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# MEDIUM-MU TRIODE— SHARP-CUTOFF PENTODE

9-PIN MINIATURE TYPE

## GENERAL DATA

### Electrical:

Heater, for Unipotential Cathodes:

Voltage . . . . .	6.3	ac or dc volts
Current . . . . .	0.45	amp

Direct Interelectrode Capacitances:

	<i>Without External Shield</i>	<i>With External Shield<sup>o</sup></i>	
<i>Triode Unit:</i>			
Grid to plate . . . . .	1.8	1.8	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Grid to cathode and heater . . . . .	2.5	2.5	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Plate to cathode and heater . . . . .	0.4	1	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
<i>Pentode Unit:</i>			
Grid No.1 to plate . . . . .	0.015 max.	0.008 max.	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Grid No.1 to cathode & grid No.3 & internal shield, grid No.2, and heater . . . . .	5	5	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Plate to cathode & grid No.3 & internal shield, grid No.2, and heater . . . . .	2.6	3.5	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Heater to cathode (Each unit).	3	3 <sup>•</sup>	$\mu\mu\text{f}$

### Characteristics:

	<i>Triode Unit</i>	<i>Pentode Unit</i>	
Plate-Supply Voltage . . . . .	150	250	volts
Grid-No.2 (Screen-Grid) Supply Voltage . . . . .	—	110	volts
Cathode Resistor . . . . .	56	68	ohms
Amplification Factor . . . . .	40	—	
Plate Resistance (Approx.) . . . . .	5000	400000	ohms
Transconductance . . . . .	8500	5200	$\mu\text{mhos}$
Plate Current . . . . .	18	10	ma
Grid-No.2 Current . . . . .	—	3.5	ma
Grid-No.1 Voltage (Approx.) for plate current of 10 $\mu\text{a}$ . . . . .	-12	-10	volts

### Mechanical:

Operating Position . . . . .	Any
Maximum Overall Length . . . . .	2-3/16"
Maximum Seated Length . . . . .	1-15/16"
Length, Base Seat to Bulb Top (Excluding tip) . . . . .	1-9/16" $\pm$ 3/32"
Maximum Diameter . . . . .	7/8"
Dimensional Outline . . . . .	See General Section
Bulb . . . . .	T6-1/2

<sup>o</sup>, <sup>•</sup>: See next page.

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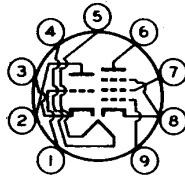


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Base . . . . . Small-Button Noval 9-Pin (JETEC No.E9-1)  
Basing Designation for BOTTOM VIEW . . . . . 9FA

Pin 1 - Triode Grid  
Pin 2 - Triode Plate  
Pin 3 - Triode Cathode  
Pin 4 - Heater  
Pin 5 - Heater  
Pin 6 - Pentode Plate  
Pin 7 - Pentode  
Grid No.2



Pin 8 - Pentode  
Cathode,  
Pentode  
Grid No.3,  
Internal  
Shield  
Pin 9 - Pentode  
Grid No.1

**CONVERTER SERVICE**

**Maximum Ratings, Design-Center Values:**

	<i>Triode Unit as Osc.</i>	<i>Pentode Unit as Mixer</i>	
PLATE VOLTAGE . . . . .	300 max.	300 max.	volts
GRID-No.2 (SCREEN-GRID) SUPPLY VOLTAGE . . . . .	-	300 max.	volts
GRID-No.2 VOLTAGE . . . . .	-	<i>See Grid-No.2 Input</i>	
<i>Rating Chart at front of Receiving Tube Section</i>			
GRID-No.1 (CONTROL-GRID) VOLTAGE:			
Positive bias value . . . . .	0 max.	0 max.	volts
GRID-No.2 INPUT:			
For grid-No.2 voltages up to 150 volts . . . . .	-	0.5 max.	watt
For grid-No.2 voltages between 150 and 300 volts . . . . .	-	<i>See Grid-No.2 Input</i>	
<i>Rating Chart at front of Receiving Tube Section</i>			
PLATE DISSIPATION . . . . .	2.7 max.	2.8 max.	watts
PEAK HEATER-CATHODE VOLTAGE:			
Heater negative with respect to cathode . . . . .	200 max.	200 max.	volts
Heater positive with respect to cathode . . . . .	200 <sup>▲</sup> max.	200 <sup>▲</sup> max.	volts

○ With external shield JETEC No.315 connected to cathode of unit under test except as noted.  
● With external shield JETEC No.315 connected to ground.  
▲ The dc component must not exceed 100 volts.

Curves shown under Type 6U8-A also apply to the 6BR8