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TYPE CIRCUIT: Five-valve Superheterodyne Receiver with Delayed A.V.C., and Pentode Output (3 watts) for operation on Short, Medium and Long wave-bands. Provision is made for connecting a pick-up which may be left permanently connected to the Receiver if desired, as the gramophone operation is controlled by the extreme clockwise rotation of the wave-change switch. Provision is also made for connecting an external speaker of the Permanent Magnet Moving Coil type having an impedance of 2-3 ohms. By reason of special design and temperature drift compensation, the Receiver has a very high degree of frequency stability.

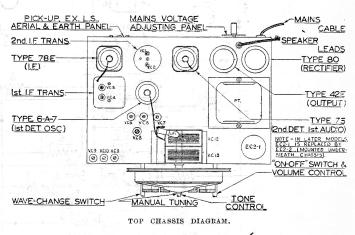
POWER SUPPLY: Alternating current mains of 200-229 volts or 230-250 volts, 50-100 cycles, when the voltage adjusting plug is screwed fully into the correct socket on the rear-of-cabinet

WAVE-BANDS: COVERAGE: Three: (a) Short, 18-6 megacycles (16.6-50 metres); (b) Medium, 200-550 metres (1,500-545.4 kilocycles); (c) Long, 1,100-1,900 metres (272.7-157.9 kilo-

TUNING DIAL: Philco Automatic Dial Tuning Device, glowing beam station indicator and slow motion drive-ratio 40-1.

TONE CONTROL: The extreme counter-clockwise position is the high fidelity position. Turning the knob in a clockwise direction operates a switch, providing a sharp cut to eliminate "heterodyne whistles." Further clockwise rotation serves to alter the tonal balance, discriminating against the higher frequencies.

Model D.531



LOUDSPEAKER: Bakelite Cabinet Models-6 ins. diameter fully energised moving coil speaker with curvi-linear cone, which in conjunction with the Philco System of Audio Degeneration, gives the highest efficiency audio output and greater bass response. Wood Cabinet Models—An 8 in. diameter electrodynamic speaker is used.

INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY: 475 Kc.

POWER CONSUMPTION: 60 watts.

TABLE 1 — VOLTAGES.

Valve socket readings to chassis taken with an 065, 077 or J3 Philco Set Tester, using the 500, 250 and 10 volts ranges. Volume control at minimum, tone control fully counter-clockwise, wave-change switch in M.W. position and no aerial connected. A.C. line, 230 volts, 50 cycles.

Position	VALVE	ANODE	SCREEN	BIAS	
1st Detector and Oscillator, S.2	6A7	Pin 3. 265 v. Pin 5. 200 v.*	Pin. 4. 90 v.	-4	
I.F. Amplifier, S.1	78E	Pin 3. 265 v.	Pin 4. 90 v.	Pin 5.—3.5 v.	
2nd Detector, A.V.C. and 1st L.F. Amplifier, S.3	75	Pin 3. 150 v.	(a)	Pin 6. 5 v.	
Pentode Output, S.4	42E	Pin 3. 250 v.	Pin 4. 265 v.	—18 v.†	
Full Wave Rectifier, S.5	80	Pin 3. 350v.A.C. Pin 4. 350v.A.C.	gataa * 1 - e		

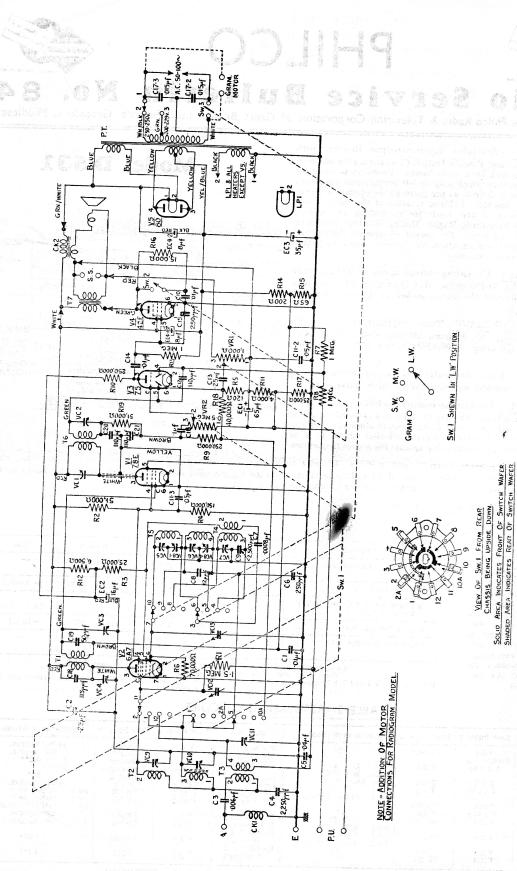
* Oscillator Anode Volts. † Bias measured between T.B.5/2 and chassis.

Total D.C. 366 volts, measured between V.5/1 and T.B.5/2.

V.1, V.2, V.3, V.4 and L.P.1 filaments, each 6.3 volts A.C.; V.5 filament, 5 volts A.C., measured between pins 1 and 2 on each socket.

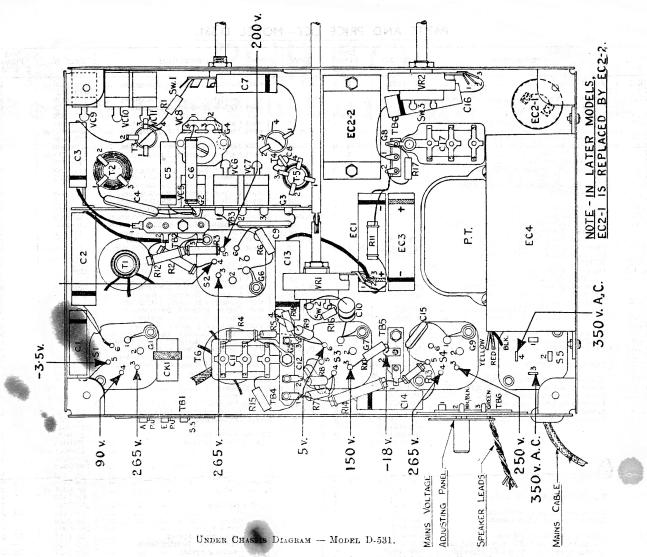
TABLE 2—RESISTANCES OF COILS.

REF. No.	REF. NO. TEST PROD. 1 TEST PROD. 2 RESISTANCE (OHMS)		REF. No.	TEST PROD. 1	TEST PROD. 2	RESISTANCE (OHMS)			
CK.1 TB.1 CH		Chassis	25	T.6 Secondary	V.3/5	TB.4/3	51,000 approx.		
Т.2	Socket "A" V.2 Cap	m 0/1	0 1 7 77 45	T.7 Primary	V.4/3	TB.2/2	500 approx.		
1.2	v.z cap	T.2/1	Sw.1. L.W. 45 Sw.1. M.W. 3.5	T.7 Secondary	Output Transformer	Output	0.2**		
T.3 Primary	T.3/2	T.2/1	Less than 0.1	Speech Coil	Lead 1	Transformer Lead 2	2**		
T.3 Secondary	V.2 Cap	T.3/3	Sw.1. S.W. 0.1	CK.2	TB.2/2	V.5/1	1,140 approx.		
T.1 Primary	TT 0/0	mm 0/0	Sw.1. Gram. Infinity	PT. Primary	C.17/2	TB.7/2	Sw.3. "ON." 20		
T.1 Secondary	V.2/3 V.1 Cap	TB.2/2 V.1/5	19	PT. Primary	C.17/2	TB.7/3	Sw.3. "ON." 18		
T.5	V.2/6	Sw.1/3	Sw.1. L.W. 25	H.T. Secondary	V.5/3	TB.5/2	Sw.3. "OFF." Infinity 240 approx.		
			Sw.1. M.W. 5	H.T. Secondary	V.5/4	TB.5/2	240 approx.		
T.4 Primary	V.2/6	Sw.1/3	Sw.1. S.W. 0.1	Heater L.T.					
T.4 Secondary	V.2/5	T.4/1	Sw.1. Gram. Infinity	Secondary Rectifier L.T.	V.4/2	Chassis	0.2††		
T.6 Primary	$\dot{V}.1/3$	$T_{B,2/2}^{1,4/1}$	12	Secondary	V.5/1	V.5/2	0.1††		



SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM - MODEL D-531.

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ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE — MODEL D.531.

Before leaving the Factory, all Phileo Receivers are accurately aligned, but if misalignment is suspected through damage, no alteration must be made without instruction in the correct adjustment of the trimming and padding condensers. It should be carried out only with the aid of an accurately calibrated Signal Generator, and for this purpose the PHILCO ALL-PURPOSE SET TESTER MODEL 077 or 077E is recommended.

Connect the Output Meter across the Primary of the Output Transformer, i.e., green and white leads. Set wave-change switch to second position from left (M.W.), turn volume control fully clockwise and tone control fully counter-clockwise.

DIAL CALIBRATION: In order to adjust this Receiver correctly, the dial must be aligned to track properly with the tuning condenser. To do

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Check that the light slot and pilot light are in line with the letter "D" in word "DAVENTRY" on the S.W. scale, and the dot at 214 metres under letters "OR" in word "R. NORMANDIE."
Open tuning condenser to fullest extent, insert a .006 in. feeler gauge under the heel of the moving vanes and close the tuning condenser on to garge.
With tuning condenser in this position, check that indicator reads on letter "E" in word "R. NORMANDIE."

Open tuning condenser to fullest extent, insert a .006 in. feeler gauge under the heel of the moving vanes and close the tuning condenser on to garge.

With tuning condenser in this position, check that indicator reads on letter "E" in word "R. NORMANDIE."

Remove feeler gauge.

INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY: The I.F. trimmers (VC.'s 1, 2, 3 and 4) must first be carefully adjusted by feeding in a 475 kc. signal from the Signal Generator via a Standard Dummy to the grid cap of the 6A7 valve (with grid lead connected) and the Signal Generator earthed to the Receiver Earth socket or chassis. Adjust the Signal Generator Attenuator to give a half-scale reading on the Output Meter. The I.F. trimmers must then be adjusted for maximum output.

Transfer Signal Generator lead via the Standard Dummy to the Aerial socket.

MEDIUM WAVES: Set dial at 1,400 kc. (corresponding to dot at 214 metres, under letters "OR" in word "R. NORMANDIE"); feed in a signal of 1,400 kc., and trim VC.'s 6 and 10 in that order for maximum output.

Feed in and tune a signal of 600 kc. (500 metres). Bock tuning condenser and pad VC.8 (screw) for maximum output. Readjust V.C.6 at 1,400 kc. Repeat the above operation until no further improvement results.

LONG WAVES: (a) With wave-change switch in M.W. position, feed in a 1,050 kc. (285.7 metres) signal—this corresponds to West of England Regional. Keep dial in this position and turn wave-change switch fully counter-clockwise (L.W. position).

(b) Feed in a signal of 160 kc. (corresponding to dot at 1,875 metres). Rock tuning condenser and pad VC.8 (nut) for maximum output. Repeat operations (a) and (b).

Repeat operations (a) (a) and (b) in that order until no further improvement is obtainable.

ALTERNATIVELY, the L.W. alignment may be carried out as follows:—

Turn wave-change switch to L.W. position (maximum counter-clockwise) for heat indicator reads on 1,250 metres (240 kc.). Set dial so that indicator reads on dot at 1,875 metres and feed in a signal of 160 kc.

Repeat the above operation until no f

should be carried out.

SHORT WAVES: Turn Wave-change switch to third position clockwise (S.W.). Substitute a 400 ohms resistor for the Standard Dummy and feed in an 18 mc. signal. Set dial so that indicator reads on 18 mc., and adjust VC.7 for the second signal heard from tight (care is necessary as the two peaks are narrowly spaced).

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Connect the shunt condenser between VC.7 tag and chassis and tune it (about half open) for signal at 18 mc. Trim VC.11 for maximum output.

Disconnect shunt condenser and retrim VC.7.

Check that the 18 mc. image is obtained at approximately 17.1 mc.

Feed in and tune a signal of 6 mc., and check for correct reading on scale. (There is no tracker adjustment for 6 mc.).

PARTS AND PRICE LIST-MODEL D.531.

REF. No.	DESCRIPTION	PART No.	LIST PRICE £ s. d.	REF. No.	DESCRIPTION	PART No.	LIST PRICE £ s. d.
CK.1 T.1	Aerial Choke	320-1191	1 3	R.7	‡ watt Insulated Resistor, 1 megohm	330-2030 or 339-2028	9 9
VC.3	1st I.F. Transformer and Trimmers Assembly	30/7		or or	watt Insulated Resistor, 1 megohm watt Carbon Resistor, 1 megohm	330-2039 330-1018 or	9
VC.4 C.18	Silvered Mica Condenser, 115 mfd. (Special)	329-1002	9 0	R.8 or	watt Carbon Resistor, 1.5 megohm watt Insulated Resistor, 1 megohm	33-1096 33-1188 330-2030 or	9
C.19 T.2	Coramic Condensor 50 mmfd (Special)	329-1000	3 6	or	watt Insulated Resistor, I megohm	339-2028 330-2039	99999999999999999999999999
T.3 T.4	M. and L.W. Aerial Coil S.W. Aerial Coil S.W. Oscillator Coil	329-1012 329-1011	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	or	4 watt Carbon Resistor, 1 megohm	330-1018 or 33-1096	9
T.5 T.6 VC.1	M. and L.W. Oscillator Coil 2nd I.F. Transformer and Trimmers	329-1001	2 6	R.9 or	watt Carbon Resistor, 1.5 megohm watt Insulated Resistor, 240,000 ohms watt Carbon Resistor, 240,000 ohms	33-1188 330-2002 4410	9
VC.2	Assembly	32-2503 or	7 6	or	watt Carbon Resistor, 240,000 ohms watt Carbon Resistor, 200,000 ohms watt Carbon Resistor, 250,000 ohms	33-1048 33-1185	9
C.20 C.21 R.19	Mica Condenser, 110 mmfd Mica Condenser, 110 mmfd watt Insulated Resistor, 51,000 ohms.	320-1126 or 320-1155	7 6 7 6 7 6	R.10 or	watt Insulated Resistor, 250,000 ohms watt Insulated Resistor, 250,000 ohms watt Insulated Resistor, 250,000 ohms	339-2025 339-2025	9
T.7	Output Transformer, Part No. 329-7001 Bakelite	Complete		R.11	watt Carbon Resistor, 250,000 ohms	330-2052 33-1185 33-1040	9
CITA	Speech Coil and Cone, Cabinet Part No. 369-3001 Models	Speaker 369-1001†	1 2 0	or	watt Insulated Resistor, 4,000 ohms	330-2056 or 339-2016	9
CK.2 or T.7	Field Coil J Output Transformer, Part No. 329-7007 Wood	Complete	1	R.12 or or	½ watt Carbon Resistor, 6,000 ohms 1 watt Carbon Resistor, 5,000 ohms 2 watt Insulated Resistor, 6,500 ohms	7352 3526 339-2017	9
	Speech Coil and Cone, Cabinet Part No. 369-3010 Models	Speaker 369-1010†		R.13	† watt Carbon Resistor, 1 megohm † watt Insulated Resistor, 1 megohm	330-1018 339-2028	9
CK.2 VC.5 VC.6	Field Coil Single Padder, 30-110 mmfd	31-6181	9	R.14	½ watt Insulated Resistor, 1 megohm 1 watt Carbon Resistor, 200 ohms	330-2018 330-1033	9
VC.7 VC.8	Double Padder, $30 + 30 \text{ mmfd}$ Double Padder, $100 + 100 \text{ mmfd.}$	31-6093 310-6027	1 6 1 6	R.15 or R.16	watt Carbon Resistor, 65 ohms watt Insulated Resistor, 63 ohms watt Carbon Resistor, 15,000 ohms	339-1107 350-2044 33-1177	9 9 9 9
$\frac{\text{VC.9}}{\text{VC.10}}$	Single Padder, 30-110 mmfd \Double Padder, 30 + 30 mmfd	31-6181 31-6093	1 6	R.17	4 watt Insulated Resistor, 15,000 ohms 2 watt Insulated Resistor, 20,000 ohms	339-2019 330-2049	9
VC.11 VC.12 VC.13	Two-gang Condenser	312-2012	9 0	R.18 Sw.1	watt Insulated Resistor, 25,000 ohms watt Insulated Resistor, 40,000 ohms Wave-change Switch	339-2020 339-2021 429-1000	9
EC.1 EC.2/1 or	Electrolytic Condenser, 65 mfd Electrolytic Condenser, 8 + 8 mfd	309-2002 30-2028	1 2	Sw.2 VR.1	Tone Switch	339-5000	3 6 5 6
EC.2/2 EC.3	Electrolytic Condenser, 16 mfd Electrolytic Condenser, 35 mfd	309-2006 300-4022	1 9	Sw.3 VR.2	On-off Switch Volume Control	331-5208/1	2 9
EC.4 C.1	Electrolytic Condenser, 8 + 8 mfd Tubular Condenser, .01 mfd	309-2000 30-4479 or 30-4124 or	4 6 9 9	P.T. or	Power Transformer, 50-100 cycles Power Transformer, 25-40 cycles	32-7823 32-7365 or 320-7040	18 0
		30-4051 or 30-4145 or	9		7-prong Valve Holder 6-prong Valve Holder	27-6037 27-6036	7 6
or	Tubular Condenser, .015 mfd	309-4018 30-4226 30-4025	1 0		4-prong Valve Holder Mains Voltage Adjusting Panel	27-6044 or 270-6010	6 4
or	Tubular Condenser, .03 mfd Tubular Condenser, .05 mfd	30-4020 or 30-4123 or	- 9 9 1 0		Mains Voltage Adjusting Panel Mains Voltage Adjusting Plug	380-5342 380-5340 L0-1009	6 6 1 9
C.2	Tubular Condenser, .25 mfd	30-4444 30-4134 or	9		Speaker Cable	L0-1001 or L0-1075	$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 9 \\ 1 & 9 \end{array}$
C.3 C.4	Tubular Condenser, .006 mfd Mica Condenser, 2,250 mmfd	309-4025 30-4125 30-1055 or	$\begin{array}{c} 9\\ 9\\ 1 \end{array}$		Rubber Grommet Grid Clip Valve Shield	270-7341 28-2214 28-2726	5d. doz
C.5	Tubular Condenser, .04 mfd	300 - 1072 $309 - 4021$	1 3 9		Tone Control Shaft Tone Control Shaft Spring	289-6003 28-4117	6 6d. doz.
C.6 and	Ceramic Condenser, 220 mmfd. (Special) Ceramic Condenser, 25 mmfd. (Special) Ceramic Condenser, 250 mmfd. (Special)	309-1121 309-1105* 309-1124 or	$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 6 \\ & 8 \\ 1 & 6 \end{array}$		Tone Control Shaft Bearing Bush Shaft Retaining Spring "C" Washer	289-7026 280-1421	7d. doz
Or C.7	Tubular Condenser, .0008 mfd	309-1124 of 309-1125 30-4335	1 6		Manual Tuning Pulley Rubber Ring	28-2043 289-6002 279-7017	1 9 1
C.8 C.9	Ceramic Condenser, 12 mmfd Silvered Mica Condenser, 2,500 mmfd	309-1123 309-1021	2 6		Spring Clip	28-8610 289-6001	5d doz
C.10 C.11 C.12	Tubular Condenser, .01 mfd Moulded Condenser, .05 + .05 mfd Mica Condenser, 110 mmfd	309-4218 3615-DG. 30-1031 or	1 9	viidi :	Manual Tuning Spindle Spring Gang Condenser Mounting Bracket and Dial Stops Assembly	289-8000 389-5048	3 0
0.12	Francisco de la la companya de la co	300-1040 or 300-1056	10 10	Q. 1540)	Auto Dial Assembly (Brown) Tuning Belt Assembly	389-5045 389-5010	= 0
or	Mica Condenser, 120 mmfd Mica Condenser, 140 mmfd	300-1065 300-1212 309-1008	9		Dog and Screw Assembly Dial Stop	389-5008 289-1025 or 289-1047	7
C.13 or .	Mica Condenser, 100 mmfd Tubular Condenser, .25 mfd	30-4134 or 309-4025	9 9	**	Push Button (Brown) Dial Scale	279-4005 279-5003	$\begin{array}{c} 1\\9\\2\\6\end{array}$
C.14 or	Tubular Condenser, .01 mfd Tubular Condenser, .008 mfd	309-4018 30-4112	1 0	1 and 3	Dial Scale Mask Station Names Kit (21 names)	279-5000 409-5004	8
C.15	Mica Condenser, 250 mmfd	30-1032 or 300-1041 or 309-1010	9	and	Chassis Mounting Spacer	409-5005 280-6064 270-7579	1 0 4 1
or C.16	Mica Condenser, 240 mmfd Tubular Condenser, .1 mfd	300–1216 309-4023 or	- 6	or	Chassis Mounting Rubber	270-7451 3915	1 1
	to the first the second of the second to the	300-4024 or 30-4170 or	1 8	at to gend	Chassis Mounting Screw Plain Knob and Spring (Brown)	W-1345 270-4183	1
C.17	Moulded Condenser, .015 + .015 mfd	30-4455 3793-DG 3615-DG	$egin{array}{cccc} 1 & 3 \\ 1 & 6 \\ 1 & 9 \end{array}$		Wave-change Knob and Spring (Brown) Manual Tuning Knob and Spring (Brown) Manual Tuning Knob Spring Spring for Small Knobs	270-4185 270-4219 28-1738	
$rac{ m R.1}{ m R.2}$	Moulded Condenser, .05 + .05 mfd ‡ watt Carbon Resistor, 1.5 megohms 1 watt Carbon Resistor, 51,000 ohms 1 watt Carbon Resistor, 25,000 ohms	33-1188 4237	9	1 178.1 h	Red Wander Plug	280-5262 380-5087	3d. doz
R.3 R.4	1 watt Carbon Resistor, 25,000 ohms ‡ watt Insulated Resistor, 150,000 ohms	3656 330-2037 or	9	LP.1	Black Wander Plug Pilot Lamp	380-5015 34-2141	1 2
or	watt Insulated Resistor, 150,000 ohms watt Carbon Resistor, 150,000 ohms	339-2024 330-2058 33-1183	9 9	V.1 V.2	Type 78£ Variable-mu H.F. Pentode Valve Type 6A7 Variable-mu Heptode Valve	8315-E 34-2002	$\begin{array}{ccc} 12 & 6 \\ 15 & 0 \end{array}$
or	watt Carbon Resistor, 160,000 ohms watt Insulated Resistor, 160,000 ohms	33-1191 330-2024	9	V.3 V.4	Type 75 Double-Diode Triode Valve Type 42E Pentode Output Valve	8002 6447-E	$\begin{array}{ccc} 12 & 6 \\ 13 & 6 \end{array}$
R.5 R.6	watt Carbon Resistor, 120 ohms watt Insulated Resistor, 70,000 ohms	330-1032 330-2034 33-1115	9 9 9	V.5	Type 80 Full Wave Rectifier Valve Instruction Manual Automatic Dial Buttons Adjusting Tool	3149 399-3037	$\begin{smallmatrix}8&0\\&1\end{smallmatrix}$
or or or	4 watt Carbon Resistor, 70,000 ohms 4 watt Carbon Resistor, 75,000 ohms 4 watt Insulated Resistor, 65,000 ohms	33-1115 33-1080 339-2022	9	312-30	Automatic Dial Buttons Adjusting Tool	289-1028	7

[†] When ordering Speaker parts, the letter which will be found in the part number of the Speaker must also be given.

* Only fitted to some models when necessary.

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