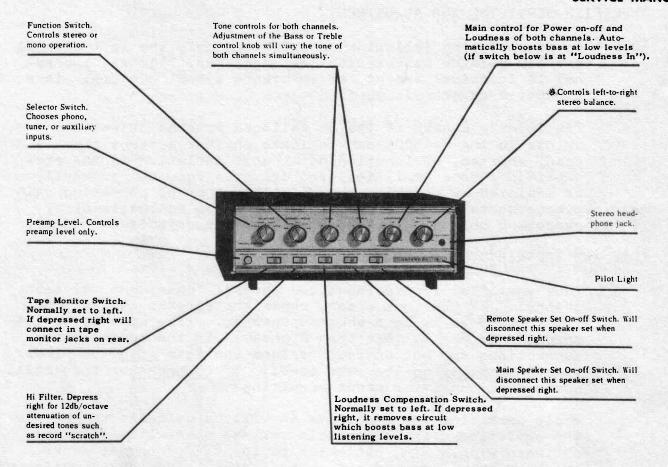
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MODEL S-9500c STEREO AMPLIFIER SERVICE MANUAL



SPECIFICATIONS *

INPUTS: 8 high level (2 tape monitor), 2 (RIAA) Phonopreamp.

TOTAL POWER OUTPUT: 4 ohms: 140 watts ± 1db; 115 watts IHF; 90 watts RMS. 8 ohms: 100 watts ± 1db; 80 watts IHF; 70 watts RMS.

OUTPUTS: 4 to 16-ohm left and right spkr. main and remote; mono speaker, stereo headphone and record output.

INVERSE FEEDBACK: 35 db.

DAMPING FACTOR: 30:1 at 8 ohms.

FREQUENCY RESPONSE: 20 Hz to 20 KHz ± 1 db.

TONE CONTROL RESPONSE: Flat setting, 20 Hz to 20 KHz ±1 db.

TONE CONTROL RANGE: 15 KHz, 15 db, boost or cut 40 Hz 20 db, boost or cut.

PREAMP. EQUALIZER CURVES: AES/RIAA phono. SENSITIVITY: Radio - 0.25v Phono - 1.6 mv. Tape head 1.2mv. (PH and TP inputs are adjustable with Preamp Level control).

MAX. INPUT CAPABILITY: Phono: 160 mv. for less than 1% dist. Radio: 2.8v. for less than 1% dist.

MAX. HUM and NOISE: Vol. control min., 90 db. (weighted) below rated output. Tuner input (controls max.), 80 db, (weighted) below rated output. Phono input (controls flat), 60 db, below rated output.

INTERCHANNEL CROSSTALK: Less than -45 db, at 1 KHz.

POWER CONSUMPTION: 115-125 v, 60 Hz; 10 to 120 watts fused.

TRANSISTOR COMPLEMENT: 22 silicon transistors, 2 silicon rectifiers.

SIZE: $14 \times 10-1/2 \times 4$ in. high.

SHIPPING WEIGHT: 22 lbs.

*All specifications taken with 120V line.

AMPLIFIER SERVICING AND ADJUSTMENT

NOTE: To simplify the following descriptions only the left channel and its related circuitries are described. The right channel is identical except for reference symbol numbers. (see schematic diagrams)

Preliminary checks of the dc voltages present at various points in the S-9500c can indicate whether a transistor is open, shorted, or functioning. Fault isolation in the preamplifier, tone amplifier, and driver stages can generally be isolated by checking the dc voltages or by comparing gain measurements of 1 KHz as indicated on the schematic or by comparing the operating channel with the defective channel.

FUSE AND SPEAKER SYSTEM CHECKS:

Your amplifier incorporates two speaker fuses, one for each channel. If the fuse opens, check the speaker connections for shorted wires or a shorted speaker. (The speaker resistance should not be less than 4 ohms.) If the speaker and connections are not shorted replace the fuse with the proper value as marked on the rear panel. If the speaker fuse still opens your amplifier needs servicing.

While servicing the amplifier it will be valuable to operate the amplifier using a variable voltage power line (VARIAC) equipped with a line wattmeter to identify abnormal power consumption. Increase the power line voltage upward while observing the wattmeter. Power consumption should not exceed 10-20 watts (loudness control at volume minimum) as the voltage is increased to the rated 120VAC. If the power consumption begins to exceed 20 watts, do \underline{NOT} increase the power line voltage any further and determine whether the malfunction is in the power supply, or amplifier section.

If the power amplifier is suspected, verify center-point voltage on the dc side of the output electrolytic, C290 for approximately one-half of the B+ supply voltage. If the center-point voltage reads extremely low, suspect a defective output transistor on the low side (schematic shows transistor as bottom device in each channel). If center-point voltage reads extremely high, suspect a defective high side output transistor.

If the output transistors are not at fault, then verify that the output coupling electrolytic capacitor is not shorted, other capacitors are not shorted, circuit board contains no solder or etching shorts, open resistors, poor solder connections or broken pads.

The following performance indicates a properly operating amplifier with an 8 ohm resistive load.

Less than 0.25% IM or Harmonic (1KHz) Distortion at 2.0V

Typically 0.3% IM or Harmonic (1KHz) Distortion at 10V

Typically 35 Watts Dual Channel at 0.8%

Typically 40 Watts Single Channel at 0.8%

OUTPUT TRANSISTORS

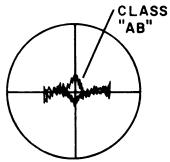
1. BIAS ADJUSTMENT:

Adjust potentiometer R284, so that crossover distortion is at point of being eliminated (Class "AB" operation).

NOTE: Class "A" operation (continued CW rotation) will cause the output transistors to draw excessive current and overheat.



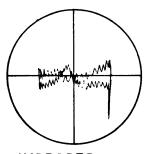
IMPROPER BIAS ADJUSTMENT



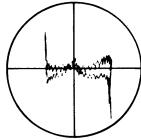
PROPER BIAS ADJUSTMENT

2. OUTPUT BALANCE ADJUSTMENT:

Increase audio drive until clipping can be observed and fine adjust R270 so that clipping is symmetrical.



IMPROPER ADJUSTMENT



PROPER ADJUSTMENT

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AUD AUDIT CAP 1 uffuu 0000 000 1500 000 000 000 000 000 000 0	RT DESCRIPTION	SCHEMATIC REFERENCE NO	. PART NO.	
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POT REC SOC STE FUS SWI SWI SWI	NTROL, BASS, 100K OHM DUAL NTROL, TREBLE, 100K OHM DUAL NTROL, BALANCE, 100K OHM NTROL, LOUDNESS, 50K OHM DUAL		630B53 A670T11-1 A670T12-0 A670T12-0 A670T7-3 A671T1-7	1.94 1.94
SWI SWI SWI TRA	W/SWITCH T., P.C., 500 OHM, BIAS T., P.C., 500 OHM, BIAS T., P.C., 500 OHM, OUTPUT BAL CITFIER, SILICON CKET, DRIVER TRANSISTOR (TO-5) CKET, OUTPUT TRANSISTOR (TO-3) EREO HEADPHONE JACK SE POST	X1,2)	A675T1-OA A675T1O-OA A692X16-O A790T4M-1 A790T7-O A795L1-O A796X2-1A	.41 1.71 .27 1.30 1.08 1.04
SWI SWI TRA	ITCH, ROTARY, FUNCTION, 5 POS	•	A860K5-3 A860T7-0	
TRA	ITCH, ROTARY, SELECTOR, 4 POS. ITCH, ROCKER, (NON-SHORTING),	52A,2B	A864T22-7	
	DPDT ITCH, ROCKER, (SHORTING) DPDT	S5A,5B,6A,6B,7A,7B,8A	A864T23-7	.86
	ANSFORMER, POWER, DOMESTIC,	T1	B922T3-1	19.30
TRA	60Hz ANSFORMER, POWER, EXPORT, . 50/60Hz	T1 EXPORT	B022T3-1X	27.70 🔾

^{*}NOTE: PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.

