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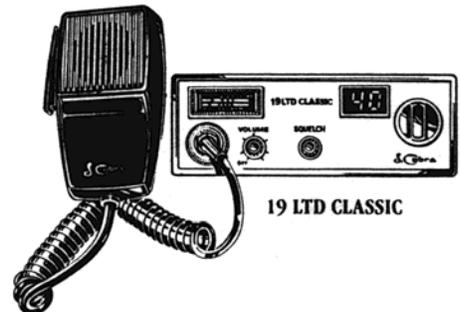
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**MODELS 19 LTD CLASSIC
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----- CIRCUIT DESCRIPTIONS -----
(REFER TO SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM AND BLOCK DIAGRAM)

1. BASIC PLL SYNTHESIS SCHEME

THE CRYSTAL FREQUENCY (10.240MHz) IS DIVIDED BY 4096 TO YIELD 2.5KHz, WHICH IS FED TO ONE SIDE OF THE PHASE DETECTOR. THE VCO OUTPUT IS DIVIDED BY A PROGRAMMABLE DIVIDER AND FED TO THE OTHER SIDE OF THE PHASE DETECTOR. THE FEEDBACK LOOP IS CLOSED BY PASSING THE PHASE DETECTOR OUTPUT THROUGH AN ACTIVE LOW PASS FILTER AND USING THE OUTPUT TO CONTROL THE VCO FREQUENCY THROUGH VARICAP D 14; THE NET RESULT IS A SECOND ORDER PHASE LOCKED LOOP. UNDER LOCKED CONDITIONS, THE FREQUENCY TO BOTH SIDES OF THE PHASE DETECTOR MUST BE IDENTICAL AT 2.5KHz. THE VCO FREQUENCY IS THEN GIVEN BY:

$$F \text{ VCO} / N = 0.0025\text{MHz} \text{ OR } F \text{ VCO} = 0.0025 \times N \text{ MHz}$$

SINCE N IS AN INTEGER, THE VCO FREQUENCY CAN BE STEPPED UP IN 2.5KHz INCREMENTS. BY SUITABLE CHOICE OF N, THE DESIRED OUTPUT FREQUENCIES ARE OBTAINED. THE VCO FREQUENCY IS FED TO Q 20 WHICH THEN DOUBLES THE FREQUENCY. FOR THE FIRST LOCAL OSCILLATION, THE BUFFER AMP Q 12 OUTPUT IS SUPPLIED. SINCE ALL FREQUENCIES ARE OBTAINED FROM THE CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR, ALL OUTPUT ARE COHERENT WITH THE CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR FREQUENCY AND MAINTAIN THE SAME PERCENTAGE ACCURACY.

2. PHASE DETECTOR AND VCO CONTROL

THE PHASE DETECTOR IS A DIGITAL PHASE COMPARATOR WHICH COMPARES THE LEADING EDGE OF THE REFERENCE WITH PROGRAMMABLE DIVIDER OUTPUT SQUARE WAVES AND DEVELOPS A SERIES OF PULSES WHOSE DC LEVEL DEPENDS ON WHETHER THE PHASE ERROR IS LEADING OR LAGGING. THE PHASE DETECTOR PULSE OUTPUT IS FED TO A CHARGE PUMP AND THEN PIN 15 OF IC 1. THE CHARGE PUMP OUTPUT IS FED TO AN ACTIVE LOW PASS FILTER WHICH CONSISTS OF R 88, R 89, C 104 AND THE AMPLIFIER BETWEEN PINS 16 AND 17 OF IC 1. THE LOW PASS FILTER OUTPUT AT PIN 17 OF IC 1 IS FURTHER FILTERED AND FED TO VARICAP D 14 TO CONTROL THE VCO FREQUENCY. THE RESULT IS A SECOND ORDER PLL WITH THE LOOP DYNAMICS ESSENTIALLY CONTROLLED BY THE ACTIVE LOW PASS FILTER.

3. TRANSMIT AND RECEIVE BUFFER AMP

THE VCO OUTPUT IS FED INTO BUFFER AMP Q 12 FROM THE SECONDARY COIL OF L 13.

4. TRANSMIT DOUBLER

THE Q 12 OUTPUT IS OBTAINED AS BASE OUTPUT AND FED TO THE BASE OF DOUBLER TRANSISTOR Q 20. AT THIS STAGE, THE FREQUENCY IS DOUBLED. THE Q 20 OUTPUT TANK IS A DOUBLE TUNED CIRCUIT CONSISTING OF L 11 AND L 12 TO STOP THE FUNDAMENTAL FREQUENCY.

5. SWITCHING OF TUNING CAPACITOR IN VCO OSCILLATOR TANK CIRCUIT

THE VCO CIRCUIT MUST TUNE WITH A WIDE RANGE OF FREQUENCIES, 13.4825 TO 13.7025MHz FOR TRANSMITTER AND 16.270 TO 16.710MHz FOR RECEIVER.

THE USE OF ONE TUNING CAPACITOR IN COMMON HAVE SUCH ADVERSE EFFECTS AS A DECREASE IN THE TUNING CIRCUIT AND THE OCCURENCE OF MANY SPURIOUS RESPONSES. TO ELIMINATE THESE EFFECTS, THE TUNING CAPACITANCE IS SWITCHED FOR TRANSMISSION OR RECEPTION.

THE TANK CIRCUIT CONSISTS OF THE PRIMARY OF L13, C 90 AND C 92. WHEN RECEIVING, Q 13 BECOMES OFF AND THEREFORE, THE PRIMARY OF L 13 PERFORMS THE TUNING FUNCTION. WHEN TRANSMITTING, Q 13 BECOMES ON AND THEREFORE, THE PRIMARY OF L 13 AND THE PARALLEL CAPACITANCE OF C 91 AND C 92 PERFORMS THE TUNING FUNCTION.

6. RECEIVER LOCAL OSCILLATOR OUTPUT

FIRST MIXER: THE SECONDARY OUTPUT OF VCO TANK CIRCUIT L 13 IS INJECTED THROUGH BUFFER AMP Q 12 AND THE BUFFER CIRCUIT OUTPUT THROUGH THE BASE OF Q 4.

SECOND MIXER: THE OSCILLATION OUTPUT, OSCILLATED WITH 10.240MHz CRYSTAL X 1 BY Q 15, IS INJECTED INTO THE BASE OF Q 4.

7. OUT OF LOCK PROTECTION

IC 1 INCLUDES AN AUXILLARY EXCLUSIVE OR PHASE DETECTOR WHICH FUNCTIONS AS A LOCK DETECTOR. IF LOCK IS LOST, PIN 14 GOES LOW AND THE BASE BIAS OF Q 19 IS CUT OFF TO PROHIBIT TRANSMISSION AND RECEPTION. TRANSMISSIONS CANNOT BE MADE IF A CODE OTHER THAN THOSE FOR THE 40 CHANNELS ARE INPUTED TO IC 1.

8. FREQUENCY STABILITY

LET: F_{Xo} = CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR FREQUENCY
 F_{Ref} = PHASE DETECTOR REFERENCE FREQUENCY
 F_{VCO} = VCO FREQUENCY
 $X_{CMP} = F_{Ref} = F_{O}/4096$

AND UNDER LOCKED CONDITIONS:

$F_{Ref} = F_{VCO}/N$:N IS THE PROGRAMMABLE DIVIDE RATIO

$X_{CMP}: F_{VCO} = N \times F_{Ref} = n (F_{Xo}/4096)$

FROM WHICH IT CAN BE SEEN, THE PERCENTAGE ERROR IN F_{Trn} IS THE SAME AS THE PERCENTAGE ERROR IN F_{Xo} . THE STABILITY OF THE CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR IS DETERMINED PRIMARILY BY THE CRYSTAL AND TO A LESSER EXTENT BY THE ACTIVE AND PASSIVE COMPONENTS IS SUCH THAT THE REQUIRED FREQUENCY STABILITY IS MAINTAINED OVER THE REQUIRED VOLTAGE AND TEMPERATURE RANGE.

9. DETAILED DESCRIPTION

-1. INTRODUCTION

THE SYNTHESIZER IS IMPLEMENTED WITH THE FOLLOWING COMPONENTS:

| | |
|---------------|---------------|
| PLL IC | (IC 1) |
| X-TAL | (X 1) |
| VARICAP DIODE | (D 14) |
| TRANSISTOR | (Q 13, 14) |
| LED DISPLAY | (LED DISPLAY) |

- IC 1 IS A CMOS LSI THAT INCLUDES MOST OF THE PLL BLOCK.
- THE VCO WITH VARICAP DIODE D 14 IS PART OF THE OSCILLATOR TANK CIRCUIT.
- Q 13 IS A SWITCHING TRANSISTOR TO CONNECT OR DISCONNECT THE TUNING CAPACITOR C 91 IN THE VCO TANK CIRCUIT FOR TRANSMITTER OR RECEIVER.

-2. REFERENCE FREQUENCY

THE REFERENCE FREQUENCY IS PRODUCED BY X 1 AND OTHER COMPONENTS AT Q 15. THE OSCILLATOR OUTPUT IS FED TO PIN 11 AT IC 1 AND DIVIDED BY 4096 TO PRODUCE A 2.5KHz SQUARE WAVE WHICH IS THE REFERENCE INPUT TO THE PHASE DETECTOR.

-3. VCO

Q 14 IS CONSTRUCTED BY A COLPITTS TYPE OSCILLATOR WITH VARICAP DIODE D 14 AS A PART OF THE TANK CIRCUIT. WITH APPROPRIATE CONTROL VOLTAGE ON D 14, THE VCO CAN BE MADE TO OSCILLATE OVER THE REQUIRED RANGE OF 13.4825 TO 16.710MHz.

-4. PROGRAMMABLE DIVIDER AND CONTROL

THE PROGRAMMABLE INPUTS, CONSISTING OF A 7-SEGMENT CODE, ARE FED TO PINS 1 THROUGH 8 OF IC 1 TO LIGHT CHANNEL INDICATOR LED (LED 1). For CH. 1, "b" AND "c" OF THE FIRST LED ELEMENT WILL LIGHT. THE PROGRAMMABLE INPUT "b" GOES LOW TO PRODUCE CH. 1 DIVIDE (RX: N = 3254, TX: N = 5393). FOR EACH CHANNEL NUMBER INPUT, AN INTERNAL CODE CONVERTER ROM PROVIDES THE APPROPRIATE BINARY CONTROL TO THE PROGRAMMABLE DIVIDER FOR THAT CHANNEL. SINCE THE BINARY NUMBER REQUIRED IS DIFFERENT DURING TRANSMIT AND RECEIVE, AN ADDITIONAL BIT IS REQUIRED AT PIN 20 OF IC 1 TO ALLOW THE ROM TO RECOGNIZE THE TX/RX STATUS. DURING TRANSMIT, THE PUSH-TO-TALK SWITCH ROUNDS PIN 20 THROUGH RESISTOR WHICH IS THE TRANSMIT STATUS. THE PROGRAMMABLE DIVIDER OUTPUT IS FED TO THE PHASE DETECTOR FOR COMPARISON WITH THE 2.5KHz REFERENCE. (SEE TABLE 1 FOR ACTUAL INPUT AND DIVIDE RATIOS ON ALL CHANNELS.)

10. DESCRIPTION OF OTHER CIRCUITS

-1. RF AMPLIFICATION

THE OUTPUT OF DOUBLER CIRCUITS Q 20 IS FED THROUGH DOUBLE TUNING (27MHz) L 11 AND L 12 TO THE BASE OF PRE-AMPLIFIER Q 19. THE OUTPUT IS SUPPLIED THROUGH TUNING CIRCUIT L 10, C 72 AND C 73 TO RF DRIVER AMPLIFIER Q 18. THE Q 18 OUTPUT IS CAPACITANCE DIVIDED BY TUNING CIRCUIT C 69 AND C 70 PASSED THROUGH THE BASE OF FINAL RF STAGE. THE Q 17 OUTPUT IS SUPPLIED TO THE ANTENNA THROUGH L-C TUNING CIRCUIT.

-2. CIRCUIT FOR SUPPRESSION OF SPURIOUS RADIATION

THE TUNING CIRCUIT BETWEEN FREQUENCY SYNTHESIZER AND FINAL AMPLIFIER Q 17 AND 2-STAGE "PI" NETWORK C 59, L 6, C 60, L 7 AND C 61 IN THE Q 17 OUTPUT CIRCUIT SERVE TO SUPPRESS SPURIOUS RADIATION. THE NETWORK CONSISTING OF L 8, C 62, AND C 63 SERVE TO MATCH THE IMPEDANCE OF Q 17 TO THE ANTENNA TO REDUCE THE SPURIOUS CONTENT TO ACCEPTABLE LEVELS IN THE FREQUENCY SYNTHESIZER.

-3. CIRCUITS FOR LIMITING POWER

DURING FACTORY ALIGNMENT, THE SERIES BASE RESISTOR OF FINAL AMPLIFIER Q 17 (R 66) IS SELECTED TO LIMIT THE AVAILABLE POWER TO SLIGHTLY MORE THAN 4 WATTS. THE TUNING IS ADJUSTED SO THAT THE ACTUAL POWER IS FROM 3.6 TO 4.4 WATTS. THERE ARE NO OTHER CONTROLS FOR ADJUSTING THE POWER.

-4. MODULATION

THE MIC INPUT IS FED TO C.R. AND THEN TO AUDIO POWER AMP IC 2 WHICH FEEDS MODULATION TRANSFORMER T 1. THE AUDIO OUTPUT AT THE SECONDARY OF T 1 IS FED IN SERIES WITH THE B+ VOLTAGE THROUGH DIODE D 8 TO THE COLLECTORS OF DRIVER Q 18 AND FINAL Q 17 TO COLLECTOR-MODULATE BOTH THESE STAGES.

-5. CIRCUITS FOR LIMITING MODULATION

A PORTION OF THE MODULATING VOLTAGE IS RECTIFIED BY D 7 WHICH TURNS ON Q 7 WHICH THEN ATTENUATES THE MIC INPUT TO AUDIO AMP IC 2. THE RESULTING FEEDBACK LOOP KEEPS THE MODULATION FROM EXCEEDING 100 PERCENT INPUTS, APPROXIMATELY 40dB GREATER THAN THAT REQUIRED TO PRODUCE 50 PERCENT MODULATION. THE ATTACK TIME IS ABOUT 100ms AND THE RELEASE TIME IS ABOUT 300ms.

TABLE 1

Program Data and Frequency Division

| CHANNEL | U.S.A | | |
|---------|--------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | FREQ | TX VCO FREQ (TX F IN) | RX VCO FREQ (RX F IN) |
| 1 | 26.965 | 13.4825 | 16.27 |
| 2 | 26.975 | 13.4875 | 16.28 |
| 3 | 26.985 | 13.4925 | 16.29 |
| 4 | 27.005 | 13.5025 | 16.31 |
| 5 | 27.015 | 13.5075 | 16.32 |
| 6 | 27.025 | 13.5125 | 16.33 |
| 7 | 27.035 | 13.5175 | 16.34 |
| 8 | 27.055 | 13.5275 | 16.36 |
| 9 | 27.065 | 13.5325 | 16.37 |
| 10 | 27.075 | 13.5375 | 16.38 |
| 11 | 27.085 | 13.5425 | 16.39 |
| 12 | 27.105 | 13.5525 | 16.41 |
| 13 | 27.115 | 13.5575 | 16.42 |
| 14 | 27.125 | 13.5625 | 16.43 |
| 15 | 27.135 | 13.5675 | 16.44 |
| 16 | 27.155 | 13.5775 | 16.46 |
| 17 | 27.165 | 13.5825 | 16.47 |
| 18 | 27.175 | 13.5875 | 16.48 |
| 19 | 27.185 | 13.5925 | 16.49 |
| 20 | 27.205 | 13.6025 | 16.51 |
| 21 | 27.215 | 13.6075 | 16.52 |
| 22 | 27.225 | 13.6125 | 16.53 |
| 23 | 27.255 | 13.6275 | 16.56 |
| 24 | 27.235 | 13.6175 | 16.54 |
| 25 | 27.245 | 13.6225 | 16.55 |
| 26 | 27.265 | 13.6325 | 16.57 |
| 27 | 27.275 | 13.6375 | 16.58 |
| 28 | 27.285 | 13.6425 | 16.59 |
| 29 | 27.295 | 13.6475 | 16.60 |
| 30 | 27.305 | 13.6525 | 16.61 |
| 31 | 27.315 | 13.6575 | 16.62 |
| 32 | 27.325 | 13.6625 | 16.63 |
| 33 | 27.335 | 13.6675 | 16.64 |
| 34 | 27.345 | 13.6725 | 16.65 |
| 35 | 27.355 | 13.6775 | 16.66 |
| 36 | 27.365 | 13.6825 | 16.67 |
| 37 | 27.375 | 13.6875 | 16.68 |
| 38 | 27.385 | 13.6925 | 16.69 |
| 39 | 27.395 | 13.6975 | 16.70 |
| 40 | 27.405 | 13.7025 | 16.71 |

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A L I G N M E N T P R O C E D U R E S

I. TRANSMITTER TUNE UP PROCEDURE

1. PRELIMINARY SYNTHESIZER ALIGNMENT

-CONNECT DC VOLTMETER (14) TO JUNCTION OF R85, R86 AND C93. TRANSMIT ON CHANNEL 1. ADJUST L13 SO THAT DC VOLTMETER READS 1.5 VOLTS. REMOVE DC VOLTMETER.

2. FINAL ALIGNMENT

A) WITH RF VOLTMETER (13) AT BASE OF Q19, TRANSMIT ON CHANNEL 18. ADJUST IN TURN L12 AND L11 FOR MAXIMUM READING ON RF VOLTMETER. REPEAT AS NEEDED. REMOVE RF VOLTMETER.

B) ADJUST IN TURN L10 AND L8 FOR MAXIMUM READING ON RF WATTMETER (5). REPEAT AS NEEDED.

* REPEAT STEPS 1 AND 2 AS NEEDED. OUTPUT POWER READING ON RF WATTMETER (5) SHOULD BE FROM 3.6 TO 4.0 WATTS. IF RF POWER EXCEEDS 4.0 WATTS, INCREASE R66 TO REDUCE POWER AND REPEAT PART B.

3. FINAL CHECK

IN TRANSMIT ON ALL 40 CHANNELS

-OUTPUT POWER SHOULD BE FROM 3.6 TO 4.0 WATTS.

-FREQUENCY SHOULD BE WITHIN +/-400Hz OF CHANNEL CENTER FREQUENCY.

-SPURIOUS CONTENT AS OBSERVED ON SPECTRUM ANALYZER (10) SHOULD BE AT LEAST 60dB BELOW CARRIER.

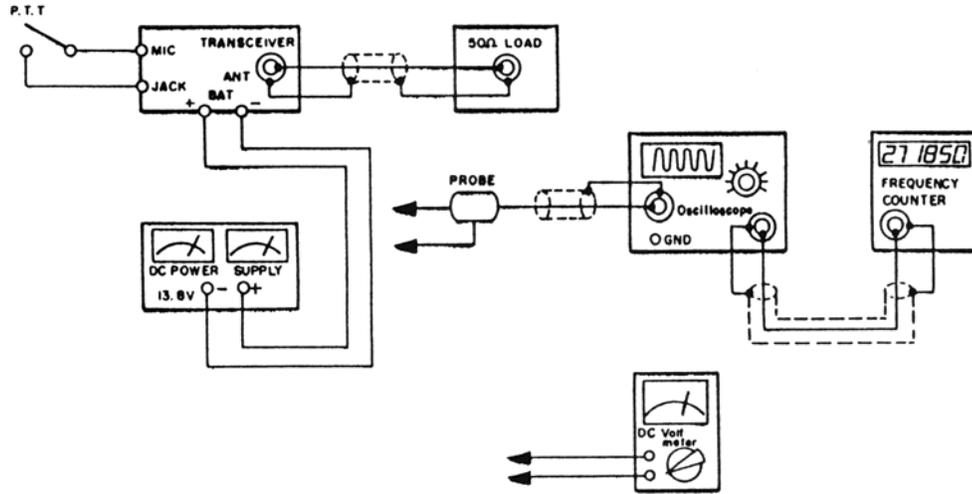
-WITH 2500Hz MODULATION AT 16dB GREATER THAN THAT REQUIRED TO PRODUCE 50 PERCENT MODULATION WITH 1000Hz, OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH SHOULD BE AT LEAST 2dB BETTER THAN LIMIT SPEC.

NOTE: DYNAMIKE KNOB MUST BE SET TO FULLY CLOCKWISE POSITION WHEN MODULATION IS APPLIED.

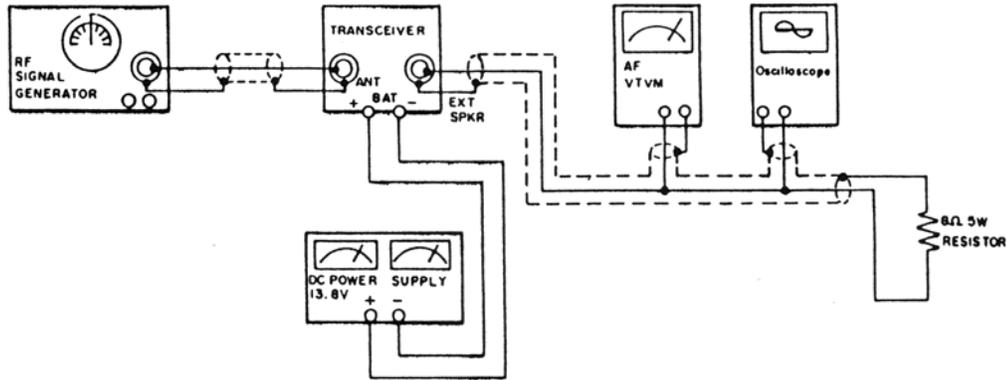
Test Equipment Setup

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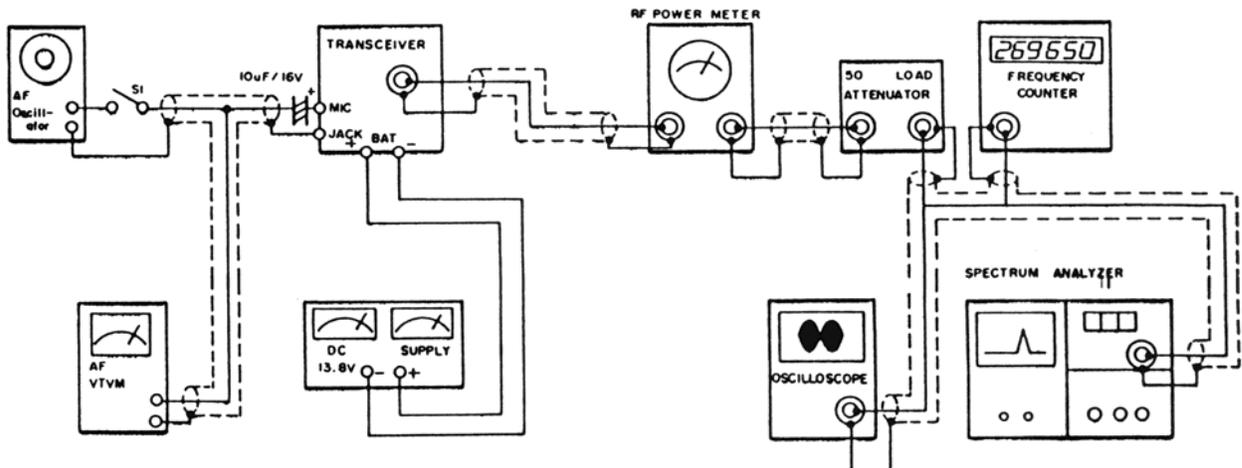
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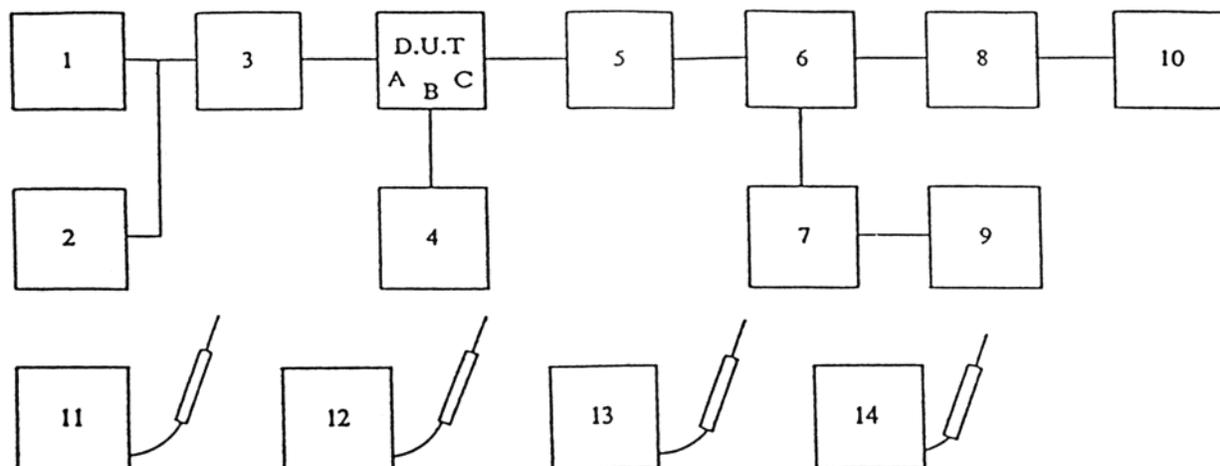


Receiver Section



Transmitter Section





D.U.T: Device Under Test
 A: MIC Input
 B: Antenna Jack
 C: Power Input Leads

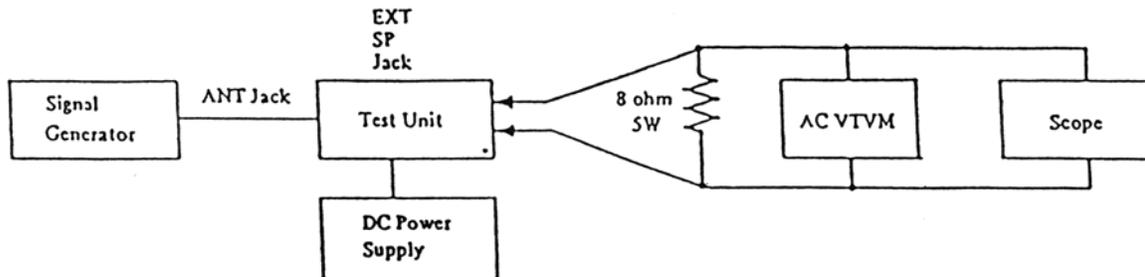
| Item No. | Description |
|----------|---------------------|
| 1 | Audio Oscillator |
| 2 | Frequency Counter |
| 3 | Audio Attenuator |
| 4 | Regulated DC Supply |
| 5 | RF Wattmeter |
| 6 | Coupler |
| 7 | Oscilloscope |
| 8 | RF Attenuator |
| 9 | Frequency Counter |
| 10 | Spectrum Analyzer |
| 11 | Oscilloscope |
| 12 | Frequency Counter |
| 13 | RF Voltmeter |
| 14 | DC Voltmeter |

II. RECEIVER ALIGNMENT SETUP

1. RECEIVER CIRCUIT ALIGNMENT

-TEST SETUP

-REFER TO THE DIAGRAM SHOWN BELOW



RECEIVER ALIGNMENT SETUP

2. RECEIVER CIRCUIT

-IN THE RECEIVER MODE OF OPERATION, Q11 TRANSISTOR IS TURNED OFF. ALSO, BIAS VOLTAGE IS APPLIED TO Q4 AND A PROPER BIAS AND AGC VOLTAGE IS ESTABLISHED TO Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4 AND Q5.

-Q1 IS THE RF ATTENUATOR.

-Q2 IS A 27MHz RF INPUT AMPLIFIER, AND ANY EXCESSIVE INPUT SIGNAL IS LIMITED BY DIODES D1 AND D2. THE AMPLIFIED 27MHz IS MIXED WITH VCO FREQUENCY SELECTED BY CHANNEL SWITCH. FOR CHANNEL 1 VCO IS SET AT 16.27MHz. THE RESULTING FIRST IF IS $26.965 - 16.27 = 10.695\text{MHz}$.

-Q3 IS THE FIRST CONVERTER, AND THE 10.695MHz IS SHARPLY FILTERED BY L3 AND A CERAMIC FILTER CF1. THE FIRST IF IS AGAIN MIXED WITH A SECOND LOCAL OSCILLATOR OF 10.24MHz. $10.695 - 10.24 = 0.455\text{MHz}$.

-Q4 IS THE SECOND CONVERTER. SECOND IF IS FILTERED BY A RAZOR SHARP CERAMIC FILTER OF CF2 COUPLED WITH L4.

-Q5 IS A FIRST 455kHz AMPLIFIER, AND THE Q6 BEING THE LAST AMPLIFIER.

-D3 IS A DETECTOR DIODE WHICH PRODUCED AUDIO SIGNAL AS WELL AS A NEGATIVE DC VOLTAGE FOR AGC ACTION. THE NEGATIVE VOLTAGE ALSO PROVIDES FORWARD BIASING TO THE ANODE OF THE ANL DIODE. THE BIASING VOLTAGE HAS A TIME CONSTANT DETERMINED BY R27 AND C25. THEREFORE, ANY SHARP NEGATIVE GOING PULSE FROM D3 WILL BACK BIAS D5 AND BE CLIPPED.

3. SENSITIVITY ALIGNMENT

-SET THE SIGNAL GENERATOR TO PROVIDE 27.185MHz, 1kHz 30% MODULATION. PLACE THE CHANNEL SELECTOR IN CHANNEL 19 POSITION.

-ADJUST L1,L2,L3,L4 AND L5 FOR MAXIMUM AUDIO OUTPUT ACROSS THE 8 OHM DUMMY LOAD RESISTOR. THIS ALIGNMENT SHOULD BE PERFORMED BY GRADUALLY DECREASING THE SIGNAL, OUTPUT SIGNAL TO MINIMUM LEVEL REQUIRED FOR TUNING TO AVOID INACCURATE ALIGNMENT DUE TO AGC ACTION.

4. SQUELCH CIRCUIT ALIGNMENT

-SET THE SIGNAL GENERATOR TO PROVIDE 60dBu, 1kHz 30% MODULATION ANTENNA INPUT.

-ROTATE THE SQUELCH CONTROL IN FULL CLOCKWISE DIRECTION.

-TEMPORARILY ADJUST VR3 FOR MAXIMUM AUDIO OUTPUT, AND NOTE THE AUDIO OUTPUT LEVEL. THEN ADJUST VR3 SO THAT THE AUDIO OUTPUT LEVEL DECREASES BY 6dB.

-NEXT, REDUCE THE ANTENNA INPUT SIGNAL LEVEL FROM 53 TO 58dB AND MAKE SURE THAT THE AUDIO OUTPUT DECREASES TO ZERO.

-REDUCE ANTENNA SIGNAL INPUT LEVEL TO ZERO AND ADJUST THE SQUELCH CONTROL UNTIL THE NOISE OUTPUT DECREASES UNTIL JUST DISAPPEARING.

TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE FOR 19/21 LTD CLASSIC

Check the following components to see if they are defective or not. Replace the defective one if any.

| Symptom | Relative circuit symbol |
|---|--|
| 1. UNIT WILL NOT TURN ON A) Blown Fuse B) Defective Power Switch C) Defect in Power Supply Circuit | Q10,Q11,Q16 |
| 2. NO SOUND RECEIVED A) Defective External Speaker Jack B) Bad Contact in the Microphone Jack C) Unlocked PLL Circuit or Improper Alignment D) Defect in Audio/Squelch Circuit E) Defect in Relative Receiver Circuit | J2 J3 Q12,Q13,Q14,Q15,IC1 Q8,IC2 Q1,Q2,Q3,Q4,Q5,Q6 |
| 3. NO TRANSMISSION A) Bad Contact in the Microphone Jack B) Defective PTT Switch on Microphone C) Bad Contact in the ANT Jack D) Unlocked PLL Circuit or Improper Alignment E) Defect in Relative Transmitter Circuit | J3 J1 Q12,Q13,Q14,Q15,IC1 Q17,Q18,Q19,Q20 |
| 4. NO TX MODULATION A) Defective Microphone and/or Circuit B) Defect in Modulation Circuit | Q7,IC2,D8 |

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For more hints, see below:

DEFECTIVE PLL?

Check voltage at Pin 14 of IC1. If less than 4V, PLL is unlocked. If more than 4V, PLL is OK.

NO TRANSMISSION

Connect current meter in series with power cable. Check current reading for transmit mode. If current reads more than 1 ampere (but less than 2A), the final output transistor is OK. Check for bad contact or short circuits between PC Board and Antenna Connector. A current reading of less than 0.5A indicates no drive to Final Transistor, check drive or early RF stages.

NO SOUND RECEIVED

Connect RF Signal Generator with modulation and set it's output level more that 10uV, or select channel to which RF signal is coming in apparently. If the S/RF meter shows incoming signal but no sound, check the Squelch and/or Audio circuit. If the S/RF meter does not show incoming signal, check the receiver RF and IF stages.

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V O L T A G E C H A R T

CONDITIONS MEASURED ON 19CH
NO MODULATION
NO SIGNAL
(UNIT : VOLT)

1. TRANSISTOR

| TR NO | | B | C | E | TR NO | | B | C | E | TR NO | | B | C | E |
|-------|----|------|-------|------|-------|----|------|-------|------|-------|----|------|-------|------|
| Q1 | RX | 0.74 | 0.61 | 0 | Q8 | SQ | 0.10 | 3.42 | 0 | Q16 | RX | 6.09 | 10.90 | 5.42 |
| | TX | 0.49 | 0.07 | 0 | | TX | 0.38 | 3.39 | 0 | | TX | 6.13 | 10.72 | 5.47 |
| Q2 | RX | 0.77 | 5.87 | 0.09 | Q10 | RX | 9.19 | 13.53 | 8.52 | Q17 | RX | 0 | 13.40 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.46 | 0.80 | 0 | | TX | 9.24 | 12.78 | 8.55 | | TX | 0 | 12.09 | 0 |
| Q3 | RX | 0.85 | 13.26 | 0.24 | Q11 | RX | 8.52 | 0 | 8.52 | Q18 | RX | 0 | 13.40 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.63 | 12.92 | 0.46 | | TX | 7.84 | 8.49 | 8.55 | | TX | 0 | 12.08 | 0 |
| Q4 | RX | 0.80 | 6.66 | 0.14 | Q12 | RX | 0.75 | 4.60 | 0 | Q19 | RX | 0 | 13.36 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.46 | 0.81 | 0 | | TX | 0.75 | 4.60 | 0 | | TX | 1.25 | 12.95 | 0.70 |
| Q5 | RX | 0.69 | 1.51 | 0.02 | Q13 | RX | 0 | 0 | 0 | Q20 | RX | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.12 | 0.76 | 0 | | TX | 0.78 | 0 | 0 | | TX | 2.19 | 8.12 | 1.49 |
| Q6 | RX | 1.51 | 12.97 | 0.81 | Q14 | RX | 3.59 | 7.78 | 2.89 | | | | | |
| | TX | 0.76 | 12.89 | 0.12 | | TX | 3.60 | 7.80 | 2.89 | | | | | |
| Q7 | RX | 0.04 | 0 | 0 | Q15 | RX | 3.99 | 5.04 | 3.34 | | | | | |
| | TX | 0.08 | 0 | 0 | | TX | 4.01 | 5.08 | 3.39 | | | | | |

2. INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

N.C = NO CONNECTION

| IC NO. | PIN | RX | TX | IC NO. | PIN | RX | TX | IC NO. | PIN | RX | TX |
|--------|-----|-------|-------|--------|-----|------|------|--------|-----|-------|-------|
| IC 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | IC 1 | 11 | 2.81 | 2.84 | IC 2 | 1 | 13.74 | 13.50 |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | | 12 | N.C | N.C. | | 2 | 12.51 | 12.29 |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | | 13 | 0 | 0 | | 3 | 4.00 | 3.96 |
| | 4 | 12.18 | 11.96 | | 14 | 8.52 | 8.55 | | 4 | 8.18 | 8.08 |
| | 5 | 0 | 0 | | 15 | 1.52 | 1.67 | | 5 | 1.51 | 1.52 |
| | 6 | 0 | 0 | | 16 | 1.53 | 1.66 | | 6 | 3.42 | 3.40 |
| | 7 | 12.20 | 11.98 | | 17 | 2.63 | 1.59 | | 7 | 3.42 | 3.41 |
| | 8 | 12.15 | 11.93 | | 18 | 5.41 | 5.46 | | 8 | 1.27 | 1.29 |
| | 9 | 0 | 0 | | 19 | 2.77 | 2.83 | | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| | 10 | N.C | N.C | | 20 | 5.41 | 0.49 | | 10 | 6.90 | 6.28 |

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V O L T A G E C H A R T

CONDITIONS MEASURED ON 19CH
NO MODULATION
NO SIGNAL
(UNIT : VOLT)

1. TRANSISTOR

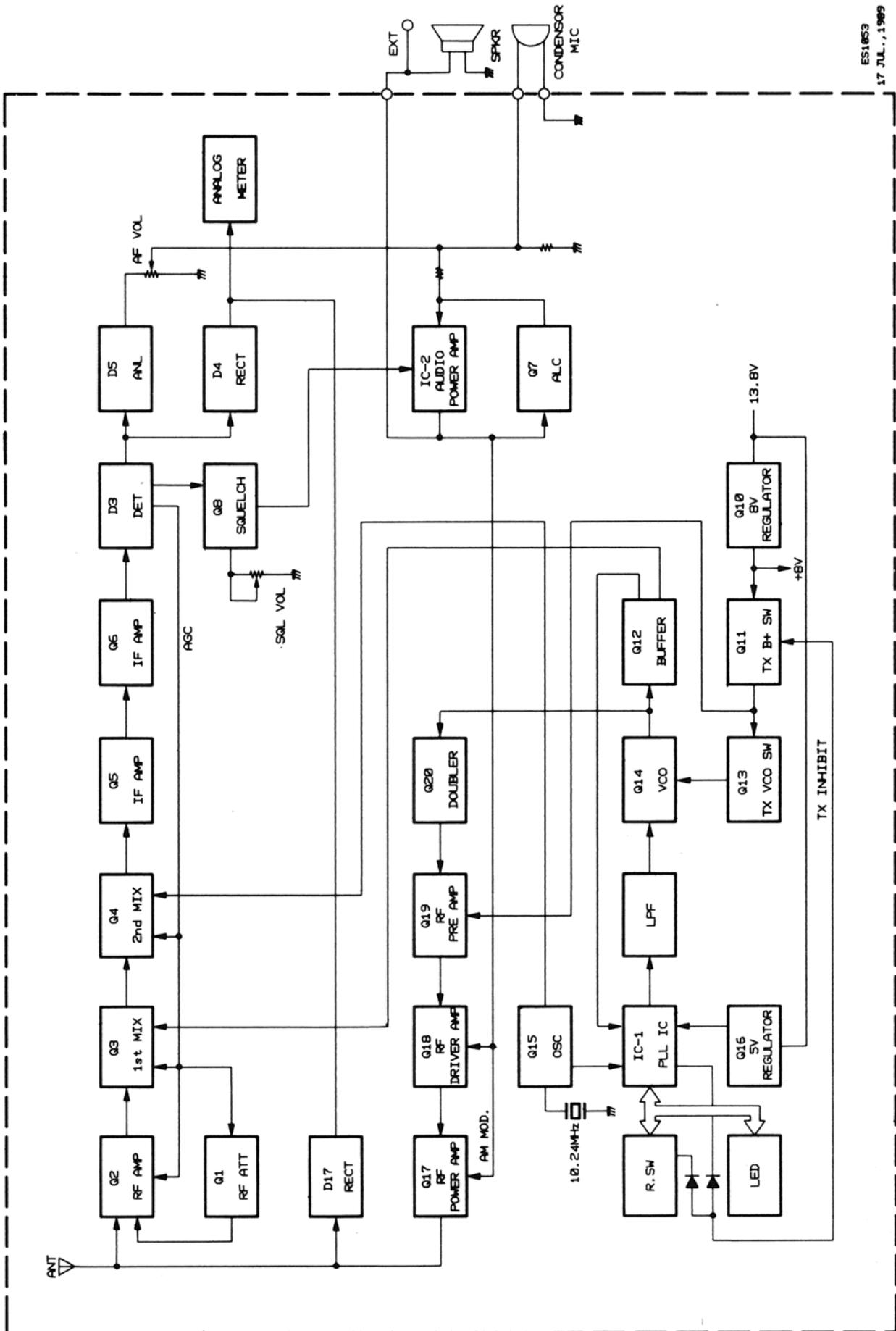
| TR NO | | B | C | E | TR NO | | B | C | E | TR NO | | B | C | E |
|-------|----|------|-------|------|-------|----|------|-------|------|-------|----|------|-------|------|
| Q1 | RX | 0.72 | 0.59 | 0 | Q8 | SQ | 0.10 | 3.41 | 0 | Q16 | RX | 6.08 | 10.84 | 5.41 |
| | TX | 0.30 | 0.02 | 0 | | TX | 0.33 | 3.32 | 0 | | TX | 6.07 | 10.54 | 5.41 |
| Q2 | RX | 0.77 | 6.43 | 0.09 | Q10 | RX | 9.21 | 13.57 | 8.52 | Q17 | RX | 0 | 13.44 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.41 | 0.75 | 0 | | TX | 9.20 | 12.56 | 8.49 | | TX | 0 | 11.97 | 0 |
| Q3 | RX | 0.78 | 13.29 | 0.23 | Q11 | RX | 8.52 | 0 | 8.52 | Q18 | RX | 0 | 13.44 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.41 | 12.79 | 0.05 | | TX | 7.76 | 8.41 | 8.49 | | TX | 0 | 11.99 | 0 |
| Q4 | RX | 0.81 | 6.66 | 0.14 | Q12 | RX | 0.74 | 4.59 | 0 | Q19 | RX | 0 | 13.38 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.41 | 0.76 | 0 | | TX | 0.73 | 4.62 | 0 | | TX | 1.20 | 13.00 | 0.73 |
| Q5 | RX | 0.69 | 1.50 | 0.02 | Q13 | RX | 0 | 0 | 0 | Q20 | RX | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | TX | 0.08 | 0.69 | 0 | | TX | 0.73 | 0 | 0 | | TX | 2 | 8.05 | 1.53 |
| Q6 | RX | 1.50 | 13.01 | 0.79 | Q14 | RX | 3.52 | 7.77 | 2.84 | | | | | |
| | TX | 0.69 | 12.77 | 0.07 | | TX | 3.52 | 7.75 | 2.89 | | | | | |
| Q7 | RX | 0.06 | 0 | 0 | Q15 | RX | 3.98 | 5.02 | 3.31 | | | | | |
| | TX | 0.06 | 0 | 0 | | TX | 3.99 | 5.02 | 3.34 | | | | | |

2. INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

N.C = NO CONNECTION

| IC NO. | PIN | RX | TX | IC NO. | PIN | RX | TX | IC NO. | PIN | RX | TX |
|--------|-----|-------|-------|--------|-----|------|------|--------|-----|-------|-------|
| IC 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | IC 1 | 11 | 2.81 | 2.80 | IC 2 | 1 | 13.75 | 13.44 |
| | 2 | 0 | 0 | | 12 | N.C | N.C. | | 2 | 12.54 | 12.23 |
| | 3 | 0 | 0 | | 13 | 0 | 0 | | 3 | 3.99 | 3.91 |
| | 4 | 12.15 | 11.85 | | 14 | 8.52 | 8.52 | | 4 | 8.18 | 8.01 |
| | 5 | 0 | 0 | | 15 | 1.45 | 1.59 | | 5 | 1.53 | 1.48 |
| | 6 | 0 | 0 | | 16 | 1.47 | 1.59 | | 6 | 3.40 | 3.32 |
| | 7 | 12.16 | 11.87 | | 17 | 3.08 | 1.58 | | 7 | 3.41 | 3.35 |
| | 8 | 12.15 | 11.86 | | 18 | 5.40 | 5.41 | | 8 | 1.29 | 1.25 |
| | 9 | 0 | 0 | | 19 | 2.71 | 2.75 | | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| | 10 | N.C | N.C | | 20 | 5.39 | 0.45 | | 10 | 6.89 | 6.74 |

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