ELECTRONIC TUBE REFERENCE

# ZM3237

Specialized - Traveling Wave electronic tube

CONSOLIDATED TECHNICAL DATA
**1 SECTION**
CONSTRUCTION
**TRAVELINGWAVE**

Low-noise broadband traveling-wave amplifier for microwave radar, countermeasures, or communications service, using single-reversal permanent-magnet focusing.

## General characteristics

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **BASE DESIGNATION** | _ | **BASE PINS** | _ |
| **NOMINAL HEATER** | _ / _ | **PARALLEL HEATER** | _ / _ |
| **HEATING** | Indirect | **SERIES OPERATION** | Not specified |
| **CATHODE ARRANGEMENT** | Separate cathodes | **SECTION CONSTRUCTION** | Similar |

## Section ratings

**SECTION1** TravelingWave

*No fixed ratings recorded.*

*Traveling-wave microwave amplifier section; helix, collector, gain, noise, and RF data retained as parameters.*

ZM3237 low-noise broadband traveling-wave tube for microwave radar, ECM, or communications service.

SOURCE OPERATING CONDITIONS

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# 1950 General Electric Transmitting Types

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

1950 GENERAL ELECTRIC TRANSMITTING TYPES

## Section 1 · TravelingWave

### CONSTRUCTION

| PARAMETER | PUBLISHED VALUE | CONDITION / NOTE |
|---|---|---|
| Device class | **Traveling-wave tube** | — |
| Focusing method | **Single-reversal permanent magnet** | — |

### APPLICATION

| PARAMETER | PUBLISHED VALUE | CONDITION / NOTE |
|---|---|---|
| Primary application | **Low-noise microwave amplification** | — |

### OTHER

| PARAMETER | PUBLISHED VALUE | CONDITION / NOTE |
|---|---|---|
| Helix voltage minimum | **550 V** | — |
| Helix voltage maximum | **750 V** | — |
| Collector voltage minimum | **800 V** | — |
| Collector voltage maximum | **1000 V** | — |

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