

Communications & Power Industries Tetrode



The 4CX250BC/8957 is especially recommended as a premium quality replacement for the 4CX250B/7203 in applications where long life and consistent performance are of prime concern and the closer heater voltage tolerance and increased cathode warm-up time are acceptable.

FEATURES:

Maximum plate dissipation:	250 Watts
Maximum screen dissipation:	12 Watts
Maximum grid dissipation:	2 Watts
Frequency for max rating (CW):	500 MHz
Amplification factor:	5
Filament/cathode:	Oxide Coated
Voltage:	6.0 Volts
Current:	2.4 Amps
Capacitance: Grounded cathode	
Input:	15.7 pF
Output:	4.5 pF
Feedthrough:	.04 pF
Capacitance: Grounded grid	
Input:	13.0 pF
Output:	4.5 pF
Feedthrough:	.01 pF
Cooling:	Forced Air
Base:	9 Pin Special
Air Socket:	SK-600A
Air Chimney:	SK-606
Boiler:	---
Length:	2.46 in; 62.50 mm
Diameter:	1.64 in; 41.70 mm
Weight:	4 oz; 113 gm

BENEFITS:

- Worldwide brand name recognition
- Over 85 years technical expertise

APPLICATIONS:

- Communications

Class of Operation	Type of Service	MAXIMUM RATINGS		TYPICAL OPERATION				
		Plate Voltage (Volts)	Plate Current (Amps)	Plate Voltage (Volts)	Screen Voltage (Volts)	Plate Current (Amps)	Drive Power (Watts)	Output Power (kiloWatts)
C	RF amplifier up to 175 MHz	2,000	0.25	2,000	300	.250	2.9	0.390
C	RF amplifier plate modulated up to 175 MHz	1,500	0.20	1,500	250	.200	1.7	0.235
AB1	RF linear amplifier up to 175 MHz	2,000	0.25	2,000	350	0.25	---	0.300
AB1	RF linear amplifier up to 175 MHz (AM service)	2,000	0.25	2,000	350	0.15	---	0.065
AB1	AF amplifier or modulator	2,000	0.25	2,000	350	0.50	---	0.600

With a history of producing high quality products, we can help you with your tetrode.

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Formal, controlled specifications may be obtained from CPI for use in equipment design.



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