

MODEL 41-44 PRESS-BUTTON CAR RADIO

DESCRIPTION.

Model 41-44 is a nine transistor single-unit car radio fitted with a five-button permeability tuner. This model features push-pull output transistors capable of 4 watts output. The 89-8 chassis (used previously in models 41-30 and 35) is used, with some modifications. The audio amplifier/output assembly wired on the output transistors' heat sink is new. In this model, the cabinet cover is black and the control knobs have been shortened.

DIAL SCALES.

Four dial scales are supplied, covering all States and all Australian Broadcast stations. To change scales, remove the two screws in the clear plastic dial lens and detach lens. Change scale and replace lens.

DIMENSIONS.

Width 7", Height 2", Depth $7\frac{1}{4}$ " (plus Knobs).

GROSS WEIGHT.

8 lbs.

LOUDSPEAKER.

Impedance 15 ohms. Size and type dependent on installation requirements. Universal Installation kit equipped with 7" x 5" elliptical speaker M.S.P. Type 750A/15.

OPERATING VOLTAGE AND POLARITY.

12 Volts D.C. only. For Positive ground car battery, insert polarity plug with + sign pointing to earth symbol on heat sink.

For Negative ground car battery, insert polarity plug with — sign pointing to earth symbol on heat sink.

BATTERY CONSUMPTION.

Min. Volume 350 mA.

Max. Volume 700 mA.

These figures include 200 mA dial lamp.

TUNING RANGE.

525 to 1620 Kc/s.

I.F. FREQUENCY

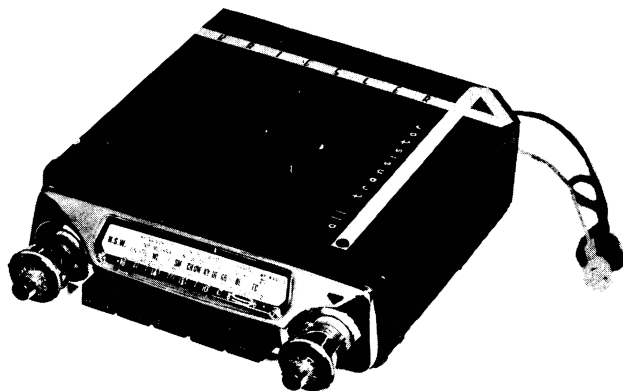
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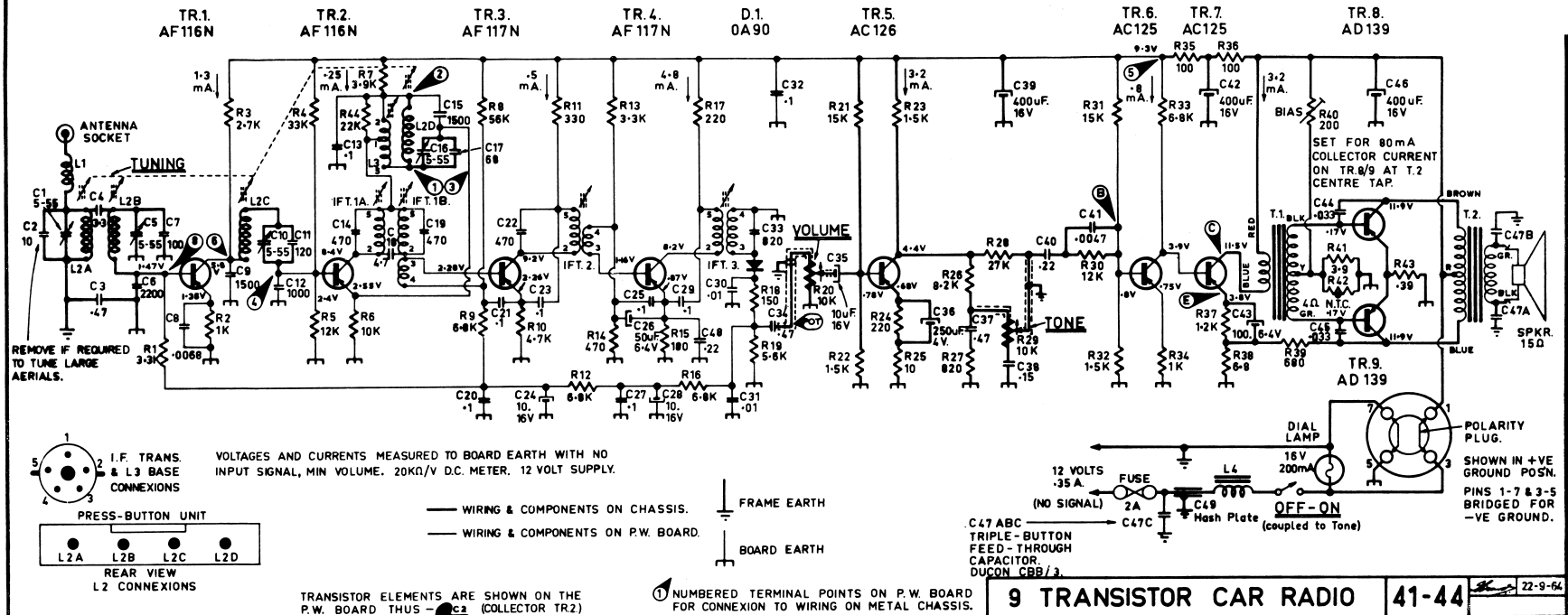
ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE.

HIGH CAPACITY AERIALS.

Inability to peak the Aerial Trimmer after installation would indicate that the aerial and feeder capacitance is excessively high.

- Reduce the feeder cable length if possible.
- Remove the 10pF capacitor C2 from the aerial coil.
- Insert a series capacitor in the aerial circuit.



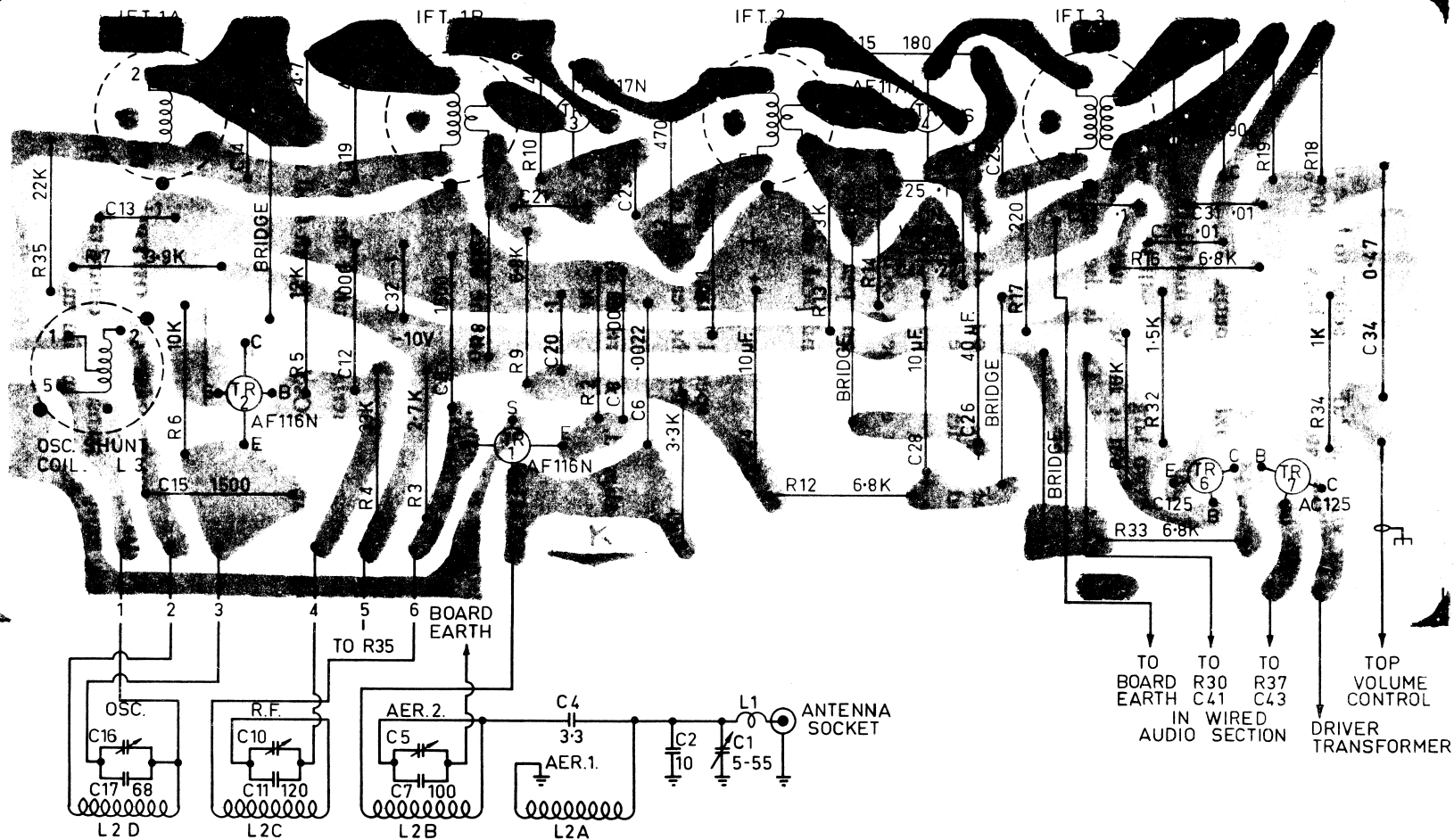


ELECTRICAL PARTS LIST

MODEL No. 41-44.

CHASSIS No. 89-8.

No.	DESCRIPTION	No.	DESCRIPTION	No.	DESCRIPTION
R1, 13	3.3K 1/4W 5%	R35, 36	100Ω 1/4W 5%	G13, 20	10μF 25V Ceramic.
R2, 34	1K 1/4W 5%	R37	1.2K 1/4W 5%	G21, 23	25, 27, 29, 32
R3	2.7K 1/4W 5%	R38	6.8Ω 1/4W 5%	G22, 19	470pF 600V Styro.
R4	33K 1/4W 5%	R39	680Ω 1/4W 5%	G15	1500pF 200V Styro.
R5, 30	12K 1/4W 5%	R40	200Ω 1/4W 5%	G17	820pF 600V Styro.
R6	10K 1/4W 5%	R41	3.9Ω 1/4W 5%	G18	4.7pF 500V Ceramic
R7	3.9K 1/4W 5%	R42	4Ω Thermistor	G38	150pF 125V Poly.
R8	56K 1/4W 5%	R43	0.39Ω 1/4W 5%	G36	250pF 4V Electro.
R9, 12, 16, 33	6.8K 1/4W 5%	R44	22K 1/4W 5%	G39, 42	400μF 16V Electro.
R14	470Ω 1/4W 5%	R10	4.7K 1/4W 5%	G46	.22μF 25V Ceramic.
R15	180Ω 1/4W 5%	R11	330Ω 1/4W 5%	G41	4700pF 500V Ceramic.
R17, 24	220Ω 1/4W 5%	C1	5-55pF Mica Trimmer	G43	100μF 6.4V Electro.
R18	150Ω 1/4W 5%	C2	10pF 500V Ceramic	G44, 45	0.03μF 25V Ceramic.
R19	5.6K 1/4W 5%	C3	.47μF 125V Poly.	G47	3 x 1000pF CBB/3
R20	10K Pot. VOLUME	C4	3.3pF 500V Ceramic		
R29	10K Pot. TONE	C5, 10	5-55pF Mica Trimmer		
R21, 31	15K 1/4W 5%	C6	2200pF 400V Poly.		
R22, 23	27K 1/4W 5%	C7	100pF 600V Styro.		
R25	10Ω 1/4W 5%	C8	6800pF Ceramic CDS		
R26	8.2K 1/4W 5%	C9	1500pF 400V Poly.		
R27	820Ω 1/4W 5%	C10	120pF 600V Styro.		
R28	27K 1/4W 5%	C11	1000pF 400V Poly.		
		C12	10μF 16V		
		C13	10μF 16V		
		C14	12K 10K		
		C15	1500		
		C16	15-55		
		C17	58		
		C18	4.7		
		C19	470		
		C20	1		
		C21	1		
		C22	470		
		C23	1		
		C24	10, 16V		
		C25	1		
		C26	50μF 6.4V		
		C27	1		
		C28	6.8K		
		C29	1		
		C30	1		
		C31	1		
		C32	1		
		C33	820		
		C34	10K		
		C35	10μF 16V		
		C36	250μF 4V		
		C37	47		
		C38	10K		
		C39	15K		
		C40	22		
		C41	0.0047		
		C42	400μF 16V		
		C43	100		
		C44	0.033		
		C45	100		
		C46	400μF 16V		
		C47	15K		
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VIEW FROM CONDUCTOR SIDE OF PRINTED WIRING BOARD

I.F. ALIGNMENT.

- (a) Connect signal generator via a .022uF capacitor to base of TR2. Set Volume and Tone controls to maximum and generator to 455 Kc/s. at 30% modulation. Set tuner to high frequency end (cores fully out).
- (b) Using minimum input signal, peak cores of all three I.F. Transformers using the peak nearest the board. Repeat for maximum output.
- (c) Reset generator output to 1 millivolt at 80% modulation. This step is most important.
- (d) By adjusting core of IFT 3, two large peaks will be found with a smaller peak between them. The correct tuning position is in the centre of the valley between the small peak and the large peak nearest the board. This is also the point of minimum distortion.

R.F. and OSCILLATOR ALIGNMENT.

- (a) Connect generator via a 15pF capacitor to aerial socket with a 47pF capacitor to ground. This simulates the aerial and feeder cable capacitance. Reset generator modulation to 30%.
- (b) With tuner unit at high frequency end, peak oscillator trimmer to 1620 Kc.
- (c) Tune receiver and generator to 1500 Kc and peak other three trimmers:
- (d) Tune receiver and generator to 600 Kc and peak oscillator shunt coil L3 whilst 'rocking' the tuning spindle.
- (e) Repeat until alignment is correct.

Calibrate by adjusting the pointer. A special thin spanner ($\frac{1}{4}$ " AF) is required to adjust the small concentrically-mounted nut under the rear end of the pointer. See diagram under 41-44 circuit.

NOTE: As tuner units are pre-aligned, no further adjustment of cores should normally be required.

AERIAL TRIMMER ADJUSTMENT.

The aerial trimmer adjustment is identified on the black heat sink. Peak the aerial trimmer at about 1500 Kc when receiver is installed.

GENERAL.

- (a) The oscillator, R.F. and secondary aerial trimmer should be sealed after adjustment.
- (b) Cores of I.F. Transformers and the Oscillator Shunt Coil must not be sealed after adjustment.

ADJUSTMENT OF STANDING CURRENT ON OUTPUT TRANSISTORS.

Measure standing current at output transformer centre-tap. Adjust at slide resistor mounted on heat sink below board. Set Volume to minimum. Set standing current at 80 mA.

