Half-Wave Vacuum Rectifier

GENERAL DATA

Electrical:

Filament, Coated:

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\text{Min.} & \text{Av.} & \text{Max.} \\
\text{Voltage (AC)} & 1.05 & 1.25 & 1.45 \text{ volts} \\
\text{Current at 1.25 volts} & - & 0.2 & - \text{ amp} \\
\text{Direct Interelectrode Capacitance (Approx.)} & & & 1.4 \mu\text{f} \\
\text{Plate to filament \& internal shield} & & & \\
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Mechanical:

Operating Position: Any
Maximum Overall Length: 3.562\" 
Seated Length: 2.624\" to 3.000\"
Diameter: 1.438\" to 1.562\"
Bulb: T12 
Cap: Small with Tubular Support (JEDEC No.C1-34) 
Base: Short Medium-Shell Octal 7-Pin with External Barriers, Style B (JEDEC Group 1, No.B7-227) 
Basing Designation for BOTTOM VIEW: 3C

PULSED-RECTIFIER SERVICE

Maximum Ratings, Design-Maximum Values:

For operation in a 525-line, 30-frame system:

INVERSE PLATE VOLTAGE:

Total dc and peak: 28000 max. volts 
DC: 24000 max. volts 
PEAK PLATE CURRENT: 50 max. ma 
AVERAGE PLATE CURRENT: 0.5 max. ma

Characteristics:

Plate Current for plate volts = 100 ... 76 ma

▲ Without external shield. 
● See Operating Considerations. 
★ As described in "Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Television Broadcast Stations," Federal Communications Commission. 
▲ The duration of the voltage pulse must not exceed 15 per cent of one horizontal scanning cycle. In a 525-line, 30-frame system, 15 per cent of one horizontal scanning cycle is 10 microseconds. 
▲ Instantaneous test value.

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OPERATING CONSIDERATIONS

Socket Connections. Socket terminals 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 may be connected to socket terminal 7 or to a corona shield which is connected to socket terminal 7. Socket terminals 4 and 6 may be used as tie points for components at or near filament potential.

Measurement of Filament Voltage. To measure the filament voltage when the filament is at a high dc potential with respect to ground, it is recommended that a simple method utilizing visual comparison of the filament temperature be used. The color temperature of the filament, operating from a pulse-or-rf-power source, may be checked by observing in a darkened room the reflection of the incandescent filament upon the surface of the internal shield. A visual comparison of this color temperature with that obtained when the filament of another IN2-A is operated from a dc or low-frequency ac supply of 1.25 volts, provides a convenient means for adjusting the amount of excitation to produce 1.25 volts (rms) at the filament terminals.

The high voltages at which the IN2-A is operated are very dangerous. Great care should be taken in the design of apparatus to prevent the operator from coming in contact with these high voltages. Particular care against fatal shock should be taken in the measurement of filament voltage. Under all circumstances, circuit parts which may develop high potentials should be enclosed or adequately insulated.

X-rays. The voltages employed in some television receivers and other high-voltage equipment are sufficiently high that high-voltage rectifier tubes may produce X-rays which can constitute a health hazard unless such tubes are adequately shielded. Relatively simple shielding should prove adequate, but the need for this precaution should be considered in equipment design.