MODEL 432A

RC OSCILLATOR

OPERATION MANUAL

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## SPECIFICATION of MODEL 432A

Power supply 100V 50/60 c/s approx. 85 VA

Dimensions (max.) 430 (435) W x 167 (180) H x 350 (390) D mm

Weight 15 Kg

Oscillation frequency 6 ranges 10~100c/s 100c/s~1KC 1~10KC 10~100KC 100KC~1MC 1~10MC

Frequency accuracy  $\pm (2\% + 1c/s)$ 

Frequency stability  $\pm$  0.1% to  $\pm$  10% fluctuation of the power supply voltage

Output voltage  $75\Omega$  unbalance 5Vp-p  $10\text{c/s} \sim 10\text{MC}$   $\pm 1\text{dB}$   $600\Omega$  balance 5VRMS  $20\text{c/s} \sim 20\text{KC}$   $\pm 1\text{dB}$ 

Distortion factor 3% at 5Vp-p 75 $\Omega$  terminal 10c/s ~ 10MC 1% " " 20c/s ~ 20KC 1% at 5VRMS 600 $\Omega$  terminal 20c/s ~ 20KC

Output voltage stability (100KC)  $\pm$  0.1dB to  $\pm$  10% fluctuation of the power supply voltage

Meter Scale 0 ~ 5Vp-p, 0 ~ 5VRMS, -10 ~ + 16dBm

Accuracy 5% of the full scale (at 1 KC)

Output attenuator -10dB x 6 Accuracy: ±0.2dB between steps ±0.5dB aggregate

Accessories Type 924-75 terminal 1
Type 921-600 shunt resistor 1
Type 941B terminal adapter 1
Instruction manual & Test data 1 each

## EXPLANATION of PANEL FURNISHINGS

This is a switch for selecting a frequency range out of six ranges such as X10, X100, X1K, X10K, X100K and XlM.

This is a knob for continuously varying the frequency, which is increased when this knob is rotated clockwise. The values on this dial scale multiplied by the numerical figures pointed by the abovementioned RANGE knob indicate the oscillation frequencies.

LEVEL

This is a knob for continuously varying the output voltage, which is increased when this knob is rotated clockwise.

POWER

This is a switch for turning the power on and off.

ON OFF

ATTENUATOR

This is an attenuator of -10dB step (=1/ $\sqrt{10}$ ) and attenuates the output voltage up to 60dB maximum. Accordingly, the output terminal voltage becomes that of the indication value of the output voltmeter multiplied by this attenuation quantity. But, when the output terminals are respectively terminated at  $75\Omega$  and  $600\Omega$ correctly, the correct attenuation quantities are given thereto.

OUTPUT

This is a switch for selecting an output terminal, either the  $75\Omega$  or  $600\Omega$  terminal. The frequency range 600Ω 75Ω the  $600\Omega$  terminal is applicable to is 20 c/s ~ 20 KC.

OUTPUT

6000

This is the  $600\Omega$  output terminal, and the output comes out thereto when the abovementioned OUTPUT selector switch is turned to  $600\Omega$ . The indication of the output voltmeter shows the output voltage value (RMS and dBm) of the time when the abovementioned ATTENUATOR is set to OdB.

OUTPUT

75a

This is the  $75\Omega$  output terminal, and the output comes out thereto when the abovementioned OUTPUT selector switch is turned to  $75\Omega$ . The indication of the output voltmeter shows the output voltage value (p-p) of the time when the abovementioned ATTENUATOR is set to OdB.

## PRECAUTIONS for OPERATION

- 1. When the inside is checked for repairing, adjusting, etc., the top and bottom mesh panel shall be taken off. The front edges of the mesh panels are inserted inside the bent parts of the front panel, and the mesh panels shall be taken off by drawing them backwards after taking off the screws provided thereabout.
- 2. If the oscillation frequency is remarkably lost in comparison with the dial scale, the bridge circuit in the oscillator circuit shall be readjusted. When error is large at the point of 1 on the dial scale in a specific range, the resistance of the bridge circuit shall be checked. If the error is found only in the high frequencies of each range, the trimmer condenser shall be readjusted.

The trimmer for the three ranges of loc/s~100c/s, loo~lkc/s and lkc/s~lokc/s is common. When the oscillation frequency is lost evenly in every range, the internal variable condenser and dial mechanism coupling shall be loosened and readjusted.

3. The output voltmeter of this instrument is connected to the input side of the output attenuator, and the indication value shows tha value of the time when the 75Ω and 600Ω terminal on the panel are respectively terminated at 75Ω and 600Ω correctly. If a remarkable error is produced in the indication value, the voltmeter sensitivity adjusting semi-fixed resistor shall be readjusted. The sensitivity of the output voltmeter of this instrument is somewhat lowered at or near to the upper-limit and under-limit frequency of this instrument. (approx. 3% at loc/s and loMc/s)

4. Be particularly careful not to touch the internal heat sink of this instrument, since it is provided with DC 200V.