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THE POWER SOURCE

AQS MODEL 24-400

NICKEL-CADMIUM AIRCRAFT BATTERY CHARGER/ANALYZER

GENERAL INFORMATION

PRIMARY POWER: 115 VOLTS AC
60 HERTZ
SINGLE PHASE
{NOMINAL \pm 10%}

WEIGHT: 3.6 KG.

WIDTH: 16 CM.

HEIGHT: 30 CM.

DEPTH: 20.3 CM.

CONVECTION COOLED

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

PRECAUTIONS

- 1) ALWAYS HAVE SELECTOR SWITCH IN "OFF" POSITION BEFORE CONNECTING OR DISCONNECTING BATTERY.
- 2) NEVER TURN UNIT ON CHARGE WITHOUT A BATTERY CONNECTED.

BATTERY CHARGING

CONSTANT CURRENT CHARGE RATE ADJUSTABLE FROM 25 TO 500 MILLIAMPERES.

BATTERY ANALYZING

CONSTANT CURRENT DISCHARGE ADJUSTABLE FROM .5 TO 5 AMPERES.

- A) AUTO DISCHARGE MODE TERMINATES WHEN BATTERY VOLTAGE DROPS TO 20V AND STARTS AUDIBLE SIGNAL.
- B) MANUAL DISCHARGE MODE ENABLES THE TECHNICIAN TO CHECK INDIVIDUAL CELLS FOR LOW VOLTAGE WHILE BATTERY PACK IS UNDER A LOAD.

PARTS LIST

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<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>PART NUMBER</u>
1.	CABINET ASSEMBLY	AQS-400C
2.	HEATSINK ASSEMBLY	AQS-400HS
3.	D.C. CABLE ASSEMBLY	AQS-1901A
4.	A.C. CABLE ASSEMBLY	AQS-1902A
5.	REAR PANEL ASSEMBLY	AQS-1903A
6.	CIRCUIT BOARD	AQS-1904A
7.	CIRCUIT BOARD CONNECTOR	AQS-1904C
M1.	VOLT METER	AQS-1905A
M2.	MILLIAMP AMMETER	AQS-1906A
SW1.	SELECTOR SWITCH {PRE-WIRED}	AQS-1907A
R39.	CHARGE POTENTIOMETER	AQS-1908A
R38.	DISCHARGE POTENTIOMETER	AQS-1909A
T1.	TRANSFORMER	AQS-1910A

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CALIBRATION TEST PROCEDURE

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1.0 Preliminary:

- 1.1 Inspect the unit for any external defects.
Check for proper fuse and shock warning labels. Replace if needed.
- 1.2 Remove the rear panel and inspect the interior.
- 1.3 Connect to a battery through an external ammeter/ voltmeter test circuit.
- 1.4 Set charge and discharge current selectors to minimum.

2.0 Current, charge:

- 2.1 Set the mode selector switch to Charge.
- 2.2 Advance the charge current to 400mA \pm 4mA (per the external ammeter).
- 2.3 Adjust R2 for a reading of 400mA \pm 10mA on the 24-400 ammeter.
- 2.4 Verify meter tracking at currents of 50mA, 100mA, 200mA, 300mA and 500mA (\pm 5%).
- 2.5 Decrease the current to minimum and turn the unit off.

3.0 Current, discharge:

- 3.1 Set the mode selector switch to Manual Discharge.
- 3.2 Advance the discharge current to 4A \pm .04A (per the external ammeter).
- 3.3 Adjust R30 for a reading of 4A \pm .1A on the 24-400 ammeter.
- 3.4 Verify meter tracking at currents of .5A, 1A, 2A, 3A and 5A (\pm 5%).
- 3.5 Decrease the current to minimum and turn the unit off.

4.0 Voltage:

- 4.1 Disconnect the test set-up from the battery and re-connect it to a power supply.
- 4.2 Set the power supply to $20.0V \pm 0.1V$ (per the external voltmeter).
- 4.3 Adjust R10 for a reading of $20V \pm 0.5V$ on the 24-400 voltmeter.
- 4.4 Set the mode selector to Auto Discharge.
- 4.5 Adjust R17 (ccw) until the voltage cut off circuit is activated (beeper on).
If the unit sets the beeper on from the beginning, adjust R17 clockwise and repeat the test (reset by switching momentarily the mode to manual discharge).
- 4.6 Verify the voltage cut-off point by repeating test 4.5 with a power supply above 20V and slowly decreasing it $20V \pm 0.2V$. Re-adjust as necessary.

5.0 Final:

- 5.1 Re-inspect the unit.
- 5.2 Re-install the rear panel.
- 5.3 Affix calibration sticker.