 |  |  | ${ }^{250 m}$ | ${ }_{\text {TH }}$ TH6975 | refl | 8.5-9.6 | 6.3,45 | 350,052 | 500 |  | 20 mw |
| 6312 | tun | ${ }^{8.5-10}$ |  | 300 |  |  | 70 mm | TH6116 | refil | $8.5-9.6$ $8.5-9.6$ | $6.3,47$ $6.3,4$ | 330,032 500.055 | 400 145 |  | ${ }_{20}^{20 n w}$ |
| BL806 | tun | 8.5-10 |  | 500 |  |  | 0.3w | TH2058 | refl | 8.5-10 | 6.3,1.2 | 330,032 | 1k |  | 500 mm |
| BL825 | tun | 8.5-10 |  | 500 |  |  | 0.5w | TH2K29 | refl | 3.4-3.96 | 6.3,47 | 300,04 | 250 |  | 65mw |



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| Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kmc) | Heater V;A | Beam V;A | $\stackrel{\operatorname{Refl}}{V}$ | Tun <br> Range | Power <br> Oułpuł |
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| NIPPON ELECTRIC CO., LTD., Tokyo, Japan |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| ${ }^{2 \mathrm{~K} 26}$ | refl | $6.25-7.06$ | 6.3,44 | 300, 0225 | 115 | 50mc | 100mw |
| 2K54A | refl | 4.05-4.3 | 6.3.45 | 400,.025 | 350 |  | 500 mw |
| 2 K 54 B | refl | 3.85-4.1 | 6.3.45 | 400,.025 | 350 |  | 500 mw |
| 2 K 54 C | refl | 3.65-3.9 | 6.3,.45 | 400, 025 | 350 |  | 500 mw |
| 2 K 54 DA | refl | 4.25-4.35 | 6.3,45 | 250,012 | 160 | 35 mc | 50 mw |
| 5976 | refl | 6.25-7.425 | 6.3,44 | 300,025 | 100 | 60 mc | 120mw |
| 5721 | refl | 4-11 | 6.3, 68 | 1k, 02 | 150 |  | 100 mw |
| 4 V 27 | refl | 3.5-4.5 | 6.3, 6.675 | 325,025 | 180 |  | 150 mw |
| 6 V 200 | refl | 6.225-6.325 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 130 | 50 mc | 300 mw |
| 6 V 201 | refl | 5.925-6.225 | 6.3.76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2 w |
| 6 V 202 | refl | 6.125-6.425 | 6.3, 7.76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2 w |
| 6 V 203 | refl | 6.425-6.575 | 6,3,76 | 750,.07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 7 V 204 | refl | 6.575-6.875 | 6.3,.76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2 w |
| 7205 | refl | 6.875-7.125 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 7 V 206 | refl | 7.125-7.425 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 8 V 207 | refl | 1.425-7.750 | 6.3,76 | 750,.07 | 330 | 28 mc | 1w |
| 8 V 208 | refl | 7.750-8.1 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 23 mc | 1w |
| 6 V 211 | refl | 5.985-6.285 | 6.3.44 | 300,023 | 100 | 40 mc | 35 mm |
| 6 V 212 | refl | 6.285-6.585 | 6.3,44 | 300,023 | 100 | 40 mc | 35 mw |
| 1 V 213 | refl | 6.585-6.705 | 6.3,.44 | 300, 023 | 100 | 40 mc | 35 mw |
| TV214 | refl | 6.705-7.005 | 6.3,44 | 300, 023 | 100 | 40 mc | 40 nW |
| 7 V 215 | refl | 6.955-7.255 | 6.3,44 | 300, 023 | 100 | 40 mc | 40 mw |
| 7216 | refl | 7.255-7.555 | 6.3,.44 | 300,.023 | 100 | 40 mc | 40 mw |
| 8 V 217 | refl | 7.55-7.850 | 6.3,44 | 300,.023 | 100 | 40mc | 40 mw |
| 6 V 221 | refl | 5.925-6.225 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 6 V 222 | refl | 6.125-6.425 | 6.3,76 | 750,.07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 7223 | refl | 6.425-6.575 | 6.3,.76 | 750,.07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2 w |
| 7 V 224 | refl | 6.575-6.875 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 1225 | refl | 6.875-7.125 | 6.3,.76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 7226 | refl | 7.125-7.425 | 6.3,76 | 750,.07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1.2w |
| 8 V 227 | refl | 7.425-7.750 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | 1w |
| ${ }^{8 V 228}$ | refl | 7.750-8.1 | 6.3,76 | 750,07 | 330 | 35 mc | ${ }^{1 w}$ |
| 11v53 | refl | 10.7-11.7 | 6.3,1.1 | 300,028 | 180 | 40 mc | 70 mw |
| 11V53A | refl | 10.7-11.7 | 6.3,1.1 | 450,.05 | 260 | 50mc | 250 mw |
| 2239/1G | refl | 3.65-4.2 | 6.3,1 | 1.1k, 06 | 180 | 40 mc | 1.2w |
| V239/1K | refl | 3.78-4.04 | 6.3, 25 | 300, 035 |  |  | 500mw |
| V241C/1K | refl | 4-4.24 | 6.3, 25 | 300,.035 |  |  | 500 mw |
| 6 V 26 AM | refl | 6.1-6.5 | 6.3,44 | 300, 025 | 110 | 60 mc | 120 mw |
| $8 \mathrm{8V69}$ | refl | 7.350-7.85 | 6.3,44 | 300,025 | 110 | 50mc | ${ }^{80 m w}$ |
| 11954 | refl | 10.7-11.7 | 6.3,.45 | 300, 028 | 180 | 40mc | 70 пW |
| IIV55 | refl | 10.7-11.7 | 6.3,45 | 500,065 | 260 | 55 mc | 450mw |
| 8 V 77 | refl | 7.65-8.2 | 6.3, 34 | 300, 025 | 130 | 30mc | 60 mw |
| 11v54A | tefl | 10.7-11.7 | 6.3,45 | 450,05 | 260 | 50mc | 250 mm |
| LD561 | refl | 11.7-12.44 | 6.3,45 | 400,045 | 220 | 48mc | 160 mw |
| POLARAD | ELECTRONICS | CORP., 43-20 | 34th St., Lon | g Island City | 1, N.Y. |  |  |
| 2V1011 | reff, cw | 4-11 | 6.3,57 | 1.25k, 022 | 800 | 20 mc | 20 mw |
| 2V1010X | refil, cw | .95-2.8 | 6.3,1.1 | 500,06 | 700 | 6 mc | 200mw |
| 2V1021X | reff, cw | 1-4 | 6.3,1,1 | 500,06 | 700 | 6 mc | 200 mW |
| 2V1009x | refl, cw | 1.7-5 | 6.3,1,1 | 500,06 | 700 | 6 mc | 200 mw |
| 2V1012 | sefl, cw | .5-3 | 6.3,.68 | 350,0.035 | 700 | 6 mc | 50mw |
| ZV1010 | refl, cw | ,7-3 | 6.3,68 | 350,035 | 700 | 6 mc | 50mw |
| 2V1009 | refl, cw | 1.5-6 | 6.3,68 | 350,035 | 700 | 6 mc | 50 mw |
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| 5837 | OSC | 0.55-3.8 |  | 325 | 235 | 12 | 160mw |
| RK5777 | OSC | 0.6-2.35 |  | 400 | 625 | 8 | 160mw |
| 2K28A | OSC | 1.5-3.75 |  | 300 | 277 | 20 | 140mw |
| RK5778 | osc | 1.8-4.62 |  | 300 | 460 | 8 | 150mw |
| 6BL6 | osc | 1.6-5.5 |  | 300 |  |  | 121mw |
| 5836 | OSC | 1.6-5.5 |  | 300 |  | 6 | 121 mw |
| 5721 | OSC | 2-12 |  | 1250 |  | 12 | 150mw |
| 6236 | OSC | 3.8-7.6 |  | lk | 510 | 10 | 125 mw |
| 726C | OSC | 2.7-2.96 |  | 300 | 135 | 25 | 100 mw |
| 2 K 29 | OSC | 3.4-3.96 |  | 300 | 180 | 28 | 106mw |
| 2 K 56 | osc | 3.84-4.46 |  | 300 | 150 | 30 | 100 mm |
| 2 K 22 | osc | 4.24-4.91 |  | 300 | 180 | 30 | 115 mw |
| $2 \mathrm{K48}$ | osc | 4-11 |  | 1250 | 300 |  | 20 mw |
| 6115 A | osc | 5.1-5.9 |  | 300 | 175 | 30 | 100 mw |
| QK412 | osc | 5.1-5.9 |  | 300 | 150 |  | 100 mm |
| RK6037 | osc | 5.12-5.43 |  | 300 | 160 | 40 | 30 mw |
| QK549 | osc | 5.925-6.45 |  | 300 | 275 | 20 | 120 mw |
| 5976 | osc | 6.2-7.425 |  | 300 | 158 | 32 | 100mw |
| QK531 | osc | 6.575-6.875 |  | 300 | 285 | 32 | 110 mw |
| QK532 | osc | 6.875-7.125 |  | 300 | 305 | 32 | 110mw |
| QK623 | osc | 7.125-7.65 |  | 300 | 380 | 32 | 110 mm |
| RK6390 | OSC | 6.87-10.75 |  | 1250 | 420 | 6 | 80 mw |
| RK6310 | OSC | 8.5-10 |  | 300 | 170 | 48 | 70 mw |
| RK6312 | osc | 8.5-10 |  | 300 | 170 | 48 | 70 mw |
| RK6316 | OSC | 8.5-10 |  | 300 | 170 | 48 | 70 mw |
| 2 K 25 | OSC | 8.5-9.66 |  | 300 | 183 | 64 | 32mw |
| 2 K 45 | ose | 8.5-9.66 |  | 300 | 145 | 70 | 32mw |
| 6116 | osc | 8.5-9.66 |  | 300 | 145 | 70 | 32 mw |
| QK448 | osc | 12-13 |  | 300 | 275 | 60 | 85 mw |
| RK6178 | osc | 15.75-16.25 |  | 300 | 200 | 60 | 25 mw |
| RK6573 | ose | 15.5-17 |  | 300 | 210 | 75 | 25 mw |
| QK306 | OSC | 18-22 |  | 1.8k | 220 | 40 | 40 mw |
| 6253 | osc | 18-22 |  | 1.8k | 220 | 40 | 40 mw |
| 2 K 33 | osc | 22-25 |  | 1.8k | 220 | 40 | 40 mw |
| 6254 | OSC | 22-25 |  | 1,8k | 220 | 40 | 40 mw |
| Qk463 | osc | 24.5-27.5 |  | 1,8k | 250 | 40 | 40 mw |
| QK289 | OSC |  |  | 2.25k | 200 | 45 | 20 mw |
| QK290 | osc |  |  | 2.25k | 200 | 45 | 20 nW |
| QK291 | osc |  |  | 2.25k | 200 | 45 | 18 mw |
| QK288 | OSC | 34.3-35.3 |  | 2.25 k | 210 | 50 | 20 mw |
| Qk292 | ose |  |  | 2.25k | 200 | 45 | 10 mw |
| CK293 | osc | 34.9-42.8 |  | 2.5 k | 200 |  | 5 mm |


| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Frequency <br> (kme) | Heater <br> $V ; A$ | Beam <br> $V ; A$ | Refl <br> $V$ | Tun <br> Range | Power <br> Output |
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| QK294 | ose | 40-51.8 | 3k | 200 |  | 5mw |
| QK295 | OSC | 50-60 | 3.5k | 200 |  |  |
| 6BM6 | OSC | .55-3.0 | 325 | 355 |  | 50 mw |
| 6BM6A | osc | .55-3.0 | 325 | 355 |  | 50mw |
| QKK752 | OSC | 7.125-7.65 | 300 | 350 | 25 | 140\%w |
| QKK753 | OSC | 7.75-8.4 | 300 | 350 | 25 | 140mw |
| QKK965 | OSC | 5.925-6.425 | 750 | 390 | 25 | 1.4w |
| QKK910 | OSC | 6.575-6.875 | 750 | 390 | 25 | 1.4w |
| QKK966 | OSC | 6.875-7.125 | 750 | 390 | 25 | 1.4w |
| QKK967 | osc | 7.125-7.75 | 750 | 390 | 25 | 1.4w |
| QKK968 | OSC | 7.75-8.4 | 750 | 390 | 25 | 1.4w |
| QKK826 | OSC | 10.7-11.7 | 400 | 350 | 35 | 100 mm |
| QKK869 | OSC | 11.7-12.2 | 400 | 350 | 35 | 100 mw |
| QKK822 | osc | 12.2-12.7 | 400 | 350 | 35 | 100.mw |
| QKK877 | OSC | 12.7-13.225 | 400 | 350 | 35 | 100mw |
| QKK873 | OSC | 13.225-14 | 400 | 350 | 35 | 100 mm |
| QKK874 | OSC | 14-15 | 400 | 350 | 35 | 100 mw |
| QKK878 | OSC | 10.7-11.7 | 750 | 700 | 35 | 700 mw |
| QKK899 | OSC | 11.7-12.2 | 750 | 700 | 35 | 700 mw |
| QKk978 | OSC | 12.2-12.7 | 750 | 700 | 35 | 700 mw |
| OKK880 | OSC | 12.7-13.225 | 750 | 700 | 35 | 700 mw |
| QKK881 | OSC | 13.225-14 | 750 | 700 | 35 | 700mw |
| QKK882 | OSC | 14-15 | 750 | 700 | 35 | 700 mw |
| QKK607 | OSC | 8.5-9.6 | 300, 025 | 200 | 50 | 40mw |
| OKK923 | OSC | 23.5-24.5 | 375,027 | 180 | 100 | 20 mw |
| QKK834 | OSC | 34-35.6 | 400,.027 | 150 | 120 | 20 mw |
| QKK463A | OSC | 24.5-27.5 | 1800, 0009 | 300 | 30 | 25 mw |
| QKK892 | ose | 39.6-46 | 3000,.018 | 300 |  | 4mw |
| QKK893 | OSC | 45.9-50 | 3000, 018 | 300 |  | 4 mw |
| QKK863 | OSC | 50-57 | 1400,04 | 450 | 75 | 80 mw |
| QKK864 | OSC | 56-65 | 1400,04 | 450 | 80 | 60 mw |
| QKK865 | OSC | 64-74 | 1400,04 | 450 | 100 | 40mw |
| QKK837 | OSC | 67-92 |  |  |  | 40 mw |
| QKK369 | OSC | 68.75-70.75 |  |  |  | 40mw |
| QKK838 | osc | 69-73 |  |  |  | 40mw |
| QKK866 | OSC | 73-83 | 1400,.04 | 450 | 125 | 40nw |
| QKK867 | osc | 82-101 | 1700,.05 | 450 | 150 | 20 mw |
| QKK977 | osc | $88-101$ |  |  |  | 40mw |
| QKK971 | osc | 100-120 | 1700,.06 | 450 | 175 | 20 mw |

SPERRY ELECTRONIC TUBE DIV., Gainesville, Fla.

| SAL219 | 3 res,.0025 | .96-1.215 | 4.2,37 | 24k,6.2 |  |  | 37kw |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SAL81 | e res, 1 | 1.215-1.365 | 4.5,70 | 20k, 5 |  |  | 21 kw |
| SAL89 | 3 res, 2.5 | .96-1.215 | 4.2,40 | 20k, 4.5 |  |  | 30 kw |
| SAL153 | 6 res | 1.27-1.40 | 12,45 | 190k,250 |  |  | 14 megw |
| SAS28 | 3 res | 2.6-2.7 | 9,13 | 4k, 35 |  |  | 225w |
| \$AS60,A | 3 res | 2.67-3.33 | 6.3,2 | Ik, 3 |  |  | 25w |
| SAS60, B | 3 res | 2.7-2.93 | 6.3,2 | 1.4k, 65 |  |  | 20w |
| SAS61 | 3 res | 2.7-2.9 | 6.3,6 | 15k,5.5 |  |  | 15kw |
| SAC9 | 3 res | 4.97-5.09 | 6.3, 8 | 1k, 175 |  |  | 9w |
| SAC19 | 2 res | 5.8,6.42 | 6,3,2 | 625,16 |  |  | 6 w |
| SAC33 | 3 res | 4.8-5.3 | 7,6.5 | 5.4k, 45 |  | $\pm 15 \mathrm{mc}$ | 500w |
| SAC41 | 3 res | 3.7-4.2 | 6.3,2 | 750,.2 |  |  | 30w |
| SAC225 | 3 res | 4.2-6.8 | 4.75,56 | 130k, 98 |  |  | 3megw |
| SAC285 | 4 res,. 1 | C-band | 6.3,4 | 33k, 2.4 |  | 100me | 20 kw |
| SAC259 | 3 res, 4 | C-band | 6.3, 75 | 6.6\%, 214 |  | $\pm 25 \mathrm{mc}$ | 300w |
| SAC246 | 3 res | c-band | 6,3,2,8 | 9k, 95 |  |  | 60 w |
| SAC340 | 6 res | 5.275-5.725 | 5,55 | 150k,116 |  |  | 5 megw |
| SAX240 | $3 \mathrm{ras}, \mathrm{cw}$ | $X$-band | 6.3,2.8 | 6.25k,2.8 |  |  | 200w |
| SAX253 | $3 \mathrm{res}, \mathrm{cw}$ | 10-10.5 | 6.3,2.8 | 8.75k,2.8 |  |  | 600w |
| SAU211 | 2 res, cw | 12,6-18 | 6.3,1.6 | 1.73, 14 |  | $\pm 75 \mathrm{mc}$ | 8 w |
| SOU242 | ose | 12.5-15 | $6.3,4$ | 900,04 |  | $\pm 10 \mathrm{mc}$ | 1.5w |
| SMS27 | 2 res | 2,6-2.7 | 6,3,4 | 1,25k, 020 |  | $\pm 20 \mathrm{mc}$ | . 5 w |
| SMCII | 2 res | 4.5-5.7 | 6.3,1.1 | 1k, 05 |  | 50 mc | IW |
| SMX32 | 3 res | 9-10.5 | 6.3,1.6 | 1k, 15 |  |  | 3.5w |
| SMK40 | 3 res | 23.5-26 | 6.3,2 | 1.5k, 17 |  | $\pm 250 \mathrm{mc}$ | .6w |
| SOC150 | 3 res | 4.91-5.01 | $6.3,8$ | 1.1k, 175 |  |  | 11w |
| SOU201 | 2 res | 12.5-15 | 6.3,1.6 | 1.7k, 14 |  |  | 15* |
| SRL7 | refl | 1.7-2.4 | 6.3,2 | 1k,. 22 |  |  | 10 w |
| SRLI7 | refl | .75-.99 | 6.3,1.5 | 1k, 09 |  |  | 3 w |
| SRC64D1 | refl | 5.43-5.93 | 6.3, 8 | 900,09 | 750 | 500 mc | 1.8 w |
| 2 K 42 | refl | 3.3-4.2 | 6.3,1 | 1.25k, 06 | 750 | 300 mc | 1.5W |
| 2K43 | refl | 4.2-5.7 | 6.3,1 | 1.25k, .06 | 750 | 450 mc | 1.25 w |
| 2K44 | refl | 5.7-7.5 | 6.3,1 | 1.25k, 06 | 750 | 500 mc | 1\% |
| SRX92 | refl | 8.5-10.5 | 6.3, 45 | 300, 30 | 300 | 2 mmc | 30 mm |
| 2K25 | refl | 8.5-9.66 | 6.3,44 | 300,037 |  | 90 mc | 30 mm |
| 2 K 39 | refl | 7.5-10,3 | 6.3,1 | 1.25k, 06 | 750 |  | 1w |
| SRU55C | refl | 15.7-17 | 6.3, 55 | 300,031 | 350 | 45me | 25 mw |
| SRU95 | reft | 12-4-15.5 | 6.3,.55 | 300, 032 | 253 |  | 52mw |
| \$RU210 | refl | 15-7-17 | 6.3, 55 | 300,035 | 110 | 50 mc | 20 mw |
| SRV38 | refl | 34-35.6 | 6.3,.6 | 425,04 | 400 | 60 mc | 30 mw |
| SRV215 | osc | 34.2-35.4 | 6.3,6 | 400,.04 | 500 | 110 mc | 30 mw |
| SRU216 | osc | 15-17 | 6.3,55 | 300,.031 | 500 |  | 20 mm |
| SOC217 | osc | 4-6 | 6.3, 3 | 380,.015 |  |  | 300 mw |
| SOC258 | osc | C-band | 6,3,75 | 3,1k, 75 |  | $\pm 25 \mathrm{mc}$ | 1\% |
| SAX151 | ampl, 5 res | 9-9.5 | 5,25 | 80k,45 |  |  | 1megw |
| \$0×239 | OSC | 8.2-12,4 | 6,3,5 | 2.9k, 017 |  |  | 1w |
| S0x241 | osc | 8,2-12,4 | 6.3,.3 | 900,033 |  |  | 1.5W |
| S0X254 | osc | 8.2-12.4 | 6.3,8 | 515,015 |  |  | 450mw |
| SRX230 | refl | 8.5-10.5 | 6.3., 45 | 300,.026 |  |  | 30 mw |
| SRX232 | refl | 7-8.6 | 6.3,45 | 400,055 | 300 |  | 100 mw |
| SRX233 | refl | 7-8.6 | 6.3,45 | 400, 055 | 300 |  | 100mw |
| SRX262 | refl | 8.2-12.4 | 6.3,1.3 | 400, 045 | 400 |  | 100mw |
| SOU245 | osc | 12-13.5 | 6,3,1,7 | 1.75k,14 |  |  | 5w |
| SRU226 | refl | 15-17 | 6.3,.55 | 300,.035 | 160 |  | 45 mw |
| SRU266 | refl | 15-17 | 6.3,55 | 300,.03 | 100 |  | 20 mw |
| SRX2 ${ }^{5}$ | gasc | 8.6 | 6.3,1.3 | 700,.058 | 430 |  | I* |


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| Type Description <br> App; Du. Cy. Frequency <br> (kme) Heater <br> $V ; A$ Beam <br> $V ; A$ Refl <br> $V$ Tun <br> Ronge Power <br> Output |
| :--- |


| STANDARD TELEPHONES \& CABLES, LTD., Brixham Rd., Paigiton, Devon |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| V218A/IK | osc,cw | 1.7-2 | 6.3, 3 | 250,05 | 270 |  | .5w |
| V231C/1K | osc, cw | 3.04-3.12 | $6.3,25$ | 200,.045 | 220 | 16 mc | 50mw |
| V233A/1K | osc, cw | 2.7-4.2 | $6.3,3$ | 250,.065 | 270 | 2 mc | . 5 w |
| V235A/1K | OSc, cw | 2.7-4.2 | 6.3,3 | 250,.065 | 270 | 2 mc | . 7 w |
| V237C1K | OSC, CW | 3.5-3.8 | 6.3,. 26 | 255,.065 | 275 | 8 mc | . 4 w |
| V238A/ C | osc, cw | 3.5-4.3 | 6.3, 25 | 325,.05 | 355 |  | Iw |
| V239C/K | OSC, cw | 3.8-4 | 6.3,.26 | 255,.065 | 275 | 8mc | . $4 w$ |
| V243A/2F | OSC, CW | 4-4.24 | 6.3,26 | 260, 065 | 280 | 8 mc | . 4 w |
| V245C/IK | OSC, cw OSC, | $4.2-4.4$ $4.4-4.6$ | 6.3,.25 | 255,.065 | 275 |  | . 8 w |
| V246A/2K | osc,cw | 4.65-4.86 | $6.3,2$ $6.3,3$ | $240, .065$ 250,065 | 280 | 17mc | . 3 w |
| V246C/4K | osc, cw | 4.4-4.85 | $6.3,3$ | 320,.05 | 340 | 6 mc | . 5 w |
| V247C/1K | osc,cw | 4.6-4.8 | 6.3, 3 | 245,.065 | 285 | 17 mc | . 3 w |
| V249C/1K | osc, cw | 4.76-5 | 6.3,3 | 265,065 | 285 | 16 mc | .3w |
| V26IC/1M | osc, cw | 5.85-6.35 | 6.3, 25 | 530,.06 | 550 | 17me | 1 w |
| V265A/M | osc, cw | 5.85-7.1 | 6.3.25 | 330,.06 | 350 |  | . 35 w |
| V266C/IM | OSC, CW | 6.35-6.85 | 6.3. 25 | 530,06 | 550 | 17mc | I* |
| V271C/3M | OSC, CW | 6.85-7.35 | 6.3 .25 | 530,.06 | 550 | 17mc | Iw |
| V275C/3M | OSC, cw | 7.25-7.77 | 6.3, 25 | 530,.06 | 550 | 17 mc | 1* |
| Z211/LG | ampl,plsd | . $96-1.21$ | 12.6,1.8 | 5k, 2.5 | 15k |  | Bkw |
| Z237/1K | refl | 1.7-2.3 | 6.3,75 | 350, 05 | 250 | 16 mc | 250 mw |
| Z239/1G | refl | 3.5-3.54 | $6.3,75$ | 350,.055 | 200 | 43 mc | 150mw |
| 223)/is | refl | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3,1.1 | 1.1k, 07 | 700 | 45mc | 1.2 w |


$\underset{\times 12}{\text { VARIAN }} \underset{\text { refl }}{\text { ASSOCIATES, }} \underset{\text { Tube Div., Palo Alto, Califomia }}{12.4-17.5}$


| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Frequency <br> (kma) | Heater <br> $V_{i} A$ | Beam <br> $V ; A$ | Relf <br> $\mathbf{V}$ | Tun <br> Range | Power <br> Output |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

$\begin{array}{cr}\text { VARIAN ASSOCIATES-(Continued) } \\ \text { VA92C } & \text { refl } \\ \text { VA93 } & 12.4-14.5\end{array}$

| 600 | $55 m c$ | 200 mw |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |


| VA92C | refl | $12.4-14.5$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| VA93 | refl | $13.3-12.7$ |
| VA94 | refl | $16-17$ |
| VA94B | refl | $15.8-16.2$ |
| VA96 | refl | $22-25$ |
| VA998 | refl | 225 |

$55 m \mathrm{mc}$
200 mw
20 mw

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BACKWARD WAVE TUBES

| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Frequency <br> (kmc) | Heater <br> V;A | Helix <br> $\mathbf{V}$ | Foc. FId. <br> (Gouss) | Power <br> Output |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


| BENDIX, Red Bank Div., Eatontown, N. J. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TWO66 | OLS | $61-71$ | 6.3 | 2.5 k | 2 k | 3 mw |
| TW067 | OSC | $49-59$ | 6.3 | 3 k | sol | 7 mw |
| TW082 | OSC | $50-60$ |  | 2.5 k | sol | 7 mw |


| Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Frequency (kme) | Heater V;A | Hellx V | Foc. Fld. (Gauss) | Power Out put |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BENDIX-(Continued) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TW075 | OSC | 40-50 |  | 2.5k | sol | 10nw |
| TW085 | osc | 70-85 |  | 3.1k | sol | 4 mw |
| TW087 | OSC | 85-100 |  | 3. Ik | sol | 2.5 mw |



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traveling wave tubes

| Type | Description App; Du. Cy. | Freq. <br> (kmc) | Heater V ; A | $\underset{V}{\text { Helix }}$ | Foc. Fid. (Gauss) | Gain <br> (db) | Noise Fig. (db) | Power Output |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7537 | ampl | 4.4-5 | 6.3 .8 | 1.1k | 600 | 34 | 6 w | 6 w |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TWC4 | ampl | 6-7.5 |  | 2.6k | $600 *$ | 40 |  | 2w |
| TWC5 | ampl | 5.9-8 |  | 1.8\% |  | 38 | 30 | 10w |
| TWS6 | ampl | 2.5-4.1 |  | 2.4k | $500{ }^{\circ}$ | 20 | 30 | 0.5w |
| TWS7 | ampl | 2.7-3.5 |  | 2.4k | $500^{\circ}$ | 20 | 30 |  |
| THX8 | ampl | 7-11.5 |  | 2.8k | pkgd | 25 | 30 | 0.75 w |
| - Oersted ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| N1001 | ampl | 1.7-2.3 | 6.3,1.6 | 2.8 | 400 | 25 |  | 16w |
| 8202 | ampl,cw | 1.7-2.3 | 6.3,1.6 | 2.5k | 600 | 40 | 35 | 10 w |


| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Freq. <br> (kme) | Heater <br> $V: A$ | Helix <br> V | Foc. FId <br> (Gauss) | Gain <br> (db) | Noise Fig. <br> (db) | Power <br> Output |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| TPD101 | ampl | 2.7-3.3 | 400 | pm | 30 | 5.8 | 1.5 mw |
| TP0741 | апп¢\| | 3.8-4.2 | 400 | pm | 25 | 6.5 | 2TW |
| TP0301 | ampl | 8.5-9.6 | 800 | pm | 25 | 8 | Inw |
| TPO153A | ampl | 1.7-2.7 | 2.6k | pm | 32 |  | 7w |
| TP0921 | ampl | 3.6-9.2 | 1.1k | pm | 20 |  | 2w |
| TP0430 | ampl | 3.8-4.2 | 2 k | prim | 25 |  | 6 w |
| TP0570 | ampl | 3.8-4.2 | 2k | pm | 28.5 |  | 15w |
| TP0410 | ampl | 5.9-7.4 | 1.9k | pm | 25 |  | 6 w |
| TP0925 | ampl | 1.215-1.35 | 1 k | pm | 30 |  | 6.6 wp |
| TPO125 | ampl | 1.215-1.35 | 12k | pm | 27 |  | 4kwp |
| TP0103 | ampl | 2.9-3.1 | 1.7 k | pm | 27 |  | 10up |
| TP0902 | ampl | 2.5-4.2 | 260 | prn | 30 | 12 |  |
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\text { phase relationship: } \\
\text { phase error: } \\
\text { phase deviation }
\end{array} & 0^{\circ} \& 180^{\circ} \\
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { with frequency: }
\end{array} & \mathbf{2}^{\circ} \text { max. } \\
\begin{array}{l}
\text { output unbalance: }
\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}
0.25 \mathrm{db} \text { max. }
\end{array} \\
\begin{array}{ll}
\text { Sum channel VSWR: }
\end{array} & 1.15 \text { max. } \\
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[^14]TRAVELING WAVE TUBES-(Continued)

| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Freq. <br> (kmc) | Heater <br> $V ; A$ | Helix <br> $\mathbf{V}$ | Foc. Fld. <br> (Gaus s) | Gain <br> (db) | Noise Fig. <br> (db) | Power <br> Output |
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6861 | ampl | 1.7-3.5 | 5, 5 | 375 | 525 | 25 | 6.5 | 1 mw |
| N1001 | ampl | 1.7-2.3 | $6.3,1.5$ | 2.63 k | 450 | 25 |  | 15w |
| N1002 | ampl | 1.7-2.3 | 6.3, 36 | 565 | 450 | 23 | 9 | 2.5 mw |
| N1004 | ampl | 3.8-4.2 | 6.3, 68 | 2.2k | 500 | 24 |  | 5* |
| N100M | ampl | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3,36 | 380 | 350 | 20 | 9 | Imw |
| N1013 | ampl | 1.7-2.3 | 6.3,.36 | 650 | 400 | 33 | 20 | 250 mw |
| N1016M | ampl | 4.1-7 | 6.3,36 | 585 | 520 | 40 | 9 | 4.5 mw |
| N1017M | ampl | 1.2-1.4 | 6.3,.36 | 260 | 450 | 26 | 6.5 | 2 mw |
| N1018M | ampl | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3.36 | 600 | 400 | 33 | 21 | 100 mm |
| N1024M | ampl | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3,.36 | 380 | 350 | 20 | 9 | lmw |
| N1025M | ampl | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3,. 36 | 600 | 400 | 33 | 21 | 100 mw |
| N1029 | ampl | 5.9-7.2 | 6.3,1.2 | 2.65k | 600 | 43 |  | 9w |
| N1031 | ampl | 3.8-4.2 | 6.3, 36 | 490 | 550 | 25 | 8.5 | 2.3mw |
| N1032 | ampl | 3.8-4.2 | $6.3,36$ | 1.45k | 350 | 38 | 19 | 300 mm |
| N1033 | ampl | 3.8-4.8 | 6.3 .71 | 2.175 k | 550 | 37 |  | 7 w |

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| G020P | ampl | .5-1 | Pri |  | 10mw |
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| G050P | ampl | 1-2 | pm |  | 10mw |
| G100P | ampl | 2-4 | pra | 30 | 10mw |
| G200P | ampl | 4-8 | pm | 30 | 10mw |
| G400P | ampl | 8.2-12.4 | pm |  | 20 mw |
| G110P | ampl | 2-4 | Pm |  | 30 mw |
| G210P | ampl | 4-8 | Pm |  | 10 mw |
| G020 | ampl | .5-1 | sol |  | 10 mm |
| 6050 | ampl | 1-2 | sol |  | 10 mw |
| G100 | ampl | 2-4 | sol | 30 | 30 mw |
| G200 | ampl | 4-8 | sol | 30 | 30 mw |
| 6400 | ampl | 8.2-12.4 | sol | 34 | 20 mw |
| G070 | ampl | 1-2 | sol | 32 | 10 mw |
| G110 | ampl | 2-4 | sol | 34 | 30 mw |
| G210 | ampl | 4-8 | sol | 32 | 30 mw |
| G410 | ampl | 8.2-12.4 | sol |  | 30 mw |
| G120 | ampl | 2-4 | sol | 30 | 10 mw |
| G420 | ampl | 8.2-12.4 | sol |  |  |

GENERAL ELECTRIC CO., Power Tube Dept., Schenectady 5, N.Y.

| GL7393 | ampl, cw | 4-8 | 6.3.3 | 500 | pm | 25 | 10 | 5mw |
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| Z3031 | ampl,cw | 14-18 | 6.3 .3 | 1.2k | pm | 25 | 14 | 5 mm |
| Z3040 | ampl,cw | 35-40 |  |  | em | 20 | 15 | 3 mw |
| Z3086 | ampl, 005 | 8.5-9.6 |  |  | Ppm | 60 |  | 50kw |
| Z3088 | ampl, cW | 7-11 | 6.3 .3 | 780 | ppm | 35 | 15 | 5 mw |
| Z3090 | ampl, 0005 | 8.5-9.6 | 4.3.8 |  | 1500 | 30 |  | 5kw |
| Z3091 | ampl, 004 | 8.5-9.6 | 6,8 |  | 1700 | 20 |  | 250kw |
| ZM3092 | ampl, 02 | 5.4-5.9 |  |  | ppm | 30 |  | 25kw |
| ZM3093 | ampl, Cw | 7.5-8.5 | 6.3.3 | 850 | pm | 25 | 7 | 3 mw |
| ZM3103 | ampl, cw | 7-11 | 6.3.3 | 850 | pm | 25 | 10 | 5 mw |
| ZMB 105 | amplicw | 7-11 |  |  | ppm | 35 | 15 | 15mw |
| ZM3107 | ampl, cw | 6-12 |  |  | ppm | 35 |  | 10w |
| ZM3110 | ampl, cw | 4-8 |  |  | ppm | 25 | 10 | 5 mw |
| 2M3113 | ampl, cw | 2-4 |  |  | pm | 20 | 5 | 1 mw |
| ZM3115 | ampl, cw | 18-26.5 |  |  | ppm | 25 | 13 | Imw |
| ZM3116 | ampl, cw | 26-40 |  |  | ppm | 20 | 15 | Imw |
| GL7394 | ampl | 8-12 | 6.3,3 | 850 | pm | 25 | 10 | 5 mw |
| Z5182 | ampl, cw | 14-18 | $6.3,31$ | 1.8k | ppm | 30 | 25 | 150 mw |
| Z5183 | ampl, cw | 14-18 | 6,5 | 3.5k | ppm | 30 | 30 | 10w |
| Z5184 | ampl, 01 | 14-18 |  |  | sol | 25 |  | lkw |



| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Freq. <br> (kme) | Heater <br> V;A | Helix <br> V | Foc. FId. <br> (Gauss) | Gain <br> (db) | Noise Fig. <br> (db) | Power <br> Output |
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| HA46 | ampl | 12-18 | 5,1.4 | 1.3k | lk | 25 | 12 | 1 mw |
| HA47 | ampl | 4-8 | 5,1.1 | 700 | lk | 25 | 10 | 1 mw |
| HA48 | ampl | 12-16 | 5,1.4 | 1.3k | lk | 25 | 13 | 1mw |
| HA54 | ampl | 2-4 | 5,1 | 800 | ppm | 25 | 15 | 3mw |
| HA60 | ampl | $8-11$ | 6.3,1.2 | 1.25k | ppm | 25 | 17 | 10mw |
| HA61 | ampl | 7-14 | 5,1.1 | 1.3k | 1000 | 25 | 15 | 1mw |
| HA62 | ampl | 2-4 | 5.1 | 500 | BS-53C | 25 | 10 | 5 mw |
| HA73 | ampl | 1-2 | 5,0.8 | 200 | 1000 | 25 | 8 | lmw |
| HA86 | ampl | 0.5-1 | 5,1 | 120 | 800 | 25 | 7 | 1 mw |
| HA89 | ampl | 2-4 | 5,1.1 | 450 | BS-67C | 20 | 8 | 10mw |
| PA1 |  | 8-11 | 7,1.4 |  |  | 30 |  |  |
| PA3 |  |  | 7,1.2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| PA4 | ampl, 0.1 | 2-4 | 7,1.2 | 950 | 600 | 33 |  | 1w |
| PA5 |  | 8-12.4 | 7,1.2 |  |  |  |  | 300 mw |
| PA6 |  |  | 7,1.2 | lk | ppm | 30 |  | 1w |
| PA7 |  |  |  |  | 1k | 30 |  |  |
| PA8 | ampl, 0.1 | 4-8 | 7,1.2 | 1.6k | ppm | 30 |  | 1w |
| PA9 |  |  | 7,1.4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Palo | ampl,0.1 | 2-4 | 7,1.2 | 1.1k | ppm | 30 |  | 10w |
| DAI | v. tun | 2-4 | 6.3,0.85 | 2.38k | 250 | 28 |  |  |
| DA2 | v. tun | 1-2 | 6.3,1.2 | 1.02k | 250 | 33 |  |  |
| DA3 | v. tum | 0.5-1 | 6.3,1.1 | 1065 | 250 | 30 |  |  |
| DAA | v. tun | 4-8 | 6.3,1.1 | 2.5k | 400 | 25 |  |  |
| HAl6 | mult | 1.76/8.8 | 7,1.2 | 1.2k | 600 | -10 |  | $2 \pi w$ |
| HA34 | mult | 0.4-1/2-4 | 6.3,1 | 250 | 550 | -10 |  | 2 mw |


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| 314 H | ampl, cw | 1.9-2.1 | ppm | 33 | 2.5w |
| 349 H | amplicw | 2.2-2.4 | ppm | 23 | 10w |
| 351 H | ampl, 01 | 2.3-2.9 | ppm | 33 | 1kw |
| 362 H | ampl, 005 | 2.7-2.9 | ppm | 46 | 100w |
| 363H | ampl, cw | 2-4 | ppm | 35 | $1 \%$ |
| 343H | amplew. | 2.7-3.3 | ppm | 45 | 4.5w |
| 334 H | ampl, 006 | 2.9-3.1 | ppm | 30 | Ikw |
| 354H | ampl, 02 | 2.9-3.1 | PPm | 32 | 1.3kw |
| 364 H | ampl, 005 | 2.8-3.2 | ppm | 31.5 | lkw |
| 321H | ampl,006 | 2.85-3.15 | ppm | 26 | 250kw |
| 312 H | ampl, 005 | 2-4 | ppm | 30 | ${ }^{\text {k }}$ W |
| 374H | ampl, 006 | 2-4 | PPTm | 30 | lkw |
| 304 H | ampl, 01 | 2-4 | ppm | 30 | Ikw |
| 340 H | ampl, 01 | 2-4 | ppm | 30 | 1kw |
| 311 H | ampl, 01 | 2-4 | ppm | 30 | lkw |
| 350 H | ampl, 01 | 2-4 | ppm | 30 | 1kw |
| 361 H | ampl, 02 | 2.9-3.6 | ppm | 30 | 1kw |
| 341 H | ampl. 01 | 2.5-4 | ppm | 33 | lkw |
| 344H | ampl, 005 | 3.35-3.65 | ppm | 32 | 1.5kw |
| 306 H | ampl. 02 | 5.4-5.9 | ppm | 43 | 20kw |
| 319 H | ampl, 01 | 8.4-9.5 | ppm | 54 | 20kw |
| 378 H | ampl, 01 | 8-10 | ppm | 45 | 20 kW |
| 337 H | ampl, 01 | 8.6-9.8 | ppm | 53 | 15kw |
| 307H | ап\%1, 01 | 8.55-9.45 | ppm | 50 | 50kw |
| 347H | ampl, 01 | 8.55-9.45 | ppm. | 50 | 50 kw |
| 308 H | ampl, 01 | 8.45-9.95 | ppm | 52 | 15kw |
| 310 H | ampl, 02 | 8.2-11.4 | ppm | 40 | lkw |
| 392H | ampl,cw | 2-4 | ppm | 30 | lw |

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| F6658 | anpl, cw | 1.7-4 | 6.3,2.5 | 1.25k | 750 | 30 |  | 5w |
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| F6825 | ampl, 005 | 2-4 | 6.3,5 | 8.5k | 1.2k | 30 |  | 2kw |
| F6826 | ampl,. 005 | 2-4 | 6.3,5 | 8.5k | 1.2k | 30 |  | 1.5 kw |
| F6867 | ampl, cw | 8-9.6 | 6.3,85 | 1.5k | 1.3k | 30 |  | 100 mw |
| F6868 | ampl, cw | 1.7-4 | 6.3,2.5 | 1.5k | 1k | 30 |  | 10 w |
| F6996 | ampl, cw | 8-9.6 | 6.3,2.3 | 3.4k | 1.3k | 30 |  | 10w |
| F7066 | ampl, cw | 8-12 | $6.3,85$ | 1.6k | 900 | 30 |  | 50 mw |
| F7067 | ampl, 04 | 8-12 | 6.3,2.3 | 4.5k | 1.2k | 30 |  | 1w |
| F7338 | ampl,.005 | 2-4 | 6.3,5 | 8.5k | 1.2k | 40 |  | 1kw |
| F7339 | ampl, 005 | 8.5-9.6 | 6.3,2.5 | 12k | 2.8k | 27 |  | lkw |
| F7340 | ampl, 005 | $8-9.6$ | 6.3,5.2 | 12k | 2.4k | 30 |  | 1kw |
| F7341 | ampl,cw | 8-9.6 |  |  |  |  |  | 5 w |
| F7347 | ampl, 005 | 2-4 | 6.3,5.2 | 8k | 1.2k | 30 |  | 1kw |
| F7524 | ampl, cw | 8-12 | 6.3,1.7 | 4k | 1.2k | 20 |  | 5w |
| F7525 | ampl,cw | $8-12$ | 6.3,1.7 | 4k | sol | 20 |  | $5 *$ |
| F7526 | ampl, cw | 8-12 | 6.3,85 | 1.6k | sol | 30 |  | 50 mw |
| F7847 | ampl, cw | 5-6 | 6.3,22 | 3k | 1.2k | 27 |  | 10w |
| F7848 | ampl, 005 | 5.4-5.9 | 6.3,5.2 | 17 k | 2 k | 27 |  | 2 kw |
| 02004 | ampl, 04 | 8-9.6 | 6.3,2.3 | 3.4k | 1 k | 25 |  | 5w |
| 02009 | ampl, 04 | 3.95-8 | 6.3,2.5 | 2.5k | sol | 35 |  | 2w |
| 02013 | ampl, cw | 8-9.6 | 6.3,2.3 | 3.4k | 1.3k | 33 |  | 5 w |
| 02014 | ampl, 005 | 8-9.6 | 6.3,5.2 | 12 c | 2.4k | 33 |  | 1kw |
| 02023 | ampl, 01 | 4-8 | 6.3,5 | 10k | 2k | 30 |  | 1kw |
| $\times 282$ | ampl,cw | 4-8 | 6.3,1.5 | 3k | 1.2 | 25 |  | 10 w |
| $\times 354$ | ampl,cw | 8-12 | 6.3,2 |  | pm | 33 |  | 5w |
| $\times 368$ | ampl, cw | 8-12 | $6.3,85$ |  | pm | 35 |  | 50 mw |
| $\times 370$ | amplew | 4-8 | 6.3,2 |  | pm | 33 |  | 10w |
| W5/1G | ampl,cw | 5.8-7.15 | $6.3,85$ | 3.2k |  | 40 |  | 18w |
| W7/4G | ampl, cw | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3,85 | 3.15k |  | 42 |  | 10w |
| W9/LE | ampl, cw | 2.5-4.1 | 6.3 .75 | 450 |  | 28 | 21.5 | 120 mw |
| W10/3E | ampl, cw | 2.7-3.3 | 5,6 | 550 |  | 25 | 6.2 | lw |
| LITTON INDUSTRIES, Electron Tube Div.e San Calos, Calif. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| L3236 | ampl, cw | 7-11 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 2w |
| L3266 | ampl,cw | 7-11 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 20mw |
| L3470 | ampl, cw | 4-8 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 20 mw |
| L3471 | ampl, cw | 4-8 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 2w |
| L3472 | ampl,cw | 7-11 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 10w |
| L3499 | ampl, cw | 2-4 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 2w |
| L3528 | ampl, cw | 5-11 |  |  | ppm | 33 |  | 5w |
| L3529 | ampl, ow | 7-11 |  |  | ppm | 36 |  | 20 w |
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| L3612 | ampl,cw | 7-11 |
| L3497 | ampl. 06 | 1.24-1.4 |
| L3634 | ampl, cw | 9.1-9.5 |
| L3615 | ampl,cw | 2-4 |
| L3663 | ampl,cw | 2-4 |
| L3619 | ampl,cw | 2-4 |
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# Sperry adds high-power pulsed TWT's to list of tubes available in $\mathbf{3 0}$ days 

In a move to simplify design problems in present and future radar systems, Sperry Electronic Tube Division of Sperry Rand Corporation has added two high-power pulsed traveling wave tubes to the list of advanced microwave tubes available in 30 days.

The two tubes covered by the an-nouncement-the STL-114 and the STC-152-operate in $L$ and $C$ bands, respectively. They are typical of a line of pulsed TWT's ranging from $P$ through $V$ bands which Sperry offers on a firm delivery date basis.

## EASY RADAR APPLICATION

Sperry's pulsed TWT's are admirably suited to the demands of application in phased array radars, height finders, search, ECM, and other radar applications. Widely varied in-system experience has proved that their reliability, long life, high power, high gain, and extreme broadband operation make them ideal for radar use.
Design features of this tube family minimize the necessity for system adjustments in the field. Among these features are broadband response, constant voltage operation, and short circuit stability.

## VERIFIED RELIABILITY

These pulsed TWT's, produced at Sperry's Great Neck, N. Y., facility, have compiled an impressive record of in-system experience. Such experience has proved that their resistance to shock and vibration damage, their inherent indifference to ambient conditions, and their mounting flexibility make them ideal for ground or airborne application.

Place your order with your Cain \& Company representative. His phone number appears in the adjacent column. Tubes are available within 30 days after receipt of order.

FREE TECHNICAL INFORMATION ON the Sperry line of high-power pulsed traveling wave tubes may be obtained by writing to Sec. 404, Sperry Electronic Tube Division, Gainesville, Florida.

## V BAND CAPABILITY

Among Sperry's other interesting activities in pulsed TWT's is the extension of capability into the V Band -26.5 to 40.0 kMc . Although these efforts are largely classified, inquiries are invited from those who have the necessary clearance and need to know.


FACTORY ALIGNMENT of a Sperry TWT within its focusing solenoid greatly simplifies field maintenance. Once this operation has been performed by a skilled Sperry technician, the assembly is self-aligning.


Typical saturated power outpui vs. frequency for a pulsed Sperry TWT.

Typical small signal gain vs. frequency for a pulsed Sperry TWT.
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TRAVELING WAVE TUBES-(Continued)

| Type | Description <br> App; Du. Cy. | Freq. <br> (kmc) | Heoter <br> $\mathrm{V} ; \mathrm{A}$ | Helix <br> V | Foc. <br> (GId. <br> (Gous s) | Gain <br> (db) | Noise Fig. <br> (db) | Power <br> Output |
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| SFERRY | ELECTRONICS TUBE |  | DIV. -(Continued) |  |  |  |  |  |
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| STX77 | grid, cw | 7-11 | 10.5,1.05 | 5k | lk | 37 |  | $10 \%$ |
| STX186 | ampl,cw | 7-11 | 6.3,3 | 4k | ppm | 32 | 40 | 10w |
| \$TX187 | ampl, cw | 7-11 | 6.3,3 | $4{ }^{4}$ | PPFT | 35 | 40 | $20 \%$ |
| STX105 | ampl,cw | $8.65-1$ | 6.3,3.4 | 8 | 1.4k | 30 |  | 175w |
| STX182 | ampl,cw | 8-12 | 6.3,1.5 | 3.2k | ppm | 35 | 35 | 30w |


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| W5/1G | ampl, cw | 5-8 |  |  | ppm | 38 | 27 | 10w |
| W7/3G | ampl,cw | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3,. 85 | 3k | ppm | 26 | 27 | 10w |
| W7/4G | ampl, cw | 3.6-4.2 | 6.3, 85 | 2.9\% | ppm | 42 | 27 | 10w |
| W9/1E | ampl, cw | 2.5-4.1 | 6.3,95 | 420 | $\mathrm{pm} / \mathrm{sol}$ | 28 | 21 | 120 |
| Wg/2E | amplew | 2.5-4.1 | 5,.55 | 400 | sol | 40 | 10 | 10 mw |
| W9/3E | ampl, cw | 2.5-4.1 | 6.3,.6 | 200 | $\mathrm{pm} / \mathrm{sol}$ | 15 | 16 | .3mw |
| W10/3E | ampl, cw | 2.7-3.3 | 5,.6 | 450 | sol | 23 | 6.7 | 3 mw |
| W13/ID | ampl,cw | 1.5-3 |  |  |  | 40 |  | 30 w |


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| 6752 | ampl, cw | 1-2 | 6.3,1.5 | 1 l | 600 | 33 | 2 w |
| TW4268 | ampl, cw | 1-2 | 6.3,1.5 | 800 | ppm | 30 | Iw |
| TW4267 | amipl, cw | 1-2 | 6.3,1.5 | 400 | ppm | 35 | 15 mw |
| TW4007 | ampl,cw | 1-2 | 6.3,1.5 | 800 | ppm | 30 | 1w |
| TW4006 | ampl,cw | 1-2 | 6.3,96 | 400 | ppm | 35 | 15m\% |
| TW620A | ampl, cw | ]-2 | 6.3,1.5 | lk | 400 | 33 | 2w |
| TW538 | ampl, 01 | 1-2 | 6.3,3.5 | 10k | 600 | 35 | lkw |
| TW956L | ampl,cw | 2-4 | 6.3,1.7 | 1k | ppm | 37 | 2w |
| 6559 | ampl,cw | 2-4 | 6.3,1.5 | lk | 850 | 33 | 2 w |
| TW4260 | ampl,cw | 2-4 | 6.3,1.5 | 1 k | ppm | 30 | 1w |
| TW4261 | ampl,cw | 2-4 | 6.3,1.5 | 500 | ppm | 35 | 10mw |
| TW4002M | amplicw | 2-4 | 6.3,1.7 | 500 | ppm | 35 | 10mw |
| TW534B | amplew | 2-4 | 6.3,1.5 | lk | 750 | 33 | $2 *$ |
| XTW4278 | ampl,cw | 4-8 | 6.3,1.7 | 3k | ppm | 30 | lw |
| XTW4281 | ampl,cw | 4-8 | 6.3,1.5 | 1k | ppm | 35 | 10 mw |
| X丁W4273 | ampl,cw | 7-12.5 | 6.3,1.7 | 4k | ppm | 30 | Iw |
| TW591 | ampl, 002 | 8-10.6 | 6.3,2 | 10\% | 2.8 k | 36 | ${ }_{1} \mathbf{k w}$ |
| TW622 | ampi,plss | $8-11$ | 6.3,1.5 | 4k | 1.05k | 33 | 2w |
| XTW4282 | ampl, cw | 8-12 | 6.3,1.5 | 1.4k | ppm | 35 | 5 mw |

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| VAI21B | ampl,.01 | $2-4$ | 2.25 k |  | 30 | 40 w |
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| VA125A | ampl, 002 | $2.65-2.97$ | 120 k |  |  | 2 mw |
| VA125B | ampl,.002 | $2.92-3.25$ | 120 k |  |  | 2 mw |
| VA126 | ampl,.002 | $5.4-5.9$ | 130 k |  |  | 3.3 mw |
| VA128 | ampl,.003 | $2.7-3.5$ | 14.5 k |  | 34 | 5 kw |
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| VA132 | ampl,cw | $0.5-1$ | 2 k |  |  | 200 w |
| VA133 | ampl, 066 | $1.254-1.386$ | 12 k |  | 50 | 5 kw |
| VA601 | ampl,cw | $1-2$ | 2 k | ppm |  | 50 w |
| VA134 | ampl,plsd |  |  | ppm | 45 | 5 kw |

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| W J 221 | amplew | .25-. 5 | 6.9.65 | 50 | 1000 | 25 | 3.5 |  |
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| W J 212 | ampl, cw | 1-2 | 4.5.8 | 140 | 1000 | 25 | 3.5 |  |
| W $\mathrm{L}^{\text {2 }}$ 2-1 | amplew | 1.1-1.6 | 4.5.8 | 140 | 1000 | 25 | 3.6 |  |
| WJ211 | ampl,cw | 2-4 | 3.5,65 | 175 | 1000 | 25 | 4.3 |  |
| WJ211-1 | ampl,cw | 2.1-2.4 | 3.5,65 | 175 | 1000 | 25 | 3.5 |  |
| WJ211-2 | ampl,cw | 2.3-2.7 | 3.5.65 | 175 | 1000 | 25 | 3.4 |  |
| WJ21]-3 | ampl,cw | 2.5-3.5 | 3.5,65 | 175 | 1000 | 25 | 3.9 |  |
| WJ217 | amplicw | 2-4 | 6.3.75 | 1.86 | ppm | 40 |  | 12w |
| WJ227 | ampl,cw | 2-4 | 6.3,76 | 1.6 k | ppm | 40 |  | $12 w$ |
| WJ206 | ampl,.01 | 8.4-9.4 | 12.5,4 | 28kp | ppm | 43 |  | 10 kw |
| WJ218 | gen,cw | 2-4 | 7.25 .5 | 265 | ppm |  |  | 2mw |

PARAMETRIC AMPLIFIERS

| Typ* | Description Application | Frequency (kme) | $\begin{aligned} & 8 \text { and- } \\ & \text { widdh } \end{aligned}$ | Gain <br> (db) | Pump Freq (kme) | Pump <br> Power <br> (mw) | Noise Fig. (db) | Power Output |
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| KEARFOTT DIV.. General Precision, Inc, Oxnard St, Van Nuys, Cait. <br> $\begin{array}{lllll}\text { ampl } & .8-1.2 & 10 & 3.5 & 150\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| MOTOROLA, <br> SPAO! <br> LPAO1 <br> LPA02 | Scottsdale, Ariz ampl ampl ampl | $2.48-2.52$ $.18-.27$ $.4-.46$ | 70 mc <br> 1.5 mc <br> 3 mc | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 16 \\ & 13 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.3-11.7 \\ & 1.2-1.6 \\ & 1.4-1.55 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 150 \\ & \stackrel{1}{1.5} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 1.5 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $\begin{array}{llllllllll}\text { NIPPON ELECTRIC CO., LTD., Tokyo, Japan } \\ \text { RPO-2G-2A } & \text { ampl } & 1.7-1.85 & 12 m \mathrm{c} & 17 & 7.85-8 & 80 & 3 & \text { 3dbm }\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { RADIO CORE } \\ & \$ \$ 500 \\ & \$ \$ 100 \mathrm{~V} 1 \end{aligned}$ | PORATION O t-d ampl ampl | $\begin{aligned} & \text { F AMERIC/ } \\ & 1.275-1.325 \\ & 2.19-2.21 \end{aligned}$ | A, Elec 50 mc <br> 20 mc | $\begin{aligned} & \text { n Tube } \\ & 15 \\ & 17 \end{aligned}$ | Div., H de 3 | son, N.J. 10 ma 400 | $\begin{aligned} & 6 \\ & 6 \end{aligned}$ | Odbm <br> $-20 \mathrm{dbm}$ |
| RAYTHEON PKDe-1 PNS-1 | CO., Microwave ampl ampl | and Power Tu 13.5 <br> 2.7-2.9 | De Div. 10 mc <br> 20 mc | 20 20 17 | and Ave., 27 <br> $x$-band | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Itham 54, } \\ & 50 \\ & 50 \end{aligned}$ | ss. <br> 2.5 <br> 2.5 |  |
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# Sperry extends 30-day delivery to cover ECM and augmenter TWT's operating in $L, S$, and $X$ bands 

In a dramatic extension of its capability for delivering high-performance microwave tubes on short notice, Sperry Electronic Tube Division has added three system-proved traveling wave tubes to the list of those available in 30 days. Included in the move are tubes operating in $L, S$, and $X$ bands. They cover a frequency range 1.1 to 11.0 kMc .

## APPLICATION FLEXIBILITY

The tubes in this series are particularly suited to application in augmenters and ECM equipment. The inherent broadband characteristic and unusual ruggedness of these PPM focused tubes makes them unusually versatile in airborne applications. A full course of MIL and environment tests, as well as considerable in-sys-


A typical saturated power versus frequency curve for an $L$ band Sperry TWT.
tem experience have verified these characteristics.

## INCREASED POWER POSSIBLE

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Drive characteristics at mid-band for a typical Sperry ECM/augmenter TWT.
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For FREE technical information on these Sperry Traveling Wave Tubes, write to Section 403, Sperry Electronic Tube Division, Gainesville, Florida.

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## New

## Products

## BROADBAND FEED

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Permanent magnet unit has planetary gear reducer and de rate tachometer.


The unit can be used in a transistorized servo system and is capable of producing torques in excess of 100 in . lbs. through a speed range of at least 1 RPM to 15 RPM. Feedback is 8 vde/ 1000 RPM . The gear reducer has all bearings of the anti-friction type. The rate tachometer provides feedback information to permit control wide speed ranges. Globe Industries, Inc., 1784 Stanley Ave., Dayton 4, Ohio.

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## Products

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| BVCBOt AND BVCES | $i_{C}=-50 \mu \mathrm{a}$ | $40 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ | $40 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ | $60 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ | $60 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ |
| BVEBO | $\mathrm{I}_{C}=0, I_{E}=-100 \mu \mathrm{a}$ | $2 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ | $2 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ | $2 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ | $2 \vee \mathrm{~min}$ |
| $\overline{h_{\text {FE }}}$ | $\mathrm{V}_{C E}=-6 \mathrm{~V}^{\text {I }} \mathrm{C}=-2 \mathrm{ma}$ | 40 min | 60 min | 40 min | 60 min |
| $\mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{fe}}(\mathrm{at} 1 \mathrm{kc})$ | $V_{C E}=-6 v_{\text {, }} \mathrm{I}_{E}=-2 \mathrm{ma}$ | 40 min | 60 min | 40 min | 60 min |
| ${ }_{4}$ | $V_{C E}=-9 V_{,} I_{E}=-1.5 \mathrm{ma}$ | 60 mc min | 102 mc min | 60 mc min | 102 mc min |
| ICBO | $V_{C B}=-12 V_{\text {, }} \mathrm{I}_{E}=0$ | $3 \mu \mathrm{a}$ max | $3 \mu \mathrm{a}$ max | $3 \mu \mathrm{a}$ max | 3 нa max |
| $\mathrm{C}_{\text {CB }}(\mathrm{at} 1 \mathrm{mc}$ ) | $V_{C B}=-\left.9 v_{\text {, }}\right\|_{E}=1.5 \mathrm{ma}$ | 2.5 pi max | 2.5 pf max | 2.5 pf max | 2.5 pf max |
| Noise Figures§ (at l mc) | $\mathrm{V}_{\text {CE }}=-5 \mathrm{~V}, \mathrm{I}_{E}=0.5 \mathrm{ma}$ | 1.5 db typ | 1.5 db typ | 1.5 db typ | 1.5 db typ |
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Freeman F. Desmond - appointed Eastern Region Sales Manager, Times Wire and Cable Co., Inc., Wallingford, Conn.

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Harold W. Kaye-named Technical Assistant to the Vice President and General Manager, Adler Electronics, Inc., New Rochelle, N. Y.

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The Behavior of Short Linear Aerials on Varying the Distribution of Current, G. D'Auria and F. Todero. "Alta Frea." July 1961. 15 pp . The behavior of short linear aerials is studied by varying the distribution of current by means of loads on top of the aerials. (Italy, in English.)

An Installation to Investigate Directional Properties of an Antenna. V. D. Kuznetzov, V. K. Paramonoff. "Radiotek"' 16, No. 8, 1961. 8 pp . A simple installation is described, which can be used to investigate operationally directional diagrams of an antenna, observing them on a cathode ray tube screen, a recording screen or a photographic screen. (U.S.S.R.)

The Operation of Cage Antennas for VORStations, H. Brunswig. "Nach. Z." August 1961. 8 pp . The operation of cage antennas is explained. The cage is treated as a system of linked parallel wire lines which are interconnected by a plate thus forming the radiator. (Germany.)

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# Tele-Tech's ELECTRONIC OPERATIONS 

## SYSTEMS—WISE . . .

- TVA is having two digital computers installed to control its Paradise Station Units 1 and 2 near Drakesboro, Ky. The computers, manufactured by TRW Computer Co., div. Thompson Ramo Wooldridge Inc., will automatically control the turbine generators, sequence monitor the steam generators, and will sequence cold start, hot restart, normal shutdown, or emergency shatdown of the units. The system is built around the RW-300 Digital Control Computer.


## HELICOPTER DEFENSE SYSTEM



In field training with U. S. Marines at Twentynine Palms, Calif., is America's first helicopter-transported air defense control system. The system provides ground troops with air defense by coordinating the firing of Hawk and Terrier guided missile batteries for the destruction of enemy supersonic aircraft. Developed by Hughes Aircraft Company's ground systems group, Fullerton, Calif., each system is installed in five plastic and aluminum shelters called "helihuts." Above, a helihut, transported as far as it can go by truck, is carried skyward by a Marine helicopter for movement to mountainous ground.

- New programming aid which minimizes time and effort needed to convert punched card machine operations to the solid-state IBM 1401 computer has been announced by IBM. The FARGO system compiles 1401 programs in less than 30 sec. for the automatic preparation of business reports. FARGO (Fourteen-O-One Automatic Report Generating Operation) is a "load and go" programming system.
- Dial-o-verter Systems which transmit data over regular telephone lines at speeds up to 1,500 words per minute, will have been installed in 17 cities from coast to coast by the end of the year, according to an announcement made today by the Digitronics Corporation. Dial-o-verter Systems have already been transmitting data, complete with verification, at a speed of 1,000 words per minute, utilizing punched paper tape equipment. New installations to be made shortly will include magnetic tape terminals, which will increase the speed of transmission to 1,500 words per minute. Installations which have been functioning for several months indicate a probable error occurrence in less than 2 out of 100 blocks. However, the Dial-o-verter System automatically detects and corrects all errors, resulting in error-free receipt of data.
- Brookhaven National Laboratory has ordered a digital data logging system built by Datex Corp., Monrovia, Calif., that will record data from experimental atomic energy research and warn of improper operation of equipment. The system will monitor all active input information, warn of any input point outside of preset limits and periodically record all input information.
- TRW Computers Company, a division of Thompson Ramo Wooldridge Inc., has installed an RW-300 computer control system at the Tulsa refinery of DX Sunray Oil Company to perform on-line, closed-loop control of a new 85,000 barrel-per-day crude oil distillation unit. The new distillation unit replaces five older crude units that had a capacity of 75,000 barrels-per-day, it is the first major refinery unit to incorporate a computer control system in its original design. The RW-300 provides continuous and automatic control of the huge process-scanning 191 process instruments and adjusting 30 controller setpoints to maintain optimum efficiency. Such variables as temperatures, pressures, flow rates, and stream compositions are checked every 10 minutes and their readings are compared with predetermined limits stored in the computer's memory. Using this instrument data and a mathematical model of the process, the RW-300 exercises direct control over the distillation unit by automatically adjusting the appropriate controller setpoints.
The General Electric Comp. has been awarded a $\$ 6$ million contract to expand the facilities of the Southern Railway System. The new contract will double the Southerns use of the electronic communication system. The microwave network will be installed between Ohio; Atlanta, Ga.; and Birmingham, Ala.

The equipment will be battery operated, contributing to greater reliability as it will not be subject to transmission 'hits' associated with commercial power lines. These microwave installations replace telephone lines, and increase reliability as they are not vulnerable to snow and ice, and other bad weather.

## SOLVING TIME AND DISTANCE PROBLEMS

A high-speed IBM Tele-processing system linking computer centers in Manhattan and Poughkeepsie, N. Y., was introduced by IBM and the New York Telephone Co. Here Warren C. Hume (holding magnetic tape reel), president of IBM's Data Processing Division, and Walter $A$. Giles, vice president of the New York Telephone Company, examine a model of a microwave tower similar to that used in the 68 air-mile transmission. Data is sent between the two IBM computer centers - in either direction or both ways at once - at a speed of 15,000 characters per second. This is more than 1,000 times as fast as human speech.


ASTANDING wave on a transmission line results from the combination of an incident and reflected electromagnetic wave. A portion of the incident wave is reflected whenever there is an electrical discontinuity, such as a dielectric bead or a change in dimensions, in the transmission line. A reflection also occurs if the line is terminated by a load that does not match the characteristic impedance of the line. Total reflected wave obtained is usually some combination of the load reflection and the small reflections resulting from the discontinuities in the line. The problem in most measurements is to accurately determine the reflections due to the load alone.

Standing wave measurements are often made by sampling the electric field along a transmission line. VSWR (voltage standing wave ratio) is taken as the ratio of the maximum to minimum voltage across the line.

Ratio of the reflected to incident wave is related to VSWR in the following manner:

$$
\left[\frac{V r}{V i}\right]=\frac{V S W R-1}{V S W R+1}
$$

It is necessary to connect the equipment or component under test to some measuring instrument when VSWR is to be measured. Thus a junction of two transmission lines is formed. At each junction or connection in a transmission line, a reflection is set up as there can never be a perfect lineup of two mating surfaces. In a wave guide system this problem can be reduced to negligible proportions. Inside dimensions of waveguide can be milled, ground or extruded to exacting dimensions, and the two flange mating surfaces can easily be made flat and perpendicular to the inside dimensions of each waveguide. Furthermore, there is no need for supports to be placed within the transmission medium since there is no inner conductor. A good example of a low reflection waveguide component is a precision milled slotted section body. Mating of two such components produces a maximum VSWR of less than 1.01 to 1 in $X$ band. With coaxial lines, however, the connection is usually made by joining some standard connector on one line to a mating connector on the other line. These connectors re-

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## Measurement of

quire beads for support of the inner conductor and spring fingers, to provide contact between the inner and outer conductors on each connector. Buildups of tolerances permit only one of the conductor pairs to make a butt contact. The bead and the contact fingers at the junction between the measuring instrument and the test piece set up small reflections which combine with the reflection from the load, and create a serious problem in the measurement and ability to define coaxial line VSWR.

Types of Coaxial Line
Coaxial line can take many forms. Most common are rigid air line and solid dielectric cable.

In addition to the rigid air lines and solid dielectric cables there is a line that has an inner conductor positioned by six hollow dielectric tubes which are placed between the inner and outer conductors.

## Table One

Rigid Air Lines

| I.D. <br> (lnches) | O.D. <br> (Inches) | DESIGNATION <br> (Inches) | $Z_{0}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.125 | 0.285 | $3 / 8$ | 49.4 |
| 0.375 | 0.811 | $7 / 8$ | 46.3 |
| 0.341 | 0.785 | $7 / 8$ | 50.0 |
| 0.664 | 1.527 | $15 / 8$ | 50.0 |
| 1.315 | 3.027 | $31 / 8$ | 50.0 |
| 1.711 | 5.981 | $61 / 8$ | 75.2 |
| 2.600 | 5.981 | $61 / 8$ | 50.0 |

The resulting structure, called Spir-o-line, combines some of the features of rigid air line and cable. It is flexible, has a lower attenuation than an equivalent solid dielectric cable, and a higher power rating than an equivalent air line. Spir-o-line is manufactured as a 50 ohm cable in $3 / 8,1 / 2,7 / 8,15 / 8$ and $31 / 8$ inch sizes.

## Connectors and Adapters

## Type $N$

Type N is the most frequently used coaxial line connector. It is a matched 50 ohm general purpose connector for small and medium size r-f cables, and is completely gasketed for weatherproof operation.

Curves showing the VSWR of several different mating pairs of connectors are shown in Fig. 2. These curves were obtained with a rigid 50 ohm air line attached to the input and output of the connector pair. Thus the results do not include the effects of any cable connection. Relatively low values of VSWR that occur for the mated pairs UG-21 A/U-UG-23 $\mathrm{A} / \mathrm{U}$ and UG-21 B/U-UG-23 B/U from $7-10 \mathrm{kMC}$ result from the fact that the reflection of one connectorhalf cancels the reflection of the other. If one of these connectorhalves is not connected with the proper mating half, a reflection

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## VSWR in Coaxial Systems

What are the different methods of defining and measuring coaxial VSWR?
This article provides a simplified explanation.
It lists the accuracy obtainable with presently available equipment
and also brings to light the lack of standardization still present
in the measurement and specification of coaxial VSWR.
cancellation will no longer occur and the VSWR will be higher than shown. Connector-halves of the D/U types are not dependent on this cancellation to any significant degree. Curves of VSWR for the connector pairs going from rigid line to $\mathrm{RG}-5 / \mathrm{U}, \mathrm{RG}-9 / \mathrm{U}$ and $\mathrm{RG}-$ $14 / \mathrm{U}$ cable are shown in Fig. 2. The corresponding cable connectors that were used were the UG-18 C/U, UG-21 D/U, and UG-204 C/U.

## Tupe $C$

Type C connectors were primarily designed for medium size cables such as RG-5/U, RG-7/U, etc. They have a bayonet-lock coupling which permits fast connection and disconnection. Standard design of
connectors has a peak voltage rating of 1000 volts, although several types with a 5000 volt rating are available. Rigid line to cable VSWR for a RG-5/U cable with a Type C UG-626 A/U connector, an RG$9 / \mathrm{U}$ cable with a Type C UG573/U adapter, and an RG-17/U cable with Type C UG-708/U adapter are shown in Fig. 3.

## BNC

BNC connectors were designed for small flexible cable such as RG-55/U and RG-58/U. They are small in size and have bayonetlock coupling for fast connect-disconnect. All have a nominal voltage rating of 500 volts peak, and are gasketed for weatherproof op-
eration. Rigid line to cable VSWR with a BNC UG-88 C/U and a UG$89 \mathrm{~B} / \mathrm{U}$ as mating connectors is shown in Fig. 4.

## Type HN

The HN connectors are high voltage ( 5000 volts peak) weatherproof connectors designed for use with medium sized cables. The high voltage design was based on increased leakage paths obtained by overlapping plug and jack dielectric beads, overlapping cable and connector dielectrics, and elimination of air pockets at dielectric interfaces through the use of Dow Corning No. 4 silicone grease. Maintenance of long leakage paths introduces impedance mismatches

Fig. 1. Curves showing the VSWR of several different mating pairs of type $N$ connectors were obtained with a rigid 50 ohm air line attached to the input and output of the connector pair.


Fig. 2. Measured VSWR of type $N$ cable connectors for connector pairs going from rigid line to RG-5/U, RG-9/U and RG-14/U cable.


Fig. 3. Measured VSWR of type $C$ cable connectors for connector pairs going from rigid line to RG-5/U, RG-9/U and RG-14/U cable.



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Fig. 4. Curve of rigid line to cable VSWR with BNC cable connectors.


Fig. 5. Curve for rigid line to rigid line VSWR of the HN connector.

## Measurement of VSWR (Continued)

which limit the upper frequency to about 4 kmc . A curve for rigid line to rigid line VSWR of the HN connector is given in Fig. 5.

## Type LC and LT'

LC and LT connectors are electrically similar, are weatherproof, and may be used in exposed locations. LC connectors were designed for large r-f cables such as RG$17 / \mathrm{U}$ and $\mathrm{RG}-19 / \mathrm{U}$ while the LT connectors were designed for the high temperature cables RG-117/U and RG-118/U.

## Type UHF

UHF connectors are general purpose connectors for small and medium sized cables. They are not
number in a box common to two connector types is the adapter used to connect them together. Any number other than an RG number is an IPC designation.

## Philosophy

From a practical point of view, the engineer is usually interested in obtaining VSWR data that will describe the performance of a component as it is to be used. He wants the measured VSWR to include the effects of any mating connector pairs since such mating pairs must be used if the component is to be connected to anything. VSWR information that is given may be measured with a

The third is just to neglect the connector VSWR, and state the VSWR of the component when measured in air-line. Unfortunately the designers of components rarely state which of the three methods has been used as a basis for the data and measurement of the component.

Philosophy for the first method is that the use of standard connectors is universal, and that VSWR of a component should be measured and stated as it is to be used in the field where it is mated with a perfect standard connector. Thus the user can always duplicate the measurement made by the manufacturers, and predict the actual VSWR of the component when it is placed in his system. It is usual for the VSWR specified by the manufacturer that uses this

| POWER |
| :---: |
| IN |
| SLOTTED <br> SECTION <br> $\# 1$ |

Fig. 6. Two slotted section method for measuring VSWR of a connector pair.


Fig. 7. Frequency variation method for measuring VSWR of a connector pair.
matched in impedance and therefore are not recommended for use above 200 Mc . Maximum operating voltage is 500 volts peak.

## Miniature Connectors

Miniature connectors have not as yet been standardized and given military designations. Different types are available from the different connector manufacturing companies such as Industrial Products Co., Automatic Metal Products Co., Amphenol Electronics Co., and Microdot, Inc.

## Adapters

There are many adapters that have been designed to permit the joining of one type of connector to another. Common types of straight adapters that are in use are best presented by Table 3. The
standard connector pair, or without any connector pair.

The design of coaxial components cannot neglect the problem of connector reflection. Residual VSWR of connector is moderately high at microwave frequencies and constitutes a major difficulty if the design is to work over a wide frequency range.

There are three common methods of measuring and specifying low VSWR coaxial components. One makes use of standard coaxial connector parts. It constructs the remainder of the components to provide cancellation of the reflections from the connectors at the frequencies of highest individual VSWR of each. Another makes use of special non-standard connectors. These contain special beads and usually require the use of a special mating connector for low VSWR.
method to be higher than that of the manufacturer adhering to either of the other two philosophies.

Philosophy behind the other two methods is simple: Do not penalize the component because of the connector deficiency. Thus one group of manufacturers redesigns the connector making it special, and the other just neglects the connector entirely. The user cannot predict the VSWR of components made by manufacturers adhering to these philosophies. When placed in the user's system the VSWR of the component may be higher or lower than that specified. The federal government usually alleviates this problem by specifying that all connectors must meet MIL-C-71; the specifications for standard connectors.
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## Measurement of VSWR (Continued)

## Measurement of VSWR

VSWR information most commonly required is input VSWR of a one-port and the insertion VSWR of a two-port. These are usually measured through a rigid line to rigid line connector pair or a rigid line to cable connector pair.

At lower frequencies, where the connectors cause negligible effect, a slotted section or impedance bridge will measure the one-port input VSWR or two-port insertion VSWR with little error due to the connectors. At the higher frequencies the same measurement procedure is often used and the resulting total

VSWR due to the component and its connectors is measured.

When VSWR of the one-port less its connectors is required, several methods are useful. In the first method the beads are eliminated and the unknown is connected directly onto the unbeaded output end of a slotted section. Special effort is made to ensure the butting of both inner and outer connectors. PRD Type 205A, N231, and 200 series of slotted sections make provision for this measurement. There is no bead at their output connector and the center conductor is cantilevered from the input connector bead. When the load is connected,

Table Two
Common Solid Dielectric 50 Ohm Cables \& Connectors

| Cable | Connector Type | Plug | Jack | Remarks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RG-5/U | N <br> C | $\begin{aligned} & \text { UG-18 B/U, UG-18 C/U } \\ & \text { UG-626 ANU } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { UG-20 B/U, UG-20 C/U } \\ & \text { UG-630/U } \end{aligned}$ | Small microwove cable; double braid |
| RG-9 A/U | N <br> C <br> HN <br> UHF | UG-21 B/U, UG-21 C/U UG-21 D/U <br> UG-628 A/U, UG-942 A/U UG-59 A U, UG $59 \mathrm{C} / \mathrm{U}$ UG-59 B/U, UG-59 D/U PL259 A, NT-49195 PL259, NT-49190 | UG-23 B'/U, UG-23 C/U, UG-23 D/U <br> UG-570/U UG-632/U UG-60 C/U, UG-60 B/U, UG-60 A/U, UG-60 D/U | Medium size circuit cable with high attenuation stability; double braid |
| RG-17/U | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{N} \\ \mathrm{C} \\ \mathrm{HN} \\ \mathrm{LC} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { UG-167/U, UG-167 A/U } \\ & \text { UG-167 B/U } \\ & \text { UG-167 C/U } \\ & \text { UG-167 D/U } \\ & \text { UG-708 A/U } \\ & \text { UG-495 A/U } \\ & \text { UG-154/U } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 14850 \text { (IPC\#) } \\ & \text { UG-333 AVU, } \\ & \text { UG-333 B/U } \\ & \text { NT-49579 } \end{aligned}$ | Large high power, low àttenuation transmission cable; single braid |
| RG-58/U | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{N} \\ \mathrm{BNC} \\ \text { TNC } \\ \mathrm{C} \\ \mathrm{BN} \\ \mathrm{HN} \\ \mathrm{MB} \end{gathered}$ | UG-536/U, UG-536 A/U <br> UG-8 B/U, UG $88 \mathrm{~B} / \mathrm{U}$, UG-88 A/U, UG-88 C/U 79875 (IPC\#) <br> UG-709 A/U <br> UG-245/U <br> 16750 (IPC\#) <br> 45525, 49200, <br> 61400 (IPCH) | $\begin{aligned} & 35025 \text { (IPC\#) } \\ & \text { UG-89/U, UG-89 A/U } \\ & \text { UG-89 B/U } \\ & 79450 \text { (IPC\#) } \\ & \text { UG-704/U } \\ & 18325 \text { (IPC\#) } \\ & 45575,48025,48175 \\ & 49225 \text { (IPC\#) } \end{aligned}$ | General purpose small size flexible cable; small braid |
| RG-117/U | N <br> IT <br> HN <br> C | 90400 (IPC\#) <br> UG-532/U <br> UG-926 A/U <br> UG-711 A/U | 82-117 (Amphenol) <br> 51325 (IPC\#) | Semiflexible cable, for $-55^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $250^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, single braid |
| RG-196 | ( 1 PC ) Sub <br> (Amphe <br> Microd <br> Automa <br> Meral | ubminax 27-30, 27-34 <br> nol) MM 58300, 58425 <br> 32-55 <br> 32-21, 32-23 <br> ic <br> Prod. RF-3621 | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 27-31,27-35 \\ & 54200 \text { (IPCH) } \\ & 31-34,31-53 \end{aligned}\right.$ <br> RF-3650 | Miniature cable, can be used to $200^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |

the joined center conductor is supported by the slotted section input bead at one end and the unknown at the other end. Such a situation would arise, for example, when trying to measure the VSWR of an internal load for a coaxial directional coupler or a hybrid.

In the second method, the one port is connected to the slotted section by use of standard connectors. The remainder of the one port is made to slide longitudinally in the line. It is then moved until a maximum VSWR and then a minimum VSWR are obtained in the slotted section. Maximum VSWR is then the product of the VSWR's due to the component and the connector pair, and the minimum VSWR is their quotient.

From this information, and the knowledge of the shift of minimum position in the slotted section for maximum and minimum VSWR, it is possible to calculate the VSWR of the component. If the position of


Fig. 9. Rotary Standing Wave Indicator shown is designed to cover range from 20 MC to 2 KMC with a residual VSWR of 1.03 or better.
the minimum shifts by one quarter wavelength from the maximum VSWR case to the minimum VSWR case, the VSWR of the component is greater than that of the connector pair.

Formulas for this calculation are: For one quarter wave minimum shift

$$
\begin{gathered}
r_{c}=\sqrt{r_{\max } r_{\min }} \\
r_{p}=\sqrt{\frac{r_{\max }}{r_{\mathrm{min}}}}
\end{gathered}
$$

For no minimum shift
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News Letter

GENERAL ELECTRIC WITHDRAWS-The General Electric Co. has withdrawn its application to enter the satellite communications field through its spe-cially-formed subsidiary, Communications Satellites, Inc. GE decided not to divert its resources in the carrier communications field but to concentrate on its "traditional role" as a manufacturer of space vehicles and allied equipment. The GE decision won praise from FCC Chairman Minow for the company's contributions of "scientific, technical, and other information in the fields of space technology and satellite communications." The FCC Chairman expressed the hope that the Commission "will continue to have General Electric's active participation in these matters in order that the important questions involved may be resolved expeditiously and wisely."

TV PROPOSAL—FCC Commissioner Robert E. Lee has proposed withdrawal of VHF televison channels in eight more areas of the country as well as speedy conversion to an all-UHF television system if the New York City tests prove the feasibility of such operations. The proposal would provide a plan to
make available added frequency space for both the Bell System's program for a nationwide, broadband common carrier mobile radiotelephone network and for a variety of public safety, industrial, and land transportation mobile radio systems. The tentative Lee proposal for deriving 34 land mobile frequency channels in the eight areas has not yet gained adoption by the FCC, but is considered a precedent for future relief for the land mobile services.

SPACE ALLOCATIONS-The special CCIR study group of the ITU to be held in Washington next spring to consider the allocation of frequencies for space communication and other space purposes will precede the International Radio Conference scheduled to be held in 1963. ITU Secretary General Gross has stated that many of the attending countries with considerable influence on the ultimate results will not have an immediate requirement for frequencies for their own space activities. But, he stressed, they will have an interest in accommodating space needs on a basis that will not prevent the use of the same frequencies for ground or earth microwave purposes. Many of them will be concerned as to whether the large countries such as the United States and the Soviet Union use the lower microwave frequencies to cause significant interference with their own ground services.

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$r_{p}=\sqrt{r_{\max } r_{\text {min }}}$
where $r_{c}=$ VSWR of component ess connector pair
$r_{p}=$ VSWR of commector pair
$r_{\max }=$ Maximum VSWR produced by sliding component
$r_{\text {min }}=$ Minimum VSWR produced by sliding component
A third method uses graphical analysis to obtain the reflection coefficient of a load as seen through a junction. The procedure was originally outlined by Deschamps and is described in the literature. ${ }^{1,2}$

In many cases, the important data is that of the VSWR of the connector pair between rigid lines. To obtain this data, a sliding load of moderate VSWR is connected behind the connector pair. The above formulas are also applicable to this case.

The sliding load may be replaced by a sliding short that has its travel accurately calibrated. Graphical analysis can again be used to obtain the insertion VSWR of the connector pair "two port."

Still another method of measuring a connector pair between rigid air lines is the two slotted section method (Fig. 6). The procedure is to adjust the tuner until a match is seen with slotted section \#2. Slotted section \#1 then measures the connector pair VSWR.

It is more difficult to measure the insertion VSWR of a connector pair that connects a rigid line to a cable. Two methods that can be used are a frequency variation method (Fig. 7) and a sliding short method (Fig. 8).

The frequency variation method can be used to measure both $r_{1}$ and $r_{2}$ and thus determine the rigid line to cable VSWR for two connector pairs simultaneously. Actually, the method is more general and $r_{1}$ and $r_{2}$ can represent coaxial to strip line transitions or $r_{2}$ can be some termination whose (Continued on page 222)
${ }^{1} \mathrm{~J} . \mathrm{E}$. Storer, L. S. Sheirgold, and S . Stein, "A Simple Graphical Analysis of a Two Port Waveguide Junction,'
ings of the $1 R E$ A August 1953 . ${ }^{2}$ 'S. Hopfer, "Precision Measurements 2, No. 3, October 1953, PRD Electronics,


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## Measurement of VSWR (Continued)

VSWR is desired. The line should have an electrical length greater than 50 times the length of the connector pair, and an attenuation less than 3 db . The procedure is to vary the frequency in steps and record the VSWR and minimum position for slotted section 1 with a match maintained in slotted section 2. Sufficient variation in frequency is used to establish a maximum VSWR value $r_{\text {max }}$ and a minimum VSWR value $r_{\text {min }}$.

If the positions of the minimum for both maximum and minimum VSWR's are the same, then the VSWR of the connector pair at slotted section 1 is

$$
r_{1}=\sqrt{r_{\max } r_{\mathrm{min}}}
$$

VSWR value for the connector pair at slotted section 2 modified by the attenuation of the cable is

$$
r_{2}^{\prime}=\sqrt{\frac{r_{\max }}{r_{\mathrm{min}}}}
$$

The actual value of $r_{2}$ is obtained from

$$
r_{2}=\frac{r_{2}^{\prime}(1+A)-(1-A)}{(1+A)-r_{2}^{\prime}(1-A)}
$$

Where

$$
A=\log _{10}-1\left(\frac{\text { Cable attenuation in } \mathrm{db}}{10}\right)
$$

If the positions of the minimums are $\frac{\lambda}{4}$ apart, then

$$
\begin{gathered}
r_{1}=\sqrt{\frac{r_{\text {max }}}{r_{\mathrm{min}}}} \\
r_{2}^{\prime}=\sqrt{r_{\mathrm{max}} r_{\mathrm{min}}}
\end{gathered}
$$

An assumption made in this measurement is that the phase and mag-

Fig. 10. Set-up for the measurement of VSWR by a ratio method.

nitude of the reflections of both connector pairs do not change for the small variation of frequency. The only change is in the phase from the reflection at slotted section 2 as seen at slotted section 1 through the long length of cable.

Block diagram for the sliding short method is shown in Fig. 8. Impedance at the end of the cable near the short is purely reactive and the reflection factor has a magnitude of unity and a variable phase that depends on the position of the short. The reflection factor at the other cable end has a variable phase and a magnitude of less than unity because of the attenuation in the cable which should be between 1 and 10 db . Position of the short is varied until a maximum VSWR, $r_{\text {max }}$, is measured and the position of the minimum recorded. The short is again varied until a minimum VSWR, $r_{m i n}$, is measured and the position of the minimum noted. If the minimum positions correspond, the rigid line to cable VSWR of the connector pair at the slotted section is

$$
r=\sqrt{\frac{r_{\max }}{r_{\mathrm{min}}}}
$$

If the positions of the minima are a quarter wavelength apart,

$$
r=\sqrt{r_{\max } r_{\text {min }}}
$$

## Measurement Equipment

The most common method of measuring VSWR in a coaxial line is by use of a slotted section and a standing wave amplifier. Residual ViSWR's available when using the slotted sections are usually 1.04 or better. The inaccuracy is usually due to reflections from the bead and irregularity in probe travel.

Commercial slotted sections are available to cover a range of frequencies from 50 mc to 12 kmc . Required length of probe travel is at least one-half wavelength at the lowest operating frequency. This ensures proper operation since the maximum or minimum position may fall in the center of the slotted section. Conventional slotted sections are large and cumbersome at low frequencies. For example, the
(Continued on page 235)

Table Three
Straight Adapters

|  | BNC MALE | BNC FEMALE | $\stackrel{N}{\text { MALE }}$ | FEMALE | $\stackrel{\mathrm{C}}{\text { MALE }}$ | FEMALE | UHF MALE | UHF FEMALE | $\stackrel{L C}{\text { MALE }}$ | LC FEMALE | $\underset{\text { MALE }}{\text { HN }}$ | HN FEMALE |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| BNC MALE | UG-914/U |  | 21850 | UGG-201/U | 84125 | UG-636/U |  | UG-273/U |  |  | 35050 |  |
| BNC FEMALE |  | UG-491/U | UG-349/U | UG-1034/U | UG-636/U |  | UG-255/U |  |  |  | 32750 |  |
| N FEMALE | UG-201/U | UG-1034/U |  | UG-57B/U | UG-564/U |  | UG-146/U | $\begin{aligned} & \text { UG-83A/U } \\ & \text { UG-318/U } \end{aligned}$ | UG-27I/U |  |  |  |
| C MALE | 84125 | UG-636/U |  | UG-564/U | UG-643/U |  |  | UG-637/U | 82350 |  |  | UG-702/U |
| UHF MÁLE |  | UG-255/U |  | UG-146/U |  |  | UG-299/U |  |  |  | UG.703A/U |  |
| UHF FEMALE | UG-273/U |  | UG-83/U | UG318/U | UG-637/U |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| LC MALE |  |  | UG-270/U |  | 82350 |  |  |  | UG-155/U |  | UG-217/U |  |
| LC female |  |  | 7750 |  |  |  |  |  | UG-215/U |  | G-252 |  |
| HN MALE <br> HN FEMALE | 35050 | 32750 | $\begin{aligned} & 16100 \\ & 16050 \end{aligned}$ | 18075 |  | UG.703A/U |  |  | UG-21ZU | UG-252/U | $11050$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | UG.702/U |  |  |  |  |  |  | 16800 |

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Many small stations with limited budgets need a remote unit which will handle records and provide speakers for the immediate area. A PA unit of about 15 to 20 watts, with a record table on the amplifier, is an inexpensive solution. Most of these amplifiers have a $4-8-16-500$ ohm output. The speakers are connected as usual and the broadcast line is connected to the 500 ohm terminals. A mike input transformer and chassis mike connector to match your broadcast mikes is about all that is needed. We added a VU meter to ours for the convenience of the announcers.

## I. O. Elapsed Time Meter

STEPHEN J. STANLEY, Studio Superv.
WAST, Albany, N. Y.
This is a modification we made in our General Electric 4PC4 and 4PC11 studio and remote cameras. It gives us a check on both flament and plate hours on our image orthicon camera tubes.

There was no problem encountered in installing the elapsed time meters for the filaments. This was done right at the power supplies by shunting the meters across the power switches.

The plate meters presented a slightly more difficult problem since it was desired to have the elapsed time meters at the cameras. We first contemplated changing the $B+$ switch to a multiple pole switch, but this could not be done simply. Finally we found we could get 15 volts at the cathode of the horizontal output tube. The cathode resistor was a 5 watt, 100 ohm resistor by-passed by a 20 mfd .450 volt electrolytic capacitor. This voltage which, of course, was developed when $B+$ was turned on, was dropped to $6-8$ volts with a $1 / 2$ watt, 2700 ohm resistor. A Potter \& Brumfield, Type RS5D, SPDT relay with a 6 vdc. coil was energized with this voltage, and the contacts were used to complete a 117 vac voltage across the elapsed time meter in the camera. The elapsed time meters used were Haydon Model ED71-001, and both meters and relays were mounted in the front of the cameras just under the r-f power supplies.

Circuitry used to determine plate hours on image orthicons.


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## Summer Communications Program To Be Expanded

University of Colorado's department of electrical engineering will direct a regional communications engineering training center for 10 Bell System telephone companies and the Long Lines Dept. of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. beginning next August. The course will be financed by the participating companies.

The University has conducted a Communications Engineering School for Mountain States Telephone Co. engineers during each of the last two summers.

Purpose of the school is to update and refresh the academic background and proficiency of practicing communications engineers. The 20 week course will be taught by full-time faculty members of the U. of C. electrical engineering department. Approximately 50 engineers will participate in each of the two sessions scheduled during 1962.

## G. E. Graduate Awards

General Electric Co. has announced a new fellowship program and continuation of the honor program for University of Arizona electrical engineering graduate students.
G.E.'s engineering section in Phoenix will sponsor two masterdegree candidates at the university for the 1961-1962 year. The candidates will receive $\$ 2,500$ plus tuition and fees for M.S. work in one of the engineering sciences related to computer engineering. "This might involve information processing, logic design, transistor circuit design, work in special computer devices, or studies in the field of mechanical engineering directly related to the peripheral equipment problems," said C. C. Lasher, general manager of the Phoenix plant.

## Graduate Studies Mandatory For Many Due To Recent Technological Advances

In July the national organization, Engineers Joint Council, said that freshman engineering enrollments had suffered a serious dip, starting in 1958. Since that time, they have declined 14 per cent.

However, at Newark College of Engineering another largest-in-history freshman class has been enrolled this fall. Freshman number 586 as compared to 499 last year. Total enrollment in the undergraduate day divi-


Walter J. Zable, president and chairman of the board of Cubic Corp., has been presented the annual San Diego Junior Chamber of Commerce Aero-Space Award. He was cited as the San Diegan who made the greatest single contribution to the aero-space industry during the last year.

## Suggestion Award

An award of $\$ 56,000$, believed to be the largest ever made through any employee suggestion program, has been presented to two employees of the IBM plant at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Equally sharing the award were technicians C. G. Glancey and L. R. Livigni for an idea which resulted in eliminating 14 printed circuit cards from a magnetic tape unit produced by IBM. The cards are used to package solid state transistors and other computer components. sion is also up, having reached 1,776 . Last year's total was 1,610 .

NCE's graduate division reported a similar upward swing. Chairman Irving P. Orens stated that a total of 726 students compared to last year's 650 are now enrolled in doctoral and master's programs.

Considering NCE's big graduate enrollment, Dr. Orens said he believed "the impact of recent advances in science and engineering, plus the acceleration of research in industry, defense and education, have made both doctoral and master's studies mandatory for many."

He said the world situation has intensified the need for qualified scholars, urging "young men and women into the frontiers of knowledge where they must transmit consequent advances to laboratories and classrooms."

## Four to Share Scholarship

Four University of Colorado engineering students will share the $\$ 1,000$ Boeing Aircraft Co. scholarship for 1961-62. The grant is made to students in engineering physics, applied mathematics, or aeronautical, electrical, mechanical, or civil engineering.

The four students are Robert Miller, Colorado Springs; Peter Teets, Denver; Charles McAfee, Lewis, and David Parkhurst, Webster City, Iowa.

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## NEREM '61-

## Microwave Clearing House

NEREM 61 will be held in Boston, Nov. 14-16, 1961. Technical sessions will be in the Somerset Hotel and the Commonwealth Armory; the latter is also the site of the exhibits.

In recognition of the contributions to electronics made by the citizen of Massachusetts and of the number of electronic scientists and engineers that will be attending NEREM, Massachusetts' Governor John A. Volpe has proclaimed Nov. 12-19, as Electronics Week in Massachusetts.

Over $25 \%$ of the 80 technical papers to be presented will be directly concerned with microwave theory and techniques. Some of these papers are highlighted at the end of this summary.


The show has become so popular that the 420 exhibit booths were sold out within 2 weeks after the initial offering. These exhibits will occupy the entire floor of the huge armory. There will also be operational technical displays designed by the military, including the ADVENT communication satellite project, in special areas.

Among the distinguished guests at the meeting will be John L. Burns, RCA president, whose keynote address on Tuesday, Nov. 14, will be called New Directions in Electronic Research. The banquet speakers on Wednesday, Nov. 15, will be Gov. John A. Volpe and Charles H. Townes, Provost of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

All IRE members attending NEREM 61 will receive, at no additional charge, a letterpress conference report book-the NEREM Record-which will be about 200 pages. It will feature digests of every paper, supplemented by more than 300 key illustrations. Cost of the Record to non-IRE members attending the meeting will be $\$ 2.00$.

## Microwave Features

Since this is the 9th Annual Microwave Issue of Electronic Industries, we thought it fitting to highlight some of the microwave papers which will be presented at NEREM 61. Below is a capsule summary of the ones which we feel have special merit. The number preceding the name of the paper indicate the session and paper number.

## Microwave Highlights of NEREM

3.1: Generntion of Optical Harmonics
P. A. Franken, A. E. Hill
C. W. Peters, G. Weinreich

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.
It has been recently discovered that the extremely intense beams of light provided by optical masers can be used jection through suitablenics upon prophysics of this phenomena waterial. The pussed and recent scribed.
3.2: Further Investigations on Doper Furtier investigations on Dopen
Fandide Optical Maser: Calciumi Fluoride Optical Masers
$P$. Sorokin P. Sorokin
N. Y Y Research Center, Yorktown, This report
This report will discuss the results of spectroscopic studies of $U+3$ ions in calcium fuoride and various types of sites. Additionally, spectroscopic studies of $\operatorname{sm}+2$ in strontium fluoride will cium fluoride. Engineering considerations in techniques related to consoperation will also be covered.
3.3: Some Properties of a Gaseons

Optical Maser
C. F. Luck, R. A. Paananen and Raytheon
The construcon Co., Waltham, Mass.
The construction of a helium neon gaseous optical maser will be described. beam, including the results the output electric mixing experiments, will be discussed.
10.1: Varactor Diodes for Microwave

Applications
K. E. Mortenson

Microwave Associates, Burlington, Mass.
A brief description of varactor microwave applications illustrating the various diode properties required will be presented. From this discussion, diodes made from different materials will made from dile will be compared and evaluated.
*13.1: Linear Beam Devices
T. D. Sege

Sperry Gyroscope Co.
Great Neck, L. I., N. Y
The unique advantages of linear beant devices for the generation of superpower will be reviewed with examples given of achieved and achievable peak and average power as well as "joules per jolt" as a function of frequency.
*13.2: The Cross-Field Approach to Microwave Super-Power
W. C. Brown

Raytheon Company, Burlington
The evolut
on the cross-field device through the stages of the magnetron

The Commonwealth Armory in Boston is again the site of the exhibits.

This, the 15th, Northeast Electronics Research and Engineering Meeting will concentrate heavily on microwavetheory, components, and systems.
Here's a capsule summary of what to look for.

the Amplitron and the new Electromagnetic Ainplifying Lens (EAL) concept will be reviewed, with special emphasis on application to superpower generation. Efficiency anode dissipa tion capability, bandwidth, and pushing characteristics will be discussed.
17.1: Geueration of Coltereut Lisint H. State

Raytheon Co., Waltham, Mass. A discussion will be given of the maser principle and its application to the generation and amplification of coherent electromagnetic radiation in the wavelength region of visible light. In addition, a description of the various solid state optical masers, their relative advantages andial emphasis will be placed on the gaseous maser which can be operated continuously
17.2: Mierowave Modulation of Lipht
by the Electrooptic Effect
I. P. Kaminow

Bell Telephone Laboratories,
Inc., Holmdel, N. J.
An experimental $10-\mathrm{kMc}$ light modula tor will be described and the proper ties of broadband, continuously operat ing electrooptic modulators discussed
17.3: Microwave Phototubes and Light Demodulators
A. E. Siegman Stanford University, Stanford, Sanfo
This paper will discuss ways of receiving and demodulating microwaremodulated light, with emphasis on amplifying microwave phot optical superheterodynes. A frequencyronic nethoight will also be proposed. modulatedngry University experimen recent stastions of a traveling-wave nicrowave phototube and optical supmicrowave phototur andion with a ruby laser, will be reviewed.

## 17.4: Parametric Amplifers-A Status

 ReportZenith Radio Corp., Chicago, 111. Parametric amplifiers, of the diode type as well as the electron beam type, are now in use in many low-noise receivers. This paper will review their present state of development and emphasize the properties in which each type excels. It will also touch on some interesting sidelights, such as the use of purely degenerate operation in phase-lock and radar systems.

Massachusetts' Gov. John A. Volpe (center) hands K. C. Black, NEREM general chairman, the proclamation declaring the week of Nov. 12-19, 1961, Electronics Week In Massachusetts. Witnessing ceremony are Lewis Winner, consultant (left) and Stewart K. Gibson, exhibits manager.

18.3: 'The Hyarogen Maser
D. Kleppne
D. Kleppner $\quad$ University, Cambridge,

Harvard University, Cambridge,
Mass. The hydrogen maser has an inherent frequency precision significantly higher than previously possible with atomic resonance devices. This paper will discuss the behavior of the lyydrogen maser in practice, with emphasis on problems which arise in attempting to utilize its precision and stability.

## 21.1: Semiconductor Microwave Con-

Lrol Devices. Bould, M. Bloom and 12 . Tennenholtz
Microwave Associates, Inc., Burlington, Mass.
The interaction of semiconductor junctions with microwave circuits to provide a new family of microwave control devices will be presented. The devices to be considered will be multi-pole multi-throw switches, duplexers, limiters, phase shifters and voltage variable attenuators and modulators. A general theory for the interaction sented and compared with typical experimental data.
21.2: The Application of Tunnel Diode

Amplifiers
J. J. Sie
Micro State Electronies Corp. Micro State Elect.
Low-noise tunnel-diode amplifiers are applicable to a wide variety of communications and radar systems. It will be shown that different tunnel-diode amplifier characteristics are of importance for different types of system applications.
21.3: Microwave Harmonic Generators Using Varactor Diodes
M. E. Hines

Microwave Associates, Inc., Burlington, Mass
Varactor diodes are finding applications in frequency multiplier circuits for efticient transformation of energy from Thf to uhf to microwave frequencles crystal-controlled stability. Some circuits and their performance will be described.

## 21.4: Superconductins Magmets

S. H. Autler

MIT Lincoln Laboratories, Lexington, Mass.
Recently developed materials have permitted the fabrication of super-conducting solenodis which generate magnetic fields in the $20-30 \mathrm{kilogauss}$ range and give promise of considerably stronger fields. The properties and ap plications of these magnets will be discussed.
*These discussions will be preceded by an introduction including a description of the two fundamental techniques presently available for the generation of superpower Linear-beam and cross-field. The cies: Linear-beam and cross-fid. approaches will be reviewed as a setting for the papers to follow.

## for Engineers

## Parabolic Antennas

Mark Products Co., 5439 W. Fargo Ave., Skokie, Ill., is offering tech. data on their parabolic antennas for point to point relay applications, and a condensed catalog and ordering information for communications antennas and associated cable systems. Outline drawings, photographs, and specs are included.

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## Microwave Components

The Narda Microwave Corp., 118160 Herricks Rd., Mineola, N. Y., has available their catalog which covers waveguide and coaxial attenuators, bolometers, thermistors, directional couplers, ferrite devices, ridge waveguide test equipment, special products and custom engineer devices. Included are photographs, outline drawings, descriptions, typical specs and uses.

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## Microwave Towers

Tower Construction Co., 2700 Hawkeye Dr., Sioux City, Ia., is offering a tech catolog covering microwave towers, reflectors, buildings, and information on erection and maintainance and tower lighting kits.

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## Backward Wave Oscillators

Stewart Engineering Corp., Santa Cruz, Calif., is offering tech data on their backward wave oscillators. Data covers 10 types of BWO's with specs on typical operation, average values, absolute min . and max. values, power output data, physical characteristics, and output connectors. Operating characteristic charts are included for each tube.

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## Microwave Switches

Transco Products, Inc., 12210 Nebraska Ave., Los Angeles 25, Calif., is offering tech. data on microwave switches including motor actuated, solenoid actuated, DPDT, 8 r-f connector types, high and low power. Tech. data available about microwave components.

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## Traveling Wave Tubes

Sylvania Electric Products Inc., sub of General Telephone \& Electronics Corp., 1100 Main St., Buffalo 9, N. Y., is offering a catalog which describes 23 types of TWT's and back-ward-wave oscillators. Catalog lists characteristics and dimensions for PPM and solenoid-focused TWT's operating from 1 gc to 12 gc . Two per-manent-magnet focused BWO's operating from 2 to 4 gc at 100 mw and 18 to 26.5 gc at 30 mw are also included.

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## Microwave Oscillators

Trak Microwave Corp., sub. of Trak Electronics Co., Inc., 5006 N. Coolidge Ave., Tampa 3, Fla., has tech. data available on their miniature series L-band oscillators, SL-band oscillators, S-band oscillators, C-band oscillators, and C-band continuous wave oscillators. Photographs, dimensional drawings, characteristic charts and typical specs are included.

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## Fixed Pad Attenuators

Applied Research, Inc., 76 S. Bayles Ave., Port Washington, N. Y., is offering tech data on fixed pad attenuators, terminations and impedance transformers (min. loss pads) for applications up to 2500 mc .

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## Antenna Phase Systems

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## Microwave Test Units

Polarad Electronics Corp., 43-20 34th St., L.I.C., N. Y. 1, N. Y., will send tech. data on their microwave test equipment which includes signal generators (ultra broadband extended range and extremely high freq.), microwave signal sources, Model CSG electronic sweep generator, and the Model TSA spectrum analyzer, the wide dispersion spectrum analyzer, Model TSA-W, and the multipulse spectrum selector, Model SD-1. Also included is a microwave receiver, calibrated field intensity receiver and meter, microwave test antennas, miniature S-band cavities, band pass filters, klystron power supplies, servo analyzers, coded multi-freeze generators.

## Circle 180 on Inquiry Card

## Cavity Amplifiers

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## Microwave Calorimeter

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## Ferrite Circulators

Microwave Developinent Laboratories, Inc., 15 Strathmore Rd., Natick Industrial Center, Natick, Mass., is offering tech information on 10 broadband balanced mixers with freq. ranges from 1.12 to 40.0 gc and vswr max. of 2.5 to 5.0. Also offered is information on 4 ferrite circulators with a freq. range from 8.5 to 9.6 gc .

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## Waveguide Switches

Waveline Inc., Caldwell, N. J., has data on their direction couplers, their line of waveguide switches which cover from 3.95 to 40.0 GC and their line of waveguide slide screw tuners which cover from 5.85 to 40.0 GC .

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## Microwave Absorber

Emerson \& Cuming, Inc., Canton, Mass., is offering tech data on their standard foams, adjusted \& artificial dielectric constant foams, rod and sheet stock, anechoic chambers and microwave chambers and wide angle radar reflectors (4 Luneberg Lens devices).

## Circle 185 on Inquiry Card

## Antenna Test Systems

Dunn Engineering Corp., 225 O'Brien Hwy., Cambridge, Mass., is offering tech. data on their dynamometer test stations for multiple evaluation of inertial gyro spin motors, radome and antenna test systems for automatic and manual checkout and test turntables.

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## Waveguide Components

Microwave Components \& Systems Corp., 1001 S. Mountain Ave., Monrovia, Calif., is offering a brochure on precision microwave componentsstandard items, covering the range from 1.70 to 40.0 gc . Included are E plane bends, $H$ plane bends, variable attenuators, step attenuators, magnetic tees, ferrite isolators and standard gain horns.

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## Microwave Tubes/Devices

Microwave Associates Inc., Burlington, Mass., is offering the following microwave tech data: short form catalogs $61-\mathrm{MS}$ semiconductor products; 61-WS microwave components, waveguide components and test equipment; 61-TD microwave tubes and devices, duplexers, magnetrons, ferrite devices; 61-CD computer diodes, subminiature, microminiature and computer diodes. Also offered is a 6 -page article on solid state control and microwaves; a 12 -page brochure describing microwave pressure windows and a semiconductor data filer containing 12 microwave diodes and 15 computer diodes.

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up to five tons. Signal emission sources and associated automatic antenna pattern recording equipment cover the low VHF to 75 KMC range. - Along with complete facilities the engineer will find that he will work with men who have knowledge of the most up to date theories and methods in the various related technologies. - To qualify you should have a degree with a minimum of five years experience and preferably be working toward or already have an advanced degree. For specific information about assignments and living conditions in Wichita, write




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## VSWR

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Another method of determining VSWR is the sampling and detection of the magnitude of the incident and reflected signals in a line by the use of directional couplers, and ratiometers. The experimental set-up is shown in Fig. 10. Outputs of the two detectors are fed to separate channels of a ratiometer which compares the two outputs and determines their ratio. Any errors caused by unequal couplings, detector sensitivities, or amplifier gains are compensated for by replacing the unknown load with a short circuit and adjusting the amplifier gains until a VSWR of infinity or a reflection coefficient of unity is indicated.

Accuracy of this method of measuring VSWR is usually limited by the directivity of the couplers. For example, a directivity of 30 db causes a residual VSWR of 1.06 and a directivity of 26 db causes a residual VSWR of 1.12. In order (Continued on page 236)


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to approach the residual VSWR of a slotted section a directivity of 40 db (residual VSWR $=1.02$ ) is needed. Commercial coaxial directional couplers are available from 25 MC to 1000 MC with directivities as high as 35 db . Below 120 MC the available couplers have couplings of 50 db or greater which makes their use inconvenient for low power laboratory measurements. Above 4 KMC the directivities decrease to less than 20 db .

At frequencies below 1.5 KMC , measurement of admittance or impedance is often substituted for the measurement of VSWR. There are various techniques for performing these measurements yielding accuracies of between $2 \%$ and $5 \%$. The instruments involved usually make use of null techniques and are direct reading in impedance or admittance.

## Main Errors

Because a slotted section is very frequently used to measure VSWR, main errors inherent in the use of a slotted section will be enumerated. These are residual VSWR, slope, and irregularities. Excluded from the discussion are probe and detector errors which are well referenced.

Residual VSWR of a slotted section is caused by the slight change in characteristic impedance due to the slot, and the discontinuities at the junction of the slotted and unslotted portion of the line. These effects are slight and can be approximately calculated. If one desires to experimentally measure the residual VSWR, there is a technique available for doing this. ${ }^{3}$ The procedure is based upon the tangent method for lossless structures. It involves the tracking of the position of a minimum point in the slotted line as a function of the position of a movable short circuit which is used to terminate the slotted line. The short, however, should not be connected to the slotted line with a connector pair unless the effect of connector discontinuities is required to be in-

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Slope can best be defined as a uniform change in detected output as a function of probe travel. It is independent of load or residual VSWR. Slope is caused by attenuation which causes a uniform diminution of the electric field along the line, and by a non-parallel movement (either vertical or lateral) of the probe to the center line of the coaxial line. Irregularities are caused by abrupt changes in probe travel or slotted section cross-section and are characterized by abrupt changes in probe output.

Theoretically, the error caused by the residual VSWR can be evaluated, but the combined effect of slope and irregularities can produce an uncertainty in the measured VSWR. ${ }^{4}$ In actual practice, the combined effect of slope and irregularities is brought down to a VSWR of 1.01 or less on good slotted sections. Residual VSWR of

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${ }^{4}$ H. E. Sorrows, W. E. Ryan, and R. C. Ellenwood, "Evaluation of Coaxial Slotted inge impedance Measurements," Proceedngs of the IRE, Feb. 1951.


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## Conclusions

All too often a set of specifications will state that the VSWR does not exceed some maximum value but makes no mention of how the VSWR is defined or measured. This is particularly true for manufacturer's specifications of coaxial loads. Another common case occurs when a maximum VSWR is specified for a component that will ultimately be connected into a system by cables. What is really wanted is the rigid line to cable VSWR; what is invariably measured is the rigid line to rigid line VSWR; There can be a significant difference in these two types of VSWR if the frequency is high enough. A critical specification has little meaning unless the specification is clearly defined in terms of type of connectors used.

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