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KIT 378

Receiver Attenuator Assembly

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1-1 FUNCTIONAL DESCRIPTION

The Technical Materiel Corporation KIT 378 is designed for use with a receiver system that requires fixed antenna attenuation from 0db to 40db. The Antenna Attenuator, KIT 378 provides fixed antenna attenuation in 10db steps, (0db, 10db, 20db, 30db and 40db). Attenuator selection is accomplished with a single front panel mounted selector switch.

In addition to Attenuator selector switch, the KIT 378 provides remote "in" and "out" of a pre-selected attenuator, together with a set of contacts for READBACK of the attenuator "IN" "OUT" state.

Functionally the Antenna input signal is routed through a set of normally closed relay contacts and re-routed to the attenuator selector switch wiper. When either one of four attenuator positions are selected, the antenna signal is routed through the switch contact, through a second set of normally closed relay contacts and re-routed to antenna OUTPUT jack.

When it is desired that attenuation is not required at a certain time of reception, the application of -12VDC at terminal (2) and ground at terminal(1) will energize the "IN" "OUT" relay which in effect by passes the attenuator selector switch removing all attenuation.

Terminals (3) and (4) are provided for readback "IN" and "OUT" status of KIT 378.

Readback is as follows:

Readback Attenuation "IN" Terminals (3) & (4) open

Readback Attenuation "OUT" Terminals (3) & (4) closed

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1-2 PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION (Refer to Figure 2)

The KIT 378 is packaged as a single assembly which is 5-3/4" high x 3" wide x 2" deep. Antenna attenuator switch is mounted on the engraved front panel. Each switch position is clearly marked for each quantity of attenuation desired. Terminal strip marked 1 thru 6 is also front panel mounted to simplify interconnection of control lines. Antenna INPUT jack (BNC type) is located on the top of the assembly an antenna OUTPUT jack is located on the bottom.

INSTALLATION

2-1 GENERAL

KIT 378 is normally mounted and wired to the equipment in the rack prior to shipping, however when KITS are to be installed on existing equipment the following installtion procedure should be followed:

2-2 INSTALLATION PROCEDURE (for existing equipment)

- A. Refer to Figure 2 for mounting holes drilling information.

 (four mounting holes will be required) bear in mind that, KIT 378 should be mounted in existing receiver rack in a location that will provide easy access to antenna attenuator switch and control line interconnections.
- B. After KIT 378 assembly is mounted securely to existing equipment make the following control line connections as indicated below.

KIT 378 Terminal strip

1	2	3	4	5	6	
ground	-12vdc	read	back	spare	spare	

Connect existing antenna to INPUT jack (BNC)

Connect existing receiver to OUTPUT jack (BNC)

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NOTE

Terminals (1) & (2) are for attenuator "IN" or "OUT", provide a suitable device (switch, latching pushbutton, etc) for terminal (1) and/or terminal (2) for the attenuator switch IN or OUT function.

2-3 INSTALLATION PROCEDURE FOR COR-4B SYSTEM ONLY

KIT 378

- 1- Refer to Figure 2 for mounting hole drilling location.
- 2- Remove receiver equipment as necessary to allow space for drilling mounting holes and installation of KIT 378 assembly.
- 3- Drill mounting holes on the right wall (as viewed from the rear of equipment rack) and mount KIT 378 assembly utilizing mounting holes and hardware provided.
 - 4- Make the following interconnections as indicated below:

		
Terminal 1	connect to	Terminal 6
2	connect to	Terminal 8
3	connect to	Terminal 9
4	connect to	Terminal 10
5	spare (no con	nections)
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INPUT jack		temporarily remove cable connected
		to HFD'S OUTPUT jack(s). Connect OUTPUT
		to into a control factor (b). common control
		(on KIT 378) to HFD OUTPUT jack.
OUTPUT jack		Connect cable that was temporarily
		removed to Attenuator OUTPUT jack.

Interface Panel TB101

- 5- Provide a suitable device that will apply a ground connection to Interface Panel T101 terminal (8).
- 6- Connect Readback device between terminals (9) & (10) on Interface
 Panel TB106.

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OPERATION OF KIT 378 INSTALLED IN COR-4B

3-1 OPERATE KIT 378 AS INDICATED BELOW:

OPERATION

NORMAL INDICATIONS

- 1. Rotate Attenuator switch to desired position.
- knob indicates desired position.
- 2. Attenuator OUT: complete ground connection to terminal (8) of TB101.

Attenuation OUT and contact closure provided at TB101 between terminals (9) & (10) for readback.

3. Attenuator IN: remove ground connection of TB101 terminal (8).

Readback terminals TB101 (9) & (10)

provide open circuit.

LIST OF MATERIAL SUPPLIED

When parts replacement are required refer to list below

TMC P/N	Description	Quantity
CC100-43	Capacitor, Fixed, Ceramic	4
CK1908	Schematic, Antenna Attenuator	ĺ
LD2486	Marking Chassis	
MP123-4UB	Knob	_ 1
MS154-1	Straddle Plate	2
MS6249	Chassis	_ 1
PX337-6	Insulator	ī
RC07GF100J	Ressitor, Fixed, Comp	1
RC07GF270J	Resistor, Fixed, Comp	2
RC07GF390J	Resistor, Fixed, Comp	3
RC07GF470J	Resistor, Fixed, Comp	4
RC07GF3R3J	Resistor, Fixed, Comp	1
RC07GF1R0J	Resistor, Fixed, Comp	1
RL156-2	Relay	1
SW265	Switch, Rotary	1
TS171-3	Socket, Relay	1
TM100-6	Terminal Strip	1
UG625	Connector, RF	2

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TMC P/N	Description	Quantity
SCPB0632BN5	Screw, Machine	4
NTH0632BN8	Nut	4
LWE06MRN	Lockwasher	4
PL244-1	Connector, Plug	2

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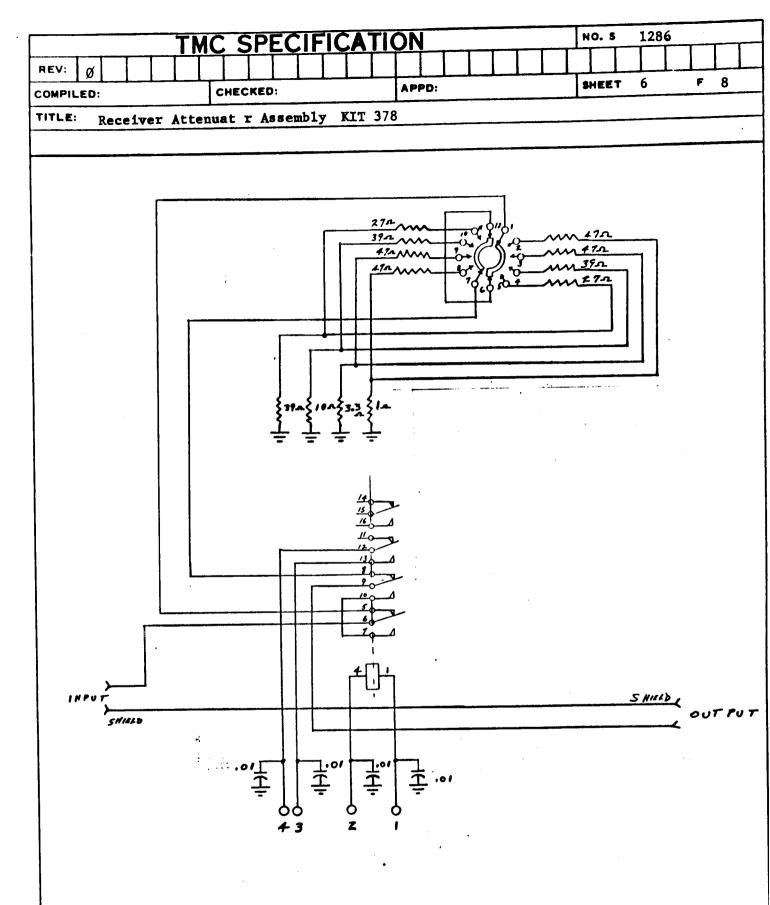


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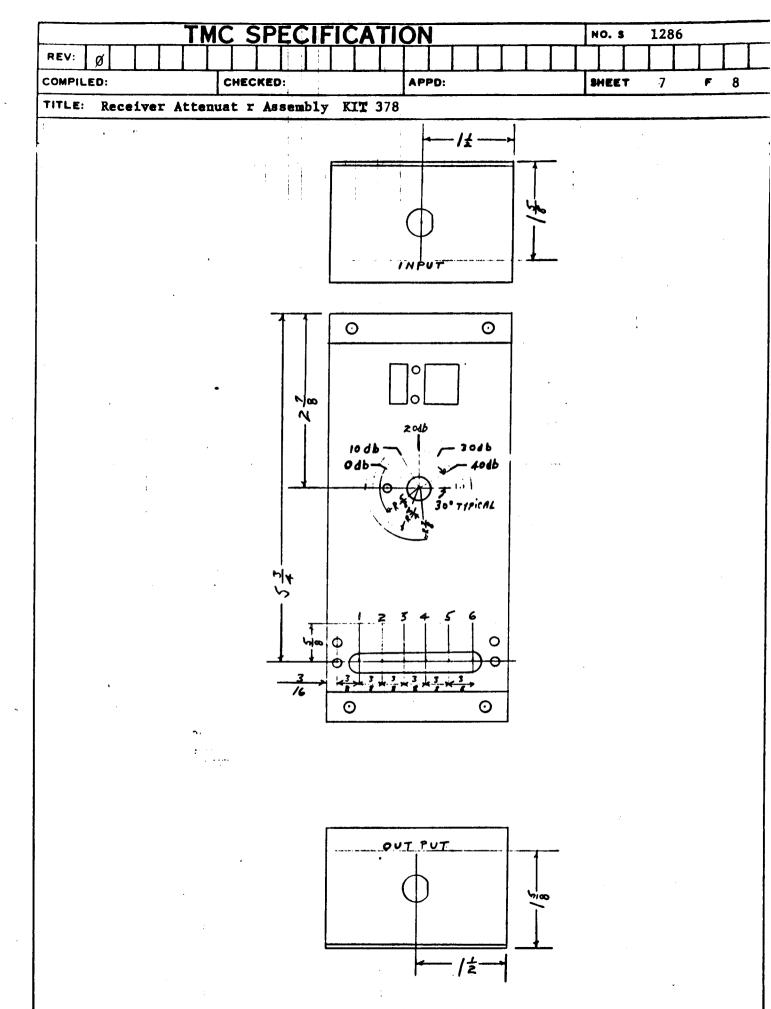
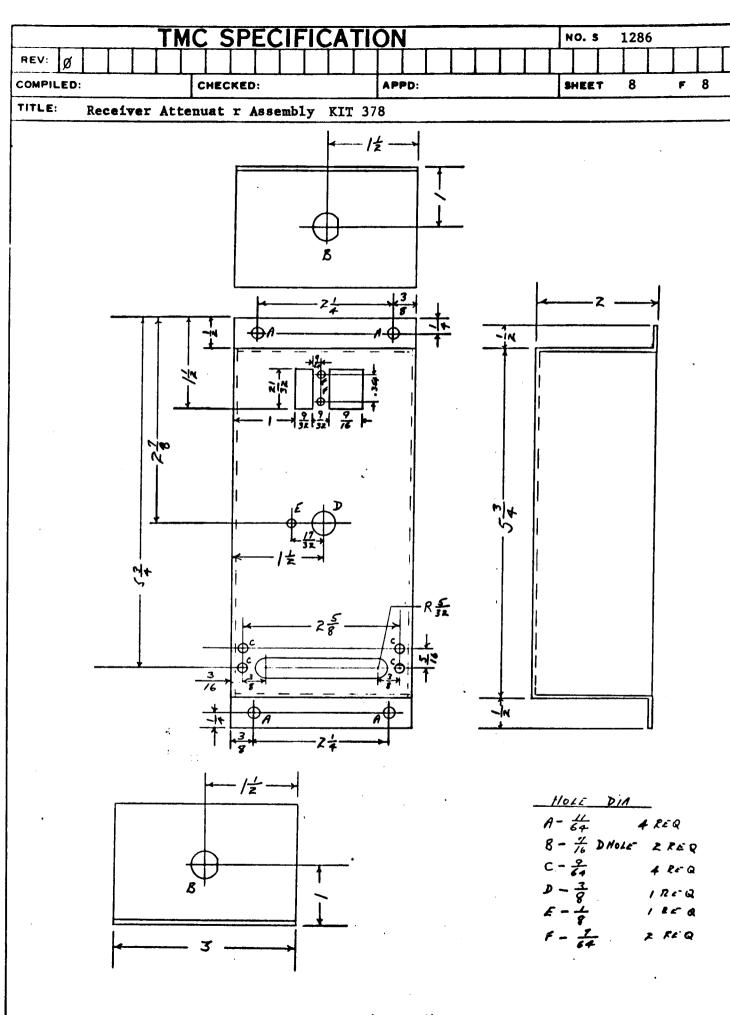


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