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30L-1 R-F Linear Amplifier

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- (E) Unit subassembly number (where applicable)



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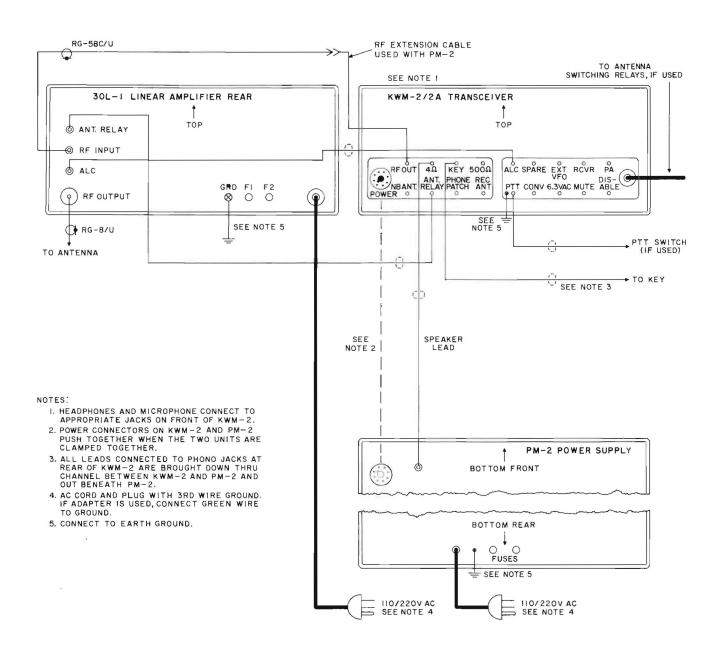


Figure 1-1. Interconnections with KWM-2/2A Traveling Station

SECTION I

1.1 UNPACKING.

Carefully lift the amplifier out of the packing material.

The amplifier has been a maged in shipment, save box and packing material, and notify the transportation company. Fill out and mail the equipment registration card.

Lift the amplifier cabinet lid. Loosen the tenscrews in the r-f compartment cover, slide it forward, and lift off. Remove the packing material around the tubes. Replace the cover, and tighten screws. Lower the lid.

Check tuning controls and switches for freedom of action. Check the equipment included with the amplifier against table 1-1.

TABLE 1-1. EQUIPMENT FURNISHED WITH 30L-1

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	FUNCTION	PART NUMBER
2	Shielded cables, 4 feet long, with phono plug on each end	Alc and antenna relay cables	426-2027-00
1	RG-58C/U cable, 4 feet long, with phono plug on each end	R-f input cable	426-5076-00
6	Fuses, 8-ampere	Spares	264-4110-00
1	A-c power plug adapter	A-c power	368-0138-00
1	UG-21D/U coaxial plug	R-f output connector	357-9261-00
1	Number 6 Bristo wrench	Knob removal	024-9730-00
1	Number 8 Bristo wrench	Knob removal	024-0019-00
1	Coaxial plug (Amphenol type 82-835)	Right-angle cable plug	357-9113-00
1	Instruction book	Instruction book	523-0122-00
1	Log book	Station log	523-0755-820

1.2 POWER TRANSFORMER CONNECTIONS.

The 30L-1 is shipped with the transformer primary connected for 115 volts a-c. If 230-volt a-c operation is planned, the primary connections must be changed on terminal board TB1. Refer to figure 7-2. This board is located at the bottom of the power supply compartment. The a-c power cord is connected to this board. To obtain access, refer to paragraph 4.2.

WARNING

DO NOT BLOCK INTERLOCK SWITCHES. Dangerous voltages are present in this equipment. The high voltage is interlocked with the amplifier covers. Make no attempt to put the amplifier into service until all compartment covers are in place.

1.3 CABLING.

Interconnections with other station equipments are described in the following paragraphs. Assembly instructions for type N connectors, such as the UG-21D/U, are shown in figure 7-1.

1.3.1 TRAVELING STATION.

The 30L-1 is particularly applicable to traveling station use in conjunction with portable transceivers such as the KWM-2/2A. Refer to figure 1-1. IN THIS SERVICE. MAKE SURE THE TRANSFORMER PRIMARY IS CONNECTED FOR PROPER LINE VOLTAGE.

1.3.2 HOME STATION.

Connect to KWM-2/2A, KWM-1, or S-Line as shown in figures 1-2, 1-3, and 1-4.

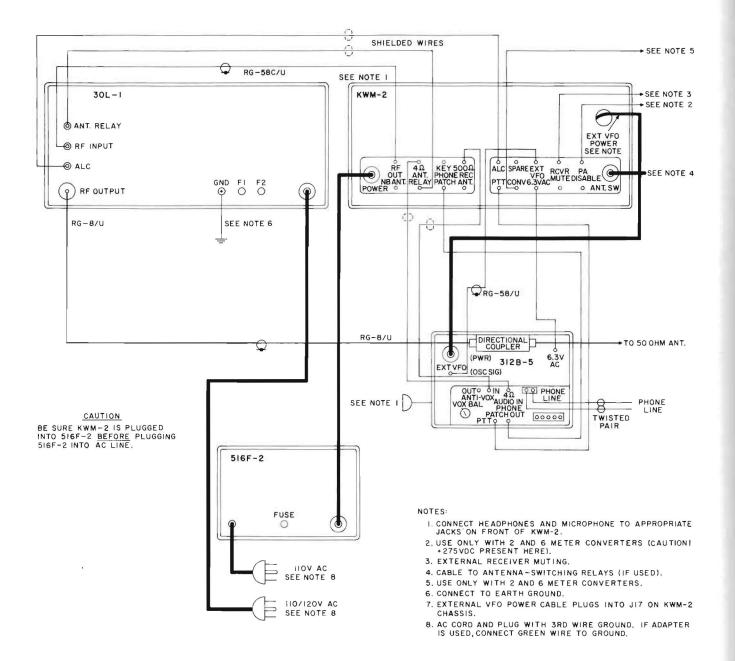


Figure 1-2. Interconnections with KWM-2/2A Home Station

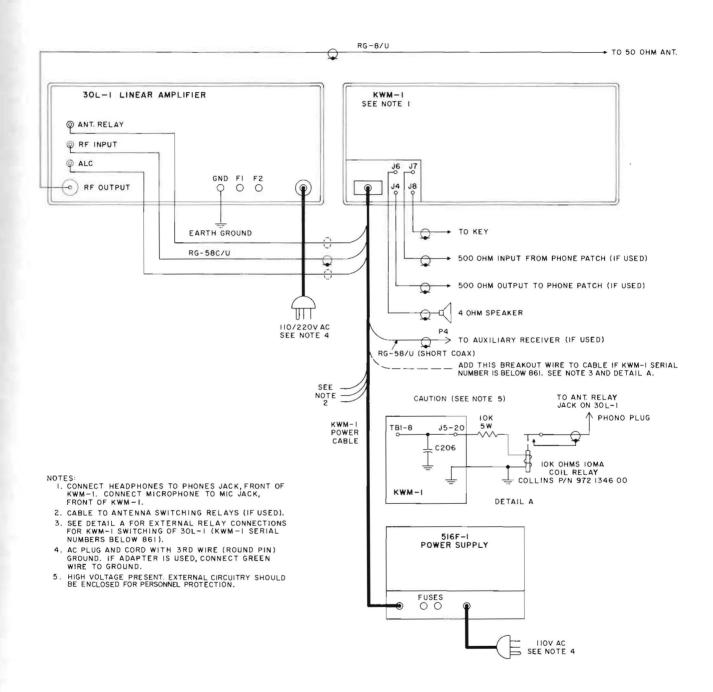
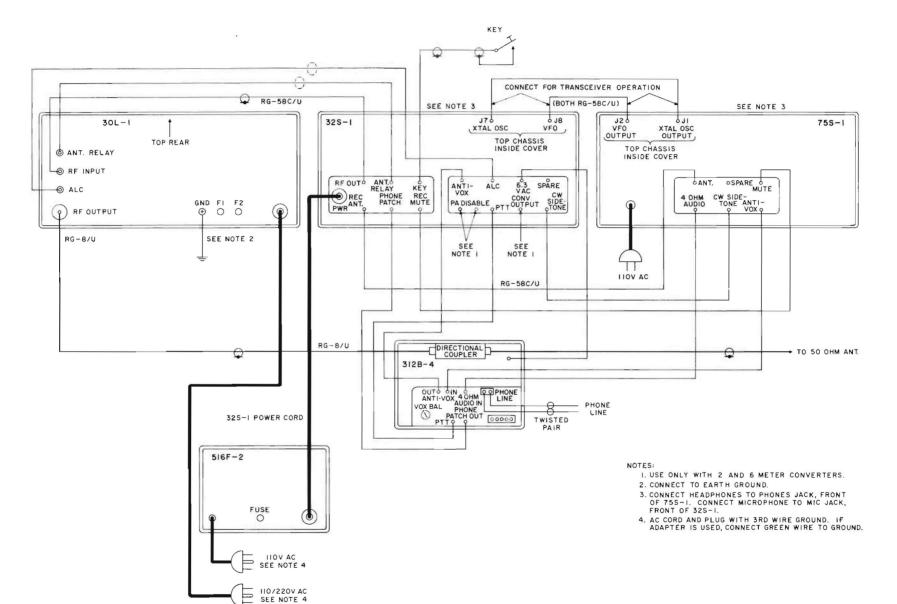


Figure 1-3. Interconnections with KWM-1





KWM-1 SERIAL NUMBERS ABOVE 861.

MM-1 models above serial number 861 are used the 30L-1, it will be necessary to bring out alc "ground-on-transmit" connections from the 1-1 power cable plug, P-1, as shown in figure 1-3. the alc connection to terminal 19, and the cound-on-transmit' connection to terminal 20. Use helded wire, and connect to 30L-1 ALC and ANT. LAY jacks with phono plugs.

13.4 KWM-1 SERIAL NUMBERS BELOW 861.

models below serial number 861 are used with the L-1, it is necessary to make connections inside the L-1 for alc and antenna relay control.

- Use an ohmmeter to locate the feedthrough capacities. C169, which is connected to pin 19 of J5.
- b. Connect a wire from this feedthrough capacitor on 7 of tube socket XV10.
- Using an ohmmeter to trace the wiring, locate the distribution capacitor, C206, which is connected to train al 20 of J5 in KWM-1.
- Connect a wire from terminal 8 of TB1 in KWM-1 C206.
- Make corresponding breakout connection to Plerminal 19 with shielded wire, and connect to the JL-1 ALC jack with a phono plug.
- Refer to figure 1-3, Detail A. External to the WM-1, connect a 10,000-ohm, 5-watt resistor and a

relay coil in series from J5 terminal 20 to a ground on the rear of the KWM-1 chassis. Use a relay, such as Collins part number 972-1346-00, with a 10,000-ohm, 10-ma coil, and a set of normally open contacts.

g. Connect the normally open contacts through a piece of shielded wire and a phono plug to the 30L-1 ANT. RELAY jack.

WARNING

BE CAREFUL to protect the operator from the 260-B+ present on the relay coil and resistor connections. It is recommended that this circuitry be enclosed in a suitable shield box.

1.4 INSTALLATION WITH OTHER MAKES OF EXCITERS.

Connect the r-f output of the exciter to the RF INPUT jack on the 30L-1. Existing antenna switching equipment between receiver and exciter may be left intact. To transmit, a ground must be supplied to the ANT. RELAY jack on the 30L-1. This removes blocking bias from the 811A tubes and energizes the internal antenna relay. Due to the variety of circuits involved, specific instructions for use of alc can not be given. A detailed study of paragraph 3.7 will be helpful if it is desired to utilize the alc provisions in the 30L-1.

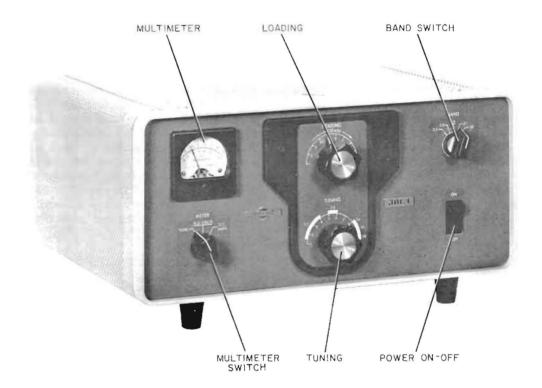


Figure 2-1. 30L-1 Operating Controls

SECTION II OPERATION

2.1 OPERATION IN AMATEUR BANDS.

the exciter is a KWM-2/2A or S-line, set exciter ADJUST to produce an idling plate current of 50 Tune and load according to exciter instruction

- Connect the antenna for the band in use to the RF COTPUT jack on the 30L-1. (When the ON-OFF switch in the OFF position, the transfer relay in the 30L-1 connects the antenna to the exciter.)
- Make sure the ON-OFF switch in the 30L-1 is in OFF position as shown in figure 2-1.
- Tune and load the exciter into the antenna. If the enna does not present a nearly 50-ohm resistive the exciter can be tuned and loaded into a 50-ohm may load, such as the DL-1. When switched to the of the 30L-1, the exciter will then remain in tune.
- If using a Collins exciter, switch back to TUNE must be used to the second set MIC GAIN to off position.
 - Set the 30L-1 METER switch to the TUNE position.
- Set BAND switch to same band as that of the cler, LOADING control to 1 on the dial, and NING control to white area for the band in use.

 Press the 30L-1 ON-OFF switch to the ON the Control.
- Set MIC GAIN to about 3/4 of full scale. (When exciters other than KWM-2/2A or S-Line types, microphone gain or carrier insertion control to approximately 20 watts drive to the 30L-1.)
- Immediately adjust TUNING control for multi-
- Alternately adjust TUNING and LOADING controls multimeter reading. The meter will indicate the dip when the amplifier is properly tuned and Always make the TUNING adjustment for meter the last adjustment.
- Switch the exciter to the desired sideband or to and reduce exciter MIC GAIN control to normal

operating level. The station is now ready to operate at rated power input.

1. Once the equipment has been tuned up on a given frequency, the 30L-1 may be switched in or out of the circuit at will by operating the ON-OFF switch. Output power from the amplifier is available instantly with no warm-up period required.

CAUTION

DO NOT operate the 30L-1 into a load presenting a vswr greater than 2 to 1. The equipment may not function properly and damage may result. DO NOT operate the amplifier in continuous key-down condition at full input for more than 30 seconds. The power supply may be damaged. DO NOT use the 30L-1 in FSK, AM, or FM service. DO NOT use slow-blow fuses, or fuses larger than the 8-ampere type supplied.

2.2 OPERATION WITH OTHER MAKES OF EXCITERS.

Tune according to the procedure outlined in paragraph 2.1. If alc is not used, be careful not to overdrive either the exciter or the final amplifier. Normal plate current meter readings for the 30L-1 are from 300 to 350 ma on voice peaks. Actual plate current under these conditions will peak at approximately 600 to 700 ma. Be sure the exciter is capable of producing the required drive without excessive distortion. If not, the amplifier may be operated at reduced level.

2.3 OPERATION OUTSIDE AMATEUR BANDS.

Operation outside amateur band limits requires retuning of the 30L-1 input circuits. This is necessary to present the proper load impedance to the exciter. For procedure, refer to paragraph 4.4.

TABLE 2-1. MULTIMETER SCALE VALUES

METER SWITCH SETTING	FULL-SCALE INDICATION	NORMAL INDICATION
Tune	Not applicable	Zero when 30L-1 is properly loaded
D. C. VOLTS	2000 volts	1800 volts (No modulation) 1600 volts (At rated load)
D. C. AMPS	1.0 amp (1000 ma)	600 ma (Key down CW) 300-350 ma (SSB voice peaks) 110 ma (Keyed, no excitation)

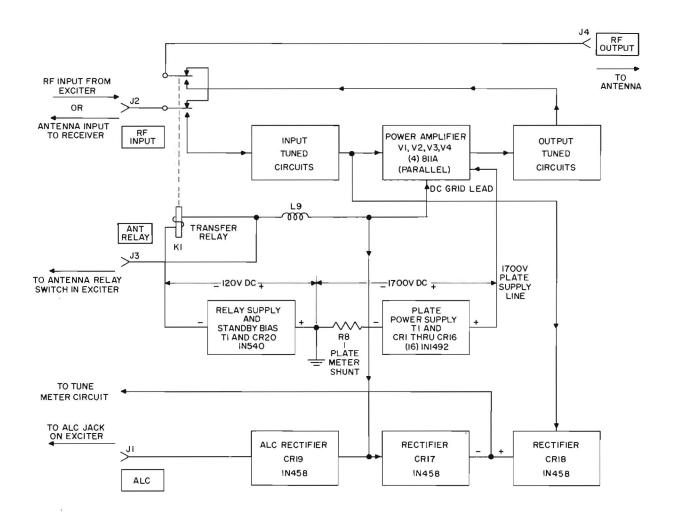


Figure 3-1. 30L-1 Block Diagram

SECTION III PRINCIPLES OF OPERATION

3.1 GENERAL.

30L-1 is a portable r-f linear power amplifier, ding plate power and bias supplies. It is capable watts PEP input power in SSB or 1000 watts nout in CW service with any exciter (such as the 1, KWM-2/2A, or 32S-1) capable of 70 watts PEP It covers the amateur bands between 3.5 and mc. In addition, the amplifier may be operated the amateur bands over certain ranges of fre-These ranges are specified in table 4-1. The amplifier stage uses four 811A triodes connected the with cathode drive.

INPUT CIRCUITS.

to figures 3-1 and 7-2. Broadband pi-network to couple the exciting signal into the cathode circle of the power amplifier tubes. The tuned input provide increased efficiency, reduced distorand a better impedance match for the exciter than lay would be obtained with an untuned input.

adjustments are not required except for operation the amateur bands.

3.3 OUTPUT CIRCUITS.

the circuit of the power amplifier is tuned by a work consisting of C32, L9, L10, and C33.

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MA POWER SUPPLY CIRCUITS.

power supplies and one a-c filament supply mediaded in the 30L-1. The amplifier may be conto a 115-volt single-phase or to a 230-volt, single-phase source. Where practical, the three-wire connection is recommended. transformer T1 has two primary windings. windings are connected in parallel for 115-volt and in series for 230-volt operation. The secondary winding provides filament power \$11A tubes through r-f choke L8. It also powers amp in the meter. Another secondary windwolles voltage through surge resistor R9 to semirectifier CR20. This is a half-wave circuit to furnish blocking bias to the amplifier tubes receive conditions and operating bias when It also furnishes power for changeover Voltage from the third secondary winding is

applied to two semiconductor rectifier strings connected in a full-wave voltage doubler configuration. These strings consist of CR1-CR8, C44-C51 in one string, and CR9-CR16, C52-C59 in the other. The parallel capacitors equalize the reverse voltages impressed across the diode junctions and protect against damage by transients. The output of this supply provides approximately 1600 volts d-c under load for the amplifier tube plates.

3.5 SAFETY INTERLOCK CIRCUITS.

The r-f and power supply compartment covers operate safety interlock switches for operator protection. Switches S5 and S7 are located in the power supply compartment. Switch S6 is located in the r-f compartment. Cover removal closes these switches and shorts the high voltage to ground. This arrangement protects the operator from accidentally coming in contact with high-voltage d-c which is present in either compartment.

WARNING

DO NOT BLOCK INTERLOCK SWITCHES. Contact with voltages in this equipment can be fatal. Be sure to disconnect the a-c power plug before removing any of the covers.

3.6 POWER CONTROL CIRCUITS.

Refer to figure 3-2. The front-panel ON-OFF switch breaks one side of the a-c line in the OFF position. When operated to the ON position, a-c power is applied to the power transformer primaries and the tube-cooling fan B1. Overload protection is provided by eight-ampere fuses F1 and F2. These are used for both 115-volt a-c and 230-volt a-c operation.

3.7 ALC CIRCUITS.

Automatic load control (alc) is a compressor circuit operating at radio frequencies. In the 30L-1, the grid-to-plate capacitances of the amplifier tubes in conjunction with capacitors C22, C23, C24, and C25 form capacitive voltage dividers. Under modulation, an r-f voltage is developed across these dividers and L3. It is coupled to the alc rectifier CR19 through capacitor C72. The r-f voltage is rectified and filtered to produce a negative d-c control voltage which is proportional to the modulation level. (The load resistor for CR19 must be provided by the exciter alc circuits.) This voltage is applied to the control grid of a low-level r-f amplifier tube or tubes in the exciter. The time constants of these circuits have a fast

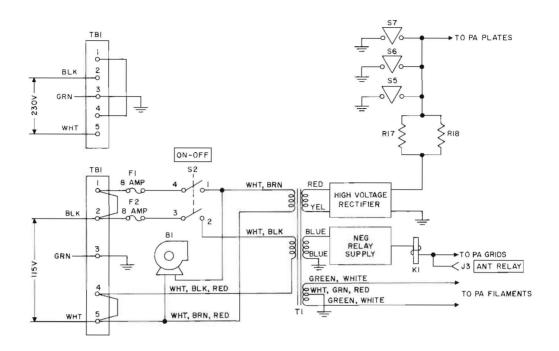


Figure 3-2. Control and Interlock Circuits

attack, slow-release characteristic. The alc threshold is controlled by the amount of reverse bias on CR19. This voltage is developed across R7 in the plate supply bleeder network, and varied by potentiometer R16. It is adjusted at the factory for optimum operation in conjunction with the internal alc circuits of exciters such as the KWM-1, KWM-2/2A, or 32S-1. Normally it will not need readjustment.

This system allows a high average level of modulation and optimum power output from the amplifier, within the rated limits of distortion.

3.8 METERING CIRCUITS.

One section of the METER switch, S3, selects the output voltage from a tuning and loading bridge circuit.

This circuit consists of the power amplifier tubes. CR17, CR18, and the associated load resistors and filter networks. The bridge is balanced when the plate circuit TUNING and LOADING controls are adjusted to present the proper load impedance to the power amplifier plates. The meter then will read zero.

The second section of the meter switch connects the meter to the plate supply through a four-megohm multiplier resistor to indicate the d-c voltage output. It is read on the D.C. KILOVOLT scale.

The third section of the meter switch connects the meter, through R10, across shunt, R8. This indicates power amplifier plate current. It is read on the D.C. AMPS scale.

SECTION IV MAINTENANCE

4.1 GENERAL.

dustment of the r-finput circuits requires the followequipment:

- R-f wattmeter and directional coupler, such as are bluded in the 312B-4 or 312B-5 Station Controls, or 302C-3 Directional Wattmeter.
- 50-ohm, 500-watt, nonreactive dummy load. (For sort tests where key-down conditions do not exceed seconds, the DL-1 Dummy Load can be used when splicable.)

ground return of the filament winding of T1 is cluded to protect the PA tubes from excessive current. The fuse is connected between the outer lugs of a terminal strip located near in the power supply compartment (refer to the function normally even though this fuse has however, this causes hum to appear on the output mal. Check for shorts in the filament circuit.

4.2 REMOVAL OF CABINET AND COVERS.

Lift the cabinet lid, and remove the two Phillipsad screws located at the top-front edge of the cabinet.

The move the four feet and the Phillips-head screw
ated midway between the rear feet. Push the ampliforward from the rear until the front panel projects
tom the cabinet about a half inch. Grasping the front
at the edges, carefully slide the amplifier out of
cabinet, making sure the a-c power cord clears.

- b. To remove the r-f compartment upper cover, loosen the tenscrews about three turns, slide the cover toward the front panel, and lift off.
- c. To remove the power supply compartment upper cover, remove screws located about the edges of the cover.
- d. To remove the bottom cover, remove two round Phillips-head screws from each end of the cover and three flat-head screws near the middle of the cover, and lift off.

4.3 BLOWER LUBRICATION.

Every 1000 hours of operation (or 6 months, whichever comes first), lubricate the blower motor bearings with three or four drops of sewing machine oil. Do not overlubricate.

4.4 ALIGNMENT OF R-F INPUT CIRCUITS.

- a. Remove the amplifier from its cabinetas outlined in paragraph 4.2. Do not remove any of the covers. To align for amateur band coverage, proceed as follows:
- b. Connect a directional wattmeter (312B-4/5 station control wattmeter, 302C-3 directional wattmeter, or equivalent) between the exciter output and the RF INPUT jack, J2, on the 30L-1. Connect a 50-ohm, 1000-watt dummy load to R-F OUTPUT jack, J4.
- c. Tune and load the 30L-1 at 28.5 mc. Position the 30L-1 METER switch to the TUNE position.
- d. Apply 30 watts of forward drive power to the 30L-1 (as monitored on the wattmeter installed in step b above.) When using the KWM-2/2A or S-Line

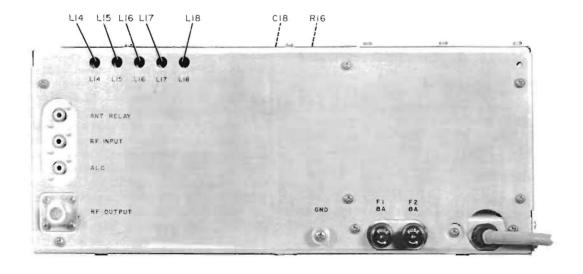


Figure 4-1. Location of Adjustments

equipment, this can be done by positioning the EMIS-SION switch to the LOCK KEY position and adjusting the MIC GAIN control to the desired level.

- e. Tune L14 until minimum reflected power is indicated on the wattmeter installed in step b above, readjusting the exciter as necessary to maintain 30 watts of forward drive power. Continue adjusting L14 for minimum reflected power (the reflected power level should not exceed 3.3 watts). Refer to figure 4-1 for location of L14.
- f. Repeat the above procedure at the middle frequency of each band, adjusting L15, L16, L17, and L18 when aligning the 21.0-, 14.0-, 7.0-, and 3.5-mc bands respectively.

For general coverage, use the same procedure as above, except set the exciter to a frequency which is in the middle of the desired band. Useful bandwidth at the new alignment frequencies is approximately the same as that for the amateur bands. Do not attempt alignment to place the new operating bands outside the ranges listed in table 4-1 for the BAND switch positions indicated. Also, do not attempt amateur band operation on a BAND switch position for which the tuned circuits have been realigned for out-of-band operation.

TABLE 4-1 FREQUENCY COVERAGE ALLOWABLE BY REALIGNMENT

BAND SWITCH SETTINGS	LOWER LIMIT (mc)	UPPER LIMIT (mc)
3.5	3.4	6.0
7.0	6.0	9.5
14	9.5	16.0
21	16.0	22.0
28	22.0	30.0

4.5 METER LAMP REPLACEMENT.

To replace the meter lamp, remove the bracket to which the socket is fastened. It is held by a small machine screw located at the rear of the meter. Replace the lamp with a type 47 or equivalent.

4.6 TUBE REPLACEMENT.

The tubes may be replaced without removing the amplifier cabinet by removing the r-f compartment top cover and installing new tubes from the top. The following is an alternate method which provides better access to the tube sockets.

Remove the cabinet, r-f compartment top cover, and bottom cover as outlined in paragraph 4.2. Disconnect

plate connectors and remove old tubes. Install the upper pair of replacements from the top of the amplifier. Install the lower pair from the bottom. The locating pin on the base of each of the tubes should point away from the power supply compartment. Attach plate leads, making sure they clear other components. Replace covers and cabinet.

WARNING

DO NOT BLOCK INTERLOCK SWITCHES. Dangerous voltages are present in this equipment. The high voltage is interlocked with the amplifier covers. Make no attempt to put the amplifier into service until the procedure outlined above has been completed.

4.7 TUNE METER ADJUSTMENT.

- a. Make normal connections between the exciter and 30L-1.
- b. Connect a 50-ohm, 1000-watt dummy load to RF OUTPUT jack J4.
- c. Connect the vertical input of a wide-band oscilloscope across the dummy load.
- d. Introduce a two-tone audio input signal (1200 and 1900 cps at approximately 15 mv) to the exciter microphone input jack. If provisions are not available to measure the 15-mv signal level, the circuit shown in figure 4-2 may be used. Here, both audio oscillators are set at 1-volt rms output, with one audio oscillator generating a 1200 cps tone and the other a 1900 cps tone.
 - e. Tune and load the 30L-1 at 14.3 mc.
- f. Position the 30L-1 METER switch to the TUNE position, and decrease the drive level to zero (when using the KWM-2/2A or S-Line equipment, this can be done by positioning the MIC GAIN control completely counterclockwise).
- g. Set up the exciter for upper sideband operation (when using the KWM-2/2A or S-Line equipment this can be done by positioning the function switch to the USB position).
- h. Monitoring the output waveform on the oscilloscope, increase the exciter output (when using the KWM-2/2A or S-Line equipment this is done by turning the MIC GAIN control in the clockwise direction) until the 30L-1 output ceases to increase, or peaks on the oscilloscope indication begin to flatten.
- i. Make sure that the exciter and 30L-1 are tuned properly by making fine adjustments to both units until maximum output, as monitored on the oscilloscope, is obtained without peak flattening. The output voltage across the dummy load should be not less than 450 volts peak to peak (160 volts rms).
- j. Adjust the exciter for approximately 20 watts of drive (when using the KWM-2/2A or S-Line equipment, this can be done by positioning the function switch to the TUNE position and positioning the MIC GAIN control approximately 3/4 fully clockwise). (An access hole is provided to adjust C18 through the top cover of the 30L-1 with the cabinet

raised. Refer to figure 6-2 for location of C18.

C18 with an alignment tool to produce a ging of zero on the 30L-1 multimeter.

4.8 ALC THRESHOLD ADJUSTMENT.

- Perform steps a, b, d, and e of paragraph 4.7.
- ▶ Disconnect alc cable between exciter and 30L-1.
- Using USB or LSB emission, increase drive until acted alc is about 4 db (S-4) on exciter meter.
- Reconnect alc cable, and adjust R16 with insulated tool for a 3-db (one S-unit) increase in alc.

CAUTION

Adjustments to tune meter and alc circuits should not be made unless the need has been clearly determined. If trouble is experienced, check PA tubes and exciter first. Improper adjustments can result in damage to amplifier and a distorted output signal. Do not attempt to make adjustments without proper test equipment.

SECTION V SPECIFICATIONS

Size	6-9/16 in. high, $14-3/4$ in. wide, $13-3/4$ in. deep (overall).
Weight	38 pounds.
Frequency range	3.5-29.7 mc, covering all amateur bands. By retuning input coils as necessary, the following general-coverage bands may be covered:
	FREQUENCY BAND TOTAL COVERAGE
	3.5 mc 3.4-6.0 mc 7.0 mc 6.0-9.5 mc 14 mc 9.5-16.0 mc 21 mc 16.0-22.0 mc 28 mc 22.0-30.0 mc
Mode	SSB or CW
Type of Service	SSB - continuous voice modulation. CW - 50-percent duty cycle (continuous key-down conditions not to exceed 30 seconds duration).
Plate power input	CW - 1000 watts. SSB - Nominal PEP input of 1000 watts with speech. Third order distortion products at this level are at least 30 db down from signal.
Drive power requirements	70 watts.
Primary power requirements	230 volts a-c $\pm 10\%$, 3-wire, single phase, at 7.5 amperes max, or 115 volts a-c $\pm 10\%$ at 15 amperes max, 50-400 cps. Operation from a line frequency other than 50-60 cps requires an auxiliary 60-cps supply for fan motor.
Imput impedance	52 ohms.
Output impedance	$52\ \mbox{ohms}$ unbalanced with vswr not to exceed 2 to 1 on the amateur bands.
Noise level	40 db down from output signal with 1-kw single-tone input.
Harmonic output	All harmonics at least 40 db down from output signal.
Wacuum tubes	Type 811A triodes (4).
Amilable accessories	Model 351E-4 mounting plate (Collins part number 522-1482-003). This plate can be used when installing the 30L-1 in an airplane, boat, or similar location requiring a rigid mount. A luggage-type carrying case is also available.

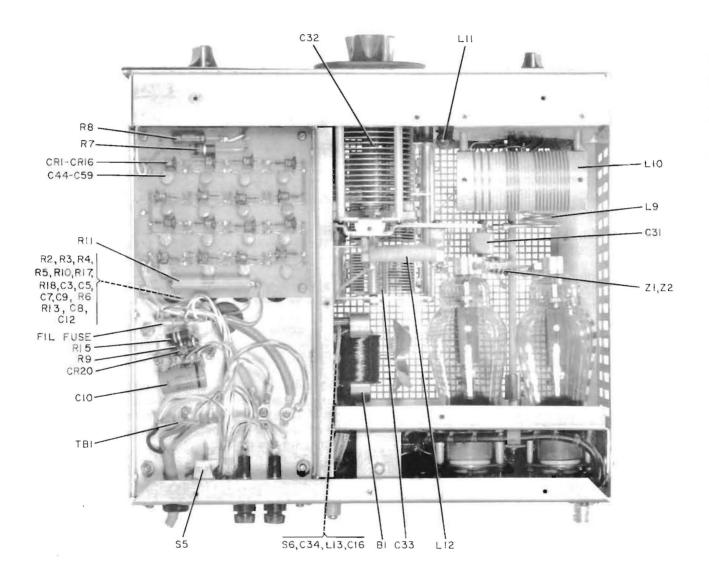


Figure 6-1. R-F and Power Supply Compartments, Parts Location

SECTION VI PARTS LIST

30L-1 R-F Linear Amplifier

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	COLLINS PART NUMBE
	30L-1 R-F LINEAR AMPLIFIER	522-2375-00
B1	FAN, AXIAL: 4 blades; 115 v a-c. 60 cps, single phase, 3200 rpm; cw rotation	547-3702-00
C1	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: 10,000 uuf +100% -20%, 500 v d-c; Sprague Electric of	913-3013-00
CZ	Wisconsin CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1	913-3013-00
C	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: 100 uf -10% +100%, 45- v d-c; Sprague Electric Co. part no. D33647	183-1567-00
C4	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: 10,000 uuf ±20%, 100 v d-c; Centralab Division of Globe Union part no. DA134-048CB	913-3922-00
C5	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: same as	183-1567-00
C6	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C4	913-3922-00
C7	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: same as C3	183-1567-00
C8	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: same as	183-1567-00
C9 C10	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: same as C3 CAPACITOR FIXED ELECTROLYTIC: 10 of	183-1567-00 183-1563-00
610	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: 10 uf -10%, *100%, 250 v d-c; Sprague Electric Co. part no. D34441	165-1565-00
C11	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1	913-3013-00
C12	CAPACITOR, FIXED, ELECTROLYTIC: same as C3	183-1567-00
C13	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 47 uuf ±5%, 500 v d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15E470-01J	912-2792-00
C14 C15	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 100 uul ±5%, 500 v d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15F101-01J CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1	912-2816-00 913-3013-00
C16	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: 0.005 uf ±20%, 3000 v d-c; Centralab	913-4329-00
C17 C18	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1 CAPACITOR, VARIABLE, CERAMIC: 8.0 uuf min 75.0 uuf max, 350 v d-c; Erie Resistor Corp. part no. 557018 V2P034R	913-3013-00 917-1075-00
C19	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 270 uuf ±5%, 500 v d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15F271-01J	912-2846-00
C20	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1	913-3013-00
C21 C22	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1 CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 220 uuf ±5%, 500 v d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15F221-01J	913-3013-00 912-2840-00
C23	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C22	912-2840-00
C24	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C22	912-2840-00
C25	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C22	912-2840-00
C26 thru	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1	913-3013-00
C30		
C31	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: 1000 uuf ±20%, 5000 v d-c; Centralab Division of Globe Union part	913-0101-00
C32	no. 71590 CAPACITOR, VARIABLE AIR: 15 uuf min 353.0 uuf max; E. F. Johnson part no. 154-2	920-0066-00
C33	CAPACITOR, VARIABLE AIR: 30,000 megohms, 14 uuf min 432 uuf max; Radio Condenser Co. part no. CN-817319	921-0018-00
C34	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C16	913-4329-00
C35	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: 1000 uuf +80% -20%, 500 v d-c; Erie Resistor Corp. part no.	913-1292-00
C36 thru	327047 X5TO 1027 CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C35	913-1292-00
C43 C44	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: 1000 uuf +100℃ -20℃, 500 v d-c; Erie Resistor Corp. part no. 851000 X5U0 1022	913-3009-00

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	COLLINS PART NUMBER	
C45	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C44	913-3009-00	
thru			
C59			
C60	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 82 uuf ±5%, 500 v	912-2810-00	
	d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15E820-01J		
C61	NOT USED		
C62	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 510 uuf ±5%, 300 v	912-2867-00	
	d-c; Electro Motive Mfg. Co. part no.	•	
	DM15 F510J03		
C63	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C22	912-2840-00	
C64	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C22	912-2840-00	
C65	d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15F111-01J	912-2834-00	
C66	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 330 uuf ±5%, 500 v	912-2852-00	
C00	d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15331-01J	OIL BOOK GO	
C67	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C22	912-2840-00	
C68	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 220 uuf ±5%, 500 v	912-2840-00	
0.00	d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15F221-01J	200000000000000000000000000000000000000	
C69	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: 150 nuf ±5%, 500 v	912-2828-00	
	d-c; Electro Motive part no. DM15F151-01J		
C70	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C65	912-2834-00	
C71	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C35	913-1292-00	
C72	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C13	912-2792-00	
C73	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C14	912-2816-00	
C74	CAPACITOR, FIXED, CERAMIC: same as C1	913-3013-00	
C75	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C69	912-2828-00	
C76	CAPACITOR, FIXED, MICA: same as C14	912-2816-00	
CR1	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, DIODE: silicon;	353-1661-00	
CIDO.	JEDEC type 1N1492	353-1661-00	
CR2	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, DIODE: same as	333-1001-00	
thru CR16	CRI		
CR17	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, DIODE: silicon;	353-0205-00	
CRII	JEDEC type 1N458	000 000 00	
CR18	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, DIODE: same as CR17	353-0205-00	
CR19	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, DIODE: same as CR17	353-0205-00	
CR20	SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, DIODE: silicon;	353-1546-00	
	JEDEC type 1N540		
DS1	LAMP: incandescent, pilot light bulb with	262-3240-00	
	miniature bayonet base, 6.3v, 0.15 amp #47		
F1	FUSE, CARTRIDGE: 8 amp, 250 v d-c; glass	264-4110-00	
	body ferrule type terminal; Littelfuse Inc. part		
	no. 314008	201 4110 00	
F2	FUSE, CARTRIDGE: same as F1	264-4110-00 360-0088-00	
Ji	JACK, TIP: accommodates 1/8 in. plug; ceramic	360-0088-00	
	insulation brass contacts; Howard B. Jones Division of Cinch Mfg. Corp. part no.		
	201-11-01-018		
J2	JACK, TIP: same as J1	360-0088-00	
J3	JACK, TIP: same as J1	360-0088-00	
J4	CONNECTOR, RECEPTACLE, ELECTRICAL: 1	357-9003-00	
100 PM	contact, 1 mating end; straight shape; 0.731 in.		
	lg. by 1.000 in. w by 1.000 in. h; Communication		
	Electronic Nomenclature Subpanel part no.		
	UG-85/U		
K1	RELAY, ARMATURE: dpdt; 2 C; 2 amp, 175 w;	970-2140-00	
	2-30 mc; 1-11/16 in. lg by 1-9/16 in. h; Potter		
	and Brumfield, Inc. part no. KRP2565-1		
Ll	NOT USED		
L2	NOT USED	240-0189-00	
L3	COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound, solenoid, #21 or #22 AWG copper wire 39.0 uh,	740×0193-00	
	0.80 ohms dc, 760 ma current; Electro		
	Assemblies Inc. part no. 18-366		
L4	P/O Z1		
L5	P/O Z1 P/O Z2		
L6	NOT USED		
L7	NOT USED		
LS	COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound,	240-1244-00	
230	no. 14 AWG, Formvar insulation; 7.5 uh;		
	Electro Assemblies Inc. part no. 18-401		
	COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound;	547-3718-002	
L9			
L9	6.5 turns no. 8 AWG		
L9			

30L-1 R-F Linear Amplifier

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	COLLINS PART NUMBER	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	COLLINS PART NUMBER
L10	COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound;	547-3708-003	R18 R19	RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: same as R17 RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 39,000 ohms	745-5568-00 745-1419-00
LH	COIL, RADIO, FREQUENCY: 4 sections; 2.5 mh, 60 ohms, 1.75 uuf 500 v d-c; James Millen Mfg.	240-0059-00	R20	±10%, 1/2 w; Allen-Bradley type No. EB RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: same as R19	745-1419-00
L12	Co., Inc. part no. 34103 COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound, 44 uh at 2.5 mc inductance, 3.54 ohm d-c resist-	240-0807-00	R21	RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 47 ohms ±10%, 1 w; Allen-Bradley type GB RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: same as R21	745-3296-00 745-3296-00
	ance, 1.6 amp current capacity; Ohmite Mfg. Co. part no. Z-14PBM17		R23 R24	RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: same as R21 RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: same as R21	745-3296-00 745-3296-00
L13	CO1L, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound: 2.2 uh, 1980 ma current; 0.20 ohm; Electro	240-0174-00	R25 R26	P/O ZI P/O Z2 NOT USED	
L14	Assemblies Inc. part no. 18-351 COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound; 2 turns	547-3659-00	R27 R28	RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 39 ohms ±10%, 1/2 w; Allen-Bradley Type EB	745-1293-00
L15	COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound; 7 turns no. 22 AWG	547-3660-003	S1	SWITCH, ROTARY: 2 circuit (2 pole), 18 position, 1 section, 2 moving, 12 fixed contacts; Oak	259-1385-00
L16 L17	COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound; 9 turns no. 22 AWG COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound;	547-3661-003 547-3662-003	S2	Mfg. Co. part no. 214093-LK1 SWITCH, ROCKER: dpst; 20 amp, 250 v a-c non-inductive, 20 amp, 125 v a-c, 10 amp, 250 v	266-6020-00
L18	14 turns no. 22 AWG COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: single layer wound;	547-3663-003		a-c; McGill Mfg. Co. Inc. part no. 0811-113010109	
L19	9 turns no. 22 AWG COIL, RADIO FREQUENCY: 1.5 uh, 0.12 ohm	240-0173-00	S3	SWITCH, ROTARY: 2 circuit (2 pole), 3 position, 1 section, 2 moving, 8 fixed contacts, Oak	259-1368-00
	d-c resistance ±20%, 2600 MA d-c current 9/32 in. dia 15/16 in. lg. two wire leads no. 21 & no. 22; Electro Assemblies Inc. part no. 18-350		S4	Mfg. Co., part no. 215870-F1 SWITCH, ROTARY: 3 circuit (3 pole), 5 posi- tion, 1 section; Centralab Division of Globe Union	259-1386-00
M1	METER, ELECTRICAL: 200-0-500 ua meter range, 190 ohms, 42%, 2-1/2 in. sq. molded thermosetting plastic; Sun Electric Corp. part no.	458-0592-00	Т1	Inc., part no. PA230-1005 TRANSFORMER, POWER, STEP-DOWN AND STEP-UP: 115 v a-c, 115 v a-c primaries, 50	662-0010-00
01	521L KNOB, FLUTED, NO. 25: phenolic; 1.242 in.	544-0764-004		to 60 cps; 1600 v d-c at 600 ma, 120 v a-c at 20 ma, 6.3 v a-c at 16 amp secondaries; 4-7/16 in. by 5-1/4 in. by 5-3/8 in.; Stancor Electronics,	
O2 O3	dia. KNOB, FLUTED, NO. 25: same as O1 KNOB, POINTER, NO. 25: phenolic; 15/16 in.	544-0764-004 544-0779-004	ТВІ	Inc. part no. 30175 TERMINAL BOARD: phenolic, 5 solder lug	306-0550-00
O4 O5	dia. KNOB, POINTER, NO. 25: same as O3 KNOB, POINTER, NO. 25: same as O3	544-0779-004 544-0779-004	TB2	terminals; 1/16 in. by 3/8 in. by 1-7/8 in.; Cinch Mfg. Corp. part no. 1542-A TERMINAL BOARD: same as TB1	306-0550-00
06 07	KNOB: aluminum; 1.500 in. dia. KNOB: same as O6	547-3656-002 547-3656-002	TB3	TERMINAL BOARD: phenolic; incls 4 solder lug terminals; 1/16 in. by 3/8 in. 1-1/2 in.;	306-0838-00
O8 R1	KNOB: same as O6 RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 4700 ohms ±10%, 1/2 w; Allen-Bradley type EB	547-3656-002 745-1380-00	TB4	Cinch Mfg. Corp. part no. 1909 TERMINAL BOARD: same as TB1 TERMINAL BOARD: phenolic; 3 terminals;	306-0550-00 306-9033-00
R2	RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: 25,000 ohms ±5%, 26 w; Clarostat Mfg. Co. Inc. part no. CM28047	746-9155-00	TB6	solder lug type, 1-1/8 in. lg. by 3/8 in. w by 1/16 in. thk; Cinch Mfg. Corp. part no. 1520-A TERMINAL BOARD: same as TB5	306-9033-00
R3 R4	RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: same as R2 RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: same as R2	746-9155-00 746-9155-00	VI	ELECTRON TUBE: glass envelope, triode; Radio Corp. of America part no. 811	256-0053-00
R5 R6 R7	RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: same as R2 RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: same as R2 RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 1500 ohms	746-9155-00 746-9155-00 745-5659-00	V2 thru V4	ELECTRON TUBE: same as V1	256-0053-00
R8	#10%, 2 w; Allen-Bradley type HB RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: 1.0 ohm #1%, 5 w; OPTO Mechanisms, Inc. part no.	747-9716-00	XFI	FUSEHOLDER: 15 amp-250 v; 11/16 in. w by 2-9/64 in. lg; Bussmann Fuse Division of McGraw-Edison Co. part no. HKP-HJR-22	265-1019-00
R9	1550S1.0-1PCT RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 47 ohms	745-5596-00	XF2 XV1	FUSEHOLDER: same as XF1 SOCKET, ELECTRON TUBE: 5 amp 2000 v rms,	265-1019-00 220-1451-00
R10	±10%, 12 w; Allen-Bradley type HB RESISTOR, FIXED, FILM: 1780 ohms ±1%, 1/4 w; IRC type MDB	705-7108-00	XV2	1-3/% in. w by 2-5/32 in. h.; Amphenol-Borg Electronics Corp. part no. 49-RSS4 SOCKET, ELECTRON TUBE: same as XVI	220-1451-00
RII	RESISTOR, FIXED, FILM: 4,000,000 ohms ±1%, 2 w; IRC type MDH	705-4260-00	thru XV4	SOCKET, F. DECTRON TOBE. Same as AVI	220 1101-00
R12	RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: 2000 ohms ±10%, 7 w at +40° C to 3.5 w at +150° C; IRC	710-9010-00	Z1	SUPPRESSOR, PARASITIC: 6 turns no. 16 AWG wire, 100 ohms, 2 w resistor	547-3654-00
R13 R14	type PW7 RESISTOR, FIXED, WIRE-WOUND: same as R2 NOT USED	746-9155-00	Z2	SUPPRESSOR, PARASITIC: same as Z1	547-3654-00
R15	RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 10,000 ohms ±10%, 2 w; Allen-Bradley type HB	745-5694-00			
R16	RESISTOR, VARIABLE: composition; 5000 ohms ±20%, 0.3 w; CTS Corp. part no. 376-0205-00	376-0205-00			
R17	RESISTOR, FIXED, COMPOSITION: 10 ohms ±10%, 2 w; Allen-Bradley type HB	745-5568-00			
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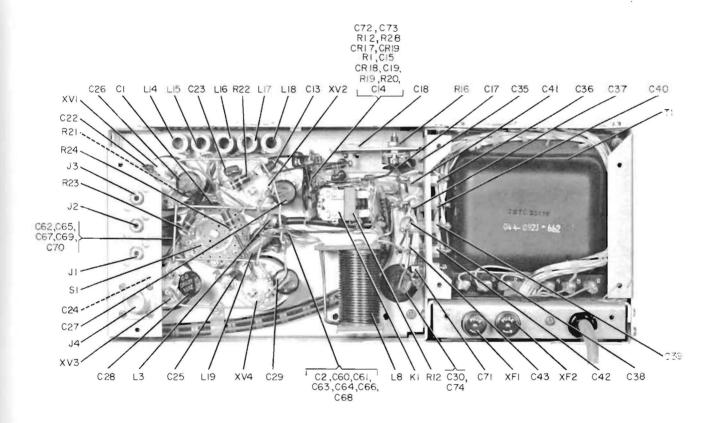


Figure 6-2. Input Circuitry, Parts Location

SECTION VII

Connector Assembly Instructions

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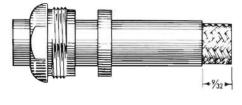


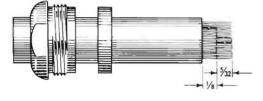


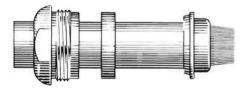


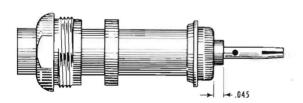


Plug Body

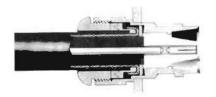












Place nut and gasket over cable and cut off jacket %2" from end.

Comb out braid and fold out. Cut off cable dielectric flush $\frac{1}{18}\!\!\!/\!\!\!s''$ from end of jacket.

Pull braid wires forward and taper toward center conductor. Place clamp over braid and push back against cable jacket.

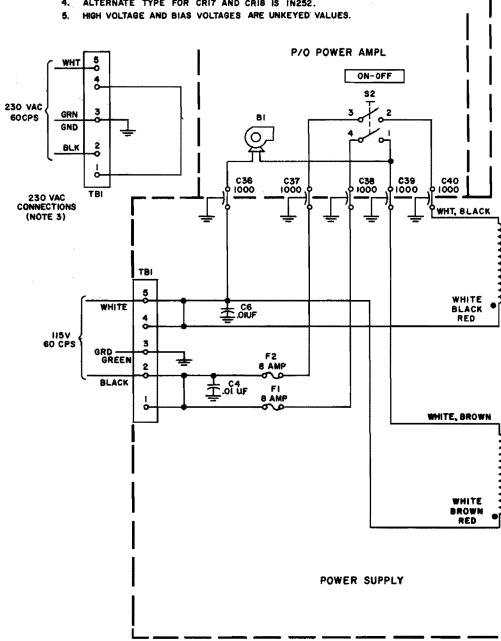
Fold back braid wires as shown, trim to proper length and form over clamp as shown. Solder contact to center conductor.

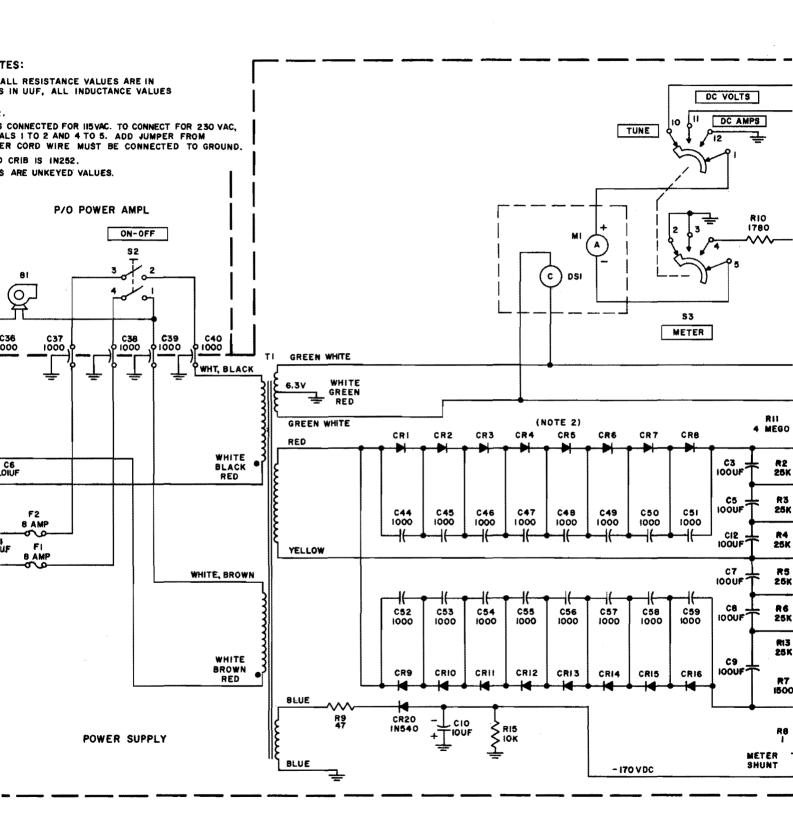
Insert cable and parts into connector body. Make sure sharp edge of clamp seats properly in gasket. Tighten nut.

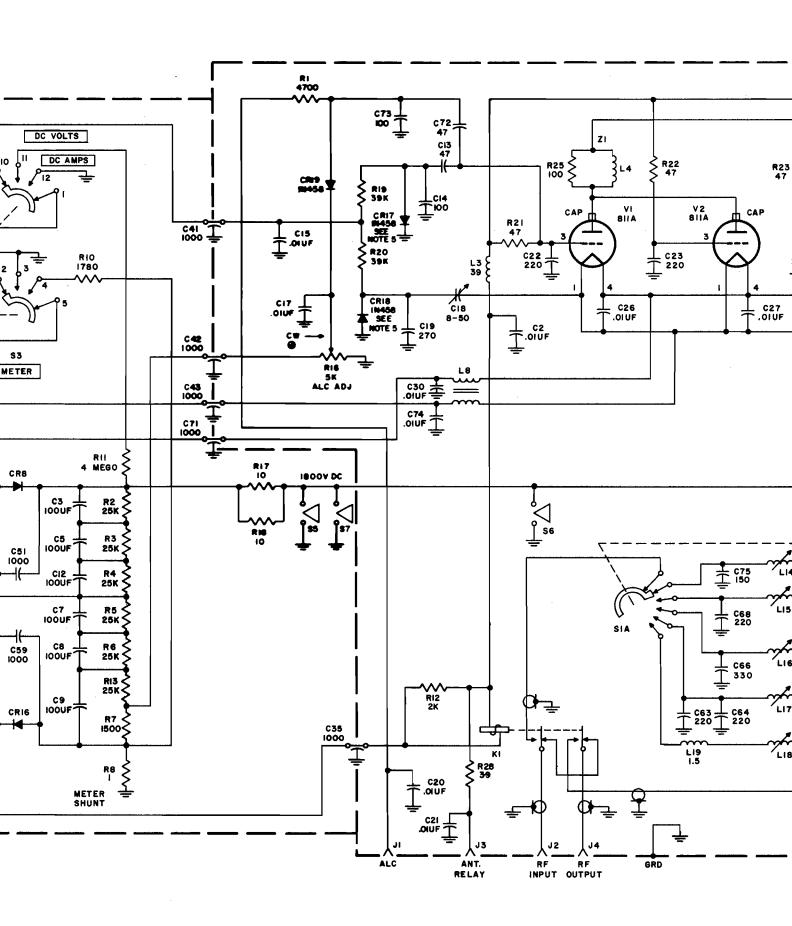
Figure 7-1. Connector Assembly Instructions

NOTES:

- UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED, ALL RESISTANCE VALUES ARE IN OHMS, ALL CAPACITANCE VALUES IN UUF, ALL INDUCTANCE VALUES ARE IN UH.
- CRI THRU CRIS ARE ALL IN1492.
- AMPLIFIER SHIPPED WITH PRIMARIES CONNECTED FOR 115VAC. TO CONNECT FOR 230 VAC, REMOVE JUMPERS ON TBI, TERMINALS I TO 2 AND 4 TO 5. ADD JUMPER FROM TERMINAL I 170 4. GREEN POWER CORD WIRE MUST BE CONNECTED TO GROUND.
- ALTERNATE TYPE FOR CRIT AND CRIS IS IN252.







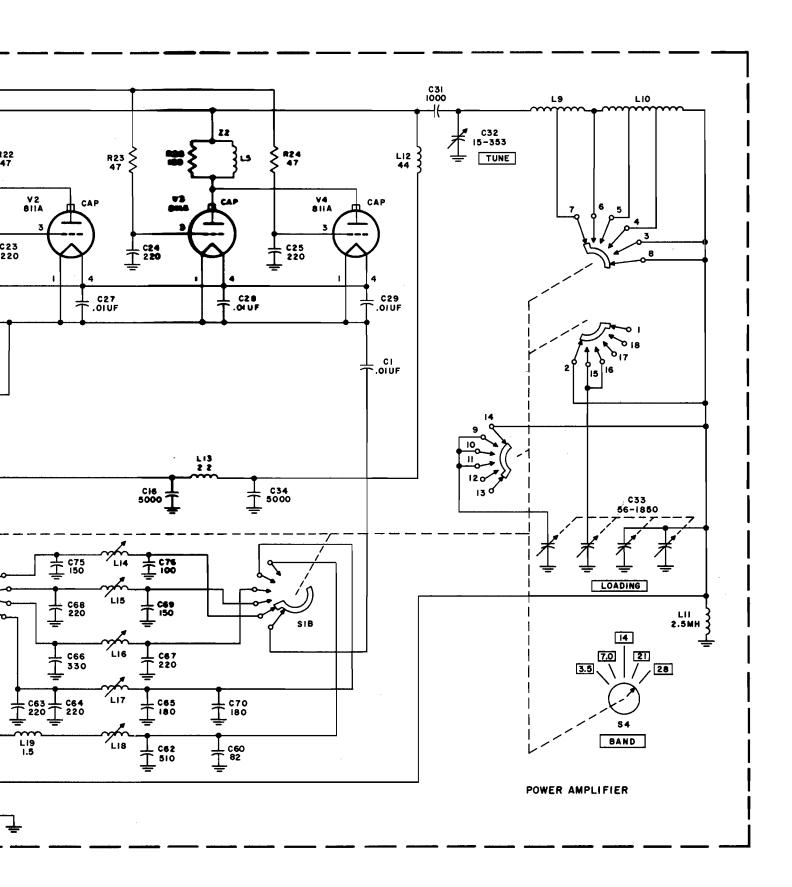


Figure 7-2. 30L-1 Schematic Diagram



