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AMPLIFIER D/8

Drawing A.3384, Issue 4.

This amplifier is used at Edinburgh and Plymouth.

Circuit

It is a two-stage amplifier with screened input transformer and resistance-capacity coupling between the stages. It has two output stages designed to enable echo to be added to the programme when required and the output stages are choke-capacity coupled to the output transformers. The main output stage comprises two valves in parallel. Except that the grid bias is automatic, the amplifier is similar to amplifier D/5.

Impedances

Input impedance					(approx)	600 ohms	
Output 1 impedance			· ·	ra ora	(approx)	180 ohms	
Output 2 impedance		· •	· •		(approx)	180 ohms	
Normal load impeda	nce						
Output 1 ('B' a	mplifier	input)	a 1	· · · ·	(approx)	600 ohms	
(' C ' a	nd prog	ramme	meter	amplifier			
inputs)				· · ·	(approx)	8,000—17,000	ohms
$Output \ 2 \ \ldots$	· · ·	•••	· ·		(approx)	3,000 ohms	
Transformers					Impedance	ce Turns	
				Number	Ratio	Ratio	
Input			••	54	1/10.9	1/3.31	
Output 1		· •		106	10/1	3.16/1	
Output 2			••	105	20/1	4.47/1	

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Volume Control

	Type Resist P.37 100,0	tance Studs 000Ω 21	<i>Stud</i> 2 db.	Lowest Stud Infinite	
Supply Data					
		Automatic			
Stage	Valve	Grid Bias	Anode Current	t Filan	ments
U		Volts negative	mA (approx)	Volts	Amps
1	ACHL	-1.8	2.7	4	î
Output 1	2—ACP 1	-25.0	36.0	4	2
L	(in parallel)				
Output 2	2	-28.0	18.5	4	1
	Tota	1	57 9		4

No. of

Loss per

Total

	Total			57.2		4
High Tension Supply		• •		(approx)	300 volts	
Low Tension Supply			•••	(approx)	6 volts	(adjusted to
					4V by	7 a series

resistance)

Loss on

600 Ohm Test Gain

Testing Conditions

Volume control set for max	ximum output
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Loss Pads key set at -60 db.

T.M.S.	sending	level	 	zero

Gain at 1,000 c/s. Outpu	$t \ 1$			· •	34 ± 2	db.
Outpu	t 2		· .		$32~\pm2$	db.
Gain at 50—5,000 c/s.	(Output	1)		\pm 0.5	db. \	Relative to gain at
5,000—9,000 c/s.	(,,	1)		\pm 1.0	db. 🐧	1,000 c/s.

Working Voltage Gain

Testing Conditions

Amplifier volume control set for maximum output.

Gain at 1,000 c/s.

Output 1 (loaded with 600 ohms and at a level

of 0 db.)	34 ± 2 db.
Output 1 (loaded with 8,000 ohms and at a level	
of $+10$ db.)	36 ± 2 db.
Output 2 (loaded with 5,000 ohms and at a level	
of 0 db.)	34 ± 2 db.