

Sylvania Type 6N6G

DIRECT COUPLED POWER AMPLIFIER

58

7000 Ohms

4.0 Watts

6.5 Watts

PHYSICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Base	
Bulb	ST14
Maximum Overall Length	4 5/8 " 4 1/16 "
Maximum Seated Height	
Mounting Position	Any
RATINGS	
Heater Voltage AC or DC	6.3 Volts
Heater Current	0.8 Ampere
Maximum Output Plate Voltage	300 Volts
Maximum Input Plate Voltage	300 Volts
Maximum Heater-Cathode Voltage	90 Volts
TYPICAL OPERATION CLASS A AMPLIFIER	
Heater Voltage	6.3 Volts
meater Current	0.8 Ampere
Plate Voltage (Output)	300 Volts
Plate voltage (input)	300 Volts
Grid Voltage (Input)	0 Volt
Plate Current (Output)	42 Ma.
Plate Current (Input)	9 Ma.
Plate Resistance	24000 Unms
Mutual Conductance †	$2400 \mu mhos$

Power Output**

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Input grid—output plate Mutual Conductance.

*15 volts (r-m-s) signal; total distortion 5%.

**Input grid begins to draw grid current; total distortion 10%.

Amplification Factor.....

Load Resistance......

APPLICATION

Sylvania 6N6G is a heater type output tube comprising two triode units mounted in an ST-14 bulb. The smaller or input section acts as a driver tube for the larger output unit and is directly coupled to it. The input cathode and output grid are connected internally.

Type 6N6G may be employed in the output stage of a-c operated receivers to deliver large amounts of power with low percentage distortion. Two tubes may be used in a push-pull circuit if additional power is desired.

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In general, the circuits designed for the Type 6N6G will be somewhat simplified since the number of component parts required will be less than with other power amplifier tubes. The tube operates without bias so that there is no need for a cathode resistor and its associated by-pass condenser. The output cathode is connected directly to minus B. Nevertheless, the input grid does not draw any current since a grid bias is automatically developed within the tube. The tube may therefore be fed by resistance coupling.

The optimum load resistance for single tube operation is 7000 ohms. When two Type 6N6G tubes are operated in pushpull the plate to plate load resistance should be 10,000 ohms.

The characteristics are shown for 300 volt operation. However, it is permissible to operate Type 6N6G with a plate voltage of 325 volts and a grid bias of -4.5 volts. Under these conditions the current values will be substantially the same as those shown above.

Type 6N6G is the "G" equivalent of Type 6B5.