

# U. ENGINEERING BULLETIN

**ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS** 

### N. U. - 6090

### 18 CHANNEL RADIAL BEAM TUBE MULTIPLE ANODE TYPE

The Type N.U.-6090 is a multiple anode electrostatically focused and deflected radial beam tube intended for high speed electronic switching or commutation. It is capable of handling 18 different channels for transmission over a single carrier in multiplexing or telemetering applications. This is the output tube of such a system. It has a coated unipotential cathode. The N.U.-6090 has eighteen anode leads which are brought out separately, a common lead for the six gap grids and another lead for the remaining twelve window grids. The gap grids are physically positioned between adjacent screen segments.

#### **ELECTRICAL RATINGS**

## Heater Voltage (ac or dc)...... 6.3 volts $\pm 10\%$ Maximum Plate Voltage...... 300 volts dc Maximum Screen Voltage (G<sub>2</sub>)...... 300 volts rms ac $6\phi$

### TYPICAL OPERATING CONDITIONS

Heater Voltage	6.3 volts
Heater Current	0.670 amperes
Plate Voltage	300 volts ●
Screen Voltage (Applied through dc focusing bias)	150 volts rms ac $6\phi$
Focusing Bias (Positive end connected to cathode)	60 volts de
Shield Voltage	60 volts dc
Grid Voltage EG-1 (Gap grids)	0 volts de
Grid Voltage EG-2 (Window grids)	-10 volts dc ▲
Single Channel Peak Current	60 μa dc
Single Channel Transconductance	2.0 $\mu$ mhos max.
Plate Load Resistance	500K ohms

- All voltages except EG-1 and EG-2 are measured with respect to the six phase power supply neutral. EG-1 and EG-2 are measured with respect to the cathode.
- ▲ The bias on the window grids may be adjusted to equalize the uniformity of output current between the gap grid and window grid channels. This will limit the maximum deviation in output uniformity to ≥ 15%.

### MECHANICAL RATINGS

STYLE	Special
BULB	T-18
BASE	Special 30-pin
OVERALL HEIGHT	4.0"
MAX. DIA	2.5" (BASED)
MOUNTING POSITION	An y

### BASE PIN CONNECTIONS

PIN	1:	P-1
PIN	2:	P - 2
PIN	3:	P-3
PIN	4:	P-4
PIN	5:	P-5
PIN	6:	P-6
PIN	7:	P-7
PIN	8:	P-8
PIN	9:	P-9
PIN	10:	P-10
PIN	11:	P-11
PIN	12:	P-12
PIN	13:	P-13
PIN	14:	P-14
PIN	15:	P-15
PIN	16:	P-16
PIN	17:	P-17
PIN	18:	P-18
PIN	19:	Н
PIN	20:	SC-I
PIN	21:	<b>G</b> 1 (GAP GRIDS)
PIN	22:	SC-2
PIN	23:	K
PIN	24:	SC-3
PIN	25:	Mica Charge Ring
PIN	26:	SC-4
PIN	27:	<b>G₂</b> (WINDOW GRIDS)
PIN	28:	SC-5
PIN	29:	Н
PIN	30:	SC-6

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