THE FISHER

MODEL 80-R

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World's Foremost FM-AM Tuners

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FOR USE WITH EXTERNAL CONTROL CHASSIS

FISHER RADIO CORPORATION  NEW YORK
THE FISHER FM-AM TUNERS

THE FISHER FM-AM Tuners enjoy an unparalleled reputation as the unquestioned leader in the field. The roster of professionals using THE FISHER includes the names of some of the most outstanding organizations in the research, broadcasting, and educational fields. THE FISHER provides a level of performance that far exceeds even their most critical specifications. These same high standards of performance, together with the uncompromising quality of workmanship for which THE FISHER is famous, are available to you, for use in your own home. America's first FM-AM tuners with two meters — just one of the many unique features you will find listed below.

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FM SECTION
- Professional, micro-accurate tuning meter.
- Dual antenna inputs: 72-ohm and exclusive 300-ohm balanced.
- Separate front end for FM: cascade tuned RF stage, for maximum signal-to-noise ratio.
- Two IF stages followed by 2 cascaded limiters and a Foster-Seeley Discriminator: a genuine Armstrong System, universally recognized as the ultimate in FM.
- Adjustable Automatic Frequency Control on front panel.
- SENSITIVITY: Full limiting on signals as low as 1 µv. On 72-ohm antenna input, 1½ µv for 20 db of quieting, 2½ µv for 30 db of quieting. On 300-ohm input, 3 µv for 20 db of quieting.
- FREQUENCY RESPONSE: ±0.5 db, 20 to 20,000 cycles.

AM SECTION
- Professional, micro-accurate tuning meter.
- Dual antenna inputs for loop or external antenna.
- Separate front end for AM: one tuned RF stage.
- Two adjustable band-width IF stages.
- 10 kc whistle filter.
- SENSITIVITY: Less than 1 µv for full output.
- FREQUENCY RESPONSE: In broad-tuning position: ±2 db to 6000 (-3 db at 7000) cycles. In sharp-tuning position: -6 db at 6000 cycles.
- Three high impedance inputs direct to cathode follower.
- FREQUENCY RESPONSE: ±0.5 db, 20 to 20,000 cycles.
- Cathode follower output permits leads up to 200 feet.
- Variable AFC/Power Switch: Selector Switch (AM BROAD, AM SHARP, FM, PHONO, AUX 1, AUX 2); Station Selector; Output Level Control.
- Self-powered.
- Completely shielded construction, including bottom plate and variable capacitor cover.
- Six-gang variable capacitor.
- Flywheel tuning mechanism, with anti-backlash gear.
- Chassis completely shock-mounted.
- Attractive brushed-brass control panel.
- AM Loop and FM dipole antenna supplied.
- Edge-lighted dial glass with 0-100 logging scale.
- Cabinet available in Blonde or Mahogany.
- Total of 13: 2-6BQ7A; 1-6CB6; 1-6B6E; 2-6B6; 2-6U8; 1-6ALU; 1-6AL5; 2-6C4; 1-6X4.
- Overall dimensions: 12¾" wide, 8¾" deep, 6" high. Allow an additional 1" depth for control knobs. Shipping Weight: 16 pounds.

TUBE COMPLEMENT

PHYSICAL DATA

MODEL 80-T

FM AND AM SECTIONS ARE THE SAME AS MODEL 80-R DESCRIBED ABOVE, BUT INCLUDES, ON A SEPARATE INTERLOCKED CHASSIS, COMPLETE PROFESSIONAL CONTROL FACILITIES

AUDIO SECTION

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GENERAL FEATURES
- Exclusive, separate tape head playback preamplifier, equalized to the NARTB characteristic.
- Preamplifier-Equalizer consists of two cascaded triode stages, and has adequate gain for even the lowest level magnetic pickup.
- Full choice of six record equalization settings.
- Variable Crossover-type Bass and Treble Tone Controls afford up to 15 db of boost and cut at 30 and 10,000 cycles respectively.
- FREQUENCY RESPONSE: ±0.5 db, 20 to 20,000 cycles.
- DISTORTION: Less than 0.4% for 1 volt output, 0.5% for 3 volts output.
- HUM LEVEL: On radio, better than 72 db below 2 volts with Volume Control at maximum, non-measurable with Volume Control at minimum. On phono, better than 60 db below output with 10mv input signal.
- Two outputs: low impedance cathode follower type: one before Tone and Volume Controls for recorder, plus 1 main output for connection to power amplifier. Cable lengths can be up to 100ft.
- Self-powered, with DC supply for all audio tube filament.
- Complete shock-mounting for both tuner and audio chassis.
- Two AC power outlets at rear of audio chassis.
- Cabinet available in Blonde or Mahogany.
- Bass Control; Treble Control; Equalization Selector Switch (EUR, AES, RIAA, LP, NAB, 78 and TAPE); Volume Control; Loudness Balance Control; AFC Control/Power Switch; Channel Selector (AM BROAD, AM SHARP, FM, PHONO, AUX 1, AUX 2); Station Selector.
- Total of 16: 2-6BQ7A, 1-6CB6, 1-6B6E, 1-6AU6, 1-6AL5, 2-6AX7, 2-6B6, 1-6C4, 2-6U8, 1-6X4.
- Overall dimensions: 12¾" wide, 8¾" deep, 6" high. Allow an additional 1" depth for control knobs.
- Shipping weight: 21 pounds.

Controls

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Physical Data