

WESTERN ELECTRIC 7C22 ELECTRON TUBE

TYPE DESIGNATION REGISTRATION

Reservation No.: 5114 Manufacturers Designation: 429YYQ
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PUSH-PULL OSCILLATOR

General Characteristics

The 7C22 is a self-contained push-pull triode oscillator unit designed for pulsed operation. The frequency of the oscillator may be varied by mechanical adjustment in unison of the tuning gears at each end of the tube. The cathodes are equipotential oxide coated and the tube is cooled by forced air.

Electrical Data

Heater Voltage * 9 volts
Heater Current 29.5 amperes

* It is desirable to operate the cathodes at as low a temperature as possible consistent with satisfactory tube performance.

Cathode Heating Time 3 minutes
Emission per Cathode 150 amperes
Amplification Factor of Triode Units 22
Maximum Frequency 435 megacycles
Minimum Frequency 390 megacycles
Interelectrode Capacitances
 Grid-Plate 53 to 65 uuf
 Grid-Cathode 79 uuf
 Plate-Cathode 22 uuf

Mechanical Information

Mounting Position Any, although cylindrical section vertical is preferred.
Cooling Forced-air
Maximum Envelope Temperature 130° Centigrade
Net Weight, Approximate 28 pounds

Maximum Ratings, Plate Pulsed, Absolute Values

Peak Plate Voltage 20 kilovolts
Peak Plate Current 80 amperes
Peak Power Input 1600 kilowatts
Average Power Input 1800 watts
Average Plate Dissipation 1000 watts
Average Grid Current 8 milliamperes
** Grid Bias (during pulse) -3 kilovolts
Duty Cycle .0012
Pulse Duration 6 microseconds

Typical Operating Conditions, Plate Pulsed

Peak Plate Voltage	16 kilovolts
** Grid Bias (during pulse)	-2 kilovolts
Average Plate Current	63 milliamperes
Peak Plate Current	63 amperes
Average Grid Current	3 milliamperes
Duty Cycle	.001
Pulse Duration	3 microseconds
Average Plate Dissipation	450 watts
Average Power Output	550 watts
Peak Power Output	550 kilowatts
Peak Power Input	1000 kilowatts
Peak Efficiency	55%

** Obtained from combination of cathode resistor and grid resistor. Grid resistors from 200 to 400 ohms, non-inductive, and cathode resistors from 10 to 20 ohms, non-inductive, are recommended.

Note: This tube is obsolete and manufacturing facilities are no longer available.

