

51 mm (2") photomultiplier

9208B series data sheet

1 description

The 9208B is a 51mm (2") diameter, end window photomultiplier with blue-green sensitive alkali photocathode and 10 high gain, high stability, SbCs dynodes of linear focused design for good linearity and timing. The entire envelope is manufactured in water-resistant, ultra-low background glass.

2 applications

- high energy physics studies
- scintillation spectroscopy

3 features

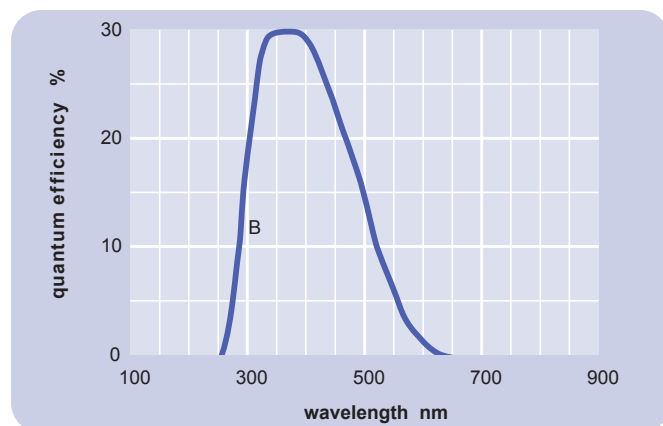
- entire envelope of ultra-low background glass
- very low concentrations of thorium, uranium and potassium for studies of rare events
- good SER
- good pulse height resolution
- envelope is water resistant

4 window characteristics

| 9208B borosilicate | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| spectral range**(nm) | 275 - 630 |
| refractive index (n _e) | 1.49 |
| K (ppm) | 60 |
| Th (ppb) | 30 |
| U (ppb) | 30 |

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

5 typical spectral response curves

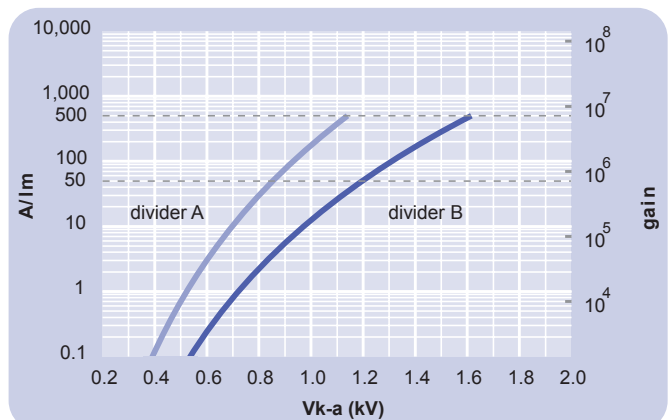


6 characteristics

| | unit | min | typ | max |
|--|----------------------|-----|-------|------|
| photocathode: alkali | | | | |
| active diameter | mm | | 48 | |
| quantum efficiency at peak | % | | 30 | |
| luminous sensitivity | μA/lm | | 70 | |
| with CB filter | | 8 | 11.5 | |
| with CR filter | | | 2 | |
| dynodes: 10LFSbCs | | | | |
| anode sensitivity in divider A: | | | | |
| nominal anode sensitivity | A/lm | | 50 | |
| max. rated anode sensitivity | A/lm | | 500 | |
| overall V for nominal A/lm | V | | 850 | 1100 |
| overall V for max. rated A/lm | V | | 1150 | |
| gain at nominal A/lm | x 10 ⁶ | | 0.6 | |
| dark current at 20 °C: | | | | |
| dc at nominal A/lm | nA | | 0.3 | 1.5 |
| dc at max. rated A/lm | nA | | 3 | |
| dark count rate | s ⁻¹ | | 300 | |
| pulsed linearity (-5% deviation): | | | | |
| divider A | mA | | 30 | |
| divider B | mA | | 100 | |
| pulse height resolution: | | | | |
| single electron peak to valley | ratio | | 2 | |
| rate effect (I_a for Δg/g=1%): | | | | |
| | μA | | 20 | |
| magnetic field sensitivity: | | | | |
| the field for which the output decreases by 50 % | | | | |
| most sensitive direction | T x 10 ⁻⁴ | | 1.3 | |
| temperature coefficient: | | | | |
| timing: | % °C ⁻¹ | | ± 0.5 | |
| single electron rise time | ns | | 2 | |
| single electron fwhm | ns | | 3.2 | |
| single electron jitter | ns | | 6 | |
| multi electron rise time | ns | | 4 | |
| multi electron fwhm | ns | | 6.5 | |
| transit time | ns | | 40 | |
| weight: | | | | |
| | g | | 100 | |
| maximum ratings: | | | | |
| anode current | μA | | | 100 |
| cathode current | nA | | | 100 |
| gain | x 10 ⁶ | | | 7 |
| sensitivity | A/lm | | | 500 |
| temperature | °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



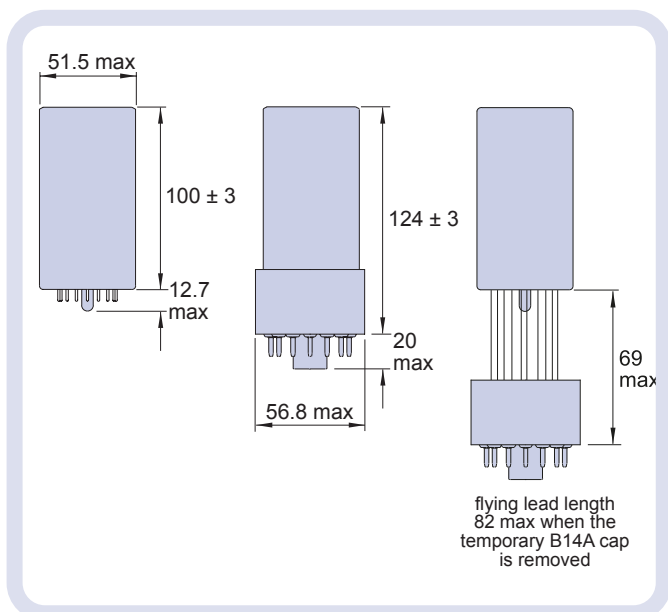
8 voltage divider distribution

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----|----------------|----------------|-------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|
| | k | d ₁ | d ₂ | | d ₇ | d ₈ | d ₉ | d ₁₀ | a | |
| A | 2R | R | | R | R | R | R | R | R | Standard |
| B | 2R | R | | R | 2R | 3R | 4R | 3R | | High Pulsed linearity |

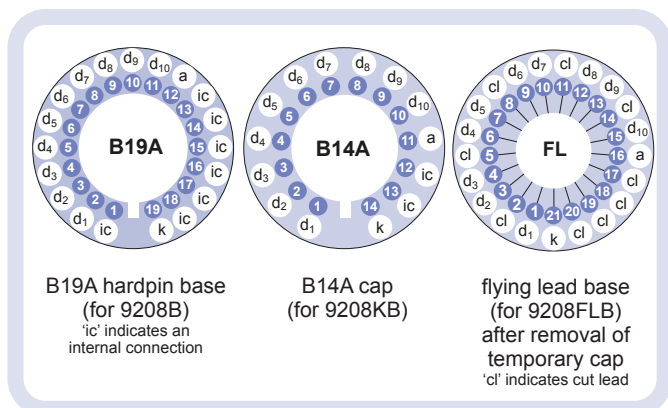
Characteristics contained in this data sheet refer to divider A unless stated otherwise.

9 external dimensions mm

The drawings below show the 9208B in hardpin format, the 9208KB with the B14A cap fitted and the 9208FLB in flying lead format with the temporary B14A cap fitted. The cap is attached as agreed with the customer.



10 base configuration (viewed from below)



Our range of B19A sockets is available to suit the B19A hardpin base. Our range of B14A sockets is available to suit the temporary B14A cap when the flying lead base variant is selected. Both socket ranges include versions with or without a mounting flange, and with contacts for mounting directly onto printed circuit boards.

11 ordering information

The 9208B 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 a one-off order, then the product will be referred to as 9208A. For a repeat order, ET Enterprises Limited will give the product a two digit suffix after the letter B, for example B21. This identifies your specific requirement.

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base options

- K** capped
- KFL** flying lead base with temporary B14A cap

options

- B95** 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

52.3 max with electrostatic shielding

52.6 max with electromagnetic shielding

conductive coating (for B95 option)
mumetal* shield (for S option)
insulating sleeve (for B95 & S options)

*mumetal is a registered trademark of Magnetic Shield Corporation

12 voltage dividers

The standard voltage dividers available for these pmts are tabulated below:

| 9208 | | | k | d ₁ | d ₂ | ... | d ₆ | d ₇ | d ₈ | d ₉ | d ₁₀ | a |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|----------------|-----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|
| B/XXXB | KB | FLB | | | | | | | | | | |
| C647A | C636A | C655A | 2R | R | ... | R | R | R | R | R | R | R |
| C647B | C636B | C655B | 2R | R | ... | R | 2R | 3R | 4R | 3R | | |
| C647C | C636C | C655C | 150 V | R | ... | R | R | R | R | R | R | R |
| C647D | C636D | C655D | 150 V | R | ... | R | 2R | 3R | 4R | 3R | | |

R = 330 kΩ

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