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#### INTRODUCTION TO REPORT ON THE

ELECTRONIC NUMERICAL INTEGRATOR AND COMPUTOR (ENIAC)

#### O. INTRODUCTION

The Report on the ENIAC consists of five separately bound parts, as follows:

- 1) ENIAC Operating Manual
- 2) ENIAC Maintenance Manual
- 3) Part I, Technical Description of the ENIAC
  Volume I Chapters I to VI
- 4) Part I, Technical Description of the ENIAC

  Volume II Chapters VII to XI
- 5) Part II, Technical Description of the ENIAC Included with the Operating Manual and Parts I and II of the Technical Description are all drawings (see Table 0.3 below) which are required for understanding these reports. The Maintenance Manual assumes access to the complete file of ENIAC drawings.

Part I of the <u>Technical Description</u> is intended for those who wish to have a general understanding of how the ENIAC works, without concerning themselves with the details of the circuits; it assumes no knowledge of electronics or circuit theory. Part II is intended for those who require a detailed understanding of the circuits. Its organization, to a great extent, duplicates that of Part I so as to make cross referencing between the two parts easy.

The ENIAC Operating Manual contains a complete set of instructions for operating the ENIAC. It includes very little explanatory material, and hence assumes familiarity with Part I of the Technical Description of the ENIAC. The ENIAC Maintenance Manual includes description of the various test units and procedures for testing, as well as a list of common and probable sources of trouble. It assumes a complete understanding of the circuits of the ENIAC, i.e., a knowledge of both Parts I and II of the Technical Description of the ENIAC.

The Report on the ENIAC and the complete file of ENIAC drawings constitute a complete description and set of instructions for operation and maintenance of the machine. The drawings carry a number of the form PX-n-m.

The following tables give the classification according to this numbering system.

	TABLE 0.1
Values of n	Division
ì	General
2	Test Equipment
3	Racks and Panels
4	Trays, Cables, Adaptors, and Load Boxes
5	Accumulators
6	High Speed Multiplier
7 ^	Function Table
8	Master Programmer
9	Cycling Unit and Initiating Unit
10	Divider and Square Rooter
11	Constant Transmitter .
12	Printer
13.	Power Supplies

•	TABLE 0.2
Values of m	Subject
101–200	Wiring Diagrams
201-300	Mechanical Drawings
301-400	Report Drawings
401-500	Illustration Problem Set-Ups.

The reader of this report will be primarily interested in the types of drawings listed in the following paragraphs. A table on page 4 gives the corresponding drawing number for each unit of the ENIAC.

- 1) Front Panel Drawings. These drawings show in some detail the switches, sockets, etc., for each panel of each unit. They contain the essential instructions for setting up a problem on the ENIAC.
- 2) Front View Drawings. There is one of these drawings for each kind of panel used in the various units of the ENIAC. These show the relative position of the trays and the location of the various neon lights. Since these drawings show the neon lights, they can be used to check the proper operation of the various units.
- 3) Block Diagrams. These drawings illustrate the logical essentials of the internal circuits of each unit. That is, resistors, condensers, and some other electrical details are not shown; but complete channels (paths of pulses or gates representing numbers or program signals) are shown in all their multiplicity. These drawings will be of interest to those who are interested in Parts I and II of the Technical Report.
- 4) Cross-section Diagrams. These drawings are electronically complet except that only one channel is shown where there is more than one. Thus, these drawings show every resistor and condenser and any other electronic elements belonging to any circuit. These drawings will be of particular interest to the maintenance personnel and to those reading Part II of the technical report.
- 5) Detail Drawings. All other drawings of the ENIAC come under this heading. A complete file of drawings is available at the location of the ENIAC.

Table 0.3 ENIAC DRAWINGS

Unit	Front Panel	Front View	Block Diagram	Cross - Section
Initiating Unit	PX-9-302 9-302R	PX-9-305	PX-9-307	
Cycling Unit	PX-9-303 9-303R	PX-9-304	PX <b>-</b> 9-307	
Accumulator	PX-5-301	.PX-5-305	PX-5-304	PX-5-115
Multiplier	PX-6-302 6-302R 6-303 6-303R 6-304	PX-6-309	PX-6-308	PX-6-112A 6-112B
Function Table	6-304R PX-7-302 7-302R 7-303 7-303R	PX-7-305	PX-7-304	PX-7-117 7-118
Divider and Square Rooter	PX-10-301	PX-10-302	PX-10-304	
Constant Trans- mitter		PX-11-306	PX-11-307	PX-11-116 11-309 (C.T. and R.
Printer	PX-12-301 12-301R 12-302 12-302R 12-303 12-303R	PX-12-306	PX-12-307	PX-12-115
Master Pro- grammer	PX-8-301. 8-301R 8-302 8-302R	PX-8-303	PX-8-304	PX-8-102

# Other drawings of particular interest:

Floor Plan	PX-1-302 PX-1-303	WE 2,402 2 SEE SEE SEE SEE SEE SEE SEE SEE SEE	PX-12-112 PX-12-305
IBM Reader and plugboard	PX-11-119 PX-11-30 5	220011 231100	PX-4-301
		#0 # D # # 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	PX-6-311 PX-10-307

The front view drawings and the large front panel drawings (whose numbers do not end with "R") are bound as a part of the Operator's Manual.

Included with the report is a folder containing all the drawings listed in the above table except the large front panel (see above) drawings.

# 1. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR OPERATING PERSONNEL

- 1. Inform maintenance personnel immediately of any trouble and note same in the log book.
- 2. Occasionally check the filament fuse indicator lights (refer to front view drawings bound in this volume); if any are out turn off the d-c power (switch is located on a-c distribution panel, see PX-1-304).
- 3. If ENIAC shuts down from overheating do not try to restart; call maintenance personnel. If any panel runs consistently much hotter than the others, do the same.
- 4. The d-c power should be turned on only with operation switch (either on cycling unit or on the hand control) turned to "continuous". After the d-c has been on a few seconds it may be turned to either of the other two positions. Failure to follow this rule causes certain d-c fuses to blow, -240 and -415 in particular.
- 5. As a general matter certain units not being used may have their heaters turned off. In such cases it is unnecessary to remove the d-c power or even to turn off the d-c power when turning on these units. On the other hand the three panels of the constant transmitter must be turned on or off simultaneously.
  - 6. Do not remove any covers, front or back.
- 7. Do not open d-c fuse cabinet with the d-c power turned on. This not only exposes a person to voltage differences of around 1500 volts but the

person may be burned by flying pieces of molten fuse wire in case a fuse should blow.

- 8. Padlocks are provided for locking the d-c power off. Lock the power off and carry the key with you as long as you are working on the machine.
- 9. Do not remove accumulator interconnector plugs, or function table or IBM machine connector cables, while the d-c is on. All other front panel plugs may be safely moved while the power is on.
- 10. Do not pull directly on wire or cable; always use the plug case as a grip.
  - 11. Do not put sharp bends in cables or hang anything on them.
  - 12. Do not leave cables dangling on the floor.
- 13. Do not pound or force plugs; if they do not respond to steady pressure notify maintenance personnel.
- 14. Do not leave IBM cable connectors or portable function table connectors lying out in the open, keep in the receptacles provided. Also, make use of the ramps to protect the cables of any such units which are connected to the ENIAC.
  - 15. Do not force any switches. ;
- 16. Keep the door to the room closed to keep out dust, avoid stirring up or producing dust.
- 17. Always move the portable function tables with care. Keep the brakes on when not moving them.

## 2. PROBLEM SET UP REMARKS

## 2.1. NEED FOR SYSTEMATIC CHECKS

Since the ENIAC makes use of a hierarchy of channels (first, in that a

number of units may be carrying on computations simultaneously; second, in that it always handles ten to twenty digits of a number simultaneously; and third, in that certain units use a coded system giving four channels for each digit) running a standard check problem is not a sufficient check on the accuracy of the results. Thus, in arranging a problem for the ENIAC provision should be made for occasional systematic checks of all the units.

Procedures for systematic checking are described in some detail in the maintenance manual. Brief procedures will be outlined here for the numerical units. The following test procedures are not comprehensive tests and the experienced operator will perhaps use variations of them. In particular, the tests given below are not designed to check the operation of the various program controls. However, they are designed to check the numerical circuits in each unit and to a considerable extent check the program control used to carry out the test.

### 2.2. TESTING AN ACCUMULATOR

Cords should be prepared as follows:

- 1. P 11111 11111
- 2. P 00000 00001

The numbers should be so placed on a card that one group in the constant transmitter, say A<sub>IR</sub>, corresponds to these numbers. Next, a master programmer stepper should be used to transmit the first number into the accumulators which are to be tested eighteen times. At this time the accumulators should read

#### и 99999 99998

and all stages of each decade have been checked as well as the delayed carry-over circuits. Now the stepper (used above) should cause the reader to read the next card and the number to be transmitted to the accumulators twice. This should

### P 00000 00000

and checks the direct carry-over circuits. Note that this test assumes that the significant figure switch is set to "10". If this is not so the operator can modify the above procedure to take care of this.

This test does not check the following circuits (for a complete checking procedure see the maintenance manual):

Transmission circuits Clearing circuits Repeater ring Input channels (except for the one used)
Program controls (except for the one used)

### 2.3. TESTING THE MULTIPLIER

The following set of cards should be prepared.

Card	Multiplier A <sub>LR</sub> (say)	$\frac{\text{Multiplicand}}{\text{B}_{\text{LR}}}$ (say)
1	P 00000 00000	P 11111 11111
2	P 11111 11111	P 11111 11111
3	P 11111 11111	P 22222 22222
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io	P 11111 11111	P 99999 99999
11	P 22222 22222	P 11111 11111
12	P 22222 22222	P 22222 22222
• • • • • • • • • • • •		******
82	P 99999 99999	P 99999 99999 .
83	<i>IP</i> 11111 11111	M 11111 11111
84	M 11111 11111	P 11111 11111
85	M 11111 11111	M 11111 11111

On a second set of cards, or on these same cards in different fields the proper answers should be punched. Note that these answers will depend upon when ten or twenty digit products are used, that is, whether the product accumulators are used as ten or twenty digit accumulators.

There are two methods of using these cards to check the numerical circuits of the multiplier. One is to have the answer on the same card and arrange for its transmission to the product accumulators with its sign changed (or the sign of one of the factors may be changed). In this case the whole sequence of cards in run and the presence of "zero" in the product accumulators indicates (with high probability since there could be compensating errors) that the numerical circuits are all right.

A second method is to run the test and cause the answers to be punched on other cards. These results may then be compared with standard answers by use of the reproducing punch.

This procedure does not check the following:

Rounding off circuits

Program controls. (other than the one used).

#### 2.4. TO TEST A FUNCTION TABLE

An accumulator is used to build up the argument. A program control on the function table has its function switch set to "-2" and a second switch has its argument set to "+2".

The programming is so arranged that the "-2" program is activated and the output sent to an accumulator associated with the printer. The result is punched on a card, "one" is added to the argument, and the process repeated.

The master programmer can be used to repeat the "-2" program 96 times and then alternately activate the "-2" and the "+2" program four more times. (Or various other schemes may be devised to obtain all 104 entries to the function table.) The cards punched in this manner can then be compared with a standard deck.

Note that the above check is <u>not</u> a systematic check of the numerical circuits as a whole. In other words this check should be repeated if any switches on the portable table (or on panel No. 2) are changed.

Furthermore, the above procedure does not check the various program controls of the function table.

### 2.5. TO TEST THE DIVIDER AND SQUARE ROOTER

The divider and square rooter can best be checked by performing test division problems and square root problems. Drawing PX-10-111 gives the neans which should be lit at various places in the process. The operator can check against this by going through the problem at one addition time.

#### 2.6. CONSTANT TRANSMITTER TEST PROCEDURE

The 1, 2, 2', 4 channels in the constant transmitter can all be checked simultaneously by reading cards with nine punches on them. Since it is undesirable that the same number be punched in all columns of a card (this weakens a card increasing the probability of "jamming" in the feeding mechanism of the IBM machines) it is suggested that cards be prepared as follows.

- 1) 9's in groups  $A_{LR}$  and  $B_{LR}$
- 2) 9 s in groups  $C_{LR}$  and  $D_{LR}$
- 3) 9's in groups  $E_{LR}$  and  $F_{LR}$

- 4) 9's in groups G and H IR
- 5) Four more cards similar to above but with minus punches.

The programming should be arranged so that the numbers are transmitted into accumulators when they can be inspected visually or perhaps punched on other cards and compared with a standard dock using the reproducing punch.

Note that  $J_{LR}$  and  $K_{LR}$  should be checked in a similar manner. (These only need be checked for the numbers used in the set-up provided they are rechecked any time that some of the switch settings are changed.)

This procedure does not check all the program controls.

### 2.7. PRINTER TEST PROCEDURE

The printer can be tested by causing all possible digits in each channel to be punched and by checking the PM delays. The following cards should be prepared.

- 1) P 01234 56789
- 2) P 11111 11101
  - 3) P 11111 11011
- 10) P 01111 11111
- 11) P-11111 11111

The programming should be arranged to cause the numbers on the test cards to be read by the IBM reader, transmitted to the printing accumulators, and the result punched. The resulting cards may be compared with a standard deck by use of the reproducing punch.

Card number one has the numbers 0 to 9 punched in it to prevent the same digit from being punched all across a card.

If any decades of the master programmer are used in printing they may be checked at this time by transmitting the program pulse (used to activate the above sequence) into each decade direct input.

This constitutes a complete test of the printer.

#### 2.8. TESTING FOR TRANSIENT FAILURES

If transient failures are suspected a master programmer stepper should be used to repeat the appropriate test (such as one of those above) a large number of times.

In case of an <u>accumulator</u> this can be done using only one card (say, P 99999 99999) and using a second program control set to  $\alpha C$  (receive on  $\alpha$  and correct) to obtain the one pulse in the units decade.

For the <u>multiplier</u> it becomes necessary to punch the answers on the cards with the factors (see 2.3) and cause these to be transmitted to the product accumulators for each multiplication. If more than ten digit answers are used the adjusted answer to card 83 must be carefully prepared in order to get minus the answer from the constant transmitter to the product accumulators (since the constant transmitter only complements at most ten digits at a time).

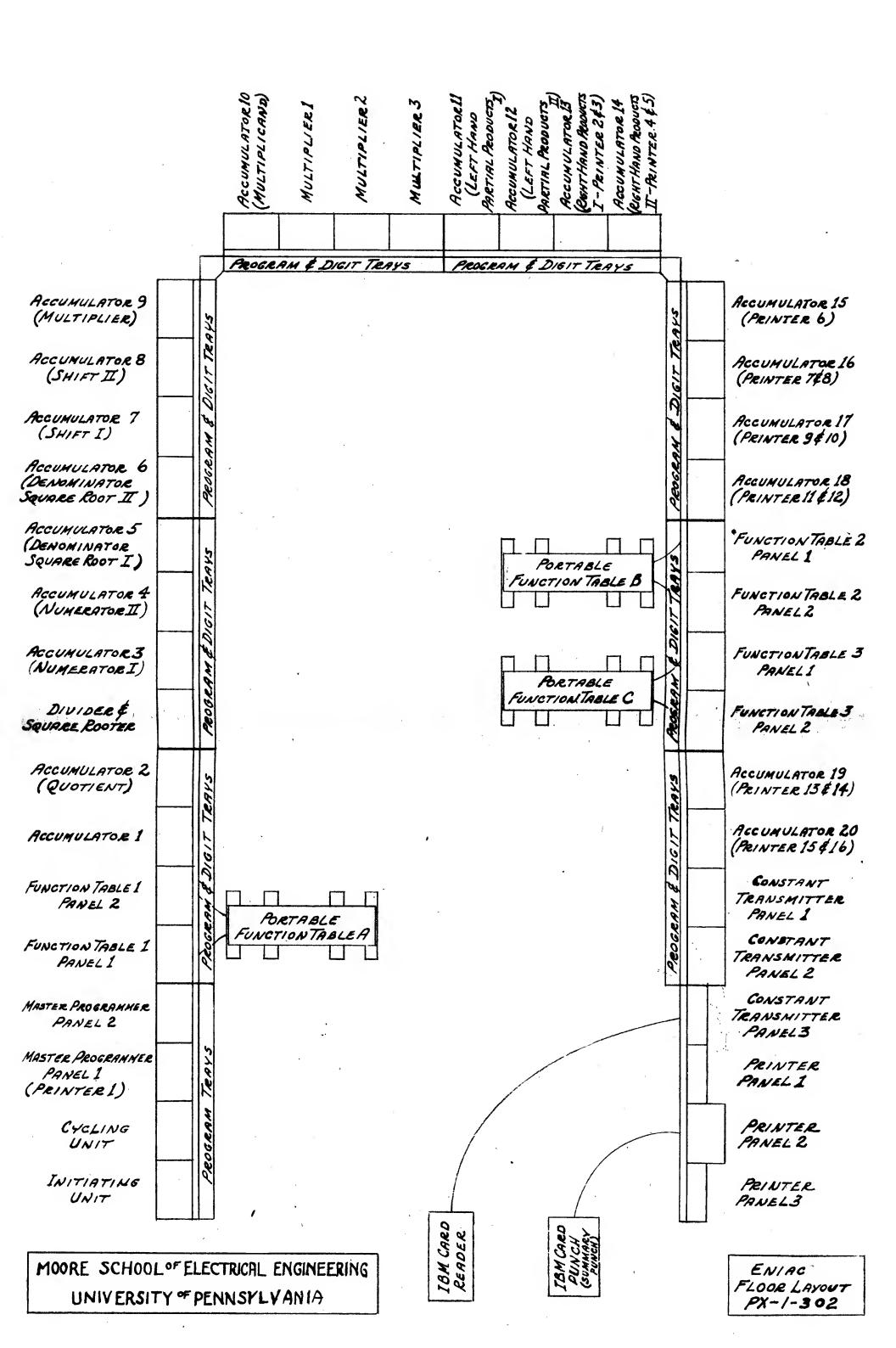
Repetition of a <u>function table</u> test is straight forward. It may be worth while to receive into a twenty digit accumulator and repeat the transmission  $10^4$  times, say, and see if the proper number is obtained.

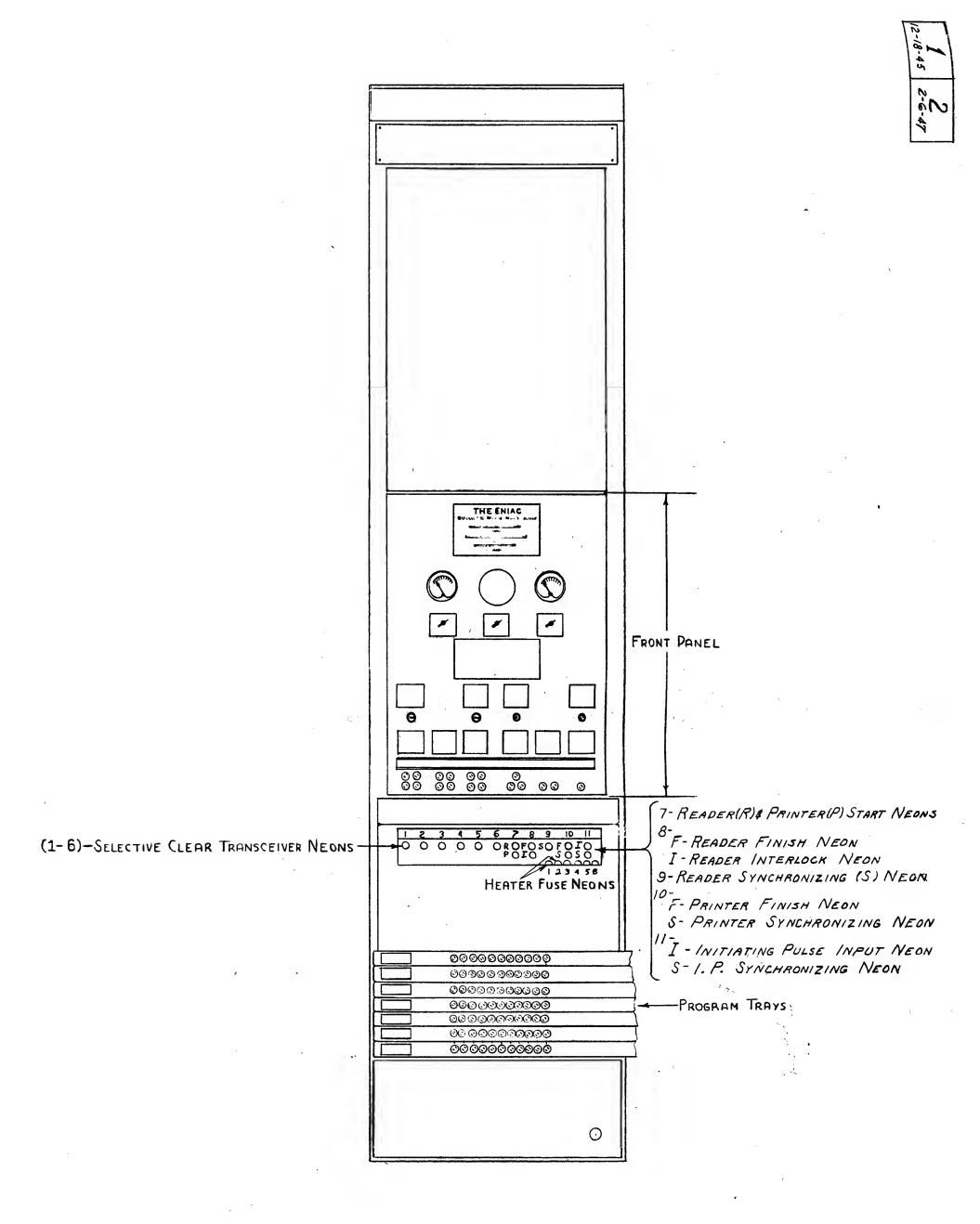
The square root of zero is perhaps the easiest test to repeat on the divider-square rooter.

The <u>constant transmitter</u> can be caused to transmit any group repeatedly to some accumulator. Dust particles may cause transient relay failures, so avoid stirring up dust in the ENIAC room. Also, if any relay case is removed, always

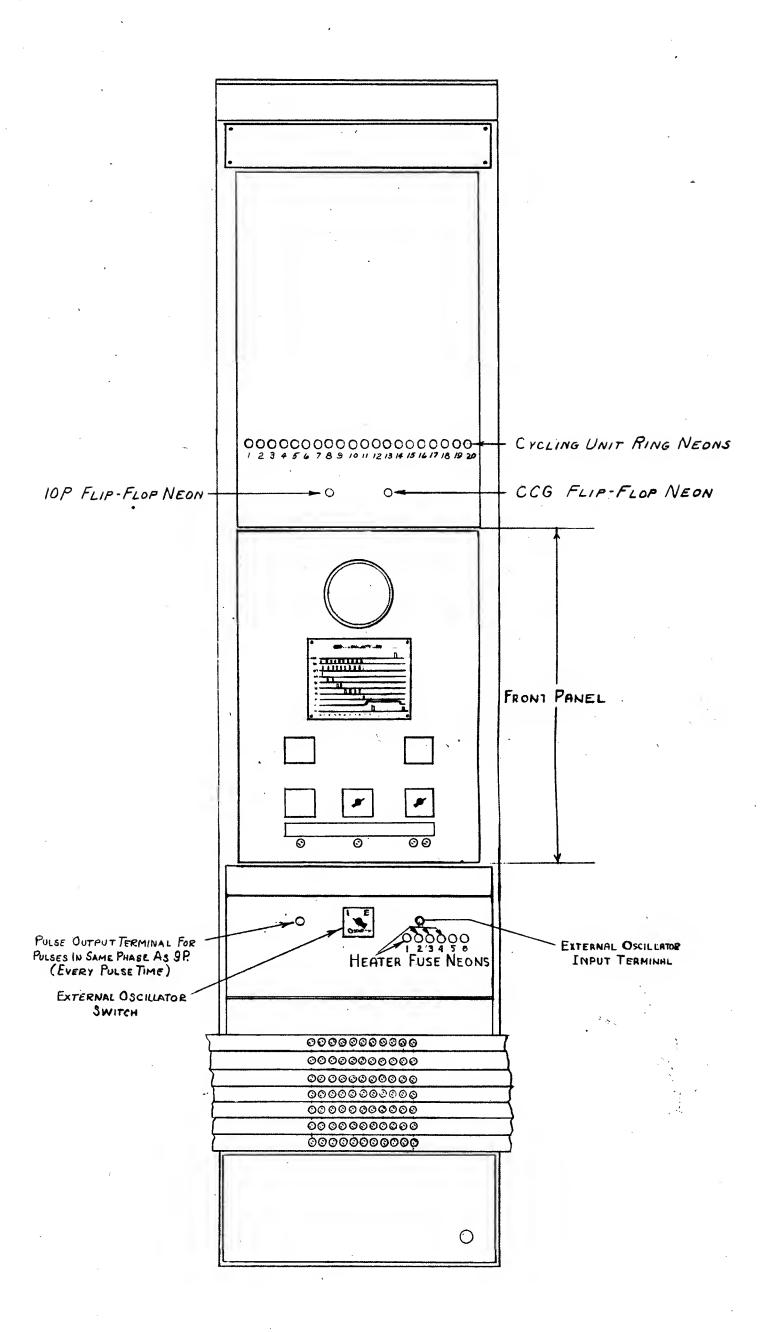
replace in exactly the same position in order not to disturb dust inside the case.

Transient failures in the printer are probably relay failures. See maintenance manual for list of probable failures.



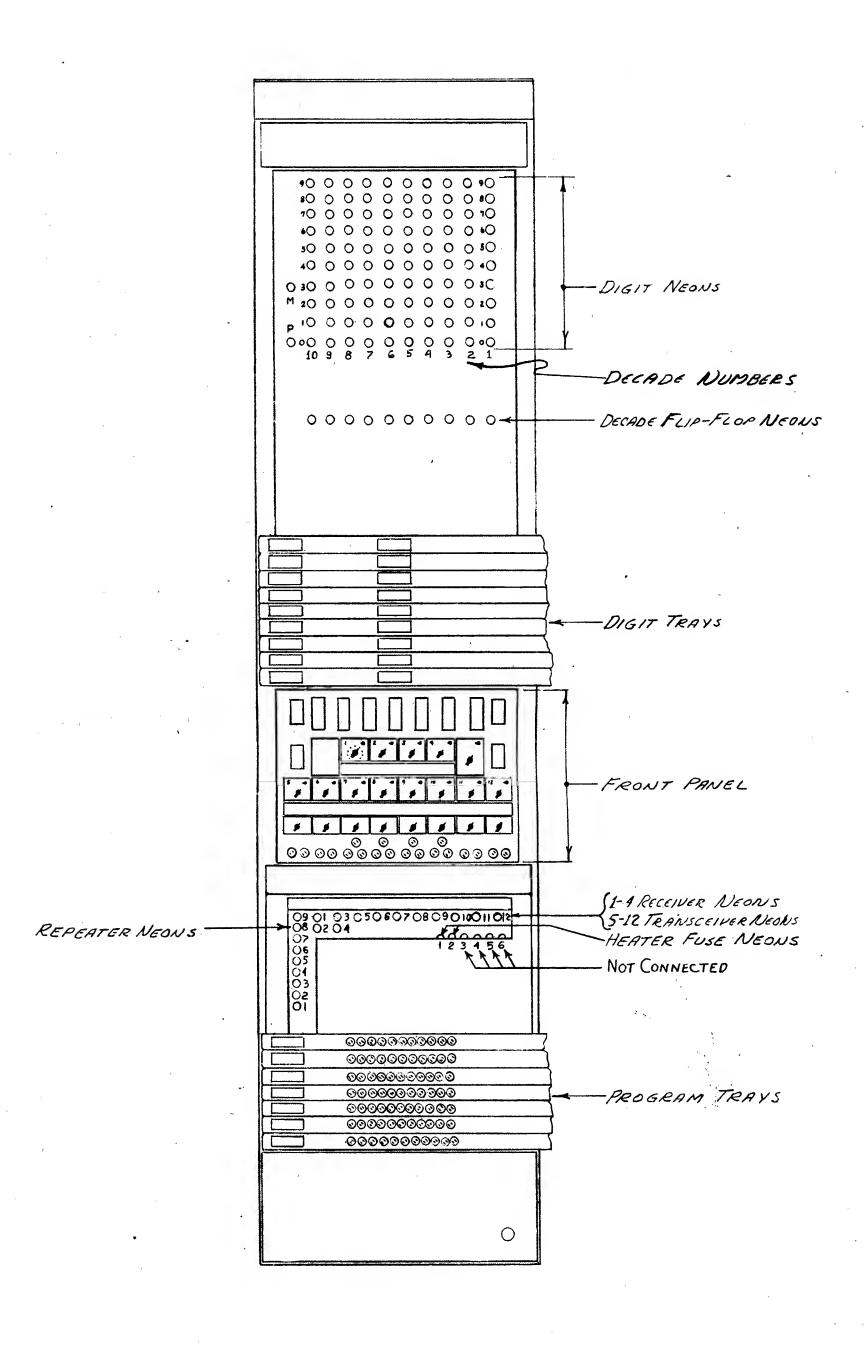


INITIATING UNIT FRONT VIEW PX-9-305



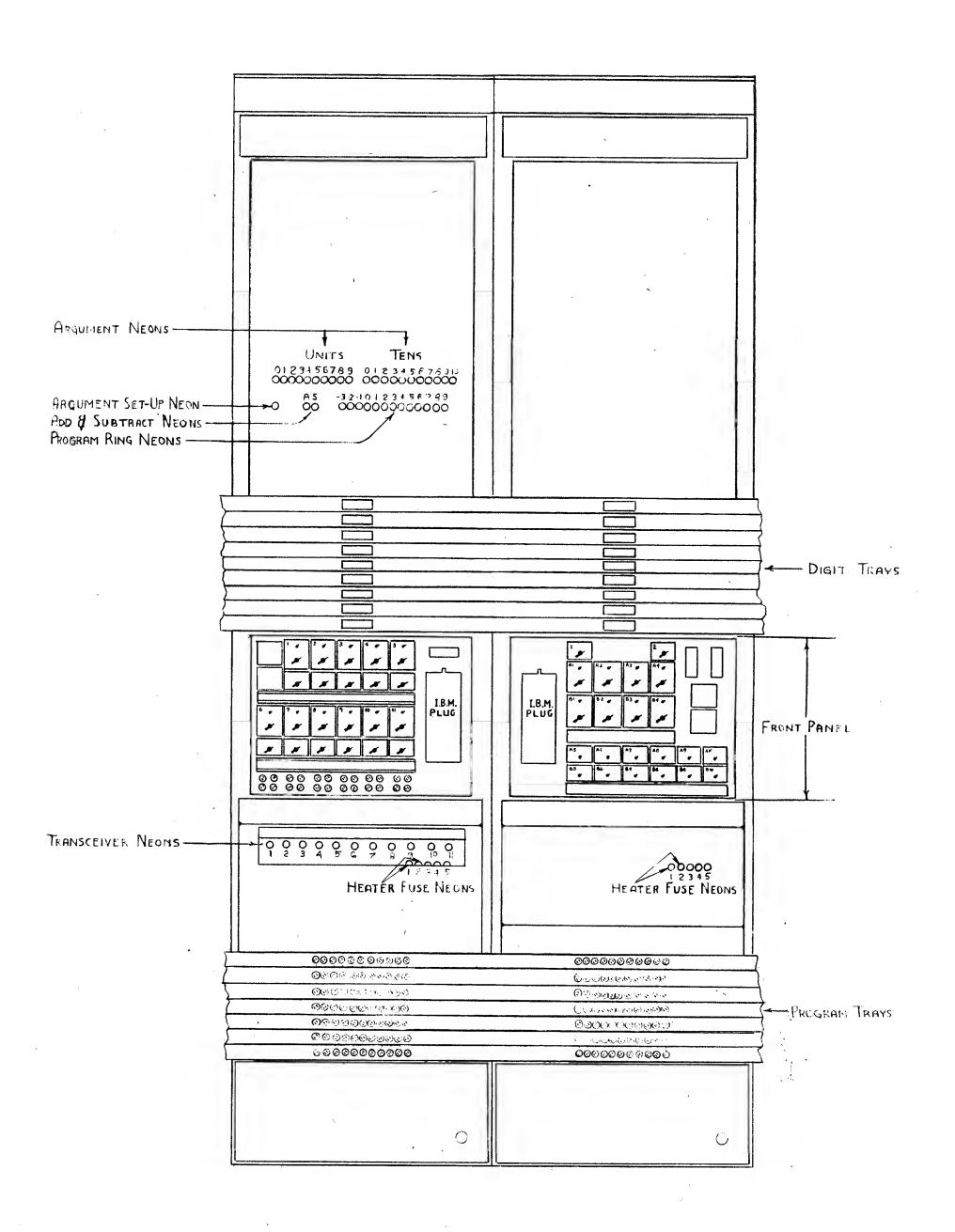
CYCLING UNIT FRONT VIEW PX - 9 - 304



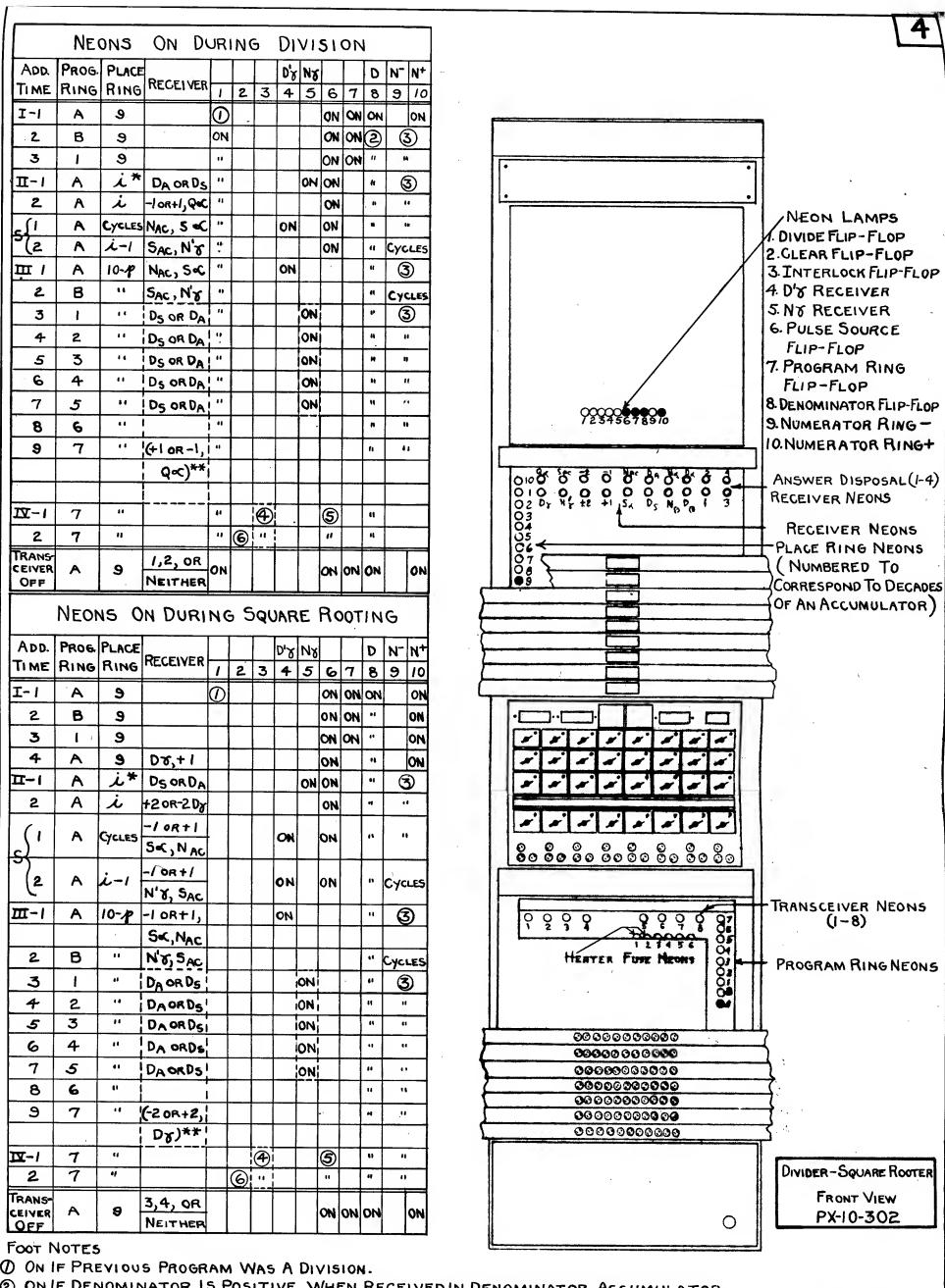


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ACCUMULATOR FRONT VIEW PX-5-305



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PX-7-305

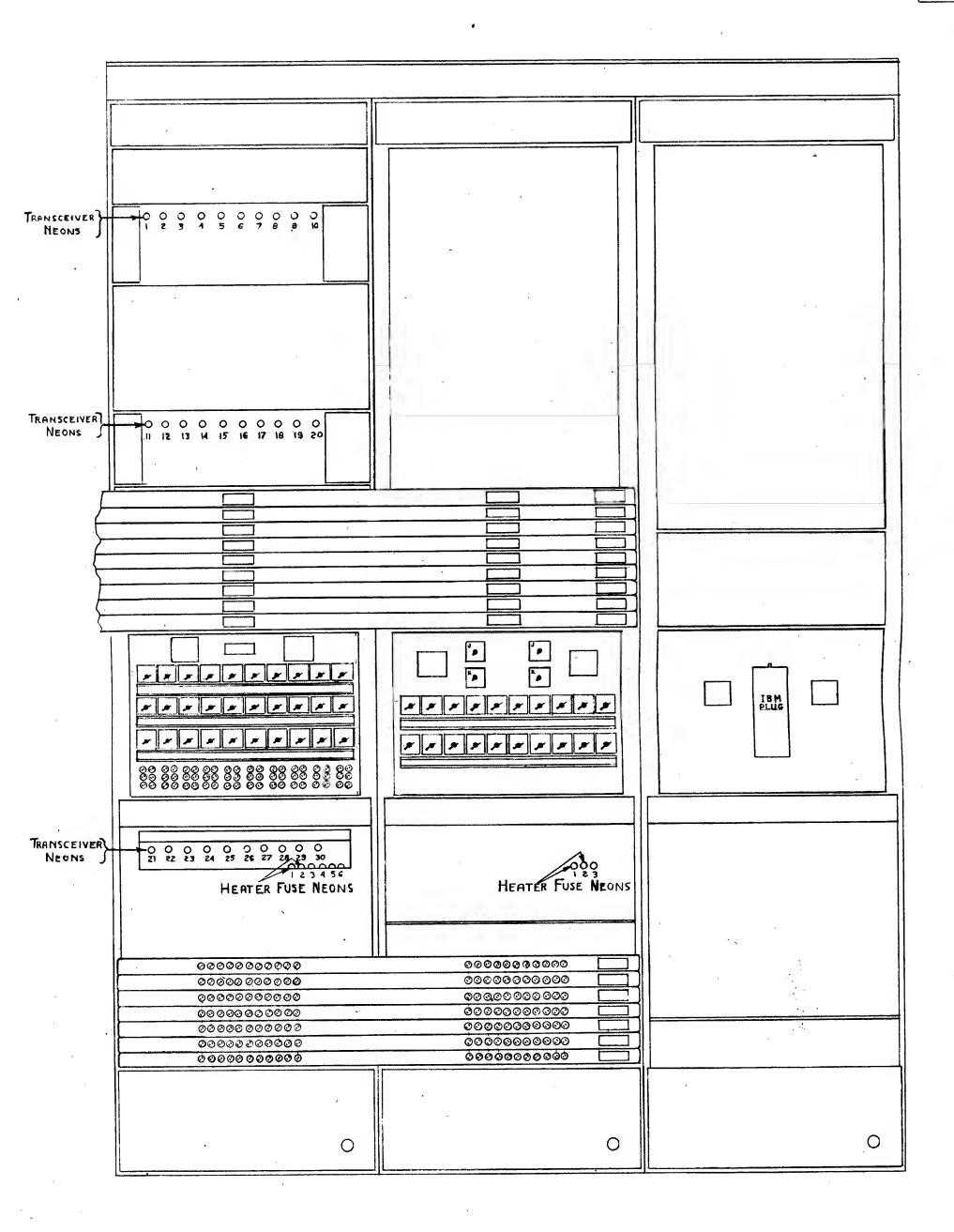


- 2 ONIF DENOMINATOR IS POSITIVE WHEN RECEIVED IN DENOMINATOR ACCUMULATOR.
- 3 IF BEFORE DENOMINATOR IS ADDED TO OR SUBTRACTED FROM NUMERATOR, THE NUMERATOR IS POSITIVE, NEON#415 ON; OTHERWISE NEON#3 IS ON.
- @ GOES ON WHEN INTERLOCK PULSE IS RECEIVED.
- 3 GOES ON ONE ADDITION TIME AFTER III-9
- @ Goes On: a- IN NI Case, Two Addition Times After Ⅲ-9.

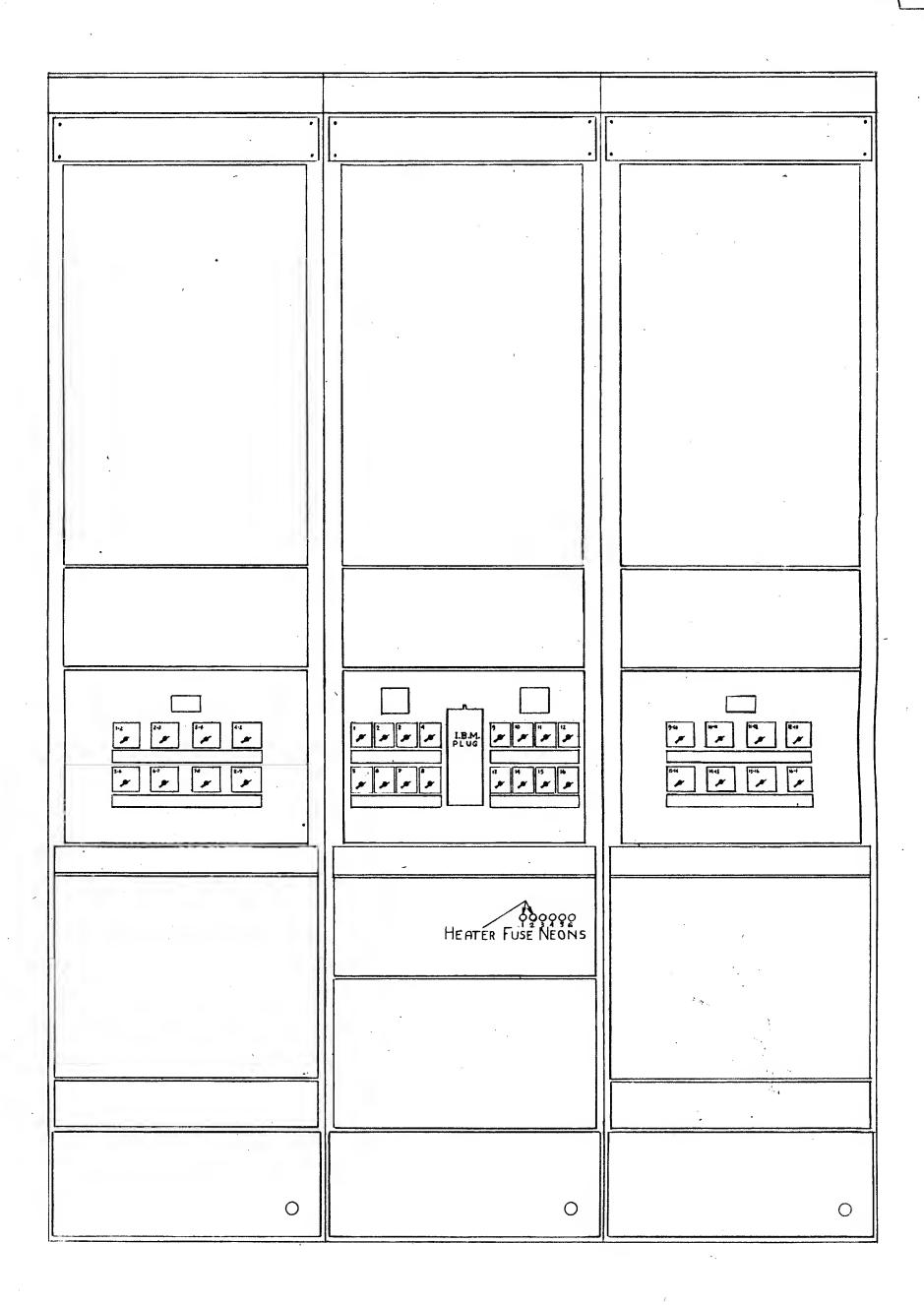
D-IN I CASE, IN WHICHEVER OCCURS LATER: TWO ADDITION TIMES AFTER III-9 OR ONE ADDITION TIME AFTER NEON7 \*9=10-10 WHERE 1 IS THE SETTING OF THE PLACES SWITCH.

\*\* ONLY IF NO OVERDRAFT RESULTS.



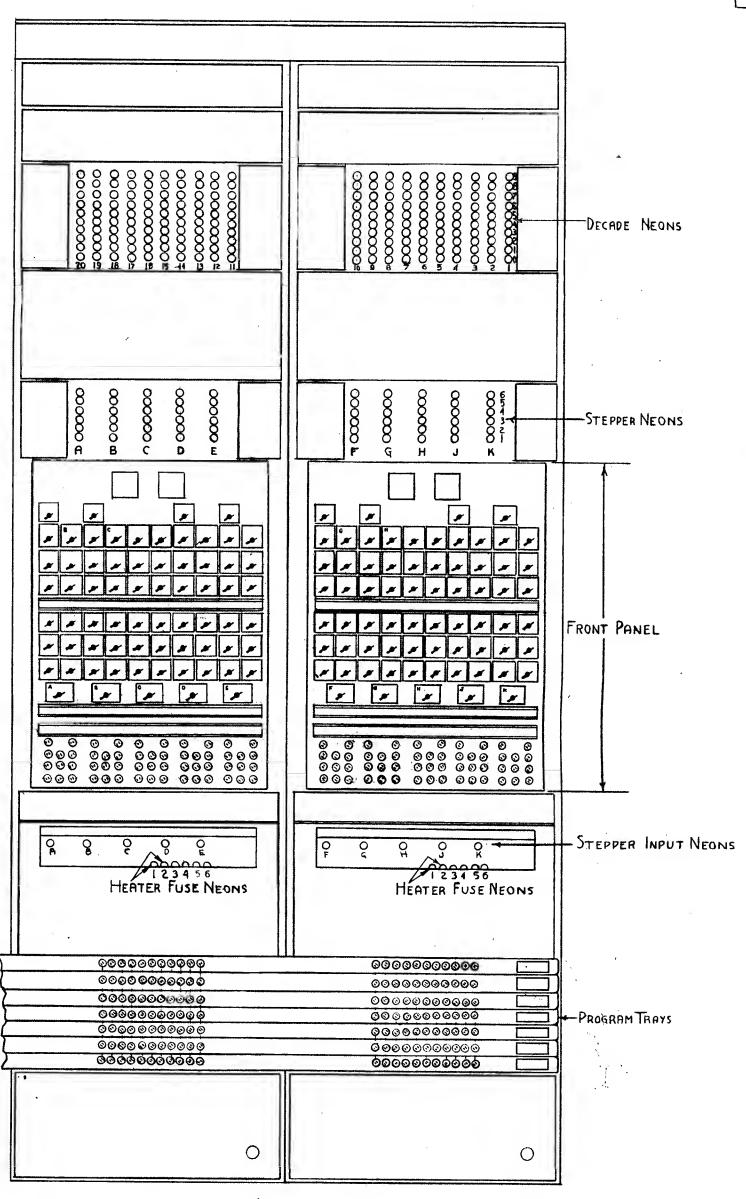


CONSTANT TRANSMITTER FRONT VIEW PX-11-306

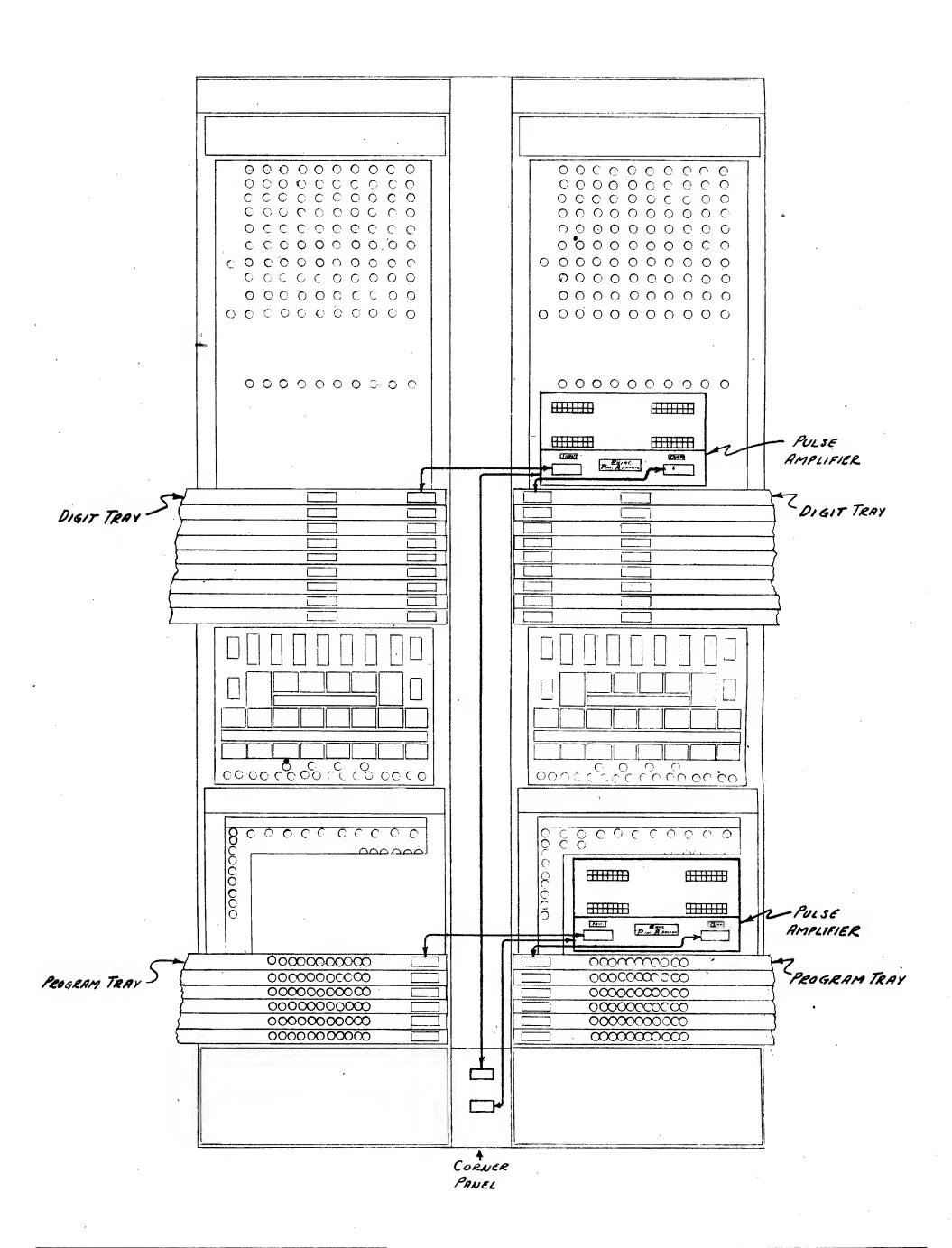


PRINTER FRONT VIEW PX-12-306





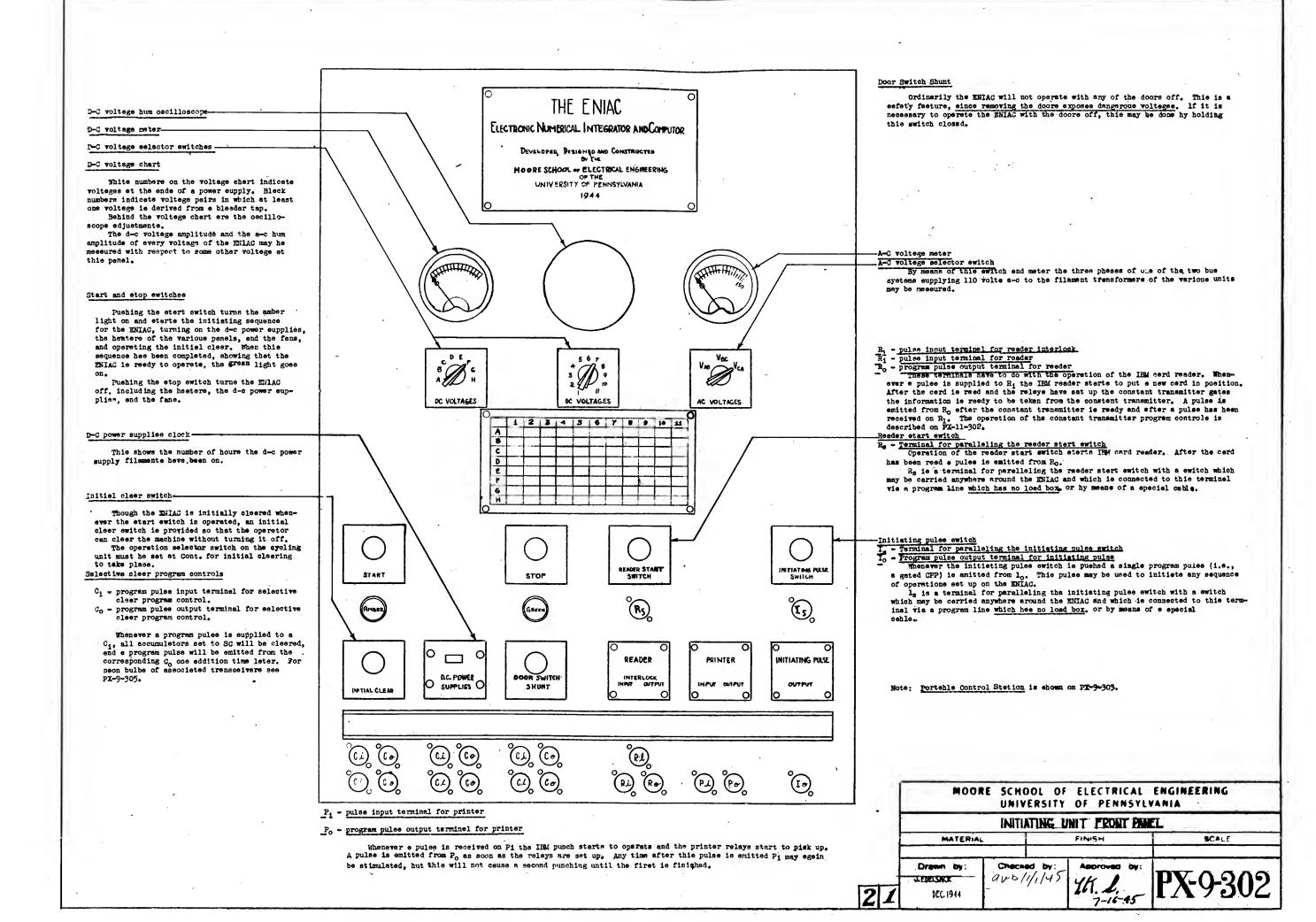
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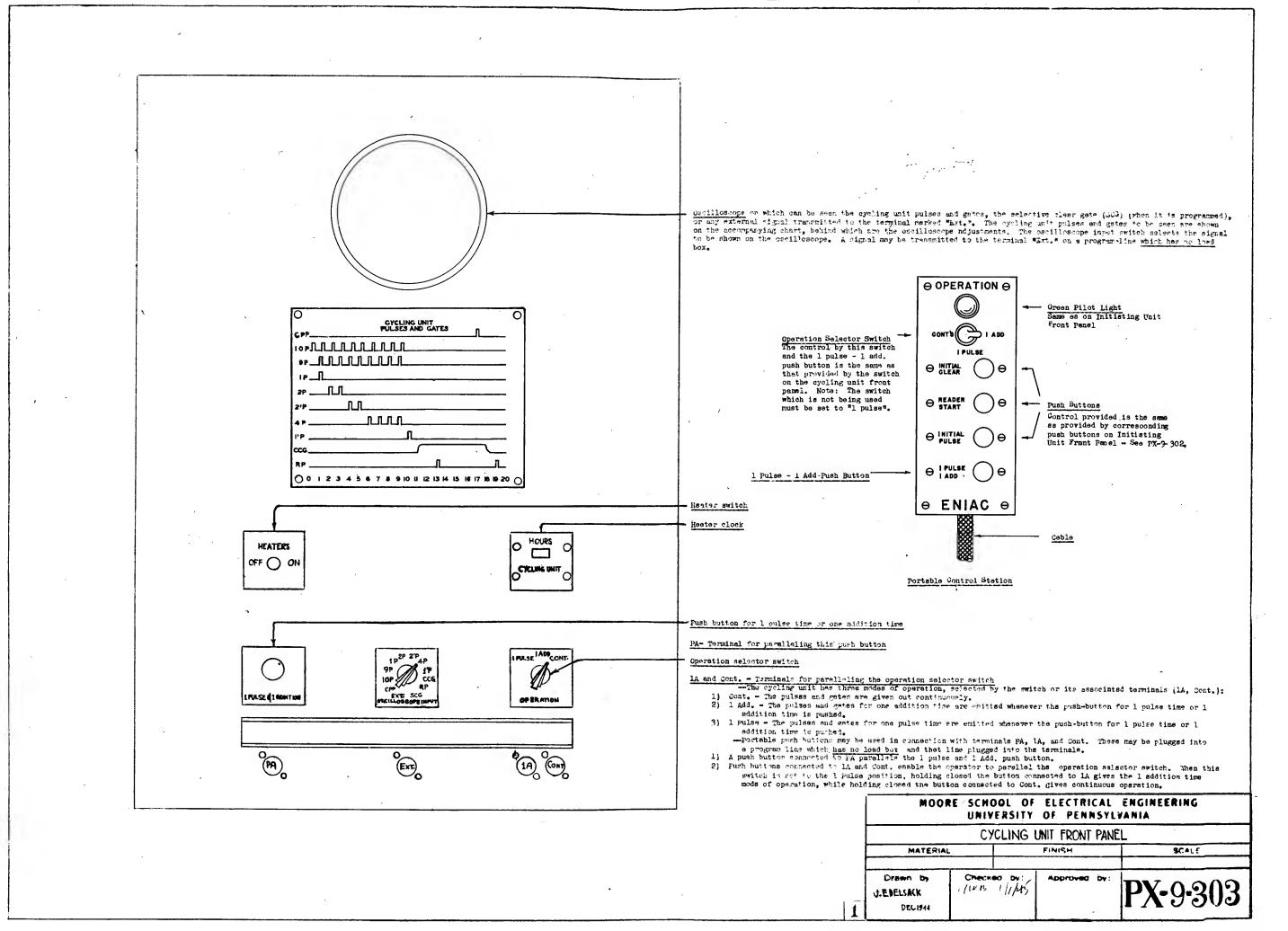


PULSE AMPLIFIER

INTERCONNECTION DIAGRAM

PX - 4 - 302





The digit terminals are to be connected to the digit trunks (trays) (see PA-5-305) by the digit cables for receiving and transmitting numbers. The operation of these terminals is governed by the program controls of the accumulator. (Thue digit pulses transmitted on a trunk to which the of terminal is connected are received only if the accumulator is programmed to receive on of ).

Multiplication by powers of ten may be ecceptished by means of shifters (PX-11-104) which transpose the digit wires. Shifters must be placed only in digit input terminals, not in digit output terminals.

Deleters (PX-11-109) are used in consertion with the significant figures switch; they may be placed only in the standard of the significant figures. in digit output tsrminala.

Digit Input Terminels Digit Output Marminels 0 α S 513 SW, Ð 0 Switches 1-4: Operation 1 Sc€. switches for non-repeat 0 program controls. HOURS ACCUMULATOR NO. HEATERS OFF O ON 0 Clear correct switch Switches 5-12; Operationswitches for Pepeat program controls. °@ (B) ~ © ⊚

Terminals 11, 21,,..., 41

Program pulse input terminals for non-repeat program controls 1-4 respectively.

Terminela 5i.....12i

Program pulse input terminals for repeat program controls 5-12 respactively.

#### Non-repeat program controls 1-4.

These operate for one addition time end emit no program output pulse. Each control consists of

1) Program pulse input terminal (when stimulated with program pulso causes program control to program operation in accordance with its switch settings)

Terminale 50, 60,...,120
Frogram pulse output terminale for

repeat program controls 5-12

respectively.

- 2) Operation switch
- 3) Clear-correct ewitch
  4) Associated receiver (For mean bulbs see PX-5-305)

#### Repeat program controls 5-12.

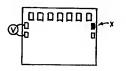
These operate for n additions times, where n is the setting of the repeat switch. Each control consists of

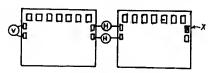
1) Frogram pulse input terminel (when stimulated with program pulse causes program control to program operation in accordance with its ewitch cettings).

2) Program pulse output terminal (emits program pulse at end of nth addition time)

- 3) Operation switch
- 4; Clear-correct switch
- 5) Repost switch
- 6) Associated transceiver (For meon bulbs see PX-5-305)

#### Accumulator Interconnection - Diagram





10 decade accumulator

20 decade accumulator

V: Acc. interconnector cable (vertical) (FX-5-121)
H: Acc. interconnector cable (horizontal) (FX-5-110)
T indicates position of acc. interconnector terminal load box (FX-5-109)

Note: Each of the 2h program controls of the 20 decade accumulator governs the operation of all decades and of the common programing circuits of both accumulators.

this switch is set to SC the eccumulator is cleared whenever a program pulsa is transmitted to one of the selective clear inputs of the initiating unit.

Significant figures switch

This switch determines which decade (if any) is cleared to 5 instead of 0 whenever the accumuleton is cleared and on which line the subtract pulse is transmitted on a subtract transmission. It does not govern the deletion of non-significent digits; this must be done by means of deleters (PX-h-109) (When the switch is set to m, deleter number m should be used, etc.)

If the switch is set to m, decade 10-m (counting from the right) is cleared to 5, end the

aubtract pulse is transmitted on digit line ll-m.

When a 20 decede accumulator is formed, the two significent figure switches are to be used as (A) When 9 or less significant figures are desired, the left hand switch is set to the number

desired and the right hand switch to 10. (B) When 10 or more significant figures are desired, the left hand switch is set to 10 and the right hand switch eet so that the sum of the two switch readings equals the number of significant figures desired.

Repeat switcher for

rspeat progress controls 5-12
Secb switch governs the number of addition times its repeat program control operates.

#### Operation switches and clear-correct switches:

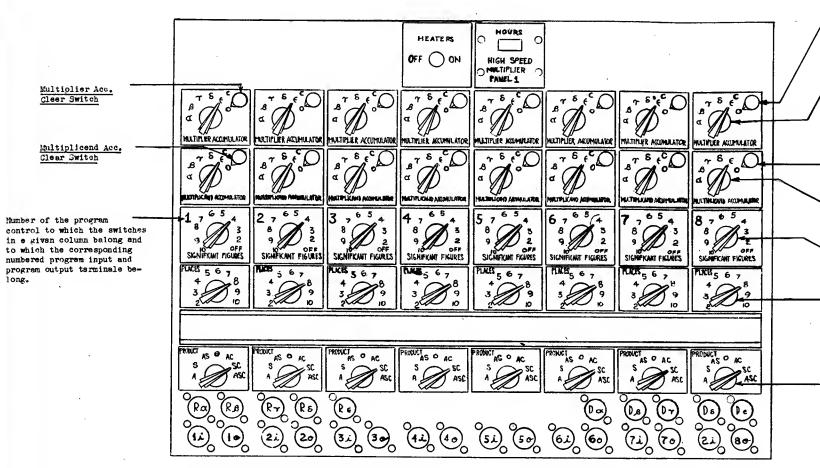
Thase operate together in the following manner:

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Operation switch setting	Operation programmed by operation switch	operation programmed by clear-correct switch if set to C.
≪ } \$ €	Receive on of digit input terminal Receive or \( \beta \) digit input terminal Receive on \( \beta \) digit input terminal Receive on \( \beta \) digit input terminal Receive on \( \beta \) digit input terminal	A correct pulse (an inter- nelly gated 1° pulse) is pleesd in the units decade at each addition time.
A As	Nothing Trensmit on aid digit output terminel Trensmit on both add and subtract rigit output terminel Transmit on subtract digit output terminal	The accumulator is cleared at the end of the last addition time of the program.

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Terminals 1i, 2i,....,24i
Program pulse input terminals for program controls 1-24 raspectively.

Terminals 10, 20,......240
Program pulse output terminals for program controls 1-24 respectively.

Terminals Rx + Rc

Program pulse output terminals essociated respectively with d. G. 7, 5.6 on the 24 multiplier eccumulator function switches.

Terminals De - De
Program pulse output terminals associated respactively with d. G.r. S. c on the 2h multiplicand accumulator function switches.

There are 24 multiplier program controls, each consisting of

- Program pulse input terminel (when stimulated with program pulse causes program control to program multiplication in accordance with its switch settings).
- Program pulse output terminal (smits program pulse on completion of multiplication).
- Multiplier acc. receive switch
- Multiplier acc. cleer switch Multiplicand ecc. receive switch
- Multiplicand ecc. clear switch
- Significant figures switch -Described on PX-6-303
- Places switch Product disposel switch -Described on PX-6-304
- Associated transcaiver --For mean bulbs see PX-6-309

The high-epead multiplier operatas in conjunction with four or six associated accumulators. These are the multiplier acc. (#9), the multiplicand acc. (#10), the laft-hand partial products acc. (#11 and perhaps #12) and the right-hand products acc. (#13 and perhaps #14). For a diagram showing the interconnections of the high-epsed multiplier with its associated accumulators are PX-6-311.

#### Multiplier Accumulator Claer Switch

This governs the cleering of the multiplier acc. by means of the static cehls running into the multiplier ecc. PM plug-in unit. If this switch is set on C, the multiplier is cleered during the <u>lest</u> addition time of the multiplication.

#### Multiplier Accumulator Receive Switch

Whenever a program pulse is received on a program input taminel of a given program control, n pulse is immediately emitted from Rec. Rg, or not at all, accordingly at the multipliar acc. function switch of that program control is set on  $\infty$ . A, or o respectively. These pulses may he used to cause the multiplier acc. to receive the multiplier during the next eddition time by having them trensmitted to properly set multiplier ecc. program controls, i.e. by connecting Acc- lig to five program pulse inputs of the multiplier acc. (#9) and setting the corresponding operation switches to receive on & - & respectively.

It is to be noted that ell 24 multiplier program controls cause pulses to be emitted on Re - Re so that only five multiplier acc. program controls are required to receive all 24 multipliers.

#### Multiplicand Accumulator Blear Switch

This operates the same as the multiplier ecc. clear switch except that it governs the clearing of the multiplicand acc.

#### Multiplicand Accumulator Receive Switch

This functions the same as the multiplier ecc. receive switch except that it gives out program polices on terminels Doc to De and may be used with the multiplicand acc. (#10).

#### Significent Figure Switch

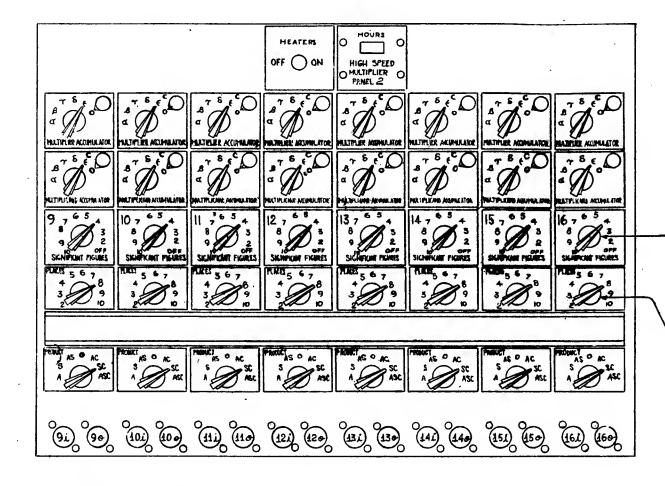
#### Multiplier Plecas Switch

Product Disposel Switch

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#### HIGH-SPEED MULTIPLIER FRONT PANEL NO.1

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#### Time schodule for multiplication

A multiplication requires from 6 to 14 addition times (depending upon the setting of the places switch) including the time required for receiving the multiplier and multiplicand, but not including the time required for disposal of the product.

# Addition time Operation (Program input pulse received et end of Oth nddition time)

1	fultiplier end multiplicand received
2	Five round-off pulses transmitted to left-hand product acc. (#11, 12)
3	Multiplicand multiplied by first place (10th decede) of multiplier and loft and right hand components transmitted to left and right hand
	product sec.
p+2	This is continued up to the p+2d addition time, where p setting of
	placee ewitch
p+3	Complement corrections are made when necessary.
p+#	Accumulated left hand products are added into accumulated right hand products.
(Program output pulse end	enewer disposel pulsesemitted at end of p+hth addition time)

#### Significant Figures Switch

This switch may be used to give a veriable round-off; i.e., a product which is rounded off in e different place for each program control. This switch governs the addition of 5 pulses into the proper place of the left-hand product acc. (#II, 12) during the second addition time of the multiplication.

It does not control the deletion of the non-significent digits of the product nor the plecing of the subtract pulse in the proper channel of the product on a subtract transmission. Since these vary with the setting of the eignificent figures switch, they must be taken care of at the accumulator which receives the product. Hence in ceses where every product is to be rounded-off to the same number of pleces, it is heat to use the round-off facilities of the right-hand product acc. (#13, 14).

#### Places Switch

This governs the number of places of the multiplier that are to be used in the multiplication. The multiplier digits are used from left to right, so that the most significant digits are used first. The places referred to are the places of the multiplier eco. counted from the left.

The places switch is completely independent of the significant figures switch. The reason for

The places switch is completely independent of the significant regires switch. The resonator this is that all digits of the multiplicand are used in the multiplication process. The only purpose of the places switch is to save time.

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#### Important note concerning the partial products digit output terminals

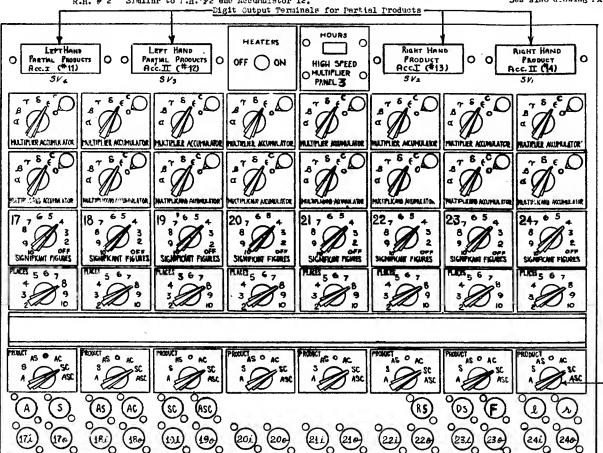
These terminals are to be semi-permanently connected to the & digit input terminals (see note on terminals 1,r) of the product accumulators (#11, 12, 13, 1h) by trays or cables not used for any other purposs. No load boxes are to be used. The digit pulses emitted from these terminals are not supplied from transmitters, but from inverter tubes which cannot be connected in perallel with anything else and which have their own resistors. Hence the digit input terminals of the product accumulators cannot be used for receiving any other numbers.

No shifters or deleters ere to be used. Accumulators 11 and 12 and accumulators 13 and 14 are paired when more than eight places is desired in the product.

The load on these outputs must be kept as small as possible. Recommended method of connection is:

- 1.F. #1 By special cable to accumulator 11.
- By short ceble to tray (only one trey), end short cable to Accumulator 12.

R.H. # 1 By special ceble to Accumulator 13.
R.H. # 2 Similar to I.H. #2 end Accumulator 12. Ses slso drawing PX-6-311



Terminals A-ASC
Program output terminals associated respectively with A, S, AS, AC, SC, ASC, on product dieposal ewitch.

Terminels RS, DS, F
Progrem pulse output terminels for transmitting pulses used in the programming of each multiplication:

DS - A program pulse is emitted et the end of the p+2d eddition time if the multiplier is negetive. Semi-permanent connections must be established so that this pulse programe the multiplicand ecc. to transmit subtract and the right hand product eccumulator I(#13) to receive.

RS - A program pulse is emitted at the end of the p+2d eddition time if the multiplicend is negative. Semi-permanent connections must be established so that this pulse programs the multiplier acc. (#9) to transmit subtrect and the left hand pertial products ecc. I (#11) to

F - A program pulse is emitted at the end of the p+3d eddition time. Semi-permanent connections must be established so that this pulse programs the laft hand pertial products eccumulator (#11, 12) to transmit edd (without shifting) and clear end programs the right hend product accurulator (#13, 14) to recaive, or vice-versa.

Terminels 1,r

Receiver cethode follower buffer output lines. These are to be used to program the product ecc. to receive the partiel producte. The following semi-nermanent connections are to be established.

- 1. 1 is to be connected vie ecc. interconnector ceble (Mult.) (FX-5-131) into the interconnector terminels I<sub>11</sub> end I<sub>12</sub> of left-hand pertial products acc. I (#11). The & digit input terminal is to be used to receive the partial products.
- 2. r is to be similarly connected into right-hand product eccumulator I (#13). likewise, the or digit input terminal is to be used to receive the pertiel products.

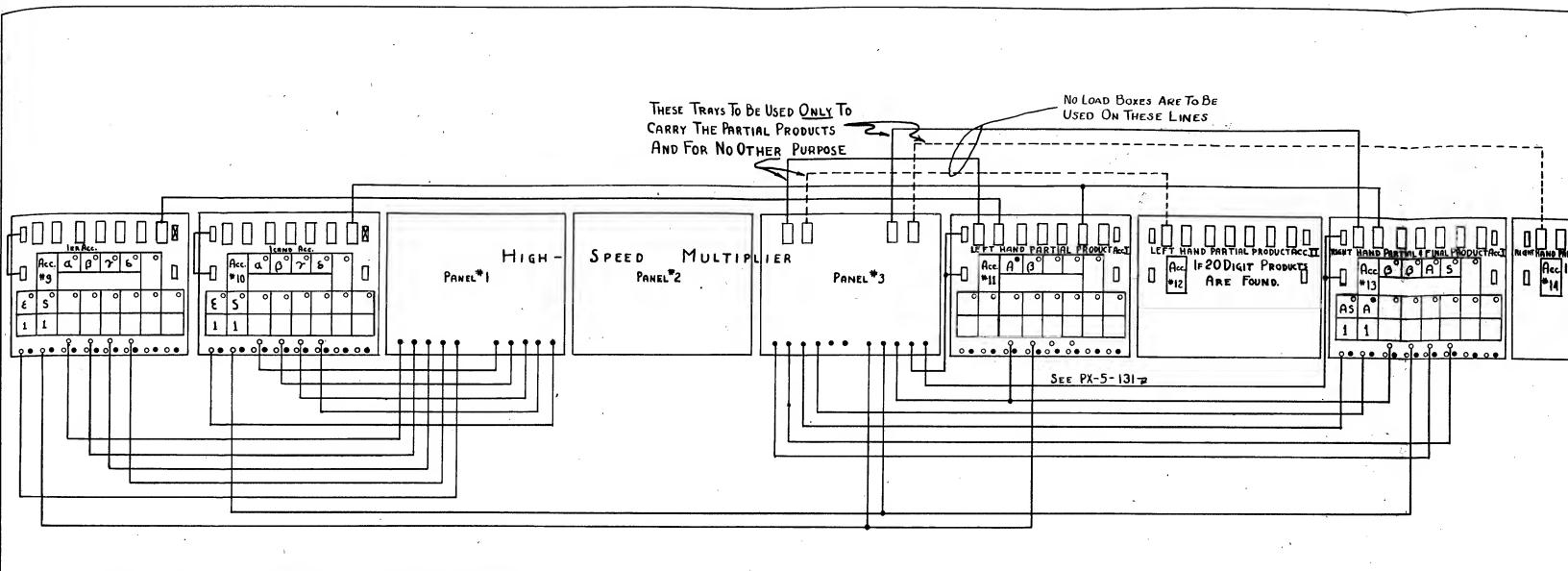
#### Product disposel switch

This switch operates in conjunction with program pulse output tarminels A through ASC and provides program facilities for the disposal of all 24 products using at most 6 program controls of the right-hend product eccumuletor (#13, 14).

At the end of the p+4th addition time (i.e., at the same time as the program output pulsa is emitted) e program pulse is emitted from A-ASC according to the satting of the product disposal switch of the program control being used.

Semi-permanent connections may be established by connecting A through ASC to six program pulse inpute of the right-hand product ecc. (#13, 14) end setting the corresponding operation switches end cleer-correct ewitches to trenemit on A-ASC. The program control output pules may be used to stimulete that unit of the ENIAC which is to receive the trensmitted product.

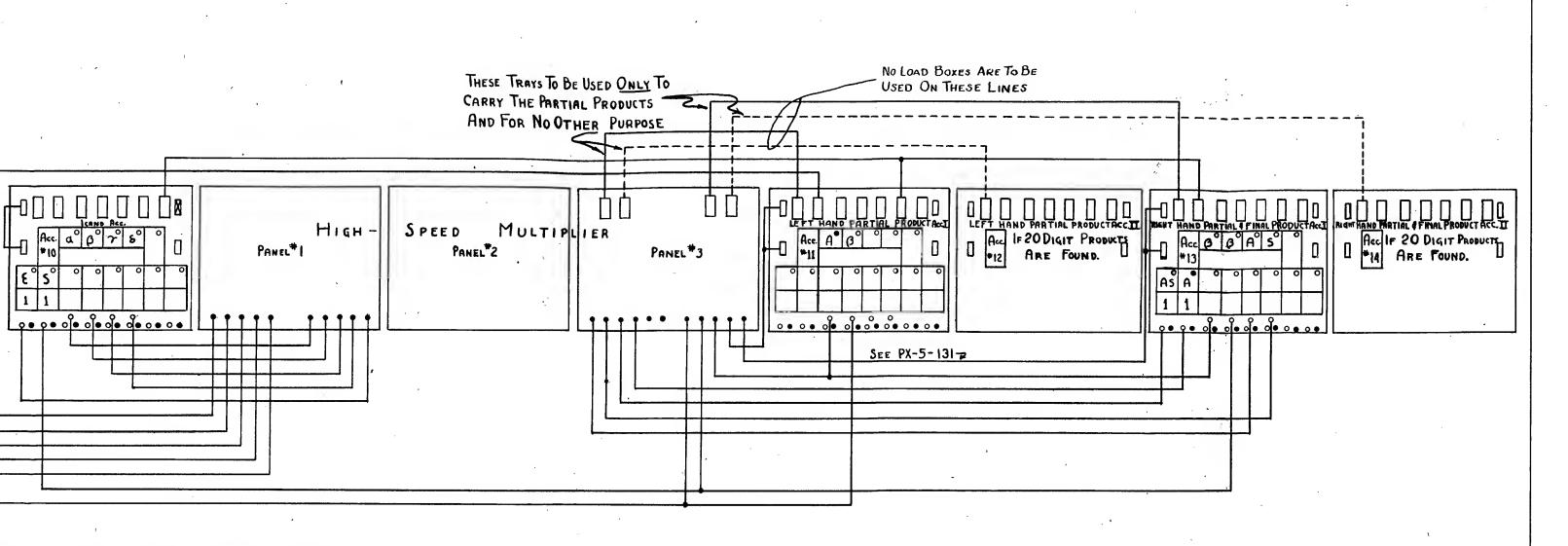
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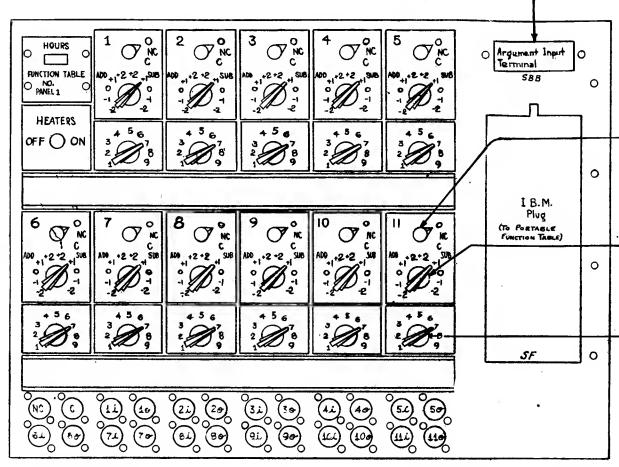
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This input is open for reception of the two-digit ergument during the 2nd addition time of operation. The units place is received on line I, the tene place on line 2, Shifters (PK-N-104) should be used in this terminal to shift the argument if it comes from other decades then the 5th and other the other lines of this terminal are unconnected, so a deleter is not required.

The eccumulator which transmits the argument may be programmed from terminals NC

The function ... ole autometically clears its ergument et the end of each operation.



Terminels 11, 21,.....111
Program pulse input terminals for program controls 1-11 respectively

Terminals 10, 20,.....110
Program pulse output terminals for program controls 1-11 respectively

Program pulse output terminal essocistad with NC on ergument reception

Program pules output terminal associated with C on argument reception

There are eleven program controls on each function table. Each program control consists of a program pulse input terminel (which, when stimulated with a program pulse, ceuses the program control to program the looking up of a function valua), a program pulse output terminel (which smits a pulse on completion of the operation), the three ewitches described below, and an esecciated program pulse output terminel (which smits a pulse on completion of the operation), the three ewitches described below, and an esecciated trunsceiver (for neon bulbs see PX-7-305).

#### Argument reception switch

This switch operates in conjunction with program pulse output terminals NC and C and may be used to program an accumulator or accumulatore to transmit the argument.

At the end of the lat addition time a program pulse is emitted from NC or C if this switch is got on NC or C respectively. Semi-permanant connections may be astablished by connecting NC and C to program input terminals of the argument occumulator and satting the corresponding operation switches to trersmit and transmit-and clear respectively.

#### Operation switch

This ewitch datermines whether the function value (edd) or its complement (subtract) is trens-

mitted.

It also determines whether the function value of the ergument received, or the function value of the also determines whether the function value of the ergument received, or the function value of the ergument received at one of the neighboring arguments, is transmitted. Thus positions-2, -1, 0, +1, +2 give f(a-2), f(a-1), f(a), f(a+1), f(a+2) respectively, where a ie the ergument.

#### Operation repeat ewitch

This switch determines the number of times the function value is transmitted,

Note that 4 eddition times ere required for the function tebla to set up, receive the argument, stc. This lose of time must be taken account of in programming the accountator which receives the value of the function. Thus if that accountator is programmed with the same pulse that programs the function table with its repect switch set to 9, it could receive the value of the function only

#### Time Schedule for Function Table

Addition time Cperation

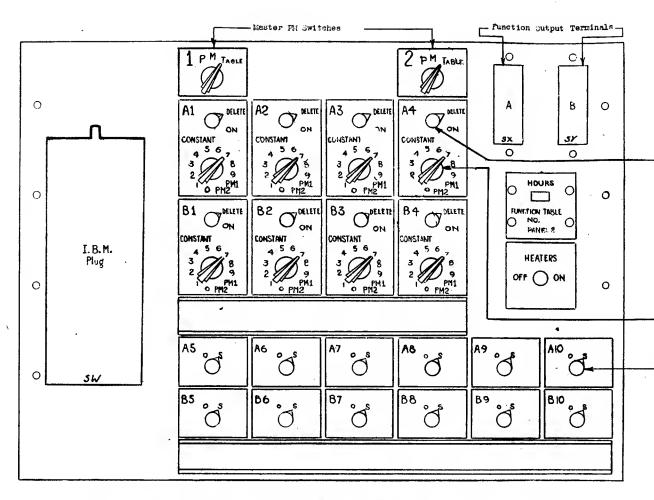
(Program input pulse received at and of Oth eddition time)

- Argument modified by the addition of 0 to 4 pulses. At 14th pulse time portable function table starts
- Function table firishes setting up
- Value of function transmitted
- This is continued up to the r+ ith addition time, where r is the setting of the function repeat switch.

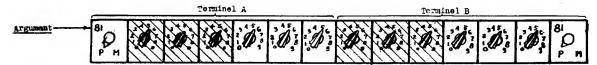
(Program output emitted at and of rotth addition time)

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Sample row of switches on portable function teble showing connection to function output terminele.



Line 6 Line 5 Line 4 Line 3 Line 2 Line 1 Line 6 Line 5 Line 4 Line 3 Line 2 Line 1 PM2

For e positive number, set PM to P and set the number on the ewitches. For e negative number, set PM to M and set the complement of the number with respect to  $10^{11}$ 

The digit pulsos representing the value of the function ere transmitted from these terminels. A connection table appears below. These terminals ere to be connected to the digit trunks (traye) (see &X-7-305) by the digit cebles for transmission of the function value to enother unit of the EMAC. It is to be noted that the division of the eight constant digit switches end the 12 function table entries into the groups A end B was an arbitrary one, and by means of special edentors (FX-4-110) those can be regrouped in any menner.

#### Teble chowing connections of function output terminele

Line	Terminel A	Terminel B	
2 ground 1 PM 0 (Billions place) 3	Pround PM 1 Constent digit ewitch A4 Constent digit switch A2 Constent digit switch A2 Constant digit switch A1	Ground PM 2 Constent digit switch B <sup>li</sup> Constant digit switch B <sup>2</sup> Constant digit switch E <sup>2</sup> Constant digit switch B1	
5 5 4 3 (Hundreds Plece) 2 (Tens Plece) 1 (Units Place)	Subtrect pulse ewitch AG Subtrect pulse switch AG Subtrect pulse switch AG Subtrect pulse switch AG Subtrect pulse switch AG Subtrect pulse ewitch AG Subtrect pulse ewitch AG Subtrect pulse switch AG Subtrect pulse switch AG	Subtrect pulse switch Bide Subtrect pulse switch	

Digit delete switch

Then the digit delete switch is set to delete the constent digit switch is disconnected from its function output terminal, otherwise it is left connected.

Digits which ere constant for all the values of a function may be set up on the constant digit

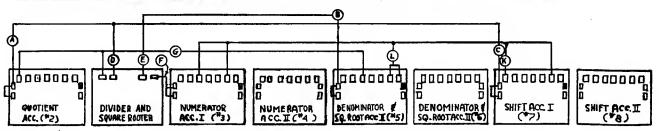
ewitches,

If these ewitches ere set to FMI or FM2, the outputs of the corresponding master PM switches are fed through these ewitches to the output terminals. This feature is used when some of the left hand places of a function with both positive and nagetive values are zeros; these ewitches then supply zeros when the transmitted number ie positive and nine's when the transmitted number ie negetive, thus avoiding the use of chifters et the receiving terminels.

Constent digit switch

On a subtract transmit these switches feed a subtract pulse onto their corresponding function output terminal lines if they are set to S. Thus the switch corresponding to the unite digit of the function should be set to S; the others feeding onto the same digit trunk should be set to G.

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(In dividing the denominator ie to be placed here. In square rooting twice the square root is built up here.)

Notee on cables:

Accumulator interconnector cahle (quotient) (PX-5-134; Acc. interconnector cahle (denom.S.R.) (PX-5-136)

Acc. interconnector cable (shift) (PX-5-135)
Standard digit cable, with adaptere (divider) (PX-4-114) plugged into program terminel.
Standard digit cable, with adaptere (divider) (PX-4-114) plugged into program terminal.

Standard digit canle, with adapters (uvider, (FA-1-11), proceed an adapter of the connector cable (divider) (FX-5-127)

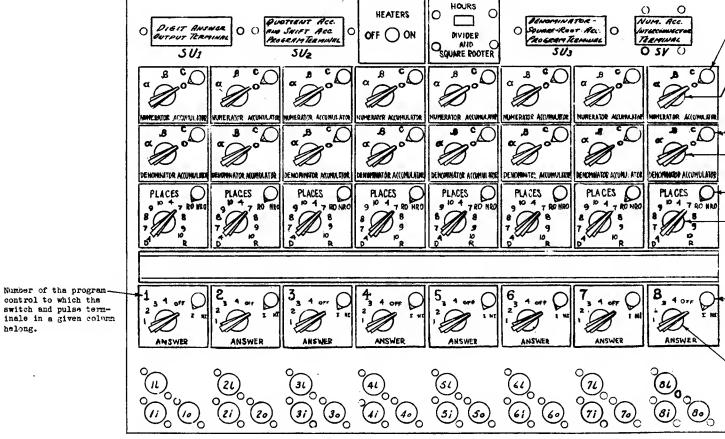
Trunk to transmit digit pulses for quotient and square root.

This trunk is not to be used for any other purpose, since the pulses emitted are not supplied from transmitters but from inverter tubes which cannot be connected in parallel with anything the connection of th

sise. These inverters heve their own load resistors, so no load box is to he used in connection

(K) Standard digit trunk (with load hox) using +1 shifter in oC input of the shift accumulator.
 (L) Standard digit trunk transfer (with load hox).

There are eight divider squere rooter progrem controls, each consisting of a progrem nulse input terminal (which, when stimulated with a program pulse, causas tha program control to program an operation , in eccordance with its switch sattings), a program pulse output terminal (which smits a program pulse on completion of the operation, including interlocking) the eight switches described helow, and en associated transceiver (for neon bulbs sea



reminals 11, 21,.......8i - Program pulse input terminals for program controls 1-5 respectively. When stimulated with program pulse causes program control to program division or square-root in accordance with its switch sattinga.

If the interlock switch of a given program control is set at NI, these terminals are not used. If the interlock switch is set at I, a pulse must have been received on any interlock terminel since the last non-interlock operation or initial clearing of the divider before e program output pulse is emitted. The interlock pulsa mey has a program pulsa or n digit pulsa or pulsas.

Terminels 10, 20,,,,,,,60 - Program pulss output terminals for program centrols 1-6 respectively. Emits progrem pulse after both the operation is completed and an interlock pulse is raced wed (if interlock ewitch to aat at 1).

umerator Accumulator Cleer Switch This governs the clearing of the remainder hy means of the static cable running into the numerator eccumulator PM plug-in unit. If this switch is set on C, the numerator secumulator is cleared of its remainder during the last

Mumeretor Accumulator Recaive Switch

When semi-permanent corrections are mads, this switch programs tha numerator accumulator to receive on tha and \$\beta\$ digit input terminale during the first eddition time of the dividing or square-rooting.

addition time of the division or square root.

Denominator-Square-Root eccumulator Claar Switch

Thie switch operates the same as the numerator accumulator claar ewitch excapt that it governs the claaring of the denominator-aquare-root accumulator.

Denominator-Square-Root Accumulator Receive Switch

When semi-permanent connections are made, this switch programs the denominator and square root accumulator to receive on the of and \$\theta\$ digit input terminels during the first eddition time of the dividing or squere-rooting.

When set to Ro this switch causas the answer to be rounded off in the last place.

Nota: Even when the number (s) operated on are such es to give an exact answer this switch must be est to Ro to give the correct answer.

Divide-Square-Root and Places Switch

This awitch salects which process is carried out and the number of places (counting from the 10th decads, i.a. the highest place) of the answer.

Nota: The digit answer output terminal is so wired that the answer is built up atarting in the 9th decade (counting from the right). For ordinary operation the numerator (or number to be rooted) and denominator should be placed so that there is a 0 in the 10th dacade of their eccumulators. If the number to be rooted has an odd (even) number of places to the last of the decimal point it should be placed so that the left-hand digit is in an cad (evsn) numbered dscade. Hance the answer will have at least one place less than the setting of the places switch.

Interlock Switch

This switch is used whenever another operation or ast of operations is carried on simultaneously with the diviaion or square-rooting.

An average division (in which there is a zero in the 10th decade of the answer accumulator) or square-rooting

tekas 13p addition times, where p is the setting of the places switch.

If interlocking is used, and the interlock pulse arrives after the operation has been completed, a program output pulse is emitted ducing the second eddition time following,

This switch may be used to program trensmission of the quotient or twice the squere-root during the first addition time following the completion of the operation. The program control cutput pulse will then he used to stimulate that unit of the ENIAC which is to receive the naswer.

Positions 1 and 2 are normally used to govern the quotiant accumulator. The operation they perform is deter-

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mined hy adapter (divider) (PX-4-114). Thus if PX-4-114A is used

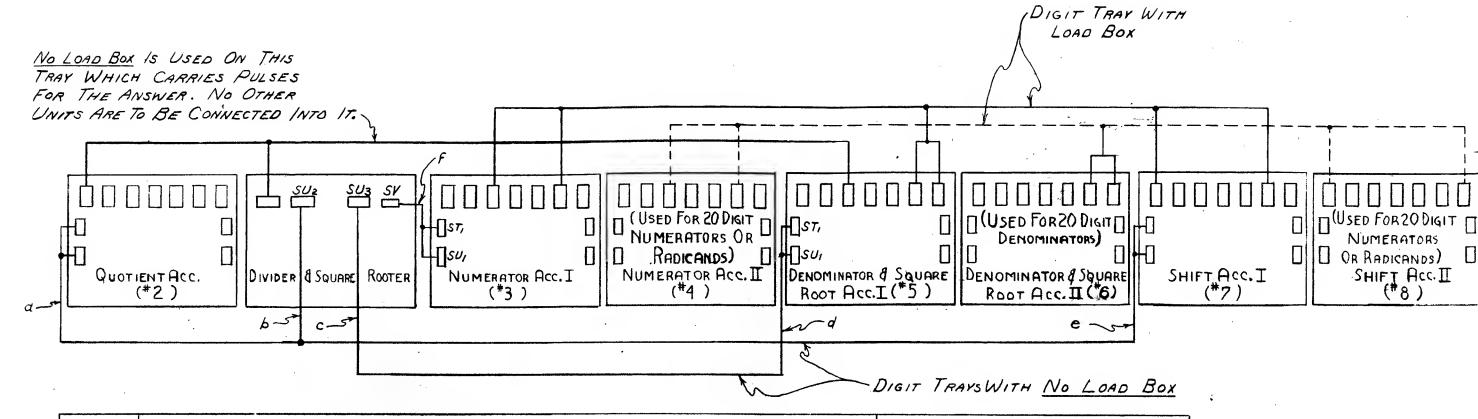
Disposal 1 - Causas quotient acc. to add transmit.
Disposal 2 - Causee quotiant acc. to add transmit and clear.

Similarly, positions 3 and 4 are normally used to govern the danominator-square-root accumulator

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ITEM	DESCRIPTION	REFER TO
ST, SU,	ACCUMULATOR INTERCONNECTOR TERMINALS	PX-5-105
SU <sub>2</sub>   SU <sub>3</sub>   SV	DIVIDER & SQUARE ROOTER PROGRAMMING TERMINALS	PX-10-108
a	SPECIAL CABLE FROM DIGIT TRAY TO ST, & SU, ON QUOTIENT ACC.	.PX-5-134
b c }	ADAPTORS FROM SUZ TO DIGIT TRAY OR FROM SU3 TO DIGIT TRAY	PX-4-114A, A & AC ADAPTOR PX-4-114B, A & S ADAPTOR PX-4-114C, AC & SC ADAPTOR
ď	SPECIAL CABLE FROM DIGIT TRAY TO STI & SUI ON THE DENOM. & SQ. ROOT ACC.	PX-5-136
l	SPECIAL CABLE FROM DIGIT TRAY TO STI & SUI ON THE SHIFT ACC.	PX-5-135
F	SPECIAL CABLE FROM SV TO ST, & SU, ON THE NUMERATOR ACC.	PX-5-137

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# Digit Output Terminel

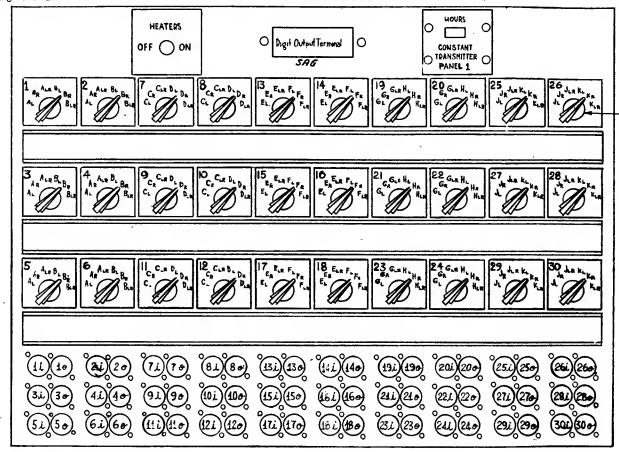
Memover the transmission of a constent is programmed digit pulses representing this constant ere emitted from this terminal. This terminal is to be connected to a digit trunk (tray) (See PX-11-306) by a digit cable for transmission of the constant to another unit of the ENIAC.

A table showing the connecting of this terminal for left-hand and right-hand five digit groups, and combined left and right-hand ten digit sets, appears balow.

It should be noted that a left-hand five-digit group would be received in the left-hand nelf of an accumulator and a right-hand five-digit group would be received in the right-hand helf if no shifter were used.

Lina	10-digit number (LE)	5-digit left-hand number (L)	5-digit right-hand number (R)
12	Ground	Ground	Cround
11	PM (of L)	ra (of L)	PM (of R)
11 10	Billions placa	Tan-thousandths place	PM* (of R)
9			PM* (of R)
<b>.</b>			PM* (of R)
7		Tens place*	FM* (of R)
<sup>-</sup> 6		Unita place	PM* (of R)
5		Nothing	Ten-thousandths placa
ļt		Nothing	
3	Hundreda place	Nothing	
2	Teue place	Nothing	Tens place
1	Units place	Rothing	Unita place

\*Thus o pulses ere transmitted on these lines when the constant is positive, 9 pulses when it is a complement. Hence it is unnecessary to use a shifter on a receiving accumulator to receive this constant into the units to ten-thousands decades of that accumulator.



Terminals 11, 21, .... 301

Program pulse input terminals for program controls 1-30

Terminals 1 , 2 ,.....,30
Program pulse output terminals for program controls 1-30

#### Constant salector awitch

## General Explanation of the Constant Transmitter

The constant transmittar has a capacity of 100 digits and 20 signs. These are divided into 10 sata (A,B,....3, J,K,) asch consisting of 10 digits and 2 signs. Eight of thase sats (A,B,....3) are supplied from IEM cards through the IEM reader when proper connections are made on the IEM reader plug board (see PX-11-305). Two of those sats (J,X) ere sumplied from the constant set switches and PM set switches of

psnal 2 (asa PX-11-303).

Each set may be further divided into two groups, a left-hand group and a right-hand group, each consisting of 5 digits end a sign. This division must remain fixed throughout a given set-up. For example, if the C set is divided into five-digit groups, then any or all of the constant calector switches 7 to 12 may be set to C, or C, but not to C,R. Conversely, if the E ast is not divided, then any or all of the constant selector switches 13 to 18 may be ast to E, but not to E, or Ep.

The IEE reader is programmed from the initiating unit (see PX-9-302). The IEE reader controls and

plug-board are dsscribed on PX-11-305.

# Constant Transmitter Program Controla

There are 30 constant transmitter program controls, each capable of transmitting certain of the constants over the digit output terminal. Only one program control cen ba used at a time, hence only one numbar can be transmitted et a time.

Fach program control coneists of

1) Program pulss input terminal (when atimulated with program pulse causes program control to program transmission of number set on its constant selector switch)

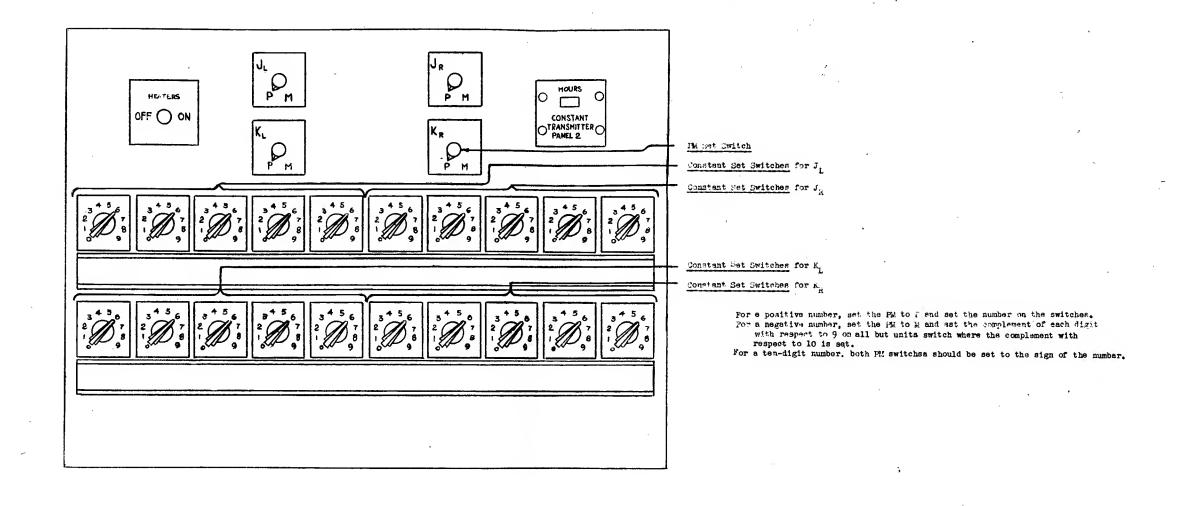
2) Constant selector switch

3) Frogram pulse output terminal (smits program pulse after constant has been transmitted, i.a., one addition time after the program pulse input tarminal has received a pulsa.

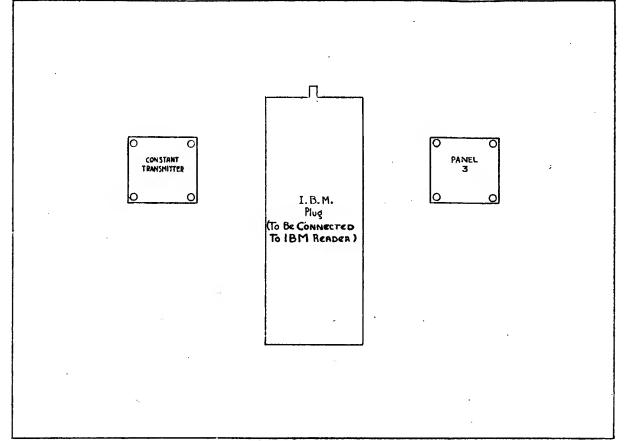
4) Associated transceiver (for mean bulbs see PX-11-306)

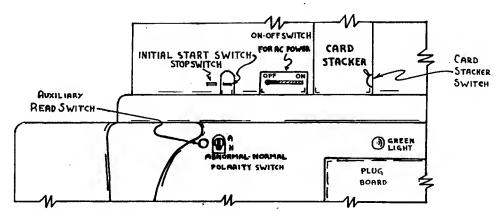
Program controls 1-24, which transmit constants read from the IEM cards, cannot be used during the operation of the card reader, except during the first 50 addition times of this operation. That is, after a pulsa is supplied to Ri on the initiating unit front panel (see PX-9-302), these controls may be used during the 50 subsequent addition times, but not thereafter until a pulsa is amitted from Ro.

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Note: Do not change polarity switch while motor-generator is on.

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#### The Polarity Switch

Located on the front of the IRM Reeder is a double pole doubla throw switch which changes the polarity on the holding coile of the relays which control the group selection and the resat control. By changing this switch one can either wire these circuits on the plug board in the mannar indicated there or in the reverse mannar. This gives the following types of control:

- (A) With the polarity switch in normal position.

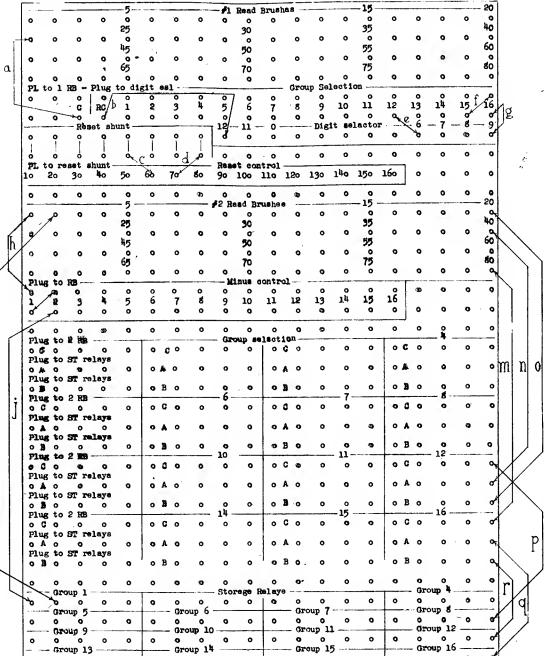
  The common terminal MCN is then wired to some hub of the #1 reading brushes and the group selection hubs are wired to hubs of the digit selector. Thus, all controlling is done by various punches in one column. The variety of things controlled is given by plugging to different digits (12, 11, 0,........) of the digit selector.
- (B) With the polarity switch in shormal position.

  In this case MCM is wired to some digit on the digit selector and the group selection hubs are wired to various columns. Here, all the control is obtained by a certain punch (for example, a 12 punch) with different things being controlled by plugging to different columns.

#### Plugging Illustrations

- (a) This shows the common hub "C" wired to column 21. The two hubs above and below C are connected so the wire could have gone to aither of them. Note that besides the wire (a) one could connect this upper hub for C to some other column, say 2, getting an "Nor" control. That is, if a cartain number (12, 11, 0,...,9) is punched in column 21 or column 2 then whatever hub under group selection was plugged to that number of the digit ealsctor eauses the corresponding group selection relays to operate.
- (b) This wire causes the reset control to operate whenever there is a 12 punch in column 21; that is, e oard with such a punch is called a master card.
- (c and d) These leads cause information in storage relay groups 6 and 7 to be held as long as cards come through without e 12 punch in column 21. Whanever a card with a 12 punch in column 21 (e master card) comes along tha information in groups 6 and 7 will be dropped and naw information will be put in from this master card. Immediately, the reader will go on to read the next card.
- (e) If a cerd has a 6 punched in column 21 this lead causes group selection relays for group 12 to be activated giving a circuit from C through B instead of A.
- (f and g) If a 9 is punched in column 21 groups 15 and 16 group selaction relays will be activated. Diagonel leeds such as (f) enable one to operate as many groups es desired from just one punch.
- (h, j, and K) This shows the plugging to handle tan digit negative numbers. The PM punch is in column 1 and, by the diagonal connection in the minus control, the PM relays for groups 1 and 2 are operated by this one punch. The first digit reaches the storage relays through (j). (k) illustrates the plugging for the rest of the digits.
- (n, o, and p) If there is e 6 punch in column 21 the digit from column 20 will go to the fifth digit of group 8. Otherwise, the digit from column 40 will go there.
- (m, q, and r) If there is a 9 punch in column 21 the digit in column 80 will be the fifth digit of group 12. Otherwise, it will be the fifth digit of group 16.

NOTE: If during the course of a computation tha IBM reeder should run out of cards the sterting relay (see FX-11-307) will be closed so the moment new cards are dropped in, the reeder will go through a cycla. To make sure that the reader does not fail to feed this first card the stop button should be held down until the cards are firmly in place.



#### #1 Read Brushes

The #1 Read Brushes reed the card before the #2 Read Brushes do. The #1 brushes are used for control purposss and the #2 brushes for reading the numbers and their PM's.

#### Group Selsctic

The hubs numbered from one to sixteen control the group selection relays whose terminels are located on the lower helf of the plug board. Thase are double hubs, thet is, the hub ebove and below the number era common. The single hub located to the left of these and labeled RC controls the reset control. The features of group selection and reset control are described below. For details sae the IBM reader wiring diagram PX-11-119,

#### Raset Control and Rasat Shunt

Certain groups of relays (depending upon plug board arrangements) may be caused to hold their information while a sequence of "detail" cards are read. This is accomplished by connecting the corresponding terminals under Reset Control to any of the Reset Shunt terminals. To change the information which is being held in these relays a "mester" card is inserted in the sequence of cards. A particular punch on this master card can cause the held information to drop out and as the mester card passes the #2 Resding Brushes new information can be stored in these relays until the next master card comes along. Whenever such a master card is reed the Resdar will immediately read the next detail card before it gives out a computing signel to the EMIAG.

WAPMING: The detail cards either must not contain information in the fields corresponding to the releys that are holding master card information or slss group selection must be used to prevent such information from disturbing the held releys.

#### Group Selection Relays

There are sixteen five pole double throw reley switches, called the group selection releys. The common terminals ere labeled "C" and normally the circuit is through the terminals labeled "A". When ectivated (picked up) the circuit is through "B", These circuits ere isolated (internally) from the other circuits of the reader so there are many other possible plugging arrangements other than those indicated on the plug board.

#### Minus Control

By mesns of cams in the Reader thase terminale connect to the PM relays of the Constent Transmitter only when the IBM card is in positions 11 and 12, that ie, when the PM punches would be under the #2 Read Brushes. The two hubs, above and below the group number, are common, Ususlly, the punch for minus indication will occur in the same column that digit punch appears. Thus, the same reading brush will indicata the PM of the number and later as the positions zero to nine pass under the brush indicate the digit punched. Other cams (called coding cams) anergize the numerical circuits only during the zero to nine part of the cycle enabling the digit punch in that column to cause the proper relays to be set up in the Constent Trensmitter. The coding cams consist of two groups, one group is used for positive numbers\_ and the other group causes complements (with respect to 10"-1) to be set up by storege relays. The PM relays determine which set of coding cams are used.

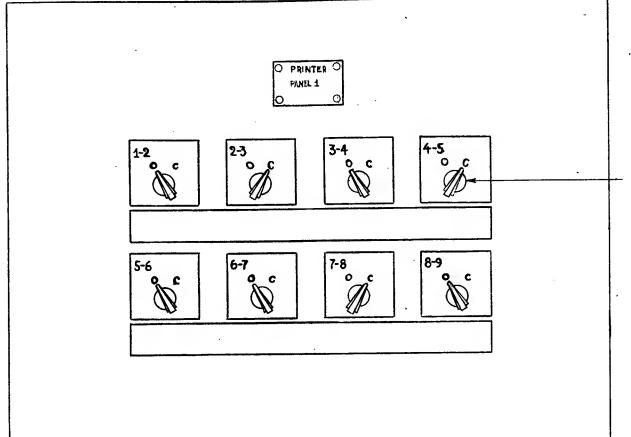
### Storage Relays

The storage relays are located in the Constant Transmitter There are assentially four relays associated with each digit. That is, four relays representing respectively 1, 2, 2, and 4 can, in various combinations, represent any digit from zaro to nine. These four relays are indirectly (through vacuum tube circuits) associated with tha 1, 2, 2, and 4 pulsas sent out by the cycling unit. That is, each relay opens a gata tube which through an inverter opens a accord gate tube. This second gata tube passes the 1, 2, 2, or 4 pulsas.

For positive numbers the hubs of the \$2 reeding brushas

For positive numbers the hubs of the \$2 reeding brushes can be wired directly to the hubs of the storage relays in any order whatsoever. Negative numbers must be headled in groups which are multiples of five. To indicate the negative number there will be an 11 or 12 punch in some column. The wire from the hub representing this column must go to the minus control hubs of all the storage relay groups used for this negative number. There must also be a connection to the hub corresponding to this digit in the storage relays. See the examples shown to the left.

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# Coupling switch

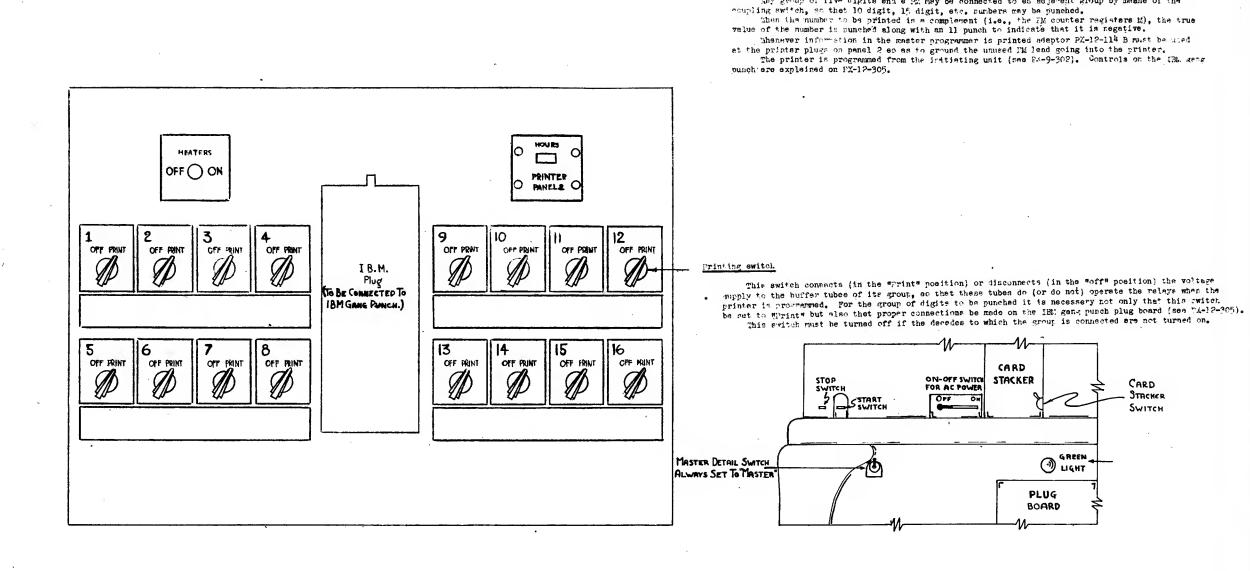
This switch couples two groups of digits together when it is set to the C position. It provides for the carryover when an ENIAC complement is converted to a true value.

The switches on this drawing and PX-12-303 are set for the arrangement shown in the table below.

Table Showing Original Set of Decades Connected to the Printer

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3	Accumulator 14, Decades 6-10					
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General Explanation of Printer

The printer operates from the static outpute of accumulator end master programmer decades. The cables connecting the decade static terminals to the printer Lie in a trough at the top of the front of the machine. A table, showing the original set of connections, appears on FX-12-301. Every accumulator decade and PM unit and every master programmer decade has a static output terminator.

The numbers to be printed are divided into sixteen groups of 5 digits and a PM, numbered from 1 to 16. The printing switches determine which groups are connected to the IBM gang purch. Brawing PX-12-305 shows the IBM gang punch plug board and gives instructions for connecting it up. Any group of five digits and a PX may be connected to an adjacent group by means of the

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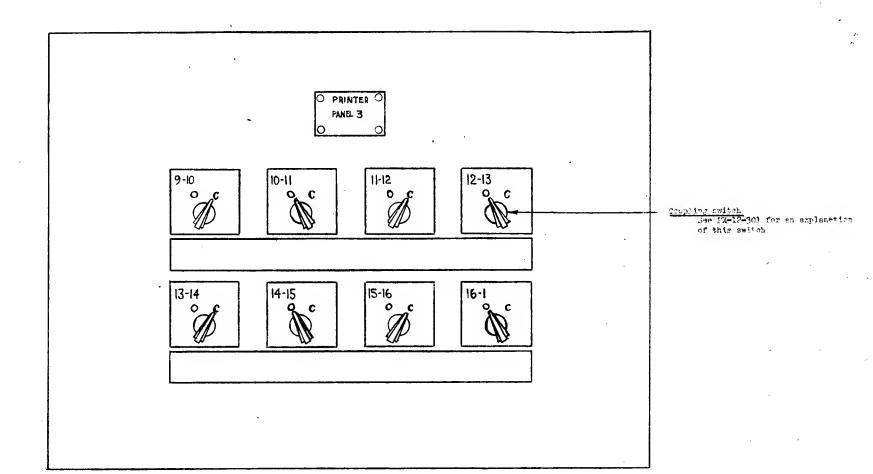
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#### PLUG BOARD FOR GANG PURCH

#### Computer Result Exit

These hubs connect directly to the digit rolays in the printer. To punch positive numbers they can be plugged to the punch magnet hubs in any desired arrangement. Thus, it is possible to place the digite coming from the group 1 relays in any five of the eighty columns on the IBM cond

# Minus Indication.

The sixteen hubs under minus indication go directly to the PM releys of the sixteen groups. The minus indication of any group could be punched in any of eighty columns on the card simply by connecting the corresponding minus indication hub with the particular column hub of the nunch magnets.

Usually, however, the minus indication will appear above some digit of the number on the card. To place the minus indication (en 11 punch) above the first digit of the number the minus indication of the corresponding group is plugged to one of the terminals labeled "A" under column splits. The hubs "B" and "C" directly under the A-hub used are to be plugged, respectively, to the digit hub (Computer Results Exit) above which the minus punch is desired and to the corresponding hub of the punch magnets.

The column splits is simply a sixteen pole double throw relay switch. This switch is controlled by a cam in the IBM punch which causas the MCM hubs to be connected to the respective "A" hubs during the 11 position of the card and to the "B" hubs during the 0,....,9 position of the card.

#### Emitter Outputs

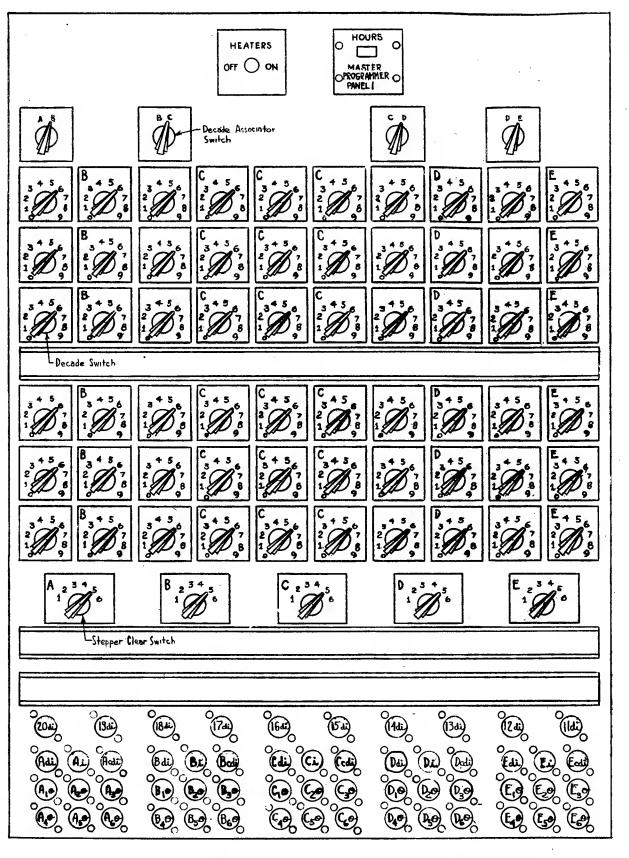
If one of these hubs is plugged to a punch magnet hub the corresponding number will be punched in that column of the card. The five rows of five common hubs to the right of the emitter outputs enable one to punch the same number in more than three columns. The connection labeled (e) on the diegram causes nines to be punched in the columns 77,....,50 on the cerd. Connections such as these cause the corresponding number to be punched in every card. This cen be used to give identifying numbers to the cards or to punch dates on the cards. Alphabatic punching cannot be done on this machine.

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### Plugging Illustrations

- (a) This illustrates the type of plugging in columns where no minus indication is desired.
- (b, c, snd d) Whan tha 11 position of the card is under the punches there is a connection through leads (c) and (d) from the punch magnet hub to the minus indication. If the group 1 PM relays were ectivated a signal will arrive at this time causing the 11 to be punched in column 1 on the card. If the 11 punch indicating a negative number were desired in column 2 leads (a) end (c) must be interchanged at the punch magnet hubs and leads (a) and (d) interchanged at the computer exit hubs. Then the first column of the computer exit comes directly to the first column punch and the second column leads go through the minus indication hubs and the column split.
- (e) These connections will cause nines to be punched in the lest four columns on the card.

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A1,.....,Ki Stepper program pulse input terminala
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# General Explanation of Steppers end Decadea

A stepper is a six stege ring counter. It has the following essociated with it:

1) Stapper program pulsa input terminel

2) Six stepper program pulse output terminals, one essociated with each atage of tha

3) A group of decedea(of from 0 to 5, dapanding upon the etepper and the settings of the decade essociator switches. The n (n=0,...,5) decedes of each group ere interconnected by a direct carry-over circuit (there is no deleyed carry-over circuit) enchling them to count (not accumulate) 10 - 1 pulses.

4) Stepper clear switch

Stapper direct input terminal

Stepper cleer direct input terminal

7) Eech decade has a direct input terminal

The operation of a stepper and its associated equipment is as follows: At the end of the initial clear each atappar is left on the 1st stage and each dacada ie cleared to O.

Suppose a program pulse is received on a stepper program pulsa input terminal. One addition time later a program pulse is emitted from the program pulse output tarminal corresponding to the stage the stapper is on at the time it is emitted and a program pulse is sent to the units decade of the group of associated dacades.

Whenever a group of decades counts to the number sat on those decade switches corre-

sponding to the position of the stepper, one addition time later these decadas are cleared to zero and the stepper is either stepped to the next position, or (if it is on the cosition set on its stepper clear switch) cleared to the first position. Though the decadas will count either program pulses or digit pulsas, any pulsa which might cause this claaring end stepping action must be a program pulse.

stepping action must be a program pulse.

The decedas count both the pulses supplied to the associated stepper's program pulsa input terminal (with s one addition time delay) and those supplied to the decede direct input terminals. No set-up is permissible which might lead to pulses being supplied to s decade from both sources simulteneously, or from a decede direct input terminal end a cerry-

over from a previous decade simultanaously.

An example illustrating a common application of e atapper in programming will show how items 1 through 4 operate togather. Consider stepper D, and suppose that decades 12 and 13 are essociated with it and that its stepper clear awitch is set to 4. Then four two-digit are essociated with it and that its stepper clear awitch is sat to 4. Then four two-digit numbers (n<sub>1</sub>.....n<sub>k</sub>) may be set up on the decade switches, each number associated with the corresponding atega (1.....k) of the stepper and hence with the corresponding program pulses output terminale (D<sub>1</sub>0,.....D<sub>k</sub>0). Whenever a program pulse is received on D<sub>1</sub> e pulse, is emitted from one of the output terminale (one addition time later). The first n<sub>1</sub> pulses received on D<sub>1</sub> are emitted from D<sub>2</sub>0..., the last n<sub>k</sub> pulses received on D<sub>1</sub> ere emitted from D<sub>k</sub>0, and the stapper end its easo-cieted decedes are then left in their original state, ready to rapeat the process. The time schedule of these corrections is as follows: schedule of these operations is as follows:

Program Pulaa	Operation
0	Input program pulse (to Di)
1	Output program pulse amittad (from Dio, Duo)
	Decede stepped to next atage
2	In case the decades registar the number set up on
_	the decade switches, ell decades (essociated with
	stepper Di are cleared to zero and the stapper (L
	is stepped to the next stage or (if it is on the
	position 4) it is cleared to the first stage,

To disessociate a deceda from its stepper pull out gate tune 63 in the atepper plug-in unit. See block diegram PX-6-304.

Stepper program pulse input tarminela Terminala Ai, Bi.....Ki Stapper program pulse output terminels associeted with Stage 1 Stage 2...... Stage 6

one eddition time efter e program pulse is supplied to en input tarminel (such ea Di) a program pulse is emitted from the output tarminal corresponding to the stege the stapper is on at the time it is emitted (thus if the stapper is at position 4, when the pulse is emitted it comes from Duo), and e unit is edded to the contents of the associated dacedea.

Stepper clear direct input tarminals.

A pulsa supplied to this terminel will clear the etepper to the first position. If a clearing pulse and a stapping pulse arrive at the same time, the stepper will be cleared, not

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Switches : HOURS HEATERS OFF ON To diseasociate a decade from its steoper pull out gate tube 63 in the stepper plug-in MASTER PROGRAMMER O unit - See Block Diagram PX-6-304. PANEL 2 Decade Associator Switches
Decedes provided with these switches may he connected to the decedes associated with either of two steppers. Thus if the J-K switch is set to K, decade 2 ie connected in series with decede 1, while if it ie set to J decede 2 ie made the unite decade associated with stepper J, end decede 3 (formerly the units decade essociated with that stepper) becomes the tene decade of thet etepper, i.e., is put in series with Decede switches associated with the 1st stages of the steppers. Decade switches associated with the 2nd stages of the stappers. Decede switches associeted with the 3rd stages of the steppere. Decade switches associated with the 4th stages of the steppers, Decede switches eseccieted with the 5th steges of the steppers. Decede switches essociated with the 6th stages of the stappers. Stepper cleer switch Terminele Adi..... Kdi - Stepper direct input terminels.

Pulees supplied to one of these terminals will be counted by the stepper. These pulses may be either (E)

TERMINALS 1di, 2di, ...., 20di - Decede direct input terminale essociated respectively with decedes 1, 2,...,20. (counted from right to left)

Pulses supplied to these terminals will be counted by the decades. These pulses may be either program or digit pulses, though any pulse which steps the decedes to the number set up on the decede ewitches corresponding to position of the stepper must be a program pulse, and any pulse which causes a cerry-over must be a program pulse.

No program pulse should be supplied to the decede direct input of the units decede of a stepper one addition

following the reception of e program pulse on the program pulse input terminal of that etepper.

Pulsee can be fed into the direct input terminals of decedes other than the units decede only et times when there are no carry-over pulses from previous decades of the set.

This switch determines the number of steges of the stepper and essociated decade switches which ere used. After the etepper gets to the etage set on its clear ewitch and counts to the number set on the corresponding decede switches it clears to its first position instead of stepping to the next position.

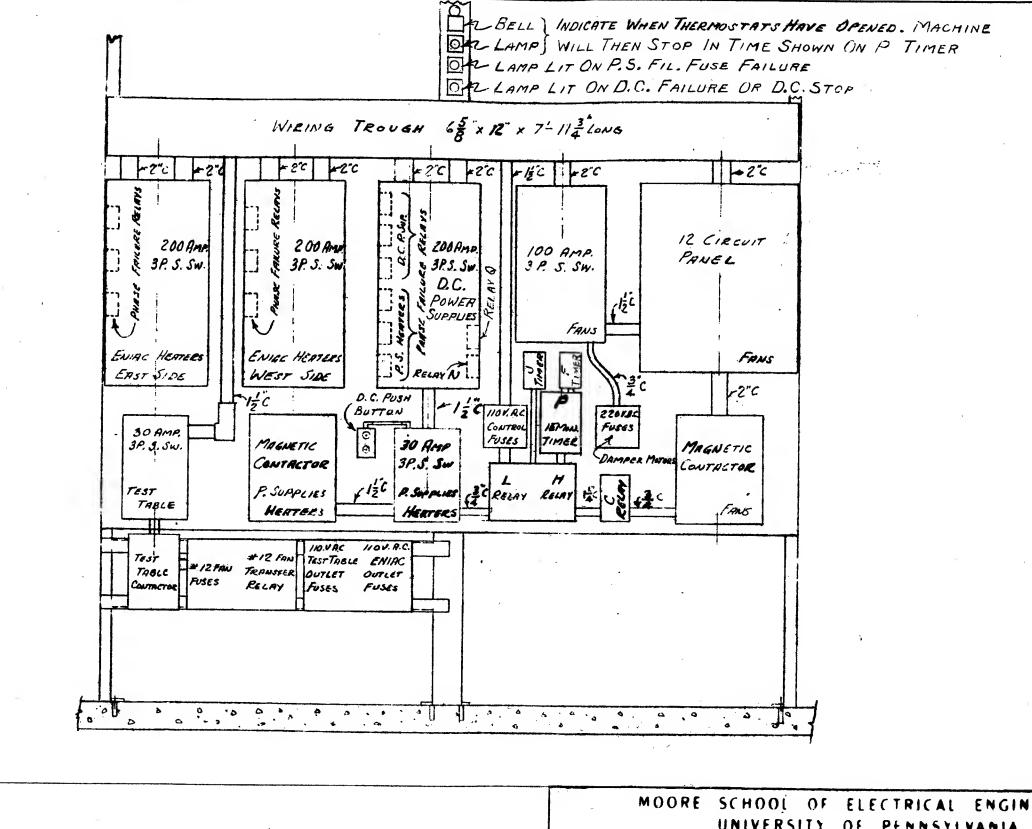
program pulses or digit pulses. If digit pulses ere used the stepper cleer switch must be set to 6.

The stepper will count modulo c, where o is the setting of the stepper clear switch.

A program pulse is emitted from one of the stepper program pulse output terminels one addition time after a program pulse is received on the stepper program pulse input terminal. This pulse is emitted from the terminal corresponding to the etete of the stepper et the time it is emitted. The stepper may be stepped or cleared at the same time without effecting that pulse.

No pulse should be supplied to this terminal at the same time as a stepping action is caused by the

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