The 1S2A is a half wave vacuum rectifier especially designed for use in high voltage, low current applications in television scanning systems. The envelope of this tube is chemically treated to insure that no flash-over will occur under conditions of high humidity and low atmospheric pressure.

**GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS**

**MECHANICAL**
- Dimensions
- Plate Cap\(^1\)
- Base\(^3\)

**ELECTRICAL**
- Heater Characteristics
  - Heater Arrangement
  - Heater Voltage (AC or DC)\(^3\)\(^4\)
  - Heater Current
  - Output Capacitance (without external shield)

see outline drawing
see plate cap drawing
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parallel supply
1.4 volts
0.55 amps
1.55 pf

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\(^1\) If the tube is operated at high values of peak inverse plate voltage and/or under conditions of high relative humidity or low pressure, an insulating cover should be applied to the plate cap to avoid corona effects.

\(^2\) Pins 1, 4, 6 and 9 can be connected together to form an anti-corona ring.

\(^3\) Circuit elements having the same potential as the heater may be connected to pins 3 and 7.

\(^4\) When the heater is to be operated on RF or flyback pulses, the heater voltage can be adjusted to its nominal value of 1.4 volts at a DC output current of 200 \(\mu\)A by measurement with a thermocouple. When the DC output is increased to 400 - 600 \(\mu\)A, the decrease in heater voltage must be kept within a 15\% limit.

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MAXIMUM RATINGS, DESIGN CENTER VALUES

- Peak Plate Inverse Voltage $^6$  22,000 volts
- Peak Plate Inverse Voltage (Absolute Limits) $^6$  27,000 volts
- Output Current  0.8 ma max.
- Peak Plate Current $^7$  40 ma
- Filter Input Capacitor  2,000 pf

TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS

- Output Voltage  18,000 volts
- Output Current  0.15 ma

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$^5$ The ratio of the negative peak plate voltage due to ringing in the circuit to the positive DC voltage can be about 1:4.5. This voltage may be 24,000 volts at $I_0 = 0$.

$^6$ Maximum duration is 22% of a line scanning cycle but no more than 18 $\mu$sec.

$^7$ Maximum duration is 10% of a line scanning cycle but no more than 10 $\mu$sec.