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## 31B82

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### CATHODE RAY TUBE—ALL ELECTROSTATIC 5" DIA. Helical Post Deflection Acceleration For High Performance Oscillography

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#### GENERAL

The 31B82 is a precision Cathode Ray Tube designed for high performance oscillography. It has high deflection sensitivity and a helical post-deflection accelerator which allows the application of high p.d.a. ratios. The screen is aluminised and the deflector plates are brought out to side arms.

#### RATING

Heater Voltage	$V_h$	6.3 V
Heater Current	$I_h$	0.6 A
Maximum Final Anode Voltage	$V_{a4(max)}$	12 kV
Maximum Second Anode Voltage	$V_{a2(max)}$	800 V
Maximum First and Third Anode Voltage	$V_{a1,a3(max)}$	2 kV
Maximum Negative Grid Voltage	$V_g(max)$	-200 V
Maximum Positive Grid Voltage	$V_g(max)$	0* V
Maximum Third Anode Peak Voltage to X or Y plates	$v_{a3(pk)max}$	500 V
Maximum Heater/Cathode Voltage	$V_{h-k(max)}$	180 V
Maximum Isolating Shield Voltage	$V_{is(max)}$	2.1kV
Maximum Deflector Plate Shield Voltage	$V_{def(max)}$	2.1kV

\* The grid must not become positive with respect to cathode.

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INTER-ELECTRODE CAPACITANCES (pF)†

Cathode/All other electrodes	$c_{k-all}$	4.6
Grid/All other electrodes	$c_{g-all}$	6.4
X1 Deflecting Plate/X2 Deflecting Plate	$c_{x1-x2}$	1.9
Y1 Deflecting Plate/Y2 Deflecting Plate	$c_{y1-y2}$	1.5
X1 Deflecting Plate/All other electrodes	$c_{x1-all}$	3.5
X2 Deflecting Plate/All other electrodes	$c_{x2-all}$	3.5
Y1 Deflecting Plate/All other electrodes	$c_{y1-all}$	2.8
Y2 Deflecting Plate/All other electrodes	$c_{y2-all}$	2.8

† With holder balanced out.

POST DEFLECTION ACCELERATOR—Helical

Resistance	$R_{pda}$	200–600	$M\Omega$
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ORIENTATION

Looking at the screen with the p.d.a. contact to the left, a positive potential applied to X1 will deflect the spot to the left and a positive potential applied to Y1 will deflect the spot upward.

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### DIMENSIONS

Maximum Overall Length	469 mm
Maximum Screen Diameter	135.4 mm
Maximum Neck Diameter	52.55mm

### MOUNTING

The tube should not be supported by the base alone, but should preferably be held in a rubber-lined clamping ring at the screen end together with a similar clamp round the magnetic screen close to the base.

The socket should have sufficient freedom of movement to accommodate the tube overall length tolerance and a small amount of lateral float to ensure good pin contact without straining the base.

### SCREEN PHOSPHORS

Type	Colour	Persistence	Application
T1	Green	Medium	Visual
T3	Blue Actinic	Short	Photographic
T4	White	Medium Short	Visual/ Photographic
T6	Yellow Afterglow	Long	Visual
T7	Orange Afterglow	Very Long	Visual
T8	Yellow Afterglow	Medium Long	Visual

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**TYPICAL OPERATION**

Final Anode Voltage	$V_{a4}$	10 kV
Second Anode Voltage	$V_{a2}$	180 to 590 V
First and Third Anode Voltage	$V_{a1,a3}$	1.67kV
Grid Bias Voltage for cut-off	$V_g$	-50 to -80 V
Isolation Shield Voltage	$V_{is}$	1.57 to 1.7*kV
Deflector Plate Shield Voltage	$V_{def}$	1.57 to 1.7†kV

\* The inner end of the helix and the isolation shield are connected together inside the tube. With the correct potential on these electrodes, barrel and pin-cushion effects are minimised.

† Adjustment of the deflection plate shield potential controls the linearity of the Y deflection by variation of the edge effect of the Y deflection plates.

For many purposes the deflection plate shield (pin 12) may be connected externally to the isolation shield.

**DEFLECTION CHARACTERISTICS—Under above conditions**

Sensitivity of X Plates	$S_x$	$\frac{560}{V_{a3}}$ mm/V
Sensitivity of Y Plates	$S_y$	$\frac{2800}{V_{a3}}$ mm/V
Useful X Plate Scan		10 cm
Useful Y Plate Scan		4 cm

The undeflected spot will fall within a circle of 5 mm radius from the centre of the tube face.

Orthogonality of deflection axes :  $\pm 1\%$

The edges of a raster the size of the useful scan will not deviate from the mean rectangle by more than 1.5%.

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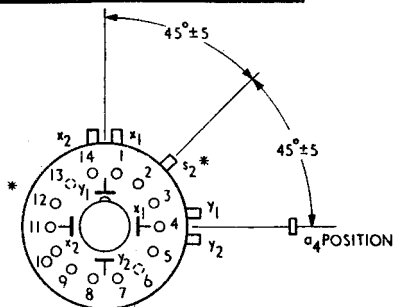
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SIDE CONTACT—CT8

BASE—B14A (Diheptal)



Viewed from free end of pins.

### CONNECTIONS

Pin 1	Heater	h
Pin 2	Cathode	k
Pin 3	Grid	g
Pin 4	No Connection	NC
Pin 5	Second Anode	a2
Pin 6	No Pin	NP
Pin 7	No Connection	NC
Pin 8	No Connection	NC
Pin 9	First and Third Anode	a1, a3
Pin 10	No Connection	NC
Pin 11	No Connection	NC
Pin 12*	Deflector Plate Shield	S1
Pin 13	No Pin	NP
Pin 14	Heater	h
Cap	Final Anode	a4
*	Isolation Shield	S2

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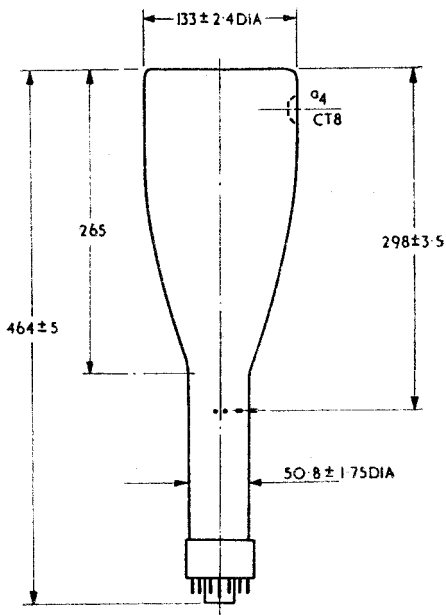
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All Dimensions in mm.

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