



ELECTRONIC TUBE REFERENCE

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Specialized - Thyatron electronic tube

CONSOLIDATED TECHNICAL DATA

1 SECTION

CONSTRUCTION

THYRATRON

Hydrogen thyatron interchangeable with 4C35, using a self-contained hydrogen source for stable long-life pulse switching.

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

BASE DESIGNATION	—	BASE PINS	—
NOMINAL HEATER	6.3 V / 6.1 A	PARALLEL HEATER	— / —
HEATING	Indirect	SERIES OPERATION	Not specified
CATHODE ARRANGEMENT	Separate cathodes	SECTION CONSTRUCTION	Similar

SECTION RATINGS

SECTION 1 Thyatron	
MAXIMUM PLATE VOLTAGE	8000 V
MAXIMUM CATHODE CURRENT	100 mA
<i>Hydrogen-filled thyatron; maximum peak cathode current is 80 A and average cathode current is 0.1 A. Pulse/trigger limits preserved as parameters.</i>	

Hydrogen thyatron interchangeable with 4C35 except for its self-contained hydrogen source, giving a minimum 1000-hour life expectancy.



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1953 Amperex

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1953 AMPEREX

Section 1 · Thyatron

CHARACTERISTICS		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Hydrogen filling	Hydrogen	—
Cathode heating time required	180 s	—
Tube drop	160 V	—

OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Peak cathode current maximum	80 A	Pulse
Average cathode current maximum	100 mA	—
Maximum rate of rise of cathode current	1000 A/us	Pulse



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1958 Amperex Industrial

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1958 AMPEREX INDUSTRIAL

Section 1 · Thyatron

OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Peak forward anode voltage	8000 V	Pulse
Peak anode current	90 A	Pulse
Average anode current	100 mA	—
Maximum pulse width	6 us	—

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1963 Amperex Condensed

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1963 AMPEREX CONDENSED

Section 1 · Thyatron

OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Peak forward anode voltage maximum	8000 V	HydrogenThyatron;Pulse
Peak anode current maximum	90 A	HydrogenThyatron;Pulse
Average anode current maximum	100 mA	HydrogenThyatron;Pulse
Pulse width maximum	2 μ s	HydrogenThyatron;Pulse
Interchangeability	Equivalent to 4C35 except self-contained hydrogen source Section1	

CHARACTERISTIC		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Minimum life	1000 h	HydrogenThyatron

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