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**TRIODE HEPTODE FREQUENCY CHANGER**  
**Indirectly heated - for parallel operation**

<u>RATING</u>	<u>Triode</u>	<u>Heptode</u>
Heater Voltage (volts)	V <sub>h</sub>	6.3
Heater Current (amps)	I <sub>h</sub>	0.83
Maximum Anode Voltage (volts)	V <sub>a(max)</sub>	150
Maximum Screen Voltage (volts)	V <sub>g2</sub>	250
Mutual Conductance (mA/V)	g <sub>m</sub>	5.3
Amplification Factor	$\mu$	16
Maximum Peak Anode Current (mA)	I <sub>a(pk)max</sub>	15
Maximum Potential Heater/Cathode (volts DC)	V <sub>h,k</sub>	150
: Taken at V <sub>a</sub> = 250v; V <sub>g2</sub> = 100v; V <sub>g3</sub> = 0; V <sub>g1</sub> = -2v.		
• Taken at V <sub>at</sub> = 100v; V <sub>gt</sub> = 0v.		
 <u>INTER-ELECTRODE CAPACITANCES</u>		
<u>Heptode Section</u>		
Anode/Earth ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>a(h),E</sub>	13.0
Anode/Grid ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>a(h),g<sub>1</sub>(h)</sub>	0.0012
Grid/1/Earth ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>g<sub>1</sub>(h),E</sub>	9.5
Heptode Grid/Triode Grid ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>g<sub>1</sub>(h),g(t)</sub>	0.09
<u>Triode Section</u>		
Anode/Earth ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>out(t)</sub>	4.4
Anode/Grid ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>a(t),g(t)</sub>	3.0
Grid/Earth ( $\mu\mu F$ )	C <sub>in(t)</sub>	11.5
<u>DIMENSIONS</u>		
Maximum Overall Length (mm)		103
Maximum Diameter (mm)		32
Maximum Seated Height (mm)		90
Approximate Nett Weight (ozs)		1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Approximate Packed Weight (ozs)		2 $\frac{1}{2}$
<u>MOUNTING POSITION</u> - Unrestricted.		

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TYPICAL OPERATION

Heptode Section

Anode Voltage (volts)	V <sub>a(h)</sub>	250	250
Screen Voltage (volts)	V <sub>g2(h)</sub>	100	100
Grid Bias (volts - ve)	V <sub>gl(h)</sub>	-3.0	-2.5
Peak Heterodyne Voltage (volts)	V <sub>(pk)het</sub>	9.0	9.0
Conversion Conductance (mA/volt)	g <sub>c</sub>	750	670
Anode Current (mA)	I <sub>a(h)</sub>	3.0	3.8
Screen Current (mA)	I <sub>g2(h)</sub>	6.05	7.5
Anode Impedance (megohms)	r <sub>a(w)</sub>	1.6	1.2
Input Capacitance Workings (Hot) (μμF)	C <sub>in(w)</sub>	12.5	13.0
Conversion Conductance at V <sub>g</sub> = -43v; V <sub>g2</sub> = 250v(μA/V) (approx.)		3	
Input signal handling capacity (Peak carrier volts)			• 10

- For 5% Total Audio Harmonic Distortion at 60% Modulation.

Triode Section

Anode Voltage (volts)	80
Anode Current (mA) (average)	5

BULB Metallised

BASE International octal (108)



Viewed from free end of pins.

CONNEXIONS

Pin 1	Metallising	M
Pin 2	Heater	h
Pin 3	Heptode Anode	ah
Pin 4	Grid 2, Grid 4	g2,g4
Pin 5	Grid 3, Triode Grid	g3,gt
Pin 6	Triode Anode	at
Pin 7	Heater	h
Pin 8	Cathode	k
Top Cap	Grid	g1

NOTE

The G.C.31 is identical to the TH.41 with the exception of heater characteristics, basing and inter-electrode capacitance.

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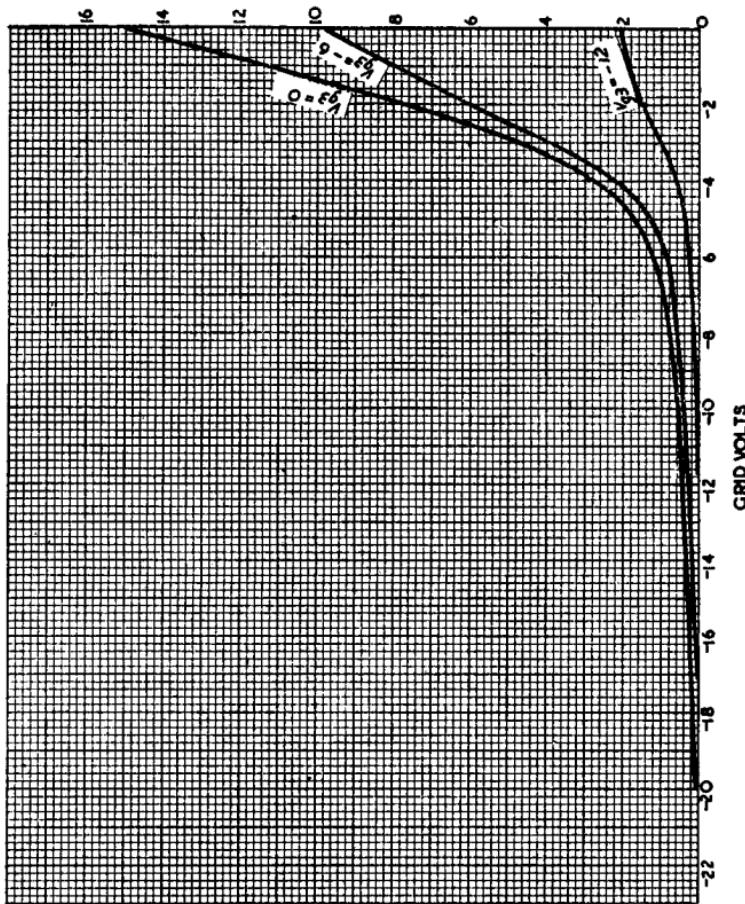
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**AVERAGE CHARACTERISTIC CURVES**

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ANODE CURRENT IN mA



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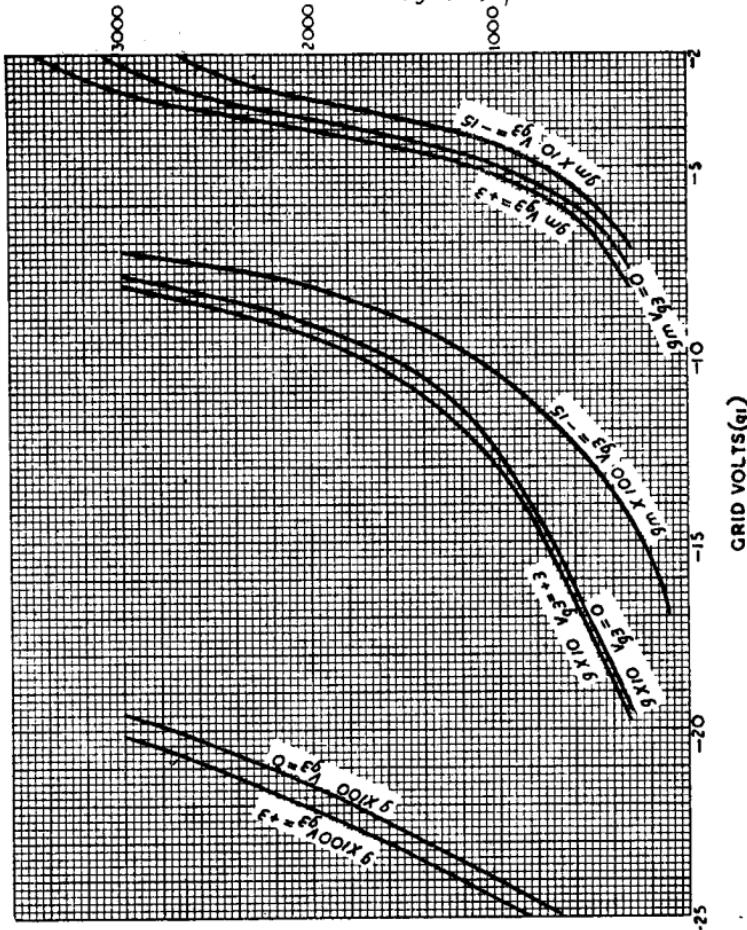
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MUTUAL CONDUCTANCE ( $g_m$ ) IN  $\mu\text{A/V}$



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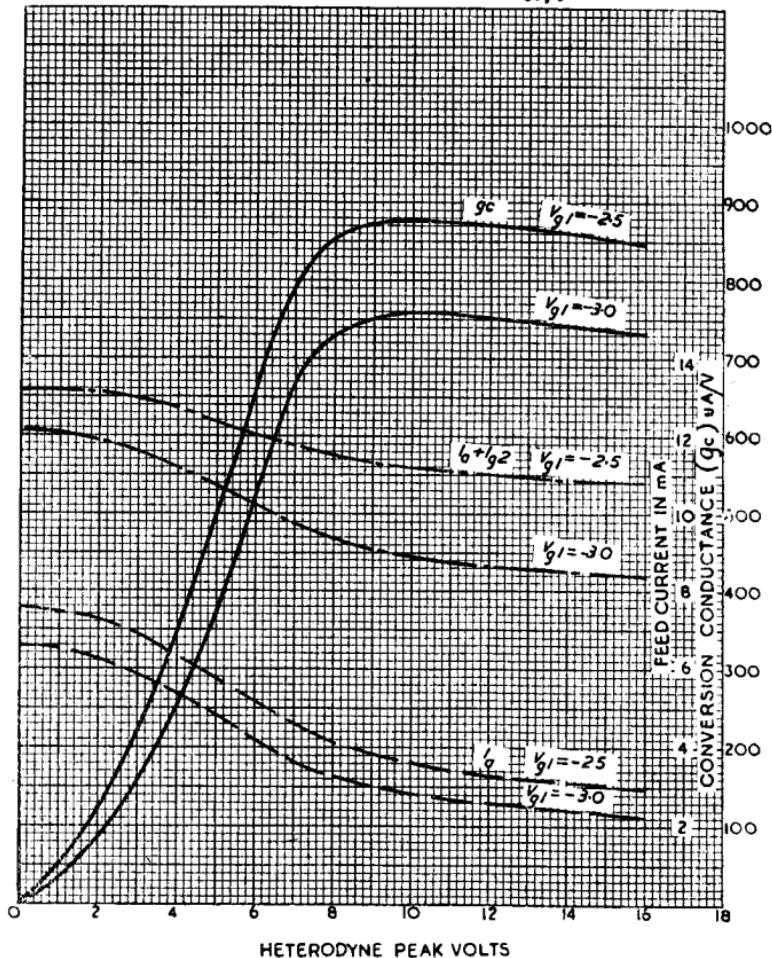
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**AVERAGE CHARACTERISTIC CURVES**

$V_g$	$V_{g2}$	$V_{g3}$	$R_{g3}$	$V_{g1}$	$V_{s1g}$
250	100	Grid current bias	50,000 $\Omega$	-2.5 -3.0	0.5v Peak

HETERODYNE INJECTED INTO  $g_1, g_3$ 

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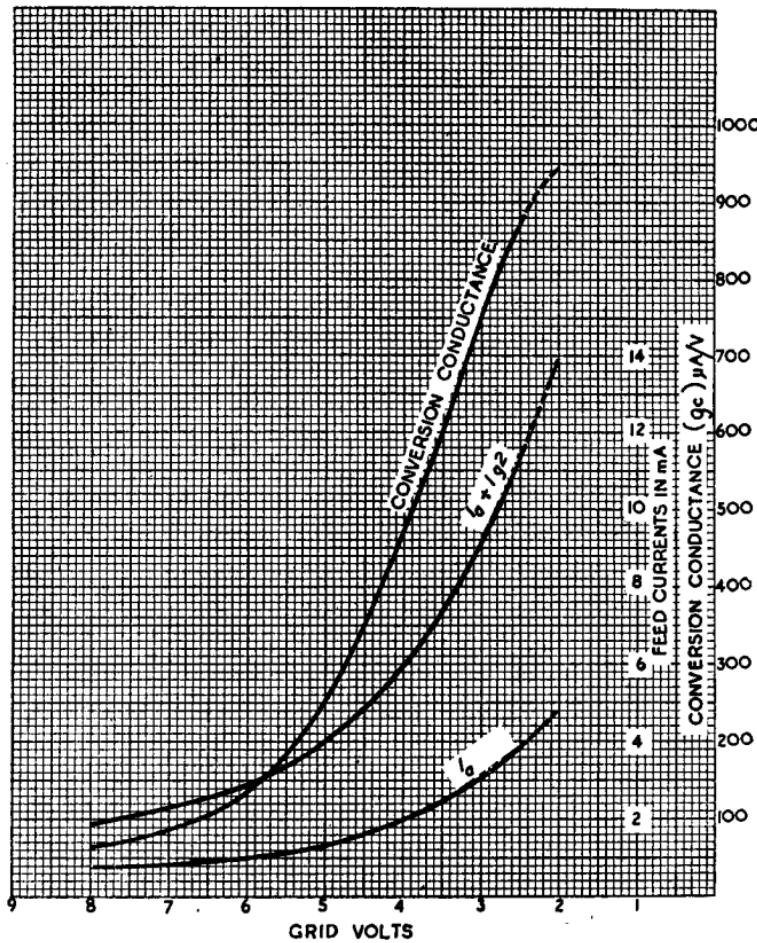
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AVERAGE CHARACTERISTIC CURVES

$I_6$	$I_{q2}$	$V_{g3}$	$R_{q3}$	$V_{het}$	$V_{sig}$
250	100	self bias	50,000	9.0 Peak	0.5% Peak

HETERODYNE INJECTED INTO  $g_t$ ,  $g_3$



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## AVERAGE CHARACTERISTIC CURVES

$V_g$	$V_{g2}$	$R_{g2}$	$V_{gt}$	$R_{gt,k}$	$V_{het}$	Modulation
250	100 (G) $V_{g1} = 3$ $R_{g1} = 50$	24.8 k $\Omega$	self bias	50	9.0 Peak	60%

— 5% Total audio harmonic distortion  
 — 10% Total audio harmonic distortion  
 Heterodyne injected in  $g_{t1}, g_3$

CONVERSION CONDUCTANCE ( $g_c$ )  $\mu\text{A/V}$ 