

PRODUCT CATALOGUE

**MCP for night vision
technology**

**MCP for science and
technology**

MCP detectors

**Secondary electron
multipliers**

Photomultiplier tubes

ABOUT COMPANY

Vladikavkaz Technology Center BASPIK (VTC BASPIK) is an exclusive leader of the Russian Federation in the field of research, development and manufacturing of microchannel plates and one of the few global large-scale manufacturers in this field.

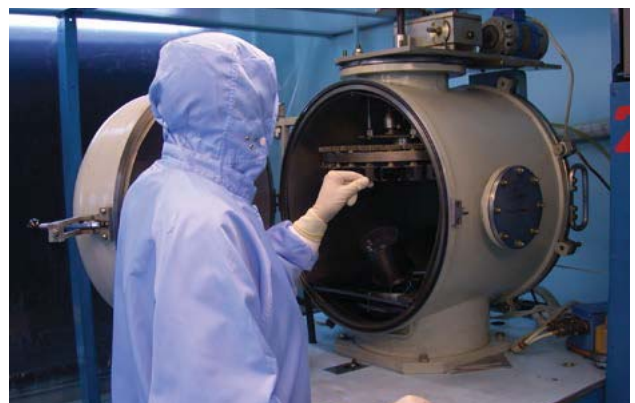
The company produces

- microchannel plates for night vision devices
- microchannel plates for scientific instruments
- Position-sensitive MCP detectors
- secondary electron multipliers
- image intensifier tubes
- photomultiplier tubes (PMT)
- microchannel and microwell structures
- other electro-optical devices

The company has mastered the manufacturing of microchannel plates with 4, 5, 6, 8, 10 μm

channels of different designs: circular, square, rectangular, with a central hole, complex configurations and different dimensions.

Channel diameter spread is no more than 1%.



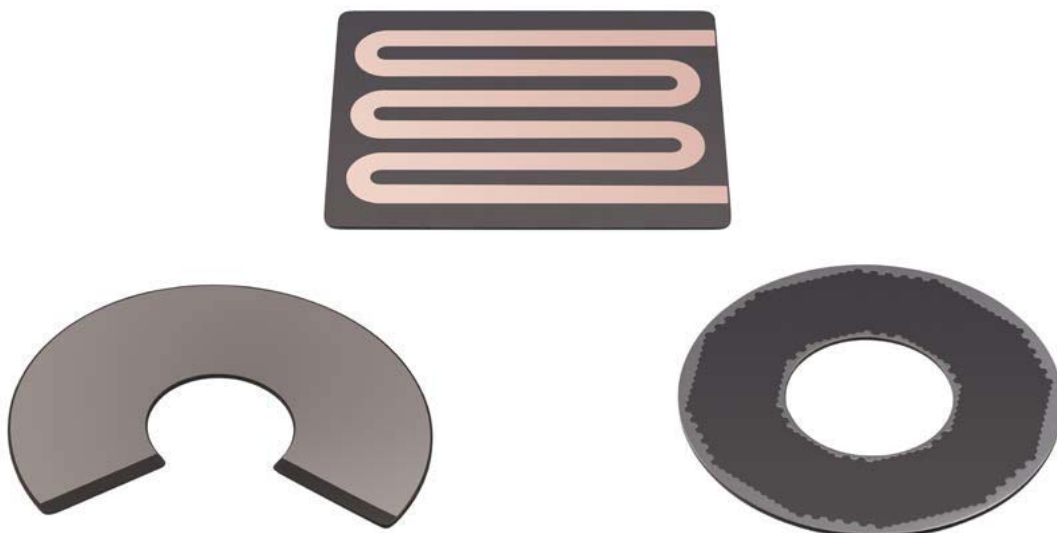
For 25 years VTC BASPIK has been a reliable supplier for several major Russian and foreign manufacturers in various industries.

MICROCHANNEL PLATES (MCP) - A CLASS OF ELECTRONIC PRODUCTS (COMPONENTS)

Each plate consists of millions of ultra-thin conductive glass capillaries, each acting as an independent secondary electron multiplier. Providing two-dimensional electron multiplication capability, MCP is a critical component of image intensifier tubes.



These devices are designed to detect and amplify spatially organized fluxes of charged particles and radiation. Due to their high ion sensitivity, subnanosecond response time, and compact size, MCPs are also widely used in various applications such as time-of-flight mass spectrometry.



MICROCHANNEL PLATES BEING A PART OF NIGHT VISION DEVICES

The main application of microchannel plates (MCPs) is night vision devices

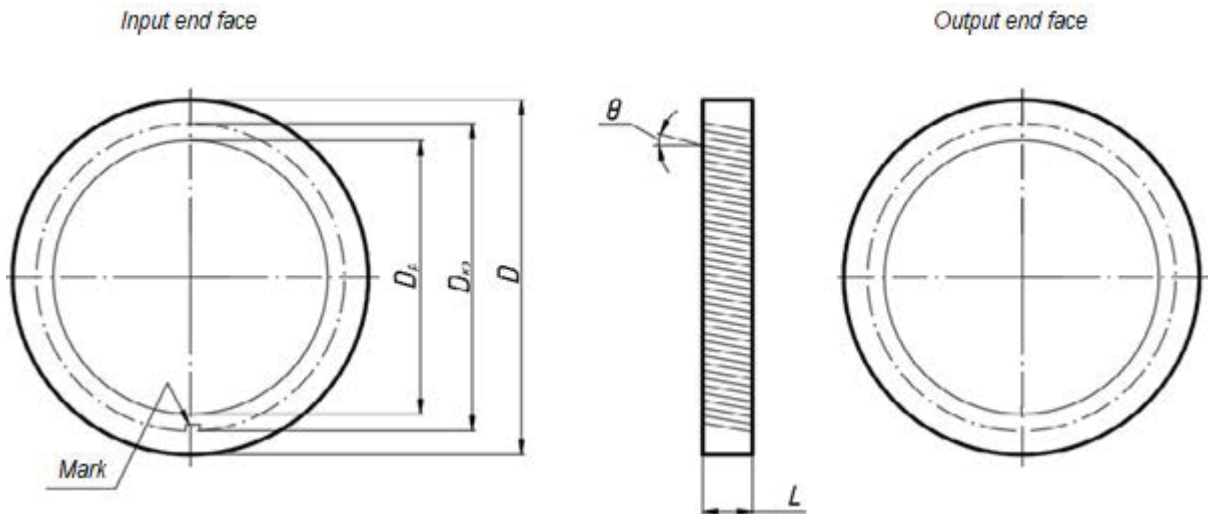


MCP properties determine parameters of night vision device to a great extent.



Extended Specification

MCP for night vision technology



24.8 mm microchannel plates

| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | | | | | | | | |
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| | Rimmed MCP 18-3 | Rimmed MCP 18-4 | Rimmed MCP 18-5 | Rimmed MCP 18-6 | Rimmed MCP 18-6 A | Rimmed MCP 18-8 | Rimmed MCP 18-8 A | Rimmed MCP 18-10 | Rimmed MCP 18-10 A |
| | Номинальное значение | | | | | | | | |

Geometrics

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|--|----------|-------------|-------------|------|-----|-------------|-----|-----------|-----|
| Outer diameter D, mm | 24.85 | 24.8 | 24.75–24.85 | | | | | | |
| Active area diameter, D_A , mm, min | 18.8 | 18.6 | | | | | | | |
| Contact electrode diameter, $D_{C.E.}$, mm | 23.7 | | | | | | | | |
| Thickness L, mm | 0.2–0.25 | 0.300±0.015 | | | | 0.320±0.015 | | 0.41–0.44 | |
| Channel bias angle θ , degrees | 8° | 5° | | 5° | 12° | 5° | 12° | 5° | 12° |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm | 0.03 | 0.025 | 0.02 | 0.03 | | | | | |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm | 0.01 | | | | | | | | |

| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Rimmed MCP 18-3 | Rimmed MCP 18-4 | Rimmed MCP 18-5 | Rimmed MCP 18-6 | Rimmed MCP 18-6 A | Rimmed MCP 18-8 | Rimmed MCP 18-8 A | Rimmed MCP 18-10 | Rimmed MCP 18-10 A |
| | Номинальное значение | | | | | | | | |
| Solid rim width, mm, min | 1.6 | | | | | | | | |
| Rounding width (chamfer), mm | от 0.014 до 0.18 0.18 max | | | | | | | | |
| Structural parameters | | | | | | | | | |
| Channel diameter, μm | 3.4–3.6 | 4.4–4.9 | 5.0–5.5 | 5.5–6.5 | | 7.0–8.0 | | 9.5–10.5 | |
| Channel pitch, μm , max | 5.0 | 5.0–6.0 | 7.0 | 8 | | 9.5 | | 12.4–12.9 | |
| Contact electrode material | Хром | | | | | | | | |
| The mark indicates channel bias direction | Вход | | | | | | | | |
| Electrical ratings | | | | | | | | | |
| Operating voltage at 10^3 gain, V, max | 1000 | 950 | 850 | 850 | | 850 | | 800 | |
| Nominal voltage at 10^4 gain, V, max | | 1250 | 1100 | 1150 | | 1150 | | 1100 | |
| MCP resistance $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 0.3–1.0 | 0.5–2.5 | 0.8–1.5 | 1–3 | | 1–3 | | 1–2.5 | |
| Dark current density, A/cm^2 , max | 2.2×10^{-13} | 1.6×10^{-13} | 2.2×10^{-13} | 2.2×10^{-13} | | | | | |
| Limiting resolution, lp/mm , min | 85 | | 80 | | 60 | | 45 | | |

32.8 mm microchannel plates

| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Rimmed MCP 25-3 | Rimmed MCP 25-6 | Rimmed MCP 25-6 A | Rimmed MCP 25-8 | Rimmed MCP 25-8 A | Rimmed MCP 25-10 | Rimmed MCP 25-10 A |
| | Nominal values | | | | | | |

Geometrics

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|--|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------------|--|
| Outer diameter D, mm | 32.75–32.85 | | | | | | | |
| Active area diameter, D_A , mm, min | 26 | | | | | | | |
| Contact electrode diameter, $D_{C.E.}$, mm, min | 31.7 | | | | | | | |
| Thickness L, mm | 0.26 | 0.285–0.315 | | 0.305–0.335 | | 0.40–0.44 | | |
| Channel bias angle θ , degrees | 5 \pm 1 | | 12 \pm 1 | | 5 \pm 1 | | 12 \pm 1 | |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm, max | 0.05 | | | 0.03 | | 0.05 | | |
| End surface parallelism tolerance, mm, max | 0.01 | | | | | | | |
| Solid rim width, mm, min | 1.6 | | | | | | | |
| Rounding width (chamfer), mm, | 0.18 max | | | | | | | |

Structural parameters

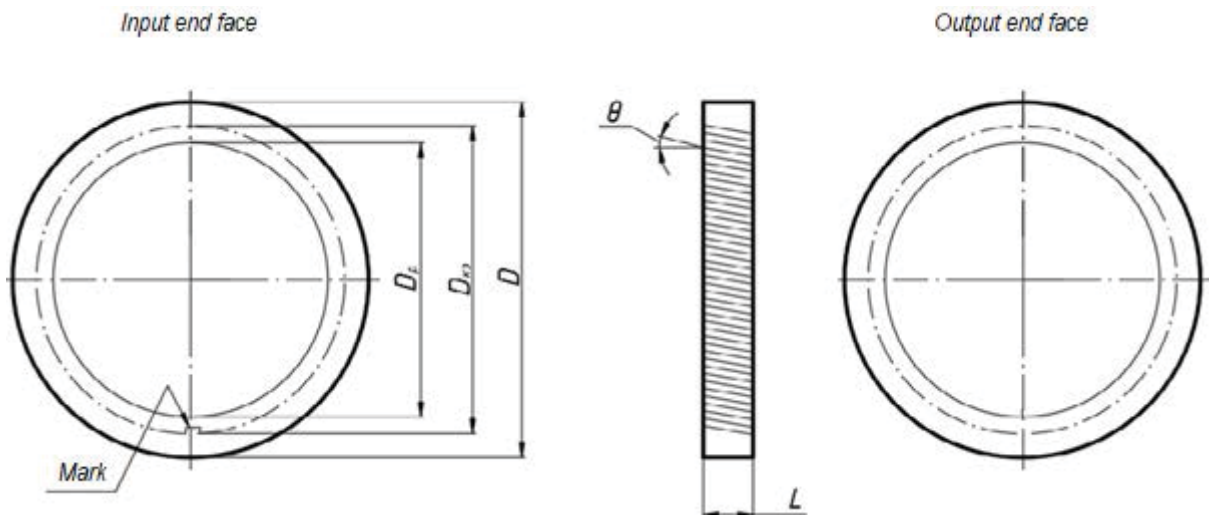
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| Channel diameter, μm | 3.4 | 5.5–6.5 | | 7.0–8.0 | | 9.8–10.8 | |
| Channel pitch, μm , max | 4,2 | 8 | | 9,5 | | 12.9 | |
| Contact electrode material | Хром | | | | | | |
| The mark indicates the direction of the channel bias | Вход | | | | | | |

Electrical ratings

| | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|--|---------------|--|
| Operating voltage at 10^3 gain, V, max | - | 850 | | 800 | | - | |
| Nominal voltage at 10^4 gain, V, max | - | 1100 | | 1100 | | - | |
| Gain at 800 V voltage | - | | | | | Не менее 2500 | |
| Gain at 1100 V voltage | 1000 | - | | | | | |
| MCP resistance, $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 1–3 | 0.8–3.0 | | 0.8–3.0 | | 0.7–2.5 | |
| Dark current density, A/cm ² , max | 2.2 $\times 10^{-12}$ | | 2.2 $\times 10^{-13}$ | | | | |
| Limiting resolution, lp/mm, min | - | 70 | | 60 | | 45 | |

Specification

Rimmed microchannel plate MCP 18-5



As part of image intensifier tube for night vision technology

Electrical and electro-optical parameters

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Gain at 1100 V | - | 10^4 |
| MCP resistance | $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 0.8–1.5 |
| Dark current density | $\times 10^{-13}$ A/cm ² | 2.2 |
| Limiting resolution | lp/mm | 86 min |

Geometrics

| Plate thickness | Unit | Value |
|--------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Outer diameter | mm | 24.85 |
| Active area | mm | 18.6 |
| Plate thickness | mm | 0.300 ± 0.015 |
| Channel diameter | μm | 5.0–5.5 |
| Channel pitch | μm | 7 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 5° |

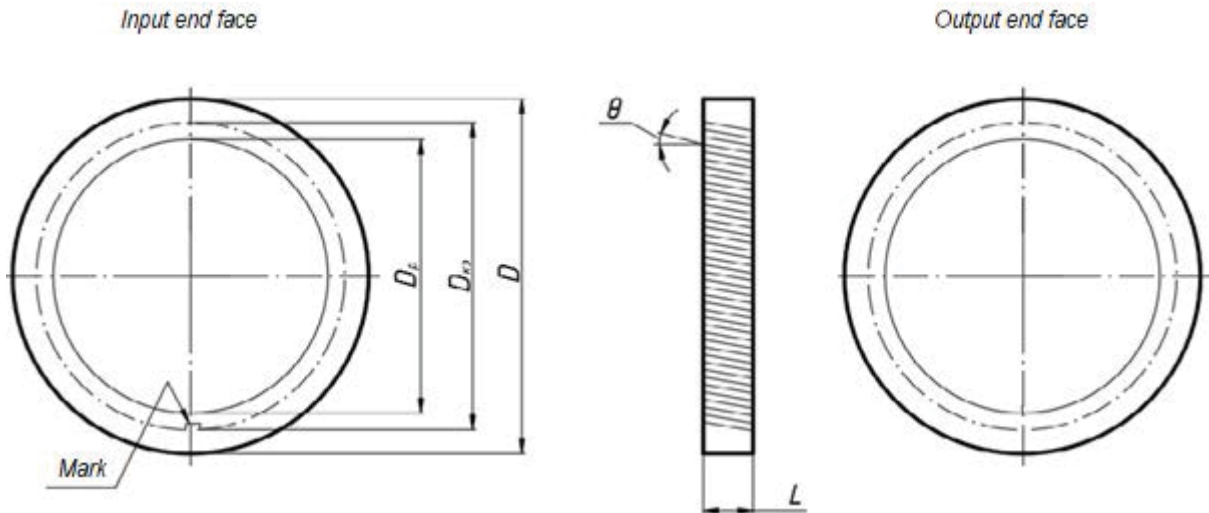
Minimum operating life:

10000 hours minimum as part of the application device

Some items of the specification can be changed according to the customer's requirements

Specification

Rimmed microchannel plate MCP 18-6



As part of image intensifier tube for night vision technology.

Electrical and electro-optical parameters

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Gain at 1150 V | - | 10^4 |
| MCP resistance | $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 1.0–1.5 |
| Dark current density | $\times 10^{-13}$ A/cm ² | 2.2 |
| Limiting resolution | lp/mm | 80 min |

Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Outer diameter | mm | 24.85 |
| Active area | mm | 18.6 |
| Plate thickness | mm | 0.300 ± 0.015 |
| Channel diameter | μm | 5.5–6.5 |
| Channel pitch | μm | 8 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 5° |

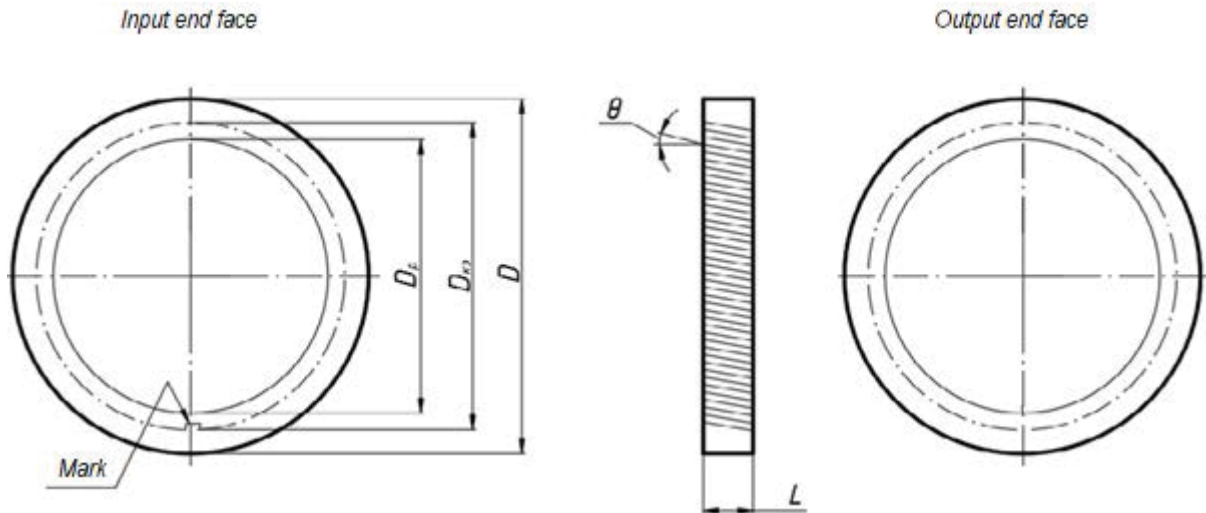
Minimum operating life:

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Specification

Rimmed microchannel plate MCP 18-10



As part of image intensifier tube for night vision technology.

Electrical and electro-optical parameters

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Gain at 1100 V | - | 10^4 |
| MCP resistance | $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 1.0–2.5 |
| Dark current density | $\times 10^{-13}$ A/cm ² | 2.2 |
| Limiting resolution | lp/mm | 45 min |

Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------|---------|-------------|
| Outer diameter | mm | 24.75–24.85 |
| Active area | mm | 18.6 |
| Plate thickness | mm | 0.41–0.44 |
| Channel diameter | μ m | 9.5–10.5 |
| Channel pitch | μ m | 12.4–12.9 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 5° |

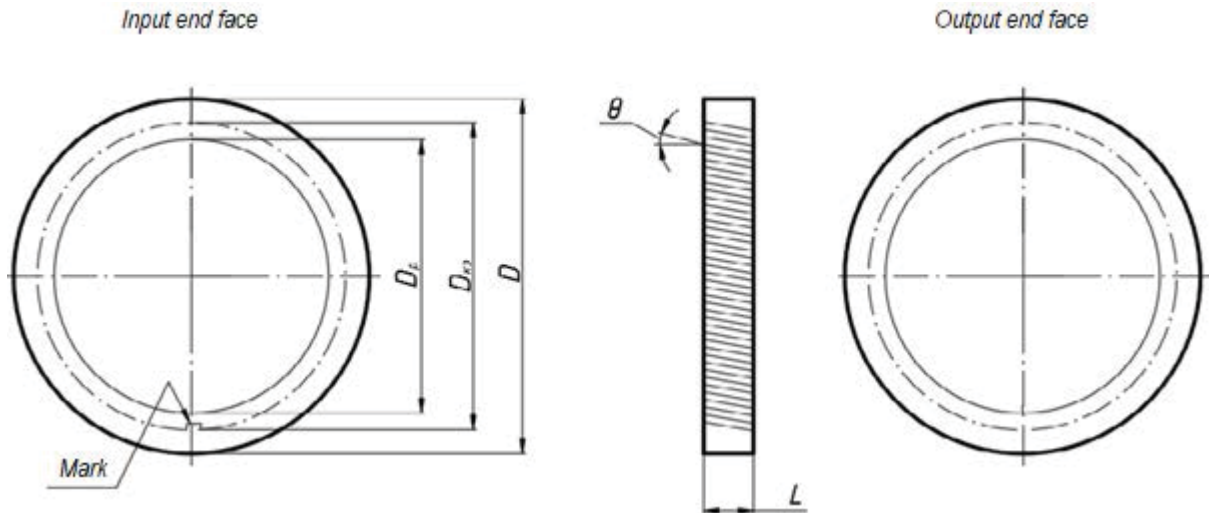
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Specification

Rimmed microchannel plate MCP 25-6



As part of image intensifier tube for night vision technology.

Electrical and electro-optical parameters

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Gain at 1100 V | - | 10^4 |
| MCP resistance | $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 0.8–3.0 |
| Dark current density | $\times 10^{-13}$ A/cm ² | 2.2 |
| Limiting resolution | lp/mm | 70 min |

Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------|
| Outer diameter | mm | 32.75–32.85 |
| Active area | mm | 26 |
| Plate thickness | mm | 0.285–0.315 |
| Channel diameter | μ m | 5.5–6.5 |
| Channel pitch | μ m | 8 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | $5 \pm 1^\circ$ |

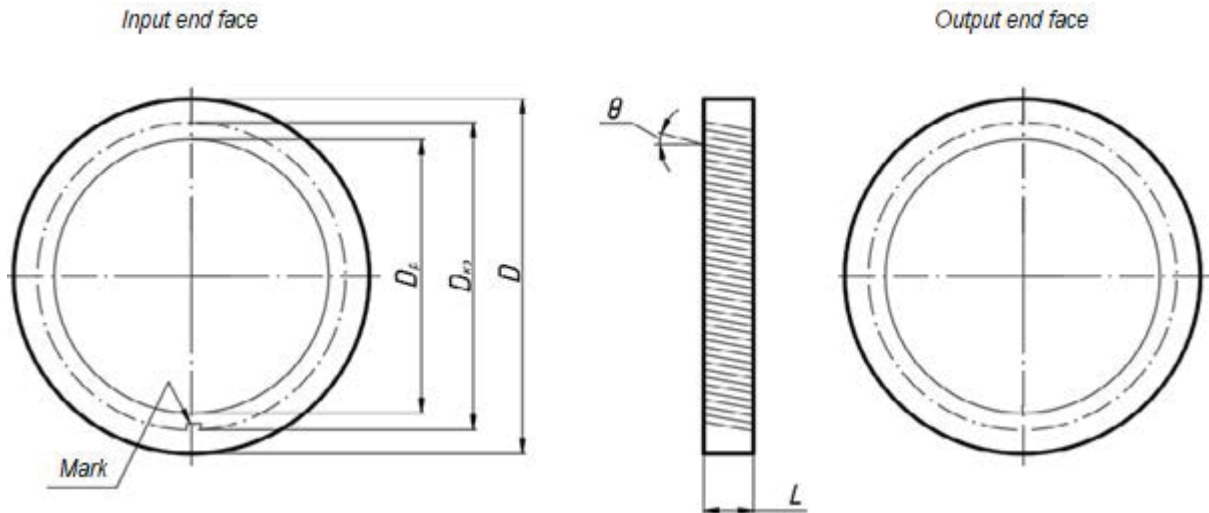
Minimum operating life:

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Specification

Rimmed microchannel plate MCP 25-10A



As part of image intensifier tube for night vision technology.

Electrical and electro-optical parameters

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Gain at 1100 V | - | 10^4 |
| MCP resistance | $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 0.75–2.5 |
| Dark current density | $\times 10^{-13}$ A/cm ² | 2.2 |
| Limiting resolution | lp/mm | 45 min |

Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------|---------|------------------|
| Outer diameter | mm | 32.7–32.85 |
| Active area | mm | 26 |
| Plate thickness | mm | 0.40–0.44 |
| Channel diameter | μ m | 9.8–10.8 |
| Channel pitch | μ m | 12.2–12.9 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | $12 \pm 1^\circ$ |

Minimum operating life:

10000 hours minimum as part of the application device

Some items of the specification can be changed according to the customer's requirements

MICROCHANNEL PLATES FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

VTC BASPIK manufactures microchannel plates for use as part of various scientific and technical equipment. MCPs are used to amplify weak signals and determine position parameters of particles in a variety of image detectors, as part of photoelectronic and X-ray vacuum devices, field-ion microscopes.



Possible applications for MCPs include:

- astronomy
- chemistry
- aerospace engineering
- biology
- machine industry
- medical diagnostics
- experimental physics
- ecology and biosecurity

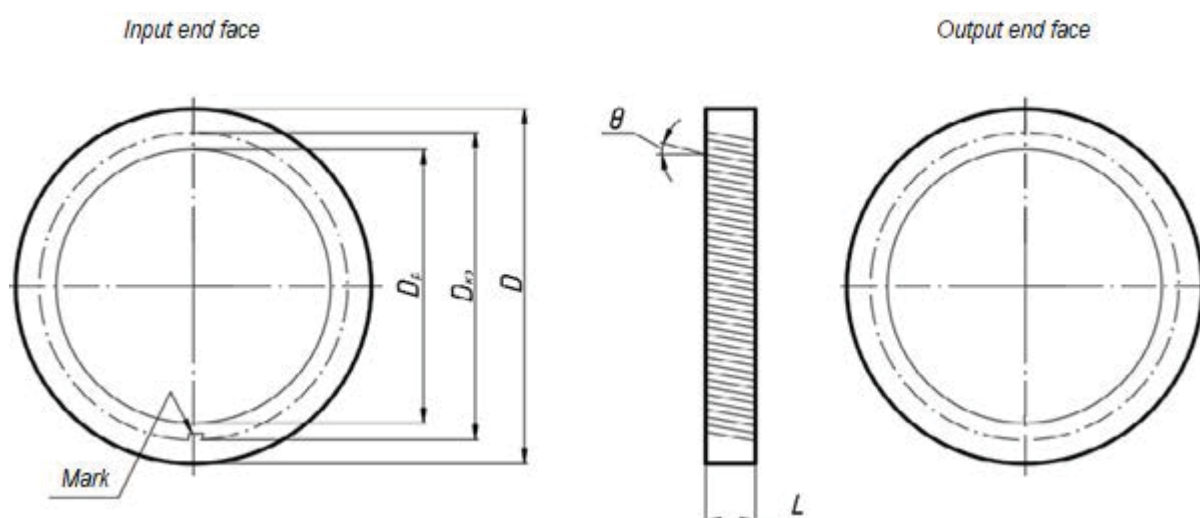


Research and production capacities of the company allow to complete customized orders for the development of microchannel plates for specific equipment having the required technical parameters in a relatively short time.

Extended Specification

MCP for science and technology

Circular microchannel plates



Microchannel plates with 46 mm, 50 mm, 56 mm, 87 mm diameters.

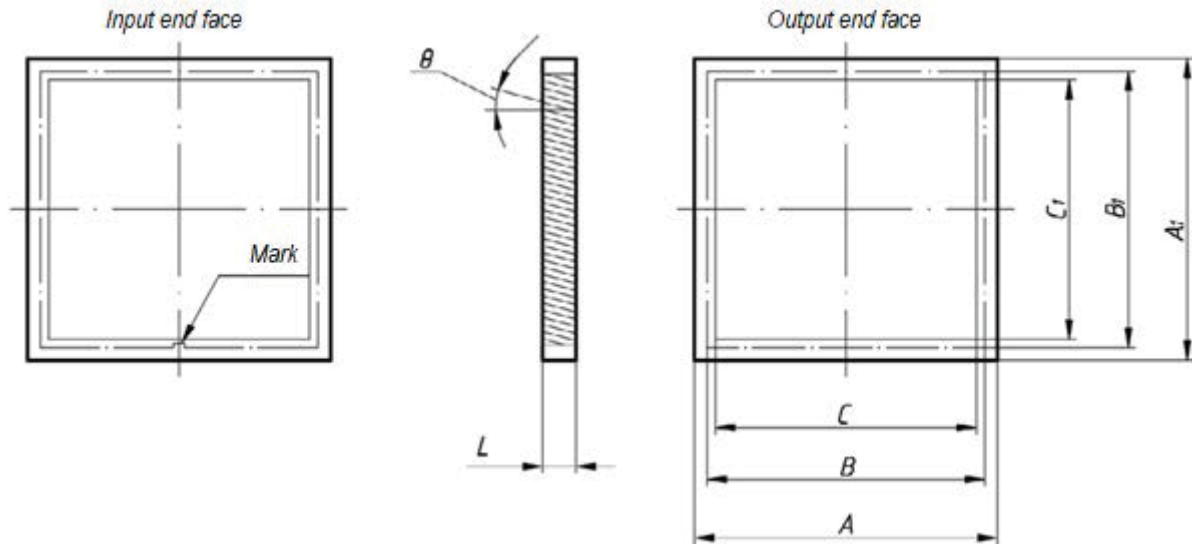
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| | MCP 46-12 | MCP 50-10 | Rimmed MCP 50-10 | MCP 50-15 | MCP 56-15 | Rimmed MCP 56-15 | MCP 70-15 | MCP 87-12 |
| | Nominal value | | | | | | | |

Geometrics

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|--|---------------|------|------|---------------|----|----|---------------|---------------|
| Outer diameter D, mm | 45.7– 46.0 | 49.5 | | 49.8– 50.0 | 56 | | 69.5– 70.0 | 86.3– 86.8 |
| Active area diameter, D_A , mm, min | 44 | 48,5 | 41,5 | 47,5 | 54 | 48 | 68.0 | 77.5 |
| Contact electrode diameter, D_{CE} , mm | 45 | 49 | | 48.5 | 55 | | - | 85 |

| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|--------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| | MCP 46-12 | MCP 50-10 | Rimmed MCP 50-10 | MCP 50-15 | MCP 56-15 | Rimmed MCP 56-15 | MCP 70-15 | MCP 87-12 |
| | Nominal value | | | | | | | |
| Thickness L, mm | 0.46– 0.50 | 0.5 | | 0.75–0.80 | | | 0.7–0.8 | 0.69– 0.75 |
| Channel bias angle θ , degrees | От 5° до 9° | От 6° до 9° От 11° до 13° | | От 7° до 10° | | | От 9° до 12° | 8° |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm | 0.075 | | | | | | | 0.05 |
| End surface parallelism tolerance, mm | 0.030 | | | | | | 0.05 | 0.03 |
| Solid rim width, mm | - | - | 2 min | - | - | 2 min | - | - |
| Rounding width (chamfer), mm | 0,35 max | | | | | | | |
| Structural parameters | | | | | | | | |
| Channel diameter, μm | 11.1–12.5 | 10.0–10.6 | | 14.5–15.5 | | | 11.5– 12.5 | |
| Channel pitch, μm | 15 max | от 12.2 до 12.5 | | 19 max | | | 15 | |
| Contact electrode material | Хром | | | | | | | |
| The mark indicates channel bias direction | Вход | | | | | | | |
| Electrical ratings | | | | | | | | |
| Nominal voltage at 10^4 gain, V, max | 1100 | | | | | | | 1200 |
| MCP resistance, $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 0.5–10 | 0.25–2.5 | | 0.5–10 | | | 0.5–2.5 | 0.05– 0.5 |
| Dark current density, A/cm ² , max | 1×10^{-12} | 1×10^{-13} | | 1×10^{-12} | | | 3×10^{-13} | - |

Rectangular microchannel plate



| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| | MCP 36×36 | MCP 20×90 | MCP 100×100-15 |
| | Nominal value | | |

Geometrics

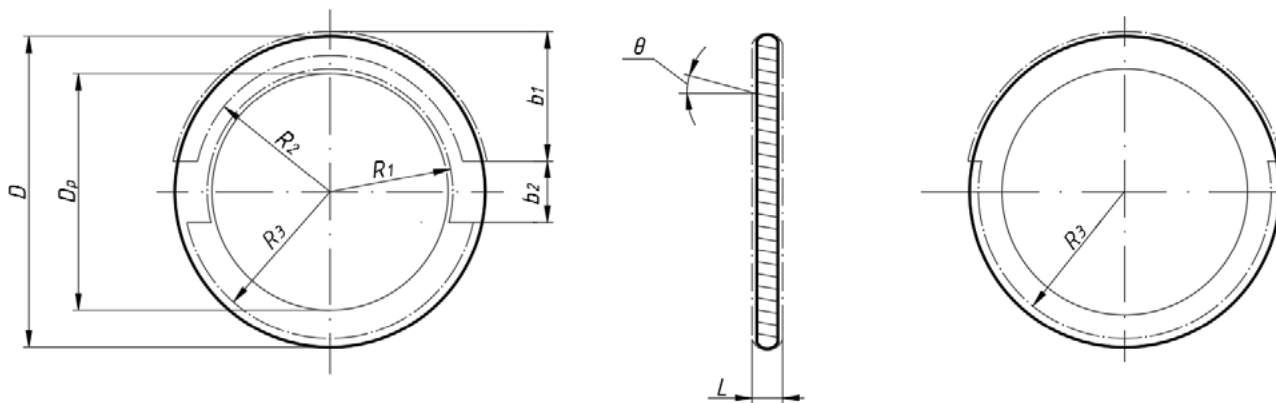
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| Outer diameter A×A1, mm | 36×36 | 90×20 | 100×100 |
| Active area size B×B1, mm, | 34×34 | 86×26 | 96×96 |
| Contact electrode size C×C1, mm | - | 88×28 | 98,4×98,4 |
| Thickness L, mm | 0.70±0.1 | 0.9 | 1.0–1.2 |
| Channel bias angle θ , degrees | 9°±1 | 7° | 8°±2 |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm, max | 0.045 | 0.05 | 0.10 |
| End surface parallelism tolerance, mm, max | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| Chamfer, mm, max | 0.3 | 0.18 | 0.5 |

Structural parameters

| | | |
|---|----------|----------|
| Channel diameter, μm | 12 | 15±0.5 |
| Channel pitch, μm | 19 max | 19 max |
| MCP open area ratio | 55 min | 0.59 min |
| Contact electrode material | Chromium | |
| The mark indicates channel bias direction | Input | |

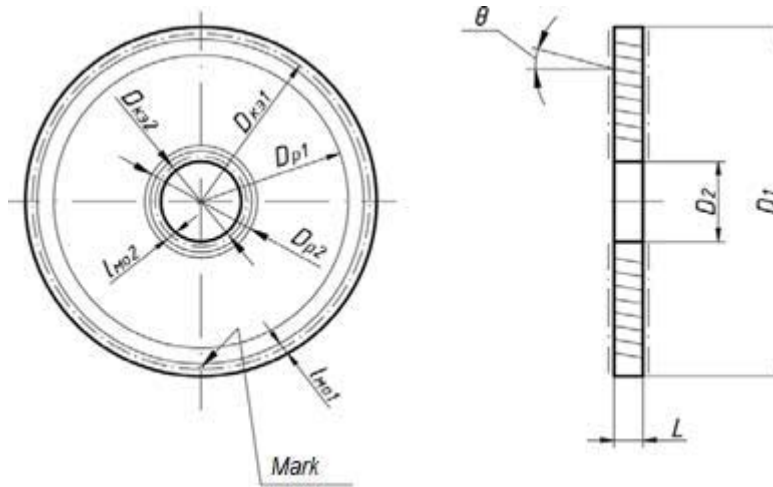
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| | MCP 36×36 | MCP 20×90 | MCP 100×100-15 |
| | Nominal value | | |
| Electrical ratings | | | |
| Nominal voltage at 10^4 gain, V | 1100 max | - | 1200 max |
| Gain at MCP voltage of 800 V, min | - | 1000 | - |
| MCP resistance, $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 0.5–5 | 0.5–2.5 | 0.2–10 |
| Dark current density, A/cm ² , max | 1×10^{-12} | - | 2×10^{-13} |

Microchannel plates with a shaped contact electrode



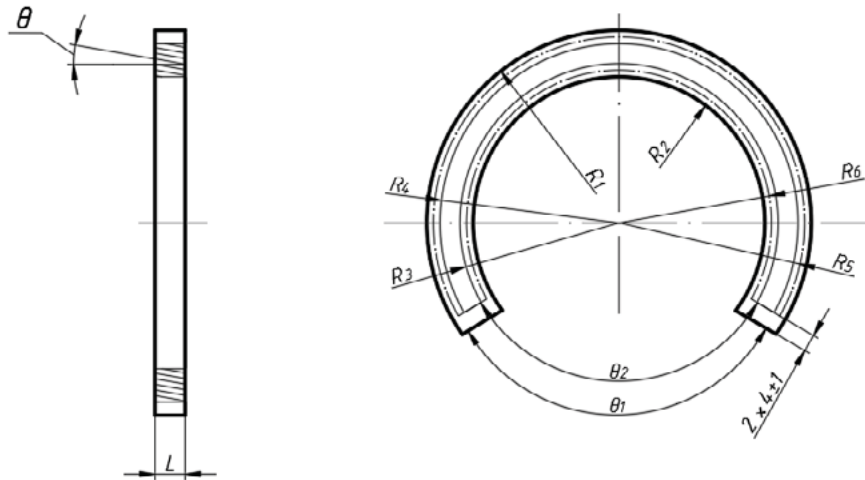
| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | |
|---|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| | Rimmed MCP 25-10 S | Rimmed MCP 25-12 S |
| Nominal value | | |
| Geometrics | | |
| Outer diameter D, mm | 32 | |
| Active area diameter, D _a , mm | 25.5 | |
| Contact electrode size, mm: | | |
| R1 | 13 | |
| R2 | 14.4 | |
| R3 | 15.5 | |
| b1 | 13 | |
| b2 | 6 | |
| Thickness L, mm | 0.38 0.46 | 0.46 |
| Channel bias angle θ , degrees | 8° | |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm | 0.045 | |
| End surface parallelism tolerance, mm | 0.02 | |
| Solid rim width, mm | 1.8 | |
| Rounding width (chamfer), mm | от 0.014 до 0.18 | |
| Structural parameters | | |
| Channel diameter, μm | 9.5 | 12 |
| Channel pitch, μm | от 12.1 до 12.9 от 11.5 до 15.6 | 15 |
| Contact electrode material | Chromium | |
| The mark indicates channel bias direction | Input | |
| Electrical ratings | | |
| Operating voltage at 10 ³ gain, V, max | 850 | |
| Nominal voltage at 10 ⁴ gain, V, max | 1200 | |
| MCP resistance, $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 1.0–5.0 | |

Microchannel plates with central hole



| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | |
|--|-------------------------|--------------|
| | MCP 35-15 CH | MCP 50-15 CH |
| | Nominal value | |
| Geometrics | | |
| Outer diameter D1, mm | 32.7 | 56 |
| Hole diameter D2, mm | 7.45 | 24 |
| Active area ring limited by D _{A1} -D _{A2} diameters, mm | 26.7-9 | 54.2-26.8 |
| Contact electrode ring limited by D _{C.E.1} -D _{C.E.2} diameters, mm | 31.8-8.1 | 50-28.5 |
| Thickness L, mm | 0.7 | 0.75 |
| Channel bias angle θ , degrees | от 5° до 9° | 7° |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm | 0.075 | |
| End surface parallelism tolerance, mm | 0.02 | |
| Solid rim width, mm | | |
| l _{sr1} | 1.5 | 1.8 |
| l _{sr2} | 0.75 | 1.8 |
| Rounding width (chamfer), mm | от 0.014 до 0.18 | |
| Structural parameters | | |
| Channel diameter, μm | 15 | |
| Channel pitch, μm | 19 | |
| Contact electrode material | Chromium | |
| The mark indicates channel bias direction | Input | |
| Electrical ratings | | |
| Nominal voltage at 10 ⁴ gain, V, max | 1100 | |
| MCP resistance, $\times 10^8$ Ohm | 1-10 | |
| Dark current density, A/cm ² , max | 2.2×10^{-13} | |

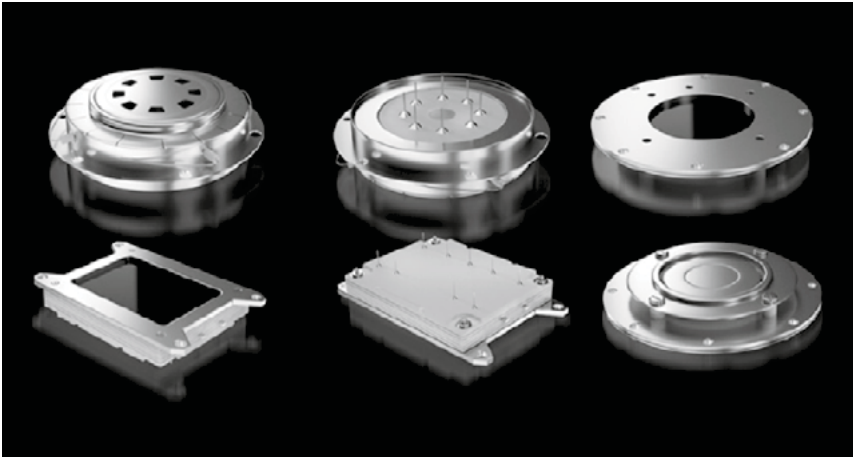
Microchannel plates with annular segment



| Parameter, unit | Microchannel plate type | |
|---|-------------------------|----------|
| | MCP 43.5LR | MCP 50LR |
| | Nominal value | |
| Geometrics | | |
| Outer radius R1, mm | 43.5 | 50 |
| Hole radius R2, mm | 33 | 17 |
| Active area radius, mm | | |
| R3 | 40.5 | 47 |
| R4 | 36 | 20 |
| Contact electrode radius, mm | | |
| R5 | 43.0 | 49.5 |
| R6 | 33.5 | 17.5 |
| Thickness L, mm | 1 | |
| Annular segment, degree | | |
| theta1 | 118° | 112° |
| theta2 | 118° | 112° |
| Channel bias angle theta, degrees | 8° | |
| End surface flatness tolerance, mm | 0.03 | |
| End surface parallelism tolerance, mm | 0.03 | |
| Solid rim, mm | None | |
| Rounding width (chamfer), mm | 0.13 | |
| Structural parameters | | |
| Channel diameter, µm | 25 | |
| Channel pitch, µm | 32 | |
| Contact electrode material | Chromium | |
| The mark indicates channel bias direction | Input | |
| Electrical ratings | | |
| Gain at MCP voltage 1000 V, min | 10000 | |
| MCP resistance, ×10 ⁶ Ohm | 4-6 | 5-11 |
| Gain uniformity, % | 30 | |

MICROCHANNEL PLATE DETECTORS

MCP detector consists of an assembly of two or more microchannel plates (MCPs). Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles.



VTC BASPIK detectors are manufactured with high quality microchannel plates of different sizes, shapes and technical parameters.

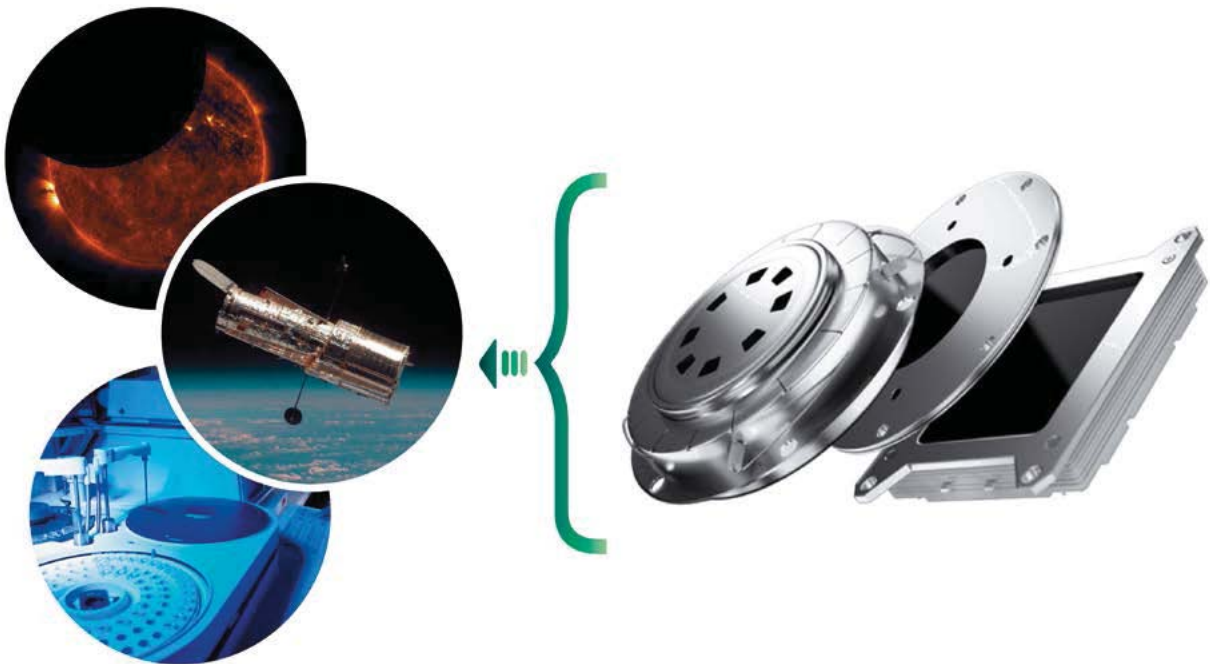
The following versions of the products are available:

- with 18, 25, 42, 48, 50, 78 mm active area diameter;
- single MCP, chevron stack and Z-stack;
- with metal anode, without anode, with phosphor screen;
- with a mesh in front of the MCP;
- assembled on a vacuum flange;
- with different MCP resistance.

The fundamental feature of VTC BASPIK detectors is the possibility of customized design and manufacture in accordance with customer technical requirements.

MCP detector applications:

- Astrophysics and space research
- Experimental nuclear physics
- Electron and ion microscopy
- Spectrometry
- Medical diagnosis and therapy



Space research

- Global real time monitoring of the Earth's surface from satellites in geostationary and highly elliptical orbits
- Searching of space debris
- Solar wind particle detection
- UV and X-ray detection
- Rare event detection
- Identification of the isotopic composition of solar and galactic particles in telescopic systems

Physical research

- Radiation detection in intensive magnetic fields
- Molecular beam experiments to study the potentials of intermolecular interactions
- Isotope analysis
- Spectroscopy
- Atomic collision physics experiments
- Research on high-energy differential ion and neutral particle scattering
- Nuclear physics research

Medical and pharmaceutical research

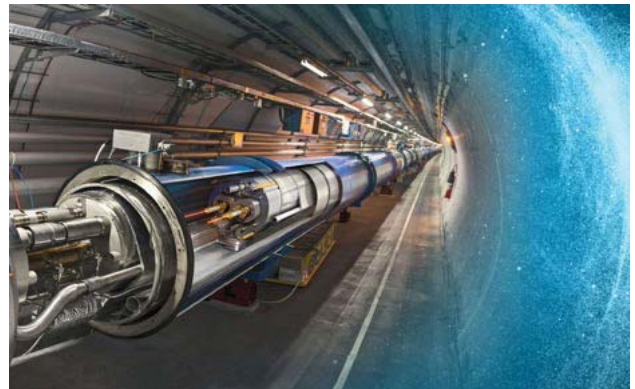
- Low-dose X-ray analysis
- Research of dynamics of visceral organs by obtaining a two-dimensional image of the subject
- Gas analysis for dangerous viral and bacterial infections
- Time-of-flight mass-spectrometry for new drug development and biomolecule recognition
- Ion beam profile control in accelerators in radiation therapy

Industrial applications

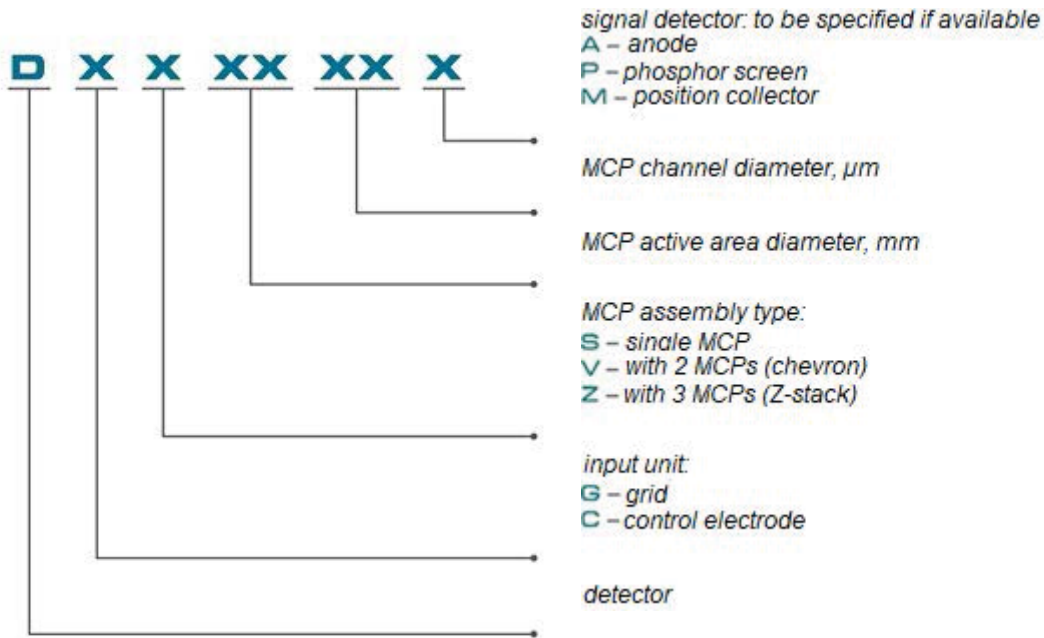
- Nondestructive analysis of three-dimensional compositions for the evaluation of semiconductor and nanostructural devices
- Microscope scanning in semiconductor manufacturing technology
- Surface elementary composition analysis

Application devices

- UV spectrometer
- X-ray telescope
- Cherenkov counter
- Energy analyzer
- Mass spectrometers (quadrupole and magnetic mass analyzers, laser desorption instruments)
- Positron-emission tomography scanner, radiotherapy devices
- Scanning electron microscopes (SEM)



Structure of the detector model notation



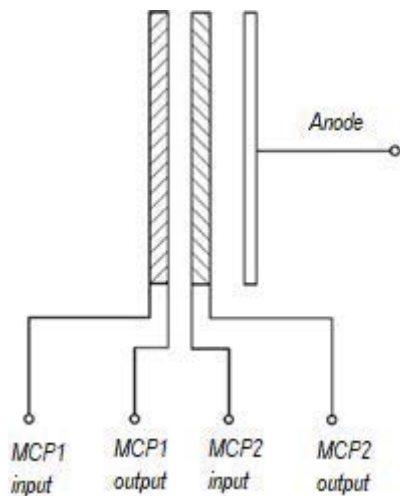
The detector is assembled with gaps between the microchannel plates (with separate power supply), which allows to obtain a gain of more than 1×10^7 (in chevron assemblies) and more than 1×10^9 (in Z-assemblies).

Electrode to lead connection diagram

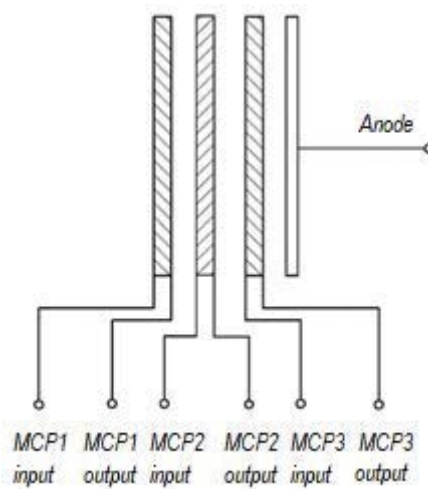
Detector assemblies of two and three MCPs can be assembled:

1. With gaps between the MCPs and separate power supply to each MCP

For chevron stack

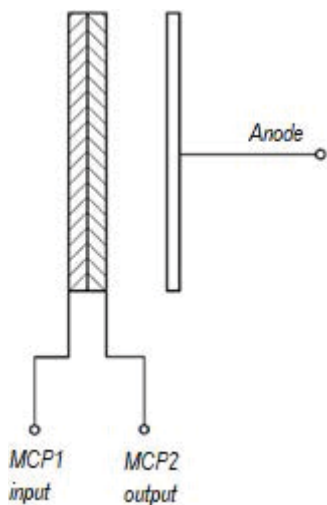


For Z-stack

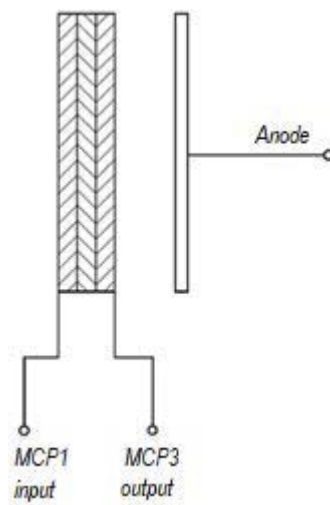


2. With superimposition of one MCP on the other with voltage applied to the input of the first MCP and the output of the last MCP

For chevron stack



For Z-stack



The first case provides a better single-electron pulse height distribution, while the second case simplifies the voltage divider circuit and lowers the overall supply voltage.

Extended Specification

MCP detectors

| Assembly type | Units | Single MCP | | | Chevron stack (with 2 MCPs) | | | Z-stack (with 3 MCPs) | | |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|--------------------------|------------|------------|
| Parameter | | DS2510 | DS5010 | DS5615 | DV2510 DV256 DV258 | DV5010 | DV5615 | DZ2510 DZ256 DZ258 | DZ5010 | DZ5615 |
| Active area | mm | 25 | 44 | 50 | 25 | 44 | 50 | 25 | 44 | 50 |
| Channel diameter | μm | 6, 8, 10 | 10 | 15 | 6, 8, 10 | 10 | 15 | 6, 8, 10 | 10 | 15 |
| Resistance | Ohm | $5 \times 10^7 \div 2 \times 10^8$ | | | | | | | | |
| Operating voltage | V | max. 1000 | | | max. 2800 | | | max. 3500 | | |
| Height of a detector with anode | mm | 12 | 17 | | 12 | 17 | | 17 | | |
| Height of detector with a phosphor screen | mm | 22 | | | 22 | | | 22 | | |
| Detector diameter | mm | max. 54 | max. 76 | max. 82 | max. 54 | max. 76 | max. 82 | max. 54 | max. 76 | max. 82 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution | % | exponent | | | max. 70 | max. 80 | max. 100 | max. 30 | | |
| Dark count rate density | count/ sec×cm ² | 3 max | | | | | | | | |
| Gain | | 1×10^4 min | | | 1×10^7 min | | | 1×10^8 min | | |
| Versions | | with metal anode and phosphor screen | | | | | | with metal anode | | |

Specification

Open DV251 0A detector

The detector is intended for the detection of particulate and electromagnetic radiation as a part of scientific and industrial equipment. The detector consists of a chevron stack of two MCPs, anode and ceramic-to-metal fittings.

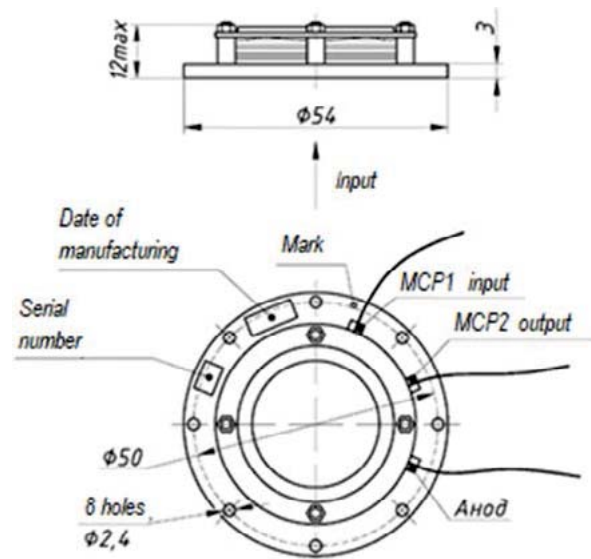
Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles.

The detector can be vacuum heated at 300°C. The detector can be operated in any position.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| MCP channel diameter | mm | 10 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 11–13 |
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 26 |
| Detector diameter, max | mm | 54 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 13 |
| MCP qty | pcs.. | 2 |



Electrical ratings

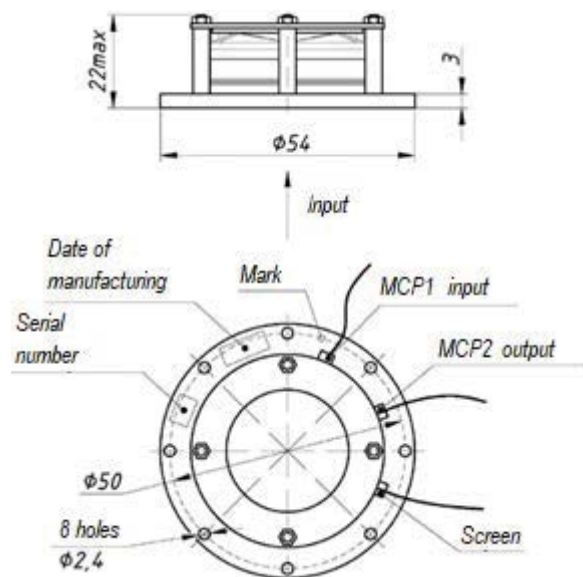
| Parameter | Unit | Value |
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| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 120 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 75–200 |
| MCP voltage at 1×10^7 gain | V | 2300 max |
| Operating pressure, max | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |

Specification

Open DV251 OP detector with phosphor screen

The detector is intended for the detection and visual observation of particulate and electromagnetic radiation as a part of scientific and industrial equipment. The detector consists of a chevron stack of two MCPs, a phosphor screen and ceramic-to-metal fittings. Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles with subsequent imaging of the amplified flux on the phosphor screen.

The detector can be vacuum heated at 300°C. The detector can be operated in any position.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 10 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 11–13 |
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 26 |
| Detector diameter, max | mm | 54 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 13 |
| MCP qty | pcs.. | 2 |

Electrical ratings

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--|------------------------------------|---|
| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 120 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 75–200 |
| MCP voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain | V | 2300 max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |
| MCP output-to-screen potential difference | V | 3500 max |

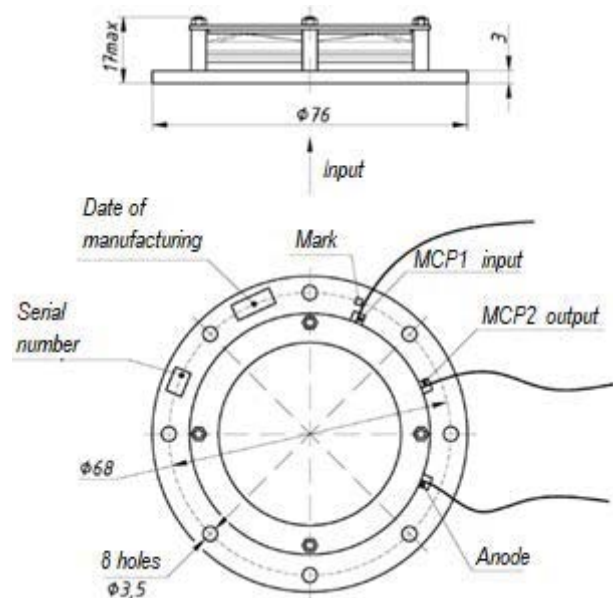
Specification

Open DV501 0A detector

The detector is intended for the detection of particulate and electromagnetic radiation as a part of scientific and industrial equipment. The detector consists of a chevron stack of two MCPs, anode and ceramic-to-metal fittings.

Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles.

The detector can be vacuum heated at 300°C. The detector can be operated in any position.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 10 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 11–13 |
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 42 |
| Detector diameter, max | mm | 76 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 17 |
| MCP qty | pcs.. | 2 |

Electrical ratings

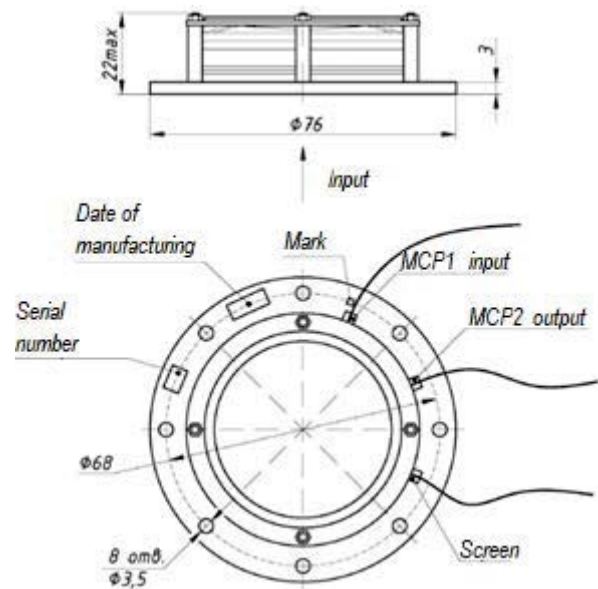
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| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 120 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 30–200 |
| MCP voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain | V | 2300 max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |

Specification

Open DV501 OP detector with phosphor screen

The detector is intended for the detection and visual observation of particulate and electro-magnetic radiation as a part of scientific and industrial equipment. The detector consists of a chevron stack of two MCPs, a phosphor screen and ceramic-to-metal fittings. Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles with subsequent imaging of the amplified flux on the phosphor screen.

The detector can be vacuum heated at 300°C. The detector can be operated in any position.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 10 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 11–13 |
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 42 |
| Detector diameter, max | mm | 76 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 20 |
| MCP qty | pcs.. | 2 |

Electrical ratings

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--|------------------------------------|---|
| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 120 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 30–200 |
| MCP voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain | V | 2300 max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |
| MCP output-to-screen potential difference | V | 3500 max |

Спецификация

Детектор DV5615A открытого типа

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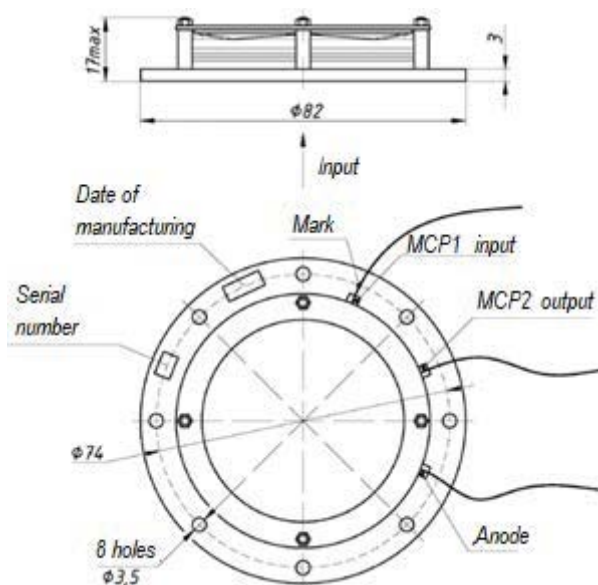
Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles.

The detector can be vacuum heated at 300°C. The detector can be operated in any position.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 15 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 7–10 |
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 48 |
| Detector diameter, max | mm | 82 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 17 |
| MCP qty | pcs.. | 2 |



Electrical ratings

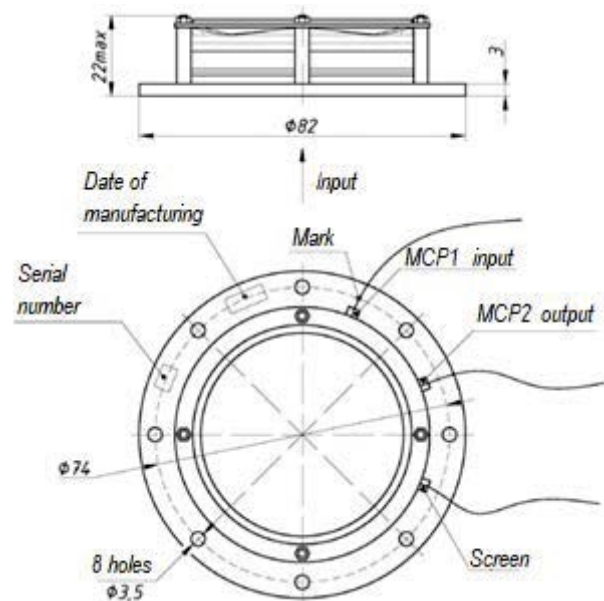
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| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 120 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 30–200 |
| MCP voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain | V | 2300 max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |

Specification

Open DV561 5P detector with phosphor screen

The detector is intended for the detection and visual observation of particulate and electro-magnetic radiation as a part of scientific and industrial equipment. The detector consists of a chevron stack of two MCPs, a phosphor screen and ceramic-to-metal fittings. Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles with subsequent imaging of the amplified flux on the phosphor screen.

The detector can be vacuum heated at 300°C. The detector can be operated in any position.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 15 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 7–10 |
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 48 |
| Detector diameter, max | mm | 82 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 21 |
| MCP qty | pcs. | 2 |

Electrical ratings

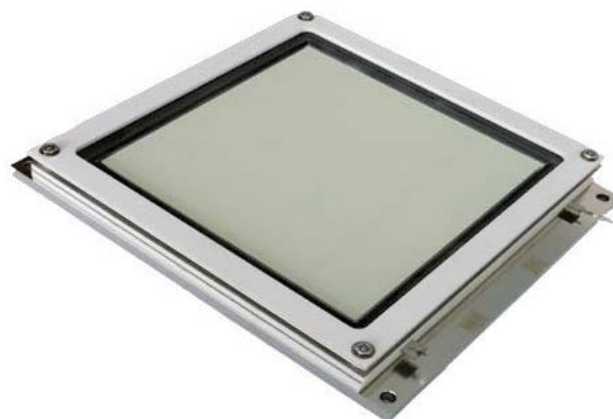
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| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 120 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 20–200 |
| MCP voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain | V | 2300 max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |
| MCP output-to-screen potential difference | V | 3500 max |

Specification

DV100X100P detector based on MCP chevron stack and phosphor screen

The detector is intended for charged particle detection and visual observation of fast processes as a part of scientific instruments.

Its operating principle relies on the detection and amplification of the primary flux of charged particles with subsequent excitation of the phosphor screen by the amplified flux of electrons



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|------------------------|---------------|---------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 15 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 6–10 |
| Active area dimensions | mm | 90×90 |
| Overall dimensions | mm | 136×116 |
| Detector height | mm | 23 max |
| MCP qty | pcs. | 2 |

Electrical ratings

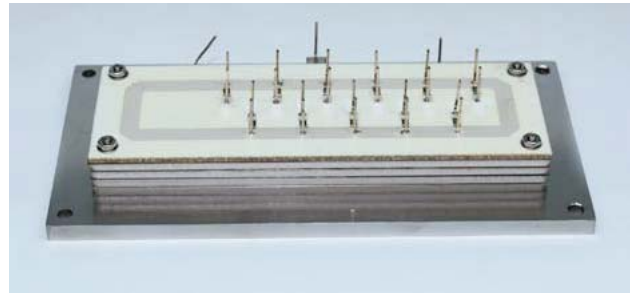
| Parameter | Unit | Value |
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| Gain | - | 1×10^7 min |
| MCP2 output to screen potential difference | V | 3500 max |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3, max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 20–100 |
| MCP assembly operating voltage | V | 2300, max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} , max |

Specification

20x90 MCP multianode position-sensitive detector

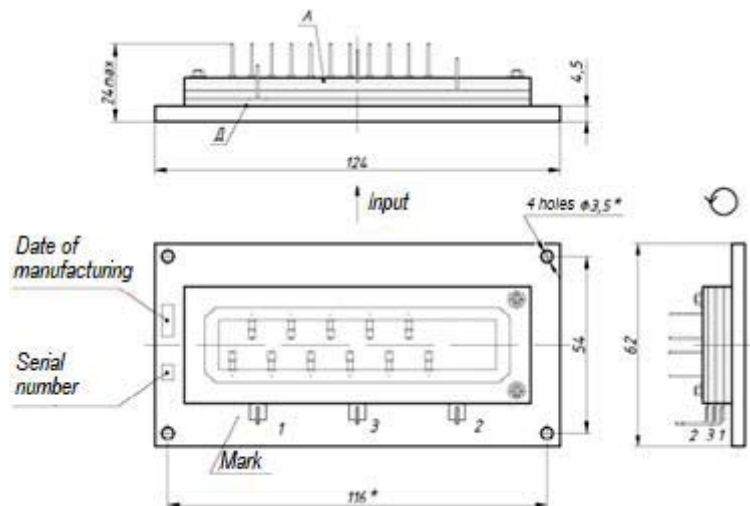
Open ceramic-to-metal detector based on two microchannel plates 20x90-10 MCPs and a multisection anode.

Field of application - in mass-spectrometers for medical diagnostics, pharmaceuticals, biosafety, oil and gas industry, nuclear energetics.



Geometrics

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| MCP channel diameter | μm | 9.5–10.5 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 11–13 |
| MCP working dimensions, min | mm | 15.0×85.0 |
| Detector dimensions, max | mm | 124×62 |
| Detector height, max | mm | 24 |
| MCP qty | pcs. | 2 |



Electrical ratings

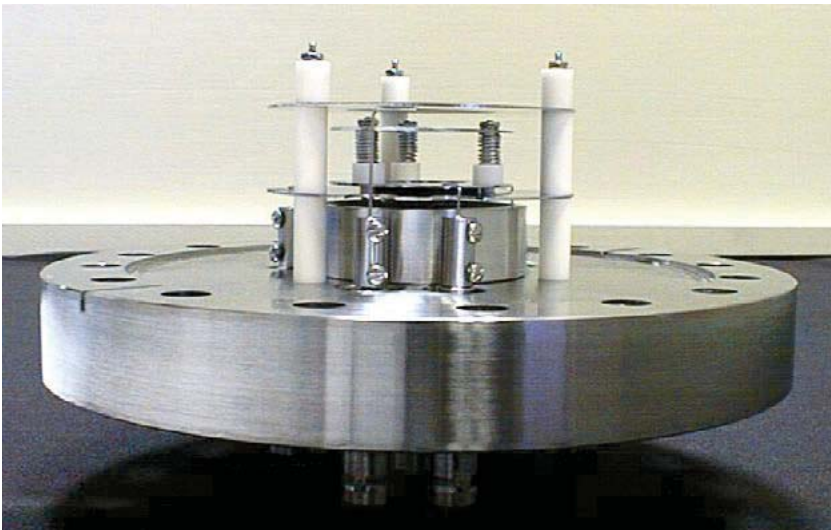
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| Gain | - | 1×10^7 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, max | % | 140 |
| Dark count rate density | count/sec \times cm ² | 3 max |
| MCP resistance | MOhm | 22 |
| MCP voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain | V | 2700 max |
| Operating pressure | Pa (Torr) | 1.3×10^{-4} (1×10^{-6}) |

Specification

Vacuum flange MCP detector

An open-type ceramic-to-metal detector based on microchannel plates and a metal anode mounted on a vacuum flange is designed for the detection of single pulses from low-energy electrons in an electron time-of-flight spectrograph.

The detector is mounted on a vacuum flange and connected to the coaxial vacuum leads so that the MCPs can be operated immediately after applying voltage. Flange type is CF-100 conflat. Wiring cables for voltage supply to the MCP are suitable vacuum-tight SHV/MHV. Cable for the output signal acquisition is BNC/SMA. Vacuum tightness of the flange assembly is not less than 10^{-7} mbar/Torr. A matched load of 50 ohms is used.



SECONDARY ELECTRON MULTIPLIERS:

electronic devices for amplifying (multiplying) the flow of electrons based on secondary electron emission

Open SEMs are vacuum tube devices which are used for direct detection of electromagnetic radiation or particles. The device is used in facilities operating under natural vacuum conditions (in space) and in high-vacuum measuring instruments at pressures which do not normally exceed 10^{-3} Pa.

Depending on their design, SEMs are divided into two main groups: (1) with discrete dynode systems in which electron fluxes are multiplied on separate electrodes which are dynodes, with potentials of dynodes in such SEMs increasing in a stepwise

manner, and (2) with distributed (continuous) dynode systems in which electron fluxes are multiplied along the surfaces with a continuous change in potential (channel electron multiplier, micro-channel plates).

VTC Baspik produces channel SEMs (SEM-6M and SEM-6G) and SEMs with a chevron stack of two MCPs (SEM-7B in various versions).

New version of a SEM

VTC Baspik has developed a secondary electron multiplier SEM-7B instead of the previously produced SEM-7M. For customer's convenience, SEM-7B is made in the same dimensions as the SEM-7M. A distinctive feature of the SEM-7B is the absence of organic-based glue in the design, which previously did not allow the product to be heated to temperatures above 200 °C negatively affecting the life time of the product. The SEM-7B uses a special soldered ceramic-to-metal housing, into which a chevron MCP assembly is mounted and secured mechanically by a retaining ring. The design allows the product to be heated in vacuum at 300°C, if necessary. The MCPs are end-to-end stacked in a chevron, i.e. the voltage applied to the assembly is common: the input of the first MCP and the output of the second MCP. This reduces the maximum supply voltage of SEM from 2800 V to 2600 V and simplifies the design of the voltage divider. The typical supply voltage is 2200 V.

Specification

SEM-7B secondary electron multiplier

SEM-7B secondary electron multiplier with 25 mm active area diameter is intended for the detection of particulate and other short-wave-length electromagnetic fluxes as part of scientific and industrial equipment, including space instruments.

Rimmed microchannel plates 25-10A MCPs with 33 mm overall diameter, 25 mm active area diameter and 10 μm channel diameter are used in this device.



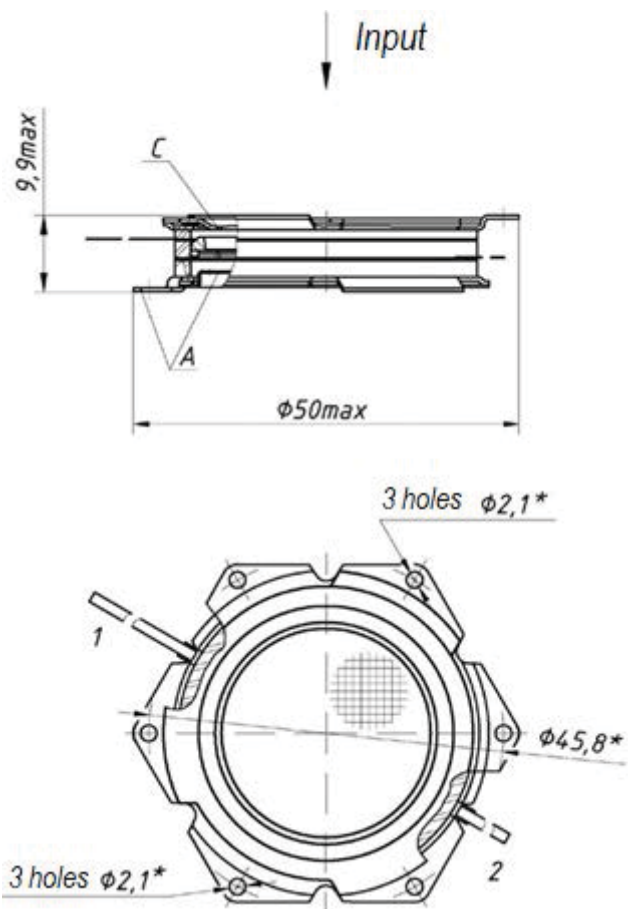
Basic parameters

| Parameter, unit | Value | |
|--|-------|------|
| | min | max |
| Supply voltage at $\geq 1 \times 10^7$ gain, V | | 2300 |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, % | | 120 |
| Dark count rate density, count/sec \times cm^2 | | 3 |
| Strip current of MCP assembly at MCP supply voltage of 2000 V, μA | 5 | 25 |
| Mass, g | | 22 |

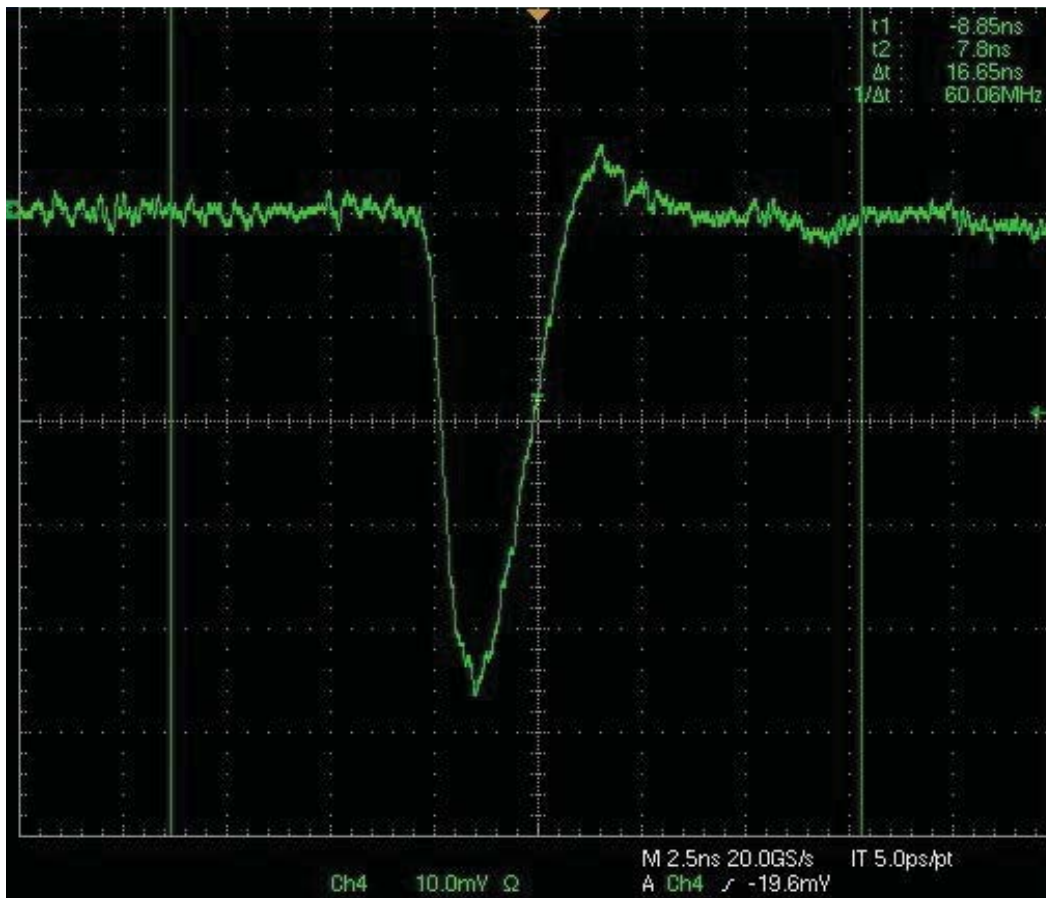
Overall dimensions

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|-------------------|---------------|-------|
| Maximum diameter | mm | 50 |
| Height | mm | 9.9 |
| Input window area | cm^2 | 5 |

Electrode to lead connection diagram



SEM-7B detector pulse type



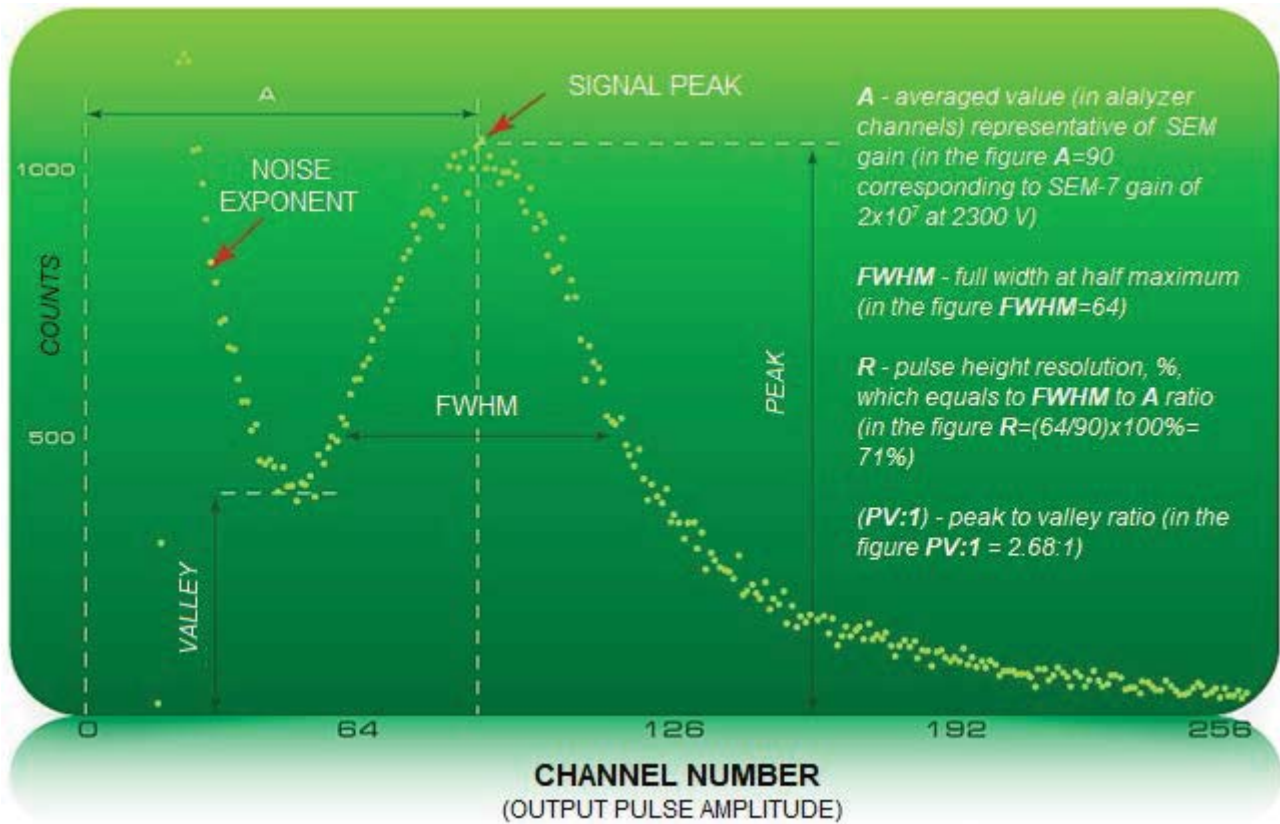
Reference data

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|-----------------------------------|------|---------|
| Pulse leading edge rise time | ns | 0.6–0.7 |
| Full width at half maximum (FWHM) | ns | 1.5–2 |

Resistance to environmental conditions

| Parameter | Value |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Sinusoidal vibration | acceleration amplitude of $200 \text{ m} \times \text{sec}^{-2}$ (20g) in 100÷3000 Hz range |
| Linear acceleration | acceleration amplitude of $200 \text{ m} \times \text{sec}^{-2}$ (20g) |
| Operating temperature | $\pm 50 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| Transportation temperature | + 60, - 60 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| Maximum temperature of vacuum heating | 300 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| Reliability: operating life | 10 000 hours |

Typical single-electron pulse height distribution of SEM-7B with two MCPs



Parameters of the applied MCP

| Parameter | Unit | Value |
|--------------------------|---------------|-------|
| MCP active area diameter | mm | 25 |
| Channel diameter | μm | 10 |
| Channel bias angle | degree | 11÷13 |

Available versions of SEM-7B

- With a grid in the control electrode and a metal anode
- With a control electrode and a metal anode
- With a grid in the control electrode (without an anode)
- With a control electrode (without an anode)

Specification

SEM-6 secondary electron multiplier

SEM-6 channel-type secondary electron multiplier with electrostatic electron focusing and open input is intended for the detection of charged and neutral particles, UV and soft X-rays.

Its design features are the following: open input, 9 mm input window.

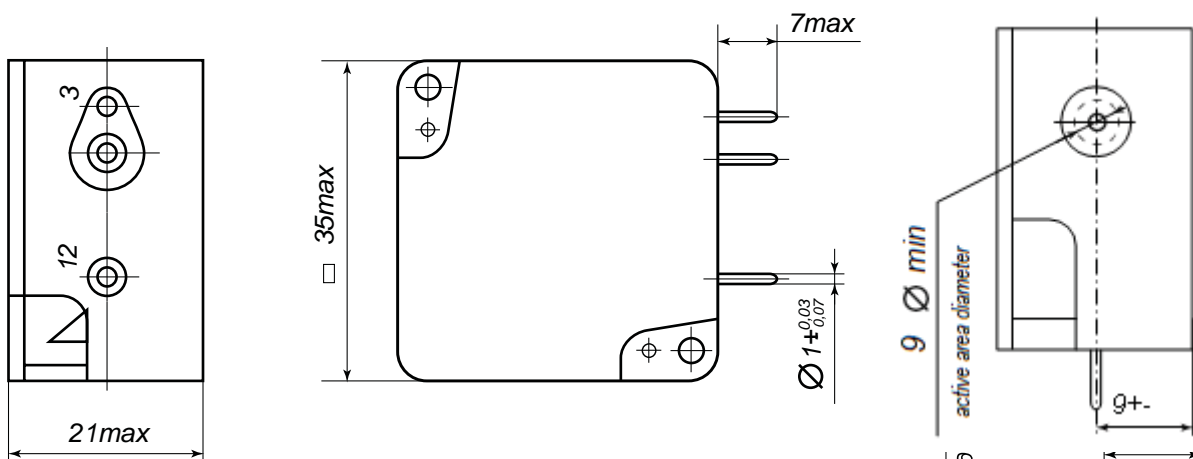
One dynode is used.

SEM-6 channel is a thin tube with inner diameter of about 1.5 mm bent at a radius of 5 mm. The channel expands with a 65° cone to a diameter of 10 mm at the input end.



It is available in two versions - with adhesive or mechanical attachment of the multiplier and leads to the housing. SEM-6G version has an input grid.

Electrode to lead connection diagram



- 1 – SEM input
- 2 – Anode
- 3 – SEM output

Lead numbering is arbitrary

Electrical ratings

| Parameter, unit | Value | |
|---|-----------------|-----|
| | min | max |
| Gain at ≤ 300 V | 1×10^8 | – |
| Pulse height resolution at count rate of up to 1×10^4 counts/sec and U corresponding to 1×10^8 gain | – | 0.5 |
| Dark count rate, count/sec | – | 0.5 |
| Channel supply current at 4000 V, μ A | 5 | 20 |

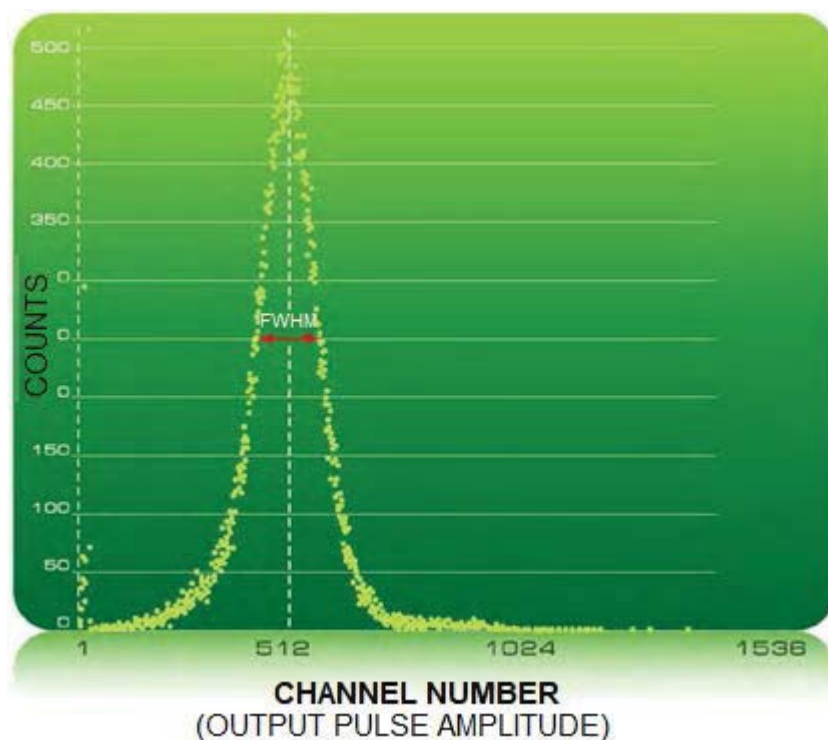
Electrical ratings changing during operation

| Parameter, unit | Value, max |
|---|------------|
| Pulse height resolution at count rate of up to 1×10^4 counts/sec and $U \leq 3300$ V | 0,8 |
| Increase of supply voltage at 1×10^8 gain, % | 15 |

Absolute maximum ratings

| Parameter, unit | Value, max |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Gain | 7×10^8 |
| Supply voltage, V | 4000 |
| Average output current, μ A | 1 |
| Count rate, count/sec | 10^5 |

Typical single-electron pulse height distribution of SEM-7B with two MCPs



A – the average value (in analyzer channels), which characterizes the gain of SEM (in the figure $A=445$, which corresponds to the gain of SEM-6 of 1×10^8 at a voltage of 2200 V)

FWHM – full width at half maximum (in the figure $FWHM = 139$).

R – pulse height resolution (%) which equals to the ratio of **FWHM** to **A** (in the figure $R=(445/139) \times 100\%=31,2\%$)

PHOTOMULTIPLIER TUBES (PMT)

Photomultiplier tube (PMT) is a vacuum tube device in which light flux ranging from infrared to ultraviolet spectrum is converted into a flux of electrons with further amplification.

For the detection of very weak light signals the photon counting method is used to acquire maximum information. Discrete dynode PMTs, MCP-PMTs, avalanche diodes, hybride PMTs are typically used as photon counting detectors. Among these types of detectors MCP-PMTs from VTC Baspik have the advantage of fast response, low dark count rate, increased surface area, low power consumption, and stable operation under the exposure to magnetic fields.

Typical applications

- In nuclear physics as a scintillation counter component
- In laser and television devices
- In optical instruments
- For low-level radiation detection
- In nondestructive inspection aids as a detector in scanners for X-ray film digitization

PMT with a built-in voltage divider

PMTs with a built-in voltage divider are in some cases more convenient for operation. A resistive voltage divider is mounted on the PMT vacuum unit, which provides the necessary electrode potentials of the device.

MCP-PMT which are photon counting devices with a built-in voltage divider are available in two versions:

- Sapphire-2AM for UV spectrum
- Topaz-M for visible light

PMTs can be supplied as vacuum units or with a voltage divider built into the same housing as the vacuum unit.

Specification

Topaz-M photon counting MCP-PMT

Topaz-M MCP-PMT with a built-in voltage divider is designed for the detection and amplification of optical signals in the visible light spectrum and provides operation in photon counting mode.

PMT vacuum unit has a bialkali antimony-potassium-sodium photocathode, a chevron stack of two MCPs and a metal anode. Its construction parts form an immersion lens that focuses photoelectrons to the first MCP input. A resistive voltage divider is mounted on the vacuum unit, providing the necessary PMT electrode potentials. The entire device is housed and sealed with a compound. Attached to the output end of the envelope is a 50-Ohm SMA output connector for signal acquisition and a high voltage SHV connector for power supply.



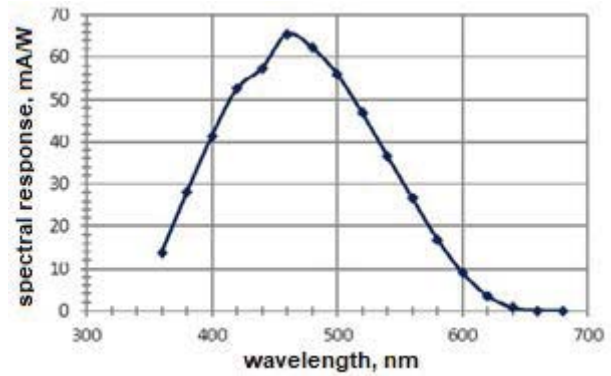
Basic technical characteristics

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|---|------------|
| Spectral response range, nm | 300– 650 |
| Integral sensitivity, $\mu\text{A}/\text{lm}$ | 35 min |
| Spectral response at $\lambda = 420 \text{ nm}$, mA/W | 45 min |
| Photocathode active area diameter, mm | 17 |
| Gain at MCP voltage of 3300 V max | 10^6 min |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, % | 110 max |
| Peak-to-valley ratio | 10 min |
| Dark count rate density (at 25°C), $\text{count}/\text{sec}\times\text{cm}^2$ | 40 max |
| Anode current pulse duration (FWHM), ns | 1.2 max |
| Anode current pulse rise time, ns | 0.8 max |
| Mass, g | 50 max |

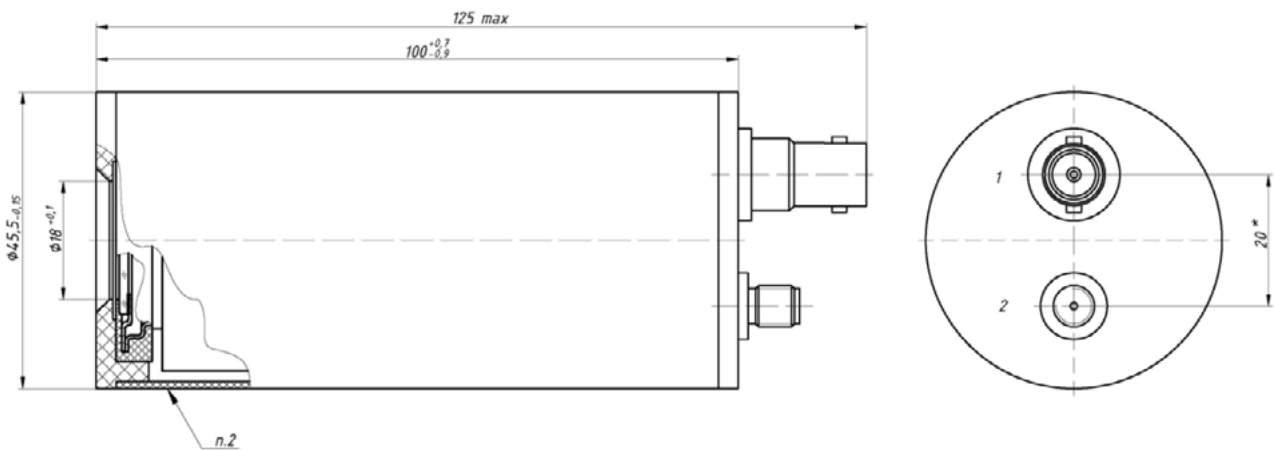
Absolute maximum ratings

| Parameter, unit | Normal value, max |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Supply voltage, V | 3400 |
| Count rate, kHz: | |
| – Long-term – 7000 hours | 300 |
| – Short-term – 1 hour | 15 000 |

Typical spectral response of Topaz-M photocathode



Electrode voltage supply layout



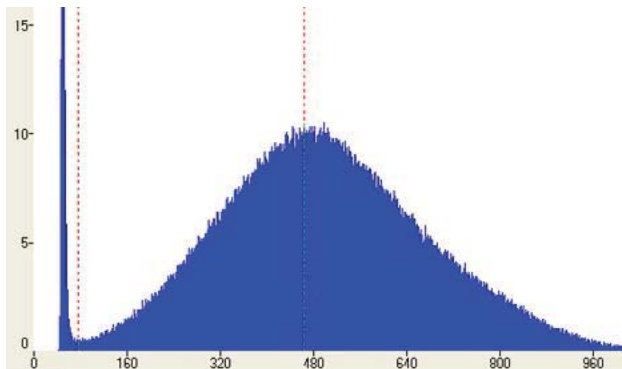
Lead designation

1. Power-supply voltage from 2400 to 3300 V.
2. Signal output

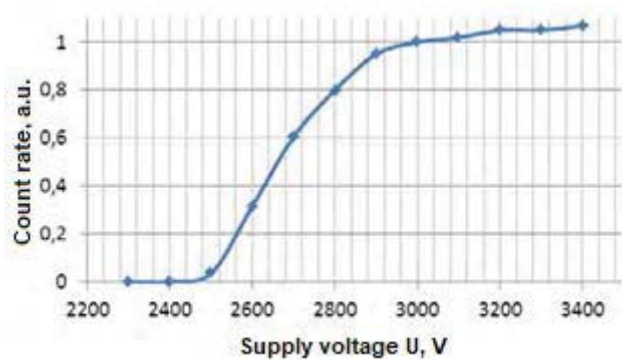
Notes:

1. Reference dimensions.
2. Marking position:
 - In the first line - the product name;
 - In the second line - date of manufacture (the last two digits of the year and two digits of the month) and the product number.
3. Lead numbering is arbitrary.

Single-electron output pulse height distribution



Topaz-M PMT counting response



Admissible environmental conditions

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|---|------------|
| Sinusoidal vibration: | |
| – frequency range, Hz | 10-80 |
| – acceleration amplitude, $m \times sec^{-2}$ (g) | 50 (5) |
| High ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | 50 |
| – limiting, °C | 60 |
| Low ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | - 50 |
| – limiting, °C | - 60 |
| Temperature variation, °C | - 50 to 50 |

Specification

Topaz photon counting MCP-PMT Sapphire-2AM

Sapphire-2AM MCP-PMT with a built-in voltage divider is designed for the detection and amplification of optical signals in the UV spectrum and provides operation in photon counting mode.

PMT vacuum unit has a cesium-telluride photocathode, a chevron stack of two MCPs and a metal anode. Its construction parts form an immersion lens that focuses photoelectrons to the first MCP input. A resistive voltage divider is mounted on the vacuum unit, providing the necessary PMT electrode potentials. The entire device is housed and sealed with a compound. Attached to the output end of the envelope is a 50-Ohm SMA output connector for output signal acquisition and a high-voltage SHV connector for the power supply.



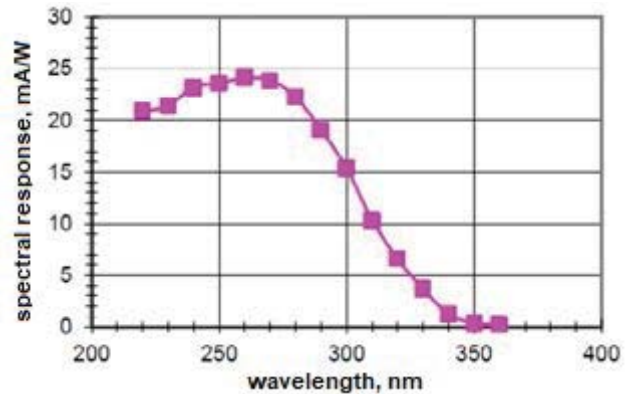
Basic technical characteristics

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|---|------------|
| Spectral response range, nm | 115– 360 |
| Spectral response at $\lambda = 250$ nm, mA/W | 20 min |
| Photocathode active area diameter, mm | 15 |
| Gain at MCP voltage of 3300 V max | 10^6 min |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, % | 110 max |
| Peak-to-valley ratio | 10 min |
| Dark count rate density, count/sec \times cm ² | 10 max |
| Anode current pulse duration (FWHM), ns | 1.2 max |
| Anode current pulse rise time, ns | 0.8 max |
| Mass, g | 50 max |

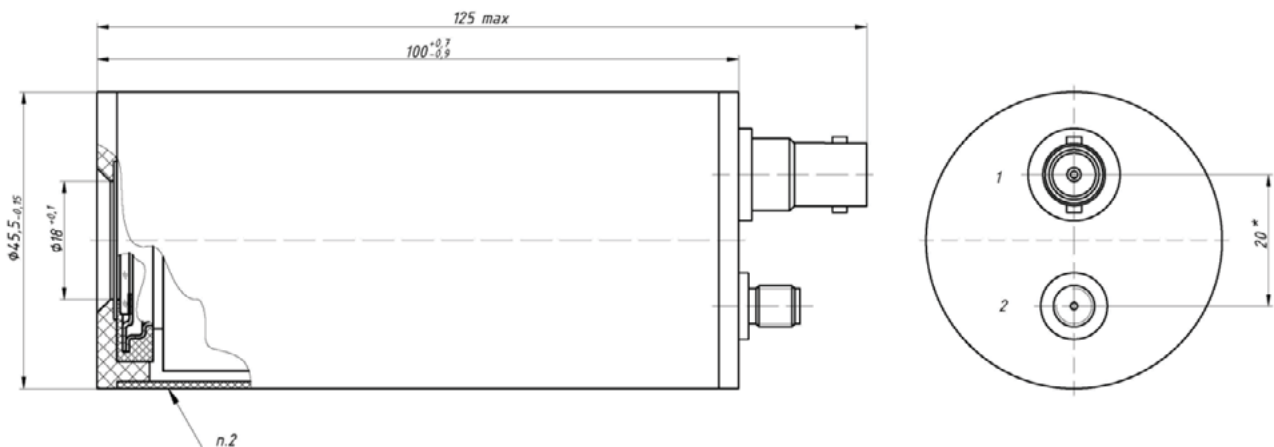
Absolute maximum ratings

| Parameter, unit | Normal value, max |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Supply voltage, V | 3400 |
| Count rate, kHz: | |
| – Long-term – 15000 hours | 300 |
| – Short-term – 1 hour | 40 000 |

Typical spectral response of a cesium-telluride photocathode



Electrode voltage supply layout



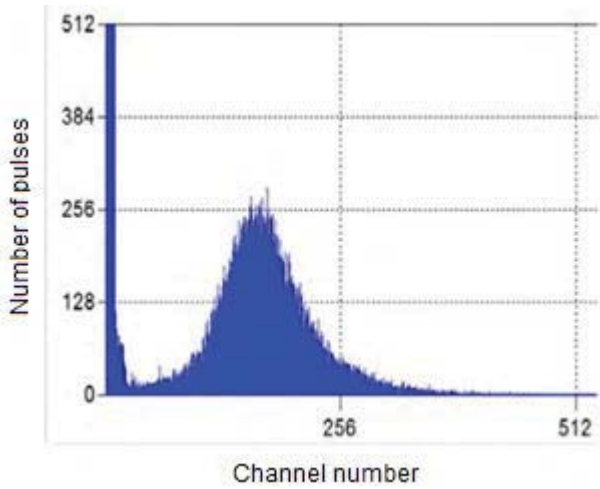
Lead designation

1. Power-supply voltage from 2400 to 3300 V.
2. Signal output

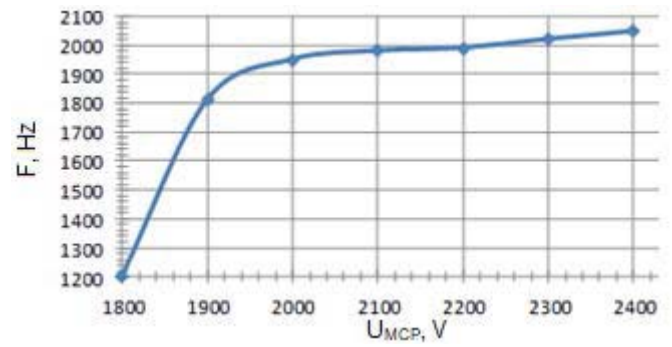
Notes:

1. Reference dimensions.
2. Marking position:
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 - In the second line - date of manufacture (the last two digits of the year and two digits of the month) and the product number.
3. Lead numbering is arbitrary.

Single-electron output pulse height distribution



Sapphire-2AM PMT counting response



Admissible environmental conditions

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|---|-----------|
| Sinusoidal vibration: | |
| – frequency range, Hz | 10–80 |
| – acceleration amplitude, m×sec ⁻² (g) | 50 (5) |
| High ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | 50 |
| – limiting, °C | 60 |
| Low ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | - 50 |
| – limiting, °C | -60 |
| Temperature variation, °C | -50 to 50 |

Specification

Topaz photon counting MCP-PMT

MCP photomultiplier tube (MCP-PMT) Topaz is designed for the detection and amplification of visible light in 300-650 nm wavelength range and enables operation in photon counting mode. Structurally, Topaz MCP-PMT is a metal-glass vacuum unit with an insulating coating, containing a bi-alkali antimony-potassium-sodium photocathode, a chevron stack of two micro-channel plates, and a metal anode. The electrons are focused from the photocathode to the MCP input by the electrostatic lens field.

It can be used as a Cherenkov detector. Since PMT is thermally stable up to 150 °C, it can be used in devices operating under high climatic loads.



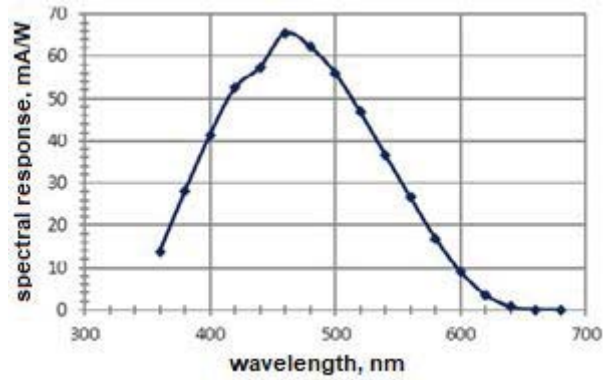
Basic technical characteristics

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|--|------------|
| Spectral response range, nm | 300– 650 |
| Integral sensitivity, $\mu\text{A}/\text{lm}$ | 35 min |
| Spectral response at $\lambda = 420 \text{ nm}$, mA/W | 45 min |
| Photocathode active area diameter, mm | 17 |
| Gain at MCP voltage of 2400 V max | 10^6 min |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, % | 110 max |
| Dark count rate density, $\text{count}/\text{sec}\times\text{cm}^2$ | 40 max |
| Peak-to-valley ratio | 10 min |
| Anode current pulse duration (FWHM), ns | 1.2 max |
| Anode current pulse rise time, ns | 0.8 max |
| Mass, g | 50 max |

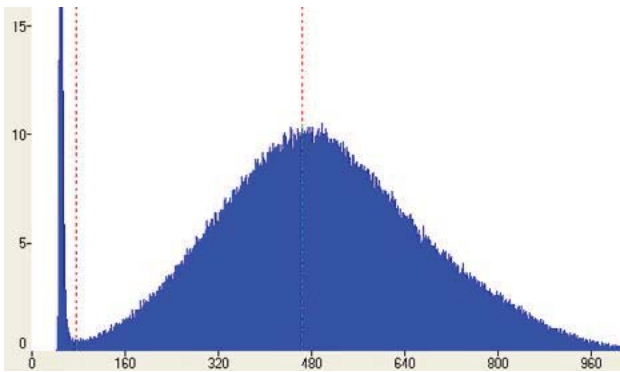
Absolute maximum ratings

| Parameter, unit | Normal value, max |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Supply voltage, V | 3400 |
| Count rate, kHz: | |
| – Long-term – 7000 hours | 300 |
| – Short-term – 1 hour | 15 000 |

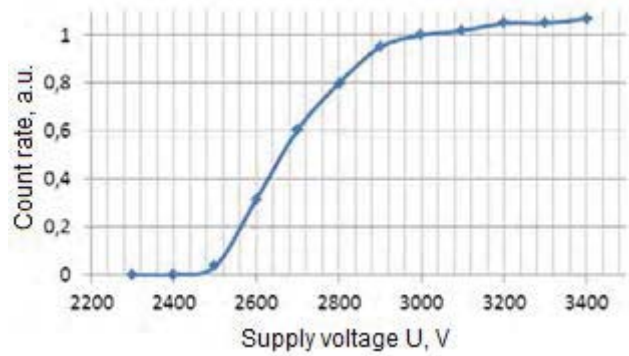
Typical spectral response of Topaz PMT photocathode



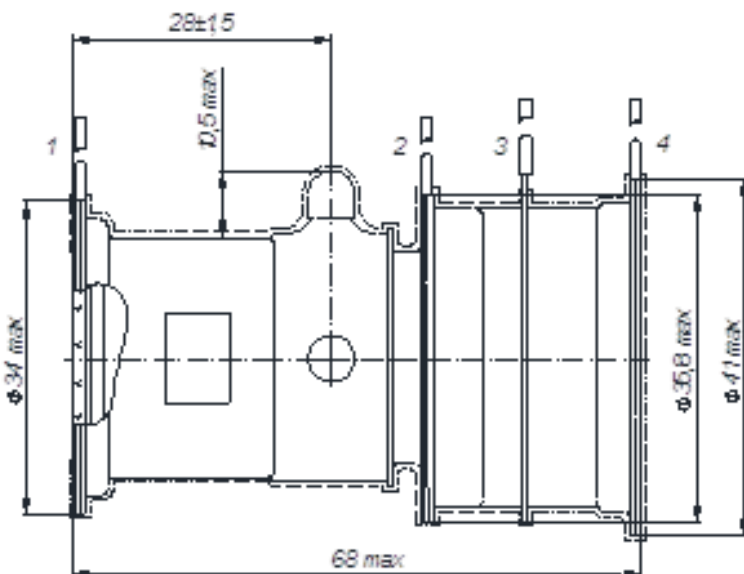
Single-electron output pulse height distribution



Topaz PMT counting response

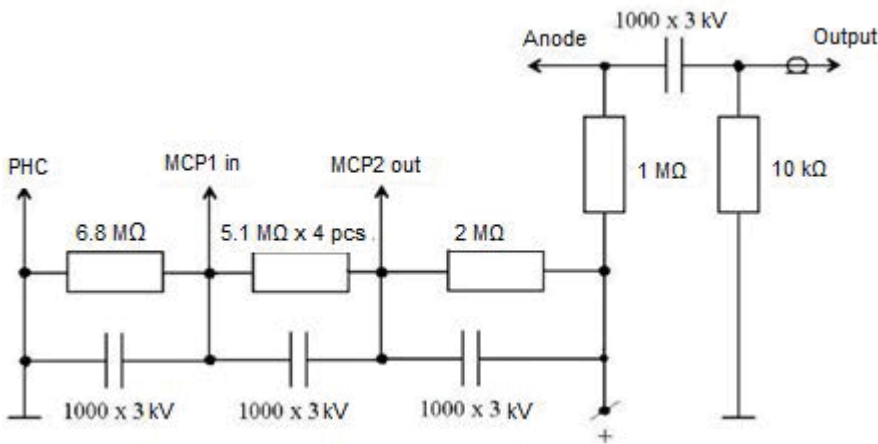


Electrode voltage supply layout



| Lead number | Electrode | Electrode voltage, V |
|-------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Photocathode | 0 |
| 2 | Multiplier input | 700 |
| 3 | Multiplier output | 2800 |
| 4 | Anod | 2900 |

Recommended voltage divider circuit



Admissible environmental conditions

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|--|-------------|
| Sinusoidal vibration: | |
| – frequency range, Hz | 10–500 |
| – acceleration amplitude, $\text{m}\times\text{sec}^{-2}$ (g) | 50 (5) |
| Repeated mechanical shock: | |
| – shock acceleration peak value, $\text{m}\times\text{sec}^{-2}$ (g) | 150 (15) |
| – duration, ms | 6 ± 2 |
| – number of shocks | 5000 |
| Single-action mechanical shock: | |
| – shock acceleration peak value, $\text{m}\times\text{sec}^{-2}$ (g) | 2943 (300) |
| – duration, ms | 1–3 |
| – number of shocks | 6 |
| High ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | 50 |
| – limiting, °C | 60 |
| Low ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | - 50 |
| – limiting, °C | - 60 |
| Temperature variation, °C | - 50 to 150 |
| High air humidity at 25° C, % | 98 |

Specification

Sapphire-2AM photon counting MCP-PMT

MCP photomultiplier tube (MCP-PMT) Sapphire-2A photomultiplier tube is designed for the detection and amplification of UV light in 115-360 nm wavelength range and enables operation in photon counting mode.

Structurally, Sapphire-2A MCP-PMT is a metal-glass vacuum unit with an electroinsulating coating, containing a cesium-telluride photocathode on a magnesium fluoride substrate, a chevron stack of two microchannel plates, and a metal anode. The electrons are focused from the photocathode to the MCP input by the electrostatic lens field. It can be used as a Cherenkov detector.



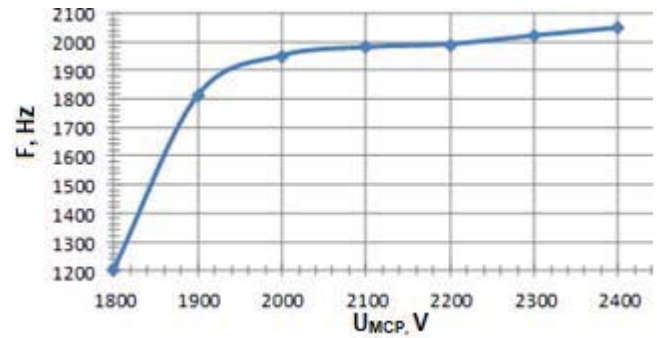
Basic technical characteristics

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|---|------------|
| Spectral response range, nm | 115– 360 |
| Spectral response at $\lambda = 250$ nm, mA/W | 20 min |
| Photocathode active area diameter, mm | 15 |
| Gain at MCP voltage of 2400 V max | 10^6 min |
| Single electron pulse height resolution, % | 100 max |
| Peak-to-valley ratio | 10 min |
| Dark count rate density, count/sec \times cm ² | 5 max |
| Anode current pulse duration (FWHM), ns | 1.1 max |
| Anode current pulse rise time, ns | 0.8 max |
| Mass, g | 50 max |

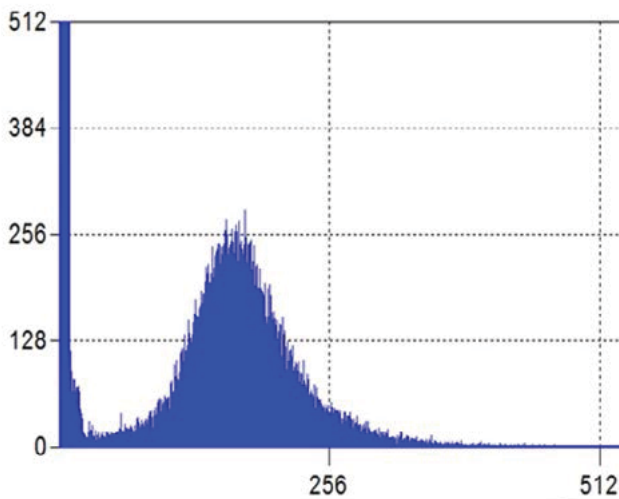
Absolute maximum ratings

| Parameter, unit | Normal value, max |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Supply voltage, V | 3400 |
| Count rate, kHz: | |
| – Long-term – 15 000 hours | 300 |
| – Short-term – 1 hour | 40 000 |

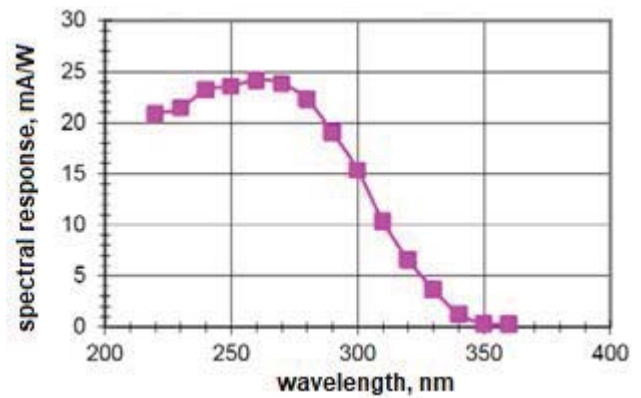
Sapphire-2AM PMT counting response



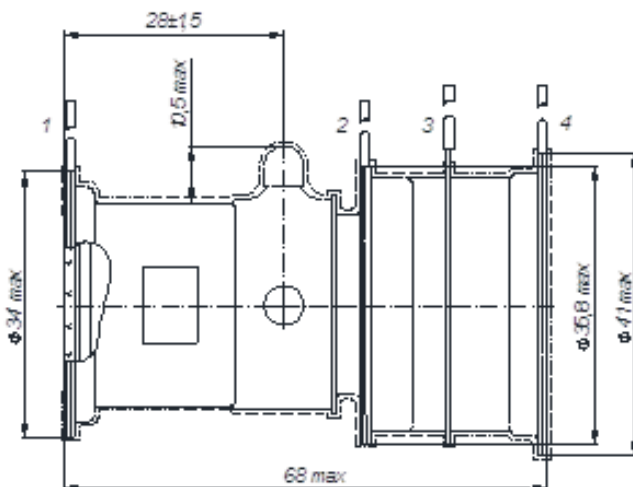
Single-electron output pulse height distribution



Typical spectral response of a cesium-telluride photocathode

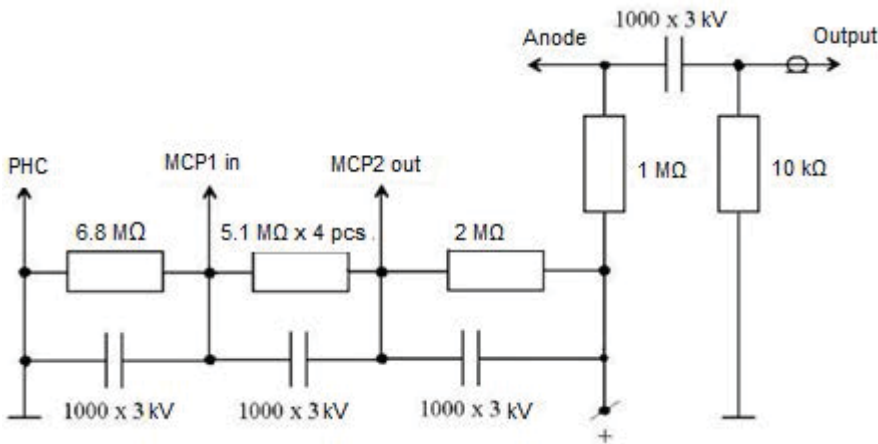


Electrode voltage supply layout



| Lead number | Electrode | Electrode voltage, V |
|-------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Photocathode | 0 |
| 2 | Multiplier input | 700 |
| 3 | Multiplier output | 2800 |
| 4 | Anod | 2900 |

Recommended voltage divider circuit



Admissible environmental conditions

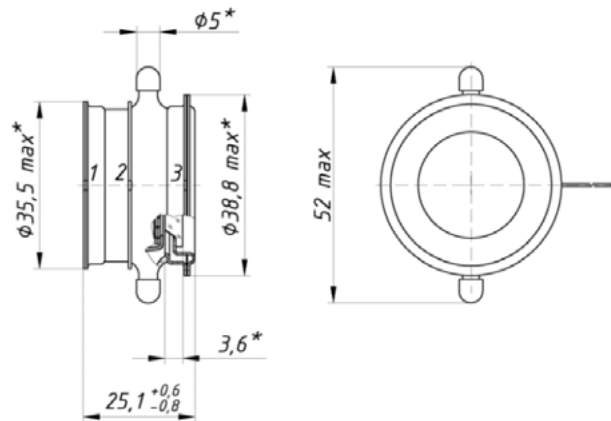
| Parameter, unit | Value |
|--|------------|
| Sinusoidal vibration: | |
| – frequency range, Hz | 10–500 |
| – acceleration amplitude, $m \times sec^{-2}$ (g) | 50 (5) |
| Repeated mechanical shock: | |
| – shock acceleration peak value, $m \times sec^{-2}$ (g) | 150 (15) |
| – duration, ms | 6 ± 2 |
| – number of shocks | 5000 |
| Single-action mechanical shock: | |
| – shock acceleration peak value, $m \times sec^{-2}$ (g) | 2943 (300) |
| – duration, ms | 1–3 |
| – number of shocks | 6 |
| High ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | 50 |
| – limiting, °C | 60 |
| Low ambient temperature: | |
| – operating, °C | - 50 |
| – limiting, °C | - 60 |
| Temperature variation, °C | - 50 to 50 |
| High air humidity at 25° C, % | 98 |

Specification

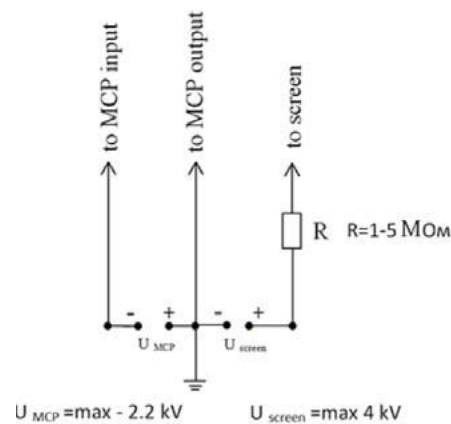
Zircon-R soft X-ray detector



The detector is a glass-to-metal vacuum unit coated with an electrically insulating composition. The assembly includes a 0.15 mm thick beryllium foil input window, a chevron stack of two MCPs (enabling operation in the single photon counting mode), a CsI photocathode applied to the input surface of the first MCP, a yellow-green light emitting screen on a glass disk, and a getter. Vacuum X-ray detector is intended for the detection, amplification and imaging in soft X-ray range. It can be used in X-ray spectrometry and microscopy.



Recommended power supply circuit



Basic technical characteristics

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|--|----------------------|
| Photocathode active area diameter, mm | 18 |
| Gain at MCP voltage of 2200 V max | 10^6 min |
| Dark count rate density, count/sec \times cm $^{-2}$ | 10 max |
| Minimum energy of the detected X-ray photons, keV | 1,5* |
| MCP assembly output-to-screen voltage, V | 300** min |
| MCP assembly output-to-screen voltage, V voltage, V | 2500 min 4000 max |

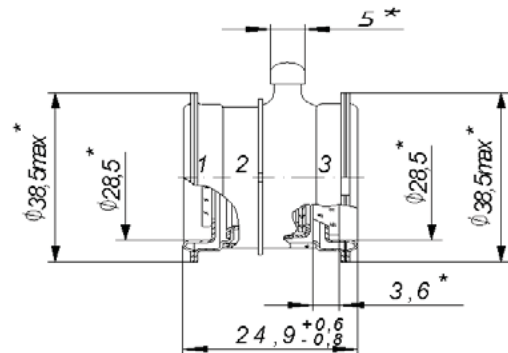
Notes:

* Provided by the product design.

** 300V voltage is applied to determine X-ray radiation characteristics by counting pulses without imaging.

Specification

Vacuum UV detector Zircon

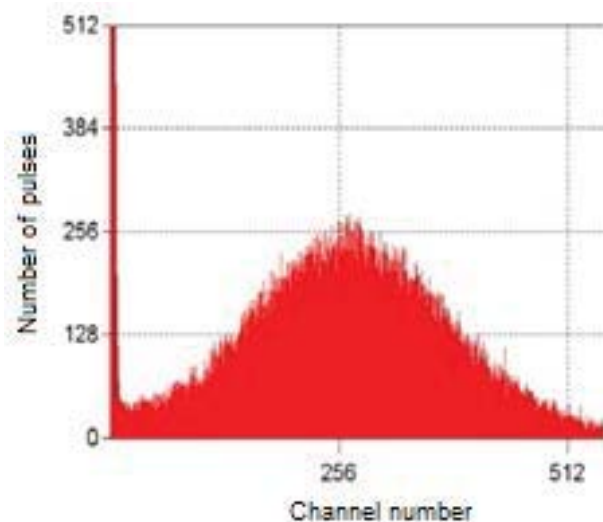


MCP-based vacuum detector with a magnesium fluoride input window and a yellow-green emitting phosphor screen on glass. The detector consists of two chevron MCPs providing operation in photon counting mode. A cesium iodide photocathode is deposited on the input surface of the first MCP to increase the UV sensitivity. The detector is intended for detection, intensity measurement and, if necessary, imaging of far ultraviolet radiation.

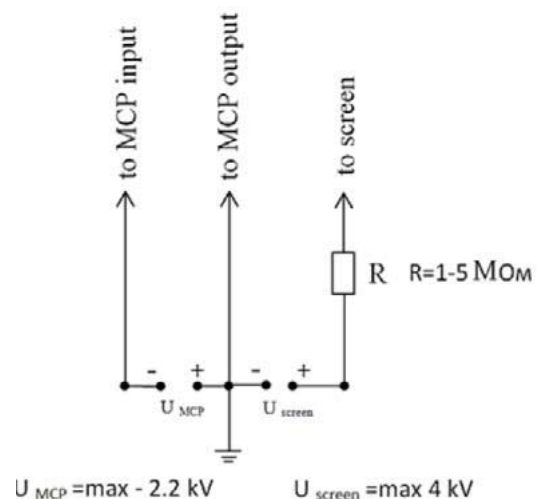
Basic technical characteristics

| Parameter, unit | Value |
|--|------------|
| Spectral response range, nm | 115–210 |
| Photocathode active area diameter, mm | 18 min |
| Pulse height resolution, % | 100 max |
| Gain (at MCP voltage 2200 V max) | 10^6 min |
| Dark count rate, $\text{sec}^{-1}\text{cm}^{-2}$ | 10 max |
| Mass, g | 30 max |

Single-electron pulse height distribution



Recommended power supply circuit





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