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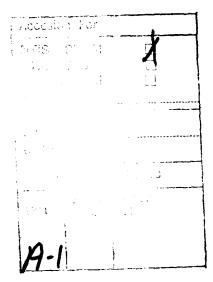
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FOREWORD

The Soldier-System Effectiveness Team of the Fort Bliss Field Unit of the U.S. Army Research Institute for the Behavioral and Social Sciences (ARI) performs research and development in human performance issues relevant to improving Army Air Defense effectiveness.

Currently, the team is completing a research task entitled "Forward Area Air Defense (FAAD) Performance During Engagement Operations in a Chemical Environment." The research is funded by the Physiological and Psychological Effects of the Nuclear, Biological, and Chemical Environment and Sustained Operations on Systems in Combat (P^2NBC^2) Office, U.S. Army Chemical School, Fort McClellan. The proponent agency for this research is the Directorate of Combat Developments at the U.S. Army Air Defense Artillery School (USAADASCH) at Fort Bliss. A Memorandum of Agreement covering this research project was signed on 7 November 1991 by USAADASCH and ARI.

The research program uses the Multiple-Station Range Target System (RTS) as a testbed. The Multiple-Station RTS is a costeffective modification of the RTS described in ARI Research Products 91-01, 91-02, and 91-03. Short Range Air Defense (SHORAD) and Forward Area Air Defense System (FAADS) crews employ their actual weapons or training devices in simulated or live-fire engagement of subscale, fixed-wing and rotary-wing aircraft in the RTS high-fidelity engagement simulator.

This Research Product is an operations and maintenance reference manual for the Pop-Up Target System (PTS) component of RTS.

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MULTIPLE-STATION RANGE TARGET SYSTEM OPERATIONS MANUAL, ANNEX 1: POP-UP TARGET SYSTEM OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE REFERENCE MANUAL

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1.0 Introduction

This manual provides instructions for operating the Pop-up Target System (PTS) developed by Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC) in conjunction with the Range Target System (RTS), also developed by SAIC under Contract No. MDA903-85-C-0460 with the U.S. Army Research Institute for the Behavioral and Social Sciences (ARI). Refer to the Multiple-Station RTS Operations Manual for more details.

1.1 Purpose and Function

The purpose of the Pop-up Target System (PTS) is to present realistic friendly and threat helicopter targets for live-fire and engagement simulation training and testing. The PTS provides a cost-effective means for developing those skills necessary to acquire, identify, and engage helicopter targets.

To accomplish this purpose, SAIC utilizes 1/5 scale helicopter models mounted on stand-lift devices. They can be remotely controlled to present (raise) the target from a defilade (hidden) position, simulate hover (stationary with main rotor rotating), and disappear (lower) on command.



Do not attempt to perform any of the functions contained in this manual without sufficient training and practice, at risk of injury or death.

1.2 Capabilities

The PTS is operated remotely from the RTS Range Control Station (RCS), which controls all portable PTS mechanisms (usually 6). This control is accomplished through a radio frequency (RF) datalink. Each PTS is capable of having any one of nine helicopter models (5 US, 4 Soviet) mounted on it.

1.3 Performance Characteristics

The PTS allows an operator at the RCS to perform the following: rotate each target left or right to present any desired target orientation, raise and lower any single target or all targets, and generate and store a recoverable scenario script for later automated target presentation.

1.4 Safety

Care must be exercised when working around the PTS and when operating the system from the RCS. Warnings are placed throughout this manual to make the user aware of conditions that could cause serious injury to personnel. Cautions are also used in this manual to indicate conditions that could cause damage to equipment.

1.5 Dimensions and Weight

1.5.1 RC8

The primary equipment comprising the RCS is stored and transported in its own container. This container is $56 \times 81 \times 107$ cm (22 x 32 x 42 in.), and weighs 41 kg (90 lbs.).

1.5.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The stand-lift mechanism weighs approximately 454 kg (1,000 lbs.) without the helicopter mounted. A diagram of the stand-lift configuration appears in Figure 1.5.2-1. Various views of the trailer-mounted stand-lift mechanism are seen in Figure 1.5.2-2.

1.5.3 Helicopter Targets

All dimensions and weights are provided for shipping purposes without rotor blades. Tail rotors, when installed, add 38 cm (15 in.) to the overall length and height at the tail end.

1.5.3.1 Mi-8 Hip

Length: 3.7 m (12 ft. 2 in.) Width: 1.3 m (4 ft. 3 in.) Height: 1.2 m (3 ft. 11 in.) Weight: 18.2 kg (40 lbs.) Main Rotor: 3.7 m (12 ft. 2 in.) SAIC # C120 Tail Rotor: 3 blade

1.5.3.2 Mi-24 Hind-D

Length: 3.4 m (11 ft. 1 in.) Width: 1.4 m (4 ft. 8 in.) Height: 66 cm (2 ft. 2 in.) Weight: 13.6 kg (30 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC # C119 Tail Rotor: 3 blade

1.5.3.3 Mi-28 Havoc

Length: 3.4 m (11 ft. 2 in.) Width: 1.3 m (4 ft. 3 in.) Height: 79 cm (2 ft. 7 in.) Weight: 18.2 kg (40 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC #C122 Tail Rotor: 3 blade



This is the only 2.7 m (9 ft) rotor blade with a long shaft. Part number C119 is a 2.7 m (9 ft) blade with a short shaft and will not work on the Havoc.

- 1.5.3.4 Ka-?? Hokum Length: 3 m (9 ft. 9 in.) Width: 14 m (4 ft. 7 in.) Height: 61 cm (2 ft.) Weight: 11.4 kg (25 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC #C119 Tail Rotor: none
- 1.5.3.5 AH-18 Cobra Length: 2.8 m (9 ft. 2 in.) Width: 74 cm (2 ft. 5 in.) Height: 71 cm (2 ft. 4 in.) Weight: 12.7 kg (28 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC #C119 Tail Rotor: 2 blade
- 1.5.3.6 AH-64 Apache Length: 3 m (9 ft. 10 in.) Width: 1 2 m (2 ft 11 in

Width: 1.2 m (3 ft. 11 in.) Height: 79 cm (2 ft. 7 in.) Weight: 18.6 kg (41 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC #C119 Tail Rotor: 2 blade (2 each)

1.5.3.7 CH-3 Jolly Green Giant Length: 3.6 m (11 ft. 11 in.) Width: 1.3 m (4 ft. 3 in.) Height: 81 cm (2 ft. 8 in.) Weight: 15.9 kg (35 lbs.) Main Rotor: 3.6 m (11 ft. 11 in.) SAIC #C120 Tail Rotor: 5 blade

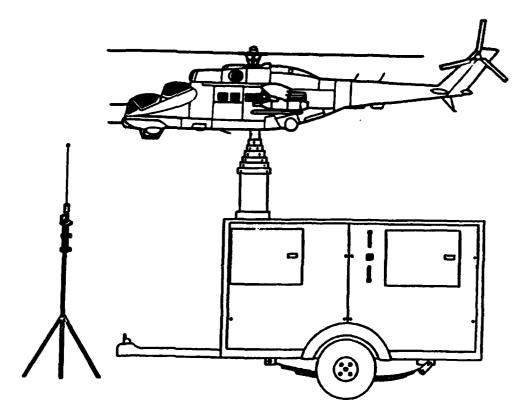
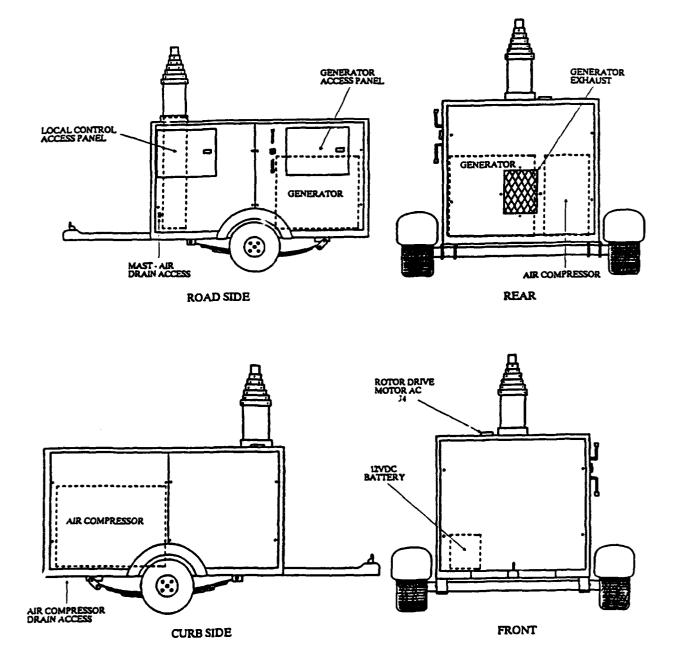
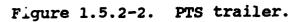


Figure 1.5.2-1. Pop-up target system.





1.5.3.8 UH-1 Iroquois

Length: 2.6 m (8 ft. 8 in.) Width: 48 cm (1 ft. 7 in.) Height: 58 cm (1 ft. 11 in.) Weight: 13.6 kg (30 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC #C119 Tail Rotor: 2 blade

1.5.3.9 UH-60A Blackhawk

Length: 3.1 m (10 ft. 2 in.) Width: 89 cm (2 ft. 11 in.) Height: 66 cm (2 ft. 2 in.) Weight: 12.7 kg (28 lbs.) Main Rotor: 2.7 m (9 ft.) SAIC #C119 Tail Rotor: 2 blade (2 each)

Secure the tail rotor on the CH-3 so it will not spin, to prevent it from being struck by the main rotor blade.

CAUTION

1.6 Power Requirements

1.6.1 RCS

The RCS requires 110-120V, 60 Hertz, single phase power at a single, three prong (grounded) outlet. This AC voltage is used by the equipment blower and the Universal Power Supply (UPS).

1.6.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The components of the stand-lift mechanism require 110-120V, 60 Hertz, single phase power or 12V DC. These requirements are met through the 3 kilowatt (kw) generator and 12V battery on each stand-lift mechanism. No external power is required.

1.7 Environmental Requirements

1.7.1 RCS

The RCS is designed to operate in a field environment; however, since digital equipment is being utilized, appropriate care must be exercised. Do not operate the RCS digital equipment where it is directly exposed to moisture or severe dust. To prevent "wash-out" of the screen it is recommended that it be operated away from direct sunlight. The RCS is designed to operate in temperatures ranging from -18° C (0° F) through 52° C (126° F).

1.7.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism and Target

The stand-lift mechanism with target mounted is designed to operate in temperatures ranging from -18° C (0° F) through 52° C (126° F), and in winds up to 40 km per hour (25 mph; 22 knots).

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The stand-lift mechanism must operate in an area free from all obstructions for a height of 12 meters (39 ft) and within a radius of 4 meters (13 ft.) of the telescopic mast.

1.8 Items Furnished

1.8.1 RCS

The primary items comprising the RCS are contained in the white shipping and operating container. Refer to the RTS Operations Manual.

- Computer
- UPS
- Voice radio communications
- RF modem

Other RCS items not contained in the shipping and operating container are as follows:

- RF antenna and tripod
- AC power cord

1.8.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The items mounted in the stand-lift trailer are as follows:

- 3 kw generator
- Fuel tank (5 gallon)
- Air compressor
- Local control panel
 - RF modem
 - Stand-lift controller
 - Azimuth controller
 - Blower assembly
- 12V battery
- Telescopic mast assembly
- Main rotor drive assembly and helicopter mount
- 30 meter (100 ft.) RF cable

Other items not contained in the stand-lift trailer are as follows:

• RF antenna and tripod

1.8.3 Helicopter Targets

The following items make up a helicopter target:

- Target body
- Main rotor blade
- Mount-to-mast adaptor
- Tail rotor

1.9 Items Required

1.9.1 RC8

The following must be provided for RCS operation:

• 120V 60 Hertz power at a single 3 prong outlet

1.9.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The following must be provided for operation of the stand-lift mechanism:

- Lubricant as required for the air system lubricator (Refer to the manufacturer's manual for proper lubricant.)
- Ground rod and strap (1 per stand-lift mechanism)
- Generator fuel

1.10 Tools and Test Equipment

1.10.1 Tools

Only common mechanic's tools are required for assembly and maintenance of the PTS. An exception is the extended key wrench, developed by SAIC, for securing the helicopter blades to the rotor drive motor. Due to differences among the US vendors who supply components to this system, both metric and inch-measure hardware will be encountered.

1.10.2 Test Equipment

A multimeter capable of measuring AC and DC potentials is the only test equipment required.

2.0 Preparation and Installation Instructions

2.1 Unpacking and Assembly

Upon initial delivery of the PTS, all unpacking and assembly should be accomplished under the direction of contract personnel.

2.1.1 RCS

No assembly is required for the RCS.

2.1.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The telescopic mast must be installed as described in Section 5.2.2.3.

2.1.3 Helicopter Targets

All targets are shipped with their main rotor and tail rotor blades removed. Refer to Section 1.5.3 for determining the proper blades for each model of helicopter.

2.2 Emplacement

2.2.1 RC8

The RCS must be emplaced in an area which affords line-of-sight to the stand-lift mechanisms when the targets are raised. Refer to the RTS Operations Manual.

1. Place the RCS cabinet in a dry, level location.

2. Open the RCS cabinet and verify the following switch settings: computer OFF; modem power OFF.

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The RCS cabinet door must remain open during operation.

3. Connect the AC input cable to the RCS generator.

4. Install the RF antenna within 15 meters (50 ft.) of the RCS cabinet. Verify that line-of-sight exists from the RCS antenna to all stand-lift mechanism antennas. Although greater distance may be achieved, the maximum range for reliable RF operation is considered to be 5 km (3 miles).

5. Connect the RF cable from the antenna to the RCS RF modem.

CAUTION

Step 5 should not be performed until local checks have been completed at the PTS and all PTSs are fully energized.

6. Prior to RF operations, verify the RF modem and RF amplifier are energized and ample voltage is supplied.

2.2.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The stand-lift mechanisms must be emplaced in locations which allow the personnel at the RCS to see the targets when they are raised.

To preclude early detection of targets by participating troops and to protect the stand-lift mechanisms during live fire operations, they should be protected by a berm of sufficient height so as to provide maximum cover, concealment, and protection to the PTS when the target is in its nested (down) position. Maximum height of a stand-lift mechanism, with target nested, is approximately 2.7 meters (9 ft.).

1. Place the stand-lift mechanism in a dry, level, protected location.

2. Open the local control access and generator panels (see Figure 1.5.2-2) and verify the following switch settings:

SWITCH SETTINGS

Main power	OFF
Controller power	OFF
Modem power	OFF
Azimuth controller power	OFF

3. Ground the generator.

4. Install the RF antennas and tripods within 15 meters (50 ft.) of each stand-lift mechanism. Verify that line-of-sight exists from each antenna to the RCS antenna. Install the antennas in locations which provide maximum protection during live fire operations.

5. Connect the RF cable from the antenna to the RF amplifier on the stand-lift mechanism.

6. Prior to RF operations, verify the RF modem and RF amplifier are energized and ample voltage is supplied.

2.2.3 Helicopter Targets

1. Mount the proper tail rotor to the main body using the attached hardware (see Section 1.5.3).

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There are two types of main rotor drive assemblies and helicopter mounts. The mount with the large 10 amp drive motor is for use with Hokum only. There are three types of mount-to-mast adaptors. Those constructed of plastic are not to be used with the Hokum 10 amp drive motor. Refer to Appendix A, Mast Assembly for more information.

2. Place the proper main rotor drive assembly with drivee motor mount in the mounting area on the helicopter body. Align the four mounting bolts with the helicopter body. Attach washers and nuts and tighten. Refer to Figure 2.2.3-1, and Appendix A, Mast Assembly.

WARNING

Drain all air from the air tank to prevent accidental raising of the telescopic mast assembly during the following procedures and disconnect J4, AC power to the drive motor.

3. Lift the helicopter body over the mast and bolt it to the mounting bracket attached to the mast. Insert the rotor blade into the azimuth drive motor and tighten down rotor shaft using the chuck key. Refer to Figure 2.2.3-1; more detail on the assemblies can be found in Appendix A.

NOTE

Lift the helicopter body with a minimum of two persons (one front, one rear).

4. Align the securing holes and insert the retaining pin.

5. Attach the proper main rotor blade (Section 1.5.3) to the drive motor.



Securely tighten the mounting chuck with the key wrench to prevent the rotor blades from coming off during rotation. 6. Connect the AC power extension cord from the drive motor to J4 on the top of the stand-lift mechanism.

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To remove a helicopter target, reverse the above procedure.

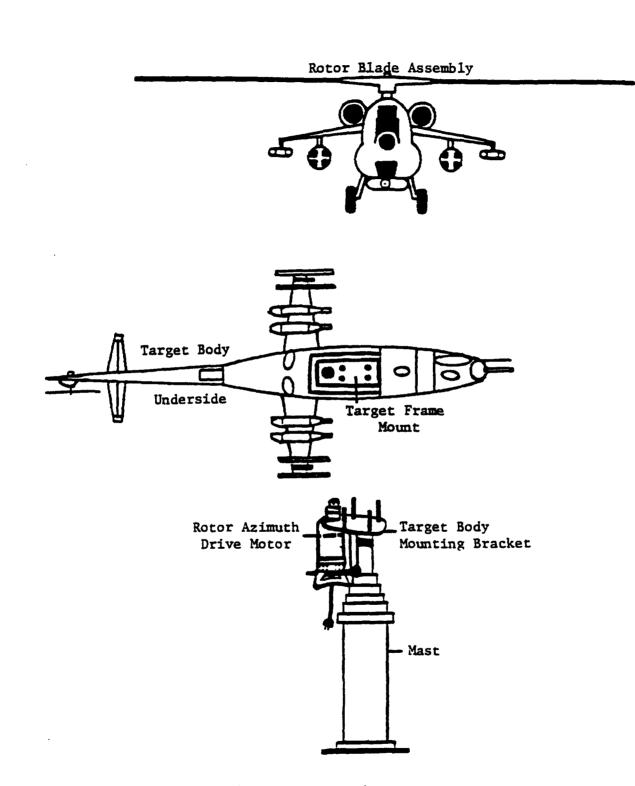


Figure 2.2.3-1. Helicopter mounting.

3.0 General Principles of Operation

3.1 RCS

Remote control of the stand-lift mechanisms is from the computer at the RCS. A command sent from the computer, whether it results from an operator originated keystroke or from software execution of a scenario during Realtime operations, consists of an address message (stand #1, etc.) and a command message ("UP", "DOWN", etc.). Each of the stand-lift mechanisms is assigned a unique address and will only respond to RCS commands associated with that address.

3.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

The stand-lift mechanism is a self-contained, portable platform enabling the raising, lowering, and rotation of the 1/5 scale helicopter targets. Control of these functions can be local at the PTS or remote from the RCS.

The stand-lift mechanism consists of four functional systems:

- AC power--provides for the generation and distribution of all internal AC power
- DC power--provides for the generation and distribution of all internal DC power
- Air--provides compressed air to the telescopic mast assembly
- Control circuitry--local and remote circuitry necessary to raise, lower, and rotate the helicopter target

3.2.1 AC Power Distribution

The 3 kw generator mounted on the stand-lift mechanism provides all 110-120V, 20 amp, single phase, 60 Hertz power, as well as 12V DC to maintain a charge on the 12V battery. It is gasoline powered, electric start, air cooled, and capable of sustained operations for 7 hours. It supplies power directly to the air compressor and through the ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) to the following:

- PTS controller
- Helicopter rotor drive motor
- 12V DC battery charger

AC distribution to the rotor drive motor is through an AC-DC relay. When an "UP" command is sent, air pressure to the mast closes the air switch, activates the drive motor, and raises the mast. When a "DOWN" command is sent, the air solenoid releases air pressure to the mast. The loss of pressure opens the air switch, stops the drive motor from rotating, and lowers the mast. The rotor test switch S5 on the local control panel allows for testing of rotor rotation without an "UP" command by bypassing the air switch. For safety reasons, S5 is a spring-loaded switch that is normally off.

3.2.2 DC Power Distribution

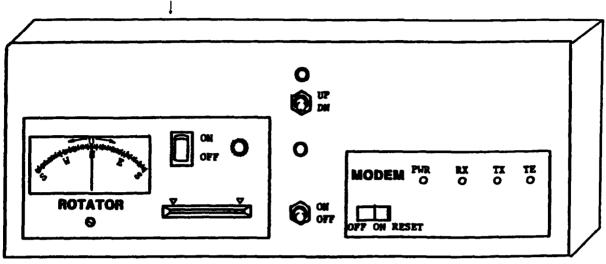
DC power necessary for the operation of the stand-lift mechanism comes from the on-board 12V battery. The battery is charged by a 12V DC battery charger which is powered by the 3 kw generator whenever it is running.

3.2.3 Air

The air compressor is driven by a 3/4 horsepower, 115V, single phase drive motor turning at 1725 rpm. The pump is single stage, 2 cylinder feeding a 15 gallon storage tank. A safety valve is set for 150 psi. The air is regulated to provide the necessary pressure to raise the telescopic mast assembly on which the helicopter target is mounted. An air lubricator is also provided. This lubricator is necessary to prevent moisture from freezing in the air solenoid and mast during cold weather. Refer to the manufacturer's manual for proper lubrication and adjustment of the lubricator. The air compressor starts at approximately 80 psi and shuts off at approximately 100 psi. Air pressure is constantly applied to the air solenoid. When an "UP" command is sent, the air solenoid allows pressurized air to go into the telescopic mast assembly and to the air switch, closing A "DOWN" command results in air pressure in the mast being it. dumped through the air solenoid and the air switch opening.

3.2.4 Control Circuitry

Figure 3.2.4-1 depicts all control switches located with the PTS. The main power switch on the local control box activates the controller, cooling fan, power supply, RF modem, and Stack 65. The Stack 65, located inside the local control console box, contains output direct current (ODC) and output alternating current (OAC) modules. Grounds are applied to the inputs of the Stack 65 through the ODC-OAC to activate other control sources. An input to an ODC-OAC is indicated when the red lamp for that module is illuminated.



MAIN SWITCH (located behind unit)

Controller

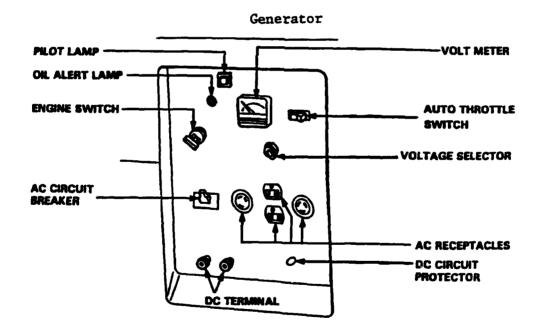


Figure 3.2.4-1. PTS controls.

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CAUTION

When a stand-lift mechanism is first energized, all the controller outputs are activated. This means that simultaneous "UP", "DOWN", "RIGHT", and "LEFT" commands are present at the Stack 65 digital outputs of the controller.

All these commands present at one time can cause damage to the azimuth controller and the air solenoid. To prevent this, ensure all switches are in the "OFF" position when the controller is activated. Upon activation, the grounds for "UP", "DOWN", "RIGHT", and "LEFT" outputs to the Stack 65 are ready for operation.

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The output terminal grounds on the Stack 65 have internal jumpers.

3.2.4.1 Local

The initial condition of a stand-lift mechanism (immediately after energizing) is with interrupt ON. This has no effect on local operation as the local test switch (S3) is between the controller outputs and the Stack 65. Placing S3 "UP" applies ground to the ODC of channel 6, energizing the "UP" portion of the air solenoid and raising the mast. Placing S3 "DOWN" applies the ground to the ODC of channel 7, energizing the "DOWN" portion of the air solenoid and lowering the mast. S3 is a three-position switch, normally left in the middle or "OFF" position. Once an "UP" command is stopped, the mast will stop raising and remain at its present position until a "DOWN" command is sent. S4 is a spring-loaded rotate switch; switching it "LEFT" or "RIGHT" applies grounds to the applicable OAC in the Stack 65 azimuth controller. This completes an AC circuit path for either a "LEFT" or "RIGHT" command. S4 is also normally "OFF." Maximum rotation of the mast is approximately + 178 degrees from the center position.

3.2.4.2 Remote

When in RF mode, commands reach the stand-lift mechanism through the antenna connected to and processed by the RF modem. In order to clear while in RF mode, a reset must first be sent from the computer to the modem or the modem itself must be reset. This also must be done whenever a PTS is shut down and then turned back on. The controller decodes commands from the RCS computer and sets the proper output at the RF modem from the signal it is receiving. All actions after that are the same as those previously discussed in Section 3.2.4.1.

4.0 System Start-Up, Check-Out, and Shut-Down

4.1 System Start-Up

To condition the RCS for remote operation with the PTS, perform the procedures in the System Preparations and Installation section which begins on page 28 of the RTS Operations Manual.

Prior to performing the start-up procedures, verify that all PTS components are properly assembled and emplaced as described in the Preparation and Installation section of this manual.

Perform the procedures in Table 4.1-1 to condition each PTS for pre-operational checks.

4.2 Pre-Operation Checks

Local PTS checks should be performed prior to remote operations. Perform the procedures in Table 4.2-1 to verify that the individual components of the PTS are functioning properly. Perform local checks on all PTS that are to be used in the RTS. Proper operation indicates a "GO" (acceptable) condition. Any operation that does not provide the desired result is a no-go (unacceptable) condition and should be reported to contract support personnel immediately.



Rotor blades will begin to rotate upon receipt of an "UP" command and will continue to rotate for awhile after the target has been lowered. Maintain an area free of additional personnel and any obstructions for a radius of 4 meters (13 ft) from the telescopic must assembly, and for a height of 12 meters (39 ft).

Remote PTS checks should be performed prior to remote operations. Perform the PTS Test procedures in the RCS Operations section of the RTS Operations Manual to verify that ail PTS to be used are functioning properly.



Allow the target to reach fully raised height or send a "STOP" command prior to transmitting a "DOLN" command.

Table 4.1-1

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PTS Start-Up Procedures

END ITEM	ACTION	RESULT
PTS	Gain access to the generator.	
	Turn the key to the "START-RUN" position and hold for approximately five (5) seconds or until the generator starts.	The generator cranks then starts and runs. The green light illuminates in approximately fifteen (15) seconds. The generator may run rough until the auto-choke is enabled (do not proceed until generator runs smooth).
	Turn the voltage selector switch to the "120vac" position.	The voltmeter indicates 120vac <u>+</u> 20v.
	Turn the Main Circuit breaker to the "ON" position.	The air compressor starts running if the air tank has less than 80 psi.

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END ITEM	ACTION	RESULT
PTS con't	Gain access to the PTS Control Box (white box).	
	Turn the Main Power toggle switch on the PTS Controller to the "ON" position.	The cooling fan starts to operate and the yellow LED illuminates.
	Press the RF Modem Main Power rocker switch to the "ON" position.	The red Power LED illuminates.
	Move the Azimuth Main Power slide switch to the "ON" position.	The Azimuth dial indicator illuminates.

Table 4.2-1

PTS Pre-Operational Checks (Local)

END ITEM	ACTION	RESULT
PTS	Open the air tank drain valve. Observe the air pressure gauge.	Air escapes from tank, air gauge should reflect decrease in pressure. Air compressor should start running at approximately 80psi.
	Close the air tank drain valve. Observe the air pressure gauge.	Air stops escaping from tank, air gauge should reflect an increase in pressure. Air compressor should stop running at approximately 100psi.
	Switch the PTS mast "UP-DOWN-OFF" toggle switch on the PTS Controller (white box) to the "UP" position.	PTS mast raises to it's fully raise position. Air compressor should start running if tank pressure drops below 80psi.
	Switch the PTS mast "UP-DOWN-OFF" toggle switch on the PTS Controller (white box) to the "DOWN" position.	PTS mast lowers to it's fully lowered position. Air compressor should stop running when tank pressure reaches 100psi.

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END ITEM	ACTION	RESULT
PTS con't	Press and hold the azimuth rotator switch on the azimuth controller to the "LEFT" position (after 2-4 seconds release the switch).	PTS mast rotates to the left then stops when the azimuth rotator switch is released.
	Press and hold the azimuth rotator switch on the azimuth controller to the "RIGHT" position (after 2-4 seconds release the switch).	PTS mast rotates to the right then stops when the azimuth rotator switch is released.
	Switch the PTS mast "UP-DOWN-OFF" toggle switch on the PTS Controller (white box) to the "OFF" position.	Conditions the PTS to be controlled remotely by the RCS or DAS.

4.3 Additional Pre-Operational Concerns

Prior to running any scenarios the following parameters should be determined for each PTS; time to unmask, time to fully raise, time to mask, and time to fully lower. These parameters are critical for proper target presentation under scenario control. Perform the Calibrate procedures for each PTS as described in the DAS Operations section of the RTS Operations Manual.

NOTE

Maximum run time for a scenario is 999 seconds. After the scenario is over, for whatever the reason, any targets still up will have to be lowered by giving that target a "DOWN" command from the RCS computer.

Upon initiation of Realtime (start), the scenario will begin to run. Executing an abort will immediately stop the scenario, lower all targets which may be raised, and return the RCS display to the main menu.

4.4 Shut-Down

To shut-down the PTS, perform the procedures in Table 4.4-1. Perform the procedures in Table 4.4-1 for each PTS that is operating.

Table 4.4-1

PTS Shut-Down Procedures

END ITEM	ACTION	RESULT
PTS	Move the Azimuth Main Power slide switch to the "CFF" position.	The Azimuth dial indicator light turns off.
	Press the RF Modem Main Power rocker switch to the "OFF" position.	The red Power LED turns off.
	Turn the Main Power toggle switch on the PTS Controller to the "OFF" position.	The cooling fan stops and the yellow LED turns off.
	Turn the Main Circuit breaker to the "ON" position.	Removes power from the air compressor and PTS Controller.
	Turn the key to the "STOP" position.	The generator stops running.
	Open the air tank drain valve. Observe the air pressure gauge.	Air escapes from air tank, air gauge should indicate loss of pressure.

5.0 Maintenance

Maintenance actions in this manual are authorized at the intermediate level. Additional maintenance actions not covered herein require contractor or manufacturer (depot level) support and should not be attempted.

5.1 Preventive Maintenance

Most preventive maintenance is of a general housekeeping nature. For example, dusting and cleaning of peripheral items should be done periodically. Refer to manufacturer and vendor documentation on the RCS computer, mast assembly, generator, and air compressor for specific preventive maintenance actions and schedules.

5.2 Corrective Maintenance

5.2.1 RC8

5.2.1.1 Troubleshooting

Fault isolation of RCS malfunctions requires maintenance support (depot level). Before calling for maintenance, ensure that the entire system is properly emplaced, energized, and where applicable, that all RF modems have been initialized.

5.2.1.2 RF Modem Replacement

1. Turn off the modem and then turn off the main power switch.

2. Pull the controller out to its limits. Unscrew the power supply.

3. Disconnect the power jack, RS232, and antenna.

4. Place the new modem on the controller and secure the power supply with the screws.

5. Connect the power jack, RS232 cable, and antenna.

6. Use the LINK Program on the RCS computer to set the address of the RF modem (see Section 5.2.1.3).

5.2.1.3 RF Modem Set-up

The new modem should be connected to the RCS ribbon cable (#2). From the RCS computer operating system prompt, type: "TERM /2" and press <<ENTER>>. Press <<RESET>> on the modem. Verify 'signed-on' screen. Perform the functions below by typing the command, pressing <<ENTER>>, and entering the data. Press <<F10>> to quit.

COMMAND	<u>PARAM</u>	DESCRIPTION
FA		Factory defaults
RETRY	1	1 retry
XS	ON	Software handshaking ON
XH	OFF	Hardware handshaking OFF
PREFIX	0	No prefix character
GLOBAL	ON	Enable global receive
SET CON	99	Auto connect address is 99 (unused)
ADDR	No.	Address number
MESSFORM	ON	Format messages
ECHO	OFF	Don't echo inputs
PROMPT	OFF	No prompts
AUTOLF	off	Auto line feed OFF
SA		Save settings

Use these address codes to define the RF Modem type.

STATION TYPE MODEM ADDRESS

PHTS	Stand n	umber
DAS	100 + D	AS number
PLS	200 + P	LS number
RCS	254	

5.2.1.4 Initialize the Stack 65

1. Connect the null modem or connect the smart cable to the Stack 65 (the open RS232 port) and to the Tandy RS232 serial port. If using smart cable, set bits as follows: S-1 = A; S-2 = B; S-3 = C; S-4 = bits 1-6 OFF, bit 7 ON

2. Energize the Tandy computer and type "TELCOM."

3. Type "STAT 58N1E" and press <<ENTER>>. Next type "TERM" and press <<ENTER>>, or press <<F4>>.

4. Hold the <<C>> key down and reset the Stack 65 (can power stack down and then up to reset it).

5. Verify that the Tandy computer displays: BTL BASIC CCCCC.

6. Press <<ESC>> and then <<U>> (unprotect).

- 7. Type "NEW." If error occurs go back to Step 6.
- 8. Type "LIST." If a list appears go back to Step 7.
- 9. Press <<F3>>.

10. Type "PTS" to initialize a target system, or "WS" to initialize a weapon interface and press <<ENTER>>.

11. Enter width of "100."

12. After program is loaded, press <<ESC>>, then <<P>> (protect).

13. Reset Stack 65.

5.2.2 Stand-Lift Mechanism

Refer to Appendix A for diagrams and parts locations during the replacement or adjustment of equipment.

5.2.2.1 Troubleshooting

Ensure that the entire system is properly emplaced, energized, and, where applicable, that all RF modems are operating before calling for maintenance action. Symptoms typically occur in one stand only. For example, given the symptom of "No UP command received," it is assumed that other stands will go up.

The following are the most common symptoms:

TROUBLE	PROBABLE CAUSE
No RF	Antenna, RF modem
No "UP" command	S3, contoller, compressor, ODC,
No "DOWN" command	air solenoid
No "LEFT" command	Azimuth controller or motor,
No "RIGHT" command	controller, OAC
No rotor blade rotation	Air pressure, drive motor or cable, S3, AC-DC relay

5.2.2.2 Telescopic Mast Assembly

Corrective maintenance procedures are provided with the manufacturer documentation.

5.2.2.3 Mast Assembly Replacement

1. Remove the helicopter target and rotor motor drive assembly.

2. Drain air from the compressor air tank.

3. Remove front panel from trailer.

4. Drain air from base of the mast.

5. Disconnect air line from base of mast.

6. Remove the air drain cockpit assembly from base of mast.

7. Remove the four 9/16" bolts holding the adapter plate to the azimuth drive motor.

8. While two persons lift the mast, remove the four flat head screws securing the adapter plate to the mast.

9. Lift the mast assembly straight up out the top of the trailer.

10. To install a new mast, reverse the above procedure.

5.2.2.4 Azimuth Drive Motor Replacement

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Stand-lift mechanism must be removed from the 1/4 ton trailer to afford access to the motor's bottom mounting bolts.

1. Disconnect the azimuth controller's AC power from the ground fault curcuit isolator (GFCI).

2. Remove the helicopter target and rotor motor drive assembly.

3. Remove front panel from trailer and drain air from the mast.

4. Remove the four 9/16" bolts holding the adapter plate to the azimuth drive motor.

5. From beneath the trailer, remove the four 9/16" bolts and lock washers securing the azimuth drive motor to the trailer floor.

6. While two persons lift the mast, carefully remove the azimuth drive motor.

7. Gently set the mast assembly on the trailer floor.

8. Remove the cable leads from the azimuth drive motor.

Pin 1 White Pin 2 Orange Pin 3 Green Pin 4 Blue Pin 5 Yellow or Black Pin 6 Red

9. To replace the azimuth drive motor, reverse the above procedure and perform Azimuth Drive Alignment, Section 5.2.2.6.

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Install new motor with terminals down.

5.2.2.5 Azimuth Controller Replacement

1. Turn off the azimuth controller and disconnect the AC power cord from the GFCI.

2. On the back of the azimuth controller, disconnect the following wires:

Pin	1	White
Pin	2	Orange
Pin	3	Green
Pin	4	Blue
Pin	5	Yellow or Black
Pin	6	Red

3. Remove the azimuth controller

4. To replace the azimuth controller, reverse the above procedure and perform Azimuth Drive Alignment, Section 5.2.2.6.

5.2.2.6 Azimuth Drive Alignment

This procedure must be performed whenever the azimuth drive motor or azimuth controller are replaced.

1. Turn on the azimuth controller

2. Press the "LEFT" control bar on the azimuth controller. Hold down until mast rotation ceases.

3. Using a small screwdriver at the hole below the azimuth indicator, adjust the azimuth controller until the "AZIMUTH INDICATOR" reads 180° S at the left end of the meter scale.

4. Press the "RIGHT" control bar on the azimuth controller. Hold down until mast rotation ceases.

5. Adjust the azimuth controller until the "AZIMUTH INDICATOR" reads 180° S at the right end of the meter scale.

6. Press and hold the "LEFT" control bar until the "AZIMUTH INDICATOR" reads 360° N.

5.2.2.7 Generator Replacement

1. Remove the left-rear side panel and the rear panel from the PTS.

2. Disconnect the fuel line to the fuel supply at the quick-disconnect.

3. Disconnect the battery cables and remove any DC cable tie-downs connected to the generator frame.

4. Disconnect any AC power-out cables at the generator control panel.

5. Remove the four mounting bolts.

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The generator weighs 109 kg (240 lbs). After the mounting bolts are removed, care must be exercised to prevent injury to personnel when removing or replacing the generator.

6. Slide the generator out the rear of the stand-lift mechanism.

7. To install the new generator, reverse the above procedures.

5.2.2.8 Air Compressor Replacement

HOTE

The stand-lift mechanism must be dismounted from the 1/4 ton trailer and placed on a flat surface to prevent movement during the following procedure.

1. Remove the two right-side panels and the rear panel from the PTS.

NOTE

Air pressure in excess of 100 psi can be encountered. Drain the air tank before proceeding.

2. Disconnect the compressor AC line from the generator control panel.

3. Using a 9/16" wrench, remove the air line from the air control valve.

4. Disconnect the three electrical connectors at the air control valve.

A-B: ORANGE and BROWN to RED A: ORANGE to WHITE B: BROWN to BLACK

5. Remove the four mounting bolts.



The air compressor weighs 27 kg (59 lbs). After the mounting bolts are removed, care must be exercised to prevent injury to personnel when removing or replacing the air compressor.

6. Slide the air compressor out the rear of the stand-lift mechanism.

7. Remove the air solenoid assembly from the air tank.

8. To install the new air compressor, reverse the above procedures.

5.2.2.9 Controller Unit Replacement

1. Verify all power switches are off on the controller unit.

2. Disconnect the DB25 cable from the controller, the AC source, and the antenna connector.

3. Pull the controller unit out to its limits.

4. On the back of the controller, disconnect the DB25 connector.

5. Replace the controller chassis in its mount. Connect the power cord, the RS232 connector, and the antenna.

6. Place the new controller unit on the mounting slides and secure.

5.2.2.10 Air Solenoid Replacement

1. If required, lower the mast assembly and shut off the generator.

2. Remove the front panel from the PTS.

HOTE

Air pressure in excess of 100 pai can be encountered. Drain the air from the tank and most before proceeding.

3. Remove the three leads from the air solenoid.

A-B: ORANGE and BROWN to RED
A: ORANGE to WHITE
B: BROWN to BLACK

4. Disconnect the air solenoid to mast air line at the air solenoid.

5. Disconnect the RED and BLACK 12V leads from the air switch.

6. Rotate the entire air solenoid-regulator-lubricator assembly counter-clockwise. This will remove the assembly from the air tank.

NOTE

It may be necessary also to remove the front right panel.

7. Disconnect the air line T from the A port of the air solenoid.

8. On the replacement solenoid, verify that ports EB and B are plugged and that ports P, EA, and A are open.

9. To install the new solenoid, reverse the above procedure.

10. Close the air drain valves and pressurize the system.

11. Verify that the mast (with target) extends fully in 35 seconds and retracts fully in 35 seconds. If times are incorrect, proceed to step 12. If times are correct no adjustment is required.

12. On the air regulator, pull up on the yellow knob to unlock the nut.

13. Adjust the regulator as follows: counter-clockwise to increase raise time and decrease lower time, clockwise to decrease raise time and increase lower time.

14. After properly adjusting the regulator, push down the yellow knob to lock the nut.

5.2.2.11 Air Regulator-Lubricator Replacement

1. If required, lower the mast assembly and shut off the generator.

2. Remove the front panel from the PTS.

HOTE

Air pressure in excess of 100 psi can be encountered. Drain the air from the tank and mast before proceeding.

3. Remove the three leads from the air solenoid.

A-B: ORANGE and BROWN to RED A: ORANGE to WHITE B: BROWN to BLACK

4. Disconnect the air solenoid to mast air line at the air solenoid.

5. Disconnect the RED and BLACK leads from the air switch.

6. Rotate the entire air solenoid-regulator-lubricator assembly counter-clockwise. This will remove the assembly from the air tank.

7. Disconnect the air solenoid from the air lubricator at port P of the air solenoid.

8. To install the new air regulator-lubricator, reverse the above procedure. Refer to the manufacturer's manual for proper lubricant to be put in the lubricator.

9. Close the air drain valves and pressurize the system.

10. Verify that the mast (with target) fully extends in 35 seconds and fully retracts in 35 seconds. If times are incorrect, proceed to step 11.

11. On the air regulator, pull up on the yellow knob to unlock the nut.

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12. Adjust the regulator yellow knob as follows: counter-clockwise to increase raise time and decrease lower time, clockwise to decrease raise time and increase lower time.

13. After properly adjusting the regulator, push down the yellow knob to lock the nut.

APPENDIX A: POP-UP TARGET SYSTEM (PTS) REPAIR PARTS AND PARTS LISTS

1.0 Repair Parts

1.1 Introduction

The items listed constitute repair parts used with the Pop-up Target System. Some apply only to the RF configuration and some apply only to the cable configuration. The RTS version is RF only. Replacement items may be ordered directly from the listed vendor, citing the vendor stock number. Many of the principal items are depicted in Figure A-1, Repair Parts. For more detail on the Air System and Mast Assembly refer to Section 2.0 of this appendix.

1.2 Repair Parts List

The following list of repair parts applies to all stand-lift mechanisms. This is followed by figures depicting the associated equipment.

item	VENDOR	STOCK NUMBER	MANUFAC	STOCK NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	QTY
01	Will-Burt	902571	Will-Burt	902571	Top mast section, 2"	6
02	Will-Burt	902572	Will-Burt	902572	Inter mast sec., 2.5"	5
03	Will-Burt	902573	Will-Burt	902573	Inter mast sec., 3"	4
04	Will-Burt	902574	Will-Burt	902574	Inter mast sec., 3.5"	2
05	Will-Burt	902575	Will-Burt	902575	Inter mast sec., 4"	1
06	Will-Burt	902576	Will-Burt	902576	Inter mast sec., 4.5"	1
07	Will-Burt	902577	Will-Burt	902577	Base mast section, 5"	1
08	Will-Burt	902600	Will-Burt	902600	Base plate and rotator	1
09	Will-Burt	902129	Will-Burt	902129	Top mast sec. stop	6
10	Will-Burt	902115	Will-Burt	902115	Collar, 2.5"	5
11	Will-Burt	902116	Will-Burt	902116	Collar, 3"	4
12	Will-Burt	902117	Will-Burt	902117	Collar, 3.5"	2
13	Will-Burt	902118	Will-Burt	902118	Collar, 4"	1
14	Will-Burt	902119	Will-Burt	902119	Collar, 4.5"	1
15	Will-Burt	902120	Will-Burt	902120	Collar, 5"	1
16	Will-Burt	902664	Will-Burt	902664	Neoprene seal set	5
17	Grainger	32852	Dayton		Air comp., 3/4hp, 15 gal.	1
18	SAIC	C101			Hose assembly,5' air	1
19	Will-Burt	900569	SMC Manu		NVSP4326615 1D Solenoid	1

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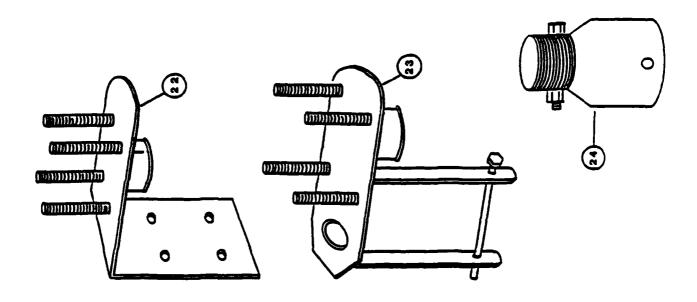
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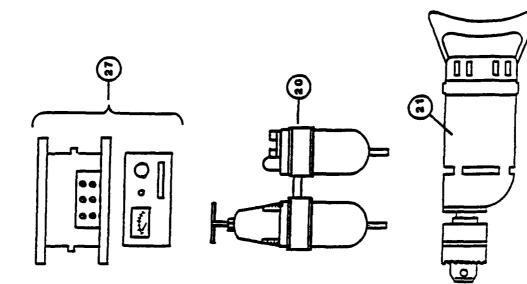
ITEM	VENDOR	STOCK NUMBER	MANUFAC	STOCK NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	QTY
20	Grainger	72556	Speedaire		Filter/reg/ lub, 1/4"	1
21	Grainger	42591	B & Decker	1405	Driver motor, 10A,3/4"	1
22	SAIC	C102			Tgt mount assy,HOKUM	5
23	SAIC	C103			Tgt mount assy	5
24	SAIC	C104			Mtr mount assy HOKUM	5
25	SAIC	C105			Mtr mount assy	5
26	SAIC	C106			Tgt mount assy (ext)	5
27	Will-Burt	HD73	Will-Burt	HD73	Rotator, az, elect.	1
28	Grainger	12838	Speedaire		Regulator, fuel, 1/4"	2
29	SAIC	C107			Power cable assy, ret	5
30	M&M Honda	C108	Delco		Fuel pump, AC, 4 lb.	2
31	M&M Honda	None	Honda	EX3300	Generator, AC, 110V	1
32	Newark	56F224	Magnecraft		W6140DSX1 Relay, K5	1
33	SAIC	C110			External fuel line	5
34	Ind Comm	BSA- 150			Antenna, base station	2
35	SAIC	C 111			Radio data link	1
36	Newark	47F120 5	Magnecraft		W388CPX6 Relay, Kl	1
37	SAIC	C112			RF coax cable 100'	2

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ITEM	VENDOR	STOCK NUMBER	MANUFACT	STOCK NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	QTY
38	SAIC	C113			Controller unit	1
39	SAIC	C114			Cable data link, intc	2
40	Radio Shk	270- 1562			DC regulator, 6/9 v	1
41	Radio Shk	15-842			Mast, antenna, 3/4"	5
42	Radio Shk	15~516A			Mount, ant tripod, 3'	1
43	Ind Comm	C115			DC power supply	1
44	Radio Shk	26-3860			Encoder, RS200	1
45	SAIC	C119			Rotor blade, 9' (SS)	12
46	SAIC	C120			Rotor blade, 12' (LS)	6
47	Tool World	RVR 550			Drive motor, 6 amp	5
48	SAIC	C122			Rotor blade, 9' (LS)	4

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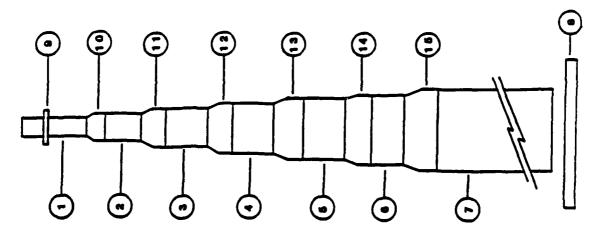


Figure A-1. Repair parts.

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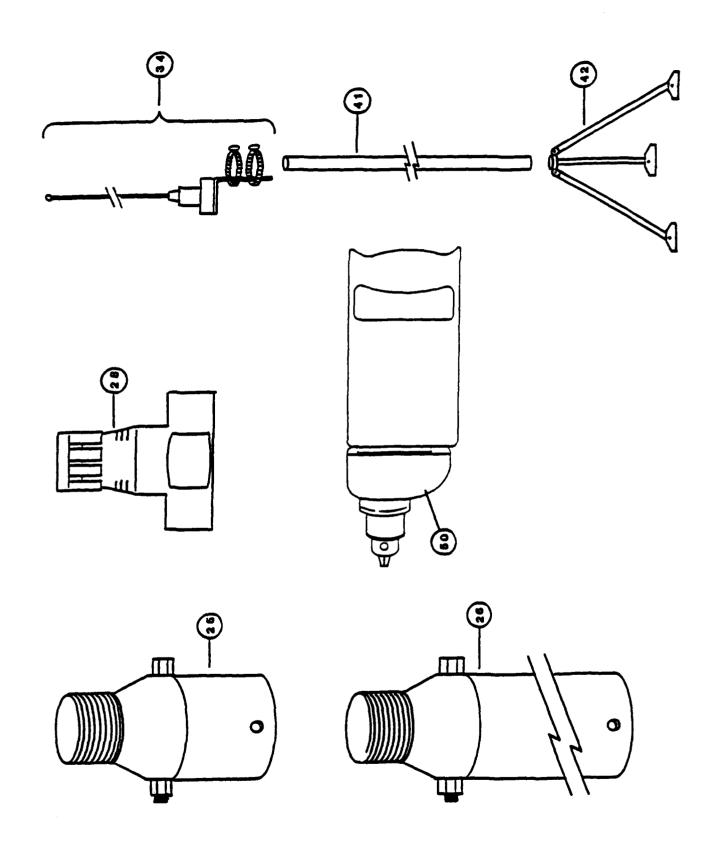


Figure A-1. Repair parts (continued).

2.0 Air System and Mast Assembly Breakdown

2.1 Air System

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Refer to Figure A-2 for diagrams depicting major components of the air system.

ITEM	MATERIAL SOURCE	STOCK NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
1	Grainger	32852	Air comp, 3/4 hp, 15 gal
2	Cashway		Bolt, 3/8" x 2"
3	Cashway		Washer, lock, 3/8"
4	Cashway	674567	Washer, flat, 3/8"
4 5	Cashway	674427	Nut, 3/8"
6	EP Pipe		Nipple, galv, 1/4" x 2"
7	Cashway		Elbow, galv, 1/4" fem to fem
8	EP Pipe		Nipple, galv, 1/4" x 5"
9	EP Pipe		Coupler, 1/4" fem to fem
10	EP Pipe		Bushing, reducer, 3/4" x 1/4"
12	EP Pipe		Nipple, galv, 1/4" x 1"
14	Grainger	72556	Filter, regulator, lub, 1/4"
16	Grainger	5X424	Terminal, fem, Quick Slide
17	Will-Burt	900569	Solenoid, NVSP43266151D
18	Grainger	6X410	Hose barb, 3/8" x 3/8" MPT
19	Grainger	5X442	Clamp, 1/4" - 7/16" hose
20	Grainger	5W036	Hose, air, 3/6" ID, hvy dy
21	Grainger	2A734	Hose ferrule, 3/8" ID, brass

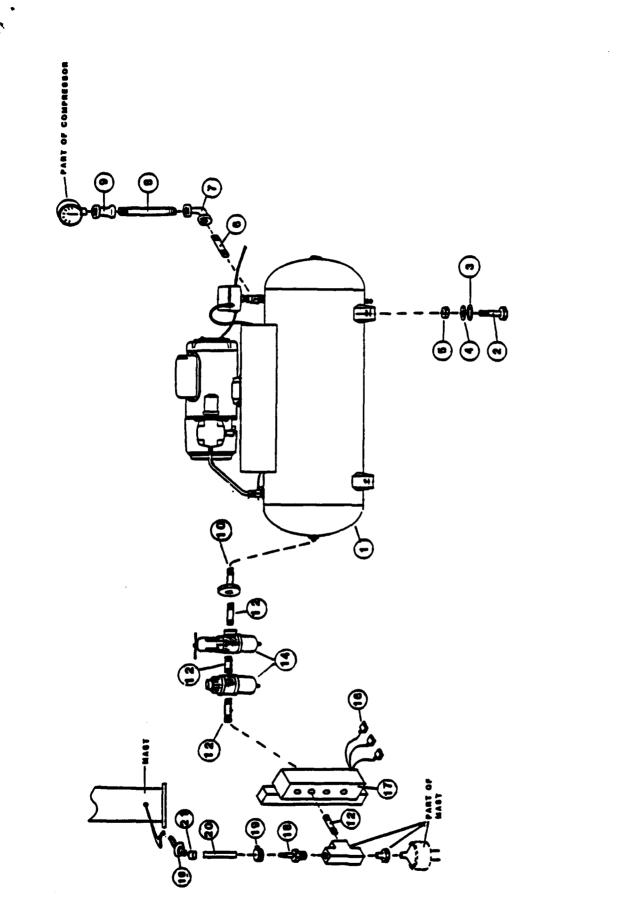


Figure A-2. Air system.

2.2 Mast Assembly

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Refer to Figure A-3 for diagrams depicting major componenets of the mast assembly.

	MATERIAL	STOCK	
ITEM	SOURCE	NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
1	Will-Burt	7-34-167	Mast assy, 34' standard duty
2	Cashway		Bolt, 5/16" x 1 1/2"
3	Cashway	674559	Washer, flat, 5/16"
4	Cashway	653632	Nut, 5/16"
5	Cashway	638099	Bolt, 3/8" x 1 1/2"
6	Cashway		Washer, lock, 3/8"
7	Cashway	674567	Washer, flat, 3/8"
8		674427	Nut, 3/8"
9	Newark	30F707	Screw, 8-32, machine, 3/4"
10		31F2140	Washer, #8, flat, 3/8"
		31F2108	Nut, 8-32, 1/4" hex
	SAIC		Extension tube
17	EP Pile		Flat metal, $4 \times 12 \times 1/4$ "
18	Cashway		Coupler, galv, FPT, 2 3/8" OD
19	Cashway		Bolt, 3/8" x 3 1/2"
20			Bolt, part of Item 22
21	EP Pipe		Flat metal, $1 \times 24 \times 1/8$ "
22	Grainger	42591	Drill, 3/4" 10 amp, heavy duty
23	Tool World	RVR 550	Drive motor, 6 amp, 1/2"
	Cashway	674125	Bolt, 5/16 x 5"
25	EP Alamo		Nipple, 3" metal
26			PVC, $2 \times 1 \frac{1}{2}$ reducer
27	EP Alamo		PVC, 2" ID x 12"
29	_		Pin,quick release,part of Item 1
31	Cashway		Bolt, 1/4" x 3"
32	Cashway		Nut, 1/4"
33	EP Pipe		Flat metal, $4 \times 12 \times 1/4$ "
34	EP Alamo		PVC, 2" ID x 5'
35	Will-Burt	HD73	Rotator, azimuth, electric

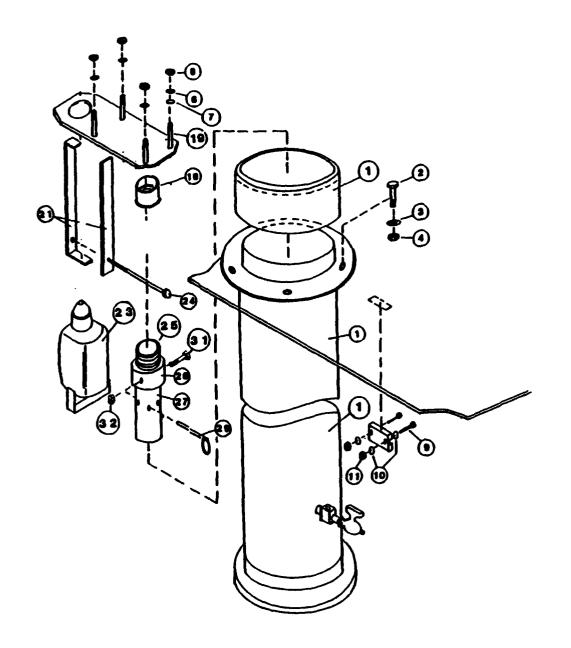


Figure A-3. Mast assembly.

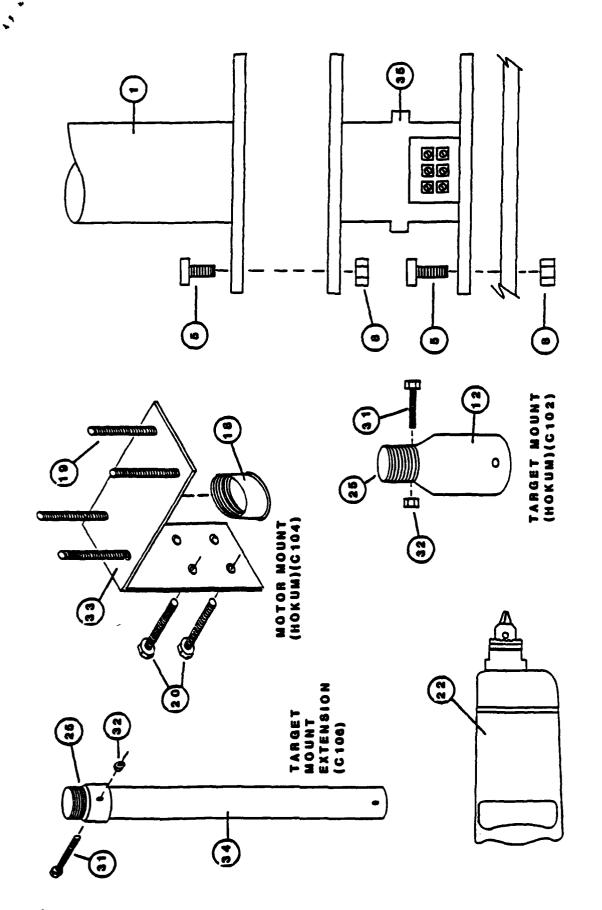


Figure A-3. Mast assembly (continued).

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