INSTRUMENT CATHODE-RAY TUBE

- 10cm diagonal rectangular flat face
- domed mesh post-deflection acceleration
- short tube max. 220 mm
- high precision by permanent magnetic correction system
- low heater power consumption
- very high brightness
- for small oscilloscopes with up to 50 MHz bandwidth and read-out devices

QUICK REFERENCE DATA

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<td>Minimum useful scan area</td>
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<td>Deflection coefficient</td>
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OPTICAL DATA

- Screen type: metal backed phosphor GH (P31)
- Colour: green
- Persistence: medium short
- Useful screen area: $\geq 70$ mm x 56 mm (note 1)
- Useful scan area: $\geq 70$ mm x 56 mm
- Internal graticule: type 125 (see Fig.4)

HEATING

- Indirect by AC or DC *
- Heater voltage: $V_f$ 6.3 V
- Heater current: $I_f$ 0.1 A
- Heating time to attain 10% of the cathode current at equilibrium conditions: approx. 7 s

* not to be connected in series with other tubes.
MECHANICAL DATA

Dimensions and connections (see also outline drawings)

Overall length (socket included)  max. 220 mm
Faceplate dimensions  82 ± 0.5 mm x 69 ± 0.5 mm
Net mass (including trace rotation coil)  approx. 450 g
Base  12 pin, all glass JEDEC B12-246

Mounting

The tube can be mounted in any position. It must not be supported by the socket and not by the base region alone. The reference points on adjoining edges of the faceplate (see Fig.4) enable the tube to be positioned accurately in the front panel, with optimum alignment of the internal graticule with respect to the bezel.

Accessories

Socket with solder tags  type 55594
Socket with printed wiring pins  type 55595
Final accelerator contact connector  type 55569
Mu metal shield  type 55461

FOCUSING  electrostatic

DEFLECTION  double electrostatic
x plates  symmetrical
y plates  symmetrical
### Capacitances *

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<td>Final accelerator electrode to all other elements</td>
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* Approximate values
DIMENSIONS AND CONNECTIONS

Dimensions in mm

Fig. 1 Mechanical outlines.

(1) Dimensions of faceplate only. The complete assembly of faceplate and cone (frit seal included) will pass through an opening of 85 mm x 72 mm (diagonal 107 mm).
(2) The coil is fixed to the envelope with silicone rubber and adhesive tape.
(3) The length of rotation coil connecting leads is min. 350 mm.
(4) Reference points on faceplate for graticule alignment. (see Fig. 4)
(5) The centre of the final accelerator contact is situated within a square of 7 mm x 7 mm around the indicated position.
Fig. 2 Pin arrangement, bottom view.

Internal graticule

Line thickness = 0.15 mm, colour N 1.5.
**TYPICAL OPERATION** (voltages are with respect to the cathode)

**Conditions**

- Final accelerator voltage $V_{g7(0)}$: 10 kV
- Mean deflection plate potential: 1 kV
- Shield voltage for optimum geometry $V_{g5}$: 1 kV
- First accelerator and astigmatism control voltage $V_{g2,4}$: 1 kV
- Focusing voltage $V_{g3}$: 150 to 250 V
- Cut-off voltage for visual extinction of focused spot $-V_{g1}$: 45 to 90 V

Outer conductive coating (m) and mu-metal shield to be earthed

**PERFORMANCE**

- Horizontal deflection coefficient $M_x$: 16.5 V/cm ± 10 %
- Vertical deflection coefficient $M_y$: 11 V/cm ± 5 %
- Deviation of deflection linearity < 2% 
- Geometry distortion
- Eccentricity of undeflected spot
  - in horizontal direction < 4 mm
  - in vertical direction < 2 mm
- Angle between x and y traces 90°
- Angle between x-trace and x-axis of internal graticule < 5°
- Luminance reduction with respect to screen centre
  - x axis, outer graticule line < 30%
  - y axis, outer graticule line < 30%
  - any corner < 50%
- Grid drive for 10 µA screen current $V_d$: approx. 15 V
- Line width
  - at 10 µA l.w.: approx. 0.23 mm
  - at 25 µA l.w.: approx. 0.30 mm
## LIMITING VALUES (Absolute maximum rating system)

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Fig. 5 Screen current ($I_{g3}$) and focusing voltage ($V_{g3}$) as a function of grid drive voltage ($V_d$) at $V_{g2,g4} = 1000$ V; typical curves.

Fig. 6 Isoexposure-rate limit curve for 0.5 mR/h, measured in accordance with EIA RS-502.
NOTES

1. Because the frit seal is visible through the faceplate, and not necessarily aligned with the internal graticule, application of an external mask, or bezel, with open area of max. 70 mm x 56 mm is recommended. The internal graticule is aligned with the faceplate by using the faceplate reference points (see Fig.4).

2. The deflection plates must be operated symmetrically: floating mean x- or y-potentials will result into non-uniform line width and geometry distortion. The mean x- and y-potentials should be equal; under this condition the tube will be within the specification without corrections for astigmatism and geometry (see also note 5).

3. For some applications a mean x-potential up to 50 V positive with respect to mean y-potential is inevitable. In this case \( V_{g5} \) must be made equal to mean x-potential, and a range of 0 to - 25 V with respect to mean y-potential will be required on \( g_{2,4} \) for astigmatism correction. The circuit resistance for \( V_{g2,4} \) should be < 10 k\( \Omega \) and < 25 k\( \Omega \) for \( V_{g5} \).

4. The sensitivity at a deflection of less than 75 % of the useful scan will not differ from the sensitivity at a deflection of 25 % of the useful scan by more than the indicated value.

5. The tube is adjusted by internal permanent magnetic elements for optimum geometry (orthogonality, trapezium and barrel/pin-cushion), brightness uniformity, eccentricity of undeflected spot, and astigmatism.

6. A graticule consisting of concentric rectangles of 68 x 54.4 mm and 66.8 x 53.2 mm is aligned with the internal graticule. With optimum trace rotation correction the edges of a raster will fall between these rectangles.

7. The tube has a trace rotation coil, fixed onto the lower cone part. The coil has a maximum resistance of 235 \( \Omega \) at 80\( ^\circ \)C. The maximum required voltage is approx. 8 V for tube tolerances (± 5\( ^\circ \)) and earth magnetic field with reasonable shielding (± 2\( ^\circ \)).

8. Measured with the shrinking raster method in the centre of the screen under typical operating conditions, adjusted for optimum spot size.