



ELECTRONIC TUBE REFERENCE

228A

Power - Triode (over 1000V 100W) electronic tube

CONSOLIDATED TECHNICAL DATA

1 SECTION
CONSTRUCTION
TRIODE

Water-cooled transmitting power triode intended for high-power RF operation. Western Electric catalog data specify kilowatt-class output and plate dissipation with several-kilovolt plate operation.

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

BASE DESIGNATION	—	BASE PINS	—
NOMINAL HEATER	21.5 V / 41 A	PARALLEL HEATER	— / —
HEATING	Direct	SERIES OPERATION	Not specified
CATHODE ARRANGEMENT	Separate cathodes	SECTION CONSTRUCTION	Similar

SECTION RATINGS

SECTION 1 Triode	
TRANSCONDUCTANCE	0.0065 S
AMPLIFICATION FACTOR	17
MAXIMUM PLATE VOLTAGE	6000 V
MAXIMUM PLATE DISSIPATION	5000 W
<i>Published maximum ratings and general characteristics promoted; direct interelectrode capacitances are published.</i>	

The Western Electric 228A is a triode listed in the supplied catalog table. It is a water-cooled transmitting type intended for high-power RF service.



SOURCE OPERATING CONDITIONS

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Published test conditions and operating points. Values on this page are preserved as reported by this source.

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Section 1 · Triode

CHARACTERISTICS

PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Maximum/Typical Power Output	1100 W	Catalog-table value

OTHER

PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Maximum Plate Voltage	6000 V	Catalog-table value
Maximum Plate Dissipation	5000 W	Catalog-table value

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