

# FOR GROUND TERMINALS LD7111 SERIES

# 17 GHz BAND, 1.7 kW, HIGH EFICIENCY, HIGH POWER GAIN

#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

The series of NEC LD7111 is a five-cavity Klystron Amplifier and ideal for use in the earth-to-satellite communication systems. These are designed for operating at 1.7 kW CW over the frequency range of 17.3 to 18.4 GHz.

The instantaneous bandwidth of minus one-decibel is at least 90 MHz over the entire 1.1 GHz range.

All tubes are forced-air-cooled at any power level. An automatic channel tuner, which changes the operating frequency very quickly and simply, is available in all the series.

Furthermore, they are of rugged and reliable design offering long life service.

NEC LD7111 series is compatible with VKU7791Z6 by using an additional adapter.

#### **FEATURES**

- Compact and Light Weight (27 kg approx.)
- High Efficiency (The DC to RF conversion efficiency is typically 23 % or higher.)
- O High Power Gain
- O Long Life and High Stability
- Simple Cooling System (forced-air-cooled)
- Automatic Channel Tuner (8-12 Channels)
   Hand Tuner model is also available.
- Permanent Magnet Focusing
- O Rugged Construction



For safe use of microwave tubes, refer to NEC document "Safety instructions to all personnel handling electron tubes" (ET0048EJ\*V\*UM00)

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# **GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS**

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ELECTRICAL				
Frequency	17.3 to 18.4 GHz			
Output Power	1.7 kW			
Heater Voltage	6.5 V			
Heater Current	3.2 A			
Cathode Type	Indirectly Heated, Impregnated			
Cathode Warm-up Time	300 s			
MECHANICAL				
Dimensions	See Outline			
Weight	27 kg approx.			
Focusing	Permanent Magnet			
Mounting Position	Vertical (Cathode down)			
Cooling	Forced Air			
Electrical Connections	See Outline			
RF Connections				
Input	Mates with UG-419/U Flange			
Output	Mates with UG-419/U Flange			
Cavity Tuning Method	8-12 Channel Preset Tuning			
	(Hand Tuner is also available)			
ABSOLUTE RATINGS (Note 1, 2 and 3)				
ELECTRICAL	Min.	Max.	Unit	
Heater Voltage	4.5	7.8	V	
Heater Surge Current	-	7.0	Α	
Heater Current	-	4.5	Α	
Heater Warm-up Time	300	_	S	
Body Voltage	-	10.0	kV	
Body Current	-	25.0	mA	

7.5	7.0	v
-	7.0	Α
-	4.5	Α
300	-	S
-	10.0	kV
-	25.0	mA
-	10.0	kV
_	1.0	Α
_	1.0	Α
_	9.3	kW
_	1.2 : 1	
-	1.5 : 1	
-	+250	°C
-10	+50	°C
515	-	kg/hr
83	-	kg/hr
41	-	kg/hr
+5	+50	°C
-50	+70	°C
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### TYPICAL OPERATION (Note 3, 4 and 5)

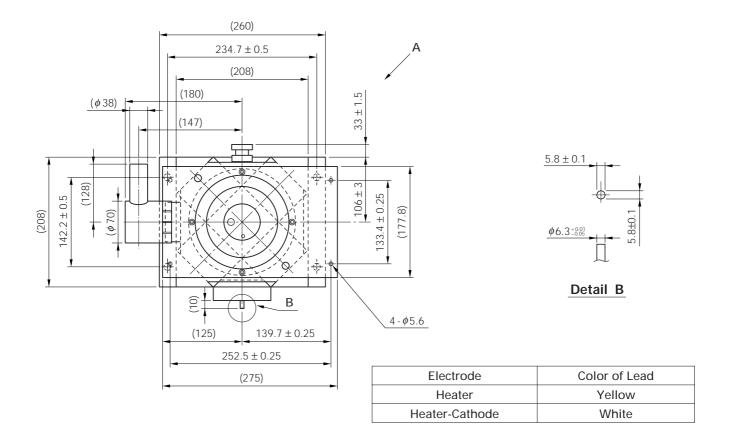
		Unit
Frequency	17.7	GHz
Heater Voltage (Note 4)	6.5	V
Heater Current	3.2	Α
Body Voltage	9.4	kV
Body Current	3.0	mA
Collector Voltage	9.4	kV
Collector Current	0.85	Α
Cathode Current	0.85	Α
DC Input Power	8.0	kW
Driving Power	100	mW
Output Power	1.8	kW
Power Gain	42	dB
Band Width (-1 dB)	90	MHz
Collector Air Flow	530	kg/hr
Collector Air Pressure Drop	2,000	Pa
Body Air Flow	85	kg/hr
Body Air Pressure Drop	34	Pa
Gun Air Flow	43	kg/hr

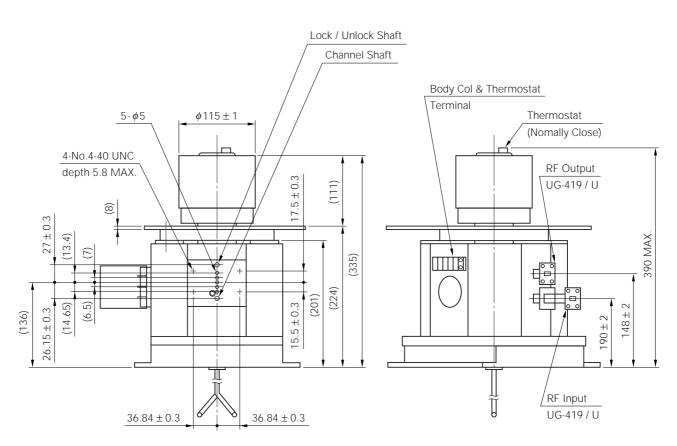
- **Note 1**: Absolute rating should not be exceeded under continuous or transient conditions. A single absolute rating may be the limitation and simultaneous operation at more than one absolute rating may not be possible. Equipment design should limit voltage and environmental variations so that ratings will be exceeded.
- **Note 2:** The Klystron body should be at ground potential in operation.
- **Note 3**: All voltages are referred to the cathode potential except the heater voltage.
- **Note 4:** The optimum operating value is shown on a test performance sheet for each tube.
- Note 5: Characteristics and operating values on this Data Sheet are based on performance test. These values may be changed as a result of additional information or product improvement. NEC should be consulted before using this information for equipment design. This data sheet should not be referred to a contractual specification.

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## LD7111 SERIES OUTLINE (Unit in mm)





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