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*US Model
Canadian Model
E Model
AEP Model*



FM/AM DIGITAL CLOCK RADIO

SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL

Frequency Range:	FM 87.5 – 108 MHz AM 530 – 1,605 kHz
Antennas:	FM: Wire antenna AM: Built-in ferrite rod antenna
Speaker:	Approx. 7.7 cm (3 inches) dia.
Power Output:	400 mW (at 10% harmonic distortion) (US, Canadian model) 350 mW (at 10% harmonic distortion) (AEP, E model)
Output Jack:	Earphone (mini jack) for 8 Ω earphone or load impedance 10 k Ω or higher
Power Requirements:	120 V ac, 60 Hz (US, Canadian, E2 model) 220 V ac, 50 Hz (AEP model) 110–120, 220–240 V ac adjustable, 50/60 Hz (E1 model) for the Power Backup Function: 3 V dc, two batteries size AA (IEC designation R6)
Power Consumption:	6 W ac (3.5 W ac when only the clock is in operation)
Dimensions:	Approx. 280 (w) x 102 (h) x 86 (d) mm 11 (w) x 4 (h) x 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ (d) inches including projecting parts and controls
Weight:	Approx. 1.3 kg, 2 lb 14 oz, including batteries


CLOCK SECTION

Clock:	Liquid crystal digital quartz clock
Accuracy:	Within 15 sec. per month at 24°C (76°F)
Displays:	Present time (AM/PM hours and minutes with seconds indicated by the blinking of the colon) Date (month, day and day of week) Alarm time (AM/PM hours and minutes) Daylight Saving Time Indicator (US, Canadian, AEP model)

ATTENTION AU COMPOSANT AYANT RAPPORT À LA SÉCURITÉ!

LES COMPOSANTS IDENTIFIÉS PAR UNE TRAME ET UNE MARQUE  SUR LES DIAGRAMMES SCHÉMATIQUES, LES VUES EXPLOSÉES ET LA LISTE DES PIÈCES SONT CRITIQUES POUR LA SÉCURITÉ DE FONCTIONNEMENT. NE REMPLACER CES COMPOSANTS QUE PAR DES PIÈCES SONY DONT LES NUMÉROS SONT DONNÉS DANS CE MANUEL OU DANS LES SUPPLÉMENTS PUBLIÉS PAR SONY.

SAFETY-RELATED COMPONENT WARNING!!

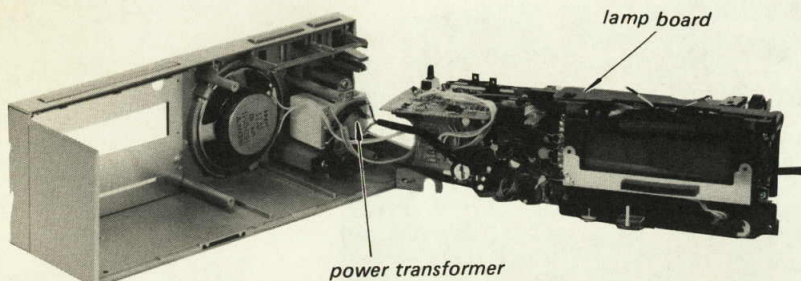
COMPONENTS IDENTIFIED BY SHADING AND MARK  ON THE SCHEMATIC DIAGRAMS, EXPLODED VIEWS AND IN THE PARTS LIST ARE CRITICAL TO SAFE OPERATION. REPLACE THESE COMPONENTS WITH SONY PARTS WHOSE PART NUMBERS APPEAR AS SHOWN IN THIS MANUAL OR IN SUPPLEMENTS PUBLISHED BY SONY.

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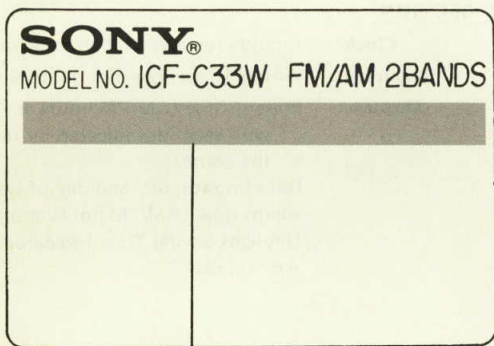
SERVICE PRECATUTION

High voltage of 340V ac is supplied to the fluorescent lamp used in the LCD light. When servicing, pay close attention to the primary side of the power transformer and to the lamp board.



MODEL IDENTIFICATION

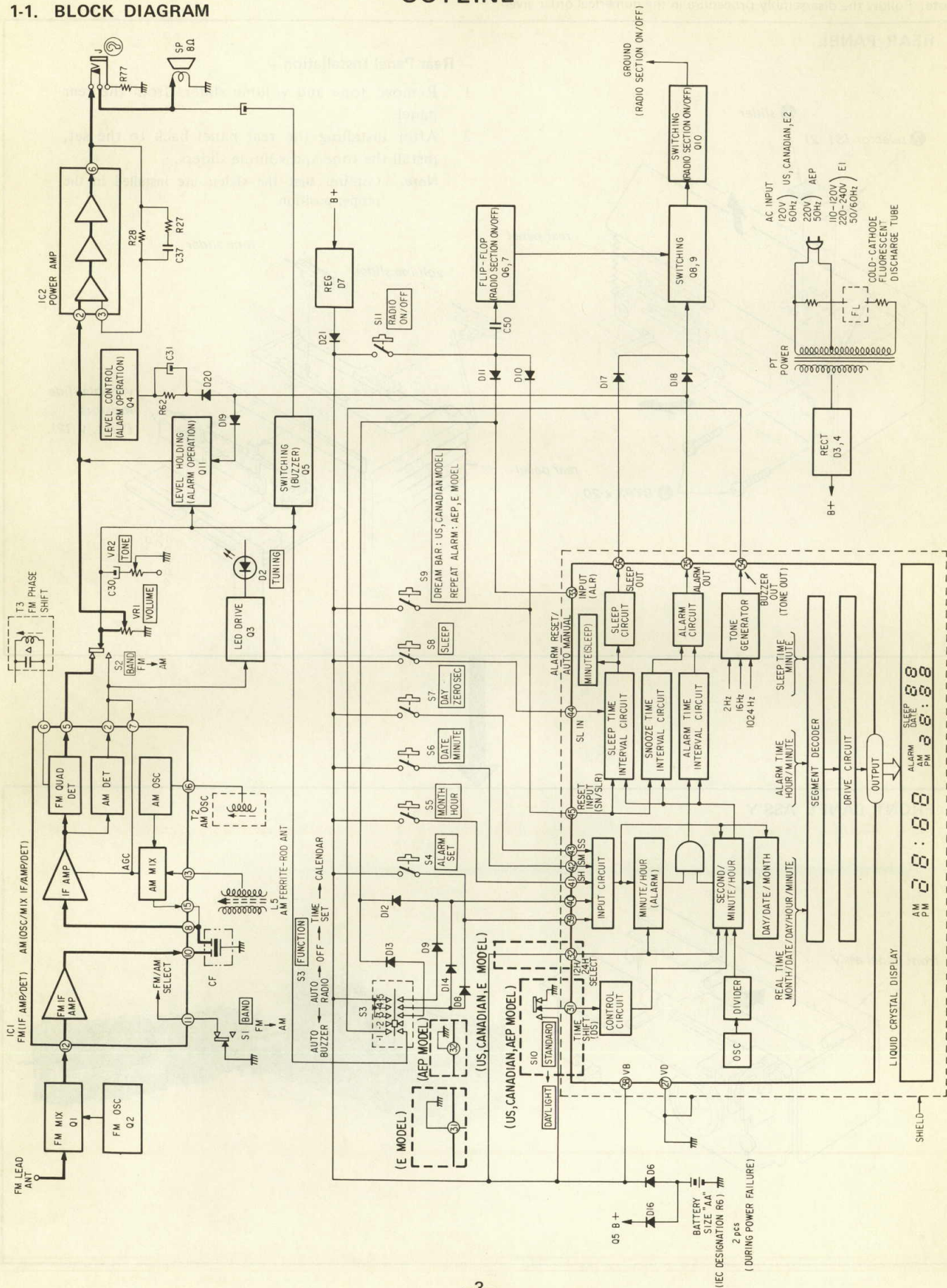
– Specification Label –



US, Canadian model:	120V	60Hz	6W
AEP model:	220V	50Hz	6W
E1 model:	110–120V/220–240V	50/60Hz	6W
E2 model:	120V	60Hz	6W

SECTION 1 OUTLINE

1-1. BLOCK DIAGRAM

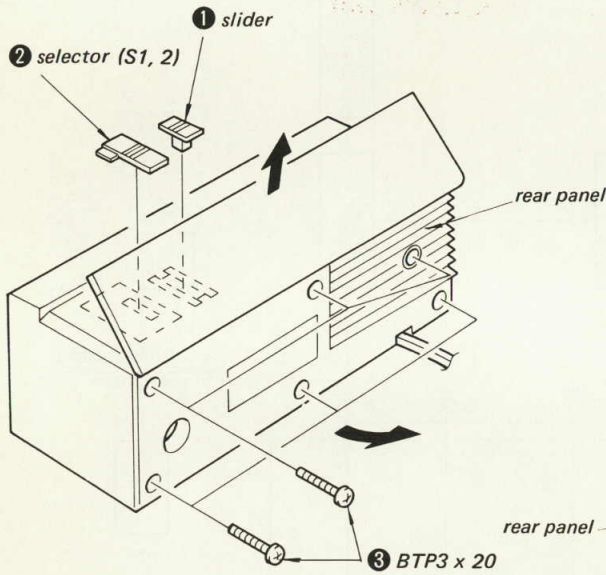


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SECTION 2
DISASSEMBLY

Note: Follow the disassembly procedure in the numerical order given.

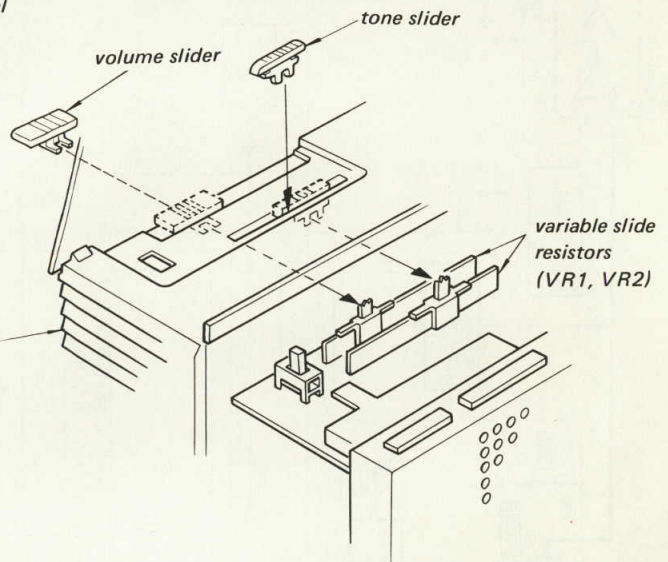
REAR PANEL



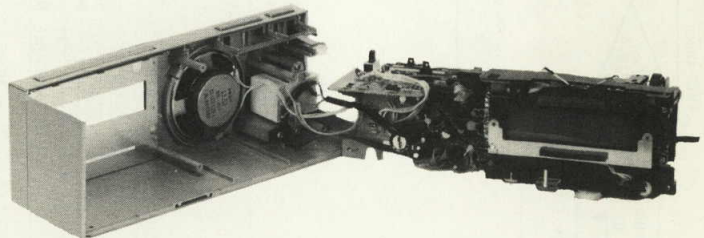
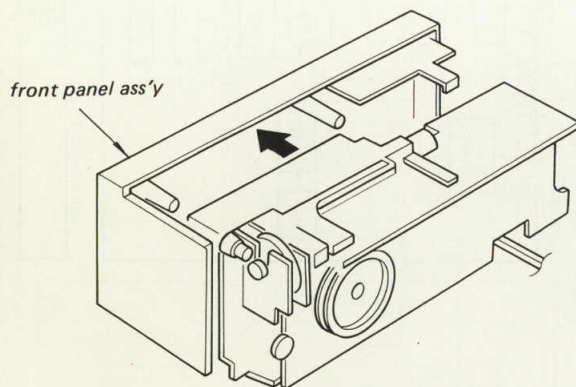
— Rear Panel Installation —

1. Remove tone and volume sliders from the rear panel.
2. After installing the rear panel back to the set, install the tone and volume sliders.

Note: Confirm that the sliders are installed in the proper position.

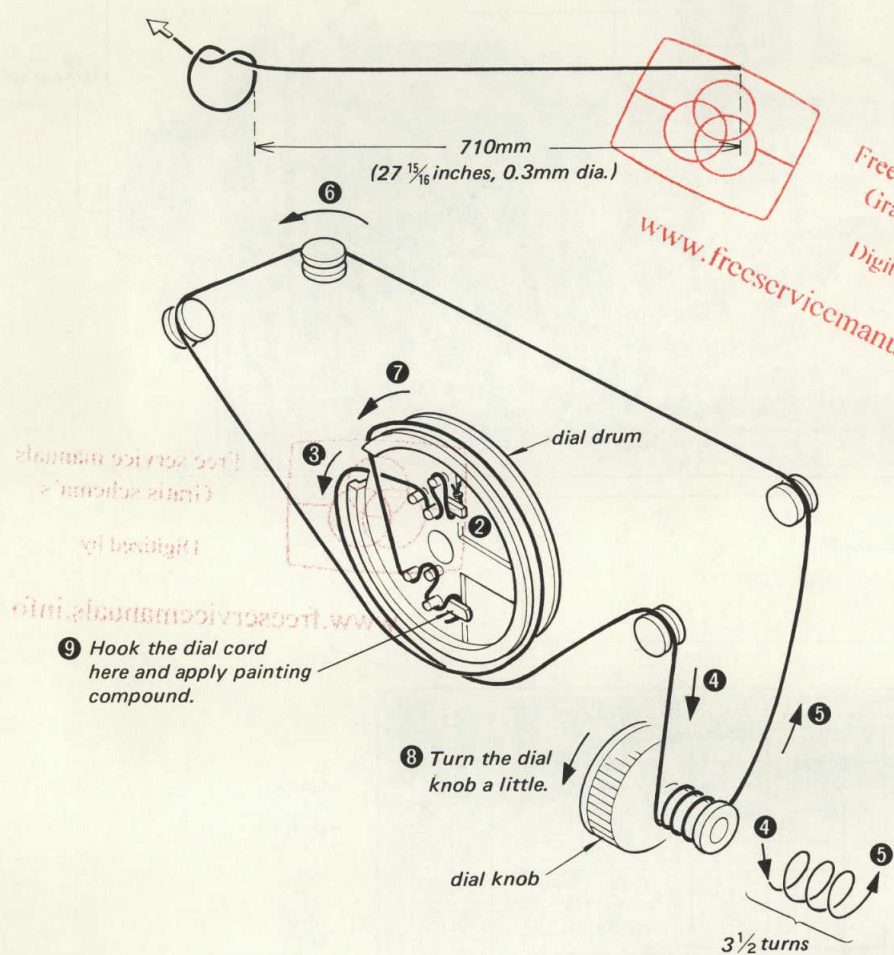


FRONT PANEL ASS'Y

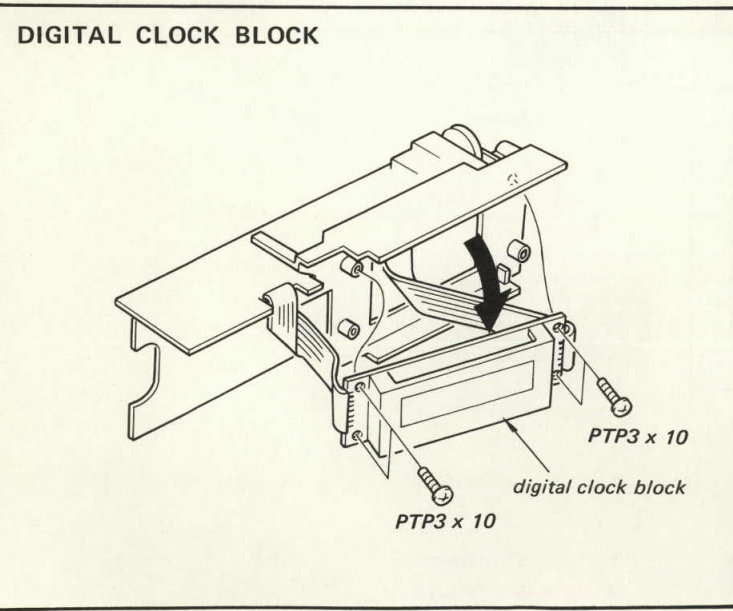


DIAL CORD STRINGING

- Turn the dial drum fully counterclockwise and hook the knob of the dial cord in 2.



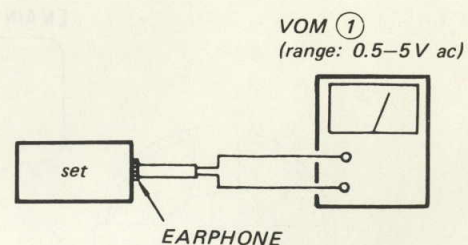
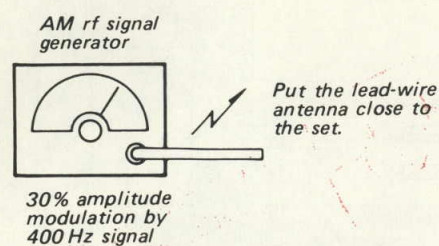
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SECTION 3
ADJUSTMENTS

3-1. ELECTRICAL ADJUSTMENT

AM SECTION



- Repeat the procedures in each adjustment several times, and the frequency coverage and tracking adjustments should be finally done by the trimmer capacitors.

AM IF ALIGNMENT
Adjustment : not necessary
CFZ

AM FREQUENCY COVERAGE ADJUSTMENT
Adjust for a maximum reading on VOM ①.

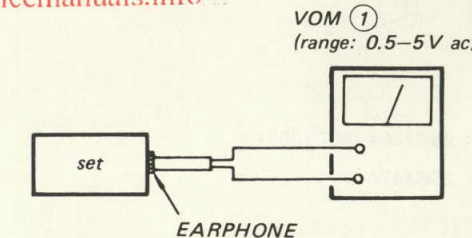
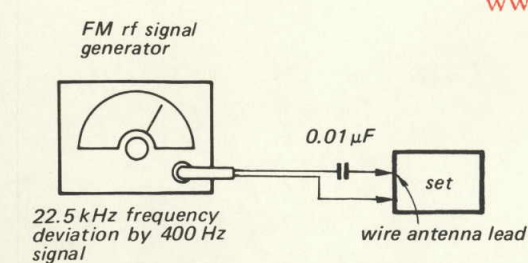
520kHz	1,680kHz
T2	CT4

CT3	1,400kHz
L5	620kHz

Adjust for a maximum reading on VOM ①.

AM TRACKING ADJUSTMENT

FM SECTION



FM IF ALIGNMENT 1
(10.7MHz with modulation)
Adjust for a maximum reading on VOM ①.

T1

FM FREQUENCY COVERAGE ADJUSTMENT
Adjust for a maximum reading on VOM ①.

86.5MHz (87.5MHz)	109.5MHz (108MHz)
L3	CT2

(): West Germany

FM IF ALIGNMENT 2
(10.7MHz with modulation)

- Adjust T3 to obtain the same noise level on the both peaks of a waveform.
[Set the output level of a rf signal generator] as low as possible.

noise

oscilloscope

C24
R15
T3

L1	87.1MHz (87.5MHz)
CT1	108.5MHz (108MHz)

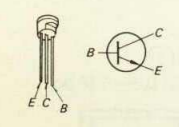
Adjust for a maximum reading on VOM ①.

FM TRACKING ADJUSTMENT

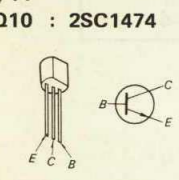
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Replacement Semiconductors
For replacement, use semiconductors except in ().

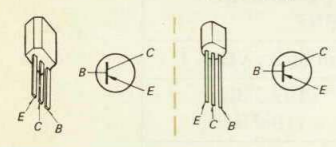
Q1, 2: 2SC930 (2SC930D)



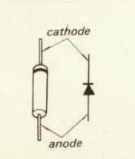
Q3-5 : 2SC1364 (2SC1363)
Q8, 9, 11 : 2SC1474



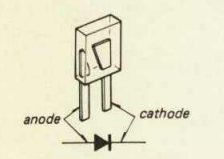
Q6, 7: 2SA1027R (2SA733)



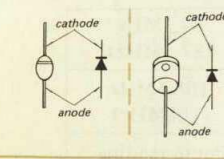
D1 : 1S1555
D6 : 1T261
D7 : RD4.3E (RD4.3EB)
D8-22 : 1S1555



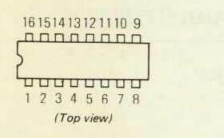
D2: GL9PR20



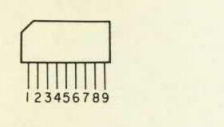
D3, 4: U05G (GP08B)



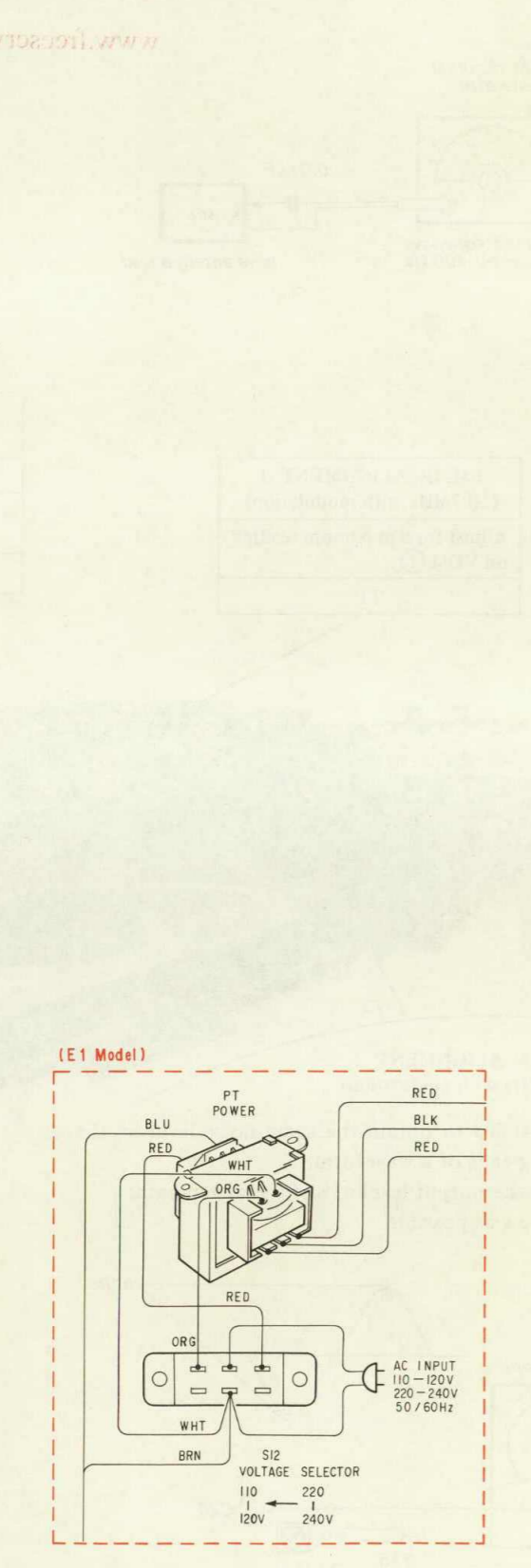
IC1: TA7614P



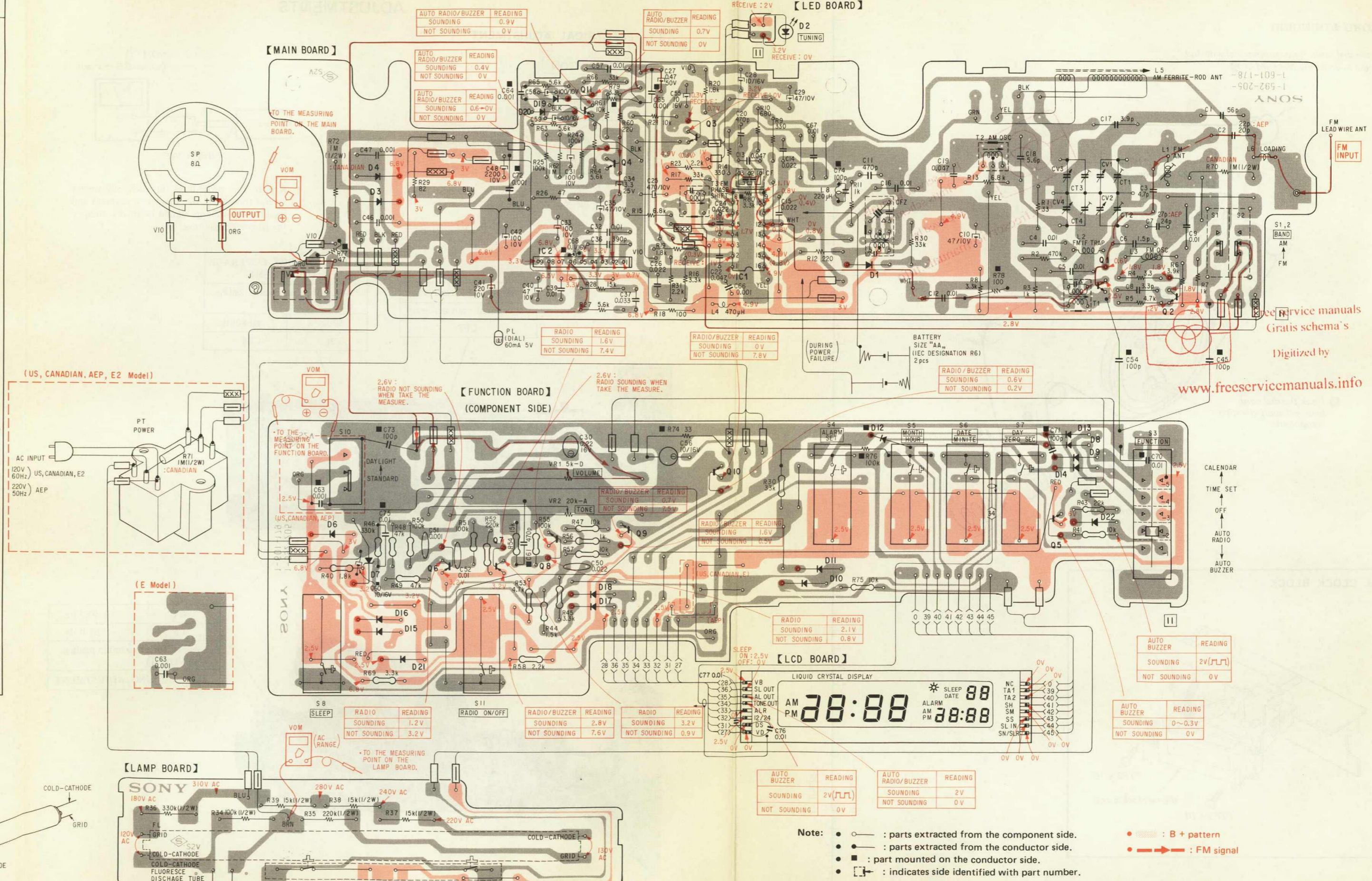
IC2: LA4140



4-1. MOUNTING DIAGRAM
- Conductor Side -



Grid system table with columns Q, IC, D and rows 2, 19, 20, 3, 4, 4, 3, 3, IC1, IC2, 1, 2, 13, 12, 9, 14, 10, 5, 22, 8, 6, 7, 11, 10, 18, 17, 16, 15, 21

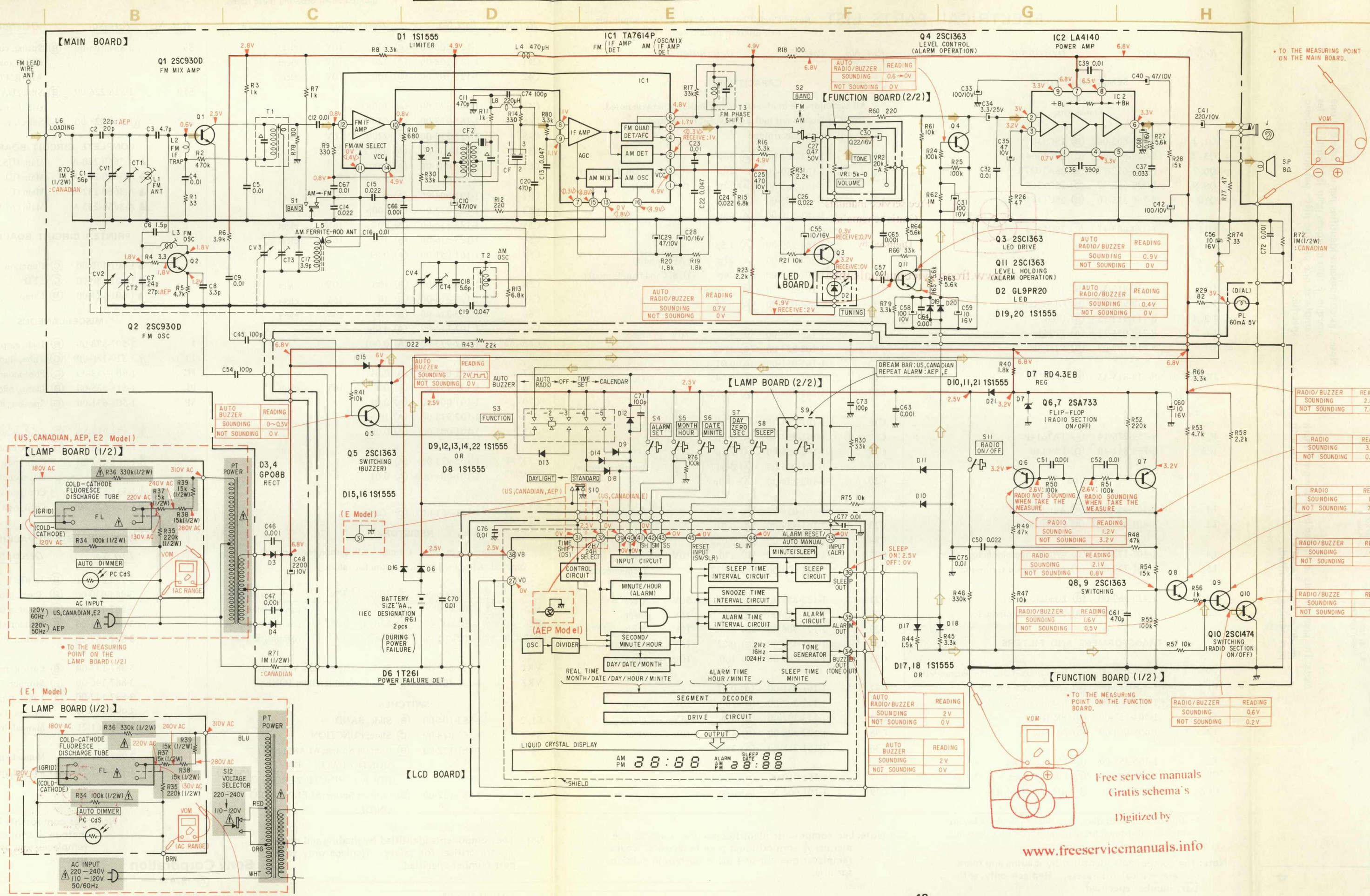


Note:
○ : parts extracted from the component side.
● : parts extracted from the conductor side.
■ : part mounted on the conductor side.
□ : indicates side identified with part number.
● : B + pattern
→ : FM signal

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4-2. SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM



- Note:**
- : FM signal
 - : ALARM signal (VOLUME: minimum)
 - ⇨ : Under AUTO RADIO/AUTO BUZZER condition, B+
 - ⇨ : Under AUTO BUZZER condition
- All capacitors are in μF unless otherwise noted. $\text{pF} = \mu\mu\text{F}$ 50WV or less are not indicated except for electrolytics and tantalum.
 - All resistors are in ohms, $\frac{1}{4}\text{W}$ unless otherwise noted. $\text{k}\Omega = 1000\Omega$, $\text{M}\Omega = 1000\text{k}\Omega$
 - Δ : internal component.
 - \square : panel designation.
 - : B+ bus.
 - Readings are taken under detuned conditions with a VOM (20k Ω /V).
 - < > : AM
no mark: FM
 - Switch

Ref. No.	Switch	Position
S1, 2	BAND (FM/AM)	FM
S3	FUNCTION (AUTO BUZZER/RADIO/OFF/TIME/CALENDAR)	AUTO RADIO
S4	ALARM SET	
S5	MONTH/HOUR	
S6	DATE/MINUTE	
S7	DAY/ZERO SEC	
S8	SLEEP	
S9	(REPEAT ALARM: AEP, E model DREAM BAR: US, Canadian model)	
S10	DAYLIGHT/STANDARD (US, Canadian, AEP model)	STANDARD
S11	RADIO ON/OFF	
S12	VOLTAGE SELECTOR (E model) (110-120V/220-240V)	220-240Vac

⊠ : patterns are connected by the shield case.

Note: The components identified by shading and mark Δ are critical for safety. Replace only with part number specified.

Note: Les composants identifiés par une trame et une marque Δ sont critiques pour la sécurité. Ne les remplacer que par une pièce portant le numéro spécifié.

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SECTION 6

ELECTRICAL PARTS LIST

Note: Circled letters (A to Z) are applicable to European models only.

Table with columns: Ref. No., Part No., Description. Includes sections for SEMICONDUCTORS (Transistors, Diodes, ICs), COILS, TRANSFORMERS AND FILTERS.

Note: Due to standardization, interchangeable replacements may be substituted for parts specified in the diagrams.

Note: The components identified by shading and mark A are critical for safety. Replace only with part number specified.

Table with columns: Ref. No., Part No., Description. Includes sections for CAPACITORS and RESISTORS.

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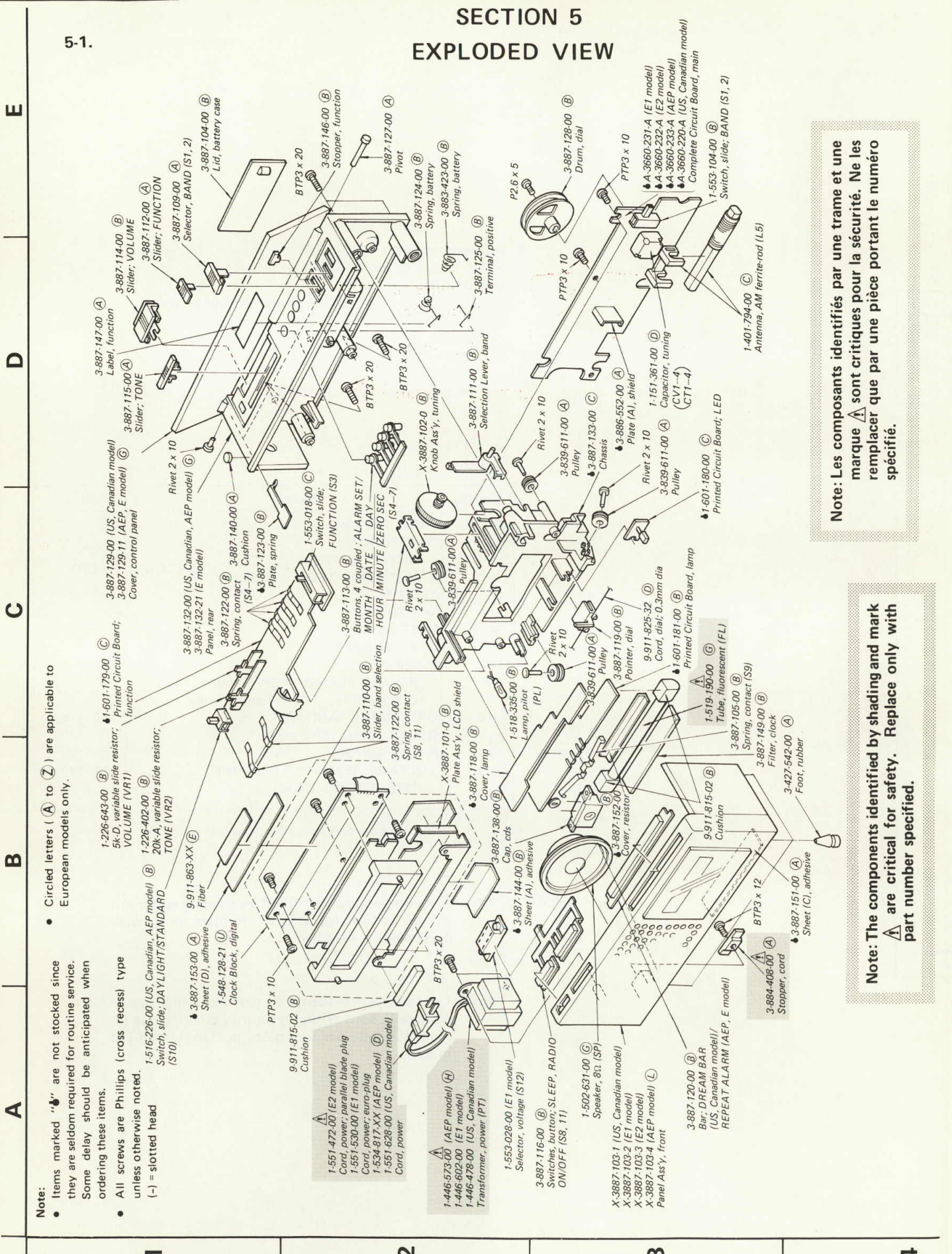
Table with columns: Ref. No., Part No., Description. Includes sections for RESISTORS and SWITCHES.

Note: The components identified by shading and mark A are critical for safety. Replace only with part number specified.

Table with columns: Ref. No., Part No., Description. Includes sections for COMPLETE CIRCUIT BOARDS, PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARDS, MISCELLANEOUS.

Table with columns: Part No., Description. Includes section for ACCESSORIES AND PACKING MATERIALS.

Note: Les composants identifiés par une trame et une marque A sont critiques pour la sécurité. Ne les remplacer que par une pièce portant le numéro spécifié.



SECTION 5 EXPLODED VIEW

Notes and callouts for the exploded view diagram, including part numbers and descriptions for various components like the antenna, speaker, and control panel.