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Subject: Dating of 4 6CS7 (NOS) tubes from Sylvania  
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Clever people,

After a couple of weeks' waiting time, my first four 6CS7 (NOS) tubes (for my Laben CS600 amplifier) arrived yesterday by mail from the US. I think they're beautiful. My plan is to get 3 to 4 good quads - if not exceptional - so that I have enough for a lifetime. Estimated lifetime is often said to be in the 10,000 hours range, perhaps.

I'm looking for a bit of history of these - e.g. how old they are.

Here are som pictures:

Some additional images here:  
<https://bergholt.net/6cs7-sylvania>

Huge thanks in advance,

Kasper

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