Limit	Ratings
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Maximum counting rate: sine wave and rect-	
angular pulses	4,000 p.p.s.
Maximum total anode current	350 μA
Minimum total anode current	190 μΑ
Minimum anode supply voltage	
(normal room illumination)	400 V
Maximum potential difference between cathodes	
and guides	140 V
Maximum output cathode load	270 kΩ
Maximum output available across a 270 k Ω cathode	
load resistor	35 V

Characteristics

Running voltage at 270 µA

191 V

Recommended Operating Conditions

*Anode current	$270~\mu A \pm 20\%$
**Guide bias	+36 V
Forced resetting pulse	—120 V
Double pulse drive-amplitude	$-80 \text{ V} \pm 10 \text{ V}$
Double pulse drive-durations	60 μS
Integrated pulse drive-amplitude	$-145 \text{ V} \pm 15 \text{ V}$
Integrated pulse drive-duration	80 μS
Sine wave drive-amplitude	40-70 V r.m.s.

Mechanical Data

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Mounting position Any.

For visual indication the tube is viewed through the dome of the

bulb.

Alignment Cathode No. 1 is aligned with pin

No. 12 to an accuracy of \pm 10°.

Weight 50 g (nominal).

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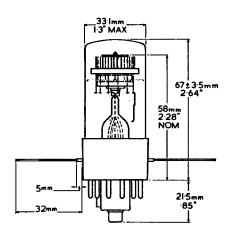
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two flying leads.

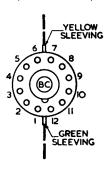
^{*} The required anode current may be obtained from a 475 V supply via a 910 $k\Omega$ resistor.

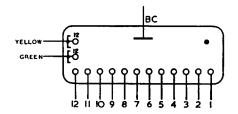
^{**} This does not apply in the case of the sine wave drive.

Bi-directional 12-way Selector Tube



Base Connections (underside view)





Lead between pins
6 and 7 with yellow
sleeving 1st Guides

Lead between pins
12 and 1 with green
sleeving 2nd Guides

