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CALIBRATION PROCEDURE FOR RECEIVER
TEST SET LITCOM MODEL NO. 4700

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**SECTION I
GENERAL**

1. Purpose and Scope. a. This bulletin contains calibration instructions for Receiver Test Set, Litcom Model No. 4700 (receiver test set), and is used by maintenance calibration personnel. Since maintenance calibration personnel are trained and qualified in the use of test and measuring equipment, detailed instruction

concerning the operation and use of these equipments are not contained in this bulletin.

b. Integrated within this bulletin is an illustration (fig. 1) which shows location of controls utilized in this calibration procedure.

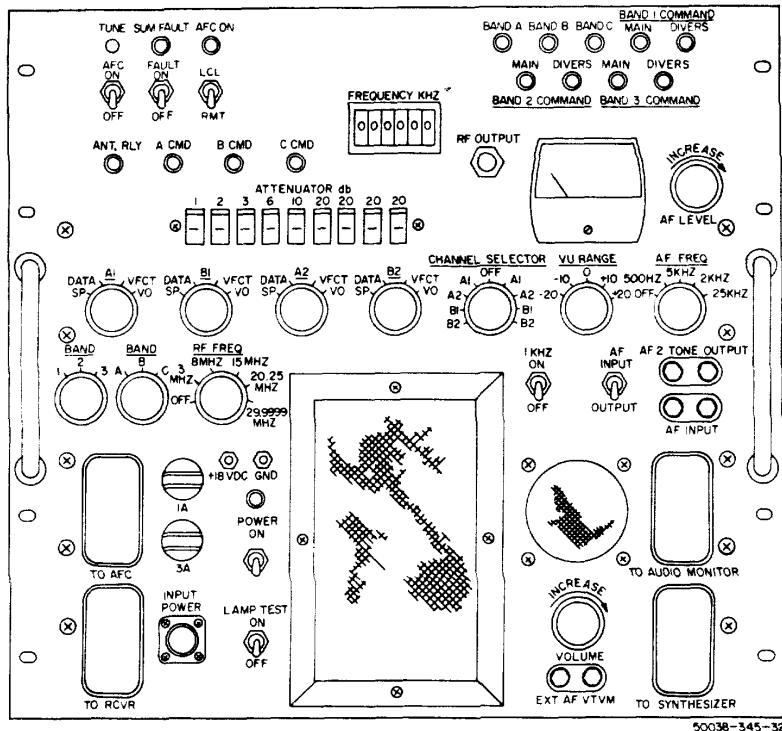


Figure 1. Receiver test set, controls and indicators.

2. Reporting of Technical Bulletin Improvements.

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3. Description. a. The Receiver Test Set, Model 4700

(receiver test set) is a portable equipment that provides maintenance support for Receiving Set, Radio AN/FRR-79. The receiver test set checks five major components of the AN/FRR-79 and enables direct support maintenance personnel to test and troubleshoot the AN/FRR-79 and its components down to the card level. Each major component of the AN/FRR-79 is activated by stimuli from the receiver test set which simulates actual operating conditions. The receiver test set contains circuits which perform frequency mode selection, status display, audio (VU meter) and visual monitoring, attenuation, and remote control functions in the components of AN/ FRR-79. The transit case consists of a base and detachable cover. The cover contains a removable plate which stores the accessory items supplied with the receiver test set such as cables. The plate is secured to the cover by four fasteners. The base of the transit case contains two handles for lifting and carrying, and six latches that secure the cover to the base. Additional data is listed in a, b, and c below.

a. Identification.

NomenclatureReceiver Test Set Litcom Model 4700.

Size21 1/2 by 22 1/2 by 24 1/2 in.

Weight35 lbs (approx.)

b. Specifications.

Input requirement.....103.5 to 125.5 volts, 54 to 66 Hz

single phase.

Power consumption.....150 watts.

Oscillator frequencies....3.0, 8.0, 15.0, 20.25, 29.99 MHz. (± percent)

Power supply output voltage18 volts dc. (+ 3 percent)

c. Program Data.

Calibration interval In accordance with TB 750-236

Time required for calibration1 hour.

Calibration levelMaintenance

4. General Instructions. a. Calibration Reporting.

During the performance of the calibration procedures included in this manual, annotate DA Form 2416 (Calibration Data Card) in accordance with TM 38-750.

b. Removal. Do not remove unit under test from its protective case unless adjustment is required.

c. Unit under test. Receiver test set will be referred to as "unit under test" throughout this procedure.

**SECTION II
CALIBRATION**

5. Equipment Required. Equipment required for calibration performance checks and adjustments is listed in table 1.

NOTE

Minimum use specifications are the principal parameters required for performance of the calibration and are included to assist in the selection of alternate equipment which may be used at the discretion of the calibrating activity. Satisfactory performance of alternate items shall be verified prior to use. All applicable equipment must bear evidence of current calibration.

6. Preliminary Procedure. This section includes instructions to prepare the unit under test for the calibration procedures outlined in paragraphs 7 and 8. These preliminary operating procedures place power supply PS1 and RF oscillators A4 through A8 in the unit under test in a turned-on condition. Verify the results of

each step and take corrective action whenever the requirement is not met, before proceeding.

a. Operate unit under test POWER switch to ON. Observe that POWER indicator illuminates and blower motor operates.

b. Operate 1KHZ and AF FREQ switches to OFF.

c. Disregard settings of remaining switches and controls.

NOTE

The following paragraphs are divided into subparagraph a, performance check, and subparagraph b, adjustments. When the performance check is within tolerance do not perform the corresponding adjustment. When the performance check is not within tolerance, perform the corresponding adjustment before continuing with the calibration procedure. When the performance check is not within

Table 1A. Equipment Required

| Item | Minimum use specification | Calibration equipment ¹ | Military equivalent |
|-------------------|--|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Frequency counter | Frequency range, 0 to 35 MHz ±1 percent | Systron-Donner Model 1037 | AN/USM-257A |
| DC voltmeter | 18 volts dc Accuracy ± 1 percent | John Fluke Model 803B | ME-202/U |

¹ The calibration equipment utilized in this procedure was selected from those known to be available at Department of Defense facilities and the listing by make or model number carries no implication of preference, recommendation, or approval by the Department of Defense for use by other agencies. It is recognized that equivalent equipment produced by other manufacturers may be capable of equally satisfactory performance in the procedure.

Table 1B. Authorized Accessories

| Nomenclature | Description |
|-------------------|---|
| RF Cable Assembly | BNC plug to BNC plug, Pomona 2249-C-36 |
| Cable Assembly | Banana plug to test prod (2 required) |

NOTE

It is recommended that personnel familiarize themselves with the entire procedure before performing calibration, tolerance and the adjustment cannot bring it into tolerance, the deficiency must be corrected before continuing with the procedure.

7. Power Supply PSI Calibration. a. *Performance Check.*

(1) Connect dc voltmeter between + 18VDC test point and GND test point on unit under test observing polarity.

(2) Observe that dc voltmeter indicator between 17.5 and 18.5 volts, dc.

b. *Adjustments.*

(1) Set POWER switch to down (off) position.

(2) Remove holding screws securing front panel to protective case.

(3) Carefully remove unit under test overall assembly from protective case.

(4) Set POWER switch to ON.

(5) Locate voltage adjust potentiometer on power supply card (accessible through port on right side, facing unit under test front panel).

CAUTION

Use insulated adjustment tool.

(6) Rotate voltage adjust potentiometer to obtain 18 volts, dc indication on dc voltmeter.

8. Oscillators A4 through A8 Calibration. a. *Performance Check.*

(1) Connect RF OUTPUT terminal on front panel of unit under test to A INPUT terminal of the frequency counter, using RF cable assembly BNC plug to BNC plug.

(2) Set RF FREQ switch to positions noted in table 2.

(3) Observe that the frequency counter indicates within the limits specified in table 2.

b. *Adjustments.*

(1) Place unit under test POWER switch in down (off) position.

(2) Remove holding screws securing front panel to protective case.

(3) Carefully remove unit under test overall assembly from protective case.

(4) Remove cover plate from RF housing assembly (top center).

(5) Place unit under test POWER switch to ON.

(6) Rotate frequency adjustment of each oscillator to obtain indication within the limits specified in table 2.

(7) Reinstall cover plate on RF housing assembly.

(8) No further adjustments can be made.

Table 2. Oscillator Output Frequencies.

| Unit under test | | Frequency counter indication (MHz) | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|
| Oscillator | RF FREQ switch position | Minimum | Maximum |
| A4 | 3 MHZ | 2.97 | 3.03 |
| A5 | 8 MHZ | 7.92 | 8.08 |
| A6 | 15 MHZ | 14.85 | 15.15 |
| A7 | 20.25 MHZ | 20.047 | 20.4525 |
| A8 | 29.9999 MHZ | 29.6999 | 30.29989 |

9. Final Procedure. a. Deenergize unit under test and disconnect all equipment. Reinstall unit under test in protective case.

b. In accordance with TM 38-750, annotate and affix calibration DA Label 80 U.S. Army Calibration System). When the unit under test cannot be adjusted to within tolerance, annotate and affix DA Form 2417 (Unserviceable Test Instrument or Limited Use).

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The Metric System and Equivalents

Linear Measure

1 centimeter = 10 millimeters = .39 inch
 1 decimeter = 10 centimeters = 3.94 inches
 1 meter = 10 decimeters = 39.37 inches
 1 dekameter = 10 meters = 32.8 feet
 1 hectometer = 10 dekameters = 328.08 feet
 1 kilometer = 10 hectometers = 3,280.8 feet

Weights

1 centigram = 10 milligrams = .15 grain
 1 decigram = 10 centigrams = 1.54 grains
 1 gram = 10 decigrams = .035 ounce
 1 decagram = 10 grams = .35 ounce
 1 hectogram = 10 decagrams = 3.52 ounces
 1 kilogram = 10 hectograms = 2.2 pounds
 1 quintal = 100 kilograms = 220.46 pounds
 1 metric ton = 10 quintals = 1.1 short tons

Liquid Measure

1 centiliter = 10 milliliters = .34 fl. ounce
 1 deciliter = 10 centiliters = 3.38 fl. ounces
 1 liter = 10 deciliters = 33.81 fl. ounces
 1 dekaliter = 10 liters = 2.64 gallons
 1 hectoliter = 10 dekaliters = 26.42 gallons
 1 kiloliter = 10 hectoliters = 264.18 gallons

Square Measure

1 sq. centimeter = 100 sq. millimeters = .155 sq. inch
 1 sq. decimeter = 100 sq. centimeters = 15.5 sq. inches
 1 sq. meter (centare) = 100 sq. decimeters = 10.76 sq. feet
 1 sq. dekameter (are) = 100 sq. meters = 1,076.4 sq. feet
 1 sq. hectometer (hectare) = 100 sq. dekameters = 2.47 acres
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Cubic Measure

1 cu. centimeter = 1000 cu. millimeters = .06 cu. inch
 1 cu. decimeter = 1000 cu. centimeters = 61.02 cu. inches
 1 cu. meter = 1000 cu. decimeters = 35.31 cu. feet

Approximate Conversion Factors

| <i>To change</i> | <i>To</i> | <i>Multiply by</i> | <i>To change</i> | <i>To</i> | <i>Multiply by</i> |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| inches | centimeters | 2.540 | ounce-inches | Newton-meters | .007062 |
| feet | meters | .305 | centimeters | inches | .394 |
| yards | meters | .914 | meters | feet | 3.280 |
| miles | kilometers | 1.609 | meters | yards | 1.094 |
| square inches | square centimeters | 6.451 | kilometers | miles | .621 |
| square feet | square meters | .093 | square centimeters | square inches | .155 |
| square yards | square meters | .836 | square meters | square feet | 10.764 |
| square miles | square kilometers | 2.590 | square meters | square yards | 1.196 |
| acres | square hectometers | .405 | square kilometers | square miles | .386 |
| cubic feet | cubic meters | .028 | square hectometers | acres | 2.471 |
| cubic yards | cubic meters | .765 | cubic meters | cubic feet | 35.315 |
| fluid ounces | milliliters | 29.573 | cubic meters | cubic yards | 1.308 |
| pints | liters | .473 | milliliters | fluid ounces | .034 |
| quarts | liters | .946 | liters | pints | 2.113 |
| gallons | liters | 3.785 | liters | quarts | 1.057 |
| ounces | grams | 28.349 | liters | gallons | .264 |
| pounds | kilograms | .454 | grams | ounces | .035 |
| short tons | metric tons | .907 | kilograms | pounds | 2.205 |
| pound-feet | Newton-meters | 1.356 | metric tons | short tons | 1.102 |
| pound-inches | Newton-meters | .11296 | | | |

Temperature (Exact)

| | | | | |
|----|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|----|
| °F | Fahrenheit temperature | 5/9 (after subtracting 32) | Celsius temperature | °C |
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