

Models 15, 16, 18, 23

Specifications—Models 15, 16

TYPE OF CIRCUIT: Models 15 and 16 are six (6) tube alternating current superheterodyne models employing the new Philco built-in super aerial system which eliminates an outside aerial and reduces local interference to a minimum.

PHILCO BUILT-IN SUPER AERIAL SYSTEM:

Included in the built-in super aerial system is a statically shielded loop for broadcast band reception and a short wave receiving loop. A feature of the built-in broadcast band statically shielded loop is that the receiver may be turned to the position in which it picks up a minimum amount of interference, or if interference is not present the receiver may be set in the position where best reception is obtained.

In addition, other features of design are: Three tuning ranges; special high gain R. F. stage; Philco high-efficiency Loktal tubes; automatic volume control, tone control and a Beam power audio output stage. In general, these models are similar but differ in their tuning mechanisms and cabinets.

Model 15 is dial tuned and assembled in cabinet type "T" (Table

Model 16 is equipped with six electric push buttons for automatically selecting stations in addition to dial tuning. Five push buttons

are used for stations one of which can be used in combination with special type PHILCO TELEVISION receivers for reception of television sound programs, when such are available. The sixth push button selects dial tuning.

Philco television sets contain information for adjusting the push button on the 16 when they become available.

TUNING RANGES:

540 to 1550 K. C.

1.5 to 3.5 M. C. 5.7 to 18.0 M. C.

INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY: 460 K. C.

POWER SUPPLY: 115 volts A. C., 60 cycle 115 volts A. C., 25 cycle

POWER CONSUMPTION: 40 watts.

AUDIO OUTPUT: 2 watts.

PHILCO TUBES USED: 1232E, R. F.; 7J7E, converter; 7B7E, I. F.; 7C6, second detector, AVC and first audio; 7B5E, audio output and 7Y4, rectifier.

CABINET DIMENSIONS: Height, 101/8"; Width 141/8"; Depth, 8".

Specifications—Models 18, 23

TYPE OF CIRCUIT: Models 18 and 23 are six tube Push-Button and dial tuned set. The models are also designed to receive the sound of a television program tuned in by special type Philco Television sets, when such are available.

In addition, other features of design are: Tone control, three tuning ranges covering the frequencies listed below; and a pentode audio output circuit. Outside aerial connections are also provided for remote localities where station signal strength is very weak.

The receivers are equipped with six electric tuning push buttons for automatically selecting stations. Five of the push buttons are used for broadcast stations and one for selecting dial tuning. One of the station push buttons (low frequency push button preferably) may be set up for use with the sound programs of Philco Television models, when available.

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POWER SUPPLY: 115 Volts, 25 and 60 Cycle A. C.

POWER CONSUMPTION: 45 watts.

FREQUENCY TUNING RANGES: (Three) 540 to 1550 K. C. 1.5 to 3.5 M. C.

6.0 to 18.0 M. C.

INTERMEDIATE FREQUENCY: 460 K. C.

AUDIO OUTPUT: 2 watts.

PHILEO TUBES USED: 1232E, R. F.; 6J8EG, Converter; 7B7E, I. F.; 7C6, Second Detector A. V. C. and First Audio; 41E, Audio Power Output; 84, Rectifier.

CABINET DIMENSIONS: Type 18 F; Height, 37"; Width, 23%4"; Type

Adjusting Electric Push-Button Tuning

In order to adjust the electric push buttons accurately for reception of broadcast stations, a vacuum tube voltmeter such as Philo Model 028 should be used. In addition, an insulated padding screw driver Part No. 45-2610 and Loktal aligning adaptor Part No. 45-2767 are required. With this equipment at hand proceed as follows:

Select eight of the most popular stations received in the locality. Insert the station call letters into the windows above the buttons. The station with the lowest frequency is placed in the first button on the left and the highest frequency is placed in the button on the extreme right. Each push button is adjusted by two set screws located on the rear of the push button unit. Each set of screws is numbered and covers a followed. frequency range as follows:

Push Button	requency	Range
1	540-1000	K.C.
2 ,	650-1100	K.C.
3	740-1300	K.C.
4	900-1500	K.C.
5	1100-1600	K.C.

Looking at the front of the cabinet, the first button on the left is adjusted by set screw No. 1. The next push button by set screw No. 2 and the remaining push buttons in order.

1. Remove the 7C6 Detector tube from its socket and insert the aligning adaptor in the socket, then replace the tube in the adaptor. Connect the negative terminal of the vacuum tube voltmeter to the (light color)

wire which protrudes from the side of the adaptor. Attach the positive terminal of the voltmeter to the black wire.

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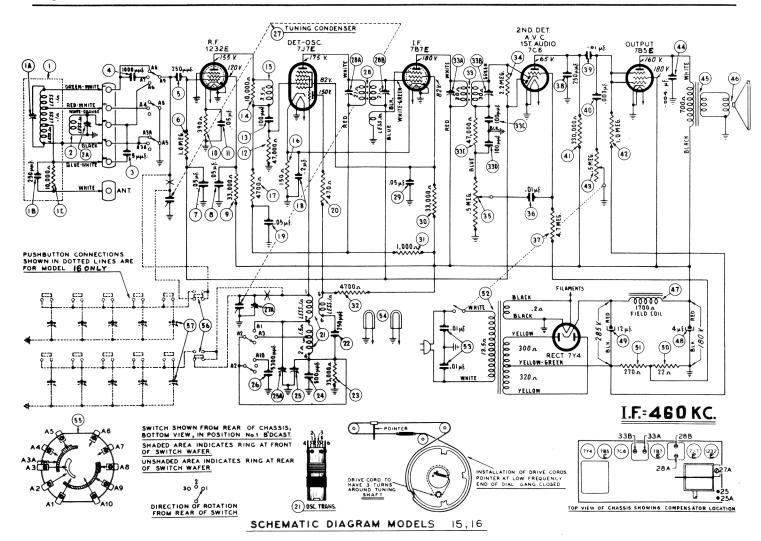
2. Turn the receiver on and set the tuning range selector to "Broadcast" (Manual Tuning). Dial push button "In."

3. Set up the Model 177 signal generator about 3 feet from the receiver and connect a loop constructed out of about 2 feet of wire to the high and ground output jacks of the signal generator. Turn the output controls to maximum and set the modulation control to "MOD. ON." Manually tune in the first station to be set up on push button No. 1. After doing this set the indicator of the 177 Signal Generator to the frequency of the station being received. As the indicator approaches the frequency of the station a whistle will be heard; leave the indicator at this point. Press in station No. 1 push button. Using the insulated screw driver turn the No. 1 "Osc." screw until the broadcast, station identified by the signal generator is heard; at this point, turn the indicator of the signal generator away from the frequency of the station. Readjust No. 1 "Osc." and "Ant." screws for maximum deflection of the vacuum tube voltmeter pointer. Station No. 1 is now adjusted properly. After setting up the first station the same procedure as outlined above is used for the remaining stations.

When this model is to be set up to receive the sound of a television program tuned in by the special type Philco television sets, the low frequency push button is used. To tune in these programs, the same procedure as given for ordinary broadcast stations as outlined above is used.

Further details for setting up this receiver for operation with Philco

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Replacement Parts Models 15, 16

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Schematic									
No.	DESCRIPTION	Part No.							
1	Loop Assembly (Broadcast)	38-9892							
1 A	Compensator	31-6318							
1B	Mica Cond (250 mmfd)	61-0033							
1 C	Resistor (10,000 ohms, 1/2 watt)	33-310344							
2	Loop Assembly (Short Wave)	38-9893							
2 A	Compensator	31-6320							
3	Mica Cond. (5 mmfd.)								
4	Mica Cond. (1000 mmfd.)	30-1063							
5	Mica Cond. (250 mmfd.)	61-0033							
6	Resistor (1.0 meg., 1/2 watt)	33-510344							
7	Tubular Cond. (.05 mfd.)	30-4518							
8	Tubular Cond. (.05 mfd.)	30-4518							
9	Resistor (33,000 ohms, ½ watt)	33-333344							
10	Resistor (390 ohms, ½ watt)	33-139336							
11	Tubular Cond. (.05 mfd.)	30-4518							
12	Resistor (47,000 ohms, 1/2 watt)	33-347344							
13	Mica Cond. (100 mmrd.)	30-1128							
14 15	Mica Cond. (100 mmfd.)	33-310344							
16	R.F. Trans	32-3194							
17	Perister (4.700 ohms, ½ watt)	22 247244							
18	Tubular Cond. (.2 mfd.)	20 4526							
19	Tubular Cond. (.05 mfd.)	20-4518							
20	Resistor (470 ohms, ½ watt)	33-147344							
21	Osc. Trans.	32-3195							
22	Mica Cond. (250 mmfd.)	61-0033							
23	Resistor (33,000 ohms, 1/2 watt)	33-333344							
24	Silver Mica Cond. (500 mmfd.)	30-1138							
25	Compensator (2 section)	31-6317							
26	Mica Cond. (5,300 mmfd.)	30-1134							
27	Tuning Cond.	31-2375							
28	1st I.F. Trans. Assembly	32-3210							
29	Tubular Cond. (.05 mfd.)	30-4518							
30	Resistor (33,000 ohms, ½ watt) Resistor (1,000 ohms, ½ watt) Resistor (4,700 ohms, ½ watt)	33-333344							
31	Resistor (1,000 ohms, ½ watt)	33-210344							
32 33	Resistor (4,700 ohms, ½ watt)	33-247344							
34	2nd I.F. Trans. Assembly Resistor (2.2 meg., ½ watt)	32-3281							
35	Volume Control (.5 meg.)	33-522344							
36	Tubular Cond. (.01 mfd.)	30-4572							
37	Resistor (4.7 meg., ½ watt)	33-547344							
38	Mica Cond. (250 mmfd.)	61-0033							
39	Tubular Cond. (.01 mfd.)	30-4572							
40	Tubular Cond (003 mfd)	30-4580							
41	Resistor (330,000 ohms, ½ watt) Resistor (1.0 meg., ½ watt)	33-433344							
42	Resistor (1.0 meg., 1/2 watt)	33-510344							
43	Tone Control (.5 meg.) and On-Off Switch	33-5333							
44	Tubular Cond. (.004 mfd.)	30-4578							
45	Output Trans								
46	Cone and Voice Coil Assembly								
	(Speaker Part No36-1478-3)								

No.	DESCRIPTION	Part No.
47	Field Coil (Replace Speaker Part No. 36-1478)	
48	Electrolytic Cond. (4 mfd.)	30-2401
49	Electrolytic Cond. (12 mfd.)	30-2409
50	Resistor (22 ohms, 1/2 watt)	33-022330
51	Resistor (270 ohms, 1 watt)	33-127436
52	Power Trans. (115v., 50-60 cycle)	32-8064
	Power Trans. (115v., 25-40 cycle)	32-8075
53	Line Cond. (.0101 mfd. Bakelite)	
54	Pilot Lamps	
55	Wave Switch	42-1495
56	Push Button Switch (Model 16 only)	42-1528
5.7	Padder Strip (Model 16 only)	31-6316

Mis	scellaneous	Parts	Models	15,	16
	D	ESCRIPTIO	N		Part No.
	Cord(Mtg. Osc. Coil				

DESCRIPTION	Part No.
Drive Cord Assembly (Pointer)	
Drive Cord Assembly (Tuning Cond.)	
ScaleBezel (Pushbuttons, Model 16)	27-5507 28-5742
Bezel (Pin, Model 16)	W-1074
Insulating Bushing (Drive Shaft)	27-9437
Knob	27-4332
Knob (Push Button, Model 16)	27-4824
Pilot Lamp Socket Assembly	38-9904 56-1532
Rubber Bushing (Tuning Cond. Drive Shaft)	27-9432
Spring (Tuning, Drive Cord)	28-8751
Spring (Pointer, Drive Cord)	28-8953
Spring (Tuning Shaft Assembly)	28-8955 36-1478
SpeakerSocket (Loktal)	55-0575
Tuning Shaft	56-6052
Tuning Drive Drum Assembly	
Tab Kit (Model 16)	40-6500
Washer ("C" Type, Tuning Shaft)	23-2043

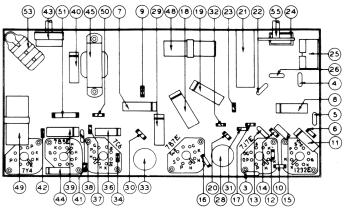


FIG. 1. PART LOCATIONS, UNDERSIDE OF CHASSIS.

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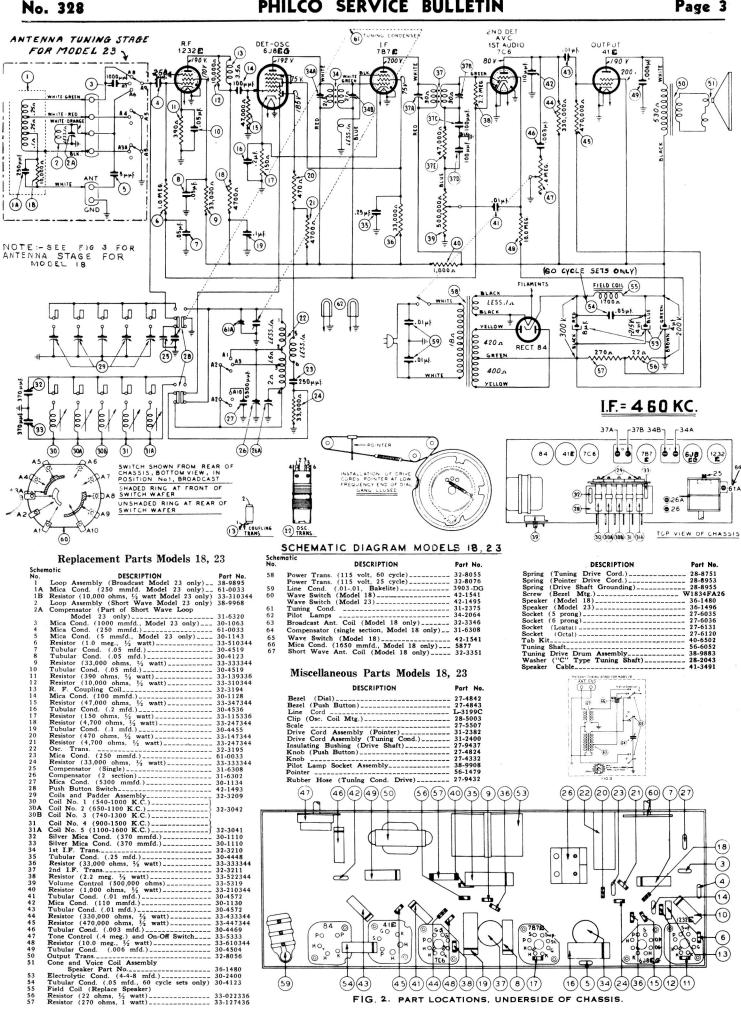


FIG. 2. PART LOCATIONS, UNDERSIDE OF CHASSIS.

ALIGNMENT OF COMPENSATORS

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

- 1. Signal Generator with a frequency range from 115 to 36,000 K. C., such as Philco Model 177.
- $2.\ Aligning\ Indicator,\ Philco\ Model\ 028,\ vacuum\ tube\ voltmeter\ and\ circuit\ tester\ incorporates\ sensitive\ audio\ output\ meter\ and\ vacuum\ tube$

voltmeter. This instrument can be used as an aligning indicator.

3. Fibre Handle Screw Driver, Philco Part No. 45-2610. When using the vacuum tube voltmeter for aligning the receiver, an aligning adaptor Part No. 45-2767 is required.

CONNECTING ALIGNING INSTRUMENTS

- 1. Audio Output Meter: If the Philco Model 028 audio output meter is used, it is connected to the speaker voice coil terminals or the plate and screen terminals of the 7B5E tube. Adjust the meter to use the 0 to 10 volt A. C. scale.
- 2. Vacuum Tube Voltmeter: To use the vacuum tube voltmeter as an aligning indicator make the following connections:
- Adjusting I. F. Circuit: Remove the 1232 R. F. tube from its socket and insert the aligning adaptor, then replace the tube in the adaptor. Connect the negative terminal of the vacuum tube voltmeter to the light colored wire which protrudes from the side of the adaptor. Attach the positive terminal of the vacuum tube voltmeter to the black wire of the

Adjusting R. F. Circuit: To adjust the R. F. circuit, the aligning adaptor is inserted in the 7C6 second detector tube socket. The vacuum tube voltmeter remains connected to the adaptor as given in the paragraph above. With the voltmeter connected in this manner, a very sensitive indication of the A. V. C. voltage is obtained when the padders are adjusted.

After connecting the aligning adaptors, adjust the compensators as shown in the tabulation below. Locations of the compensators are shown in Schematic Diagram. If the aligning meter pointer goes off scale when adjusting the compensators, reduce the strength of the signal from the

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Opera-	SIGNAL GENERATOR			SPECIAL		
tions in Order	Output Connections	Dial Setting	Dial Setting	Control Settings	Adjust Compensators	INSTRUCTIONS
1	No. 1 Ter. on Loop Panel Note B	460 K. C.	580 K. C.	Vol. Cont. Max. Range Switch "Brdcst"	33A, 33B, 28A, 28B	Dial Push-Button "In" Model 16
2	Use Loop, Note C	18.0 M. C.	18.0 M. C.	Vol. Cont. Max. Range Switch "S.W."	27A, 2A, Note D	Check Image at 17,080 M. C.
3	Use Loop, Note C	1500 K. C.	1500 K. C.	Range Switch "Brdcst"	25A, 1A	Note A
4	Use Loop, Note C	600 K. C.	600 K. C.	Range Switch "Brdcst"	25	Roll Tuning Condenser
5	Use Loop, Note C	1500 K. C.	1500 K. C.	Range Switch "Brdcst"	25A, 2A	
6	Use Loop, Note C	18.0 M . C.	18.0 M. C.	Range Switch "S.W."	2A, Note D	Roll Tuning Condenser & Adjust Padder to First Peak from Tight Position

MODELS 18, 23

Opera-	SIGNAL GENE	RATOR	RECEIVER			
tions in Order	Output Connections to Receiver	Frequency Setting	Dial Setting	Control Settings	Adjust Compensators	Special Instructions
1	High Side to No. 1 Ter. Loop Panel	460 K. C.	580 K. C. No Signal	Range-Switch "Brdcst." Vol. Max. Dial Push-Button "In"	37A, 37B, 34A, 34B	See Note B, E
2	Use Loop on Generator Note E Model 18	18.0 M . C.	18.0 M. C.	Range Switch "SW"	61A, 25 Model 18 61A Model 23	Note A. Image should be 920 K.C. below 18 M.C.
3	Use Loop on Generator Note E Model 18	1500 K. C.	1500 K. C.	Range Switch Brdcst.	25, 64 Model 18 26, 25 Model 23	
4	Use Loop on Generator Note E Model 18	600 K. C.	600 K. C.	Range Switch Brdcst.	26 A	Roll tuning condenser
5	Use Loop on Generator Note E Model 18	1500 K. C.	1500 K. C.	Range Switch Brdcst.	26, 64 Model 18 26, 25 Model 23	
6	Use Loop on Generator Note E Model 18	18.0 M . C.	18.0 M. C.	Range Switch 'SW''	2A Model 23	Roll tuning condenser and adjust Padder to First Peak from Tight Position

NOTE A—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 B—When adjusting the I. F. padders the high side of the signal generator output is connected through a .1 mfd. condenser to terminal No. 1 of the loop terminal panel at the rear of the chassis. The ground or low side of the generator is connected to the chassis of

NOTE C—When aligning the R. F. Circuits a loop is made from a few turns of wire and connected to the generator output terminals; the signal generator is then placed two or three feet from the loop in the

cabinet.

NOTE D—S. W. Oscillator compensator (27A) is located on top of the tuning condenser. Antenna compensators (1A) and (2A) are located on the loop. When adjusting the "Ant" compensators, the receiver loop should be held in place against the back of the cabinet.

NOTE E—In Model 18 the I.F. dummy is connected to ANT. Terminal and for aligning R.F. circuits a dummy consisting of a 100 mmfd. condenser is connected in series with high side of generator output to ANT. Terminal

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