# TRANSMITTER INPUT BAY BA13/513

The BA13/513 comprises the majority of video and sound input equipment, monitoring equipment and control equipment that is used with transmitting installations built to the UHF/77\* specification.

A complete bay comprises a number of the following units; the particular items fitted depend upon local requirements.

Post recommendation	
Monitoring Tone Detector	AM3/4B
Distribution Amplifier	AM4/519
Line Sending Amplifier	AM7/2A
U.H.F. Transmitter Demodulato	r DM1M/501
Low Pass Filter	FL4/33
Low Pass Filter	FL4/39
Fuse Panel	FR/7
Jackfield	JF3/504
Peak Programme Meter	ME12/4
Programme Failure Monitor	MN1/1A
Sync Pulse Monitor	MN1/502B
Field Sync Detector Unit	MN1/505
Line and Field Sync Monitor	MN1/508
Sound Automatic Monitor Mino	r MN2M/2
Television Automatic Monitor	
(Transmitter)	MN2M/505
Television Automatic Monitor	
Minor	MN2M/508
Oscillator	OS2/31
Transmitter Control Panel	PA6/523
Mains Distribution Panel	PA9/5

PA9/510

PA17/525

PS2/49

PS2/68

PS3/27

Distribution Panel

Power Supplier

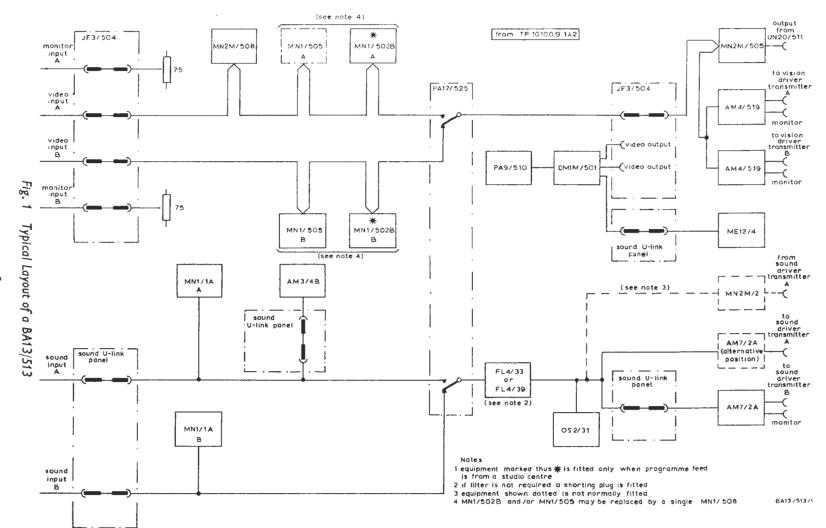
Power Supplier

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Change-over Relay Panel

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## Programme and Monitoring Chain

Fig. 1 shows all the usual video-and-sound programme input and monitoring equipment that can be fitted. Normally the video and sound A-chains are selected for use by means of the Change-over Relay Panel PA17/525. The selection is controlled by (a) line- and field-sync pulse detectors, MN1/502B and MN1/505 respectively, across the video inputs and (b) programme failure monitors, MN1/1A, across the sound signal inputs.

When a composite video signal appears on the A-chain, relay RLA, in the Transmitter Control Panel PA6/523, is energised via relay contacts in the sync-pulse detectors and in a Television Automatic Monitor MN2M/508.

Relay RLA controls relays RLa and RLb, in the PA17/525, which switch the A-video signal to the inputs of the two AM4/519 video amplifiers to feed the associated driver transmitters. The output from the PA17/525 provides also a reference signal for a Television Monitor (Transmitter) MN2M/505. If the A-video signal fails, change-over relays in the PA17/525 cannot operate unless there is a video signal present on the B-chain. When the B-video signal is present, relay RLB, in the PA6/523, is energised and prepares the PA17/525 for a change-over if required.

The sound signal change-over system is similar to that used for the video chain. When a signal is present on the sound A-chain the MN1/1A operates to complete a circuit to energise relay RLC, in the PA6/523, and relays RLe, RLf and RLg in the PA17/525. If the sound signal is derived from an r.b.r. relay RLC is not energised unless the level of the incoming carrier is sufficient to energise a carrier sensing relay in the receiver. Relay RLD in the PA6/523 is energised upon receipt of a signal on the B-sound chain. The sound signal output from the PA17/525 is used to feed one driver transmitter directly and the other via an AM7/2A amplifier.

A 23-kHz monitoring tone at a level of -30 dB is usually superimposed on the outgoing sound signal. This tone is injected at the output of the PA17/525 from an OS2/31 oscillator. If monitoring tone is superimposed on the incoming sound signal it is necessary to suppress it before superimposing the local 23 kHz. This suppression is done by the use of a filter, either an FL4/33 or an FL4/39. The FL4/39, which has a higher insertion loss than the FL4/39, is used to suppress all tones higher in frequency than 18.5 kHz. The FL4/39 suppresses 23-kHz tone only.

Normally either the A- or B-video and the A- or B-sound inputs can be used independently, the A-chain being preferred. If the A- and B-feeds originate from different sources the change-over system must be arranged to ensure that the video and sound signals are taken from one chain only. This is achieved by altering connections to terminal block TBE, as detailed in Table 1, and across relay contact RLC-7 in the PA6/523.

In certain circumstances self oscillation of r.b.r. systems can occur and it is necessary to use a 23-kHz tone detector, type AM3/4B, to lock the PA17/525 to the B-chain until the 23-kHz tone on the A-chain is restored. There is then a few seconds delay before the change-over relays operate because the operation of relay RLj in the PA17/525 is purposely delayed. When an AM3/4B is fitted, shorting straps which are normally across RLa-1 and RLe-1 in the PA17/525 must be removed.

#### Choice of Video Monitoring Equipment

Monitoring equipment differs according to local circumstances. The three most common arrangements are:

- (a) A- and B-video feeds from line:A-chain—MN1/502B and MN2M/508B-chain—MN1/502B and MN1/505
- (b) A-video feed from line and B-video feed from an r.b.r.

A-chain—MN1/502B and MN2M/508

B-chain—MN1/505

(c) A- and B-video feeds from an r.b.r. or an s.h.f. link

A-chain—MN2M/508

B-chain—MN1/505

Where a particular unit is absent a shorting connection is made on the appropriate terminal block. Later versions of the bay may have the MN1/502B and MN1/505 monitors replaced by a single MN1/508.

#### **Automatic Control**

Change-over of the associated driver transmitters and start up or close down of the r.f. amplifiers is controlled by the PA6/523. Assuming that the video and sound change-over circuits are not locked together as described previously the amplifiers start when either A- or B-video signals and A- or B-sound signals are received. Amplifier closedown is initiated by the loss of A- and B-field sync pulses. The amplifiers then switch off when their internal timers have run down unless the field sync pulses return in the meantime.

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When the amplifiers are radiating normally the vision transmission is monitored by a Television Automatic Monitor (Transmitter) MN2M/505. If the monitor judges that the detected output of the vision amplifier is not, within limits, the same as the output of the PA17/525, relay RLQ in the PA6/523 is de-energised. This causes a driver transmitter and r.f. amplifier change-over to the low-power condition. The change-over takes place, if the fault does not clear in the meantime, after a delay of approximately 30 seconds. The delay is incorporated in the r.f. amplifier control circuits.

If serious incoming faults such as high signal level or large amplitude impulsive interference occur the executive action of the MN2M/505 is inhibited, by relay contact RLA-2 in the PA6/523. This is necessary to prevent a change-over operation which might be due solely to limiting in the amplifiers or operation of clamp circuits in the driver transmitters and in the monitor.

A Sound Automatic Monitor Minor MN2M/2, to compare the input and output of the sound amplifier, can be fitted to the bay but is not usually installed.

### **Bay Wiring**

External connections are made to the BA13/513 via 15 twelve-way terminal blocks which are mounted in a tray at the rear of the bay. The connections between the external circuits and the component parts of the BA13/513 are detailed in Table 1 and Figs. 2, 3 and 4. References to PLA and PLB are concerned with two 33-way plugs on the PA6/523. Connections to these plugs are detailed in Table 2.

In some instances it is necessary to switch both mains and 50-volt supplies at the same time. This is achieved by taking certain bay wiring via auxiliary contacts of fuse-switches on the associated 415-volt switchboard.

Table 1
Bay Block Interconnections

Tern blo		From or to		Duty	To or from		Remarks	
			Pin			Pin		
	1	FR/7	F1	Prog V (A)	TBF	4	}_50 V	
	2	TBF	1	Prog V (A)	PLA	13	J-30 V	
	3	FR/7	F2	Prog S (A)	TBF	7	50.1/	
	4	TBF	5	Prog S (A)	PLA	14	-50  V	
	5	FR/7	F3	For PA17/525	TBE	12	-50 V	
TBA	6	TBE	6	Main Chain On	PLA	15	-50 V	
	7	FR/7	F4	For	TBA	8		
	8	ТВА	7	Amplifier on circuits	PLA PLB	1 1	$\left  \right ^{-50} \text{ V}$	
	9	FR/7	F5	DE Out (Main)	TBL	10	50 V, via 415-V	
	10	TBL	10	RF Out (Main)	PLA	16	switchboard and carrier fail detectors	
	11	FR/7	F6	Serial to Auto	TBL	11	-50 V, via 415-V switchboard, power	
	12	TBL	11	Switch to Auto	PLA	17	control and amplifier circuits	

Table 1 (continued)

	ninal ock	From or to		Duty	To or from	Remarks	
			Pin			Pin	
	1	FR/7	F7	h	MN2M/505	1	50.4
	2	MN2M/505	2	Video Modulation	PLA	18	}-50 V
	3	FR/7	F8	Saura Madulation	MN2M/2		Not normally year
	4	MN2M/2		Sound Modulation	PLA	19	Not normally used
	5	FR/7	F9	Water level	Water level ccts		-50 V
TBB	6	Water level ccts		water level	PLA	20	-30 V
	7	FR/7	F10	Spare			-50 V
	8			Spare	PLA	28	
	9	FR/7	F11	Prog V (B)	TBF	10	}-50 V
	10	TBF	8	Frog V (B)	PLB	13	J - 30 V
	11	FR/7	F12	Prog S (B)	B-MN1/1A	9	}_50 V
	12	B-MN1/1A	8		PLB	14	J 30 V
	1	FR/7	F13	Spare			_50 V
	2	PLA		Spare	PLB	15	
	3	FR/7	F14	)	ТВС	4	-50 V, via 415-V switchboard and inter-
	4	ТВС	3	RF Out (Reserve)	PLB	14	switchboard and inter- carrier failure detector
	5	FR/7	F15	Spare			-50 V
TBC	6			Spare	PLB	17	
	7	FR/7	F16	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\			50 V where required
	8	Ventilation start cct		Ventilation auto start	PLB	3	-50 V, where required
	9	FR/7	F17	For alarm chain	TBC TBG	10 8	-50 V
	10	TBC	9	S of alarm chain	PLA PLB	2 2	
	11	FR/7	18	For Local/Remote	TBC	12	}_50 V
	12	TBC	11	switching	PLA	25	] 30.

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Terminal block		From or to		Duty	To or from		Remarks
			Pin			Pin	
	1	PLA	21	Amplifier Inhibit	Amplifier A		
	2	PLA	22	Circuit-A	J'Anipinici A		
	3	PLA	23	Amplifier Start	Amplifier A		
	4	PLA	24	Circuit-A	Sampine A		
	5	PLA	29	Amplifier Switch-down	Amplifier A		
TBD	6	PLA	30	Circuit-A Vision	Ampinier A		
	7	PLB	21	Amplifier Inhibit	Amplifier B		
	8	PLB	22	Circuit-B	Ampliner B		
	9	PLB	23	Amplifier Start	Amplifier B		
	10	PLB	24	Circuit-B	Ampiner B		
	11	PLB	29	Amplifier Switch-down	Amplifier B		Nat
	12	PLB	30	Circuit-B Sound	Ampliner B		Not normally used
	1	PA17/525-SKTX	1	For video signal change-over	ТВЕ	9	
	2	PA17/525-SKTX	2	For	RC5M/501	2	Earth
	3	RC5M/501	1	video signal-A mute	Earth		
	4			Spare			
	5	PA17/525-SKTX	5	For sound signal change-over	TBE TBE	8 10	Earth
TBE	6	PA17/525-SKTX	6	Main Chain On	TBA	6	-50 V
	7			Spare			
	8	TBE	5	For sound signal change-over	PLA	5	Earth
	9	TBE	1	For video signal change-over inhibit	PLA TBE	6 11	Earth
	10	ТВЕ	5	For sound signal change-over inhibit	PLB	5	Earth
	11	TBE	9	For video signal change-over inhibit	PLB	6	Earth
	12	TBA	5	-50 V to PA17/525	PA17/525-PLZ	5,6	-50 V

Notes: If RCM/501 is not fitted TBE-2 is strapped to TBE-3.
If video and sound change-over is to be tied together strap TBE-1 to TBE-10 and remove connection between TBE-5 and TBE-8.

Table 1 (continued)

Terminal block		From or to		Duty	To or from	To or from	
			Pin			Pin	
	1	MN1/502B or MN1/508	8		ТВА	2	
	2	MN1/505A	10	Prog V (A)	MN1/502B or MN1/508	9	} - 50 V
	3	MN2M/508	4		MN1/505	9	
	4	TBA	1	J	MN2M/508	9,10	J
	5	MN1/1A	8	1	TBA	4	]
	6	A-RCM/501	4	Prog S (A)	A-MN1/1A	9	-50 V
BF	7	TBA	3		A-RCM/501	5	IJ
	8	B-MN1/502B or MN1/508	8		ТВВ	10	1
	9	B-MN1/505	10	Prog V (B)	B-MN1/502B or MN1/508	9	-50 V
	10	твв	9	IJ	B-MN1/505	9	
	11			Spare			
	12			Spare			

Notes: If A-RCM/501A is not fitted TBF-6 is strapped to TBF-7. If A-MN1/502B is not fitted TBF-1 is strapped to TBF-2. If B-MN1/502B is not fitted TBF-8 is strapped to TBF-9. If A-MN1/505 is not fitted TBF-2 is strapped to TBF-3. If MN2M/508 is not fitted TBF-3 is strapped to TBF-4.

	1 2	PLA PLA	31 32	For Amplifier-A on	Amplifier-A	:	-50 V, via 415-V switchboard
	3	PLA TBG	3 6		}PA6/59 SKTB	8	
	4	PLA TBG	4 5	23-kHz oscillator	PA6/59 SKTB	7	
	5	OS2/31	10	output	PLA TBG	4 4	
TBG	6	OS2/31	13		PLA TBG	3	
	7			Spare			
	8	PLA TBC TBG	8 9 9	For external alarm,	TTC .	0	50 1/
	9	PLA	9	where fitted	TBG	8	-50 V
	10	PLA	10			,	
	11			Spare			
	12			Spare			

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	Terminal block From or to			Duty	To or from		Remarks
твн	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	PLB PLB Buzzer TBH PLB PLB PLB PLB	Pin 31 32 4 7 9 10 11 12	For Amplifier-B on Earth For ventilation autostart Spare Spare  For buzzer circuit  For buzzer remote reset circuit	Amplifier-B  Ventilation circuits  TBH PLB Buzzer  Remote reset circuit	Pin 8 8 8	-50 V, via 415-V switchboard
ТВЈ	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	PLB PLB PLB PLB PLB PLB PLB PLA PLA PS3/27 PS2/68 PS3/27	28 27 26 25 20 19 18 26 27 6 5	System normal signal Radiate signal Prog V signal Prog S signal Full power signal Water level signal Spare Local/Remote switching 6.3-V a.c. from PS3/27 Earth	TIP/2B, PLC Auto-call safety alarm unit TIP/2B PLB PLA PLB PLA TBJ PLB TBJ	2 3 4 5 6 7 7 7 7 7 7 33 12 33 11	Earth

Table 1 (continued)

Terminal block		From or to		Duty	To or from	To or from		
			Pin			Pin		
	1	PS2/49	10	Earth	AM7/2A	10		
	2	PS2/49	9	-24 V supply	AM7/2A	9		
	3	Earth						
	4			23-kHz	OS2/31	7		
	5			high level output	OS2/31			
TBK	6			Earth				
	7			Spare				
	8			Spare				
	9			Spare				
	10			Spare		İ		
	11			Spare				
	12			Spare				
	1			Spare				
	2			Spare				
	3			Spare				
	4			Spare				
	5			Spare				
TBL	6			Spare				
	7			Spare				
	8			Spare				
	9			Spare				
	10	Vision carrier failure detector		RF Out Main	Sound carrier failure detector		-50 V, via 415-V switchboard	
	11	A-amplifier		Switch to Auto	B-amplifier		-50 V, via 415-V switchboard	
	12	A-water level alarm circuit		Water Level	B-water level alarm circuit		-50 V	

For wiring of terminal blocks TBM, TBN, TBP and TBQ see Fig. 3.

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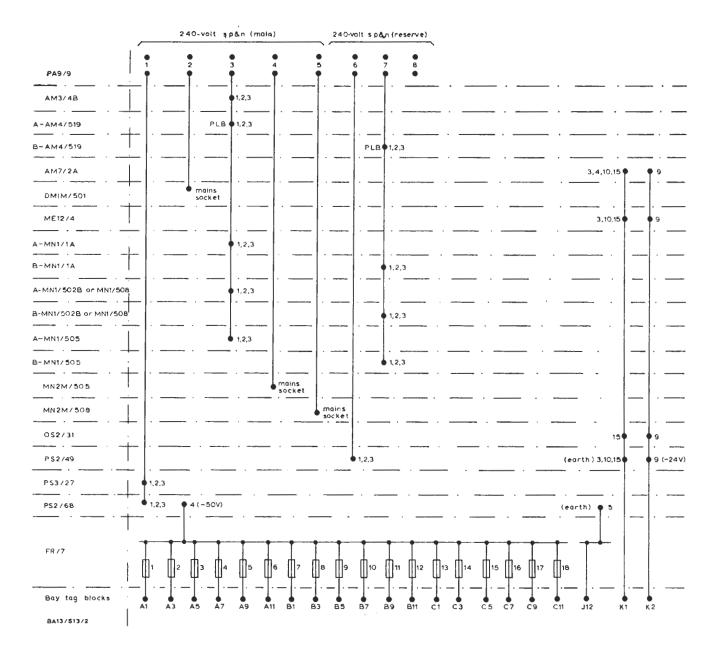


Fig. 2 Diagram of the Mains, 50-volt and 24-volt wiring on a BA13/513

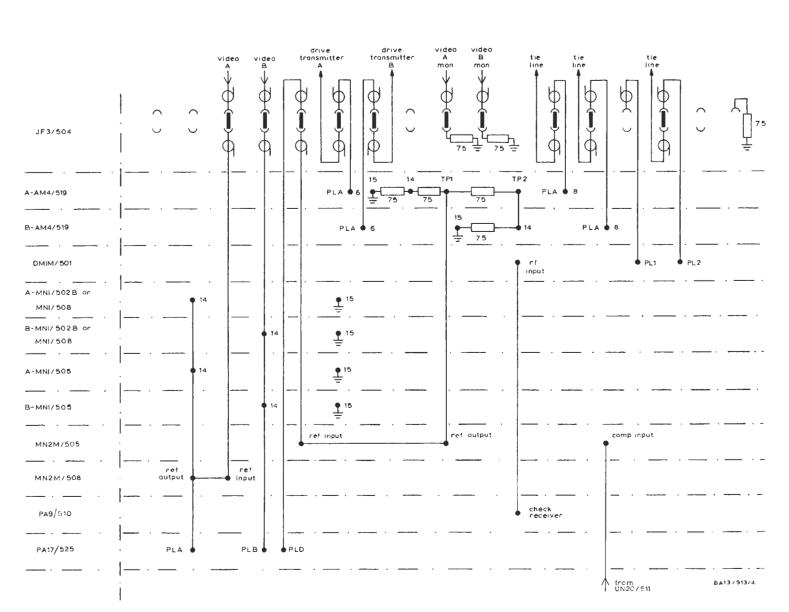


Fig. 3 Video Signal Interconnections on a BA13/513

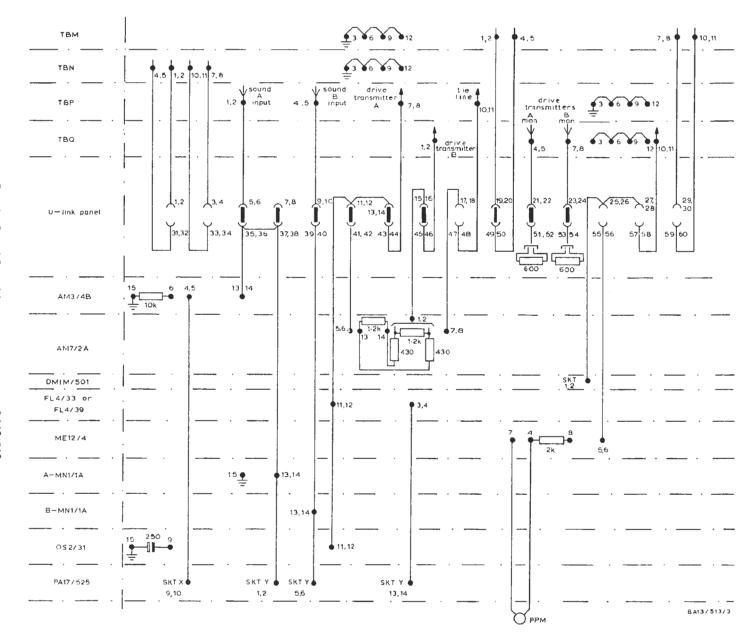


Fig. 4 Sound Signal Interconnections on a BA13/513

Table 2
Connections made to PA6/523

P	Plug	Fron	1	Duty	Remarks
	Pin		Pin		
	1	TBA	8	-50 V for control circuits	Strapped to PLB-1
	2	TBC	10	-50 V for alarm circuits	Strapped to PLB-2
	3	TBG	3,6	23-kHz oscillator output	
	4	TBG	4,5	23-KHZ oscillator output	
	5	TBE	8	For sound signal change-over	Earth
	6	TBE	9	For video signal change-over	Earth
	7	TBJ	10	6.3 V a.c. for buzzer	Strapped to PLB-7
	8	TBG	8,9		-50 V
	9	TBG	9	For alarm extend circuits when fitted	50 V
	10	TBG	10	J	
	11	TBG	11	For auto-start circuit of TIP/2B	
	12	TBG	12	S of auto-start eneur of 111,2B	
PLA	13	TBA	2	Prog V (A)	-50 V
	14	TBA	4	Prog S (A)	-50 V
	15	TBA	6	Main Chain On	-50 V
	16	TBA	10	RF Out (Main)	-50 V
	17	TBA	12	Switch to Auto	-50 V
	18	ТВВ	2	Video modulation	-50 V
	19	ТВВ	4	Sound modulation	-50 V, not normally used
	20	TBB	6	Water level	-50 V
	21	TBD	1	For A-amplifier inhibit circuit	
	22	TBD	2	January States	
	23	TBD	3	For A-amplifier start circuit	
	24	TBD	4	)	
	25	TBC	12		50 V
	26	ТВЈ	8	For local/remote switching	to auto-call alarm unit
	27	TBJ TIP/2B	9 PLB-7		where fitted
	28	ТВВ	8	Spare	
	29	TBD	5	For A-amplifier switch down circuit	
	30	TBD	6	A-amplifier switch down circuit	
	31	TBG	1	For A-amplifier on circuit	Strapped to PLB-31
	32	TBG	2	A-ampliner on circuit	Strapped to PLB-31
	33	ТВЈ	11	Earth	Strapped to PLB-33
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P	lug	From		Duty	Remarks	
	Pin		Pin			
	1	TBA	8	-50 V for control circuit	Strapped to PLA-1	
	2	TBC	10	-50 V for alarm circuits	Strapped to PLA-2	
	3	TBC	8			
	4	твн	4	For ventilation auto-start circuits		
	5	TBE	10	For sound signal change-over inhibit	Earth	
	6	TBE	11	For video signal change-over inhibit	Earth	
	7	ТВЈ	10	6·3 V a.c. from PS3/27	Strapped to PLA-7	
	8	твн	8	For buzzer		
	9	твн	9	STOR BUZZET		
	10	твн	10	1		
	11	твн	11	For buzzer remote reset circuit, where fitted		
	12	твн	12	Ŋ	-50 V	
	13	ТВВ	10	Prog V (B)	-50 V	
	14	ТВВ	12	Prog S (B)	-50 V	
LB	15	TBC	2	Spare		
~~	16	TBC	4	R.F. Out (Reserve)	-50 V	
	17	TBC	6	Spare		
	18	ТВЈ	7	Spare		
	19	ТВЈ	6	Water level signal for TIP/2B	Earth	
	20	ТВЈ	5	Full power signal for TIP/2B	Earth	
	21	TBD	7	B-amplifier inhibit circuit		
	22	TBD	8	S amplifier inflore circuit		
	23	TBD	9	B-amplifier start circuit		
	24	TBD	10	J = mpmor state stream		
	25	ТВЈ	4	Prog S signal for TIP/2B	Earth	
	26	ТВЈ	3	Prog V signal for TIP/2B	Earth	
	27	ТВЈ	2	Radiate signal for TIP/2B	Earth	
	28	ТВЈ	1	System Normal signal for TIP/2B	Earth	
	29	TBD	11	B-amplifier switch down circuit		
	30	TBD	12	J =F		
	31	ТВН	1	B-amplifier on circuit		
	32	ТВН	2			
	33	TBJ	12	Earth	Strapped to PLA-33	