



6SJ7-12SJ7

PENTODE

FOR AF AND RF AMPLIFIER APPLICATIONS

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DESCRIPTION AND RATING

The 6SJ7 is a metal sharp-cutoff pentode designed for use as a biased detector or high-gain amplifier.

The 12SJ7 is identical to the 6SJ7 except for heater ratings.

GENERAL

ELECTRICAL

Cathode—Coated Unipotential	6SJ7	12SJ7
Heater Voltage, AC or DC	6.3	12.6 Volts
Heater Current	0.3	0.15 Amperes

Direct Interelectrode Capacitances

Pentode Connection*

Grid-Number 1 to Plate, maximum	0.005	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Input	6.0	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Output	7.0	$\mu\mu\text{f}$

Triode Connection†

Grid-Number 1 to Plate	2.8	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Input	3.4	$\mu\mu\text{f}$
Output	11	$\mu\mu\text{f}$

MECHANICAL

Mounting Position—Any

Envelope—MT-8, Metal Shell

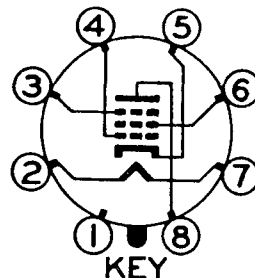
Base—B8-21, Small Wafer Octal 8-Pin

MAXIMUM RATINGS

DESIGN-CENTER VALUES

	Pentode Connection	Triode Connection†
Plate Voltage	300	250 Volts
Screen-Supply Voltage	300	... Volts
Screen Voltage—See Screen Rating Chart		
Positive DC Grid-Number 1 Voltage	0	0 Volts
Plate Dissipation	2.5	2.5 Watts
Screen Dissipation	0.7	... Watts
Heater-Cathode Voltage		
Heater Positive with Respect to Cathode	90	90 Volts
Heater Negative with Respect to Cathode	90	90 Volts
Grid-Number 1 Circuit Resistance		
With Cathode Bias	1.0	1.0 Megohms

BASING DIAGRAM



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TERMINAL CONNECTIONS

Pin 1—Shell and Internal Shield

Pin 2—Heater

Pin 3—Grid Number 3 (Suppressor)

Pin 4—Grid Number 1

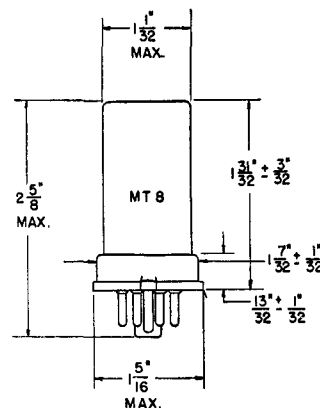
Pin 5—Cathode

Pin 6—Grid Number 2 (Screen)

Pin 7—Heater

Pin 8—Plate

PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS



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GENERAL ELECTRIC

Supersedes ET-T336, dated 5-46

CHARACTERISTICS AND TYPICAL OPERATION

CLASS A₁ AMPLIFIER

Plate Voltage	100	250	Volts
Suppressor, Connected to Cathode at Socket			
Screen Voltage	100	100	Volts
Grid-Number 1 Voltage	—3.0	—3.0	Volts
Plate Resistance, approximate	0.7	1.0	Megohms
Transconductance	1575	1650	Micromhos
Plate Current	2.9	3.0	Milliamperes
Screen Current	0.9	0.8	Milliamperes
Grid-Number 1 Voltage, approximate I _b = 10 Microamperes	—8	—8	Volts

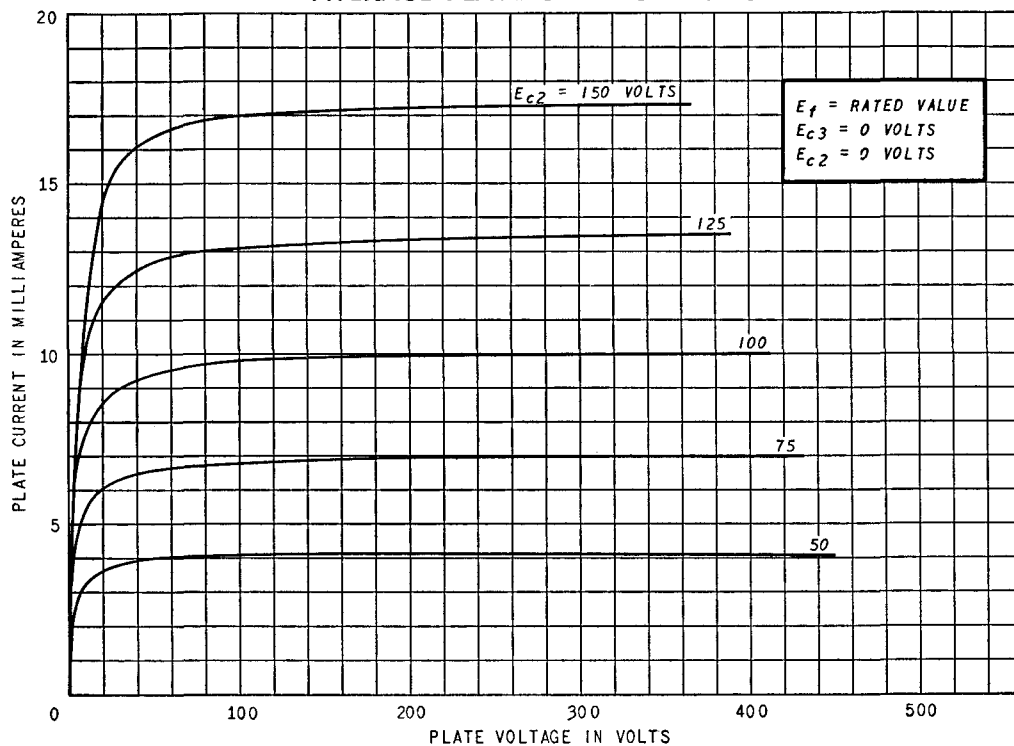
CLASS A₁ AMPLIFIER, TRIODE CONNECTION†

Plate Voltage	180	250	Volts
Grid-Number 1 Voltage	—6.0	—8.5	Volts
Amplification Factor	19	19	
Plate Resistance, approximate	8250	7600	Ohms
Transconductance	2300	2500	Micromhos
Plate Current	6.0	9.2	Milliamperes

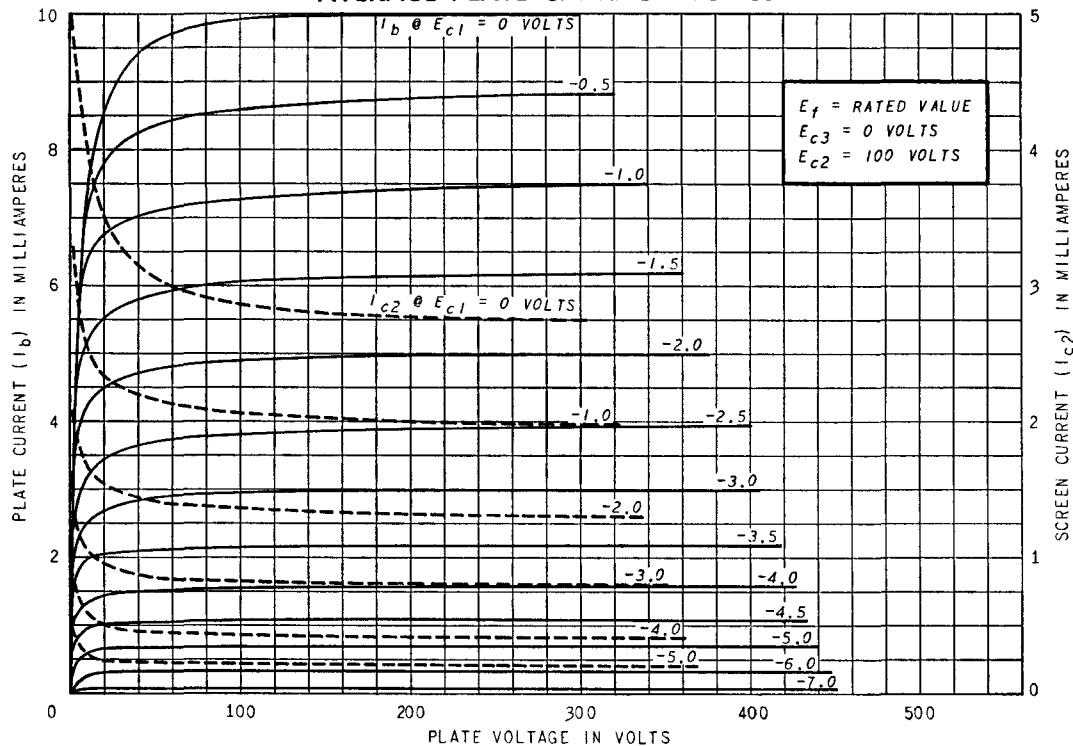
* With shell and internal shield connected to cathode.

† With screen and suppressor connected to plate.

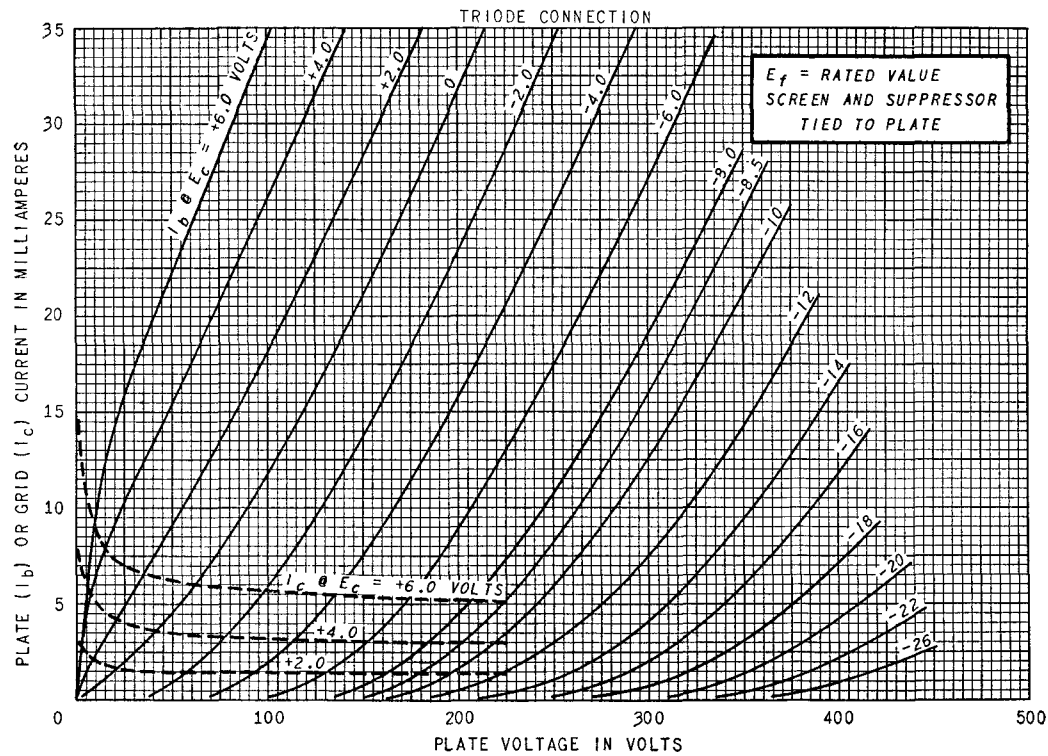
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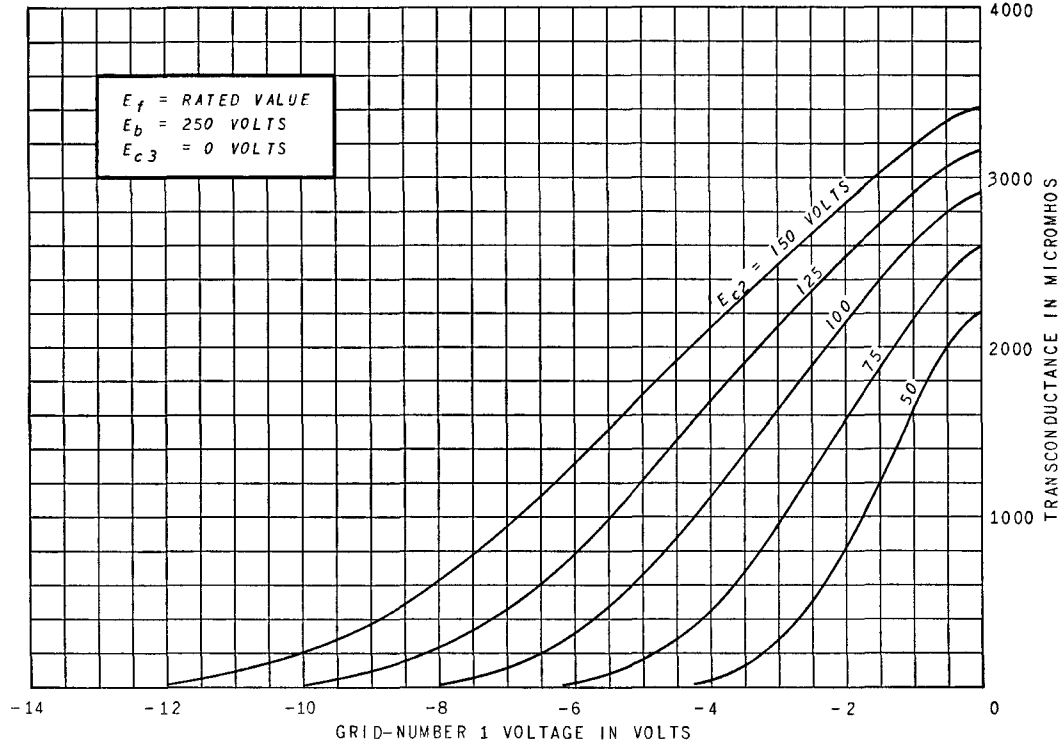
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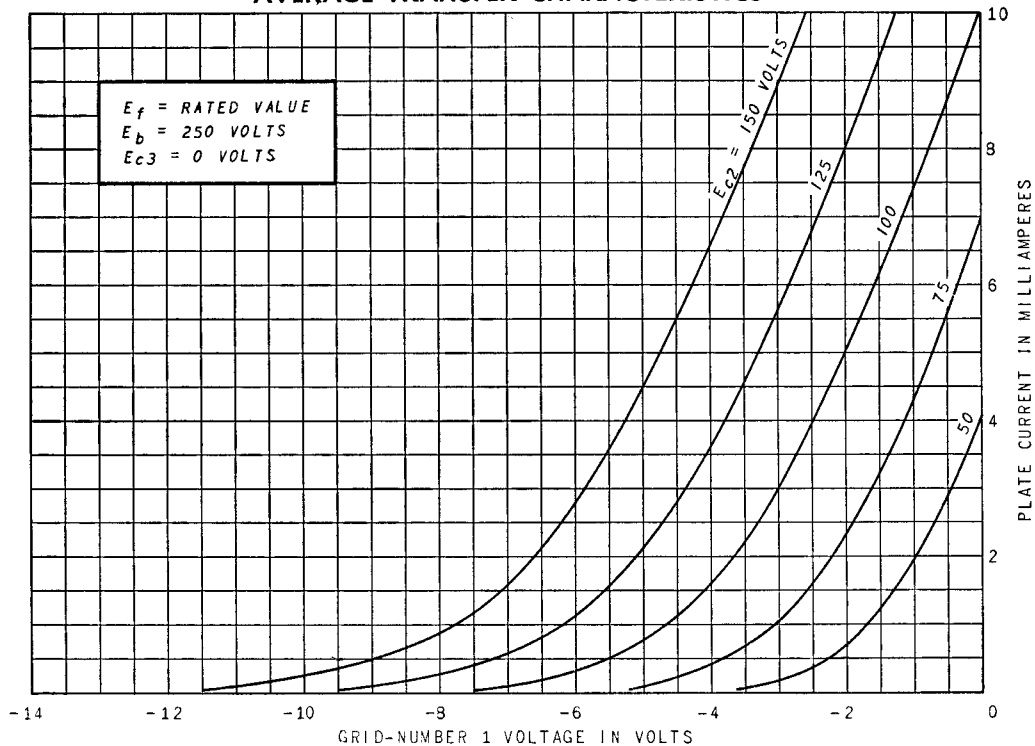
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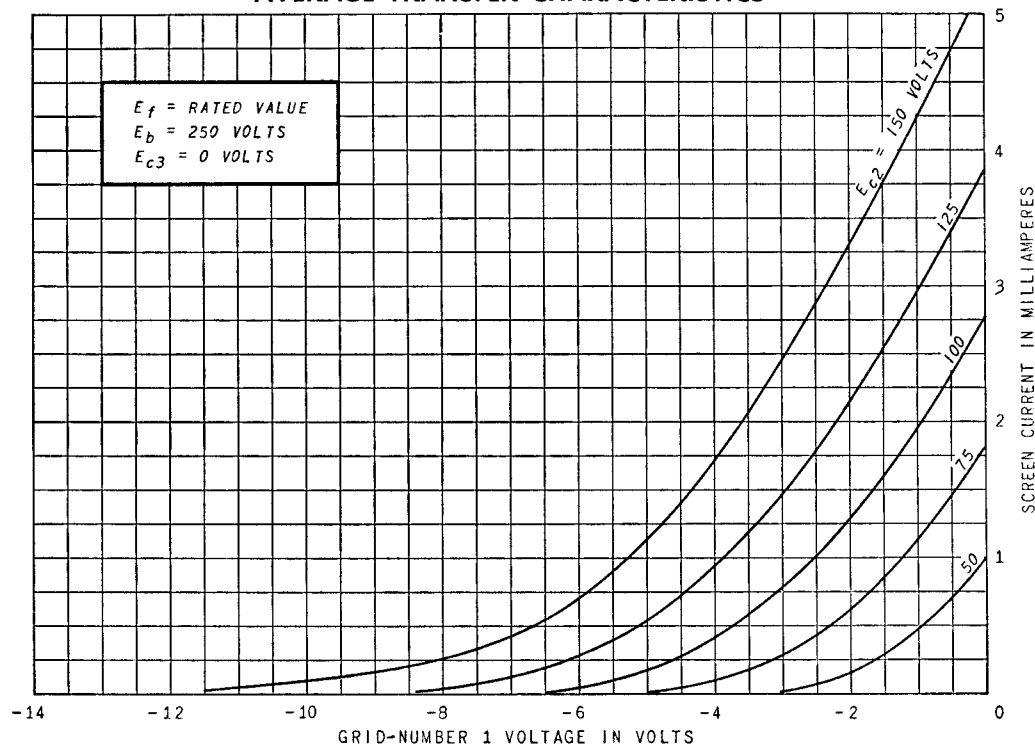
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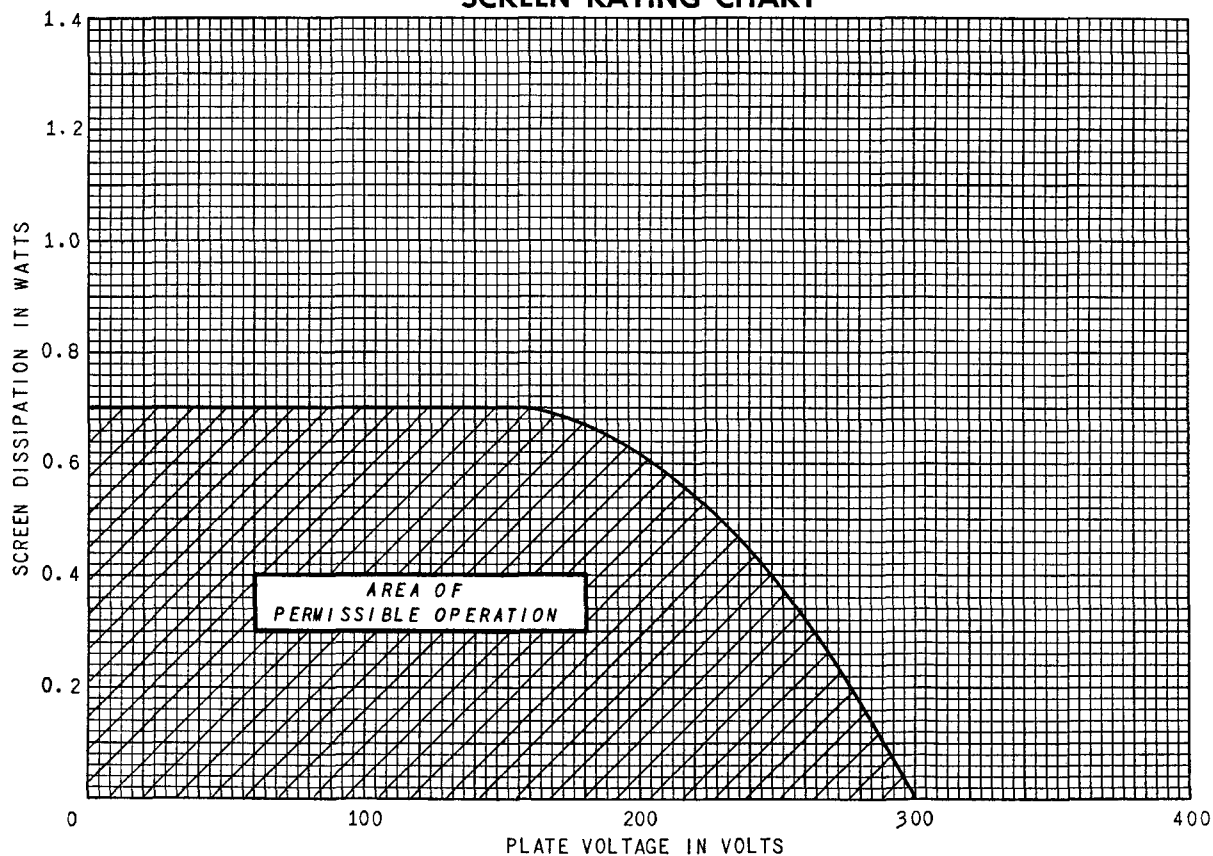
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SCREEN RATING CHART



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