

TENTATIVE

DESCRIPTION:

THE FW-208 IS A 7.5 INCH LATRON (DIRECT VIEW STORAGE CATHODE-RAY TUBE) THAT PRODUCES A BRIGHT VISUAL DISPLAY OF ELECTRICALLY STORED INFORMATION. IT IS ELECTROMAGNETICALLY FOCUSED AND DEFLECTED. THE TUBE DISPLAYS BRIGHT IMAGES THAT CAN BE VIEWED IN DIRECT DAYLIGHT, AND FEATURES THE ABILITY TO WRITE, STORE, AND ERASE SIGNAL INFORMATION AT THE WILL OF THE OPERATOR. GREY SHADES ARE PRODUCED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMPLITUDE VARIATIONS OF THE INPUT SIGNAL. THE TUBE HAS TWO ELECTRON GUNS, A WRITING GUN, WHICH WRITES THE INPUT SIGNAL ON A STORAGE MESH, AND A FLOOD GUN WHICH ILLUMINATES THE PHOSPHOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STORED SIGNAL.

GENERAL:

DIMENSIONS	SEE OUTLINE	AND FUNCTIONAL SCHEMATIC
MINIMUM USEFUL DISPLAY DIAMETER	6.0	INCHES
NOMINAL TUBE DIAMETER	7.5	INCHES
Phosphor	P-20	ALUMINIZED
OPERATING POSITION		Any
CATHODE PRE-HEATING TIME - NOTE 1	30	SECONDS
Focus		MAGNETIC
DEFLECTION		MAGNETIC

OPERATING VALUES AND TYPICAL PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS:

FLOO	D SECTION
/10 /10 /150 /75	KV VDC VDC VDC
	VDC ADJUSTABLE SEE NOTE 2 VDC ADJUSTABLE INTERNALLY CONNECTED TO GRID #2 SEE NOTE 2
/60 0 6.3	V 1.4 AMPERES NOMINAL AC OR DC
	/10 /10 /150 /75 /10 TO /30 O TO /80

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WRITING SECTION

-2500 VDC CATHODE -30 VDC RESPECT CATHODE SEE NOTE 3 GRID #1 CUTOFF GRID #2 O to \$\frac{4}{80}\$ Internal Connection to Anode \$\frac{\pi}{2}\$ HEATER - SEE NOTE 4 6.3 Volts .6 Amperes NOMINAL AC OR DC RESULUTION - SEE NOTE 5 80 LINES PER INCH 125 FT. LAMBERTS 55 LINES PER INCH 625 FT. LAMBERTS 1000 FT. LAMBERTS 40 LINES PER INCH 1250 FT. LAMBERTS BRIGHTNESS WRITING SPEED WRITING TO 50% BRIGHTNESS 40000 Inches per second - See Note 6 VIEWING TIME - SEE NOTE 7 60 SECONDS MINIMUM ERASE TIME - SEE NOTE 8 30 MILLISECONDS

NOTES:

- 1. MINIMUM TIME RECOMMENDED FOR CATHODE WARM-UP BEFORE OPERATING VOLTAGES ARE APPLIED.
- 2. ADJUST FOR BEST COLLIMATION OF FLOOD BEAM.
- 3. VISUAL CUTOFF OF FOCUSED, UNDEFLECTED, STORED SPOT.
- 4. HEATER TRANSFORMER CENTER TAP SHOULD BE CONNECTED TO CATHODE VOLTAGE.
- 5. RESOLUTION MEASURED BY THE SHRINKING RASTER METHOD AT THE CENTER OF TUBE.
- 6. MEASURED WITH 25 VOLTS VIDEO DRIVE ABOVE 1/2 UA BEAM CURRENT BIAS LEVEL.
- 7. VIEWING TIME IS THE TIME THAT A SIGNAL STORED AT MAXIMUM BRIGHTNESS ANYWHERE IN THE DISPLAY CAN BE VIEWED WITH ERASE PULSES BEING CONTINUOUSLY APPLIED TO COUNTERACT POSITIVE ION CHARGING OF THE STORAGE SURFACE.
- 8. Erase time is the shortest time that information can be removed after being stored at full brightness.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR SPECIFIC APPLICATIONS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE

ELECTRON TUBE APPLICATIONS SECTION ITT COMPONENTS DIVISION POST OFFICE Box 412 CLIFTON, NEW JERSEY

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