



TRANSISTOR TAPE RECORDER

MODEL TRQ-710

SERVICE MANUAL

No. 198

1968

SPECIFICATIONS

ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

POWER SUPPLY RATING.....AC:120V 50/60Hz(A)
 AC:210V/230V 50Hz(E)

POWER CONSUMPTION.....55W

RECORDING SYSTEM.....AC bias

ERASING SYSTEM AC erasing

FREQUENCY RANGE.....50-15,000Hz at 7½ ips speed
 50-9,500Hz at 3¾ ips speed

CONTINUOUS R.M.S. AUDIO OUTPUT.....2.5W or more

PEAK AUDIO OUTPUT.....5W or more

INPUT&OUTPUT IMPEDANCE...MIC. JACK 10Kohms
 RADIO JACK 120Kohms
 EXT. SP. JACK 8 ohms

TRQ-710 (E) only.....REC./P.B. SOCKET
 LINE INPUT 1.2Kohms
 LINE OUTPUT 15Kohms

MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS

TAPE SPEED7½ ips (19cm/s)
 3¾ ips (9.5cm/s)
 1⅞ ips (4.75cm/s)

TAPE REEL 7" (18cm), 5" (13cm) & 3½" (8.5cm)

RECORDING OR PLAYING TIME
 60 min. using 7" (50μ) tape at 7½ ips speed
 120 min. using 7" (50μ) tape at 3¾ ips speed
 240 min. using 7" (50μ) tape at 1⅞ ips speed

REWINDING TIME 4 min. using 7", 50μ tape

FAST FORWARDING TIME..... 4 min. using 7", 50μ tape

COMPONENTS USED

TRANSISTORS 2SB 73(B)×1, 2SC281(C)×2,
 2SB 77(B)×4, 2SB367(B)×2

DIODES1N34A×2, 1S310×4

THERMISTORS.....D-1E×2

LOUDSPEAKER6"×4" (15×10cm) PM

MICROPHONE Dynamic microphone

MISCELLANEOUS

TRACK SYSTEMMonaural dual track

DIMENSIONS13⅝"(H)×15¾"(W)×7⅝"(D)
 (35×40×18.5cm)

WEIGHT 24 lbs (11kg)

ACCESSORIES

TRQ-710(A).....MICROPHONE.....1
 5" REEL 1
 REEL HOLDER 2
 EXTENSION CORD ... 1

TRQ-710(E).....MICROPHONE.....1
 5" REEL.....2
 REEL HOLDER 2

CONTROLS AND JACKS

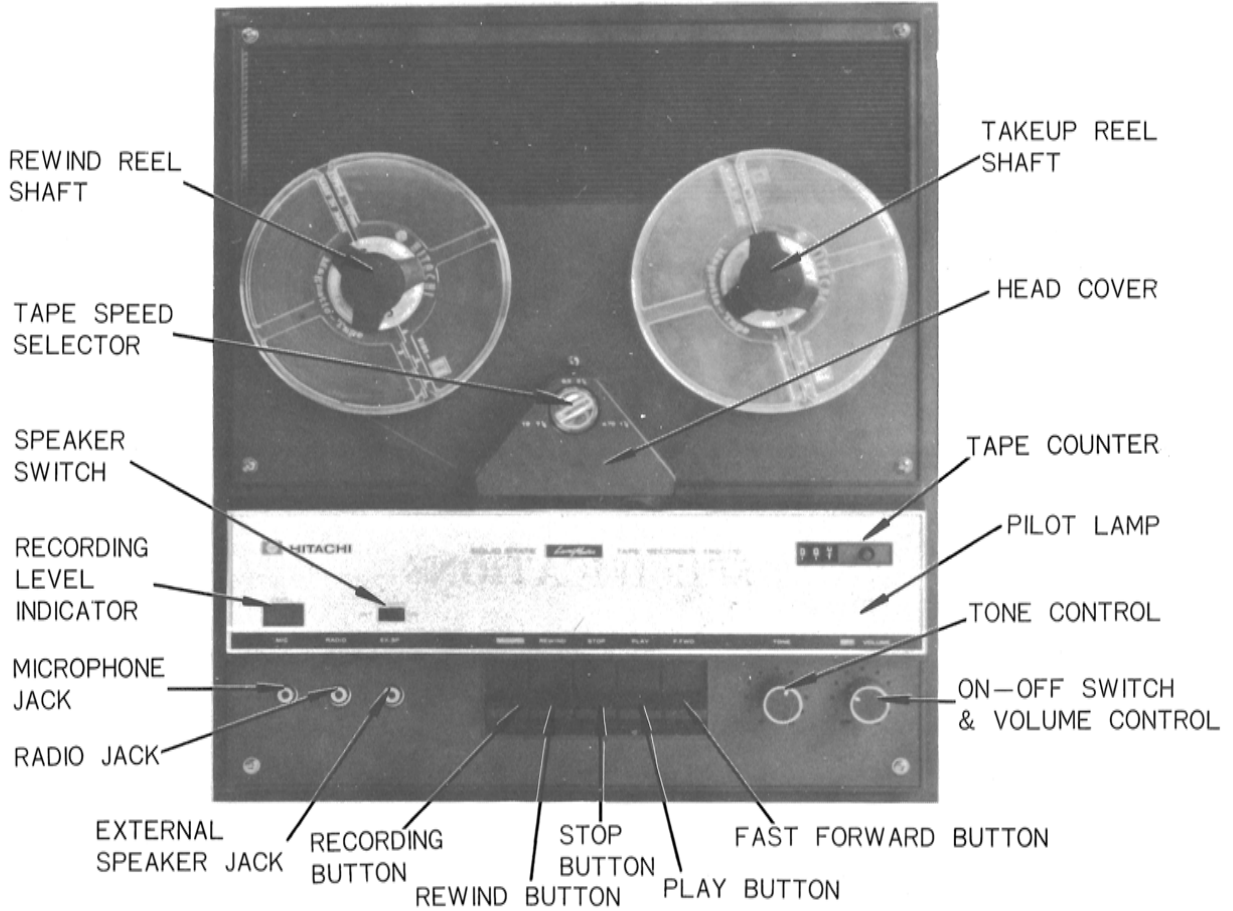


Fig. 1

TO CHANGE OVER POWER VOLTAGE

(In case of TRQ-710E)

1. Voltage change-over plug is provided in the accessory compartment and covered with the panel.
2. Remove two screws holding the panel.
3. Reinsert the voltage change-over plug to jacks of suitable voltage as shown in Fig. 2.

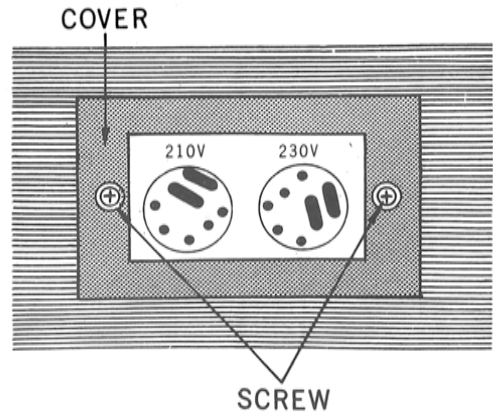


Fig. 2

DISASSEMBLY

When inspecting, repairing and lubricating, disassemble the recorder in the following manner :

1. Removal of front panel

Remove seven front panel holding screws shown in Fig.3, after removing the TONE CONTROL knob and VOLUME CONTROL knob.

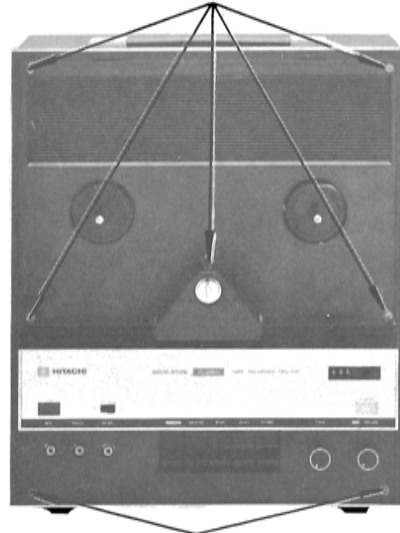
2. Pulling out the chassis

Remove four legs holding screws and two sling band holding screws shown in Fig. 4. The chassis can be removed from the cabinet.

3. Removal of printed circuit board

Remove six printed circuit board holding screws shown in Fig. 5.

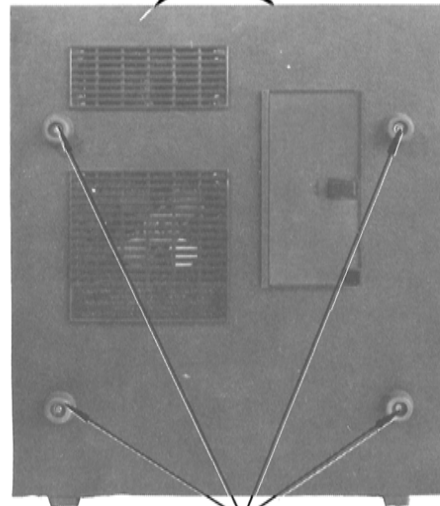
FRONT PANEL HOLDING SCREWS



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Fig. 3

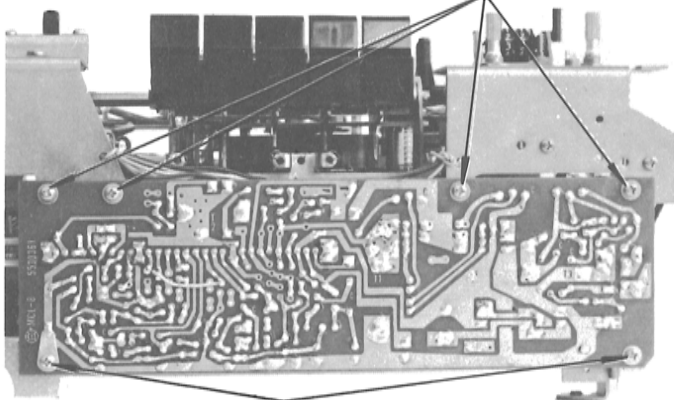
SLING BAND & CHASSIS HOLDING SCREWS



LEG & CHASSIS HOLDING SCREWS

Fig. 4

PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD HOLDING SCREWS



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Fig. 5

LUBRICATING

At servicing, perform lubrication according to Fig. 6.
Lubricate a drop of SAE grade #30 or its equivalent oil to rotating parts respectively.

To idler, pressure roller and capstan shaft, it is not always necessary to lubricate.

Lubrication point

1. Reel base shaftRemove the screw and reel base to lubricate around shaft.
2. Idler Spread on felt.
3. Fly wheel shaftOpen oil cap and lubricate.
4. Sliding portion Wipe dirty oil and lubricate while pushing the push-button.

Caution

Belt, idler, capstan and pinch roller may slip, When the catch oil. Wipe them alway alcohol.

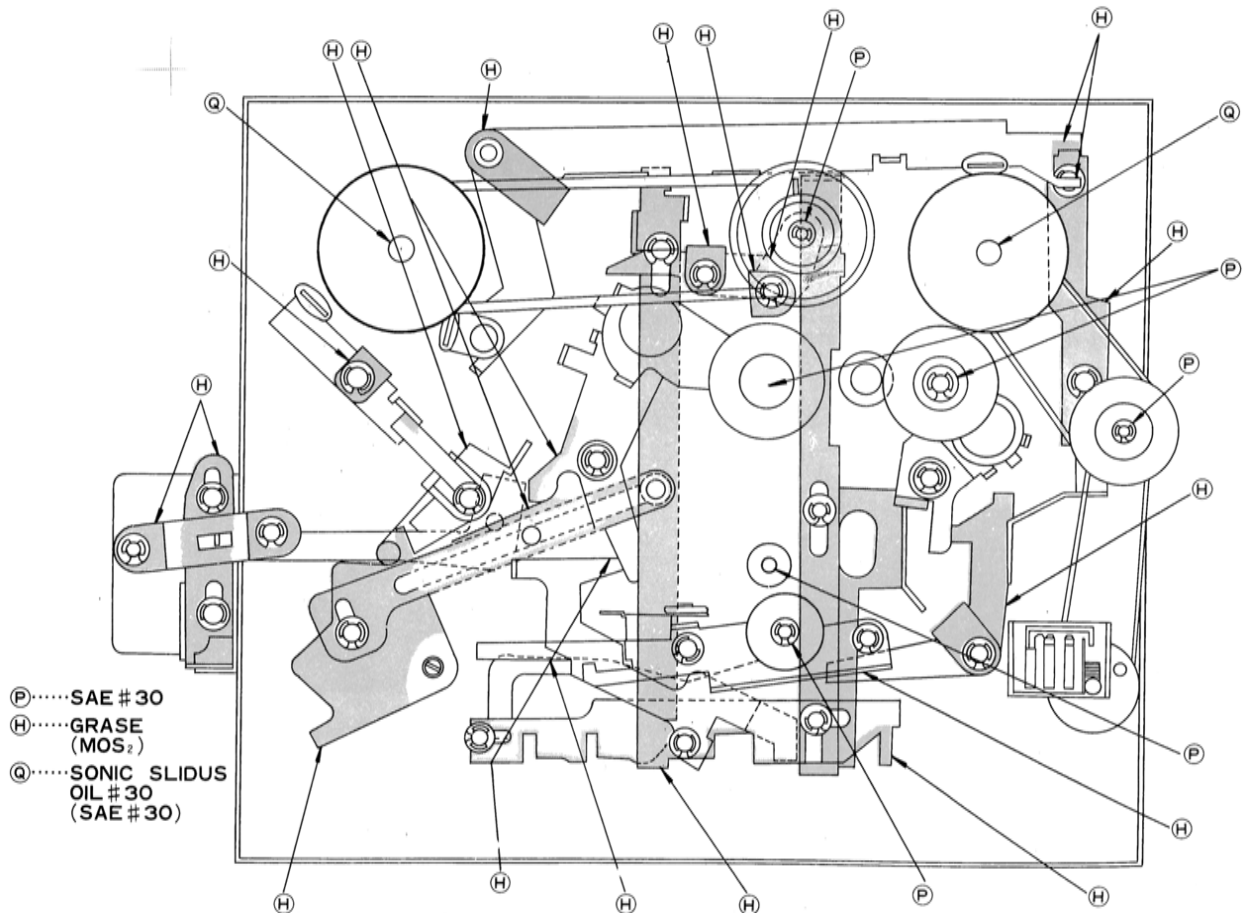


Fig. 6

ADJUSTMENT OF ELECTRIC CIRCUIT

1. Angle adjustment of recording and playback head

a) Adjustment of tape position

Check whether or not the tape is correctly positioned on the recording and playback head. This adjustment can be made by regulating the height of the tape guide (-screw).

b) Angle adjustment of record/playback head

Prepare a standard tape for angle adjustment (NAB standard, 2-tack) and adjust the screw for angle adjustment so that the voltage of the reproducing output reaches the maximum.

After the adjustment, the output level should not change excessively if the pad is slightly pressed manually.

When using an ordinary recorded tape, adjustment should be made under conditions of maximum sound volume and high-pitched by turning the volume and tone control knobs fully clockwise.

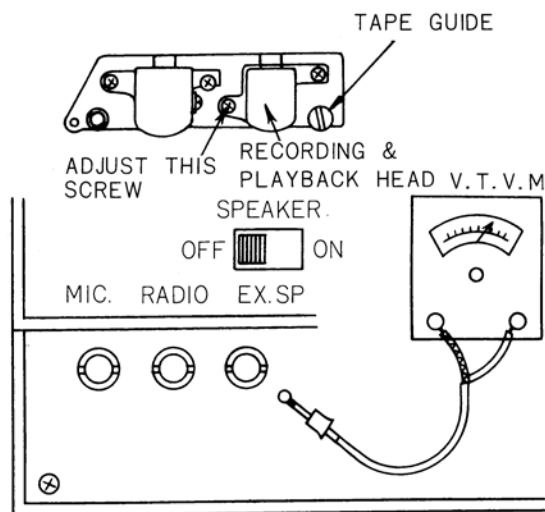


Fig. 7

2. Bias adjustment

Bias oscillating frequency of TRQ-710 is approx. 60KHz. Adjust the bias in the following way:

- a) Place the machine in a recording condition.
- b) Remove the ground side lead wire of the recording and playback head terminals, then connect the resistor (100 ohm) and connect the resistor to the ground side.

- c) Measure the voltage after connecting V.T.V.M (vacuum tube voltmeter) as shown in Fig. 8. and adjust the semi-fixed resistor (VR4) so that the voltage shows the value indicated 40mV.

Erasing current of the erasing head is normal when it is within 13-30mA.

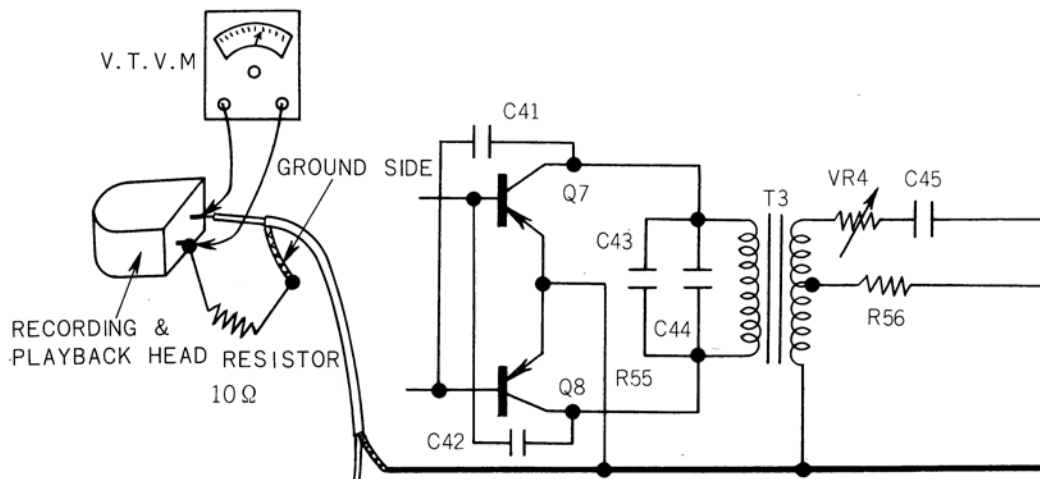


Fig. 8

ADJUSTMENT FOR MECHANICAL SECTIONS

1) Pressing force on each section

- a) Pinch roller Pressing force..... $1.0\text{kg}^{+0.2}_{-0.1}\text{kg}$.

Measuring method

Arrange so that the pinch roller presses against the capstan shaft (playback condition), and pull the pinch roller in a right angle direction against the pinch roller arm. Then measure the slight value remaining, occasioned by the pressure of the pinch roller against the capstan shaft, by using a bar gauge (rating 3kg or 5kg).

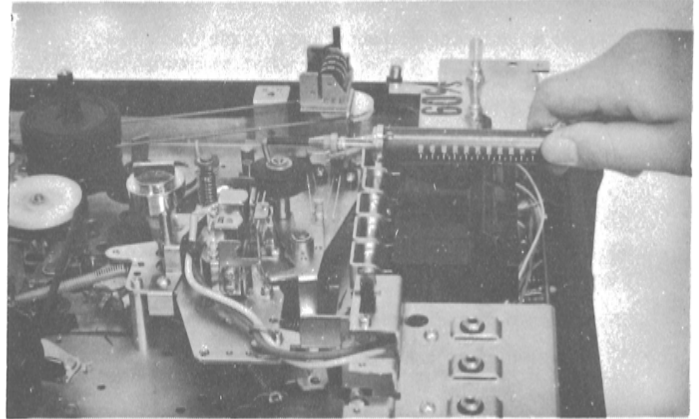


Fig. 9

- b) Pad pressing force $50\text{gr} \pm 10\text{gr}$

Measuring method

The value is measured when the pad is disengaged from the head surface by applying the tension gauge (rating 100gr) to the pad center and upper end.

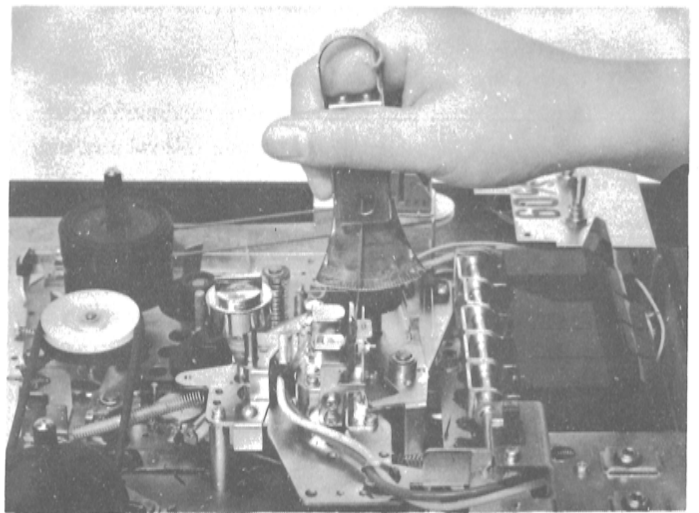


Fig. 10

- c) Winding idler pressing force $150\text{gr} \pm 30\text{gr}$

Measuring method

Lock the machine by depressing the play button (PLAY) (play condition).

Measure the value when the winding idler disengages from the motor pulley and the winding pulley at the same time.

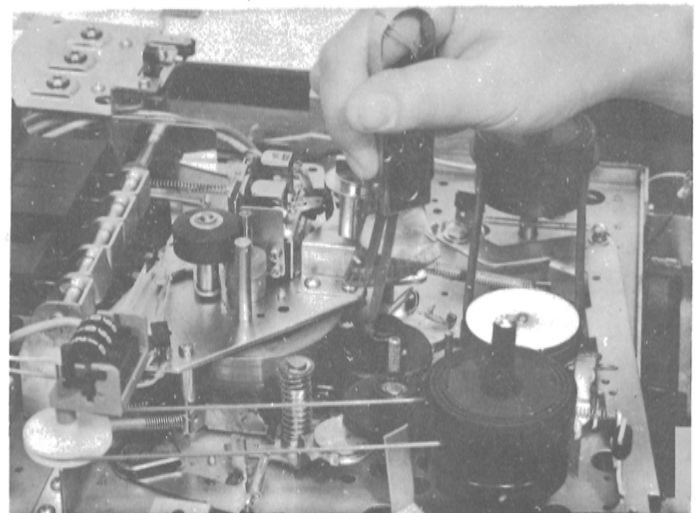


Fig. 11

d) Playback idler pressing force

When the tape speed is 19 cm/sec..... $200\text{gr} \pm 40\text{gr}$

When the tape speed is 9.5 cm/sec... $175\text{gr} \pm 40\text{gr}$

When the tape speed is 4.75 cm/sec... $150\text{gr} \pm 40\text{gr}$

Measuring method

Lock the machine by depressing the play button (PLAY) (play condition). Measure the value when the playback idler disengages from the flywheel and the motor pulley at the same time.

e) Rewinding (R) idler pressing force..... $450\text{gr} \pm 50\text{gr}$

Measuring method

Lock the machine by depressing the rewinding button (REWIND) (rewinding condition). Measure the value when the rewinding idler disengages from the motor pulley.

2) Torque of each section

a) Winding torque..... $45 \sim 80\text{gr-cm}$

Measuring method

Place the machine in a horizontal position and turn the power source to ON position: then place the 7" empty reel on the winding side reel shaft. Wind a thread inside it and measure the winding torque in a play condition (PLAY).

b) Winding and supplying friction coupling torque

Takeup or rewinding torque... $200 \sim 300\text{gr-cm}$

Measuring method

Place the machine in a vertical position, and turn the power source to ON position. Wind a turn inside the 7" empty reel and measure the torque in a fast forwarding condition of the takeup. Place in a rewinding condition for the rewinding.

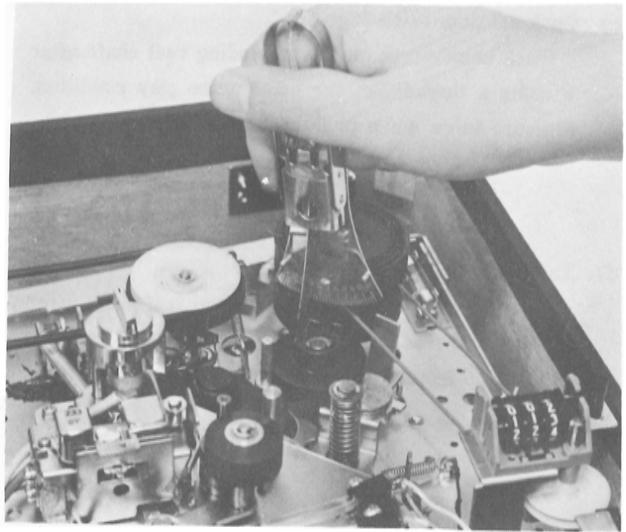


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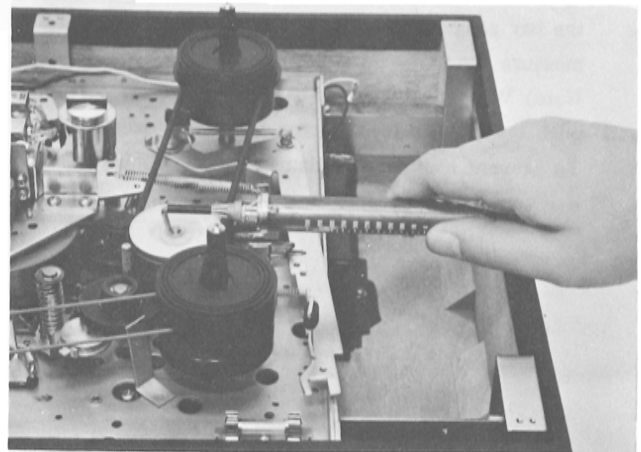


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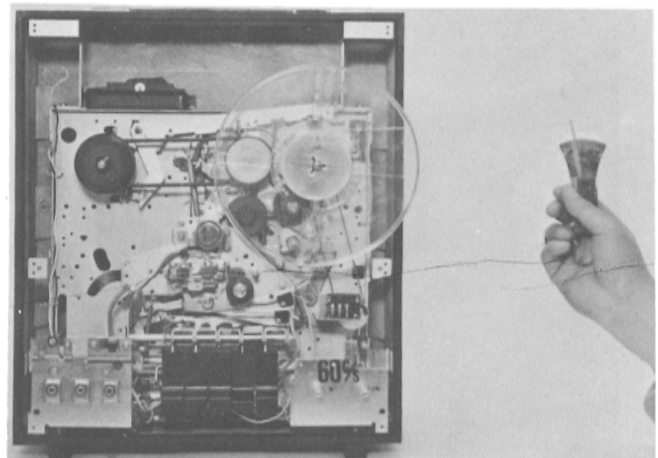


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c) Back tension.....15-36gr-cm

Place empty reel on the rewinding reel shaft after winding a thread. Set the machine to play condition. Measure force when pulling out the thread.

d) Takeup back tension.....15~35gr

Place 7" empty reel on the takeup reel shaft after winding a thread. Set the machine to rewinding condition. Measure the force when pulling out the thread.

e) Push button operating force.....Under 3.2kg

Place the machine in a horizontal position. Apply the bar gauge to the tip of the push button and measure the force until the button is locked.
Note) When applying the bar gauge directly to the push button, the push button may be damaged. To prevent any possible damage, use a rubber sheet between the gauge and the button.

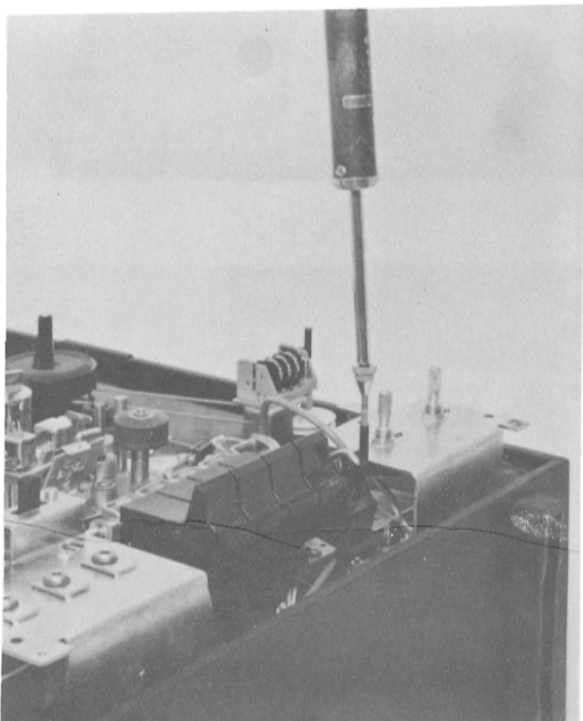


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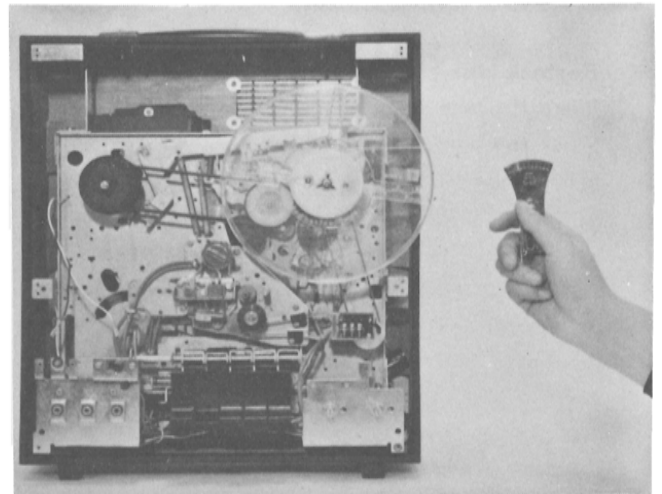


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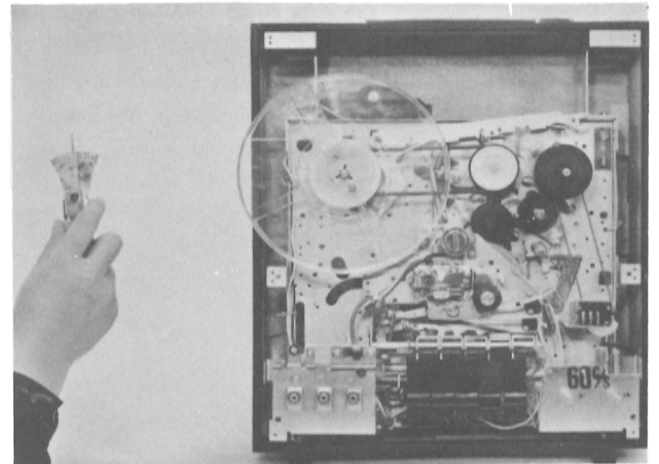


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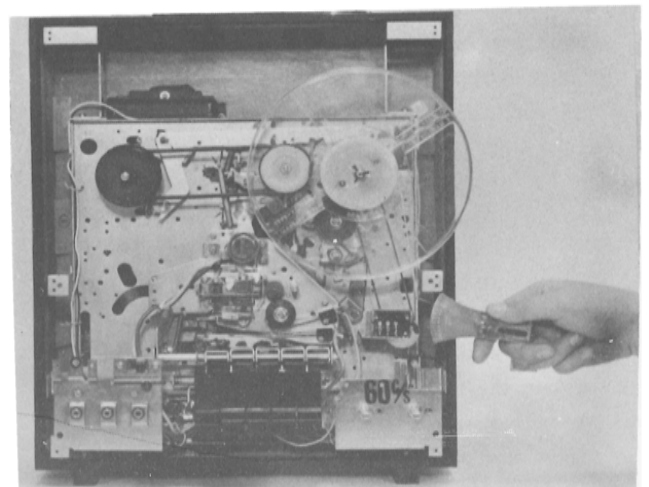
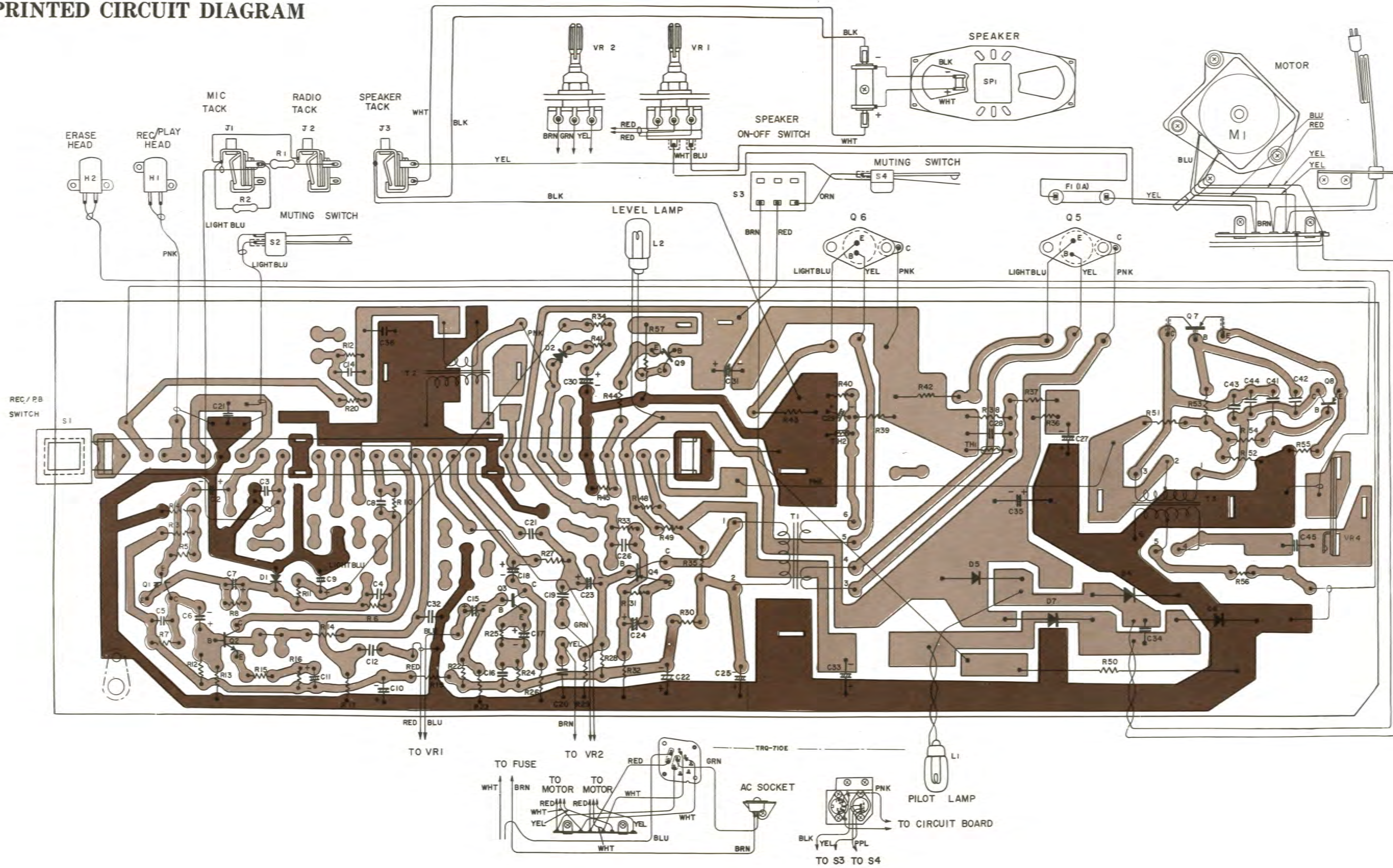
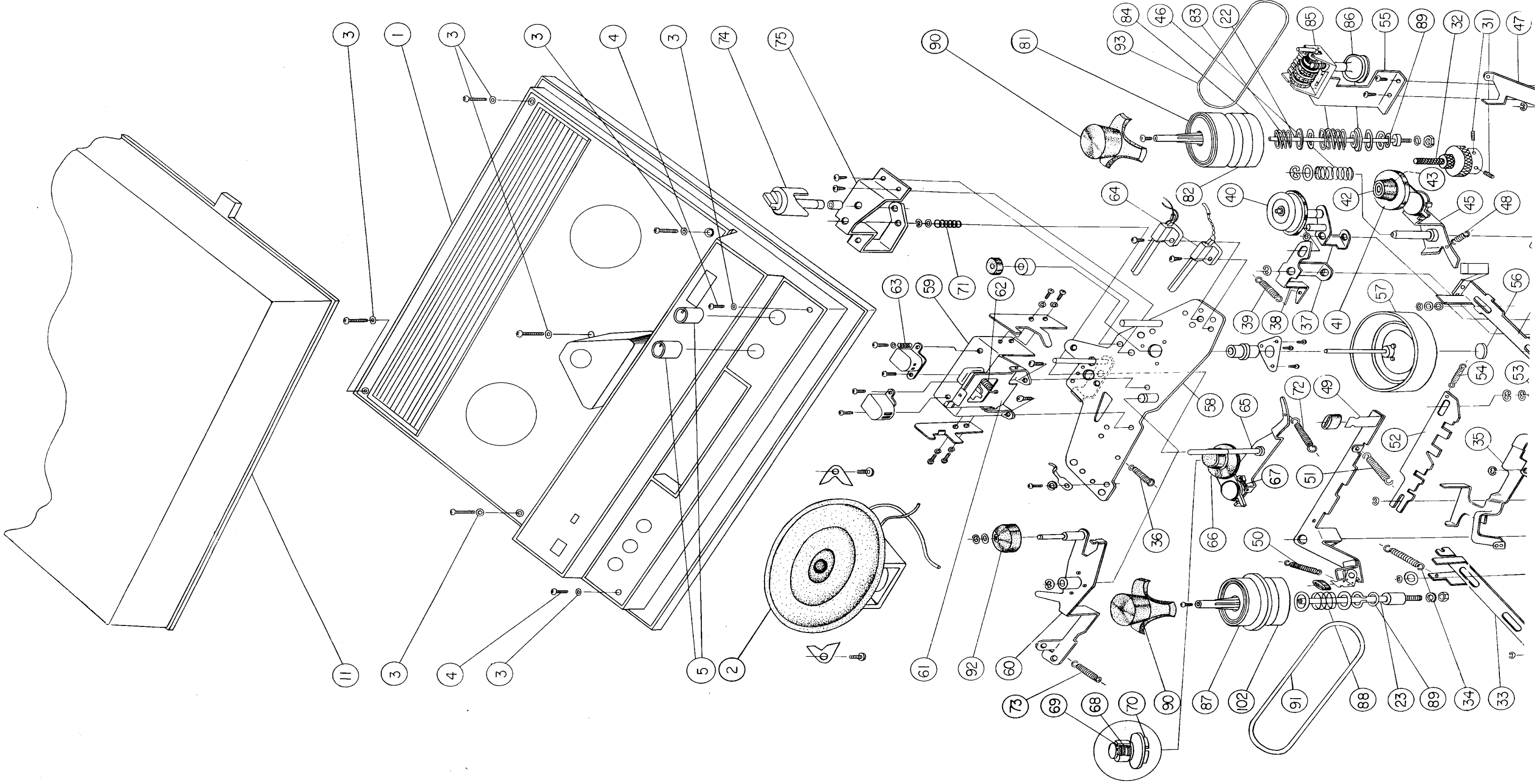


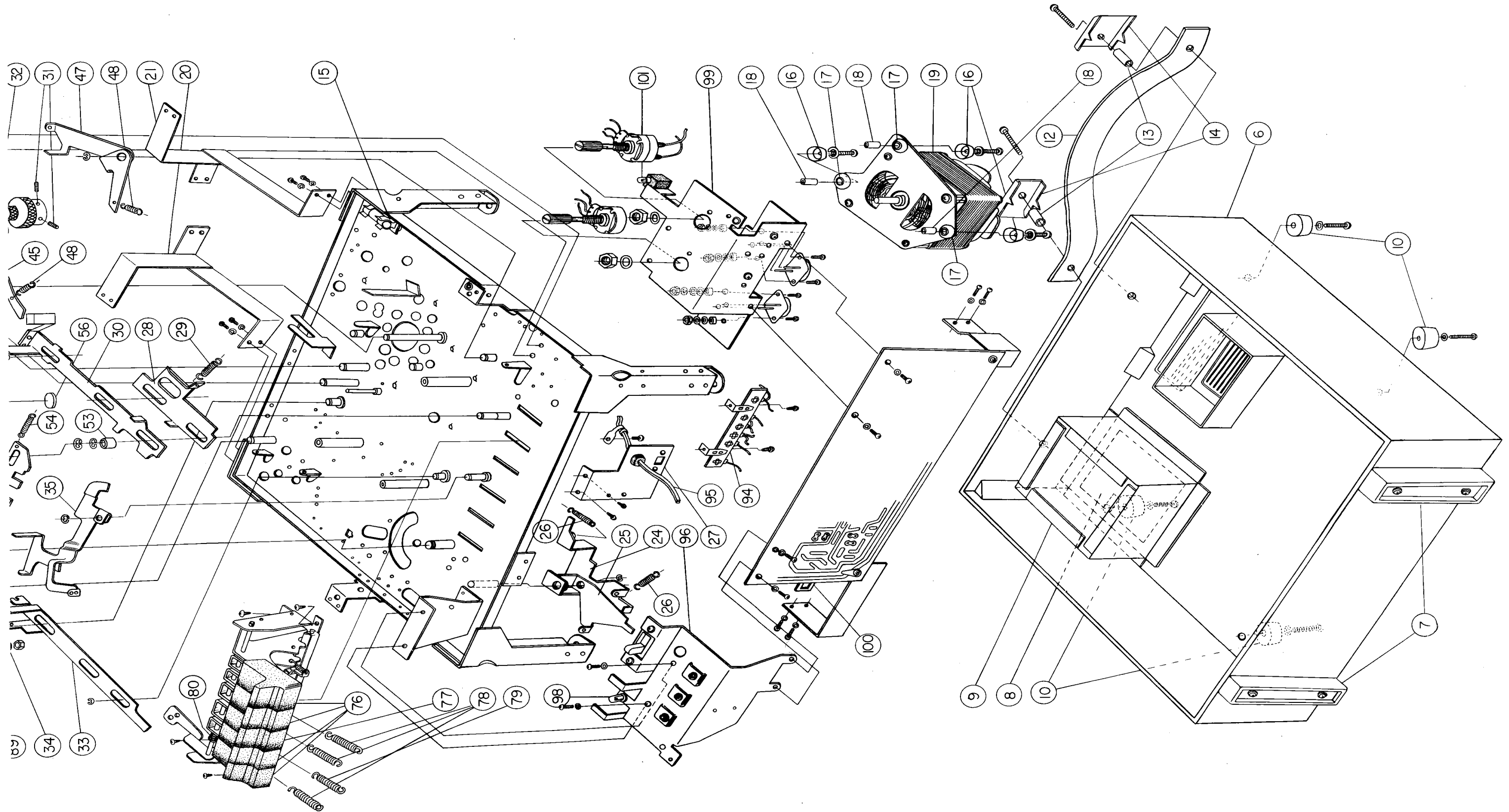
Fig. 18

PRINTED CIRCUIT DIAGRAM



DISASSEMBLED DIAGRAM





REPLACEMENT PARTS

Symbol No.	Stock No.	Description	Symbol No.	Stock No.	Description
TRANSFORMERS:					
T	1	0441054 Audio input		0954020	Screw-4mmφ×18mm pan head screw (3 req'd)
T	2	0451107 Audio output	⑩	0941291	Holder-motor holder
T	3	0316532 Oscillator coil		0942184	Plate-motor plate
MISCELLANEOUS:					
for Final assembly					
		0592105 Microphone		0711608	Screw-4mmφ×8mm pan head screw } (4 req'd) Washer-4mmφ spring washer
		0593454 Cord-external cord	⑰	0971120	Cushion-motor cushion
①	6112091	Deck assembly	⑱	0514138	2P induction motor (210/230V, 50/60Hz)
	0544547	Terminal		0514137	2P induction motor (120V)
	8781436	Screw-3mmφ×6mm tapping screw		0711406	Screw-3mmφ×6mm pan head screw } (4 req'd) Washer-3mmφ spring washer
	8811114	Washer-3mmφ washer	⑳	7163611	Handle plate assembly (left)
②	0526161	Speaker	㉑	7163621	Handle plate assembly (right)
	8711406	Screw-3mmφ×6mm pan head screw		0941796	Printed circuit board holder (left)
	8811114	Washer-3mmφ washer		0711406	Screw-3mmφ×6mm pan head screw } f(2 req'd) Washer-3mmφ spring washer
	8813124	Washer-3mmφ washer		8813124	Washer-3mmφ spring washer
	8813124	Washer-3mmφ washer		0941795	Printed circuit board holder mounting
	8813124	Washer-3mmφ washer			Printed circuit board holder (right)
	8813124	Washer-3mmφ washer			Screw-3mmφ×6mm pan head screw } (2req'd)for Washer-3mmφ spring washer
	8813124	Washer-3mmφ washer			printed circuit board holder mounting
③	0941277	Washer } (7 req'd) for deck plate mounting		0941435	Fuse holder assembly
④	0954041	Screw } (7 req'd) for deck plate mounting		8781436	Screw-3mmφ×6mm tapping screw
⑤	6600932	Knob assembly	㉒	7500501	Shaft-shaft for takeup plate
⑥	6112143	Cabinet assembly (210/230V)	㉓	7500521	Shaft-shaft for sending reel base
⑥	6112142	Cabinet assembly (120V)		0821116	Nut-4mmφ nut
⑦	7660461	Rubber base (2 req'd)		8813126	Washer-4mmφ spring washer } (2 req'd)
⑧	0015464	Storage cover assembly	㉔	0941759	Lever-recording lever (1)
	8811114	Washer-3mmφ washer	㉕	0941760	Lever-recording lever (2)
	8755413	Screw-3.1mmφ×13mm wood screw } (3 req'd) for storage cover mounting	㉖	0662187	Spring-slide switch spring
⑨	7710213	Accessory compartment (210/230V)		0948537	Felt
	7710212	Accessory compartment (120V)	㉗	0941801	Holder-speaker switch holder
⑩	0971196	Rubber base (4 req'd)		0711405	Screw-3mmφ×5mm pan head screw } (2 req'd) Washer-3mmφ spring washer
	8812116	Washer-4mmφ washer		8813124	Washer-3mmφ spring washer
	0711630	Screw-4mmφ×30mm pan head screw } (4 req'd) for rubber base mounting		0541355	Socket-2P socket
⑪	6112111	Upper cover assembly		0541358	Socket-5P socket
⑫	0015307	Handle		7164561	Holder-socket holder
	0736620	Screw-4mmφ×20mm oval screw (2 req'd) for handle mounting		0711406	Screw-3mmφ×6mm pan screw (4 req'd)
⑬	7500171	Collar-handle collar		0711406	Screw-3mmφ×6mm tapping screw (2req'd)
⑭	0945062	Metal-metal for handle	㉘	0941141	Lever-fast forward lever
	0591167	Fuse-1A fuse	㉙	0662124	Spring-spring for fast forward
	0591157	Holder-fuse holder	㉚	0941144	Lever-brake lever
	8813126	Washer-4mmφ spring washer (3 req'd)		0948544	Washer-fibber washer
				0941259	Washer- "E" type retaining washer
			㉛	0944452	Screw
			㉜	0944779	Pulley-motor pulley (50Hz)
				0944780	Pulley-motor pulley (60Hz)
			㉝	0941150	Rewinding idler lever

REPLACEMENT PARTS

Symbol No.	Stock No.	Description	Symbol No.	Stock No.	Description
	0948544	Washer-fibber washer	S2	0539063	Switch-muting switch
	0941259	Washer- "E" type retaining washer		8781438	Screw-3mmφ×8mm tapping screw
⑳	0948637	Spring-rewinding lever spring	㉞	0539087	Switch-muting switch
㉑	0941829	Playing lever assembly	㉟	7163021	Playback lever assembly
㉒	0948316	Spring-playing lever spring	㊱	0971223	Idler wheel (R)
㉓	0941726	Rewinding idler lever assembly	㊲	0662128	Spring
㉔	0941170	Lever-rewinding idler lever (2)	㊳	0948601	Washer- idler oil washer
㉕	0662257	Spring	㊴	0948727	Washer-nylon washer
㉖	0015408	Rewinding idler assembly		0941258	Washer- "E" type retaining washer
	0636553	Washer-rewinding washer	㊵	0971215	Cap-idler cap
	0948578	Washer-nylon washer	㊶	0958067	Felt-felt for push button
	0948755	Felt	㊷	6310721	Spring-spring for tape speed selector
	0941258	Washer-"E" type retaining washer	㊸	0662129	Spring
㉗	0971150	Idler wheel		0948634	Washer-flywheel washer
	0948595	Washer-nylon washer		0941183	Cap-oil cap
㉘	0971105	Cap-idler cap		0948753	Washer-flywheel washer
㉙	0958067	Felt-felt for push button	㊹	0662199	Spring-spring for pressure roller arm
㉚	0941159	Fast forward idler assembly		8813124	Washer-3mmφ spring washer
㉛	0948631	Spring-fast forward spring		0711408	Screw-3mmφ×8mm pan head screw } (3 req'd) for sub chassis mounting
㉜	0941162	Lever-fast forward lever	㊺	6701211	Knob-tape speed selector knob
㉝	0662126	Spring	㊻	7171581	Holder-knob holder
㉞	7160951	Brake lever assembly		8781436	Screw-3mmφ×6mm tapping screw (2 req'd) for holder mounting
㉟	0662130	Spring-brake spring	㊼	6260701	Button-push button
㊱	0662222	Spring-brake lever spring	㊽	6260711	Button-push button (s)
㊲	0941175	Timing plate	㊾	0662131	Spring-push lever spring
㊳	0944467	Collar	㊿	0662062	Spring-spring for record, playback switch
㊴	0639391	Spring-spring for timing plate	㊸	0662132	Spring-shaft spring
㊵	7162322	Counter assembly		8781436	Screw-3mmφ×6mm tapping screw (4 req'd)
	8781436	Screw-3mmφ×6mm tapping screw (2 req'd)		0711406	Screw-3mmφ×6mm pan head screw
㊶	0630564	Pad-flywheel pad		8813124	Washer-3mmφ spring washer
㊷	0971258	Flywheel assembly	㊸	6410052	Takeup reel stand assembly
㊸	7163081	Sub chassis assembly	㊹	6410661	Takeup pulley assembly
㊹	0941430	Head plate assembly	㊺	6310301	Spring-spring for reel stand
㊺	0941176	Pressure roller arm assembly		7710151	Washer
㊻	0941178	Pad assembly	㊻	6700751	Pulley-takeup pulley (B)
㊼	0948461	Spring-pad spring	㊼	6310311	Spring
H1	5440012	Head-recording playback head	㊽	7500511	Collar-takeup collar
H2	0513233	Head-erase head	㊾	7660241	Washer-nylon washer
	8811233	Washer-2.6mmφ washer		7161437	Washer- "E" type retaining washer
	0711306	Screw-2.6mmφ×6mm pan head screw (3 req'd)	㊿	6410082	Supply reel stand assembly
㊸	0948102	Spring-head adjust spring	㊸	0948234	Spring-spring for supply reel stand
	0711314	Screw-2.6mmφ×14mm pan head screw		0940048	Washer
				0948662	Snap



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