

RCA-6HG5

BEAM POWER TUBE

7-Pin Miniature Type

Plate Dissipation: 12 Watts

Controlled Cathode Warm-up Time

RCA-6HG5 is a beam power tube of the 7-pin miniature type for use in the audio output stages of television receivers. This tube features a controlled cathode warm-up time of 14 seconds minimum to delay the flow of cathode current during receiver warm up. As a result, extraneous sound is minimized until high voltage is developed and the picture appears.

The 6HG5 has a plate dissipation of 12 watts and can provide a relatively high power output at low plate current. In addition, this type utilizes the RCA "Dark Heater" for long life and dependable performance.

Maximum Seated Length. 2-3/8"
 Length, Base Seat to Bulb Top (Excluding Tip) . . . 2" ± 3/32"
 Diameter 0.650" to 0.750"
 Bulb T5-1/2
 Base . . . Small-Button Miniature 7-Pin (JEDEC No.E7-1)
 Basing Designation for BOTTOM VIEW 7BZ

AMPLIFIER - Class A₁

Maximum Ratings, *Design-Maximum Values:*

Plate Voltage.	275 max.	volts
Grid-No.2 (Screen-Grid) Voltage. . .	275 max.	volts
Grid-No.2 Input.	2 max.	watts
Plate Dissipation.	12 max.	watts
Bulb Temperature (At hottest point on bulb surface)	250 max.	°C

Typical Operation and Characteristics:

Plate Voltage.	180	250	volts
Grid-No.2 Voltage.	180	250	volts
Grid-No.1 (Control-Grid) Voltage	-8.5	-12.5	volts
Peak AF Grid-No.1 Voltage.	8.5	12.5	volts
Zero-Signal Plate Current.	29	45	ma
Max.-Signal Plate Current.	30	47	ma
Zero-Signal Grid-No.2 Current. . . .	3	4.5	ma
Max.-Signal Grid-No.2 Current. . . .	4	7	ma
Plate Resistance (Approx.)	58000	52000	ohms
Transconductance	3700	4100	μmhos
Load Resistance.	5500	5000	ohms
Total Harmonic Distortion.	8	8	%
Max.-Signal Power Output	2	4.5	watts

Maximum Circuit Values:

Grid-No.1-Circuit Resistance:		
For fixed-bias operation	0.1 max.	megohm
For cathode-bias operation	0.5 max.	megohm

GENERAL DATA

Electrical:

Heater Characteristics and Ratings:

Voltage (AC or DC)	6.3 ± 0.6	volts
Current.	0.45	amp
Peak heater-cathode voltage:		
Heater negative with respect to cathode	200 max.	volts
Heater positive with respect to cathode	200 ^a max.	volts

Minimum Cathode Warm-up Time:^b

Heater volts = 6.3, plate and grid-No.2 volts = 250, and cathode resistor (ohms) = 680.	14	sec
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Direct Interelectrode Capacitances (Approx.):

Grid No.1 to plate	0.4	pf
Grid No.1 to cathode & grid No.3, grid No.2, and heater.	8	pf
Plate to cathode & grid No.3, grid No.2, and heater.	8.5	pf

Mechanical:

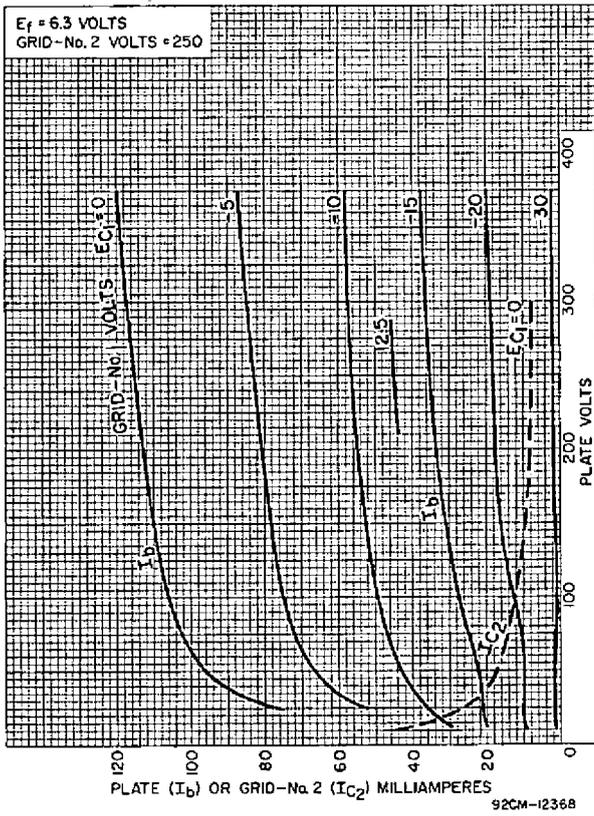
Operating Position	Any
Maximum Overall Length	2-5/8"

^a The dc component must not exceed 100 volts.

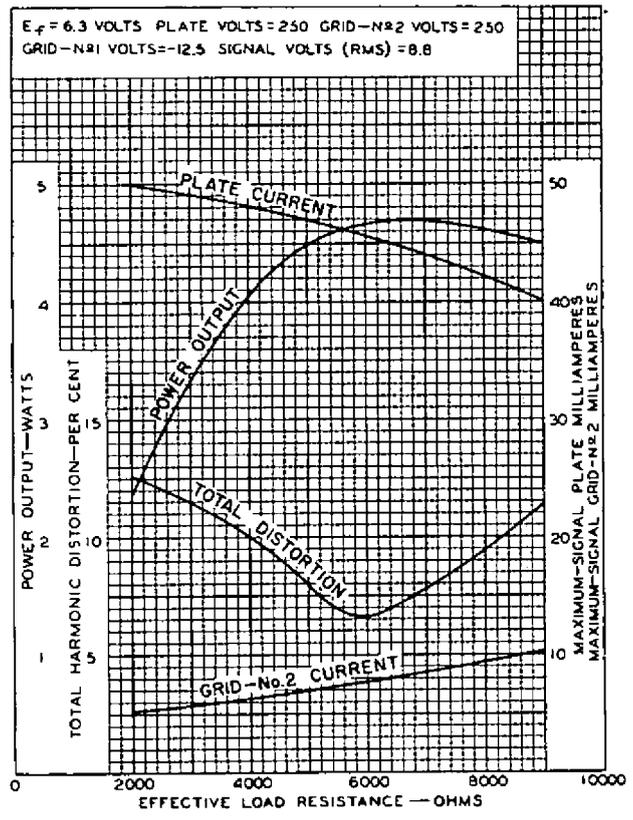
^b The time interval between the instant all electrode voltages are applied and the instant a current of one milliampere flows in the plate circuit of the 6HG5.

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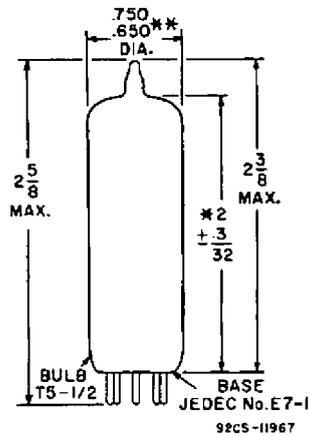
AVERAGE CHARACTERISTICS



OPERATION CHARACTERISTICS



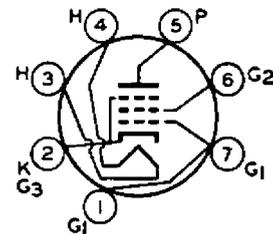
DIMENSIONAL OUTLINE



Dimensions in Inches

TERMINAL DIAGRAM

Bottom View



- Pin 1—Grid No. 1
- Pin 2—Cathode, Grid No. 3
- Pin 3—Heater
- Pin 4—Heater
- Pin 5—Plate
- Pin 6—Grid No. 2
- Pin 7—Grid No. 1

* Measured from base seat to bulb-top line as determined by ring gauge of 7/16 inside diameter.

** Applies in zone starting 0.375 from base seat.