

Intermediate frequency 456KC/S.

### COMPONENTS AND VALUES

RESISTANCES		Values (ohms)
R1	V1 C.G. resistance	500,000
R2	V1 fixed G.B. resistance	200
R3	V2 C.G. resistance	500,000
R4	V2 hex. C.G. decoupling	250,000
R5	V2 hex. C.G. stabiliser	50
R6	V2 S.G. H.T. feed	15,000
R7	V2 fixed G.B. resistance	200
R8	V2 osc. C.G. resistance	50,000
R9	Osc. circuit S.W.1 stabiliser	40
R10	Osc. circuit S.W.2 stabiliser	150
R11	V2 osc. anode H.T. feed	30,000
R12	Gram. pick-up shunt	200
R13	V3 fixed G.B. resistance	200
R14	V3 anode A.F. load (gram.)	5,000
R15	I.F. stopper	70,000
R16	V4 signal diode load	300,000
R17	V4 A.V.C. diode load resistances	500,000
R18	A.V.C. line decoupling	300,000
R19	Manual volume control	500,000
R20	V5 G.B. and A.V.C. delay voltage resistances	105
R21	V5 anode stabiliser	140
R22	Variable tone control	150
R23	V5 anode stabiliser	150
R24	Variable tone control	500,000

CONDENSERS		Values (μF)
C1	V1 C.G. condenser	0.00005
C2	V1 C.G. decoupling	0.1
C3	V1 cathode by-pass	0.1
C4	H.T. circuit R.F. by-pass	0.5
C5	V2 hexode C.G. condenser	0.00005
C6	V2 hexode C.G. decoupling	0.1
C7	V2 S.G. decoupling	0.1
C8	V2 cathode by-pass	0.1
C9	V2 osc. C.G. condenser	0.0002
C10	A.V.C. line decoupling	0.02
C11	Osc. circuit S.W.1 tracker	0.005
C12	Osc. circuit S.W.2 tracker	0.002
C13	Osc. circ. M.W. fixed trimmer	0.00002
C14	Osc. circ. I.W. fixed trimmer	0.00005
C15	Osc. circ. M.W. fixed tracker	0.0003
C16	V2 osc. anode coupling	0.0001

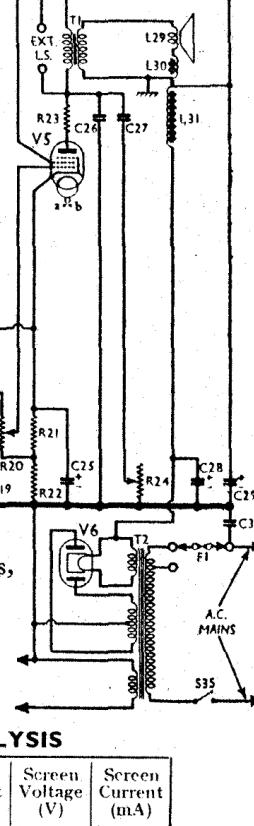
OTHER COMPONENTS		Approx. Values (ohms)
I.1	Aerial S.W.1 coupling	0.45
I.2	Aerial S.W.2 coupling	0.6
I.3	Aerial M.W. coupling	14.5
I.4	Aerial L.W. coupling	75.0
I.5	Aerial S.W.1 tuning coil	0.1
I.6	Aerial S.W.2 tuning coil	0.2
I.7	Aerial M.W. tuning coil	3.0
I.8	Aerial L.W. tuning coil	16.0
I.9	R.F. trans. S.W.1 primary	0.4

CONDENSERS (Continued)		Values (μF)
C17	Pick-up circuit R.F. by-pass	0.006
C18	V3 C.G. decoupling	0.02
C19	V3 anode R.F. by-pass	0.006
C20	V3 cathode by-pass	0.1
C21	I.F. by-passes	0.0001
C22	Coupling to V4 A.V.C. diode	0.0001
C23	A.F. coupling to V5	0.002
C24	V5 cathode by-pass	50.0
C25*	Fixed tone corrector	0.006
C26	Part of variable tone control	0.02
C27	H.T. smoothing	8.0
C28*	Mains circuit R.F. by-pass	16.0
C29	Aerial S.W.1 trimmer	—
C30	Aerial S.W.2 trimmer	—
C31†	Aerial M.W. trimmer	—
C32†	Aerial L.W. trimmer	—
C33†	Aerial circuit tuning	—
C34†	R.F. trans. S.W.1 trimmer	—
C35†	R.F. trans. S.W.2 trimmer	—
C36†	R.F. trans. M.W. trimmer	—
C37†	R.F. trans. L.W. trimmer	—
C38†	R.F. trans. sec. tuning	—
C39†	Osc. circuit S.W.1 trimmer	—
C40†	Osc. circuit S.W.2 trimmer	—
C41†	Osc. circuit M.W. trimmer	—
C42†	Osc. circuit L.W. trimmer	—
C43†	Osc. circuit M.W. tracker	—
C44†	Osc. circuit L.W. tracker	—
C45†	Osc. circuit S.W.1 grid reaction	—
C46†	Osc. circuit S.W.2 grid reaction	—
C47†	Oscillator circuit tuning	—
C48†	1st I.F. trans. pri. tuning	—
C49†	1st I.F. trans. sec. tuning	—
C50†	2nd I.F. trans. pri. tuning	—
C51†	2nd I.F. trans. sec. tuning	—

\* Electrolytic. † Variable. ‡ Pre-set.

OTHER COMPONENTS (Continued)		Approx. Values (ohms)
L10	R.F. trans. S.W.2 primary	1.2
L11	R.F. trans. M.W. primary	0.6
L12	R.F. trans. L.W. primary	2.7
L13	R.F. trans. S.W.1 secondary	Very low
L14	R.F. trans. S.W.2 secondary	0.1
L15	R.F. trans. M.W. secondary	3.0
L16	R.F. trans. L.W. secondary	15.5
L17	Oscillator S.W.1 grid reaction	0.3
L18	Oscillator S.W.2 grid reaction	0.7
L19	Oscillator M.W. grid reaction	0.6
L20	Oscillator L.W. grid reaction	7.2
L21	Oscillator S.W.1 tuning coil	0.1
L22	Oscillator S.W.2 tuning coil	2.0
L23	Oscillator M.W. tuning coil	4.8
L24	Oscillator L.W. tuning coil	7.0
L25	1st I.F. trans. pri. tuning	1.5
L26	1st I.F. trans. sec. tuning	0.3
L27	2nd I.F. trans. pri. tuning	1,500.0
L28	2nd I.F. trans. sec. tuning	4,000.0
L29	Speaker speech coil	0.5
L30	Hum neutralising coil	30.0
L31	Speaker field coil	0.1
T1	Speaker input trans.	0.15
T2	Mains circuit fuse	525.0
F1	Waveband switches	—
S1-28	Radio-gram. change switches	—
S29-30	Scale lamp switches	—
S31-34	Mains switch, ganged R24	—
S35	EXT. 200 L.S. 200	—

Note the method of using V3 as an amplifier on Gram. Extra switches, which we do not show, are fitted to short out the coils not in use.



### VALVE ANALYSIS

Valve.	Anode Voltage (V)	Anode Current (mA)	Screen Voltage (V)	Screen Current (mA)
V1 VP4B	200	7.4	200	4.26
V2 AC/TH1	200	6.6	93	2.5
V3 VP4B	78	3.1	—	—
V4 2D4A	160	5.9	—	—
V5 AC/4Pen	170	47.0	200	2.6
V6 IW4/350	320†	—	200	9.3

† Each anode, A.C.

Valve voltages and currents given in the table above are those measured in our receiver when it was operating on mains of 220 V, using the 220 V tapping on the mains transformer. The receiver was tuned to the lowest wavelength on the medium band and the volume control was at maximum, but there was no signal input.

Voltages were measured on the 400 V scale of a model 7 Universal Avometer, chassis being negative.

If V2 should become unstable, as in our case, when its anode current is being measured, it can be stabilised by connecting a non-inductive condenser of about 0.1 μF from grid (top cap) to chassis.

### GENERAL NOTES

**Switches.**—S1-S34 are the waveband, pick-up and scale lamp switches, which are in five ganged rotary units beneath the chassis. In addition to these thirty-four switches, which appear on the sides of the units seen looking from the rear of the underside of the chassis, there are about twenty further switches, mounted on the reverse sides of the units, which we do not show, either in the switch diagrams on this page, which are as seen looking from the rear of the chassis, or in the circuit diagram.

The extra switches are not fundamental ones, and are merely used to short circuit the coils not in use.

The table (col. 2) gives the switch positions for the five control settings, starting from fully anti-clockwise. A dash indicates open, and C closed.

S35 is the Q.M.B. mains switch, ganged with the tone control R24.

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**Coils.**—All the coils, except those forming the I.F. transformers, are in twelve units beneath the chassis, each unit comprising a tubular or cylindrical former carrying two coils, with a trimmer at its end.

The I.F. transformers **L25**, **L26** and **L27**, **L28** are in two screened units on the chassis deck, with their trimmers.

**Scale Lamps.**—There are six of these in all, two of which light on both S.W. bands, two for M.W., one for L.W. and one for gram. They are switched by

**S31-S34** in the ganged switch assembly. All the lamps are M.E.S. types, rated at 6.0 V. 0.3 A.

**Fuse F1.**—This is a plug-in type, and is used as a mains voltage adjusting link. The wire fuse itself is replaceable, and should be rated at 1 or 2 A.

**External Speaker.**—Two sockets are provided at the rear of the chassis for a high impedance (9,000  $\Omega$ ) external speaker.

**Condensers C28, C29.**—These are two dry electrolytics in a single carton beneath the chassis, having a common negative (black) lead. The yellow lead is the positive of C28 ( $8 \mu\text{F}$ ) and the red the positive connection of C29 ( $16 \mu\text{F}$ ).

## **CIRCUIT ALIGNMENT**

**I.F. Stages.**—Short **C47** (front section of gang) to chassis. Connect signal generator to control grid (top cap) of **V2** and chassis, and feed in a 456 KC/S signal. Turn volume control of receiver to maximum and, keeping input low to avoid A.V.C. action, adjust **C51**, **C50**, **C49** and **C48** in turn for maximum output. Remove short from **C47**.

**R.F. and Oscillator Stages.—M.W.**  
 Connect signal generator to **A** and **E** sockets, with a dummy aerial or 0.00025 fixed condenser in series with aerial lead. Switch set to M.W., and tune to 200 m. on scale. Feed in a 200 m. (1,500 KC/S) signal, and adjust **C43**, then **C38** and **C33**, for maximum output. Feed in a 550 m. (544 KC/S) signal, tune it in, and adjust **C45** for maximum output, while rocking the gang for optimum results. Repeat the 200 m. and 550 m. adjustments.

**L.W.**—Switch set to L.W., tune to 1,000 m. on scale, and feed in a 1,000 m. (300 KC/S) signal. Adjust **C44**, then **C39** and **C34**, for maximum output. Feed in a 2,000 m. (150 KC/S) signal, tune it in, and adjust **C46** for maximum output, while rocking the gang. Repeat the 1,000 m. and 2,000 m. adjustments.

**S.W.2.**—Switch set to S.W.2 (35-100 m.), tune to 36 m. on scale, and feed in a 36 m. (8.33 MC/S) signal. Adjust **C42**, then **C37** and **C32** for maximum output. Now, while rocking the gang slightly, make final adjustments to these trimmers to ensure maximum gain.

**S.W.1.**—Switch set to S.W.1 (12-35 m.), tune to 12·5 m. on scale, and feed in a 12·5 m. (24 MC/S) signal. Adjust **C41**, then **C36** and **C31** for maximum output. Finally, while rocking the gang slightly, make final adjustments of these trimmers to ensure maximum gain.

## TABLE AND DIAGRAM OF SWITCH UNITS

Switch	Gram.	L.W.	M.W.	S.W. <sub>2</sub>	S.W. <sub>1</sub>
S <sub>1</sub>					C
S <sub>2</sub>				C	
S <sub>3</sub>				C	
S <sub>4</sub>		C			C
S <sub>5</sub>				C	
S <sub>6</sub>				C	
S <sub>7</sub>			C		C
S <sub>8</sub>					
S <sub>9</sub>	C				C
S <sub>10</sub>					C
S <sub>11</sub>			C		C
S <sub>12</sub>					C
S <sub>13</sub>		C			C
S <sub>14</sub>					C
S <sub>15</sub>					C
S <sub>16</sub>					C
S <sub>17</sub>			C		C
S <sub>18</sub>					C
S <sub>19</sub>	C				C
S <sub>20</sub>					C
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S <sub>29</sub>					C
S <sub>30</sub>	C				C
S <sub>31</sub>					C
S <sub>32</sub>					C
S <sub>33</sub>		C			C
S <sub>34</sub>					C

