



## Models 41-240, 41-245; Code 121

### SPECIFICATIONS

#### Model 41-240

**TYPE OF CIRCUIT:** Model 41-240, Code 121, is a seven (7) tube A. C. operated super-heterodyne radio employing the Philco Built-in American and Overseas Aerial system. Provisions are also provided for an outside aerial. The Philco Outdoor aerial, Part No. 45-2817 is especially designed for use with this radio and is recommended for maximum performance. In addition, other features of design are:—two tuning ranges; two I. F. stages; Philco loktal tubes; variable tone control; automatic volume control, and a pentode audio output stage.

**TUNING RANGES:** 540 to 1720 K. C.; 9 to 12 M. C.

**INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY:** 455 K. C.

**POWER SUPPLY:** 115 volts A. C., 60 cycles. To operate the radio on 115 Volt, 25 cycle current, it will be necessary to change power transformers as indicated in the parts list.

**AUDIO OUTPUT:** 2 watts.

**PHILCO TUBES USED:** one XXL, 1st detector; one XXL oscillator; one 7B7, 1st I. F.; one 7B7, 2nd I. F.; one 7C6, 2nd detector, 1st audio, A. V. C.; one 7B5, audio output and a 7Y4 rectifier.

**CABINET DIMENSIONS:** Height, 11"; Width, 15 1/4"; Depth, 9 1/4".

an outside aerial. Provisions are also provided for an outside aerial for sections where signal strength is weak, such as in steel reinforced buildings and other shielded locations. For installations of this type the Philco 1941 Outdoor Aerial, Part No. 45-2817, is recommended. This aerial can be conveniently connected to the radio by inserting the plug attached to the transformer unit into the socket provided at the rear of the chassis. A ground is not required with either type of installation. Other features of design included in the radio are three tuning ranges; covering standard, police, and shortwave frequencies; two I. F. stages, Philco loktal tubes; variable tone control; automatic volume control; and a pentode audio output stage. Six (6) electric tuning push buttons are provided for automatically selecting stations. Five of the push buttons are used for broadcast stations, and one for turning the power of the set "on" and "off". The procedure for adjusting the push buttons will be found in the instructions supplied with the Radio.

**TUNING RANGES:**

540 to 1720 K. C.; 2.0 to 7.0 M. C.; 9 to 12.0 M. C.

**INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY:** 455 K. C.

**POWER SUPPLY:** 115 volts A. C., 60 cycles. To operate the radio on 115 volt, 25 cycle current, it is necessary to change the power transformers as indicated in the parts list.

**AUDIO OUTPUT:** 2 watts.

**PHILCO TUBES USED:** one XXL, 1st detector; one XXL oscillator; one 7B7, 1st I. F.; one 7B7, 2nd I. F.; one 7C6, 2nd detector, 1st audio, A. V. C.; one 7B5, audio output and a 7Y4 rectifier.

**CABINET DIMENSIONS:**

Height, 11 1/4"; Width, 16 1/2"; Depth, 9 1/4".

#### Model 41-245

**TYPE OF CIRCUIT:** Model 41-245, Code 121, is a seven (7) tube A. C. operated super-heterodyne radio with electric push button tuning. In addition, the radio employs the Philco Built-in American and Overseas Aerial system for operation without

### ALIGNING R. F. AND I. F. COMPENSATING CONDENSERS

THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURE IS THE SAME FOR BOTH MODELS.

#### EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

1. **Signal Generator:** Covering the frequency range of the receiver, such as Philco Models 077 or 177.
2. **Aligning Indicator:** Either a vacuum tube voltmeter or an audio output meter may be used as an aligning indicator. Philco Models 027 and 028 Circuit Testers contain both these meters.
3. **Tools:** Philco Fiber Screw Driver, Part No. 45-2610.

#### CONNECTING ALIGNING INSTRUMENTS

**Audio Output Meter:** If this type of aligning meter is used, connect it to the voice coil terminals of the speaker or from the plate of the 7B5 tube to the chassis. Adjust the meter for the (0 to 10) volt scale.

**Vacuum Tube Voltmeter:** To use the vacuum tube voltmeter as an aligning indicator, make the following connections: Attach the negative (-) terminal of the voltmeter to any point in the circuit where the A. V. C. voltage can be obtained. Connect the positive (+) terminal of the vacuum tube voltmeter to the chassis.

**Signal Generator:** When adjusting the I. F. padders, the high side of the signal generator is connected through a .1 mfd. condenser to the aerial section (stator plates) of the tuning condenser. Connect the ground or low side of the generator to the chassis.

When aligning the R. F. padders a loop is made from a few turns of wire and connected to the signal generator output terminals; the signal generator is then placed close to the loop of the radio.

The receiver can be adjusted in the cabinet or removed from the cabinet. If adjustments are made outside the cabinet a Service Tuning Scale, Part No. 45-2821, will be required. This scale is placed underneath the pointer on the metal dial plate.

When adjusting the radio outside the cabinet the loop aerial should be placed in approximately the same position around or near the chassis as when assembled.

After connecting the aligning instruments, adjust the compensators as shown in the tabulation for each model below. Locations of the compensators are shown in the schematic diagram. If the indicating meter pointer goes off scale when adjusting the compensator, reduce the strength of the signal from the generator.

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Operations in Order	SIGNAL GENERATOR		RECEIVER			SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
	Output Connections to Receiver	Dial Setting	Dial Setting	Control Settings	Adjust Compensators in Order	
1	Ant. Section of Tuning Condenser	455 K. C.	Tuning Cond. closed	Vol. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	28A, 15A, 14A, 14B	Note A
2	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	1500 K. C.	1500 K. C.	Vol. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	20A, 6	Note B
3	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	580 K. C.	580 K. C.	Vol. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	20	Rock Comp. to "max." Recheck Operation No. 2
4	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	9.5 M. C.	9.5 M. C.	Range Switch "S. W."	19, 6A	Note C
5	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	12 M. C.	12 M. C.	Range Switch "S. W."	19, 6A	Note D

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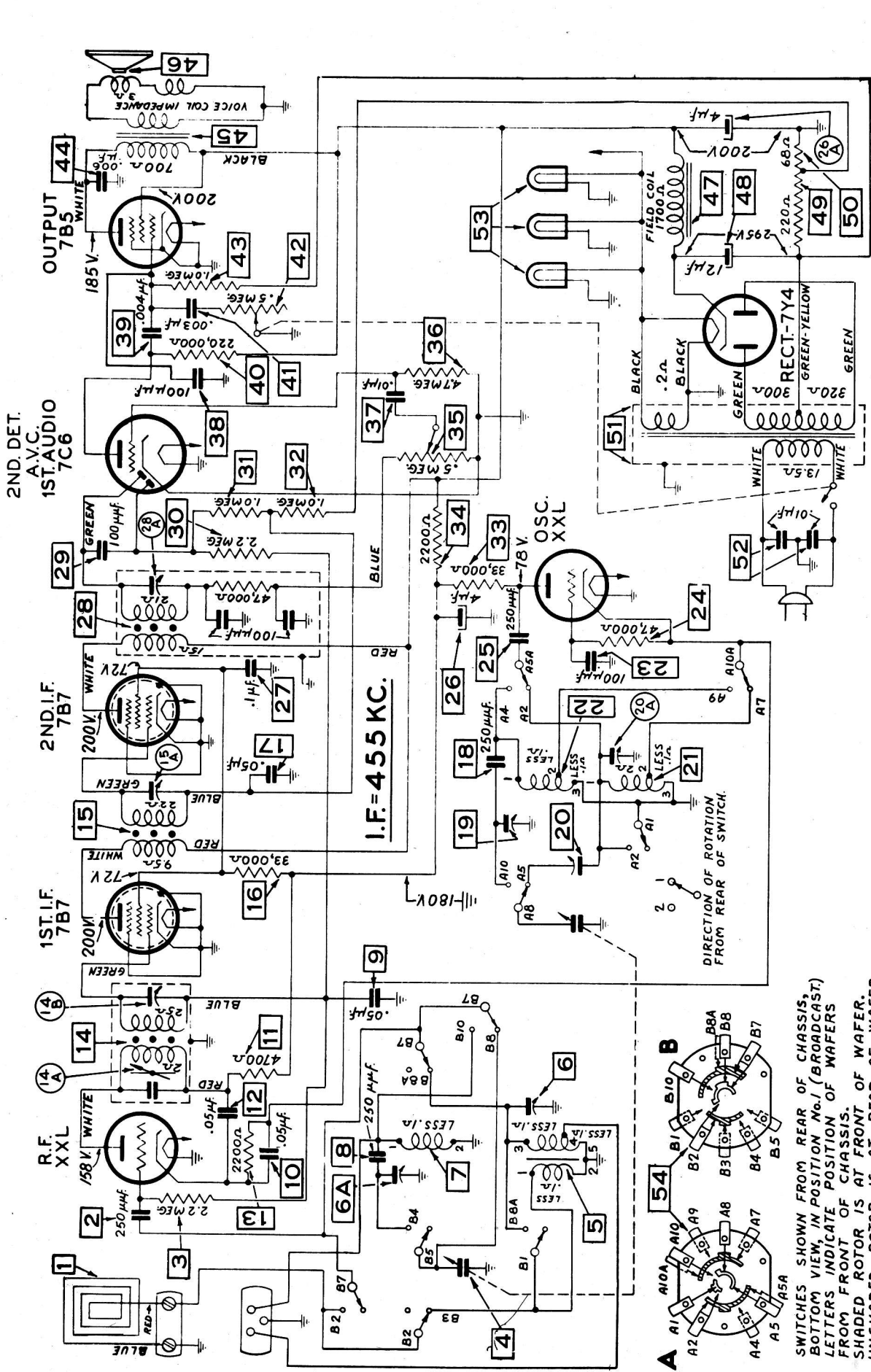
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	Output Connections to Receiver	Dial Setting	Dial Setting	Control Settings	Adjust Compensators in Order	
1	Ant. Section of Tuning Condenser	455 K. C.	Tuning Cond. closed	Vol. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	33A, 30A, 29A, 29B	Note A
2	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	1500 K. C.	1500 K. C.	Vol. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	17A, 9	Note B
3	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	580 K. C.	580 K. C.	Vol. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	17	Rock Comp. to "max." Recheck Operation No. 2
4	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	6 M. C.	6 M. C.	Range Switch "Police"	19	Rock Comp. to "max."
5	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	9.5 M. C.	9.5 M. C.	Range Switch "S. W."	19A, 5	Note C
6	Loop to Radio Loop See Sig. Gen. above	12 M. C.	12 M. C.	Range Switch "S. W."	19A, 5	Note D

**NOTE A**—Compensator (14A) Model 41-240, must be adjusted before (14B) Model 41-240, and should be done in the following manner. Turn 14A all the way up, then slowly turn down and select the first I. F. peak. Padder 14B is now adjusted to maximum. This procedure applies also to Model 41-245, padder 29A should be adjusted before 29B.

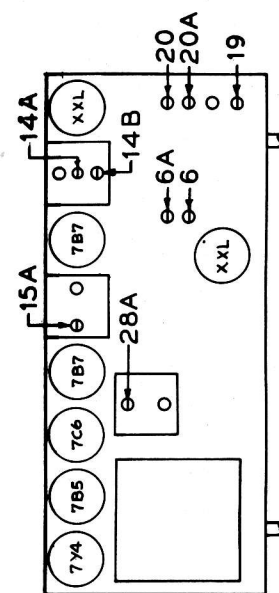
**NOTE B**—DIAL CALIBRATION: In order to adjust the receiver correctly, the dial must be aligned to track properly with the tuning condenser. To do this, proceed as follows: Turn the tuning condenser to the maximum capacity position (plates fully meshed). With the condenser in this position, set the tuning pointer on the extreme left index line at the low frequency end of the broadcast scale.

**NOTE C**—Set pointer at 9.5 M. C. and adjust padders (19) Model 240, and (19A) Model 245 to the second peak from tight. Adjust padders (6A) Model 240 and (5A) Model 245 to first peak from tight. (This gives the approximate correct setting of padders for next operation.)

**NOTE D**—Tune in the 2nd signal peak from the tight position. Padder 19 Model 240, 19A Model 245, then roll padder 6A Model 41-240, 5 Model 41-245, slowly to maximum on the first peak from tight position.

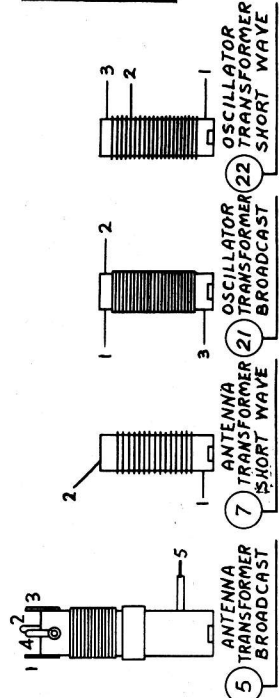


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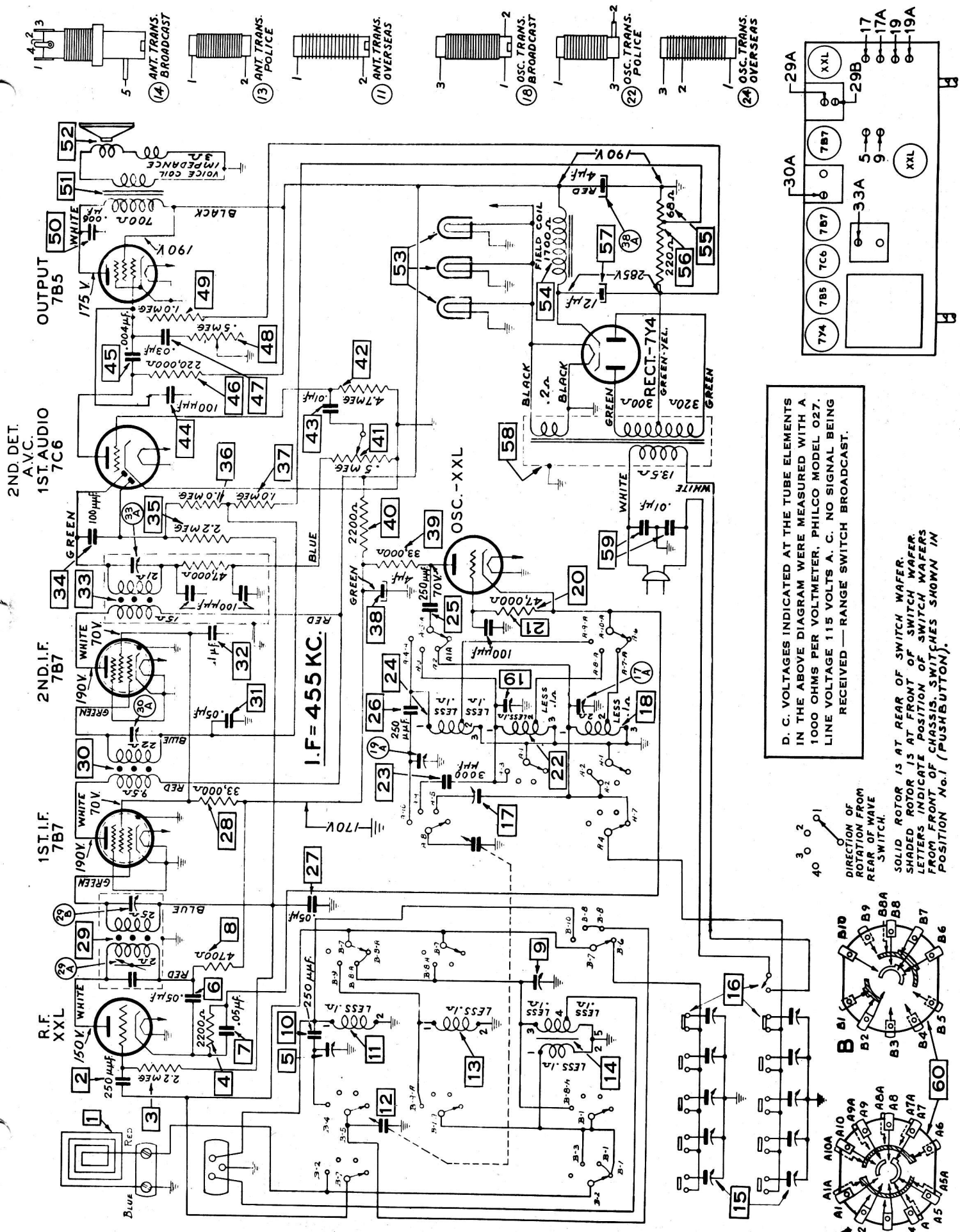


SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM — MODEL 41-240

SWITCHES SHOWN FROM REAR OF CHASSIS, BOTTOM VIEW, IN POSITION No. 1 (BROADCAST). LETTERS INDICATE POSITION OF WAFERS FROM FRONT OF CHASSIS. SHADED ROTOR IS AT FRONT OF WAFER. UNSHADED ROTOR IS AT REAR OF WAFER.



ANTENNA TRANSFORMER (1) BROADCAST  
ANTENNA TRANSFORMER (2) BROADCAST  
ANTENNA TRANSFORMER (3) BROADCAST  
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SOLID ROTOR IS AT REAR OF SWITCH WAFER. SHADED ROTOR IS AT FRONT OF SWITCH WAFER. LETTERS INDICATE POSITION OF SWITCH WAFERS FROM FRONT OF CHASSIS. SWITCHES SHOWN IN POSITION No.1 (PUSHBUTTON).

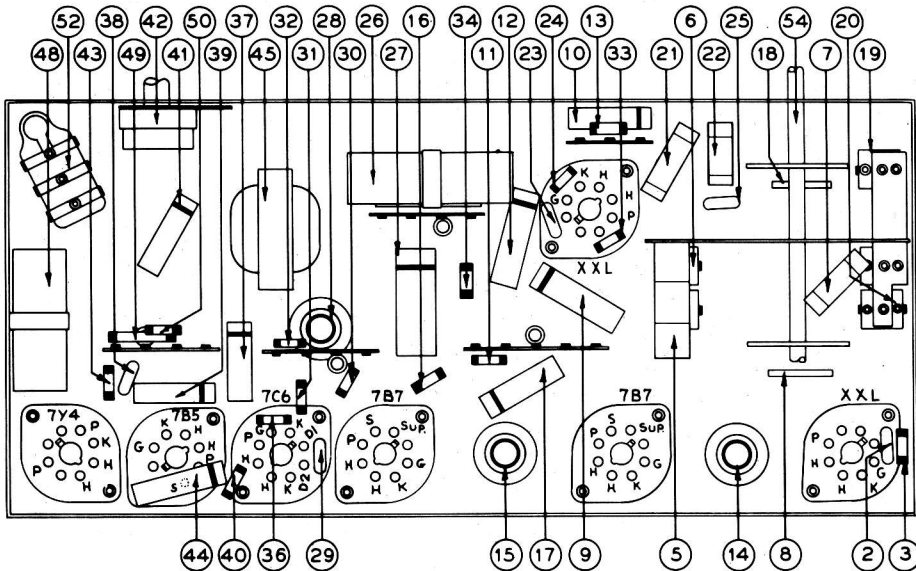
SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM — MODEL 41-245

Replacement Parts — Model 41-240

Table with 3 columns: SCHE. No., DESCRIPTION, PART No. listing various electronic components like Loop Aerial, Condensers, Resistors, etc.

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MODEL 41-240 — PART LOCATIONS, UNDERSIDE OF CHASSIS

MISCELLANEOUS PARTS

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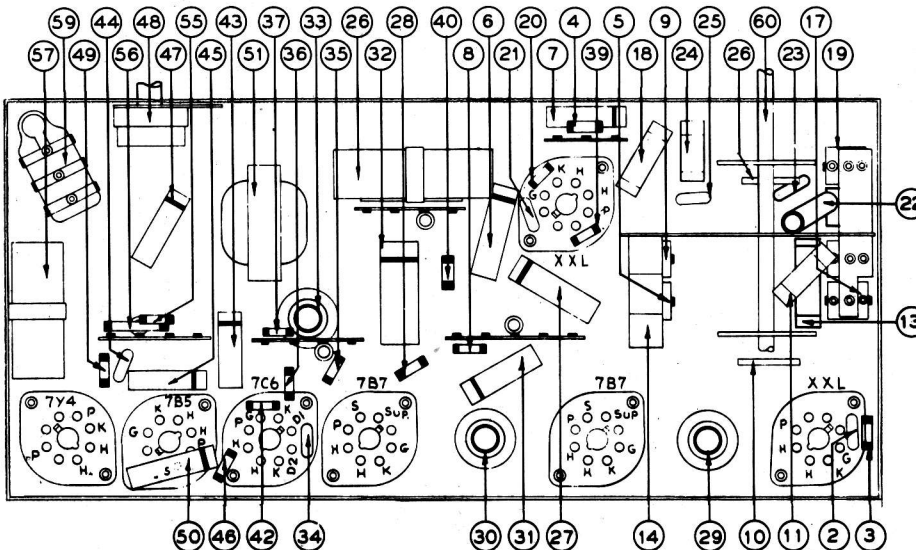
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