ELECTRON TUBE DEPARTMENT ■ COMPONENTS DIVISION
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F-7174
IATRON *

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TENTATIVE

DESCRIPTION:

THE F-7174 IS A 4 INCH IATRON (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 SUNLIGHT AND FEATURES THE ABILITY TO WRITE, STORE, AND ERASE INFORMATION AT WILL. GREY SHADES ARE PRODUCED IN ACCORDANCE WITH 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 VIEWING SCREEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STORED SIGNAL.

GENERAL:

DIMENSIONS	SEE OUTLINE AND FUNCTIONAL SCHEMATIC	
NOMINAL TUBE DIAMETER	4	INCHES
MINIMUM USEFUL DISPLAY DIAMETER	3	INCHES
PHOSPHOR	P-20	ALUMINIZED
OPERATING POSITION		ANY
WEIGHT	0.89	POUNDS
CATHODE PRE-HEATING TIME	30	SECONDS
FOCUS METHOD		MAGNETIC
DEFLECTION METHOD		MAGNETIC

DIRECT INTER-ELECTRODE CAPACITANCES WITHOUT EXTERNAL SHIELD (APPROX.)

GRID #1 TO ALL OTHER ELECTRODES	2.5	UUF
WRITE CATHODE TO ALL OTHER ELECTRODES	8.0	UUF
FLOOD CATHODE	3.0	UUF
ANODE #1	3.7	UUF

MAXIMUM RATINGS

	FLOOD SECTION	
VIEWING SCREEN	18	KVDC
BACKING ELECTRODE	25	VDC
COLLECTOR	250	VDC
ANODE #4	150	VDC
ANODE #3	150	VDC
ANODE #2	150	VDC
ANODE #1	80	VDC
CATHODE	200	VDC
HEATER-CATHODE	125	VDC

MAXIMUM RATINGS (CONTINUED)

	WRITE SECTION	
HEATER CATHODE	125	VDC
CATHODE	-1000	VDC
GRID #1	-150	VDC RESPECT WRITE CATHODE
GRID #2	+500	VDC RESPECT WRITE CATHODE
GRID #3		INTERNALLY CONNECTED TO ANODE #2
PEAK VOLTAGE BETWEEN GRID #2 AND GRID #1 OR GRID #3	500	VDC

TYPICAL OPERATING VALUES:

	FLOOD SECTION	
VIEWING SCREEN	15	KVDC (1.7 MA MAX.)
BACKING ELECTRODE	+10	VDC AND ERASE PULSES
COLLECTOR	+180	VDC .5 TO 1.7 MA
ANODE #4	+90	VDC 35 TO 300 UA
ANODE #3	+20	VDC 200 TO 500 UA
ANODE #2	+30	VDC 1 TO 1.5 MA
ANODE #1	+60	VDC .5 TO 2.0 MA
CATHODE	0	VDC 4.7 MA MAX.
HEATER	6.3	V AC OR DC 1.4 A

	WRITE SECTION	
HEATER	6.3	V AC OR DC .6 A
CATHODE	-450	VDC .5 TO 1.5 MA
GRID #1 (CUT-OFF NOTE 1)	-35	VDC RESPECT WRITE CATHODE
GRID #2	+150	VDC RESPECT WRITE CATHODE
GRID #3		INTERNALLY CONNECTED TO ANODE #2

RANGE OF TYPICAL OPERATING ADJUSTMENTS:

ANODE #2	25 TO 40 VOLTS ADJUST FOR BEST COLLIMATION
ANODE #3	10 TO 25 VOLTS ADJUST FOR BEST COLLIMATION
GRID #1 (CUT-OFF NOTE 1)	-28 TO -46 VOLTS
ERASE PULSES	3-12 VOLTS, 1.5 USEC. WIDE, 100-5000 PRF ADJUST FOR DESIRED VIEWING TIME

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE:

RESOLUTION (NOTE 2) AT 50% OF FULL BRIGHTNESS	35	LINES PER INCH
BRIGHTNESS	15,000	FT. LAMBERTS
WRITING SPEED 20 VOLTS DRIVE TO 90%	25,000	INCHES PER SECOND
ERASE TIME (NOTE 3)	3	MILLISECONDS
VIEWING TIME (NOTE 4)	2	SECONDS
NUMBER OF HALF-TONE STEPS	4	

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NOTES:

1. VISUAL CUT-OFF OF THE STORED, FOCUSED, STATIONARY SPOT.

2. RESOLUTION IS MEASURED BY THE SHRINKING RASTOR METHOD AT THE CENTER OF THE VIEWING SCREEN.

3. ERASE TIME IS THE SHORTEST TIME IN WHICH INFORMATION CAN BE REMOVED FROM THE TUBE AFTER BEING STORED AT FULL BRIGHTNESS.

4. VIEWING TIME IS THE TIME THAT A SIGNAL STORED AT FULL BRIGHTNESS ANYWHERE IN THE DISPLAY AREA CAN BE VIEWED WITH ERASE PULSES APPLIED TO COUNTERACT ION WRITING.

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS:

OBSERVE MAXIMUM RATINGS TO AVOID POSSIBLE DAMAGE TO THE TUBE. IN PARTICULAR, THE VIEWING SCREEN VOLTAGE SHOULD BE LIMITED SO AS TO NEVER EXCEED 18 KV.

THE FULL VOLTAGE SHOULD NOT BE APPLIED TO THE VIEWING SCREEN INSTANTANEOUSLY. AN ORDINARY RC FILTER AT THE OUTPUT OF THE POWER SUPPLY PROVIDES ADEQUATE ASSURANCE THAT THE VOLTAGE BUILD UP WILL NOT BE TOO ABRUPT. THE MINIMUM RESISTANCE OF THE HIGH VOLTAGE LEAD SHOULD BE 1 MEGOHM.

REPEATED BOMBARDMENT WITH A HIGH CURRENT FOCUSED WRITING BEAM ON A SMALL AREA OF THE STORAGE SURFACE CAN BURN A DARK IMAGE INTO THE DISPLAY, WHICH MAY REMAIN FOR SEVERAL HOURS OR EVEN PERMANENTLY. THEREFORE, DEFLECTION VOLTAGES SHOULD BE APPLIED BEFORE OPERATING THE WRITING BEAM.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR SPECIFIC APPLICATIONS CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE

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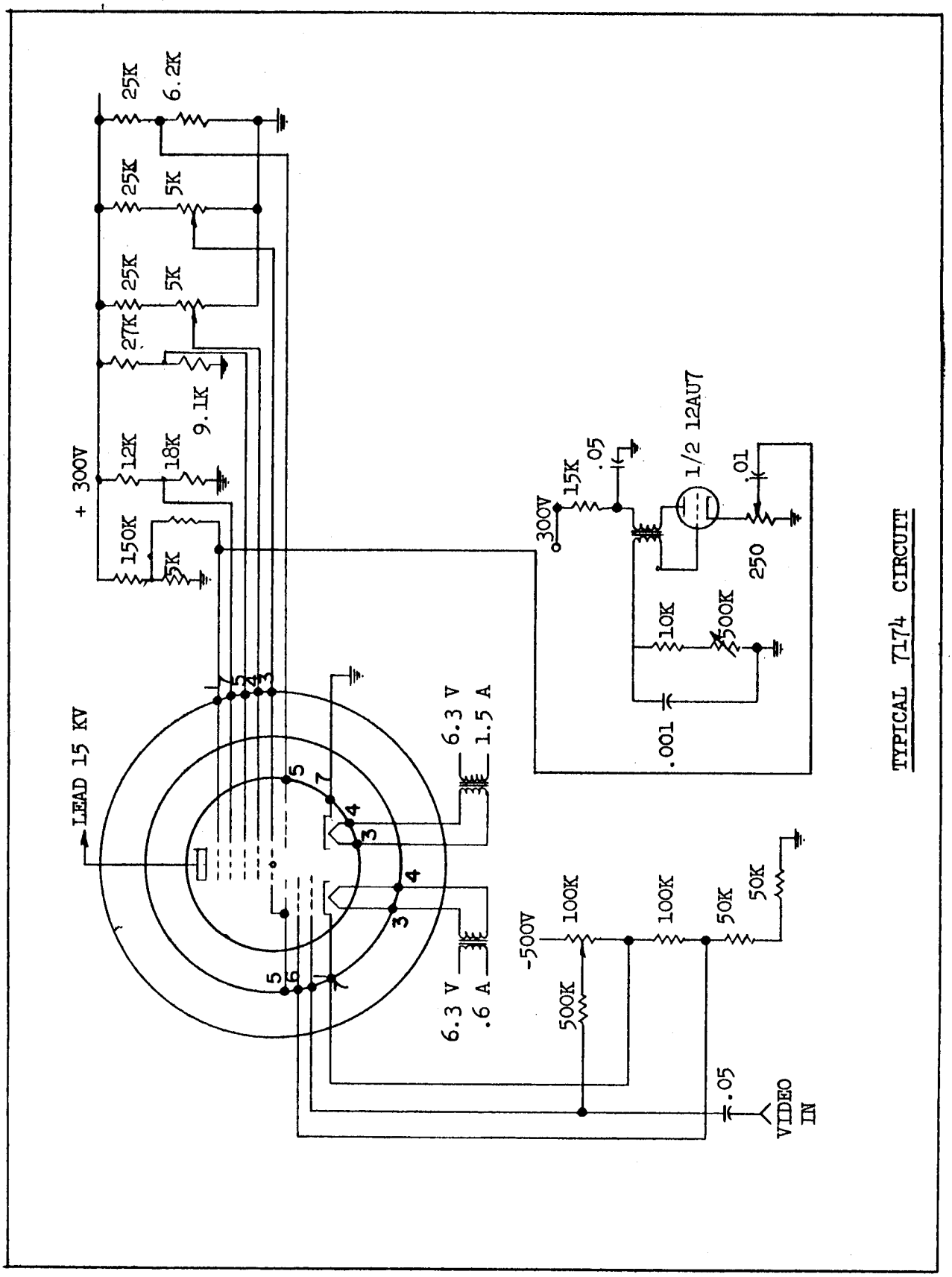
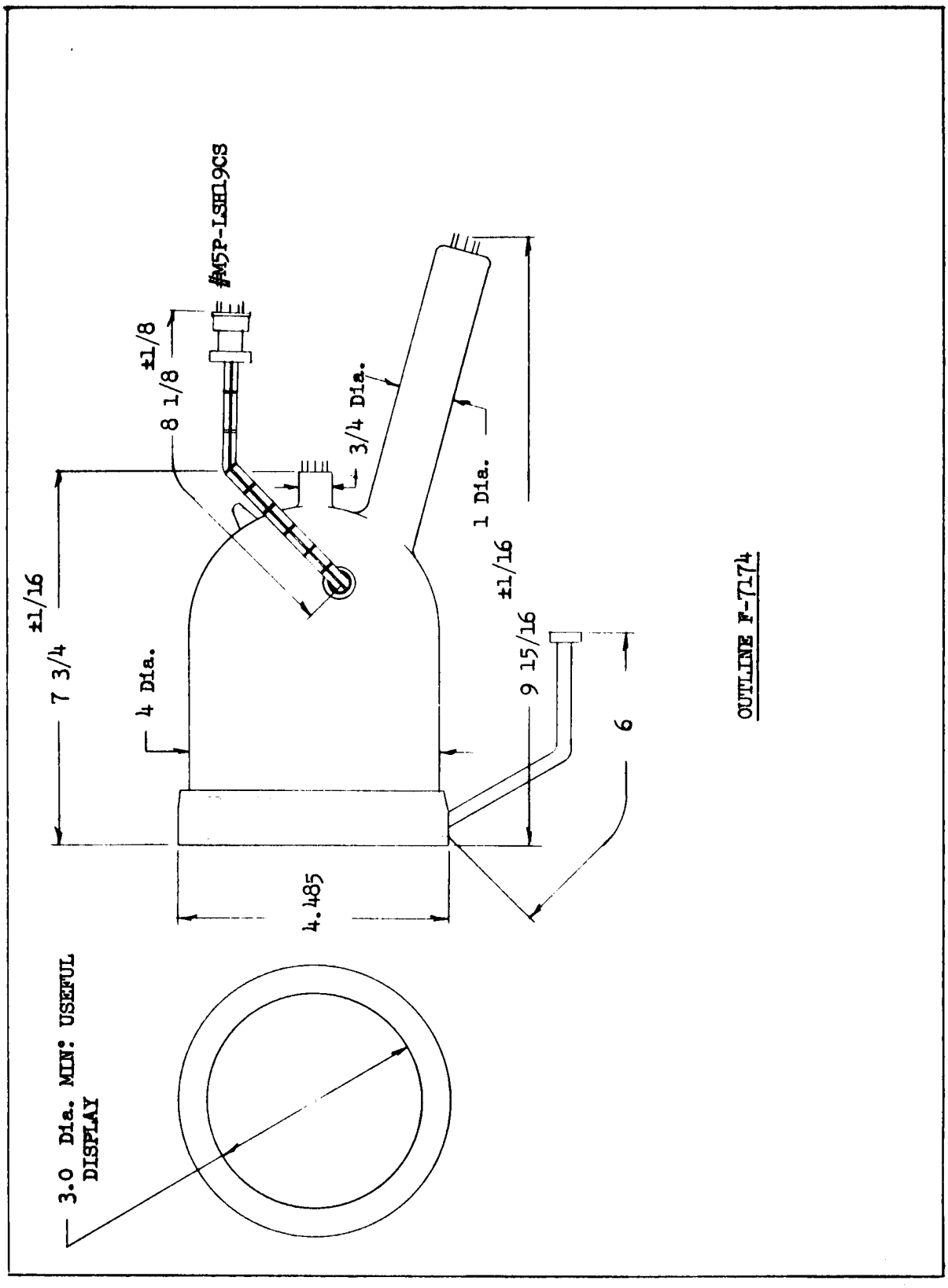


TYPICAL 7174 CIRCUIT



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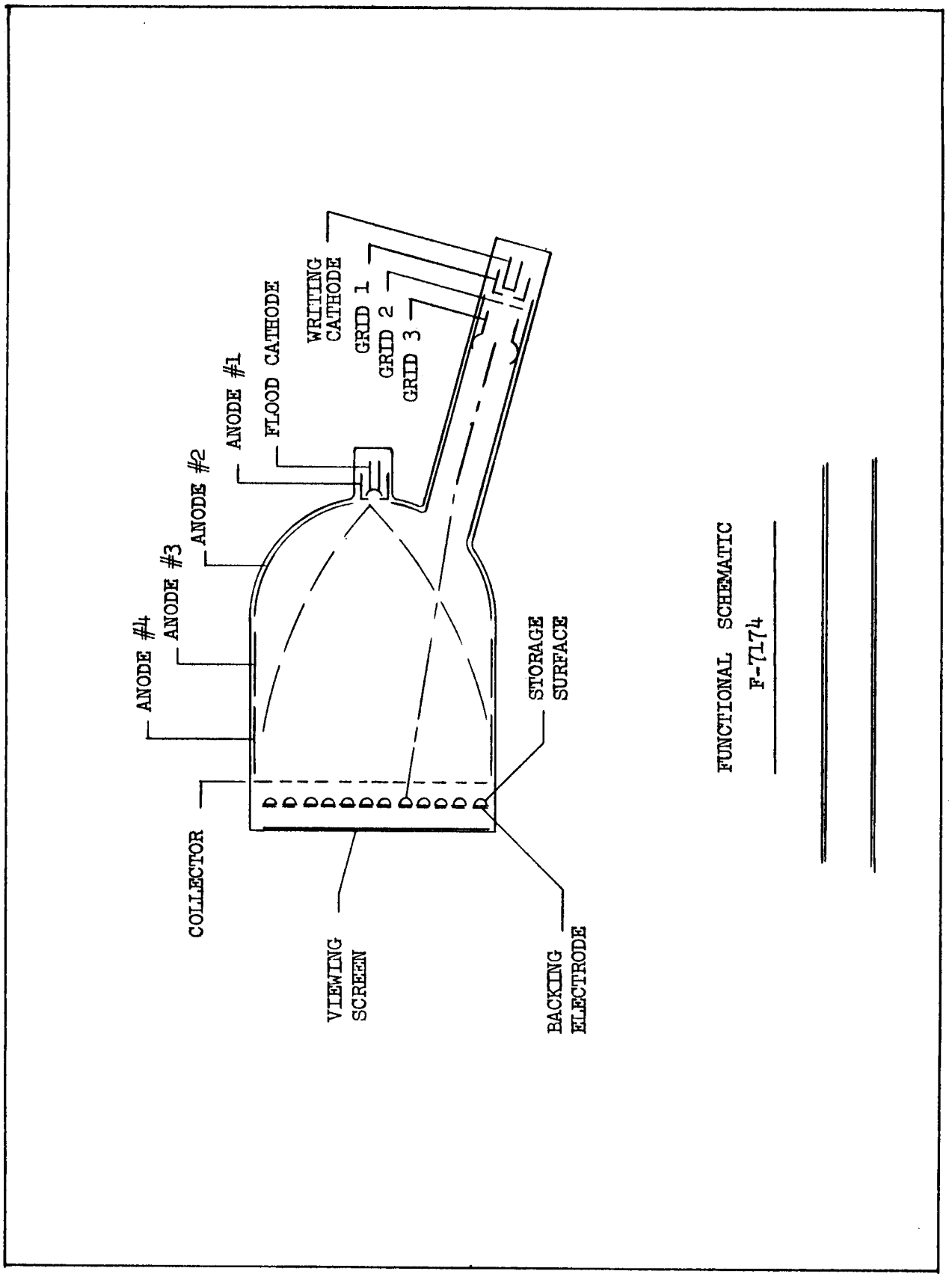

FUNCTIONAL SCHEMATIC
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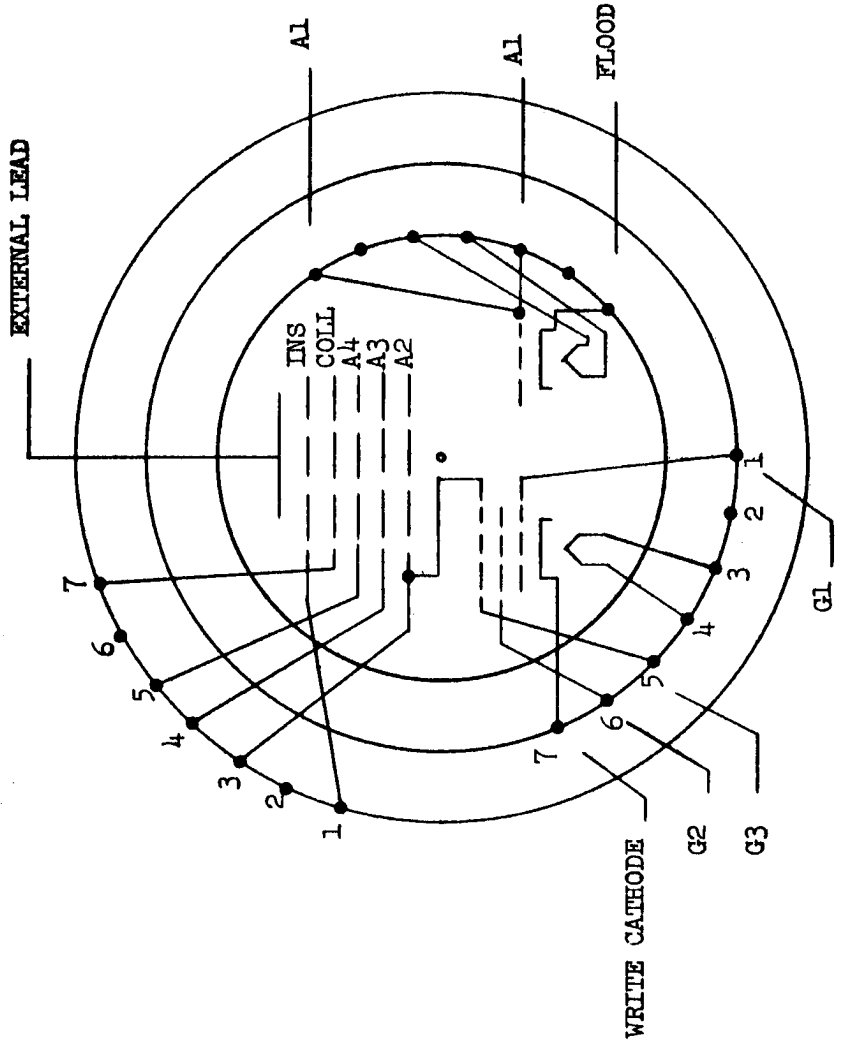
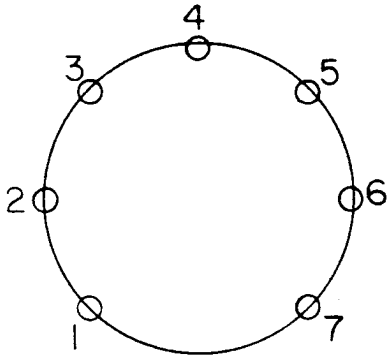


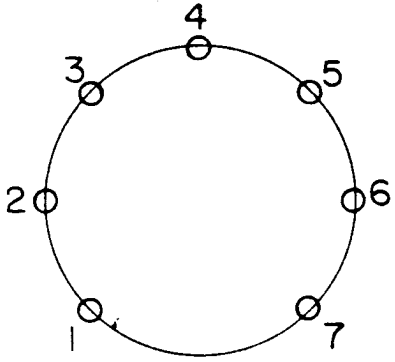
NOTE: INNER CIRCLE ---- FLOOD GUN, E7-1 SMALL BUTTON MINIATURE
CENTER CIRCLE --- WRITING GUN, E7-1 SMALL BUTTON MINIATURE
OUTER CIRCLE ---- BULB CONNECTIONS, E7- MINIATURE BASE

7174 BASING DIAGRAM



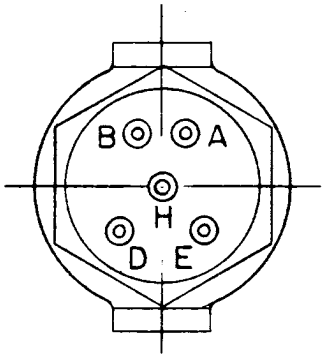
BOTTOM VIEW
FLOOD GUN

Pin	Element
1.	Anode #1
2.	N/C
3.	Heater
4.	Heater
5.	Anode #1
6.	N/C
7.	Cathode



BOTTOM VIEW
WRITE GUN

Pin	Element
1.	Grid #1
2.	N/C
3.	Heater
4.	Heater
5.	Grid #3, Anode #2
6.	Grid #2
7.	Cathode



WINCHESTER PLUG
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Pin	Element
A.	Rear Wall
B.	Center Wall
D.	Collector
E.	Front Wall
H.	Insulator

7174 PIN CONNECTIONS

SUPERSEDES OUTLINE DATED 7/61