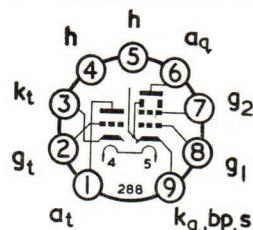


TRIODE  
BEAM TETRODE



B9A Base

## GENERAL

This valve is a triode beam tetrode intended for use in the video output stages of A.C./D.C. mains television receivers. The characteristics of the triode section are identical to those of the ECC804 triode.

Heater Current	$I_h$	10	A
Heater Voltage	$V_h$		V

## RATINGS

	Triode	Tetrode	
Maximum Anode Dissipation	$P_a(\max)$	1.5	W
Maximum Screen Grid Dissipation	$P_{g2}(\max)$	—	W
Maximum Anode Voltage	$V_a(\max)$	250	V
Maximum Screen Grid Voltage	$V_{g2}(\max)$	—	V
Maximum Heater to Cathode Voltage (R.M.S.)	$V_{h-k(r.m.s.)\max}$	150*	V

\* Measured with respect to the higher potential heater pin.

## INTER-ELECTRODE CAPACITANCES

	†	‡	§	
Grid 1 to Earth	$C_{g1-E}$	8.1	8.4	9.5
Anode Tetrode to Earth	$C_{aq-E}$	2.7	3.0	4.1
Grid 1 to Anode Tetrode	$C_{g1-aq}$	0.04	0.05	0.08
Grid Triode to Earth	$C_{gt-E}$	2.2	2.4	3.2
Anode Triode to Earth	$C_{at-E}$	1.9	2.1	2.8
Grid Triode to Anode Triode	$C_{gt-at}$	2.4	2.5	2.8
Anode Triode to Anode Tetrode	$C_{at-aq}$	0.012	0.017	0.019
Grid Triode to Grid 1	$C_{gt-g1}$	0.004	0.007	0.011
Anode Triode to Grid 1	$C_{at-g1}$	0.01	0.02	0.03
Anode Tetrode to Grid Triode	$C_{aq-gt}$	0.004	0.007	0.01

† In fully shielded socket without can.

‡ With holder capacitance balanced out. (Holder as below.)

§ Total capacitance including B9A nylon phenolic holder without skirt or radial shield. (AEI holder type VH19/902.)

"Earth" denotes the electrodes of any second valve section and the remaining earthy potential electrodes of the section under measurement, heater and shields joined to cathode.

## CHARACTERISTICS

		Triode	Tetrode	
Anode Voltage	$V_a$	150	180	V
Screen Grid Voltage	$V_{g_2}$	—	180	V
Anode Current	$I_a$	10	10	mA
Mutual Conductance	$g_m$	3.7	12.5	mA/V
Amplification Factor	$\mu$	18	—	

## TYPICAL OPERATION—Video Amplifier

The stage should be designed to allow for valve spread and deterioration during life in addition to component variations. Values of peak anode current available for a new average valve and at the assumed end of life point for any valve are as follows:

		$\phi$		
Anode Voltage	$V_a$	70	60	V
Screen Grid Voltage	$V_{g_2}$	180	180	V
Grid Bias Voltage	$V_{g_1}$	—1	—1	V
Anode Current	$I_a$	40	25	mA

$\phi$  Average New Valve.

|| Assumed End of Life Condition.

## MOUNTING POSITION—Unrestricted

