



# 6CB5-A

## BEAM POWER TUBE

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### GENERAL DATA

#### Electrical:

|  |           |       |
|--|-----------|-------|
| Heater, for Unipotential Cathode:                                    |           |       |
| Voltage (AC or DC) . . . . .   | 6.3 ± 10% | volts |
| Current . . . . .  | 2.5       | amp   |
| Direct Interelectrode Capacitances (Approx.): <sup>0</sup>           |           |       |
| Grid No.1 to plate. . . . .  | 0.4       | μf    |
| Grid No.1 to cathode & grid No.3,<br>grid No.2, and heater . . . . . | 22        | μf    |
| Plate to cathode & grid No.3,<br>grid No.2, and heater . . . . .     | 10        | μf    |

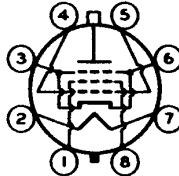
#### Characteristics, Class A<sub>1</sub> Amplifier:

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|--|------|------|-------|
| Plate Voltage . . . . .                                    | 75   | 175  | volts |
| Grid-No.2 Voltage . . . . .                                | 150  | 175  | volts |
| Grid-No.1 Voltage . . . . .                                | 0    | -30  | volts |
| Mu-Factor, Grid No.2 to Grid No.1 . . . . .                | -    | 3.8  |       |
| Plate Resistance (Approx.) . . . . .                       | -    | 5000 | ohms  |
| Transconductance. . . . .                                  | -    | 8800 | μmhos |
| Plate Current . . . . .                                    | 460* | 90   | ma    |
| Grid-No.2 Current . . . . .                                | 42*  | 6    | ma    |
| Grid-No.1 Voltage (Approx.)<br>for plate ma. = 1 . . . . . | -    | -60  | volts |

#### Mechanical:

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Operating Position. . . . .                 | Any   |
| Maximum Overall Length. . . . .             | 5"  |
| Seated Length . . . . .                     | 4-1/4" ± 3/16"  |
| Maximum Diameter. . . . .                   | 1-23/32"  |
| Bulb. . . . .                               | T12   |
| Cap . . . . .                               | Small (JEDEC No.C1-1)   |
| Base. . . . .                               | Short Jumbo-Shell Octal 8-Pin<br>with External Barriers (JEDEC Group 1, No.B8-71),<br>or Short Medium-Shell Octal 8-Pin<br>with External Barriers, Style B (JEDEC Group 1, No.B8-118) |
| Basing Designation for BOTTOM VIEW. . . . . | 8GD   |

- Pin 1 - Grid No.2
- Pin 2 - Heater
- Pin 3 - Cathode,  
Grid No.3
- Pin 4 - Grid No.1
- Pin 5 - Grid No.1



- Pin 6 - Cathode,  
Grid No.3
- Pin 7 - Heater
- Pin 8 - Grid No.2  
Cap - Plate

### HORIZONTAL-DEFLECTION AMPLIFIER

#### Maximum Ratings, Design-Maximum Values:

*For operation in a 525-line, 30-frame system<sup>□</sup>*

|   |           |       |
|---|-----------|-------|
| DC (Including boost) PLATE VOLTAGE. . . . . | 880 max.  | volts |
| PEAK POSITIVE-PULSE PLATE VOLTAGE*. . . . . | 6800 max. | volts |

← Indicates a change.

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| PEAK NEGATIVE-PULSE PLATE VOLTAGE . . .                      | 1650             | max. | volts |
| DC GRID-No.2 (SCREEN-GRID) VOLTAGE. . .                      | 220              | max. | volts |
| DC GRID-No.1 (CONTROL-GRID) VOLTAGE. . .                     | -55              | max. | volts |
| PEAK NEGATIVE-PULSE GRID-No.1 VOLTAGE .                      | 220              | max. | volts |
| CATHODE CURRENT:   |                  |      |       |
| Peak. . . . .  | 850              | max. | ma    |
| DC. . . . .  | 240              | max. | ma    |
| GRID-No.2 INPUT . . . . .                                    | 4                | max. | watts |
| PLATE DISSIPATION†. . . . .                                  | 26               | max. | watts |
| PEAK HEATER-CATHODE VOLTAGE:                                 |                  |      |       |
| Heater negative with respect to cathode. . . . .             | 200              | max. | volts |
| Heater positive with respect to cathode. . . . .             | 200 <sup>▲</sup> | max. | volts |
| BULB TEMPERATURE (At hottest point on bulb surface). . . . . | 220              | max. | °C    |

Maximum Circuit Values:

Grid-No.1-Circuit Resistance:  
 For grid-resistor-bias operation. . . 0.47 max. megohm

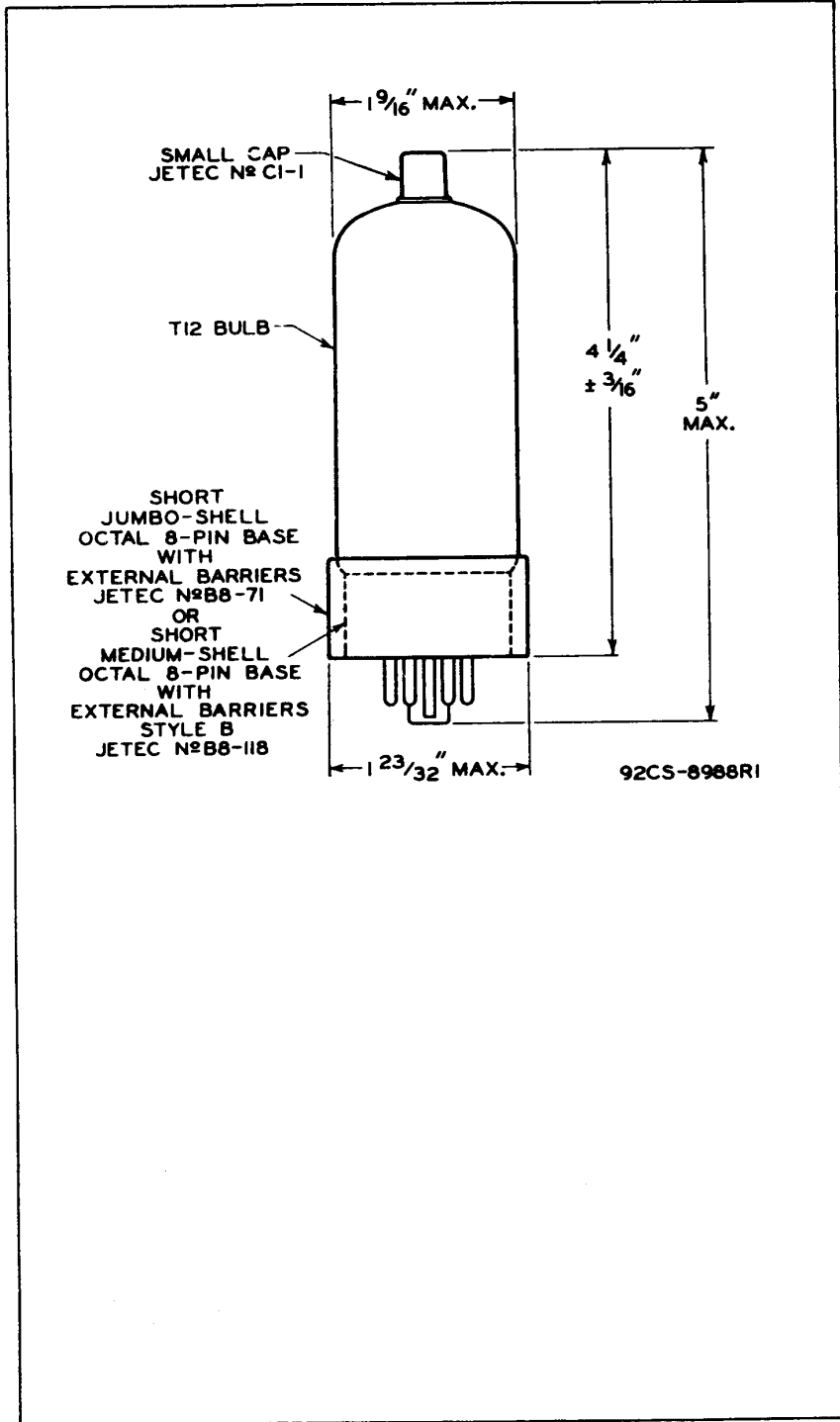
- Without external shield.
- \* These values can be measured by a method involving a recurrent wave form such that the maximum ratings of the tube will not be exceeded.
- As described in "Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Television Broadcast Stations," Federal Communications Commission.
- # The duration of the voltage pulse must not exceed 15 per cent of one horizontal scanning cycle. In a 525-line, 30-frame system, 15 per cent of one horizontal scanning cycle is 10 microseconds.
- † An adequate bias resistor or other means is required to protect the tube in the absence of excitation.
- ▲ The dc component must not exceed 100 volts.



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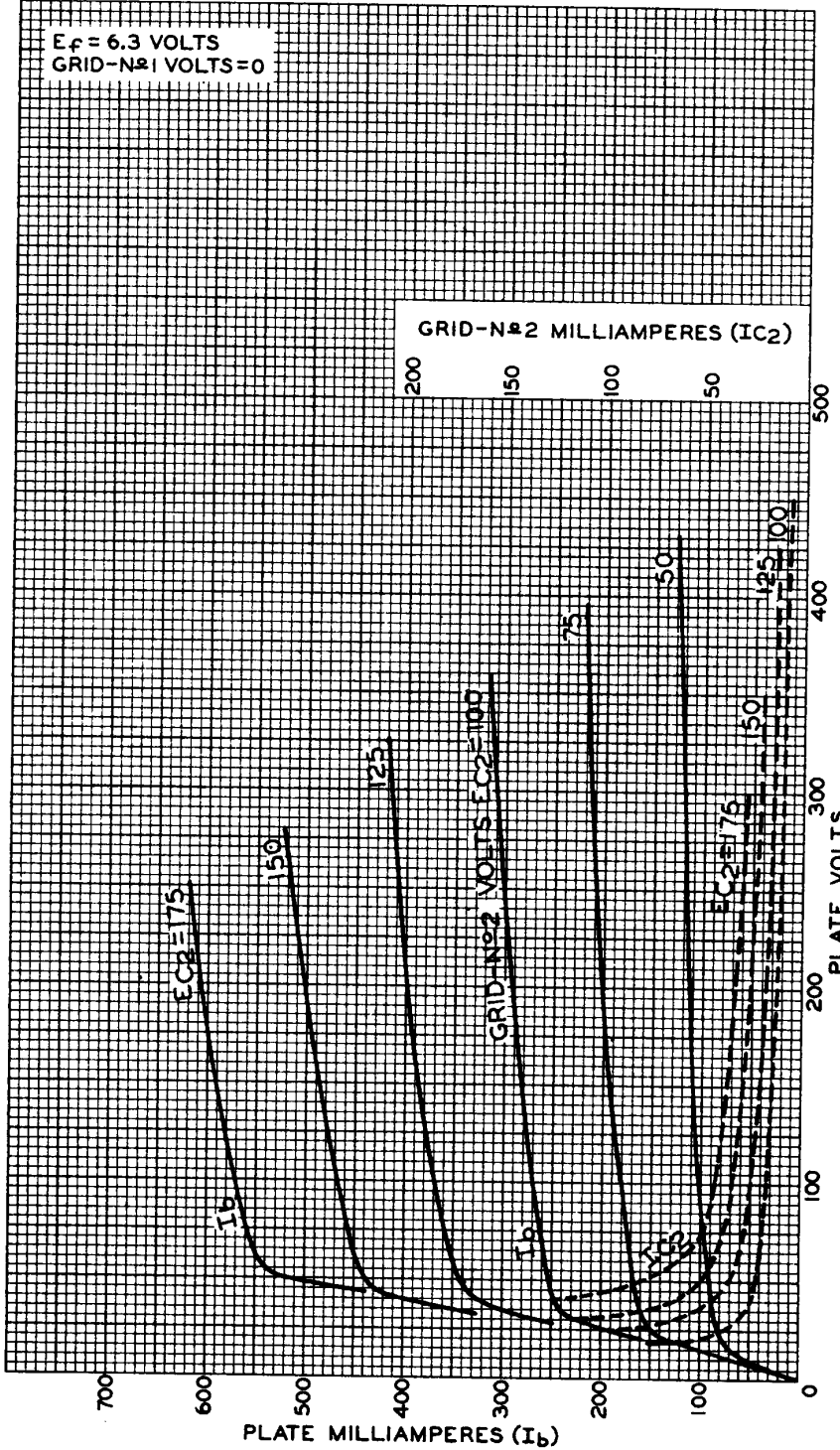


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### AVERAGE CHARACTERISTICS



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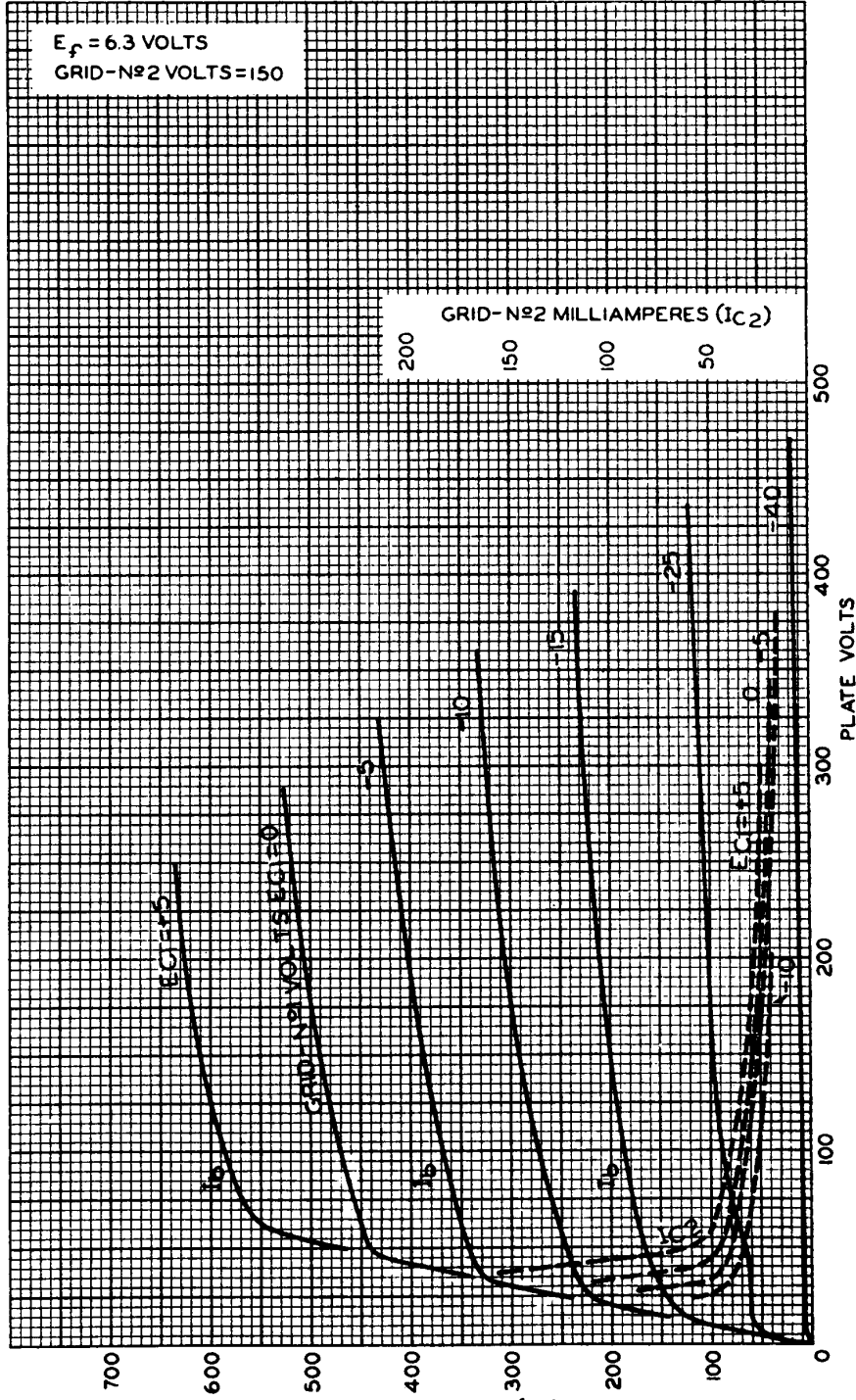
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$E_f = 6.3$  VOLTS  
GRID-NO 2 VOLTS = 150

GRID-NO 2 MILLIAMPERES ( $I_{c2}$ )  
200 150 100 50

700 600 500 400 300 200 100 0  
PLATE MILLIAMPERES ( $I_b$ )

500 400 300 200 100 0  
PLATE VOLTS

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