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## GLC-8 MAINTENANCE MANUAL

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## CHAPTER 1

## GENERAL INFORMATION

This manual provides operation and maintenance information for the GLC-8* System. The GLC-8 System is designed to acquire, analyze, and record analog data from gas chromatographs. The basic data acquisition and processor unit of the GLC-8 System is the PDP-8/I Computer (see Figure I-1). The versatility of the PDP-8/I and its specially designed interface enables the GLC-8 System to perform the following functions sequentially for up to 22 on-line gas chromatographs. As many as 64 gas chromatographs can be connected on line.
a. Collect analog data from the gas-chromatographs
b. Calculate peak areas and peak retention times
c. Corrects for baseline shift
d. Allocate the areas of overlapping peaks
e. Identify peaks
f. Apply response factors
g. Calculate component concentration
h. Print the chromatogram analysis report

### 1.1 DESCRIPTION OF EQUIPMENT

The GLC-8 System consists of five basic components; a local operator control, gas chromato-graph-computer interface, PDP-8/I computer, disk memory, and teletype. Each of these basic system components are described in the following paragraphs and tables. A simplified illustration of the GLC-8 System is shown in Figure 1-2.

### 1.1.1 Local Operator Control (LOC)

Each gas chromatograph station has a LOC box for selecting system mode of operation. Two LOC models are available with the GLC-8 System, H300 and H301. The H300 LOC, designed to perform functions directly related to the GLC-8 System, is used to communicate with the GLC-8 program and indicate program status. The H301 LOC is identical to the H300 except for the addition of relays to provide the system with additional control capabilties.

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Figure 1-1 GLC-8 System with Teletype


Figure 1-2 $\begin{gathered}\text { GLC-8 System Simplified } \\ \text { Block Diagram }\end{gathered}$

### 1.1.2 Gas Chromatograph/GLC-8 System Interface

The interface between the on-line gas chromatographs and GLC-8 System has three basic units: the AF06 System Interface, the AF08 A/B Module Set, and the AF07 Mounting Panels.

The AF06 performs the analog-to-digital conversion of the on-line gas chromatograph data and the control functions for the GLC-8 System. Two types of AF06 System Interfaces are available the AF06-AA for 60 Hz primary power operation and the AFO6-AB for 50 Hz primary power. The components of these system interface units are listed in Table 1-1. As shown in the table, the components are identical for each unit with the exception of the power supplies.

The AF08 A/B Module Set performs the filtering and control for each on-line gas chromatograph. Components of the AF08 A/B are listed in Table 1-2. One AF08 A/B is required for each gas chromatograph connected to the GLC-8 System.

The third basic component of the Gas Chromatograph/GLC-8 System Interface is the AF07 Mounting Panel (refer to Table 1-3). The AF07 is prewired to accommodate eight AF08 A/B Module Sets and eight A210 or A211 Amplifier Modules. One AF07 is required for every eight (or fraction thereof) gas chromatographs added to the GLC-8 System.

The amplifiers used with the GLC-8 are the A210 times one (XI) and A211 times ten (X10) Modules. The selection of these modules is dependent on the signal level from the gas chromatographs, i.e., low level signals ( $1 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ to IV ) will require the gain of the X 10 amplifier and high level signals ( $10 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ to 10 V ) the XI amplifier.

### 1.1.3 PDP-8/I General-Purpose Computer

The PDP-8/I is a general-purpose, random-access computer with a $1.5 \mu$ sycle time. The basic system has a 4,096 12-bit word core memory. A teletype printer-keyboard with paper tape reader and punch is the standard I/O device.

For the GLC-8 System, the PDP-8/I has two options for greater data handling capability the KE8/I Extended Arithmetic Element (EAE) and an additional 4,096 word memory.

### 1.1.4 Disk Memory

The GLC-8 System disk memory is a Type DF32 Random Access Disk File. This disk provides the GLC-8 System a randomly accessible bulk storage of 32,768 12-bit data words plus a 13 th bit for parity.

### 1.1.5 Input/Output Data Transfer

The GLC-8 System uses an ASR33 Teletypewriter as the standard input/output transfer device. The teletype is used to communicate with the GLC-8 and prints a complete analysis report of the chromatogram on its teleprinter. The GLC-8 will support up to nine teletypes.

### 1.2 SPECIFICATIONS

There are three catagories of specifications for the GLC-8 System - performance, power, and environmental.

### 1.2.1 Performance Specifications

a. System

| Line Noise ( 50 or 60 Hz ): | $\leq 50 \mathrm{mV}, \mathrm{P}-\mathrm{P}$ RFO at a gain of X256. |
| :--- | :--- |
| Gaussian Noise: | $\leq 50 \mathrm{mV}$ RMS RFO at a gain of X256. |
| Bandwidth: | 2 Hz for the A216 filter |
|  | 10 Hz for the A213 filter |
| Rolloff: | A213-6 db per octave to 10 Hz |
|  | -24 db per octave after 10 Hz |
|  | A216 12 db per octave |
| Common Mode Rejection: | 120 db at 50 or 60 Hz |
| Normal Mode Rejection: | 60 db at 50 or 60 Hz |
| Common Mode Voltage: | 270 V maximum |

Drift-X1 (A210) Buffer Amplifier and filter:

Drift-X10 (A211) Buffer Amplifier and filter:

Offset:

Sampling Rate; Four Times Line Frequency:

Resolution
Repeatibility
Margins
Settling Time:

Variable Gain Amplifier:
Overload Recovery Time
Input Amplifier:
Variable Gain Amplifier:
Individual Analog Channels:

Accuracy:
$50 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ per $\mathrm{C}^{\circ}$
$300 \mu \vee \operatorname{per} C^{\circ}$
$\pm 1 \mathrm{mV}$ input (adjustable) equals OV output for both of the adjustable XI and X10 Buffer Amplifiers
A total of 240 points per second ( 60 Hz ) with individual channels at program selectable rates of $60,30,15,7-1 / 2$, or $3-3 / 4$ points per second. For 50 Hz , selectable rates are $50,25,12-1 / 2$, $6-1 / 4$ or $3-1 / 8$ points per second. Each is synchronized with the power network for either 50 or 60 Hz noise elimination. Noise elimination is synced with the 60 Hz line frequency.

One part in 4096
$\leq \pm 0.1$ percent
$+10 \pm 5 \mathrm{~V},-15 \pm 3.0 \mathrm{~V}$
Input amplifiers <0.44 seconds to within $0.025 \%$ f.s.
$\leq 25 \mathrm{~ms}$ to within $0.025 \%$ f.s.
$\leq 0.2 \mathrm{~ms}$
$\leq 10 \mu s$
Each channel has an isolation amplifier/ filter and multiplexing relay. The channel input impedance is one megohm and the bandwidth is 2 Hz for the A216 Filter and 4 Hz for the A213 Filter. Line unbalance, 1000 ohms.

A213 Filter, $\pm 2.0$ percent.
A216 Filter, $\pm 0.1$ percent.
b. Local Operator Consol (LOC), H300/H301

One LOC is required for each chromatograph.
The following contact specifications pertain to the H301 LOC.

| Current (max): | 500 mA |
| :--- | :--- |
| Voltage (max): | 250 V |
| Voltage (max): | 10 V |
| Resistance (max): | $200 \mathrm{M} \Omega$ |
| Operate time (max): | 0.7 ms |
| Release time (max): | 0.05 ms |
| Bounce time (max): | 0.3 ms |
| Life (at rated load): | 107 operations |

c. Interface

Buffer Amplifier: A210 (X1) or A211 (X10)
Input:
Input Impedance:
Input Voltage:

Filter, A213 or A216:

Low Level and High Level Multiplexer, AM03 and AM08:

AM08 Timing:

Converter ADCl-A:

Line Frequency Clock DK01A:
Clock Pulses:

Clock Jitter:

Connections:

Gain must be specified when ordering equipment
Differential
One $M \Omega+0.1 \%$
A210: +10V
A211: +1V
A213: Bandwidth, 10 Hz
Rolloff, 24 db per octave Gain, $1.0 \pm 2 \%$ at dc
A216: Bandwidth, 2 Hz
Rolloff, 12 db per octave
Gain, $+1 \pm 0.05 \%$ at dc

Refer to the instruction book associated with this equipment for the performance specifications.

MI-1.0 ms
M2-1.9 ms
M3-1.9 ms
M4-1.0 ms
M5-1.0 ms
Gain is selectable by program control. With the A210 amplifier, the gains are $1,2,4,8,16,32,64,128$, and 256. With the A211 amplifier, the gains are $10,20,40,80,160,320,640,1280$, and 2560 .

Depending on the gain of the Buffer Amplifiers the full scale range is $10 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ to 10 V for the A210 Amplifier ( X 1 ) and $1 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ for IV for Amplifier A211 (X10)
Refer to the instruction book associated with this equipment for the performance specifications.

Output is four times the input line frequency.
$4.17 \mathrm{~ms} \pm 0.25 \mathrm{~ms}$ at 60 Hz
$5.00 \mathrm{~ms} \pm 0.30 \mathrm{~ms}$ at 50 Hz
$\leq 10 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ at 60 Hz
$\leq 12 \mu \mathrm{~s}$ at 50 Hz
The GLC-8 System can be connected to thermal conductivity, flame ionization, and electron capture detectors.

Table 1-1
AF06 Interface Components

| Component Name | Model Number |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |
|  | AF06-AA | AF06-AB |
| Analog/Digital Converter | ADC1-A | ADCI-A |
|  | (AF01) | (AF01) |
| Interface (ADC1-A to PDP-8/I) | ADC-8 | ADC-8 |
| Multiplexer Control | AM08 | AM08 |
| Low-Level Multiplexer | AM03-A | AM03-A |
| Console Control (Up to 8 AF17) | AF16 | AF16 |
| Variable Gain Amplifier | AG04 | AG04 |
| Four Times Line Frequency Clock | DK01-A | DK01-A |
| Dual Floating Regulated Power Supply | H713 | H713 |
| Margin Check Power Supply | $734 B(60 \mathrm{Hz)}$ | $734 C(50 \mathrm{~Hz})$ |
| Power Supply | $783(60 \mathrm{Hz)}$ | $783 \mathrm{~A}(50 \mathrm{~Hz})$ |

Table 1-2
AF08 A/B Module Set Components

| Component Name | Module Number |
| :--- | :--- |
| Filter 2 (Hz) | A216 |
| Input Amplifier |  |
| (AF08B only) | A210 |
| Times Ten Input Amplifier | A211 |
| (AF08A only) |  |
| Diode Gate | R113 |
| Insert Bus Gate | R123 |
| Flip-Flops | R203 (2) |
| Cable Connector | W023 |
| Indicator and Relay Driver | W051 |

Table 1-3
AF07 Mounting Panel Components

| Component Name | Model Number |
| :--- | :---: |
| Control Panel for <br> Local Operator Console <br> Amplifier Mounting Panel <br> Connectors <br> Inverter Module <br> Pulse Output Converter | H303 |
|  | W107 |
|  |  |

Table 1-4
Optional Module

| Component Name | Model Number |
| :---: | :---: |
| Filter $(10 \mathrm{~Hz})$ | A213 |

### 1.2.2 Power Specification

Table 1-5
System Power

| Input AC Voltage | AC Current Nominal (Amps) | Power Dissipation | Heat Dissipation | DC Current |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | +10V | -15V | $\begin{gathered} +15 \mathrm{~V} \\ \text { Reg. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} -15 \mathrm{~V} \\ \text { Reg. } \end{gathered}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 115 \pm 10 \mathrm{Vac} \\ & 60 \pm 0.12 \mathrm{~Hz} \\ & \text { single phase } \end{aligned}$ | 13.0A incorporates 30A Twist Lock AC Plug | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1393W } \\ & \text { Plus } \\ & 3.9 \mathrm{~W} / \mathrm{CH} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4752 \text { BTU/hr } \\ & \text { Plus } \\ & 13.3 \text { BTU/hr } \\ & \text { per channel } \end{aligned}$ | $\left\|\begin{array}{l} 3.24 \mathrm{~A} \\ \text { Plus } \\ 5.6 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{CH} \end{array}\right\|$ | $\begin{aligned} & 11.97 \mathrm{~A} \\ & \text { Plus } \\ & 0.2 \mathrm{~A} / \mathrm{CH} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \mathrm{MA} \\ & \text { Plus } \\ & 23 \mathrm{MA} \\ & \text { per } \mathrm{CH} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20 \mathrm{MA} \\ & \text { Plus } \\ & 23 \mathrm{MA} \\ & \text { per } \mathrm{CH} \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 220 \pm 20 \mathrm{Vac} \\ & 50 \pm 0.10 \mathrm{~Hz} \\ & \text { single phase } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 110 \pm 15 \mathrm{Vac} \\ & \text { at } 50 \mathrm{~Hz} \\ & \text { single phase } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 1-6
Unit Power

| Equipment | AC Current Nominal (Amps) | Power Diss. (Watts) | $\begin{gathered} \text { Heat } \\ \text { Diss. }(B T U / h r) \end{gathered}$ | DC Current |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | +10V | -15V | $\begin{array}{r} +15 \mathrm{~V} \\ \text { Reg. } . \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} -15 \mathrm{~V} \\ \mathrm{Reg} . \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| PDP-8/I | 7.5 | 780 | 2660 | - | 5A | - | - |
| DF-32 | 3.0 | 500 | 1700 | 2A | 4A | - | - |
| PT08 | - | 15 | 52 | 1A | 0.3A | - | - |
| ADCI-A | 0.5 | 55 | 188 | - | - | - | - |
| AM08 | - | 20 | 68 | 46 MA | 1.3A | - | - |
| AF16 | - | 21 | 72 | 188 MA | 1.3A | - | - |
| AFI7 | - | 25 | 8.5 | 5.6 MA | 0.16A | - | - |
| AG04 | - | 2 | 7 | 2 MA | 0.7A | 20 MA | 20 MA |
| AM03 (1 CH) | - | $0.65{ }^{-}$ | 2.2 | - | 0.04A | - | - |
| H303 (1 CH) | - | 0.7 | 2.4 | - | - | 30 MA | 30 MA |
| 783 (Extra) | 2.0 | - | - | - | - | - | - |

### 1.2.3 Environmental Specifications

The ambient temperature at the installation site should be maintained between $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(32^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$ and $50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\left(122^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\right)$. Normal humidity is from $20 \%$ to $80 \%$. All exposed surfaces of the cabinets and hardware are treated to prevent corrosion; however, exposure of the GLC-8 System to extreme humidity conditions for long periods of time should be avoided.

Because of amplifier drift, the above ambient temperature should be maintained within $\pm 5^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ( $\pm 9 \mathrm{~F}$ ). Thermal gradients exceeding $\pm 5^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ will cause inaccurate analog data. Below the temperature gradient, the system program can correct for the drift.

## CAUTION

Avoid high thermal gradients.

## CHAPTER 2

## OPERATION AND PROGRAMMING

Operation and programming information relating to the GLC-8 system hardware is contained in this Chapter.

### 2.1 SYSTEM OPERATION

The GLC-8 uses a monitor program which is designed specifically to monitor and control every operational phase of the gas chromatograph. Organization of the GLC-8 System program is divided into two basic parts, foreground program and background program.

The GLC-8 program uses a clock pulse to drive the monitor. The foreground program provides the necessary programming to perform the following:
a. control of all $1 / O$ operations,
b. real-time decision making, and
c. immediate calculations, modifications and organization of the received analog data.

The background portion of the program is activated when it receives low priority monitor requests. The background program sequentially performs:
a. analysis calculations
b. report formatting,
c. interpretation of the operator conversation mode.

During a clock interrupt period, the A-D conversion data is taken to maximize noise rejection benefits of the synchronous sampling technique.

The Local Operator Console (LOC) pushbutton requests, Table 2-1, are sampled and the channel status is indicated on the LOC (see Figure 2-1). The next channel scheduled is now selected with the proper gain selection set into the programmable amplifier. Gain selection is such that the gas chromatograph signal level is within the operational range of the A-D converter. Channel and gain changes are performed at the clock interrupt period to allow the associated relays sufficient time to energize and settle down during the next clock interrupt.

The next channel is selected in accordance with the requested gas-chromatographs and the required sampling rate. Each chromatograph may be scanned at different rates; however, the intervals between successive scans are constant and occur at a maximum multiple of four clock interrupts.

One of the on-line teletypes is serviced for the purpose of inputting one character if required to do so. On successive interrupts, each system teletype is serviced by this polling technique. At this time, the program interrupt level performs analog data calculations, modifications to the program, proper organization, and execution of user time dependent functions; it then returns to the interrupted software level.

Table 2-1
H300 and H301 Local Operator Control Consoles

| Lamp and Pushbutton | Symbol | Function |
| :--- | :---: | :--- |
| CLEAR Pushbutton | S1 | L1 <br> Cancels the analyzing run either before or after <br> the starting of the run; also causes the method <br> to be unassigned <br> Before the sample is injected into the gas- <br> chromatograph, this light indicates that the <br> analysis run can be initiated <br> Initiates analyzing run after injection of the <br> sample |
| START Pushbutton | S2Indicates that the injected sample is being <br> analyzed <br> Depressing this pushbutton prematurely ter- <br> minates the analysis run |  |
| STOP Pushbutton | S3Indicates that the analysis run is in the reporting <br> cycle |  |
| COMP Lamp | L3 |  |

Disk interrupts can occur at any time by generating a disk handling code which executes the proper handling and transfer control.

### 2.2 SYSTEM SUPPORT DOCUMENTATION

With the exception of the LOC console, the operation of each console is described in detail in the technical manuals supplied with each equipment. Efficient use of the GLC-8 is described in the GLC-8 Users Guide, DEC-08-GAYN-D .

### 2.3 SPECIAL MAINTENANCE IOT CODES

IOT codes 6154 and 6164 enable synchronous sampling on every fourth clock pulse. These clock interrupts enable synchronous sampling at the same phase as the input line frequency.

### 2.4 DISK AND CLOCK INTERRUPT LIMITATIONS (See Figure 6-1)

System software expects two types of interrupts, one from the disk and the other from the clock. To accomplish this, PI ON-OFF switches are included in some GLC-8 equipments to disable interrupts from the following GLC-8 optional equipments:


Figure 2-1 H300 and H301 Local Operator Console
a. PDP-8/I Computer (TTY interrupt)
b. PT08 Single/Dual Channel Teletype Interface (remote TTY interrupt)
c. ADCI-A Analog-to-Digital Converter (A/D interrupt)

NOTE
The PI ON-OFF switches must be set OFF during system operation, and must be set ON when performing maintenance diagnostics.

### 2.5 IOT INSTRUCTIONS

The IOT instruction codes associated with the GLC-8 are shown in Tables 2-2 through 2-7, and the associated equipment IOT codes are shown in Tables 2-8 and 2-9. Figures 2-2, 2-3, and 2-4 are the bit assignment diagrams for the IOT codes.

Table 2-2
Clock IOT Codes (DKOI)

| IOT Instruction | Function |
| :--- | :--- |
| 6141 | Skip on Clock Flag |
| 6142 | Clear Clock Flag |
| 6144 | Enable Clock |

Table 2-3
Variable Gain Amplifier (AG04) IOT Codes

| IOT Instruction | Function |
| :---: | :--- |
| 6151 | Clears Gain Control Register <br> Load Variable Gain Register <br> from AC05-11. |



Figure 2-2 AG04 Variable Gain Amplifier Control Bit Assignment

Table 2-4
Digital Output Register IOT Codes (AF17)

| IOT Instruction | Function |
| :---: | :---: |
| 6161 | Clear Digital Output Register <br> Loads Digital Output Register <br> from AC06-11 |



Figure 2-3 Digital Output Register Bit Assignment Diagram

Table 2-5
Digital Input Register IOT Codes (AFI7)

| IOT Instructions | Function |
| :---: | :---: |
| 6171 |  |
| 6172 | Clears PDP-8 Accumulator <br> Loads Digital Input Register <br> into AC 06-11 |
| 2 |  |



Figure 2-4 Digital Input Register Bit Assignment Diagram

Table 2-6
Calibration IOT Codes (DKO1)

| IOT Instruction | Function |
| :---: | :---: |
| 6154 | Set the CAL flag |
| 6164 | Clears the CAL flag |

Table 2-7
Miscellaneous IOT Code

| IOT Instruction | Function |
| :---: | ---: |
| 6174 | Not Used |

Table 2-8
AM08, AF16 64 Channel Codes

| IOT Instruction | Mnemonic Code | Function |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6542 | ADSC | Clears channel-address register |
| 6544 | ADIC | Loads channel-address register |

Table 2-9
A/D Converter Codes (ADC-1)

| IOT Instruction | Mnemonic Code | Function |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6531 | ADSF | Skip on an A/D Done Flag <br> 6532 |
| 6534 | ADCV | Clear Done Flag and convert <br> Clear Done Flag and read A/D <br> converter buffer |

### 2.6 DIAGNOSTIC PROGRAM

The following program provides H 300 or H301 READY, indicating output to Channel 5. The program then waits for the H300 or H301 LOC START pushbutton to be depressed, illuminating the SAMP lamp; converts synchronously on Channel 5; and halts the machine.

| START | CLA CLL | /Clear the AC and Link |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | JMS SYNC | /Go to Sync on clock pulse |
|  | TAD KCHAN | /Get channel number |
|  | IOT 6416 | /Select analog and digital channel |
|  | CLA | /Clear the AC |
|  | JMS SYNC | /Sync on the clock pulse to make sure channel /is selected |
|  | TAD KREADY | /Get READY bit 6 |
|  | IOT 6163 | /Clear and load digital output register |
|  | IOT 6173 | /Clear AC and read digital input register into AC |
|  | AND K20 | /Mask out all but START bit 7 |
|  | SNA | /Is read bit on |
|  | JMP.-3 | /No, try again |
|  | CLA | Yes, clear the AC |
|  | TAD KSAMPL | /Get SAMPLING bit 7 |
|  | IOT 6163 | /Clear and load digital output register |
|  | CLA | /Clear the AC |
|  | JMS SYNC | /Go to Sync on clock pulse |
|  | TAD PAG 1 | /Get gain of one for programmable gain amplifier |
|  | IOT 6153 | /Clear AC and load programmable gain amplifier |
|  | JMS SYNC | /Go to Sync on clock flag to ensure relays in pro/grammable gain amplifier are selected and Sync |
|  |  | /for sampling |
|  | IOT 6532 | /Convert A/D Converter |
|  | IOT 6531 | /Skip on A/D Done flag |
|  | JMP.-1 | /Not Yet |
|  | IOT 6534 | /Read A/D Converter buffer into AC |
|  | HLT | /Job done |
|  | SYNC:0 | /PC store |
|  | IOT 6145 | /Enable clock flag and skip on flag |
|  | JMP.-1 | /Not up yet |

IOT 6142
JMP@ SYNC
KCHAN: 0005 KREADY: 0040 K20: 0020
KSAMPL: 0020
PAG01: 0004

## CHAPTER 3

INTERFACE ANALYSIS

The circuit analysis of the GLC-8 Interface is described in the following sections. Note that the drawings referenced in these sections which are prefixed by a three (located in Chapter 3 of this manual) are simplified diagrams of the block schematics. For detailed circuit information, refer to the drawings prefixed by a six (located in Chapter 6 of this manual).

### 3.1 GLC-8 SYSTEM SIGNAL FLOW (See Figure 3-1)

### 3.1.1 Analog Signal Flow

Because gas chromatographs are normally located some distance away from the GLC-8 system, information transmitted from a gas chromatograph to the GLC-8 interface system is subjected to both common-mode and normal-mode noise pickup.

Common-mode noise is defined as the signal which is added to the source signal due to differences in ground potential. This noise signal is common to both the source signal and the source return. Normal-mode noise is defined as the signal which is superimposed in series with the source generator due to static or magnetic coupling.

To minimize common-mode and normal-mode noise pickup, a shielded, twisted-pair cable is recommended for carrying the analog signal from the chromatograph to the GLC-8 interface. The shield of this cable should be connected to ground at the source end only, as shown in Figure 3-1.

Common-mode noise rejection is accomplished in the GLC-8 Interface by the use of a differential input amplifier on each channel. Normal-mode noise rejection is accomplished by limiting the bandwidth of the input amplifier and by filtering the signal at the output of the amplifier. A complete description of the input amplifier and filter is given in Paragraphs 3.8 and 3.9.

Up to a maximum of nine teletypes, including the console teletype, can be connected to the GLC-8 System. The standard IOT device for the PDP-8/I is the ASR-33 Teletype. The ASR-33 is used to communicate operator commands to the GLC-8 System and for printing the analysis report.

Figure 3-2 shows the interconnection of the AF06 and AF07 Interface Components and the AF08 Module Set.


Figure 3-1 System Configuration


Figure 3-2 AF06, AF07, and AF08 Interconnection Diagram

### 3.2 AF16 CHROM CONTROL LOGIC

### 3.2.1 Variable Gain Amplifier Control (See Figures 3-3 and 6-2)

The input IOT instructions 6151 and 6152 are decoded by W 103 Device Selector modules within the control logic, and the BAC bits 5 through 11 are obtained from the PDP-8/I. The selectable gain either increases or decreases, in powers of two, from a LOW FEEDBACK gain of XI to a HIGH FEEDBACK gain of X256.

The IOT instruction 6151 first clears all of the gain control registers, setting them to the zero state or the LOW FEEDBACK mode (low gain). The IOT instruction 6152 strobes all the gain registers, allowing the information in the accumulator to be read into the flip-flop control registers. This IOT instruction sets the appropriate bits in the one state. When BAC bit 5 is HI , or a one, and IOT 6152 is issued, the Variable Gain Amplifier Control register is set in the HIGH FEEDBACK mode (high gain).

Selected HIGH or LOW gain, is dependent on the mode of the HIGH-LOW FEEDBACK flipflop and on which of the BAC bits 6 through 11 are HI. Only one of these bits ( 6 through 11) should be HI at any one time.

### 3.2.2 Local Operator Console Channel Selector <br> Refer to Figure 3-4 and 6-3.



Figure 3-3 Variable Gain Amplifier Control, Simplified Diagram


Figure 3-4 LOC Channel Selector Amplified Control, Simplified Diagram

Inside the cabinet of the GLC-8 System, common-mode noise is a minimal; therefore, single ended output from the amplifier is sufficient. However, normal-mode noise due to magnetic coupling is still prevalent. Therefore, twisted pair wire is used from the output of the amplifiers, through the filters and 64 channel multiplexer, and to the AG04 Programmable Amplifier. The output of the AG04 Amplifier is connected to the ADCI-A converter through a coaxial cable. The converter then converts to a digital word and places it on the PDP-8/I I/O bus.

### 3.2.3 Digital Signal Flow

The DK01-A Four Times Line Frequency Clock provides the program interrupt and skip instructions required by the PDP-8/I. The single program interrupt, operating synchronously from the power line frequency, provides control and timing information to the program.

The H300 or H301 LOC houses the program control pushbuttons used for operating the GLC-8 System. Pushbutton functions are transferred to the PDP-8/I input mixer bus by way of the LOC control logic.

The channel select circuitry is a 64 -stage modular digital multiplexer providing $\mathrm{X}-\mathrm{Y}$ coordinate addressing for the AFI7 LOC control logic channels 0 through 63.

Channel selection is performed by an 8 by 8 X and Y matrix consisting of 64 NOR gates. The matrix signals are cabled from the AM03-A Low-Level Multiplexer and are buffered and inverted in the AF16 by the 3 R107 Inverter modules (see Figures 3-5 and 6-4).


Figure 3-5 Channel Selector Interface, Simplified Diagram

Channel selection is dependent upon which X and Y points the control signals are applied to. For example, if the control signals are applied to X 05 and Y 01 , and they are both HI , channel 15 NAND gate will be enabled and its LO output fed to the AFI7 channel 15 control logic circuit.

Activation of the H 300 or H 30 I LOC relays and lights for a particular channel is dependent upon the selected channel in this matrix and the accumulator binary bits occupying positions 06 through 11 (see Figure 3-7).

Mounting and wiring facilities are provided in groups of eight channels, which are expandable to 64 . The number of channels provided is dependent on the user's requirements.

### 3.2.4 Chrom and LOC IOT Decoding (See Figures 3-6 and 6-5)

Input/Output Transfer instructions used in the DK01-A Clock, AG01 Variable Gain Amplifier, and AFI7 LOC Control Logic are decoded by the W103 Device Selector modules in the AF16 Chrom Control Logic.

The W 103 Device Selector module selects a device by ANDing the instruction word, held in the memory buffer (MB), and IOP pulses 1, 2, or 4.


Figure 3-6 Chrom and LOC, IOT Decoding, Simplified Diagram

### 3.2.5 Channel Selector to LOC Control Logic Cables (See Figure 6-6)

These cables interconnect the AF16 LOC Channel Selector and the AF17 LOC Control Logic, Channels 00 through 07.

Cables A29 through A32 and B29 through B32 carry the 64-channel output signals from the digital multiplexer. Each cable has eight channels on it. Since there are eight such cables, the full complement of 64 channels is accommodated.

Cable B28 carries two types of signals to the AF17 circuitry, one is the buffered information from the PDP-8/I accumulator and the other is the IOT instruction bit codes for channel selection.

Cable A26 carries the input mixer (IM) bit information from either the H 300 or the H 301 Local Operator Console STOP, START, and CLEAR pushbuttons. Cable A28 carries the X and Y selection signals from the AM03-A Low-Level Multiplexer to the AF16 Chrom Control. Channel selection is dependent on these two signals.

Cable A27 carries the LOW and HIGH FEEDBACK signals and the associated LOW and HIGH FEEDBACK gain signals. This cable is connected from the AF16 Variable Gain Amplifier control to the AG04 Variable Gain Amplifier. The gain factors in brackets pertain to high feedback and those not in brackets to low feedback.

### 3.2.6 Input/Output Bus Cable (See Figure 6-7)

This cable is connected from the PDP-8/I computer to the AF16 circuitry. The signals carried by each of these cables are indicated on the drawing.

### 3.3 AFI7 LOC CONTROL LOGIC

3.3.1 Local Operator Console Control Logic (See Figures 3-7, 6-8, and 6-9)

The LOC control logic consists of eight identical channels 0 through 7. Circuitry for these channels is housed in one mounting panel along with IOT and BAC buffer logic. Any subsequent combinations of eight channels, up to the maximum of 64 , are housed in their own separate mounting panels. The G704 modules located in A26 and B26 are clamp loads which are connected to the H300 or H301 LOC pushbuttons associated with each channel as shown in Figure 6-9.

Complementing each channel is an H 300 or H 301 LOC box. For purposes of simplicity, only channel 0 will be discussed. All other channels function in an identical manner.

The ANDing together of the IOT code 6172B, which is obtained from the IOT and BAC Buffer Logic (see Figure 6-8), and the channel 0 level, which is obtained from the LOC Channel Selector (see Figure 6-2), generates a strobe pulse. This pulse strobes the six IM 6 through 11 NAND gates allowing the H300 or H301 LOC box START, STOP, and CLEAR signals to be read into the PDP-8/I input mixer bus.

Input $S$ to the IM 11 NAND gate is floating; consequently, when the strobe pulse is present, the IM 11 bit will be HI indicating to the operator that the IOT code 6172 B and the signal from the selected channel are present. With this facility, it is not necessary to depress a LOC box pushbutton to determine the presence of these levels.

Inputs $R$ and $L$ to the IM09 and 10 NAND gates are tied to ground so that when they are ANDed with the strobe pulse they will give a HI out to the PDP-8/I bus. These two NAND gates do not perform any function in the GLC-8 System but are available for the inclusion of additional functions if required.

The channel 0 input level is also fed to two other NAND gates, one is associated with clearing the relay and light data registers and the other with setting the data registers.

When the channel 0 level is NANDed with the IOT code 6161B, a reset strobe pulse is generated initially clearing all data flip-flop registers (setting them in the zero state). In this state the lights will not illuminate because a LO output is present from the associated inverter and the relays will not pickup because a HI output is present from their associated inverters.


Figure 3-7 AFI7 LOC Control Logic, Simplified Diagram

Following the clearing of the data registers, channel 0 is ANDed with the IOT code 6162B to generate a set strobe pulse setting the data registers in the one state. This allows the buffered BAC bits 6 through 11 to be read into the light and relay data registers.

If $B$ BAC bit 6,7 , or 8 is present, the associated READY, SAMPLING, or COMPUTING lights will illuminate. On the other hand, when B BAC bit 9, 10 , or 11 is present either relay K1, K2, or K3 will pickup.

When the GLC-8 System is initially turned on, the buffered power clear input (PWR CLR B) clears all of the data flip-flop registers, setting them to the zero state to prevent the relays from coming up in the wrong mode. This power clear level is generated in the AF16 and buffered in the AFI7.

There is one set of clamp loads for each of the possible 64 LOC boxes which serve to discharge the cable capacity existing between the logic channels and the LOC pushbuttons when the latter are depressed. This neutralizes the capacity and provides faster switching.

### 3.3.2 H300-H301 Local Operators Console Cables (See Figure 6-10)

These cables connect the input and output signal levels from the AF16 to the AF17 and from AF17 to the H300 and H301 LOC.

Cables A30 and B30 carry the internally generated power clear signal to the AFI7 and the IM levels to the PDP-8/II/O bus. The A31 and B31 cables carry the BAC levels from the PDP-8/II/O bus to the AF17 and the IOT instruction codes from the AF16 to the AF17.

One A32 cable is required for each AF17 mounted in the rack. For example, if there are four AF17 mounting panels mounted in the rack, then four A32 cables must be used. The first cable will carry channels 0 through 7 , the second channels 10 through 17 , the third channels 20 through 27 , and the fourth channels 30 through 37 and so on until the full complement of channels has been interconnected (see Figure 6-17).

Cables A 01 through A 04 , and BO 1 through B 04 , connect the light and relay input/output controlling levels from the H300 or H3O1 LOC to the AF17 logic control circuitry shown in Figure 6-7.

### 3.4 AG04 VARIABLE GAIN AMPLIFIER (See Figures 3-8 and 6-11)

The AG04 Amplifier is made up of two individual modules, one an A212 Variable Gain Amplifier and the other a W802 Relay Multiplexer.

The A212 module contains the high and low feedback gain components, a chopper stabilized amplifier module, high feedback gain adjustment controls, and an overload protection circuit. The W802 module consists of eight relay driver NAND gates, six for energizing the gain relays, and two for energizing either the LOW or HIGH FEEDBACK relays.

The selection of either the high or low gain is dependent on which relay driver NAND gate is enabled by a LO input. When a NAND gate has been enabled, the associated relay becomes energized, allowing the gain signal, connected to its contacts, to pass through to either the HIGH or LOW FEEDBACK bus. The relays are double-pole types with one set of contacts for the high feedback gain and the other for the low feedback gain.


Figure 3-8 AG04 Variable Gain Amplifier, Simplified Diagram

DK01-A FOUR TIMES LINE FREQUENCY CLOCK (See Figures 3-9,3-10, 3-11, and 3-12)
The clock generates an output frequency which is four times that of the input line frequency. The input frequency to the clock is the 50 or 60 Hz from the filament transformer.

The line frequency sine wave input is fed into the A310 module, which functions as an integrator, inverter, and comparator. The input sine wave is integrated and inverted; the resulting two sine waves are displaced from each other by 90 degrees. These sine waves are then fed into the comparator circuit, which generates two square waves, 90 degrees out-of-phase with each other. Refer to Figure 3-9.

For purposes of simplicity, only the upper circuit, shown on Figure 6-12, will be discussed (both the upper and the lower section are identical).


Figure 3-9 DK01A Timing Diagram


Figure 3-10 Four Times Line Frequency Clock Pulsetrain


Figure 3-11 Four Times Line Frequency Clock, Simplified Diagram

The output square wave from A 310 is fed to the input of the W512 level converter, which converts the square wave input positive logic level to a $L O$ negative logic output. This LO negative logic is then fed to NAND inverter R 121 and the R602 pulse amplifier.

The LO input to the R121 NAND inverter enables this stage, providing an output positive going square wave which is fed to the R602 pulse amplifier, where the input square wave is converted to a positive-going output pulse.

The W512 LO negative logic output level is also fed to a second R602 pulse amplifier which places it 180 degrees out-of-phase with the output from the R121 NAND gate inverter. The R602 pulse amplifier outputs are now 180 degrees out-of-phase with each other. The signals are then fed to the R121 NOR gate, which inverts them to LO outputs. They are, in turn, fed to inverter R107. The output from the inverter is a pulse train of positive-going pulses four times that of the input 50 or 60 Hz line frequency.

IOT instruction 6144 sets the R303 integrating one-shot in the zero state ( 25 ms ). The HI output from the zero side of R303 is ANDed with the clock pulses to set the CLK FLAG flip-flop. The output from the one side enables the PI NAND gate R111 causing a program interrupt (PI) to the PDP-8/I.

When the program has recognized this event by testing the CLK FLAG flip-flop with an IOS pulse, generated by ANDing together the flag flip-flop output and the IOT instruction 6141, it issues the IOT instruction 6142 which causes a skip on the CLK FLAG flip-flop. When this is recognized by the program, a one is added to memory. This instruction inhibits the PI and IOS NAND gates.

When the PDP-8/I is initially turned on, the internally generated power clear pulse clears both the CLK FLAG and CAL FLG R202 flip-flops and the Digital Output Register, setting them all to the zero state. The CAL FLG HI output inhibits the RIll NAND gate to prevent the generation of PI and IOS pulses.

A 6154 IOT instruction sets the R202 CAL FLG flip-flop to the one state with the LO output from one side combining with the timing pulse (TP) to enable the R111 NAND gate. The HI output from this NAND gate sets the TIMING PULSE flip-flop to the one state. Its LO output enables the PI NAND gate, thereby generating a program interrupt. This LO output is also fed to the IOS NAND gate, which are enabled when the 6141 IOT instruction is present.

The IOT instruction 6164 clears the CAL FLG flip-flop setting it to zero state, thereby inhibiting the TP NAND gate.

### 3.6 H303 AMPLIFIER MOUNTING PANEL (See Figures 6-13 and 6-14)

This mounting panel houses the buffer amplifiers and filter, the function of which is to amplify and filter the input chromatograph analog signals. Located on the right hand side of this panel, are individual chromatograph channel input signal connectors, identified as CH 0 through CH 8 and two output connectors J1 and J2.

The analog signal from each chromatograph connected on the line is looped from the channel input connectors through the buffer amplifier and filter to the output connectors J 1 or J 2 for application to the H302 Mounting Panel.

Signals inputs on channel connectors $\mathrm{CH}, \mathrm{CHI}, \mathrm{CH} 4$, and CH 5 terminate in JI ; and CH 2 , $\mathrm{CH} 3, \mathrm{CH} 6$, and CH 7 terminate in J 2 .

### 3.7 H302 CONNECTOR PANEL ASSEMBLY (See Figures 6-15 and 6-16)

This panel assembly consists of 16 input connectors, Jl through J 16 , and two 32 channel output connectors, P 1 and P 2 . The function of this panel is to take the analog output signals from Jl and J2 on the H303 Amplifier Panel and loop the signals through to the output connectors P1 and P2. From P1 and P2, the signals are then fed to the AM03 Low-Level Multiplexer.

The H302 Panel Assembly is interconnected to the H303 Amplifier Mounting Panel as shown in Figure 6-17.

## NOTE

In Figure 6-17, note that the equipment is being viewed from the rear of the racks and not the front. When viewing the racks from the front, the view shown in the figure must be reversed.

### 3.8 INPUT BUFFER AMPLIFIER (See Figures 3-12 and 6-18)

There are two types of input amplifiers, A210 (gain of X1) and A211 (gain of X10). Both amplifiers operate identically.

The input to each amplifier is a high-impedance balanced differential stage. This high input impedance ensures that common-mode noise currents are held to a minimum and loading of the source is avoided. Because the input is differentially balanced, there is a high common-mode rejection ratio.

Common-mode noise currents are equal in both amplifier input terminal pins N and P . These currents generate equal voltage drops across the input resistors, causing a zero differential voltage at the input to the operational amplifier. As the amplifier responds only to differences in voltage, there will be no output due to the common-mode noise. A line balance trim is provided to compensate for source and cable unbalance, thereby maintaining equal common-mode noise currents in each input terminal. Two additional potentiometers are provided, one for zero offset balance and one for gain adjust.

Normal-mode noise is reduced by the use of capacitors in the feedback loop which in effect, reduce the bandwidth of the amplifier.
3.9 INPUT FILTER (See Figures 3-12 and 6-18)

There are two filter models. In earlier GLC-8 Systems the A213 filter was used, but in the later GLC-8 System, the A216 filter is used.

The A216 filter is an active low-pass, Butterworth-type filter with a cutoff frequence of approximately 2 Hz . A low-drift, low-noise operational amplifier is used with two frequency determining networks (poles) arranged to ensure a flat pass band and rolls off at a $-12 \mathrm{db} /$ octave rate beyond the cutoff frequency. The filter has a gain of -1 ; a 100 K potentiometer is provided for zero balancing.


Figure 3-12 Input Buffer Amplifier, Simplified Diagram

### 3.10.1 H713 Dual $\pm 15 \mathrm{~V}$ Power Supply (See Figures 6-19 and 6-20)

This equipment is a dual $\pm 15 \mathrm{Vdc}$ floating regulated power supply which provides the required power for the GLC-8 System. The current provided by each 15 V supply is a 1.5 A and the voltage regulation is 0.2 percent.

Each 15 V output has overload protection capable of withstanding output shorts indefinitely. Ripple content of the output voltages is two mV RMS maximum.

Input power to the supply is 105 to 125 Vac at 47 to 400 Hz . Line voltage regulation is 0.05 percent .
3.10.2 +10, -15V Power Supply, Model 783 (See Figure 6-21)

This supply furnishes +10 and -15 Vdc to the GLC-8 equipments. Rectification is provided by diodes D1 through D4. Filtering is provided by C 2 and R1 for the +10 V output and C 1 for the -15 V output. The Power Supply specifications are outlined in the Performance Specification section of this manual.

The 783A Power Supply is identical to the 783, except that it is designed to operate from a 50 Hz line frequency.

### 3.10.3 Variable 0-20V Power Supply, Model 734B (See Figure 6-22)

This supply furnishes $\pm 0-20 \mathrm{Vdc}$ to the equipments for purposes of margin checking logic racks. Rectification is provided by four 1 N 3208 diodes. Filtering is provided by C2 and R1. Both outputs are protected against overload conditions by the Slo-Blo fuse FI. The output voltages are monitored by the 0-30 Vdc meter.

Five output voltage connection points are provided for each of the +10 and -15 V supplies (the five separate ground points are common to both supplies). When the $+10,-15 \mathrm{~V}$ select switch is in the 10 V position, the -15 V leg is connected to the ground terminals; when the switch is in the -15 V position, the -10 V leg is connected to the ground terminals.

The 734C Variable 0-20V Power Supply is identical to the 734B, except that it is designed to operate from a 50 Hz line frequency.

## CHAPTER 4

INSTALLATION

This Chapter provides the necessary information for GLC-8 System installation. The gas chromatographs used in conjunction with the GLC-8 vary according to the individual application; consequently, the information in this Chapter is generalized. It is assumed that customer technical personnel will be available to determine the individual applications and environments of the equipment.

Figure 4-1 illustrates the equipments (mounted in the H961 cabinet) which make up the ana$\log$ and digital portion of the GLC-8 System. The equipments mounted in the PDP-8/I computer cabinet make up the basic computer system.

Figure 6-23 depicts the GLC-8 System interface cable connections, Figure 6-24 shows the physical size of the H 961 cabinet, and Figure 6-25 shows the AF 17 assembly wiring.

### 4.1 MECHANICAL

The following dimensions pertain to two GLC-8 H961 analog and digital cabinets and the PDP-8/I computer cabinet mounted side-by-side:

Width: 62-1/8 inches
Height: 71-11/32 inches
Depth: 48-1/8 inches (includes analog and digital dress panel and PDP-8/I cabinet rear door open)

### 4.1.1 LOC Box

The outline dimensions, mounting hole pattern, and location of connectors of the LOC are shown in Figure 4-2.

### 4.2 PARTS REQUIRED FOR PRE-INSTALLATION

Table 4-1 lists the parts supplied with each AF08 Interface for installation of the GLC-8. It should be noted that the table lists the unit quantity of parts required to interface a gas chromatograph, not the total quantity to interface a GLC-8 System. The total quantity of parts required for a particular installation is determined by the number of gas chromatographs, and LOCs on-line with the GLC-8.


Figure 4-1 Equipment Location in H961 Rack Diagram


Figure 4-2 Local Operator Console, Outline Drawing

## NOTE

The following parts, necessary for making up the GLC-8 cables, are furnished to the customer prior to his receiving the GLC-8 system. This allows him to install these cables immediately upon receipt of his equipment. The cable connector part numbers are listed here for reference purposes only.

Table 4-1
Parts Required for Installation

| Name | Part Number | Quantity | Use |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Connector | $\begin{aligned} & 57-30140 \\ & \text { (DEC Stock No.) } \end{aligned}$ | 1 | Part of cable assembly used to interface LOC H300 or H301 at the LOC |
| Connector | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 126-195 } \\ & \text { (Amphenol) } \end{aligned}$ | 1 | Part of cable assembly used to interface relays of LOC H301 with gas chromotograph at the LOC |
| Connector, Module | W023 | 1 | Part of cable assembly used to interface LOC H300 or LOC H301 with GLC-8 at the GLC-8 |
| Connector | $\begin{aligned} & 126-217 \\ & \text { (Amphenol) } \end{aligned}$ | 1 | Part of cable assembly used to interface GLC-8 with gas chromatograph at the GLC-8 |

### 4.3 PARTS REQUIRED BUT NOT SUPPLIED

Table 4-2 lists the cables that are required for installation but not supplied.

### 4.4 POWER REQUIREMENTS

The GLC-8 requires a power source of $115 \pm 17 \mathrm{~V}, 60 \pm 0.5 \mathrm{~Hz}$ at 20A minimum. The equipment is available upon request to operate from a $220 \pm 33 \mathrm{~V}, 50 \pm 0.5 \mathrm{~Hz}$ single-phase power source or from a $110 \pm 15 \mathrm{~V}, 50 \pm 0.5 \mathrm{~Hz}$ single-phase power source. The normal source of power ( 115 V ) must be equipped with a 30A 3-Terminal Hubbell twist-lock receptacle (DEC Part \#12-3485, Hubbell Cat. \#331) to accommodate the power cable of the GLC-8. Optional equipment, such as the LOC and teletype receive power from the GLC-8. The teletype has its own ac power cord which can be connected directly to an external source other than the GLC-8.

Table 4-2
Parts Required Not Supplied

| Name | Part Number | Description |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| GLC-8/Gas | 8762 <br> (Belden) | Wire: 20 AWG, twisted pair, shielded. |
| Chromatograph Cable | 8457 <br> (Belden) <br> LOC/GLC-8 | Wire: 22 AWG, 12-conductor cable. |
| Cable (H300 or H301) | 8456 <br> (Belden) | Wire: 22 AWG, 10-conductor cable. |

### 4.5 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS

The PDP-8/I (the computer base of the GLC-8) can operate at an installation with an ambient temperature from $32^{\circ}$ to $122^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\left(0^{\circ}\right.$ to $\left.50^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$ with no degradation in performance. However, when dealing with the temperature sensitive differential isolation amplifiers, found at the analog interface of the GLC-8, consideration must be given to rapid changes in ambient temperatures, a one-degree centigrade change in temperature can produce $50 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ drift when using the A 210 amplifier and a 300 microvolt drift when using the A211 amplifier. (The baseline correction algorithm of the GLC-8 will compensate for slow changes in ambient temperature.)

## CAUTION

To avoid sudden changes in temperature, the GLC-8 should not be located near windows, thermostatically controlled blowers, and other areas where sudden changes in temperature may occur.

### 4.6 INSTALLATION CONSTRAINTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

There are several vital factors that must be considered when transmitting the low-level ana$\log$ signals of the gas chromatograph to the GLC-8. The most significant of these are:
a. normal-mode noise
b. common-mode noise
c. distance between transducer and computer.

These factors are of paramount importance in obtaining accurate gas chromatography results.

### 4.6.1 Normal-Mode Noise

Normal-mode noise arises from electromagnetic fields and other sources of noise penetrating the loop formed between the signal wires. This type of noise can be minimized by the use of two-conductor, twisted-pair shielded wire with the shield covered by an insulator. (The recommended Belden Type 8762, Table 4-2, is an excellent example of this type of cable.) Although tests have shown that the effects of induced noise are minimal using this type of cable, it is recommended that additional precautions be taken, for example:
a. Signal cables should not be run with power or other high voltage cables.
b. Cables should be run perpendicular to the electromagnetic fields produced by unshielded transformers and motors.
c. Cables should be run out of the way of flourescent lamps and other sources of high frequency noise.
d. Cables should be run in conduit or floor trenches so that signal leads are completely isolated.

### 4.6.2 Common-Mode Noise

Common-mode noise arises as a result of differences in the ground reference planes of the gas chromatograph and the GLC-8. The GLC-8 has a common-mode rejection of 120 db at $50 / 60 \mathrm{~Hz}$. Hence, for each volt of common mode noise introduced, $1 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ of common-mode noise is seen at the A/D converter. To ensure minimal common-mode noise, the shield of the GLC-8/gas chromatograph cable should be driven at the same potential as the signal return line. This is accomplished by returning the signal return and the shield to common ground at the gas chromatograph and floating the shiefd at the GLC-8.

Ground currents flowing between the GLC-8 and the gas chromatograph will appear as common mode voltage at the GLC-8 interface. The isolation amplifier at the input of each channel of the GLC-8 is a balanced differential amplifier. Ground currents flowing equally in the signal and signal return lines are, therefore, rejected.

### 4.6.3 Ground Currents

Analog Signal Cables Length - The minimum-noise system is further constrained by the distance between the GLC-8 and the gas chromatograph. From tests performed in DEC's test laboratories, it has been observed that analog signal cables can be run 500 ft under unfavorable conditions, with no degradation in gas chromatography accuracy. Since the specifications of various gas chromatographs differ, it is impossible to specify the maximum distance that the GLC-8 may be located away from the gas chromatograph. The customer should determine the greatest distance at which he can operate his
strip-chart recorder and use this as the criterion for extablishing the maximum distance permissible between the GLC-8 and gas chromatograph .

### 4.7 CABLE FABRICATION

Cables should be fabricated according to the instructions contained in the following paragraphs. The length of cables is determined by the demands of the installation and the constraints cited in the installation and planning section. Cables should be checked for continuity and isolation resistance after fabrication using a suitable multimeter.

### 4.7.1 Gas Chromatograph/GLC-8 Cable Assembly

The cable interfacing each gas chromatograph connected on-line with the GLC-8 should be fabricated in accordance with Figure 4-3. The cable, at the gas chromatograph end, should be tinned or equipped with lugs depending on the method of termination.

### 4.7.2 LOC/GASCHROM-8 Cable Assembly

The cable interfacing each LOC, both H300 and H301, to the GLC-8 should be fabricated in accordance with Figure 4-4.

### 4.7.3 LOC/Gas Chromatograph Cable Assembly

The cable interfacing the relays of the LOC H3O1 with the gas chromatograph should be fabricated in accordance with Figure 4-5. This cable is not required for the H 300 LOC.

### 4.7.4 Teletype ASR-33 (Optional)/GLC-8 Cable Assembly

Teletype cable assemblies are supplied with the ASR-33 Teletype according to the length specified by the customer.

### 4.8 CABLE INSTALLATION

Installation consists of connecting the Gas Chromatograph/GLC-8 cable assembly (see Figure 4-3) to the gas chromatograph, routing the cabling through conduit to the selected location for the installation and planning section. The suggested procedure is as follows:
a. As shown in Figure 4-6 the cable assembly should be connected to the output of the electrometer amplifier or the thermo-conductivity cell ahead of the strip-chart recorder attenuator. A change of inverted attenuation while the gas chromatograph is on-line with the GLC-8 will cause a discontinuity of signal and corresponding in-accurate gas chromatography results.


Figure 4-3 Gas Chromatograph/GLC-8 Cable Assembly, Fabrication Drawing

## NOTE

When using A213 filter the more positive input signal must come in on Pin E of the input connector.
When using A216 filter the more positive input signal must come in on Pin H of the input connector.


Figure 4-4 LOC/GLC-8 Cable Assembly, Fabrication Drawings


Figure 4-5 LOC/Gas Chromatograph Cable Assembly, Fabrication Drawing


Figure 4-6 Installation of Analog Cable Assembly
b. Both the signal return line and the shield should be terminated at signal ground at the gas chromatograph, as shown in Figure 4-6 and the shield floated at the GLC-8. Refer to the installation and planning section.
c. On completion of the installation of the cable assembly, the common-mode noise content of the installation is measured to determine the error introduced into the system due to commonmode noise. The output of the gas chromatograph is measured from both signal line to shield and from signal return line to shield at the GLC-8 connector with an oscilloscope and preamplifier. The test setup for measurement of common-mode noise is shown in Figure 4-7. As previously mentioned, the system has a common mode rejection ratio of 120 db , at 60 Hz with a worst case source unbalance of 1000 ohms. Therefore, for each volt of common-mode voltage measured, one microvolt of noise will be seen at the $\mathrm{A} / \mathrm{D}$ converter. If the minimum signal output of the gas chromatograph is $10 \mu \mathrm{~V}$, it follows that the maximum noise that the system can tolerate is 10 V . If the measured common-mode noise is 10 V or greater, the grounding system of the gas chromatographs should be modified as indicated in the installation and planning sections.


Figure 4-7 Common Mode Noise Analysis Test Setup

### 4.8.1 Power Cable

The H961 Cabinets housing the GLC-8 equipments have only one 115 Vac receptacle. Power may be turned ON or OFF from the PDP-8/I operator's console.

### 4.8.2 GLC-8, Analog and LOC Cable Runs

These cables are connected to the H961 Cabinets through a drop panel in the bottom of the cabinets. Subflooring, although desirable, is not necessary, because casters elevate the cabinets from the floor to give sufficient cable clearance.

### 4.8.3 H300 Local Operator Console

Cables which interconnect the H300 LOC to the AF 17 digital control logic circuitry are shown in Figure 4-8, 6-7, 6-8, and 6-9.

### 4.8.4 H301 Local Operator Console

The cable which interconnects the H3O1 LOC to the AF17 digital control logic circuitry is shown in Figures 4-9 and 6-30.

### 4.8.5 Interfacing of Equipments

H300 and H301 LOC and analog signal interfacing is accomplished using the cables shown in Figures 4-8 and 4-9.

### 4.9 MODULE LOCATIONS IN MOUNTING FRAMES

The drawings listed below show the exact location of the modules in their mounting frames within the GLC-8 System,

AF16 Control Logic, Figure 6-31
AF17 LOC Control Logic, Figure 6-3\%
AG04 Variable Gain Amplifier, Figure 6-33

### 4.10 ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT PUBLICATIONS

During installation of the GLC-8 System, the following publications are available to facilitate installation:

GLC-8 Diagnostic MAINDEC 8I-D6
Low Level Multiplexer Diagnostic AM03/AM08 MAINDEC-08D60A-D-D
Analog-Digital Converter ADCI-A, (Model AFOI)
PDP-8/I Multiplexer Subsystem DEC-08-H6AA-D
GLC-8 Chromatographers User's Guide DEC-CP-GAYA-D
PDP-8/I Maintenance Manual DEC-8I-HRIA-D
Extended Arithmetic Element (EAE), Model KE8/I
Memory Extender, Model MC8/I
Disk, Model DF-32

### 4.10.1 Optional Equipment Publication

The following publication pertains to the teletype which interfaces with the GLC-8 System. Teletype System, Model PT08


Figure 4-9 H301 Interface Cable

Figure 4-8 H300 Interface Cable

## CHAPTER 5

MAINTENANCE

### 5.1 GENERAL

This Chapter contains the information necessary to maintain the GLC-8 System. When operated under normal conditions, the system requires very little maintenance (periodic performance of diagnostic programs, cleaning, and inspection). If preventive maintenance is required, follow the procedures outlined in this Chapter to return the equipment to optimum operating efficiency.

If a component or module requires replacement, obtain the description from the recommended spare parts list outlined in this Chapter.

Do not replace a faulty component without first determining the cause of the failure. Refer to the Block Schematics associated with each module to determine the location of the components in question.

When conducting a maintenance analysis on the system, make certain that the input conditions required to produce a specified output are met; otherwise, erroneous output readings will result, indicating a non-existing fault.

### 5.2 SPECIAL MAINTENANCE IOT INSTRUCTIONS

The function of the special maintenance IOT instructions 6154 and 6164 are fully described in Operation and Programming, Chapter 2, paragraph 2.3.

### 5.3 GLC-8 KEY SHEET

A key sheet (KS) is provided with each GLC-8 System and is relevant only to the particular system. The KS documents the standard options, special features, and the system and installation drawings incorporated into each GLC-8 System .

If a customer has a question concerning his system, it is important that he provide DEC personnel with all relevant information on this sheet, including serial and drawing numbers.

### 5.4 MASTER DRAWING LIST

A master drawing list (MDL) is provided on each KS for each option in a GLC-8 System. The MDL for a particular piece of equipment provides the user with a complete breakdown of all drawings common to that equipment. If drawings are to be ordered for customer use, or for service consultation, the complete drawing number must be specified in order to provide fast and efficient service.

## 5.5 <br> GLC-8 MAINDEC 8I-D6BA-(D) DIAGNOSTIC PROGRAMS

The GLC-8 diagnostic programs are used to test the unique hardware features of the system that cannot be tested with existing MAINDECs. The features include the real-time clock, special interrupt modifications, LOC boxes, and programmable amplifier.

The programs are designed to facilitate troubleshooting by selectively exercising every circuit in the machine. Instructions and procedures for loading, operating, and interpreting the results of diagnostic tests are written in clear, concise language for beginning maintenance personnel.

Detailed error messages are printed out to tell the maintenance personnel exactly which instruction, or bit configuration, has failed. Error codes direct the troubleshooter to specific modules when a fault condition is detected.

The program tests are divided into five sections. The first tests the real-time clock, with tests on flags, interrupts, clock enable logic, and stability and repeatability.

For the second program, there is a special option to inhibit the interrupts of the AD converter, TTY, and the PT08. These devices are tested to determine if their flag may be raised without causing an interrupt, and all other devices are tested to see when a flag is raised that an interrupt is also raised.

The third section tests to see that the local operator consoles may be selected and the computer can read the status of the push-buttons, and that the LOC box console lights can be controlled by the PDP-8/I.

The fourth section is a check of the programmable gain amplifier. In most of the tests, errors are detected by the PDP $-8 / \mathrm{I}$; scope loops are a function of the switch register. For LOC channel selection, most error detection requires operator observance.

### 5.6 H300 AND H301 LOC CABLE CONNECTORS

Figure 1-1 shows the LOC input/output cable connectors and the signal termination points.


Figure 5-1 H300 and H301 LOC Cable Connectors

### 5.7 H303 INPUT PANEL CONNECTOR

Figure 5-2 shows the H303 Input Panel connector and the signal termination points.

| Connector Pin |  | $\frac{\text { Signal }}{\text { D }}$ |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | Shield |
| H | See Note |  |
| E | See Note |  |

## NOTE

When using the A213 filter, the more positive input signal must come in on pin $E$ of the input connector with the return on pin H .

When using the A216 filter, the more positive input signal must come in on pin H of the input connector with the return on pin $E$.


Figure 5-2 H303 Input Panel Connectors

### 5.8 PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE

A systematic preventive maintenance program can be a useful tool to avert system failures. Proper application of a preventive maintenance program is an aid to both serviceman and user, since detection and prevention of probable failures can substantially reduce maintenance and downtime.

Scheduling of computer usage should always include time for maintenance purposes. Careful diagnostic testing can indicate problems which may only occur intermittently during on-line operation.

Weekly program checks and thorough preventive maintenance should be followed, based on the following criteria:

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { electrical - } \quad 1000 \text { hours } \\
& \text { mechanical - } 500 \text { hours }
\end{aligned}
$$

or at least quarterly.

### 5.8.1 Preventive Maintenance Tasks

The following tasks should be performed quarterly:
a. Clean the exterior and interior of the equipment cabinet using a vacuum cleaner, air blower, or a brush with long soft bristles, and/or cloths moistened in nonflammable solvent. If an air hose is used for cleaning, do not disturb components or wiring.
b. Clean the air filter by removing the retaining bar and machine screw. Use a vacuum cleaner to remove accumulated dirt and dust. Replace filter in the GLC-8 racks.
c. Lubricate hinges, slide mechanisms, and casters, with a light machine oil. Wipe off excess oil.
d. Visually inspect equipment for general condition. Repaint any scratched areas with DEC black paint or Krylon glossy white No. 1501.
e. Inspect all wiring and cables for cuts, breaks, fraying, wear, deterioration, kinks, strains and mechanical security. Tape, solder, or replace any defective wiring or cable covering.
f. Inspect the following for mechanical security: keys, switches, control knobs, lamps, connectors, transformers, fans, capacitors, etc. Tighten or replace as required.
g. Inspect all module mounting panels to ensure that each module is securely seated in its connector. Remove and clean any module which may have collected dirt or dust due to improper air filter servicing.
h. Inspect power supply components for leaky capacitors, overheated resistors, etc. Replace any defective components.
i. Check the output voltage and ripple content of the H7l3 power supply as specified in the Performance Specifications. Use a multimeter to make these measurements without disconnecting the load. Use an oscilloscope to measure p-p ripple on all dc outputs of the supply. The outputs of the supplies are adjustable; therefore, if any output voltages are not within the specified tolerance, readjust the output voltages. If the desired output voltages are not attainable, initiate power supply maintenance. Refer to the block schematic associated with the power supply in question. If ripple content is not within specifications, the supply is considered defective and corrective maintenance should be performed.
i. Run all GLC-8 programs to verify proper equipment operation. Each program should be allowed to run for at least 10 minutes.
k. Perform all preventive maintenance operations for each peripheral device included in the system.
I. Enter preventive maintenance results in the log book.
m . Run voltage margins while running diagnostics.
n. While running the diagnostics, vibrate the modules and wiring panels.
o. While running the diagnostics, check all analog adjustments.

## 5.9 <br> CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE

The GLC-8 System is constructed of highly reliable modules. The reliability of these circuits, in conjunction with performance of the preventive maintenance tasks ensures relatively little equipment downtime due to failure. If a malfunction occurs, maintenance personnel should analyze the condition and correct it as indicated in the following procedures. The following test equipments are required:
a. broad band-width oscilloscope,
b. Tektronix Type P6019 current probe,
c. multimeter

It is virtually impossible to outline any specific procedures for locating faults within complex digital systems such as the GLC-8. The best corrective maintenance tool is a thorough understanding of the physical and electrical characteristics of the equipment. Persons responsible for maintenance should become thoroughly familiar with the system concept, the logic drawings, the operation of specific module circuits, and the location of mechanical and electrical componets. Diagnosis and remedial action for a fault condition can be undertaken logically and systematically in the following phases:
a. Preliminary Investigation
b. System Troubleshooting
c. Logic Troubleshooting
d. Circuit Troubleshooting
e. Repair/Replacement
f. Validation Tests
g. Recording

### 5.9.1 Preliminary Investigation

Before commencing troubleshooting procedures, explore every possible source of information. Analyze the problem before attempting to troubleshoot the system. Gather all available information from users who have encountered the problem, and check the system log book for any previous references to the problem.

Do not attempt to troubleshoot by use of complex system programs alone. Run the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8I-D6BA-(D) Diagnostic programs and select the shortest, simplest program available which exhibits the error conditions. GLC-8 programs are carefully written to include program loops for assistance in system and logic troubleshooting.

### 5.9.2 System Troubleshooting

When the problem is understood and the proper program has been selected, the logic section of the system at fault should be determined. Obviously, the program which has been selected gives a reasonable idea of what section of the system is failing. However, faults in equipment which transmit or receive information, or improper connection of the system, frequently give fault indications similiar to those caused by computer malfunctions.

Disconnect any peripheral devices which are not necessary to operate the program. At this time, reduce the program to its simplest scope loop and duplicate this loop in a dissimilar portion of memory to verify, for instance, that an operation failure is not dependent upon memory location. This process can aid in distinguishing memory failures from processor failures. Use of the techniques described above often pinpoints the problem to a few modules.

### 5.9.3 Logic Troubleshooting

Before attempting to troubleshoot the logic, make sure that proper and calibrated test equipment is available. Always calibrate the vertical preamp and probes of an oscilloscope before using. Make sure the oscilloscope has a good ac ground and keep the dc ground from the probe as short as possible.

Use the oscilloscope to trace signal flow through the suspected logic element. Oscilloscope sweep can be synchronized by control pulses or by level transitions which are available on individual module terminals at the wiring side of the logic.

## CAUTION

When probing the logic, do not short between pins. Shorting of signal pins to power supply pins may result in damaged components.

### 5.9.4 Circuit Troubleshooting

Engineering schematic diagrams of each module are supplied with the GLC-8 System; refer to these diagrams for detailed circuit information.

Visually inspect the module on both the component side and the printer wiring side to check for overheated or broken components or etch. If this inspection fails to reveal the cause of trouble or to confirm a fault condition observed, use the multimeter to measure resistances.

## CAUTION

To avoid damaging components, do not use the lowest or highest resistance ranges of the multimeter when checking semiconductor devices. The X10 range is suggested.

Measure the forward and reverse resistances of diodes. Diodes should measure approximately $20 \Omega$ forward and more than $1000 \Omega$ reverse. If readings in each direction are the same and no parallel paths exist, replace the diode.

Measure the emitter-collector, collector-base, and emitter-base resistances of transistors in both directions. Short circuits between collector and emitter, or an open circuit in the base-emitter path, cause most failures. A good transistor indicates an open circuit in both directions between collector and emitter. Normally 50 to $100 \Omega$ resistance exists between the emitter and the base, or between the collector and the base in the forward direction, and an open circuit condition exists in the reverse direction. To determine forward and reverse directions, consider a transistor as two diodes connected back to back. In this analogy, PNP transistors would have both cathodes connected together to form the base, and both the emitter and collector assume the function of an anode. In NPN transistors, the base would be a common-anode connection; and both the emitter and collector, the cathode.

Multimeter polarity must be checked before measuring resistance, because many meters apply a positive voltage to the common lead when in the resistance mode.

As ICs contain complex integrated circuits with only the input, output, and power terminals available, static multimeter testing is limited to continuity checks for shorts between terminals. IC checking is best done under dynamic conditions using a module extender to make terminals readily accessible. Using GLC-8 logic diagrams and module schematics, proceed as follows to locate an IC on a circuit board:

| Step | Procedure |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 | Hold the module with the handle in your left hand; <br> component side facing you. |
| 2 | ICs are numbered starting at the contact side of the <br> board, upper right hand corner. |
| 4 | The numbers increase toward the handle. <br> When a row is complete, the next IC is located in <br> the next row at the contact end of the boards (see <br> Figure 5-3). <br> The pins on each IC are located as illustrated in <br> Figure 5-4. |



Figure 5-3 IC Location


Figure 5-4 IC Pin Location

### 5.9.5 Validation Tests

Always return repaired modules to the location from which they were removed. If a defective module is replaced by a new one while repairs are being made, tag the defective module, and note the location from which it was taken and the nature of the failure. When repairs are completed, return the repaired module to its original location, and confirm that the repairs have resolved the problem by running all tests which originally exhibited the problem.

## NOTE

If modules have been moved during the troubleshooting period, return all modules to their original positions before running the validation tests.

### 5.9.6 Recording

A log book is supplied with each GLC-8 System. Corrective maintenance is not complete until all activities are recorded in the log book. Record all data indicating the symptoms of the fault, the method of fault detection, the component at fault, and any comments which would be helpful in maintaining the equipment in the future.

The log should be maintained on a daily basis, recording all operator usage and corrective maintenance results.

### 5.10 ADJUSTMENTS

Adjustments of the GLC-8 should never be undertaken until it has been confirmed that a failure is due to circuit aging or misalignment, rather than a component failure. Replacement of certain components or correcting an unsatisfactory environment may eliminate the need for adjustment.

### 5.11 TRANSISTOR ABUSES

### 5.11.1 General

A manufacturer's transistor and IC specification sheet not only describes the device, but warns of its limitations and assumes that the user is somewhat familiar with the type of device described, as well as its application. When this knowledge is lacking, additional information is available in the form of application notes, technical tips, articles in technical periodicals, promotional material, manuals, etc.

No matter how carefully the manufacturer prepares his specification sheet, he cannot guarantee his device against mechanical and electrical abuses.

Over the years transistors and ICs have acquired a reputation for high reliability and ruggedness but there are limitations that the user must become familiar with if he is to maintain reliable semiconductor circuits. The following paragraphs discuss some of the more common handling abuses to which transistors and ICs are subjected.

### 5.11 .2

Mechanical Abuses
Shock
Semiconductor material is hard and brittle and can be damaged by a high impact shock. For example, dropping a device $4-1 / 2$ inches onto a hardwood bench subjects the device to around 500 g ; a drop of 30 inches onto concrete may increase the impact shock from 7000 to $20,000 \mathrm{~g}$; snapping rather than sliding a transistor into a clip causes a shock to 600 g ; and carelessly clipping a transistor lead may generate a shock wave of several thousand $g$. Any high impact shock, therefore, can cause a fracture in the semiconductor material, or lead breakage, which completely ruins the semiconductor device.

Lead Bending
Bending a wire back and forth sharply will usually cause a break or fracture. This is especially true of transistor leads at the point where they enter, or attach to, the header. Leads bent during testing or handling may easily break later because the "bending life" of the lead has already been exhausted. Plated leads which are subjected to excessive bending and twisting can crack at the header, allowing moisture to enter and contaminate the device, thereby causing gradual degradation of gain and voltage characteristics. To prevent this damage, always allow a clearance of at least $1 / 16$ to $1 / 8$ inch between the header and the start of a lead bend.

## Overheating

If, during soldering, the maximum specified junction temperature of a device is exceeded, the device can be destroyed. Heat transmitted over connecting leads and printed circuit board leads to the header can also be destructive. Junctions can be shorted. Lead connections may open. Unequal expansion between the header and the package may break the hermetic seal. Safety precautions include the removal of the transistor and IC from the immediate socket to which heat is being applied, keeping in mind that the heat can quickly travel along connecting wires to neighboring sockets; the use of heat shunts (clips, pliers, etc.) connected between the heat source and the devices; and the use of a soldering iron of heat delivery adequate for the job to be done.

### 5.11.3 Electrical Abuses

Excessive Voltage
Never exceed the absolute maximum voltages (usually specified at $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ ) given by the manufacturer. In signal amplifier circuits, peak-to-peak voltage swings should not exceed the interelement absoulte maximum voltages of the transistors. A good rule is to use a supply voltage equal to half the maximum voltage rating. Maximum inter-element voltages can also be exceeded by voltage transients (inductive and capacitive kicks, etc.) when connecting a transistor into a hot circuit.

## NOTE

Before removing or replacing a transistor in a circuit, always turn the power OFF.

Using an ohmmeter to test transistors can also cause damage by application of excessive voltage. Since the emitter-base reverse breakdown voltage for most transistors is from VV to 5 V , the transistor can easily be damaged when subjected to the high voltage ranges of an ohmmeter (many use 22-1/2 volt batteries). When measuring breakdown voltage, always use a current limiting resistor. Voltage spikes can cause a build-up of impurities concentrated at a point in the collector and emitter junctions and can result in punch-through (internal short from collector to emitter) across the base region.

## Excessive Power

Exceeding the maximum junction temperature of a transistor can permanently change the gain, the breakdown voltage, and cause opens and shorts. To guard against such damage when testing for gain at excessive power dissipation levels, use a protective heat sink or test with a low duty cycle pulse.

### 5.12 COMPONENT BOARD AND COMPONENT REPLACEMENT SERVICE NOTES

### 5.12.1 Pre-replacement Servicing Aids

a. When soldering semiconductor devices (transistors, diodes, rectifiers and integrated circuits) which are defective, use only a six-volt soldering iron with an isolation transformer.

## CAUTION

Use of an iron without an isolation transformer may result in excessive voltages presented at the iron tip.
b. In replacing components, use a heat sink (for example, a pair of pliers) to grip the lead between the joint and the device being soldered.
c. Perform the soldering replacement operation in the shortest possible time to prevent damage to the component and breaking of the copper foil on the board.

## CAUTION

Never attempt to remove solder from terminal points by heating and rapping the module against another surface. This can result in component or module damage. Always remove solder by using a soldersucking tool.
d. When removing any part of the equipment for repair and replacement, make certain that all leads or wires which have been unsoldered are legibly tagged or marked for identification with their associated terminals. When a component has been removed it should be replaced by a new component of the same value and tolerance.
e. In all soldering and unsoldering operations do not allow any solder or flux to fall on adjacent components or copper foil runs. When the repair has been completed, remove the excess flux by washing the junctions with a solvent such as trichlorethylene. Be careful not to expose painted or plastic surfaces to this solvent.
5.12.2 Integrated Circuit Replacement

Step Procedure
1 ICs can be easily removed by using a solder-sucking tool to remove all excessive solder from the contacts after the soldering iron has been applied to melt the solder.

2 Next straighten the leads of the IC and lift the component from the printed board. If it is not desirable to save the defective IC for test purposes, then the terminals can be cut at the body of the component and each terminal removed from the board individually.

### 5.12.3 Component Replacement

Step

## Procedure

1 Cut the component leads from the top of the component board then apply the soldering iron to the folded over side on the copper foil side of the board. When the solder starts to flow, remove excess solder by using the solder-sucker. Remove the lead and free the other cut lead in the same manner.

2 When installing a new component, observe the length and dress of the leads on the old component, then cut and bend the leads of the new component accordingly.

3 Try placing the leads in the holes. If residual solder prevents a lead from entering the hole, very gently ream out the solder with a sharply pointed, square tipped awl. Then place the leads in the holes so that the component is held in place by friction or slight spring tension of the leads.

4 Using a high grade electrical solder, apply the soldering iron tip, then the solder to the junction of the hole so that a very small amount of solder flows around the lead and into the hole, thus bonding the lead to the board.

5 Examine the joint carefully. A good joint should withstand a light pull by the fingers. Clear away any loose solder, making sure that no solder scraps fall where they might cause a short.

### 5.12.4 Copper Foil Repair

In the unlikely event of a break in the copper foil strip, the strip can be repaired by placing a short piece of tinned wire across the break and flowing solder over the length of the wire. Be careful that excess solder does not short adjacent strips.

### 5.13 ALIGNMENT PROCEDURES

### 5.13.1 Test Equipment

To service the GLC-8 System the Test Equipment outlined in Table 5-1 is recommended. If the recommended equipment is not available alternate equipment with the same performance specifications should be used.

### 5.14 FRONT END ADJUSTMENTS

Front end adjustments have been preset at the factory and should not require readjustment. If they should become misaligned and require realignment, the procedures in this section should be followed. Refer to Table 5-2 for the control functions.

Some adjustments ran be performed using the A212 Program Amplifier and the ADC1-A Converter, which converts synchronously with the line frequency. Where it is indicated, use a high gain oscilloscope.

Adjustments should be performed using an Electronic Development Corporation (EDC) precision power supply, Model MV100G and the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8I-D6 diagnostic programs (when required).

System adjustments start with the ADC1-A Converter and proceed toward the A210 and A211 Buffer Amplifiers so that the preceding option can be used as a reference for the other adjustments. Because of this, all adjustments must be performed in the order set forth in the following section.

The GLC-8 System program has provisions to select channels, gain, and outputs to the teletypes or display the outputs on the ADC1-A Converter lights. The program is written to convert at the line frequency rate on the same phase of the cycle, thereby eliminating the sampling of internal and external noise.

### 5.14.1 A-D Converter (ADCI-A)

The calibration and adjustment procedures for this unit are provided in its associated instruction book, DEC-00-16AA-D. Because of this unit being used as a standard for all other adjustments, it must first be established that it is operating correctly before proceeding with the following adjustments.

Table 5-1
Maintenance Equipment

| Equipment | Specifications | Equivalent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Multimeter | 10K ohms/volt - 20 K ohms/volt | Triplett Model 310 |
| Oscilloscope | dc to 50 mc with calibrated deflection factors from 5 mV to $10 \mathrm{~V} /$ div. Maximum horizontal sweep rate of $0.1 \mu \mathrm{~s} /$ div. Delaying sweep is desirable and dual trace is a necessity. | Tektronix Type 453 |
| Probes | X10 with response characteristics matched to oscilloscope and a X1 probe. | Tektronix Type P6010 Probe Type P6011 |
| Clip-on current probe | $2 \mathrm{~mA} / \mathrm{mV}$ or $10 \mathrm{~mA} / \mathrm{mV}$ | Tektronix Type P6019 with passive terminator |
| Recessed Probe Tip |  | Tektronix |
| Unwrapping tool for 24 gauge |  | Gardner Denver H812-505-244-475 |
| Unwrapping tool for 30 gauge |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Gardner-Denver H812A- } \\ & 505-244-475 \end{aligned}$ |
| Wire-Wrap Tool |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Gardner-Denver } \\ & \text { A-20557-29 } \end{aligned}$ |
| 24 and 30 Gauge bit for wrap tool (H810) |  | Gardner-Denver $504221$ |
| Sleeve for 30 gauge bit |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Gardner-Denver } \\ & 500350 \end{aligned}$ |
| Sleeve for 24 gauge bit |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Gardner-Denver } \\ & 18840 \end{aligned}$ |
| Spray paint |  | Krylon 1501 Glossy white |
| Spray paint |  | DEC black |
| IC Card Module Extender |  | DEC No. W982 |
| Flip-Chip Module Extender |  | DEC No. W980 |
| Jumper Wires |  | Assorted lengths affixed with 24 and 30 gauge termipoint connectors |

Table 5-1 (Cont)
Maintenance Equipment

| Equipment | Specifications | Equivalent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Null Meter <br> Model MVI00G <br> (Precision Power Supply) | Measurement Mode <br> Range: 0 to $\pm 11.1110 \mathrm{Vdc}$ <br> (resolution: $1 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ ) <br> Input Impedance: infinite at null; <br> $200 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ off null. <br> Max. Sensitivity: $25 \mu \mathrm{~V} /$ minor division. <br> Zero Control: Front panel zero meter control calibration balances automatically. <br> Output Mode <br> Range: 0 to $\pm 11.1110 \mathrm{Vdc}$ <br> (resolution: $1 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ ) <br> Absolute Accuracy: $\pm .01 \%$ or $50 \mu \vee$ (of setting) High range and $.01 \%$ or $\pm 2 \mu \mathrm{~V}$ (of setting) low range <br> Output Current: 10 mA <br> Power Requirements: 105 to 125 <br> Vac; $50-65 \mathrm{~Hz}$; 2W <br> Protection: Short circuit and overload protected front panel overload indicator; recovery automatic. <br> Vernier: $\pm .001 V$ (W/Disable switch for zero) <br> Output Impedance: <. 03 ohms on high range and $<20$ ohms on low range. | Electronic Development Corporation |

Table 5-2
Programmable and Buffer Amplifier Controls

| Programmable Amplifier, A212 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Control | Function |
| Balance Adjusts the offset voltage <br> $\mathrm{X} 1, \mathrm{X} 2, \mathrm{X} 4, \mathrm{X} 8, \mathrm{X} 16$, Adjusts the individual gains of the amplifier. <br> $\mathrm{X} 32, \mathrm{X} 64$  | Adjusts the high gain output of the amplifier <br> High gain and <br> Shunt Control |

Table 5-2 (Cont)
Programmable and Buffer Amplifier Controls

| Buffer Amplifier, A210 (X1) and A211 (X10) |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Control <br> Balance <br> Line Balance <br> Gain | Adjusts the offset voltage <br> Adjust for an input line unbalance <br> of up to $1 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$ |
| Adjusts the output gain of the amplifier |  |
| Balance |  |$\quad$| Filter, A216 |
| :--- |

5.14.2 Program Amplifier A212

See Figure 5-5 and 6-34.

## Balance Control

| $\frac{\text { Step }}{1}$ | Procedure <br> 2 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8I/D8BA <br> Program calibration routines, select a non- <br> existing channel with a gain of X256. |  |
| 3 | Adjust the balance control for a minimum <br> output from the A-D converter of approxi- <br> mately 0001. |

## Low Gain Controls

## NOTE

Because of the relatively high output impedance of the E.D.C. Power Supply, 20л, at its low output voltage terminal, and the low impedance input of the A212 programmable amplifier $2 \mathrm{~K} \Omega$, a A216 filter amplifier must be used for impedance matching when making the following adjustments:
If the A216 filter amplifier offset needs adjustment, refer to 5.12.4

Step \begin{tabular}{l}
Procedure <br>
1 <br>
2

 

Connect the E.D.C. Power Supply to the <br>
A216 filter, connector pins V and U.
\end{tabular}

| Remove the buffer amplifier. |
| :--- |


| Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8/I/D6BA program |
| :--- |
| calibration routines, select the channel that the |
| A216 amplifier is in, and select the appropriate |
| gain and input voltage settings in the following |
| table: |



Figure 5-5 A212 Variable Gain Amplifier Control Location Diagram

| Gain | Input (Volts) |
| :---: | :---: |
| X1 | 9.9963 |
| X2 | 4.9981 |
| X4 | 2.4491 |
| X8 | 1.2495 |
| $\times 16$ | 0.6247 |
| X32 | 0.3123 |

4
Adjust the appropriate gain controls for an output from the A-D converter between 7777 and 7776.

## High Gain Controls

| Step |  | Procedure |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Repeat Step 1 of the Low Gain C |  |
| 2 | Remove the buffer amplifier. |  |
| 3 | Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8/ID calibration routines, select the ch filter amplifier is in and select th gain and input voltage setting in |  |
|  | Gain | Input (Millivolts) |
|  | X64 | 136.740 |
|  | $\times 128$ | 68.369 |
|  | X256 | 34.184 |

$4 \quad$ Adjust the appropriate control for an output from the A-D converter between 7000 and 7001 by performing Steps 5 through 8.
5 Adjust the X64 range with the high gain control.
6 Adjust the X128 range with the shunt control.
$7 \quad$ Adjust the X256 range with the shunt control to its half range point only. This is between the original setting and the correct setting.
8 Repeat Steps 5 through 7 until all of these adjustments are properly aligned.

### 5.14.3 A213 Filter

This filter has no adjustments.

### 5.14.4 A216 Filter

| $\frac{\text { Step }}{1}$ | Procedure <br> 2 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Remove the channel buffer amplifier. <br> Short input pins $V$ and $U$ <br> of the A216 filter . |  |
| 4 | Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8I/D6BA program <br> calibration routines, select the appropriate channel, <br> with a gain of X256. |
| Adjust the balance control for a minimum output <br> from the A-D converter of approximately 0001. |  |

5.14.5 A210 Buffer Amplifier
(See Figure 5-6 and 6-35)

Balance Control (Initial Adjustment)

1 Connect the E.D.C. Power Supply to pins $N$ and $P$

2 Tie pin $P$ of the A210 buffer amplifier to pin $F$.
3 Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8/I/D6BA program

Step

3

4

1

2

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Balance Control
Procedure
Remove the channel buffer amplifier.
Short input pins $V$ and $U$ of the A216 filter.

Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8I/D6BA program calibration routines, select the appropriate channel, with a gain of X256. from the A-D converter of approximately 0001. pin $F$.
Using the GLC-8 MAINDEC 8/I/D6BA program calibration routines, select the appropriate channel with a gain of X256.

Adjust the balance control for a minimum output from the A-D converter of approximately 0020.

Gain Control (Initial Adjustment) of the A210 buffer amplifier. calibration routines, select the appropriate channel with a gain of XI.
Adjust the gain control for an output from the A-D converter between 7777 and 7776 with an input of 9.9963V

# Line Balance Control (Initial Adjustment) 

Connect the A 210 amplifier pins N and P together, then connect them to pin H on the A310 module (AF16 A25, DKOI).
Adjust the output of the A210 buffer amplifier, pin $V$, to a minimum value of approximately 10 mV while monitoring it with an oscilloscope. This adjustment should be made with a plastic or nylon screwdriver.

Gain Control (Final Adjustment)
Repeat Steps 1 through 4 of the previous Gain Control Section (initial adjustment), omitting Step 2.

Line Balance Control (Final Adjustment)
Repeat Steps 1 and 2 of the Line Balance Control (initial adjustment).

Balance Control (Final Adjustment)
Repeat Steps 1 and 2 of the Balance Control (Initial Adjustment) Section.

Adjust the balance control for an output from the A-D converter of 0200.

Common Mode Control (only existed in early models)
Repeat Steps 1 and 2 of the Line Balance Control (initial adjustment) procedure, adjusting the common mode control instead of line balance control.

Recheck the Line Balance Control (Initial Adjustment), Gain Control (Final Adjustment), and Balance Control (Final Adjustment) settings .
Line Balance Control Readjustment
If the gas chromatograph DC Line unbalance resistance is great enough to require a readjustment, the following procedures should be followed:
Obtain from the customer the DC Line unbalance resistance of the gas chromatograph.
Obtain a resistor equal to the line unbalance resistance in Step 1 and connect it in series to pin N of the A210 Buffer Amplifier.

| $\frac{\text { Step }}{3}$ | Repeat the Line Balance Control (Initial <br> Adjustment) steps with the added offset <br> resistance. |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4 | Repeat the Gain Control (Final Adjustment) <br> step with the added offset resistance. |

### 5.14.6 A211 Buffer Amplifier

(See Figure 5-6 and 6-36.)
All of the following adjustments pertain to the procedures of Section 5.12.5 for the A210 Buffer Amplifier. It should be noted that the A-D converter readings are different for the A211 Buffer Amplifier.

| Step | Procedure |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Repeat the Balance Control (Initial Adjustment) procedure, noting that the output from the A-D converter is approximately 0010. |
| 2 | Repeat Gain Control (Initial Adjustment) procedure, noting that the output from the A-D converter is between 7777 and 7776. |
| 3 | Repeat Line Balance Control (Final Adjustment) procedure. |
| 4 | Repeat the Gain Control (Final Adjustment) procedure, noting that the input voltage should be 0.9996 and the output from the A-D converter is between 7777 and 7776 . |
| 5 | Repeat the Line Balance Control (Final Adjustment) procedure. |
| 6 | Repeat the Line Balance Control (Final Adjustment) procedure, noting that the programmable amplifier is now set to a gain of XI and the output from the A-D converter is adjusted to 0006. |
| 7 | Repeat the Common Mode Control procedure. |
| 8 | Repeat the Line Balance Control Readjustment procedure, noting the gain and offset voltage differences. |

### 5.15 MODULE HANDLING

To insert or extract modules, first turn OFF all power. To gain access to components on a module, remove the module by exerting a straight even pull on the module handle to prevent twisting of the printed-wiring board. Insert a Type W380 Flip-Chip Module Extender into the vacated module mounting panel, then insert the module into the extender.

Each module used in the GLC-8 System is shown in Figures 6-37 through 6-56.


Figure 5-6 A210 and A211 Input Buffer Amplifier Control Location Diagram

It is suggested that the customer set up a spare parts inventory which should include those items listed in Tables 5-3 to 5-17 which he feels he cannot successfully repair or replace or which are not available from local electronic supply houses.

Table 5-3
Recommended Spare Tool List For the ASR33 Teletype

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 110443 | Scale, 8 oz | 1 |
| 110444 | Scale, 32 oz | 1 |
| 82711 | Scale, 64 oz | 1 |
| 117781 | Set of gauges | 1 |
| 94644 | Offset Screwdriver | 1 |
| 94645 | Offset Screwdriver | 1 |
| 151351 | Hook, 8 crochet | 1 |
| 151959 | Hook, 12 crochet | 1 |
| 142555 | Spring Hook Push | 1 |
| 142554 | Spring Hook Pull | 1 |
| 151384 | Screw Holder | 1 |
| 181465 | Handwheel Adaptor | 1 |
| 161430 | Handwheel | 1 |
| 172060 | Contact adjustment tool | 1 |
| 180587 | Gauge | 1 |
| 180588 | Gauge | 1 |
| 180993 | Bending Tool | 1 |
| 183103 | Gauge | 1 |
| 182697 | Extractor | 1 |
| 151392 | Tweezer | 1 |
| 1531383 | Tommy Wrench | 1 |
|  | Tommy Wrench | 1 |
|  | Key Lever Remover | 1 |
|  |  |  |

Table 5-4
Recommended Mechanical Spares For H300-H301 LOC

| Dialco Vendor <br> Part | Vendor Part <br> Number |
| :--- | :--- |
| Dialco Switch | $513-0201-604$ |
| Dialco Lamp | 387 |
| Lens | $187-5075$ |

Table 5-5
Recommended Diode Spares

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $11-00113$ | D662 | 10 |
| $11-00114$ | D664 | 10 |
| $11-02451$ | IN753 | 2 |
| $11-03183$ | MR2064 | 2 |
| $11-03309$ | D671 | 2 |
| $11-05275$ | D672 | 10 |

Table 5-6
Recommended Transistor Spares

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $15-02155$ | DEC 1008-S | 5 |
| $15-02937$ | 2N3568 | 2 |
| $15-03100$ | DEC 3009B-S | 10 |
| $15-03399$ | DEC 3790-S | 2 |
| $15-03409$ | 6534 D | 10 |

Table 5-7
Recommended Delay Line Spare

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $16-05530$ | Delay Line-L501D501A | 1 |

Table 5-8
Recommended Pulse Transformer Spares

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $52-00672$ | 2037 | 5 |
| $52-02123$ | 2052 | 5 |

Table 5-9
Recommended Miscellaneous Spares

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 12-5375 (RS-9-3-FB) | Rocker Switch | 4 |
| $12-5941$ (RS-50-FB-PC) | Rocker Switch | 4 |
| $12-5317$ | Rocker Handles | 4 |
| $12-5550$ (2313) | Indicator Bulbs | 6 |
| $34-4235$ | Power Lock Switch | 1 |

Table 5-10
Recommended Integrated Circuit Spares

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| $19-05521$ | MC 1540G | 2 |
| $19-05547$ | SN7474 | 5 |
| $19-05575$ | TI SN7400N | 5 |
| $19-05576$ | TI SN7410N | 5 |
| $19-05577$ | TI SN7420N | 5 |
| $19-05578$ | TI SN7430N | 2 |
| $19-05579$ | TI SN7440N | 5 |
| $19-05580$ | TI SN7450N | 2 |
| $19-05581$ | TI SN7460N | 5 |
| $19-05582$ | TI SN7453N | 5 |
| $19-05584$ | TI SN7482N | 2 |

Table 5-1
Recommended Module Spares
For AF06, AF07, AF08

| Modules | Module <br> Number | Quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Guarded Relay Multiplexer Switch | A111 | 1 |
| Input Buffer Amplifier* | A210 | 1 |
| Input Buffer Amplifier* | A211 | 1 |
| Variable Gain Amplifier | A212 | 1 |
| Low Pass Filter* | A213 | 1 |
| Low Pass Filter* | A216 | 1 |
| Four Times Line Frequency Clock | A310 | 1 |
| Slicer Flip-Flop | A501 | 1 |
| Difference Amplifier | A502 | 1 |
| 3 Bit DAC | A601 | 1 |
| 2 Bit DAC | A604 | 1 |
| 2 MA Level Terminator | G704 | 1 |
| Inverter | R107 | 1 |
| Diode Gate | R111 | 1 |
| Diode Gate | R113 | 1 |
| NAND/NOR Gate | R121 | 1 |
| NOR Gate | R122 | 1 |
| Diode Gate | R123 | 1 |
| Diode Gate | R141 | 1 |
| Binary to Octal Decoder | R151 | 1 |
| Dual Flip-Flop | R202 | 1 |
| Triple Flip-Flop | R203 | 1 |
| Dual Flip-Flop | R205 | 1 |
| Delay | R302 | 1 |
| Integrating One Shot Multivibrator | R303 | 1 |
| Pulse Amplifier Amplifier | W603 | 1 |
| Signal Cable Connector | 1 |  |

[^1]Table 5-11 (Cont)
Recommended Module Spares
For AF06, AF07, AF08

| Modules | Module <br> Number | Quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Cable Connector | W023 | 1 |
| l00 MA Indicator Relay Driver | W051 | 1 |
| Device Selector | W103 | 1 |
| Schmitt Trigger | W501 | 1 |
| Positive Level Converter | W512 | 1 |
| Pulse Amplifier | W640 | 1 |
| Relay Multiplexer | W802 | 1 |
| Relay** | W809* | 1 |

* One per H303, where applicable. ** For H301 only.

Table 5-12
Recommended Printer Keyboard Model ASR33 Spares

| DEC Code \# | Description | Quantity |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| 181821 | Circuit Board | 1 |
| 183071 | Tape Feed Sprocket | 2 |
| 182240 | Lever, Universal | 2 |
| 120167 | Fuse (3.2 amp) | 2 |
| 180979 | Distributor Brush | 2 |
| 181420 | Driven Gear | 1 |
| 181411 | Drive Gear | 1 |
| 181409 | Belt | 2 |
| 181007 | Shaft | 1 |
| 181002 | Bearings | 2 |

Table 5-13
Recommended PT08 Module Spares

| Module | Module \# | Quantity |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Clock | R401 | 1 |
| +3.6V integrated | W705 | 1 |
| CKT Power Supply | W703 | 1 |
| Device Selector | W103 | W707 |
| Teletype | 1 |  |
| Transmitter | W706 | 1 |
| Teletype <br> Receiver |  |  |

Table 5-14
Recommended DF-32 Module Spares

| Module | Module Number | Quantity |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Diode Cluster | R002 | 2 |
| Inverter | R107 | 6 |
| Diode Gate | R 111 | 3 |
| Diode Gate | R 113 | 4 |
| Diode Gate | R 123 | 5 |
| Dual Flip-Flop | R202 | 5 |
| Triple Flip-Flop | R203 | 5 |
| Dual Flip-Flop | R205 | 5 |
| Delay | R302 | 1 |
| Pulse Amplifier | R 602 | 3 |
| Pulse Amplifier | R603 | 4 |
| Clamped Loads | W005 | 1 |
| Signal Cable Connector | W021 | 12 |
| Device Selector | W103 | 4 |

Table 5-14 (Cont)
Recommended DF-32 Module Spares

| Module | Module Number | Quantity |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Difference Amp | W532 | 2 |
| Disk Preamplifier | G083 | 2 |
| Disk Writer | G284 | 1 |
| Series Switch | G285 | 1 |
| Center Tap Selector | G286 | 1 |
| Relays | G803 | 2 |

Table 5-15
Recommended PDP-8/I Module Spares

| Module | Module Number | Quantity |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Sense Amplifier | G021 | 1 |
| Memory Selector | G221 | 1 |
| Inhibit Driver | $G 228$ | 1 |
| Resistor Board | $G 624$ | 1 |
| Negative Regulator | $G 805$ | 1 |
| Regulator Control | G826 | 1 |
| 10 2-Input NAND Gates | M113 | 2 |
| 8 3-Input NAND Gates | M115 | 1 |
| 6 4-Input NAND Gates | $M 117$ | 1 |
| AND/NOR Gate | $M 160$ | 1 |
| Flip-Flop | $M 216$ | 1 |
| Maior Register | $M 220$ | 1 |
| Delay Line | $M 310$ | 2 |
| Variable Delay | $M 360$ | 1 |
| Variable Clock | $M 452$ | 1 |
| Negative Input Converter | $M 506$ | 1 |
| 6 4-Input NOR Buffers | $M 617$ | 1 |
| Negative Output Converter | $M 650$ | 1 |
| Manual Timing Generator | $M 700$ | 1 |
| Teletype Receiver | $M 706$ | 1 |
| Teletype Transmitter | $M 707$ | 1 |

Table 5-16
Recommended KE8I and MC8I Module Spares

| Module | Module Number | Quantity |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Sense Amplifier | G021 | 1 |
| Memory Selector | G221 | 1 |
| Inhibit Driver | G228 | 1 |
| Resistor Board | G624 | 1 |
| 10 2-Input NAND |  |  |
| Gates | M113 | 1 |
| Variable Delay | M360 | 1 |
| 6 4-Input NOR | M617 | 1 |
| 8uffers |  |  |
| 3-Input NAND | M115 |  |
| 6 4-Input NAND | M117 | 1 |
| Gates | Expander | M160 |
| Flip-Flop | M216 | 1 |
| Delay Line | M310 | 1 |

## CHAPTER 6

## GLC-8 ENGINEERING DRAWINGS

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LOC Control Logic (Ch. 00 to 07) Block Schematic Diagram (D-BS-AF17-0-3)
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Figure 6-10
IOT and BAC Buffer Logic Block Schematic Diagram (D-BS-AF17-0-2)

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H300 and H301 LOC Control Cable Diagram (D-IC-AF17-0-4)

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Figure 6-15 H302 Panel Connector Location Diagram (D-UA-H302-0-0)
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Figure 6-28 H300 Winchester Cable Harness Diagram (D-IA-7005805-0-0)
Figure 6-29 H300 Multiplexer Input Cable Diagram (D-IA-7005939-0-0)
Figure 6-30 H301 Cable Connector Diagram (D-BS-H300-0-2)
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Figure 6-39 G704 MA Level Termination Block Schematic Diagram (C-CS-G704-0-1)
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Figure 6-1 D-BS-AFO6-A-3 AF06 Modification Block Schematic





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Figure 6-4 B-BS-AF 16-0-5 Channel Selector Interface Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-5 B-BS-AF 16-0-4 Chrom and LOC, IOT Decoding Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-6 D-IC-AF 16-0-6 Chrom to LOC Cable Interconnection Diagram


Figure 6-7 D-IC-AF 16-0-7 I/O Connection Diagram









Figure 6-13 C-AD-7005925-0-0 H303 Amplifier Mounting
Panel Connector Location Diagram


Figure 6-14 C-IA-7005969-0-0 H303 Amplifier Mounting Panel Cable Assembly Diagram



Figure 6-15 D-UA-H302-0-0 Panel Connector Location Diagram (Sheet 2)


Figure 6-16 D-IA-7005949-0-0 H302 Panel Cable Wiring Diagram




Figure 6-19 D-UA-H713-0-0 H713 Power Supply Wiring Diagram (Sheet 2)

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Figure 6-21 B-CS-H783-0-1 783 Power Supply Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-22 CS-B-734B 734B Variable Power Supply Block Schematic Diagram

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Figure 6-23 D-AR-AF06-A-2 System Interface Cable Interconnection Diagram

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Figure 6-24 D-UA-H961-0-0 H961 Rack Installation Diagram

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NOTES:
    I. CONNECTIONS ON ITEMS*। &*2 TO BE
    SOLDERED AND LOCATED AT MINIMUM
    PRACTICAL HEIGHT ABOVE BLOCK
    2. ALL CONN BLOCKS TO BE GROUNDED
    TO GND LUGS AS SHOWN
    3. USE YELLOW WIRE (ITEM*3) FOR
        MACHINE WRAPPED & BLUE WIRE
    (ITEM*4) FOR HAND WRAPPED WIRING.
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Figure 6-25 C-AD-7005956-0-0 Al7 Assembly Wiring Diagram


Figure 6-26 B-CS-W021-1-0 W021 Signal Cable Connector Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-27 D-BS-H300-0-2 H300 Cable Connection Diagram




Figure 6-30 D-BS-H300-0-2 H3O1 Cable Connector Diagram





Figure 6-34 B-CS-A212-0-1 A212 Variable Gain Amplifier Circuit Schematic


Figure 6-35 B-CS-A210-0-1 A210 Input Amplifier Circuit Schematic Program


Figure 6-36 B-CS-A211-0-1 A211 Times Ten Input Amplifier Circuit Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-37 B-CS-A213-0-1 A213 Low Pass Filter Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-38 B-CS-A216-0-1 A216 Low Pass Filter Block Schematic Diagram


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RESISTRS ARE 7,500
CAPACITORS ARE OI MFD
DIODES ARE D664

Figure 6-39 C-CS-G704-0-1 G704 MA Level Termination Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-40 B-CS-R107-0-1 R107 Inverter Block Schematic Diagram


UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED:
RESISTORS ARE $1 / 4 \mathrm{~W}$; $5 \%$
PRINTED CIRCUIT
DGL BOARD IS SIB

Figure 6-41 B-CS-R111-0-1 R111 Diode Gate Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-42 B-CS-RI13-0-1 R113 Diode Gate Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-43 B-CS-R121-0-1 R121 NAND/NOR Gate Block Schematic Diagram


UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED:
RESISTORS ARE 15,$000 ; 1 / 4 \mathrm{~W} ; 5 \%$
DIODES ARE D-664
TRANSISTORS ARE DEC 3639:
PARTS LIST A-PL-RI22

Figure 6-44 B-CS-R122-0-1 R122 NOR Gate Block Schematic Diagram


UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED:
TRANSISTORS ARE DEC 3639
RESISTORS ARE $1 / 4 \mathrm{~W}, 5 \%$
DIODES ARE D-664

Figure 6-45 B-CS-R123-0-1 R123 Diode Gate Block Schematic Diagram


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UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED:
        RESSISTORS ARE 1/4 W; 5%/%
        CAPACITORS ARE MMFO
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Figure 6-46 B-CS-R202-0-1 R202 Dual Flip-Flop Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-47 B-CS-R203-0-1 R203 Triple Flip-Flop Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-48 B-CS-R303-0-1 R303 Integrating One-Shot Multivibrator Block Schematic Diagram


RESISTONS ARE $1 / 4 W$ W\%
CAPACITORS ARE MMFD
CAPACITORS ARE MMF
CIODES ARE O-684

Figure 6-49 B-CS-R602-0-1 R602 Pulse Amplifier Block Schematic Diagram


NOTE:
© ARE SPLIT LUGS

Figure 6-50 B-CS-W023-0-1 W023 Cable Connector Diagram


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Figure 6-51 B-CS-W051 W051 100MA Indicator and Relay Driver Block Schematic Diagram


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TRANSISTORS ARE DEC 3639
RESISTORS ARE $1 / 4 \mathrm{~W}, 5 \%$
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Figure 6-52 C-RS-C-W103-0-1 W103 Device Selector Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-53 B-CS-W512-0-1 W512 Positive Level Converter Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-54 B-CS-W640-0-1 W640 Pulse Amplifier Block Schematic Diagram



Figure 6-55 C-CS-W802-0-1 W802 Relay Multiplexer Block Schematic Diagram


Figure 6-56 B-CS-A310-0-1 A310 Four Times Line Frequency Clock Circuit Schematic Diagram

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[^0]:    * Gas-Liquid Chromatography

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