ELECTRONIC TUBE REFERENCE

PY500A

Rectifier - Damper Diode electronic tube

CONSOLIDATED TECHNICAL DATA
1 SECTION
CONSTRUCTION
RECTIFIER

Improved PY500-family efficiency diode for color-television line-deflection recovery, combining high current capability with several-kilovolt inverse-voltage withstand.

General characteristics

BASE DESIGNATION	B9D	**BASE PINS**	9
NOMINAL HEATER	42 V / 300 mA	**PARALLEL HEATER**	– / –
HEATING	Indirect	**SERIES OPERATION**	Not specified
CATHODE ARRANGEMENT	Separate cathodes	**SECTION CONSTRUCTION**	Similar

Section ratings

SECTION1 Rectifier

PLATE RESISTANCE	45.5 Ω
MAXIMUM PLATE DISSIPATION	11 W
MAXIMUM CATHODE CURRENT	440 mA
PEAK INVERSE VOLTAGE	7000 V
NOMINAL OUTPUT CURRENT	440 mA
PEAK FORWARD CURRENT	1 A
MAXIMUM HEATER-CATHODE VOLTAGE	6300 V

Published maximum ratings and typical characteristics promoted from the approved source.

High-current efficiency diode for color-television line-deflection recovery service. The supplied French datasheet was translated to English for descriptive output.

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1959 TELEFUNKEN

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PARAMETER	**PUBLISHED VALUE**	**CONDITION / NOTE**
Mean Plate Current	**440 mA**	—
Peak Plate Current	**800 mA**	Pulse
Peak Plate-Cathode Reverse Voltage	**5600 V**	Pulse
Peak Heater-Cathode Voltage	**6300 V**	Pulse

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1967 MULLARD RECEIVING AND AMPLIFYING VALVES

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CHARACTERISTIC		
PARAMETER	**PUBLISHED VALUE**	**CONDITION / NOTE**
Heater voltage	**42 V**	SeriesHeater
Heater current	**300 mA**	SeriesHeater
Anode current	**440 mA**	—
Forward resistance	**45.5 ohm**	—

CAPACITANCE		
PARAMETER	**PUBLISHED VALUE**	**CONDITION / NOTE**
Anode-cathode capacitance	**13 pF**	—
Heater-cathode capacitance	**3.7 pF**	—

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PARAMETER	**PUBLISHED VALUE**	**CONDITION / NOTE**
Maximum anode dissipation	**11 W**	—
Peak inverse voltage	**5.6 kV**	Pulse22Percent
Absolute peak inverse voltage	**7 kV**	Absolute

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1968 MAZDA BELVU

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PARAMETER	**PUBLISHED VALUE**	**CONDITION / NOTE**
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CHARACTERISTIC		
PARAMETER	**PUBLISHED VALUE**	**CONDITION / NOTE**
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1972 Philips Receiving Tubes

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1972 PHILIPS RECEIVING TUBES

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PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
HeaterVoltageNominal	**42 V**	Nominal
HeaterCurrentNominal	**300 mA**	Nominal
Maximum Plate Dissipation	**11 W**	—
Maximum Cathode Current	**440 mA**	—
Maximum Peak Inverse Voltage	**7000 V**	—
PeakForwardCurrent	**1 A**	—
MaximumNegativePeakAnodeVoltageDesignCentre	**5600 V**	Pulse

CHARACTERISTIC

PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Plate Resistance	**45.5 ohm**	Typical

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1999 Philips E-Z

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1999 PHILIPS E-Z

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PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Heater current If	**300 mA**	Heater current If 300 mA
Anode to cathode Cak	**12.5 pF**	Anode to cathode Cak 12.5 pF
Cathode to heater Cis	**3.1 pF**	Cathode to heater Cis 3.1 pF =«
Internal resistance (I3	**440 mA**	Internal resistance (I3 = 440 mA) Ri 45.5 @

PARAMETER	PUBLISHED VALUE	CONDITION / NOTE
Anode dissipation Wy max	**11 W**	Anode dissipation Wy max. 11 W
Anode current, average I max	**440 mA**	Anode current, average I max. 440 mA
During operation, the external resistance between either heater pin of the PYS0	**0 mA**	During operation, the external resistance between either heater pin of the PYS00A

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