

MINISTRY OF SUPPLY (S.R.D.E.)

Specification MCS/CV286/Issue 4 Dated:- 28.11.46 To be read in conjunction with K1001, ignoring clause 5.2.	<u>SECURITY</u>	
	<u>Specification</u> Restricted	<u>Valve</u> Unclassified

→ indicates a change

<u>TYPE OF VALVE:-</u> Gas filled voltage stabiliser.			<u>MARKING</u> See K1001/4			
<u>CATHODE:-</u> Cold						
<u>ENVELOPE:-</u> Glass-umetalised						
<u>PROTOTYPE:-</u> None						
<u>RATING</u>		Note	<u>BASE</u> E/G			
			Pin	Electrode		
Max. Anode take-over voltage (V)	110	A	1)	Cathode		
Max. Anode Current (mA)	10		2)			
Min. Anode Current (mA)	2		3)			
Mean voltage drop across valve operating at 5 mA. (V)	95	A	4	Priming anode		
Max. priming anode current (mA)	0.5	B	5)	Anode		
			6)			
			7)			
<u>NOTES</u>			<u>DIMENSIONS</u> See K1001/AI/D4			
A. These conditions apply with the priming electrode connected to 150V positive through 0.25 M Ω . B. If not required for use, the priming electrode shall be joined to the main anode through a resistance of 3,000 Ω .			Dimensions		Min.	Max.
			A mm		-	54
			B mm		-	19

TESTS

To be performed in addition to those applicable in K1001.

	Test Conditions			Test	Limits		No. tested
					Min.	Max.	
a	Priming anode voltage	Main anode voltage	Main anode current. (mA)	The valve must conduct			100%
	150V through 0.25 M Ω	80V	-				
b	150V through 0.25 M Ω	Increased until current flows	-	Anode take-over voltage (V)	-	110	100%
c	150V through 0.25 M Ω	Adjust	5	Voltage drop between main anode and cathode (V)	90	100	100%
d	150V through 0.25 M Ω	Adjust	Changed from 2 to 10 mA	Regulation (V)	-	5	100%
e	<p>The valve is to be tested for freedom from noise during operation. For this purpose, a calibrated amplifier-detector, having a response within ± 2 db of its response at 400c/s over the range of 50-5000c/s., is to be connected between the anode and cathode. The cathode current is to be varied slowly from 10 mA to 2 mA and at no point in this range must the R.M.S. noise input voltage to the amplifier exceed 15 mV.</p>						