



## ELECTRONTUBE

## TECHNICAL DATA

TOSHIBA CATHODE RAY TUBE

E2666B1

BHD Direct-Viewing Storage Tube

The Toshiba type E2666B1 is BHD (Black matrix-Hybrid mesh-Dot screen) direct viewing bistable storage tube with a 5 inches flat face, electrostatic focus and deflection. It is designed for the more general storage oscilloscope use, and the simplified structure is based on the black matrix technology of our color picture tubes. This tube permits the following features

- (1) High contrast
- (2) Free from the damage of the storage target by writing beam
- (3) Rugged structure as well as CRT's for general oscilloscope use
- (4) Shorter overall length
- (5) Higher deflection sensitivity

## GENERAL DATA

## ELECTRICAL DATA:

	<u>Writing Gun</u>		<u>Viewing Gun</u>	
Heater Voltage (Note 1, 2, 3) .....	6.3	Vac, dc	4.2	Vdc
Heater Current .....	0.30 $\pm$ 10%	A	0.6 $\pm$ 10%	A
Direct Interelectrode Capacitance (approx.)				
Grid No. 1 to all other electrodes .....	6.2	pF	18.0	pF
Cathode to all other electrodes .....	4.0	pF	15.0	pF
D1 to D2 .....	2.2	pF	-	
D3 to D4 .....	1.4	pF	-	
D1 to all other electrodes except D2 .....	8.0	pF	-	
D2 to all other electrodes except D1 .....	8.0	pF	-	
D3 to all other electrodes except D4 .....	5.0	pF	-	
D4 to all other electrodes except D3 .....	5.0	pF	-	
Storage target-backplate to all other electrodes .....	-		1.0	pF
Focusing Method .....	Electrostatic		Electrostatic	
Deflection Method .....	Electrostatic			

## OPTICAL DATA:

Face Plate .....	Flat, Clear
Phosphor Number .....	B1 (P1)
Fluorescence .....	Green
Phosphorescence .....	Green
Persistence .....	Medium

## MECHANICAL DATA:

Overall Length .....	325 $\pm$ 10 mm (12.795 $\pm$ 0.394 inches)
Greatest Diameter (Note 4) .....	134 $\pm$ 3 mm (5.25 $\pm$ 0.12 inches)
Neck Diameter .....	51 $\pm$ 2 mm (2.01 $\pm$ 0.079 inches)
Minimum Useful Screen Diameter .....	110 mm Min. (4.331 inches)
Base .....	Special base (refer to page 8)



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## Bulb and Base Alignment

Angle between the plane through the tube axis and Pin No. 1,  
and D1-D<sup>2</sup> trace  $\pm 10$  Deg.

## Deflection Polarity

Positive voltage on D1 deflects beam approximately toward Pin No. 1.

Positive voltage on D3 deflects beam approximately toward Pin No. 4.

Angle between D1-D2 and D3-D4 traces  $90 \pm 1.0$  Deg.

Weight (approx.) 850 g

Mounting Position Any

STB, CE, Hybrid Electrodes Special Leads (See drawing on page 7)

## MAXIMUM RATING (Absolute Maximum Value)

\* Market Voltage Value are Positive with Respect to Viewing Gun Cathode.  
Others Value are to writing Gun Cathode.

	<u>Writing Gun</u>	<u>Viewing Gun</u>
Grid No. 2 Voltage	2200 Max. V 1500 Min. V	*300 Max. V
Accelerator and Deflection System		
(Anode No. 2, deflection plates)	2200 Max. V 1500 Min. V	-
Focus Electrode		
Voltage range	1000 Max. V	-
Maximum current	-15 to +10 $\mu$ A	-
Peak Voltage Between Electrodes		
Deflection plate to plate	550 Max. V	-
Plate to all other electrodes in the accelerator and deflection system	500 Max. V	-
Between any two electrodes in the accelerator and deflection system	550 Max. V	-
Grid No. 1 Voltage		
Negative bias value	200 Max. V	*400 V
Positive bias value	0 Max. V	* 0 V
Peak positive bias value	0 Max. V	* 0 V
Peak Heater-Cathode Voltage		
Heater negative with respect to cathode	125 Max. V	-
Heater positive with respect to cathode	125 Max. V	-
Maximum Electrode Power Dissipation		
Anode No. 2 (Accelerator electrode)	6 Max. W	
Storage-Target-Backplate Electrode		
Voltage Estb	-	*400 Max. V
Collimator Voltage Ece	-	*400 Max. V
Hybrid Voltage Eh	-	*400 Max. V



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## Voltage Between Two Electrodes

Storage target-backplate to hybrid.....	400 Max. V
Hybrid to collimator.....	400 Max. V
Collimator to viewing gun anode.....	400 Max. V

## DESIGN RANGE

With Anode No.2 (Accelerator) to Cathode Voltage Between 1500 to 2100 Volts

Grid No.1 Voltage for Visual Extinction of Undelected Focused Spot.....	$-3.3\% \times E_{b2}$	Max. V
Focus Electrode Voltage.....	14 to $22\% \times E_{b2}$	Max. V
Focus Electrode Current.....	-15 to +10	$\mu A$

## Deflection Factors

D1-D2.....	$E_{b2} \times (12.5 \text{ to } 16.2) \times 10^{-3}$	Vdc/cm
D3-D4.....	$E_{b2} \times (5.6 \text{ to } 8.0) \times 10^{-3}$	Vdc/cm

## TYPICAL OPERATING CONDITION (See Appendix)

Writing Gun

Unless Otherwise Specified, All Voltages with Respect to Writing Gun Cathode.

Accelerator Voltage (Note 5,6) $E_{b2}$ .....	2000	V
Grid No.2 Voltage $E_{w2}$ .....	2000	V
Focus Electrode Voltage $E_{b1}$ .....	280 to 440	V
Grid No.1 Voltage (Note 7) $E_{w1}$ .....	-25.0 to -66.0	V
Deflection Factors		
D1-D2.....	24.9 to 32.3	Vdc/cm
D3-D4.....	11.1 to 16.0	Vdc/cm
Spot Position (Note 8).....	10 Max. mm (0.394 Max. inches)	
Raster Distortion (Note 9).....		

Viewing Gun

Unless Otherwise Specified, All Voltages with Respect to Viewing Gun Cathode.

Grid No.2 (Anode) Electrode (Note 6,10)		
Voltage $E_{va} - E_{w2}$ .....	200	V
Current.....	20	Max. mA
Grid No.1 Voltage $E_{vc1}$ (Note 11).....	0 to -100	V
Grid No.1 for Visual Extinction $E_{vce}$ .....	-200 to -320	V
Cathode Current $I_{vk}$ .....	30	Max. mA
Collimator Electrode (Note 11)		
Voltage $E_{ce}$ .....	150 to 250	V
Current $I_{ce}$ .....	-3 to +5	mA



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## Hybrid Electrode (Note 11,12)

Voltage $E_h$ .....	300	V
Current $I_h$ .....	20	Max.mA

## Storage Target-Backplate Electrode (Note 11)

Voltage  $E_{stb}$ 

Storage operation.....	90 to 210	V
Non-storage operation.....	0	V
Current $I_{stb}$ .....	-3 to +20	mA

## TYPICAL PERFORMANCE

Line Width (Non-stored) (Note 13).....	Approx. 0.5	mm
Stored Luminance (Note 14).....	10	Min.ft-L
Storage Time (See Appendix).....	Any	
Writing Rate (Stored) (See Appendix).....	250	Min.m/sec
Erasing Time .....	0.5	Max. sec

## MAXIMUM CIRCUIT VALUE

Grid No.1 Circuit Resistance $R_{g1}$ .....	1.5	M $\Omega$
Resistance in Any Deflecting Electrode Circuit...	1.0	M $\Omega$



## NOTES:

1. A dc supply is recommended for the viewing gun heater.
2. Pin No. 3, viewing gun heater is internally connected to the cathode of viewing gun.
3. -4.2 V dc supply should be applied to the viewing gun heater (Pin No. 7) not connecting to the cathode.
4. This value is not included the dimension of the insulator for the hybrid and STB electrodes.
5. The accelerator voltage should be operated at more than 1,500 volts for suitable light output and focus.
6. Grid No. 2 electrode and isolation shield electrode are internally connected to grid No. 2 (anode) electrode of viewing gun. The writing gun anode No. 2 electrode is independent of grid No. 2, so the optimum focus is obtained by adjustment of the anode No. 2 and anode No. 1 (focus) voltage.
7. Visual extinction of undeflected focused spot.
8. The position of the undeflected focused spot will fall within 10 mm (0.393 inches) square concentric with the center of the tube face.
9. Raster distortion will fall between two concentric rectangles 81.2 mm x 64.9 mm (3.197 inches x 2.555 inches) and 78.8 mm x 63.1 mm (3.102 inches x 2.484 inches).
10. Adjust the average voltage between deflection plates or the viewing gun cathode voltage for the optimum operation of viewing gun. When the viewing gun anode (Grid No. 2) is applied to the specified value with respect to the viewing gun cathode
11. The viewing gun Grid No. 1, collimator, hybrid and storage-target-backplate voltage are set at the specified value, after the determination of the viewing gun cathode potential.



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12. The hybrid electrode voltage should be kept at the highest potential in any other electrodes during the operation so as to prevent the screen from light output reduction.
13. Line width is directly measured by microscope (X50 power)  
Condition
- |              |  |
|--------------|--|
| Beam current | 10 $\mu$ A   |
| Mask size    | 100 mm x 80 mm (3.937 x 3.150 inches)<br>respectively synchronized<br>vertical 4500 Hz and<br>horizontal 60 Hz |
14. The stored luminance is measured at the center of all stored storage target (Fade Positive) of which backplate electrode voltage is adjusted at operating voltage. In non-storage operation, it is recommended that the viewing gun heater should be changed stand-by ( $E_{vf}=2.6V$ ) and the viewing beam cut off.



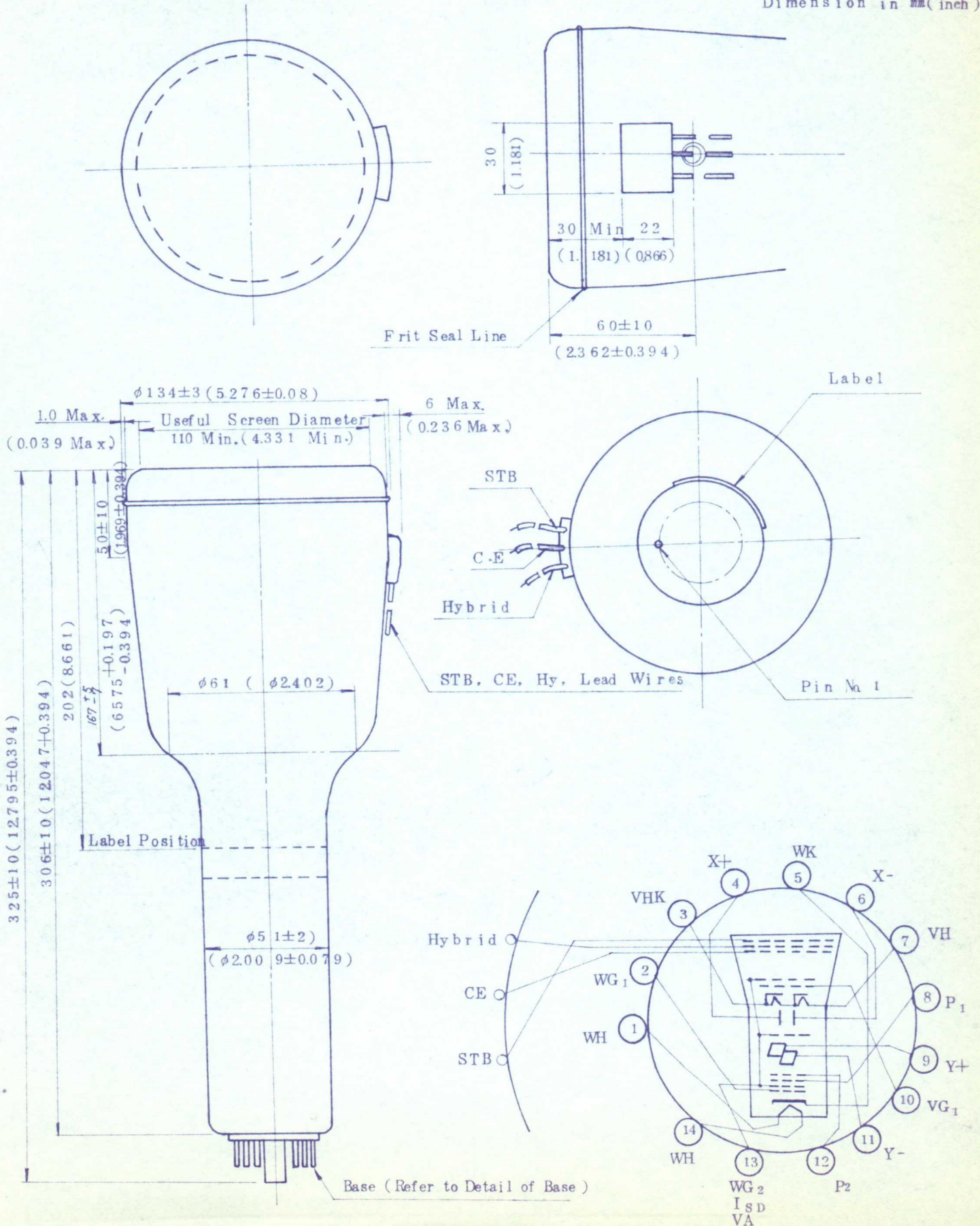
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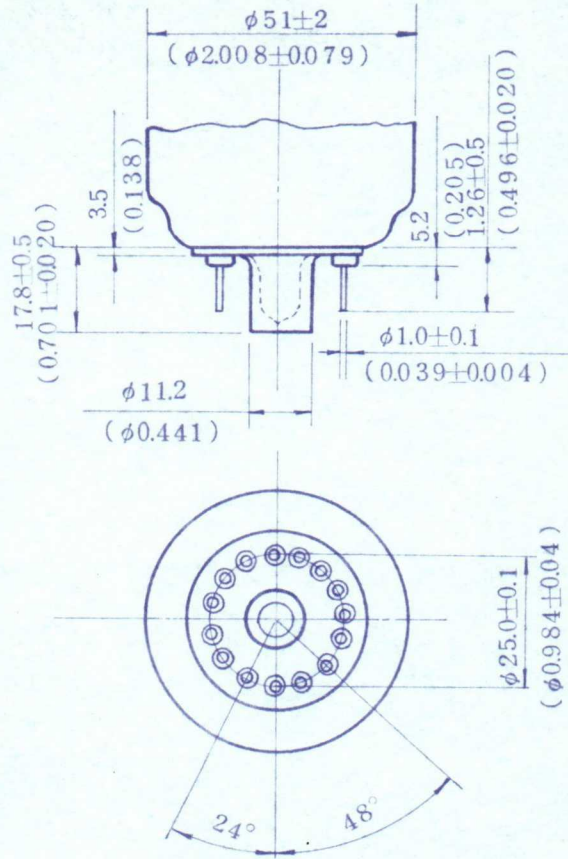
### DIMENSIONAL OUTLINE

Dimension in mm (inch)

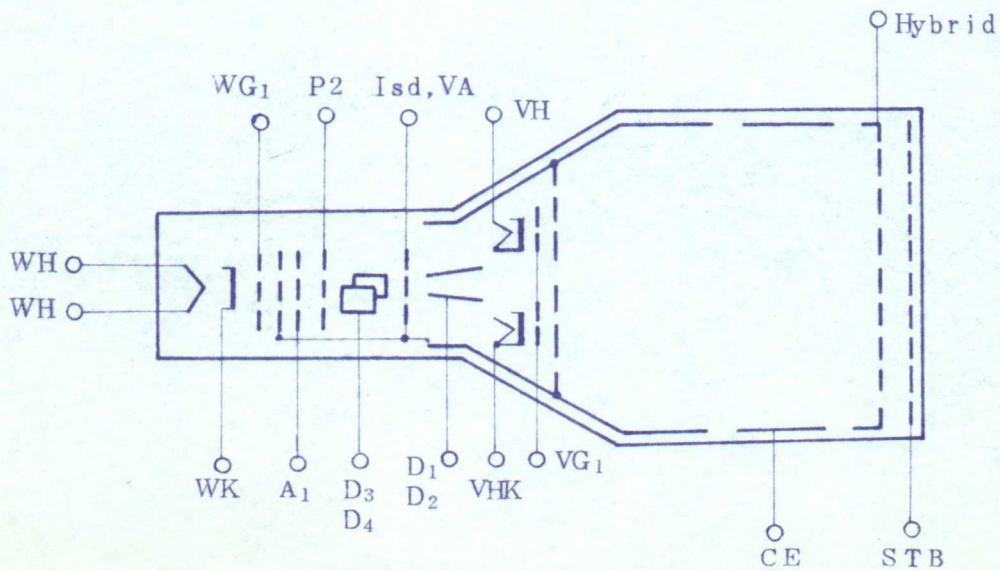


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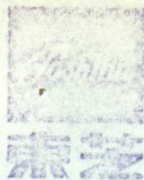
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SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM







TYPICAL OPERATING CONDITION  
(APPENDIX)

1. Adjustments

(1) Focus adjustment

Adjust the anode No. 2 voltage and focussing voltage of the writing gun **so as to make the best focused spot of the writing beam at the center of the screen.**

(2) Collimator voltage adjustment

After storing the screen entirely by **about 300 volt supply to the storage target-backplate (STB).**

STB voltage should be set again at the operating voltage Estb (OL) of the tube data.

**In this entirely illuminated screen,**

more brighter light output and better uniformity of the brightness are obtained by collimation voltage adjustment.

The low brightness, short useful screen area, **incomplete erasing** and other source of troubles are often caused by **this poor** adjustment of collimation.

(3) Viewing Gun Grid No. 1 Voltage Adjustment

At the same time of the collimating voltage adjustment, the grid No. 1 should be adjusted to obtain brighter light output. This voltage is approximately  $-5$  V.

(4) Storage-Target-Backplate Electrode Voltage Adjustment

STB electrode voltage should be adjusted from 0 to operating voltage within an appropriate time (Approx. 0.5 sec.) for the storing operation.



The operating voltage recorded on our test sheet is in the case of typical condition.

STB electrode voltage should be adjusted again after confirming the optimum operating voltage of the tube.

In higher STB electrode voltage than the optimum voltage, the brightness and writing rate increases but the contrast decreases.

In other case of lower STB electrode voltage than optimum, contrast increases but brightness and writing rate decrease.

## 2. Storing & Erasing

### (1) Storing Operation

Storing operation is performed by an appropriate writing beam current flow and scanning rate.

### (2) Writing Rate & Stored Line Width

Writing rate, stored line width and writing beam current interact each other. Sharp stored line width will be obtained at a given writing flow near the writing rate limit.

### (3) Storage Time

After a long time holding of stored image. A few erasing action may be needed for the complete erasing.

If the viewing beam is cut off and the writing beam does not collide to the screen after the storing action, it possible to maintain the stored image up to more than ten hours.

### (4) Writing Speed Enhancement

It is recommended that a pulse should be applied to the STB electrode or viewing gun cathode so as to enhance the writing speed.

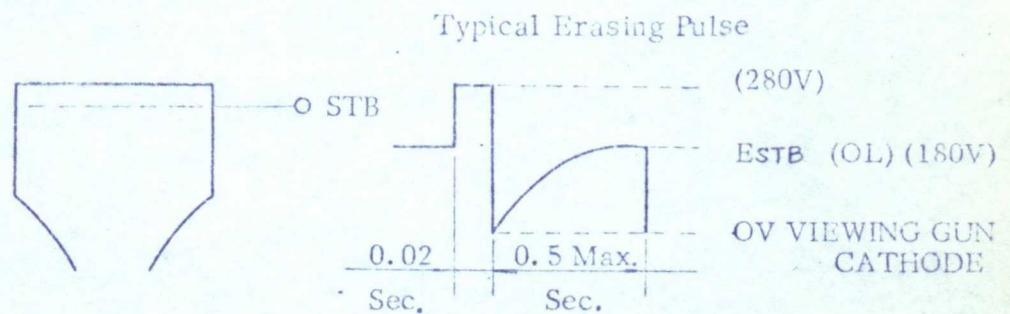


## (5) Write Through

When it is required to display other signals which overlapped on the stored image screen without stored image destruction, **operate at a little writing beam current lest the screen should be stored.**

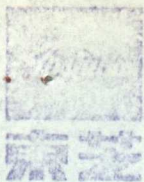
## (6) Erasing

Erasing of a stored image is **attained** by applying negative triangle pulse, of which fall time is short and rise time is long, to the storage-target-backplate. Also, the stored image is erased by applying the same shaped positive pulse to the viewing gun cathode. However, for the more complete erasing, it is recommended that the **following** pulse should be applied to STB electrode.

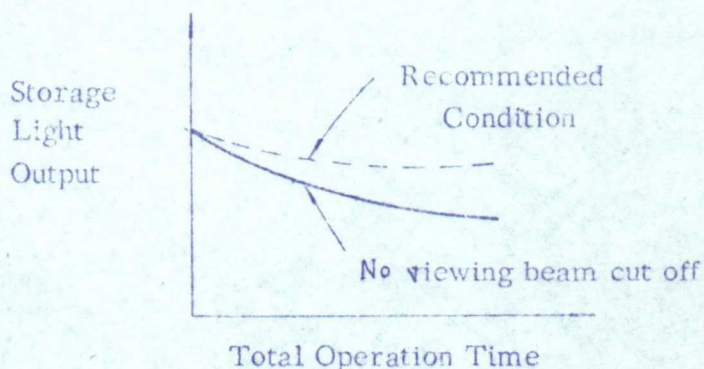


## 3. Non-storage Operation

- (1) Storage-target-backplate electrode voltage should be fixed to the viewing gun cathode voltage for the normal oscilloscope use.



- (2) It is desirable for the screen protection to make the viewing gun heater voltage stand-by ( $E_{vf} = 2.6 \text{ V} \pm 5\%$ ) and the viewing beam cut off. Under the condition, the light output of storage mode decreases in proportion to only the storage operation time. But if it is not performed to cut off the viewing beam, the light output decreases in proportion to the total operation time (storage operation time plus non-storage operation time). **The storage light output is inclined to reduce as follows.**



However, when the viewing beam is switched from ON to OFF and vice versa, the line of the writing beam is slightly shifted in the vertical direction, so a suitable manner should be required to correct it.