Specification MOA/CV 5466	SECU	RITY
Issue 1 . Dated 3.10.1961.	Specification	<u>Valve</u>
To be read in conjunction with K1006 (Note 9)	Unclassified	Unclassified

TYPE OF VALVE: Pulse thyratron, hydrogen, tetrode connection with reservoir, low jitter.  CATHODE: Unipotential. Indirectly heated.						<u>BASE</u> Special 8 Pin			
Connected to mid point of heater.  ENVELOPE: Glass.  PROTOTYPE: VX-4151							MARKING K1001/4 and Serial No.		
								JOINT	SERVICES CATALOGUE NO.
Max-Peak Anode	RATI	NG (	(Not	for i	nspec	tion es) <sub>Not</sub>	:e '		5960 - 99 - 037-2515
Forward Voltage Max.Peak Anode Current Max.Mean Anode Current		k\ A mA	. ]	25 500			· ·		DIMENSIONS
Fb factor			Δ.	6.25	x 10 <sup>9</sup>				See Page 5
Conditions for Test:	Ef Eres epy		=		8.0	volts volts V min	•.		
	egy1 egy2 tk Ecc2		= = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = = =		300V	sec. 1		sured i	from earth.
Connections:	Note	• •							
Pin No :	1	2	-	4			•	8	
Electrode :	G1	G2	H	R	K	R	H1	IC	

Ref.	Test	Conditions		Min.	Max.
4.	Holding Period	t = 96 hours			
4.10.8	Cathode Heater Current	Note 12	If	15	22 Aac
4-10-8	Reservoir Heater Current	Eres = 8.5 Vac Note 12	Ires	2•5	3.5 Aac
-	Instantaneous Starting	epy = 18.0 kV(Min) Notes 1, 2, 11, 13		-	<b>-</b>
4.10.17.2	D.C.Anode Voltage	Notes 1 & 3	Ebb	-	1000 Vdc
	Operation (1)	epy = 27.5 kV prr = 450 pps t = 30 minutes Notes 1, 4, & 8		,	
	Anode Delay Time	Operation (1) Note 5 t = 30	tad	-	0.5 Jus
-	Anode Delay Time Drift	Anode Delay Time Note 6	Δtad	-	0.05 /us
-	Time Jitter	epy = 25 kV eg1y = 300V, eg2y = 400V (Note 13) Notes 1 & 7	tj	<del>-</del>	0•002 /uS
<b>-</b>	Operation (2)	epy = 27.5 kV prr = 450 pps t = 10 minutes Eres = 9.0 volts Notes 1, 4, 8	·		·

## NOTES

The tube shall be tested in the test circuit shown in the attached drawing. Tests performed at repetition rates less than the resonant repetition rate shall be made with a hold-off diode in the charging circuit. The circuit constants shall be chosen so that at epy = 25.0 kV under resonant charging conditions dib/dt = 3500a/ /uS (min); ib = 500a (min); tp = 2.0 ± 0.2 /uS; ppr = 500 pps (min).

Warning: These conditions are specified only for the purpose of determining circuit constants. The actual operating voltage and repetition rates for each test is specified in the conventional manner under the particular conditions or under the general test conditions, as the case may be.

## Grid Conditions for Test :

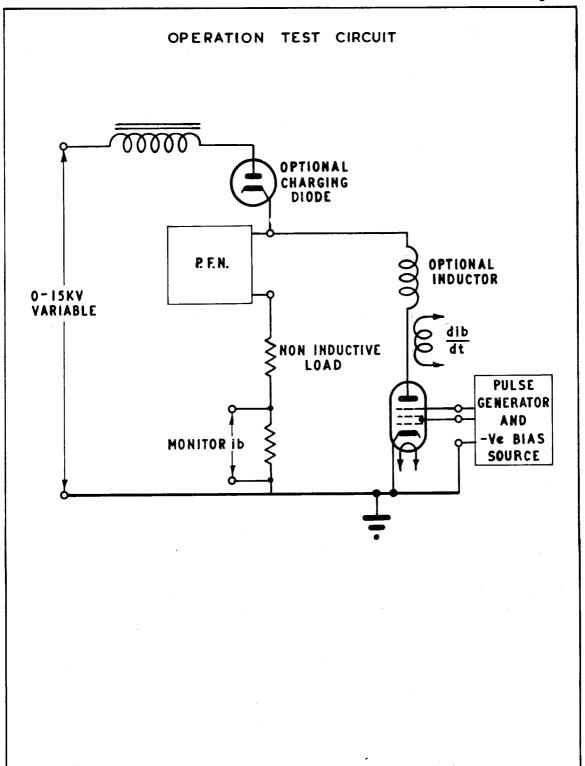
tp1 = 1.5/uS Max, tp2 = 1.5/uS Max, tgd = 0.5/uS - 0.9/uS degy1/dt =  $1000V/\mu S$  (max), degy2/dt =  $1800V/\mu S$  (max), Ecc2 = -100V Zg1 = 2000 ohms (min), Zg2 = 800 ohms (min)

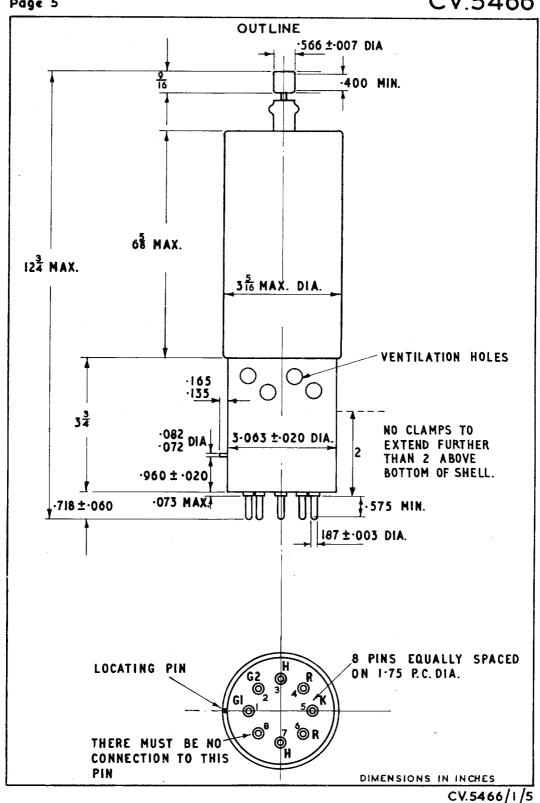
The d.c. resistance of each of the circuits between grid 1 and cathode and between grid 2 and cathode should not exceed 5000 ohms.

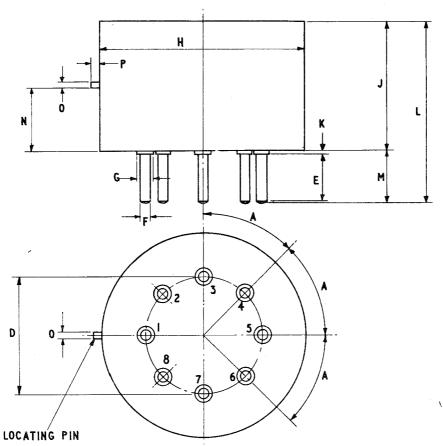
- 2. This shall be the first test after the holding period. The tube shall operate satisfactorily on push-button starting within 3 attempts when the anode voltage (epy) is applied to the tube under test in such a manner as to rise from 0 to 18kV within 0.03 sec. (the filter in the rectifier shall be designed so that the epy reaches at least 9000V within 0.015 sec). The intervals between successive attempts to instantaneously start the tube shall not be less than 10 seconds nor more than 30 seconds. Any tube failing to start within 3 attempts will be considered a failure. A heating time of 5 minutes (max) shall be allowed before initiating this test.
- 3. This test shall be performed within 60 seconds after Operation (1) test.
- 4. The tube shall operate continuously during this test without evidence of arcback.
- 5. Anode delay time (tad) is the time interval between the point on the rising front of the grid pulse where voltage is zero and the point where anode conduction takes place.
- 6. During the interval between 30 sec. and 15 min. of the Anode Delay Time test, the change in anode delay time (Δtad) relative to the tad value observed on the Anode Delay Time test shall not exceed the specified value.
- 7. The variation in firing time (tj) shall be measured by an approved method and shall not be greater than the amount specified.
- 8. There shall be no evidence of anode heating during this test.
- 9. Copies of K1006 and Inspection Instructions for Electron Tubes
  (ASESA, 5/10/55) can be obtained from:

  The Secretary, TL5b, M.O.A., Castlewood House, 77/91, New Oxford St, London. W.C.1.
- 10. No connection shall be made to pin 8 as it is used internally for a barretter connexion.
- 11. Eres = 8.5 volts
- 12. These tests shall be carried out simultaneously, but at any other time with respect to the other tests.

  (15 minutes (min) warm up time shall elapse before the measurements are carried out.
- 13. Measured with respect to earth.







		INCHES		
	MIN.	NOM.	MAX.	DEGREES
A				45
D		1.75		
E	0.575			
F	0.184	0.187	0.190	•
G			0.260	j
н	3 · 042	3.062	3 · 082	
J		3.75		
K			0 · 0 73	
L	•	4 · 5		
М			0.718	ALSO ALLOW ADDITIONAL
N	.94	-96	.98	-060 FOR SOLDER
0	.072		0.082	
P	0.135	0.150	0.165	

BASE FOR VX4151, CV5466.