The Calypso is shipped with the tubes removed in order to avoid shipping damage. This guide will assist in the placement of each tube.

It is important to note that all of the tubes are matched and therefore each tube must be inserted into its proper socket, which is indicated on the outside of the tube box.

The format is as follows, using one specific tube as an example:

“V1L”, where:

V is the designator for a tube.
1 is the numerical reference designator.
L means that it is to be installed in the left channel.

When looking at the pins of each tube, note that they are all evenly spaced apart except in one place where there is a larger gap. This gap is to assist in aligning the tube in its socket correctly.

The following diagram shows all boards and the positioning for each tube.