

CROSSOVER NETWORKS

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This network substitutes for the conventional output transformer thus saving the cost of that component and avoiding the distortion due to its exciting current. Filter components are at the 5000 ohm level thus saving the large cost of capacitors required at lower impedances. Only the 2 inductor and 2 transformer components are offered. It requires about \$4.00 worth of small capacitors to complete the network which should be mounted in or as near the amplifier as possible. Transmission at 16 ohms from network to speakers may be 50 feet or more with #18 to #20 conductors.

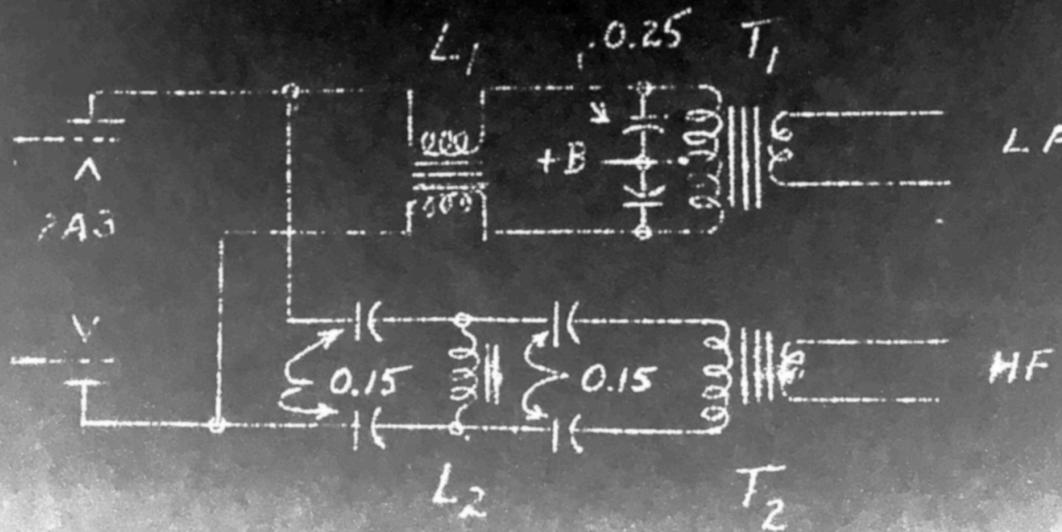
Crossover frequency is 500 cycles to serve the KLIPSCHOPN speakers; some 25% variation may be accomplished if desired by varying the air gaps and specified capacitor sizes. The LF transformer has over 600 henry primary inductance thus minimizing exciting current with its harmonic generation; the HF transformer has under 0.04 henry leakage inductance permitting transmission beyond 15,000 cps.

Deck space of 5" x 7" will accommodate the parts. The appended figure shows the circuit of this network with specified capacitor sizes for 500 cps crossover frequency.

Price, components, \$4.00, net FOB Hope. Discounts for quantity.

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CROSSOVER COMPONENTS

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