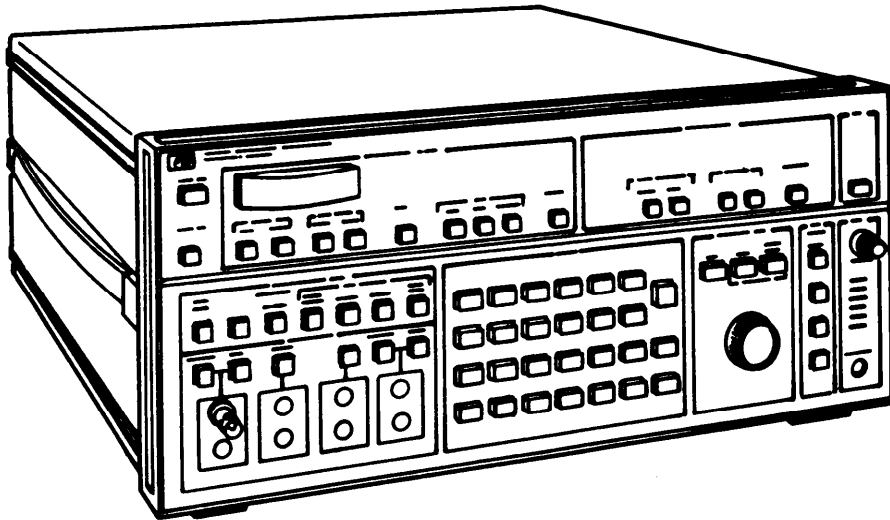


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OPERATOR'S AND ORGANIZATIONAL
MAINTENANCE



FREQUENCY SELECTIVE LEVEL METER
AN/USM-490
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SAFETY STEPS TO FOLLOW IF SOMEONE IS THE VICTIM OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK

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DO NOT TRY TO PULL OR GRAB THE INDIVIDUAL

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IF POSSIBLE, TURN OFF THE ELECTRICAL POWER

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IF YOU CANNOT TURN OFF THE ELECTRICAL POWER, PULL, PUSH, OR LIFT THE PERSON TO SAFETY USING A WOODEN POLE OR A ROPE OR SOME OTHER INSULATING MATERIAL

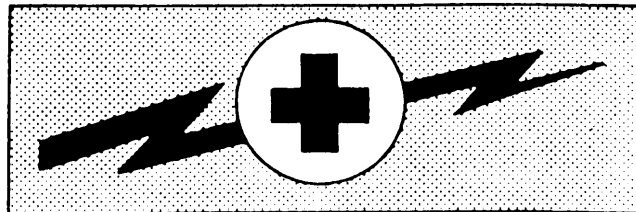
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SEND FOR HELP AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

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AFTER THE INJURED PERSON IS FREE OF CONTACT WITH THE SOURCE OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK, MOVE THE PERSON A SHORT DISTANCE AWAY AND IMMEDIATELY START ARTIFICIAL RESUSCITATION

WARNING



HIGH VOLTAGE

is used in the operation of this equipment

DEATH ON CONTACT

may result if personnel fail to observe safety precautions

Never work on electronic equipment unless there is another person nearby who is familiar with the operation and hazards of the equipment and who is competent in administering first aid. When the technician is aided by operators, he must warn them about dangerous areas.

Be careful not to contact high-voltage connections of 115-volt ac input when installing or operating this equipment.

Whenever the nature of the operation permits, keep one hand away from the equipment to reduce the hazard of current flowing through vital organs of the body.

WARNING

Do not be misled by the term "LOW VOLTAGE" Potentials as low as 50 volts may cause death under adverse conditions.

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HOW TO USE THIS MANUAL

This manual tells you about your Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490 and contains instructions about how to use it during maintenance on other electronic equipment.

The technical manual for the electronic equipment you are maintaining will tell you where to make certain connections and when to use various accessories which are part of the AN/USM-490.

When you first receive your AN/USM-490, start at the front of the manual and go all the way through to the back. Become familiar with every part of the manual and the AN/USM-490.

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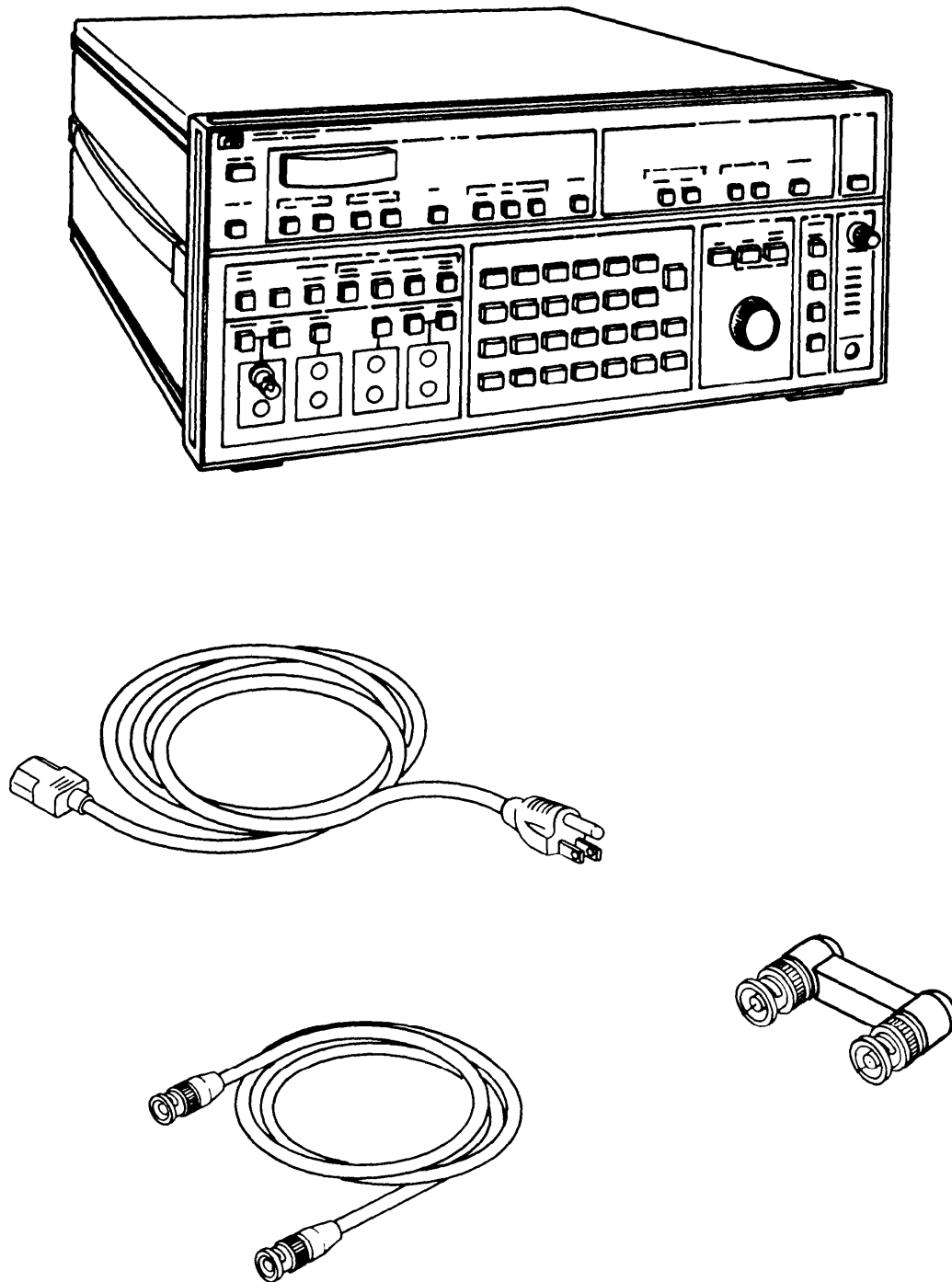


Figure 1-1. Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490.

**CHAPTER 1
INTRODUCTION**

Section I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1-1. SCOPE.

- a. *Type of Manual:* Operator's and Organizational Maintenance Manual.
- b. *Equipment Name and Model Number:* Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490.
- c. *Purpose of Equipment:* The Level Meter is designed for use in installation and maintenance of Frequency Domain Multiplexing (FDM) Systems, wave analysis, frequency synthesis, carrier frequency, and voice channel measurements.

1-2. CONSOLIDATED INDEX OF ARMY PUBLICATIONS AND BLANK FORMS.

Refer to the latest issue of DA Pam 310-1 to determine whether there are new editions, changes, or additional publications pertaining to the equipment.

1-3. MAINTENANCE FORMS, RECORDS, AND REPORTS.

- a. *Report of Maintenance and Unsatisfactory Equipment.* Department of the Army forms and procedures used for equipment maintenance will be those prescribed by DA PAM 738-750 as contained in Maintenance Management Update.
- b. *Report of Packaging and Handling Deficiencies.* Fill out and forward SF 364 (Report of Discrepancy) as prescribed in AR 735-1102/DLAR 4140.55/NAVMATINST 4355.73B/AFR 400-54/MCO 4430.3H.
- c. *Discrepancy in Shipment Report (DISREP) (SF 361).* Fill out and forward Discrepancy in Shipment Report (SF 361) as prescribed in AR 55-38/ NAVSUPINST 4610.33C/ AFR 75-18/ MCO P4610.19D/DLAR 4500.15.

1-4. ADMINISTRATIVE STORAGE.

Refer to TM 740-90-1 for administrative storage procedures.

1-5. DESTRUCTION OF ARMY ELECTRONICS MATERIEL.

Destruction of Army electronics materiel to prevent enemy use shall be in accordance with TM 750-244-2.

1-6. REPORTING EQUIPMENT IMPROVEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS (EIR)

If your equipment needs improvement, let us know. Send us an EIR. You, the user, are the only one who can tell us what you don't like the design. Put it on an SF 368 (Quality Deficiency Report). Mail it to Commander, US Army Communications-Electronics Command and Fort Monmouth, ATTN: AMSEL-PA-MA-D, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey 07703-5000. We'll send you a reply.

1-7. WARRANTY INFORMATION.

The AN/USM-490 is warranted by Hewlett-Packard Company for one year. Warranty starts on the date of shipment to the original buyer. Report all defects in material or workmanship to your supervisor who will take appropriate action.

1-8. NOMENCLATURE CROSS-REFERENCE LIST.

Common names will be used when major components of the Frequency Selective Level Meter are mentioned in this manual.

NOTE

Official nomenclature must be used when filling out report forms or looking up Technical Manuals.

Common Name	Official Nomenclature
Level Meter	Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490
AIWUSM-490	Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490

1-9. LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS.

This list identifies abbreviations and descriptions that are used in this manual.

AUTO	Automatic
AVE	Average
CAL	Calibration
CARR	Carrier
CNTR	Counter
CONT	Continue
DEMODO	Demodulation
DIST	Distortion
FDM	Frequency Domain Multiplexing
LSB	Lower side band
MEAS	Measure
MIN	Minutes
MIP	Maximum input power
OVL	Overload
para	Paragraph
pW	Picawatt
STBY	Standby
SSB	Single side band
T	Time
THSHLD	Threshold
USB	Upper side band
	Weighted

Section II. EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION

1-10. EQUIPMENT CHARACTERISTICS, CAPABILITIES, AND FEATURES.

a. CHARACTERISTICS.

- Provides means for maintenance of Frequency Division Multiplex (FDM) systems.
- Allows for:
 - Testing message channels (voice and carrier).
 - Troubleshooting voice channel malfunctions.
 - Message channel voice traffic simulation.
 - RMS wideband power measurements.
 - Harmonic level and distortion analysis.
 - Testing of high frequency radio systems.
- Meets North American (Bell) Standards.
- Designed for bench top use.

b. CAPABILITIES AND FEATURES.

- Push button control allows for easy operation of equipment.
- Annunciator lights on front panel for constant equipment status.
- Nine digit LED for frequency display.
- Four digit LED for amplitude display.
- Self-test function for operational verification.
- Programmed interface for remote operation.

1-11. EQUIPMENT DATA.

WEIGHTS AND DIMENSIONS

Frequency selective level meter:

Weight	50LB (23Kg)
Length	18.38 IN. (466.7 MM)
Width	16.75 IN. (425.5 MM)
Height	7 IN. (177 MM)

BNC to BNC adapter:

Contact centers	1.750 IN. (44.5 MM)
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POWER REQUIREMENTS

Voltage	100 to 240Vac (+5, -10%)
Frequency	48 to 66Hz
Power	150V/A
Fuse	2.0 Amp 115Vac operation
Fuse	1.0 Amp 240Vac operation

ENVIRONMENTAL

Operating temperature range	0 to +55° C
Storage temperature range.....	-40 to +75° c
Storage temperature range.....	40 to +75° c
Relative humidity	95% maximum
Operating altitude.....	15,000 feet
Storage altitude	50,000 feet

PERFORMANCE

Frequency range:

75Ω and unbalanced.....	50Hz to 32.5 MHz
124Ω balanced	4KHz to 10 MHz
135Ω balanced	4KHz to 1MHz
600Ω bridged	100Hz to 108 KHz

Frequency resolution..... 0.1HZ

Tuned frequency accuracy

±2 times 10⁻⁷

Counter accuracy..... ±1.0Hz

Input connector type:

75 Ω	BNC female
124 Ω	WECO 372
135 Ω	WECO 241A
600 Ω	WECO 310

Return loss:

75Ω, , 50Hz to 32.5 MHz	30dB
124 Ω, 10 KHz to 10MHz	30dB
135 Ω, 10 KHz to 1MHz	30dB
600 Ω, 50Hz to 108 KHz	25dB

Balance:

124 Ω, 10KHz to 10MHz	30dB
135 Ω, 10 KHz to 1MHz	30dB
600 Ω, 50Hz to 108 KHz	25dB

Bandwidth selectivity 20Hz, 400Hz, and 3100HZ

Carrier rejection:

20Hz 30dB, ±45Hz, 60dB, ±90Hz
 400Hz 60dB, ±1100Hz
 3100HZ 60dB, ±1850Hz

Adjacent channel rejection, ±2850Hz, 3100Hz BW 75dB minimum

Passband flatness:

20Hz ±0.3dB at ±3Hz
 400Hz ±0.3dB at ±50Hz
 3100HZ ±0.3dB at 11000Hz

Amplitude measurement range +25dBm to -120dBm

Amplitude resolution ±0.1dB

Amplitude accuracy (-100dBm to +20dBm):

75Ω ±0.95dB
 124 Ω ±1dB
 135Ω ±1dB
 600 Ω ±0.75dB

Spurious responses:

Image rejection (100 to 132MHz) -80dBc
 IF rejection (15625Hz) -80dBc
 Non-harmonic spurious signals (> 1600Hz offset) -80dBc
 Residual (>349Hz) -115dBc

Distortion:

Harmonic (>4KHz) 70dB below full scale
 Intermodulation (>10MHz) 70dB below full scale

Wideband power accuracy ±2dB

Noise floor:

75 Ω, 100KHz to 32.5MHz, 3100HZ -116dBm
 75Ω, 100KHz to 32.5MHz, 20Hz and 400Hz -120dBm
 75Ω and Ω, 600 2 KHz to 100KHz -105dBm
 124Ω, 100KHz to 10MHz, 3100HZ 116dBm
 124Ω, 100KHz to 10MHz, 20Hz and 400Hz -120dBm
 135Ω, 100KHz to 1MHz, 3100HZ 116dBm
 135Ω, 100KHz to 1MHz, 20Hz and 400Hz -120dBm
 All input impedance, 10KHz to 100 KHz -105dBm

Demodulated audio output amplitude 0dBm into 600 Ω

Tracking output:

Amplitude 0dBm into 75 Ω at 10KHz, ±0.5dB
 Flatness (200Hz to 32.5MHz) ±0.5dB

Phase jitter:

Demodulated tone frequency 960Hz to 1060Hz
 Accuracy ±(10% +0.5° p-p)
 Input signal level <30dB below full scale, -65dBm minimum
 Residual phase jitter (50KHz to 32.5MHz) <0.5° p-p
 Frequency response 20Hz to 300Hz

Weighted noise filter:

C-message Accuracy	1004Hz ±.5dB
Impulse noise counting rate	143 ins/count ±5%
Threshold accuracy	±1dB at 1700Hz
Notch filter rejection (995 to 1025Hz)	50dB minimum

Section III. TECHNICAL PRINCIPLES OF OPERATION

1-12. GENERAL FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION.

(Fig. 1-2). Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490 accepts signals from 50Hz to 32.5MHz and, dependent on the measurement mode selected, displays the desired results on the front panel. Signals are applied using one of the five impedance ranges and can be balanced, unbalanced or bridged.

The desired value is displayed as amplitude in the MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display/analog meter and frequency in the FREQUENCY/ENTRY display. Demodulated audio can be listened to using the front panel speaker or headphone jack.

1 The input signal connected to the front panel is measured, then amplified or attenuated to a usable level. This 50Hz to 32.5MHz signal is then mixed with the first local oscillator frequency of from 50MHz to 82.5MHz. This mixing produces the first intermediate frequency of 50MHz.

A low pass filter keeps input frequencies greater than 32.5 MHz from being processed. This 50MHz intermediate frequency is amplified and passed to the IF/audio section.

When CAL is on and a calibration cycle occurs, the input signal is disconnected and a precise calibration signal from the calibration tracking section is mixed with the first local oscillator. This is then used to automatically check and adjust the Level Meter for operation within specified limits. Once the calibration cycle is completed, the input signal is reconnected and normal operation is resumed.

2 The 50MHz intermediate frequency from the input section is passed to the IF/audio section where it goes through a 50MHz filter to bandpass to 10KHz. This 50MHz signal with 10 KHz wide bandpass is mixed with the second local oscillator frequency of 49.984375MHz to produce a second intermediate frequency of 15.625KHz. This 15.625 KHz signal with a 10KHz wide bandpass is amplified and split into two separate signals. One signal goes through a 400Hz filter. The result is one 15.625KHz, 400Hz wide bandpass signal and one 15.625KHz, 10KHz wide bandpass signal,

Depending on the front panel bandwidth selection, one of the 15.625KHz signals is passed or filtered, and then amplified. The desired selected bandwidth of 20Hz, 400Hz, or 3100Hz is then obtained.

The 15.625KHz signal with the desired 20Hz,400Hz or 3100Hz bandwidth is amplified and split three ways.

- The first path is to the digital section where the frequency of the input signal is determined.
- The second path is computed to an RMS voltage and passed to the digital section where the amplitude of the input signal is determined.
- The third path is to the impairments section for demodulating single sideband audio.

A voltage is developed for the front panel analog meter and to the rear panel METER output connector.

Audio from the impairments section is amplified and passed to the speaker. Detected audio also goes to the rear panel AUDIO connector.

3 The digital section monitors most functions in the Level Meter. This includes processing data, front panel display changes, monitors circuit card operation, handles all front panel operator entries, performs calibration, and diagnostic tests. It also contains all the front panel displays, annunciators and switches necessary for operation.

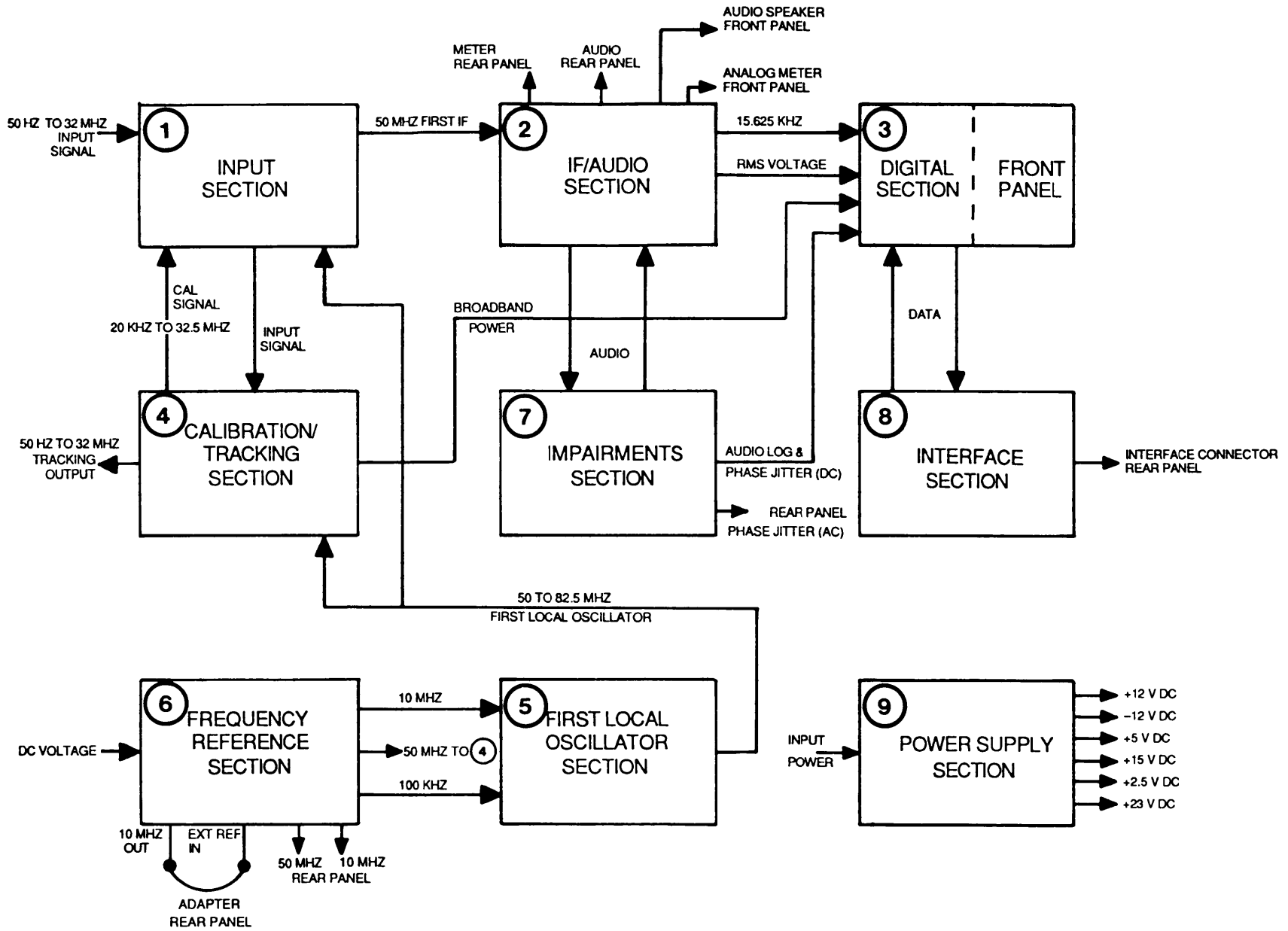


Figure 1-2. Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490 Simplified Block Diagram

One of the outputs from the IF/audio section is compared to the first local oscillator frequency and the input frequency is calculated. The other is a RMS voltage that is processed and the amplitude of the input signal is calculated. These values are then sent to the front panel and shown as frequency and amplitude in the appropriate display.

The front panel keyboard and frequency fine tune knob entries are processed in the digital section and passed to the appropriate assembly for processing. The status of the assemblies is returned to the digital section for corrective action or operator notification. This notification is in the form of error codes and annunciator lights on the front panel.

The digital section contains the stored software necessary to execute the diagnostic tests and calibration cycle. A memory is also available for store/recall of nine different front panel configurations.

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The first local oscillator frequency of from 50 to 8.25 MHz is mixed with 50MHz from the frequency reference section to produce a 0 to 32.5 MHz signal. This signal matches the tuned frequency on the front panel display. The 0 to 32.5MHz signal is amplified and split two ways.

- The first path is to the rear panel BNC connector marked Fo.
- The second path is used to generate the calibration output signal of from 20KHz to 32.5MHz. When calibration is activated, this signal goes to the input section.

When wideband mode is selected, the average broadband power present on the input signal is measured, and goes to the digital section for display on the front panel.

The input signal is monitored for correct amplitude and if incorrect, sends an overload or underload message to the digital section.

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The first local oscillator generates a frequency of from 50MHz to 82.5MHz. This frequency is exactly 50MHz higher than the tuned frequency displayed on the front panel. The input to the first local oscillator is a precise 10MHz and 100KHz signal from the frequency reference section.

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The first part of the frequency reference section uses DC voltage to generate a stable, accurate 10MHz signal. This signal is either:

- Coupled to internal circuits using a rear panel adapter.
- Not used. If not used, a stable external source of 5MHz, 3.333333MHz, 2.5MHz, 2MHz or 1MHz must be used.

The second part of the frequency reference section generates a 5MHz signal. This 50 MHz is divided and amplified to generate the required operating frequencies of 50MHz, 10MHz, 2MHz, 1MHz and 100KHz. These signals are then used in various internal operations of the Level Meter.

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The impairments uses the single sideband demodulated output from the IF/audio section. A DC phase jitter output is generated and passed to the digital section for display on the front panel. An AC phase jitter output is provided on the rear panel.

When C-message 3100Hz is selected, the single sideband demodulated audio is applied to a weighted filter to measure noise.

When NOISE/TONE is selected, the single sideband demodulated audio is applied to a notch filter to remove the 1004Hz tone.

When all other modes, except impulse, are selected, the single sideband demodulated audio bypasses the filters.

When IMPULSE is selected, the single sideband demodulated audio is passed to the weighted filter, if selected and then to the notch filter. The noise is then compared to the threshold level set by the operator. Any impulse noise spike that exceeds the threshold level is counted and passed to the digital section for display on the front panel.

The interface section accepts data or instructions from the rear panel connector and sends it to the digital section for processing. It also accepts data from the digital section and sends it to the rear panel connector for use by other instruments.

The power supply uses the 100 to 240VAC input power, and supplies all operating voltages to the internal circuitry of the Level Meter. These include + 12VDC, -12VDC, +5VDC, +15VDC, +2.5VDC, and +23VDC.

CHAPTER 2 OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Section I. DESCRIPTION AND USE OF OPERATOR'S CONTROLS, INDICATORS, AND CONNECTORS

2-1. INTRODUCTION.

This section describes all of the operator controls and indicators for the Level Meter. Due to the large number of controls and indicators on the front panel, it is necessary to separate the panel into five different portions. Figure 2-1 (views A thru E) shows each portion of the front panel. The rear panel is shown in figure 2-2.

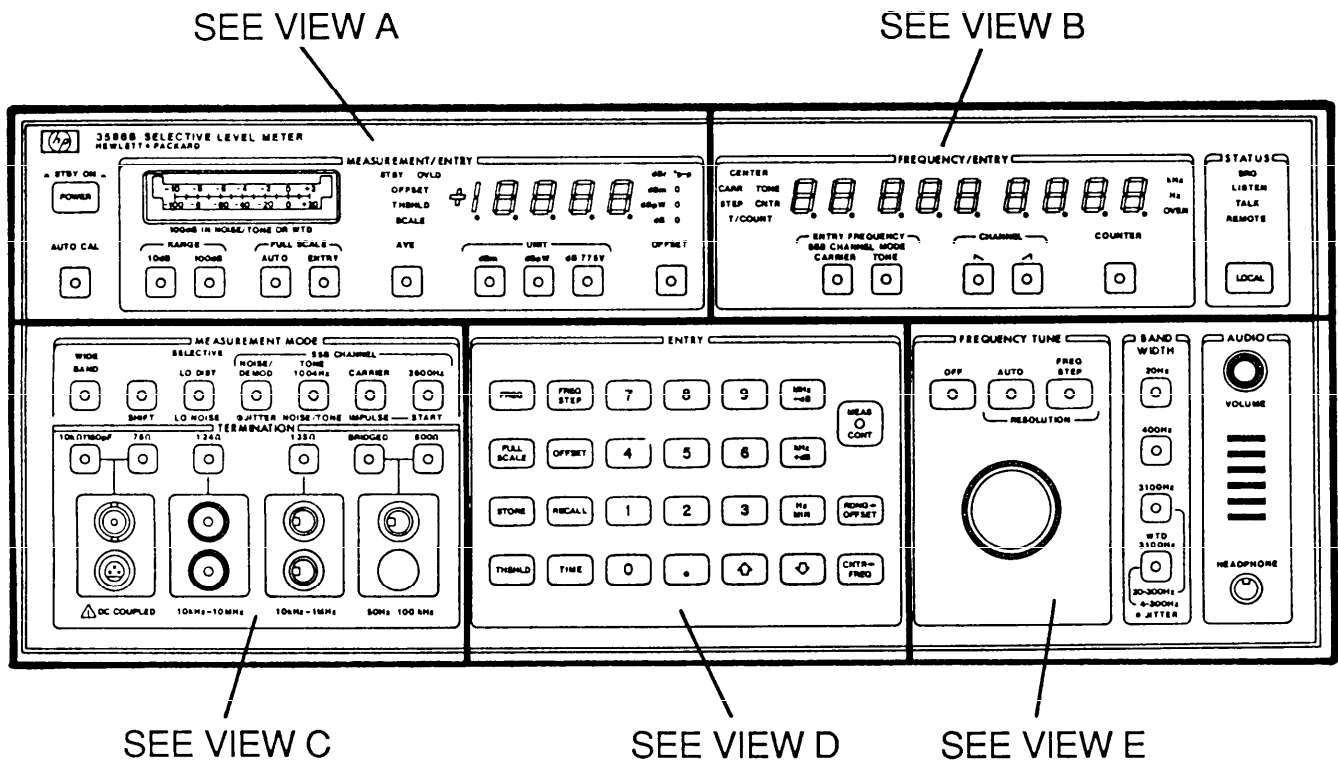
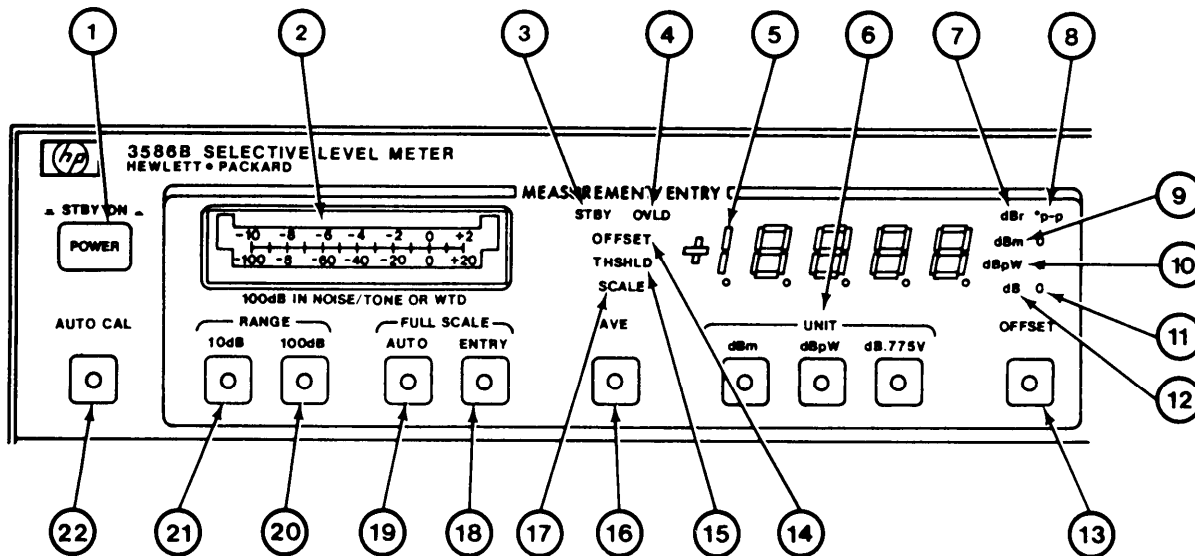


Figure 2-1. Operator's Controls, Indicators, and Connectors, front view.

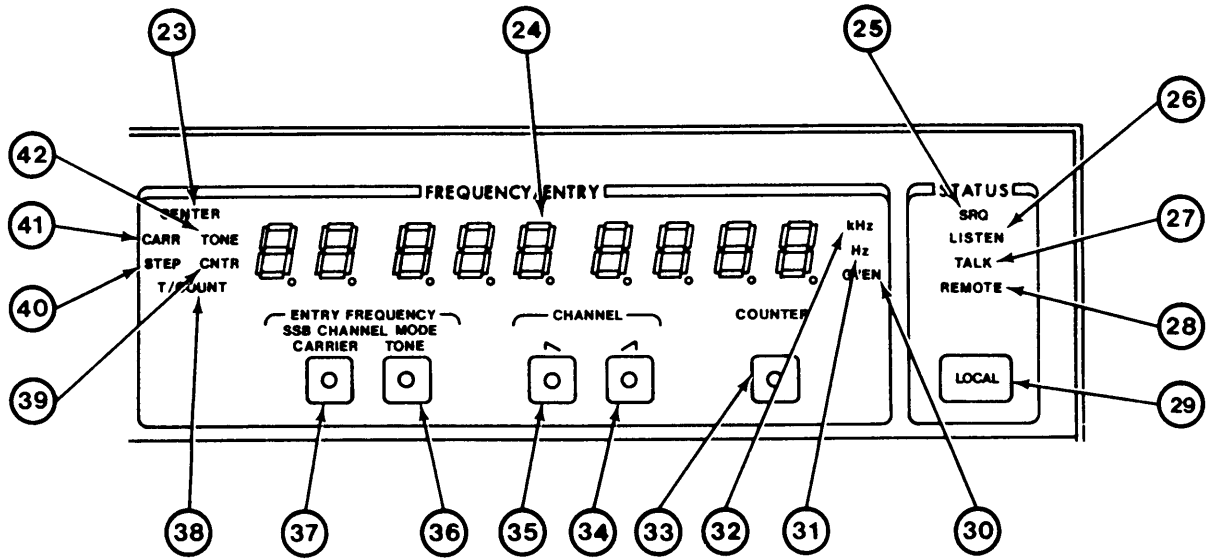


VIEW A

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
1	POWER switch	Changes Level Meter from standby to on. Push in for on and push in again for standby.
2	Analog meter	Indicates strength of signal being measured. Sensitivity is controlled by full scale setting. Meter scale is determined by range selection. Top scale is 10dB and bottom scale is -100dB.
3	STBY indicator	Indicates Level Meter is in standby mode when on.
4	OVLD indicator	Flashes if input signal power level is too high. When flashing, Level Meter is overloaded and will not measure input signal. In entry full scale, full scale level must be increased. In auto, full scale is automatically adjusted and indicator will flash briefly during autoranging.
5	MEASUREMENT/ENTRY	Displays power level of input signal being measured. Also displays entry levels for offset, full scale, and threshold along with error messages; calibration messages; and underload or overload conditions.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
6	UNIT push buttons	Selects unit of measurement for input signal. Selections are limited to dBm, dBpw, and dB.775V. OdBm reference level is one milliwatt dissipated at the input impedance selected. OdBpw reference level is one picowatt dissipated at the input impedance selected. OdB.775V reference level is 0.775 volts. Lights in push buttons indicate selection in use.
7	dBr indicator	Unit of measurement for offset. When on, indicates MEASUREMENT/ENTRY is displaying offset.
8	°p-p indicator	Unit of measurement for phase jitter. When on, indicates MEASUREMENT/ENTRY is displaying phase jitter in degrees peak to peak. For use with phase jitter measurements only.
9	dBm indicator	Unit of measurement for all modes. When on, indicates MEASUREMENT/ENTRY is displaying in dBm. Works with dBm push button.
10	dBpW indicator	Unit of measurement for all modes. When on, indicates MEASUREMENT/ENTRY is displaying in dBpW. Works with dBpW push button.
11	O indicator	Indicates value in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is offset. Works with OFFSET push button.
12	dB indicator	Unit of measurement for all modes. When on, indicates MEASUREMENT/ENTRY is displaying in dB. Works with dB.775V push button.
13	OFFSET push button	Subtracts stored offset from input signal power level. Zero is subtracted if no value is stored in offset. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY displays result. When in use, O indicator opposite unit of measure indicator lights and push button lights. Push for on and push again for off.
14	OFFSET indicator	Indicates Level Meter is ready to store an offset value. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY displays value. Lights when offset is used.
15	THSHLD indicator	Indicates Level Meter is ready to store a threshold value. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY displays value. Lights when threshold is used.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
16	AVE push button	Five level measurements of the input signal power level are taken and then averaged. Analog meter or MEASUREMENT/ENTRY then displays new value. Used when readings in the measurement display and analog meter are erratic. When in use, push button lights. Push for on and push again for off.
17	SCALE indicator	Indicates Level Meter is ready to store a full scale value. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY displays value. Lights when full scale is used.
18	ENTRY push button	Used to manually enter full scale value. Value entered must be higher than the input signal level or an overload will exist. When in use, push button lights, Push for on.
19	AUTO push button	Tells Level Meter to automatically select full scale value for best signal to noise ratio without overloading. When required, Level Meter will autorange to find new full scale value. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
20	100dB push button	Selects entire Level Meter operating range (80dB) for use in input signal detection. Any signal level between full scale and 80dB below full scale can be measured. Use 100dB scale on analog meter when selected. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY resolution is 0.1dB. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
21	10dB push button	Selects most linear 10dB region of Level Meter operating range (80dB) for use in detection of input signals. Any signal level between full scale and 10dB below full scale can be measured. Use 10dB scale on analog meter when selected. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY resolution is 0.01dB. This selection cannot be used in wideband and impulse measurement modes. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
22	AUTO CAL push button	Tells Level Meter to automatically calibrate all ranges and bandwidths of the internal circuitry. When off, the data stored during the last calibration is used to correct the signal being measured. Inoperable in phase jitter and impulse measurement modes. When in use, push button lights. Push for on and push - again for off.

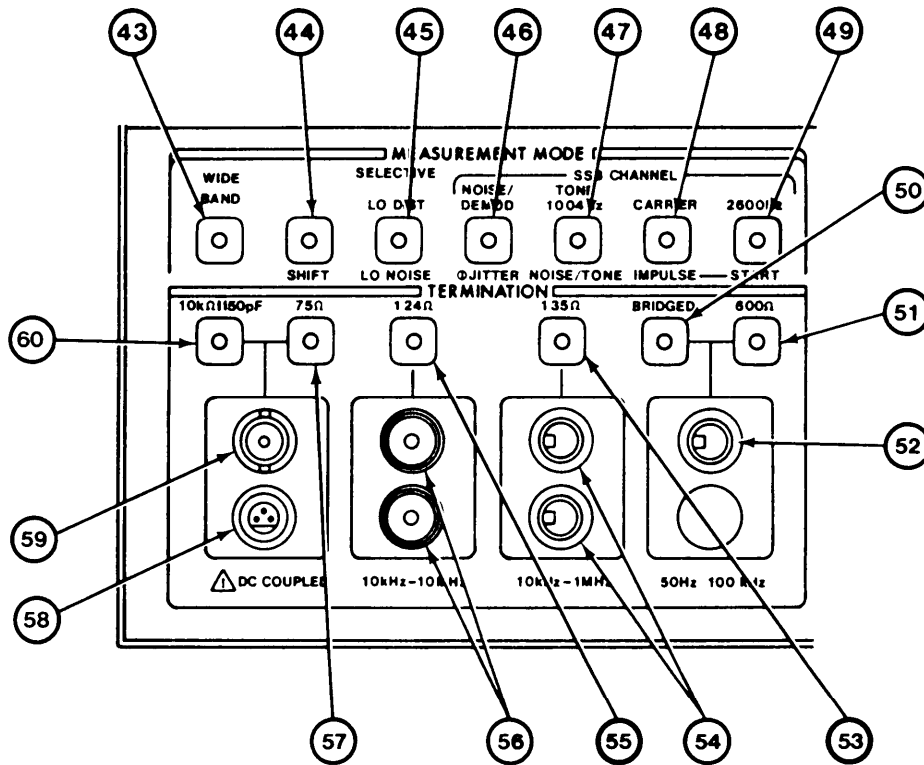


VIEW B

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
23	CENTER indicator	Indicates Level Meter is in selective measurement mode. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display shows center frequency of Level Meter bandwidth. Works with LO DIST or LO NOISE push buttons.
24	FREQUENCY/ENTRY	Displays frequency of input signal being measured. Also displays frequency, frequency steps, time and counts along with operator messages.
25	SRQ indicator	Used only when external device is connected to Level Meter. When on, one or more external devices connected to Level Meter are requesting attention.
26	LISTEN indicator	Used only when external device is connected to Level Meter. When on, the Level Meter can receive data.
27	TALK indicator	Used only when external device is connected to Level Meter. When on, Level Meter can send data.
28	REMOTE indicator	Used only when external device is connected to Level Meter. When on, Level Meter can be controlled from a remote location.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
29	LOCAL push button	Used only when external device is connected to Level Meter. When used, Level Meter is switched to remote operation and REMOTE indicator will come on. All front panel controls except volume, power and local are disabled. Push for on and push again for off. If local is pressed and Level Meter not set up for remote operation, FREQUENCY/ENTRY will display digital address "addr=XX".
30	OVEN indicator	Indicates frequency reference oven is cold and its output is disabled. Comes on when oven is cold and goes out when oven reaches operating temperature.
31	Hz indicator	Unit of measurement for all modes. When on, FREQUENCY/ENTRY is displaying in hertz.
32	kHz indicator	Unit of measurement for all modes. When on, FREQUENCY/ENTRY is displaying in kilohertz.
33	COUNTER push button	Used to display strongest single frequency signal within Level Meter bandpass. Appropriate Hz or KHz indicator lights. Display fills with dashes if input signal level is too low to count. When in use, push button lights. Push for on and push again for off.
34	↗ push button	Used only when measuring telecommunication signals. Allows Level Meter to receive upper sideband signals. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
35	↘ push button	Used only when measuring telecommunication signals. Allows Level Meter to receive lower sideband signals. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
36	TONE push button	Used to fine tune Level Meter to telecommunication signals. RF frequency of a 1004Hz test tone is entered and shown. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
37	CARRIER push button	Used to fine tune Level Meter to telecommunication signals. RF frequency of carrier is entered and shown. When in use, push button lights, Push for on.
38	T/COUNT indicator	Indicates Level Meter will accept a time in minutes and seconds for impulse duration. Works with TIME push button.
39	CNTR indicator	Indicates FREQUENCY/ENTRY is displaying measured input signal frequency.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
40	STEP indicator	Indicates Level Meter is ready to store frequency step interval value. Works with FREQ STEP push button.
41	CARR indicator	Indicates Level Meter single sideband channel mode entry frequency is set to carrier. Works with CARRIER push button.
42	TONE indicator	Indicates Level Meter single sideband channel mode entry frequency is set to tone. Works with TONE push button.

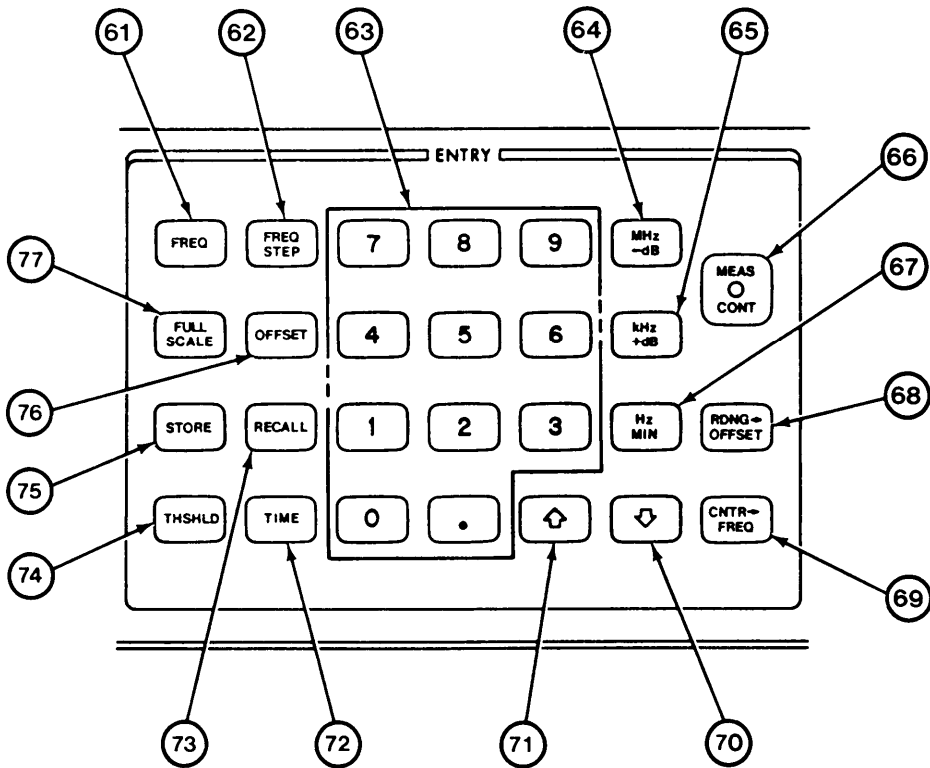


VIEW C

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
43	WIDEBAND push button	Used to measure total input signal power level. When selected, all frequency related controls are inoperative. When in use, push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-12 for additional information.
44	SHIFT push button	Selects MEASUREMENT MODE group push button functions. When in use, push button lights and LO NOISE, Ø JITTER, NOISE/TONE, IMPULSE, and START push buttons can be used. Push for on and push again for off.
45A	LO DIST push button	Used for selective level measurement of non-telecommunication signals. When in use, push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-10 for additional information.
45B	LO NOISE push button	Used for selective level measurement of signals spread across bandwidth. When in use, SHIFT push button is on and LO NOISE push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-11 for additional information.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
46A	NOISE/DEMODO push button	Used for monitoring telecommunication signals or measuring noise levels on telecommunication signal message channels. When in use, push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-13 for additional information.
46B	Ø JITTER push button	Used to measure phase jitter of 1004HZ test tone on telecommunication signal message channels. When in use, SHIFT push button is on and Ø JITTER push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-14 for additional information.
47A	TONE 1004Hz push button	Used to measure test tone level of telecommunication signals. When in use, push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-15 for additional information.
47B	NOISE/TONE push button	Used to measure noise levels in presence of 1004Hz test tone on telecommunication signal message channels. When in use, SHIFT push button is on and NOISE/TONE push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-16 for additional information.
48A	CARRIER push button	Used to measure telecommunication carrier leak signals. When in use, push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-17 for additional information.
48B	IMPULSE push button	Used to count telecommunication signal message channel noise spikes. When in use, SHIFT push button is on and IMPULSE push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-18 for additional information.
49A	2600Hz push button	Used to measure telecommunication signaling tones. When in use, push button lights. Push for on. See paragraph 2-15 for additional information.
49B	START push button	Used with impulse to start counting noise spikes. When in use, SHIFT and IMPULSE push buttons are on but START push button does not light when pushed. Push for on.
50	BRIDGED push button	Used to select balanced 600 Ω input for 600 Ω connector. Termination impedance is 10KΩ shunted by 50pF. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
51	600Ω push button	Used to select balanced floating input for 600Ω connector. Termination impedance is 600Ω. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
52	600Ω connectors	Used to connect bridged or 600Ω source to Level Meter when 600 Ω termination impedance is required. Connector mates with WECO type 310 plug.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
53	135 Ω push button	Used to select balanced input for both 135 Ω connectors. Termination impedance is 135 Ω . When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
54	135 Ω connectors	Used to connect source to Level Meter when 135 Ω termination impedance is required. Connector mates with WECO type 241 A plug.
55	124 Ω push button	Used to select balanced input for both 124 Ω connectors. Termination impedance is 124 Ω . When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
56	124 Ω connectors	Used to connect source to Level Meter when 124 Ω termination impedance is required. Connector mates with WECO type 372A plug.
57	75 Ω push button	Used to select unbalanced input for 75 Ω connector. Termination impedance is 75 Ω . When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
58	Probe Power connector	Used to supply power for active probes. Mates with probe plug.
59	75 Ω connector	Used to connect source to Level Meter when 75 Ω termination impedance is required. Mates with BNC plug. Frequency from 50Hz to 32.5MHz.
60	10k Ω :50pF push button	Used to select unbalanced input for 75 Ω connector. Termination impedance is 10K Ω shunted by 50pF. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.

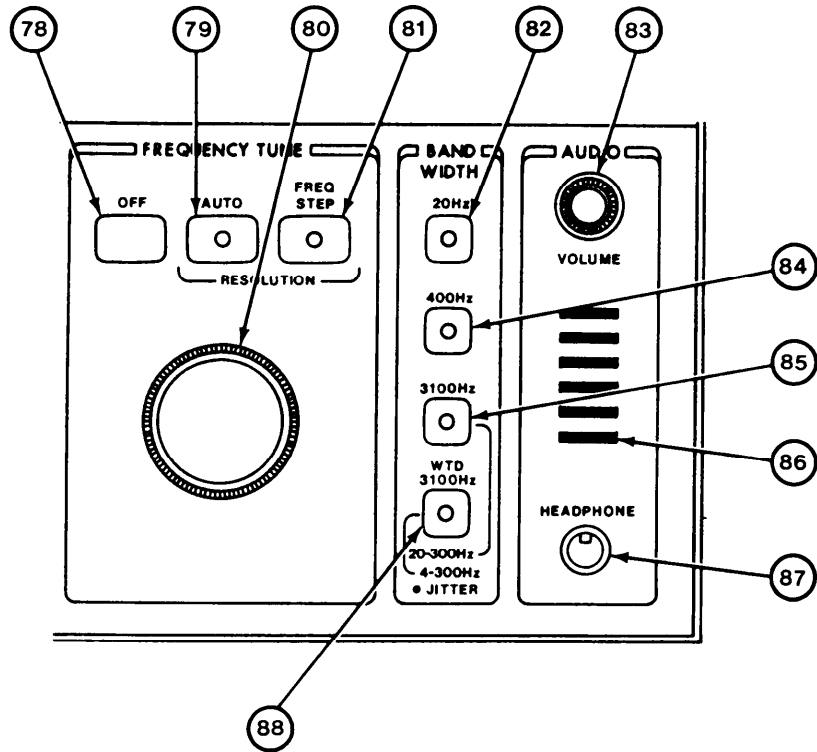


VIEW D

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
61	FREQ push button	Used to store, raise, lower, or display Level Meter tuned frequency. Push to display present value, and if desired, enter new value from 50Hz to 32.5MHz using numeric keys and appropriate Hz, KHz or MHz key.
62	FREQ STEP push button	Used to store, raise, lower, or display Level Meter step value. Push to display present value, and if desired, enter new value from 50Hz to 32.5 MHz using numeric keys and appropriate Hz, KHz or MHz key.
63	Numeric keys	Used to enter numeric value with decimal point for frequency, frequency step, full scale, offset, threshold and time. Push desired key.
64	MHz -dB push button	Used to terminate entries from numeric keys. Frequency and frequency step are assigned MHz. Full scale, offset, and threshold are assigned -dB. Push for on.
65	KHz +dB push button	Used to terminate entries from numeric keys. Frequency and frequency step are assigned KHz. Full scale, offset, and threshold are assigned +dB. Push for on.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
66	MEAS CONT push button	Used to control measurement sequence. After value has been entered and displayed, push button flashes until pushed.
67	Hz MIN push button	Used to terminate entries from numeric keys. Frequency and frequency step are assigned Hz. Time is assigned minutes. Push for on.
68	RDNG-> OFFSET push	Used to store value shown in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display as new offset in Level Meter. Push for on,
69	CNTR-> FREQ push button	Used to fine tune Level Meter to value shown in FREQUENCY/ENTRY display. Used only when counter is on. Push for on.
70	⏮ push button	Used to lower values each time push button is pushed. Frequency step, threshold, and time are lowered by one; full scale is lowered by five; frequency step is lowered by power of two; and frequency is lowered by frequency step value stored in Level Meter. Push for on.
71	⏭ push button	Used to raise values each time push button is pushed. Frequency step, threshold, and time are raised by one; full scale is raised by five; frequency step is raised by power of two; and frequency is raised by frequency step value stored in Level Meter. Push for on.
72	TIME push button	Used to enter, raise, lower, or display duration of an impulse noise measurement. Press to display present value, and if desired, enter a new value from 0 to 99 minutes 59 seconds using the numeric keys and MIN. Format is minutes, decimal point seconds.
73	RECALL push button	Used to recall Level Meter front panel measurement setup. Push for on.
74	THSHLD push button	Used to enter, raise, lower, or display the minimum level of noise spikes used for impulse noise measurement. Spikes present below this level will not be counted, Press to display present value, and if desired, enter a new value from -116dBm to +28dBm using the numeric keys and -dB or +dB.
75	STORE push button	Used to store Level Meter front panel measurement setup. Push for on.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
76	OFFSET push button	Used to enter, raise, lower, or display offset value stored in Level Meter. Press to display present value, and if desired, enter anew value from -199.99dB to + 199.99dB using the numeric keys and -dB or +dB. New value can be stored with offset on or off.
77	FULL SCALE push button	Used to enter, raise, lower, or display full scale value stored in Level Meter. Press to display present value, and if desired, enter a new value using the numeric keys and -dB or +dB. New value can be from -45dB to +25dB in 5dB steps for 100dB range and from -120dB to +25dB in 5dB steps for 10dB range.



VIEW E

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
78	OFF push button	Used to disable frequency tune knob. Push for off.
79	AUTO push button	Used to vary frequency tune resolution based on bandwidth selection. Frequency steps are 100Hz for 3100Hz bandwidth, 20Hz for 400Hz bandwidth, and 1Hz for 20Hz bandwidth for 100dB range. Frequency steps are 20Hz for 3100Hz bandwidth, 4Hz for 400Hz bandwidth, and .2Hz for 20Hz bandwidth for 10dB range. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
80	FREQUENCY TUNE knob	Used to vary frequency shown in FREQUENCY/ENTRY display. Clockwise rotation raises frequency and counterclockwise rotation lowers frequency. Step size determined by value stored in FREQ STEP or bandwidth selected in AUTO.
81	FREQ STEP push button	Used to vary frequency tune resolution based on frequency step value stored in Level Meter. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
82	20Hz push button	Used to measure 20Hz section of input signal. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
83	VOLUME knob	Used to vary audio level to speaker and headphone jack. Clockwise rotation raises volume and counterclockwise rotation lowers volume.
84	400Hz push button	Used to measure 400Hz section of input signal. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
85	3100Hz push button	Used to measure 3100Hz section of input signal. When Ø Jitter on, measures 20Hz to 300Hz. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.
86	Loudspeaker	Used for audio monitoring of input signals or impairment measurements.
87	Headphone connector	Used to audio monitoring of input signals or impairment measurements through headphones. Output impedance is 600Ω and output power is 0dBm. Connector mates with 1/4" phone plug.
88	WTD 3100Hz push button	Used to measure noise in 3100Hz section of input signal on telephone message channels. When making phase jitter measurements, bandwidth is 4Hz to 300Hz. When in use, push button lights. Push for on.

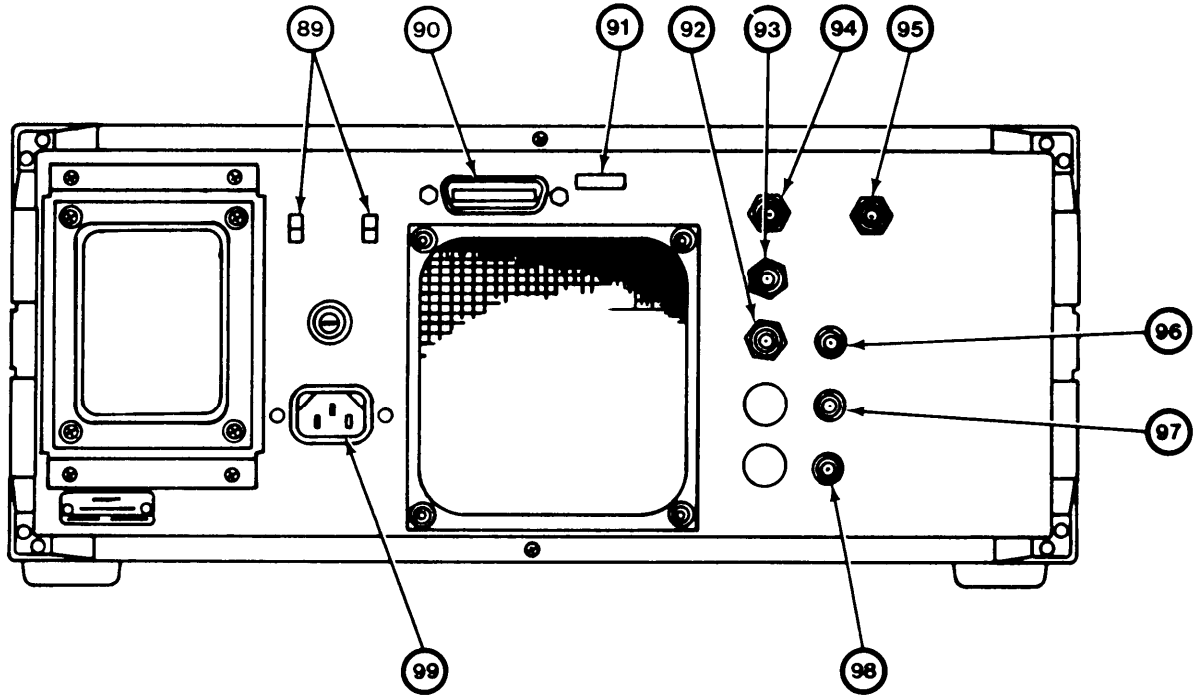


Figure 2-2. Operator's Controls, Indicators, and Connectors, rear view.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
89	Line voltage switch	Used to select 100, 120, 220, or 240 volt operation. Two two-position switches. Up-up for 100Vac operation, up-down for 120Vac operation, down-up for 220Vac operation, and down-down for 240Vac operation.
90	Interface connector	Input and output connector for all external devices. Connector has 24 pins with metric posts.
91	Interface control switch	Used to select tracking generator operating mode and address of AN/USM-490. Seven-position DIP switch. Position one is interface troubleshooting test. Position two sets tracking generator operating mode. Positions three thru seven are for <u>address</u> settings.
92	Fo (0-32MHz) connector	Used for network analysis. Output frequency is 0 to 32.5 MHz and tracks the front panel displayed frequency. Output power is 0dBm and impedance is 75Ω. Leave open for normal use. Connector mates with BNC plug.
93	10MHZ connector	Used for a signal reference to synchronize external devices to Level Meter frequency reference. Output power is +8dBm at 5Ω. Leave open for normal operation. Connector mates with BNC plug.

KEY	CONTROL, INDICATOR, OR CONNECTOR	FUNCTION
94	10 MHz oven connector	Provides a long-term, high stability frequency reference for Level Meter. Connect to EXT REF 10MHz+N connector with BNC to BNC adapter (supplied) for normal operation. Connector mates with BNC plug.
95	EXT REF 10MHz+N connector	Used to connect 10MHz external reference to Level Meter. Input power can be no less than - 10dBm. Connect to 10MHz oven connector with BNC to BNC adapter (supplied) for normal operation. Connector mates with BNC plug.
96	Meter connector	Connection providing MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display reading in DC voltage. Sensitivity is 100mv/dB on the 10dB range and 10mv/dB on the 100dB range. Leave open for normal use. Connector mates with BNC plug.
97	Audio connector	Used for impairment measurements. Output level is nominally 750mV p-p. Output impedance is 1,000 Ω . Leave open for normal operation. Connector mates with BNC plug.
98	Phase jitter connector	Used for additional analysis of phase jitter signal. Sensitivity is 166mv per degree of phase jitter. Output impedance is 10,000 Ω . Leave open for normal operation. Connector mates with BNC plug.
99	Power input connector	Connector for line voltage power cable (supplied). Connector mates with CEE 22 plug.

Section II. OPERATOR PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES

2-2. GENERAL.

To be sure that your equipment is always ready for your mission, you must do scheduled preventive maintenance checks and services (PMCS). When you are doing any PMCS or routine checks, keep in mind the WARNINGS and CAUTIONS about electrical shock and bodily harm.

2-3. PMCS PROCEDURES.

a. Tools, Materials, and Equipment Required for Preventive Maintenance. No tools or equipment are required for operator preventive maintenance. Cleaning materials required are listed in Appendix E, items 1 and 2.

b. PMCS for Level Meter is limited to routine checks such as shown below.

- cleaning,
- dusting,
- wiping,
- checking for frayed cables,
- storing items not in use,
- covering unused receptacles,
- checking for loose nuts, bolts, and screws.

c. Perform these routine checks anytime you see they must be done.

Section III. OPERATION UNDER USUAL CONDITIONS

2-4. GENERAL.

Operation is broken down into ten individual operating procedures. Before measurement of a specific signal can be made, the operator must determine which of the ten operation modes will perform the desired measurement. Table 2-3 is a cross-reference of the Level Meter measurement mode to the type of signal to be measured. Error messages encountered during operation will be displayed in the measurement/entry area. Table 2-2 lists all operator errors and the probable cause.

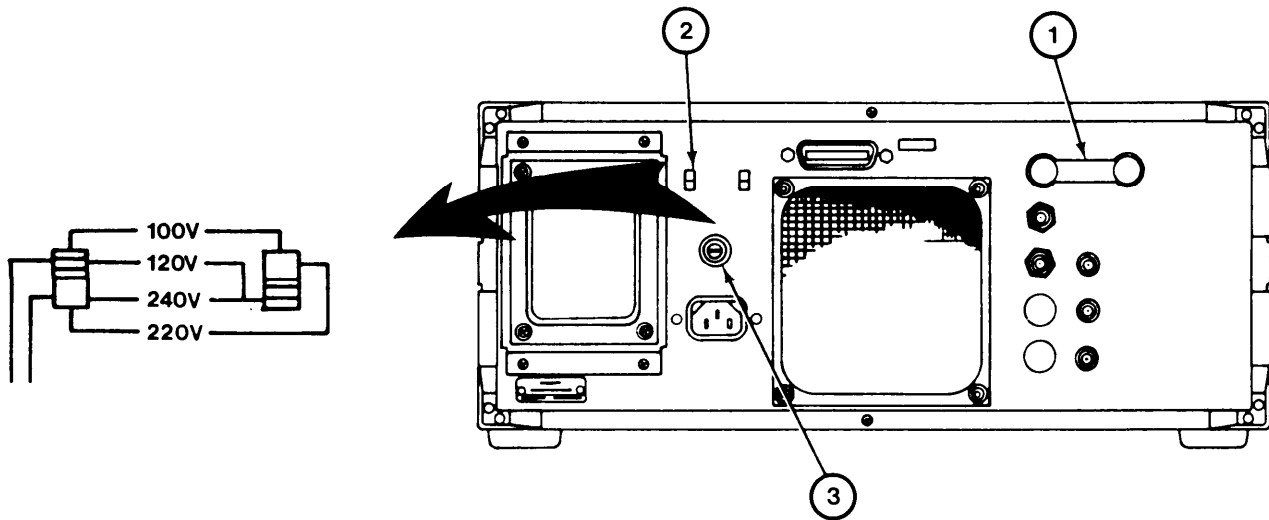
2-5. PREPARATION FOR USE.

- a. Connect the BNC adapter (1) to the 10MHz OVEN output and EXT REF 10MHZ input connectors on the rear panel.
- b. Locate line voltage switch (2) on rear panel of Level Meter. Verify line voltage switch and fuse size are correct for your power source (table 2-1).

Table 2-1. Line Voltage Switch Settings and Fuse Size.

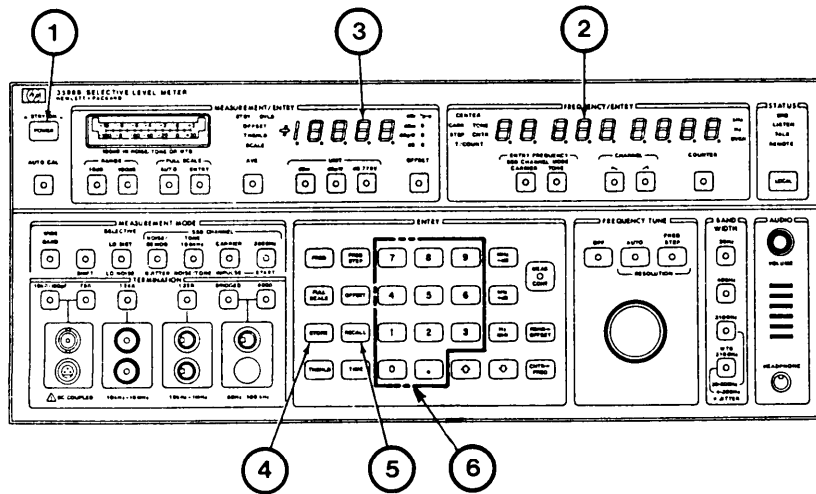
Input Voltage	Switch Position	Fuse
90 to 105	UP UP	2 amp
108 to 126	UP DOWN	2 amp
198 to 231	DOWN UP	1 amp
216 to 252	DOWN DOWN	1 amp

- c. Check fuse (3) to see if it is missing, broken, or appears to be blown. If fuse is missing, broken, or appears to be blown, contact organizational maintenance.



2-6. TURN-ON PROCEDURES.

- a. With the power cable connected to the rear panel power input connector, verify that the STBY light is illuminated.
- b. Push the POWER BUTTON (1) in and release. Verify that the button remains in and that all front panel controls and indicators illuminate for approximately two seconds and then go blank. Verify that the fan on the rear panel is operating.
- c. Verify that the FREQUENCY/ENTRY (2) displays "3586 b OP". The MEASUREMENT ENTRY (3) display will cycle an AUTO CALIBRATION. It will display "CAL". Verify that after the calibration cycle completes, no errors are present in the MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, If an error is displayed, "CE", "E" or "Err" followed by a number, see table 2-2 for probable cause.



d. Verify the following condition exists on the Level Meter front panel:

MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display	ON
FREQUENCY/ENTRY display	ON
CENTER indicator	ON
KHz indicator	ON
AUTO CAL push button	ON
10dB push button	ON
AUTO push button	ON
dBm push button	ON
CARRIER push button	ON
HIGHER push button	ON
LO DIST push button	ON
10k Ω shunted by 50pF push button	ON
3100Hz push button	ON
All other controls and indicators	OFF

e. If the above condition is obtained and no errors are displayed, the Level Meter is ready for use in one of the ten measurement modes (table 2-3).

NOTE

If the power cable has been disconnected for a period of time, the OVEN indicator will be illuminated for approximately 20 minutes. Do NOT operate the Level Meter with the OVEN indicator on. The measurements obtained will not be within specification.

2-7. STORE/RECALL PROCEDURES.

Up to nine front panel control settings and entry parameters can be stored for recall at a later date as follows:

1. To store a set-up:

- Press the STORE (4) push button and the desired number from 1 to 9 using the numeric key board (6). The number selected will flash in the MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display. If a set-up was previously stored at the location selected (1-9), it will be erased and the new set-up will be stored.

2. To recall a set-up:

- Press the RECALL (5) push button and the desired number from 1 to 9 using the numeric key board (6). The set-up previously stored at that location will display.

3. To reset the Level Meter to the turn-on condition:

- Press RECALL (5), and then O (6).

2-8. ERROR MESSAGES.

Some operator actions and Level Meter failures cause error messages to appear in the MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display. See table 2-2 for a list of error messages and probable cause.

NOTE

If an error appears that is not listed in table 2-2, notify next higher level of maintenance.

Table 2-2. Error Messages.

ERROR	PROBABLE CAUSE	CORRECTIVE ACTION
Err 1	The FULL SCALE level cannot be changed by the operator while the Level Meter is in AUTOMATIC FULL SCALE.	Press MEAS CONT, then ENTRY push buttons.
E 1.2	The 10dB range cannot be used when the Level Meter is set up in the WIDEBAND or IMPULSE measurement modes.	Press MEAS CONT push button.
E 2.2	Ø Jitter cannot be measured because the signal level is 40dB or more below full scale in entry.	Select AUTO then 10dB RANGE.
E 2.3	Ø Jitter cannot be measured because the 1 KHz test tone is not present due to improper test setup.	Correct test setup.
E 2.9	0 Jitter is out of range.	Verify test setup. If correct, notify next higher level of maintenance.
Err 3	Level Meter failure.	Notify next higher level of maintenance.
E4.1	Level Meter failure.	Notify next higher level of maintenance.
E 4.2	Level Meter failure.	Notify next higher level of maintenance.
Err 5	The Level Meter is in REMOTE operation and will not respond to front panel controls.	Verify test setup. If correct, notify next higher level of maintenance.
E 6.1	Accurate impulse measurements are unlikely because the THSHLD level is 56dB or more below full scale.	Press MEAS CONT push button. Increase THSHLD level or decrease Full Scale.
E 6.2	The THSHLD level is more than 3dB above full scale.	Press MEAS CONT push button. Decrease THSHLD level or increase Full Scale.
Err 7	Level Meter failure.	Notify next higher level of maintenance.
CE-1 to 9	Level Meter failure.	Notify next higher level of maintenance.

2-9. OPERATING PROCEDURES.

The operating procedures for the Level Meter are broken down into ten individual measurement modes. See table 2-3 for the measurement mode required to perform the desired signal measurement.

NOTE

If a signal has been measured in any one operational mode listed, the Level Meter can be switched to another measurement mode without having to coarse or fine tune to the input signal.

Table 2-3. Level Meter Measurement Mode Index.

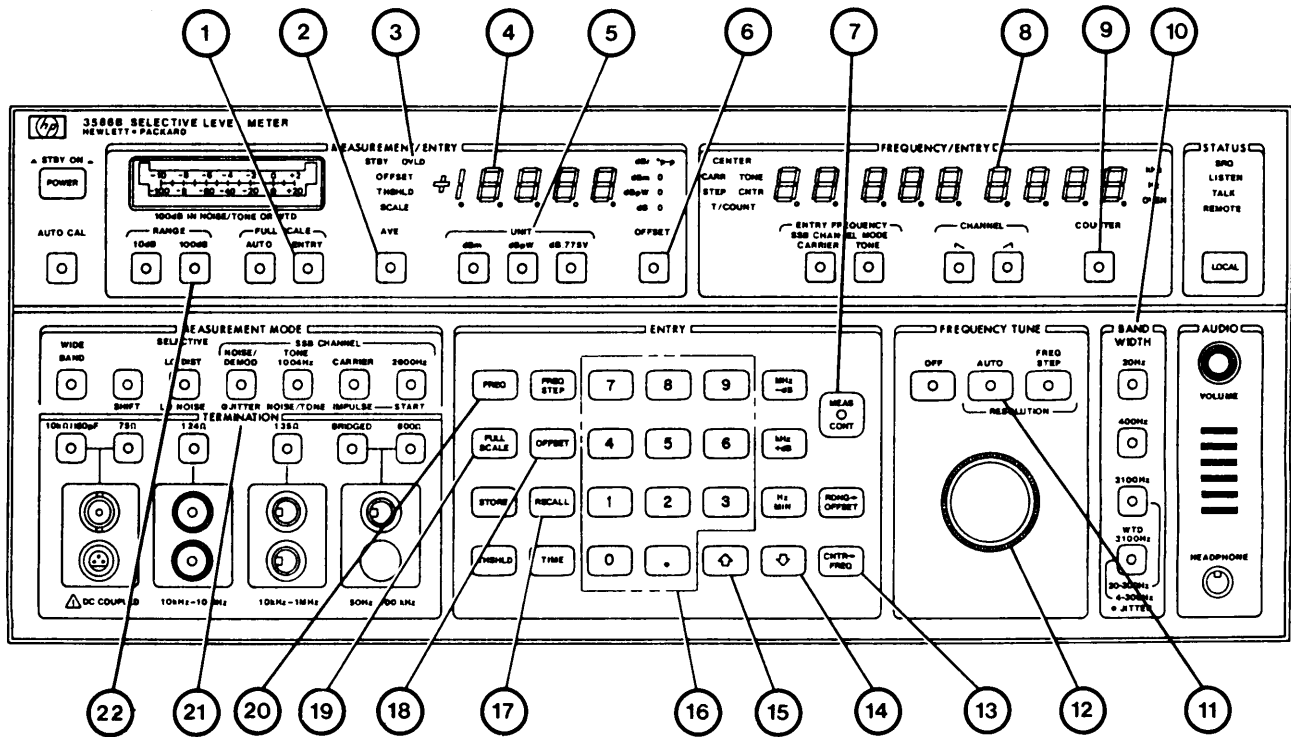
TYPE OF SIGNAL MEASUREMENT	LEVEL METER MEASUREMENT MODE
<p>Non-telecommunication signals. Provides the best overall performance for measuring signals other than telecommunication.</p>	<p>LO DISTORTION (para 2-10).</p>
<p>Non-telecommunication signals. Provides best performance for measuring low level components of high level signals.</p>	<p>LO NOISE (para 2-11).</p>
<p>Any input signal from 50Hz to 32.5MHz. Measures only total power of an input signal.</p>	<p>WIDEBAND (para 2-12).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures idle message channel noise or translates message channel signals to voice frequencies for monitoring or for audio output.</p>	<p>NOISE/DEMODULATION (para 2-13).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures incidental phase modulation of 1KHz tones on message channels.</p>	<p>PHASE JITTER (para 2-14).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures the 1004Hz signal on a message channel. Can be used with NOISE/TONE for signal to noise ratio on a message channel.</p>	<p>TONE 1004Hz (para 2-15).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures noise on a message channel. Removes 1004Hz signal component from message channel. Can be used with TONE 1004Hz for signal to noise ratio on a message channel.</p>	<p>NOISE/TONE (para 2-16).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures carrier leak signals or pilot tones.</p>	<p>CARRIER (para 2-17).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures noise spikes on message channels.</p>	<p>IMPULSE (para 2-18).</p>
<p>Telecommunication signals. Measures the 2600Hz signal on a message channel. The 2600Hz tone indicates an idle message channel.</p>	<p>2600Hz (para 2-15).</p>
<p>Measures the insertion loss of cables and other connection devices used in any given testing hook-up.</p>	<p>NETWORK ANALYSIS (para 2-19).</p>

2-10. LOW DISTORTION MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (17) then number 0 (16) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (21).

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124.Ω or 135 Ω input may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (5).

4. If an OFFSET is required,
 - Press OFFSET (18).
 - Enter offset value (16).
 - Press MEAS CONT (7).

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

5. On Level Meter,
 - Press FREQ (20) and enter approximate frequency of input signal.
 - Press AUTO (11) and adjust FREQ TUNE KNOB (12) for stable indication in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (3).
 - Press COUNTER (9).
 - Press CNTR->FREQ (13).
 - Verify FREQUENCY/ENTRY and MEASUREMENT/ENTRY indications are stable.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

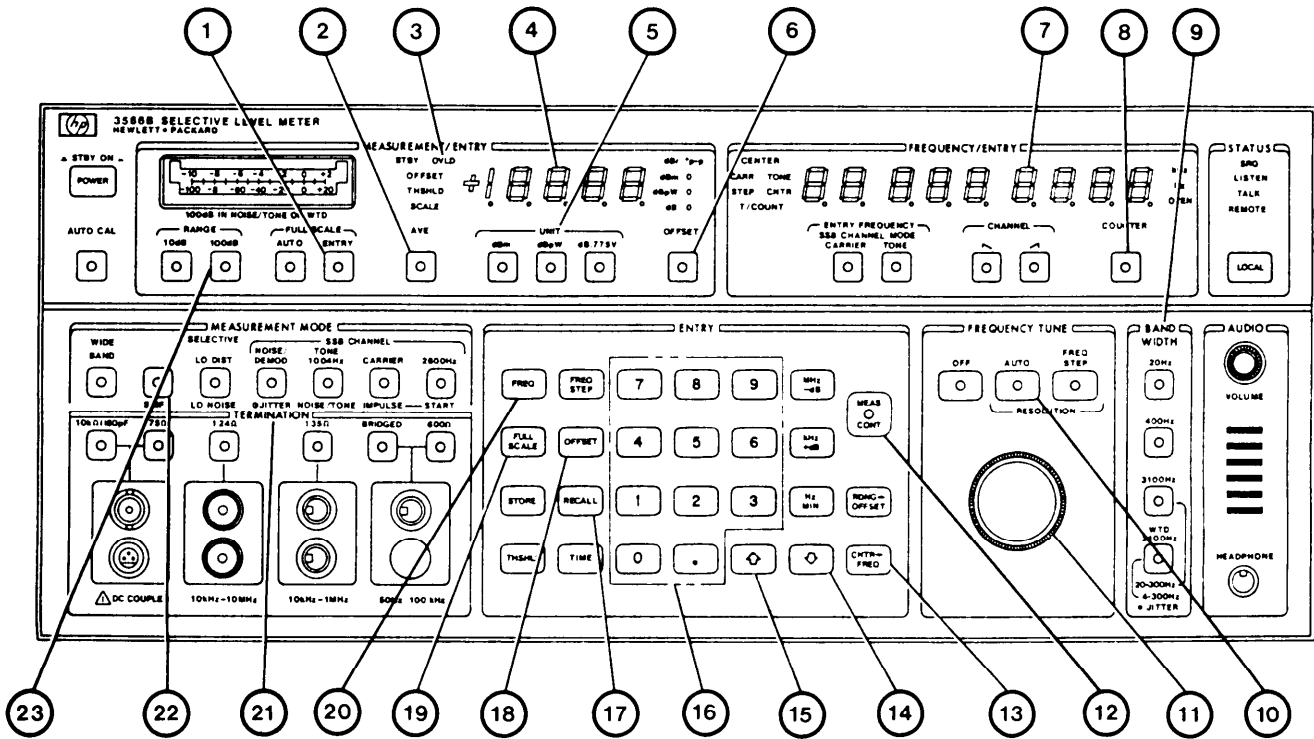
- If indications are unstable, proceed with step 8.
6. If an offset was entered in step 4, press OFFSET (6).
 7. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (3) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (8) indicates input signal frequency.
 8. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable,
 - Press AVE (2). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.
 - Press ENTRY (1),
 - Press FULL SCALE (19), UP ARROW (15) or DOWN ARROW (14) then MEAS CONT (7) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.
 - Select 100dB RANGE (22).
 - Select 400Hz BW (10).
 - Select 20Hz BW (10).

2-11. LOW NOISE MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (17), number 0 (16), then SHIFT (22) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (21).

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75 Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124 Ω or 135 Ω input may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (5).

4. If an OFFSET is required,
- Press OFFSET (18).
 - Enter offset value (16).
 - Press MEAS CONT (12).

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

5. On Level Meter,

Press FREQ (20) and enter approximate frequency of input signal.

Press AUTO (10) and adjust FREQ TUNE KNOB (11) for stable indication in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (4).

Press COUNTER (8).

Press CNTR->FREQ (13).

Verify FREQUENCY/ENTRY and MEASUREMENT/ENTRY indications are stable.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

If indications are unstable, proceed with step 9.

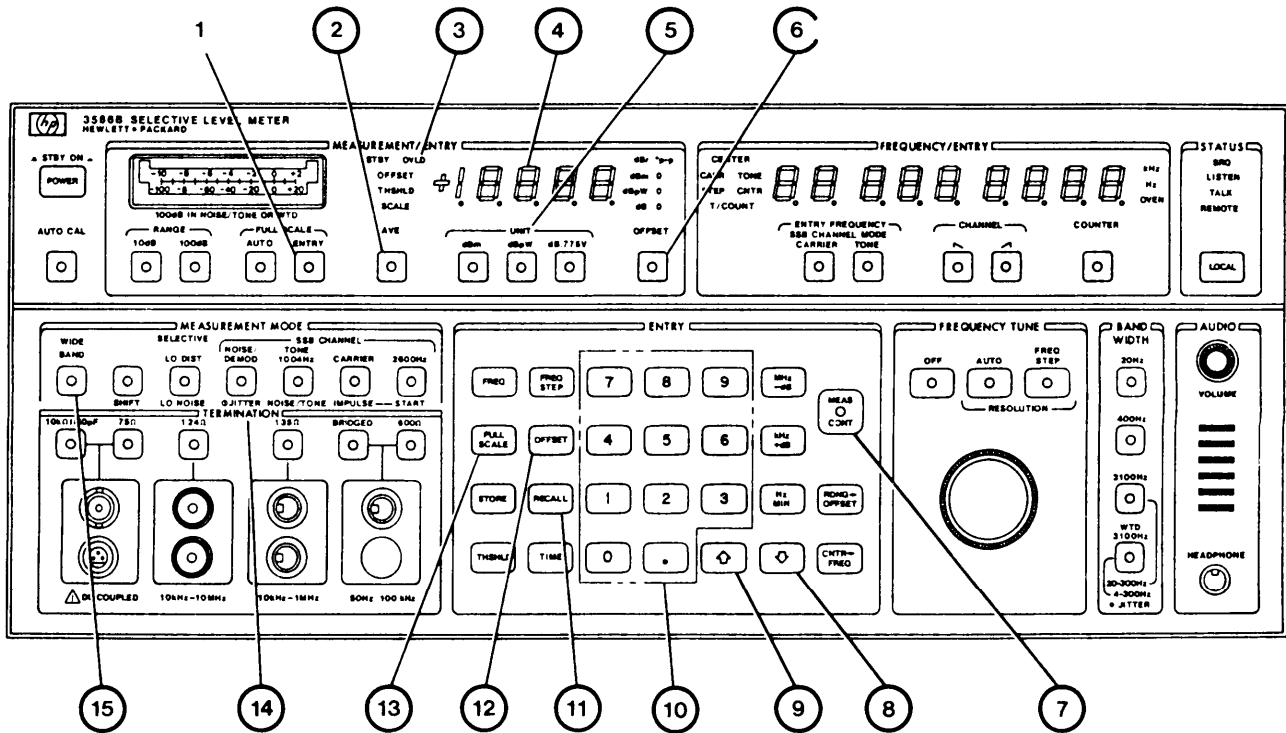
6. If an offset was entered in step 4, press OFFSET (6).
7. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (4) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (7) indicates input signal frequency.
8. On Level Meter, record MEASUREMENT/ENTRY indication. Press SHIFT (22) push button. Compare recorded value to present indication. The desired mode is the one with lowest MEASUREMENT/ENTRY indication.
9. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable,
- Press AVE (2). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.
 - Press ENTRY (1).
 - Press FULL SCALE (19), UP ARROW (15) or DOWN ARROW (14) then MEAS CONT (12) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.
 - Select 100dB RANGE (23).
 - Select 400Hz BW (9).
 - Select 20Hz BW (9).

2-12. WIDEBAND MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (11), number 0 (10), then WIDEBAND (15) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired TERMNATION (14).

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124.Ω or 135Ω input may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (5).

4. If an OFFSET is required,
 - Press OFFSET (12).
 - Enter offset value (10).
 - Press MEAS CONT (7).
 - Press OFFSET (6).

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

5. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (4) indicates input signal power level.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display.

6. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,
 - Press AVE (2). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.
 - Press ENTRY (1).
 - Press FULL SCALE (13), UP ARROW (9) or DOWN ARROW (8) then MEAS CONT (7) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.

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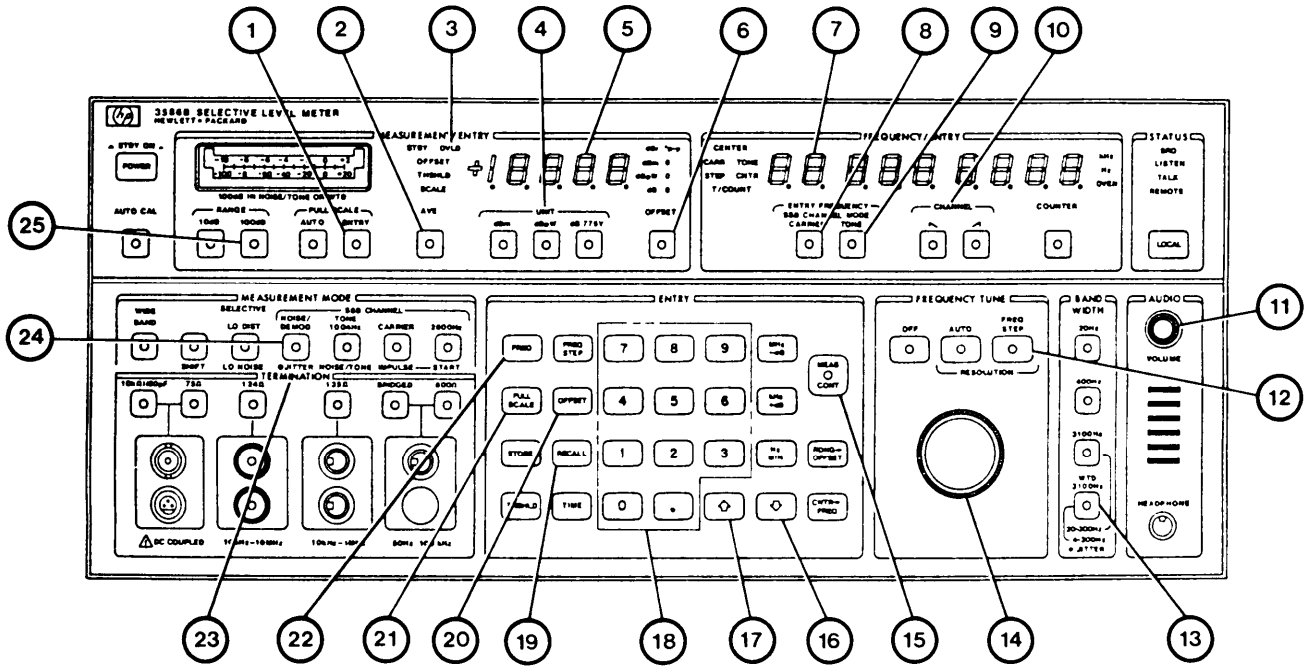
If OVLD indicator is on or "OL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, increase full scale level. If "UL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, decrease full scale level.

2-13. NOISE/DEMODULATION MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (19), number 0 (18), NOISE DEMOD (24), then WTD 3100HZ (13) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (23),

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124Ω or 135Ω input may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (4).

4. If an OFFSET is required,
 - Press OFFSET (20).
 - Enter offset value (18).
 - Press MEAS CONT (15),

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

5. On Level Meter, select desired sideband CHANNEL (10).
6. Tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - If the carrier frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press CARRIER (8), FREQ (22), and enter the carrier frequency.
 - If the tone frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press TONE (9), FREQ (22), and enter the tone frequency.
7. If an offset was entered in step 4, press OFFSET (6).
8. Verify FREQUENCY/ENTRY and MEASUREMENT/ENTRY indications are stable.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

- If indications are unstable, proceed with step 11.
9. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (5) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (7) indicates tuned carrier or tone frequency.
 10. Tune the Level Meter to voice signals as follows:
 - Enter FREQ STEP of 1Hz.
 - Press MEAS CONT (15).
 - Increase AUDIO VOLUME (11).
 - Press FREQ STEP (12).

Using the FREQUENCY TUNE knob (14), slowly adjust for natural sound.
 11. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,
 - Press AVE (2). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.
 - Press ENTRY (1).
 - Press FULL SCALE (21), UP ARROW (17) or DOWN ARROW (16) then MEAS CONT (15) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.

NOTE

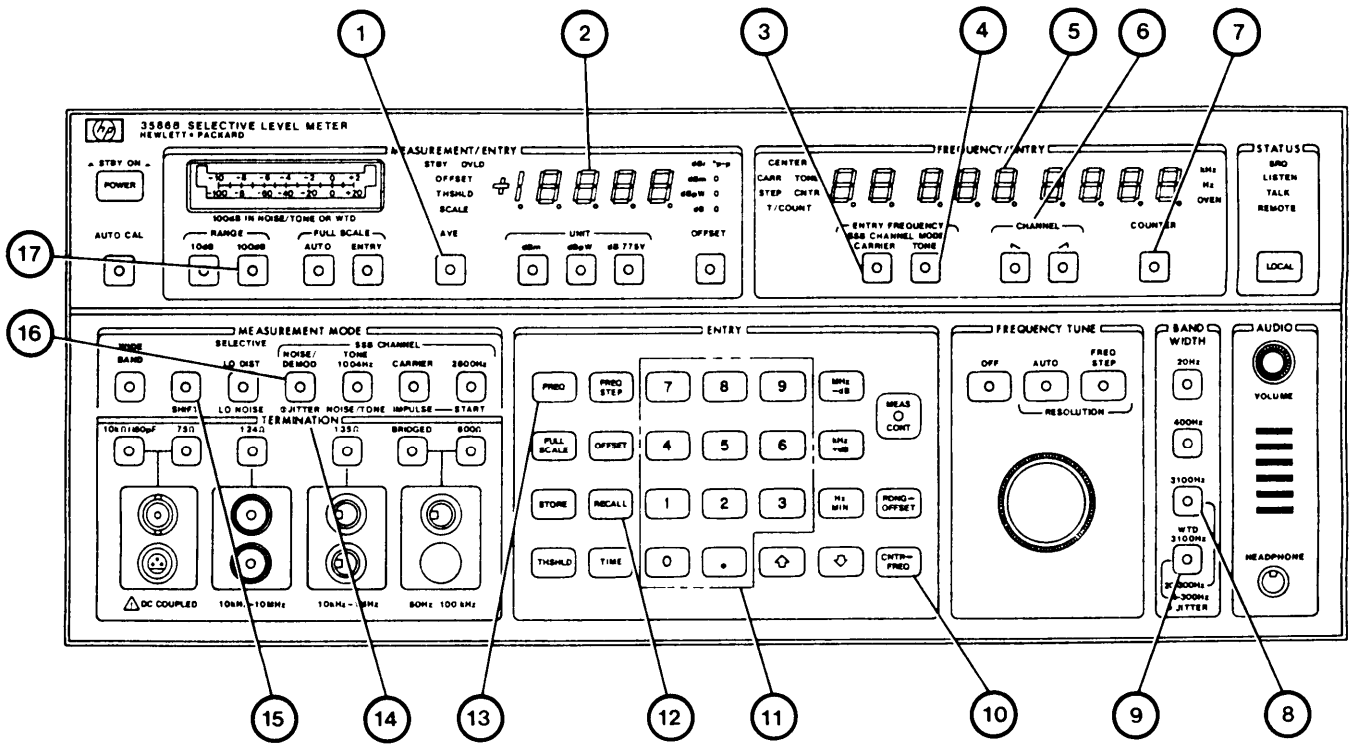
If OVLD indicator is on or "OL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, increase full scale level. If "UL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, decrease full scale level and/or select 100dB RANGE (25).

2-14. PHASE JITTER MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (12), number 0 (11), SHIFT (15), then Ø JITTER (16) push buttons.
2. On Level Meter,
 - If 20-300Hz band is desired, press 3100Hz (8) push button.
 - If 4-300Hz band is desired press WTD3100Hz (9) push button.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

3. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (14).

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124 Ω or 135 Ω input may be used at one time.

4. On Level Meter, select desired sideband CHANNEL (6).
5. Tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - I If the carrier frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press CARRIER (3), FREQ (13), and enter the carrier frequency.
 - If the tone frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press TONE (4), FREQ (13), and enter the tone frequency.
6. Fine tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - Press COUNTER (7).
 - Press CNTR->FREQ (10).
7. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (2) indicates input signal phase jitter. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (5) indicates input signal frequency.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

8. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,
 - Press AVE (1). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.

NOTE

Use AVE only when necessary because it will decrease the accuracy of this measurement.

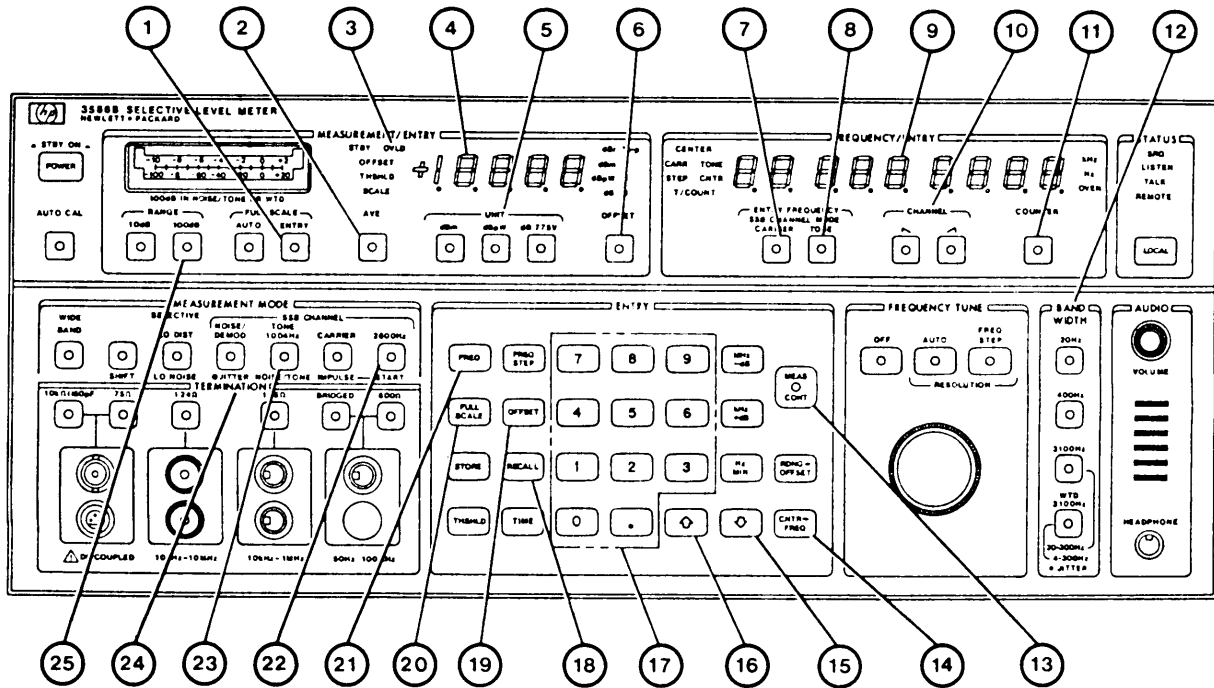
- Select 100dB RANGE (17).

2-15. TONE 1004Hz AND 2600Hz MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (18) then number 0 (17) push buttons.
2. On Level Meter,
 - If 1004Hz measurement is desired press 1004Hz (23).
 - If 2600Hz measurement is desired press 2600Hz (22).



The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

3. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (24).



When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124 Ω or 135 Ω input may be used at one time.

4. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (5).

5. If an OFFSET is required,
 - Press OFFSET (19).
 - Enter offset value (17).
 - Press MEAS CONT (13).

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

6. On Level Meter, select desired sideband CHANNEL (10).
7. Tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - If the carrier frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press CARRIER (7), FREQ (21), and enter the carrier frequency.
 - If the tone frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press TONE (8), FREQ (21), and enter the tone frequency.
8. Fine tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - Press 3100HZ (12).
 - Press COUNTER (11).
 - Press CNTR->FREQ (14).
 - Press 400Hz (12).
9. If an offset was entered in step 5, press OFFSET (6).
10. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (4) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (9) indicates input signal frequency.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

11. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,
 - Press AVE (2), If display still unstable, turn AVE off.

NOTE

Use AVE only when necessary because it will decrease the accuracy of this measurement.

- Press ENTRY (1).
- Press FULL SCALE (20), UP ARROW (16) or DOWN ARROW (15) then MEAS CONT (13) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.

NOTE

If OVLD indicator is on or "OL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, increase full scale level. If "UL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, decrease full scale level and./or select 100dB RANGE (25).

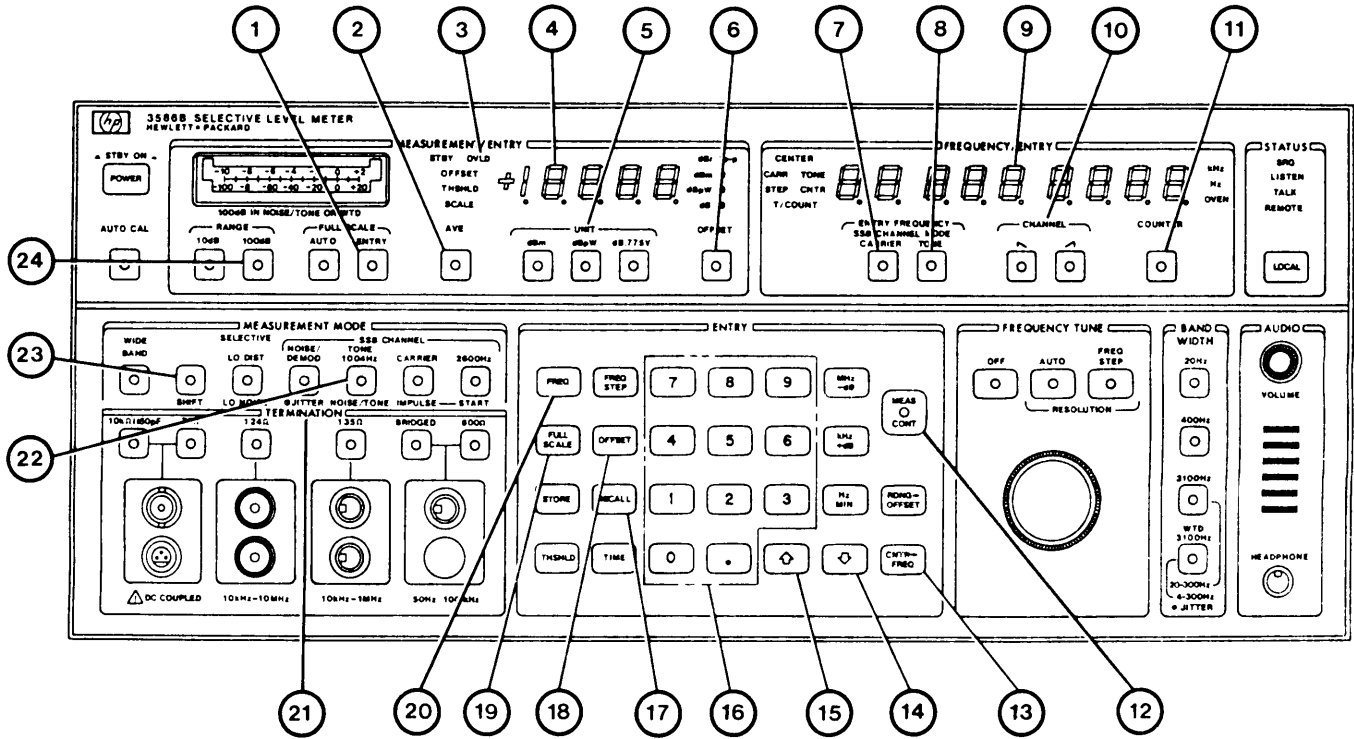
- Repeat step 8.

2-16. NOISE/TONE MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (17), number 0 (16), SHIFT (23), then NOISE/TONE (22) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (21).

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124Ω or 135Ω input may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (5).

4. If an OFFSET is required
 - Press OFFSET (18).
 - Enter offset value (16).
 - Press MEAS CONT (12).

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

5. On Level Meter, select desired sideband CHANNEL (10).

6. Tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:

If the carrier frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press CARRIER (7), FREQ (20), and enter the carrier frequency.

- If the tone frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press TONE (8), FREQ (20), and enter the tone frequency.

7. Fine tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:

- Press SHIFT (23).
- Press COUNTER (11).
- Press CNTR->FREQ (13).
- Press SHIFT (23).

8. If an offset was entered in step 4, press OFFSET (6).

9. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (4) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (9) indicates input signal frequency.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

10. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,

- Press AVE (2). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.

NOTE

Use AVE only when necessary because it will decrease the accuracy of this measurement.

- Press ENTRY (1).
- Press FULL SCALE (19), UP ARROW (15) or DOWN ARROW (14) then MEAS CONT (12) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.

NOTE

If OVLD indicator is on or "OL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, increase full scale level. If "UL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, decrease full scale level and/or select 100dB RANGE (24).

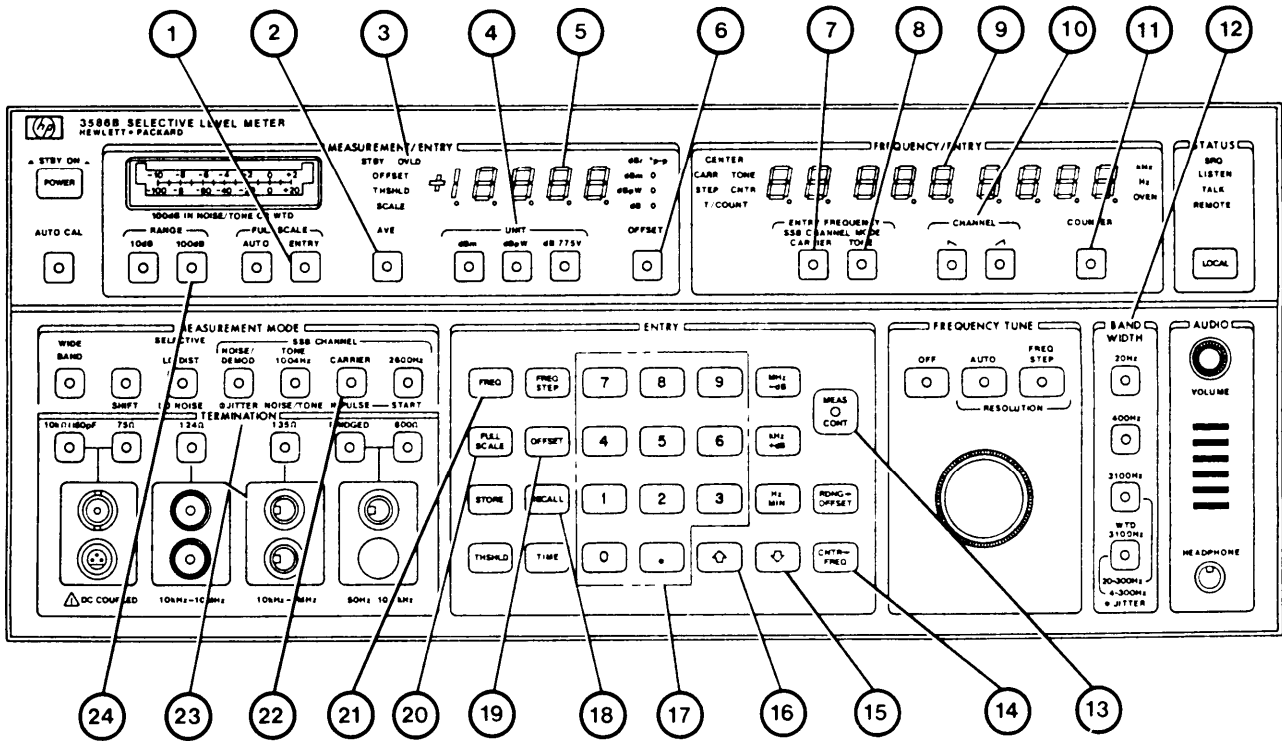
- Repeat step 7.

2-17. CARRIER MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test.

1. On Level Meter, press **RECALL** (18), number **0** (17), then **CARRIER** (22) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired **TERMINATION** (23).

When using BNC input, use only 75Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124 Ω or 135Ω i nput may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired **UNIT** of measurement (4).

4. If an OFFSET is required,
 - Press OFFSET (19).
 - Enter offset value (17).
 - Press MEAS CONT (13).

NOTE

Do not change the units after offset has been entered.

5. On Level Meter, select desired sideband CHANNEL (10).
6. Tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - If the carrier frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press CARRIER (7), FREQ (21), and enter the carrier frequency.
 - If the tone frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press TONE (8), FREQ (21), and enter the tone frequency.
7. Fine tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:
 - Press 3100HZ (12).
 - Press COUNTER (1 1).
 - Press CNTR->FREQ (14).
 - Press 20Hz (12).
8. If an offset was entered in step 4, press OFFSET (6).
9. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (5) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (9) indicates input signal frequency.

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

10. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,
 - Press AVE (2). If display still unstable, turn AVE off.

NOTE

Use AVE only when necessary because it will decrease the accuracy of this measurement.

- Press ENTRY (1).
- Press FULL SCALE (20), UP ARROW (16) or DOWN ARROW (15) then MEAS CONT (13) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.

NOTE

If OVLD indicator is on or "OL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, increase full scale level. If "UL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, decrease full scale level and/or select 100dB RANGE (24).

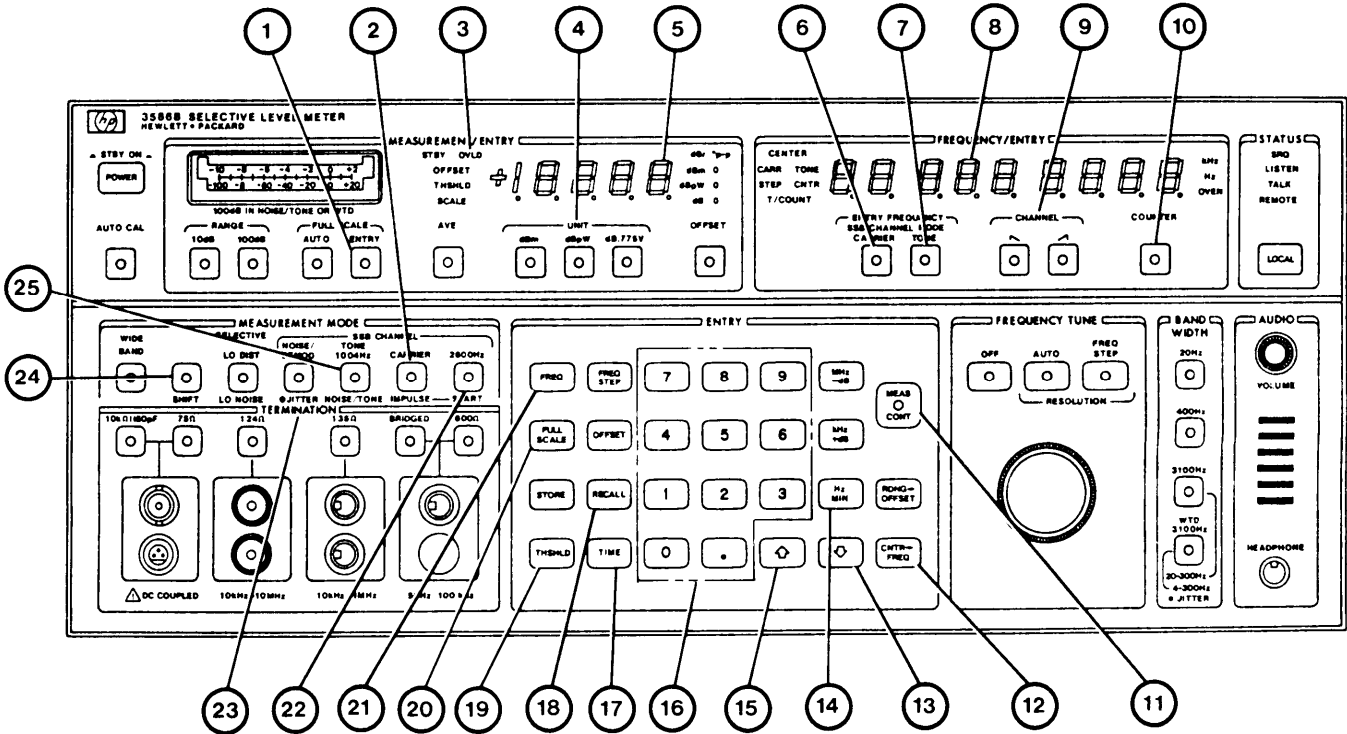
- Repeat step 7.

2-18. IMPULSE MEASUREMENT.

NOTE

To insure optimum performance, keep cable lengths as short as possible. Try to use the same power source for the Level Meter and the unit under test

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (18), number 0 (16), SHIFT (24), then IMPULSE (2) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input power must not exceed +27dBm or damage to internal circuitry may result.

2. On Level Meter, select desired TERMINATION (23).

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75 Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

NOTE

Only 124 Ω or 135 Ω input may be used at one time.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (4).

4. On Level Meter, enter minimum number of noise spikes to be counted as follows:

- Press THSHLD (19).
- Enter threshold level (16).
- Press MEAS CONT(11).

NOTE

Do not change the units after threshold has been entered.

5. On Level Meter, select desired sideband CHANNEL (9).

6. Tune the Level Meter to the input signal frequency as follows:

- If the carrier frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press CARRIER (6), FREQ (21), and enter the carrier frequency.
- If the tone frequency is to be used to tune the Level Meter to a message channel, press TONE (7), FREQ (21), and enter the tone frequency.

7. If 1004Hz test tone is on message channel, fine tune Level Meter as follows:

- Press NOISE/TONE (25).
- Press COUNTER (10).
- Press CNTR->FREQ (12).
- Press IMPULSE (2).

8. On Level Meter, enter duration as follows:

- If counting for a specific time limit, press TIME (17) and enter time in minutes, decimal point, and seconds. Press MEAS CONT (11).
- If counting is to be continuous, press TIME (17) and enter 1000000. Press MIN (14). Verify "CON" appears in FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (8). Press MEAS CONT (11).

9. Press START (22).

10. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (5) indicates input signal power level. FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (8) indicates time duration (left side) and number of impulse spikes (right side).

NOTE

Input signal modulation (AM or FM) may cause instability in either display.

11. If MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display is unstable or constantly resets full scale level,

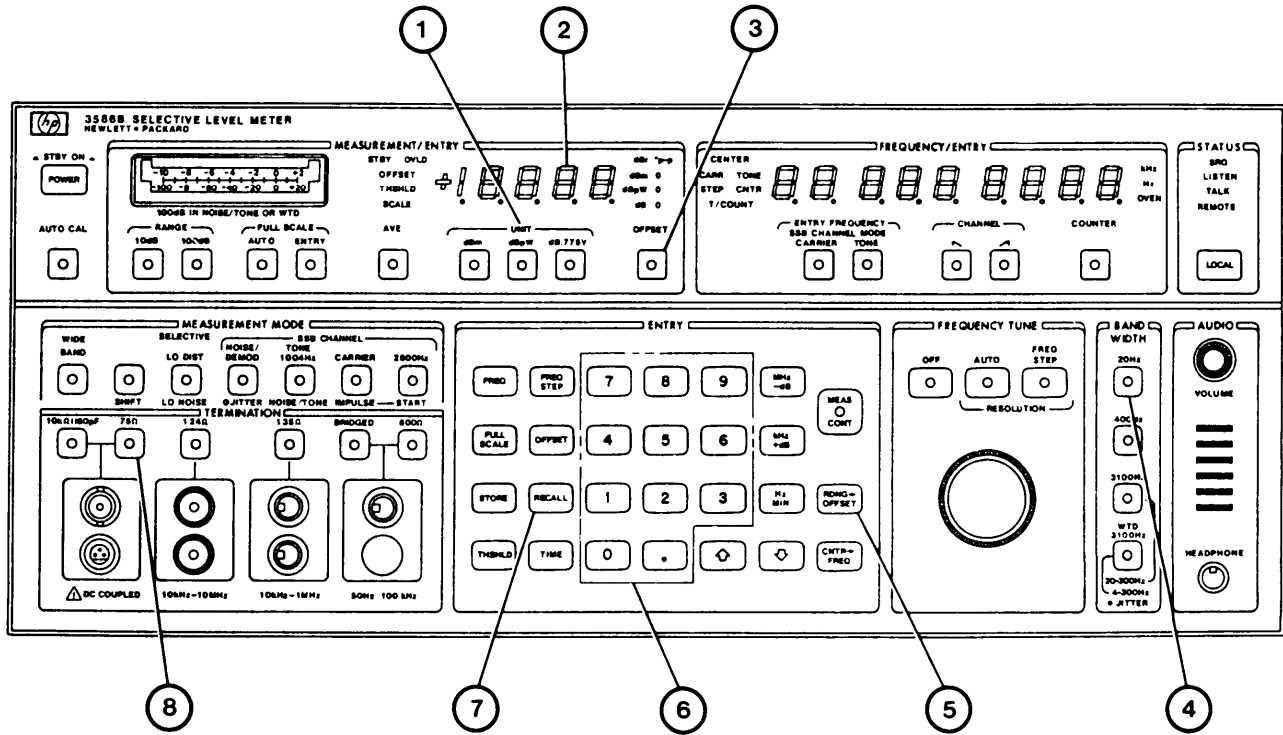
- Press ENTRY (1),
- Press FULL SCALE (20), UP ARROW (15) or DOWN ARROW (13) then MEAS CONT (11) push buttons until display is stable. Verify OVLD indicator (3) remains off.

NOTE

If OVLD indicator is on or "OL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, increase full scale level. If "UL" appears in MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display, decrease full scale level.

2-19. NETWORK ANALYSIS MEASUREMENT.

1. On Level Meter, press RECALL (7) then number 0 (6) push buttons.



CAUTION

The maximum input must not exceed $\pm 27\text{dBm}$ or damage to internal circuitry may result

2. On Level Meter,

Select 75 Ω input (8).

Connect rear panel Fo (0-32 .5MHz) output connector to front panel 75 Ω BNC input using 75 Ω cable supplied.

CAUTION

When using BNC input, use only 75 Ω BNC plugs. Use of other impedance plugs may damage Level Meter.

3. On Level Meter, select desired UNIT of measurement (1).

4. On Level Meter,

- Press 20Hz (4).
- Press RDNG—>OFFSET (5).

5. Disconnect cable from front panel 75 Ω BNC input.

6. On Level Meter, press OFFSET (3).

7. Connect the device that needs insertion loss measured between 75 Ω cable and 75 Ω BNC input.
8. MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (2) indicates insertion loss of the device connected to BNC input plus output level shifts due to unequal source and termination impedance.

NOTE

If device impedance is not 75 Ω , impedance matching devices must be used between device to be measured and Level Meter.

Section IV. OPERATION UNDER UNUSUAL CONDITIONS

2-20. OPERATION IN EXTREME HEAT AND EXTREME COLD.

- a. Operate the Level Meter only in a temperature range of 0 to +55° C (32 to 131° F).
- b. Make sure the filter is clean and at least one inch of open space exists from the rear and side panels.

2-21. OPERATION IN WET WEATHER.

- a. The Level Meter will operate normally in 95% relative humidity at +40° C.
- b. If the Level Meter has gotten wet, allow it to dry completely before using.

2-22. OPERATION IN SANDY OR DUSTY AREAS.

- a. Do not operate the Level Meter in sandy or dusty areas.

2-23. EMERGENCY PROCEDURES.

- a. Reduction of power. The Level Meter will operate with power reduced from 90 to 105Vac, 108 to 126Vac, 198 to 231Vac or from 216 to 252Vac. The Level Meter will not operate with any further reduction of power.

CHAPTER 3 ORGANIZATION MAINTENANCE

Section I. REPAIR PARTS, SPECIAL TOOLS, TMDE, AND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

3-1. COMMON TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT.

Common tools and equipment required for organizational maintenance of Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490 are listed in the Maintenance Allocation Chart (MAC) (Appendix B).

3-2. SPECIAL TOOLS, TMDE, AND SUPPORT EQUIPMENT.

There are no special tools, TMDE, or support equipment required.

3-3. REPAIR PARTS.

Repair parts are listed and illustrated in the repair parts and special tools list, TM 11-6625-3087-24P.

Section II. SERVICE UPON RECEIPT

3-4. SERVICE UPON RECEIPT OF MATERIAL.

a. Unpacking. Special design reusable packing material inside this shipping carton provides maximum protection for Level Meter. Avoid damaging carton and packing material during equipment unpacking. Use the following steps for unpacking Level Meter

Cut and remove paper sealing tape on carton top and open carton.

Grasp Level Meter firmly while restraining shipping carton and lift equipment and packing material vertically.

Place Level Meter and end cap packing material on a suitable flat clean and dry surface.

Remove end cap packing material while firmly supporting Level Meter.

Remove protective plastic bag from Level Meter. Place desiccant bags back inside protective plastic bag.

Place protective plastic bag and end cap packing material inside shipping carton.

Return shipping carton to supply system.

b. Checking Unpacked Equipment.

Inspect the equipment for damage incurred during shipment. If the equipment has been damaged report the damage on SF-364, Report of Discrepancy (ROD).

Check the equipment against the packing slip to see if the shipment is complete. Report all discrepancies in accordance with the instructions of DA Pam 738-750.

Check to see whether the equipment has been modified.

3-5. PRELIMINARY SERVICING AND ADJUSTMENT OF EQUIPMENT.

a. Perform all items under preparation for use (para 2-5).

b. Perform the turn-on procedures (para 2-6).

c. Perform operational test (para 3-7).

Section III. TROUBLESHOOTING

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3-6. TROUBLESHOOTING TABLE.

Table 3-1 lists common malfunctions which you may find during operation or maintenance of the Level Meter or its components. You should perform the tests/inspections and corrective actions in the order listed.

This manual cannot list all malfunctions that may occur, nor all tests or inspections and corrective actions. If a malfunction is not listed or is not corrected by listed corrective actions, notify your supervisor.

Table 3-1. Troubleshooting.

MALFUNCTION	TEST OR INSPECTION	CORRECTIVE ACTION
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1. LEVEL METER WILL NOT TURN-ON.

Step 1. Check the fuse and fuseholder cap.

- Replace faulty component.

Step 2. Check to see if the power is available at the power receptacle.

- Move to a working receptacle.

Step 3. Check power cable.

- Replace faulty component.
- Notify next higher level of maintenance.

Table 3-1. Troubleshooting--Continued.

MALFUNCTION

TEST OR INSPECTION

CORRECTIVE ACTION

2. LEVEL METER QUILTS DURING OPERATION

Step 1. Perform malfunction No. 1.

Step 2. Allow the Level Meter to cool and then try operating.

- If Level Meter operates normally, check air filter. Clean as required.
- If Level Meter does not operate, notify next higher level of maintenance.

3. FREQUENCY/ENTRY DISPLAY BLANK.

Step 1. Check to see if the Level Meter is in WIDEBAND mode.

- Select another mode.

Step 2. Check to see if an ERROR message is present in the MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display.

- If error is present, go to malfunction No. 4.
- If error is not present, proceed with step 3.

Step 3. Press AUTO CAL push button.

- If no calibration error is displayed, recheck operating instructions (para 2-9).
- If calibration error is displayed, notify next higher level of maintenance.

4. ERROR MESSAGE PRESENT IN MEASUREMENT/ENTRY DISPLAY.

Step 1. Check to see if error is listed in table 2-2.

- Perform required action as listed.

Step 2. Press MEAS CONT push button.

- If error disappears, resume normal operation.
- If error remains, notify next higher level of maintenance.

5. FREQUENCY TUNE KNOB WILL NOT CHANGE FREQUENCY.

Step 1. Check to see if AUTO or FREQ STEP push buttons are on.

- Select proper push button.
- Notify next higher level of maintenance.

Table 3-1. Troubleshooting-Continued.

MALFUNCTION

TEST OR INSPECTION

CORRECTIVE ACTION

6. AUDIO NOT OPERATIVE.

Step 1. Verify in LO DIST, LO NOISE, or NOISE/DEMODO measurement modes.

- Make proper selection.

Step 2. Check to see if the audio volume knob is fully CCW.

- Increase volume (CW).

Step 3. Perform operational test (para 3-7).

- If audio present at end of test, recheck operating instructions.
- If audio is missing or weak, notify next higher level of maintenance.

7. LEVEL METER WILL NOT MEASURE INPUT SIGNAL.

Step 1. Check to see if the unit under test is on.

- Apply power.

Step 2. Press AUTO CAL push button.

- If calibration error is displayed, notify next higher level of maintenance.
- If no calibration error is displayed, proceed with step 3.

Step 3. Perform operational test (para 3-7).

- If test passes, recheck operating instructions (para 2-9).
- If test fails, notify next higher level of maintenance.

8. OVLD INDICATOR FLASHING.

Step 1. Check full scale setting on Level Meter.

- Select AUTO or increase full scale setting.

Step 2. Check amplitude of input signal.

- Decrease amplitude until indicator goes out.
- Notify next higher level of maintenance.

9. OL/UL IN MEASUREMENT/ENTRY DISPLAY.

Step 1. Check amplitude of input signal.

- Adjust amplitude until indicator goes out.

Step 2. Press AUTO CAL push button.

- If no calibration error is displayed, recheck operating instructions.
 - If calibration error is displayed, notify next higher level of maintenance.
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Section IV. MAINTENANCE PROCEDURES

3-7. OPERATIONAL TEST.

DESCRIPTION

This procedure covers: Test.

INITIAL SETUP

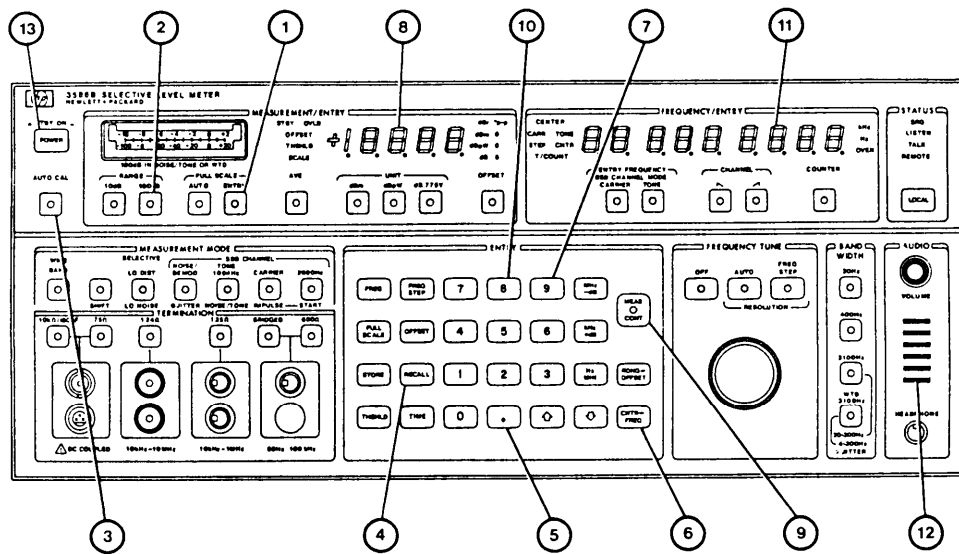
NOTE

PRELIMINARY PROCEDURES:

Perform turn on procedures (para 2-6).

TEST

1. Press ENTRY (1), 100dB (2). Turn AUTO CAL (3) to off. Set full scale to -35dBm.
2. Press RECALL (4), . (decimal point) (5), CNTR→FREQ (6), and number 9 (7) push buttons.
3. Verify that PASS is shown on the MEASUREMENT/ENTRY display (8)
4. Press MEAS CONT (9),
5. Press RECALL (4), . (decima point) (5), CNTR->FREQ (6), and number 8 (10) push buttons.
6. Verify that PASS is shown on the FREQUENCY/ENTRY display (11) for four tests, and musical tones are heard at the speaker (12).
7. Press POWER SWITCH (13).



END OF TASK

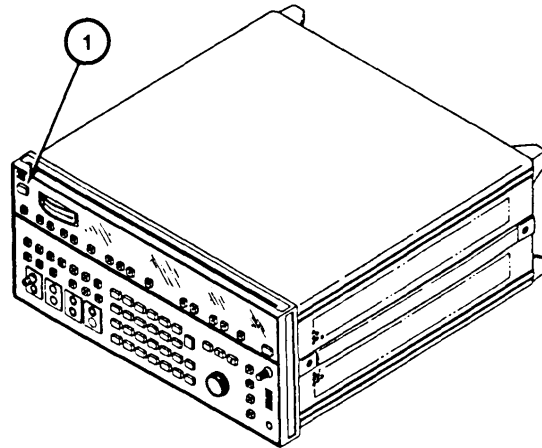
3-8. REPLACE FUSE.

DESCRIPTION

This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

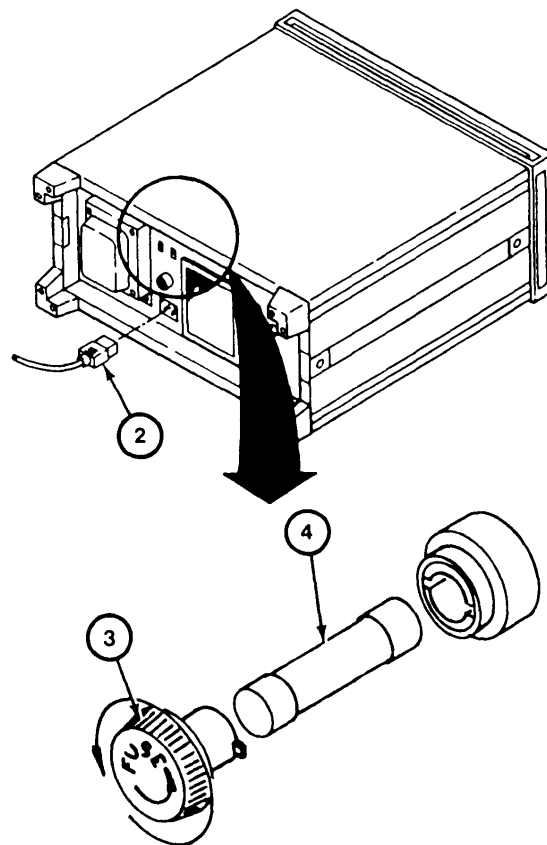
REMOVE

1. Working at the front panel, set POWER switch (1) to STBY.
2. Working from rear, unplug power cable (2).
3. Rotate the fuseholder cap (3) counterclockwise until it stops.
4. Pull fuse (4) out of fuseholder cap (3).



INSTALL

1. Working from rear, insert the fuse (4) into the fuseholder cap (3) and place it into the fuseholder body.
2. Push in and rotate the fuseholder cap (3) clockwise until it locks.
3. Replace power cable (2).
4. Working from front, set POWER switch (1) to ON.



END OF TASK

3-9. REPLACE FRONT PANEL CONTROL KNOBS.

DESCRIPTION

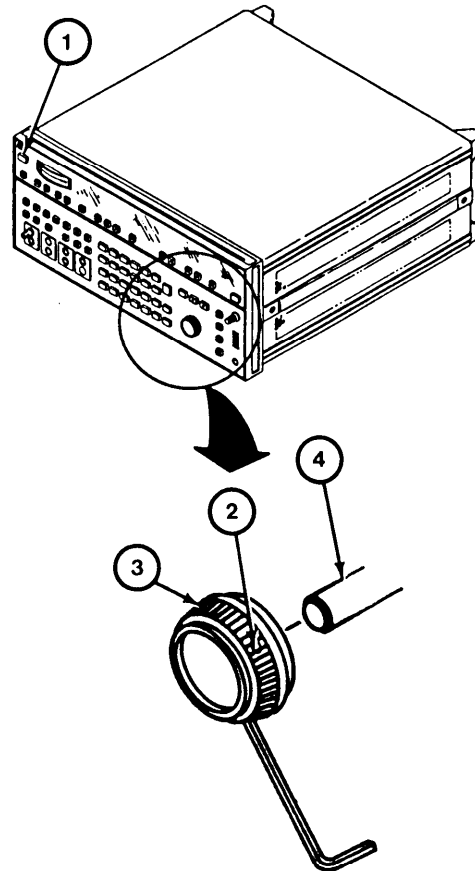
This rocedure covers:Remove. Install,

REMOVE

1. Set POWER switch (1) to STBY.
2. Loosen two setscrews (2).
3. Pull knob (3) off shaft (4).

INSTALL

1. Push knob (3) onto shaft (4).
2. Tighten two setscrews (2).
3. Set POWER switch (1) to ON.



END OF TASK

3-10. REPLACE FRONT PANEL PUSH BUTTONS.

DESCRIPTION

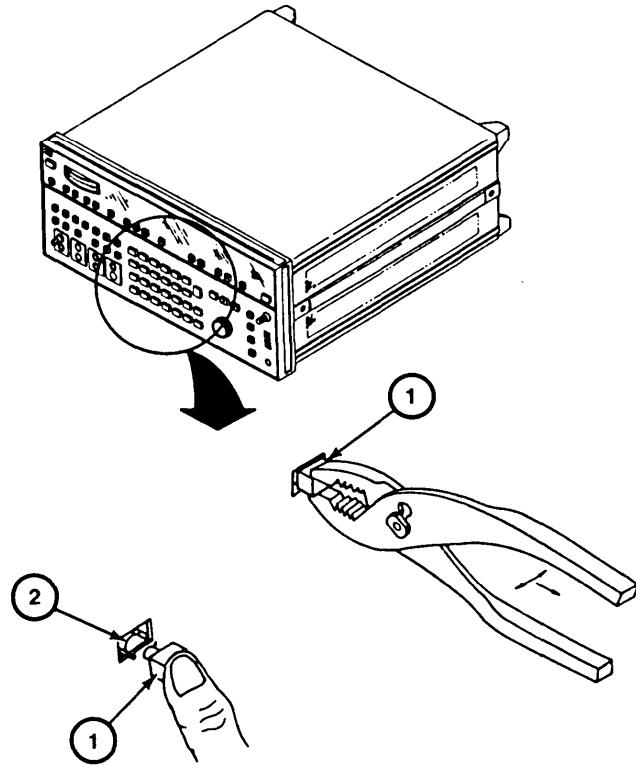
This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

REMOVE

1. CAREFULLY pull push button (1) off actuator (2) using a small pliers.

INSTALL

1. Align the push button (1) on the switch actuator (2).
2. Press the new push button (1) until it seats fully on the switch actuator (2).
3. Check the push button for free movement and proper operation.



END OF TASK

3-11. REPLACE BOTTOM BUMPERS AND TILT STANDS.

DESCRIPTION

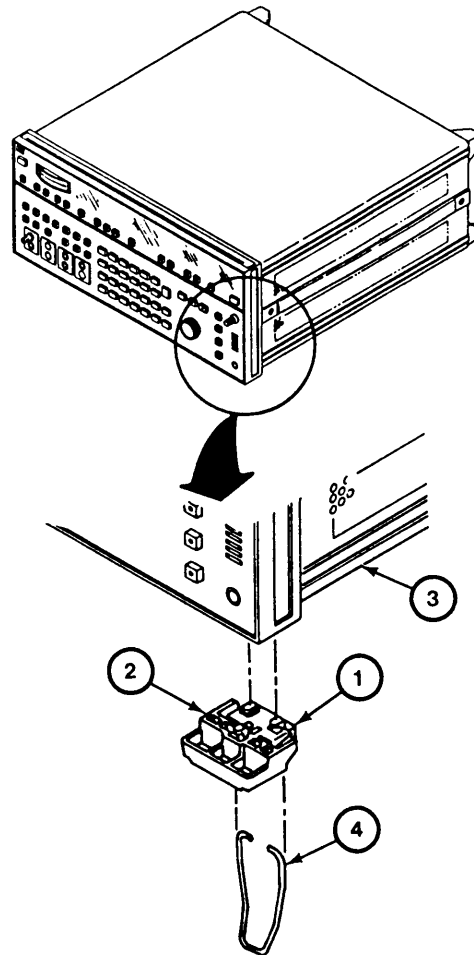
This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

REMOVE

1. Place equipment on side.
2. Lift tab (1) and slide bumper (2) inward.
3. Pull bumper (2) out of bottom cover (3).
4. Remove stand (4) from bumper (2).

INSTALL

1. Replace stand (4) with bend facing away from bottom cover into bumper (2).
2. Align three studs on bumper (2) with three holes on bottom cover (3).
3. Slide bumper (2) outward until it locks.



END OF TASK

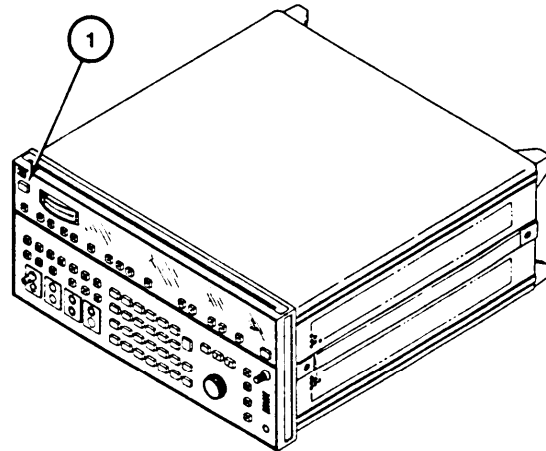
3-12. REPLACE AIR FILTER.

DESCRIPTION

This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

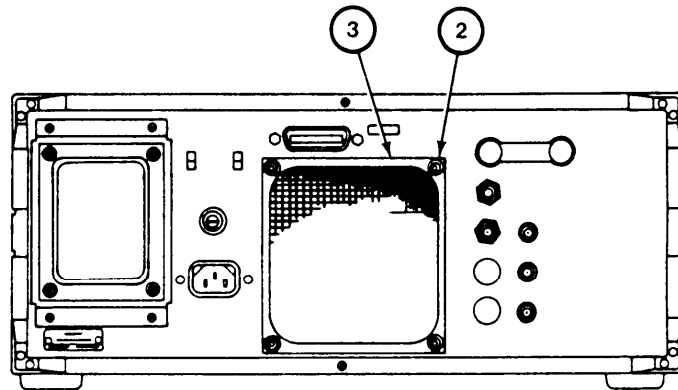
REMOVE

1. Set POWER switch (1) to STBY.
2. Working from rear, remove four thumb nuts (2).
3. Pull off air filter (3).



INSTALL

1. Position air filter (3) on four screws (4).
2. Install four thumb nuts (2).
3. Set POWER switch (1) to ON.



END OF TASK

3-13. REPLACE REAR BUMPERS.**DESCRIPTION**

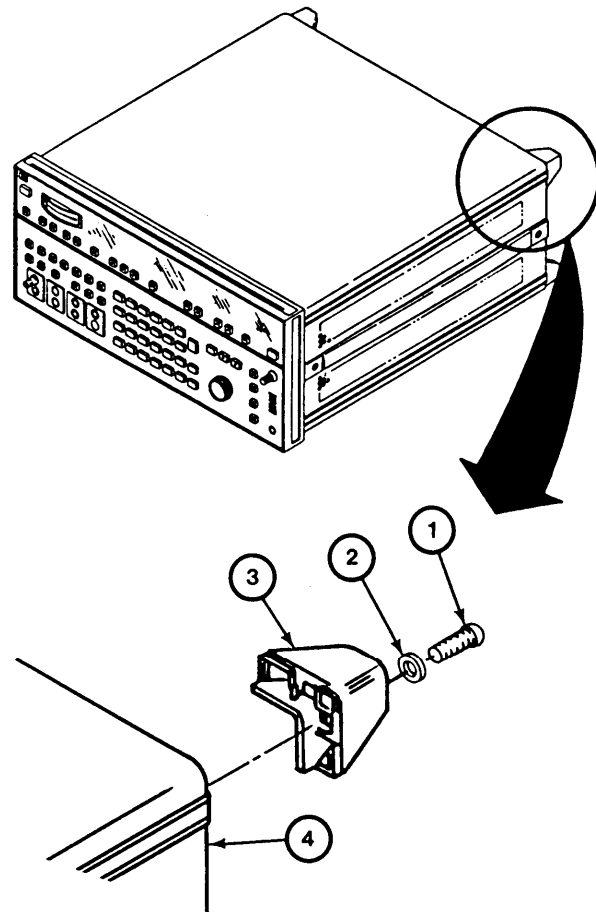
This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

REMOVE

1. Working from rear, remove screw (1) and lock washer (2).
2. Pull bumper (3) from rear frame (4).

INSTALL

1. Working from rear, position bumper (3) on rear frame (4).
2. Install screw (1) and lock washer (2).



END OF TASK

3-14. REPLACE SIDE HANDLES.

DESCRIPTION

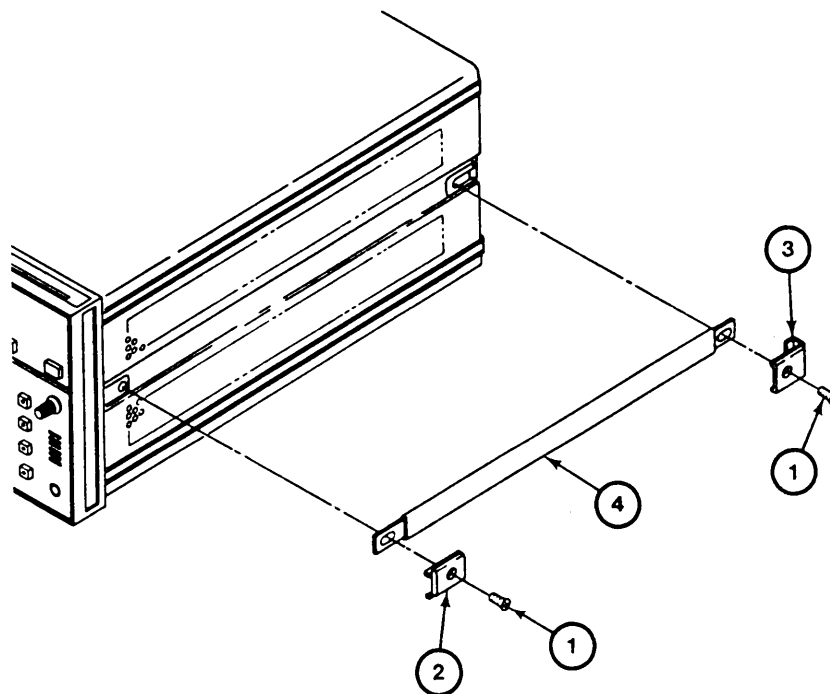
This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

REMOVE

1. Working from side, remove screws (1).
2. Remove front (2) and rear (3) retainers.
3. Remove side handle (4).

INSTALL

1. Working from side, position side handle (4), front (2) and rear (3) retainers.
2. Install screws (1).



END OF TASK

3-15. REPLACE FRONT HANDLES.

DESCRIPTION

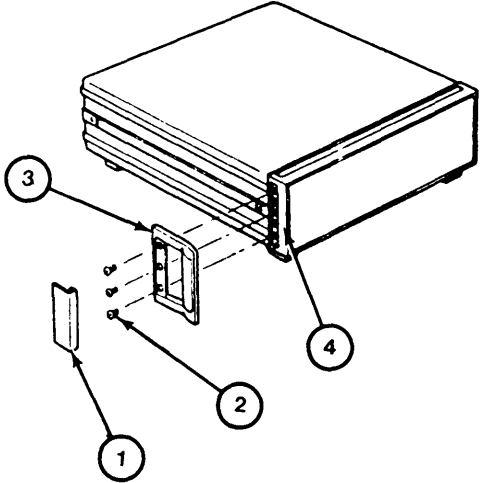
This procedure covers: Remove. Install.

REMOVE

- 1. Working from side, remove trim (1).
- 2. Remove screws (2).
- 3. Remove front handle (3).

INSTALL

- 1. Working from side, position side handle (3) on front frame (4).
- 2. Install screws (2).
- 3. Install trim (1).



END OF TASK

Section V. PREPARATION FOR STORAGE OR SHIPMENT

3-16. PACKAGING.

Package level meter in original shipping container. Refer to SB 38-100 for preservation, packaging, packing and marking materials

3-17. ADMINISTRATIVE STORAGE.

Refer to TM 740-90-1 for administrative storage procedures.

3-18. ENVIRONMENT.

The level meter should be stored in a clean, dry environment. In high humidity environments, protect the level meter from temperature variations that could cause internal condensation. The following environmental conditions apply to both shipping and storage:

- Temperature -40° C to +75° C (-40° F to +158° F)
- Relative Humidity less than 95%
- Altitude less than 15,300 meters (50,000 feet)

**APPENDIX A
REFERENCES**

A-1. SCOPE.

This appendix lists all forms, field manuals, technical manuals, and miscellaneous publications referenced in this manual.

A-2. FORMS.

Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms DA Form 2028
 Recommended Changes to Equipment Technical Manuals DA Form 2028-2
 Discrepancy in Shipment Report (DISREP) Form SF 361
 Report of Discrepancy (ROD) Form SF 364
 Quality deficiency report Form SF 368

A-3. TECHNICAL MANUALS.

The Army Maintenance Management System (TAMMS) DA Pam 738-750
 Procedures for Destruction of Electronics Materiel to prevent Enemy Use (Electronics Command) TM 750-244-2
 Organizational, Direct Support, and General Support Repair Parts and Special Tools List,
 for Frequency Selective Level Meter AN/USM-490 TM 11-6625-3087-24P
 Administrative storage procedures.. TM740-90-1

A-4. MISCELLANEOUS.

Consolidated Index of Army Publications and Blank Forms DA Pam 310-1
 First Aid for Soldiers FM 21-11
 Safety Precautions for Maintenance of Electrical/Electronic Equipment TB 385-4
 Abbreviations for Use on Drawings, Specifications, Standards and in Technical Documents MIL-STD- 12
 Preservation, Packaging, Packing, and Marking Materials, Supplies and Equipment Used by the Army SB 38-100

APPENDIX B MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION

Section I. INTRODUCTION

B-1. GENERAL.

This appendix provides a summary of the maintenance operations for the AN/USM-490. It authorizes categories of maintenance for specific maintenance functions on repairable items and components and the tools and equipment required to perform each function. This appendix may be used as an aid in planning maintenance operations.

B-2. MAINTENANCE FUNCTION.

Maintenance functions will be limited to and defined as follows:

a. Inspect. To determine the serviceability of an item by comparing its physical, mechanical, and/or electrical characteristics with established standards through examination.

b. Test. To verify serviceability and to detect incipient failure by measuring the mechanical or electrical characteristics of an item and comparing those characteristics with prescribed standards.

c. Service. Operations required periodically to keep an item in proper operating condition, i.e., to clean, preserve, drain, paint, or to replenish fuel/lubricants/hydraulic fluids or compressed air supplies.

d. Adjust. Maintain within prescribed limits by bringing into proper or exact position, or by setting the operating characteristics to the specified parameters.

e. Align. To adjust specified variable elements of an item to about optimum or desired performance.

f. Calibrate. To determine the cause and corrections to be made or adjusted on instruments or test measuring and diagnostic equipment used in precision measurement. This consists of the comparison of two instruments, one of which is a certified standard of known accuracy, to detect and adjust any discrepancy in the accuracy of the instrument being compared.

g. Install. The act of emplacing, seating, or fixing into position an item, part, module (component or assembly in a manner to allow the proper functioning of the equipment/system).

h. Replace. The act of substituting a serviceable like-type part, subassembly, module (component or assembly) for an unserviceable counterpart.

j. Repair. The application of maintenance services (inspect, test, service, adjust, align, calibrate, replace) or other maintenance actions (welding, grinding, riveting, straightening, facing, remachining, or resurfacing) to restore serviceability to an item by correcting specific damage, fault, malfunction, or failure in a part, subassembly, module/component/assembly, and item or system. This function does not include the trial and error replacement of running spare type items such as fuses, lamps, or electron tubes.

k. Overhaul. That periodic maintenance effort (service/action) necessary to restore an item to a completely serviceable/operational condition as prescribed by maintenance standards (e.g., DWR) in appropriate technical publications. Overhaul is normally the highest degree of maintenance performed by the Army. Overhaul does not normally return an item to like-new condition.

l. Rebuild. Consists of those services/actions necessary for the restoration of unserviceable equipment to a like-new condition in accordance with original manufacturing standards. Rebuild is the highest degree of material maintenance applied to Army equipment. The measurements (hours, miles, etc.) considered in classifying Army equipment/components.

B-3. COLUMN ENTRIES (Section II).

a. *Column 1, Group Number.* Column 1 lists group numbers, the purpose of which is to identify components, assemblies, subassemblies and modules with the next higher assembly.

b. *Column 2, Component/Assembly.* Column 2 contains the noun names of components, assemblies, subassemblies, and modules for which maintenance is authorized.

c. *Column 3, Maintenance Functions.* Column 3 lists the functions to be performed on the item listed in column 2.

d. *Column 4, Maintenance Category.* Column 4 specifies, by the listing of a "worktime" figure in the appropriate subcolumn(s), the lowest level of maintenance authorized to perform the function listed in column 3. This figure represents the active time required to perform that maintenance function at the indicated category of maintenance. If the number or complexity of the tasks within the listed maintenance function vary at different maintenance categories, appropriate "worktime" figures will be shown for each category. The number of man-hours specified by the "worktime" figure represents the average time required to restore an item (assembly, subassembly, component, module, end item or system) to a serviceable condition under typical field operating conditions. This time includes preparation time, troubleshooting time and quality assurance/quality control time in addition to the time required to perform the specific tasks identified for the maintenance functions authorized in the maintenance allocation chart. Subcolumns of column 4 are as follows:

- C - Operator/Crew
- O- Organizational
- F - Direct Support
- H - General Support
- D - Depot

e. *Column 5, Tools and Equipment.* Column 5 specifies by code, those common tool sets (not individual tools) and special tools, test, and support equipment required to perform the designated function.

f. *Column 6, Remarks.* Column 6 contains a numeric code which leads to the remark in Section IV, Remarks, which is pertinent to the item opposite the particular code.

B-4. TOOL AND TEST EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS (Section III).

a. *Tool and Test Equipment Reference Code.* The numbers in this column coincides with the numbers used in the tools and equipment column of the MAC. The numbers indicate the applicable tool or test equipment for the maintenance functions.

b. *Maintenance Category.* The codes in this column indicate the maintenance category allocated the tool or test equipment.

c. *Nomenclature.* This column lists the noun name and nomenclature of the tools and test equipment required to perform the maintenance functions.

d. *National/NATO Stock Number,* This column lists the National/NATO stock number of the specific tool or test equipment.

e. *Tool Number.* This column lists the manufacturer's part number of the tool followed by the Federal Supply Code for manufacturers (5 digit) in parentheses.

B-5. REMARKS (Section IV).

a. *Reference Code.* This code refers to the appropriate item in Section II, column 6.

b. *Remarks.* This column provides the required explanatory information necessary to clarify items appearing in Section II.

SECTION II. MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION CHART
FOR
Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490

(1) GROUP NUMBER	(2) COMPONENT/ASSEMBLY	(3) MAINTENANCE FUNCTION	(4) MAINTENANCE CATEGORY					(5) TOOLS EQPT.	(6) REMARKS
			c	o	F	H	D		
00	Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490	Inspect		0.5				1	1
		Test		3.5				1	2
		Service		7.5				1	3
		Inspect				1.0		2	4
		Test				1.0		2, 5, 6, 7-48	5
		Adjust				1.0		2-10, 10-15, 17-19, 30, 45-47	6
		Calibrate				1.0		2, 5, 6, 7-15, 17-19, 29-48	7
		Repair				8.2		2-48	8
		Repair Repair Repair		1.0				1 (-).0 2-48	9
01	Circuit Card Assembly A1 (Input Multiplexer)	Inspect				0.2	2		
		Test				0.5	2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 18, 23, 29		
		Repair				1.0	2, 3, 19, 23	5	
02	Circuit Card Assembly A2 (Input Amp)	Inspect				0.2	2		
		Test				0.5	2, 4-8, 13, 18; 19, 23, 29		
		Repair				1.0	2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 12, 19, 23, 29	5	
03	Circuit Card Assembly A4 (Broadband Pwr/Cal/Overld)	Inspect				0.2	2		
		Test				0.5	2, 4-6, 8-12, 18		
		Repair				1.0	2, 3, 5, 6, 12	5	

SECTION II. MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION CHART
FOR
Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490-Continued

(1) GROUP NUMBER	(2) COMPONENT/ASSEMBLY	MAINTENANCE FUNCTION	(4) MAINTENANCE CATEGORY					(5) TOOLS EQPT.	(6) REMARKS
			C	O	F	H	D		
04	Circuit Card Assembly A5 (Input Mixer)	Inspect Test				0.2 0.5		2 2,4-6, 8-10, 12,18, 19,30	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 6,10, 12,19, 30	
05	Circuit Card Assembly A10 (Second Mixer)	Inspect Test				0.2 0.5		2 2,4,5, 8,11, 12,15, 18,19, 30	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 6,11, 12,15, 18,30, 38	
06	Circuit Card Assembly A11 (Second LO)	Inspect Test				0.1 0.5		2 2,4-6, 8,10, 12,17, 18	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 12	
07	Circuit Card Assembly A15 (Tracking Output)	Inspect Test				0.2 0.5		2 2,4,5, 8,12, 17,18	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 12	
08	Circuit Card Assembly A16 (10MHZ Freq Ref)	Inspect Test				0.2 0.5		2 2,4-6, 8,10, 12,17, 18	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 12	

SECTION II. MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION CHART
FOR

Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490-Continued

(1) GROUP NUMBER	(2) COMPONENT/ASSEMBLY	(3) MAINTENANCE FUNCTION	(4) MAINTENANCE CATEGORY					(5) TOOLS EQPT.	(6) REMARKS
			C	O	F	H	D		
09	Circuit Card Assembly A20 (IF Filter)	Inspect				0.1		2	5
		Test				0.5		2,4,5, 8,11, 12,15, 17,18	
10	Circuit Card Assembly A21 (IF Gain/Det)	Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 6,11, 12,15, 17,38	5
		Inspect				0.2		2	
11	Circuit Card Assembly A22 (Analog-Digital Conv)	Test				0.5		2,4,5, 6,8, 12,18	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 6,8,12	
12	Circuit Card Assembly A40 (Frequency Reference)	Inspect				0.2		2	5
		Test				0.5		2,4-6, 8, 12-17, 18	
13	Circuit Card Assembly A50 (Step Loop)	Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 12-17	5
		Inspect				0.2		2	
13	Circuit Card Assembly A50 (Step Loop)	Test				0.5		2,4,5, 8,10, 12,14, 17,18	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 12,14, 17	

SECTION II. MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION CHART
FOR

Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490-Continued

(1) GROUP NUMBER	(2) COMPONENT/ASSEMBLY	(3) MAINTENANCE FUNCTION	(4) MAINTENANCE CATEGORY					(5) TOOLS AND EQPT.	(6) REMARKS
			c	o	F	H	D		
14	Circuit Card Assembly A60 (Controller)	Inspect				0.2		2	5
		Test				0.5		2,4,5, 3,12, 16,17	
15	Circuit Card Assembly A70 (Impairments B)	Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 12	5
		Inspect				0.2		7	
16	Circuit Card Assembly A98 (Switch/Display)	Test				0.5		2,4-6, 8,9, 12,16, 17	5
		Repair				1.0		2,3,5, 6,12	
17	Circuit Card Assembly A99 (Motherboard)	Inspect				0.2		2	5
		Test				0.5		2,8, 12	
		Repair				1.0		2,3,12	

SECTION III. TOOL AND TEST EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS
FOR

Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490

TOOL OR TEST EQUIPMENT REF CODE	MAINTENANCE CATEGORY	NOMENCLATURE	NATIONAL/NATO STOCK NUMBER	TOOL NUMBER
1	0	Tool Kit TK-101/G	5180-00-064-5178	
2	H,D	Tool Kit JTK-17	5180-01-195-0855	
3	H,D	Printed Circuit Repair kit, MK-772/U or Equiv for use on non-multi-layer CCA	5999-00-757-7042	
4	H,D	Transistor Test Set TS-1836C/U	6625-00-159-2263	
5	H,D	Circuit Card Extenter Kit HP 03586-84401(28480)	6625-01-132-1715	
6	H,D	Synthesizer/Level Generator HP 3335A/001/K06(28480)		
7	H,D	Frequency Synthesizer HP 3325A (TMDE D040015)		
8	H,D	Oscilloscope TEK 5440 (AN/GSM-286)	6625-01-034-3269	
9	H,D	Plug-In Unit TEK 5S14N (AN/GSM-286)	4931-01-008-1478	
10	H,D	AN/USM-489(V)/1 Spectrum Analyzer	6625-01-079-9495	
11	H,D	SG-1093/U Signal Generator	6625-00-318-6304	
12	H,D	Digital Multimeter HP 3455A (TMDE A041022) (May use HP 3478A)	6625-01-042-7415	
13	H,D	Power Meter ME-441/U (AN/GSM-286)	6625-00-436-4883	
14	H,D	Thermistor Mount HP478A (AN/GSM-286)	4931-01-005-3865	
15	H,D	DELETED		
16	H,D	Tester,Digital Circuit TS-3791/U	6625-01-068-8641	
17	H,D	Counter,Frequency HP 5345A (AN/GSM-286)	6625-00-531-4752	
18	H,D	Voltage,DC Source JF 332 (AN/GSM-286)		
19	H,D	Attenuator HP 355D (With CAL sheet)	5985-00-957-1860	

SECTION III. TOOL AND TEST EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS
FOR

Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490 (Continued)

TOOL OR TEST EQUIPMENT REF Cm	MAINTENANCE CATEGORY	NOMENCLATURE	NATIONAL/NATO STOCK NUMBER	TOOL NUMBER
20	H,D	100KHz Low Pass Filter F2172 (19615)		
21	H,D	10MHz Low Pass Filter F2171 (19615)		
22	H,D	DELETED		
23	H,D	75 Ohm Directional Bridge HP 8721A/008 (28480)	6625-01-132-7197	
24	H,D	124 Ohm Return Loss Coupler HP 5061-1137 (28480)		
25	H,D	DELETED		
26	H,D	75 Ohm 0.5V Thermal Converter HP 11051A/003 (28480)(With CAL sheet)		
27	H,D	DELETED		
28	H,D	Frequency Doubler G-3 (15542)		
29	H,D	50/75 Ohm Minimum Loss Pad HP 11852A (28480) 2 each	6625-01-127-0094	
30	H,D	50/75 Ohm Minimum Loss Pads 2 each		
31	H,D	BNC "T", PN 31-2208-1020 (02660), 2 each		
32	H,D	Adapter, PN 29PP110-1 (24931), 2 each		
33	H,D	Adapter, PN 29JJ124-1 (24931), 2 each		
34	H,D	WECO 310 Plug to (f) BNC Adapter, PN 2798 (05276) 5 each	6625-00-107-8287	
35	H,D	(m) BNC to single banana jack adapter, PN 3430-0 (05276), 2 each		
36	H,D	600 OHM feed-thru PN 7916916		
37	H,D	Large WECO to (f) BNC adapter, Type WECO 372 (14949), 3 each		
38	H,D	600 Ohm Balance Testing Apparatus PN 7916897	6695-01-209-1651	

SECTION III. TOOL AND TEST EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS
FOR

Frequency Selective Level Meter, AN/USM-490-Continued

TOOL OR TEST EQUIPMENT REF COOE	MAINTENANCE CATEGORY	NOMENCLATURE	NATIONAL/NATO STOCK NUMBER	TOOL NUMBER
39	H,D	75 ohm to balanced 124 ohm matching pad. PN 7916895	6695-01-209-1652	
40	H,D	75 ohm to balanced 135 ohm matching pad. PN 7916896	6695-01-209-1653	
41	H,D	75 ohm to balanced 600 ohm matching pad. PN 7916898	6695-01-209-1654	
42	H,D	135 ohm balance testing apparatus. PN 7916894	6695-01-209-3206	
43	H,D	Power combiner PN 7916899	6695-01-209-1655	
44	H,D	124 ohm balance testing apparatus. PN 7916893	6695-01-209-3207	
45	H,D	Attenuator, HP 355C	5985-00-763-7326	
46	H,D	High Impedance Probe HP 1120A	7420-00-623-3211	
47	H,D	Low Frequency Spectrum Analyzer HP 3585A (Or equivalent)	6625-01-118-9963	
48	H,D	RF Amplifier QB-188-2 (55027) (Or equivalent)		

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SECTION IV. REMARKS

REFERENCE CODE	REMARKS
1	Visual inspection of all external surfaces only.
2	Normal operational test.
3	Replacement of fuses, knobs, and any other maintenance on the external surface of the AN/USM-490.
4	Visual inspection of all internal and external areas.
5	Fault isolate to piece parts. Circuit cards tested as part of end item.
6	All mechanical and/or electrical adjustments need to return the AN/USM-490 to operational status.
7	Governed by TM-43-180 and the associated TB.
8	The following are repaired by replacement circuit card assemblies: A31, A32, A51, A52, A53, A61, A62, A80, and cable assemblies W1, W3-W15, W17 and W18.
9	To be returned to the depot only in the event that TSG is unable to repair the AN/USM-490 either due to a lack of parts or time factor.
10	Some procedures require the use of 75 ohm coaxial cables.
11	<p>Tool number 5, circuit card extender kit, consists of the following:</p> <p>A. 44 pin extender board (2 each) PN 03586-66590</p> <p>B. 30 pin extender board (2 each) PN 03586-66591</p>

APPENDIX C
COMPONENTS OF END ITEM AND BASIC ISSUE ITEMS LIST

Section I. INTRODUCTION

C-1. SCOPE.

This appendix lists components of the end item and basic issue items for the AN/USM-490 to help you inventory items required for safe and efficient operation.

C-2. GENERAL.

The components of End Item and Basic Issue Items List (BII) are divided into the following sections:

a. Section II—Components of End Item. This listing is for information purposes only and is not authority to requisition replacements. These are part of the end item, but are removed and/or separately packaged for transportation or shipment. As part of the end item, these items must be with the end item whenever it is issued or transferred between property accounts. Illustrations are furnished to assist you in identifying the items.

b. Section III—Basic Issue Items. These are the minimum essential items required to place the AN/USM-490 in operation, to operate it, and to perform emergency repairs. Although shipped separately packaged, BII must be with the AN/USM-490 during operation and whenever it is transferred between property accounts. This manual is your authority to request, requisition replacement BII, based on TOE/MTOE authorization of the end item.

C-3. EXPLANATION OF COLUMNS.

a. Column (1)—Illustration Number (illus Number). This column indicates the number of the illustration in which the item is shown.

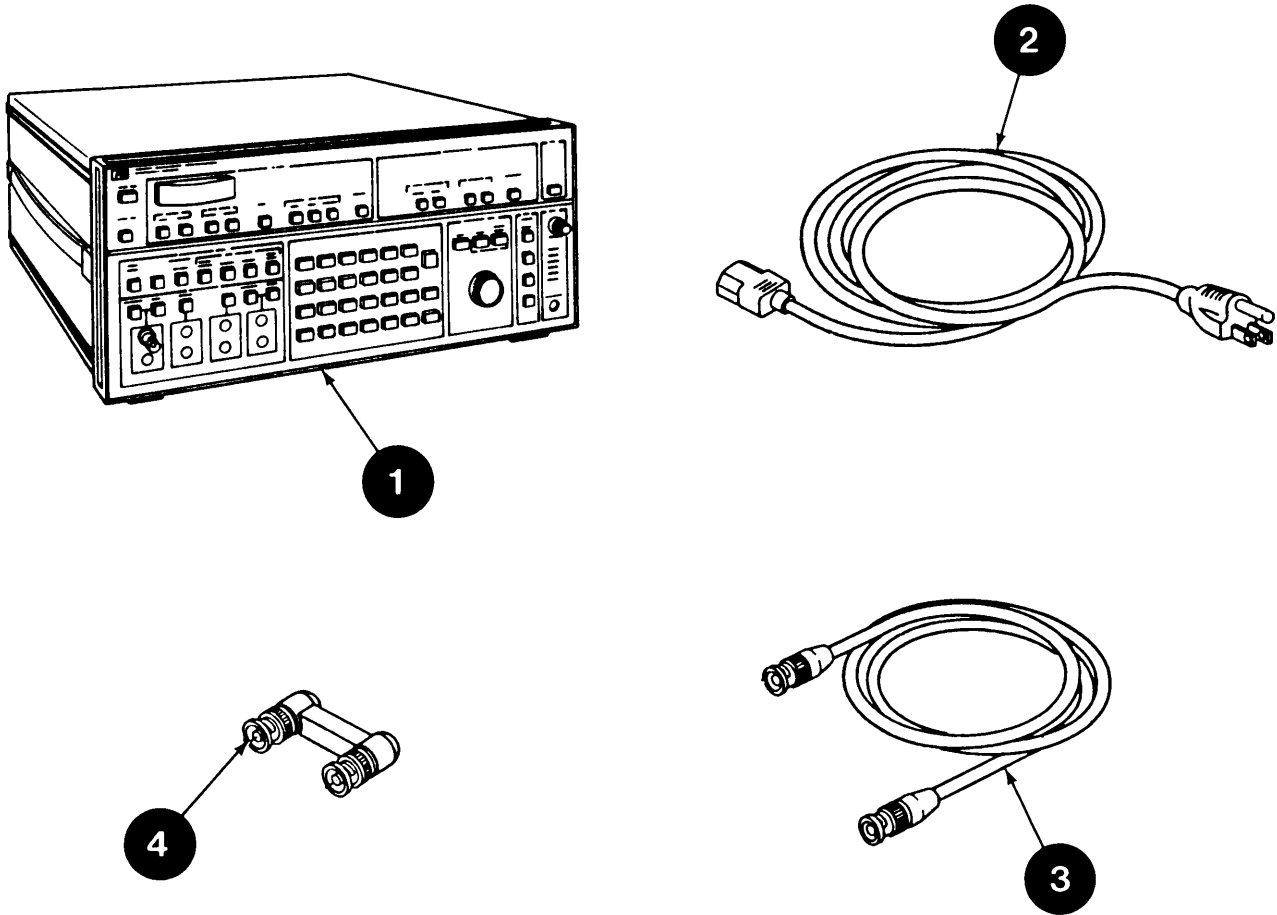
b. Column (2)—National Stock Number. This column indicates the national stock number assigned to the item and will be used for requisitioning purposes.

c. Column (3)—Description. This column indicates the federal item name and, if required, a minimum description to identify and locate the item. The last line for each item indicates the FSCM (in parentheses) followed by the part number.

d. Column (4)—Unit of Measure (UIM). This column indicates the measure used in performing the actual operation/maintenance function. This measure is expressed by a two-character alphabetical abbreviation (e.g., ea, in, pr).

e. Column (5)—Quantity Required (Qty Rqr). This column indicates the quantity of the item authorized to be used with/on the equipment.

Section II. COMPONENTS OF END ITEM



(1) Illus Number	(2) National Stock Number	(3) Description FSCM and Part Number	(4) U/M	(5) Qty Rqr
1		SELECTIVE LEVEL METER (28480) 3586B/001/001/003/004/907	EA	1
2	6150-00-041-5038	CABLE ASSEMBLY, POWER (70903) KH7147	EA	1
3		CABLE ASSEMBLY, BNC (28480) 8120-0688	EA	1
4	5935-01-149-2471	ADAPTER, ELECTRICAL CONN (94375) RF03152M	EA	1

**APPENDIX D
ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZATION LIST**

Section I. INTRODUCTION

D-1. SCOPE.

This appendix lists additional items you are authorized for the support of the AN/USM-490.

D-2. GENERAL.

This list identifies items that do not have to accompany the AN/USM-490 and that do not have to be turned in with it. These items are all authorized to you by CTA, MTOE, TDA, or JTA.

D-3. EXPLANATION OF LISTING.

National stock numbers, descriptions, and quantities are provided to help you identify and request the additional items you require to support this equipment. The items are listed in alphabetical sequence by item name under the type document (i.e., CTA, MTOE, TD, or JTA) which authorized the item(s) to you.

Section II. ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZATION LIST

(1) NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER	(2) DESCRIPTION FSCM and PART NUMBER USABLE ON CODE	(3) U/M	(4) QTY AUTH
5920-00-280-4960	FUZE, CARTRIDGE (81349) F02A250B1A	EA	1
	FUZE, CARTRIDGE (81 349) F02A250V2A	EA	1

**APPENDIX E
EXPENDABLE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS LIST**

Section I. INTRODUCTION

E-1. SCOPE.

This appendix lists expendable supplies you will need for general support maintenance on frequency selective level meter AN/USM-490. These items are authorized to you by CTA 50-970, Expendable items (Except Medical, Class V, Repair Parts, and Heraldic Items).

E-2. EXPLANATION OF COLUMNS.

a Column (1)---Item Number. This number is assigned to the entry in the listing and is referenced in the narrative instructions to identify the material (e.g., "Use cleaning compound, item 5, App. D").

b. Column (2)---Level. This column identifies the lowest level of maintenance that requires the listed item.

0- Organizational Maintenance.

c. Column (3)--National Stock Number. This column indicates the national stock number assigned to the item and will be used for requisitioning purposes.

d Column (4)--Description. This column indicates the federal item name and if required, a minimum description to identify the item. The last line for each item indicates the FSCM (in parentheses) followed by the part number.

e. Column (5)-Unit of Measure (U/M). This column indicates the measure used in performing the actual maintenance function. This measure is expressed by a two-character alphabetical abbreviation (e.g., EA, IN, PR). If the unit of measure differs from the unit of issue, requisition the lowest unit of issue that will satisfy your requirements.

Section II. EXPENDABLE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS LIST

(1) ITEM NUMBER	(2) LEVEL	(3) NATIONAL STOCK NUMBER	(4) DESCRIPTION	(5) U/M
1	0	8305-00-267-3015	Cloth, Cheesecloth, Cotton, Lintless, CCC-C-440, Type II, Class 2 (81349)	YD
2	0	6810-00-753-4993	Alcohol, Isopropyl, 8oz Can, MIL-A-10428, Grade A (81349)	CN

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Recommend that the installation antenna alignment procedure be changed throughout to specify a 2° IFF antenna lag rather than 1°.

REASON: Experience has shown that with only a 1° lag, the antenna servo system is too sensitive to wind gusting in excess of 25 knots, and has a tendency to rapidly accelerate and decelerate as it hunts, causing strain to the drive train. Hunting is minimized by adjusting the lag to 2° without degradation of operation.

Item 5, Function column. Change "2 db" to "3db."

REASON: The adjustment procedure for the TRANS POWER FAULT indicator calls for a 3 db (500 watts) adjustment to light the TRANS POWER FAULT indicator.

Add new step f.1 to read, "Replace cover plate removed in step e.1, above."

REASON: To replace the cover plate.

Zone C 3. On J1-2, change "+24 VDC to "+5 VDC."

REASON: This is the output line of the 5 VDC power supply. +24 VDC is the input voltage.

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