

Faraday Cup FC-86: Stand-Alone, Water-Cooled Faraday Cup Assembly

APPLICATIONS:

- Continuous Collection and Measurement of Charged Particle Current
- Measurement of Emitted Beam for Electron or Ion Gun

FEATURES / OPTIONS:

- Shielded Faraday Cup Assembly
- Water Cooled
- Measure Electron or Ion Beams up to 1245 watts
- Optional Phosphor Screen permits visual, real-time observation of spot
- Optional 2-degree Port Aligner for Mechanical Alignment is available



INTRODUCTION

The Kimball Physics FC-86 Faraday Cup Assembly is a complete water-cooled, shielded Faraday cup assembly mounted on a 2.75" CF Flange Multiplexer and ready to attach to the vacuum chamber. The Faraday cup is capable of measuring electron or ion beams of up to 1250 watts of beam power. Concentrated beam inputs may have higher local power densities. When possible, have high power beams diverge into the entrance aperture. The optional phosphor screen, positioned around the limiting aperture permits visual, real-time observation of the spot. The phosphor screen and limiting aperture are electrically isolated from ground and, if desired, can be biased with an external power supply. The standard size of the limiting aperture in the phosphor screen is 1 mm diameter; other aperture sizes are available. The maximum *bake-out temperature is 150°C as limited by the* phosphor screen, or 350°C with the phosphor screen removed.

The Faraday cup assembly is completely enclosed in a ground shield. An optional 2degree port aligner for mechanical alignment is available.

Warnings:

1) BNC's must be terminated during operation, *2)* Water cooling must be electrically

2) water cooling must be electrically isolated using flexible PVC tubing provided 3) High Voltage Hazard

Please reach out to Kimball Physics to engage our specialists if you need a custom system for your specific application.

Faraday Cup FC-86	
APERTURE SIZE	1 mm diameter standard (Custom Available)
INPUT POWER CONTINUOUS	1250 Watts maximum
INSERTION LENGTH	5.6" (without optional 2-degree port aligner)
MOUNTING	2.75" CF Flange
OPERATING TEMPERATURE	150°C Maximum with Phosphor Screen
BAKEOUT TEMPERATURE	350°C Maximum with Phosphor Screen and cables REMOVED



Faraday Cup block diagram showing ways to bias Faraday Cup and Aperture in FC-66.

References

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Notes: Cautions: Silver Plated Bolts or Equivalent Lubrication must be used Please measure the hole depth and other flange / copper ring /part thicknesses Choose a correct bolt length such that the bolt doesn't bottom in the tapped hole prior to tightening the structure Specifications Subject to Change Without Notice. DE Altobelli, DT Taylor 05/20/2025 Document Detector_Faraday_Cup_FC-86_2025_0520 COPYRIGHT KIMBALL PHYSICS 2025, ALL RIGHTS RESERVED