SUPERSEDES:

None

HP MODEL 8690A SWEEP OSCILLATOR Serials Below 717-00911

- 1. Improved Power Supply Reliability.
- 2. Improved Square Wave Symmetry.
- 3. Change Value of Resistor A2R32
- 4. Change Value of Resistor R3.
- 1. To improve power supply reliability, three new $10k\Omega$ 1/2 watt resistors, HP Part No. 0686-1035, should be added to all instruments. Install and identify the new resistors as follows:

R24 in parallel with C4 in 12.6 volt supply R25 in parallel with C3 in 20 volt supply R26 in parallel with C5 in 6.3 volt supply

- 2. To improve the symmetry of internal square wave modulation, resistor A11R40 should be changed to a starred (individually selected) value. The nominal value of A11R40 is now $15k\Omega$, HP Part No. 0757-0446.
- 3. Resistor R32 on board A2 should be changed to a starred value. This will avoid having to select CR16 on board A11. The nominal value of R32 is to $221k\Omega$, HP Part No. 0757-0862.
- 4. To insure overlapping sweep times, R3 has also been changed to a starred value. The nominal value of R3 is now 22 k Ω , HP Part No. 0687-2231.

These changes should be added to your Operating and Service Manual.

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