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MILITARY SPECIFICATION SHEET  
 ELECTRON TUBE, TRANSMITTING  
 TYPE 5933WA

This specification is approved for use by all Departments and Agencies of the Department of Defense.

The complete requirements for procuring the electron tube described herein shall consist of this document and the latest issue of Specification MIL-E-1.

DESCRIPTION: Pentode, beam power amplifier, F1 = 50 MHz, F2 = 125 MHz

Outline }  
 Base } See figure 1  
 Cathode --- Coated unipotential  
 Base connections:

Pin No. - - -	1	2	3	4	5	Cap
Element - - -	h	g2	g1	k, g3	h	a

ABSOLUTE-MAXIMUM RATINGS:

Parameter:	Ef	Eb	Ec1	Ec2	Ib	Ic1	Pp
Unit:	V	Vdc	Vdc	Vdc	mAdc	mAdc	W
Maximum:							25
Class B, AF:	6.6	600	---	300	120	---	25
Class B, RF:	6.6	600	---	300	80	---	16.5
Class C, Teleg:	6.6	475	-200	300	83	5	25
Class C, Teleg:	6.6	600	-200	300	100	5	---
Minimum:	6.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
<u>TEST CONDITIONS:</u>	6.3	600	-29	300	---	---	---

ABSOLUTE-MAXIMUM RATINGS:

Parameter	Pg2	Pi	Ehk	TE	Modu-	Alt
Unit:	W	W	v	°C	iation	ft
Maximum:					---	60,000
Class B, AF:	3.5	60	135	160	---	60,000
Class B, RF:	2.5	37.5	135	160	---	60,000
Class C, Teleg:	2.5	40	135	160	Anode	60,000
Class C, Teleg:	3.5	60	135	160	---	60,000
Minimum:	---	---	---	---	---	---
<u>TEST CONDITIONS:</u>	---	---	---	---	---	---

GENERAL:

Qualification - Required

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Requirement or test	Notes	Conditions	AQL (percent defective)	Inspection level or code	Symbol	Limits		Unit
						Min	Max	
<u>Quality conformance inspection, part 1</u>								
Heater current			0.65	II	I <sub>f</sub>	810	990	mA
Heater-cathode leakage			0.65	II	I <sub>hk</sub>	---	100	μA <sub>dc</sub>
Total grid current	1		0.65	II	I <sub>c1</sub>	0	-4.0	μA <sub>dc</sub>
Electrode current (1) (anode)	1		0.65	II	I <sub>b</sub>	24	48	μA <sub>dc</sub>
Electrode current (2) (anode)		E <sub>c1</sub> = -100 Vdc	0.65	II	I <sub>b</sub>	---	500	μA <sub>dc</sub>
Power oscillation		E <sub>c2</sub> = 200 Vdc; R <sub>g1</sub> = 0.01 Meg; I <sub>b</sub> = 100 mA <sub>dc</sub> (max); I <sub>c1</sub> = +6 mA <sub>dc</sub> ; F = 15 MHz; E <sub>cc1</sub> = 0	0.65	II	P <sub>o</sub>	33	---	W
Short and discontinuity detection			0.4	II	---	---	---	---
<u>Quality conformance inspection, part 2</u>								
Insulation of electrodes		E <sub>p</sub> -all = -500 Vdc; E <sub>g1</sub> -all = -300 Vdc	2.5	S3	R	50	---	Meg
Electrode current (screen)			2.5	I	I <sub>c2</sub>	0	3.0	mA <sub>dc</sub>
Grid emission	2	E <sub>f</sub> = 7.5 V; E <sub>c1</sub> = -70 Vdc	2.5	I	I <sub>c1</sub>	0	-6.0	μA <sub>dc</sub>
Transconductance (1)		E <sub>b</sub> = E <sub>c2</sub> = 250 Vdc; E <sub>c1</sub> = -15 Vdc	6.5	I	S <sub>m</sub>	4,500	6,500	μmhos
Transconductance (2)		E <sub>f</sub> = 5.7 V; E <sub>b</sub> = E <sub>c2</sub> = 250 Vdc; E <sub>c1</sub> = -15 Vdc	2.5	I	ΔS <sub>m</sub> E <sub>f</sub>	---	10	μ
Primary grid emission (screen)	4	E <sub>b</sub> = E <sub>c2</sub> = 0; E <sub>g2</sub> = 175 Vac	6.5	I	I <sub>sc2</sub>	0	-750	μA <sub>dc</sub>
Direct-interelectrode capacitance		Shield No. 312 No shield No shield	6.5	Code F	{ C <sub>g1p</sub> C <sub>in</sub> C <sub>out</sub>	{ --- 8.0 5.3	{ 0.2 14 8.7	{ pF pF pF
Barometric pressure, reduced		Pressure = 55 ± 5 mmHg; voltage = 700 Vac	6.5	Note 5	---	---	---	---
Low-frequency vibration		E <sub>b</sub> = 250 Vdc; E <sub>c1</sub> = -10 Vdc; E <sub>c2</sub> = 100 Vdc; R <sub>p</sub> = 2,000 ohms	2.5	I	E <sub>p</sub>	---	250	mVac

Method	Requirement or test	Notes	Conditions	AQL (percent defective)	Inspection level or code	Symbol	Limits		Unit
							Min	Max	
	<u>Quality conformance inspection, part 2</u> - Continued								
1041	Shock	6	450 G; Ehk = +135 Vac	6.5	Note 5	---	---	---	---
1031	Vibration fatigue			6.5	Note 5	---	---	---	---
---	Shock and vibration fatigue test end points:								
1031	Low-frequency vibration			---	---	Ep	---	500	mVac
1336	Heater-cathode leakage			---	---	Ihk	---	100	μAdc
1236	Power oscillation (change in individual tubes)			---	---	ΔPot	---	20	%
1111	Base pin solder depth			---	---	---	---	---	---
1101	Secureness of base, cap, or insert			---	---	---	---	---	---
1216	Base material insulating quality			---	---	---	---	---	---
1105	Permanence of marking			---	---	---	---	---	---
Method	Requirement or test	Notes	Conditions			Symbol	Limits		Unit
	<u>Quality conformance inspection, part 3</u>								
1506	Heater-cycling life		Ef = 7.5 V; Ehk = +135 Vac; Ec1 = Ec2 = Eb = 0; 1 min on, 4 min off			---	---	---	---
1516	Stability life		Ehk = 135 Vac; Rg1 = 0.01 Meg; TA = room			---	---	---	---
---	Stability life-test end point (1 hour):								
1236	Power oscillation (change in individual tubes)					ΔPot	---	20	%
1501	Intermittent life	3,7	Ehk = 135 Vdc; Rg1 = 0.01 Meg; TA = room TE = 160°C (min)			---	---	---	---

Requirement or test	Notes	Conditions	Symbol	Limits		Unit
				Min	Max	
<u>Quality conformance inspection, part 3</u>						
Intermittent life-test end points (500 hours):						
Total grid current			Ic1	0	-6.0	μAdc
Heater current			If	800	1,010	mA
Power oscillation (Ef = 5.7 V)			ΔPo	---	15	%
Power oscillation (change in individual tubes)			t	---	20	%
Power oscillation (average change)			Avg	---	15	%
Heater-cathode leakage			ΔPo	---	---	---
Insulation of electrodes			t	---	---	---
Total defectives			Ihk	---	150	μAdc
			R	25	---	Meg
			---	---	---	---
Intermittent life-test end points (1,000 hours):						
Total grid current			Ic1	0	-6.0	μAdc
Heater current			If	800	1,010	mA
Power oscillation (change in individual tubes)			ΔPo	---	25	%
Power oscillation (average change)			t	---	20	%
Heater-cathode leakage			Avg	---	---	---
Insulation of electrodes			ΔPo	---	---	---
Total defectives			t	---	---	---
			Ihk	---	150	μAdc
			R	25	---	Meg
			---	---	---	---

s test shall be performed at the conclusion of the holding period. or to this test, the tubes shall be preheated a minimum of 5 minutes at the conditions indicated below. The minute test is not permitted. Test at specified conditions within 3 seconds after preheating. Grid emission ll be the last test performed on the sample selected for the grid-emission test.

Ef	Eb	Ec1	Ec2	Rg1
V	Vdc	Vdc	Vdc	Meg
7.5	600	-29	300	0.01

Temperature (TE) requirements, when measured in accordance with the temperature by conduction-band measurement (method 1226), will be satisfied if a TUT having bogey 1b (+5 percent) under normal test conditions, is permitted to operate at or above minimum specified temperature at any position in the life-test rack. Test duration shall be of sufficient length to obtain a stabilized negative Isc2 value. Adjust Ec1 (0 to 6 Vdc) give Pg2 = 5 W. Pg2 shall be calculated as 2.48 times the product of the rectified current and rectified voltage. A protective resistor of 15,000 ohms shall be placed in series with the primary emission current meter. Test shall be conducted on the initial lot and thereafter on a lot approximately every 12 months. When one lot passes, the 12-month rule shall apply. In the event of a lot failure, the lot shall be rejected and the succeeding lots shall be subjected to this test until a lot passes. MIL-STD-105, sample size code letter E, shall apply. Grid resistor of 0.1 megohm shall be added; however, this resistor shall not be used when a thyratron-type short circuit indicator is employed.

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The life-test sample shall consist of 20 tubes per lot and not more than 1 tube failure shall be permitted. In the event of rejection of the first sample, due to failure of more than 1 tube, a second sample of 40 tubes shall be selected from the lot. Acceptance shall then be based on the combined first and second samples. The total tube failures from the combined first and second samples shall not exceed three.

8. Revision letters are not used in this revision to identify changes with respect to the previous issue, due to the extensiveness of the changes.

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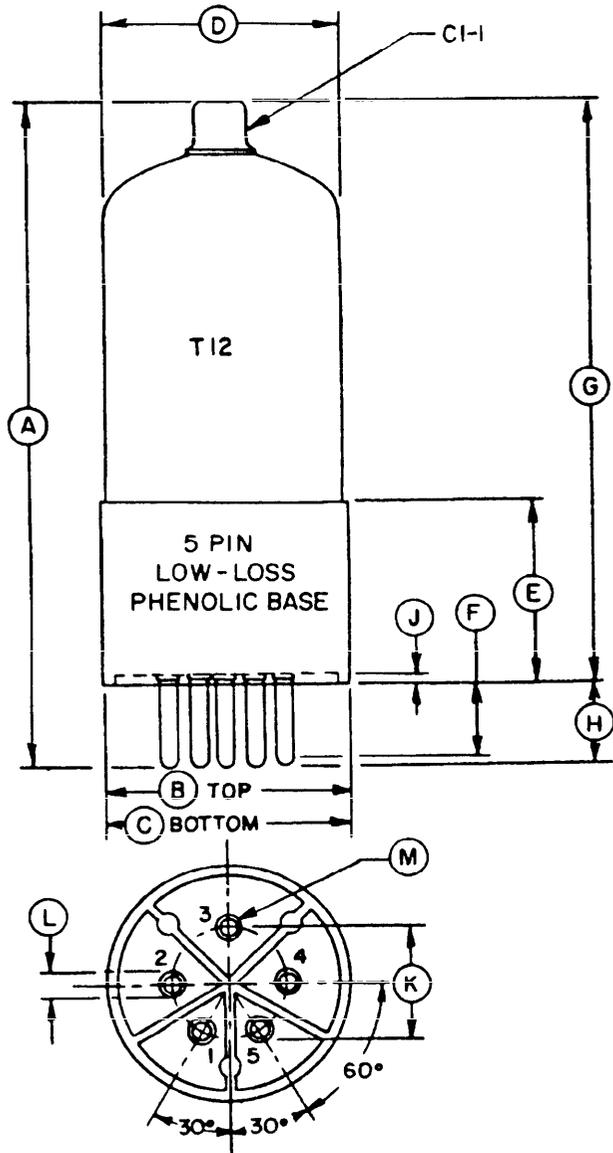
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Ltr	Dimensions in inches with metric equivalents (mm) in parentheses	
	Minimum	Maximum
Quality conformance inspection, part 1		
A		4.688 (119.08)
B	1.655 (42.04)	1.700 (43.18)
C	1.630 (41.40)	1.655 (42.04)
D		1.562 (39.67)
E	1.245 (31.62)	1.265 (32.13)
F	.430 (10.92)	
G	3.750 (95.25)	4.062 (103.17)
H		.562 (14.27)
J	.075 (1.91)	
K	.750 (19.05) Nom	
L		.195 (4.95)
M	.122 (3.10)	.128 (3.25)

FIGURE 1. Outline drawing of electron tube type 5933 WA.

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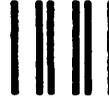
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