

# PS-LX220

## SERVICE MANUAL

*US Model  
Canadian Model  
AEP Model  
UK Model  
E Model*



### SPECIFICATIONS

#### Turntable

Platter	30.0 cm (12 in.), aluminum-alloy diecast
Motor	DC servo motor
Drive system	Belt drive
Control system	DC servo control system
Speed	33 $\frac{1}{3}$ rpm, 45 rpm
Starting characteristics	Comes to nominal speed within $\frac{1}{2}$ revolution (33 $\frac{1}{3}$ rpm)
Wow and flutter	0.045% (WRMS)
Signal-to-noise ratio	70 dB (DIN-B)
Automatic system	Return, reject

#### Tonearm

Type	Dynamically balanced
Pivot-to-stylus length	216.5 mm (8 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.)
Overhang	16.5 mm ( $2\frac{1}{32}$ in.)

#### Cartridge

Type	Moving magnet type
Frequency response	20 Hz to 20 kHz
Channel separation	16 dB at 1 kHz
Output voltage	2.5 mV at 1 kHz, 5 cm/sec.
Load impedance	50 to 100 kilohms
Tracking force	2 g
Stylus	Sony ND-142G (conical 0.6 mil diamond)
Weight	8 g

#### General

Power requirements	US, Canadian model:	120 V ac
	AEP model:	220 V ac
	UK model:	240 V ac
	E model:	110 - 120 or 220 - 240 V ac adjustable, 50/60 Hz
Power consumption	5 W	
Dimensions	Approx. 430 × 110 × 360 mm (w/h/d)	
	(17 × 4 $\frac{3}{8}$ × 14 in.) including projecting parts and controls	
Weight	Approx. 3.5 kg (7 lbs 12 oz), net	
	Approx. 4.5 kg (9 lbs 10 oz), in shipping carton	

#### ATTENTION AU COMPOSANT AYANT RAPPORT À LA SÉCURITÉ!

LES COMPOSANTS IDENTIFIÉS PAR UNE TRAME ET UNE MARQUE ⚠ SUR LES DIAGRAMMES SCHÉMATIQUES ET LA LISTE DES PIÈCES SONT CRITIQUES POUR LA SÉCURITÉ DE FONCTIONNEMENT. NE REMPLACER CES COMPOSANTS QUE PAR DES PIÈCES SONY DONT LES NUMÉROS SONT DONNÉS DANS CE MANUEL OU DANS LES SUPPLÉMENTS PUBLIÉS PAR SONY.

#### SAFETY-RELATED COMPONENT WARNING!!

COMPONENTS IDENTIFIED BY SHADING AND MARK ⚠ ON THE SCHEMATIC DIAGRAMS AND IN THE PARTS LIST ARE CRITICAL TO SAFE OPERATION. REPLACE THESE COMPONENTS WITH SONY PARTS WHOSE PART NUMBERS APPEAR AS SHOWN IN THIS MANUAL OR IN SUPPLEMENTS PUBLISHED BY SONY.



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## SAFETY CHECK-OUT (US Model)

After correcting the original service problem, perform the following safety check before releasing the set to the customer:

Check the antenna terminals, metal trim, "metallized" knobs, screws, and all other exposed metal parts for AC leakage. Check leakage as described below.

### LEAKAGE TEST

The AC leakage from any exposed metal part to earth ground and from all exposed metal parts to any exposed metal part having a return to chassis, must not exceed 0.5 mA (500 microamperes). Leakage current can be measured by any one of three methods.

1. A commercial leakage tester, such as the Simpson 229 or RCA WT-540A. Follow the manufacturers' instructions to use these instruments.
2. A battery-operated AC milliammeter. The Data Precision 245 digital multimeter is suitable for this job.

3. Measuring the voltage drop across a resistor by means of a VOM or battery-operated AC voltmeter. The "limit" indication is 0.75 V, so analog meters must have an accurate low-voltage scale. The Simpson 250 and Sanwa SH-63Trd are examples of a passive VOM that is suitable. Nearly all battery operated digital multimeters that have a 2 V AC range are suitable. (See Fig. A)

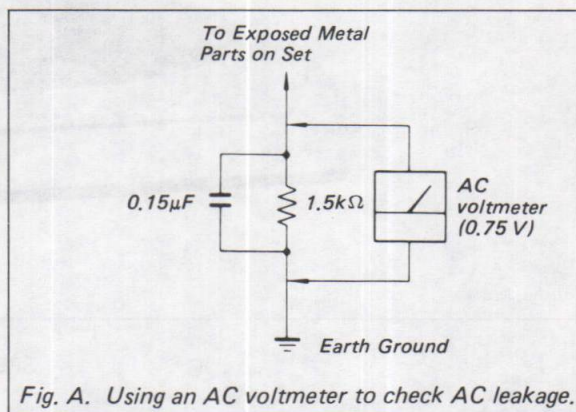
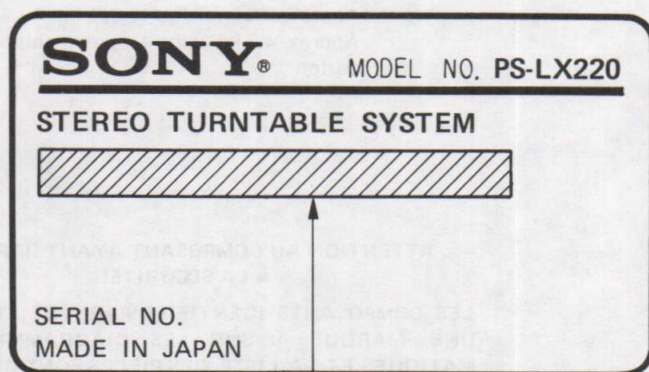


Fig. A. Using an AC voltmeter to check AC leakage.

### MODEL IDENTIFICATION

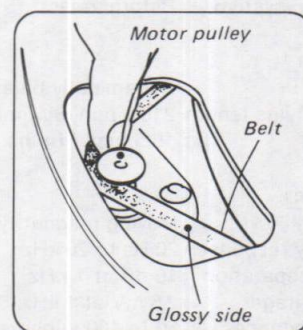
—Specification Label—



US, Canadian model: AC: 120V – 60 Hz 5W  
 AEP model: AC: 220V – 50/60 Hz 5W  
 UK model: AC: 240V – 50/60 Hz 5W  
 E model: AC: 110 ~ 120V, 220 ~ 240V – 50/60 Hz 5W

### CAUTION ON INSTALLING BELT

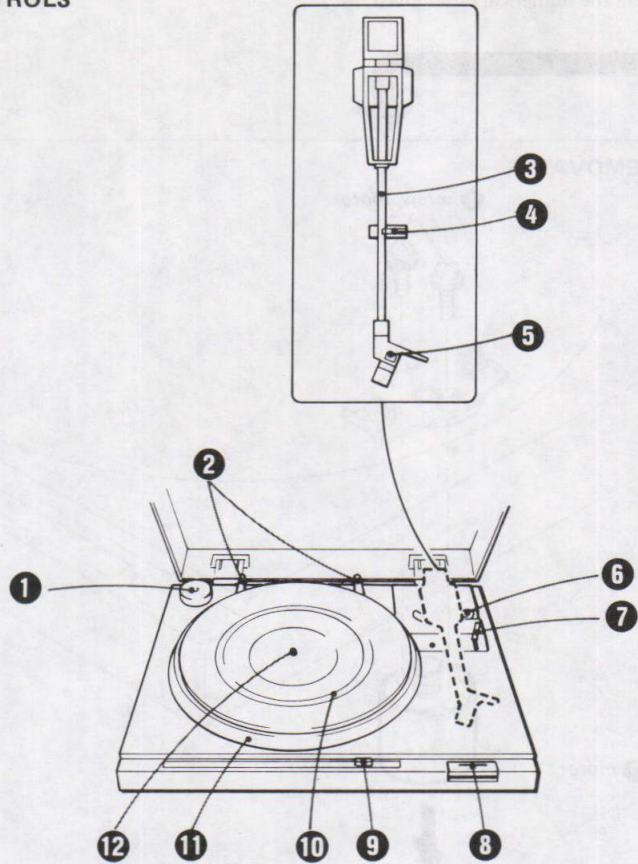
When installing belt, glossy side should be faced outside.





## SECTION 1 OUTLINE

### FUNCTION OF CONTROLS



**1** 45-rpm adaptor

**2** Disc centering guides

**3** Tonearm

**4** Arm rest

**5** Cartridge

**6** ANTI-SKATING compensator

Normally, set it at the center position. If the stylus is driven inward when the tone arm is lowered to the lead-in groove, turn the ANTI-SKATING compensator to ⊕. If the stylus is driven outward, turn the ANTI-SKATING compensator to ⊖.

**7** ▽/▽ (cueing) lever

Used to lift or lower the tonearm.

**8** REJECT button

To stop during play, press this button.

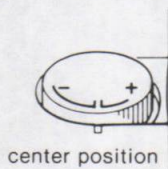
**9** SPEED selector

Set the SPEED selector according to the speed of the record to be played. For 45-rpm records, depress the selector. For 33<sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>-records, press it again.

**10** Rubber mat

**11** Turntable platter

**12** Center spindle

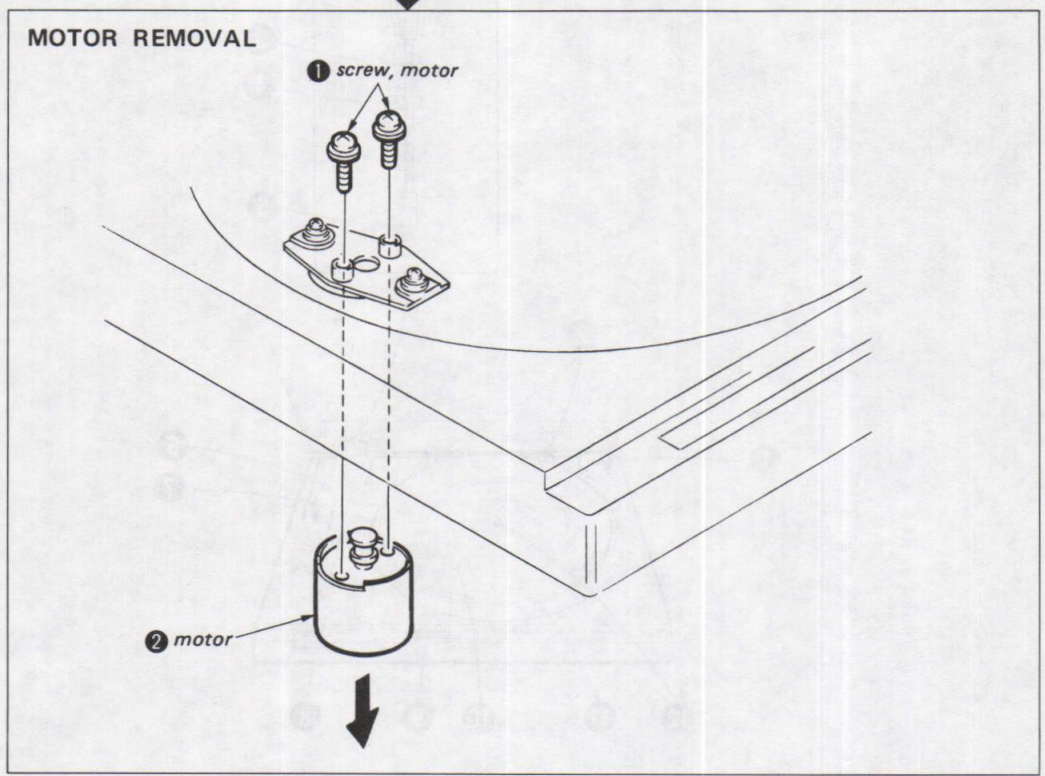




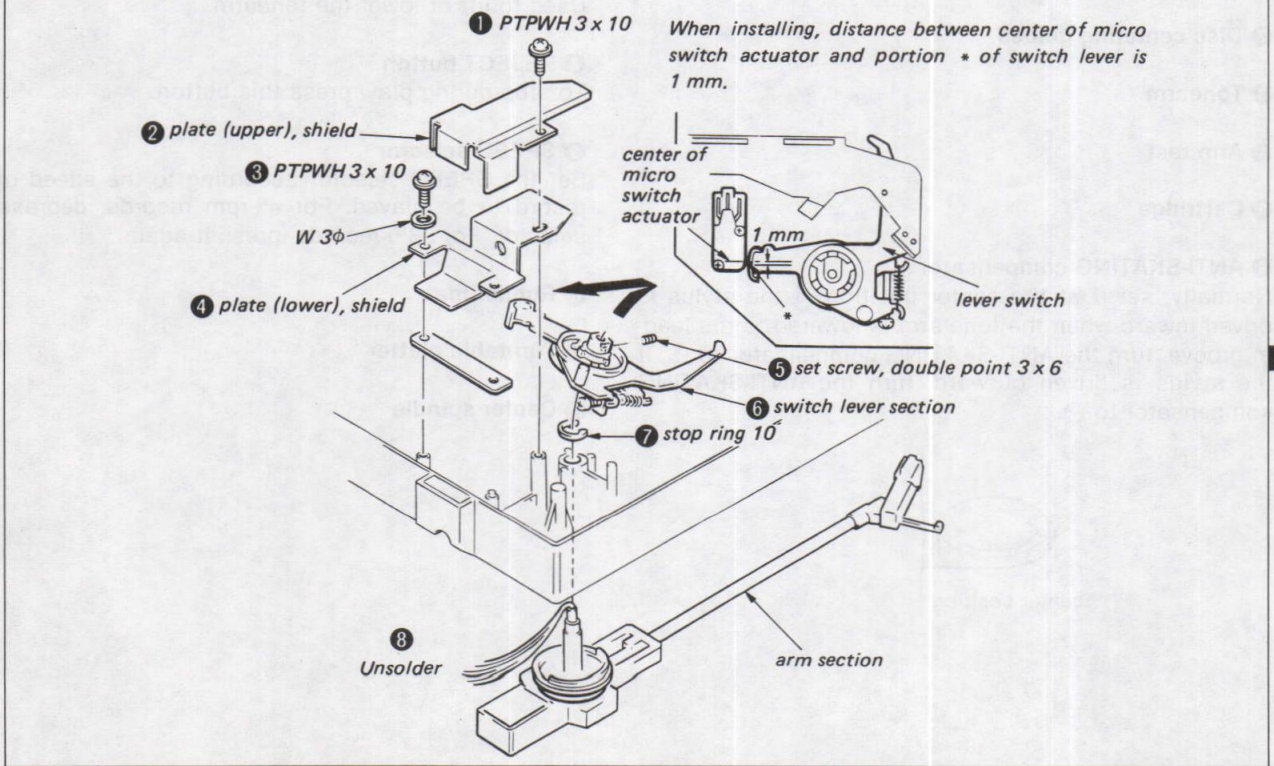
## SECTION 2 DISASSEMBLY

Note: Follow the disassembly procedure in the numerical order given.

### REMOVE BOTTOM PLATE



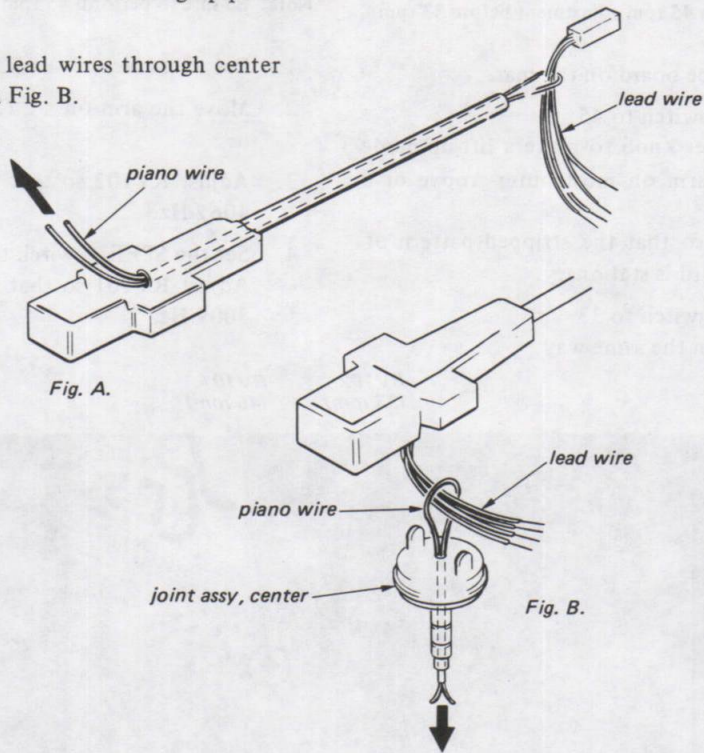
### ARM SECTION REMOVAL



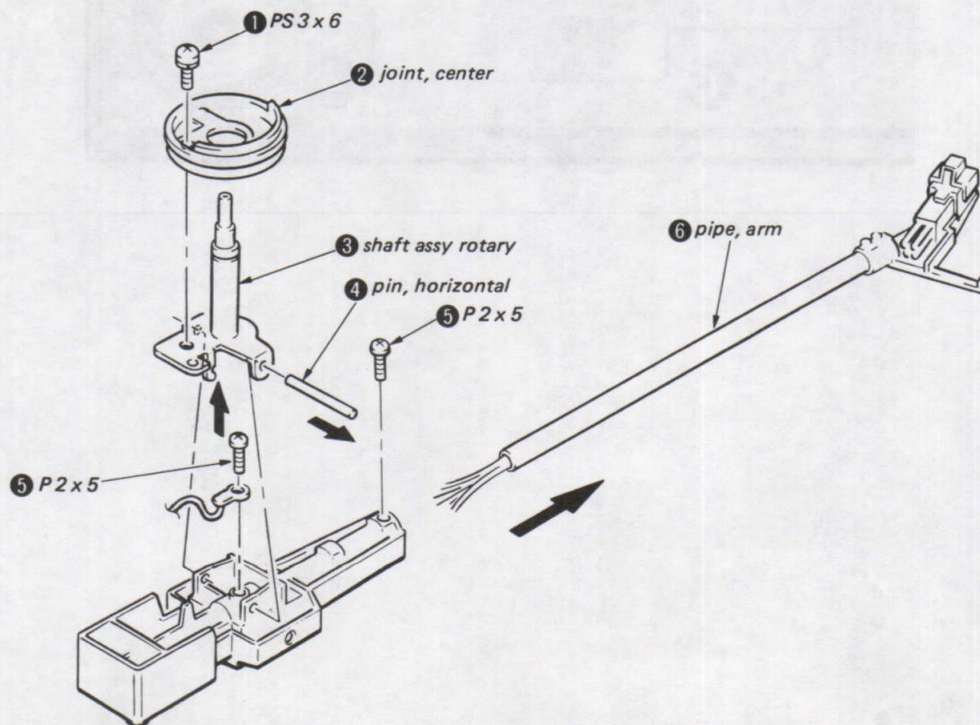


### LEAD WIRE INSTALLATION

- 1 Pass piano wire with lead wires through pipe as shown in Fig. A.
- 2 Pass piano wire with lead wires through center joint assy as shown in Fig. B.



### ARM PIPE REMOVAL





## SECTION 3 ADJUSTMENTS

### Speed Adjustment (Using a stroboscope board)

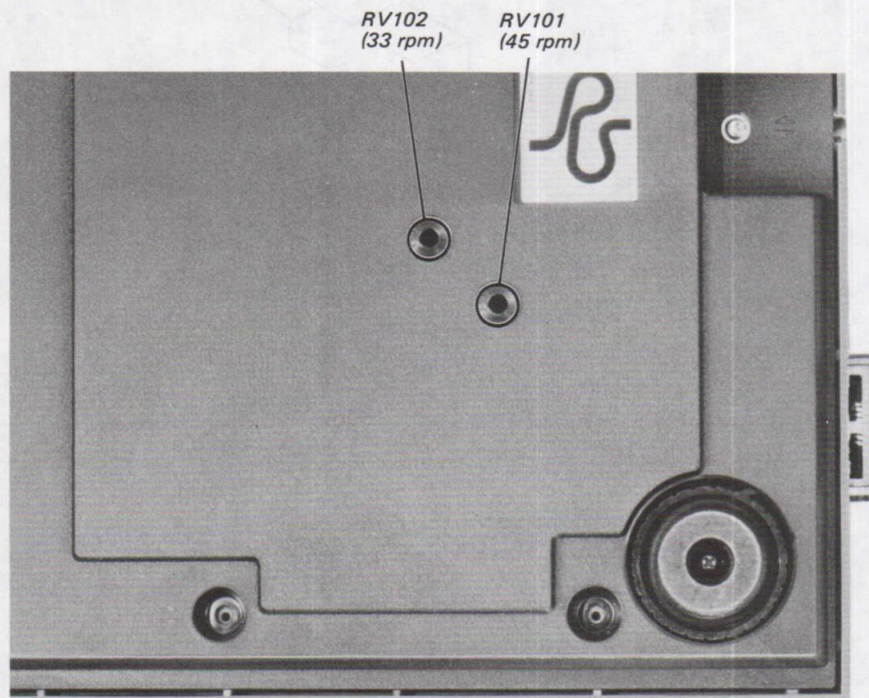
**Note:** Be sure to perform 45 rpm adjustment before 33 rpm.

1. Put a stroboscope board on the mat.
2. Set the SPEED switch to 45.  
Depress the lifter knob to make a lift-up mode and move the arm on most outer-groove of a record.  
Adjust RV102 so that the stripped pattern of stroboscope board is stationary.
3. Set the SPEED switch to 33.  
Adjust RV101 in the same way.

### (Using a test record)

**Note:** Be sure to perform 45 rpm adjustment before 33 rpm.

1. Put a test record (YFSC-16) on the mat.
2. Move the arm on a-2 (3 kHz) section and trace it.
3. Adjust RV102 so that the frequency is 4038 – 4062 Hz.
4. Set the SPEED switch to 33.  
Adjust RV101 so that the frequency is 2991 – 3009 Hz.

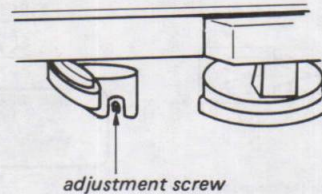
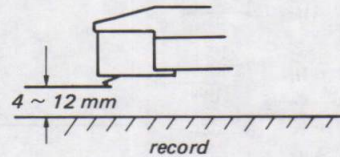




### Stylus Height Adjustment

1. Put a test record (YFSC-16) or a record on the mat.
2. Depress the lifter knob to make a lifter-up mode and move the arm on most outer-groove of a record. Confirm that the stylus height from a record is within specification. If not, turn the adjustment screw.
3. Move the arm on most inner-groove of a record and confirm that the stylus height from a record is within specification. If not, turn the adjustment screw and repeat steps 2 and 3.

Specification: 4 ~ 12 mm

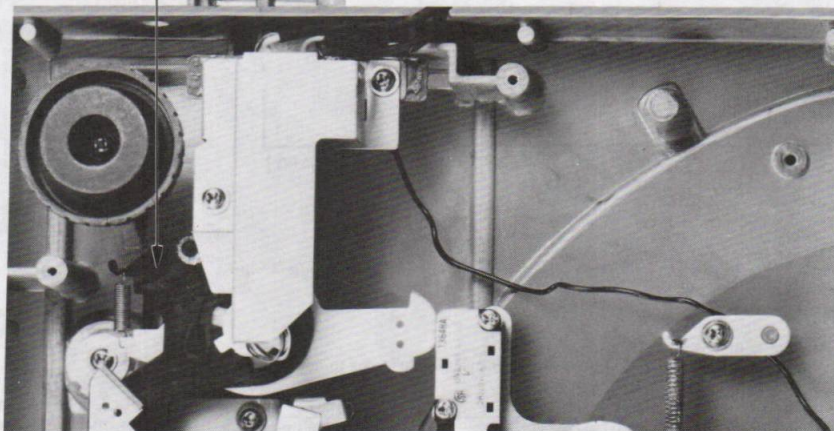


### Automatic Return Position Adjustment

1. Put a test record (YFSC-16) on the mat.
2. Set the SPEED switch to 33 and move the tonearm on a return check groove.
3. Turn the adjustment screw so that the tonearm starts to return at count of 4 – 10.

*adjustment screw*

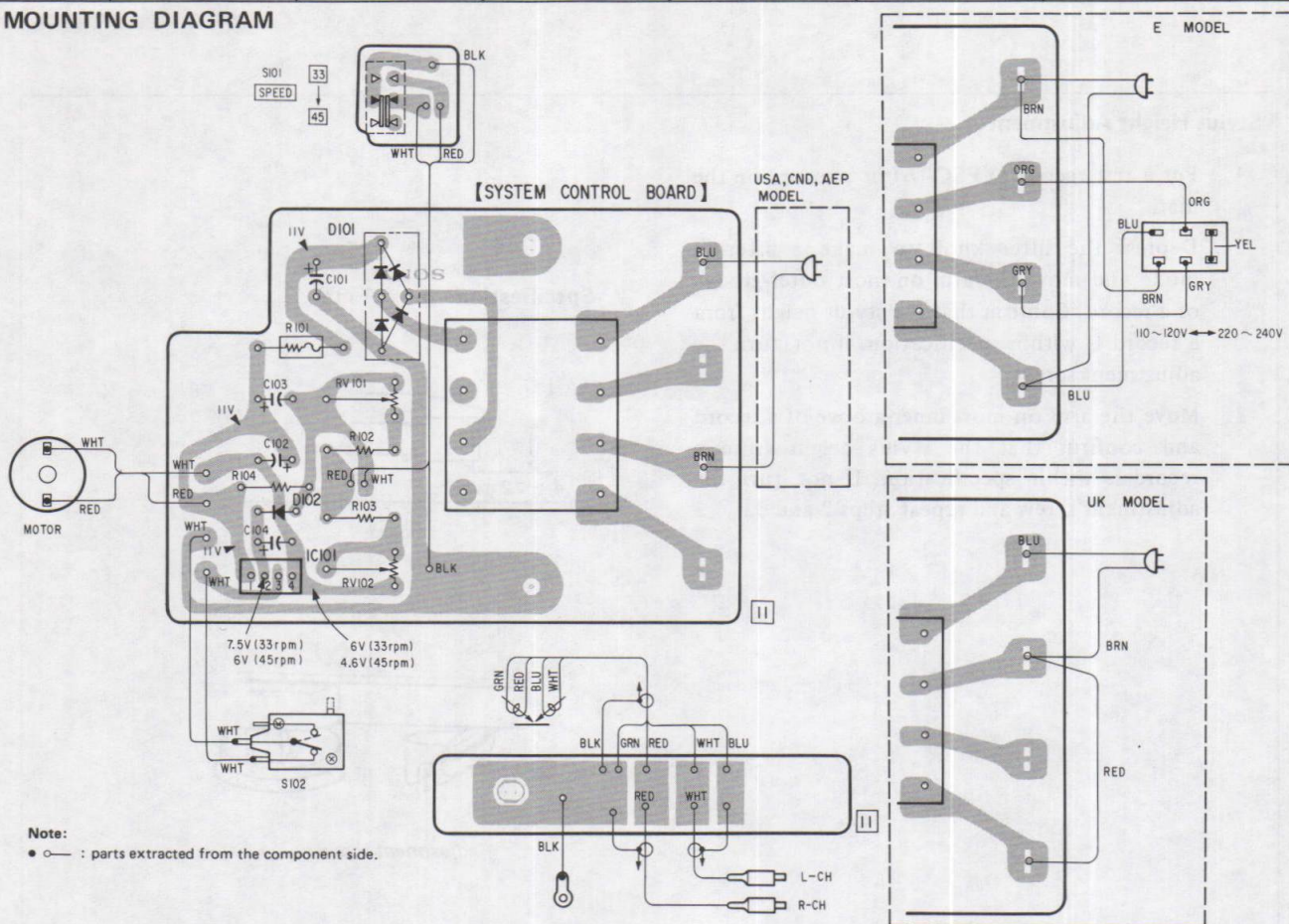
*count increase* ↻ *count decrease*





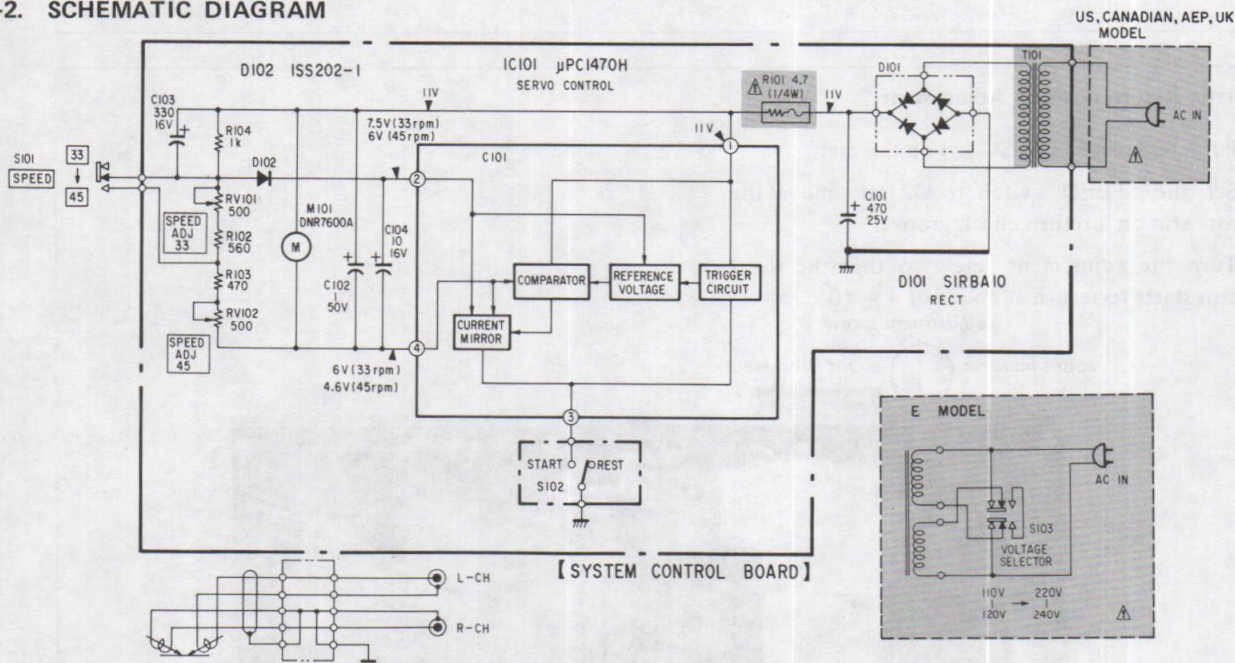
SECTION 4 DIAGRAMS

4-1. MOUNTING DIAGRAM



Note: : parts extracted from the component side.

4-2. SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM



- All capacitors are in  $\mu\text{F}$  unless otherwise noted.  $\text{pF}$ :  $\mu\text{F}$  50VV or less are not indicated except for electrolytics and tantalums.
- All resistors are in  $\Omega$  and  $1/4\text{W}$  or less unless otherwise specified.
- : fusible resistor.
- Voltages are dc with respect to ground unless otherwise noted.

- Readings are taken under no-signal conditions with a VOM (50  $\text{k}\Omega/\text{V}$ ).
- ( ) :
- [ ] :
- < > :
- Voltage variations may be noted due to normal production tolerances.
- Switches:

Ref. No.	Switch	Position
S101	SPEED	33
S102	START/REST	REST

Note: The components identified by shading and mark are critical for safety. Replace only with part number specified.

Note: Les composants identifiés par une trame et une marque sont critiques pour la sécurité. Ne les remplacer que par une pièce portant le numéro spécifié.



# SECTION 5 EXPLODED VIEWS AND PARTS LIST

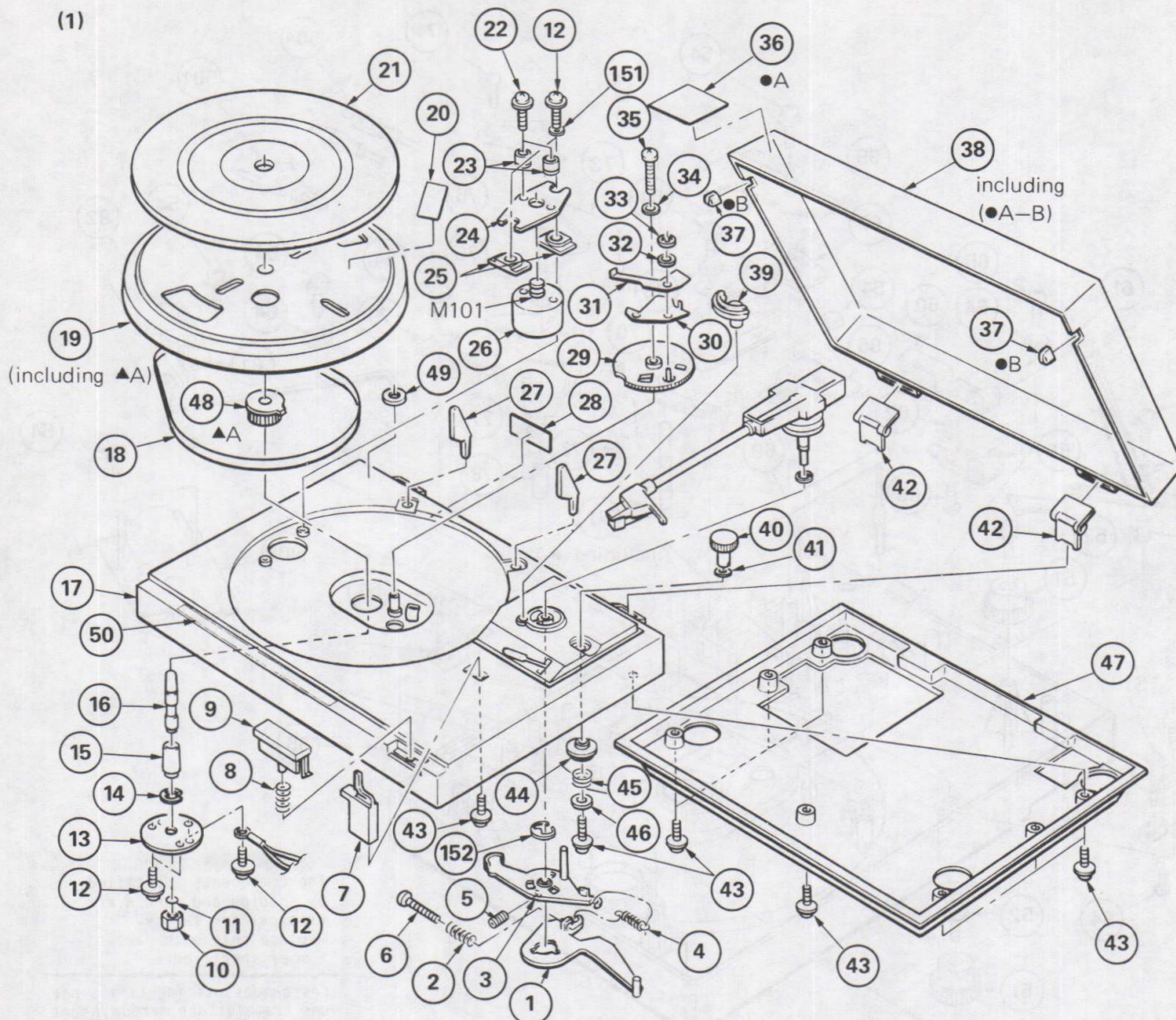
NOTE:

The mechanical parts with no reference number in the exploded views are not supplied.

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The construction parts of an assembled part are indicated with a collation number on the remark column.

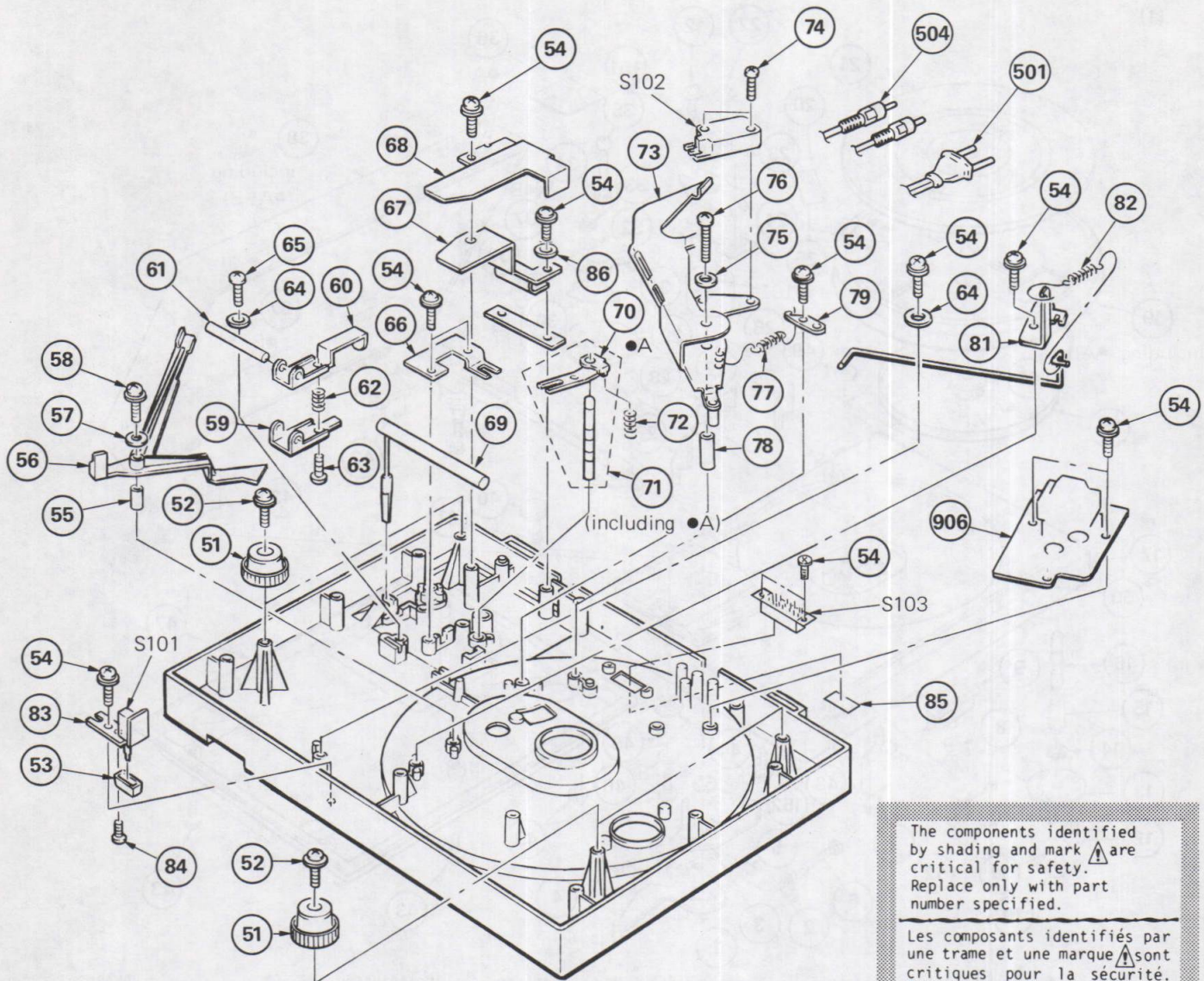
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No.	Part No.	Description	REMARKS	No.	Part No.	Description	REMARKS
1	4-875-214-00	LEVER, SWITCH		27	4-874-262-00	GUIDE, RECORD	
2	4-836-836-00	SPRING, COMPRESSION		28	*4-889-515-01	(AEP).....LABEL, MODEL NUMBER	
3	*4-858-234-00	LEVER, RETURN			*4-889-516-01	(US,Canadian)...LABEL, MODEL NUMBER	
4	3-536-780-00	SPRING, TENSION			*4-889-518-01	(E).....LABEL, MODEL NUMBER	
5	3-701-508-00	SET SCREW, DOUBLE POINT 3X6			*4-889-517-01	(UK).....LABEL, MODEL NUMBER	
6	7-682-553-09	SCREW +B 3X20		29	4-903-339-01	GEAR, DRIVE	
7	4-875-208-00	(SILVER)...REST, ARM		30	X-4852-007-2	CLUTCH (B) ASSY	
	4-875-208-31	(BLACK)...REST, ARM		31	4-852-013-05	CLUTCH (A)	
8	3-533-014-00	SPRING, COMPRESSION		32	7-688-003-11	W 3, MIDDLE	
9	4-881-608-00	(SILVER)...KNOB, REJECT		33	7-624-190-81	STOP RING 2, TYPE-CS	
	4-881-608-11	(BLACK)...KNOB, REJECT		34	4-812-554-00	WASHER	
10	4-908-104-01	NUT, BEARING		35	7-685-152-14	SCREW +P 3X25 TYPE2 SLIT	
11	4-908-141-01	RETAINER (S), THRUST		36	*3-703-705-01	STICKER, SONY SYMBOL (30)	
12	3-703-137-00	SCREW, TAPPING		37	4-876-304-00	CUSHION, DUST COVER	
13	4-908-101-01	HOLDER, BEARING		38	X-4877-804-0	COVER ASSY, DUST	
14	7-624-133-34	STOP RING 8, TYPE-CE		39	X-4903-302-1	PLATE ASSY, UP AND DOWN	
15	4-908-102-01	BEARING		40	4-881-633-00	KNOB (1), IFC	
16	4-889-523-01	SHAFT, CENTER		41	4-844-041-00	WASHER, (N)	
17	4-889-531-01	(SILVER)...FRAME		42	4-857-653-00	HINGE, DUST COVER	
	4-889-531-11	(BLACK)...FRAME		43	3-703-136-00	SCREW, TAPPING	
18	4-827-489-XX	BELT		44	4-903-323-01	CAM, IFC	
19	X-4881-615-1	TURNTABLE ASSY		45	4-874-250-00	SPRING	
20	4-858-264-21	LABEL, CAUTION		46	0-056-028-00	WASHER, PLAIN, 14 DIA.	
21	4-887-941-01	(Canadian,AEP,UK,E)...SHEET, TURNTABLE		47	4-889-532-11	(US).....PLATE, BOTTOM	
	4-887-941-11	(US).....SHEET, TURNTABLE			4-889-532-01	(Canadian,AEP,UK,E)...PLATE, BOTTOM	
22	4-909-062-01	SCREW MOTOR		48	4-868-052-00	GEAR, CENTER	
23	4-909-061-01	CUSHION MOTOR		49	3-701-806-00	ADAPTOR, 45, (E)	
24	*4-908-106-01	BRACKET (B), MOTOR		50	4-889-525-01	PANEL, CONTROL	
25	4-908-120-01	RUBBER, FLOATING		151	*4-301-647-00	WASHER, SPECIAL	
26	4-908-116-01	COVER, VIBRATION PROOF		152	7-624-133-54	STOP RING 10, TYPE-CE	



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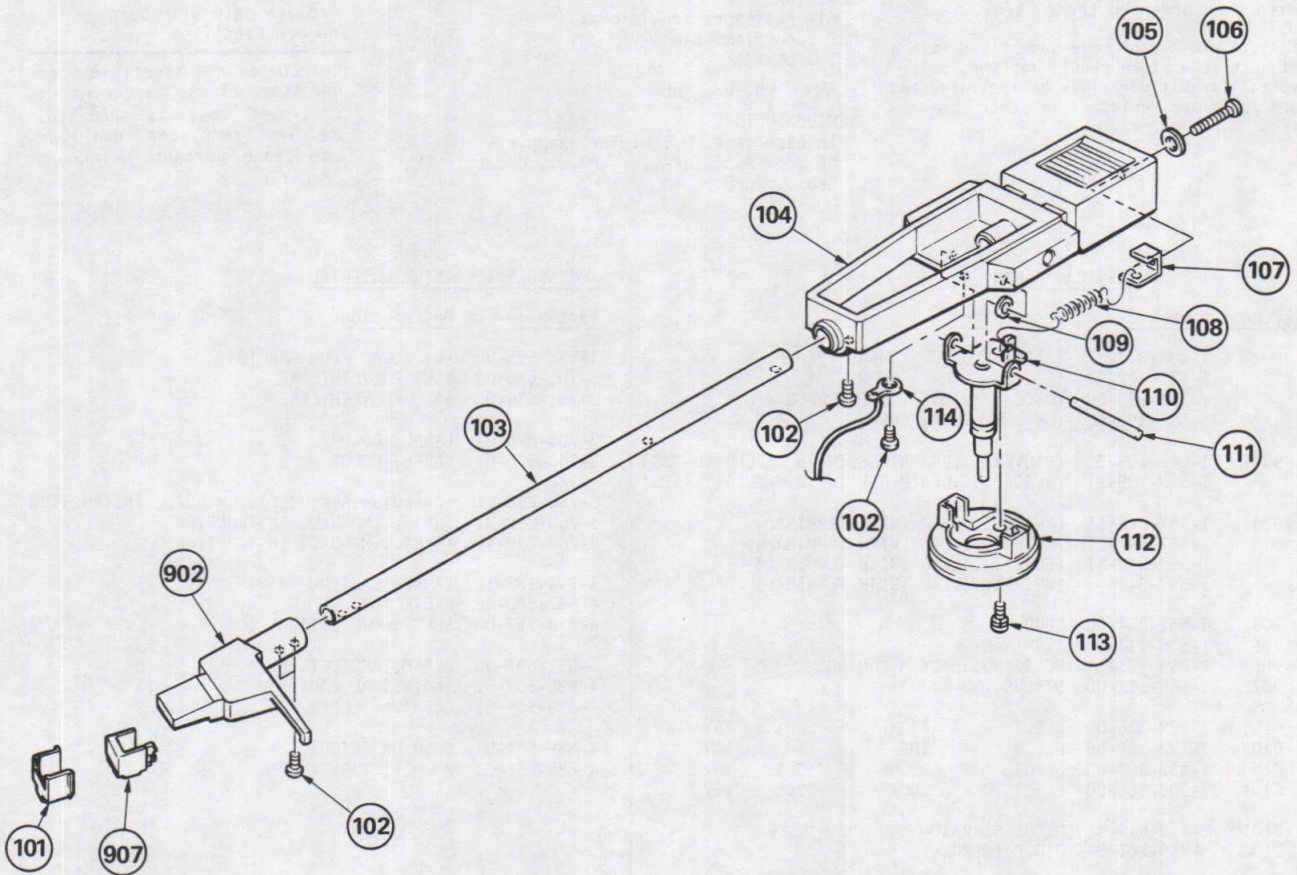
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51	X-4903-301-1	INSULATOR ASSY		72	4-903-331-01	SPRING (LIFTER), COMPRESSION	
52	7-685-650-21	SCREW +BVTP 3X16 TYPE2 SLIT		73	*X-4877-805-6	LEVER ASSY, MAIN	
53	4-870-730-21	KNOB, SPEED		74	7-682-150-01	SCREW +P 3X12	
54	3-703-137-00	SCREW, TAPPING		75	3-610-931-11	SPACER, SHAFT, DRUM, HEAD	
55	4-861-933-00	SLEEVE (D)		76	7-685-666-21	SCREW +BVTP 4X30 TYPE2 SLIT	
56	*4-858-240-00	LEVER (M), CLUTCH		77	4-870-785-00	SPRING, TENSION (MAIN LEVER)	
57	4-812-554-00	WASHER		78	4-875-207-00	SLEEVE	
58	7-685-152-14	SCREW +P 3X25 TYPE2 SLIT		79	*4-870-752-00	HOLDER, SPRING	
59	*4-903-321-01	LEVER (G), LIFTER		80	4-875-204-00	SPRING	
60	*4-903-317-01	LEVER (F), LIFTER		81	*4-875-205-00	PLATE, FIXED	
62	4-881-642-00	SPRING, COMPRESSION		82	3-491-240-00	SPRING, TENSION	
63	7-621-775-50	SCREW +B 2.6X10		83	*4-889-527-01	BRACKET, SWITCH	
64	*4-301-647-00	WASHER, SPECIAL		84	7-621-775-08	SCREW +P 2.6X3	
65	3-703-136-00	SCREW, TAPPING		85	4-881-683-00	(E)...LABEL, VOLTADGE	
66	*4-903-320-01	RETAINER (D), LIFTER		901	▲.1-534-817-XX	(AEP)...CORD, POWER, EULO PLUG	
67	*4-889-524-01	PLATE (LOWER), SHIELD			▲.1-551-472-00	(E).....CORD, POWER	
68	*4-889-526-01	PLATE (UPPER), SHIELD			▲.1-551-628-00	(US,Canadian)...CORD, POWER	
69	4-877-824-00	CAM, LIFTER			▲.1-556-562-00	(UK)....CORD, POWER	
70	*4-876-317-00	GUIDE, LIFTER		904	1-551-294-00	CORD	
71	A-4637-063-A	ROD ASSY (P), PUSH		906	*1-614-795-11	PC BOARD, SYSTEM CONTROL	
				86	7-623-422-07	WASHER 3φ	



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No.	Part No.	Description	REMARKS	No.	Part No.	Description	REMARKS
101	3-706-613-00	PROTECTOR		108	4-889-510-00	(US,Canadian)...SPRING, TENSION	
102	7-685-103-24	(SILVER)...SCREW +P 2X5	TYPE2 SLIT	109	3-701-437-01	WASHER	
	7-685-103-29	(BLACK)...SCREW +P 2X5	TYPE2 SLIT	110	X-4881-605-1	SHAFT ASSY, ROTARY	
103	4-889-528-01	(SILVER)...PIPE, ARM		111	4-880-619-00	PIN, HORIZONTAL	
	4-889-528-11	(BLACK)...PIPE, ARM		112	4-880-631-00	(SILVER)...JOINT, CENTER	
104	4-889-529-01	(SILVER)...JOINT, PIPE			4-880-631-11	(BLACK)...JOINT, CENTER	
	4-889-529-11	(BLACK)...JOINT, PIPE		113	7-682-647-01	(SILVER)...SCREW +PS 3X6	
105	7-688-003-11	W 3, MIDDLE			7-682-647-09	(BLACK)...SCREW +PS 3X6	
106	7-682-555-04	(SILVER)...SCREW +B 3X30		114	7-623-505-01	LUG, 2	
	7-682-555-09	(BLACK)...SCREW +B 3X30		902	1-549-109-00	(SILVER)...CARTRIDGE (WITH SHELL)(VL-42G)	
107	4-868-016-00	HOOK, SPRING			1-549-109-21	(BLACK)...CARTRIDGE (WITH SHELL)(VL-42G)	



## SECTION 6

### ELECTRICAL PARTS LIST

## NOTE:

- Items marked " \* " are not stocked since they are seldom required for routine service. Some delay should be anticipated when ordering these items.
- If there are two or more same circuits in a set such as a stereophonic machine, only typical circuit parts may be indicated and capacitors and resistors in other same circuits may be omitted.

## CAPACITORS:

MF:μF, PF:μμF.

## RESISTORS

- All resistors are in ohms.
- F : nonflammable


## COILS


· MMH : mH, UH : μH

## SEMICONDUCATORS









In each case, U : μ, for example:

UA...: μA..., UPA...: μPA..., UPC...: μPC,  
UPD...: μPD...

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901	 1-534-817-XX	(AEP)...CORD, POWER, EULO PLUG
	 1-551-472-00	(E).....CORD, POWER
	 1-551-628-00	(US,Canadian)...CORD, POWER
	 1-556-562-00	(UK).....CORD, POWER
902	1-549-109-00	(SILVER)...CARTRIDGE (WITH SHELL)(VL-42G)
	1-549-109-21	(BLACK)...CARTRIDGE (WITH SHELL)(VL-42G)
903	1-557-042-11	(RED).....LEAD (WITH TERMINAL)
	1-557-042-21	(GREEN)...LEAD (WITH TERMINAL)
	1-557-042-31	(BLUE)...LEAD (WITH TERMINAL)
	1-557-042-41	(WHITE)...LEAD (WITH TERMINAL)
904	1-551-294-00	CORD
905	*1-535-117-00	TERMINAL
906	*1-614-795-11	PC BOARD, SYSTEM CONTROL
907	1-549-112-00	STYLUS (ND-142G)
C101	1-123-336-00	ELECT 470MF 20% 25V
C102	1-123-380-00	ELECT 1MF 20% 50V
C103	1-123-309-00	ELECT 330MF 20% 10V
C104	1-123-356-00	ELECT 10MF 20% 16V
D101	8-719-510-01	DIODE 1SRBA10
D102	8-719-107-94	DIODE 1SS202-1
IC101	8-759-103-35	IC UPC1470H
M101	8-835-126-01	MOTOR, DC (DNR-7600A)
R101	 1-217-383-00	FUSIBLE 4.7 5% 1/4W F
R102	1-214-723-00	METAL 560 1% 1/4W
R103	1-214-721-00	METAL 470 1% 1/4W
R104	1-214-729-00	METAL 1K 1% 1/4W
RV101	1-226-232-00	RES, ADJ, CARBON 500
RV102	1-226-232-00	RES, ADJ, CARBON 500
S101	1-570-166-11	SWITCH, PUSH (1 KEY)
S102	1-570-149-11	SWITCH, MICRO
S103	1-552-535-00	SWITCH, POWER & VOLTAGE CHANGE
T101	 1-448-043-11	(US,Canadian)...TRANSFORMER, POWER
	 1-448-044-11	(AEP,UK).....TRANSFORMER, POWER
	 1-448-045-11	(E).....TRANSFORMER, POWER

## ACCESSORY &amp; PACKING MATERIAL

Part No.	Description
1-526-565-00	(E)...AC PLUG ADAPTOR
3-701-630-00	BAG, POLYETHYLENE
3-701-634-00	BAG, POLYETHYLENE
3-703-895-01	LABEL, COLOR
3-703-906-01	LABEL, COLOR
3-760-298-11	(Canadian,AEP,UK,E)...MANUAL, INSTRUCTION
3-760-298-21	(US)....MANUAL, INSTRUCTION
3-760-298-41	(AEP)...MANUAL, INSTRUCTION
3-794-123-11	LABEL, CAUTION
4-862-680-00	PROTECTOR
4-876-352-00	SHEET, PROTECTION
4-881-698-00	PLATE, PROTECTION
4-889-533-01	INDIVIDUAL CARTON
4-889-536-01	CUSHION (LEFT)
4-889-537-01	CUSHION (RIGHT)
4-889-538-01	HOLDER, TURNTABLE