# 837B NETWORK <br> INSTALLATION AND PRESCRIPTION SETTINGS 

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## 1. GENERAL

1.01 This section gives the installation procedures and prescription settings for the 837B (900 ohm) network, which is used at the far end as an impedance compensator on 19-, 22-, and 24-gauge high-capacitance cable with H88 loading; 19-, and 24-gauge low-capacitance cable with H88 loading, or any gauge high-capacitance cable with D88 loading. These settings are also found in Section 851-300-101.
1.02 The 837B network description is found in Section 332-206-152.

## 2. INSTALLATION

2.01 The 837 B network is stud mounted on a shelf near the point where the cable pairs are brought out to the panel wiring boards.
2.02 Terminals 1 and 2 connect to the cable pair and terminals 3 and 4 connect to the trunk circuit.

## 3. PRESCRIPTION SETTINGS

3.01 Table A shows the line building-out capacitor (LBOC) settings for equivalent endsection lengths of H 88 high-capacitance 19-, 22-, and 24-gauge cable. Table $B$ shows the LBOC settings for equivalent endsection lengths of H88 low-capacitance 19 -, and 24 -gauge cable. Table $C$ shows the LBOC settings for equivalent endsection lengths of any gauge D88 high-capacitance cable. Table D shows the BOC screw capacitance settings by capacitance values.
3.02 The prescription settings will usually be adequate if the echo structural return loss of the line is high. The 837 B network will need to be touched up for maximum return loss through use of a KS-20501 return loss measuring set (RLMS) or a 54 C RLMS only if the terminal balance requirement is not met.
3.03 The 837B network also features a drop build-out capacitor (DBOC) to equalize the office capacitance for switching between 2 -wire trunks. When terminal balance is required, the DBOC may need adjusting. For more information on terminal balance testing, see Section 660-47Y-502.
3.04 The low-frequency corrector should be set
for the particular cable gauge used. If the end section contains mixed gauge cable or differs from the predominant gauge of the line, the low-frequency corrector must be set by means of return loss measurement.

TABLE A
837B* NETWORK ( 900 -OHM)
BUILDING-OUT CAPACITOR ADJUSTMENT VERSUS EQUIVALENT END-SECTION LENGTH FOR H88 HIGH-CAPACITANCE CABLE

| EQUIVALENT $\dagger$ END SECTION LENGTH (FEET) | 19, 22, 24 GA |  | EQUIVALENT $\dagger$ END SECTION LENGTH (MILES) | 19, 22, 24 GA |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | BOC $(\mu \mathrm{F})$ | SCREWS DOWN $\ddagger$ |  | ${ }_{(\mu \mathrm{F})}$ | SCREWS <br> DOWN $\ddagger$ |
| 0 | . 080 | BCFG | 0.00 | . 080 | BCFG |
| 200 | . 077 | ABFG | . 05 | . 076 | BFG |
| 400 | . 074 | FG | . 10 | . 071 | BDEG |
| 600 | . 070 | ADEG | . 15 | . 067 | ACEG |
| 800 | . 067 | ACEG | . 20 | . 062 | EG |
| 1000 | . 064 | BEG | . 25 | . 058 | BDG |
| 1200 | . 060 | CDG | . 30 | . 054 | ACG |
| 1400 | . 057 | ADG | . 35 | . 049 | G |
| 1600 | . 054 | ACG | . 40 | . 045 | DEF |
| 1800 | . 050 | AG | . 45 | . 040 | BEF |
| 2000 | . 047 | BDEF | . 50 | . 036 | CDF |
| 2200 | . 044 | BCEF | . 55 | . 032 | DF |
| 2400 | . 040 | BEF | . 60 | . 027 | BF |
| 2600 | . 037 | ACDF | . 65 | . 023 | ABDE |
| 2800 | . 034 | BDF | . 70 | . 018 | ACE |
| 3000 | . 031 | BCF | . 75 | . 014 | AE |
| 3200 | . 028 | ABF | . 80 | . 010 | ABD |
| 3400 | . 025 | F | . 85 | . 007 | D |
| 3600 | . 022 | BDE | . 90 | . 004 | C |
| 3800 | . 019 | BCE | . 95 | . 001 | A |
| 4000 | . 016 | $\overline{\mathrm{ABE}}$ | 1.00 | 0.000 | - |
| 4200 | . 013 | E |  |  |  |
| 4400 | . 010 | ABD |  |  |  |
| 4600 | . 007 | D |  |  |  |
| 4800 | . 004 | C |  |  |  |
| 5000 | . 001 | A |  |  |  |
| 5200 | . 000 | - |  |  |  |
| 5400 | . 000 | - |  |  |  |
| 5600 | . 000 | - |  |  |  |
| 5800 | . 000 | - |  |  |  |
| 6000 | 0.000 | - |  |  |  |

## Notes:

* 837B network has drop BOC available. The 837B also has BOR screws available which should be turned down unless otherwise specified.
$\dagger$ The equivalent end-section length is made up of the actual length of outside cable in the end section (including bridged taps) plus a fictitious length that would have the same capacitance as the rest of the wiring to the network (tip cable, cross-connections, office wiring, etc.).
$\ddagger$ See Table D for screw combinations for networks giving capacitance values rather than letters.

TABLE B
837B* NETWORK (900-OHM)
BUILDING-OUT CAPACITOR ADJUSTMENT VERSUS EQUIVALENT END-SECTION LENGTH FOR H88 LOW-CAPACITANCE CABLE

| EQUIVALENT $\dagger$ END SECTION LENGTH (FEET) | 19, 24 GA |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { EQUIVALENT } \dagger \\ & \text { END } \\ & \text { SECTION } \\ & \text { LENGTH } \\ & \text { (MILES) } \end{aligned}$ | 19, 24 GA |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BOC } \\ & (\mu \mathrm{F}) \end{aligned}$ | SCREWS DOWN $\ddagger$ |  | BOC $(\mu F)$ | SCREWS DOWN $\ddagger$ |
| 0 | . 069 | DEG | 0.00 | . 069 | DEG |
| 200 | . 067 | ACEG | . 05 | . 066 | CEG |
| 400 | . 064 | BEG | . 10 | . 062 | EG |
| 600 | . 062 | EG | . 15 | . 059 | ABDG |
| 800 | . 060 | CDG | . 20 | . 056 | DG |
| 1000 | . 057 | ADG | . 25 | . 052 | ABG |
| 1200 | . 055 | BCG | . 30 | . 049 |  |
| 1400 | . 052 | ABG | . 35 | . 046 | ADEF |
| 1600 | . 050 | AG | . 40 | . 043 | ACEF |
| 1800 | . 047 | BDEF | . 45 | . 039 | AEF |
| 2000 | . 045 | DEF | . 50 | . 036 | CDF |
| 2200 | . 042 | CEF | . 55 | . 033 | ADF |
| 2400 | . 040 | BEF | . 60 | . 029 | CF |
| 2600 | . 038 | EF | . 65 | . 026 | AF |
| 2800 | . 035 | ABDF | . 70 | . 023 | ABDE |
| 3000 | . 033 | ADF | . 75 | . 020 | $\overline{\mathrm{DE}}$ |
| 3200 | . 030 | ACF | . 80 | . 016 | ABE |
| 3400 | . 028 | ABF | . 85 | . 013 | E |
| 3600 | . 025 | F | . 90 | . 010 | ABD |
| 3800 | . 023 | ABDE | . 95 | . 007 | D |
| 4000 | . 020 | DE | 1.00 | . 004 | C |
| 4200 | . 018 | ACE | 1.05 | . 001 | A |
| 4400 | . 015 | BE | 1.10 | 0.000 | - |
| 4600 | . 013 | E |  |  |  |
| 4800 | . 010 | ABD |  |  |  |
| 5000 | . 008 | AD |  |  |  |
| 5200 | . 006 | BC |  |  |  |
| 5400 | . 003 | $A B$ |  |  |  |
| 5600 | . 000 | - |  |  |  |
| 5800 | . 000 | - |  |  |  |
| 6000 | 0.000 | - |  |  |  |

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[^0]TABLE C
837B* NETWORK (900-OHM)
BUILDING-OUT CAPACITOR ADJUSTMENT
VERSUS EQUIVALENT END-SECTION LENGTH FOR
ANY GAUGE D88 HIGH-CAPACITANCE CABLE

| EQUIVALENT $\dagger$ END SECTION IENGTH (FEET) | any gauge |  | Equivalent $\dagger$ END SECTION LENGTH (MILES) | any gauge |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| IENGTH <br> (FEET) | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BOC } \\ & (\mu F) \end{aligned}$ | SCREWS DOWN $\ddagger$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BOC } \\ & (\mu \mathrm{F}) \end{aligned}$ | sCREWS DOWN $\ddagger$ |
| 0 | . 069 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { DEG } \\ & \text { CEG } \end{aligned}$ | 0.00 | . 069 | DEG |
| 200 | . 066 |  |  |  |  |
| 400 | . 063 |  | .05 .10 | . 065 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ABEG } \\ & \text { CDG } \end{aligned}$ |
| 600 | . 060 | CDG | $\begin{aligned} & .10 \\ & .15 \end{aligned}$ | . 060 |  |
| 800 | . 056 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & .056 \\ & .052 \end{aligned}$ | ABG |
|  |  |  | . 20 |  |  |
| 1000 | . 053 | CG | . 25 |  | ABDEF |
| 1200 | . 050 | AG | . 30 | . 043 |  |
| 1400 | . 047 | BDEF |  | $.039$ | ACEF |
| 1600 | . 044 | BCEF | . 35 |  | AEF |
| 1800 | . 041 | ABEF | . 45 | . 030 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{ABDF} \\ & \mathrm{ACF} \end{aligned}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 2000 \\ & 2200 \\ & 2400 \\ & 2600 \\ & 2800 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & .038 \\ & .034 \\ & .031 \\ & .028 \\ & .025 \end{aligned}$ | EF <br> BDF <br> $B C F$ <br> ABF <br> F | $\begin{aligned} & .50 \\ & .55 \\ & .60 \\ & .65 \\ & .70 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & .026 \\ & .022 \\ & .018 \\ & .013 \\ & .009 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{AF} \\ & \mathrm{BDE} \\ & \mathrm{ACE} \\ & \mathrm{E} \\ & \mathrm{BD} \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 3000 \\ & 3200 \\ & 3400 \\ & 3600 \\ & 3800 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & .022 \\ & .019 \\ & .016 \\ & .012 \\ & .009 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{BDE} \\ & \mathrm{BCE} \\ & \mathrm{ABE} \\ & \mathrm{ACD} \\ & \mathrm{BD} \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & .75 \\ & .80 \\ & .85 \\ & .90 \\ & .95 \end{aligned}$ | . 005 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | AC |
|  |  |  |  | . 000 | - |
|  |  |  |  | . 000 | - |
|  |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & .000 \\ & .000 \end{aligned}$ | - |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4000 \\ & 4200 \\ & 4400 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} .006 \\ .003 \\ 0.000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{BC} \\ & \mathrm{AB} \\ & - \end{aligned}$ | 1.00 | 0.000 | - |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

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TABLE D
837B NETWORKS
BOC-SCREW CAPACITANCE SETTINGS



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