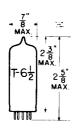
## TUNG-SOL -

#### DOUBLE-DIODE TRIODE



GLASS BULB

MINIATURE TYPE

COATED UNIPOTENTIAL CATHODE

HEATER

6.3±10% VOLTS 0.6 AMP. AC OR DC

ANY MOUNTING POSITION



BOTTOM VIEW SMALL BUTTON 9 PIN BASE 9ER

THE 68N8 IS A HIGH MU TRIODE DOUBLE DIODE IN THE 9 PIN MINIATURE CONSTRUCTION. THE TUBE HAS SEPARATE CATHODE CONNECTIONS FOR EACH SECTION AND IS INTENDED FOR APPLICATIONS IN BOTH MONOCHROME AND COLOR TELEVISION RECEIVERS. THERMAL CHARACTERISTICS OF THE HEATER ARE CONTROLLED SUCH THAT HEATER VOLTAGE SURGES DURING THE WARM—UP, CYCLE ARE MINIMIZED PROVIDED IT IS USED WITH OTHER TYPES WHICH ARE SIMILARLY CONTROLLED.

## DIRECT INTERELECTRODE CAPACITANCES

TRIODE SECTION		
GRID TO PLATE: (G TO P)	2.5	$\mu\mu$ f
INPUT: G TO (H +TK)	3.6	щи f
OUTPUT: P TO (H +TK)	0.25	µµ f
DIODE SECTION		
#1 PLATE TO TRIODE GRID (MAX.)	0.060	µц f
#2 PLATE TO TRIODE GRID (MAX.)	0.10	щи f
#1 CATHODE TO ALL: 1DK TO (H+TK+2DK+TP+1DP+TG+2DP)	5.0	ии f
#2 CATHODE TO ALL: 2DK TO (H+TK+1DK+TP+1DP+20P+TG)	5.0	μúf
#1 PLATE TO #2 PLATE (MAX.)	0.070	$\mu\mu$ f
#1 PLATE TO #1 CATHODE + HEATER: 1DP TO (1DK+ H)	1.9	иµ f
#2 PLATE TO #2 CATHODE + HEATER: 2DP TO (2DK+ H)	1.9	ии f
#1 CATHODE TO #1 PLATE + HEATER: 1DK TO (1DP+ H)	4.8	ии f
#2 CATHODE TO #2 PLATE + HEATER: 2DK TO (2DP+ H)	4.8	µµ f
#1 PLATE TO ALL: 1DP TO (H+TK+1DK+2DK+TP+2DP+TG)	3.0	$\mu\mu$ f
#2 PLATE TO ALL: 2DP TO (H+TK+1DK+2DK+TP+1DP+TG)	3.0	ии f

# RATINGS INTERPRETED ACCORDING TO DESIGN CENTER SYSTEM

EACH SECTION

HEATER VOLTAGE	→ 6.3±10%	VOLTS
MAXIMUM HEATER-CATHODE VOLTAGE		
HEATER NEGATIVE WITH RESPECT TO CATHODE	000	
TOTAL DC AND PEAK	200	VOLTS
HEATER POSITIVE WITH RESPECT TO CATHODE DC	100	VOL.TS
TOTAL DC AND PEAK	200	VOL TS
HEATER WARM-UP TIME A	11	SECONDS

AMEATER WARM-UP TIME IS DEFINED AS THE TIME REQUIRED FOR THE VOLTAGE ACROSS THE HEATER TO REACH 80% OF ITS RATED VOLTAGE AFTER APPLYING 4 TIMES RATED HEATER VOLTAGE TO A CIRCUIT CONSISTING OF THE TUBE HEATER IN SERIES WITH A RESISTANCE OF VALUE 3 TIMES THE NOMINAL HEATER OPERATING RESISTANCE.

- INDICATES A CHANGE.

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### RATINGS - CONTID.

## INTERPRETED ACCORDING TO DESIGN CENTER SYSTEM

#### EACH SECTION

) ← VOLTS
VOLTS
7 ← watts
) MEGOHM
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## TYPICAL OPERATING CONDITIONS AND CHARACTERISTICS

CLASS A1 AMPLIFIER

TRIODE SECTION HEATER VOLTAGE	→ 6.3±10%	6.3±10%	VOLTS
HEATER CURRENT	0.6	0.6	AMP.
PLATE VOLTAGE GRID VOLTAGE	100 -1	250 3	VOLTS VOLTS
PLATE RESISTANCE (APPROX.) TRANSCONDUCTANCE	21 000 3 500	28 000 2 500	OHMS µMHOS
AMPLIFICATION FACTOR PLATE CURRENT	75 1.5	70 1 <b>.</b> 6	MA.
GRID VOLTAGE (APPROX.) FOR $I_b = 40 \mu A$	-2.5	-5.5	VOLTS
DIODE SECTION AVERAGE CURRENT (EACH PLATE) AT 10 VOLTS ( VOLTAGE DROP (EACH SECTION) AT $1_b=9$ MA DC	oc	50 2.6	MA. VOLTS