

4641 Triode

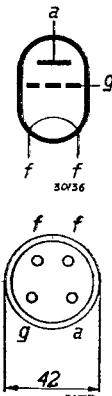


Fig. 2
Arrangement of
electrodes and
base connections.

The triode, type 4641, is a directly-heated 25 W valve intended mainly for use in balanced output stages, being equally satisfactory in Class AB or Class B circuits. In the latter instance the effective output is 68 W.

In view of the anode voltage this valve is fitted with the 4-pin base, whilst special precautions have been taken in the design to prevent flash-over within the valve.

FILAMENT RATINGS

Heating: direct by A.C.; parallel supply.

Filament voltage $V_f = 4$ V

Filament current $I_f = 2.1$ A

CAPACITANCES

Anode-grid $C_{ag} = 7 \mu\text{F}$

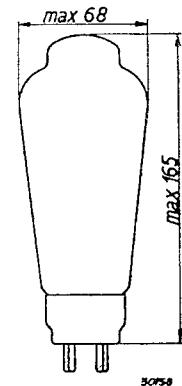


Fig. 1
Dimensions in mm.

OPERATING DATA

		Class B output with fixed grid bias (2 valves)	Class AB output with auto. grid bias (2 valves)	Class B output with fixed grid bias (2 valves)
Anode voltage	V_a (V)	1,000	1,000	1,500
Common cathode resistor for auto. grid bias	R_k (ohms)	—	1,700	—
Fixed grid bias	V_g (V)	—93	—	—144
Anode current ($V_i = 0$ V)	I_{ao} (mA)	2×10	2×25	2×10
Anode current at maximum modulation	$I_{a\max}$ (mA)	2×45	2×28	2×41
Load resistor (between anodes)	R_{aa} (ohms)	20,000	35,000	40,000
Output power	W_o (W)	41	29	68
Alternating grid voltage (per grid) at maximum modulation	V_i (V_{eff})	65	58	105
Distortion at max. modu- lation	d_{tot} (%)	2.35	4.5	1. 9

STATIC DATA

Anode voltage	$V_a = 1,000 \text{ V}$	$1,500 \text{ V}$
Grid bias.	$I_g = -85 \text{ V}$	-140 V
Anode current	$I_a = 25 \text{ mA}$	15 mA
Mutual conductance	$S = 3 \text{ mA/V}$	2 mA/V
Internal resistance	$R_i = 3,400 \text{ ohms}$	$4,600 \text{ ohms}$

MAXIMUM RATINGS

V_{ao}	= max. 3,000 V
V_a	= max. 1,500 V
W_a	= max. 25 W
$V_g (I_g = + 0.3 \mu\text{A})$	= max. -2 V
I_k	= max. 60 mA
R_{qk} (auto bias)	= max. 0.3 M ohm
R_{qk} (fixed bias)	= max. 0.1 M ohm

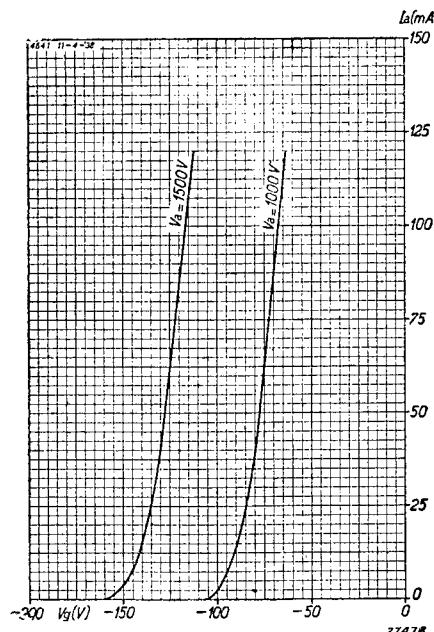


Fig. 3

Anode current as a function of the grid bias with $V_a = 1,000$ and $1,500 \text{ V}$.

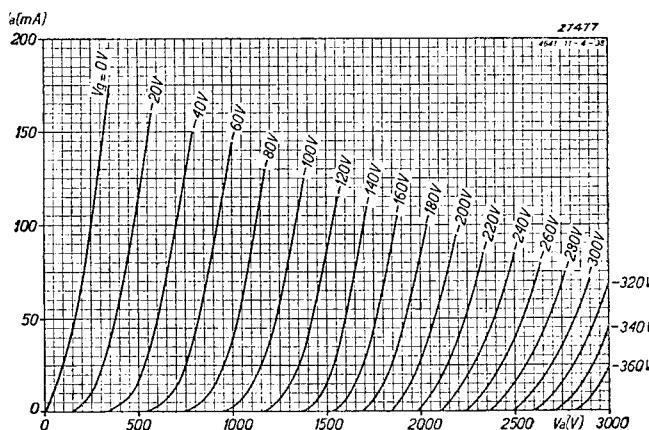


Fig. 4

Anode current as a function of the anode voltage for different values of grid bias.

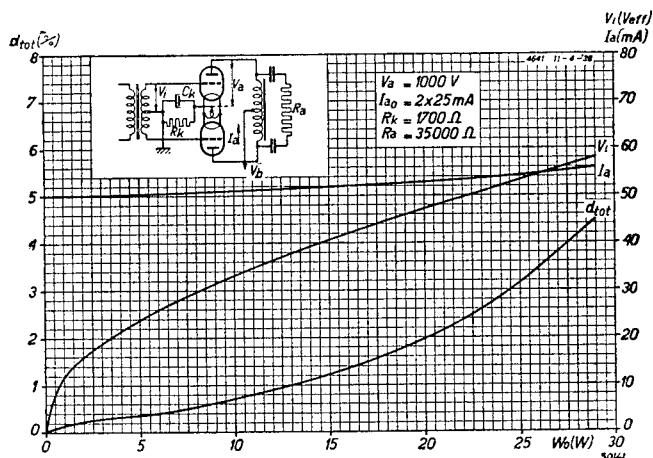


Fig. 5
Total distortion, alternating grid voltage and total anode current as functions of the output power of two 4641 valves in a Class AB output circuit with automatic bias. $V_a = 1,000$ V.

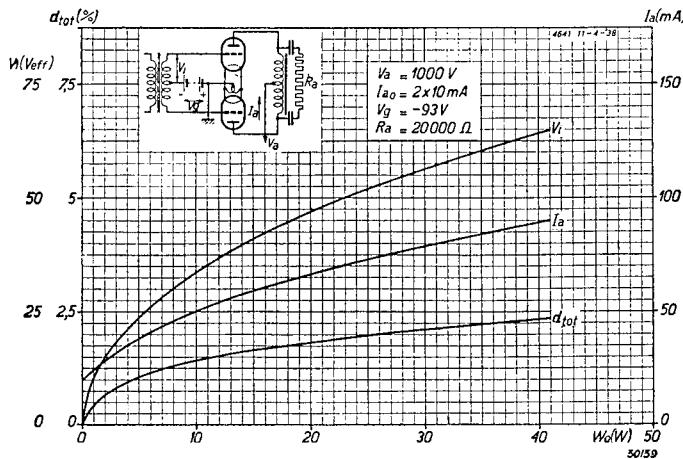


Fig. 6
Total distortion, alternating grid voltage per grid and total anode current as functions of the output power of two 4641 valves in a Class B output circuit with fixed bias. $V_a = 1,000$ V.

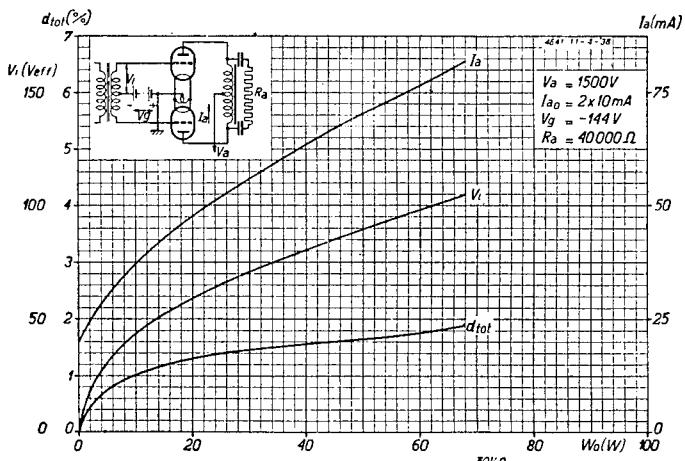


Fig. 7
Total distortion, alternating grid voltage per grid and total anode current as functions of the output power of two 4641 valves in a Class B output circuit, with fixed bias. $V_a = 1,500$ V.