

# Service Manual

Cassette Deck

**RS-M22**

Front-Loading Vertical Hold Stereo Cassette Deck with  
FL Bar Graph Peak Meters, Rewind Auto-Play,  
and Separate 3-Position Bias and Equalization Selectors

**DOLBY SYSTEM**

This is the Service Manual for the following areas.

- [D] ..... For All European areas except United Kingdom.
- [B] ..... For United Kingdom.
- [N] ..... For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas.
- [A] ..... For Australia.

**RS-631 MECHANISM SERIES****Specifications (Catalog specifications for sales)**

Power requirement:	AC; 110/125/220/240V, 50/60Hz	Input:	MIC; sensitivity 0.25mV, input impedance 7.2KΩ, applicable microphone impedance 400Ω~10KΩ
Preset power voltage:	220V	LINE;	sensitivity 60mV, input impedance 47KΩ
240V, 50Hz only for England		Output:	LINE; output level 650mV, output impedance 2.2KΩ or less, load impedance 22KΩ over HEADPHONE; output level 100mV, load impedance 8Ω
Power consumption:	13W	Rec/pb connection:	5P DIN type; input sensitivity 0.21mV, impedance 5.7KΩ, output level 650mV, impedance 6KΩ
Motor:	Electronic control DC motor	Bias frequency:	83kHz
Track system:	4-track 2-channel stereo recording and playback	Head:	2-head system 1-SP head for record/playback 1-double-gap ferrite head for erasure
Tape speed:	4.8cm/s (1-7/8 ips.)	Dimensions:	43.0cm(W) × 14.2cm(H) × 26.7cm(D) [16-7/8"(W) × 5-5/8"(H) × 10-1/2"(D)]
Wow and flutter:	0.05% (WRMS), ±14% (DIN)	Weight:	7.1kg (15lbs. 11oz)
Frequency response:	CrO <sub>2</sub> /FeCr tape; 25~16,000Hz 30~15,000Hz (DIN)		
	Normal tape; 25~14,000Hz 30~13,000Hz (DIN)		
Signal-to-noise ratio:	Dolby* NR in; 67dB (above 5kHz) Dolby NR out; 57dB (signal level = max. recording level, FeCr/CrO <sub>2</sub> type tape)		
Fast forward and rewind time:	Approx. 90 seconds with C-60 cassette tape		

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## LOCATION OF CONTROLS AND COMPONENTS

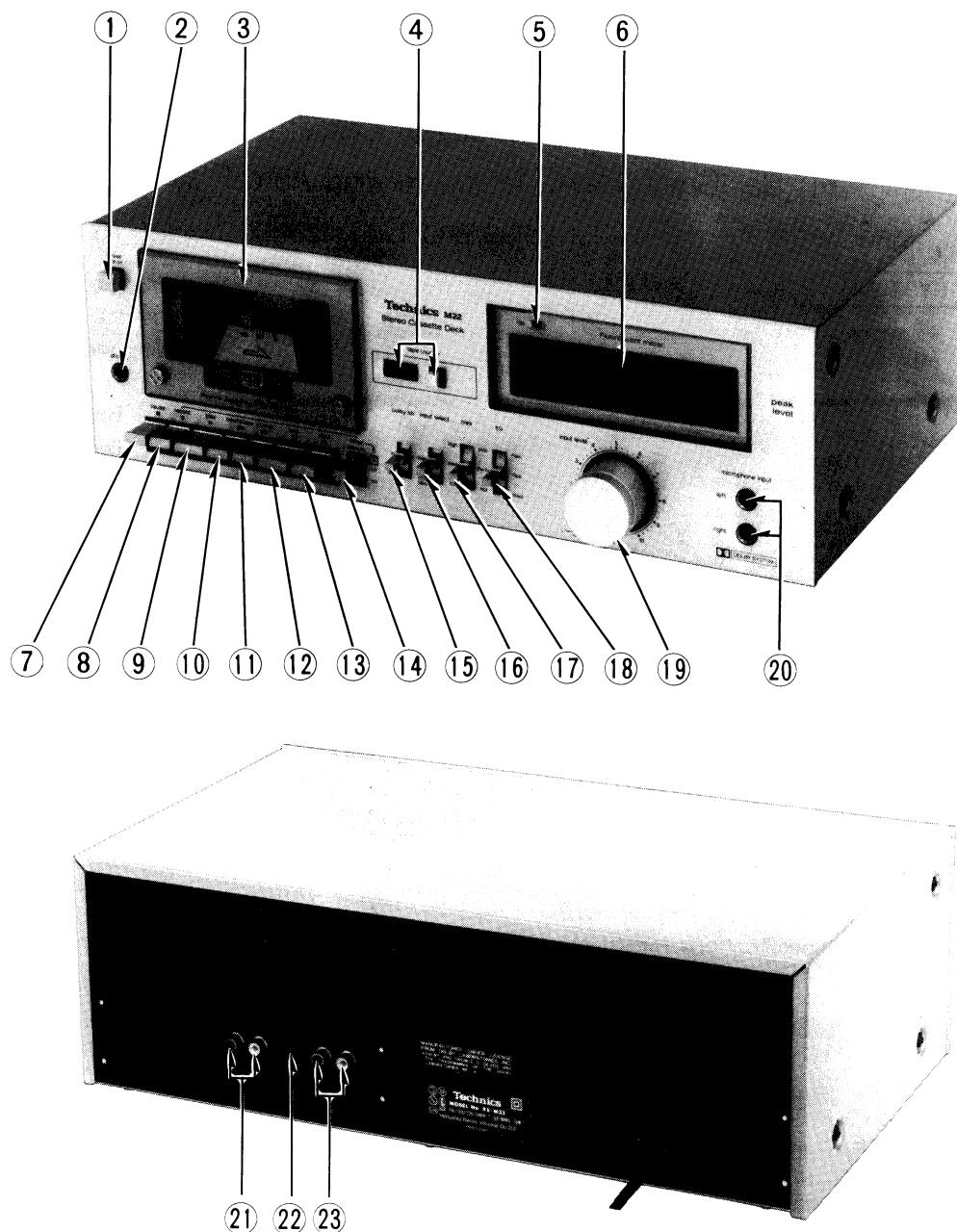
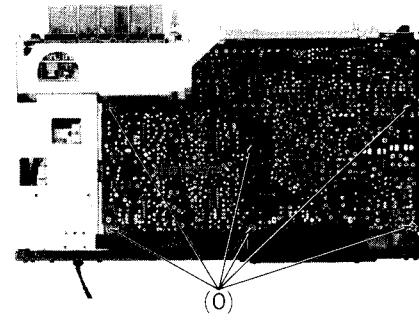
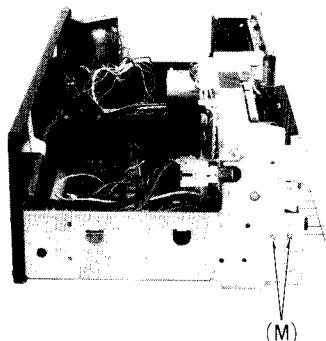
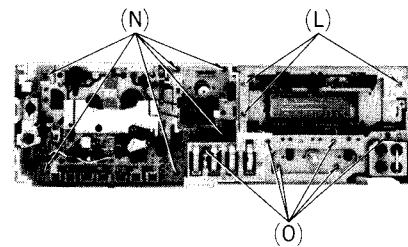
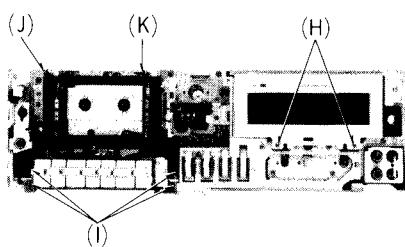
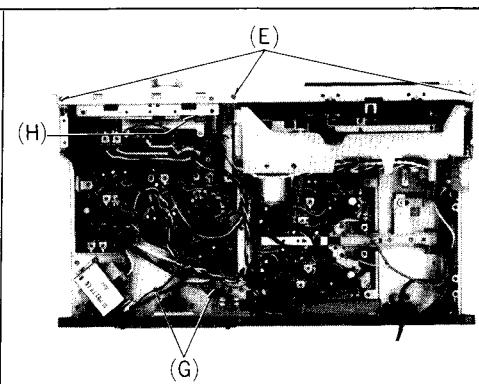
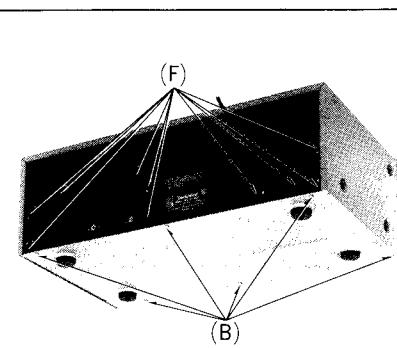
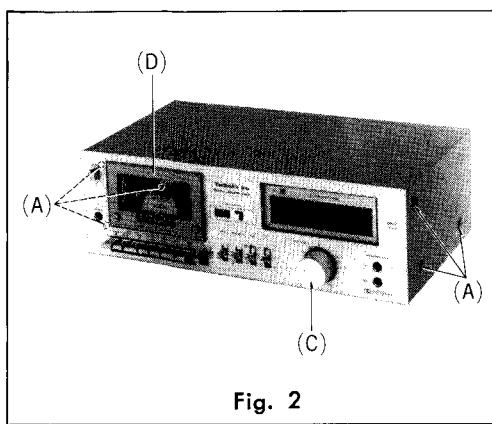


Fig. 1

- ① Power switch  
② Headphones jack  
③ Cassette holder  
④ Tape counter and reset button  
⑤ Recording indication lamp  
⑥ Fluorescent level meters  
⑦ Pause button  
⑧ Record button  
⑨ Playback button  
⑩ Rewind/review button  
⑪ Fast forward/cue button  
⑫ Stop button  
⑬ Eject button  
⑭ Timer stand-by button  
⑮ Dolby noise-reduction switch  
⑯ Input selector  
⑰ Bias selector  
⑱ Equalization selector  
⑲ Input level controls  
⑳ Microphone jacks  
㉑ Line output jacks  
㉒ Record/playback connection socket  
㉓ Line input jacks

# DISASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

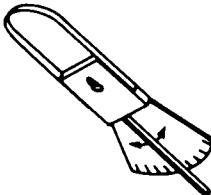
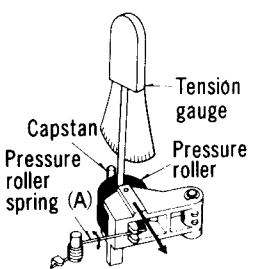
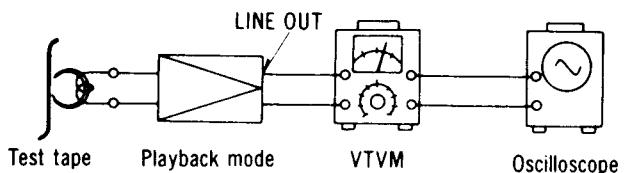
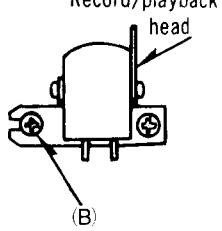
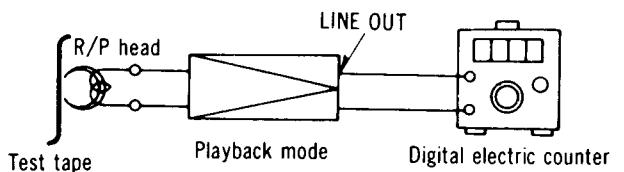


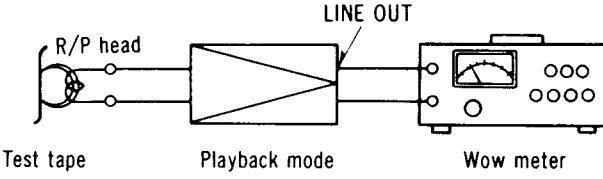
Procedure	To remove —— .	Remove —— .	Shown in fig. —— .
1	Case cover	• 6 black screws ..... (A)	2
2	Bottom cover	• 6 screws ..... (B)	3
3	Front panel	• 2 control knobs ..... (C) • Cassette lid ..... (D) • 3 red screws ..... (E)	2 2 4
3	Rear board	• 10 black screws ..... (F) • 2 red screws ..... (G)	3 4
5	Meter cover	• 3 red screws ..... (H)	4, 5
5	Control button assembly and cassette holder	• 4 red screws ..... (I) • Stop ring ..... (J) • Cassette holder spring ..... (K)	5 5 5
7	Meter unit	• 3 red screws ..... (L)	6
8	Mechanism	• 2 headphones jack holding screw ... (M) • 6 red screws ..... (N)	7 6
8	Main circuit board	• 12 red screws ..... (O)	6, 8

# MEASUREMENT AND ADJUSTMENT METHOD

**NOTE:**

1. Make sure heads are clean.
2. Make sure capstan and pressure roller are clean.
3. Judgeable room temperature:  $20 \pm 5^\circ\text{C}$  ( $68 \pm 9^\circ\text{F}$ ).
4. Dolby NR switch: OUT.
5. Bias selector: LOW.
6. Equalizer selector:  $120\mu\text{s}$ .
7. Input selector: LINE.

ITEM	MEASUREMENT & ADJUSTMENT	REMARKS
<b>Pressure of pressure roller</b> Equipment: * Tension gauge (max. 500 gr)  <p>Fig. 9</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Place UNIT into playback mode.</li> <li>2. Hook the tension gauge to pressure roller lever and pull it in the direction of the arrow as shown in fig. 10.</li> <li>3. Measure the tension at the moment when the pressure roller moves away from the capstan.</li> </ol> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">Standard value: <math>350 \pm 50 \text{ gr}</math></div> <p><b>Adjustment method</b> Bend the part (A) of the pressure roller spring in either direction shown by the arrow until the correct pressure is attained.</p>	* Playback mode  <p>Fig. 10</p>
<b>Takeup tension</b> Equipment: * Cassette torque meter ... QZZSRKCT	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mount cassette torque meter on UNIT.</li> <li>2. Place UNIT into playback mode and read takeup torque.</li> <li>3. Measure several times and determine the mean value.</li> </ol> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">Standard value: <math>50 \pm 15 \text{ gr-cm}</math></div>	* Playback mode
<b>Head azimuth adjustment</b> Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope * Test tape (azimuth) ... QZZCFM	<p><b>Record/playback head adjustment</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Test equipment connection is shown below.</li> </ol>  <p>Fig. 11</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Play azimuth tape (QZZCFM 8 kHz).</li> <li>3. Adjust record/playback head angle adjustment-screw (B) in fig. 12 so that output level at LINE OUT becomes maximum.</li> <li>4. Measure both channels, and adjust levels for equal output.</li> <li>5. After adjustment lock head adjustment screw with lacquer.</li> </ol>	* Playback mode  <p>Fig. 12</p>
<b>Tape speed</b> Equipment: * Digital electronic counter or frequency counter * Test tape ... QZZCWAT	<p><b>Tape speed accuracy</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Test equipment connection is shown below.</li> </ol>  <p>Fig. 13</p>	* Playback mode

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	<p>2. Play test tape (QZZCWAT 3,000Hz), and supply playback signal to frequency counter.      3. Measure this frequency.      4. On the basis of 3,000Hz, determine value by following formula:  <math display="block">\text{Tape speed accuracy} = \frac{f - 3,000}{3,000} \times 100 (\%)</math>       where, f = measured value      5. Take measurement at middle section of tape.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Standard value: <math>\pm 1.5\%</math></b></p> <p><b>Adjustment method</b></p> <p>1. Play the test tape (middle).      2. Adjust tape speed adjustment VR (shown in fig. 28) so that frequency becomes 3,000Hz.</p> <p><b>Tape speed fluctuation</b></p> <p>Make measurements in same manner as above (beginning, middle and end of tape), and determine difference between maximum and minimum values and calculate as follows:</p> $\text{Tape speed fluctuation} = \frac{f_1 - f_2}{3,000} \times 100 (\%)$ <p>f<sub>1</sub> = maximum value      f<sub>2</sub> = minimum value</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Standard value: 1%</b></p>	
<b>Wow and flutter</b>  Equipment: * Wow meter * Test tape ... QZZCWAT	<p>1. Test equipment connection is shown below.</p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Fig. 14</b></p> <p>2. Use wow test tape (3,000Hz) and measure its playback signal on wow meter.      3. Wow and flutter is expressed in percentage and that measurement can be weighted by JIS network (WRMS).      4. Measure at middle section of test tape.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Standard value: 0.07% (WRMS)</b></p>	* Playback mode
<b>Playback frequency response</b>  Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope * Test tape ... QZZCFM	<p>1. Test equipment connection is as same as "Head azimuth adjustment" but use the test tape instead of head azimuth tape (See fig. 11).      2. Place UNIT into playback mode.      3. Playback frequency response test tape.      4. Measure output level at 8kHz, 4kHz, 1kHz, 315Hz, 250Hz, 125Hz and 63Hz, and compare each output level with standard frequency 315Hz, at LINE OUT.      5. Make measurement for both channels.      6. Make sure that the measured value is within the range specified in the frequency response chart.</p>	* Playback mode

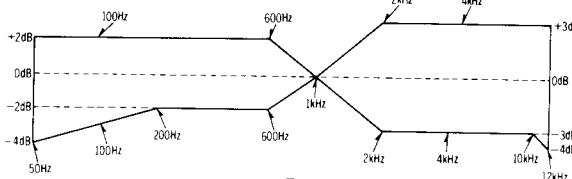
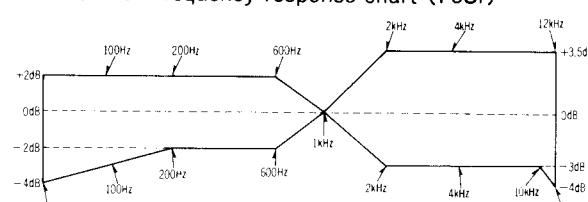
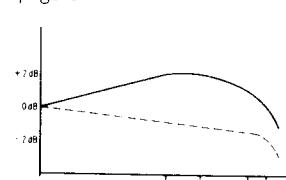
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	<p><b>Playback frequency response chart</b></p> <p><b>Fig. 15</b></p> <p><b>Adjustment method</b> If the measured value is not standard, adjust VR1 (L-CH), VR2 (R-CH).</p>	
<b>Playback gain</b> Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope * Test tape...QZZCFM	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 11.</li> <li>Play standard recording level portion on test tape (QZZCFM 315Hz), and using VTVM measure the output level at LINE OUT jack.</li> <li>Make measurement for both channels.</li> </ol> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Standard value: 0.65V</b></p> <p><b>Adjustment method</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If measured value is not standard, adjust VR3 (L-CH), VR4 (R-CH) (See fig. 28 on page 10).</li> <li>After adjustment, check "Playback frequency response" again.</li> </ol>	* Playback mode
<b>Playback S/N ratio</b> Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope * Test tape...QZZCFM * Empty cassette	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 11.</li> <li>Play standard recording level test tape (QZZCFM 315Hz) and read output level on VTVM. Refer to "Playback gain adjustment".</li> <li>Place empty cassette (which has been cut) and playback again.</li> <li>Measure noise level at this time using VTVM, and determine ratio of this level to test tape output signal voltage (315Hz).</li> </ol> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Standard value: Greater than 45dB</b></p>	* Playback mode
<b>Bias leak</b> Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Test equipment connection is shown below.</li> </ol> <p><b>Fig. 16</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Place UNIT into record mode.</li> <li>Adjust trap coil L5 (L-CH), L6 (R-CH), so that measured value on VTVM becomes minimum.</li> <li>Take adjustment for both channels.</li> </ol>	* Record mode

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<b>Bias current</b> Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope	<p>1. Test equipment connection is shown below.</p> <p><b>Fig. 17</b></p> $\text{Bias current (A)} = \frac{\text{Value read on VTVM (V)}}{10 (\Omega)}$ <p>2. Place UNIT into record mode, and bias selector to "LOW".  3. Read voltage on VTVM and calculate bias current by following formula:</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>Standard value:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>300μA (LOW position)</li> <li>310μA (MED position)</li> <li>365μA (HIGH position)</li> </ul> </div> <p>4. Adjust VR17 (L-CH) and VR18 (R-CH) (See adjustment part location on page 10).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record mode</li> <li>* When bias current is adjusted on one channel only, note that bias current on the other channel may vary.</li> </ul>
<b>Erase current</b> Equipment: * VTVM * Oscilloscope	<p>1. Test equipment connection is shown below.</p> <p><b>Fig. 18</b></p> <p>2. Place UNIT into record mode and set the bias selector to LOW position.  3. Read voltage on VTVM and calculate erase current by following formula:</p> $\text{Erase current (A)} = \frac{\text{Value read on VTVM (V)}}{1 (\Omega)}$ <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>Standard value:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More than 40mA (LOW position)</li> <li>More than 45mA (MED position)</li> <li>More than 55mA (HIGH position)</li> </ul> </div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record mode</li> <li>* Bias selector...LOW</li> </ul>

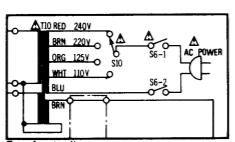
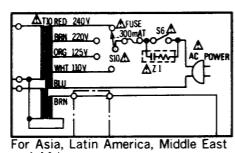
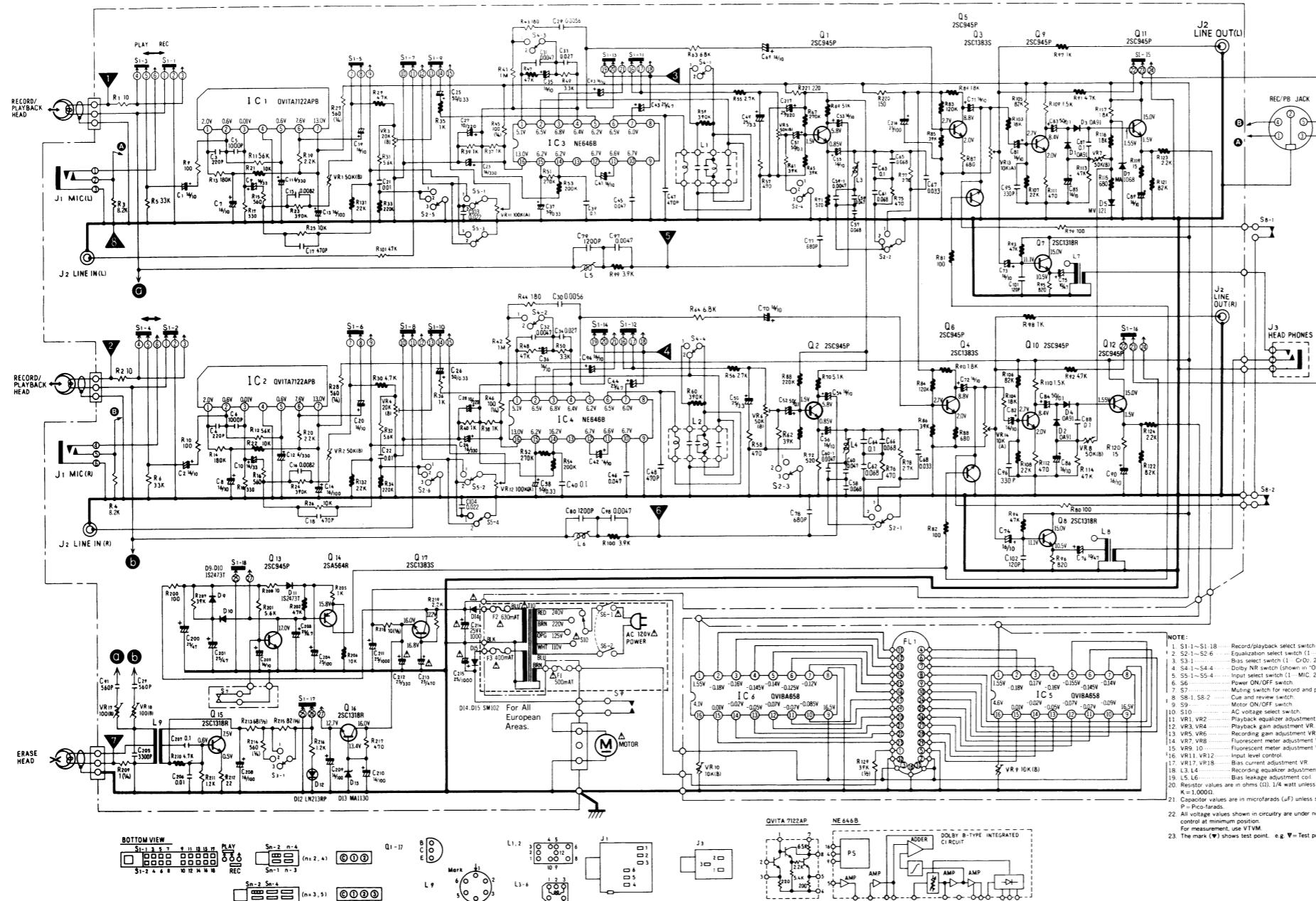
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Overall gain Equipment: * AF oscillator * VTVM * ATT * Oscilloscope * Test tape (reference blank tape) ... QZZCRA for Normal	<p>1. Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 19.</p> <p>Fig. 19</p> <p>2. Place UNIT into record mode, and equalizer selector to <math>120\mu\text{S}</math>, bias selector to LOW (for normal tape).</p> <p>3. Supply 1kHz signal (<math>-24\text{ dB}</math>) from AF oscillator, through ATT, to LINE IN.</p> <p>4. Adjust ATT until monitor level at LINE OUT becomes 0.65 V.</p> <p>5. Using test tape, make recording.</p> <p>6. Playback recorded tape, and make sure the value at LINE OUT on VTVM becomes 0.65 V.</p> <p>7. If measured value is not 0.65 V, adjust VR5 (L-CH), VR6 (R-CH) (See fig. 28 on page 10)</p> <p>8. Repeat from step (2)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record/playback mode</li> <li>* Input level control .... MAX</li> <li>* Standard input level: MIC ..... <math>-72 \pm 4\text{ dB}</math> LINE IN ... <math>-24 \pm 3\text{ dB}</math></li> </ul>
Fluorescent meter Equipment: * VTVM * AF oscillator * ATT	<p>1. Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 19.</p> <p>2. Supply 1kHz signal (<math>-24\text{ dB}</math>) to the LINE IN jack, then press the record button.</p> <p>3. Adjust the ATT so that the output level at LINE OUT jack becomes 0.65V. (=standard input level).</p> <p>4. Adjustment at "0dB".</p> <p>Fig. 20</p> <p>A. Adjust VR9 (L-CH) and VR10 (R-CH) so that the Fluorescent meters show an illuminated indication up to "0dB" when the input signal level is 0.9dB higher than the standard input level.</p> <p>B. Then confirm that the Fluorescent meters show an illuminated indication up to "+1dB" when the input signal level is 1.0 dB higher than the standard input level.</p> <p>5. Adjustment at "<math>-20\text{ dB}</math>"</p> <p>Fig. 21</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record mode</li> <li>* Input level control .... MAX</li> <li>* Tape selectors ...Normal position</li> </ul>

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	<p>A. Adjust VR7 (L-CH) and VR8 (R-CH) so that the Fluorescent meters show an illuminated indication up to "−20dB" when the input signal level is 15.1 dB lower than the standard input level.</p> <p>B. Then confirm that the Fluorescent meters show an illuminated indication up to "−15dB" when the input signal level is 15.0dB lower than the standard input level.</p>	
Overall distortion	<p>Equipment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Distortion meter</li> <li>* AF oscillator</li> <li>* ATT</li> <li>* Oscilloscope</li> <li>* Test tape (reference blank tape)           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>... QZZCRA for Normal</li> <li>... QZZCRX for CrO<sub>2</sub></li> <li>... QZZCRY for FeCr</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>1. Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 22.</p> <p><b>Fig. 22</b></p> <p>2. Supply 1kHz signal to LINE IN and adjust ATT so that output level at LINE OUT indicates 0.65V.</p> <p>3. Make recording.</p> <p>4. Playback and measure distortion factor of output signal.</p> <p>5. When the distortion factor does not satisfy the standard, check the bias current. When the bias current is lower than standard, distortion will increase. Care should be exercised in the adjustment because the bias current also has an influence on the overall frequency response. Refer to "The overall frequency response" and "The bias current adjustment".</p> <p><b>Standard value:</b> Less than 2.5% (Normal) Less than 4.0% (FeCr, CrO<sub>2</sub>)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record/playback mode</li> <li>* Input level control .... MAX</li> </ul>
Overall frequency response	<p>Equipment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* VTVM</li> <li>* AF oscillator</li> <li>* ATT</li> <li>* Test tape (reference blank tape)           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>... QZZCRA for Normal</li> <li>... QZZCRX for CrO<sub>2</sub></li> <li>... QZZCRY for FeCr</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Note: Before measuring, and adjusting, make sure of the playback frequency response (For the method of measurement, please refer to the playback frequency response).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 19.</li> <li>2. Load reference blank test tape and place UNIT into record mode.</li> <li>3. Supply 1kHz signal from AF oscillator through ATT to LINE IN.</li> <li>4. Adjust ATT so that input level is −20dB below standard recording level (standard recording level = 0 VU).</li> <li>5. At this time, LINE OUT level indicates 0.065V.</li> <li>6. Record each frequency 50Hz, 100Hz, 200Hz, 1kHz, 4kHz, 8kHz and 10kHz (12kHz for CrO<sub>2</sub> tape or FeCr tape) at the same level.</li> <li>7. Playback and express in dB the difference between playback output level of each frequency based on playback output level of 1kHz.</li> <li>8. Make sure that the measured value is within the range specified in the overall frequency response chart.</li> </ol> <p><b>Overall frequency response chart (Normal)</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record/playback mode</li> <li>* Input level control .... MAX</li> </ul>

**Fig. 23**

ITEM	MEASUREMENT & ADJUSTMENT	REMARKS
	<p>9. Set the bias selector to CrO<sub>2</sub> position.      10. Measure as same as manner above.      11. Make sure that the measured value is within the range specified in the overall frequency response chart for CrO<sub>2</sub> tape below.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Overall frequency response chart (CrO<sub>2</sub>)</b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Fig. 24</b></p> <p>12. Set the bias selector to FeCr position.      13. Measure as same as manner above.      14. Make sure that the measured value is within the range specified in the overall frequency response chart for FeCr tape below.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Overall frequency response chart (FeCr)</b></p>  <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Fig. 25</b></p>	
Overall frequency response adjustment  (As a standard for adjustment)	<p><b>Adjustment 1—Using bias current</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When the frequency response between the middle- and high-frequency range becomes higher than the standard value, as shown by the solid line in fig. 26, increase the bias current by turning VR17 (L-CH), VR18 (R-CH).</li> <li>When it becomes lower, as shown by dotted line, reduce the bias current by turning VR17 (L-CH), VR18 (R-CH).</li> </ol> <p><b>Note:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For adjustment when the bias current is lower than the standard value use the procedure indicated in adjustment 2, because reducing the bias current beyond this point may worsen the distortion factor.</li> <li>For the method of bias current measurement, refer to "Bias current adjustment" on page 6.</li> </ol> <p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Fig. 26</b></p> <p><b>Adjustment 2—Using the peaking coil for recording equalization</b></p> <p>When the frequency response is flat in the middle-frequency range and makes a sharp rise or drop in the high-frequency range, as shown in fig. 27, adjust by turning the peaking coil L3 (L-CH), L4 (R-CH) for normal tape recording equalization.</p>	

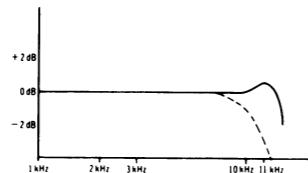
# SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM MODEL RS-M22



**NOTE:**  $\Delta$  indicates that only parts specified by the manufacturer be used for safety.

Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description						
<b>COMBINATION PART</b>														
Z1	QCR0008T	Spark Killer	D1, 2, 3, 4	QVIBA658	"	L1, 2	QLM9Z6K	MPX Filter Coil						
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas														
<b>TRANSISTORS</b>														
Q1, 2	2SC945P	Transistor	D5	OA91	Diode	L3, 4, 5, 6	QLQM0333	Coil						
Q3, 4	2SC1383S	"	D7	MV121	"	L7, 8	QLTD2D6X	Headphone Transformer						
Q5, 6	2SC945P	"	D9, 10, 11	MA1068	Zener Diode	L9	QLB0155	Oscillator Coil						
Q7, 8	2SC1318R	"	D12	1S2473T	Diode	<b>SWITCHES</b>								
Q9, 10, 11, 12, 13	2SC945P	"	D13	LN213RP	Light Emitting Diode	S1	QSS1203	Slide Switch						
Q14	2SA564R	"	D14, 15	MA1130	Zener Diode	S2	QST6314	Lever Switch						
Q15, 16	2SC1318R	"	D102	SM102	Diode	S3	QST2305	"						
Q17	2SC1383S	"	<b>TRANSFORMERS</b>			S4, 5	QST4220	"						
<b>INTEGRATED CIRCUITS</b>														
IC1, 2	QVITA7122AQB	Integrated Circuit	T10	QLPD27ELCB	Power Transformer	S6	QSW1206A	Push Switch						
IC3, 4	NE646B	"	*For All European areas and Australia			*For All European areas								
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## ELECTRICAL PARTS LOCATION

ITEM	MEASUREMENT & ADJUSTMENT	REMARKS
	 <p>Fig. 27</p>	
Dolby NR circuit Equipment: * VTVM * AF oscillator * ATT * Oscilloscope	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Place UNIT into record mode, set the Dolby NR switch to OUT position and supply to LINE IN to obtain <math>-34.5\text{ dB}</math> at TP3 (L-CH), TP4 (R-CH) (frequency 5 kHz).</li> <li>Confirm that the value at IN position is <math>8(\pm 2.5)\text{ dB}</math> greater than the value at OUT position of Dolby NR switch.</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record mode</li> <li>* Input level control .... MAX</li> </ul>
Overall S/N ratio Equipment: * VTVM * AF oscillator * ATT * Oscilloscope * Test tape (reference blank tape) ... QZZCRA	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Test equipment connection is shown in fig. 19.</li> <li>Supply 1kHz signal to LINE IN and adjust ATT so that output level at LINE OUT indicates 0.65 V.</li> <li>Make recording.</li> <li>Make another recording without supplying signal (disconnect input plug to LINE IN).</li> <li>Rewind to recorded part and playback.</li> <li>Measure output signal level and no signal level (noise), and determine the ratio in decibels (dB).</li> <li>The value is difference between "Playback S/N and overall S/N", but for decibel calculation refer to "Playback S/N measurement" on page 5.</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Record/playback mode</li> <li>* Input level control .... MAX</li> <li>* Erase the tape with a bulk tape eraser.</li> </ul>
	<b>Standard value:</b> Greater than 43 dB (without NAB filter)	

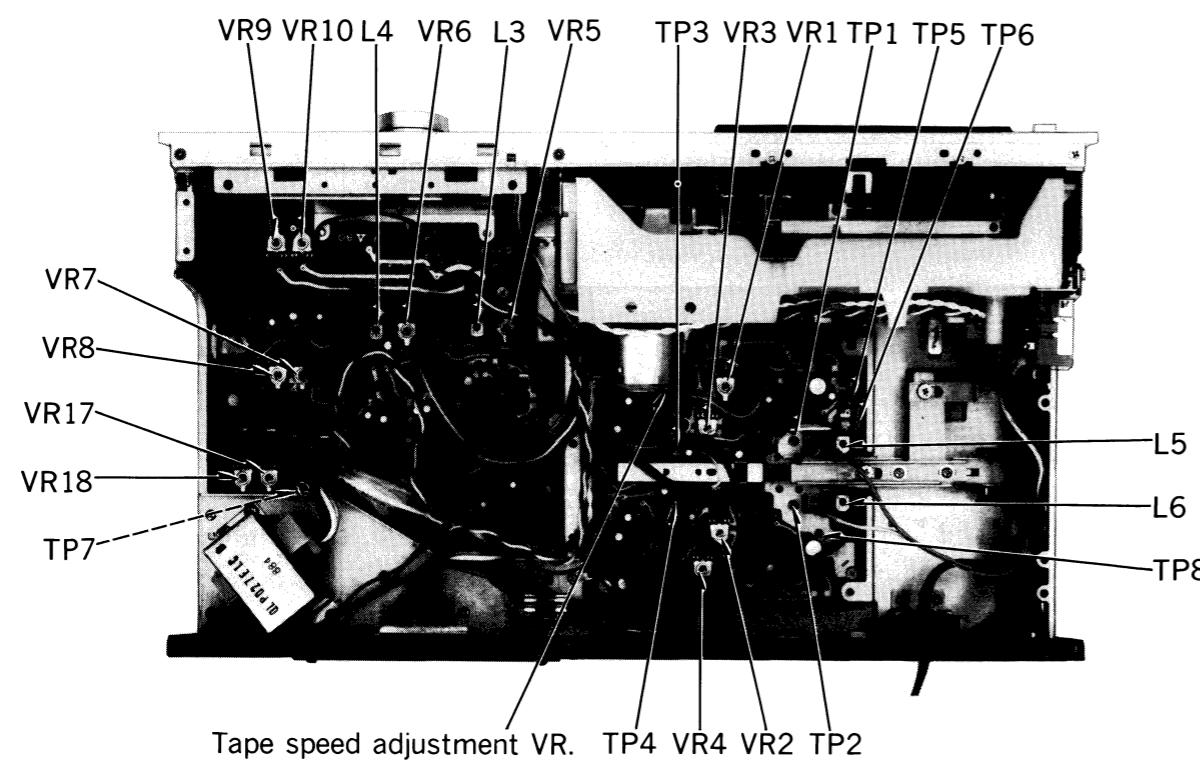
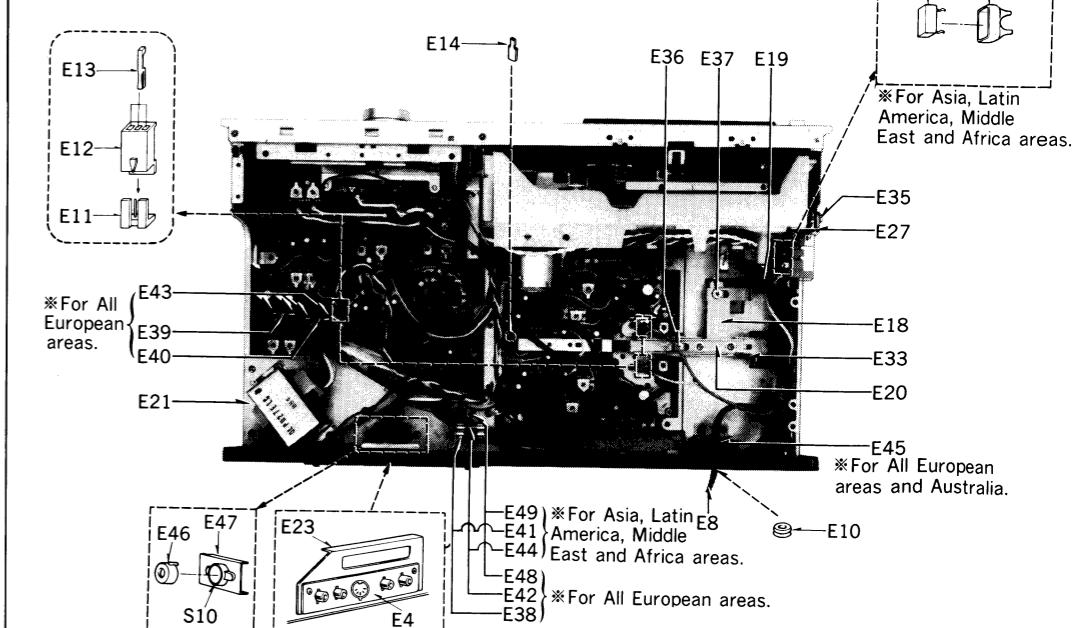


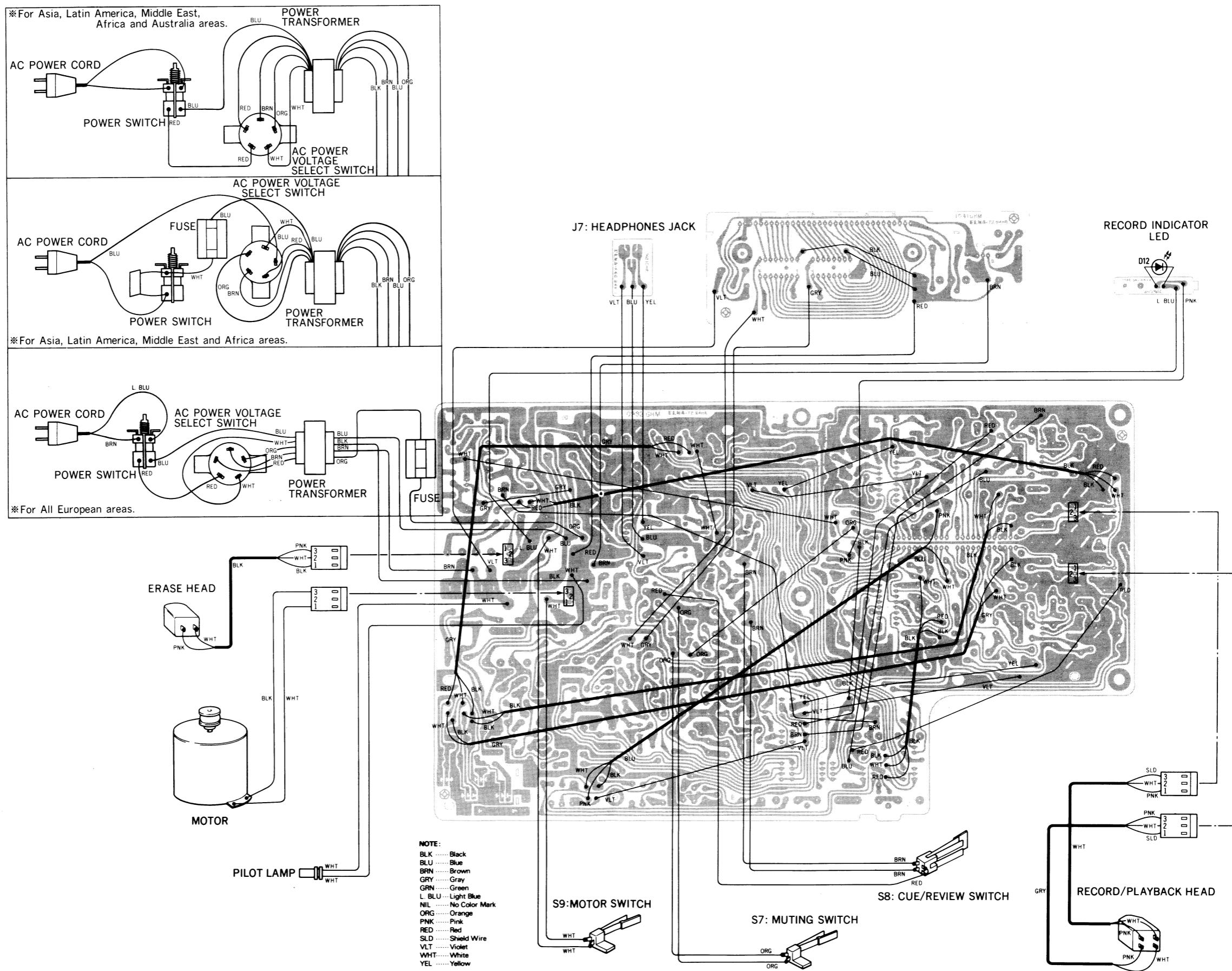
Fig. 28

NOTE:  $\Delta$  indicates that only parts specified by the manufacturer be used for safety.

Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description
<b>ELECTRICAL PARTS</b>		
E1	QWY4113Z	Record/Playback Head
E2	QWY2122ZA	Erase Head
E3	QLS5001RF	Fluorescent Level Meter
E4	QEJ5002S	Pin Jack Board Assembly
E5	QJA0249	Headphones Jack
E6	QJA0444H	Microphone Jack
E8 $\square \Delta$	QFC1204M	AC Power Cord
*For All European areas except United Kingdom		
E8 $\square \Delta$	QFC1205M	AC Power Cord
E8 $\square \Delta$	QFC1203M	AC Power Cord
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas		
E8 $\square \Delta$	QFC1208M	AC Power Cord
*For Australia		
E9 $\square$	QTW1118	Spark Killer Cover
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas		
E10 $\square \Delta$	QBJ1425	Cord Bushing
*For All European areas and Australia		
E10 $\square$	QTD1129	Cord Bushing
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas		
E11	QJP1921TN	3 Pin Plug
E12	QJS1921TN	3 Pin Socket
E13	QJT054	Contact
E14	QTO055	Connector Terminal
E15	QBG1506	LED Holder
E16	QBM1251	Cushion
E17 $\square \Delta$	QXB0600	Power Switch Button
*Silver Type*		
*QXB0600K		
*Black Type*		
*For All European areas and Australia		
E17 $\square$	QXB0558	Power Switch Button
*Silver Type*		
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas		
E18	QMA3470	Switch Lever
E19	QMA3471	Record Lever
E20	QMA3500	Adjustment Angle
E21	QMA3472	Transformer Angle
E22	QMA3477	Volume Angle
E23	QMA3469	Jack Board Angle
E24	QMA3479	Microphone Jack Angle
E25	QMA3328	Headphone Jack Angle
E26	QMA3478	Meter Holding Angle
E27	QMA3204	Power Switch Angle
E28	QNQ1039	Nut 9 $\phi$
E29	QNQ1004	Nut 8 $\phi$
E30	QNQ1070	Nut 10 $\phi$
E31	QWQ1133	Washer 9 $\phi$
E32	QWQ2002	Washer 8 $\phi$
E33	QBT1787	Lock Lever Spring
E35	XSNQ0004S	Screw
E36	QHQ11885	"
E37	QHQ11655	"
E38 $\square \Delta$	XBAQ0007	Fuse -400mAT
*For All European areas		
E39 $\square \Delta$	XBAQ0003	Fuse -500mAT
*For All European areas		
E40 $\square \Delta$	XBAQ0008	Fuse -630mAT
*For All European areas		
E41 $\square$	XBA2E03NS5	Fuse -300mAT
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas		
E42 $\square \Delta$	QTF1027	Fuse Holder
*For All European areas		
E43 $\square \Delta$	QTF1054	Fuse Holder
*For All European areas		
E44 $\square \Delta$	QTF1049	Fuse Holder
*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas		
E45 $\square \Delta$	QTD1164	Cord Clammer
*For All European areas and Australia		
E46	RUV387ZB	Voltage Selector Cover
E47	QMA3558	Voltage Selector Angle
E48 $\square \Delta$	QMA3669	Fuse Holder Angle
*For All European areas		
E49 $\square$	QMA3418	Fuse Holder Angle
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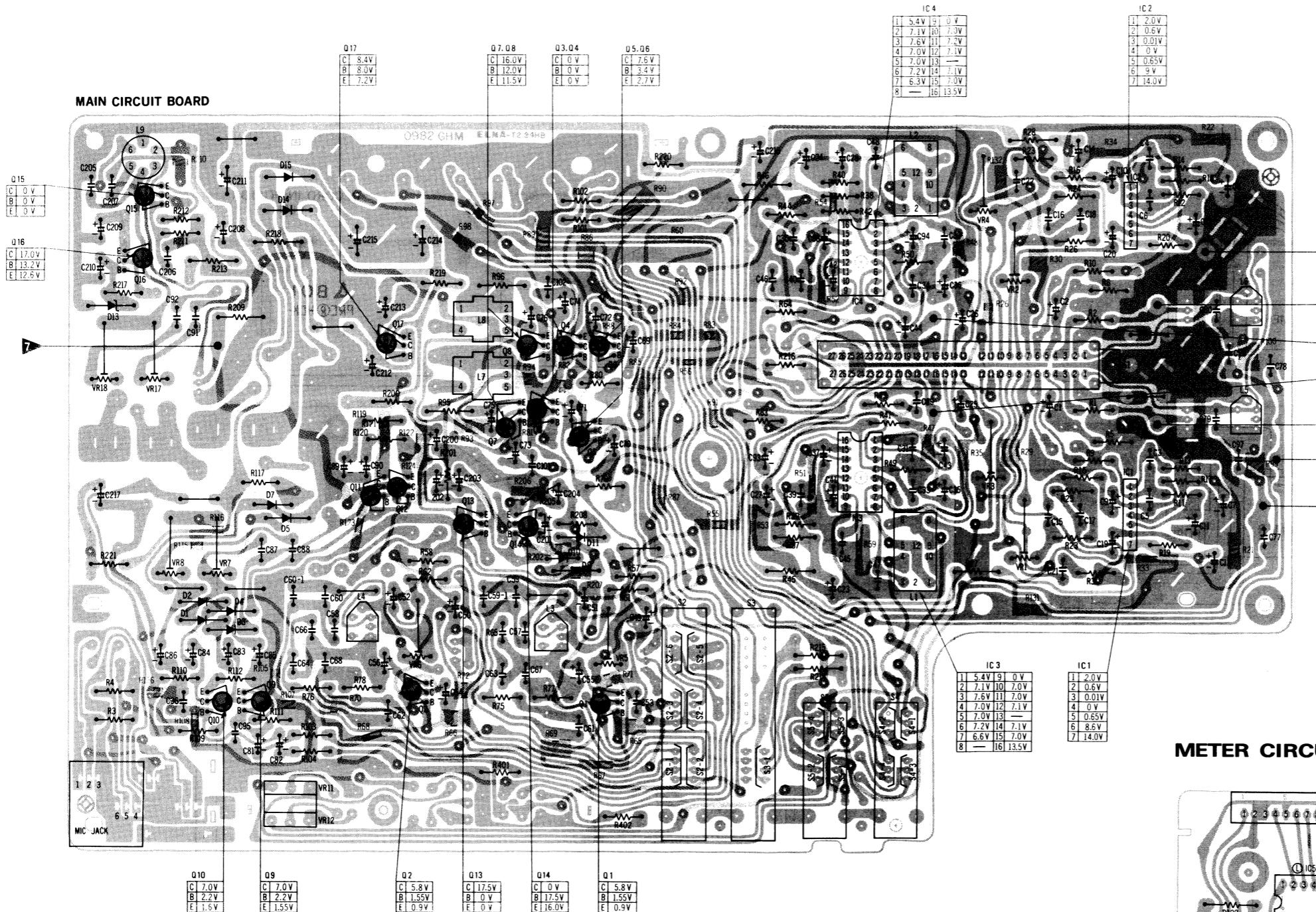


**WIRING CONNECTION DIAGRAM MODEL RS-M22**



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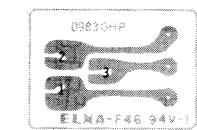
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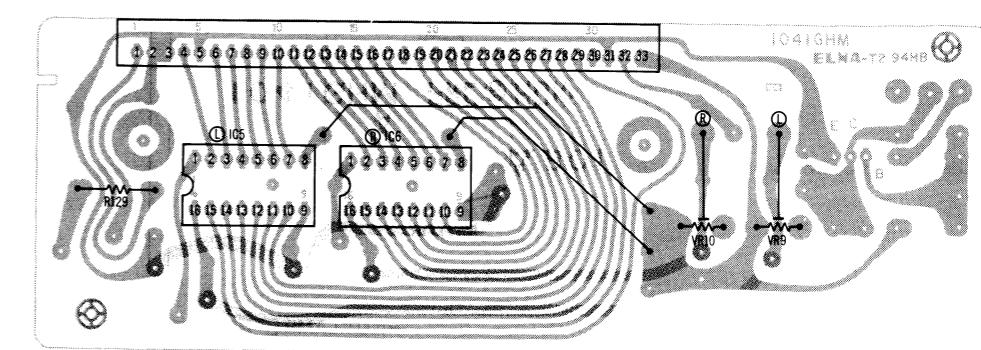
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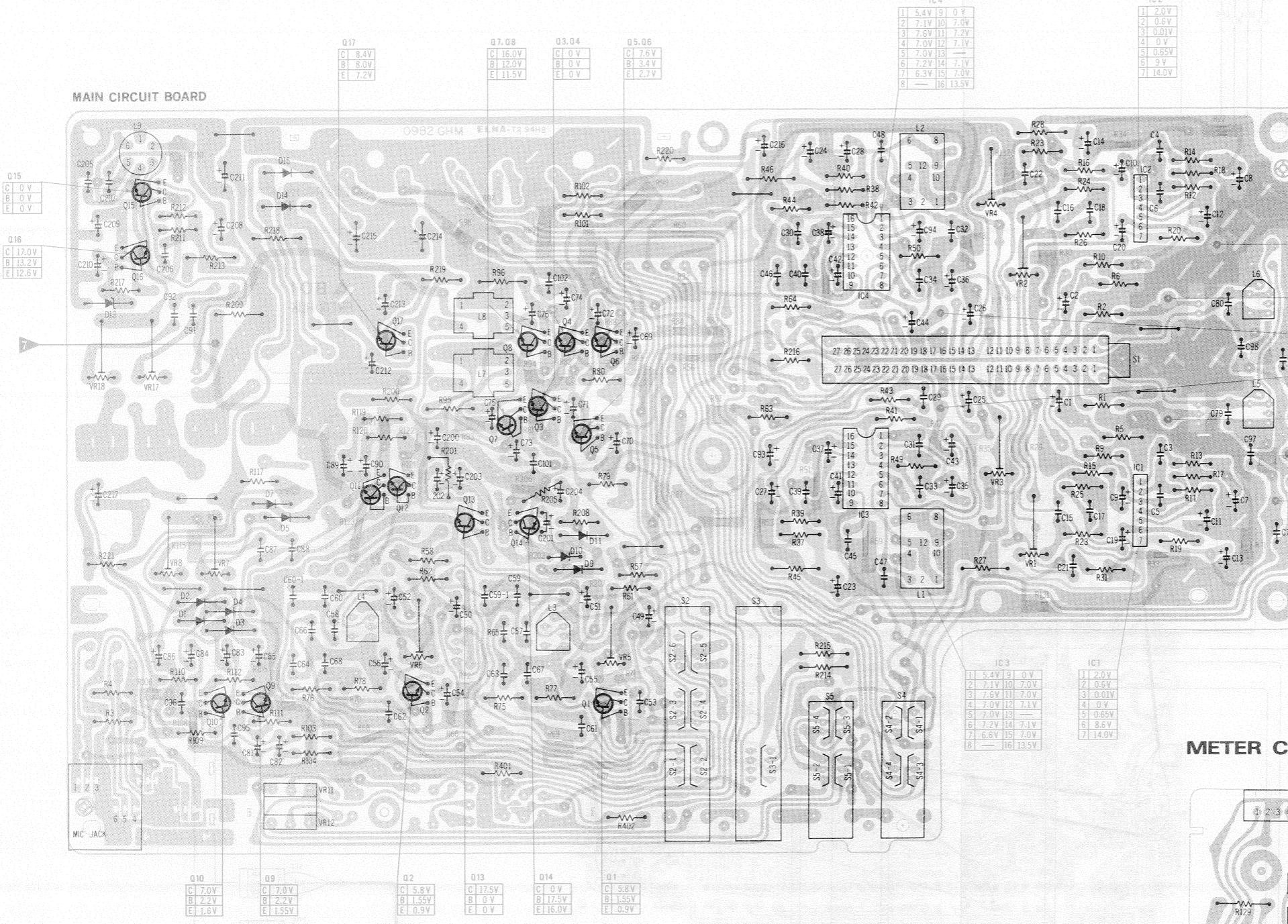


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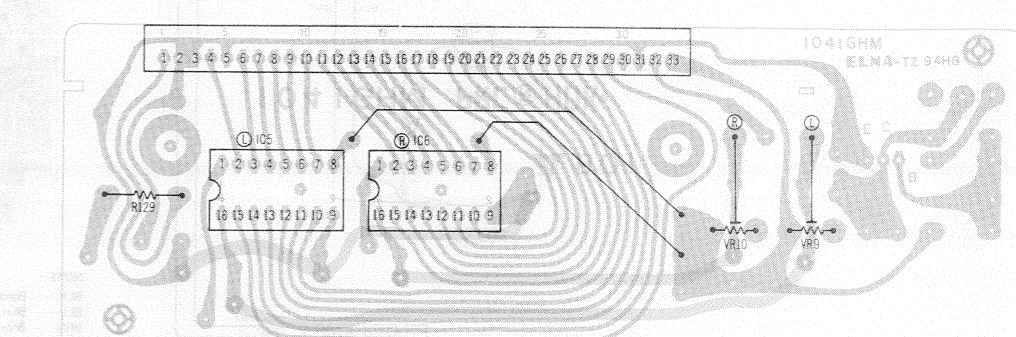
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The circuit shown in red on the conductor is B circuit.  
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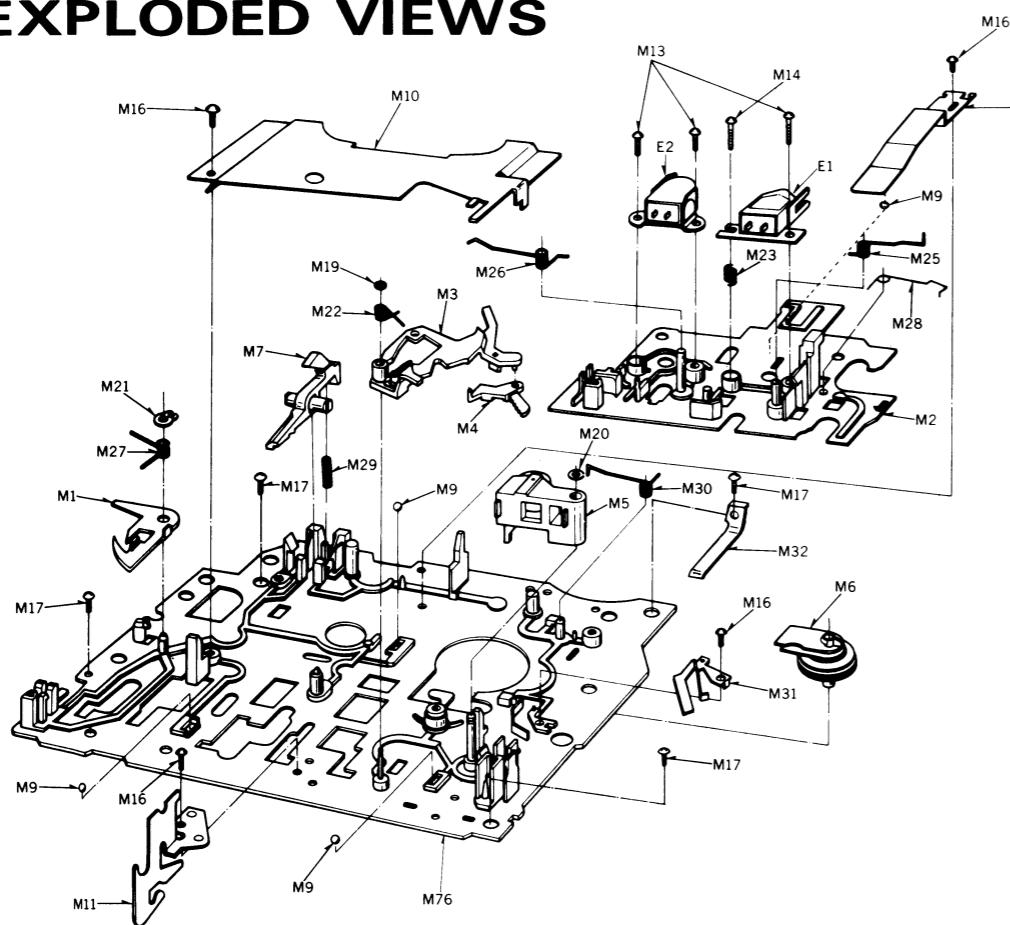
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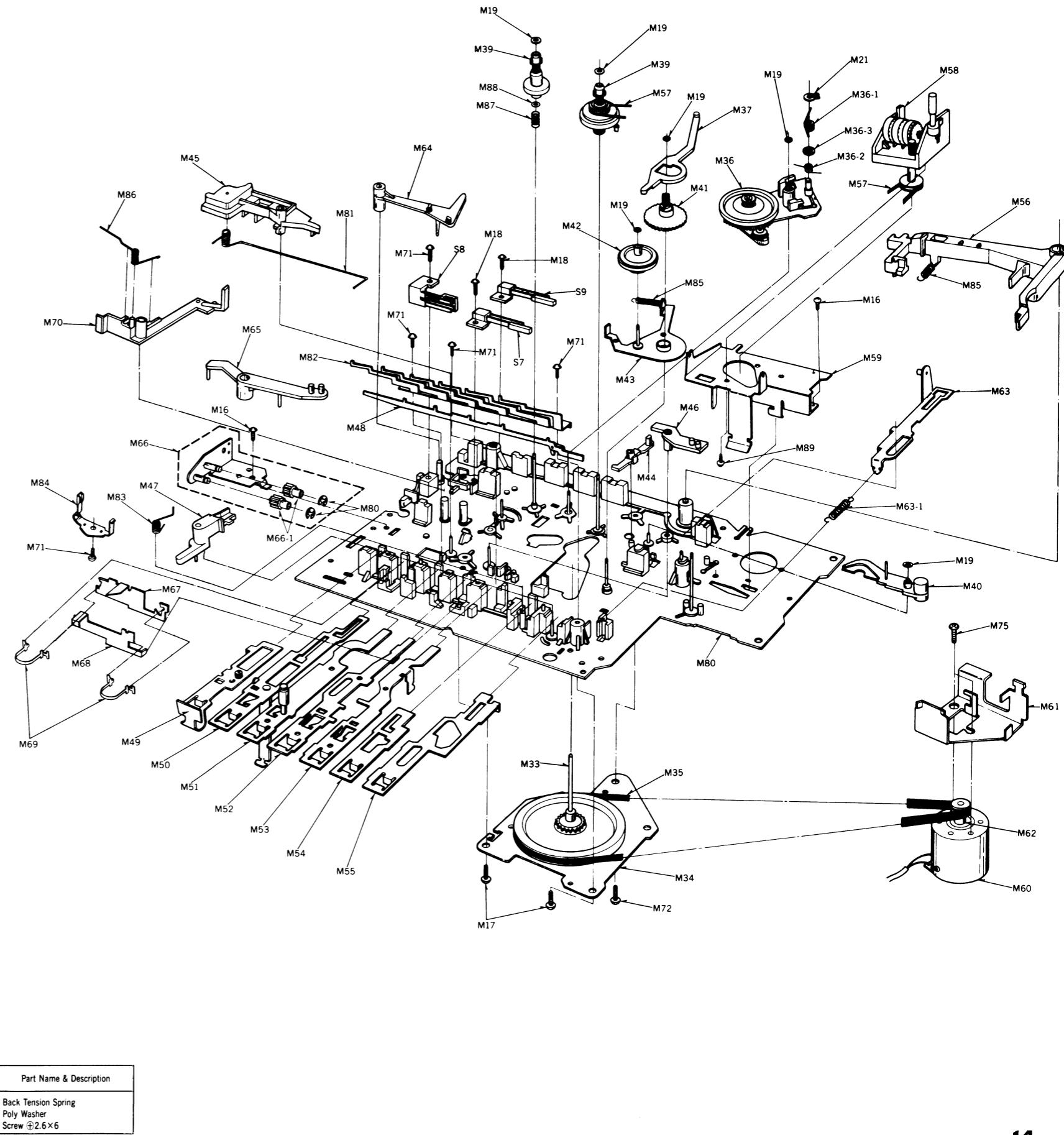
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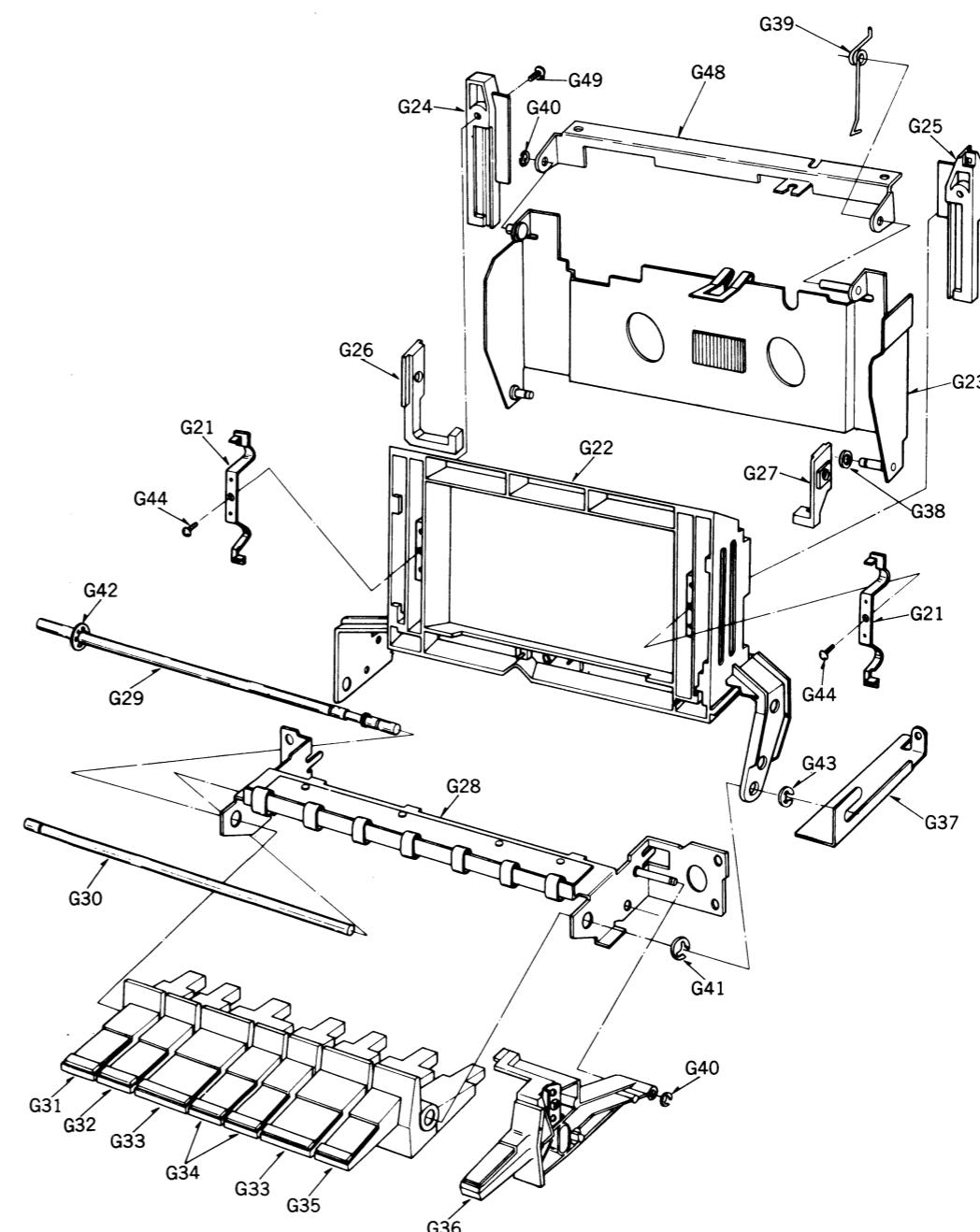
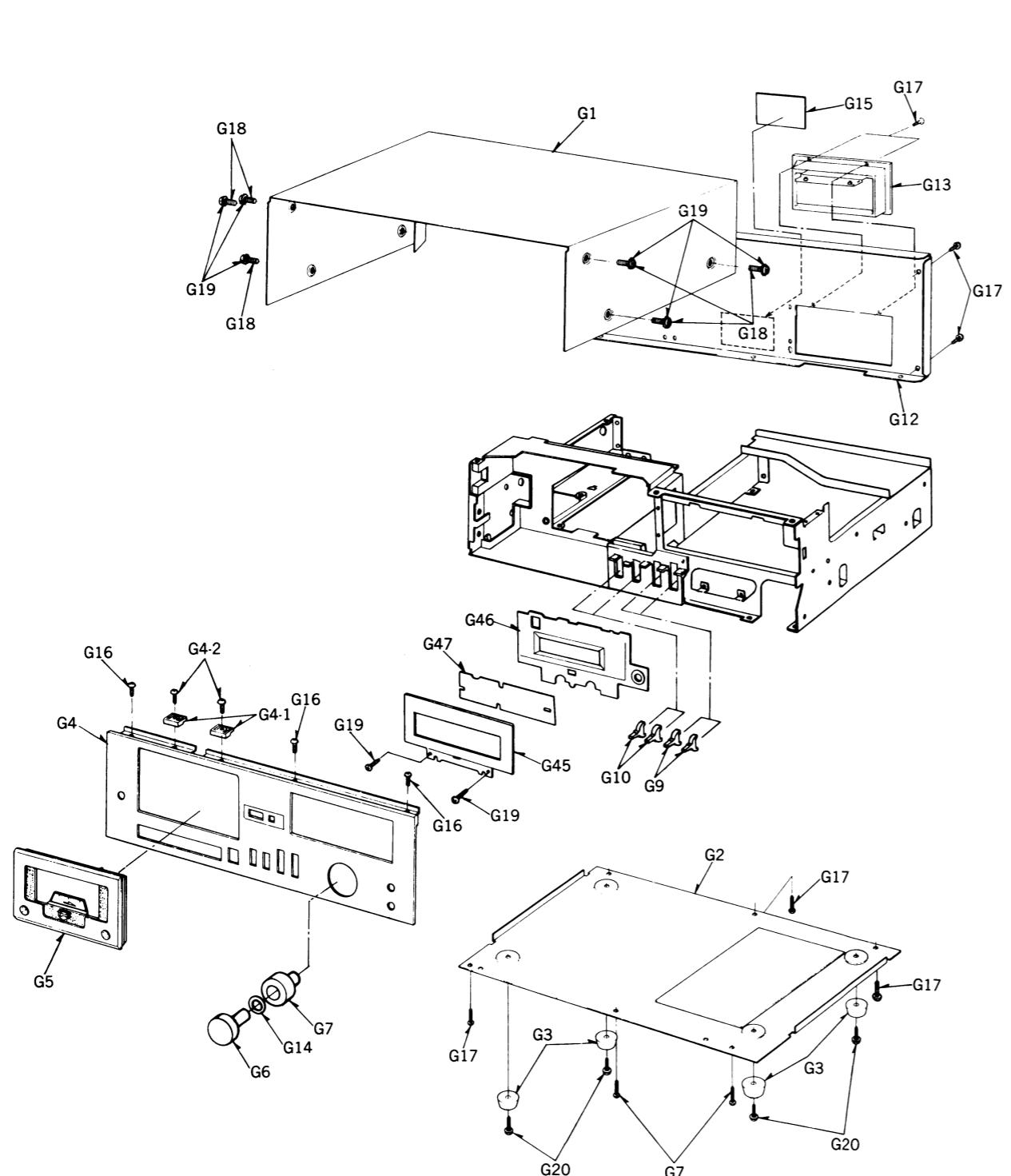
## EXPLODED VIEWS



Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description
<b>MECHANICAL PARTS</b>					
M1	QML2898	Pause Lock Plate	M43	QXL1037	Gear Lever Assembly
M2	QMK1612	Head Base Plate	M44	QML3042	Auto-Stop Obstruction Lever
M3	QML3047	Obstruction Lever	M45	QML3217	Pause Lever
M4	QML3048	Driving Lever	M46	QML3295	Cue Lever
M5	QXL1057	Pressure Roller Lever Assembly	M47	QML3124	Lock Release Arm
M6	QX10098	Takeup Idler Assembly	M48	QXR0275	Lock Rod Assembly
M7	QML3051	Erase Safety Lever	M49	QXR0342	Pause Rod Assembly
M9	QDK1012	Steel Ball	M50	QXR0343	Record Rod Assembly
M10	QMF1939	Chassis Cover-A	M51	QXR0344	Playback Rod Assembly
M11	QMA3169	Shaft Reinforcement Angle	M52	QMR1624	Rewind Rod-A
M13	XSN2+10	Screw $\oplus 2 \times 10$	M53	QMR1623	Fast Forward Rod-A
M14	QHQ1226	Screw	M54	QMR1622	Stop Rod-A
M16	XTN26+5B	Screw $\oplus 2.6 \times 5$	M55	QMR1621	Eject Rod-A
M17	XTN3+10B	Screw $\oplus 3 \times 10$	M56	QML3038	Switch Arm
M18	XTN26+8B	Screw $\oplus 2.6 \times 8$	M57	QDB0240	Counter Belt
M19	QBW2008	Snap Washer	M58	QXC0028	Tape Counter
M20	QBW2046	"	M59	QXC0043	"
M21	XUC4FT	Stop Ring 4φ	M60	QMA3171	"Black Type"
M22	QBN1515	Connection Spring	M61	MMCG62HYA	"Silver Type"
M23	QBC1278	Head Spring	M62	QMA3414	Counter Angle
M24	QBP1773	Head Base Plate Pressure Spring	M63	QXP0572	DC Motor
M25	QBN1448	Pressure Roller Spring	M63-1	QXR0345	Motor Angle
M26	QBN1481	Playback Spring	M64	QBT1619	Motor Pulley Assembly
M27	QBN1480	Pause Lock Spring	M65	QML3206	Sub-Eject Rod Assembly
M28	QBN1514	Timer Spring	M66	QXG1031	Idler Spring
M29	QBC1193	Safety Lever Spring	M66-1	QDG1102	Muting Arm
M30	QBN1513	Idler Spring	M67	QMR1628	Muting Lever
M31	QBP1723	Click Spring	M68	QMR1629	Damper Gear Assembly
M32	QBP1777	Holder Reinforcement Spring	M69	QBP1770	Holder Gear
M33	QXF0131	Flywheel Assembly	M70	QML3287	Obstruction Rod Spring
M34	QXH0239	Flywheel Retainer Assembly	M71	XTN26+6B	Brake Lever
M35	QDB0236	Capstan Belt	M72	XTN3+25B	Screw $\oplus 2.6 \times 6$
M36	QXL1136	Fast Forward Arm Assembly	M75	XSN26+4	Screw $\oplus 3 \times 25$
M36-1	QBN1517	Fast Forward Spring	M76	QXK1951	Screw $\oplus 2.6 \times 4$
M36-2	QBN1559	Fast Forward Arm Spring	M80	QXK2052	Upper Base Plate Assembly
M36-3	QMC0080	Collar	M81	QBN1555	Lower Base Plate Assembly
M37	QML3040	Cam Lever	M82	QBP1664	Pause Lever Spring
M38	QXD0067	Takeup Reel Table Assembly	M83	QBN1531	Operation Rod Spring
M39	QXD0084	Supply Reel Table Assembly	M84	QBP1662	Lock Release Arm Spring
M40	QXL1055	Auto-Stop Lever Assembly	M85	QBT1682	Lock Rod Spring
M41	QDG1096	Cam Gear	M86	QBN1574	Lock Holding Spring
M42	QXG1026	Auto-Stop Gear Assembly			Brake Spring



## CABINET PARTS



Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description	Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description
G44	XTN26+5BFV	Tapping Screw $\oplus 2.6 \times 5$	A2	QQT2477	Instruction Book
G45	QK2866	Meter Cover-A	A2	QQT2478	"
	"Silver Type"	"	A2	QQT2478	Instruction Book
	QK2866K	"Black Type"	A2	QQT2504	"
G46	QK2868	Meter Cover-B	P1	QPN3784	Instruction Book
G47	QKJ0287	Meter Cover-C	P2	QPA0429	"
G48	QMA3186	Fulcrum Angle	P3	QPA0430	"
G49	XTN26+8B	Tapping Screw $\oplus 2.6 \times 8$	P4	XZB50X65A02	"
			P5	QPS0285	"
<b>PACKINGS</b>					
<b>ACCESSORIES</b>					
A1	RP023A	Connection Cord			

Ref. No.	Part No.	Part Name & Description
<b>CABINET PARTS</b>		
G1	QGC1104	Case Cover
	"Silver Type"	"
	QGC1110	"
	"Black Type"	"
G2	QGC1106	Bottom Cover
G3	QKA1076	Rubber Foot
G4	QYP0832	Front Panel Assembly
	"Silver Type"	"
	QYP0832K	"
	"Black Type"	"
G4-1	QKJ0286	Stopper
G4-2	XTS3+8B	Screw $\oplus 3 \times 8$
G5	QYF0348	Cassette Lid Assembly
	"Silver Type"	"
	QYF0364	"
	"Black Type"	"
G6	QYT0488	Volume Knob-A
	"Silver Type"	"
	QYT0526	"
	"Black Type"	"
G7	QYT0489	Volume Knob-B
	"Silver Type"	"
	QYT0527	"
	"Black Type"	"
G9	QYT0491	Lever Knob-A
	"Silver Type"	"
	QYT0491K	"
	"Black Type"	"
G10	QYT0492	Lever Knob-B
	"Silver Type"	"
	QYT0492K	"
	"Black Type"	"
G12	QGC1122	Back Cover
G13	QGK2865	Jack Board Ornament
G14	QBW2066	Spacer
G15	QGS2629	Name Plate
	*For All European areas except United Kingdom	
G15	QGS2630	Name Plate
	*For United Kingdom and Australia	
G15	QGS2634	Name Plate
	*For Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas	
G16	XTS3+10B	Screw $\oplus 3 \times 10$
G17	XTS3+10B	Tapping Screw $\oplus 3 \times 10$
G18	XSN4+8BVS	Screw $\oplus 4 \times 8$
G19	XWC4BFN	Lock Washer 4φ
G20	XTN4+10B	Tapping Screw $\oplus 4 \times 10$
G21	QBP1771	Holder Spring
G22	QKF6008	Cassette Holder
G23	QKH0285	Chassis Cover Assembly
G24	QKF6010	Holder Piece-L
G25	QKF6009	Holder Piece-R
G26	QMG0050	Holder Slider-L
G27	QMG0049	Holder Slider-R
G28	QXA0637	Push Button Holding Angle
G29	QMN2240	Push Button Shaft-A
G30	QXA01861	Push Button Shaft-B
G31	QG01473	Push Button (PAUSE)
	"Silver Type"	"
	QG01551	"Black Type"
G32	QG01474	Push Button (RECORD)
	"Silver Type"	"
	QG01552	"Black Type"
G33	QG01476	Push Button (PLAY, STOP)
	"Silver Type"	"
	QG01554	"Black Type"
G34	QG01477	Push Button (FF, REW)
	"Silver Type"	"
	QG01555	"Black Type"
G35	QG01475	Push Button (EJECT)
	"Silver Type"	"
	QG01553	"Black Type"
G36	QXB0556	Timer Button Assembly
	"Silver Type"	"
	QXB0616	Shaft Retainer Angle
	"Black Type"	"
G37	QMA3576	Washer
	"Black Type"	"
G38	QBW2017	Chassis Cover Spring
	"	"
G39	QBN1554	Stop Ring 2.5φ
G40	XUC25FT	Stop Ring 4φ
G41	XUC4FT	Stop Ring 4φ
G42	QNO1080	Stop Ring 3φ
G43	XUC3FT	Stop Ring 3φ

# Service Manual

Cassette Deck

**RS-M22**

(Silver Face)

**Supplementary**

Front-Loading Vertical Hold Stereo Cassette Deck with  
FL Bar Graph Peak Meters, Rewind Auto-Play,  
and Separate 3-Position Bias and Equalization Selectors

For additional information, please refer to the service manual for Model No. RS-M22.

**Notes:**

1. This service manual indicates the main differences between; original RS-M22 for (D/B/N/A) and RS-M22 for PX.
2. Please file this manual with the service manual for Model No. RS-M22 (original), order No. ARD-7812089C.

**PARTS COMPARISON TABLE:**

Ref. No.	Description	Parts Number		Remarks
		Original	for PX	
R3, 4	Resistor	ERD25TJ822	ERD25TJ681	
C103, 104	Capacitor	ECQM05223KZ	—	Deleted
E4	Pin Jack Board Assembly	QEJ5002S	QEJ5003S	
G4	Front Panel Assembly	QYP0832	QYP0752	
G15	Name Plate	QGS2629	QGS2710	
A2	Instruction Book	QQT2477	QQT2657	
P1	Inside Carton	QPN3784	QPN3781	

\* Other parts are just same as parts for Asia, Latin America, Middle East and Africa areas.

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