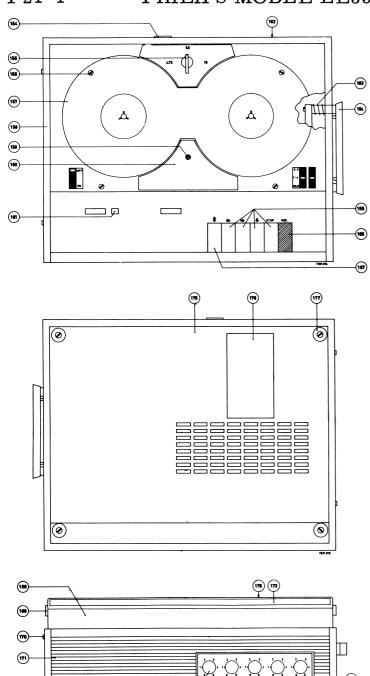
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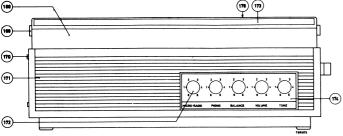


Fig. 1

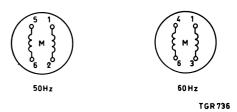


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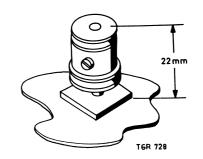


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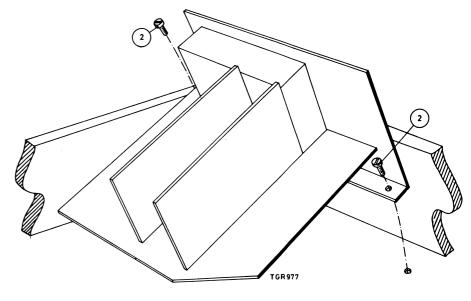


Fig. 4

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TECHNICAL DATA

Power consumption

Mains voltages : 110 - 127 - 220 - 245 V

Mains frequency : 50 or 60 c/s

Tape speeds : 4.75 cm/sec., 9.5 cm/sec., 19 cm/sec.

: approx. 65 W

Reel diameter : max. 18 cm (7")

Loudspeakers : 1 x AD3570M and 1x AD2401R (lid)

Dimensions : 440 x 350 x 215 mm

Weight : 10 kg

Frequency ranges : at 19 cm/sec.: 40 - 18,000 c/s

at 9.5 cm/sec.: 60 - 15,000 c/s

at 4.75 cm/sec.: 60 - 10,000 c/s

Sensitivities

Microphone · 0. 25 mV across 2 k0 Diode · 2 mV across 20 k0 Record player input : 200 mV across 0.5 MΩ

Output voltages

Diode : 1 V across 50 kΩ Headphone : 200 mV across 1.5 kΩ

Output power : 2.3 W across 5.6 Ω per channel

Valves : 2x ECL82 1x EM87

Transistors : 4x AC172, 4x AC126, 1x AC125

Diode : 1x OA70 Microphone : EL 3757/00 Lead : EL 3768A/04

It is recommended to clean the apparatus and to lubricate the various points after about 1000 hours of operation.

Clean only with regular or refined alcohol

Tape guides, erase head, record/play-back head, capstan, pressure roller, motor pulley, flywheel, cordgrooves of the

Removing the cabinet, see Fig. 1

Remove knob, item 155, and the screws items 156 and 139. Unscrew the bottom plate by means of the four screws in the rubber feet, item 177.

In most cases it will not be necessary to remove the entire cabinet for repairs. If this should be necessary, remove the four screws in the corners of the mounting plate and the knobs. item 172. Furthermore, pull out the grip and unsolder the loudspeaker.

Replacing the motor

- Loosen the nut of cord-protection bracket B, see Fig. 12.
- Remove the drive cord, item 68.
- Unsolder the motor connections.
- Loosen the screws, item 33.
- The motor can then be removed.

Mounting is effected in reverse order.

Converting 50 to 60 c/s and vice versa

- Detach the motor pulley, item 52, and turn it 180°.
- Adjust according to Fig. 3.
- Rewire the motor connections as in Fig. 2. Fig. 2 is correspondent with the transformer connections.

Replacing the drive cord, item 68

- Remove both springs, item 116 and 124.
- The cord can then be removed.
- For inserting the cord, de-grease all parts over which the
- The gap between the ends of bracket B see Fig. 12 should be

Note: The cord should run across both pulleys and the drive wheel, with its bevelled side pointing outward, see Fig. 12.

Replacing cap, item 26

- Remove the screw, item 25.
- The cap can then be pulled from the reel.

Mounting is effected in reverse order.

Disassembling the push-button unit

- Remove the springs, item 104.
- Loosen the screws, item 4.
- The entire unit can then be removed from the mounting plate.

Replacing push-buttons

Remove the clamping ring, item 10, and the spring, item 104. The rod passing through all push-buttons can then be slid out to the left.

Consequently, all push-buttons are freed.

If necessary, replace one of the push-buttons and re-insert the

Next, proceed in reverse order.

Note: The "pause" button should be at the extreme left; it contains a metal pin which should be positioned below item

Swinging out the print, see Fig. 4

- No buttons depressed.
- Loosen the two screws, item 2.
- The print can then be swung forward.

Replacing the friction ring, item 29

- Remove the reel from the mounting plate.
- Consequently remove items 36, 35, 34 and 30.
- The ring can then be pulled from the reel and replaced.

Mounting is effected in reverse order.

Note: When assembling, everything should be de-greased.

Start and stop friction

The friction force of both reels should be 125-250 gr, measured with full 7" reel.

Replacing flywheel, item 84

- Disconnect print which is fastened by means of a bracket across the electrolytic capacitor.
- Remove ring, item 59a.
- Unscrew screws, item 5 and remove the bearing bracket.
- If necessary, push-button, item 85, can be replaced.
- Remove the flywheel from the bearing,

Mounting should take place in reverse order.

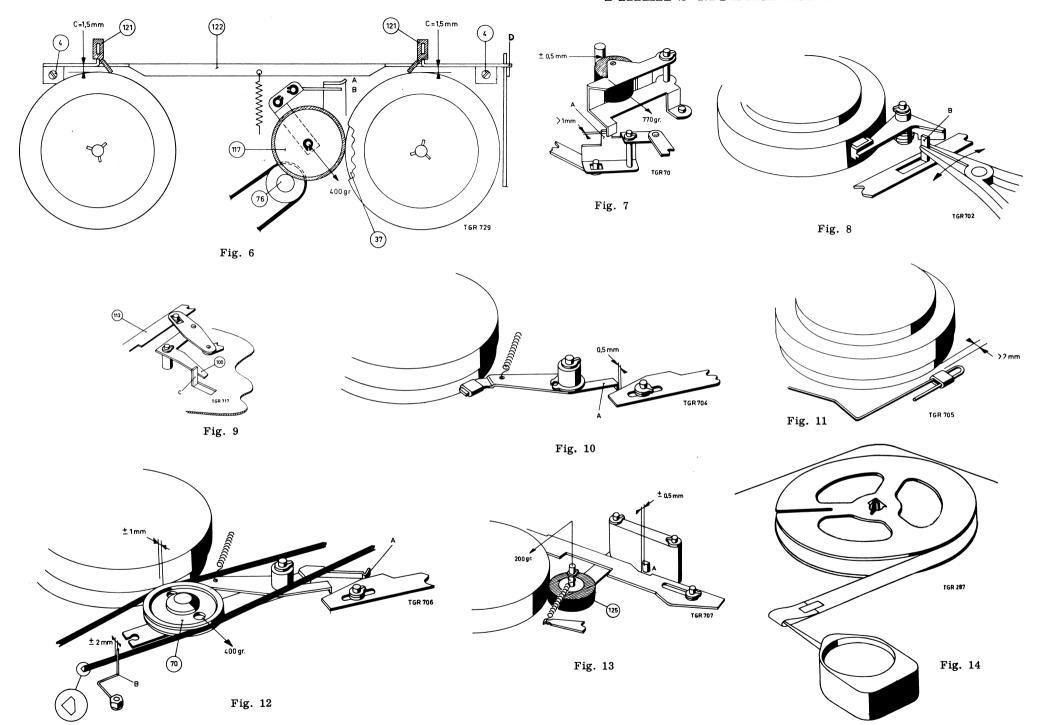
Note: After the flywheel has been refitted, the tone spindle should be degreased.

Run-out time of flywheel and pressure roller

- Switch the apparatus to "19 cm/sec.".
- Depress the "play-back" button,
- Allow the apparatus to obtain its speed.
- Keep the "play-back" button depressed and switch off the apparatus.
- The run-out time then should be at least 4 seconds.
- If this time is too short, lubricate or replace bearing, item 74.

LIST OF CABINET PARTS

<u>Item</u>	Code number	Description
154	4822 212 00653	Ring
155	4822 212 00645	Knob
	994/03	Spring, in knob
156	4822 212 00604	Screw
157	4822 212 00929	Cover plate
158	4822 212 00926	Cabinet
159	4822 212 00605	Screw
160	4822 212 00644	Cover
161	4822 212 00764	Knob
162	4822 212 00931	Ornamental plate for sockets
163	4822 212 00753	Spring
164	4822 212 00927	Handle
165	4822 212 00678	Push-button (white)
166	4822 212 00681	Push-button (red)
167	4822 212 00781	Interval switch
168	4822 212 00898	Lid
169	4822 125 00431	Lock
170	4822 212 00639	Foot
171	4822 212 00918	Loudspeaker grille
172	4822 212 00646	Knob
173	4822 212 00916	Grille
174	4822 212 00892	Ornamental plate
175	4822 212 00917	Lid
176	4822 212 00651	Bottom plate
177	4822 212 00652	Foot
178	4822 212 00916	Ornamental strip



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Adjusting the brake bracket, item 122, see Fig. 6

- Loosen both screws, item 4.
- Hold the brake bracket perpendicularly on the mounting plate.
- Distance C should be 1,5 mm.
- Make sure that the brake shoes are positioned as shown in Fig. 6.
- Tighten the screws, item 4.
- Next, bend tag D so that distance at C is 1.5 mm.
- Depress the "play-back" button so that the pressure roller just touches the capstan. Then, bend tag A so that the brake shoe. item 121, just releases the right-side reel.
- Switch on the apparatus and slowly depress the "play-back" button.
- The intermediate wheel, item 117, should start driving the friction wheel, item 37, just before the brake bracket releases the right-side reel.

Adjusting the "pause" button, see Fig. 7

Depress the "pause" button and the "play-back" button; the distance between capstan and pressure roller should then be approximately 0.5 mm. This can be adjusted by bending tag A.

Release the "pause" button; the distance between tag A and the pressure bracket should be at least 1 mm.

When depressing the "pause" button, the brake should become operative at the same time the pressure roller is released. Adjust by bending tag B, see Fig. 8.

Adjusting the push-button unit

Roller, item 114, should be in the centre between the "wind" and "rewind" buttons. If necessary, adjust by slightly bending the bracket, item 93.

Depress the "play-back" button; the distance between tag C and bracket, item 100, should be about 0.5 mm, see Fig. 9. Adjust by slightly bending tag C.

Adjusting the brake brackets of the friction discs

Left brake, see Fig. 10

No buttons depressed; the distance at tag A should then be 0.5 mm. This can be adjusted by bending tag A.

Check

Depress the "rewind" button; the distance between friction disc and brake then also should be 0.5 mm.

Right-side brake, see Fig. 11

When the "play-back" button is depressed, the distance between the brake and the friction wheel should be at least 2 mm. If necessary, slightly bend the brake. When depressing the "rewind" button, the friction wheel of the right-side reel should be blocked.

Adjustments at rewinding, see Fig. 12

Depress the "rewind" button; adjust tag A so that the distance to the control bracket is 0.5 mm.

Check

Set the apparatus to "stop"; the distance between reel and drive wheel, item 70, should be about 1 mm.

Adjustments at winding, see Fig. 13

Depress the "wind" button; the distance at A should then be about 0.5 mm.

Check

When the apparatus is in operation, the reel should not go up. If this does happen, however, the shaft of the drive-wheel, item 125, should be bent slightly in the direction of the cut-out relay.

Friction of the reels at rewinding, see Fig. 14

The friction between the friction discs and the reels should be 30 gr. ± 20 %, measured with a empty 7" reel, If the tape also runs along the tape guides and head, the force should be about 50 gr.

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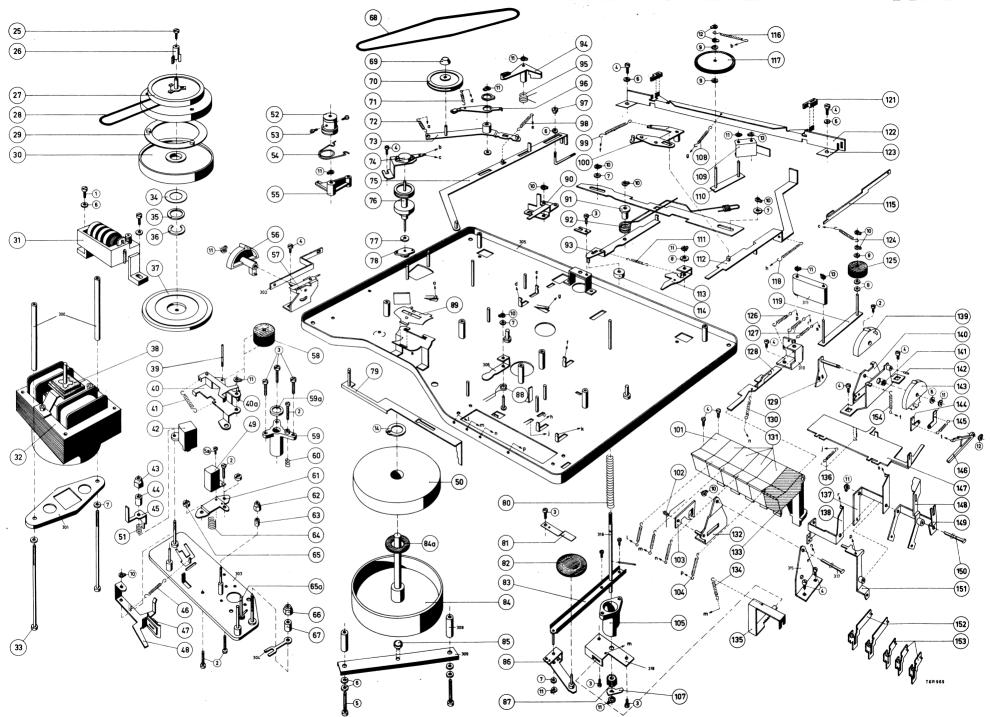


Pos.	Code number	Ī
1-3	978/5x180	F
2	R 365 KA/56FP9	I
R	902/A1M	

Description Five pole plug Flex per meter Resistor

LIST OF MECHANICAL PARTS

Ttom.	Cada numban	Description	Item	Code number	Description
<u>Item</u>	Code number	Description	Item		
1	999/4x8	Screw	82 83	4822 212 00956 4822 212 00721	Idler Bracket
2	999/3x15	Screw Screw	84	4822 212 00721	Flywheel housing + spindle
3 4	999/3x10 999/4x8	Screw	84a	4822 213 00511	Felt ring
5	999/4x50	Screw	85	4822 212 00717	Bearing
5a	999/2x5	Screw	86	4822 212 00778	Bracket
6	988/5	Ring	87	4822 212 00723	Pinion
7	988/6	Ring	88	4822 212 00674	Pressure spring
8	988/4	Ring	89	WT 824 25	Screen for EM87
9	988/3	Ring	90	4822 212 00846	Bracket
10	984/3	Clamping ring	91	4822 212 00673	Bushing
11	984/5	Clamping ring	92	4822 212 00672	Spring
12	984/2	Clamping ring	93	4822 212 00667	Switch bracket
13	984/4	Clamping ring	94	4822 212 00663	Brake bracket
14	B 045 BF/13	Clamping ring	95	4822 212 00662	Tension spring
25	4822 220 00369	Screw	96	4822 212 00664	Bracket
26	4822 212 00713	Cover	97	4822 212 00661	Nut
27	4822 212 00712	Turntable	98	4822 212 00755	Tension spring
28	4822 358 30052	String	99	4822 212 00759	Tension spring
29	4822 212 00765	Ring	100	4822 212 00687	Bracket
30	4822 212 00711	Drive disc	101-167	4822 212 00781	Interval switch
31	4822 212 00727	Counter	102	4822 212 00677	Spring
32	4822 194 00213	Motor	103	4822 212 00676	Bracket
33	4822 212 00724	Screw	104	4822 212 00682	Spring
34	4822 212 00709	Leaf spring	105	4822 212 00719	Switch bushing
35	4822 212 00766	Ring	106		Bracket
36	4822 212 00708	Clamping ring	107	4822 212 00908	Bracket
37	4822 212 00707	Friction disc	108 109	WT 740 86 4822 212 00782	Tension spring Bracket
38	4822 194 00225	Grommet	110	4822 212 00782	Idler bracket
39	4822 213 00436	Spindle			
40	4822 212 00954	Pressure bracket	111	4822 212 00675	Tension spring
40a	WY 820 38	Pressure felt	112	4822 212 00669	Bracket Bracket
41	4822 212 00756	Spring France hand	113 114	4822 212 00783 4822 212 00668	Nylon roller
42 43	4822 249 40033 4822 212 00856	Erase head Nut	115	4822 212 00868	Bracket
44	4822 212 00853	Tape guide	116 117	WT 741 38 4822 212 00686	Tension spring Idler
45	4822 212 00767 4822 212 00696	Bracket	118	4822 214 00975	Tension spring
46 47	4822 212 00861	Spring Pressure felt	119	4822 212 00784	Bracket
48	4822 212 00859	Pressure bracket	121	4822 213 00506	Brake shoe
			122	4822 212 00771	Brake bracket
49 50	4822 212 00957 4822 212 00961	Recording/playback head Flywheel proper	123	4822 212 00704	Leaf spring
52	4822 212 00725	Motor pulley	124	WT 741 39	Tension spring
53	997/2.6x6	Screw	125	4822 212 00684	Idler
54	4822 212 00761	Spring	126	4822 212 00906	Tension spring
55	4822 212 00714	Bracket, mains switch	127	4822 212 00905	Tension spring
56	4822 212 00715	Knob	128	4822 212 00913	Bracket
57	4822 212 00768	Switch	129	4822 212 00912	Switch bracket
58	WT 881 66	Pressure roller	130	WT 740 86	Tension spring
59	4822 212 00688	Flywheel bearing	131-165	4822 212 00678	Push-button (white)
59a	4822 212 00798	Ring	132	4822 212 00786	Bracket
60	WT 730 47	Spring	133-166	4822 212 00787	Push-button (red)
61	4822 212 00959	Fixing plate	134	WT 741 63	Tension spring
62	4822 212 00769	Nut	135	4822 212 00897	Bracket
63	4822 212 00772	Tape guide	136	4822 212 00659	Tension spring
64	4822 212 00691	Pressure spring	137	4822 212 00894	Switch bracket
65	WT 924 58	Nut	138	4822 212 00893	Switch bracket
65a	990/3.5x35	Bushing	139	4822 212 00933	Knob Bracket
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66	4822 212 00856	Nut			•
67	4822 212 00855	Tape guide	142	4822 212 00915	Pin Knoh
68	4822 212 00726	Drive string	143	4822 212 00934 4822 212 00896	Knob Bracket
69	4822 208 00289	Cover	144 145	4822 212 00896	Tension spring
70 71	4822 212 00773 4822 212 00756	Idler Tension spring	146	4822 212 00909	Bracket
71					
72	4822 212 00758	Tension spring	147	4822 212 00902 4822 212 00904	Bracket Stop bracket
73	4822 212 00774	Bracket	148 149	4822 212 00904 4822 212 00895	Spindle
74 75	4822 212 00814	Bearing Bracket	150	4822 212 00932	Switch bracket
75 76	4822 212 00775 4822 212 00706	Pulley	151	4822 212 00903	Bracket, switch
			152	4822 212 00901	Bracket, switch
77	4822 220 00349	Ring Bearing	152	4822 212 00901	Bracket, switch
78 79	4822 212 00657 4822 212 00776	Bracket		4822 212 00796	Pin (A) for switches, see Fig. 2
80	4822 212 00772	Spring			
91	4822 212 00955	Bracket			



Speed selector, see Fig. 15

Switch on the apparatus and set it to position 9.5 cm/sec. Lug A should be in the centre of the recess of bracket, item 83. If necessary, adjust by bending. When changing from 4.75 cm/sec. to 19 cm/sec., idler, item 82, should be lifted properly across all pulley stages. Besides, the idler should run in the centre of the relevant pulley stage for every speed. Adjust by placing a few rings under bracket item 86.

Adjusting the tape transport

The top bearing of the capstan is factory adjusted so that even with an 18 $\mu\text{-tape}$ there is no distortion of the tape at the tape guide,

Adjusting the bearing after replacement, see Figs. 16

- Insert an 18 μ -tapes (test tape 4822 215 00898) and switch on the apparatus.
- Loosen screws C for only one 90° turn.
- Then, turn in screw A so ar that the tape becomes deformed at the bottom of the tape guide, see Fig. 17.
- Turn back screw A, until the tape snaps back into the tape guide.
- Then, turn the screw another 1200.
- Slightly tighten the lock-screw and screws C.

Replacing the recording/playback head, see Fig. 18

- Unsolder the connections.
- Unscrew screw, item 5a.
- Remove the recording/playback head.

Mounting is done in reverse order.

Height adjustment of record/play-back head, see Fig. 18

For this, the 1 kc/s signal of the test tape is used. Switch on the apparatus on track 1-4. Tape speed 9.5 cm/sec. Then adjust the height by means of the nut, item 65, so that the signal is just converted into noise while the volume control is at maximum.

Asimuth alignment of the recording/play-back head, see Fig. 18

For this the 13 kc/s signal of the test tape is used. Turn the screw, item 2, so that a maximum signal is measured.

Replacing the erase head, see Fig. 19

- Successively remove items: 43, 44, 45 and 51.
- Remove the erase head.

Mounting is done in reverse order. When mounting, nut, item 43, should be tightened firmly. By tightening it, it is set to the correct height.

Adjusting the erase head, see Fig. 19

The erase head can be adjusted by bending lug A up or down. The erase head is so adjusted that the top of the topmost core is flush with the top of the tape, see Fig. 20.

Replacing the switches, see Fig. 21

- Open the switch by means of a screwdriver.
- Unsolder the contact springs.
- Mount a new switch.
- One of the ends of the switch has a ridge A which should be located at the side of the recess in the print.

Pressure roller lever, see Fig. 7

The pressure between capstan and pressure roller should be 770 gr. + 20 %.

Pressure felt

The pressure exerted by the pressure felt against the record/play-back head, should be 30 gr. + 10 %, as measured in Fig. 22.

Adjusting the reel disc height

The reel disc height can be adjusted by fitting rings underneath friction disc item 37.

The adjustment should be effected so that the tape is exactly in

The adjustment should be effected so that the tape is exactly in the centre of the reel.

Note: The steel ring underneath the friction disc should be at the side of the mounting plate.

Drive-wheel, item 117

Switch on the apparatus in "play-back" position; the drive-wheel item 117, should then run between the reel and the pulley, item 76, with a force of 400 gr, + 15 %, see Fig. 6

Drive-wheel, item 70

Switch the apparatus to position "rewind".
The force by means of which the drive-wheel presses against the reel, should be 400 gr. + 15 %, see Fig. 12.

Intermediate wheel, item 82

Switch the apparatus to a speed of 2.4 cm/sec. The force, measured at point C, should be about 250 gr., see Fig. 15.

Cut-out relay

The force by which the cut-out relay releases the buttons, should be 450 gr., +20 %.

Switch adjustments

SK1 - SK101

Depress recording push-button. Set the apparatus to position "Stereo". The two switches should then be set as indicated in Fig. 24. Adjust by bending bracket pos. 153, see Fig. 27.

Checking

None of the push-buttons depressed. The switch cursors should be in the positions shown in Fig. 25. Adjust by loosening plate C and moving it slightly, see Fig. 23.

Tone correction switch SK2

Set the apparatus to position 4.75 cm/sec. The switch should then be set as shown in Fig. 26. Adjust by bending bracket, item 153, see Fig. 27.

SK

Depress right-hand winding button. The switch cursor should then be set as shown in Fig. 28. Adjust by bending lug A, see Fig. 23.

Checking

None of the push-buttons depressed. The switch cursor should then be set as shown in Fig. 29. Adjust by bending lug B, see Fig. 23.

Track selector (SK4)

Set the apparatus to track 1-4 or 2-3. The distance between bracket, item 148, and bracket, item 128, should then be 0.6 ± 0.2 mm. This can be adjusted by loosening bracket, item 310, and by moving it, see Fig. 23 and Fig. 30.

Checking

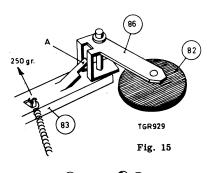
The two switches (SKI - SK101) should switch over in position "Stereo". If necessary, this can be adjusted by bending bracket, item 128.

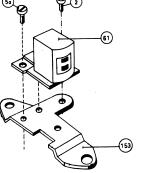
Position "PAR" (SK101)

in position "PAR", the switch cursor of SK101 should be set as shown in Fig. 31. Adjust by bending bracket, item 152, see Fig. 27.

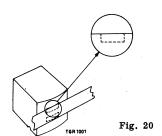
Multiplay-Duoplay switch SK6

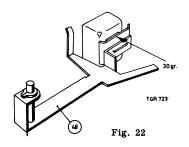
Set the apparatus to position "Duoplay". The switch cursor should then be set as shown in Fig. 31. Adjust by bending bracket, item 153, see Fig. 27.











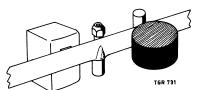


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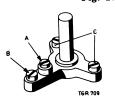
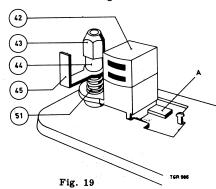
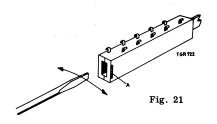


Fig. 16





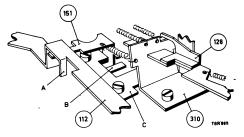


Fig. 23

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Fig. 24

Fig. 25

Fig. 26

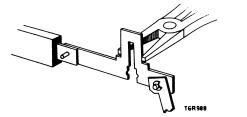


Fig. 27

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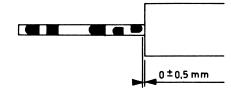


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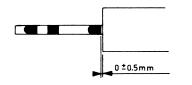


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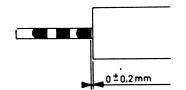


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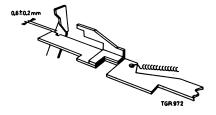


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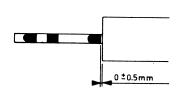


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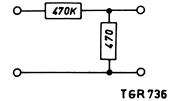


Fig. 33

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Fig. 34

Electrical adjustments

Measure on MP1 for the left-hand channel. Measure on MP2 for the right-hand channel.

djusting L102

- Depress the recording and playback push-buttons.
- Set the apparatus to position "Duoplay", tracks 1-4.
- Adjust L192, so that a minimum high frequency signal is measured on the collector of TS104.

Adjusting L103

- Depress the recording and playback push-buttons.
- Set the apparatus to position "Multiplay", tracks 1-4.
- Adjust L103, so that a maximum high frequency signal is measured on MP1.

Sensitivity of the record player input

- Depress the recording push-button
- Set the apparatus to position "Stereo".
- Turn the record player control completely clockwise.
- Item the record player control completely clockwise.
- Turn the volume and microphone controls completely anticlockwise.
- Apply a signal of 1 kc/s with a signal generator, so that the voltage on MP1-MP2 is 15 mV. The voltage, then generated by the signal generator, should be 200 mV \pm 2 dB.

Adjusting L1 and L101

- Depress the recording push-button.
- Set the apparatus to position "Stereo".
- Turn the record player control completely clockwise.
- Turn the volume and microphone controls completely anti-
- Apply a signal of 1 kc/s with a signal generator, so that the voltage on MP1-MP2 is 3 mV. The voltage, then generated by the voltage generator, should be 40 mV. Next, increase the frequency to 10 kc/s and adjust the voltage to 427 mV. Then adjust L1-L101, so that the voltage on MP1-MP2 is 32 mV \pm 0.5 dB.

Sensitivity of the microphone input

- Depress the recording push-button.
- Set the apparatus to position "Stereo".
- Turn the record player and volume controls completely anti-clockwise.
- Turn the microphone control completely-clockwise.
- Apply a signal of 1 kc/s with a signal generator, via a circuit as shown in Fig. 33, so that the voltage on MP1-MP2 is 15 mV. The voltage, then generated by the signal generator, should be 250 mV \pm 2 dB.

Adjusting the recording level indicator

- Depress the recording push-button.
- Set the apparatus to position "Stereo".
- The tape speed may be arbitrary.
- Turn the record player control completely clockwise.
- Turn the microphone and volume controls completely anti-clockwise.
- Apply a signal with a signal generator, so that the voltage on MP1-MP2 is 15 mV. The voltage, then generated by the signal generator, should be 200 mV \pm 2 dB.
- Then adjust R404 so that the indicator shows full deflection.

Oscillator voltage

Measure on MP1 for tracks 1-4. Measure on MP2 for tracks 2-3.

The oscillator voltage should be 14 V, measured on the erase head. The frequency should be between 51 - 63 kc/s, measured on MP1-MP2.

Playback sensitivity at 250 c/s

- Depress the playback push-button.
- The record player and microphone controls and the signal generator may be in an arbitrary position.
- Turn the volume control completely anti-clockwise.
- The tape speed should be 9.5 cm/sec.
- Apply a signal of 250 c/s 1568 mV to MP1-MP2 via a resistor of 100 k Ω .
- The voltage on the diode output should then be 1.2 V \pm 1.5 dB.

Frequency response curve of the playback amplifier

- Depress the playback push-button.
- The record player and microphone controls and the signal generator may be in an arbitrary position.
- Turn the volume control completely anti-clockwise.
- The tape speed should be 9.5 cm/sec.
- Apply a signal of 1 kc/s to MP1-MP2 and adjust the voltage of the signal generator so that the voltage on the diode output is 65 mV. Next, adjust the signal generator to the following frequencies and measure the relevant voltages on the diode output.

Freque	ency	Voltage me	easured on the diode or	atput
40 62,5 125	Hz Hz Hz	320 mV 305 mV 266 mV	± 2 dB ± 1.5 dB + 1.5 dB	
250 &	Hz kHz	192 mV 33 mV	± 1 dB + 1 dB	
10	kHz kHz kHz	30 mV 29 mV 28 mV	±1 dB ±1 dB +1.5 dB	
15	kHz	26 mV	± 1.5 dB	

Adjusting the pre-magnetizing

- Depress the recording and playback push-buttons.
- The tape speed should be 9.5 cm/sec.
- Set the apparatus to position "Stereo".
- Adjust R41 or R141 so that the voltage on MP1 or MP2 is 35 mV.

Frequency response curve

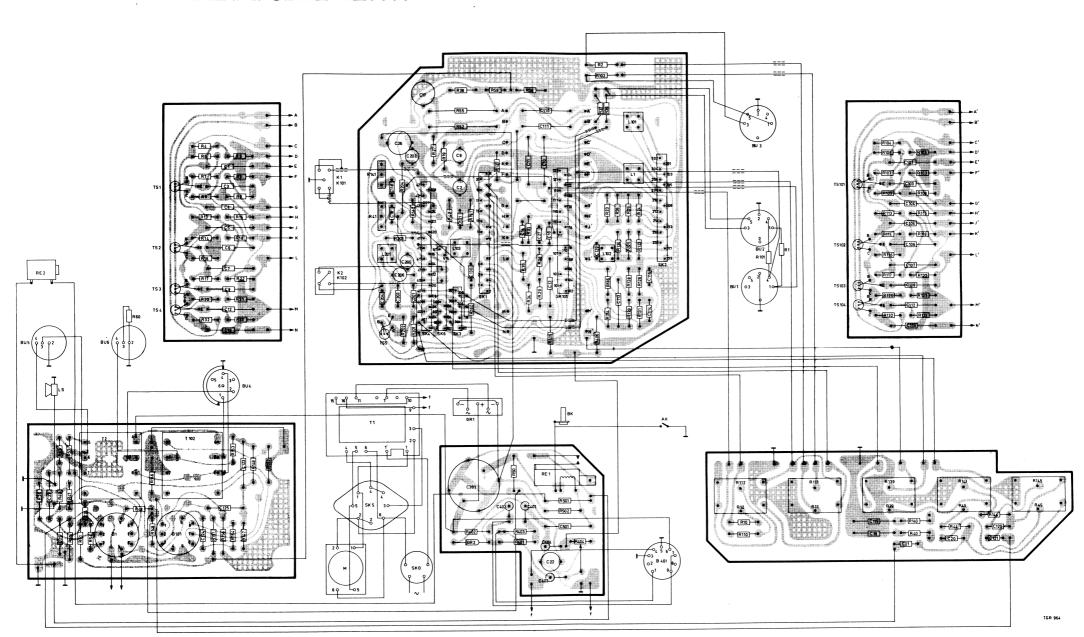
- Turn the radio/record player controls completely clockwise.
- Turn the volume control completely anti-clockwise.
- Turn the microphone control completely anti-clockwise.
- Connect the signal generator to the record player input.
- Record several frequencies at various speeds in a range, as indicated in the following table.

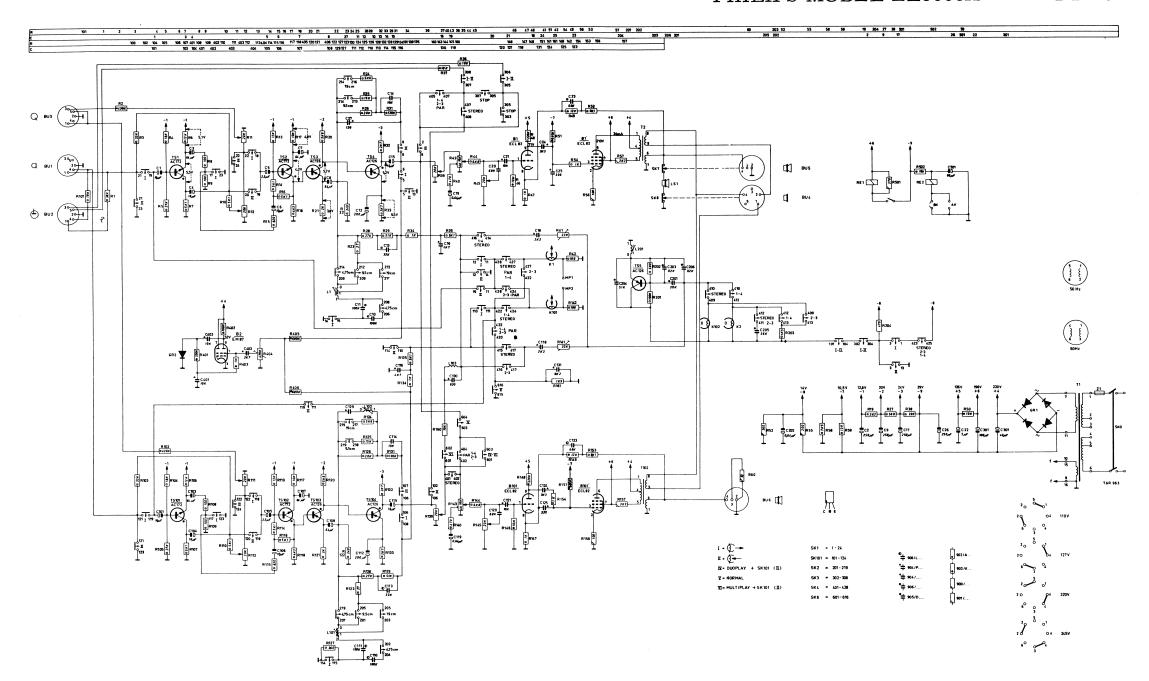
Tape speed	Frequency rang	
4.75 cm/sec.	62.5 - 10,000	
9.5 cm/sec.	62,5 - 15,000	
19 cm/sec.	40 - 18,000	

These frequencies should be recorded with a voltage of 75 mV, measured via a circuit as indicated in Fig. 34,

- To adjust this voltage depress only the recording push-button.
- . Next, set the apparatus to position "Playback". Measure the recorded frequencies.
- Measure the recorded frequencies.

 The voltage on the diode output should then be within a range





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LIST OF ELECTRICAL PARTS

T1 T2-T102 L1-L101 L102	4822 146 40118 4822 140 40113 4822 212 00935 4822 212 00936	C2 C5-C105 C6-C106 C9 C12-C112	909/W250 909/W2,5 909/W10 4822 069 01043 909/U200
L103 L201 SK0 SK1 SK2 SK3	4822 212 00937 4822 212 00938 F 071 AA/01 4822 212 00919 4822 212 00921 4822 212 00922	C17-C26 C19-C119 C22 C202 C301	909/X250 909/Z0,64 4822 069 00984 909/Z0,64 100 µF + 40 µF 250 V
SK4 SK5 SK6 SK101	4822 212 00923 WT 88661 4822 212 00924 4822 212 00925	C501 C14-C114 C20-C120 C203 C204-C205	4822 069 00592 4822 069 01093 4822 069 01103 4822 069 01124 906/39K
RE1 RE2 GR	4822 212 00816 4822 212 00855 B250 - C100TD	R45-R145 R39-R139 R43-R143 R41-R141 R404 R57-R157	4822 071 00621 4822 071 00951 4822 071 00621 4822 101 10074 4822 101 10069 901/3K

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General

The microphone is destined for tape recordings. The microphone system consists of two buttons, each with own flex wires, how-

ever, with common screening.
The plate "Stereo" indicates the live side.

The buttons having a cardioid-shaped directional effect, have been mounted one above the other and are turned 90° with respect to each other.

The microphone gives good stereo reproduction over an aperture angle of 90° and can be used up to approx. 180°.

At 1000 c/s, the sensitivity amounts to 0.23 mV/ μ Bar measured at a distance of 70 cm from the sound source.

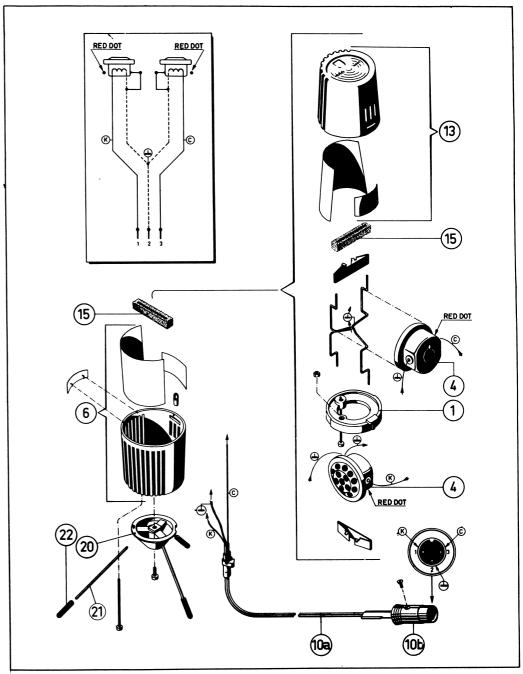
At 1000 c/s the impedance amounts to 500 Ω . This sensitivity and impedance hold good for both buttons separately.

Replacement of button

- Remove microphone from foot or tripod by means of the screw which is found on the lower side of the microphone.
- Unscrew screw A.
- Remove lower casing half.
- Unscrew screw B.
- Remove upper casing half.
- Unsolder the wires of the old button and solder them to the
- Remounting in the reverse order.

LIST OF PARTS

100.	Code namet	2102000		
1	P5 649 58/350	Partition		
4	EL 6084/10	Button		
6	V3 131 70	Assembly lower cap		
10a	R 365 KN/04HP10	Flex		
10b	978/5x180	Plug		
13	V3 131 71	Assy, upper cap		
15	P7 630 87/033	Rubber block		
20	P5 649 56/332	Fixing piece		
21	V3 248 51	Feet		
22	P5 649 57/381	Cap		



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TROUBLE SHOOTING

Fault		Cause		Remedy		
1.	Apparatus does not operate.	1a.	Fuse blown.	1a.	Locate fault and replace fuse.	
2.	Apparatus does not record or play back.	2a.	One of the switches improperly adjusted.	2a,	Adjust the switch (see text).	
3.	No fast winding.		Coupling in the right reel slips. Drive cord is greasy.		Remove the reel and de-grease it. Replace the cord.	
4.	No fast rewinding.		Coupling in the left reel slips. Drive cord is greasy.		Remove the reel and de-grease it. Replace the cord.	
5.	Right reel disc is lifted.	5a.	Shaft of intermediate wheel item 125 is misaligned.	5a.	Adjust the shaft (see text).	
6.	Apparatus brakes poorly or not at all.		Brake bracket misaligned. Brake shoe is greasy.		Adjust the brake bracket (see text). De-grease with white spirits or replace it.	
7.	Apparatus wows.	7a.	Left brake friction item 37 engages	7a.	Clean the friction.	
		7b.	irregularly. Tension of pressure roller insufficient.	7b.	Replace pressure roller or spring, item 99.	
		7c.	Capstan is slanted so that the flywheel rubs thus producing loud knocks in the apparatus.	7c.	Adjust the capstan.	
			Motor runs irregularly. Drive-cord greasy.		Lubricate or replace the motor. De-grease the cord.	
8.	Apparatus produces a rattling sound.	8a.	Dent in intermediate wheel, item 82.	8a.	Replace the intermediate wheel.	
9.	Apparatus does not record.	9b.	Fault in the amplifier. Recording/play-back head with short- circuited turn.	9b.	Locate the fault and repair it. Replace the head.	
			Pre-magnetising current too large.		Re-adjust the pre-magnetising current.	
10.	Tape spilling after switching on.	10a.	Winding friction, item 37 of the right reel, does not engage properly.		De-grease the reel.	
11.	Apparatus hums during play-back.		Fault in amplifier. Recording/play-back head magnetised.		Locate the fault (transistor) and repair it. Switch the apparatus on and off a few times in position "recording".	
12.	Distortion during recording.	12a.	Tape is not pressed against the record-	12a.	Check the pressure felt.	
			ing/play-back head properly. Pre-magnetising current too small. Fault in amplifier.		Re-adjust the pre-magnetising current. Locate the fault and repair it.	
13.	Tape is not wound tightly enough.	13a.	Insufficient friction of the right or left reel respectively.	13a.	Clean the reel.	
14.	Flutter during play-back.	14a.	Pressure felt worn.		Replace the pressure felt and check the pressure.	
			Tape dirty Recording/play-back head dirty or worn.		Replace the tape. Clean or replace the head.	
15.	Tape is erased poorly or not at all.	15 a.	Erasing head dirty.		Clean the head with white spirits or alcohol.	
			Erasing head defective. Oscillator defective.		Replace the head. Locate the fault.	
16.	No high notes in pre-recordered-tapes.	16a.	Recording/play-back head is slanted.	16a.	Adjust the head.	
17.	Both recorded tracks are intermingled.	17a.	Lace-up incorrect.	17a.	Adjust the capstan, see text.	