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 LABPAC
## B60-1 T

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## SECTION 1

## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

## A. GENERAL

Oltronix LABPAC B60-1T is a low voltage regulated DC triple power supply. Its 6 V range, intended, for use with e.g. integrated circuits incorporates an overvoltage protection circuit.

The model number B60-1T is a code for the performance of the power supply. The first letter " B " indicates the approximate stability for $\pm 10 \%$ line voltage change, which is $0,01-0,03 \%$. The figures in the model number state the maximum output voltage 60 V at which a maximum output current of 1 A can be maintained. "T" after the model number stands for triple range power supply.

## B. FEATURES

LABPAC B60-1T is equipped with volt-and ammeter for simultaneous reading of output voltage and current.
LABPAC B60-1T has an adjustable current limit control for protecting the load and the power supply from excessive current. The terminals for operating the power supply are available from the binding posts on the front panel.
If higher voltage or current is desired, two or more units can be connected in series respectively in parallel.

## C. INCOMING INSPECTION

a. Mechanical check

When the power supply is received, verify that the package contents are complete and as ordered. Inspect the instrument for any physical damage such as a scratched panel surface, broken knobs or connectors etc. incurred in shipping. Visually check inside the instrument for loose or damaged components. To facilitate possible reshipment, keep the original packing.
If damage is found, file a claim with the responsible carrier or insurance company and refer to the warranty, last page in this manual.
b. Performance check

The power supply may be checked for electrical operation within the specifications of section 2 by following the procedures of section 5 . If the instrument does not operate as specified refer to the warranty page of this manual.

## SECTION 2

## SPECIFICATIONS

| Model | DC output |  |  | Stablilty $10 \%$ Ilne voltage change | $\begin{gathered} \text { Stabllity } \\ 100 \% \text { load } \\ \text { change } \\ \mathrm{mV} \end{gathered}$ | Nolse mV RMS | $\begin{gathered} \text { Recovery } \\ \text { time } \\ \text { (0-100 \% } \\ \text { load) } \mu \mathrm{sec} \end{gathered}$ | Environmental temperature range ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ | Dimenslons helght $x$ width $\mathbf{x}$ depth mm | $\begin{gathered} \text { Welght } \\ \mathbf{k g} \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Voltage range | Amperes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Short circult current | Max current |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| B60-1T | $\begin{aligned} & 0-6 \\ & 0-30 \\ & 0-60 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2.6 \\ & 1.4 \\ & 0.7 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4.0 \\ & 2.0 \\ & 1.0 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 0.005 \% \\ \text { (or } \\ 1 \mathrm{mV} \text { ) } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 10 \mathrm{mV} \\ \text { (or } \\ 0.03 \% \text { ) } \end{gathered}$ | 0.05 | 50 | 0-50 | $167 \times 132 \times 242$ | 5.0 |

Input: 110, 117, 220 and $235 \mathrm{VAC} \pm 10 \%, 50-60 \mathrm{~Hz}$.
Temperature coefficient is less than $\pm 100 \mathrm{ppm} /{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Long term stability is $\pm 0.02 \%$ for 8 hours.
Storage temperature range is $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.
Output totally floating; positive or negative may be groumded.
Output voltage is adjustable from zero.


Figure 1. Voltage-current characteristic.
LABPAC B60-1T can deliver any current and voltage within the area limited by the curve V1-a1-b1-c1 in the upper range, or by V2-a2-b2-c2 in the middle range or by V3-a3-b3-c3 in the lower range.
Maximum output current is limited by the factory preset "fold back" current limits b1-c1, b2-c2, and b3-c3.
When increasing the load from a low value, the output voltage remains constant, until the current limit curve is reached.
Then, both output voltage and current fall along the curves b1-c1, $b 2-c 2$, or $b 3-c 3$, which are factory preset to $10 \%$ above the specified values.
Important to note is that maximum available current is decreasing with decreasing output voltage.

## SECTION 3

## OPERATION



## Presentation

Figure 2.
Front side of LABPAC B60-1T

1. "Hot" indicating lamp
2. Output DC ammeter
3. Output DC voltmeter
4. Constant voltage -current limit indicator
5. Output voltage control
6. Voltage control lock
7. 7V full scale expansion
8. 0,5 A full scale expansion
9. Current limit control
10. Voltage range selector
11. Line switch, $A C$ only
12. AC fuse
13. DC power "-" terminal
14. Power supply ground terminal
15. DC power " + " terminal
16. Overvoltage protection fuse

Line
Unless otherwise specified, this model is wired for 220 VAC $\pm 10 \%$, $50-60 \mathrm{~Hz}$. For other line voltages, connect the transformer as indicated on it.

## Fuses

The line fuse is mounted on the front panel (pos. 12). For 110 or 117 V lines replace the line fuse for 2 A . Use slow blow type.

The overvoltage protection fuse is located at the rear. (pos. 16) For 110 or 117V lines replace the fuse for 4 A . Use fast blow type.

## Power

The power supply is switched on with the toggle switch (pos.11). Either the current limit or the constant voltage indicator is lit.

## Voltage

The instrument has three output voltage ranges : $0-6 \mathrm{~V}, 0-30 \mathrm{~V}$ and 0 - 60V, which are selected by the four-position switch (pos. 10). The fourth position is an "off" position, to protect the load in case of accidentally switching from $0-6 \mathrm{~V}$ to higher range. A specific setting of the voltage control (pos. 5) at middle and upper range (e.g. 25 V ) gives the same output voltage at both ranges ( 25 V ) and is divided by a factor 10 on the $0-6 \mathrm{~V}$ range $(2,5 \mathrm{~V})$.

A specific setting of the voltage in the lower range, e.g. 3 V is multiplied by a factor 10 for the middle and upper range, that is 30 V .

Push button marked 7 V (pos. 7) is intended for expansion of the monitoring voltmeter range to 7 V full scale when selected $0-30 \mathrm{~V}$ and $0-60 \mathrm{~V}$ range.

## Overvoltage protection

The $0-6 \mathrm{~V}$ range includes an overvoltage protection circuit. If for any reason the voltage at the output terminals rises above the selected voltage, the power supply will clamp the voltage to 7 V . As soon as the overvoltage disappears, the output voltage automatically returns to the selected value. For longer transient overvoltages, a thermal sensor turns off the supply and turns on a "HOT" indicating lamp, located over the output meters (pos. 1).

Current limits
Set "Current limit" control (pos. 9) at a value well above the expected peak current, but below the value which could damage the load. Read output current from the ammeter (pos. 2). The characteristics of the current limit are shown in figure 1.
The current limit function is the following: If the load is increased above the value giving maximum output current (upper knee current), both output voltage and output current will decrease. This means that if the instrument is adjusted for 60 V in the upper range, it maintains a constant voltage as long as the output current is less than 1 A . If the load resistance decreases from its value down to zero ohms, the voltage decreases naturally to zero and the output current decreases to 0,7 A (upper short circuit current). Figure 1 also shows that, when the power supply is adjusted to 30 V in the middle range, it has an upper knee current of 2 A .

Decreasing the output voltage to zero results finally in an upper short circuit current of $1,4 \mathrm{~A}$. Adjusted to 5 V in the lower range gives an upper knee current of 4 A and when decreasing the output voltage to zero in this range, the upper short circuit decreases to $2,6 \mathrm{~A}$.

Push button marked $0,5 \mathrm{~A}$ (pos. 8) is intended for expansion of the monitoring ammeter range to 0,5 A full scale in each range.

## Meters

The left part of the combined panel meter is intended for output current indication and the right part for output voltage. Note that the latter has two scale divisions, depending on the range in use.
B. NORMAL OPERATION


Figure 3.

The output may be positive, negative or floating, depending on how the jumper is connected, i.e. respectively between ground and "-", or between ground and " + " or removed.
The maximum voltage to ground is limited to 500 V .

## C. SERIAL OPERATION

If higher output voltage is desired, two or more units can be connected in series, provided the maximum voltage to ground does not exceed 500 V . The output may be positive, negative or floating, depending on how jumpers A and B (figure 4.) are connected. Jumper A to ground gives positive output; jumper $B$ to ground gives negative output.

Figure 4.


Set current limit on both units well above the expected peak output current, but below the value that can damage the load.

## D. PARALLEL OPERATION

If higher output current is required, two or more units can be connected in parallel.

Figure 5.


Adjustment:

1. Set all voltage controls at one desired voltage.
2. Set all current limit controls to approximately the same percentage of maximum and so, that the sum of them is the desired current limit. As there will likely be a smali difference between the adjusted voltages the power supplies are adjusted to, the following will happen: as long as the load current is less than the capability of the power supply adjusted to the highest output voltage, this unit will carry the whole load current. When the current limit of this power supply is reached, the next highest adjusted power supply takes over the part of the load current, which power supply no 1 cannot carry. When switching from power supply no 1 to no 2 the output voltage will drop by an amount corresponding to the voltage difference between the settings of these two power supplies. The same thing happens when the third, fourth and so on power supply takes over. Thus a slightly stepwise output voltage will result from any difference between the output voltages of the parallel connected power supplies. It is thus necessary to adjust the power supplies sufficiently accurate so that the incremental voltage steps become negligible.

## SECTION 4

## CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION

## A. GENERAL

This section describes the electrical operation of the circuit. First the principal operation is described by means of a block diagram. A detailed description of the block follows. Also refer to the complete diagram, section 6 in this manual.

## B. BLOCK DIAGRAM

The complete block diagram of the power supply is shown in figure 6.


Figure 6. Block diagram
The line delivers power to the transformer, where it is transformed to a suitable voltage. In the block "Rectifying bridge" the voltage from the transformer is rectified. The "Sampling element" is designed so, that the input voltage to the "CV error amplifier" is zero if the output voltage is correct.
If for example the output voltage is lower, the error is amplified in the "CV error amplifier", the "OR-gate" and the "Driver amplifier". The phase angle of this chain is such that the "Series element" is controlled to decrease the voltage across itself. As this happens, the output voltage returns to its correct value.
To make sure that the output current will never be excessive, the instrument is equipped with a current limit system. The output current is monitored through the resistor $R$ 70. (see also circuit diagram, section 6)
When the voltage across R 70 is higher than the voltage at the wiper arm of P93, the "CL amplifier" comes in through the "OR-gate" and the "Driver amplifier" and controls the "Series element" in such a way that the voltage across $R 70$ does not exceed a predetermined value. The "Reference bridge" together with the "Reference bridge amplifier" supplies an extremely constant reference voltage across Z 1 . This circuit also supplies voltages for the other amplifiers in the instrument.

The "CV-CL indicator" monitors in the "OR-gate" if the "CV error amplifier" is controlling output voltage or current.
If the "CV error amplifier" controls the output it implies that the power supply is under constant voltage operating condition and the "CV-CL indicator" lights the CV lamp. Under the other condition the CL lamp is lit.
The OVP circuit senses the 6 V output voltage with respect to an internal reference. If this output is above the value, the OVP is set for; it is switched on and the output is shortcircuited. This is made to protect the load in case the panel voltage control is accidentally set to a too high value.

The "Sampling element" consisting of the voltage divider R1 + P1 and P90 is designed so, that the voltage over R1 + P1 becomes exactly identical to the reference voltage if the output voltage has the correct value. This implies that the voltage between the inputs of the "CV error amplifier" T1 + T2 is zero. Should the output voltage e.g. decrease, a positive voltage is applied at the input of the "CV error amplifier". This increases the base current of the series regulator through the "OR-gate" and "Driver amplifier", resulting in a lower voltage drop over the series regulator and the output voltage returns to the correct value.

The "Driver amplifier" increases the voltage and current gains to a sufficient level to control the series regulator. $T 1+T 2$ is $a$ temperature compensated pair and hence should be matched. P1 is the programming constant ( $K_{p}$ ) adjustment. P90 is the output voltage control.
Referring to the circuit diagram (section 6), D1, D2 and R2 form a protection circuit for the "CV error amplifier".
C91 is an AC feed-back, reducing ripple and noise.
T5 together with T7 form the "OR-gate" where $\mathrm{T7}$ is the CV input.
Under CV conditions the CC input of the "OR-gate" is not active as the base of $T 6$ is reversed biased.
C. RECTIFYING CIRCUIT ${ }^{\circ}$


Figure 7.
The rectifying circuit supplies a rectified voltage to the series regulator.


Figure 8. Stabilizer for reference and internal supply voltages

Z1 is a temperature compensated zener diode, which supplies a highly stable reference voltage for the instrument. The "Reference bridge" is stabilized by the "Reference bridge amplifier". This serves two purposes:

1. To supply a stable current to the reference zener diode $\mathrm{Z1}$. 2. To supply a stable voltage $(+10 \mathrm{~V})$ to other amplifiers.

The "Reference bridge amplifier" consists of a temperature compensated input stage T3 + D6, a driver stage T9 and an output stage T10. The zener diode $Z 3$ is inserted in the reference supply in order to achieve a negative ( -6 V ) power supply to other amplifiers.


Figure 9. Principle drawing of voltage stabilizing

The "Sampling element" consisting of the voltage divider R1 + P1 and P90 is designed so, that the voltage over R1 + P1 becomes exactly identical to the reference voltage if the output voltage has the correct value. This implies that the voltage between the inputs of the "CV error amplifier" T1 + T2 is zero.

Should the output voltage e.g. decrease, a positive voltage is applied at the input of the "CV error amplifier". This increases the base current of the series regulator through the "OR-gate" and "Driver amplifier", resulting in a lower voltage drop over the series regulator and the output voltage returns to the correct value.


Figure 10. Principle drawing cument limiting

The output current passes through the emitter resistors of $T 71 a$ and $b$ where they give voltages proportional to the current through each transistor.
With the resistors $R 47$ and R48 the average of the currents through T 71 a and b is taken. Thus the voltage is proportional to the output current.
R70 is changed with the output range so that $100 \%$ current corresponds to an average of $0,5 \mathrm{~V}$ over the R70's.


Figure 1i


## Figure 12

When the output current is low, $V_{C L}$ is greater than V70. The "CL amplifier" is then disconnected by the "OR-gate". If the output current increases, V70 becomes greater than $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CL}}$, causing the input to the "CL amplifier" to change polarity. The "CL amplifier" overpowers the "CV amplifier" in the "OR-gate" and controls the series transistors so that the output current is limited to a value resulting in $V 70=V_{C L}$.
To obtain partly constant current and partly foldback, the desired characteristic would be as shown in figure 13.


Figure 13.
$\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CL}}$ will be proportional to the output voltage below $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{K} 1}$ and constant above it, When the CL control is set below $100 \%$ the dotted characteristic is followed.
$V_{C L}$ is composed by two components, one fixed giving the minimum $C L$ determined by R91 and one variable determined by R92, R93 and P93.


Figure 14.
For output voltages below $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{K} 1}$ the variable component must be limited so that the output current cannot exceed the desired characteristic. This is done with an "Operational amplifier" type circuit with feedback in inverting configuration.


Figure 15.

For high output voltages the "FB amplifier" is overcontrolled so that the output is in positive saturation. Then the "FB amplifier" is disconnected by D92.

At an output voltage above $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{K} 1}, \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{A}}$ and $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{B}}$ have the same voltage if the CL potentiometer P93 is set to maximum. At voltages below $V_{\mathrm{K} 1}$ the component to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CL}}$ from the CL control $\mathrm{P9} 3$ is limited by the "FB amplifier" to lower values as is shown in figure 15.

The "Operational amplifier" consists of T90 and D93 where D93 is. temperature compensation for T 90 .
G. CV-CL INDICATOR


Figure 16. CV-CL indicator

Under CV conditions the transistor T7 in the "OR-gate" is conducting. The collector current of T 7 is amplified in the amplifier $\mathrm{T} 11+\mathrm{T} 200$, giving a positive voltage to the base of T 201 .
Then the "Schmitt-trigger" switches to the state where the CV lamp is lit. Under CL conditions T7 is not conducting, T201 is switched off and T202 on through the amplifier. The CL lamp is then lit.


Figure 17. O.V.P.

The "Overvoltage protection" circuit is operative in the 6 V range of the power supply. The circuit is designed so that the voltage at the output terminals is limited to 7 volts under an overvoltage condition. When the overvoltage disappears, the output voltage returns to the previously adjusted value.
For longer transients, a thermal sensor turns off the instrument and switches on a "HOT" indicating lamp, located over the output meter on the front panel.

## SECTION

 5
## MAINTENANCE AND CALIBRATION

## A. GENERAL

This section contains information on maintenance and adjustment of the Oltronix power supply, LABPAC B60-1T. .

This power supply is fully equipped with semi-conductors and under normal operating conditions requires little or no maintenance throughout its life. If any doubt about the function of this power supply arises during maintenance or adjustment, please refer to section 4 for complete circuit description. Switch off the power supply before any component ${ }^{-}$ replacement is made.

## B. COVER REMOVAL

The cover of this power supply is removed as follows:

1. Turn the instrument upside down.
2. Unscrew the 2 screws which are placed at the power supply bottom near the rear panel.
3. Pull the cover upwards.
C. VISUAL INSPECTION

Inspect the power supply once a year for possible circuit defects. These defects may include e.g. loose or broken connections, broken PC board, or burned components. The cure for most of these faults is obvious but special care must be taken when a burned component is found. This kind of fault often indicates that there is another fault in the circuit as well. It is therefore essential to find out what has caused the actual component to overheat before it is replaced.

## D. ALIGNMENT PROCEDURE

All power supplies are completely aligned when delivered from the factory. Though it is unlikely that the power supply will fall out of trim when used under normal operating conditions, the power supply may need readjustment in case of component replacement. Information on these tests is given in the following paragraphs a - c. Always perform the alignment in this order.


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Figure 18.

1. Set variac to 220 V .

Set "Voltage control" P90 (front panel) to 0 and switch S1 (front panel) to range $6 \mathrm{~V}-4 \mathrm{~A}$. Measure voltage, which is approx. $\pm 0,01 \mathrm{~V}$. Note polarity $\bar{\square}$ Set voltage control scale to the value measured.
2. Set voltage control scale to $6,0 \mathrm{~V}$ and adjust voltage with P2 (10K)PC board to 5,995-6,005V.
3. Check that voltmeter indicates 6,0V. If not adjust R98 (6,9K)- PC board. Please note: Current limit is in min. position. Check that OVP stabilizes at approx. 7 V . by increasing the voltage (P90) to 7-7,5 min. $6,5 \mathrm{~V}$ and that ammeter indicates a current.
4. Measure the voltage over the whole range $0-6,0 \mathrm{~V}$ in 1V steps. So set voltage
control scale to $1,0 \mathrm{~V}$ and measure the voltage, and so on. Accuracy: $\pm 25 \mathrm{mV}$.
5. Set switch S 1 to 60V-1A range. Set voltage control scale to 60,0V and adjust voltage with P1 (250) - PC board to 59,95-60,05 V.
6. Check that voltmeter indicates $60,0 \mathrm{~V}$. If not adjust R89 (63k)PC board.
7. Measure the voltage over the whole range $0-60,0 \mathrm{~V}$ in 10 V steps. So, set voltage control scale to $10,0 \mathrm{~V}$ and measure the voltage, and so on. Accuracy: $\pm 250 \mathrm{mV}$.
8. Set voltage control to $30,0 \mathrm{~V}$ and set switch S 1 to $30 \mathrm{~V}-2 \mathrm{~A}$ range. Check that voltmeter indicates $30,0 \mathrm{~V}$. If not, adjust R99 (20K)- PC board.
9. Set P92 (10K)- PC board in mid position. Set voltage control to $6,0 \mathrm{~V}$.
b. Current limit adjustment


Figure 19.

1. Adjust the variac for 220 V . Set "Current limit control" P93 (front panel) to max: position. Set P101 (250) and P104 (100) on PC board to mid position. Make set-up according to above drawing. Adjust R70a and R70b (the pleated resitances) to max. current 4,2 - 4,3 A.
2. Switch off the power supply and calibrate ammeter for zero. Switch on and press 0,5A push button. Adjust to OA with P40 (100K)PC board.
Connect the load ( $0,5 \mathrm{~A}$ ), press $0,5 \mathrm{~A}$ and adjust ammeter to $0,5 \mathrm{~A}$ with P104 (100). Connect load (4A) and adjust ammeter to 4A with P101 (250).
3. The knee of the current limit is adjusted with P92 (10K)- PC board. Please note: Common for the 3 ranges, switch S 1 in pos. 6V4A. Current limit in max. pos. voltage control at $6,0 \mathrm{~V}$. Connect load so that current limit is actuated (max. current 4,2 - 4,3A) and that the voltage falls to 3 V . Adjust the current to $4,2 \mathrm{~A}$ with P 92 (10K).
4. Decrease load resistance'until the power supply is shortcircuited and check that $I_{K}$ is 2,6-2,8A.
5. Set voltage control to $30,0 \mathrm{~V}$. Switch S1 in position 30V 2 A . Connect the load. Adjust R70c and R70d (the pleated resistances) to max. current 2,2-2,4A. (Straight current limit to 15V). Check the knee. Load the power supply so that the voltage falls to 15V. Increase the load until shortcircuit and check that $I_{K}=1,3-1,5 \mathrm{~A}$.
6. Switch S1 in position $60 \mathrm{~V}-1 \mathrm{~A}$. Set voltage control to $60,0 \mathrm{~V}$. Connect the load. Adjust R70e and R70f (the pleated resistances) to max. current 1,1-1,2A (Straight current limit to 30 V.$)$ Check the knee. Load the power supply so that the voltage falls to 30 V . Increase the load until short circuit and check that $I_{K}$ is 0,65-0,75A.
7. Check that current limit P93 is at:
6 V range in min. pos. $0,4 \mathrm{~A}$
30 V range in min. pos. 0,2A
60 V range in min. pos. $0,1 \mathrm{~A}$

## c. Performance check



Figure 20.

## Prior to all short term

 performance checks1. Connect the power supply as shown.
2. Adjust the variac for 220 V power. Switch on.
3. Adjust the power supply for a $100 \%$ output voltage in the upper voltage range and the load for maximum current of this range.

## Ioad regulation

1. Adjust the variac for 220 V power. Read the differential voltmeter.
2. Disconnect the load. Read the differential voltmeter.
3. The difference between these two readings is the load regulation.

Line voltage regulation

1. Adjust the variac for 240 V power input. Read the differential voltmeter.
2. Adjust the variac for 200 V power input. Read the differential voltmeter.
3. The difference between these two readings divided by a factor 1,8 , is the power supply regulation for $10 \%$ line voltage variation. (The factor 1,8 is because 200-240V is an $18 \%$ voltage variation.)

## Ripple

1. Connect the load resistor for $100 \%$ output current.
2. Measure the output ripple by means of an AC RMS voltmeter connected across the output.

Repeat all performance checks for the middle and lower output voltage ranges.

## d. Test points

| Test points | Correct value | Remarks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| + T70c (BSW 66) to -output terminal +C82 (500 uF) to -C82 | $\begin{aligned} & 2,2 \mathrm{~V} \\ & 3,55 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | S1 in pos. 6V - 4A. P90 in pos. 3,0V Increase variac slowly 0 to 50VAC |
| $+T 70 \mathrm{c}$ to -output terminal <br> +C82 to -C82 | $\begin{aligned} & 8,6 \mathrm{~V} \\ & 3,55 \mathrm{~V} \end{aligned}$ | S1 in pos. $30 \mathrm{~V}-2 \mathrm{~A}$ |
| +770 c to -output terminal <br> +C 82 to -C 82 | $\begin{array}{r} 16,0 \mathrm{~V} \\ 3,55 \mathrm{~V} \end{array}$ | S1 in pos. 60V-.1A |
| $+T 10 \mathrm{c}$ ( BC 1788 ) to +output terminal <br> +Z1 (1N823) to -output terminal <br> -C82 to -output terminal | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \mathrm{~V} \\ 6,2 \mathrm{~V} \\ -5,6 \mathrm{~V} \end{array}$ | Increase variac to 175VAC |
| +T10c to +output terminal | To be trimmed to $10,00 \mathrm{~V}$ with resistor over R16 ( $4,7 \mathrm{~K}$ ). | Increase variac to 220VAC. (without load) Check that output voltage stabilizes to 60 V . |

## SECTION 6

## SPARE PARTS AND CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

A. GENERAL


#### Abstract

Replacement parts are available from the Oltronix factory. All standard parts can also be ordered through most well-equipped component distributors. Note that some transistors have an Oltronix letter-number combination e.g. H90 in the spare parts list in addition to the part number. This combination indicates the quality of the transistor expressed in current gain and maximum voltage. This description should always accompany the transistor when a replacement is ordered: For further information on the classification refer to the "Oltronix transistor identification code" which is found after the spare parts list. When a pair of matched transistors is needed, add "Matched" to the description. When ordering parts listed below, state the following information for each part:


a. Model and serial number of the instrument
b. Circuit reference
c. Type and value
B. ABBREVIATIONS

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    AB = AB Metal Products Ltd.
    Cer = ceramic
    Dav = Davall Electronics
Elec = Electrosil
    EMC = electrolytical metal case
    Fra = Frako
Heli = Helipot
    Int = Intermetall
    Iso = Isotan
        K = Kilo or 10 3
Kons = konstantan
        M = Mega or 10
        MF = metal film
Mfr = manufacturer
Mot = Motorola
    MP = metalized polyester
Nis = Nissei
    nF}=\mathrm{ nano Farad or 10-9
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## C. SPARE PARTS

| Pos |  |  | Value |  | Part no | Type | Mfr |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Capacitors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| C1 | 4,7 | uF | 25 | V | 1415 | Tan | Ero |
| C2 | 4,7 | uF | 25 | V | 1415 | Tan | Ero |
| C3 | 2200 | pF | 100 | V | 2875 | PF | Nis |
| C4 | 470 | pF | 500 | V | 1422 | Cer | Erie |
| C5 | 47 | pF | 500 | V | 2873 | Cer | Erie |
| C6 | 47 | pF | 500 | V | 2873 | Cer | Erie |
| C7 | 1500 | pF | 100 | V | 2874 | PF | Nis |
| C80 | 5000 | UF | 100 | V | 3565 | EMC | Wic |
| C82 | 500 | UF | 35 | V | 1517 | EMC | Roe |
| C90 | 1000 | UF | 100 | V | 3566 | EMC | Fra |
| C91 | 0,68 | uF | 250 | V | 1405 | MP | Ero |
| C92 | 470 | pF | 500 | V | 1422 | Cer | Erie |
| C103 | 15 | UF | 12 | V | 2870 | EMC | Ples |
| C104 | 10 | uF | 100 | V | 1397 | PF | Nis |

Diodes
D1 - D7, D91-D93
D70, D82 - D85
D90

| 1S921 | 1667 |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1N4003 | 1668 |


| Si | TI |
| :--- | :--- |
| Si | TI |
| Si | Ph |

Potentiometers

| P1 | 250 | $1,5 \mathrm{~W}$ | 2877 | Trim | AB |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| P2 | 10 K | $1,5 \mathrm{~W}$ | 2879 | Trim | AB |  |
| P40 | 100 K | $0,25 \mathrm{~W}$ | 2881 | Trim | Dav |  |
| P90 | 20 K | 2 | W | $5 \%$ | 3024 | WW |
| P92 | 10 K | $1,5 \mathrm{~W}$ | 2879 | Heli |  |  |
| P93 | 5 K | 2 | W | $10 \%$ | 1328 | WW |
| P101 | 250 | $1,5 \mathrm{~W}$ |  | 2877 | Clar |  |
| P104 | 100 | $1,5 \mathrm{~W}$ | 2876 | Trim | AB |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | Trim | AB |

Unless otherwise specified, all resistors are $10 \%, 0,25 \mathrm{~W}$. carbon

| R1 | 1,1K | 0,125W | 1\% | 3499 |  | Vitr |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R2 | 1K |  |  | 1016 |  |  |
| R5 | 100K |  |  | 1040 |  |  |
| R6 | 100K |  |  | 1040 |  |  |
| R7 | 100K |  |  | 1040 |  |  |
| R8 | 100K |  |  | 1040 |  |  |
| R9 | 15K |  |  | 1030 |  |  |
| R10 | 5,6K | 0,25 W | 2\% | 3552 | MF | Elec |
| R11 | 100 |  |  | 1004 |  |  |
| R12 | 1 K |  |  | 1016 |  |  |
| R13 | 10K |  |  | 1028 |  |  |
| R14 | 330 |  |  | 1010 |  |  |
|  | 390 |  |  | 1011 |  |  |
|  | 470 |  |  | 1012 |  |  |


| R16 | 4,7K | 0,25 W | 2\% | 3551 | MF | Elec |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| R17 | 6,8K | 0,25 W | 2\% | 3553 | MF | Elec |
| R18 | 1,5K |  |  | 1018 |  |  |
| R19 | 39K |  |  | 1035 |  |  |
| R2 1 | 10K | 0,125W | 1\% | 3086 | MF | Vitr |
| R2 3 | 1M |  |  | 1052 |  |  |
| R24 | 4,7K |  |  | 1024 |  |  |
| R26 | 1K |  |  | 1016 |  |  |
| R27 | 47K |  |  | 1036 |  |  |
| R28 | 47K |  |  | 1036 |  |  |
| R29 | 2,7K |  |  | 1021 |  |  |
| R30 | 680 |  |  | 1014 |  |  |
| R31 | 22K |  |  | 1032 |  | , |
| R40 | 68K |  |  | 1038 |  |  |
| R41 | 82K |  |  | 1039 |  |  |
| R42 | 470 |  |  | 1012 |  |  |
| R43 | 470 |  |  | 1012 |  |  |
| R44 | 10K |  |  | 1028 |  |  |
| R45 | 1K |  |  | 1016 |  |  |
| R46 | 27K | 0,25 W | 2\% | 3548 | MF | Elec |
| R5 1 | 27 |  |  | 2949 |  |  |
| R52 | 27 |  |  | 2949 |  |  |
| R70 a, c, e | $3 \times 0,08$ |  |  | 3547 | Kons | Iso |
| R70 b, d, f | $3 \times 0,08$ |  |  | 3547 | Kons | Iso |
| R71 | 470 |  |  | 1012 |  |  |
| R72 | 27 |  |  | 2949 |  |  |
| R74 | 91K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3561 | MF | Elec |
| R80 | 5 | 12 W | 5\% | 3564 | MF | Vitr |
| R89 | 63K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3560 | MF | Elec |
| R90 | 1K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3550 | MF | Elec |
| R91 | 200K | 0,25W | $2 \%$ | 3563 | MF | Elec |
| R92 | 10K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3556 | MF | Elec |
| R93 | 10K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3556 | MF | Elec |
| R94 | 2,2K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3555 | MF | 'Elec |
| R95 | 300 | 0,25W | 2\% | 3549 | MF | Elec |
| R96 | 15K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3557 | MF | Elec |
| R97 | 18K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3558 | MF | Elec |
| R98 | 6,9K | 0,25W | $2 \%$ | 3554 | MF | Elec |
| R99 | 28K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3559 | MF | Elec |
| R100 | 680 |  |  | 1014 |  |  |
| R101 | 20 | 4 W | 10\% | 1214 | WW | Vitr |
| R102 | 220 |  |  | 1008 |  |  |
| R103 | 180K | 0,25W | 2\% | 3562 | MF | Elec |
| R110 | 8,2K |  |  | 1027 |  |  |
| R111 | 5,6K |  |  | 1025 |  |  |
| R112 | 22K |  |  | 1032 |  |  |
| R113 | 10K |  |  | 1028 |  |  |
| R114 | 270 |  |  | 1009 |  |  |
| R115 | 15K |  |  | 1030 |  |  |
| R116 | 270 |  |  | 1009 |  |  |
| R118 | 10K |  |  | 1028 |  |  |

Value
Part no
Type
Mfr

Transistors

| T1-T2 | BC 109C | 2363 | matched | Ph |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| T3 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |
| T4-T5 | BC 109C | 2363 | matched | Ph |
| T6 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |
| T7 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |
| T8 | BC 178B | 2862 | Si | Ph |
| T9 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |
| T10 | BC 178B | 2862 | Si | Ph |
| T11 | BC 178B | 2862 | Si | Ph |
| T20-T21 | BC 109C | 2363 | matched | Ph |
| T22 | BC 109C | 2930 | Si | Ph |
| T70 | BSW 66 | 3546 | H90 | Ph |
| T71a-b | 2N 3442 | 1653 | Si | RCA |
| T90 | BC 109C | 2930 | Si | Ph |
| T100 | 2N. 5323 | 2927 | Si | RCA |
| T101 | 2N 3055 | 1533 | Si | RCA |
| T200 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |
| T201 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |
| T202 | BC 108B | 2861 | Si | Ph |

Zener diodes

| Z1 | 1N 823 | 1677 | unclass. | Mot |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Z2 | ZF 5,6 | 1686 | unclass. | Int |
| Z3 | ZF 5,6 | 1686 | unclass. | Int |
| Z100 | Zf 6,2 | 2758 | 1N753A | Int |

## D. OLTRONIX TRANSISTOR IDENTIFICATION CODE

To assure that the transistors in the Oltronix power supplies have good enough data for their actual application, all transistors are tested with a Tektronix Curve Tracer before they are mounted in any instrument. Certain transistors e.g. power transistors and transistors for high voltage use pass a more complete test after which a classification mark is applied. This mark is a letter-number combination on the power transistors and a colour dot on the smaller transistors.
The letter indicates high " $H$ " or low " $L$ " current gain. The number shows the maximum working voltage.
The test conditions are:

| Test | Power transistors TO-3 and TO-36 | Other transistors TO-5 and similar |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current gain Voltage | $\begin{aligned} & I_{c}=2 \mathrm{~A} \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CE}}=10 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { High if } \mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{FE}} \geqslant 50 \\ & \text { Low if } \mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{FE}} \quad \begin{array}{l} <50 \\ \\ \quad \begin{array}{r} \text { Trans: } \\ \text { or ex } \end{array} \\ I_{c}=400 \mathrm{~mA} \\ R_{B E}=100 \text { ohms } \end{array} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & I_{c}=1 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{~V}_{\mathrm{CE}}=10 \mathrm{~V} \\ & \text { High if } \mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{FE}} \geqslant 50 \\ & \text { Low if } \mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{FE}}<50 \\ & \text { Nith extremely high } \\ & \text { low } \mathrm{h}_{\mathrm{FE}} \text { are rejected. } \\ & \mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{C}}=1 \mathrm{~mA} \\ & \mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{BE}}=1,5 \mathrm{k} \end{aligned}$ |

The colour code is:

| Class | Colour | Class | Colour |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| L25 | Brown | L100 | Silver |
| H25 | Red | H100 | Black |
| L50 | Yellow | L125 | Silver and brown |
| H50 | Green | H125 | Black and red |
| H65 | Blue | L150 | Silver and yellow |
| L75 | White | H150 | Black and green |
| H75 | Violet | L175 | Silver and white |
|  |  | H175 | Black and violet |

Colour code for wiring is:

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b = blue
l = violet
bl = black o = orange
br = brown }\quadr=\mathrm{ red
    g = green w = white
gr = grey
y = yellow
E.g. an orange-black wire is indicated as o-bl.
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## 5-year quarantee

We warrant each instrument manufactured by us, and sold by us or our authorized agents, to be free from defect in material and workmanship and that it will perform within applicable specifications for a period of five years after original shipment. Our obligations under this guarantee are limited to repairing or replacing any instruments or parts thereof, which shall, within 5 years after delivery to the original purchaser, be returned to us with transportation charges prepaid, prove after our examination to be thus defective. Excluded are semiconductors, fuses, multiturn potentiometers used in resistance divider units or those components, which are not covered by a corresponding manufacturers guarantee or have been misused or accidentally damaged.

We reserve the right to discontinue instruments without notice, and to make modifications at any time without incurring any obligations to make such modifications to instruments previously sold.

For assistance of any kind, including help with instruments under warranty, contact nearest Oltronix factory or representative for instructions.

Give full details of the difficulty and include the instrument model and serial number.

There will be no charge for repair of instruments under warranty, EXCEPT TRANSPORTATION CHARGES.

