

6HV5-A

Compactron Beam Triode

- COLOR TV TYPE**
- FRAME-GRID CONSTRUCTION**
- DIFFUSION BONDED CATHODE**
- 35 WATTS PLATE DISSIPATION**
- 325 MILLIAMPERES PEAK PLATE CURRENT**
- TRANSCONDUCTANCE = 65000 MICROMHOS**

The 6HV5-A is a compactron frame-grid beam triode suited for use as a pulse-type high-voltage regulator in the high-voltage power supply of color television receivers.

Features of the 6HV5-A include a diffusion bonded cathode coating which provides a positive bond between the cathode coating and base material, thereby practically eliminating grid-to-cathode shorts caused by cathode flaking. By operating at a relatively low potential (3500 volts), this pulse-type regulator provides much less stress on internal components than shunt regulators operating in the 25000-volt range.

GENERAL

ELECTRICAL

Cathode - Coated Unipotential
 Heater Characteristics and Ratings
 Heater Voltage, AC or DC* 6.3 ± 0.6 Volts
 Heater Current • 1.8 Amperes
 Direct Interelectrode Capacitances, approximate ♦
 Grid to Plate: (g to p) 1.8 pf
 Input: g to (h + k + b.p.) 22 pf
 Output: p to (h + k + b.p.) 11 pf

MECHANICAL

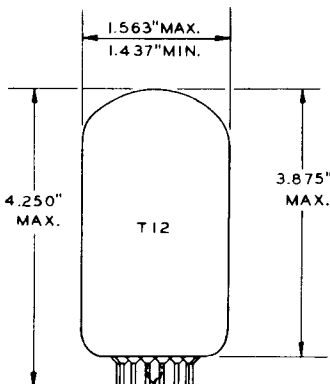
Operating Position - Any
 Envelope - T-12, Glass
 Base - E12-74, Button 12-Pin
 Outline Drawing
 Maximum Diameter 1.563 Inches
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 Maximum Over-all Length 4.250 Inches
 Maximum Seated Height 3.875 Inches

MAXIMUM RATINGS

HIGH-VOLTAGE REGULATOR SERVICE — DESIGN-MAXIMUM VALUES

Peak Plate Voltage	5500	Volts
Plate Dissipation	35	Watts
Peak Plate Current	325	Milliamperes
Heater-Cathode Voltage		
Heater Positive with respect to Cathode		
DC Component	100	Volts
Total DC and Peak	200	Volts
Heater Negative with respect to Cathode Ⓢ		
Total DC and Peak	450	Volts
Grid-Circuit Resistance ▲	0.1	Megohms
Bulb Temperature at Hottest Point †	240	C

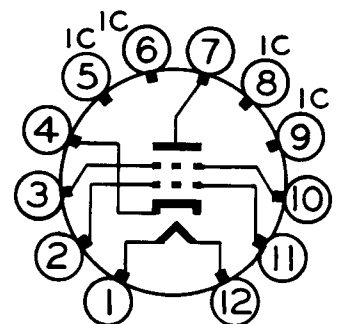
PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS



TERMINAL CONNECTIONS

- Pin 1 - Heater
- Pin 2 - Grid
- Pin 3 - Beam Plate
- Pin 4 - Cathode
- Pin 5 - Internal Connection - Do Not Use
- Pin 6 - Internal Connection - Do Not Use
- Pin 7 - Plate
- Pin 8 - Internal Connection - Do Not Use
- Pin 9 - Internal Connection - Do Not Use
- Pin 10 - Beam Plate
- Pin 11 - Grid
- Pin 12 - Heater

BASING DIAGRAM



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MAXIMUM RATINGS (Cont'd)

Design-Maximum ratings are limiting values of operating and environmental conditions applicable to a bogey electron tube of a specified type as defined by its published data and should not be exceeded under the worst probable conditions.

The tube manufacturer chooses these values to provide acceptable serviceability of the tube, making allowance for the effects of changes in operating conditions due to variations in the characteristics of the tube under consideration.

The equipment manufacturer should design so that initially and throughout life no design-maximum value for the intended service is exceeded with a bogey tube under the worst probable operating conditions with respect to supply-voltage variation, equipment component variation, equipment control adjustment, load variation, signal variation, environmental conditions, and variations in the characteristics of all other electron devices in the equipment.

CHARACTERISTICS AND TYPICAL OPERATION

AVERAGE CHARACTERISTICS

Pulse Plate Voltage	3500	Volts
Beam Plate Connected to Cathode at Socket		
Negative DC Grid Voltage	4.4	Volts
Peak Plate Current	300	Milliamperes
Amplification Factor	300	
Transconductance	65000	Micromhos
Plate Resistance, approximate	4600	Ohms
Grid Voltage, approximate		
$E_b = 3500$ Volts, $I_b = 1.0$ Milliamperes	-13	Volts

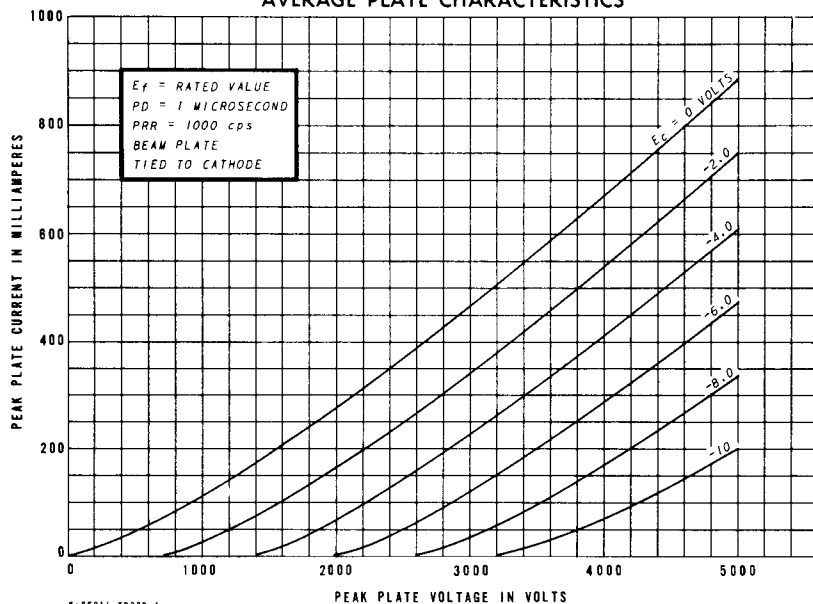
NOTES

- * The equipment designer should design the equipment so that heater voltage is centered at the specified bogey value, with heater supply variations restricted to maintain heater voltage within the specified tolerance.
- Heater current of a bogey tube at $E_f = 6.3$ volts.
- ♦ Without external shield.
- § For operation in a 525-line, 30-frame television system as described in "Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Television Broadcast Stations", Federal Communications Commission. The duty cycle of the voltage pulse must not exceed 15 percent of one scanning cycle.
- ⊕ Sufficient impedance (220 ohms by-passed with a 0.01 microfarad capacitor is suggested) should be in series with the cathode to limit the cathode current under prolonged heater-cathode short-circuit conditions. This protective impedance will minimize the danger of heater burnout in case of a momentary heater-cathode arc within the tube.
- ▲ Larger values of grid-circuit resistance may be used if provisions are made to protect the tube.
- Duty cycle of the pulse must be less than 2.5 percent.
- † Measured with an infrared thermometer, Ircon Model 700 BC or equivalent, at an ambient temperature of 40° C.

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AVERAGE PLATE CHARACTERISTICS



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