

Color LCD Retrofit Kit for the HP® 85662A Display

Installation and User Guide

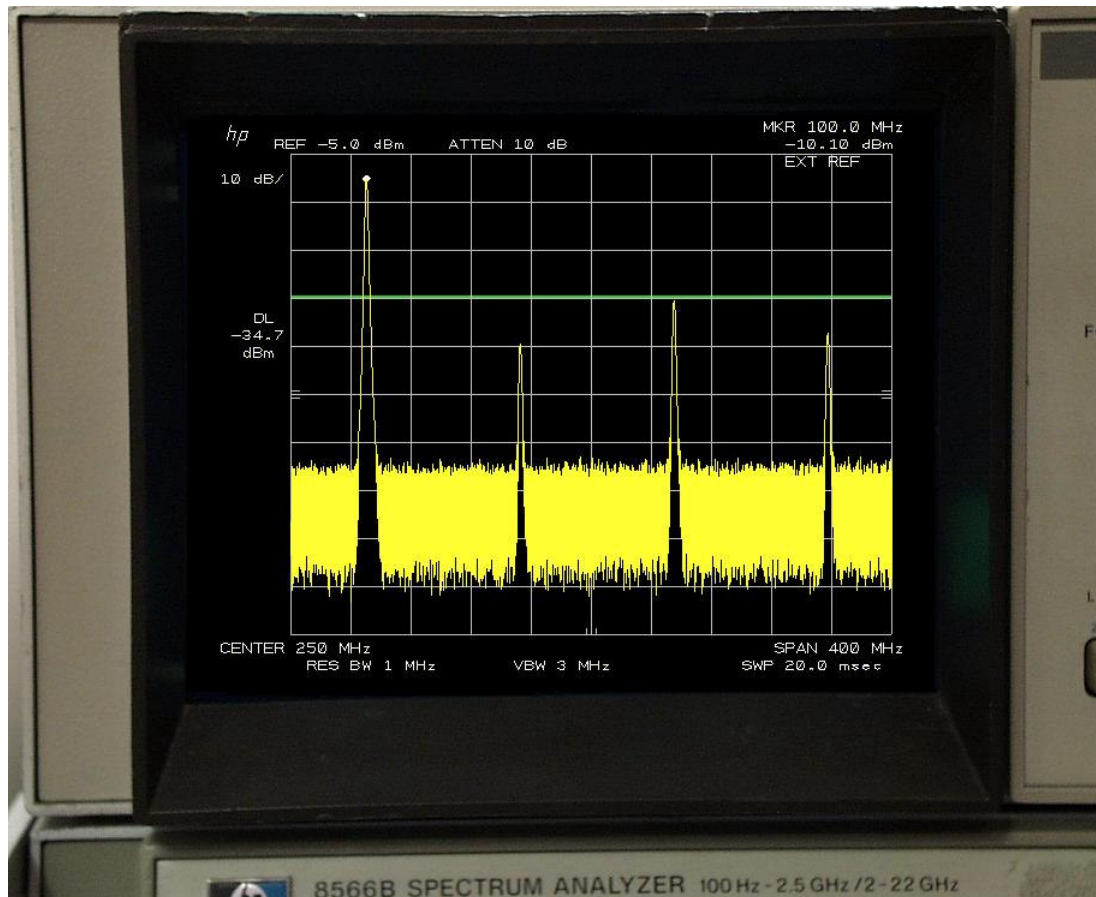


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Section I

General Information

1-1 **Description**

- 1-2 The 8566/8567/8568 Color LCD Retrofit Kit is a drop-in replacement for the monochrome CRT in the HP® 85662A display. The Retrofit Kit uses a state-of-the-art Sharp® 6.4” TFT color LCD with a resolution of 640 x 480 pixels.
- 1-3 The intensity adjustment works as before; adjust the front panel intensity knob as you would for the CRT.
- 1-4 The front panel align adjustment is no longer used.
- 1-5 There are two color schemes available. The focus pot adjusted clockwise selects the “Classic” color scheme, and counterclockwise selects the “TEP” color scheme. In the classic color scheme, trace A is shown as yellow, trace B is cyan, and trace C is magenta. Text, graticule, and marker dots are white. Display line and user defined test limit graphics are green. In the TEP color scheme, trace A is shown as green, trace B is shown as red, and trace C is shown as magenta. Text is yellow, and the graticule is blue. Marker dots, display line, and user defined test limit graphics are white.
- 1-6 Sweeps of 10mS and faster are now digitized, making it possible to save and print a screen capture in the fast sweep mode. Great care was taken to ensure fast sweep operates virtually identical to how it did when a CRT and analog signal were used.
- 1-7 GPIB automation software including verification software is still fully compatible.
- 1-8 The kit also includes a software utility to write and print screen captures. The utility can be used with any printer interfaced to a standard Windows® 98/2000/ME/XP computer that is equipped with a GPIB card and National Instruments® NI 488.2 drivers.
- 1-9 Display-off and -on (shift-G and shift-H) still works as before.
- 1-10 The LCD backlight lamp is replaceable and has a typical lifetime of 50,000 hours of operation. The lamp reaches full brightness within 5 minutes of being turn on.
- 1-11 To preserve the functionality of the rear panel X, Y, and Z display outputs, the A1A2, A1A4, and A1A5 boards have not been removed.
- 1-12 The LCD kit is powered from the unregulated +23V supply that was used for the CRT high voltage. This is a dedicated, fused supply that is isolated from the rest of the power systems.

1-13 **Specifications.**

- 1-14 Instrument specifications are unchanged.

1-15 **Calibration**

- 1-16 The calibration procedure is unchanged.

1-17 **Adjustments**

- 1-18 High Voltage and CRT Display adjustments are obsolete. Fast sweep horizontal offset and gain as well as vertical offset and gain adjustments have been added. They are accessed from the front panel and stored in the new A3A4 nonvolatile memory.

1-19 Recommended Tools & Equipment

1-20 The LCD kit installation will require the items listed in Table 1-1. Substitutions must meet the critical specifications listed in the table.

Table 1-1		
Item	Critical Specification or Use	Recommended Model
HP® 8566/67/68 Service Manual	No Substitutions	
Signal Generator	1GHz signal @ 0dBm, pulsed	HP 8340B
Function Generator	500Hz Square Wave, sync out (TTL)	HP 3325B
#1 Pozi screwdriver		
#2 Pozi screwdriver		
#1 philips screwdriver		
#10 Torx screwdriver	Removal of later s/n covers	
Soldering Iron		
Wire cutters		

Section II

Installation

2-1 Initial Inspection.

2-2 Refer to table 5-1 for a list of parts included in the 85662A-LCD Retrofit Kit. Verify that all parts listed are included in your kit.

2-3 Installation of the Color LCD Kit.

2-4 Installation should not be attempted unless it is done so by a skilled electronic repair technician.

2-5 Kit installation time is approximately 3 hours.

2-6 Refer to spectrum analyzer service manual for location of assemblies.

2-7 Disconnect AC power cord.

2-8 Remove all cables connecting the 85662A IF section to the 8566/67/68 RF section.

2-9 Separate the IF section from the RF section.

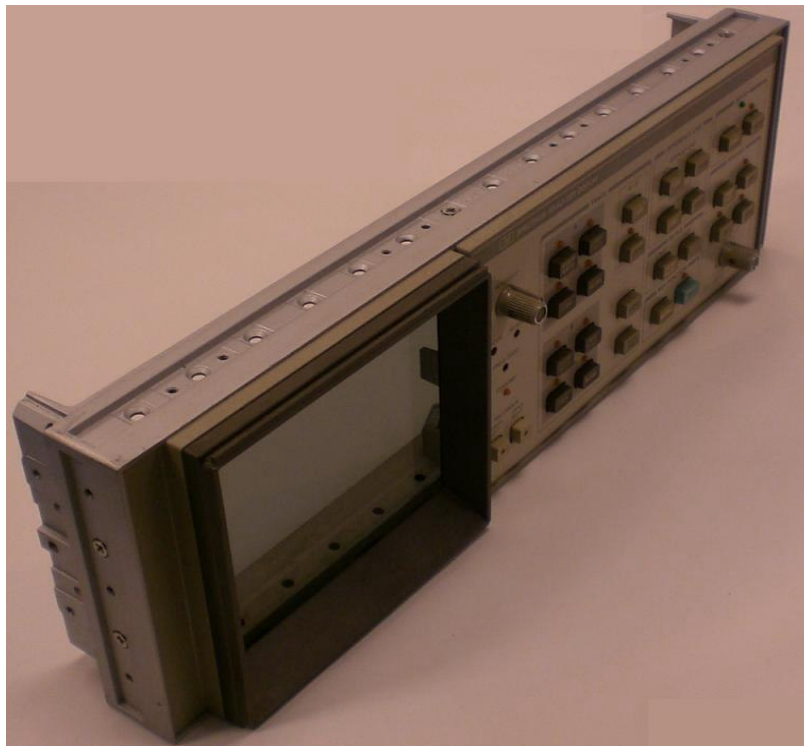
2-10 Remove the top, bottom, and side covers from the 85662A.

2-11 Remove the eight front corner frame screws connecting the front panel assembly (figure 1) to the four frame struts.

2-12 Remove the one screw on the bottom center of the front panel assembly that attaches it to the centerline motherboard support.

2-13 Carefully separate the front panel assembly from the frame struts.

Figure 1: Front Panel Assembly



- 2-14 Disconnect the two 14-pin DIP ribbon cable connectors from the motherboard sockets by spreading the retainer clips and pulling the DIP connectors free. Disconnect the 50-pin ribbon cable connector from the top edge of the A1A1 keyboard.
- 2-15 Set the front panel assembly aside.
- 2-16 **NOTE:** The following steps refer to the A1A4 and A1A5 video driver boards. On some later model systems, a single board replaces the A1A2, A1A4, and A1A5 boards. This board does not change the circuit layout of the three circuits and the A1A4 and A1A5 circuits can be easily identified as if they were separate boards.
- 2-17 Remove the A1A4 board (8566/67/68 service manual for circuit board and component locations).
- 2-18 Replace A1A4R43 with an 8.25K resistor from the kit and reinstall the A1A4 board.
- 2-19 Remove the A1A5 board.
- 2-20 Replace A1A5R43 with a 6.49K resistor from the kit and reinstall the A1A5 board.
- 2-21 **NOTE:** Changing resistors on the A1A4 and A1A5 boards preserves the correct X and Y display output amplitude to the rear panel.
- 2-22 **Warning! Potentially Lethal Voltages Present!**
- 2-23 **Review the 8566/67/68 service manual for; safety guidelines, CRT warnings, and high voltage power supply warnings before proceeding.**
- 2-24 Carefully discharge the CRT and high voltage power supply.
- 2-25 Disconnect and remove the CRT as per the 8566/67/68 service manual.
- 2-26 Remove the rear CRT mount entirely rather than just loosening it.
- 2-27 Remove three top covers: the A1A3 shielding cage cover, the A1A6/A7/A8 cage cover, and the A1C3 capacitor cover. Lay them aside to be reinstalled later.
- 2-28 Remove the A1A3 high voltage power supply and shielding cage.
- 2-29 Separate the high voltage power supply from the shielding cage.
- 2-30 Set the A1A3 shielding cage aside for later re-installation.
- 2-31 Solder a 2" wire (W7 included in kit) between A3XA2P2 pin 27 and A3XA4P1 pin 6 on the underside of the A3 motherboard (figure 2).
- 2-32 Solder a 2" wire (W8 included in kit) between A3XA2P2 pin 23 and A3XA4P1 pin 24 (figure 2).
- 2-33 Route the shorter 6.3" coax cable (W5 included in kit) under the 50-pin ribbon cable and solder the center conductor to A3XA4P1 pin-7 and the shield to A3XA4P1 pin-25.
- 2-34 On the other end of the cable, solder the center to A3XA2P1 pin-5 and the shield to A3XA2P1 pin-22 (located diagonally from pin 5) (figure 2).
- 2-35 Route the longer 6.8" coax cable (W4 included in kit) under the 50-pin ribbon cable and solder the center conductor to A3XA4P1 pin-8 and the shield to A3XA4P1 pin-26.
- 2-36 On the other end of the cable, solder the center to A3XA2P1 pin-4 and the shield to A3XA2P1 pin-21 (located diagonally from pin-4) (figure 2).

Figure 2: A3 Wiring Modifications

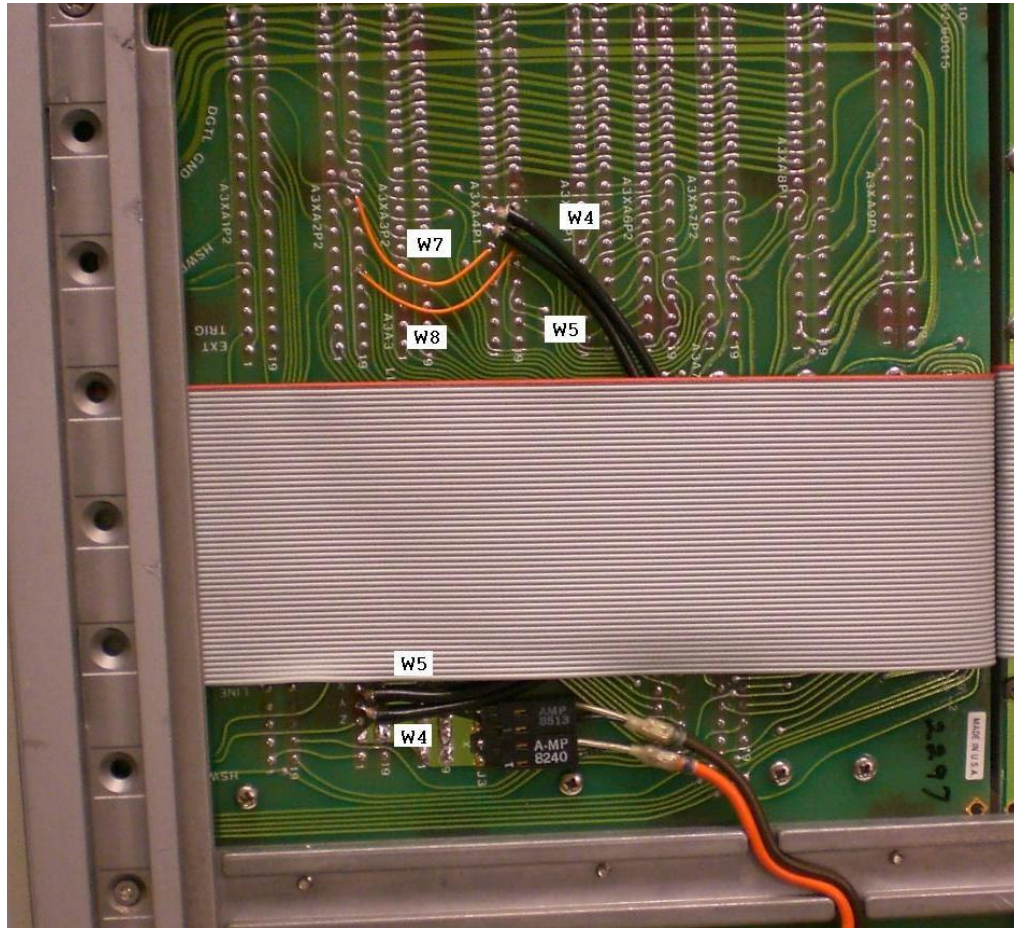
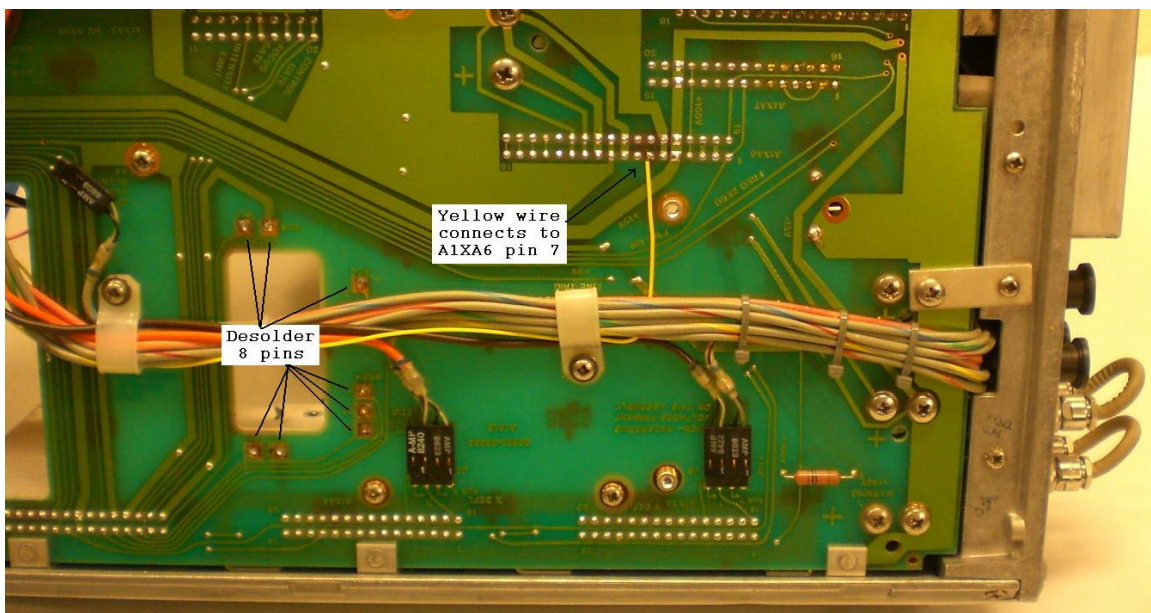


Figure 3: A1 Wiring Modifications



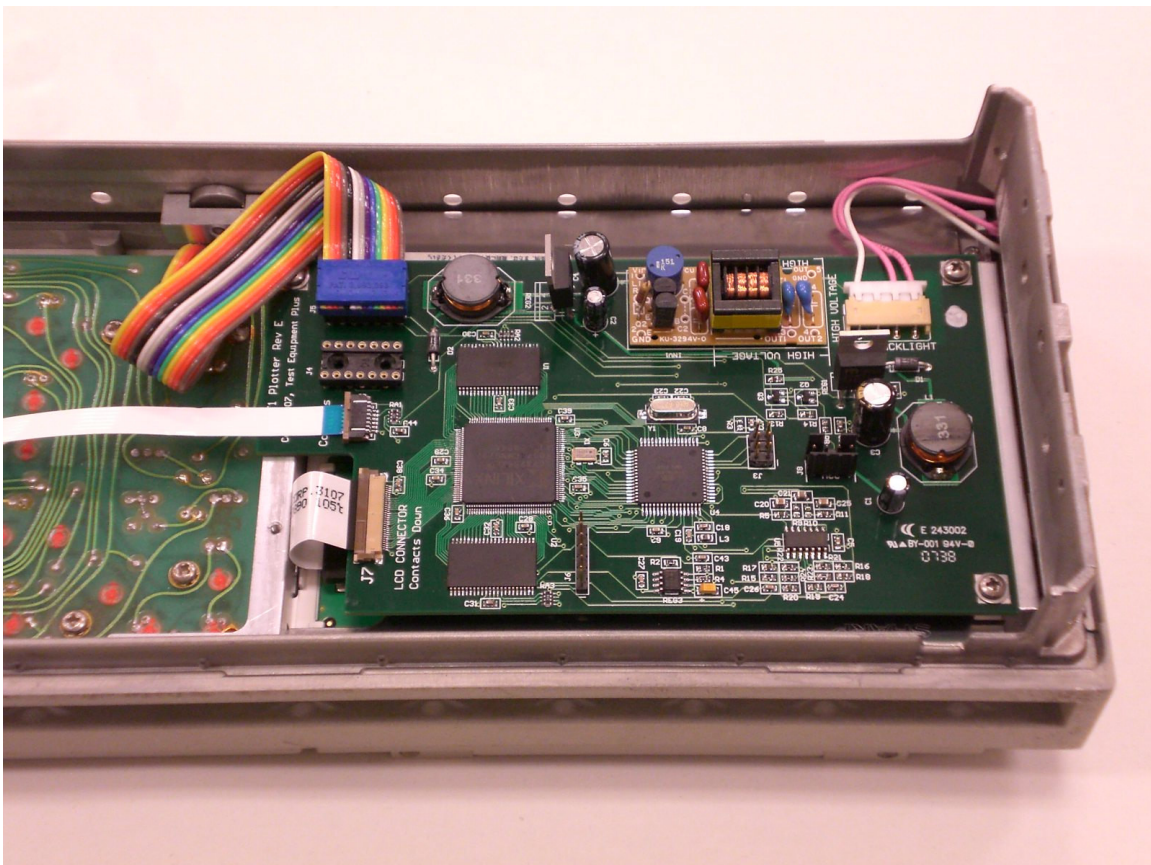
- 2-37 De-solder and discard the eight L-shaped pins that the CRT plugged into (figure 3) on the motherboard. **NOTE:** This step is required because the pins no longer have a mating CRT connector that is insulated and so they would be a potential shorting hazard to the instrument cover.
- 2-38 Solder the yellow wire on the 23V power cable (W3 included in kit) to connector A1XA6 pin-7 on the bottom of the A1 motherboard (figure 3).
- 2-39 Tie strap the yellow wire on cable W3 to the existing motherboard wiring harness (figure 3).
- 2-40 On the old front panel assembly, remove the “Level” and “Intensity” knobs and the retaining nuts underneath them.
- 2-41 Lift off the front panel keyboard overlay and set it aside.
- 2-42 Remove the eight 4-40 flat-head screws on the front of the keyboard assembly.
- 2-43 Remove the keyboard assembly from the old inner bezel casting (figure 4) and transfer it to the modified inner bezel casting provided in the kit.
- 2-44 Replace the eight 4-40 flat-head screws on the front of the keyboard assembly.
- 2-45 Replace the front panel keyboard overlay, retaining nuts, “Level” knob, and “Intensity” knob.
- 2-46 Remove the two small screws from the bottom of the plastic CRT bezel.
- 2-47 With the front panel assembly on it’s back so the glass cannot fall out, gently pull the plastic CRT bezel bottom forward until it clears the mounting tabs on the inner bezel casting, then slide it downward to free it’s upper retaining tabs and remove it.
- 2-48 Carefully remove the metallized glass window from the old inner bezel casting.
- 2-49 Clean the glass with glass cleaner.
- 2-50 Install the glass and its plastic CRT bezel and screws into the modified inner bezel casting.
- 2-51 Remove the eight 6-32 flat head screws on the front panel assembly attaching the outer bezel casting to the old inner bezel casting.
- 2-52 Discard the eight old 6-32 flat head screws.
- 2-53 Separate the outer bezel casting from the old inner bezel casting. There should now be nothing attached to the old inner bezel casting (figure 4). **NOTE:** Save your undamaged old inner bezel casting and return it to Test Equipment Plus for a refund of the core charge.

Figure 4: Inner Bezel Casting



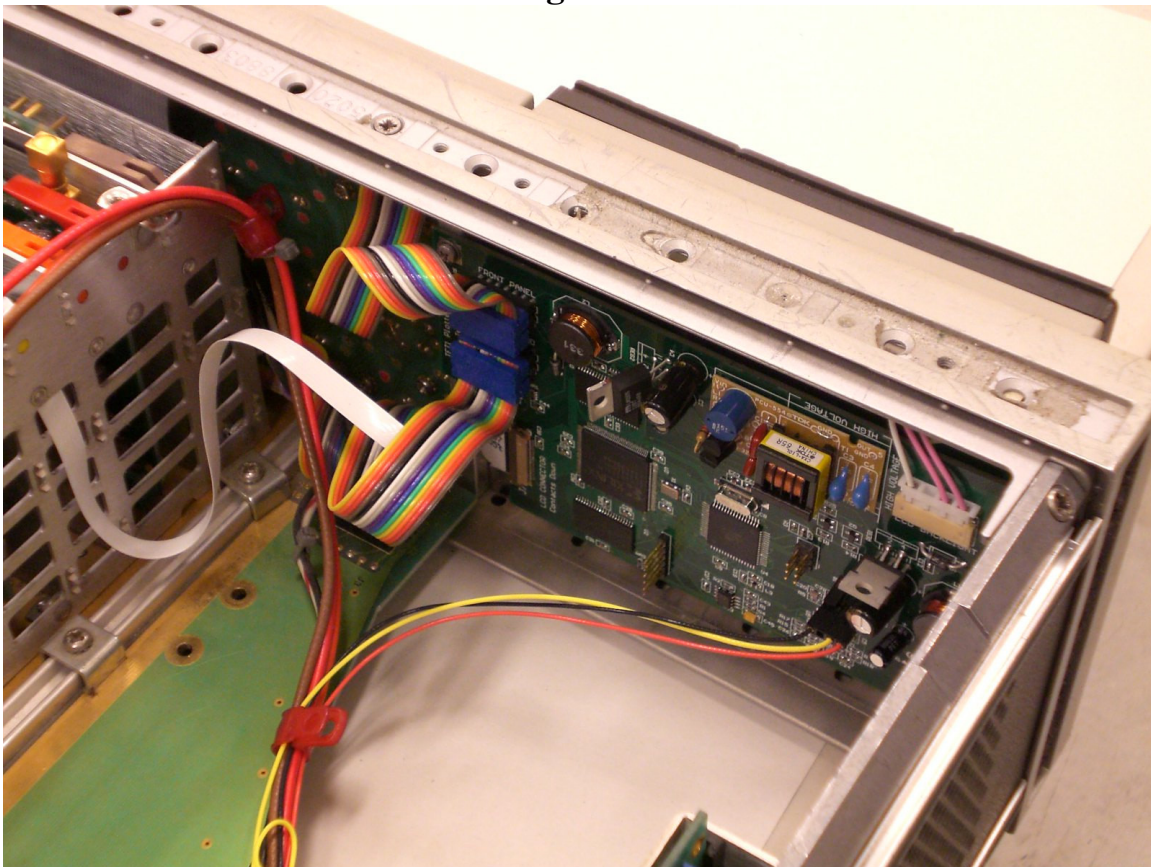
- 2-54 Set the modified inner bezel casting face down and remove the four 6-32 flat head screws, on the sides, that hold the LCD assembly in place.
- 2-55 Lift out the LCD, Plotter board, and mounting brackets, as one LCD assembly.
- 2-56 The LCD is only attached to the Plotter board with two cables so take care to keep them together and to not unseat the cables.
- 2-57 Remove the protective plastic shipping film from the front of the LCD screen, being careful to not touch the LCD screen.
- 2-58 Replace the LCD assembly into the modified inner bezel casting but don't put the screws in yet.
- 2-59 Carefully fit the outer bezel casting onto the modified inner bezel casting and LCD assembly.
- 2-60 Replace the four new 6-32 flat head screws that hold the outer bezel casting, inner bezel casting, and LCD assembly together.
- 2-61 Install the four remaining new 6-32 flat head screws, provided in the kit, through the outer bezel and into the modified inner bezel casting side mounting tabs.
- 2-62 Release the plotter board J2 zero insertion force (ZIF) connector retainer bar by sliding the light brown tabs on each side of the connector about 1.5mm away from the center of the plotter board.
- 2-63 Insert one end of the 6-conductor flat flex cable (W2) into connector J2 on the plotter board. Make sure cable W2 contacts are facing down towards the Plotter board.
- 2-64 Lock the plotter board J2 connector by pushing the ZIF retainer bar back into the connector.

Figure 5: Front Panel with LCD



- 2-65 Re-route the 14-pin DIP ribbon cable from the keyboard (that used to go to the motherboard A1J1) to the LCD Kit's plotter board socket labeled "FRONT PANEL" (figure 5).
- 2-66 Connect one end of the 14-pin DIP cable W6 to the LCD Kit's Plotter board socket labeled "MOTHERBOARD", ensuring cable pin-1 matches to the plotter board pin-1 (figure 5).
- 2-67 Connect the other end of the 14-pin DIP ribbon cable (W6 included in the kit) to the motherboard A1J1, observing polarity. The W6 ribbon should come off the forward side of the connector, AND pin-1 should go towards the left as viewed from the front.
- 2-68 Re-connect the remaining front panel cables to the 85662A by connecting the 50-pin ribbon cable to the keyboard and the remaining 14-pin DIP cable from the keyboard to A3J1.
- 2-69 Fit the front panel assembly back into the frame and install the eight frame screws that were removed in step 2-11 and the motherboard centerline support screw that was removed in step 2-12.
- 2-70 Disconnect the ends of the three SMB cables that are connected to the top of the A3 card cage.
- 2-71 Remove the top cover of the A3 card cage.
- 2-72 Remove the obsolete HP A3A4 card.

Figure 6



- 2-73 Release the LCD kit's A3A4 board J1 zero insertion force (ZIF) connector retainer bar by sliding the light brown tabs on each side of the connector about 1.5mm away from the center of the plotter board.
- 2-74 Feed the loose end of the 6-conductor flat flex cable (W2) through the side of the A3 card cage into connector J1 on the LCD kit's A3A4 board (see figure 6).
- 2-75 Make sure cable W2 contacts are facing down towards the A3A4 board.
- 2-76 Lock the A3A4 board J1 connector by pushing the ZIF retainer bar back into the connector.
- 2-77 Slide the LCD kit's A3A4 board into its card cage slot while working most of the W2 cable slack out through the card cage hole. Leave a little slack for a A3A4 service loop.
- 2-78 Replace the A3 card cage top cover.
- 2-79 Reconnect the three SMB cables that are connected through the top cover of the A3 card cage.
- 2-80 On the side of the A1A3 sheet metal shielding cage that faced where the CRT used to be, there will either be a hole in the middle of the side or a notch where the cage meets the motherboard.
- 2-81 If there is a hole in the middle of the side, then feed the 23V power cable edge connector PCB, on cable assembly W3, through the hole and plug it into the empty A1A3 card slot.
- 2-82 If there is a notch in the side of the A1A3 cage, then guide the W3 PCB connector through that notch.
- 2-83 Reinstall the A1A3 high voltage power supply cage.
- 2-84 Reinstall the A1C3 and A1A6/A7/A8 covers that were removed in step 2-27 and engage cards A1A7 and A1A8 into their guide slots.
- 2-85 Reconnect all cable clamps that were disconnected from the A1A3 and A1A6/A7/A8 assemblies.
- 2-86 Plug cable W3, 4-pin polarized 23V power connector into the plotter board J8 connector.
- 2-87 Replace the side and bottom covers and turn the 85662A right side up.
- 2-88 Turn the front panel intensity knob fully clockwise.
- 2-89 Re-connect the 85662A to the spectrum analyzer RF section, interconnect cables, and AC power.
- 2-90 Turn on spectrum analyzer and verify correct operation.
- 2-91 Perform section IV Fast Sweep Adjustments.
- 2-92 Replace top cover.
- 2-93 Place the retrofit kit's CD instruction manual in front of your HP service manual as supplemental data.

Section III

Principles of Operation

3-1 A3A4 Interface.

3-2 The A3A4 Interface board uses a dual-access memory array. This allows simultaneous use of the video memory by the 85662A data and control bus as well as the color video processor (A3A4U2) that changes the video from monochrome to color and formats the information into a compressed data stream.

3-3 For sweep times of ≤ 10 milliseconds (fast sweep), the A3A4 digitizes the fast sweep data that comes in as analog-X and -Y signals. Since the fast sweep data is now captured in digital format it has the added benefit of being able to be saved and printed using the GPIB interface, just like the slower sweeps.

3-4 A1A21 Plotter.

3-5 The A1A21 plotter board converts the compressed data into a raster scan format for driving the LCD. Raster scan data is stored in page switched static RAM. Each page contains enough information to paint a full screen on the LCD. There are two pages of static RAM. One page refreshes while the other page paints to the LCD.

Section IV

Fast Sweep Adjustments

- 4-1 Allow 30 minutes warm up of spectrum analyzer before adjustments.
- 4-2 Enter CENTER FREQUENCY 1 GHz, FREQUENCY SPAN 0 Hz, scale LINEAR, trigger VIDEO, SWEEP TIME 20 msec.
- 4-3 Apply a 1GHz signal, 0dBm, and pulsed with a 500Hz square wave to the spectrum analyzer RF input.
- 4-4 Enter REFERENCE LEVEL and adjust front panel RPG for full-scale deflection on LCD.
- 4-5 Enter SWEEP TIME 10 msec.
- 4-6 Enter CF STEP SIZE, [.), [1], [2], [6], [GHz]. The trace color should change to red, indicating you are in adjustment mode.
- 4-7 Slowly adjust the horizontal gain, using the front panel RPG, for exactly one vertical line per graticule.
- 4-8 Press the AUTO key above the CF STEP SIZE key to save setting.
- 4-9 Enter CF STEP SIZE, [.), [1], [2], [7], [GHz].
- 4-10 Slowly adjust the horizontal offset, by rotating the front panel RPG counter-clockwise, until the maximum FS ADJ value is reached that will superimpose the vertical signal lines with the vertical graticule lines. NOTE: a vertical line should not be visible on the far left graticule when finished. If there is not enough adjustment range then adjust A3A1R34 to provide the needed range of adjustment.
- 4-11 Press the AUTO key above the CF STEP SIZE key to save setting.
- 4-12 Steps 4-6 thru 4-11 are interactive. Repeat as needed.
- 4-13 Enter CF STEP SIZE, [.), [1], [2], [8], [GHz].
- 4-14 Slowly adjust the vertical offset, using the front panel RPG, until the trace is exactly centered.
- 4-15 Press the AUTO key above the CF STEP SIZE key to save setting.
- 4-16 Enter CF STEP SIZE, [.), [1], [2], [9], [GHz].
- 4-17 Slowly adjust the vertical gain, using the front panel RPG, until the trace is exactly full scale.
- 4-18 Press the AUTO key above the CF STEP SIZE key to save setting.
- 4-19 Steps 4-13 thru 4-18 are interactive. Repeat as needed.

Section V

Replaceable Parts

5-1 This section contains information for ordering replacement parts found in table 5-1.

Table 5-1				
Ref Designator	Description	Qty	Note	Part Number
	85662A LCD Retrofit Kit			85662A-LCD-RK
A1A21	Plotter board	1	1	85662A-Plotter
A1A23	Color LCD Display	1	1	85662A-Display
A3A4	A3A4 Interface board	1	2	85662A-A3A4
	SS Screw, pan-philips-SEM, 4-40 x 1/4	4	1	85662A-M1
	SS Screw, 82° flat-pozi, 6-32 x 7/16	4	1	85662A-M2
	SS Screw, 82° flat-pozi, 6-32 x 7/16	4	3	85662A-M2
	Bracket, Large (C-shaped)	1	1	85662A-M3
	Bracket, Small (straight)	1	1	85662A-M4
	Manual and Software Utility on CD	1	4	85662A-M5-2.00
	Modified Inner Bezel Casting	1	1	85662A-M6
A1A4R43	Resistor, axial, 1/4W, 8.25K 1%	1	3	85662A-R1
A1A5R43	Resistor, axial, 1/4W, 6.49K 1%	1	3	85662A-R2
	Cable, ribbon, LCD to Plotter	1	1	85662A-W1
	Cable, 6-conductor Flat Flex, 12", Plotter to A3A4	1	3	85662A-W2
	Cable, 23V Power (red/black/yellow wire harness)	1	4	85662A-W3
	Cable, Coaxial, 6.8", Y-axis	1	4	85662A-W4
	Cable, Coaxial, 6.3", X-axis	1	4	85662A-W5
	Cable, 14-pin DIP x 6"	1	4	85662A-W6
	Teflon Wire, solid 30 AWG, insulated, 1.8" Orange	2	4	85662A-W7 & W8

NOTE: 1. Shipped assembled
 2. Shipped in bubble wrap bag.
 3. Shipped in plastic 4-dram box
 4. Shipped in bubble wrap miscellaneous bag with 4-dram box

5-2 Before ordering parts, verify the serial number of your kit. This can be accessed by entering **CF STEP SIZE, 8,0,8,3**. Have this information available when ordering. Press **AUTO** above **CF STEP SIZE** when finished viewing the serial number from the front panel.

Section VI

Block Diagram

