

## GAS-DISCHARGE DEVICE

These gas-discharge devices are for use in polarization or branching-type duplexers in radar systems. In such service they perform the same function as A-TR and Pre-TR tubes and can be used to replace these switching tubes where higher

power levels are required. In operation the gas-filled envelope ionizes to form a highly conductive gas column when high radio-frequency power is applied during the transmission period, and deionizes when the power is removed.

### APPLICATION

**GL-6619**—Groups of ten to twenty in polarization twist duplexers, 2700 to 2900 megacycles.

**GL-6620**—Groups of two in branching-type duplexers, 3400 to 3600 megacycles.

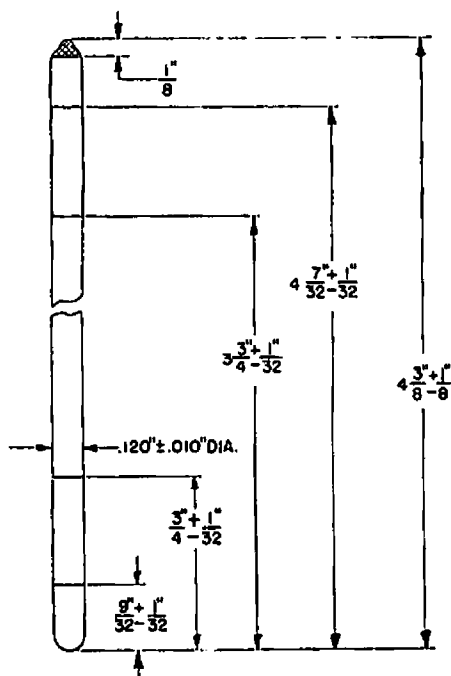
**GL-6621**—Groups of ten to twenty in polarization twist duplexers, 2700 to 2900 megacycles.

GENERAL  ELECTRIC

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

GENERAL

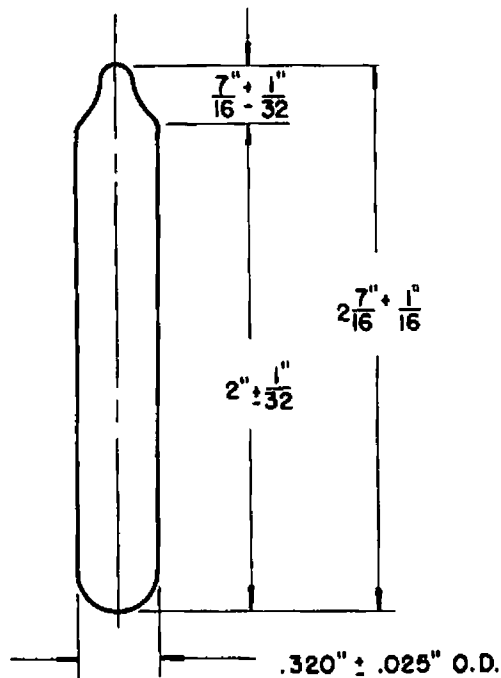
Tube Type Number	GL-6619	GL-6620	GL-6621	
<b>Electrical</b>				
Firing Power	250	250	250	Min Kilowatts
Recovery Time (single tube)	25	40	50	Max Microseconds
	Tube axis 85 degrees from direction of electric field vector. Peak power = 50 kw; pulse repetition rate = 1000 pps; pulse duration = 1.0 μ sec; magnetron frequency = 2800 ± 20 mc; probing signal frequency = 2900 ± 30 mc.			
	Tube axis is parallel to incident electric field vector. Peak power = 50 kw; pulse repetition rate = 1000 pps; pulse duration = 1.0 μ sec; magnetron frequency = 3500 ± 20 mc; probing signal frequency = 3570 ± 30 mc.			
<b>Mechanical</b>				
Mounting Position	Any	Any	Any	
Ambient Temperature Range (non-operating)	-40 to +100	-40 to +100	-40 to +100	C
Net weight, approximate	3	3	2	Ounces
<b>Maximum Ratings</b>				
Transmitter Peak Power	2.5	2	5	Megawatts
Frequency Range	2700 to 2900	3400 to 3600	2700 to 2900	Megacycles per Second



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OUTLINE  
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