



# Triode Type DET 18

(OSCILLATOR AND HF AMPLIFIER)

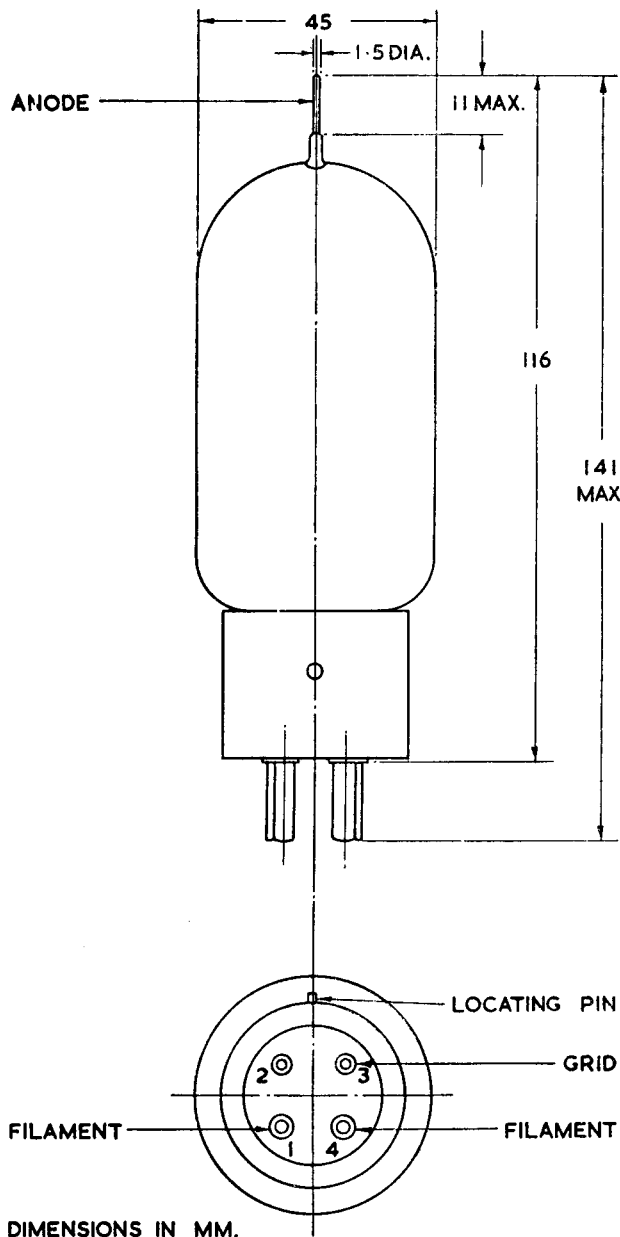
**General.** A transmitting triode fitted with a thoriated tungsten filament, suitable for use as an oscillator or high-frequency amplifier at frequencies up to 120 Mc/s.

**Mounting.** The valve must be mounted vertically. Connections should be made to the anode lead by means of a suitable clip. On no account should attempt be made to solder the lead itself.

### APPROXIMATE DATA

$V_f$	5	V
$I_f$	4	A
$V_{a(max)}$	2	kV
$P_{a(max)}$	50	W
$P_{g1(max)}$	35	mA
$I_{e(pk)^* (max)}$	2	A
$I^*_{(a+g1)}$	0.9	A
$\mu$	taken at $V_a$ 1,000 V	{ 32.5
$g_m$	$I_a$ 35 mA	
$g_m$	taken at $V_a$ 700 V	{ 4.4 mA/V
$g_m$	$I_a$ 500 mA	
$f$	100	Mc/s
$C_{a-g1}$	1.7	pF
$C_{a-k}$	0.17	pF
$C_{g1-k}$	4.6	pF

\*No attempt must be made to measure this figure statically.



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### Typical Operation

#### (1) HF POWER AMPLIFIER AND OSCILLATOR. CLASS C TELEGRAPHY

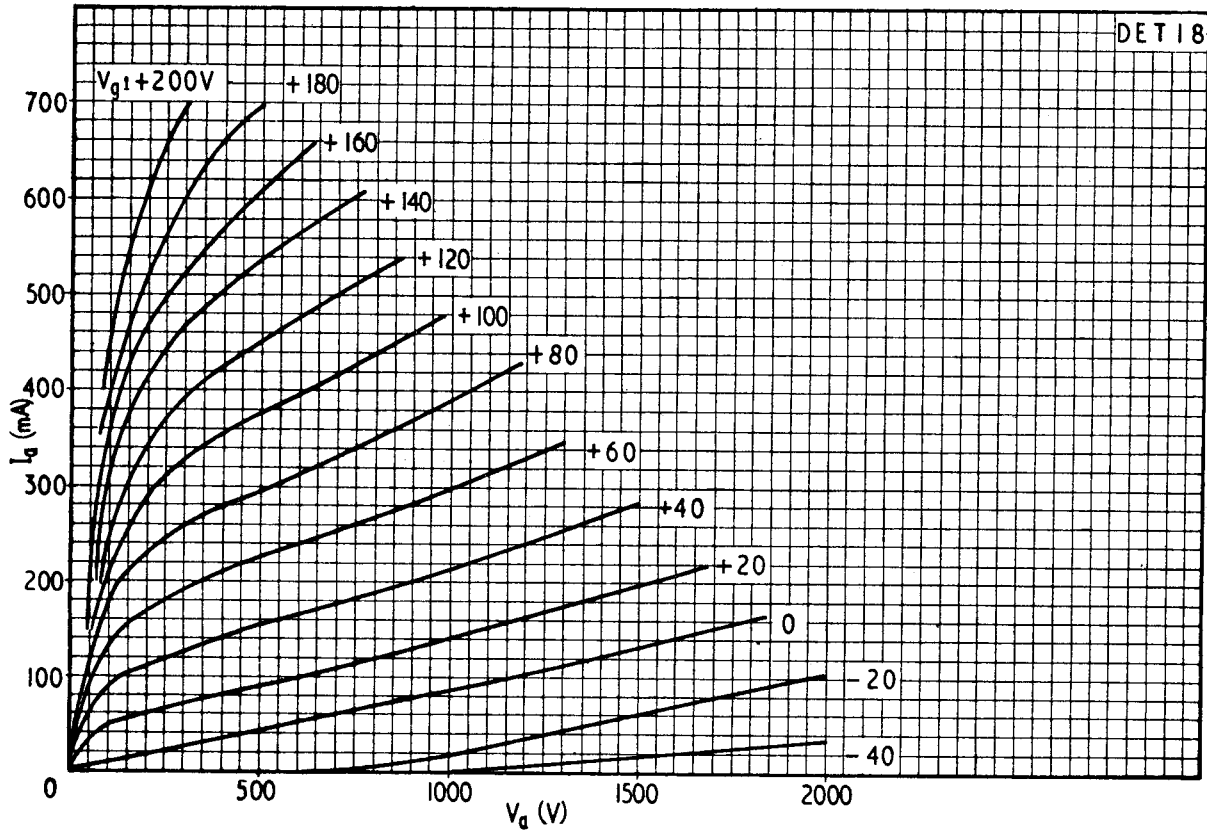
(Unmodulated, one valve, key down conditions)

$V_a$	1,500	1,000	750	V
$I_a$	85	110	120	mA
$V_{g1}$	-170	-180	-160	V
$I_{g1}$ (a)	35	35	35	mA
$P_{dr}$ (a)	12	13	11	W
$Z_b$	9,000	4,200	2,400	$\Omega$
$P_{out}$	77	63	45	W
$V_{g1(pk)}$	320	360	330	V

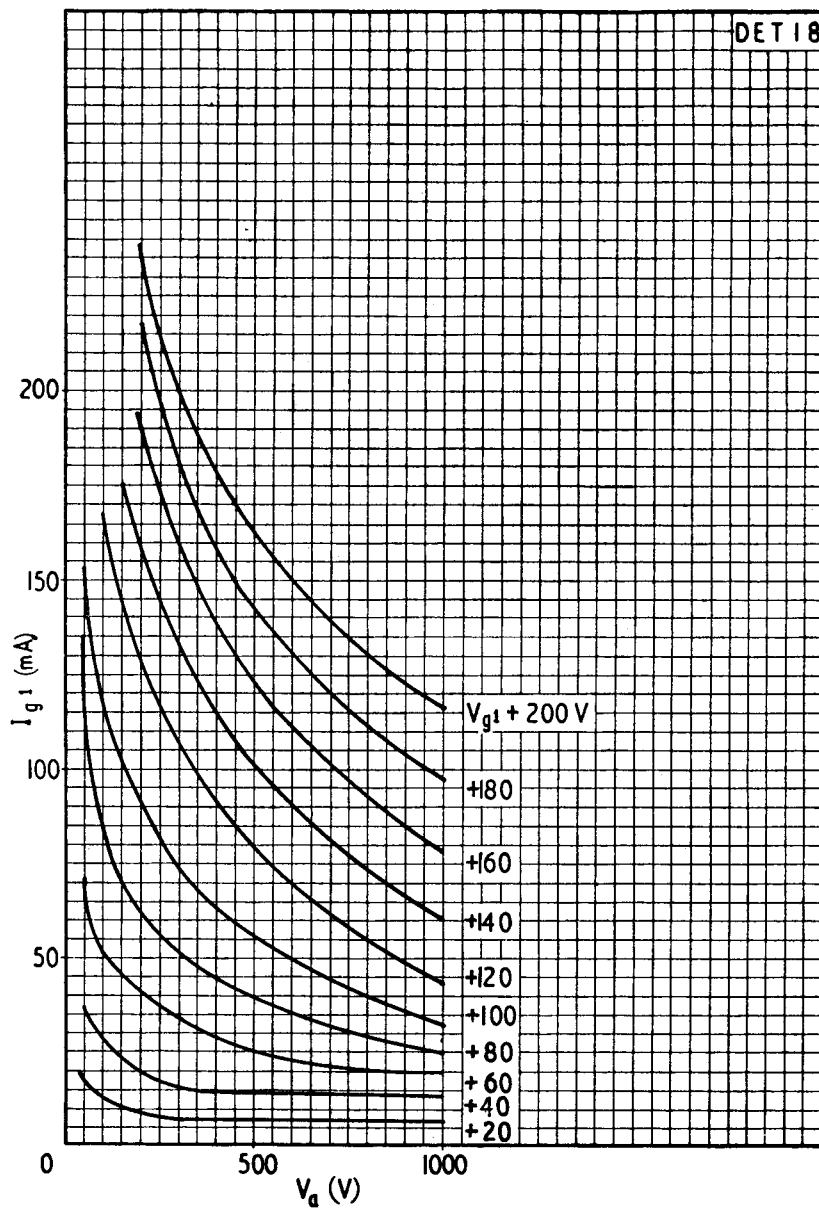
At frequencies above 75 Mc/s it is recommended that two valves are used in push-pull. At 100 Mc/s an output of 100 watts can be obtained from a pair of valves.

#### NOTES

(a) Subject to wide variation.



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