MEC 3117X

Pulse TWT 15.2 GHz – 18.2 GHz

- 35% Maximum Duty
- 350/400 W_{pk} Minimum Power
- 15.2 to 18.2 GHz
- Output Power Flatness 1.0 dB
- -55° to 85° C
- 385 W_{pk} Typ. Prime Power @35%
- 300 µS PW Max
- 34 dB Typical Rated Gain
- 9.21" L x 1.16" W x 1.73" H (23.4 x 2.95 x 4.4 cm)
- Weight 2 lbs. Max



Typical Operating Conditions			Power Supply Requirements		
Element	Voltage	Current	Voltage Min.	Voltage Max.	Current Max.
Heater	-6.3 Vdc	0.85 A	-5.9 Vdc	-6.6 Vdc	1.50 A
Helix					
with RF	Ground	15 mApk	Ground	Ground	23 mApk @ 35%
without RF	Ground	6 mApk	Ground	Ground	23 mApk @ 35%
Grid On	150 Vpk	0.0 mApk	100 Vpk	220 Vpk	6 mApk
Grid Off	-250 Vdc	0.0 mA	-200 Vdc	-300 Vdc	1 mA
Cathode (Ek)	-7.3 kV	304 mApk	-7.3 kV	-7.9 kV	350 mApk
Collector w/RF		·			·
Coll. #1	5.91 kV	52 mApk	81% x E	k ±2%	100 mApk
Coll. #2	3.41 Kv	147 mApk	$46.7\% \times E_k \pm 2\%$		175 mApk
Coll. #3	1.90 kV	90 mApk	26% x E	k ±2%	350 mApk

RF Performance

Freq (GHz)	Typ. Sat. Power Output (W)	Min. Spec. Power Output (W)	Typ. Gain @ Spec. Power (dB)
15.2	410	350	34
15.5	410	350	34
16.0	410	400	34
16.5	430	400	34
17.0	440	400	34
17.5	450	400	34
18.0	450	350	35
18.2	440	350	35

Typical power output is shown to illustrate capability. Typical gain shown is with equalizer.

Performance	Typical	Spec
Input VSWR:	1.3:1	1.6:1
Output VSWR	1.6:1	2.0:1
Max. Duty	35%	35%
Max. Pulsewidth	300 µs	300 µs
Grid Capacitance	50 pF	50 pF max.
Noise Power Density		
(dBm/MHz)	20	10
Prime Power	1250 W	1700 W

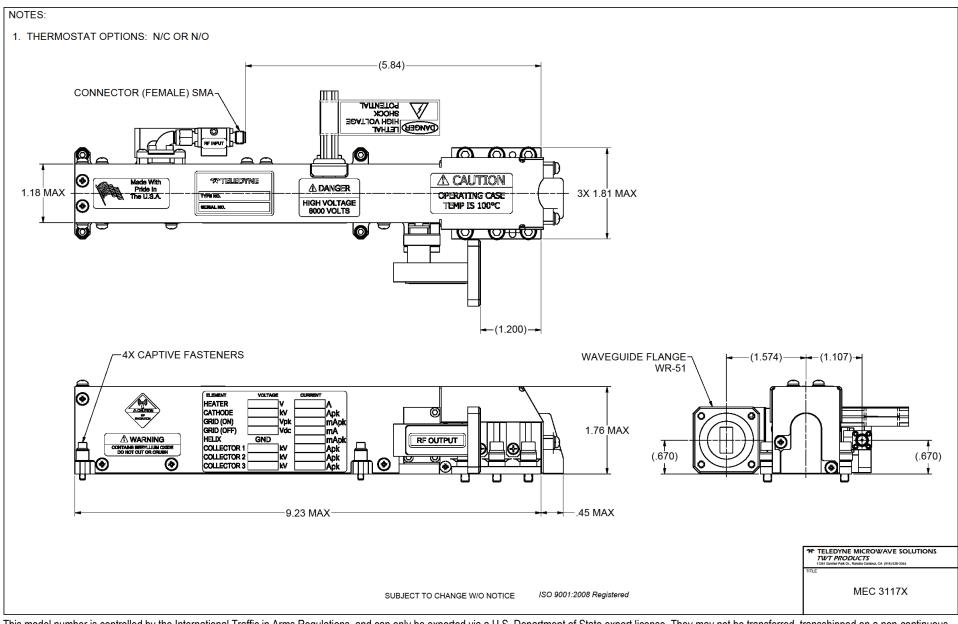
Cathode voltage is measured with respect to ground.

Heater, Collector, and Control Grid voltages are measured with respect to Cathode.

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