



TECHNICAL DATA

TEKTRONIX
T517P

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T0541

The Tektronix Type T517P is an aluminized 5" flat-faced cathode ray tube with electrostatic focus and deflection and a helical post accelerator.

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS:

Overall Length	18 $\frac{1}{4}$ ± 3/16 inches
Greatest Diameter of Bulb	5 5/16 inches
Bulb Contact	J1-21
Neck Pin Diameter	0.040 ± .002 inches
Base	JEDEC NO. B14-38
Bulb and Base Alignment	See Outline Drawing

ELECTRICAL DATA:

Heater Voltage	6.3 Volts RMS
Heater Current	0.6 ± 10% Amperes RMS
Helix Resistance Range	200 to 600 Megohms

Capacitance, Interelectrode (Typical Values):

Grid No. 1 to all other electrodes	8.3 $\mu\mu f$
Cathode to all other electrodes	4.6 $\mu\mu f$
DJ ₁ to DJ ₂	1.8 $\mu\mu f$
DJ ₁ to all other electrodes except DJ ₂	3.7 $\mu\mu f$
DJ ₂ to all other electrodes except DJ ₁	3.7 $\mu\mu f$
DJ ₃ to DJ ₄	1.5 $\mu\mu f$
DJ ₃ to all other electrodes except DJ ₄	3.2 $\mu\mu f$
DJ ₄ to all other electrodes except DJ ₃	3.2 $\mu\mu f$

Deflection Polarity:

Positive Voltage on DJ₁ deflects beam toward Pin No. 4

Positive Voltage on DJ₃ deflects beam toward Pin No. 1

Geometry: (Measured under typical operating conditions and PDA Ratio of 6)

Minimum useful scan DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	8 cm
Minimum useful scan DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	4 cm
Trace Orthogonality	90° ± 1°
Centering of undeflected spot with respect to geometric center	5 mm Max. (Deflection electrodes connected to Grid No. 5)
Raster Distortion	1.5% Max.

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

Post Accelerator Voltage 24,000 Max. Volts

Accelerator and Deflection System

(1st anode, 2nd anode, deflection plates, deflection plate shields, isolation shield, lower helix) 4200 Max. Volts

Focus Electrode

Voltage Range 0 to 1200 Volts

Maximum Current to Focus Electrode $\pm 10\mu\text{a}$

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 200 Max. Volts

Positive Bias Value 0 Max. Volts

Peak Positive 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 Average Electrode Power Dissipation 1st Anode 6 Max. Volts

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

Electrode Designation	Symbol	
Post Accelerator Voltage	E _{pa}	24,000 Volts DC
Lower Helix Voltage and Isolation Shield Voltage (Note 1)	E _{lh} E _{g6}	3750 to 4250 Volts DC
Average of Deflection Plates		4000 Volts DC
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄ Deflection Shield Voltage (Note 2)	E _{s4}	3750 to 4225 Volts DC
Accelerator Voltage (Note 3)	E _{g2} , E _{g4}	4000 Volts DC
Grid No. 3 Voltage (Focus)	E _{g3}	450 to 1050 Volts DC
Grid No. 1 Voltage (Control)	E _{g1}	-100 to -160 Volts (cutoff)

Deflection Factors (Nominal)

DJ₁-DJ₂ 70 Volts/cm

DJ₃-DJ₄ 15.5 Volts/cm

Useful Scan (Note 4)

DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	8 cm
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	4 cm

DESIGN RANGES:

Minimum Scan (PDA Ratio 6)

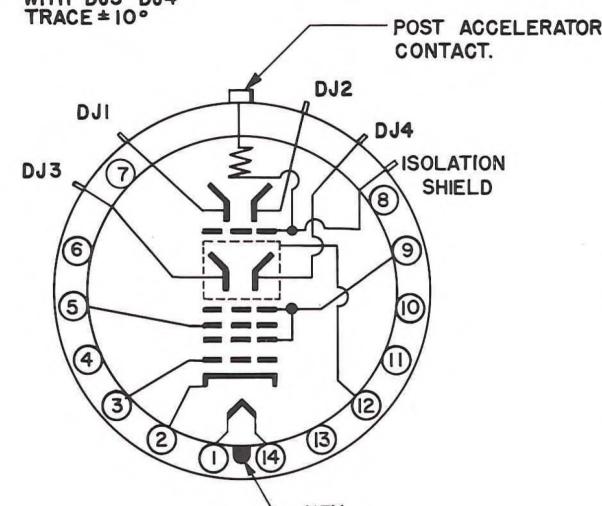
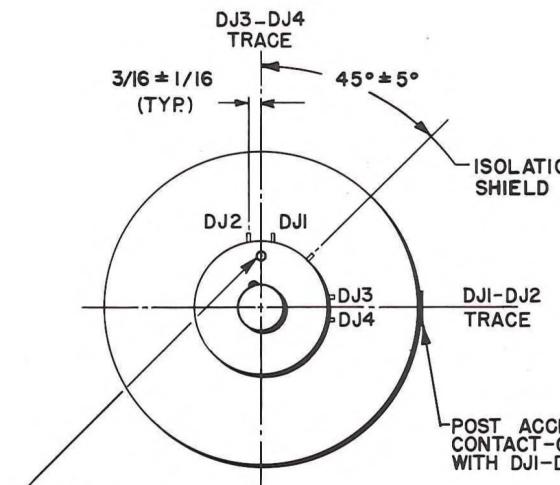
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DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	4 cm

Deflection Factors (PDA Ratio 6)

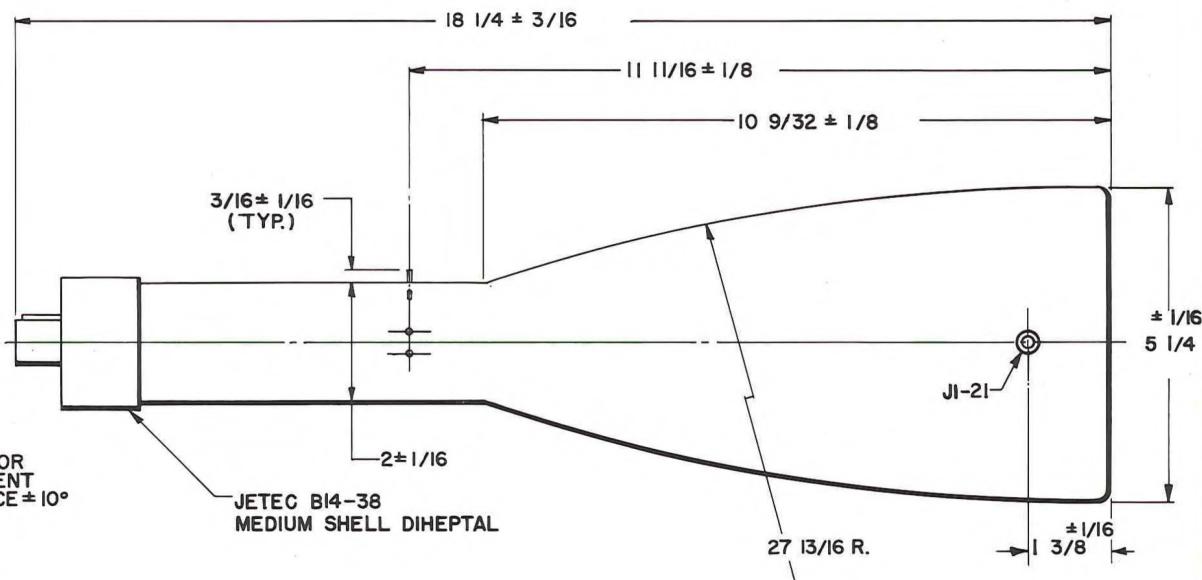
DJ ₁ -DJ ₂	16.2 to 18.8V/cm/KV V _{gun}
DJ ₃ -DJ ₄	3.5 to 4.25V/cm/KV V _{gun}
Grid No. 1 Voltage for extinction of undeflected focused spot	4% of V _{gun}
Focus Electrode Voltage (recommended range)	11% to 27% of V _{gun}

NOTES:

1. Lower helix and isolation shield are connected internally. Pattern distortion minimal with proper potential.
2. Adjustment of DJ₃-DJ₄ deflection shield voltage improves linearity of DJ₃-DJ₄ deflection by controlling edge effect of DJ₃-DJ₄ plate shield.
3. Grid No. 4 (Astigmatism) and Grid No. 2 (1st anode) are connected internally and the accelerating voltage is variable from 3750 Volts to 4250 Volts to provide for astigmatism control.
4. The deflection plates intercept part of the electron beam near the edge of the scan.



BASE SCHEMATIC



BASE CONNECTIONS

- 1, 14 HEATER
- 2 CATHODE
- 3 GRID N° 1
- 4, 6, 7, 8, N.C.
10, 11, 13.
- 5 GRID N° 3 (FOCUS)
- 9. GRID N° 2 & N° 4
(ACCELERATOR)
- 12. DJ3-DJ4 SHIELD

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		CATHODE-RAY TUBE DIVISION TEKTRONIX, INC. PORTLAND, OREGON, U.S.A.		
TUBE TYPE:	T517			
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