7.0 MAINTENANCE

Little maintenance will be required for the 1500Z Amplifier. The 572B/T160L tubes, when operated according to the instructions in this manual, will provide thousands of hours of service. Deterioration of a tube will be indicated by a change in idling current or inability to draw normal plate current or both.

Other components are also operating conservatively, and well within nominal ratings. The electrolytic filter capacitors in the power supply are computer grade and have a much higher degree of purity and quality control than conventional types.