

ADMIRALTY SIGNAL & RADAR ESTABLISHMENT

Specification AD/CV2125/Issue 2. Dated 4.2.52. To be read in conjunction with K1001.	<u>SECURITY</u>	
	<u>Specn.</u> Unclassified	<u>Valve</u> Unclassified

→ indicates a change

<u>TYPE OF VALVE:-</u> Half wave Xenon filled rectifier.			<u>MARKING</u> See K1001/4.		
<u>ENVELOPE:-</u> Glass Unmetallised.					
<u>CATHODE:-</u> Directly heated.					
<u>PROTOTYPE:-</u> BD78.					
<u>RATING</u>			<u>BASE</u> B4		
		Note	Pin	Electrode	
Filament Voltage (V)	2.5	A	1	No connection	
Filament Current (A)	5.0		2	No connection	
Max. Working P.I.V. (V)	2000		3	Filament, Cathode	
Max. Mean Anode Current (A)	0.5		4	Filament	
Max. Peak Anode Current (A)	2.0		TC	Anode	
			<u>TOP CAP</u> See K1001/AI/D5.1.		
			<u>DIMENSIONS</u> See K1001/AI/D1.		
			Dimension	Min.	Max.
			A	100	115
			B	36	40.0
			L	85	100
			<u>PACKAGING</u> See K1005.		
<u>NOTE</u>					
A. The filament must be run for 20 seconds before applying anode volts.					

TESTS

To be performed in addition to those applicable in K1001.

	Test Conditions			Test	Limits		No. Tested	Note
	V _F (V)	V _a (V)	I _a (mA)		Min.	Max.		
	a	2.5 A.C.	0			If (A)	4.5	
b	2.5 A.C.	D.C. Ad- jus- ted	500	<u>D.C. Arc Drop</u> V _a (V)	5	10	100%	1,2.
c	2.5 A.C.	Vary	-	Striking Voltage (V)	-	15	100%	2.

NOTES

1. The filament must be run for 20 seconds before applying Anode Volts. Operate valve for one minute before taking the reading.
2. Anode voltage must be increased smoothly from zero.