

The data should be read in conjunction with the Power Triode Preamble.

**ABRIDGED DATA**

The BW1184J2 is a water cooled power triode of coaxial ceramic/metal construction, intended primarily for industrial service. It has an integral water jacket.

Anode dissipation . . . . .	80	kW max
Anode voltage . . . . .	14.4	kV max
Frequency for full ratings . . . . .	30	MHz max
Output power (class C oscillator, less drive) . . . . .	120	kW

**GENERAL****Electrical**

Filament . . . . .	thoriated tungsten
Filament voltage (see note 1) . . . . .	12.2 V
Filament current . . . . .	255 A
Surge filament current (peak) (see note 2) . . . . .	1500 A max
Filament cold resistance . . . . .	5.3 mΩ
Peak usable cathode current . . . . .	106 A
Amplification factor ( $V_a = 10$ kV, $I_a = 8.0$ A) . . . . .	30
Mutual conductance ( $V_a = 10$ kV, $I_a = 8.0$ A) . . . . .	150 mA/V
Inter-electrode capacitances:	
grid to anode . . . . .	55 pF
grid to filament . . . . .	170 pF
anode to filament . . . . .	2.7 pF

**Mechanical**

Overall length . . . . .	446.0 mm (17.560 inches) max
Overall diameter . . . . .	190.5 mm (7.500 inches) max
Net weight . . . . .	11.5 kg (25.3 pounds) approx
Mounting position (see note 3) . . . . .	vertical, anode up or down

## Accessories

Filament connector (with lead)†	MA475A
Filament connector (without lead)†	MA291C
Filament/cathode connector (with lead)†	MA475E
Filament/cathode connector (without lead)†	MA291C
Grid connector	MA342
Thermal fuse	MA85G

† The tightening torque applied to the clamping screw must be between the limits of 20 lb.in (0.231 kg.m) min, 35 lb.in (0.404 kg.m) max.

## COOLING

### Anode

The BW1184J2 has an integral water jacket. The water cooling requirements are given in the following table.

Anode plus grid dissipation (kW)	Inlet temperature (°C)	Minimum rate of flow of water		Inlet pressure (atm)	Outlet temperature (°C)
		l./min	imp.gal/min		
80	20	40	8.8	0.35	50
80	50	60	13.2	0.65	70
60	20	28	6.2	0.18	52
60	50	42	9.2	0.32	72
40	20	18	4.0	0.08	54
40	50	27	6.0	0.15	73

The inlet water temperature must never exceed 50 °C.

### Seals and Envelope

The temperature of the seals and envelope must not exceed 200 °C. Cooling of the seals by low velocity air flow or water cooled filament connectors is required.

★ Indicates a change.

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**(Class C conditions, one tube)**

**MAXIMUM RATINGS (Absolute values)**

Frequency . . . . .	30	MHz
Anode voltage . . . . .	14.4	kV max
Anode input power . . . . .	220	kW max
Anode dissipation . . . . .	80	kW max
Grid voltage (negative value) . . . . .	2.0	kV max
Grid current:		
on load . . . . .	4.0	A max
off load . . . . .	5.5	A max
Grid dissipation . . . . .	2.0	kW max
Grid circuit resistance . . . . .	10	kΩ max
Cathode current . . . . .	22	A max

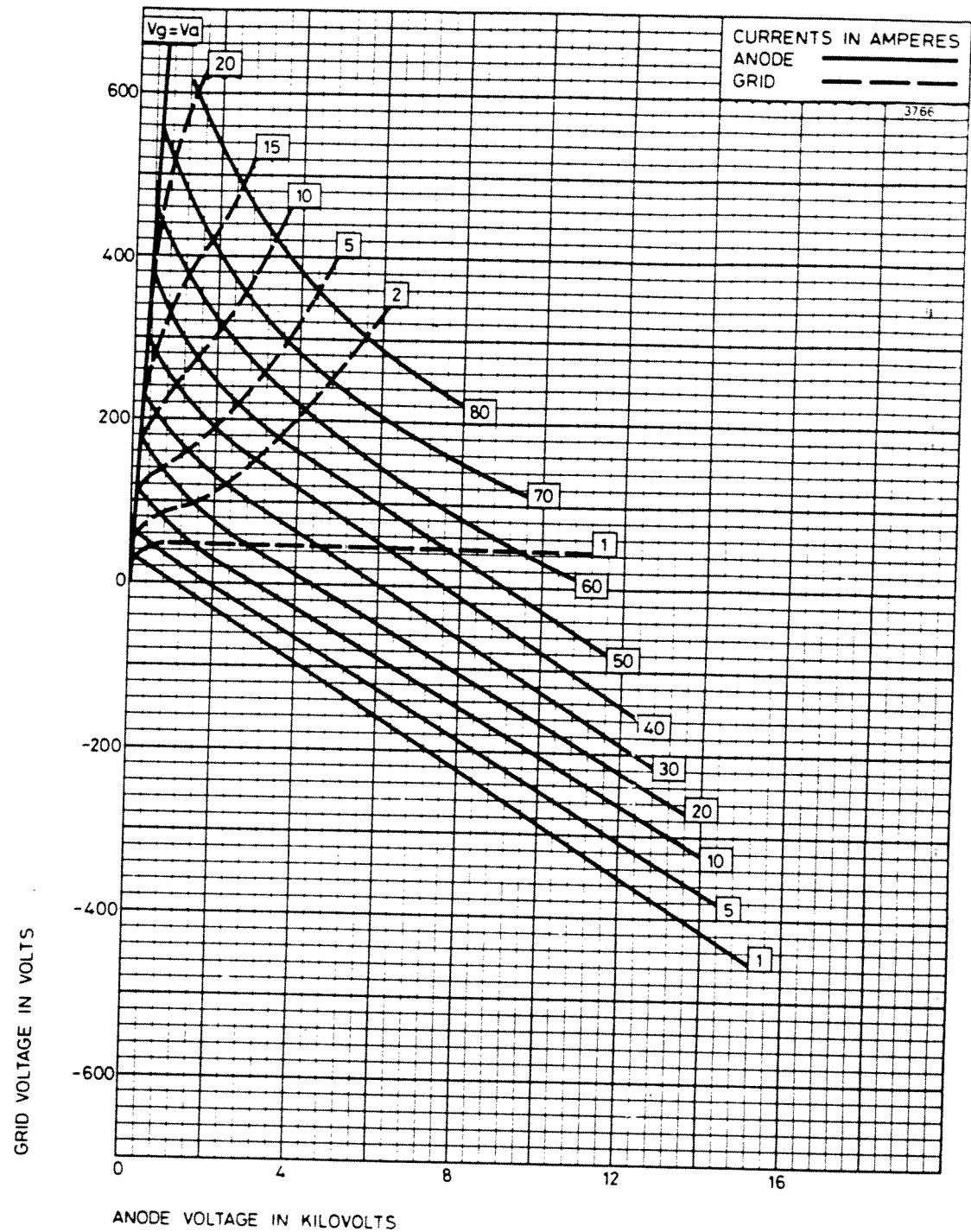
**TYPICAL OPERATING CONDITIONS**

Frequency . . . . .	30	30	MHz
Anode voltage . . . . .	12	10	kV
Anode current . . . . .	13	16	A
Anode dissipation . . . . .	32.5	36	kW
Grid voltage . . . . .	-892	-700	V
Grid resistor . . . . .	330	200	Ω
Grid current, on load . . . . .	2.7	3.5	A
Grid current, off load . . . . .	3.5	4.8	A
Grid dissipation . . . . .	1.1	1.5	kW
Feedback ratio (see note 4) . . . . .	11	12	%
Drive power . . . . .	3.5	4.0	kW
Output power . . . . .	123.5	124	kW
Efficiency . . . . .	79.2	77.5	%
Oscillator output power (see note 5) . . . . .	120	120	kW

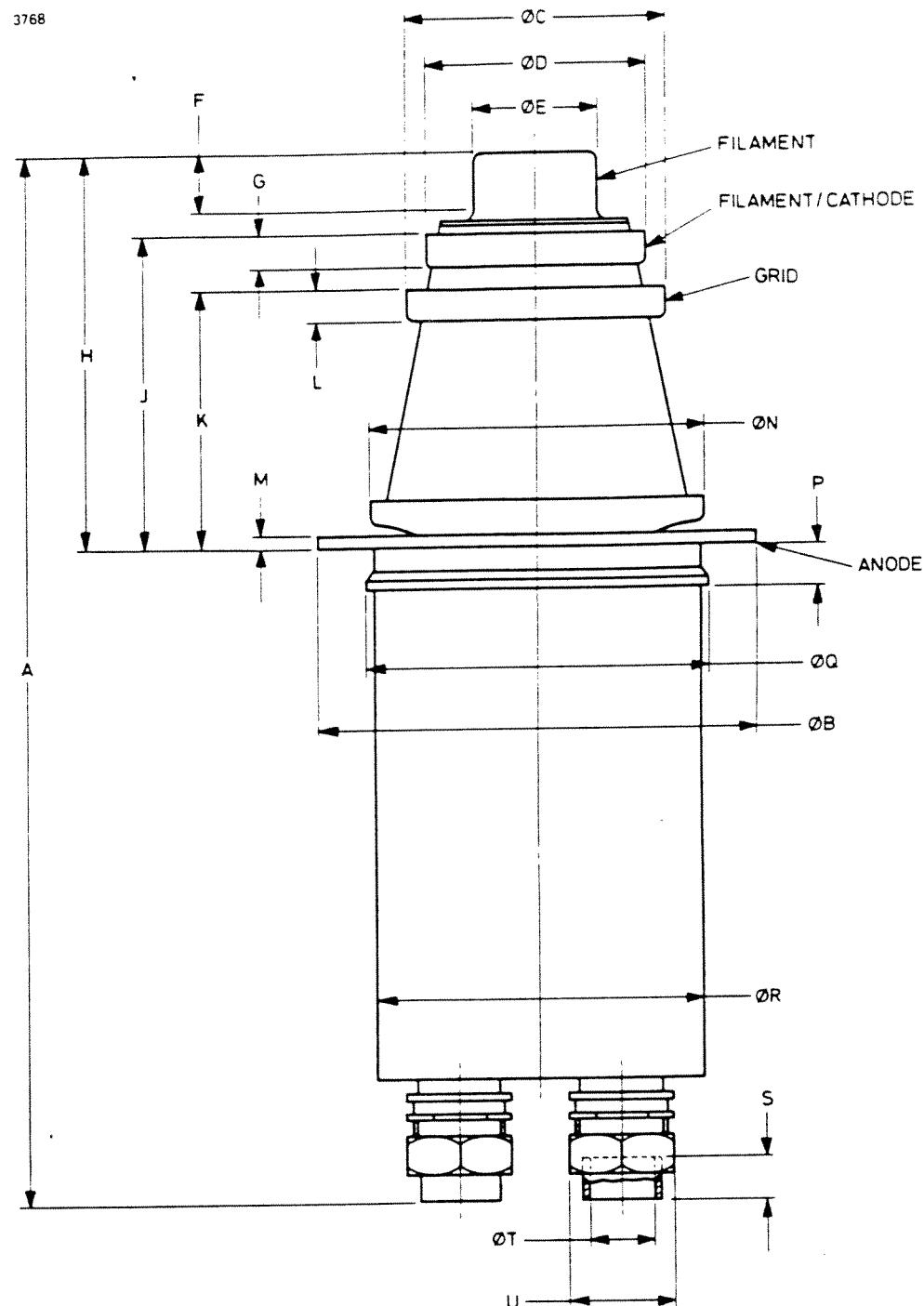
## NOTES

1. Temporary fluctuations up to +5% or -10% in filament voltage are permissible.
2. The filament current must not exceed 1500 A, even momentarily, at any time.
3. If the tube is mounted with the anode uppermost, the water inlet and outlet connections should be reversed.
4. The feedback ratio is defined as  $\frac{V_g(pk)}{V_a(pk)} \times 100$   
where  $V_g(pk)$  = peak r.f. grid voltage in volts  
and  $V_a(pk)$  = peak r.f. anode voltage in volts
5. Oscillator output power =  $P_{out} - P_{drive}$   
where  $P_{out}$  = output power of tube to anode circuit  
and  $P_{drive}$  = drive power fed back to grid circuit.

## TYPICAL CONSTANT CURRENT CHARACTERISTICS

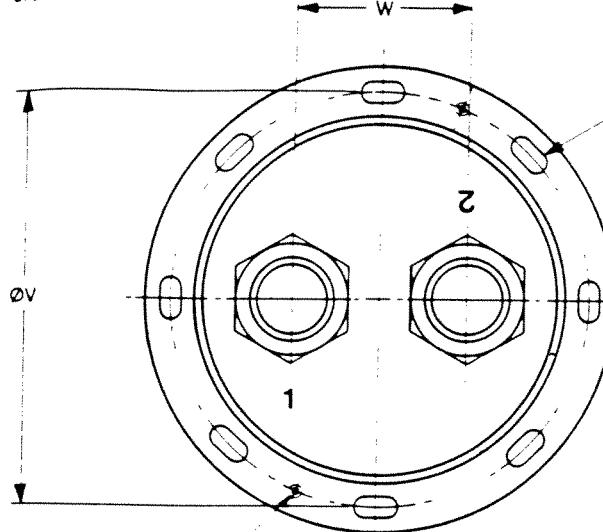


## OUTLINE



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8 SLOTS X WIDE  
BY Y LONG  
EQUALLY SPACED  
TO SUIT MB BOLT

### Water Connections

	Anode down	Anode up
Inlet	1	2
Outlet	2	1

2 HOLES SPACED AS SHOWN  
TO TAKE THERMAL FUSES

**Note** Suitable water pipe connectors are supplied with BW1184J2.

### Outline Dimensions (All dimensions without limits are nominal)

Ref	Millimetres	Inches	Ref	Millimetres	Inches
A	446.0 max	17.560 max	N	145.0 max	5.709 max
B	190.5 max	7.500 max	P	17.5	0.689
C	112.0 ± 0.2	4.409 ± 0.008	Q	138.0 max	5.433 max
D	96.0 ± 0.2	3.780 ± 0.008	R	133.0 ± 1.0	5.236 ± 0.039
E	54.0 ± 0.15	2.126 ± 0.006	S	18.5 min	0.728 min
F	25.0	0.984	T	28.0	1.102
G	15.0	0.591	U	46.0	1.811
H	171.5 max	6.752 max	V	170.0	6.693
J	137.0	5.394	W	70.0	2.756
K	113.0	4.449	X	9.0	0.354
L	14.0	0.551	Y	18.0	0.709
M	6.3	0.248			

Inch dimensions have been derived from millimetres.