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Chassis 6A40 features a high gain tuned RF stage ahead of a conventional uperheterodyne circuit with band spread tuning on the 31, 25, 19 and 16 meter ands. There are two continuous coverage bands, one covering 2-4 megacycles and one covering 4-9 megacycles.

If removal of the chassis from the cabinet ever becomes necessary this should be done with care.

The alignment of chassis 6A40 is conventional. However, care must be exercised when making adjustments, and the alignment procedure must be followed exactly. Set the chassis over a metal plate approximately the same distance the attery pack is from the bottom of the chassis when it is in the cabinet. This procedure will introduce the approximate amount of metal in the field of the RF and escillator coils as when the chassis is in the cabinet. A signal generator of easonable accuracy and good attenuation must be used. An output meter (AC) of the copper oxide rectifier type with a range of 1 to 30 volts in several steps is accessary to get accurate output readings. Alignment wrenches should be of the con-metallic type, especially when making adjustments of the higher frequencies.

The I.F. transformers incorporated in this receiver are of the new permeability runed type. The advantage of an I.F. transformer of this type is its extreme stability under various humidity and temperature conditions. The upper coil is the secondary and the lower the primary. When adjusting these I.F. transformers the tuning wrench 68-19 can be inserted into the top slug, rotated until maximum output a obtained and then dropped down to the lower slug and the same operation received. The tuning wrench is so designed that tuning one slug does not affect the adjustment of the other.

Thermal Regulator Tube 50Al is an automatic rheostat designed to keep the current in a circuit at a definite value. Should the supply voltage change, either upward or downward, the Thermal Regulator will automatically increase or decrease to resistance to compensate for this change and keep the current thru the controled circuit at a constant value.

As used in the A600, the controlled circuit consists of the filament of the five vacuum tubes connected in series. A constant current thru these filaments is equivalent to a constant voltage applied across them.

The Thermal Regulator tube is capable of performing its function because of its peculiar electric thermal characteristics. Basically the tube consists of a fine ron wire filament hermetically sealed in a hydrogen atmosphere. By balancing the emperature resistance curve of the wire against the thermal conductivity curve of the gas, it is possible to make a unit that automatically changes its resistance to keep a constant current flowing over a large range of voltage variation.

By keeping the filament current of the vacuum tubes constant at 50 milliampers we extend the line voltage range over which the set will operate from 90 to 130 volts and increase tube life by an indefinite amount.

Wavemagnet Ant. wug. Assem. (part of 3-2200) of 22092/2100
Front Cover Hinge Assem Left (part of 14-1675) .85
Front Cover, Hinge, Assem Right (part of 14-1675) .85
Ant. Knob & Latch Spring Assem. (part of S-21433) .60
Telescoping Ant. Assem. (used on Model B600L unly) 8.80
Wavemagnet Ant. Cover Riveting Assem. (part of 5-22865)1.70
Wavemagnet Ant Complete (used on Model B600 only) 6.00
Wavemagnet Ant. Mtg. Strip Assem. (used on Model .65
B600 only)
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ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE

OPER.	CONNECT OSCILLATOR TO DUMMY ANTENNA	INPUT SIG- NAL FREQ.	BAND	SET DIAL AT	TRIMMERS	PURPOSE
1	Positive lead of signal generator to converter grid through a . 1 Mfd. condenser & negative lead to negative filament of 1L6 tube.	455 K c	вс	600 K c	L 6,7,8,9	Align I.F.
2	One turn loop coupled loosely to broadcast wavemagnet	1600 K c	вс	1600 K c	C3F	Set oscillator to scale
3		400 K c	ВС	1400 Kc	C3D	Alignment of BC Det.
4		400 K c	ВС	1400 Kc	СЗВ	Alignment of BC ant.
5*		600Kc	ВС	600 K c	Rock C16	Alignm't of BC at 600 Kc
6	•	B.75 Mc	4-9 Mc	8.75 Mc	C38A, C33A, C29A	
7*		4.25 Mc	4-9 Mc	4,25 Mc	Rock L 23B	
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9	Ď Ĕ	3.9 Mc	2-4 Mc	3.9 Mc	C38B, C33B, C29B	S Š
10*		2.1	2-4 Mc	2.1 Mc	Rock L 24B	غ ۾ ق
11	REPEAT OPERATIONS 9 & 10					
12	feet of wi	17.8 Mc	16Meters	17.8 Mc	L 25,L 19,L 13	<u> </u>
13*		15.2	19 Meters	15.2	L 26, L 20, L 14	Alig Osci and
14		11.8 Mc	25 Meters	11.8	L 27, L 21, L 15	
15*	ო ≯ ≱	9.6Mc	31 Meters	9.6 Mc	L 28, L 22, L 16	

^{*} NOTE: Rock Tuning Condenser When Making Alignment Under Operations 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14 & 15.

NOTE: If Trimmers C3F, C3D, C3B are adjusted after procedures No. 2 through No. 15 are completed, it will be necessary to repeat alignment procedures No. 2 through No. 15.

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