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## MULTIPLIER PHOTOTUBE

14-STAGE, HEAD-ON, FLAT-FACEPLATE TYPE WITH 1.68"-DIA.,  
CURVED, CIRCULAR, SEMITRANSSPARENT CATHODE AND S-20 RESPONSE  
VERY SHORT TIME-RESOLUTION CAPABILITY

## DATA

## General:

|                                                |                                                |
|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Spectral Response. . . . .                     | S-20                                           |
| Wavelength of Maximum Response . . . . .       | 4200 $\pm$ 500 angstroms                       |
| Cathode, Semitransparent:                      |                                                |
| Shape. . . . .                                 | Curved Circular                                |
| Window:                                        |                                                |
| Area . . . . .                                 | 2.2 sq.in.                                     |
| Minimum diameter . . . . .                     | 1.68 in.                                       |
| Index of refraction. . . . .                   | 1.51                                           |
| Direct Interelectrode Capacitances (Approx.):  |                                                |
| Anode to dynode No.14. . . . .                 | 2.8 $\mu$ f                                    |
| Anode to all other electrodes. . . . .         | 6 $\mu$ f                                      |
| Dynode No.14 to all other electrodes . . . . . | 7.5 $\mu$ f                                    |
| Maximum Overall Length . . . . .               | 7.5"                                           |
| Seated Length. . . . .                         | 6.69" $\pm$ 0.19"                              |
| Maximum Diameter . . . . .                     | 2.38"                                          |
| Operating Position . . . . .                   | Any                                            |
| Weight (Approx.) . . . . .                     | 8 oz                                           |
| Bulb . . . . .                                 | T16                                            |
| Socket . . . . .                               | Alden No.220FT with 20 contacts, or equivalent |
| Base . . . . .                                 | Small-Shell Bidecal 20-Pin (JEDEC No.B20-102)  |
| Basing Designation for BOTTOM VIEW . . . . .   | .20C                                           |

Pin 1 -No Connec-  
tion

Pin 2 -Dynode No.1

Pin 3 -Dynode No.3

Pin 4 -Dynode No.5

Pin 5 -Dynode No.7

Pin 6 -Dynode No.9

Pin 7 -Dynode No.11

Pin 8 -Dynode No.13

Pin 9 -Grid No.2  
(Accelerating  
Electrode)

Pin 10 -Anode

Pin 11 -Dynode No.14

Pin 12 -Dynode No.12

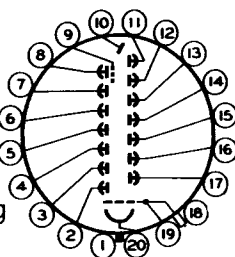
Pin 13 -Dynode No.10

Pin 14 -Dynode No.8

Pin 15 -Dynode No.6

Pin 16 -Dynode No.4

Pin 17 -Dynode No.2

Pin 18 -No Connec-  
tionPin 19 -Grid No.1  
(Focusing  
Electrode)Pin 20 -Photo-  
cathodeMetal  
Collar§ - Connected  
Internally  
to Focusing  
Electrode—  
Do Not Make  
Electrical  
Connection  
to CollarDIRECTION OF LIGHT:  
INTO END OF BULB

## Maximum Ratings, Absolute Values:

|                                                                |                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| SUPPLY VOLTAGE BETWEEN ANODE AND<br>CATHODE (DC). . . . .      | 3000 max. volts |
| SUPPLY VOLTAGE BETWEEN DYNODE No.14<br>AND ANODE (DC). . . . . | 500 max. volts  |

§: See next page.



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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------|
| SUPPLY VOLTAGE BETWEEN CONSECUTIVE DYNODES (DC) . . . . .                     | 600 max.  | volts |
| SUPPLY VOLTAGE BETWEEN ACCELERATING ELECTRODE AND DYNODE No.13 (DC) . . . . . | ±600 max. | volts |
| DYNODE-No.1 SUPPLY VOLTAGE (DC) . . . . .                                     | 500 max.  | volts |
| FOCUSING-ELECTRODE SUPPLY VOLTAGE (DC) . . . . .                              | 500 max.  | volts |
| AVERAGE ANODE CURRENT* . . . . .                                              | 1 max.    | ma    |
| AMBIENT TEMPERATURE . . . . .                                                 | 85 max.   | °C    |

**Characteristics Range Values for Equipment Design:**

Under conditions with dc supply voltage (E) across a voltage divider providing electrode voltages shown in Table 1

*With E = 2400 volts (Except as noted) and accelerating-electrode voltage adjusted to give maximum gain*

*Min.                  Median                  Max.*

**Sensitivity:**

|                                                                                                                   |      |                       |                       |           |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|
| Radiant, at 4200 angstroms. . . . .                                                                               | -    | 0.6                   | -                     | amp/μw    |
| Cathode radiant, at 4200 angstroms . . . . .                                                                      | -    | 0.064                 | -                     | μa/μw     |
| Luminous:*                                                                                                        |      |                       |                       |           |
| At 0 cps . . . . .                                                                                                | 165  | 1400                  | 6800                  | amp/lumen |
| With dynode No.14 as output electrode† . . . . .                                                                  | -    | 980                   | -                     | amp/lumen |
| Cathode luminous:                                                                                                 |      |                       |                       |           |
| With tungsten light source▲ . . . . .                                                                             | 100  | 150                   | -                     | μa/lumen  |
| With blue light source**◆ . . . . .                                                                               | 0.05 | -                     | -                     | μa        |
| With red light source□⊕ . . . . .                                                                                 | 0.30 | -                     | -                     | μa        |
| Current Amplification. . . . .                                                                                    | -    | $9.35 \times 10^6$    | -                     |           |
| Equivalent Anode-Dark-Current Input‡ . . . . .                                                                    | -    | $2 \times 10^{-10}$   | $8 \times 10^{-10}$   | lumen     |
| Equivalent Noise Input:★                                                                                          |      |                       |                       |           |
| At +25° C. . . . .                                                                                                | -    | $7.5 \times 10^{-13}$ | $3.3 \times 10^{-12}$ | lumen     |
| At -80° C. . . . .                                                                                                | -    | $1 \times 10^{-13}$   | -                     | lumen     |
| Anode-Pulse Rise Time‡ . . . . .                                                                                  | -    | 3                     | -                     | milliμsec |
| Greatest Delay Between Anode Pulses:                                                                              |      |                       |                       |           |
| Due to position from which electrons are simultaneously released within a circle centered on tube face and having |      |                       |                       |           |

§, ●, #, †, ▲, \*\*, ◆, □, ⊕, ⊗, ■, ★, ‡: See next page.



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Min. Median Max.

a diameter of—

|                |   |                |   |           |
|----------------|---|----------------|---|-----------|
| 1.12". . . . . | — | 1 <sup>1</sup> | — | milliμsec |
| 1.56". . . . . | — | 3 <sup>1</sup> | — | milliμsec |

§ The metal collar may be at high potential depending on the circuit application and should be insulated accordingly.

• Averaged over any interval of 30 seconds maximum.

\* Under the following conditions: The light source is a tungsten-filament lamp operated at a color temperature of 2870° K. A light input of 0.1 microlumen is used. The load resistor has a value of 0.01 megohm.

† An output current of opposite polarity to that obtained at the anode may be provided by using dynode No.14 as the output electrode. With this arrangement, the load is connected in the dynode-No.14 circuit and the anode serves only as collector.

▲ Under the following conditions: The light source is a tungsten-filament lamp operated at a color temperature of 2870° K. The value of light flux is 0.01 lumen and 200 volts are applied between cathode and all other electrodes connected together as anode. The load resistor has a value of 0.01 megohm.

\*\* Under the following conditions: Light incident on the cathode is transmitted through a blue filter (Corning, Glass Code No.5113 polished to 1/2 stock thickness) from a tungsten-filament lamp operated at a color temperature of 2870° K. The value of light flux on the filter is 0.01 lumen. The load resistor has a value of 0.01 megohm, and 200 volts are applied between cathode and all other electrodes connected together as anode.

◆ For spectral characteristic of this source, see sheet SPECTRAL CHARACTERISTIC OF 2870° K LIGHT SOURCE AND SPECTRAL CHARACTERISTIC OF LIGHT FROM 2870° K SOURCE AFTER PASSING THROUGH INDICATED BLUE FILTER at front of this section.

□ Under the following conditions: Light incident on the cathode is transmitted through a red filter (Corning, Glass Code No.2418, or equivalent) from a tungsten-filament lamp operated at a color temperature of 2870° K. The value of light flux on the filter is 0.01 lumen. The load resistor has a value of 0.01 megohm, and 200 volts are applied between cathode and all other electrodes connected together as anode.

⊗ For spectral characteristic of this source, see sheet SPECTRAL CHARACTERISTIC OF 2870° K LIGHT SOURCE AND SPECTRAL CHARACTERISTIC OF LIGHT FROM 2870° K SOURCE AFTER PASSING THROUGH INDICATED RED FILTER at front of this section.

⊕ Measured at a tube temperature of 25° C and with the supply voltage (E) adjusted to give a luminous sensitivity of 1000 amperes per lumen. Dark current caused by thermionic emission may be reduced by the use of a refrigerant.

■ For maximum signal-to-noise ratio, operation with a supply voltage (E) below 2400 volts is recommended.

★ Under the following conditions: Supply voltage (E) is 2400 volts, external shield connected to metal collar, ac-amplifier bandwidth of 1 cycle per second, tungsten light source of 2870° K interrupted at a low audio frequency to produce incident radiation pulses alternating between zero and the value stated. The "on" period of the pulse is equal to the "off" period. The output current is measured through a filter which passes only the fundamental frequency of the pulses.

‡ Measured between 10 per cent and 90 per cent of the maximum anode-pulse height. This anode-pulse rise time is determined primarily by transit-time variations in the multiplier stages only and with an incident-light spot approximately 1 millimeter in diameter centered on the photocathode.

↓ These values also represent the difference in time of transit between the photocathode and dynode No.1 for electrons simultaneously released from the center and from the periphery of the specified area.

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TABLE 1

## VOLTAGE TO BE PROVIDED BY DIVIDER

| Between                         | 5.4% of Supply<br>Voltage (E)<br>multiplied by |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Cathode and Focusing Electrode* | 1.6                                            |
| Cathode and Dynode No.1         | 2                                              |
| Dynode No.1 and Dynode No.2     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.2 and Dynode No.3     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.3 and Dynode No.4     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.4 and Dynode No.5     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.5 and Dynode No.6     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.6 and Dynode No.7     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.7 and Dynode No.8     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.8 and Dynode No.9     | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.9 and Dynode No.10    | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.10 and Dynode No.11   | 1                                              |
| Dynode No.11 and Dynode No.12   | 1.25                                           |
| Dynode No.12 and Dynode No.13   | 1.5                                            |
| Dynode No.13 and Dynode No.14   | 1.75                                           |
| Dynode No.14 and Anode          | 2                                              |
| Anode and Cathode               | 18.5                                           |

## OPERATING CONSIDERATIONS

*Exposing the 7265 to strong ultraviolet radiation may cause an increase in anode dark current. After cessation of such irradiation, the dark current returns rapidly toward its initial value.*

The *operating stability* of the 7265 depends on the magnitude and duration of the anode current. When the 7265 is operated at high average values of anode current, a drop in sensitivity (sometimes called fatigue) may be expected. The extent of the drop below the tabulated sensitivity values depends on the severity of the operating conditions. After a period of idleness, the 7265 usually recovers a substantial percentage of such loss in sensitivity.

Operation at an average anode current well below the maximum rated value of 1 milliamperes is recommended when stability is important. When maximum stability is required, the anode current should not exceed 250 microamperes.

*Electrostatic and/or magnetic shielding* of the 7265 may be necessary.

\* The metal collar (See Dimensional Outline) is connected internally to the focusing electrode. Extreme care should be taken in the design of apparatus to prevent operating personnel from coming in contact with the collar when the circuit application is such that the collar is at high potential.



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Adequate *light shielding* should be provided to prevent extraneous light from reaching any part of the 7265. Although the metallic coating on the inner side wall of the glass bulb serves to reduce the amount of extraneous light reaching the electrodes, it is inadequate to shield completely the entire structure from extraneous light.

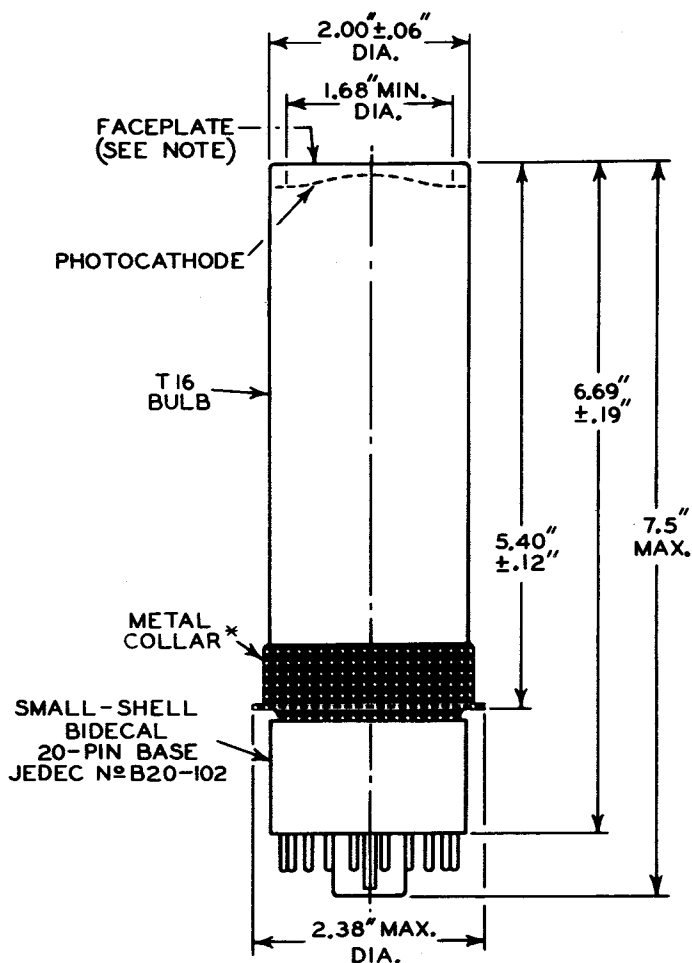
**SPECTRAL-SENSITIVITY CHARACTERISTIC**  
of Phototube having S-20 Response  
is shown at the front of this Section

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\* MUST BE ADEQUATELY INSULATED.

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CENTER LINE OF BULB WILL NOT DEVIATE MORE THAN  $2^{\circ}$  IN ANY DIRECTION FROM THE PERPENDICULAR ERECTED AT THE CENTER OF BOTTOM OF THE BASE.

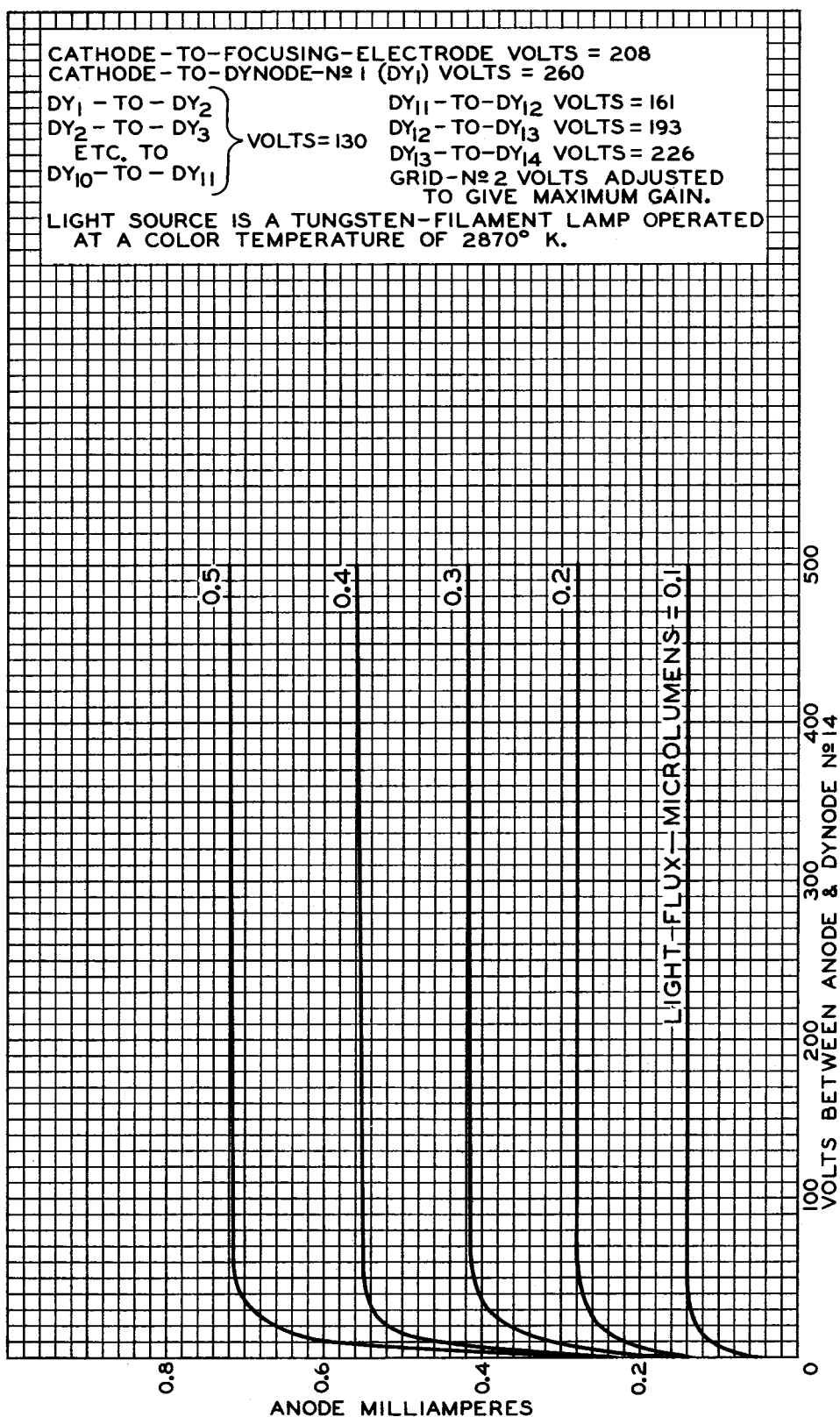
**NOTE:** WITHIN  $1.68$ " DIAMETER, DEVIATION FROM FLATNESS OF EXTERNAL SURFACE OF FACEPLATE WILL NOT EXCEED  $0.005$ " FROM PEAK TO VALLEY.



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## AVERAGE ANODE CHARACTERISTICS



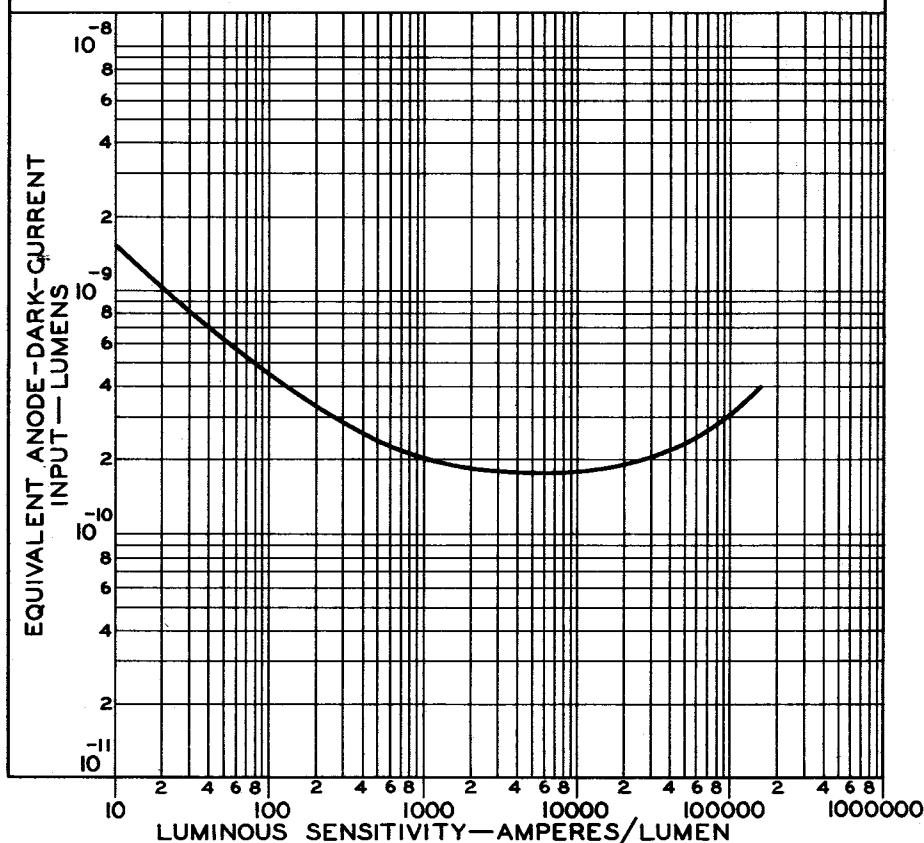


## TYPICAL ANODE-DARK-CURRENT CHARACTERISTIC

LUMINOUS SENSITIVITY IS VARIED BY ADJUSTMENT OF THE SUPPLY VOLTAGE (E) ACROSS VOLTAGE DIVIDER WHICH PROVIDES VOLTAGES AS FOLLOWS:

| BETWEEN                                              | 5.4 % OF E<br>MULTIPLIED BY |
|------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| CATHODE & FOCUSING ELECTRODE                         | 1.6                         |
| CATHODE & DYNODE N <sup>o</sup> 1 (DY <sub>1</sub> ) | 2                           |
| DY <sub>1</sub> & DY <sub>2</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>2</sub> & DY <sub>3</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>3</sub> & DY <sub>4</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>4</sub> & DY <sub>5</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>5</sub> & DY <sub>6</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>6</sub> & DY <sub>7</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>7</sub> & DY <sub>8</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>8</sub> & DY <sub>9</sub>                    | 1                           |
| DY <sub>9</sub> & DY <sub>10</sub>                   | 1                           |
| DY <sub>10</sub> & DY <sub>11</sub>                  | 1                           |
| DY <sub>11</sub> & DY <sub>12</sub>                  | 1.25                        |
| DY <sub>12</sub> & DY <sub>13</sub>                  | 1.5                         |
| DY <sub>13</sub> & DY <sub>14</sub>                  | 1.75                        |
| DY <sub>14</sub> & ANODE                             | 2                           |
| ANODE & CATHODE                                      | 18.5                        |

GRID-N<sup>o</sup>2 VOLTS ADJUSTED TO GIVE MAXIMUM GAIN.  
LIGHT SOURCE IS A TUNGSTEN-FILAMENT LAMP OPER-  
ATED AT A COLOR TEMPERATURE OF 2870° K.  
TUBE TEMPERATURE = 25° C







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## CHARACTERISTICS

THE SUPPLY VOLTAGE (E) ACROSS VOLTAGE DIVIDER WHICH PROVIDES VOLTAGES AS FOLLOWS:

| BETWEEN                                                      | 5.4 % OF E<br>MULT. BY | BETWEEN                             | 5.4 % OF E<br>MULT. BY |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| CATHODE & FOCUSING<br>ELECTRODE                              | 1.6                    | DY <sub>11</sub> & DY <sub>12</sub> | 1.25                   |
| CATHODE & DYNODE N <sup>o</sup> 1                            | 2                      | DY <sub>12</sub> & DY <sub>13</sub> | 1.5                    |
| DYNODE N <sup>o</sup> 1 (DY <sub>1</sub> ) & DY <sub>2</sub> | 1                      | DY <sub>13</sub> & DY <sub>14</sub> | 1.75                   |
| ETC. THRU DY <sub>10</sub> & DY <sub>11</sub>                |                        | DY <sub>14</sub> & ANODE            | 2                      |

GRID-N<sup>o</sup>2 VOLTS ADJUSTED TO GIVE MAXIMUM GAIN.

