MICROTRON microwave power source

L-5001 CW MAGNETRON



Litton Industries Electron Tube Division offers a variety of CW magnetrons and associated transformers for microwave heating and cooking applications.

The L-5001 is a versatile medium voltage magnetron which can be operated at minimum levels of 1200, 1000, 850 or 650 watts of CW power at 2450 megacycles. The tube has a permanent magnet, is forced air cooled, lightweight and has been designed for ease of mounting and accessibility.

MECHANICAL DATA

Physical Dimensions Mounting Position Weight (Tube Permanent Magnet) Cooling Air Volume Pressure Drop Inlet Air Temperature RF Coupling Magnetic Field Anode Temperature Cathode Seal Temperature Cathode Seal Cooling See Outline Drawing Cathode Vertical Approx. 7.0 lbs. Forced Air 0.1 cfm/watt nom. See Chart 40°C Max. Waveguide Permanent Magnet 150°C Max. 170°C Max. Provided in Filter Box

ELECTRICAL DATA 1200* Watt Operation (220 V, 14 A System) **Design Ratings** Min. Avg. Max. Units Heater-Directly heated 80 amps surge current Warmup Time 3 6 sec. Voltage Standby 4.2 4.6 5.0 volts Voltage Operate 3.2 3.6 4.0 volts Current-Standby 20.0 amps 3.65 Anode Voltage (Peak) 3.45 3.55 kv Anode Current-1200 Watts 725 750 mA (Typical Cavity) 2480 Frequency 2420 2450 Mc 1700 watts Power Output Flat Load, Note 1 Power Output-Oven Cavity, Note 2 1100 1200* watts Mode Boundary, Note 3 1.3 amps 1000* Watt Operation (220 V, 12 A System) Max. Units **Design Ratings** Min. Avg. Heater-Directly heated 80 surge current amps 3 6 Warmup Time sec. Voltage Standby 4.2 46 5.0 volts Voltage Operate TBS volts Current-Standby 20.0 amps 3.45 3.55 3.65 Anode Voltage (Peak) kv Anode Current-1000 Watts mA 625 650 (Typical Cavity) 2420 2450 2480 Mc Frequency Power Output Flat Load, Note 1 1475 watts 900 1000* watts Power Output-Oven Cavity, Note 2 Mode Boundary, Note 3 1.3 amps 850* Watt Operation (110 V, 20 A System) Design Ratings Min. Max. Units Avg. Heater-Directly heated 80 surge current amps Warmup Time 3 5 sec. Voltage Standby and Operate 4.2 4.6 5.0 volts 20.0 Current amps 3.5 3.6 Anode Voltage (Peak) 3.4 kv Anode Current-850 Watts 550 575 mA (Typical Cavity) 2420 2450 2480 Mc Frequency Power Output Flat Load, Note 1 1300 watts Power Output-Oven Cavity, Note 2 750 8503 watts Mode Boundary, Note 3 1.3 amps 650* Watt Operation (110 V, 15 A System) Design Ratings Min. Avg. Max. Units Heater-Directly heated 80 amps surge current 3 5 Warmup Time sec. Voltage Standby and Operate 4.2 4.6 5.0 volts 20.0 Current amps Anode Voltage (Peak) 3.4 3.5 3.6 kv 425 400 mA Anode Current-650 Watts (Typical Cavity)

Frequency242024502480McPower Output Flat Load, Note 1950wattsPower Output—Oven Cavity, Note 2550650*wattsMode Boundary, Note 31.3....amps

Note 1: Load VSWR 1.1:1 maximum. Power measured at average rated current. Note 2: Typical coupling to oven 70% of flat load. Power measured at

average rated current. Note 3: No moding at minimum specified current in an approved oven design. (Momentary operation—5 sec. max.).

*Nominal oven rating. Power rating can be increased by reducing VSWR and increasing cavity coupling factor.

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THE L-5001 IS AVAILABLE IN THREE CONFIGURATIONS





L-5001 Outline "A" Tube Only





L-5001 Outline "B" Tube with Duct Adapter





L-5001 Outline "C" Tube with Filter Box

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New Microwave

Miniature magnetron puts out 1 kw



A 6.3 x 7.5-inch magnetron, smaller additional bit of miniaturization than any other operating at the same frequency and power, has been developed by Litton Industries' Electronic Tube division. It the tube smaller, because less highcan provide up to 1,000 watts continuous wave at 2,450 megacycles.

The tube, designated the L-5001, was developed especially for microwave cooking and heating applications, but it may have other uses since the 2,450 Mc operating frequency is shared by industrial, scientific and medical users. Total weight of the tube and magnet is only seven pounds.

Several innovations helped reduce the size of the tube. The cathode is shorter than in standard tubes, and the electron beam is focused with a permanent magnet instead of an electromagnet, which is larger and heavier. Instead of being water-cooled, the tube is cooled by air forced over its heat sink, which is made of lightweight aluminum; eliminating the water fittings and coolant jacket helped cut the size of the magnetron. An

was obtained by reducing the required anode voltage from 6,000 to 3,600 volts. This not only makes voltage insulation is needed, but also makes the power transformer for the tube much smaller.

Litton's Atherton division has already put its miniature magnetron into a commercially available microwave oven that is only half the weight of conventional ovens, but whose inside measures 12 inches square by 6 inches high, big enough for any conventional food service container.

Specifications

Operating	2,450 megacycles
frequency	
Power output	1,000, 750, or 500 watts con- tinuous wave
Weight	7 pounds for tube and magnet
Height	6.3 inches
Width, max.	7.5 inches
Delivery	Immediate
Price	On request, depending on
	quantity
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