SECTION 20

SYNC PULSE SEPARATION AND MONITOR PANEL PA1/520

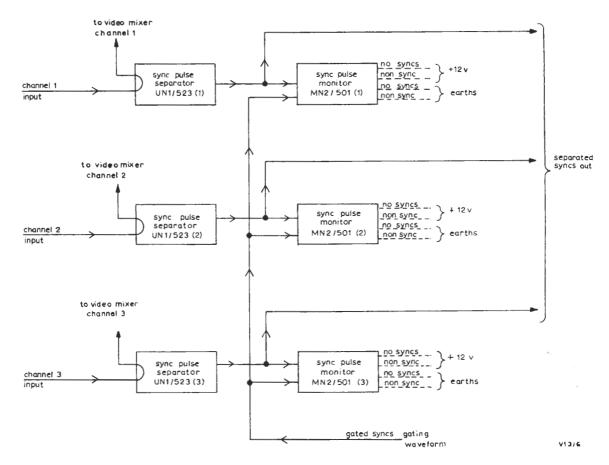


Fig. 20.1 Block Diagram of the PAI/520

Introduction

The PA1/520 accepts up to 3 composite video signals and a gating-pulse waveform and provides feeds of separated syncs¹ and relay logic information²,³ which indicates when the inputs are either non-synchronous or not present. The panel operates on the 405, 525 or 625 line-standards without adjustment but with 525-line colour signals a relay must be operated in each of 3 sub-units (UN1/523) as described in Instruction V.14. Power supplies are obtained from an integral PS2/204.

The panel consists of the following sub-units mounted on a PN3/23 chassis:

- 3—Sync Pulse Separator Units UN1/523
- 3—Sync Pulse Monitors MN2/501
- 1—Stabilised Power Supplier PS2/20

General Specification

Signal Inputs

Video 1 volt p-p ± 6 dB Gating pulse 2 volts p-p ± 1 dB

Signal Outputs

Separated Syncs 2 volts p-p Non-sync Signals +12 volts

relay-switched connec-

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No-sync Signals

+12 volts

relay-switched connec-

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Impedances

Video Input

high impedance

Gating Pulse Input Separated Syncs Output 75 ohms

75 ohms

Relay Supply

(525-line colour)

-50 volts

Max. Ambient Temperature 45 degrees Centigrade

Weight

18 lbs. (fully equipped)

General Description

A block diagram showing interconnections between the sub-units is given in Fig. 20.1; all components are contained within the sub-units and so a chassis-wiring circuit is not given.

The high-impedance inputs of the UN1/523 syncpulse separators are bridged across the video inputs to the associated channels of a video mixer. From these they derive feeds of separated sync pulses which are fed to the associated sync-pulse monitor units and also to a sync-switch panel.

Each sync-pulse monitor compares one of the feeds of separated syncs with a reference feed of gating pulses derived from station syncs. If the two waveforms are coincident (sync condition) the unit does not produce an output. If the waveforms are not coincident (non-sync condition), or if there is not an output from the preceding sync separator (no-sync condition), an output of +12 volts is provided and a relay-switched circuit is completed.

Maintenance

Maintenance instructions are not given for the panel as a whole. For maintenance of the sub-units see the relevant Instructions.

References to Typical Associated Equipment

- 1. Sync Switch Panel PA18/509.
- 2. Control Panel PA6/511 and Relay Panel PA17/ 512.
- 3. Studio Video Mixing Equipment EP5/503, Instruction V.15.
- 4. Stabilised Power Supplier P52/20, Instruction G.2.

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