



ELECTRONIC TUBE REFERENCE

EL503

Power - Pentode (NOT beam) electronic tube

CONSOLIDATED TECHNICAL DATA

1 SECTION
CONSTRUCTION
PENTODE

High-transconductance power pentode for sensitive, high-current audio-frequency output stages.

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

BASE DESIGNATION	9C18	BASE PINS	9
NOMINAL HEATER	6.3 V / 1.05 A	PARALLEL HEATER	– / –
HEATING	Indirect	SERIES OPERATION	Not specified
CATHODE ARRANGEMENT	Separate cathodes	SECTION CONSTRUCTION	Similar

SECTION RATINGS

SECTION 1 Pentode	
PLATE RESISTANCE	7700 Ω
TRANSCONDUCTANCE	0.023 S
MAXIMUM PLATE VOLTAGE	300 V
MAXIMUM SCREEN VOLTAGE	300 V
MAXIMUM SCREEN DISSIPATION	6 W
MAXIMUM CATHODE CURRENT	200 mA
<i>Published ratings and characteristics promoted where clearly stated; identical repeated sections compressed when applicable.</i>	

Power pentode for AF output amplification. Indirectly heated Mazda/Belvu receiving tube; descriptive text translated to English from the French source.

SOURCE OPERATING CONDITIONS

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1968 Mazda Belvu

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1968 MAZDA BELVU

Section 1 · Pentode

OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Tension filament vf	63 V	—
Courant filament ... If	12 A	—
Tension d'anode, à courant nul Vabl	550 V	—
Tension d'anode ... — Va	300 V	—
Tension de grille n°2, à courant nul ... Vg bl	550 V	—
Tension de grille n°2 Ve	300 V	—
Dissipation de grille n°2 ... Pg	6 W	—
Dissipation de crête de gulle n° 2 ... Pg,cer	9 W	—
Courant de cathode IK	200 mA	—
Tension entre le filament et la cathode VIK	100 V	—

CHARACTERISTIC		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Capacité d'entrée@ mseenenennnnnnnnns Ce	22.5 pF	—
Capacité grille n° 1/anode s Cg,/ à	2.2 pF	—
Capacité de@ S0rti®s Cs	12.6 pF	—
Tension d'Anod@cerercsrerereene VA	250 V	—

PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Tension de grille n°2... .. Ve	250 V	—
Tension de grille n°oi... .. Veg,	-13.2 V	—
Courant d'anod@en I	100 mA	—
Courant de grille n°2 ...c TB2	8.5 mA	—
Pente 8	23 mA	—
Tension d'alimentation d'anode VaN	265 V	—
Tension d'alimentation de grille n°02 ... VgN	265 V	—
Courant d'Anod@erererierencernc. IA 2x100 2x1	18 mA	—
Courant de grille n°2 ...c 182 2x8,5 2x3	2.5 mA	—
Puissance de sortie . Ps 0	40 W	—
(mA) Pa=	27 W	—
27W V% ; —	-2.5 V	—
600 e x	-5 V	—
P -]	2.5 V	—



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1972 Philips Receiving Tubes

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1972 PHILIPS RECEIVING TUBES

Section 1 · Pentode

CHARACTERISTICS		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Heater voltage	6.3 V	Published nominal value
Heater current	1.05 A	Published nominal value

PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Transconductance	23000 μS	Published or referenced operating characteristic
Transconductance	23 mA/V	Published quick-reference value

OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Audio output power	40 W	ClassAB, published quick-reference value



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1999 Philips E-Z

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1999 PHILIPS E-Z

Section 1 · Pentode

OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Quick-reference anode current	110 mA	—
Output power	40 W	ClassAB

CHARACTERISTIC		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Anode to grid-1 capacitance	1.7 pF	—
Grid-1 to heater capacitance	0.325 pF	—

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