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ABSTRACT

The construction of electroluminescent cells using ZnS phosphor mixed with cured epoxy resin in the proportion of 1:1 by volume, was described.

The cells constructed were applied with A.C. voltage of which frequencies lay between 60 to 20,000 cycles per second. It was found that the light emitted by the cells were blue-green and the intensity increased as the voltage applied was increased until the electrical breakdown of the cells occurred. It was also found that the light output was a function of frequencies applied. For each constant value of the voltage applied, there was a maximum output at one frequency.

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