



service manual

SYNTEX

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SYNTEX

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The Syntex is a musical instrument made up from an analogic part (VCF and VCA -POWER SUPPLY and ADSR) and from a digital part. SMALL KEYBOARD WITH MEMORY - CODE CONVERTOR - CONTROL BOARD AND OSC. 1 AND OSC. 2. -

For the functioning of the SYNTEX other than inserting some footages, the filter must also be opened (VCF) and the amplifier driven (VCA)

The commands to VCF and to VCA can be given in two ways:-

- 1) STATIC with the sending of continuous tension
- 2) DYNAMIC with the sending of a pulsating tension denominated ADSR.

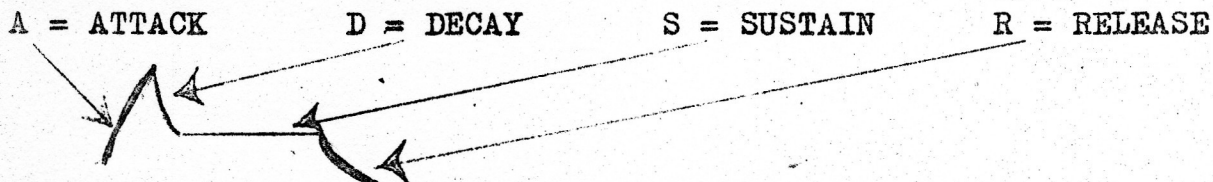
The static command to VCF is done through the POT-FR, which, when in the position OFF sends to the filter - 12V. until it arrives at the position ON (all at high) with + 12V.

The static command to VCA is given through the push-button INITIAL VOLUME, which then sends +5V. to VCA.

With the VCF open and with the INITIAL VOLUME inserted the SYNTEX will always play and the intensity of sound can be regulated by the VOLUME potentiometer.

The dynamic command to VCF is given through the POT. AMOUNT ADSR. VCF, which regulates the level of pulsating tension to VCF.

The dynamic command to VCA is given through the POT. AMOUNT ADSR -VCA. With these commands, the SYNTEX is able to simulate all of the instruments, since the dynamic command ADSR (which is made up of 4 wave lengths, namely:-



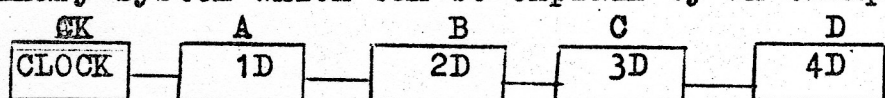
allows us to have an ATTACK, a DECAY and a SUSTAIN which regulates the level of sound, and a RELEASE for continuing a note for a certain length of time after the key has been released.)

DIGITAL PART OF THE SYNTAX

To be able to understand this part, the concept of the binary system must be introduced, the code and the function of the 4 basiliary gates of the binary logic AND - NAND - OR and NOR.

BINARY SYSTEM OR ALGEBRA OF BOOL AND DEFINITION OF THE CODE

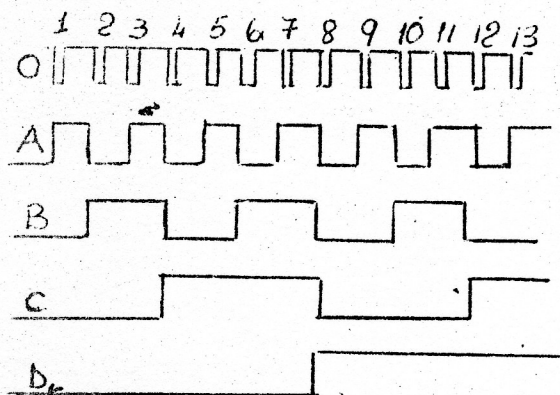
In the binary system $1 + 0 = 1$.
exists a relationship between the arab numbers and the binary system which can be explain by an example:-



The outputs of A of B of C and of D are called BIT
The togetherness of 30 plus BIT forma code.

The clock is an oscillator, the impulses of which, in time can be defined as a simple and pure counting in arab numbers:
0 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7-----

Now we shall take a look at the 4 dividers in fall placed following the clock 1d - 2d - 3d - 4d, which, let us suppose, have a reset (initial take-off all from zero) and which state with the negative fronts to which can be constructed the Fig.A the consequence of which can be seen from the table herebelow:



$2^3=8$	$2^2=4$	$2^1=2$	$2^0=1$	
D	C	B	A	CK
0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	1
0	0	1	0	2
0	0	1	1	3
0	1	0	0	4
0	1	0	1	5
0	1	1	0	6
0	1	1	1	7
1	0	0	0	8
1	0	0	1	9
1	0	1	0	10
1	0	1	1	11
1	1	0	0	12
1	1	0	1	13
1	1	1	0	14
1	1	1	1	15
0	0	0	0	16

FIG. A.

The information which gives the 4 dividers in time, are in close relation with the arab number of the CLOCK. This can be deducted from FIG. A where you can also see how every divider changes its state with the negative fronts. In the table beside FIG. A you can see how the BIT when put in fall, has the functions of 2, elevated from take-off until arrival 2^n if y are the bit.

To write a number in binary code, the state of the Bit must be taken into consideration; example:-

a) a_1 number of clock corresponds to state 1 only in bit $2^0=1$.

b) a_2 number of clock corresponds to state 1 only in bit $2^1=2$

c) a_3 number of clock corresponds to state 1 only in bit $2^0=1$ and $2^1=2$ the sum of which is equal to 3

At number 4 of clock the state 1 corresponds in the bit $2^2=4$. At number 5 of clock the state 1 in the bit $2^0=1$ and $2^2=4$, the sum of which is equal to 5.

After all, to write a code in relation to the number of CLOCK, it is sufficient to do the sum of the interested BIT to make the construction of number, and put the state 1 in those Bit and the state 0 in the others.

Example: 6 in a code of 5 BIT and given the state 1 of the BIT 4 and 2 therefore:-

16 8 4 2 1
0 0 1 1 0 = 6

7 is given by state 1 of BIT 4 - 2 and 1 therefore:

16 8 4 2 1
0 0 1 1 1 = 7

8 is given by state 1 of BIT 8 therefore:

16 8 4 2 1
0 1 0 0 0 = 8

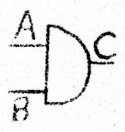
GATE INTEGRATED CIRCUITS

The integrated circuits TTL are supplied by $4,75 \div 5, 25$ V.

The logic state 0 is included from 0 to 0, 80; the logic state 1 is included between 2,2 and 4,50 the level between 0,8V and 2,2V is not a logic state, and can therefore be considered as an error.

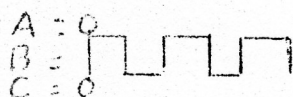
AND

The GATE AND makes the product of 2 functions and is supplied as follows



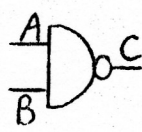
A	B	C
0	0	0
1	0	0
0	1	0
1	1	1

As can be seen from the table of truth the 0 in an input A or B block the Output C to 0



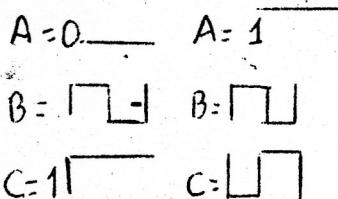
NAND

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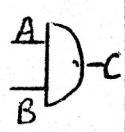
A	B	C
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1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	0

As can be seen from the table of truth the 0 in an input A or B block the Output C to 1



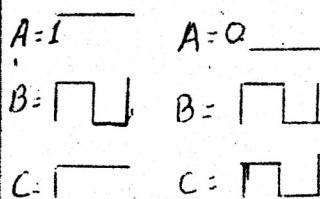
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The GATE OR does the sum of 2 functions and is screened as follows



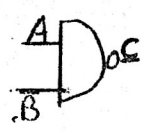
A	B	C
0	0	0
1	0	1
0	1	1
1	1	1

As can be seen from the table of truth the state 1 in an input A or B block the output C to 1



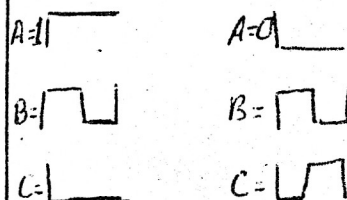
NOR

The Gate NOR does the negative sum of 2 functions and is screened as follows



A	B	C
0	0	1
1	0	0
0	1	0
1	1	0

As can be seen from the table of truth the state 1 in an input A or B block the output C to 0



FORMATION OF THE NOTES IN THE SYNTAX

When a key is depressed a command is sent to the board SMALL KEYBOARD with MEMORY MOD. 216, which at its turn, sends out a code of 6 BIT in the old version and at 12 BIT in the new version. This code is then sent into the CODE CONVERTER board (Mod. 284 for the new version) and Mod. 226 and Mod. 217 (in the old version). The first circuit board Mod. 226 receives 4 BIT - ABCD of the 6BIT of TAST with M and sends out 10 BIT which should be controlled, at any time there is an error of note, only for the highest octave as this is repeated afterwards. The second circuit board Mod. 217, the E and F BIT from T with M + 10 BIT of circuit board MOD. 226. The BIT of the second circuit board Mod. 217 are to be controlled on all keys if an error in note should be found at any time.

The output of the CODE CONVERTER group Mod. 284 in the new version and Mod. 226 and Mod. 217 in the old version, are made up of 12 BIT., which are sent to the circuit board of control Mod. 229.

This circuit board Mod. 229 carries out 5 functions:-

- 1) Reading and direct output of CODE at 12 BIT
- 2) Manipulation of CODE at 12 BIT for the GLIDE effect
- 3) Music Random
- 4) Formation of an analogic tension relative to the CODE which is used for the GLIDE oscillator and to drive the VCF so as to make it in tune, for playing the whole keyboard.
- 5) Command for ADSR take-off.

When the GLIDE and the MUSIC RANDOM are not being used, the code comes directly out from Mod. 229 and is sent to Oscillator 1 and Oscillator 2 Mod. 223.

Oscillator 1 and Oscillator 2 are both different from each other for the frequency of oscillation; Osc. 1 = 1,8mhz. Osc. 2 = 3,2mhz. The code coming from Mod. 229, goes into the 3 programmed dividers (74191) which, depending on the code, divides for one number or another the frequency of the oscillator. The lowest number of division is 392 (which determines the highest note). This note becomes again divided by 4 dividers so as to obtain the 4 footages. To control a code of 12 BIT you must use a sheet of all of the codes which come out of the Code Converter Mod. 284 or from the last circuit board Mod. 217 in the first version, in relation to the key depressed. Also to control the output code of the KEYBOARD with MEMORY, you must use the sheet of codes herewith enclosed.

KEYBOARD WITH MEMORY MOD. 216

This circuit board is made up of:-

N.6	74151	MULTIPLEXER
N.1	74155	DECODER
N.2	7475	LATCH
N.1	7430	GATE AT 8 INPUTS
N.1	7413	SMITT TRIGGER
N.1	7410	TRIBLE GATE AT 2 INPUTS
N.1	7405	6-INVERTER OPEN COLLECTOR
N.1	74121	MONOSTABLE
N.2	7493	DIVIDERS

The multiplexers are TTL devices which have 8 inputs, which can be selected from a code at 3 BIT, this means that an

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input corresponds to every code, which in correspondence to its code can go out in a direct manner, or refused by the respective outputs PIN 5, PIN 6, only if the PIN 7 is at a logic level 0.

The code is addressed in the PIN 11 = A, PIN 10 = B, PIN 9 = C:

4	2	1	
C	B	A	
0	0	0	RELATIVE INPUT PIN 4
0	0	1	" " " 3
0	1	0	" " " 2
0	1	1	" " " 1
1	0	0	" " " 15
1	0	1	" " " 14
1	1	0	" " " 13
1	1	1	" " " 12

DECODER 74155

The DECODER is a TTL, to which, by sending a code of 3 BIT you can obtain at its 8 outputs, a zero scale starting from the output relative to the CODE 000 until you have arrived at the output relative to CODE 111.. The code is addressed to the PIN 13 = A; PIN 3 = B and PIN 1 and 15 = C.

4	2	1	
C	B	A	
0	0	0	When this code arrives at PIN 9 it goes to 0 Logic level
0	0	1	" " " " " 10
0	1	0	" " " " " 11
0	1	1	" " " " " 12
1	0	0	" " " " " 7
1	0	1	" " " " " 6
1	1	0	" " " " " 5
1	1	1	" " " " " 4

NAND GATE AT 8 INPUTS 7430

This gate has an output which is the inverted product of the 8 inputs.

SCHMITT TRIGGERED DOUBLE 7413

This has a thresh-hold of intervention which is about 1,7V and the two outputs invert the input levels.

DIVIDER 7493

This is a divider at 4 states. To divide, the Pin 2 and 3 must be at level 0, All of the outputs are reset at level 1.

LATCH 7475

This is a two sectioned latch, and by connecting PIN 4 and 13 together, you can obtain the reading of a code at 4 BIT. The Clock must be positive. The code is present at inputs PIN 2 - 3 - 6 - 7. As soon as a positive impulse of clock arrives at Pin 4 and 13 the code is written in output of the outputs Pin - 16 - 15 - 10 - 9. The outputs $\bar{Q}$ Pin 1 - 14 11 - 8 give the code inverted.

The circuit board Mod. 216 has an oscillator made from one half of 7413 and this oscillates at 470 KHz. This oscillator or clock comes out from 7413 and is passed through a section of 7410 it then goes to pilot the divider 29722 - 74748BF - 74746BF for the circuit board made in the first manner, while in the latest circuit board version, it drives two 7493, placed in fall. In both cases the 6 dividers are exploited, the first 3 for sending the code to these 74151 and the last 3 for sending the code to 74155. The outputs of the 6 dividers also go to the readers 74193 X 2 first version and 7475 latest version, these 6 outputs can write a maximum of 64 codes at 6 Bit and the time employed to pass 64 beats of CLOCK is in the order of 130 μ sec. In the inputs of the 6-74151, all the keys of the keyboard are connected, and when these are depressed they send logic levels 1 to the relative inputs.

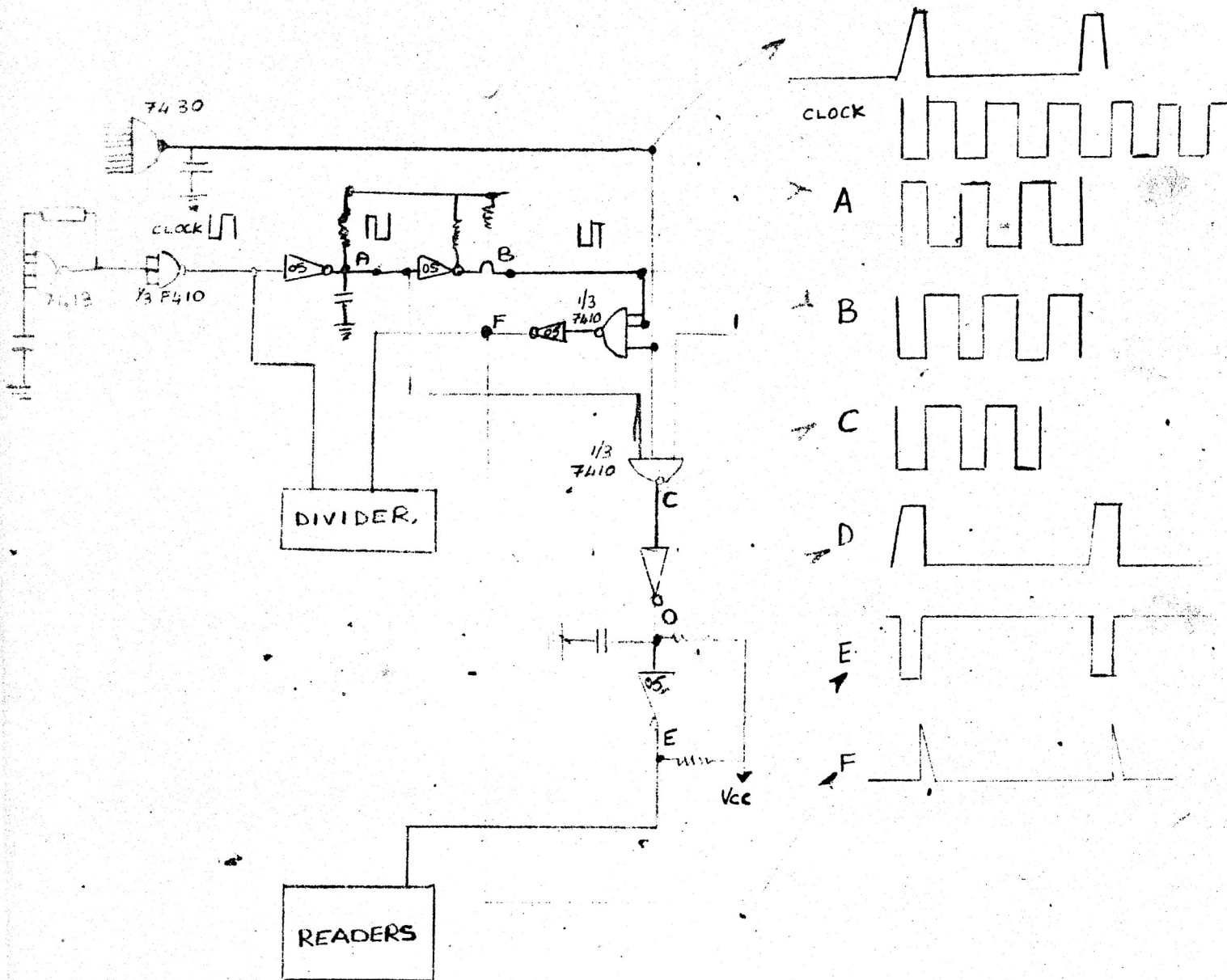
After having turned on the instrument and without having touched any of the keys, you will have all the inputs of 74151 at 0, and therefore, all of their outputs PIN 6 to 1 which, being connected to the 8 inputs of 7430 will make at the outputs of these one 0, which is then sent in the two GATE at 3 inputs 1/3 7410, which at its turn, having an 0 in input gives 1 at the outputs.

The output of 1/3 7410, connected to an inverter, the output of which is connected to Pin 13 and 5 (RESET) of 29722, first version, and to Pin 2 and 3 of 7493 second version, being 1 puts 0 at the output of the inverter and therefore to the PIN of the RESET, a level which allows the divider to divide.

While the output C of 7410 1/3 is connected to an inverter, the output D of which is connected to another inverter, the output E of which is connected to Pin 11 of 74193 (first version) and to Pin----- of 7475, bringing a level 0 which does not allow for the reading in output of the CODE of input.

Therefore, we have seen that without depressing the keys, the CLOCK oscillates, the divider divides, putting the codes at the disposal of the 74155 and of the 74193 or 7475, which however do not give a reading.

MOD. 216



Now let us suppose that the highest DO of the small keyboard is depressed which sends a level 1 to Pin 1 of the first 74151 which, to come out of Pin 6, must have a code 011, this code which may not be ready, because on depressing the clock could have been at 30 and therefore you must wait until it arrives at 67, this delay which is very brief cannot be perceived by the ear, that is why the note seems to arrive immediately.

As soon as the 011 code arrives in piano 74151, given that in 74155 the code 000 is present, which allows for having 0 at the output Pin 9 and therefore 0 at Pin 7 of 74151; it has in its inverted output Pin 6 a level 0 which being connected to an input of 7430 allows for having level 1 at the output of these.

As can be seen from the designed wavelengths (relative to the various points of the circuit at the moment in which a key is depressed) the impulse at level 1 of 7430 arrives in a nearly total synchronism with negative front of CLOCK (it is not in perfect synchronism for the effect of the capacitor which is present at output of 7430).

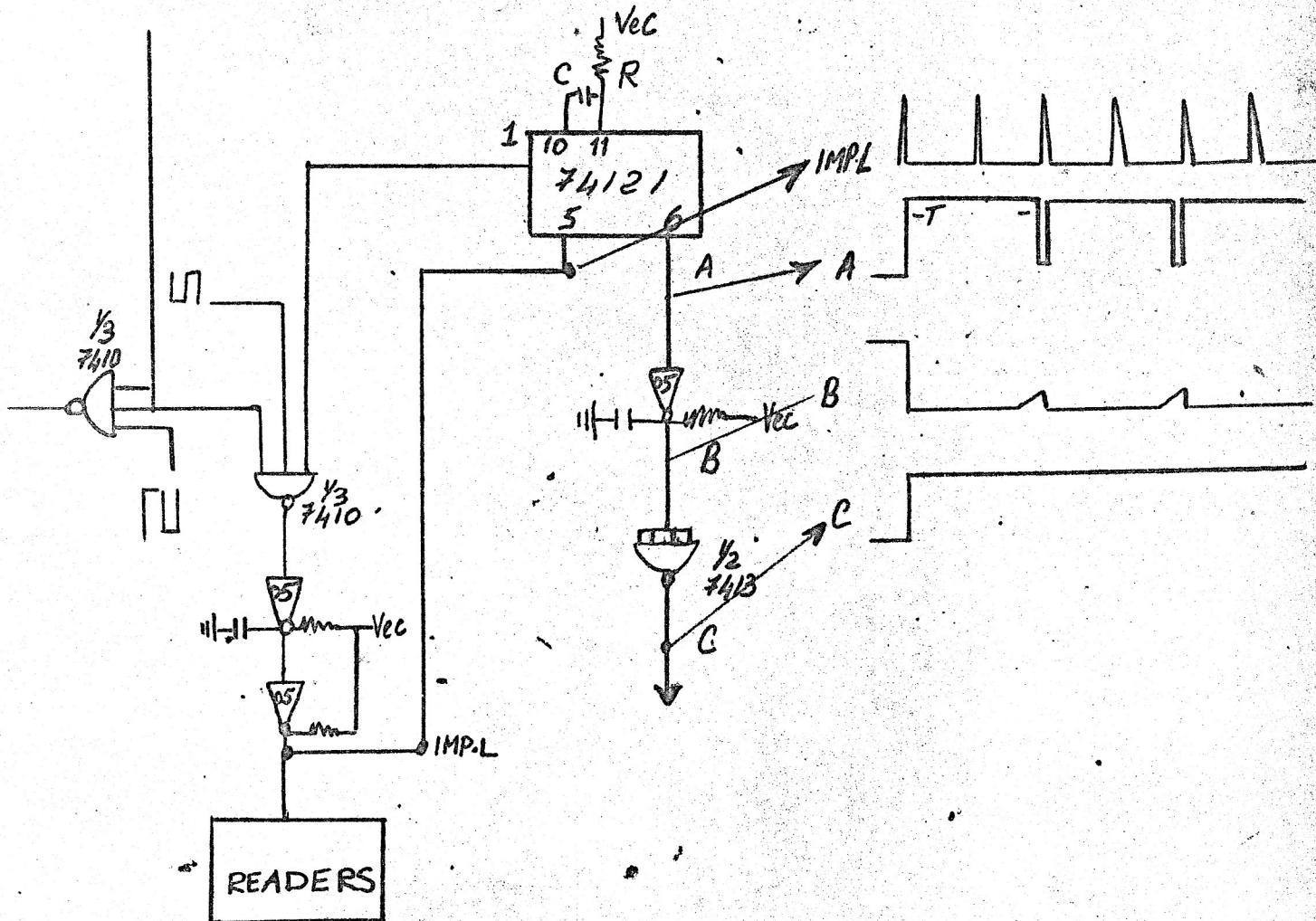
This impulse allows for having at point C a negative impulse, and therefore, an impulse which is delayed and negative in point E, a point of command for the reading (output of code present at that instant in the input) of the READERS.

This comes about in the first half period of the CLOCK, while in the second half period there is an impulse of RESET, for the divider which puts all the codes at 0, therefore the impulse disappears (always with the key depressed), in the output of 7430 and when the clock and the divider starts again to form codes until arriving at 3 = 011, in our case 1 is made to come out of output of 7430 and always the same while the key is being held.

The impulse of reading must arrive before that of RESET to allow the readers to read.

The circuit designed here, is a circuit of delay which is used to avoid inconveniences such as mechanical jumps of the keys. This circuit is in fact formed from a monostable, the input of which is commanded by the same impulse which is used for the reading of the readers, the outputs of which (Pin 1 goes to command section 1/3 7410 which is used to give the impulse of reading and given that on arrival of the impulse the Pin 1 of 74121 is brought to level 0 for a time $T = 0,7 \text{ R.C}$ and therefore you have level 0 after the inverter and level 1 after $\frac{1}{2}$ of 7413.

CIRCUIT OF DELAY



It is said, that the code coming out of T with M arrives at the CODE CONVERTER Circuit board which then converts this code

into another of 12 Bit.

The codes relating to every key are written on a sheet here-with enclosed, together with a diagram showing the different GATES which placed in that particular way, carry out that given function.

To repair this circuit board it is sufficient to follow the input levels for the various GATES until you arrive at the outputs.

CIRCUIT BOARD OF CONTROL MOD. 229

This circuit board is made up of:

N.3	74193	UP DOWN COUNTERS
N.3	9324	COMPARATORS OF LARGENESS
N.1	7451	NAND NAND NOR
N.1	7400	NAND
N.1	7405	INVERTOR
NK1	7472	DIVIDER
N.3	7408	AND

74193 are counters which can count upwards entering with the CLOCK in Pin 5 and downwards entering with the CLOCK in Pin 4 and they are also readers. The inputs are the Pins ^{D C B A} 9-10 -1-15 the outputs are pins ^{D C B A} 7-6-2-3. To work as readers, they must have a level 0 in Pin 11, and in this condition the code at points 9-10-1-15 coming out directly at points 7-6-2-3. When the Pin 11 is at level 1 they are counters and not readers. As counters they can go upwards from 0 to 15, arriving at 15, the output UP Pin 12 gives a negative impulse or counts downwards, this means, that it starts from 15 until it reaches 0, arriving at 0 the output DOWN Pin 13 gives a negative impulse. While counting the outputs ^{D C B A} 7-6-2-3 they move in fall as the dividers do.

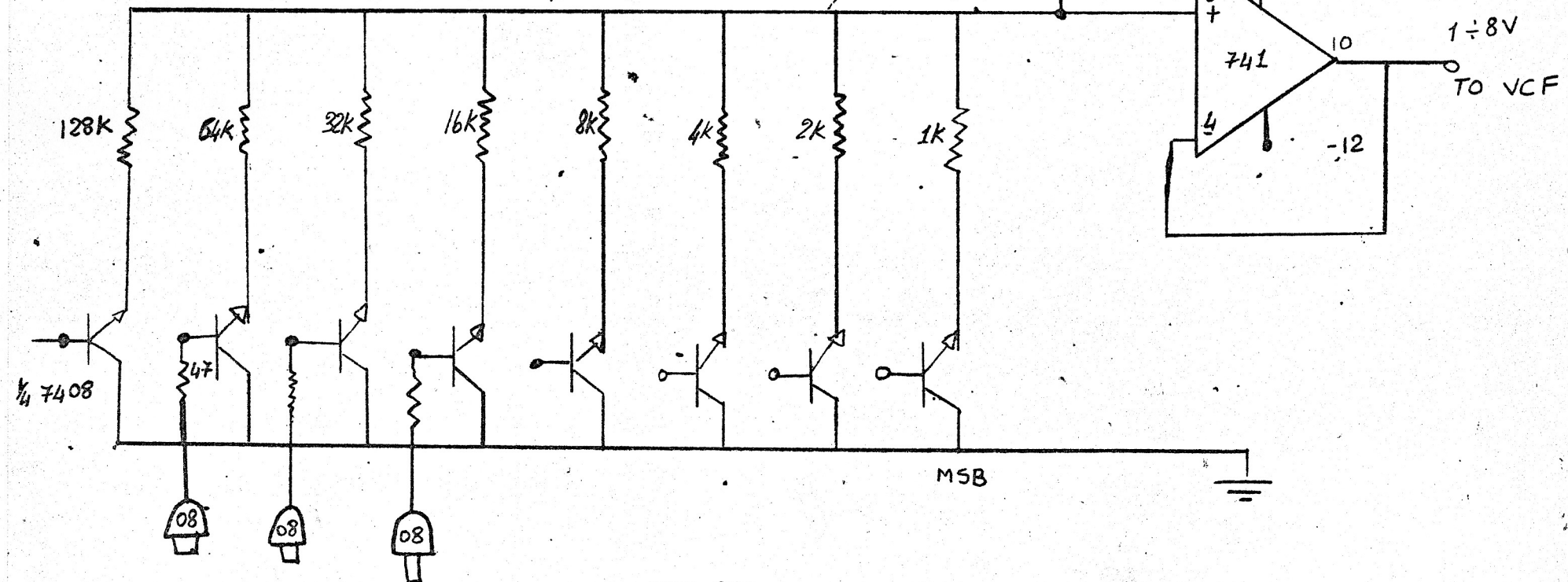
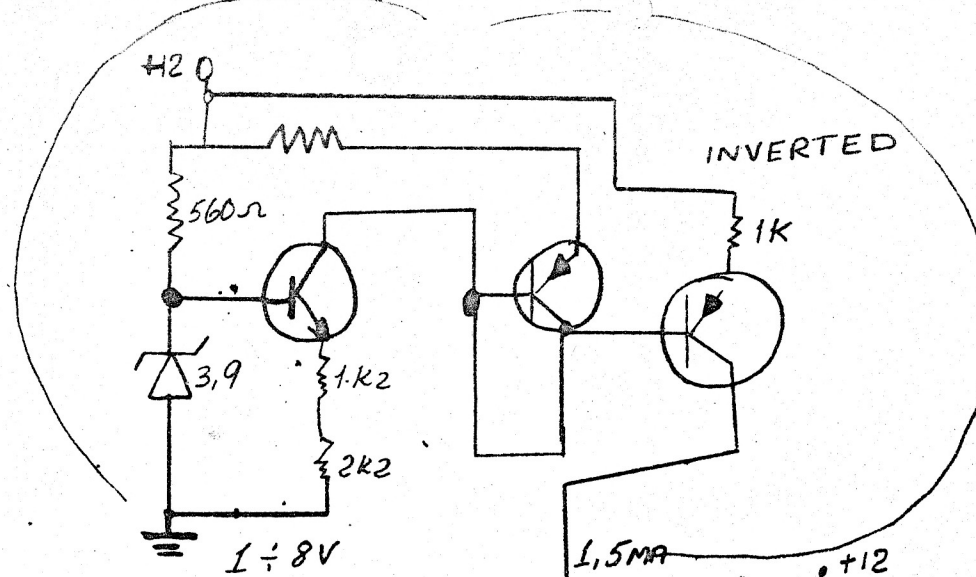
The Pin 14 of these integrated circuits must be earthed.

9324 are comparators of measurement. (codes) this means that two codes can be put at 5 Bit called B and A in the respective inputs ^{B4 B3 B2 B1 B0} and ^{A4 A3 A2 A1 A0} the comparators

^{7 -6 -5 -4 -3} ^{9 -10-11-12-13}

indicate which of the two codes is minor, major or equal; in fact they have three outputs $A > B = \text{Pin } 15$; $A < B = \text{Pin } 2$; $A = B \text{ Pin } 14$.

GENERATOR AT CONSTANT CURRENT



CODE CONVERTER

MOD. 229

The outputs give the indications with a level 1

example:

A > B	the output	A > B = 1	A < B = 0	A = B = 0
A < B	" "	A < B = 1	A > B = 0	A = B = 0
A = B	" "	A = B = 1	A > B = 0	A < B = 0

Out of the 5 functions of this circuit board, we shall examine that of the direct reading of the code; this means that it is not put in GLIDE, or MR, therefore, the Pin 8 of 7400 is at a level 0, because both MR and GLIDE ON (Pin 9 and Pin 10) are at level 1.

Level 0, which has been put, as can be seen from the diagram, in all of Pins 11 of 74193 and therefore, the code which is in input can be got at output, from where it is then sent to Osc. 1 and Osc. 2 and to a convertor. Digital in Analogic, (from one code a tension is extracted) which in its turn sends such tension to the oscillator of the GLIDE and to the VCF.

The convertor D/A has a generator at constant current which can be regulated at the trimmer, and a group of 12 resistors and 12 transistors commanded by GATE AND 7408 which draws out the output code of 74193.

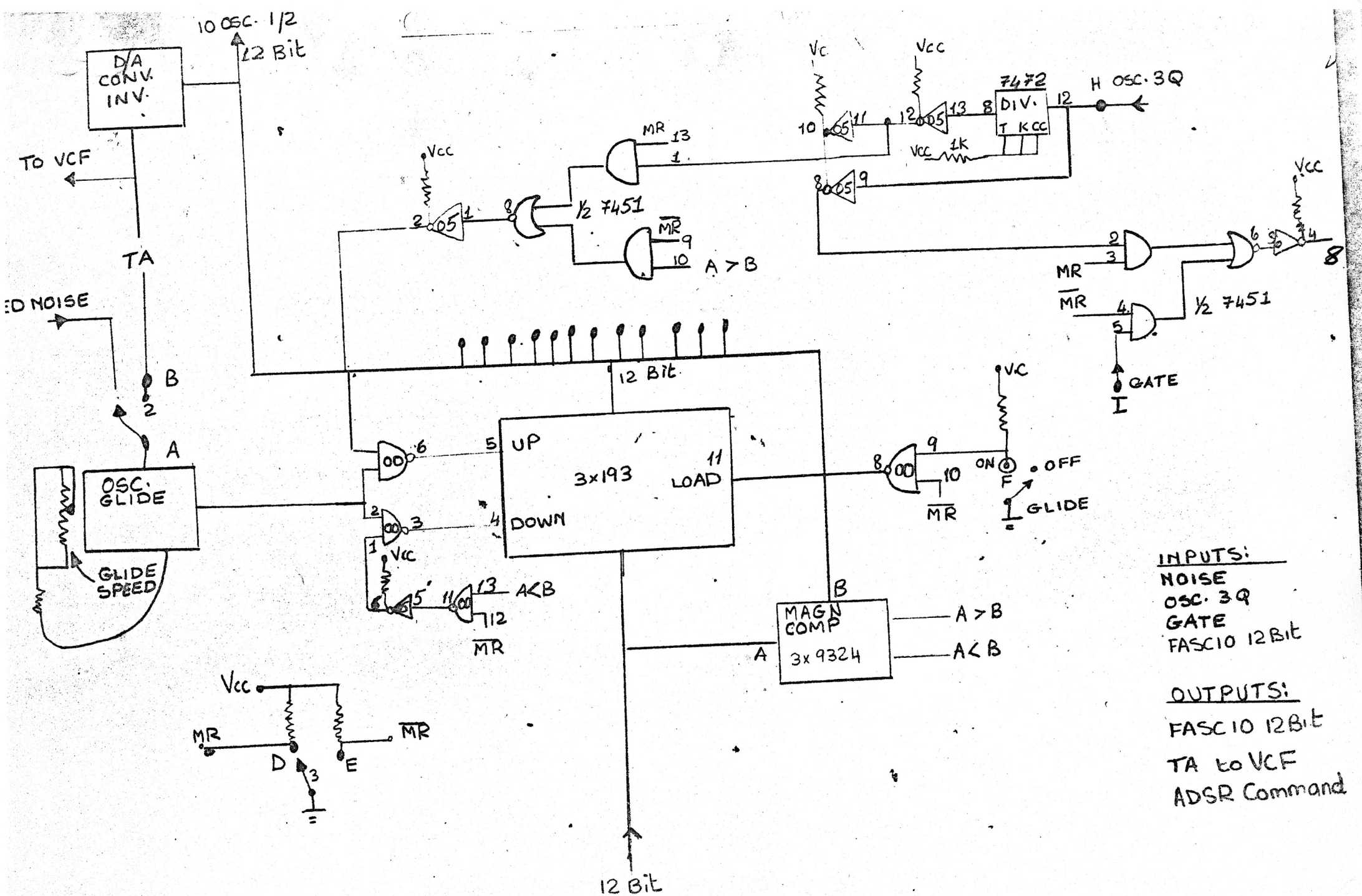
Therefore it can be deduced that depending on the number of levels, 1 changes the value of R which comes through the constant current and therefore, at their heads, the value of 8V = DO highest (1° octave); 4V DO 2° Octave; 2V DO 3° Octave, 1V DO 4° Octave.

This tension depends on levels 1 because only the levels 1 can saturate the transistors and therefore, put more resistors in parallel between them. The CLOCK which has been formed by the GLIDE oscillator is present on Pin 4 and 2 of 7400 which can be sorted out of the two sections of 7400 in UP or DOWN.

GLIDE

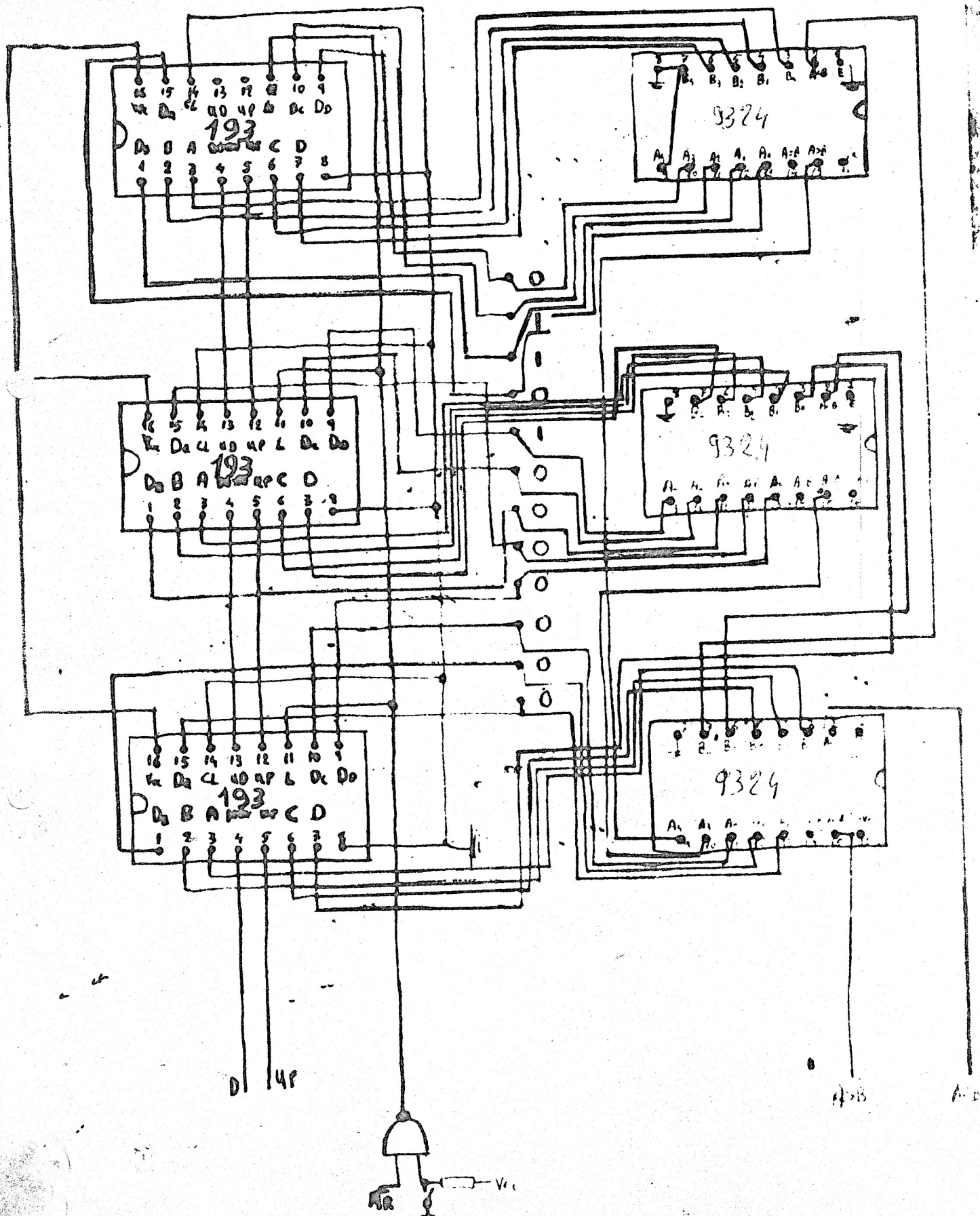
By inserting the GLIDE you have GLIDE ON at level 0 (Pin 9-7400) therefore the output 8 of 7400 goes to level 1, consequently also the Pin 11 of 74193 goes to 1 and therefore starts to count:

example: Let us suppose that the Code B has a hypthetic value 8 and that you send in A a code with a hypothetic value 6; at this point you can clearly see that B > A and that the counters which bring the CODE to output equal to that of input must count backwards.



INPUTS:
 NOISE
 OSC. 3Q
 GATE
 FASCIO 12Bit

OUTPUTS:
 FASCIO 12Bit
 TA to VCF
 ADSR Command



Now following the diagram, let us see if it is true that the counters really do count backwards. Having $B > A$ the outputs of the comparators will be Pin 15, $A > B = 0$ and Pin 2, $A < B = 1$. The zero of Pin 15 of 9324 or 7485 is sent to Pin 10 of $\frac{1}{2}$ 7451 and at the output of that GATE you will have 0 as also happens in the other gate because its Pin 13 = 0. Therefore the inputs of NOR are two zero's and its output Pin 8 is at level 1, therefore you have level 0 in Pin 2 of the inverter, and consequently also in Pin 5 of 7400.

At this point it seems clear how the output Pin 6 of 7400 and therefore also the Pin 5 of 74193 are blocked at 1, therefore the counters do not count forwards.

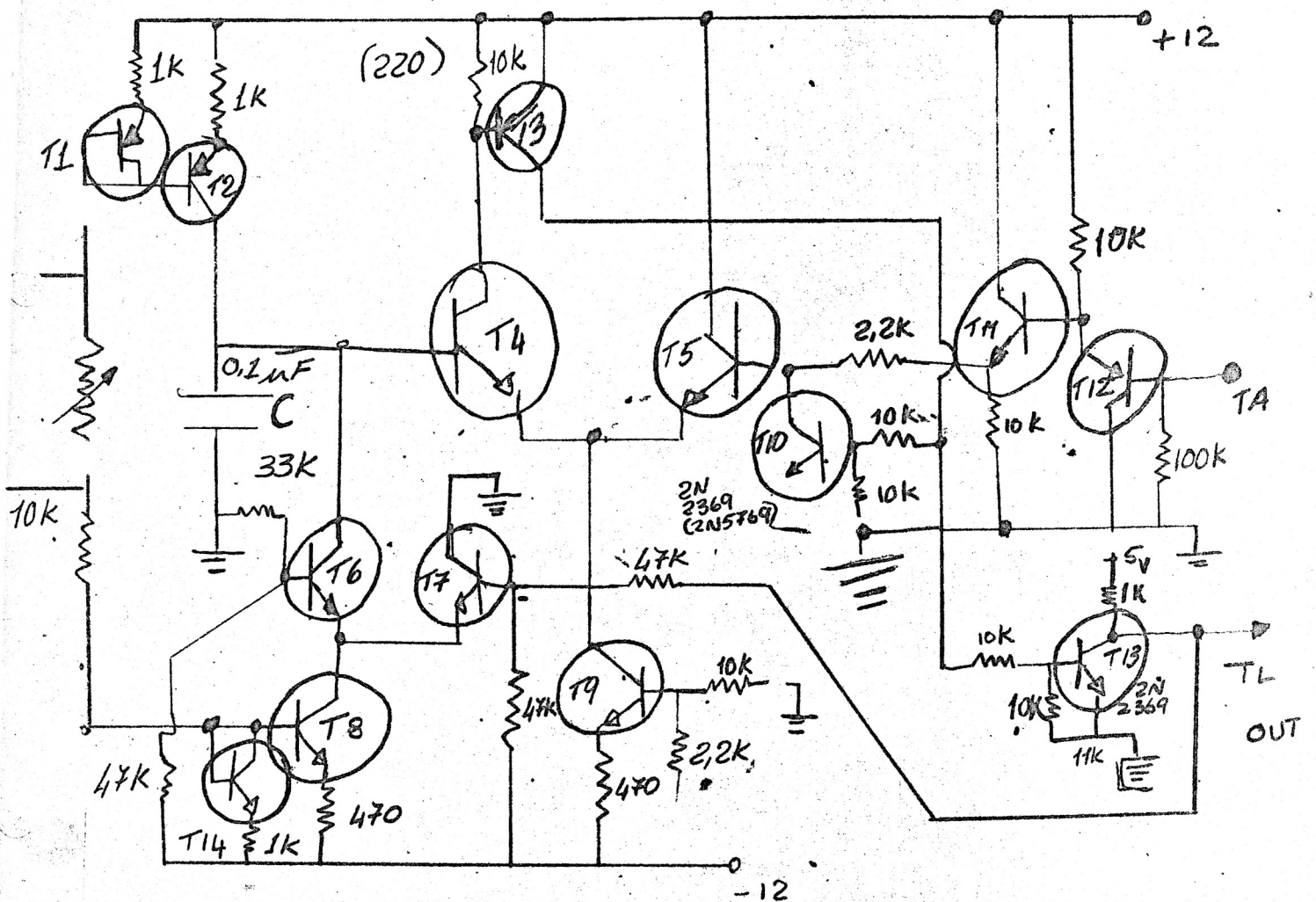
The Pin 2 of 7485 or 9324 which is at level 1, is sent to Pin 13 of 7400, which having the Pin 12 at level 1 will have at its output Pin 11 a level 0, which inverted becomes 1 in Pin 6 of the inverter and consequently is at level 1 also the Pin 1 of 7400. Therefore, in its output Pin 3, you have the CLOCK which is present in Pin 2 and which goes to Pin 4; two counters which count backwards. In the instant that Code B from 8 goes down to 6 equalizing itself with that of A, also the output of the comparators $A < B$ go to zero, therefore, you have a level 1 in Pin 11 of 7400, therefore zero in Pin 1 of 7400 which blocks the CLOCK and the counter stops counting.

If the Code in A had a value of 10 it is clear that the counters, to bring B equal to A, would have to count upwards until $A = B$, the instant in which the counters would block.

The time employed by the counters to bring $A = B$ depends upon the speed of the CLOCK WHICH CAN be regulated by the speed potentiometer of the GLIDE.

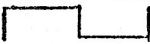
The level 1 which you have in T with M Mod. 216 (on depressing one key), is brought into Mod. 229 Pin 5 of $\frac{1}{2}$ 7451, which, when in normal condition has the Pin 4 at level 1 and the Pin 3 at level 0, therefore, the signal in Pin 4 passes and that which is present in Pin 2 becomes blocked. The level 1 in Pin 4 comes out the same as level 0 in Pin 6 of $\frac{1}{2}$ 7451 and therefore you have Level 1 in Pin 4 of the inverter 7405.

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MUSIC RANDOM

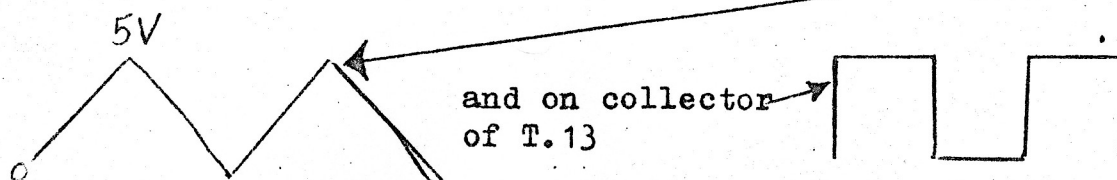
With the M.R. switch inserted you have the following change over MR = 0 MR = 1 the speed potentiometer GLIDE short-circuits and in the place of the analogic tension, a RED NOISE signal is sent to the GLIDE oscillator.

From the diagram you will be able to understand that with MR = 0 and MR = 1, the counters, count only upwards and for half a period, because at Pin 1 of 7451 $\frac{1}{2}$ the following wavelength arrives  (which is obtained from Osc. 3 divided by 2 of 7472).

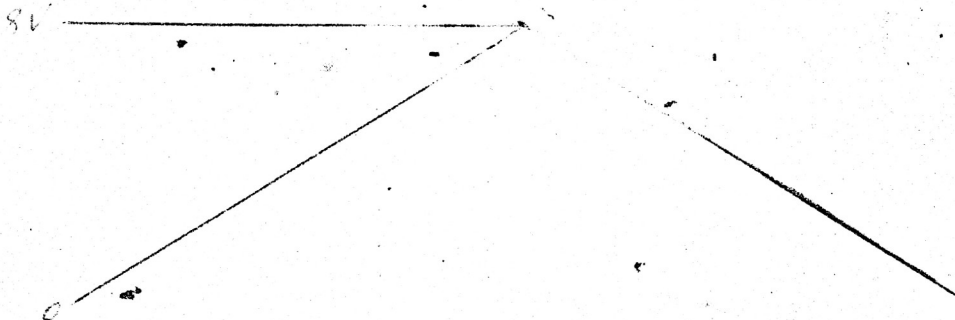
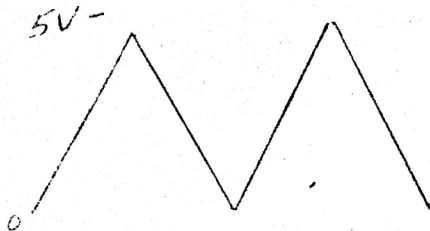
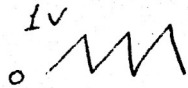
The command for the ADSR comes automatically from Pin 8 of 7405 to go out at Pin 4 of 7405. The keyboard in Music Random does not command the A.D.S.R anymore.

GLIDE OSCILLATOR

This is an oscillator which is based on the charge and the discharge of a capacitor at constant current which can be regulated by the speed potentiometer GLIDE and as a reference for the level which must be reached, you must use the tension coming from D/A CONVERTER. At the instant of turning on, the GLIDE starts charging up through the T.2 driven by the T.1 and arrives at up to 5 V., if the T.A of comparison is 5 V. This happens, because, if at the base of T.12 you put 5 V then at the base of T11 you will have 5,5V and at the base of T.5 you will have 5V, this level conducts the T.5 on T.4 up to the instant in which the level of C does. not arrive at 5V., a level which conducts the T.4 on T.5. By conducting the T.4, the T3 is also conducted which sends +12V to T10 (which saturates and therefore brings the base of T5 to zero) and to TR 13 which brings its collector to zero, (at this point it must be said, that before the saturation of T.13, of the differential couple T.6-T.7, T.7 conducted) and this potential lowers the base potential of TR7, which blocks while passing to conduct the TR6. (at this point the C discharges through the T6 and T8 at constant current/ The current which circulates in T6 and T8 is double in that which circulates in T2, because in those go the current T7 and that of C). When the C arrives at 0,10 - 0,2V the T5 conducts and blocks the T4, this blocks the T3, the T10 and the T.13 which however, makes the T7 conduct and blocks the T6 therefore, the C starts recharging again up to 5V and so on. Therefore the wavelengths are 2, at the heads of C



You have a clear result that the wavelength changes frequency and those at the heads of C also in width, to vary of TA to compare.



OSCILLATOR 1 AND OSCILLATOR 2

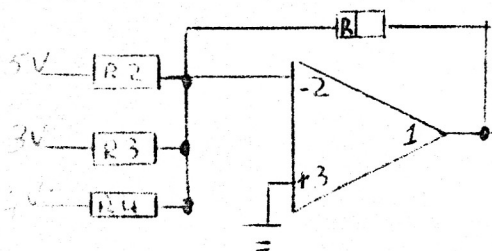
The oscillator of the Syntex is made up of:

- 3 74194 Programmed Counters UP/DOWN
- 3 74121 Monostables
- 1 7413
- 2 7400
- 3 OPERATIONALS MC 1458 or 72558

74194 are counters which with the Pin 5 at level 1 count downwards, these are called programmed, because as soon as they receive a level 0 in Pin 11 they start to count from

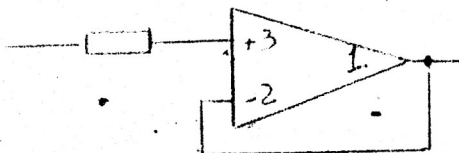
the number of Code present in the inputs. 15 - 1 - 10 - 9
Every time they arrive at 0 the Pin 13 gives a level 0.
The Pin 14 is the input of CLOCK, the Pin 4 must be kept
at level 0.

MC1458 are operational amplifiers which are used as amp-
lifiers and adders of more signals, in this case the out-
put is inverted and the input must be the negative one:

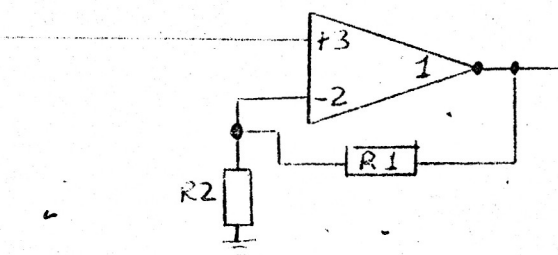


$R1 = 10K; R2 = R3 = R4 = 5K$
 $G1 = \frac{R1}{R2} = 2; G2 = \frac{R1}{R3} = 2; G3 = \frac{R1}{R4} = 2$
The output of Pin 1 is the inverted
sum design of three levels

$$\begin{array}{r} - 10 \\ - 6 \\ + 8 \\ \hline - 8 \text{ V} \end{array}$$

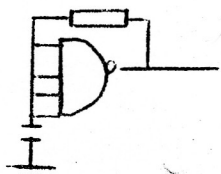


An emitter follower is
connected in this way

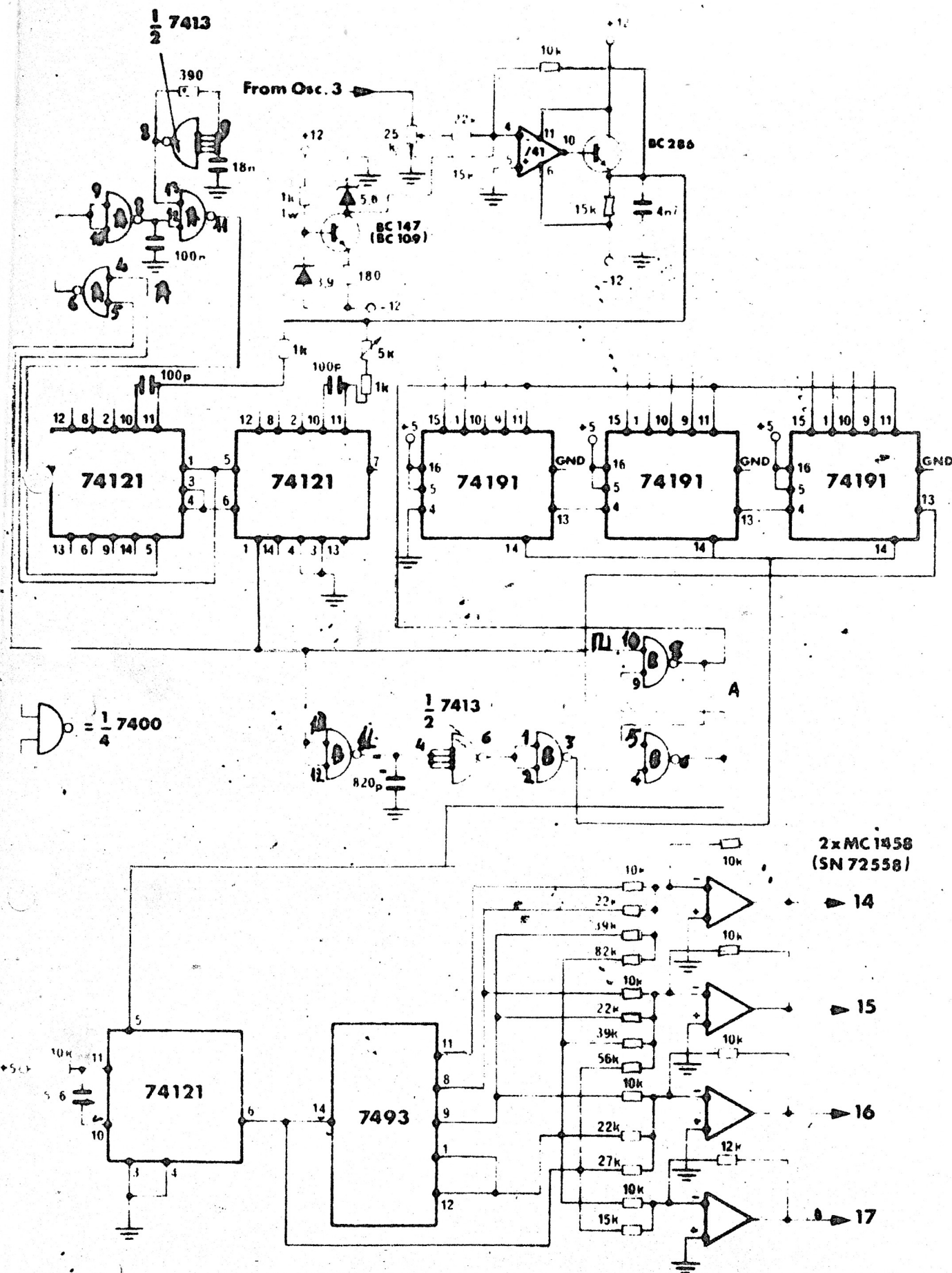


A simple amplifier is connected
in this way with $G = \frac{R1}{R2}$

The oscillator oscillates for half of the two 74121 connected
in reaction, in such a way as to form an Astable. To win the
entry and to be certain that you will always have oscillation
an auxillary oscillator has been used, formed with a section
of 7413



WHICH oscillates at 270 KHz



Oscillator 2, Mod. 223

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Now let us suppose that in the instant of switching on, the Pin 1 of the two 74121 is brought contemporarily to level 1 (if there was no auxiliary oscillator the Astable of the two 121 would be blocked) which we find at Pin 4 and 5 of 7400 (A) therefore in its output Pin 6 you have level 0 which being present in Pin 9 and 10, allows a level 1 in Pin 8 and also therefore in Pin 12, which allows the oscillator present in Pin 13 to travel through the Pin 11 which is connected to Pin 5 (input of MON) this puts its Pin 1 to 0 overbalancing the system and therefore allows them to oscillate. As the signals of output of the two Pin 1 of the 74121 (when oscillating) are 180° dephased the Pin 6 of 7400(A) will always be 1 with the consequent level 0 at Pin 12 and therefore the Pin 11 fixed at level 1.

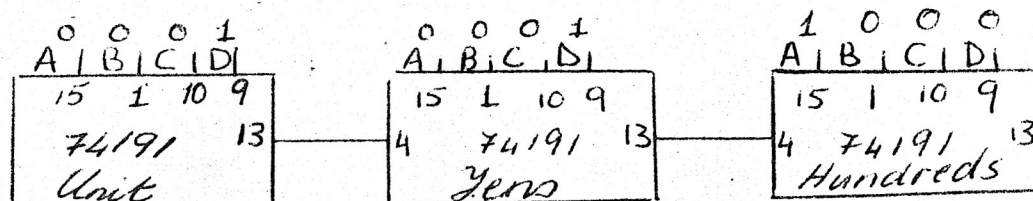
This indicates that when the oscillator of the 74121 oscillates, that of the auxiliary is blocked. In the instant of switching on, the Pin 13 of the last 74191 of the three placed in fall, gives an 0 which connected to Pin 4 of integrated circuit B allows a level 1 at Pin 6, which connected to Pin 9 makes an impulse go out at Pin 8, which connected to the Pins 11 of the 74191 brings all of the Pin 13 of the same to 1 (this in the negative half period) while as the positive half period arrives in Pin 8 and therefore in Pin 5 and being 1, the Pin 4 has 0 at Pin 6 and at Pin 9, this blocks the output of Pin 8 at level 1.

The CLOCK at the Pin 14 of the 74193 arrives with delay in respect to the 0 of the Pin 11, because it passes across a line of delay formed by section 13 - 12 and 11 of B from 7413 $\frac{1}{2}$ and of section 1 - 2 and 3 of B.

As soon as 0 arrives at the Pin 11 of 74191 these prepare to start counting downwards starting from the Code present at that instant in the Bit of input of 74191.

Example: Code 392 = 256 +
 128 +
 8
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 392

2048	1024	512	256	128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1
0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Hundreds				Tens				units			



When the three Pin 13 of the 74191 have 0 you have an 0 at Pin 4 of B and therefore 1 at Pin 6 always of B which goes to Pin 9 of B and to input Pin 5 of monostable 74121 the output of which drives a divider 7493 at 4 states.

VCF - VCA MOD.238

The VCF is a filter commanded in tension which uses filter cells made from transistors and capacitors, the transistors are changeable resistors, changing with the current. The working control of a filter can be regulated by the two differentials T7 and T8, the base of T7 is that which receives the commands for regulation of the filter. When the potentiometer FR is at its lowest point it sends a negative tension to the base of T.7

Therefore only T8 can conduct and if no current is passing through T7, neither can it pass through the filter, therefore no signal can be passed out.

T8 has a fixed base of +120mV. By moving the FR potentiometer you can move the potential of the base of T7 and conduct gradually always more, so that upon arriving, only he is conducting and T8 becomes blocked.

In this condition the filter is fully open and very bitter sounds can be heard.

The commands to the filter are given by the FR POT. by the Amount Pot. ADSR and by the Amount Pot. OSC. 3.

The group made up from T1 - T2 - T3 - T4 - T5 - T6 are used for supplying constant current to the couple T7-T8. This current which is constant is not fixed, it can be said, that it changes depending on the key depressed, however, once you have reached a value, this always remains constant.

The current in the T7-T8 couple changes because an analogic tension arrives at the base of T1 generated by the D/A Converter of Mod. 229 which changes for every key. Some levels in the various transistors for one TA = 5 and with the FR potentiometer as high as possible Q + 12 V. Base T1 = 5V
Base T2 = 5,5 Collector T2 = 9,5V Collector T4 = - 10V.
Collector T6 = - 3V Emitter Coppia T7 - T8 = - 0,5V at
heads of 220 of collector of T7 = +200 mV

POLARIZATION OF TRANSISTORS IN FILTER

Bases T9 and T10 = 2V Bases T11 - T12 = 4V Bases T13-T14 = 5,5V
Bases T15 - T16 = 7V Bases T17 - T18 = 9 V

The signal which comes out through the filter crossing two capacitors goes into a differential couple T19-T20 and T21-T22, in the collector of T19-T20 there must be about 6V for a good gain, this tension can be regulated acting on the resistor of 68K put between the base of T21 and the emitter of T22, by increasing it the tension in collector T19-T20 is increased, by decreasing, the tension is decreased.

The filter is a low pass, which can become an adjustable Q Notch Filter more or less selective depending upon the position of the Q potentiometer. It can become so selective that on regulating the Trimmer from 1K it oscillates.

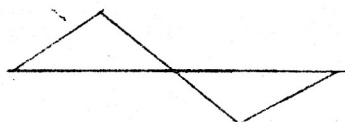
The VCA is an amplifier which is controlled in voltage, the integrated circuit is the CA3080. To drive the VCA, a generator of constant current T28 is used and also a differential couple T24 and T25, so that the voltage in it may be proportioned. The base of T25 is fixed at + 200mV, while the base of T24 has a tension which can be regulated externally: through the Pot. Amount ADSR; the Pot Amount Osc.3 (modulation of largeness - tremolo) and the Initial Volume pushbutton. Some notes of measurement with the Initial volume inserted:-

at heads of R = 390	put on emitters of the T24-T25	V = 4V
" " " R = 8kz	" " " " " T25	V = 12V

ADSR OSC. 3 MOD. 282

The oscillator 3 and the modulation oscillator and its working are exactly the same as the GLIDE oscillator, the only difference being that the compared tension is fixed at +5V. Also, this oscillator has a speed potentiometer and generates two wavelengths: triangle and square.

The output of the triangular wavelength goes into a section of the 1^o operational MC 1458 used as an emitter follower and then into the second section, the input of which is inverted, a negative tension is also included so that the triangular wavelength in output will be half over zero and half under zero:

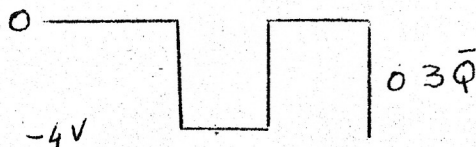


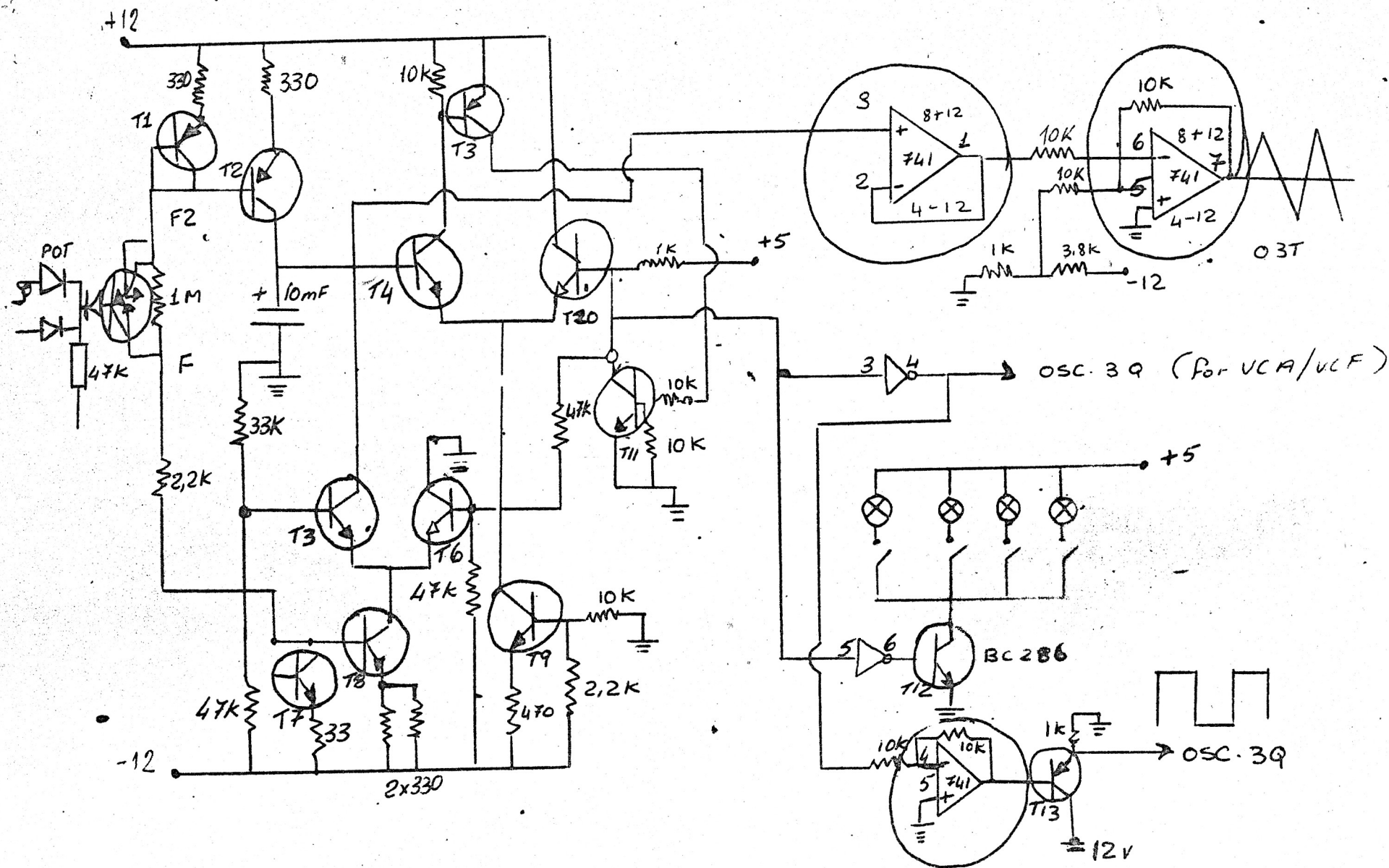
this output is used for triangular modulation and is sent to Osc. 1, Osc. 2, VCF and VCA, and it is named O3T.

The square wavelength passes through an inverter and, the output which is named O3Q is used for the modulation and square wave for the VCA and VCF.

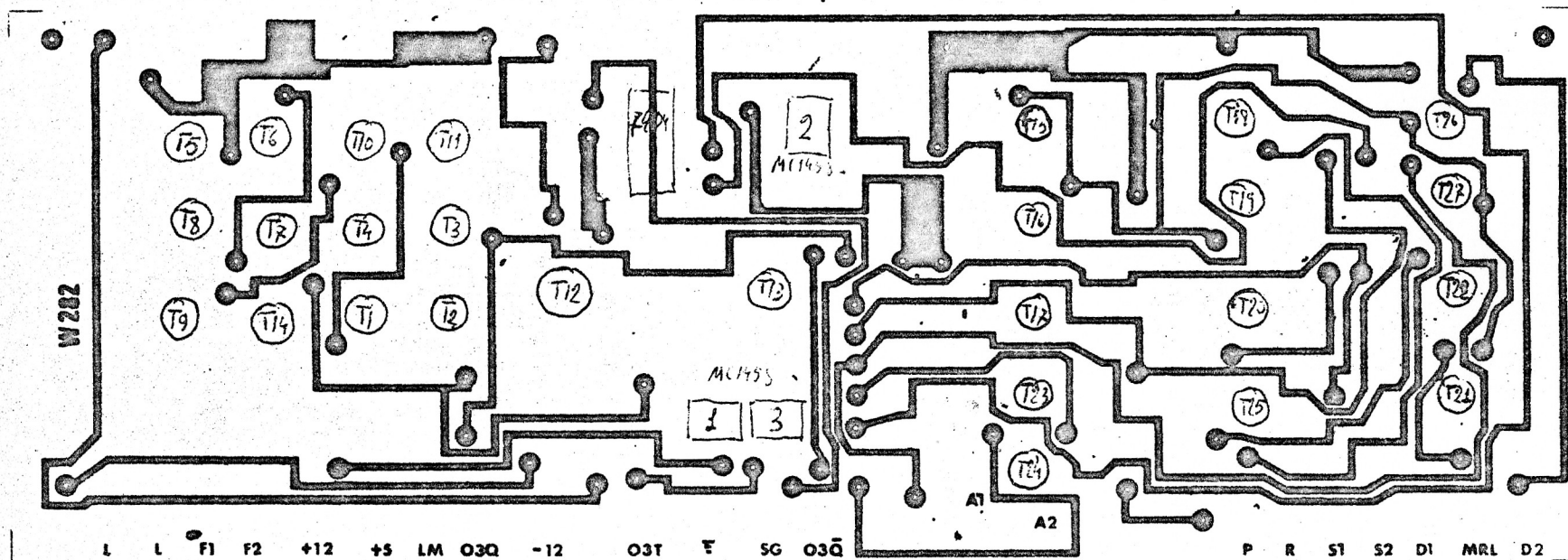
The square wave output also goes into another inverter which in its turn drives the TR BC286, which is used for lighting the lamp when the modulation has been inserted at the switch.

The output O3Q besides going to VCF and VCA, also goes to an inverted input of operational 72741, the output of which drives an emitter follower, from this emitter, negative square wavelengths come out which are named O3Q̄ and these are used for modulating Osc. 1 and Osc. 2



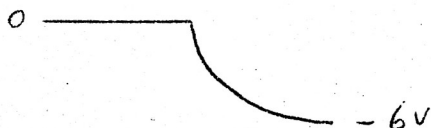


OSCILLATOR 3



ENVELOPE GENERATOR ADSR

On depressing a key, the impulse generated from T with M is passed to the circuit board Mod. 229, and from this it is then transferred to Pin 1 of 7404 of Mod. 282, which provides an 0 to Pin 2. Therefore, the T15 conducts and its collector is brought to +5V, a level which enables the T16 to conduct, This T16 brings its collector to the same potential of the emitter, which is -6V, at this point the capacitor CATT is charged through the potentiometer of ATT the 47 $\sim$ and the T16 at -16V.



T17 is an emitter follower, therefore, in its emitter at the base of T18 you have -5,5V, therefore, the T18 which has the emitter at -4,2V conducts and brings a more positive level to the base of T19 and consequently this conducts. By conducting T19, this also conducts T20 which brings its collector to level +12V. This tension is then divided between the 560 and the Sustain potentiometer, the level of the division is then sent to the base of T21 therefore, in its emitter it has the same tension of the base minus the Vbe, and it is at this level of tension that the C Decay is set, a level which is lowered to a Vbe of T22 and increased to a Vbe of T27, at which point, through an R = 1 M it goes and mixes with the level of C attack on the inverted input of an operational, which inverts the two signals and does the sum. Let us suppose that the level of stationing between the 560 $\sim$ OF T20 and the Sustain pot. is 4V, the level at the heads of = 220K of T27 will be 3.5 with charge exponential



FIG. B now this

wavelength through an R = 1M is sent to the inverted input of the operational as the wavelength of the attack, therefore at the output of the operational we shall have the following wavelength:

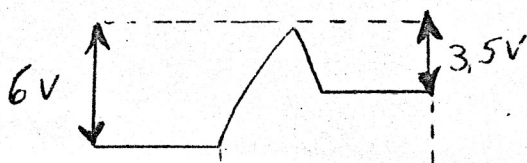


FIG. C

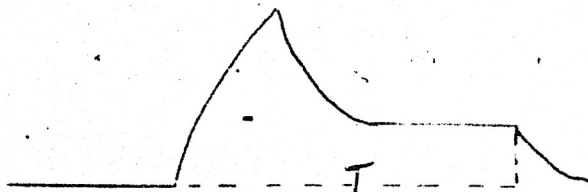
This wavelength passes from an emitter follower to its emitter, the C Release Pot. is connected, and through an 4K7 the T25 which upon depressing a key, receives a level 1 in its base and therefore, is saturated for the period of time of the formation of wave of Fig. C in such a way as to form together with CR a group RC with very small constant (quick) in such a way as to follow point point Fig. C with deforming it.

On releasing the key, the T25 opens, and the period of time for discharge of CR is commanded by the Release Pot. this time very small in respect to T25 in opening.

As the T25 opens, the T23 closes, so that, part of the circuit of T24 is excluded from the process of discharging of CR.

The T26 is commanded in the same way as T25. Its function is to drive M.R lamps when its switch is inserted.

The wavelength at the heads of CR enters the operational input 3, not inverted, and therefore, on output we have the same wavelength increased in gain of operational.



Top C

D.216
F E P C B A

2048
1024
512
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LA#	5	0 0 0 1 0 1	0 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1	439
LA	6	0 0 0 1 1 0	0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1	465
SOL#	7	0 0 0 1 1 1	0 0 0 1 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 1	493
SOL	8	0 0 1 0 0 0	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0	522
FA#	9	0 0 1 0 0 1	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1	553
FA	10	0 0 1 0 1 0	0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0	586
MI	11	0 0 1 0 1 1	0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1	621
RE#	12	0 0 1 1 0 0	0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0	658
RE	13	0 0 1 1 0 1	0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 1	697
DO#	14	0 0 1 1 1 0	0 0 1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1	739

MIC

DO	19	0 1 0 0 1 1	0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1	783
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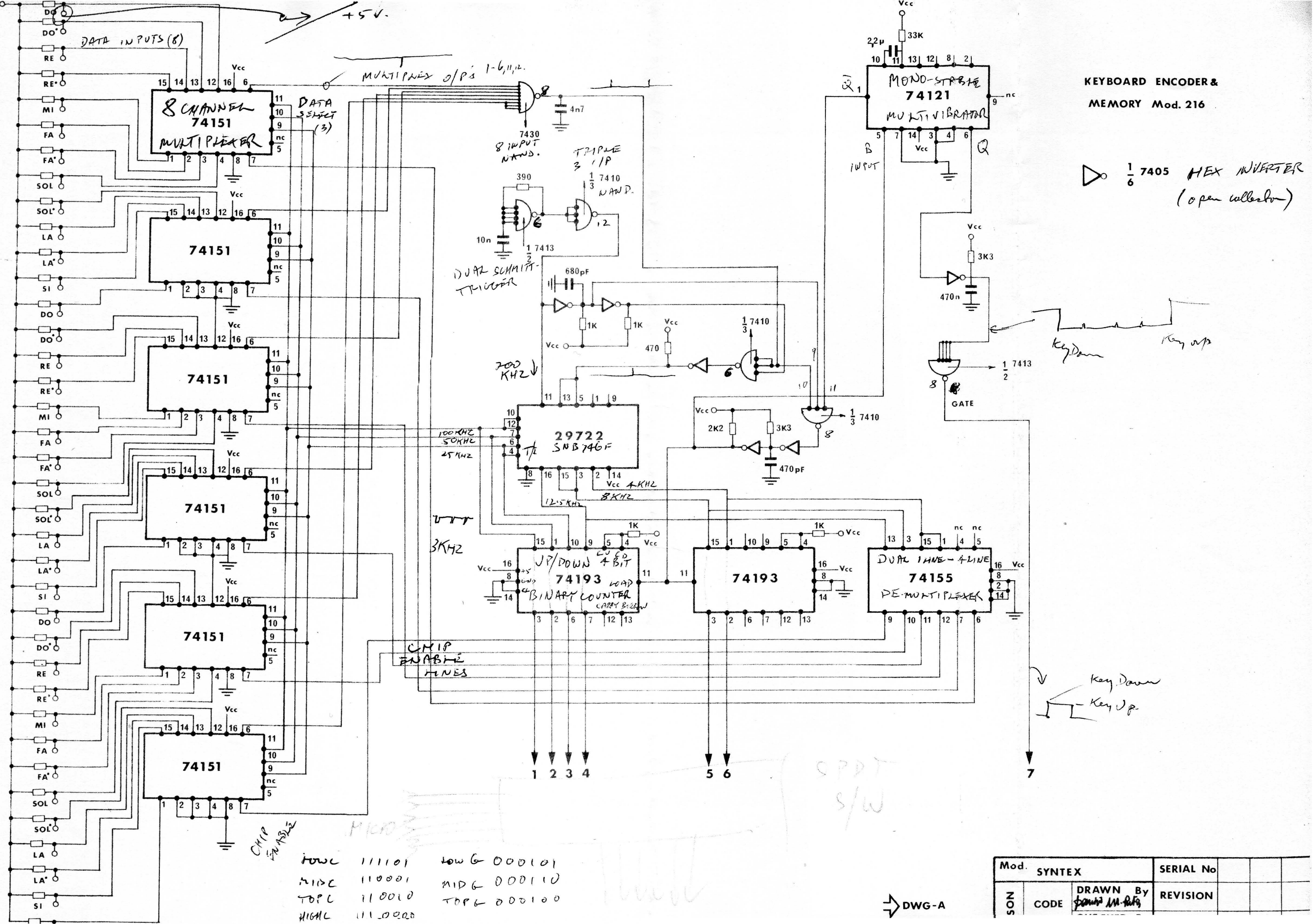
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SOL	40	1 0 1 0 0 0	1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1	2091
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FA	42	1 0 1 0 1 0	1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 1	2347
MI	43	1 0 1 0 1 1	1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 1 1 1	2487
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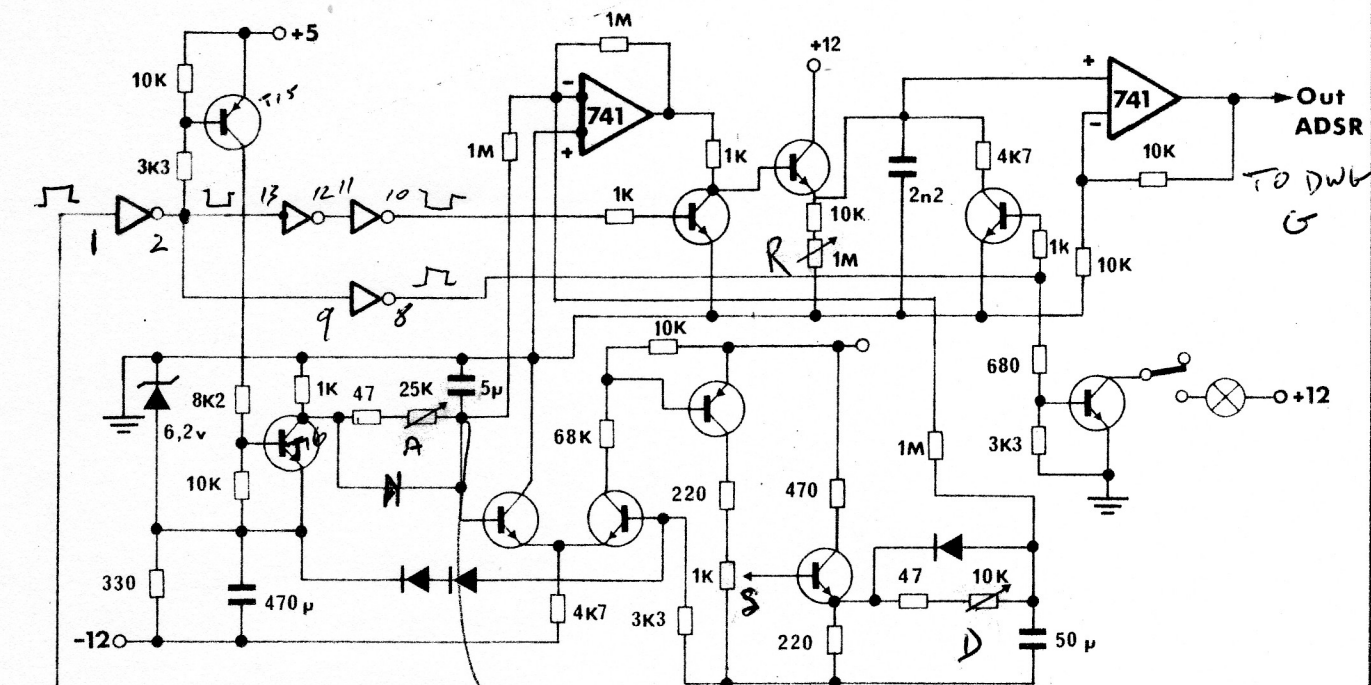
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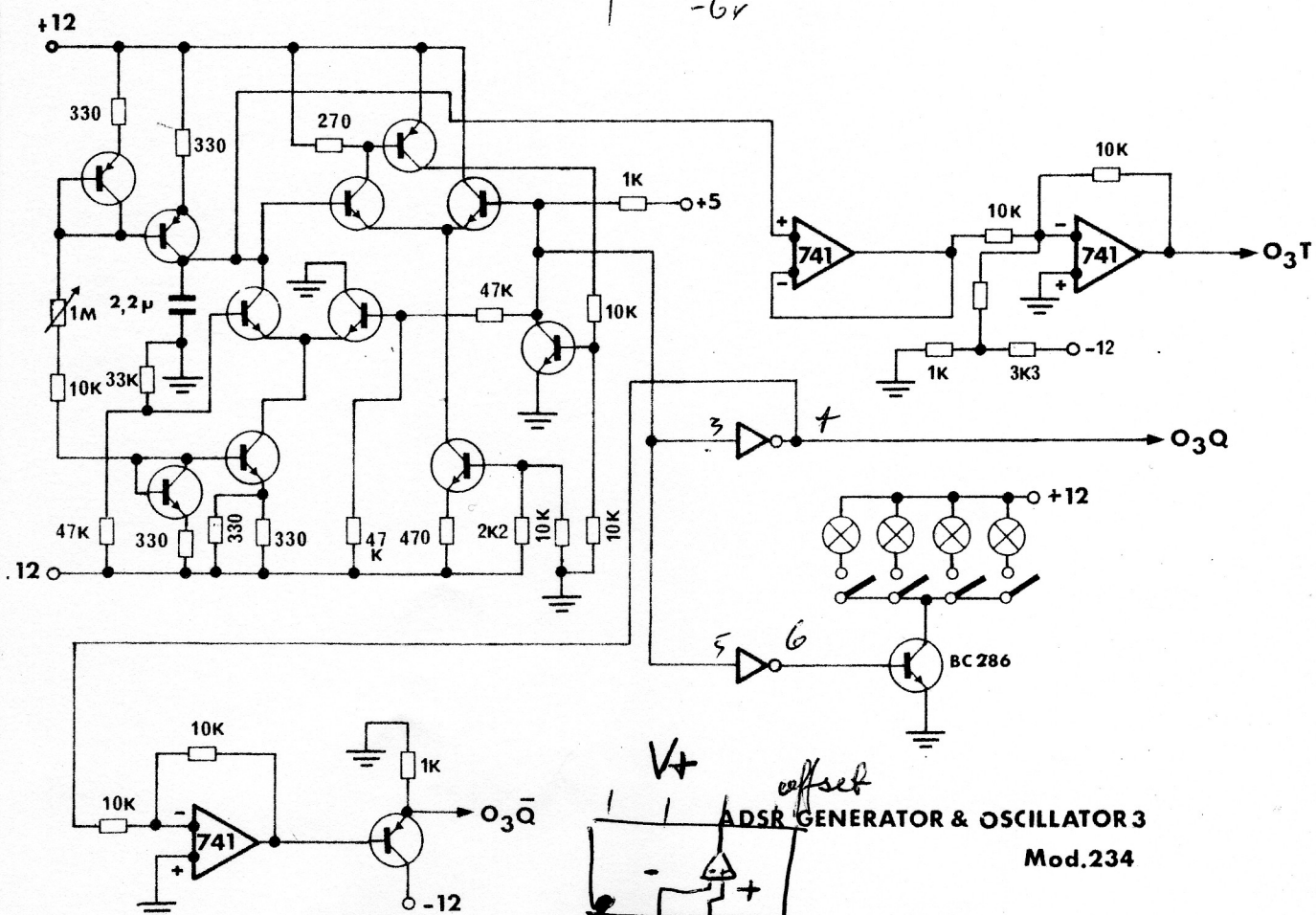
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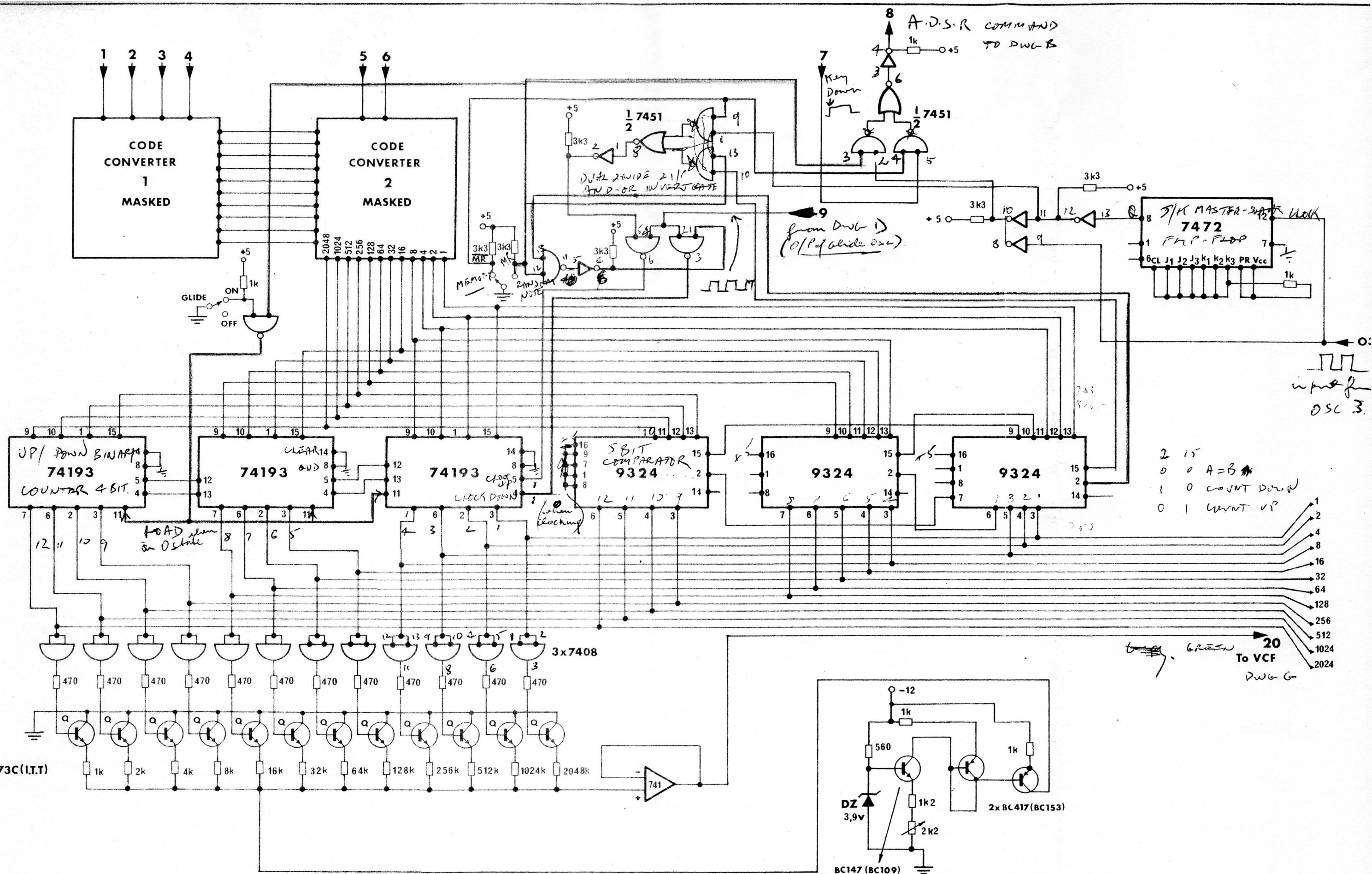


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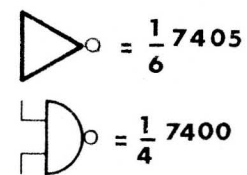
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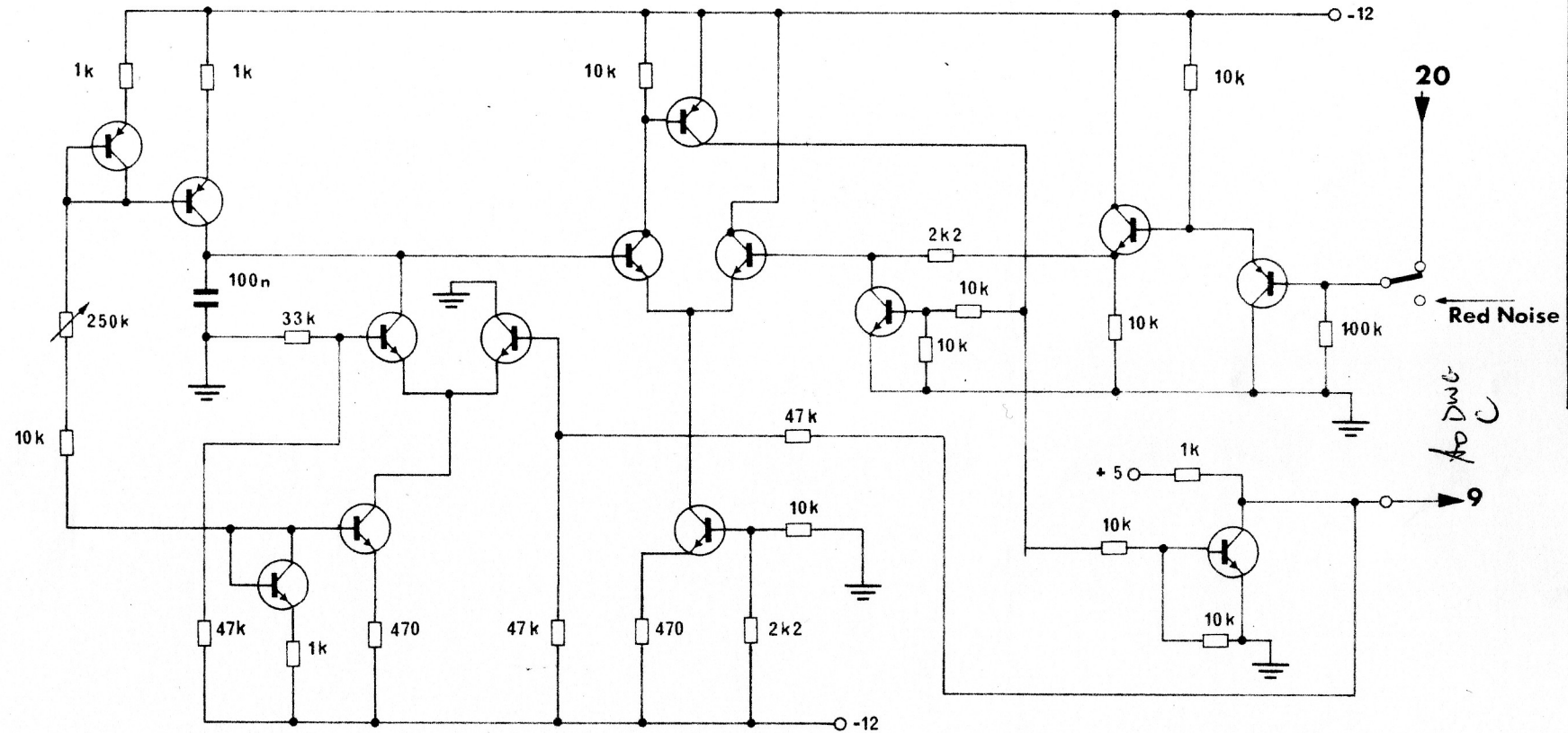
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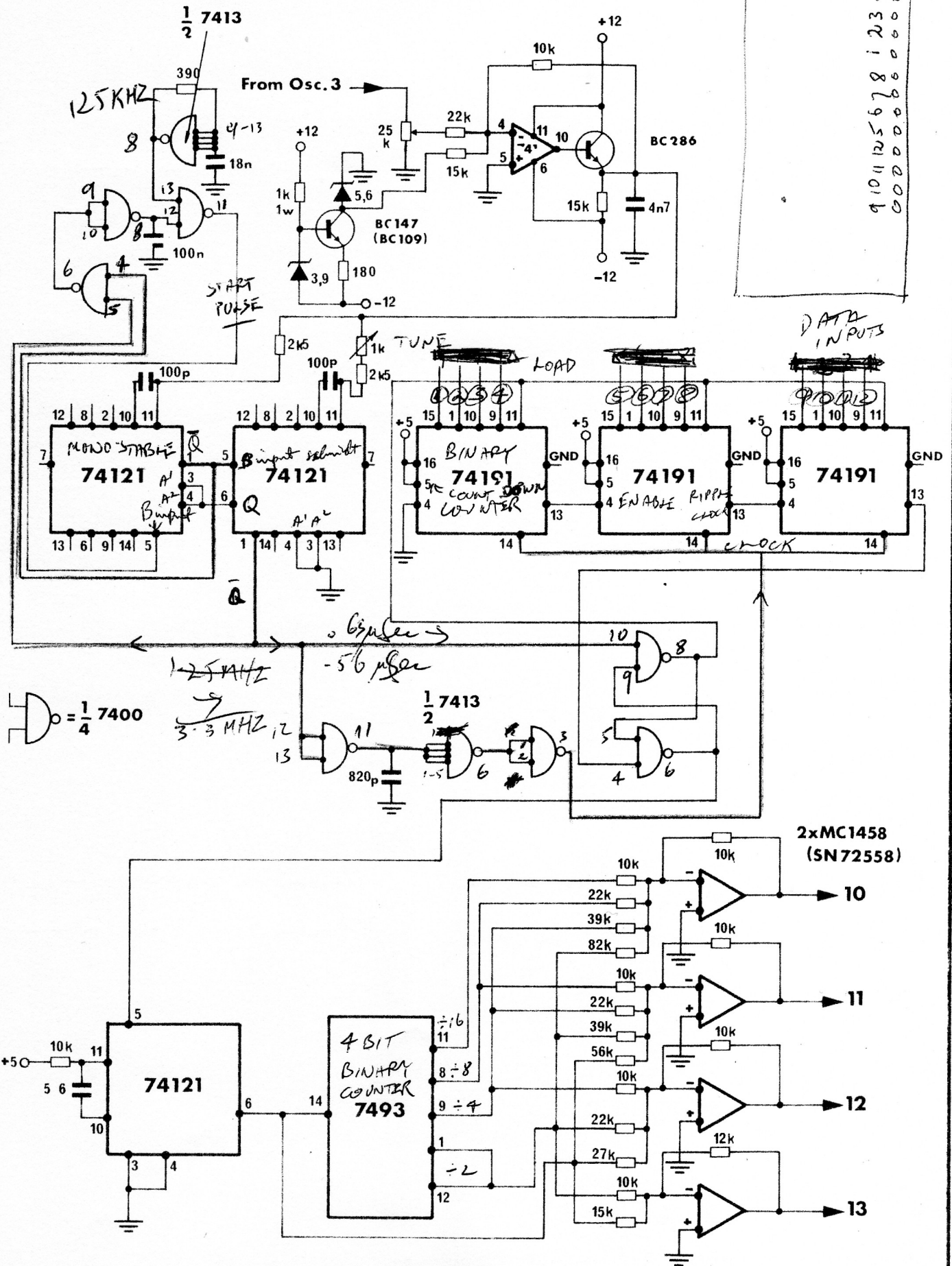
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All PNP = BC417 (BC153)
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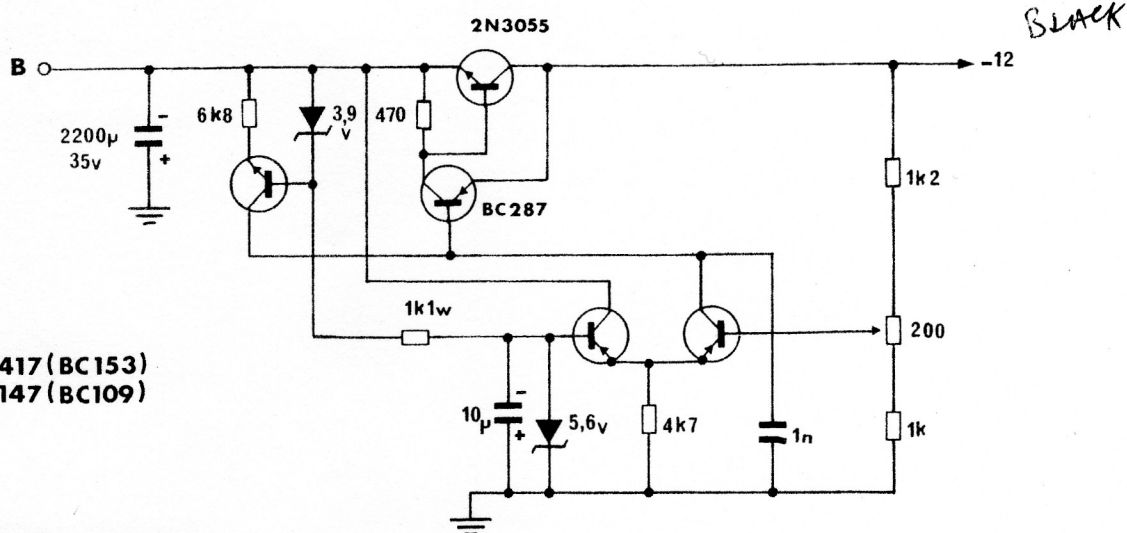
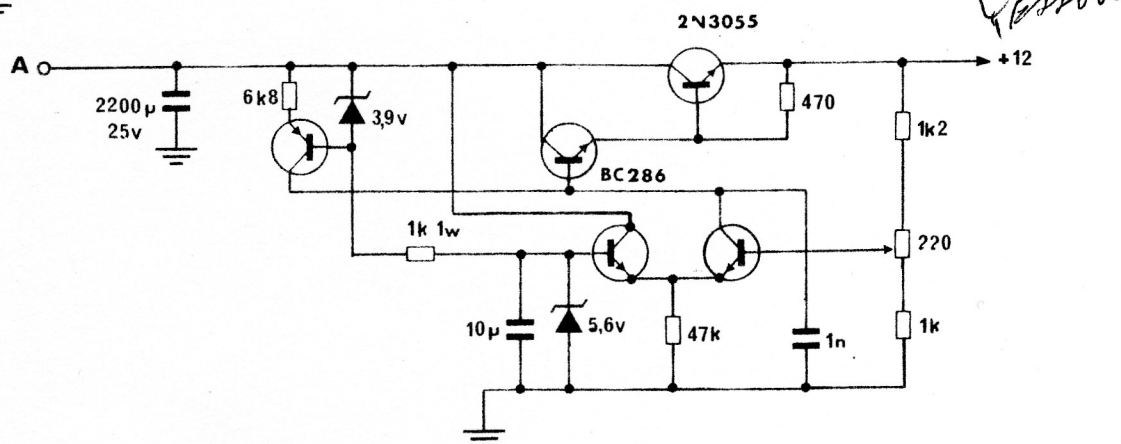
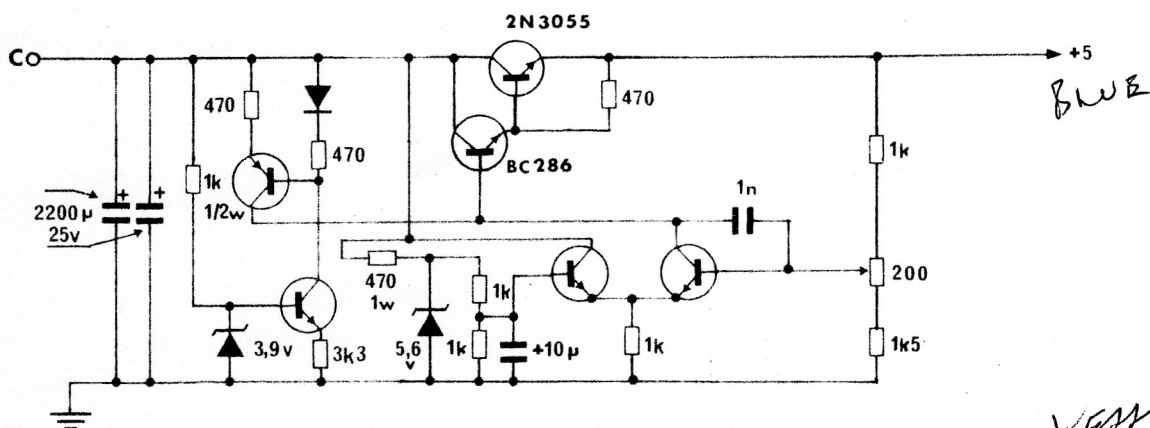
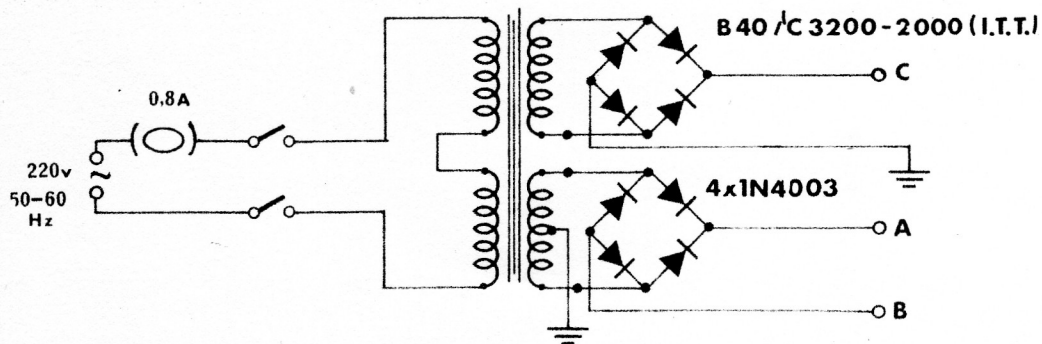
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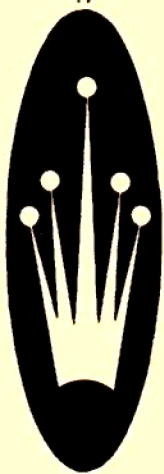
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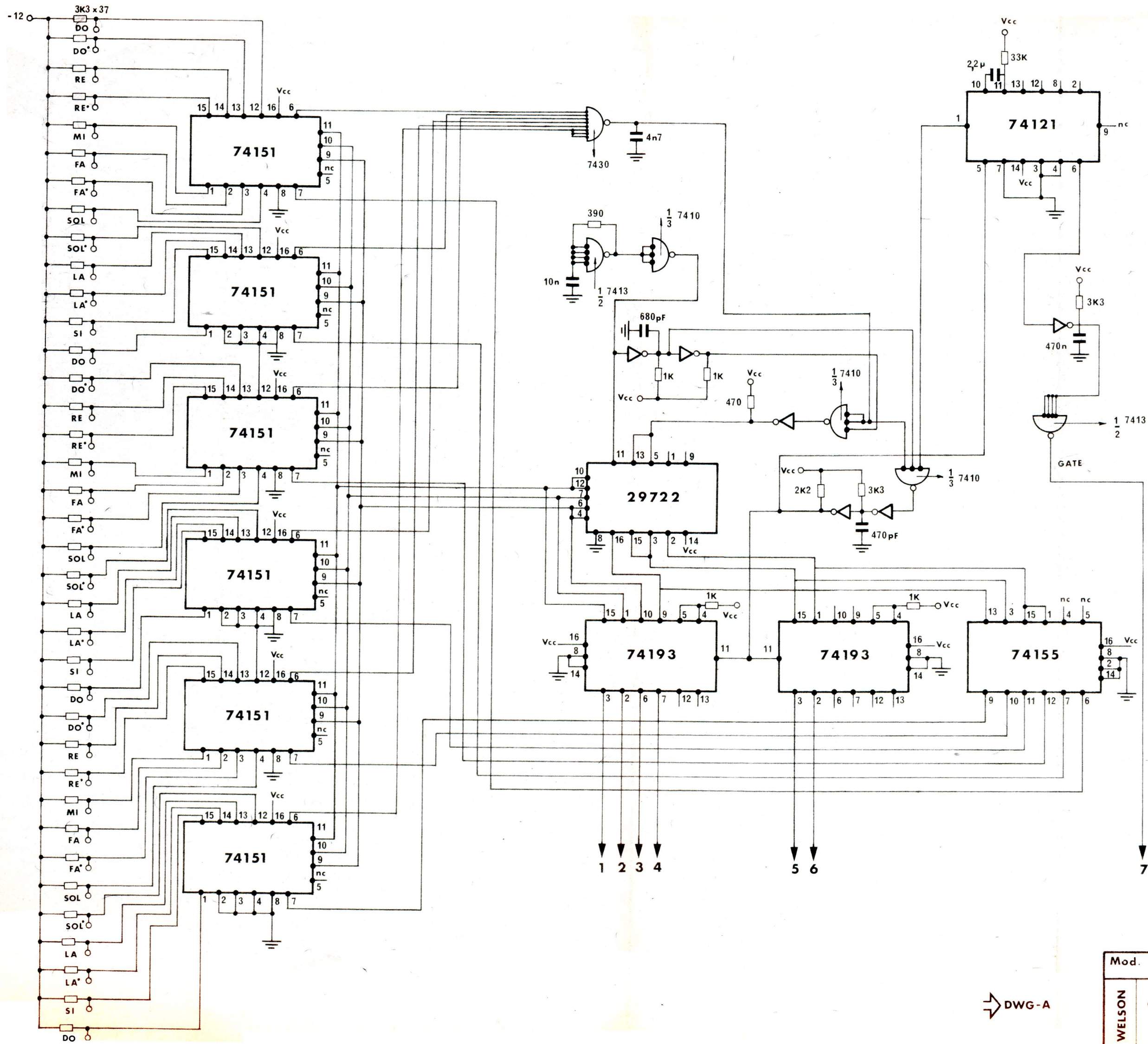
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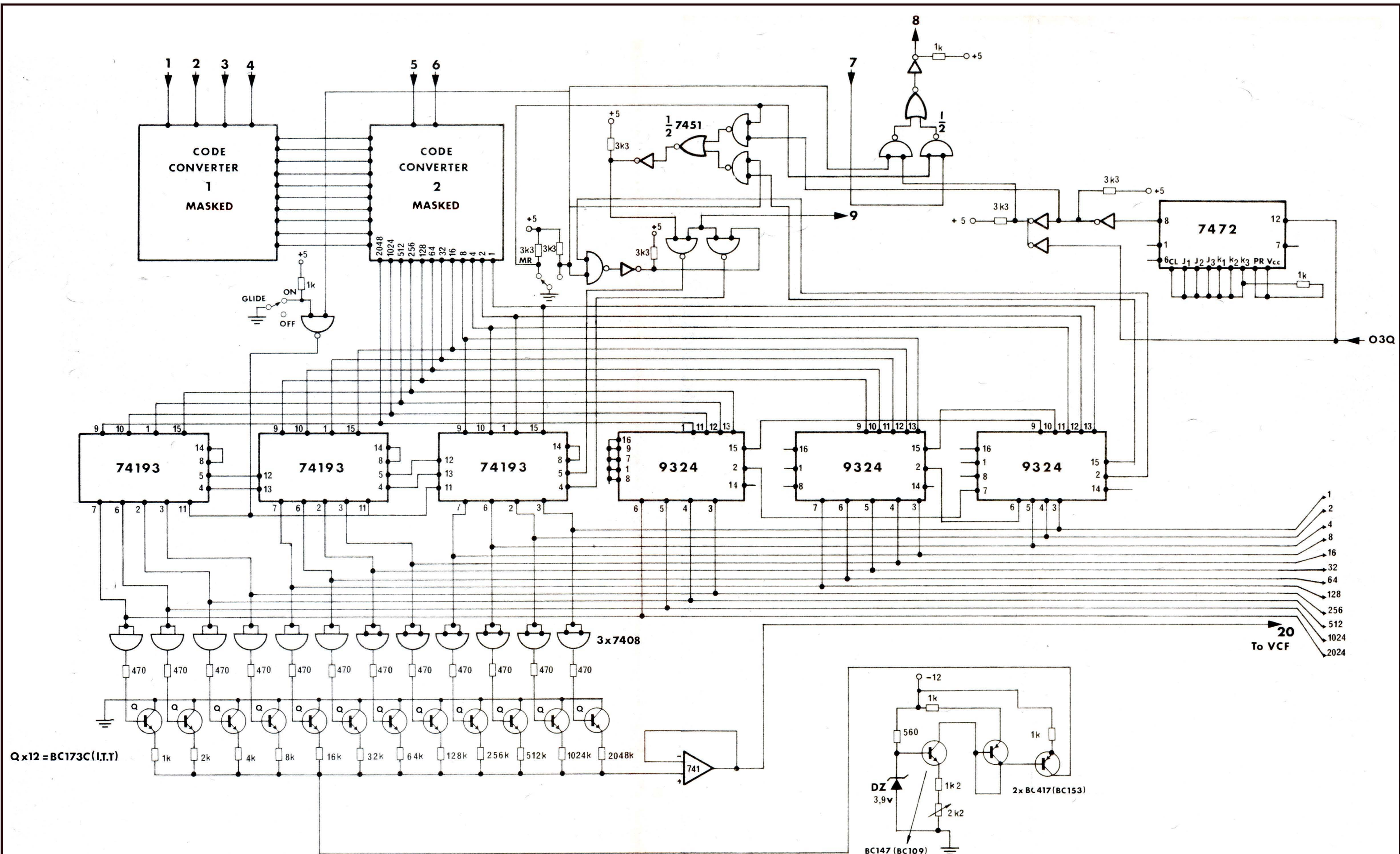


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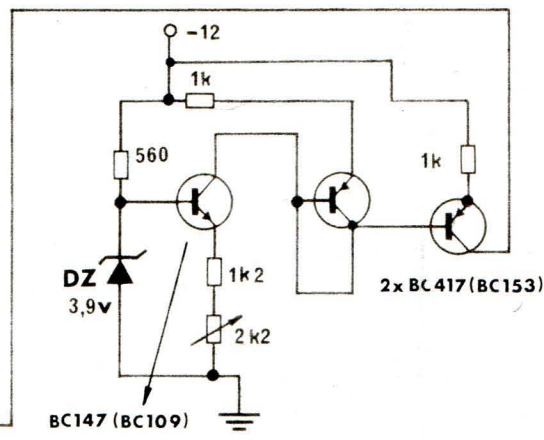
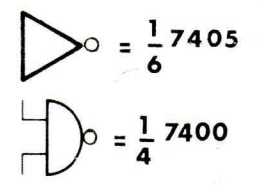
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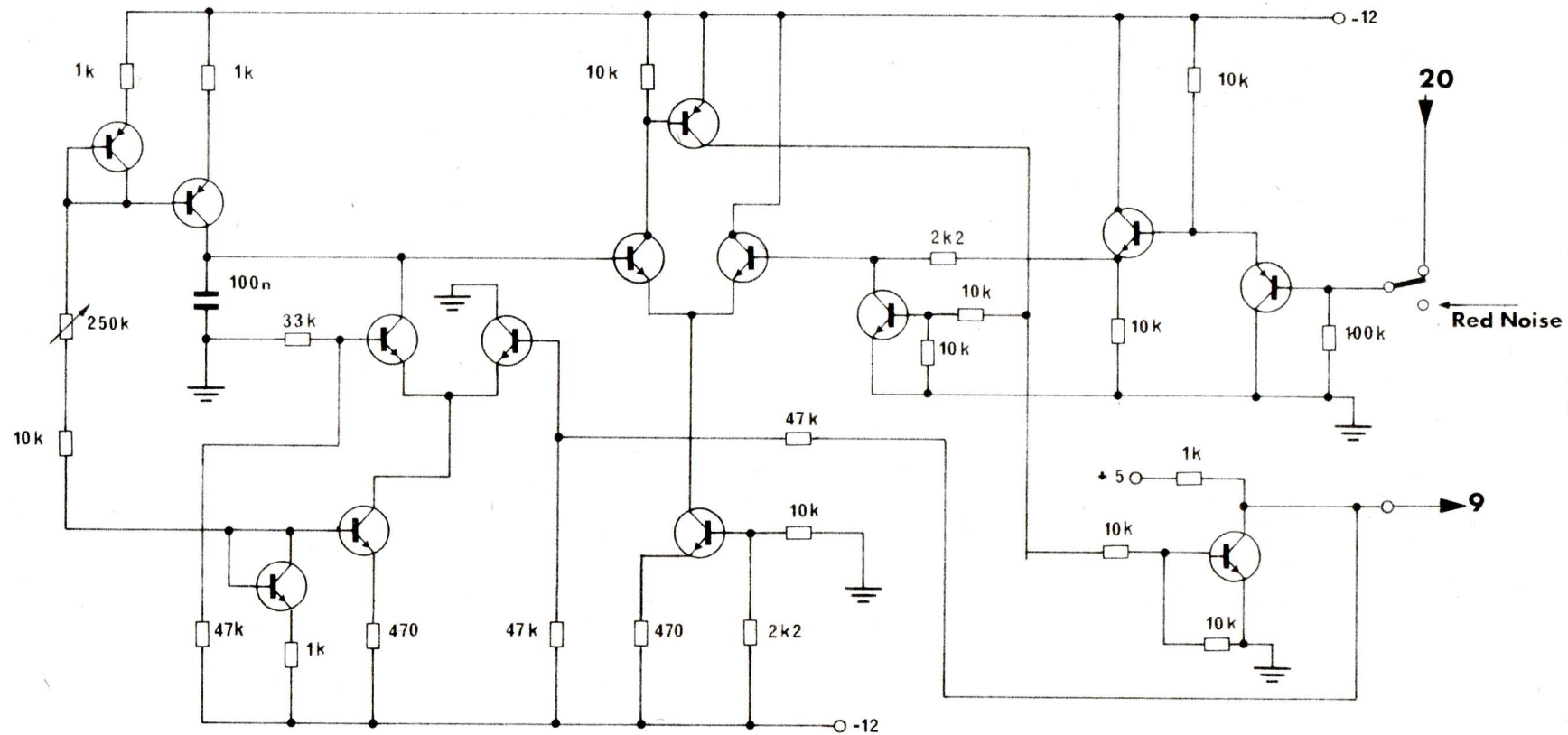
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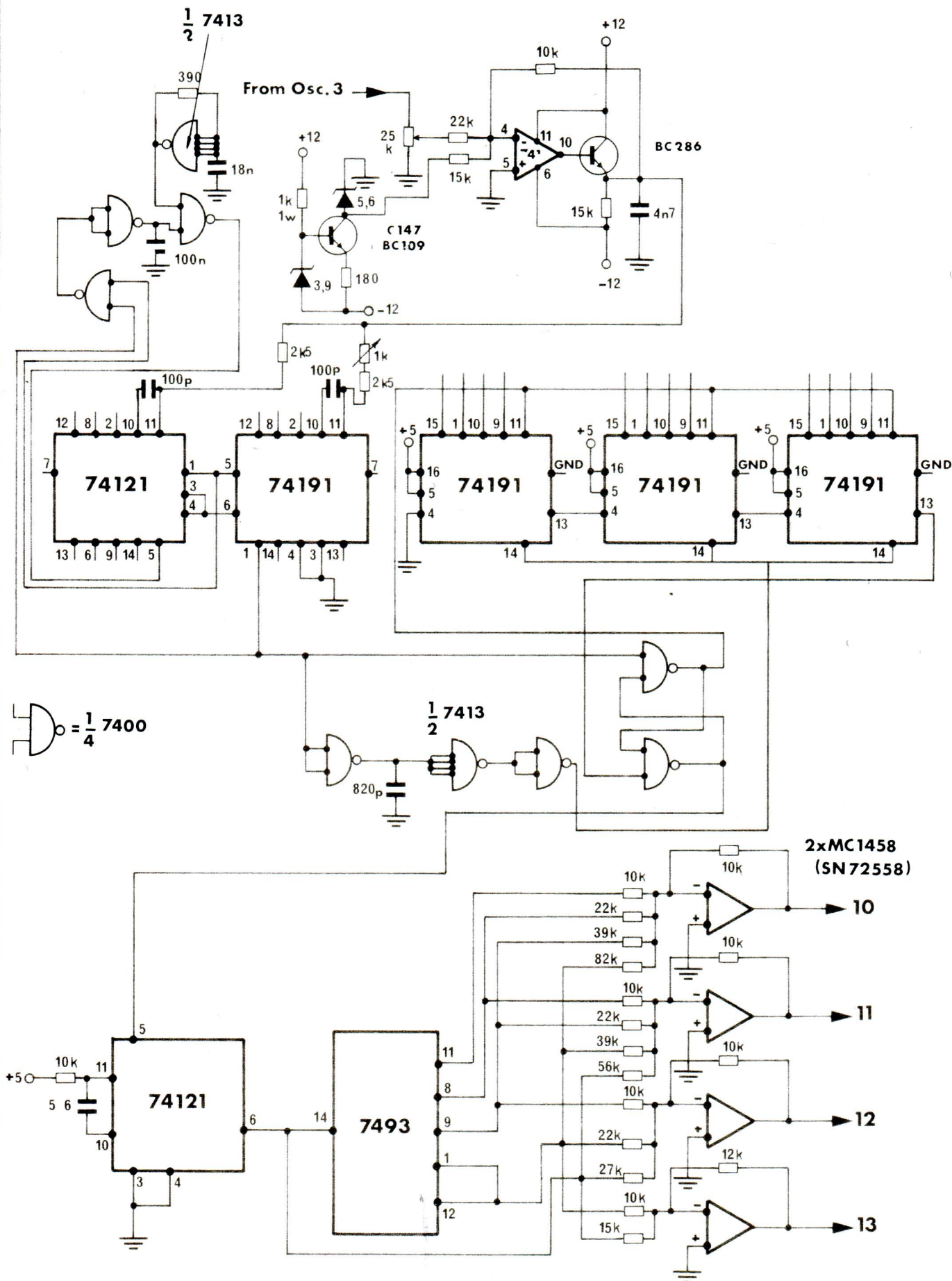
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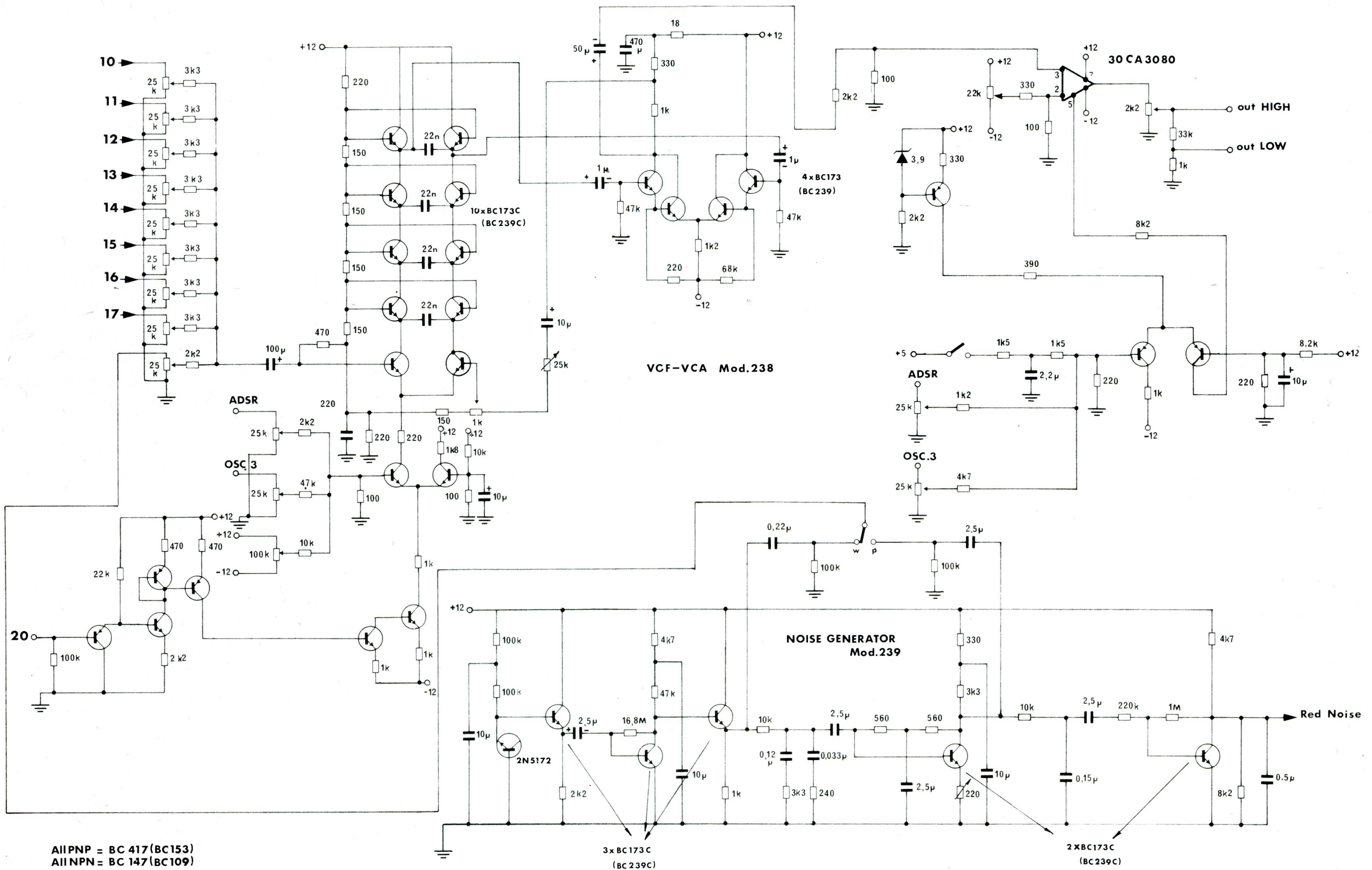
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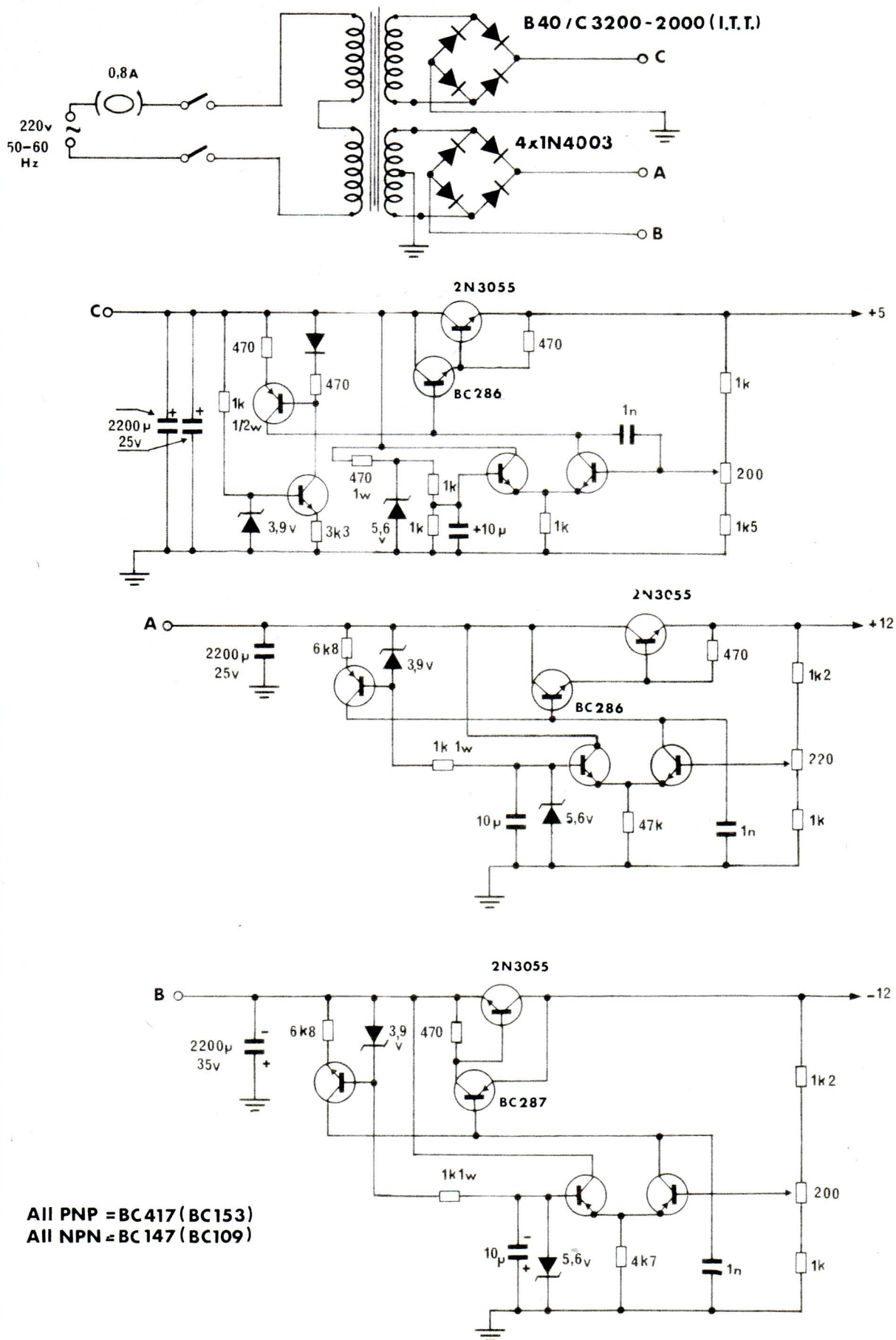
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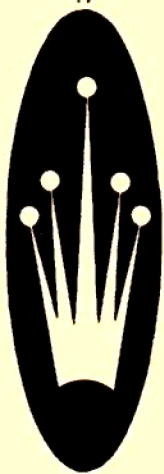


All PNP = BC417 (BC153)
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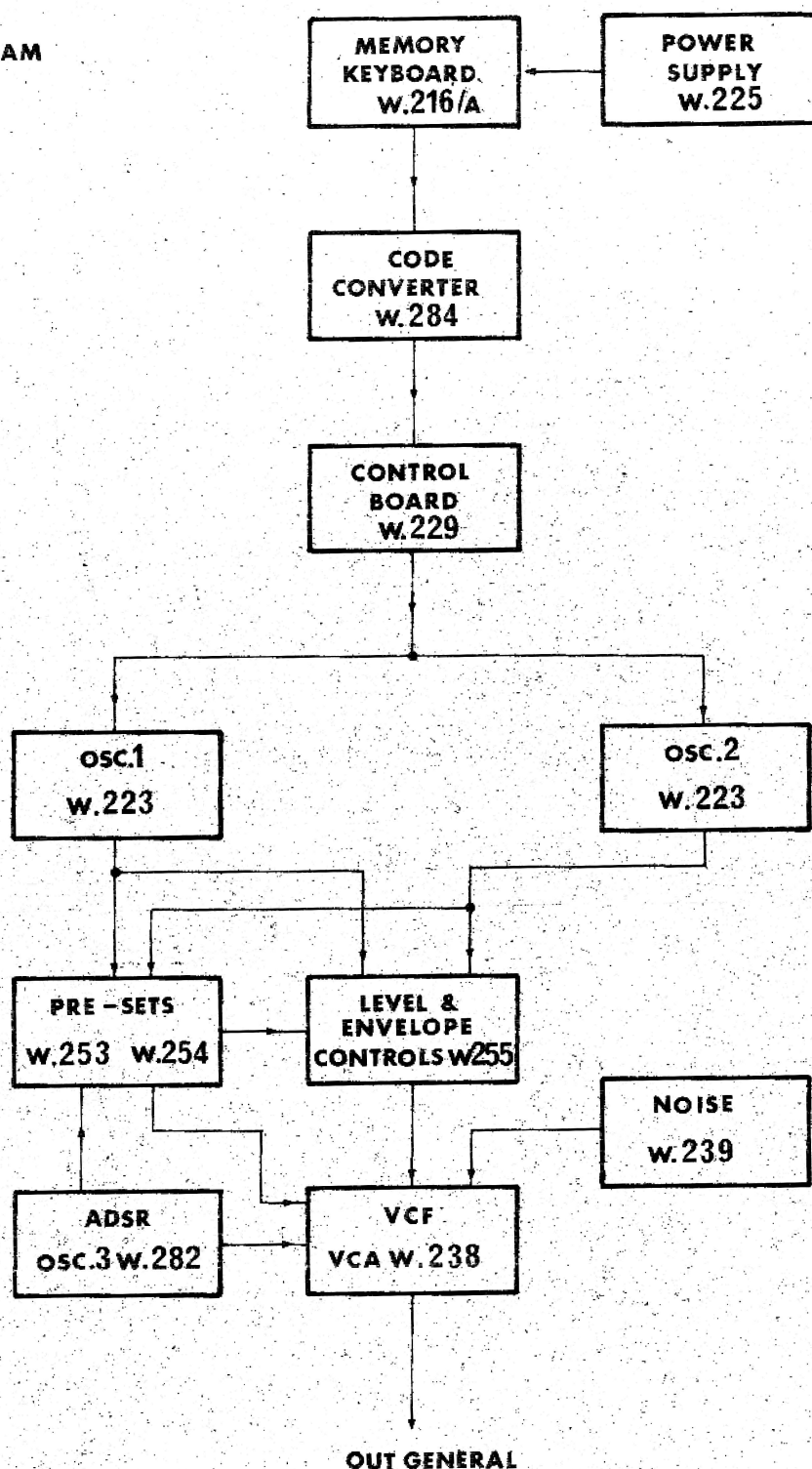
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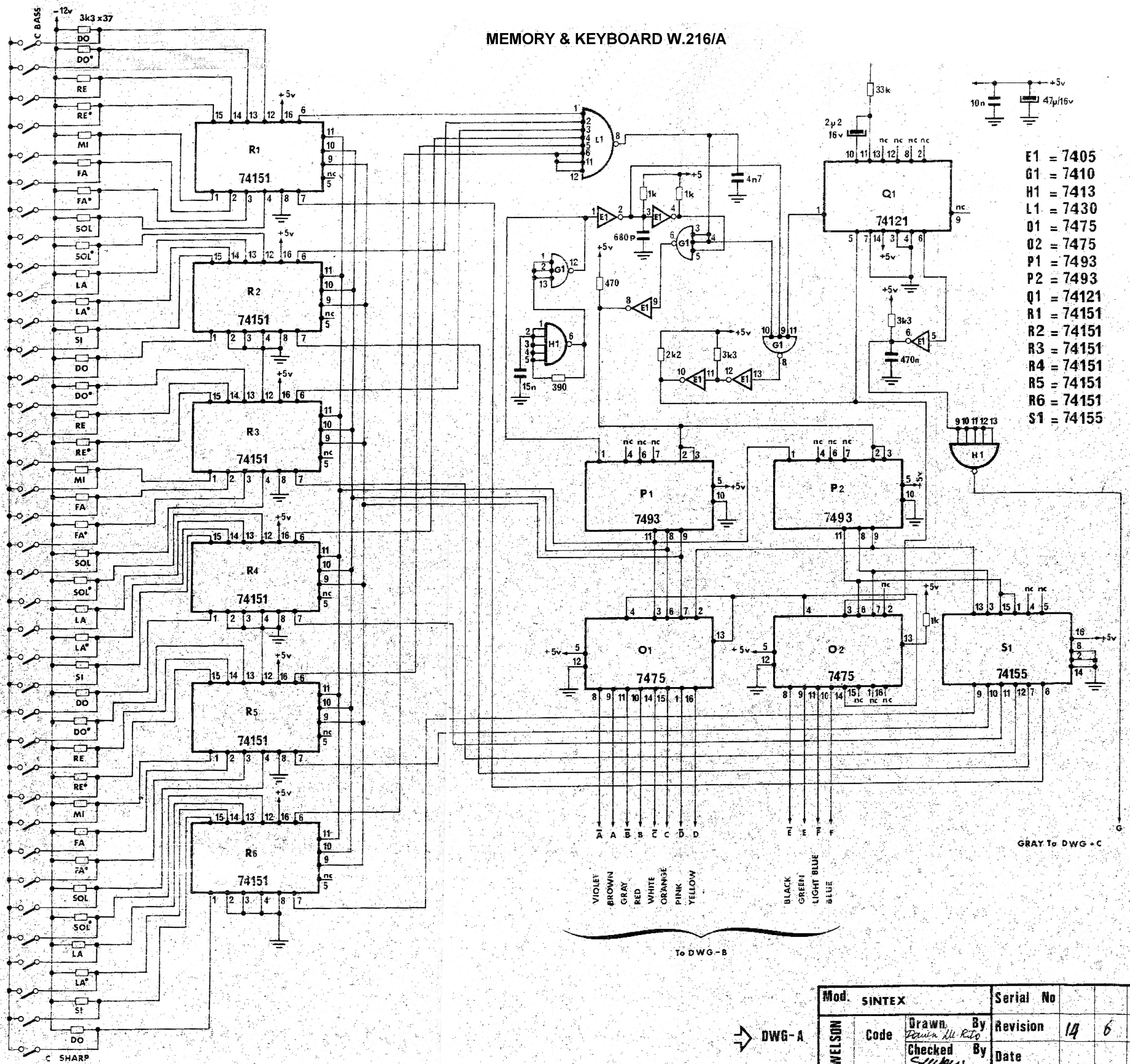
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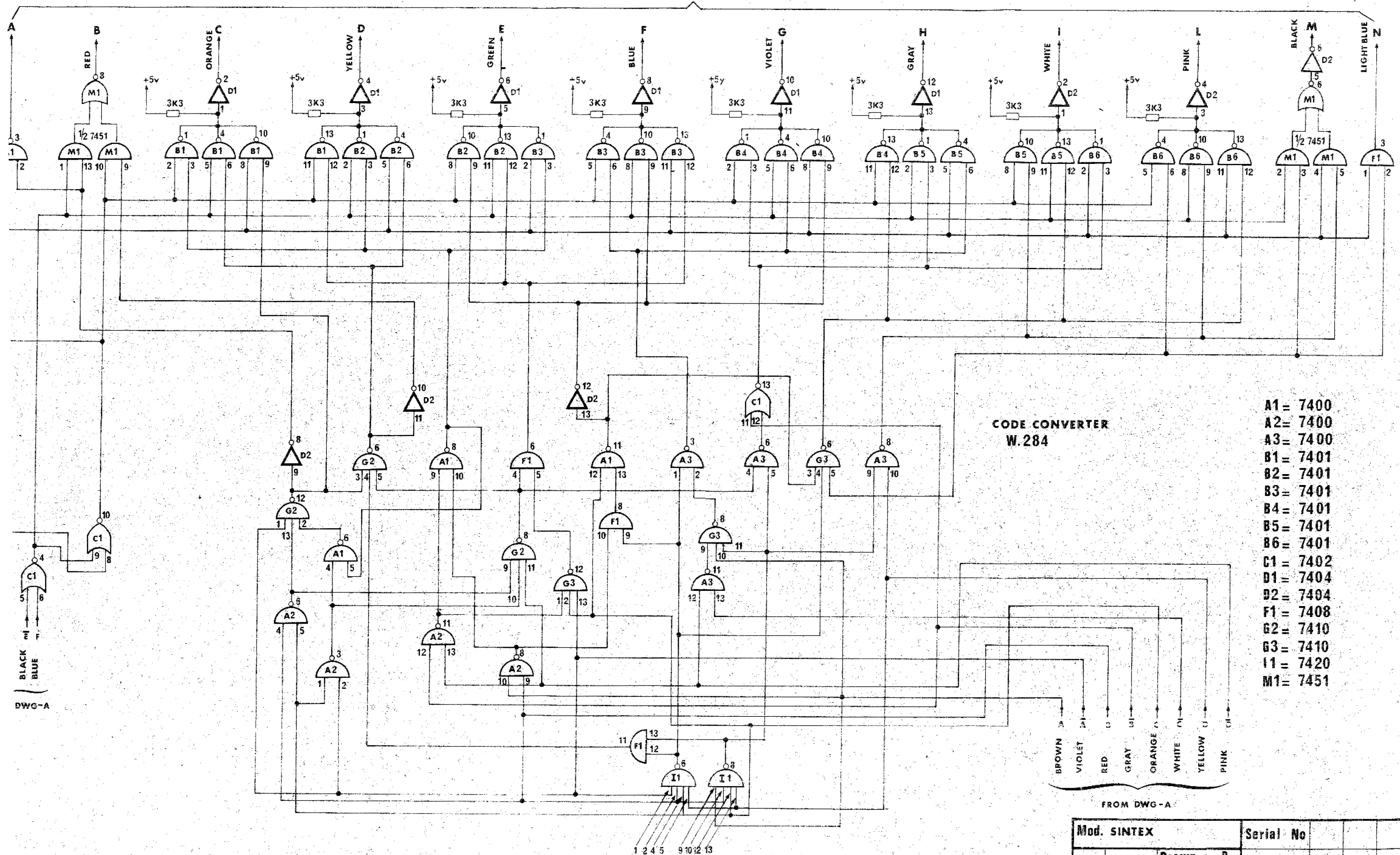


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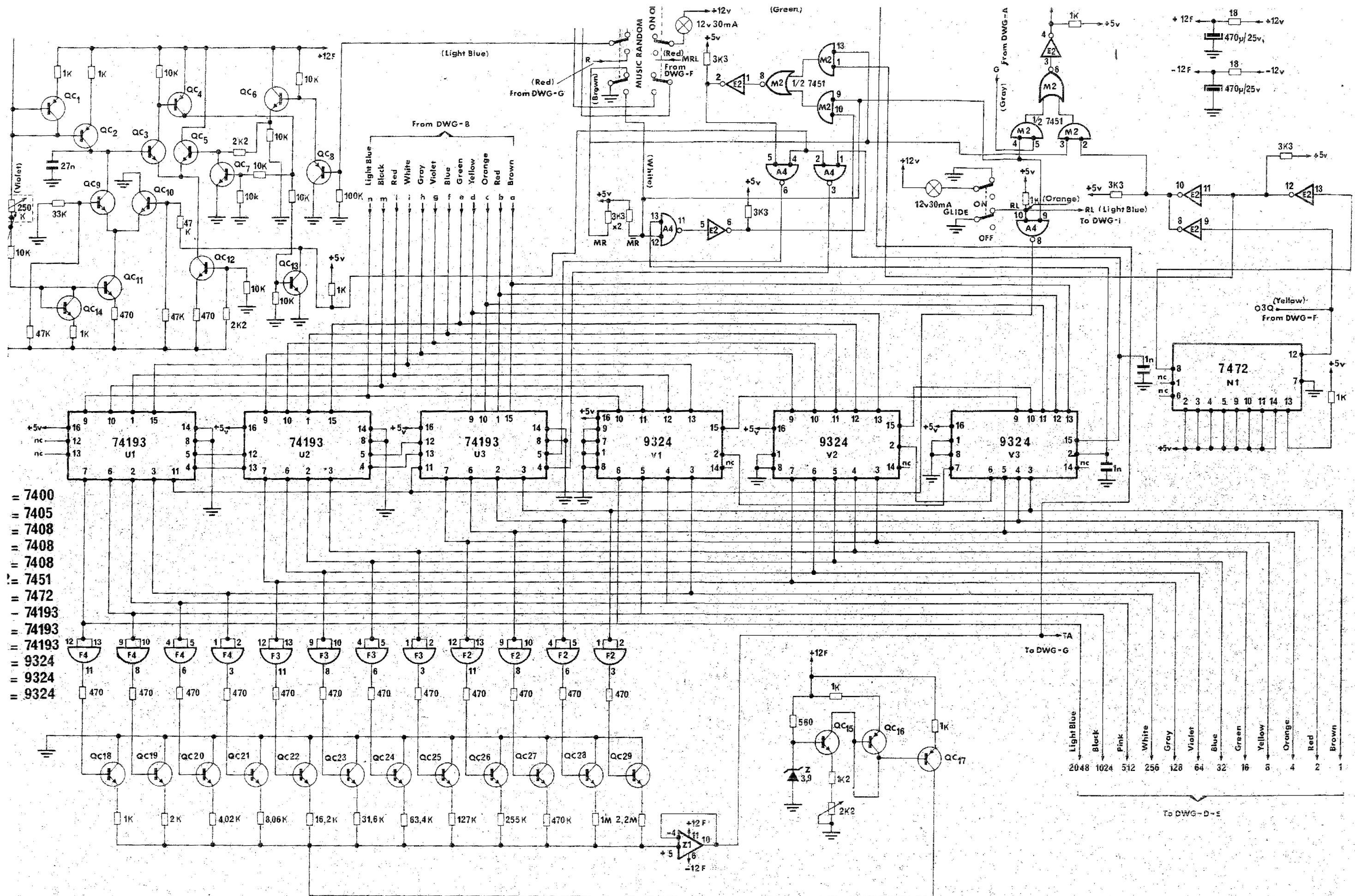
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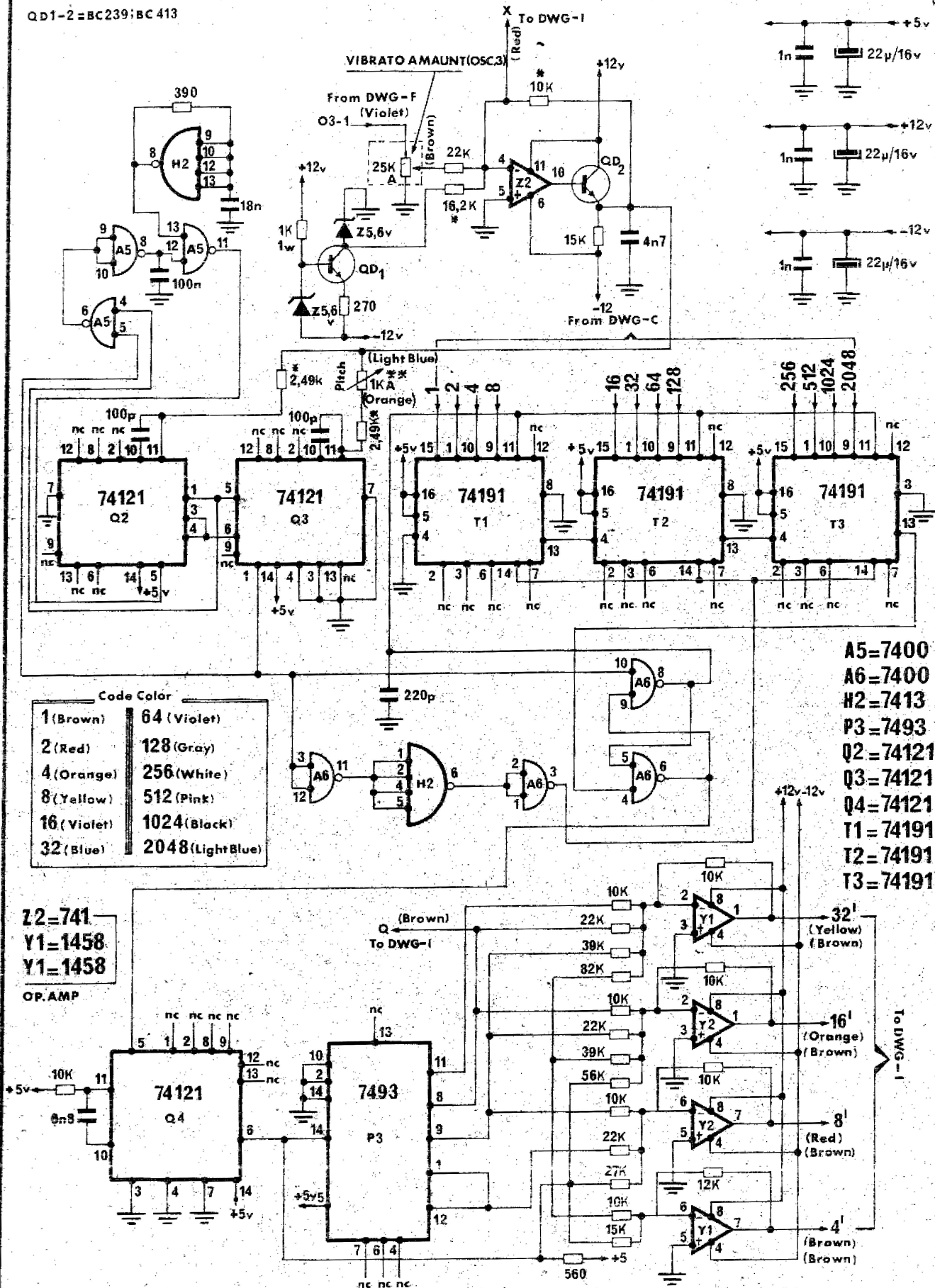
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Ⓦ = WIRE WOUND POTENTIOMETER

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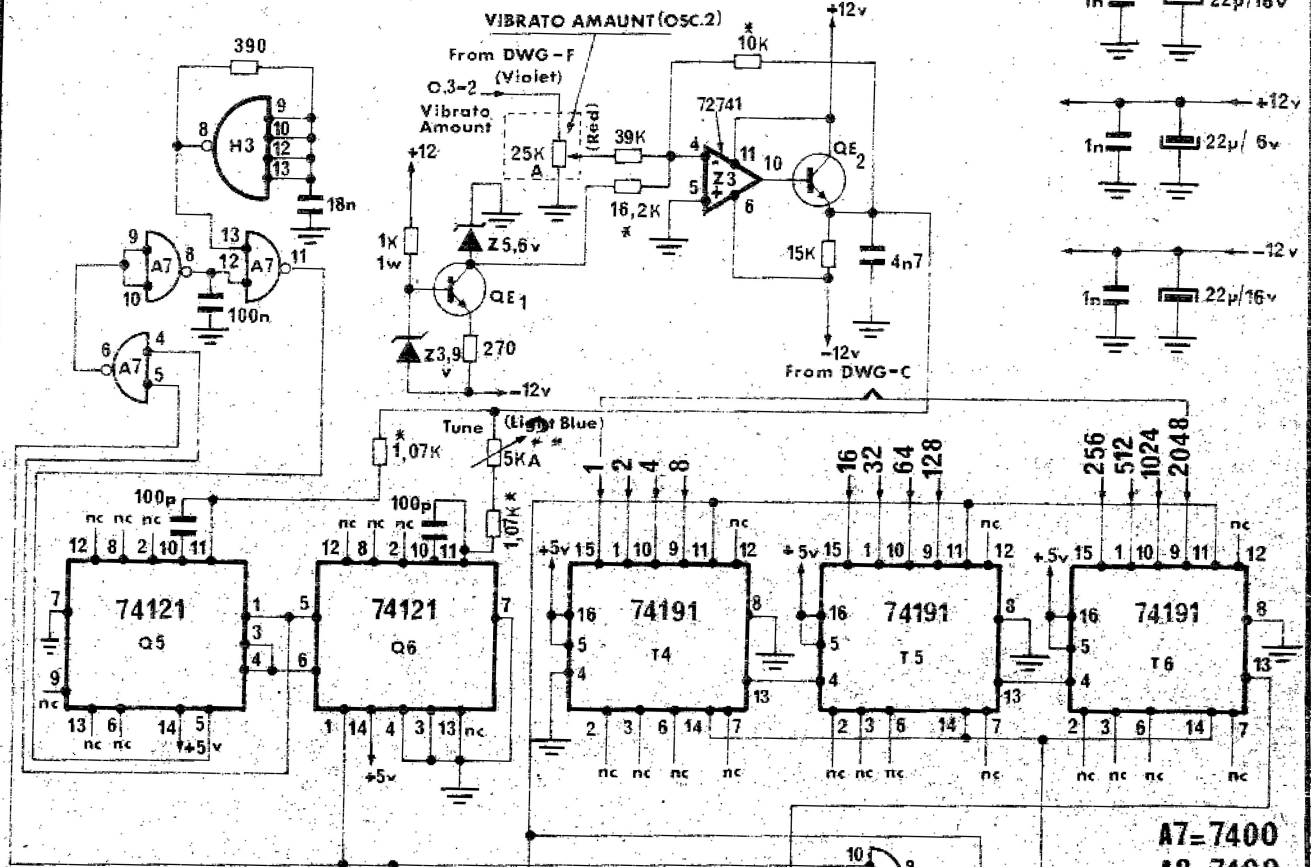
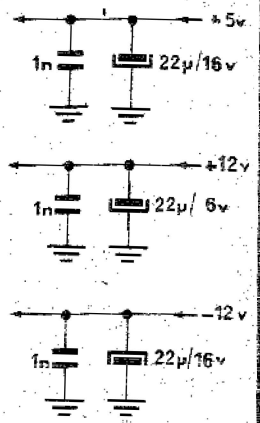
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QE2=BC 286

VIBRATO AMOUNT (OSC.2)



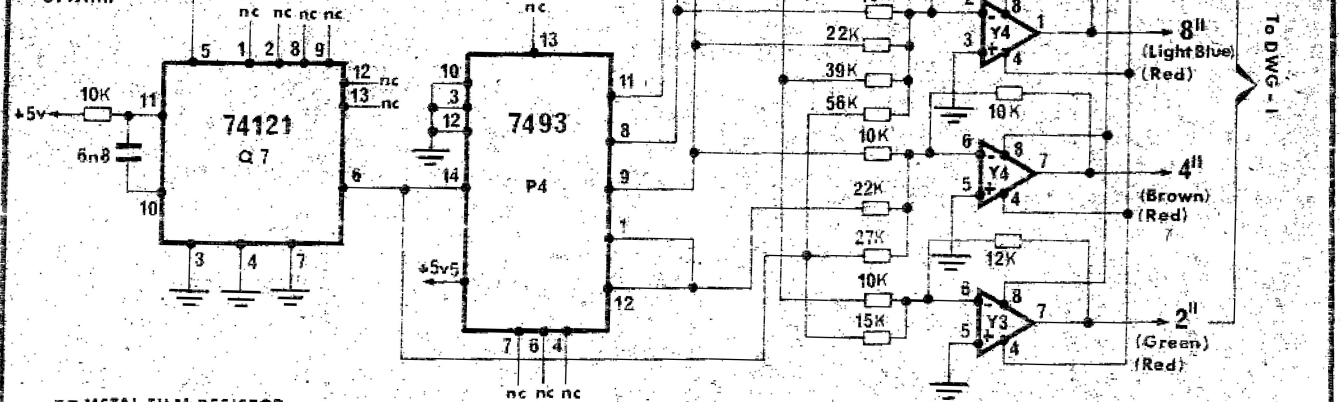
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32 (Blue)	2048 (Light Blue)

- A7=7400
- A8=7400
- H3=7413
- P4=7493
- Q5=74121
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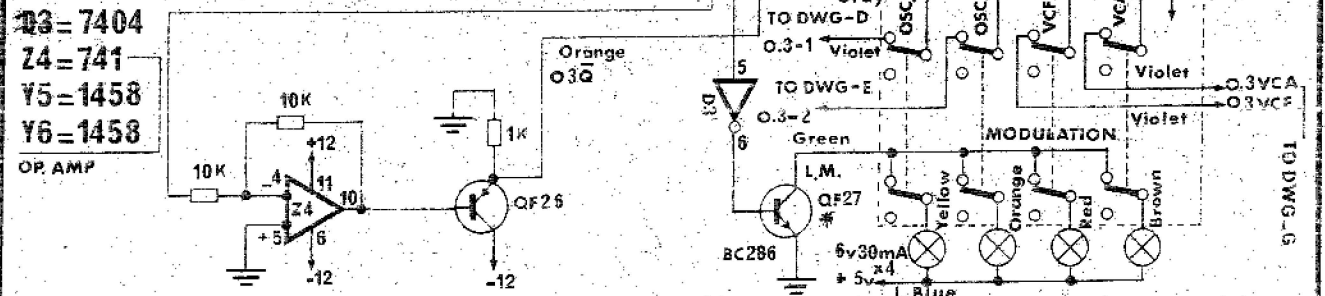
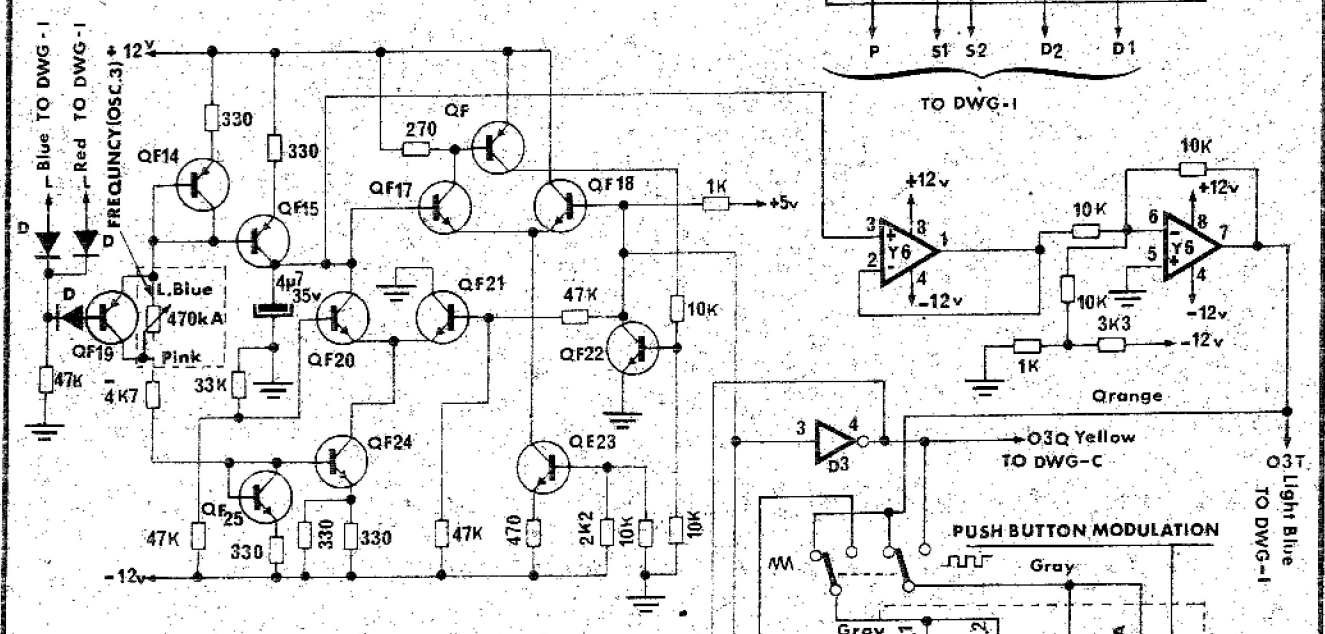
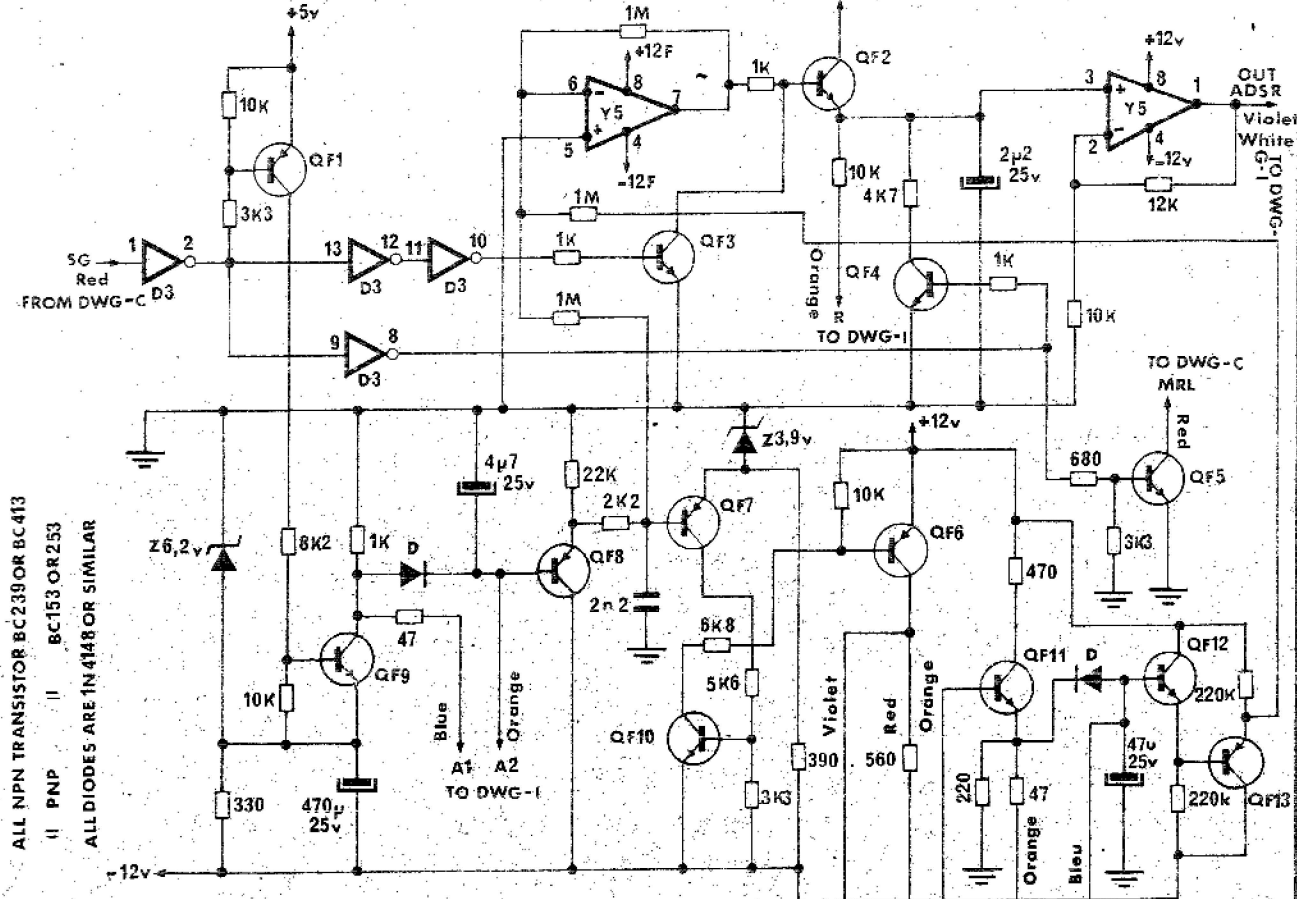
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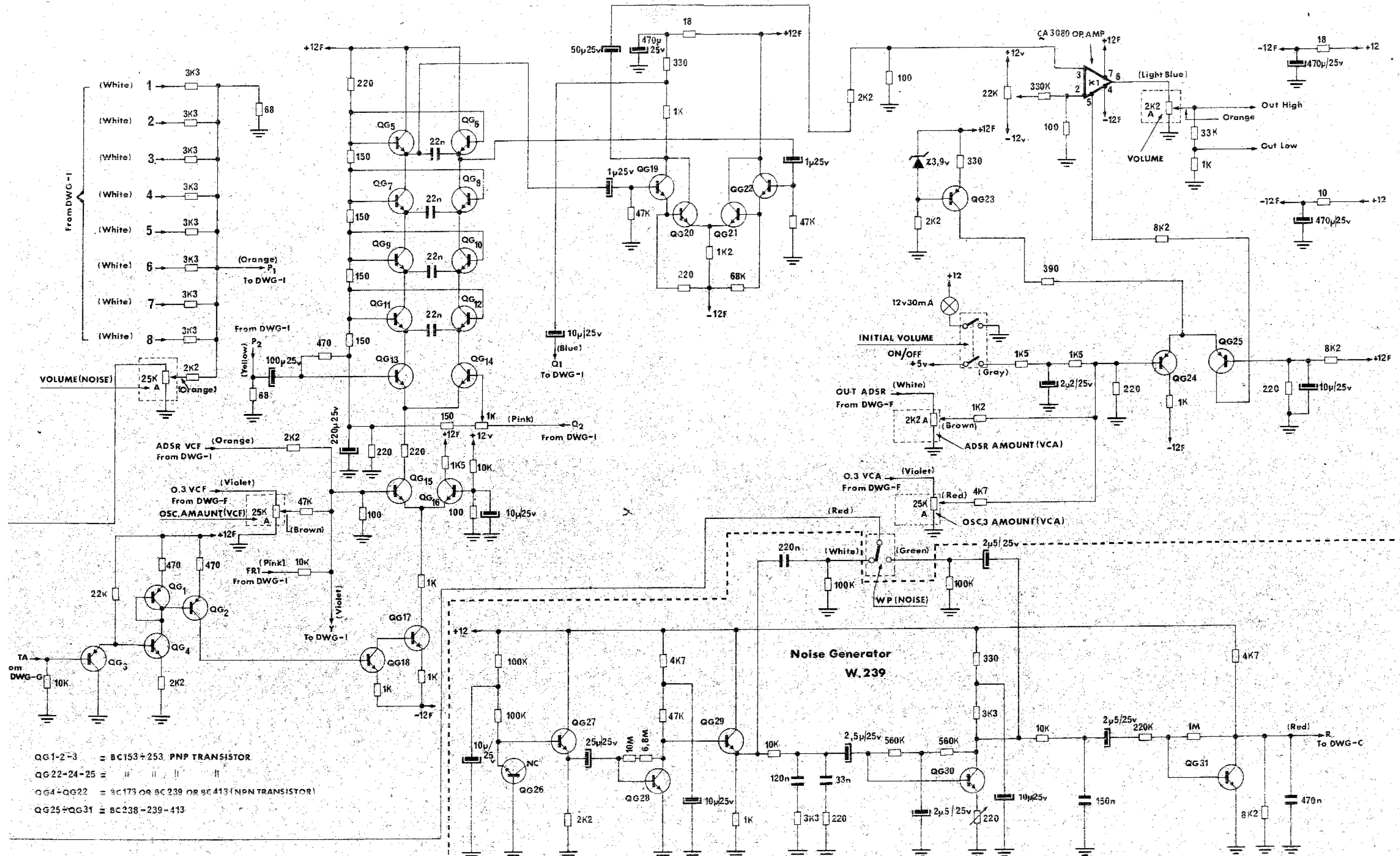


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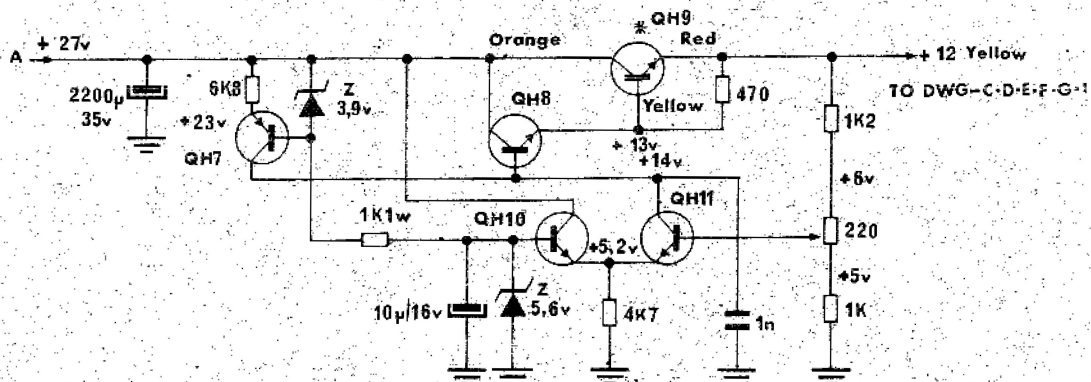
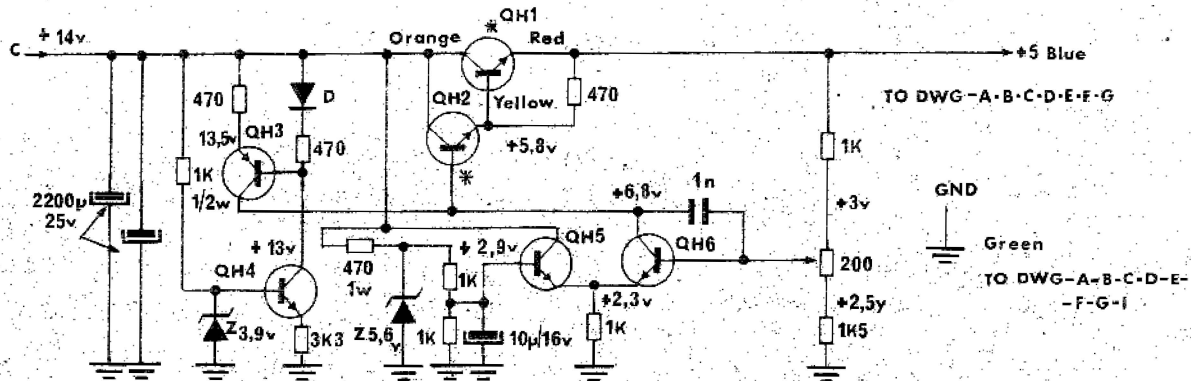
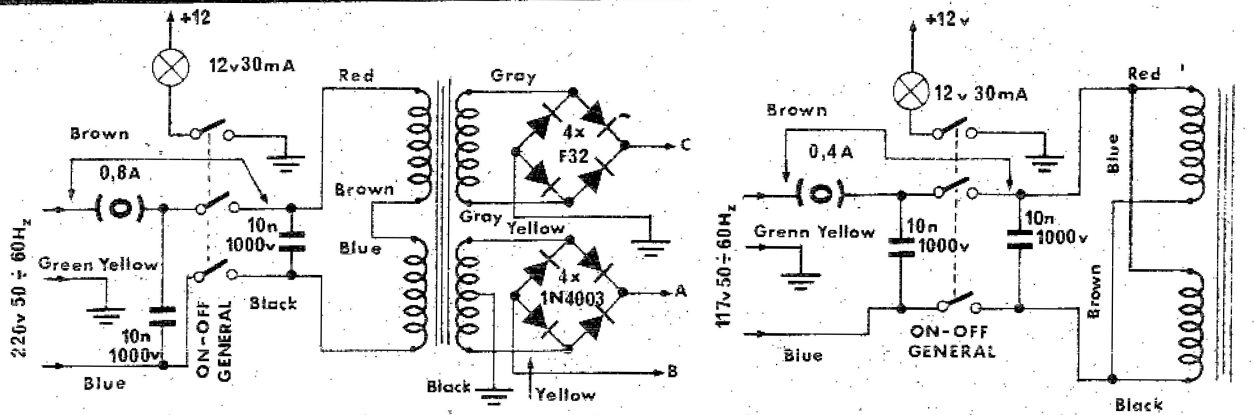
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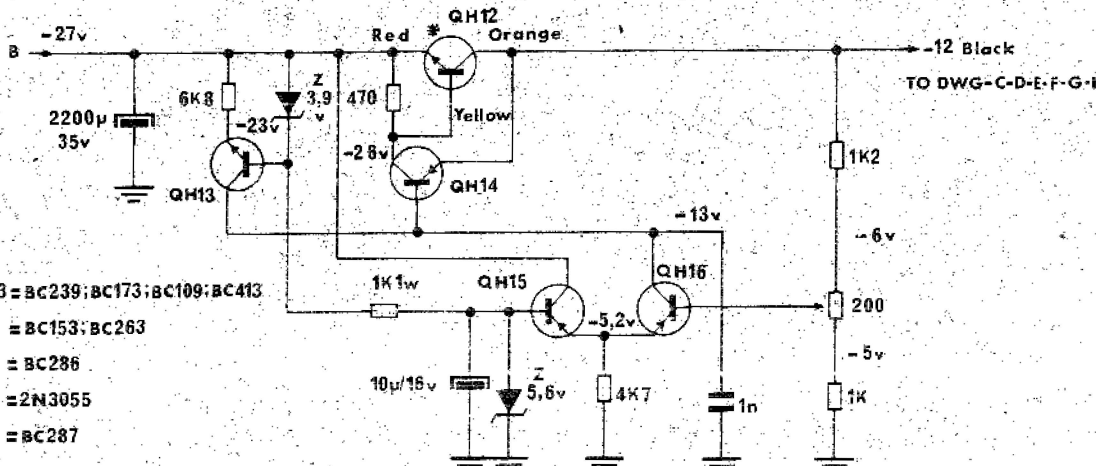
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- QH 4-5-6-10-11-13 = BC239; BC173; BC109; BC413
- QH3-7-15-16 = BC153; BC263
- QH2-8 = BC286
- QH1-9-12 = 2N3055
- QH14 = BC287

* TRANSISTOR ON METAL HEAT SINK

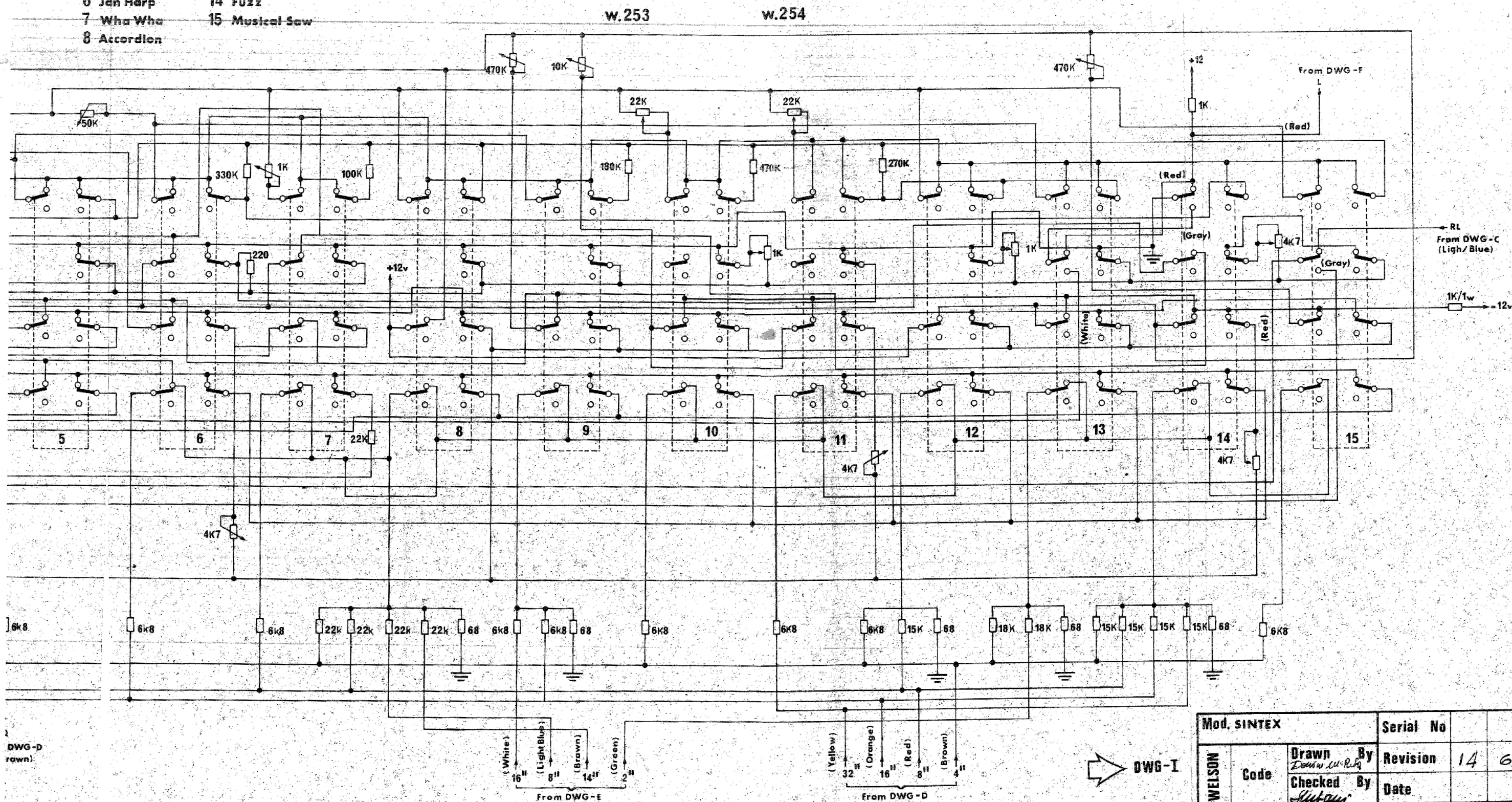
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|-----------------|----------------|
| 1 Flute | 9 Strings |
| 2 Trombone | 10 Xylophone |
| 3 Horn | 11 Bass Guitar |
| 4 Oboe | 12 Spinnet |
| 5 Bass Clarinet | 13 Space |
| 6 Jan Harp | 14 Fuzz |
| 7 Wha Wha | 15 Musical Saw |
| 8 Accordion | |

PRE-SETS CIRCUIT



DWG-D
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DWG-I

