



ELECTRONIC TUBE REFERENCE

BTW153

Power - Triode electronic tube

CONSOLIDATED TECHNICAL DATA

1 SECTION

CONSTRUCTION

TRIODE

High-power Brown Boveri transmitting triode for professional RF amplification. Approximately 22 kW plate dissipation and operation to roughly 100 MHz support tens of kilowatts of Class C transmitter output.

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

BASE DESIGNATION	—	BASE PINS	—
NOMINAL HEATER	75 V / 150 A	PARALLEL HEATER	— / —
HEATING	Direct	SERIES OPERATION	Not specified
CATHODE ARRANGEMENT	Separate cathodes	SECTION CONSTRUCTION	Similar

SECTION RATINGS

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TRANSCONDUCTANCE	0.04 S
MAXIMUM PLATE DISSIPATION	22000 W
<i>Promoted ratings and characteristics audited from General Data and operating tables.</i>	

water-cooled transmitting triode for RF and AF amplification and industrial or broadcast service. The datasheet specifies a directly heated thoriated tungsten cathode and water anode cooling.

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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OTHER		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Maximum plate dissipation	22000 W	—
Maximum frequency	100 MHz	—
RF output power, Class C unmodulated	66000 W	ClassC

CHARACTERISTICS		
PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Transconductance	40000 μ S	—