



TECHNICAL DATA

TEKTRONIX
T321P

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The Tektronix Type T321P is a 3-inch flat-faced cathode ray tube with electrostatic focus and deflection. It features a low power cathode, deflection blanking and a helical post accelerator. It was designed for use in the Tektronix Type 321 transistorized oscilloscope.

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Overall Length	13 5/8 \pm 1/8 inches
Greatest Diameter of Bulb	3 1/16 inches
Bulb Contact	J1-21
Neck Pin Diameter	0.040 \pm .002 inches
Base	JETEC NO. B12-43 (Modified)
Bulb and Base Alignment	See Outline Drawing
Weight (Typical)	18 ounces

ELECTRICAL DATA:

Heater Voltage	6.3 Volts RMS
Heater Current	0.3 \pm 10% Amperes RMS
Helix Resistance Range	200 to 600 Megohms

Capacitance, Interelectrode (Typical Values):

Grid No. 1 to all other electrodes	5.1 $\mu\mu$ f
Cathode to all other electrodes	4.1 $\mu\mu$ f
DJ ₁ to DJ ₂	2.6 $\mu\mu$ f
DJ ₁ to all other electrodes except DJ ₂	2.7 $\mu\mu$ f
DJ ₂ to all other electrodes except DJ ₁	2.8 $\mu\mu$ f
DJ ₃ to DJ ₄	0.9 $\mu\mu$ f
DJ ₃ to all other electrodes except DJ ₄	2.5 $\mu\mu$ f
DJ ₄ to all other electrodes except DJ ₃	2.5 $\mu\mu$ f
BJ ₁ to all other electrodes	7.4 $\mu\mu$ f

Deflection Polarity:

Positive Voltage on DJ₁ deflects beam toward Pin No. 10

Positive Voltage on DJ₃ deflects beam toward Pin No. 1

Geometry: (Measured under typical operating conditions)

Minimum useful scan DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	6 Div. (0.25"/Div)
Minimum useful scan DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	10 Div. (0.25"/Div)
Minimum quality screen area	2 3/4 inch circle
Trace Orthogonality	90° \pm 1°
Centering of undeflected spot with respect to geometric center	0.125 inch Max. (Deflection Electrodes connected to Grid No. 5)
Raster Distortion	1% Max.

MAXIMUM RATINGS: (All measurements taken with respect to the cathode)

Post Accelerator Voltage	5000 Max. Volts
Accelerator and Deflection System	
(1st anode, blanking plates, 2nd anode, deflection plates, deflection plate shields, isolation shield, lower helix)	850 Max. Volts
Focus Electrode	
Voltage Range	0 to 850 Volts
Maximum Current to Focus Electrode	$\pm 5\mu\text{a}$
Peak Voltage Between Electrodes	
Plate to Plate	500 Max. Volts
Plate to all other electrodes in the accelerator and deflection system	500 Max. Volts
Between any two electrodes in the accelerator and deflection system	500 Max. Volts
Grid No. 1 Voltage	
Negative Bias Value	75 Max. Volts
Positive Bias Value	0 Max. Volts
Positive Peak Value	2 Max. Volts
Peak Heater-Cathode Voltage	
Heater Negative with respect to Cathode	125 Max. Volts
Heater Positive with respect to Cathode	125 Max. Volts
Maximum Electrode Power Dissipation	
1st Anode & Blanking Plates	1 Watt

TYPICAL OPERATING CONDITIONS: (All measurements taken with respect to the cathode)

Electrode Designation	Symbol	
Post Accelerator Voltage	Epa	4000 Volts DC
Lower Helix Voltage	Elh	
Isolation Shield Voltage	Eg6	
(Note 1)		{ 625 to 715 Volts DC
Average of Deflection Plates	Es1	
D ₃ -D ₄ Deflection Shield Voltage		{ 660 Volts DC
Accelerator Voltage		
Grid No. 5 (Astigmatism)	Eg5	625 to 715 Volts DC
Grid No. 2 & 3, (1st Anode) and.....	Eg2, 3	
Blanking Plate	BJ1	{ 680 Volts DC
Grid No. 4 Voltage (Focus)	Eg4	0 to 270 Volts DC
Grid No. 1 Voltage (Control)	Eg1	—15 to —25 Volts (cutoff)

Deflection Factors (Nominal)

DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	8.6 Volts/0.25" Div.
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	5.7 Volts/0.25" Div.

Useful Scan

DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	6 Div. (0.25"/Div)
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	10 Div. (0.25"/Div)

Deflection Blanking Voltage (BJ₁ to BJ₂)

(For visual cut-off at E_{g1}=0 Volts)

±25 Volts

DESIGN RANGES:

Minimum Scan (PDA Ratio 6)

DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	6 Div. (0.25"/Div)
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	10 Div. (0.25"/Div)

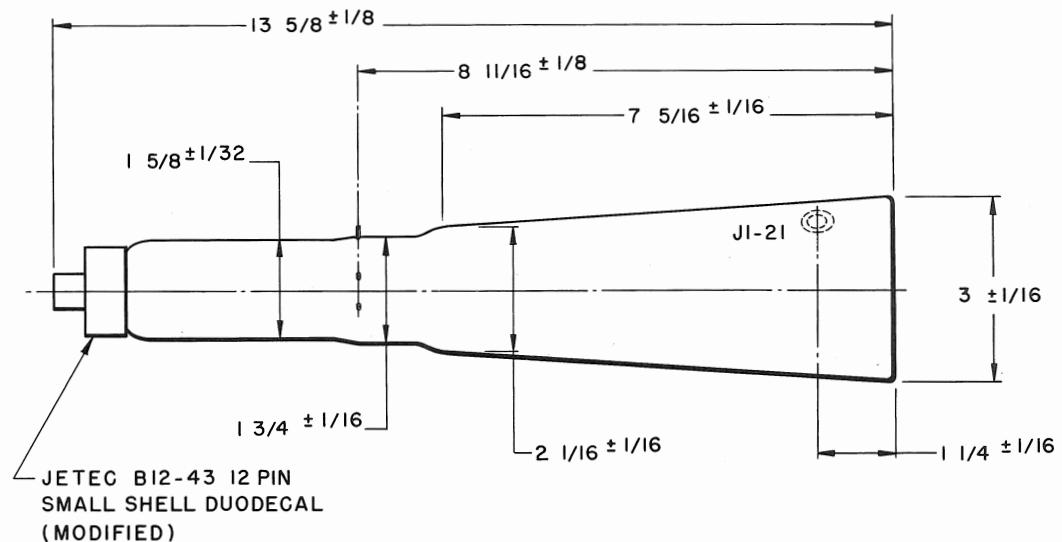
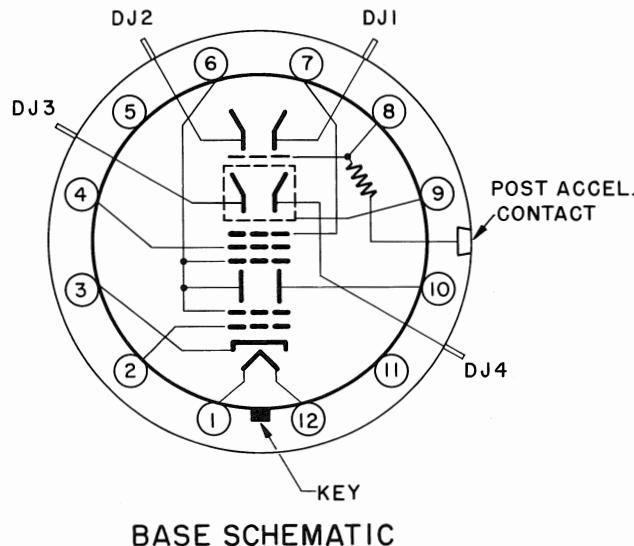
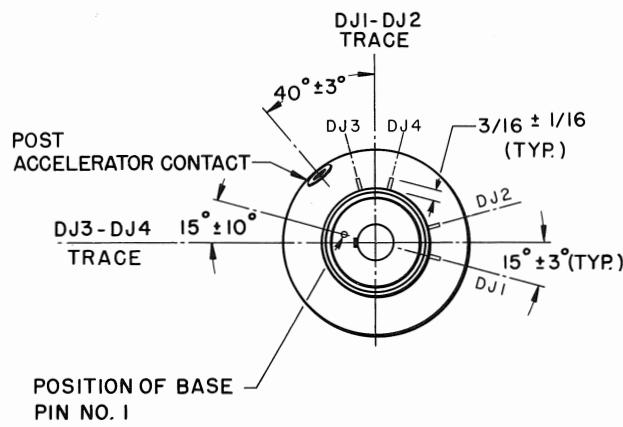
Deflection Factors (PDA Ratio 6)

DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	12.1 to 13.9V/0.25" div/KV V _{gun}
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	7.9 to 9.4V/0.25"div/KV V _{gun}
Grid No. 1 Voltage for extinction of undeflected focused spot	4% of V _{gun}
Focus Electrode Voltage (recommended range)	0% to 40% of V _{gun}
Deflection Blanking Voltage (BJ ₁ to BJ ₂)	2.5% of V _{gun}

(E_{g1}=0 Volts)

NOTES:

1. Lower helix and isolation shield are connected internally. Pattern distortion is minimal with the proper potential.



BASE CONNECTIONS

- 1, 12 HEATER
- 2 GRID NO. 1 (CONTROL)
- 3 CATHODE
- 4 GRID NO. 4 (FOCUS)
- 5, 11 N.C.
- 6 GRID NO. 2 & 3 (1ST. ANODE)
BJ1 (BLANKING PLATE RETURN)
- 7 GRID NO. 5 (ASTIGMATISM)
- 8 ISOLATION SHIELD
- 9 DJ3-DJ4 SHIELD
- 10 BJ2 (BLANKING PLATE)

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		CATHODE-RAY TUBE DIVISION TEKTRONIX, INC. PORTLAND, OREGON, U.S.A.		TUBE TYPE: T 321

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