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Specification MIN. TECH./CV4058
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To be read in conjunction with BS.448, BS.1409 and K.1001

SECURITY
Specification
UNCLASSIFIED
Valve
UNCLASSIFIED

→ Indicates a change.

TYPE OF VALVE - Reliable Miniature R.F. Power Triode

CATHODE - Indirectly heated

ENVELOPE - Glass

PROTOTYPE - CV133

R.E.T.M.A. - 6100/6C4MA

MARKING
K1001/4

Additional Marking:-
6100/6C4MA

BASE
BS.448/B7G

RATING

Note

CONNECTIONS

Pin

Electrode

Heater Voltage (V) 6.3
Heater Current (A) 0.15
Max. Heater Cathode Voltage (V) ± 150
Max. Operating Anode Voltage (V) 330
Max. Anode Voltage ($I_a = 0$) (V) 550
Max. Anode Dissipation (W) 3.8
Max. Mean Cathode Current (mA) 21
Max. Bulb Temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) 170
Max. Shock (short duration) (g) 500
Max. Acceleration (continuous operation) (g) 2.5
Max. Operating Frequency (Mc/s) 150
Amplification Factor 17
Mutual Conductance (mA/V) 2.2
Anode Impedance (k Ω) 7.7

C

A

A

A

A

A

C

B

B

B

1 a
2 iC
3 h
4 h
5 a
6 g
7 k

DIMENSIONS

See BS.448/B7G/2.1
Size Ref. No. 2

Dimensions (mm)	Min.	Max.
A seated height	-	47.5
C diameter	16.0	19.0
D overall length	-	54.5

CAPACITANCE (pF)

C in (nom.)
C out (nom.)
Ca, g (nom.)

1.8

1.3

1.6

D

D

D

MOUNTING POSITION
Any

NOTES

- A. Absolute value.
- B. Measured at $V_a = 250\text{V}$; $V_g = -8.5$ ($I_a = 10.5\text{ mA}$).
- C. **Caution to Electronic Equipment Design Engineers:** Special attention should be given to the temperature of valves to be operated in aircraft. Reliability will be seriously impaired if the maximum bulb temperature is exceeded. The life expectancy may be reduced if conditions other than those specified for life tests are imposed on the valve and will be reduced appreciably if absolute maximum ratings are exceeded. Both reliability and performance will be jeopardised if heater voltage ratings are exceeded; life and reliability performance are directly related to the degree that regulation of the heater voltage is maintained at its centre-rated value.
- D. Measured with valve unscreened.

To be performed in addition to those applicable in K1001

To be performed in the specified order unless otherwise agreed with the Inspecting Authority

Test Conditions - unless otherwise specified												
	Vh(V)	Va(V)	Vg(V)	Vhk(V)								
	6.3	250	-6.5	0								
K1001 Ref.	Test	Test Conditions	AQL %	Insp. Level	Sym- bol	Limits						Units
						Min.	LAL	Bogey	UAL	Max.	ALD	
7.1	Glass Strain	No voltages	6.5	I								
	<u>GROUP A</u>											
	Electrode Insulation	Vh = 6.3V. Note 1. Vg-all = -100V Va-all = -300V		100% 100%	R R	100 100	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	MΩ MΩ
	Reverse Grid Current			100%	Ig	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	μA
5.3	<u>GROUP B</u>											
	Heater Current	Combined AQL	1.0	II								
	hk Leakage Current	Vhk = +100V. Note 3 Vhk = -100V Cathode Positive	0.65	II	Ih	138	-	150	-	162	-	mA
			0.65	II	Ihk	-	-	-	-	10	-	μA
				V2	Ihk	-	-	-	3	-	-	μA
	Anode Current		0.65	II V2	Ia Ia	6.5 -	- 9.0	- 10.5	- 12.0	14.5 -	- 3.5	mA mA
Mutual Conductance		0.65	II V2	gm gm	1.75 -	- 2.0	- 2.2	- 2.4	2.65 -	- 0.45	mA/V mA/V	
	<u>GROUP C</u>											
	Anode Current	Combined AQL Vg1 = -30V	6.5 2.5	I I	Ia	-	-	-	-	50	-	μA
	Reverse Grid Current	Vh = 6.9V. Note 7.	2.5	I	Ig	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	μA
	11.1	Vibration Noise	Va(b) = 250; RL = 2 k.Ω Notes 5 and 6.	2.5	I	Va AC	-	-	-	-	7.0	-
7.2	Base Strain	No Voltages.	6.5	IA								
5.9	Capacitances	Measured on 1 Mc/s bridge with valve mounted in a fully shielded holder. No valve screen or holder skirt. Pin 2 link to pin 7.	6.5	IC	C in C out Ca,g	1.35 0.98 1.2	- - -	1.8 1.3 1.6	- - -	2.25 1.62 2.0	- - -	pF pF pF

K1001 Ref.	Test	Test Conditions	AQL %	Insp. Level	Sym- bol	Limits						Units
						Min.	LAL	Bogey	UAL	Max.	ALD	
	Amplification Factor		6.5	1A V1	μ μ	15.5 -	- 16.15	- 17.0	- 17.85	18.5 -	- 1.9	
	Mutual Conductance	Va = 100V; Vg = 0	6.5	1A V1	gm gm	2.25 -	- 2.60	- 3.0	- 3.4	3.75 -	- 0.9	mA/V mA/V
	Change of Mutual Conductance	Va = 100V; Vg = 0 Vh = 5.7V. Note 2	6.5	1A	Δ gm		-	-	-	15	-	%
	Power Oscillation	Va(b) = 300V Rg = 8.5 k Ω f = 150 Mc/s. Note 8	4.0	1A	PO	1.8	-	-	-	-	-	W
	GROUP E											
11.2	Resonance Search	Va = 250V RL = 2k Ω Frequency:- (1) 25-200 c/s (2) 200-500 c/s (3) 500-2500 c/s	2.5	1C	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	7 35 150	- - -	mV rms mV rms mV rms
11.3	Fatigue	Note 4. Vh = 6.9V.		I								
	Post Fatigue Tests											
	hk Leakage Current	Vhk = $\pm$ 100V Note 3	2.5		1hk	-	-	-	-	20	-	μ A
	Reverse Grid Current		2.5		Ig	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	μ A
	Mutual Conductance		2.5		gm	1.6	-	-	-	2.65	-	mA/V
11.1	Vibration Noise	As in Group C	2.5		Va AC	-	-	-	-	15	-	mV rms
11.4	Shock	Hammer Angle = 30° No voltages.		1A								
	Post Shock Tests											
5.3	hk Leakage Current	Vhk = $\pm$ 100V Note 3	2.5		1hk	-	-	-	-	20	-	μ A
	Reverse Grid Current		2.5		Ig	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	μ A
	Mutual Conductance		2.5		gm	1.6	-	-	-	2.65	-	mA/V
11.1	Vibration Noise	As in Group C	2.5		Va AC	-	-	-	-	15	-	mV rms
	GROUP F											
A VI/5	Life	Vhk = 150V D.C. Heater positive Note 9.										
A VI/5.1	Stability Life (1 hour)											
	Change in Mutual Conductance		1.0	I	Δ gm	-	-	-	-	10	-	%
A VI/5.2	Survival Rate Life (100 hours)											
5.6	Inoperatives		0.65	II								

K1001 Ref.	Test	Test Conditions	AQL %	Insp. Level	Sym- bol	Limits						Units
						Min.	LAL	Bogey	UAL	Max.	ALD	
A VI/5.6	<u>Intermittent Life</u>											
	<u>Test Point 500 hrs.</u>	Combined AQL	6.5	IA								
	Inoperatives		2.5									
	Heater Current		2.5	Ih	138	-	-	-	162	-	mA	
	hk Leakage Current	Vhk = +100V. NOTE 3	2.5	Ihk	-	-	-	-	20	-	μA	
	Reverse Grid Current		2.5	Ig	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	μA	
	Mutual Conductance		2.5	gm	1.6	-	-	-	2.65	-	mA/V	
	Average Change in Mutual Conductance			Δ gm	-	-	-	-	15	-	%	
	Anode Current		4.0	Ia	5.5	-	-	-	14.5	-	mA	
	Electrode Insulation	Vh = 6.3V. Note 1. Vg -all = -100V Va -all = -300V	4.0	R R	50 50	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	MΩ MΩ	
	<u>Test Point 1000 hrs.</u>	Combined AQL	10									
	Inoperatives		4.0									
	5.3	hk Leakage Current	Vhk = ±100V. Note 3	4.0	Ihk	-	-	-	-	20	-	μA
A VI/5.6	Reverse Grid Current		4.0	Ig	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	μA	
	Mutual Conductance		4.0	gm	1.5	-	-	-	2.65	-	mA/V	
	Anode Current		6.5	Ia	5.0	-	-	-	14.5	-	mA	
	Electrode Insulation	Vh = 6.3V. Note 1 Vg -all = -100V Va -all = -300V		R R	30 30	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	MΩ MΩ	
A IX/2.5	<u>GROUP G</u> Electrical Re-test after 28 days holding period			100%								
A VI/5.6	Inoperatives		0.5									
	Reverse Grid Current		0.5	Ig	-	-	-	-	0.5	-	μA	

NOTES

1. Heater and cathode strapped and considered as a single electrode.
2. Change of mutual conductance is expressed:

$$\frac{(\text{gm at } 6.3V) - (\text{gm at } 5.7V)}{(\text{gm at } 6.3V)} \times 100\%$$

3. Heater positive and negative successively.
4. Valves shall be vibrated in each of the three required planes for not less than 30 hours and not less than 100 hours total. Heater switched 1 minute on 3 minutes off. No other voltages. Minimum peak acceleration = 5g; frequency = 170 $\pm$ 5 c/s.
5. The valve shall be mounted so that the direction of vibration is parallel to the minor axis of the mounting structure.
Vibration frequency = any fixed frequency in the range 25-100 c/s.
Minimum peak acceleration = 2g.
The test shall be of sufficient duration to obtain a steady reading of noise output.
6. Alternatively $V_a(b) = 250V$; $R_L = 2k\Omega$; $V_g = 0$; $R_k = 810\Omega$; $C_k = 1000 \mu F$.
7. Prior to this test the valve shall be pre-heated for 5 minutes under the test conditions. I_g shall not be rising or out of limit after 10 minutes.
Alternative test conditions: $V_a(b) = 250V$; $V_g = 0$; $R_k = 810\Omega$ may be used for this test.
8. An average valve shall be set to give $I_a = 25mA$ by adjusting the load/tank circuit coupling while the load is simultaneously tuned to give maximum power output.
9. Life test conditions. $V_a = 250V$; V_g adjust so that the anode dissipation is 3.45 watts $\pm$ 10%. Cathode Bias may be used.