

**OVER-THE-HORIZON RADIO SYSTEMS**  
**ITTL 2GC OVER-THE-HORIZON RADIO SYSTEM**  
**NUS 4492-1 ORDER-WIRE AND PILOT TONE EQUIPMENT**  
**TEST AND ADJUSTMENT**

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**APPARATUS:**

- 1—48A Sending Console
- 1—Hewlett-Packard 5245L Electronic Counter
- 1—21A Transmission Measuring Set
- 1—37B Transmission Measuring Set
- 1—KS-14510 Volt-Ohm-Milliammeter
- 1—11B Attenuator
- 1—5A Attenuator
- 1—368A Termination
- 1—3P7D Cord
- 1—3P17B Cord

**CHART I**

**ORDER-WIRE LEVEL ADJUSTMENTS**

These tests can be performed with no effect on system performance other than the temporary disabling of the order-wire and 4-kHz pilot tones in both directions. Arrangements must be made with the distant terminal to accommodate this condition.

## CHART 1 (Cont)

The order-wire should be in a quiet condition when these tests are made. If noise is received from the order-wire extension circuits, those circuits should be terminated at the W REC and SPUR REC jacks on the order-wire panel.

STEP	PROCEDURE
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- 1 On the sending console Decalator, make the following control adjustments:

CONTROL	POSITION
POWER	REAR
KC	001.0
75 OHM TERMINATION	OUT

- 2 On the 21A transmission measuring set (TMS), operate the OC OUTPUT control to the OFF position.

- 3 Arrange the test equipment as shown in Fig. 1. Use option  $\text{\textcircled{V}}$ .

- 4 Adjust the KS-13388 attenuator to 1 dB.

- 5 Adjust the Decalator OUTPUT COARSE and FINE controls to obtain a Decalator output meter indication of 10 dBm.

- 6 Using the 21A TMS, measure the level at the order-wire panel REC HDST jack.

**Requirement:** The 21A TMS indication should be  $-2 \text{ dBm} \pm 0.5 \text{ dB}$ .

If the requirement is not met, adjust the RECEIVE LEVEL control on the order-wire panel to obtain a TMS indication of  $-2 \text{ dBm}$ .

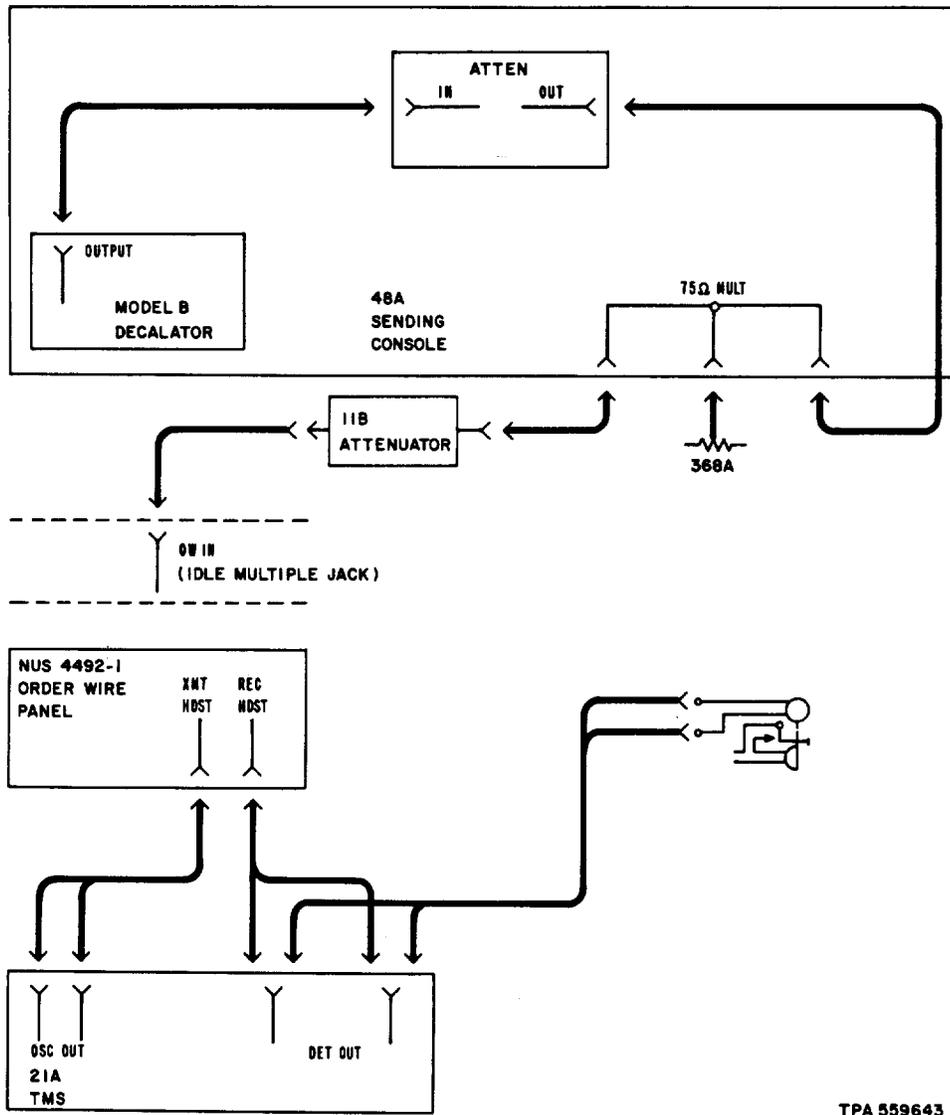
**Note:** Operation of the 21A TMS is described in Section 103-221-100.

- 7 On the 21A TMS, operate the OSC OUTPUT, FREQ, and FREQ MULT controls to transmit 1 kHz at a level of 0 dBm into the order-wire panel XMT HDST jack.

- 8 On the order-wire panel, using a 3P7D cord, patch from the E SEND jack to the REC 4W jack.

**Requirement:** The 21A TMS indication should be  $-2 \text{ dBm} \pm 0.5 \text{ dB}$ .

If the requirement is not met, adjust the RECEIVE LEVEL control on the order-wire panel to obtain a TMS indication of  $-2 \text{ dBm}$ .



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Fig. 1—Order-Wire Level Tests—Test Setup Diagram

CHART 1 (Cont)	
STEP	PROCEDURE
9	On the 21A TMS, operate the OSC OUTPUT control to the OFF position.
10	Depress the signaling button on the telephone handset and note the level on the 21A TMS meter.  <b>Requirement:</b> The 21A TMS indication should be $-2 \text{ dBm} \pm 0.5 \text{ dB}$ .

## CHART 1 (Cont)

STEP	PROCEDURE
	<p>If the requirement is not met, adjust the OUTPUT ADJ control on the 1500-Hz tone generator (part of the NUS 4417 tone generator unit on the order-wire panel) to obtain a TMS indication of <math>-2</math> dBm.</p>
11	<p>Remove the receiver unit from the order-wire telephone handset and connect the DET IN jacks of the 21A TMS to the handset receiver contact springs as shown in Fig. 1, option ②.</p>
12	<p>Depress the handset signaling button and note the level on the 21A TMS meter.</p> <p><b>Requirement:</b> The 21A TMS indication should be <math>-15</math> dBm <math>\pm 1</math> dB.</p>
13	<p>If the requirement if not met, adjust the HDST LEVEL ADJ control on the order-wire panel to obtain a TMS meter indication of <math>-15</math> dBm.</p> <p>Reassemble the telephone handset. Dismantle the test arrangement.</p>

## CHART 2

## PILOT TONE AND PILOT TONE ALARM ADJUSTMENTS

These tests can be performed with no effect on system performance other than the temporary disabling of the order-wire and 4-kHz pilot tones in both directions. Arrangements must be made with the distant terminal to accommodate this condition.

STEP	PROCEDURE														
1	<p>On the electronic counter, set the following controls to the indicated positions.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="294 1427 1252 1889"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="294 1427 723 1485">CONTROL</th> <th data-bbox="723 1427 1252 1485">POSITION</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="294 1485 723 1570">SAMPLE RATE</td> <td data-bbox="723 1485 1252 1570">MIDRANGE</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="294 1570 723 1634">SIGNAL INPUT</td> <td data-bbox="723 1570 1252 1634">AC</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="294 1634 723 1698">SENSITIVITY</td> <td data-bbox="723 1634 1252 1698">1 VOLT</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="294 1698 723 1761">STORAGE</td> <td data-bbox="723 1698 1252 1761">STORAGE</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="294 1761 723 1825">FUNCTION</td> <td data-bbox="723 1761 1252 1825">FREQUENCY</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="294 1825 723 1889">TIME BASE</td> <td data-bbox="723 1825 1252 1889">10 s</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	CONTROL	POSITION	SAMPLE RATE	MIDRANGE	SIGNAL INPUT	AC	SENSITIVITY	1 VOLT	STORAGE	STORAGE	FUNCTION	FREQUENCY	TIME BASE	10 s
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CHART 2 (Cont)

STEP	PROCEDURE
2	<p>Connect the input jack of the electronic counter to the 4KC pin jacks located on the front of the order-wire panel.</p> <p><b>Requirement:</b> The electronic counter indication should be 4000 Hz <math>\pm</math>2 Hz.</p> <p>If the requirement is not met, remove the NUS 4417 tone generator unit from the order-wire panel and adjust capacitor C1 to obtain an indication of 4000 Hz <math>\pm</math>2 Hz when the tone generator unit is reinserted. Several trials may be necessary.</p>
3	<p>Move the counter test leads to the 1500 ~ pin jacks located on the front of the order-wire panel.</p>
4	<p>Depress the telephone handset signaling button.</p> <p><b>Requirement:</b> The electronic counter indication should be 1500 Hz <math>\pm</math>5 Hz.</p> <p>If the requirement is not met, remove the NUS 4417 tone generator unit from the order-wire panel and adjust capacitor C9 to obtain an indication of 1500 Hz <math>\pm</math>5 Hz when the tone generator unit is reinserted and the signaling button depressed. Several trials may be necessary.</p>
5	<p>Using the calibrated 37B TMS with the 11B attenuator, measure the level of the 4-kHz pilot tone at an idle multiple OW OUT jack on the order-wire jack panel.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> This measurement involves the use of the 37B transmission measuring set at a frequency outside its normal range. The transmission measuring set should be calibrated at a frequency of 4 kHz using the 48A sending console as a calibrated-signal source. The external calibration procedure described in Section 103-414-100 should be followed.</p> <p><b>Requirement:</b> The level of the 4-kHz pilot tone should be -35 dBm <math>\pm</math>0.5 dB.</p> <p>If the requirement is not met, adjust the 4-kHz OUTPUT ADJUST control on the NUS 4417 tone generator to obtain a 37B TMS indication of -35.0 dBm.</p>
6	<p>On each of the radio system modulator-exciter, operate the metering switch to position R and check that the meter indication is 100 <math>\pm</math>2.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> This is a measure of each modulator-exciter deviation developed by the 4-kHz pilot tone.</p>
7	<p>On one of the two NUS 4419 4-kHz pilot tone receivers connected to the modulator-exciter pilot tone monitor circuits, adjust the SENSITIVITY ADJUST control counterclockwise to a point where a pilot tone failure alarm on the external alarm circuits is activated.</p>
8	<p>Adjust the same SENSITIVITY ADJUST control clockwise, slowly, to a point where the alarm condition clears.</p>
9	<p>Perform Steps 7 and 8 on the second 4-kHz pilot tone receiver connected to the modulator-exciter pilot tone monitor circuits.</p>

## CHART 2 (Cont)

STEP	PROCEDURE
10	Insert the 3P17B cords in the INPUT and OUTPUT jacks of the 5A attenuator. Insert the free ends of the cords into the E SEND and REC 4W jacks on the order-wire panel.
11	On the NUS 4419 4-kHz pilot tone receiver connected to the system receiver line, adjust the SENSITIVITY ADJUST control to a point where the external pilot tone failure alarm is activated and deactivated when the 10-dB control on the 5A attenuator is alternately placed in and out of the circuit.
11	Dismantle the test setup.

## CHART 3

## VOLTAGE CHECK

A voltage check is useful as a trouble locating procedure on the NUS 4492-1 order-wire and pilot tone equipment.

STEP	PROCEDURE
1	Energize the order-wire panel components. Use power-type extension cords.
2	Use voltmeter to check transistor terminals. See Table A.

**TABLE A**  
**TRANSISTOR TERMINAL VOLTAGES**

COMPONENT	TRANSISTOR TERMINAL					
	Q1 BASE	Q1 EMIT	Q1 COLL	Q2 BASE	Q2 EMIT	Q2 COLL
	VOLTAGE TO GROUND					
NUS 4416 Audio Amplifier	-24.0	-24.5	-46	-24.0	-24.5	-46
NUS 4417 Tone Generators (See Note 1)	-20.0	-20.0	-36	-20.0	-20.0	-48
NUS 4418 1500-Hz Receiver	-11.5	-12.0	-20.5	-32.0	-32.0	-48
NUS 4419 4-kHz Receiver	-12.5	-12.5	-21.0	-33.5	-33.5	-48

**Note 1:** On the NUS 4417 tone generators unit, the dc voltages at Q3 and Q4 terminals are identical to those at Q1 and Q2, respectively.