

29 mm (1.13") photomultiplier 9900B series data sheet

1 description

The 9900B is a 29 mm (1.13") diameter, end window photomultiplier with sidewall sensitivity for wide angle light detection. It has an enhanced-green sensitive bialkali photocathode and 11 high gain, high stability, SbCs dynodes of box and grid design.

2 applications

- x-ray & gamma-ray spectroscopy
- photon counting of bio- and chemi-luminescent samples

3 features

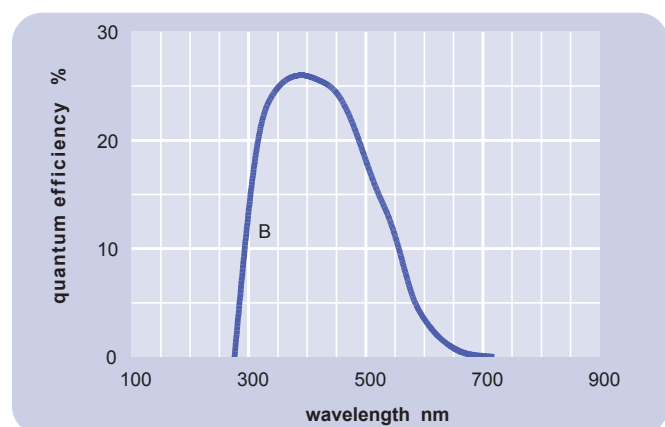
- high gain
- low operating voltage
- good SER
- good pulse height resolution
- 2π active area

4 window characteristics

| 9900B borosilicate | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| spectral range *(nm) | 280 - 680 |
| refractive index (n_d) | 1.49 |
| K (ppm) | 300 |
| Th (ppb) | 250 |
| U (ppb) | 100 |

* wavelength range over which quantum efficiency exceeds 1 % of peak

5 typical spectral response curves

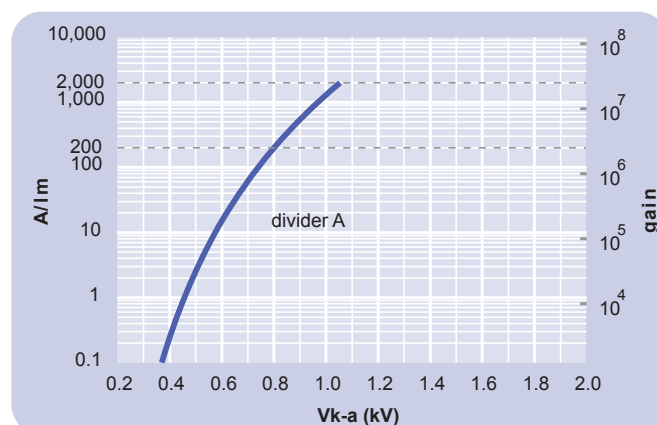


6 characteristics

| | unit | min | typ | max |
|--|-----------------------------------|-----|-----------|------|
| photocathode: bialkali | | | | |
| active diameter | mm | | 25 | |
| quantum efficiency at peak | % | | 26 | |
| luminous sensitivity | $\mu\text{A}/\text{lm}$ | | 80 | |
| with CB filter | | 7 | 11 | |
| with CR filter | | | 7.5 | |
| dynodes: 11BGSbCs | | | | |
| anode sensitivity in divider A: | | | | |
| nominal anode sensitivity | A/lm | | 200 | |
| max. rated anode sensitivity | A/lm | | 2000 | |
| overall V for nominal A/lm | V | | 800 | 1100 |
| overall V for max. rated A/lm | V | | 1050 | |
| gain at nominal A/lm | $\times 10^6$ | | 2.5 | |
| dark current at 20 °C: | | | | |
| dc at nominal A/lm | nA | | 0.3 | 5 |
| dc at max. rated A/lm | nA | | 3 | |
| dark count rate | s^{-1} | | 300 | |
| pulsed linearity (-5% deviation): | | | | |
| divider A | mA | | 0.1 | |
| pulse height resolution: | | | | |
| single electron peak to valley | ratio | | 2 | |
| rate effect (I_a for $\Delta g/g=1\%$): | | | | |
| | μA | | 20 | |
| magnetic field sensitivity: | | | | |
| the field for which the output decreases by 50 % | | | | |
| most sensitive direction | $\text{T} \times 10^{-4}$ | | 2 | |
| temperature coefficient: | | | | |
| | $\% \text{ } ^\circ\text{C}^{-1}$ | | ± 0.5 | |
| timing: | | | | |
| single electron rise time | ns | | 15 | |
| single electron (fwhm) | ns | | 30 | |
| transit time | ns | | 85 | |
| weight: | g | | 55 | |
| maximum ratings: | | | | |
| anode current | μA | | | 100 |
| cathode current | nA | | | 25 |
| gain | $\times 10^6$ | | | 25 |
| sensitivity | A/lm | | | 2000 |
| temperature | $^\circ\text{C}$ | -30 | | 60 |
| V (k-a) ⁽¹⁾ | V | | | 2000 |
| V (k-d1) | V | | | 300 |
| V (d-d) ⁽²⁾ | V | | | 300 |
| ambient pressure (absolute) | kPa | | | 202 |

⁽¹⁾ subject to not exceeding max. rated sensitivity ⁽²⁾ subject to not exceeding max rated V(k-a)

7 typical voltage gain characteristics

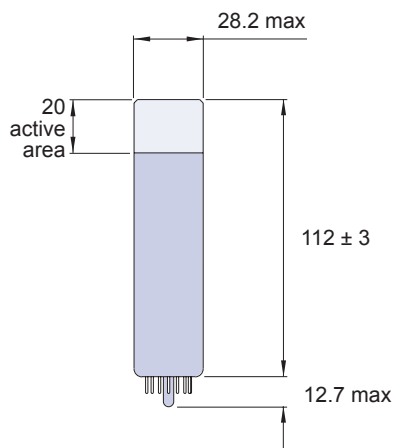


8 voltage divider distribution

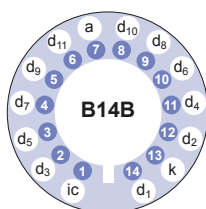
| k | d ₁ | d ₂ | | d ₈ | d ₉ | d ₁₀ | d ₁₁ | a | |
|---|----------------|----------------|-------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|----------|
| A | 150V | R | | R | R | R | 2R | R | Standard |

Characteristics contained in this data sheet refer to divider A unless stated otherwise.

9 external dimensions mm



10 base configuration (viewed from below)



'ic' indicates an internal connection

Our range of B14B sockets, available for this series, includes versions with or without a mounting flange, and versions with contacts for mounting directly onto printed circuit boards.

11 ordering information

The 9900B meets the specification given in this data sheet. You may order **variants** by adding a suffix to the type number. You may also order **options** by adding a suffix to the type number. You may order product with **specification options** by discussing your requirements with us. If your selection option is for one-off order, then the product will be referred to as 9900A. For a repeat order, ET Enterprises will give the product a two digit suffix after the letter B, for example B21. This identifies your specific requirement.

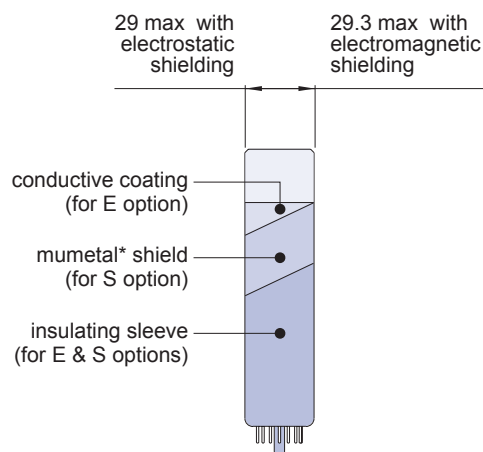
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options

- E** electrostatic shielding
see drawing below
- S** electromagnetic shielding
see drawing below
- M** supplied with spectral
response calibration

specification options

- B** as given in data sheet
- A** single order to
selected specification
- Bnn** repeat order to
selected specification



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12 voltage dividers

The standard voltage divider available for these pmts is tabulated below:

| k | d ₁ | d ₂ | | d ₇ | d ₈ | d ₉ | d ₁₀ | d ₁₁ | a |
|-------|----------------|----------------|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|
| C637E | 2R | R | | R | R | R | 2R | R | |
| C637G | 150V | R | | R | R | R | 2R | R | |

R = 330 kΩ

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