

# QUICKTRONIC® PROStart® T8 Parallel Operation Systems

## High Efficiency Series

Type CC, Lamp Striation Control  
Parallel Operation  
Normal Ballast Factor



QHE T8 PSN

### Lamp / Ballast Guide

#### Primary Systems

- 32W T8 - OCTRON® lamps
- 1-lamp QHE 1x32T8/UNV PSN-MC
- 2-lamp QHE 2x32T8/UNV PSN-MC
- 3-lamp QHE 3x32T8/UNV PSN-SC
- 4-lamp QHE 4x32T8/UNV PSN-SC

#### Also operates:

- F030/SS, F028/SS, F025/SS, FB032, FB031, FB030/SS, FB029/SS, F025, F017, FB024 & FB016

#### F40T8 operation:

- 1 lamp on 2L ballast; 2 lamps on 3L ballast; 3 lamps on 4L ballast

### Key System Features

- **High Efficiency Systems** over 90% efficient
- PROStart programmed rapid start
  - Extends lamp life
- **Parallel operation** (one lamp out, remaining lamps stay lit)
- Normal ballast factor: 0.88
- UL Type CC
- LSC (Lamp Striation Control)
- Universal input voltage (120-277V)
- Minimum starting temperature:
  - -20°F (-29°C) for T8 lamps
  - 60°F (16°C) for energy saving T8 lamps
- RoHS compliant
- Lead-free solder, printed circuit board and manufacturing process



### Application Information

#### SYLVANIA QUICKTRONIC PROStart T8 ballasts

are ideally suited for:

- Any application where extended lamp life is required to reduce maintenance costs
- Occupancy sensors
- Energy retrofits
- Building control systems

SYLVANIA QUICKTRONIC High Efficiency PROStart programmed rapid start electronic T8 ballast family offers several major advantages:

- **High Efficiency:** Operate 32W linear and U-bend equivalent T8 lamps, saving >2 watts as compared to standard T8 programmed rapid start ballasts.
- **Parallel Circuitry:** keeps remaining lamps lit if one or more go out.
- **Lamp Striation Control (LSC):** T8 energy saving lamps should be operated above 60°F, but under certain conditions, the lamps may striate. LSC circuitry will minimize or eliminate this condition in most applications. (Please consult lamp manufacturers for additional details.)
- **Micro-Can Enclosure:** the 1 & 2-lamp models are in the micro-can enclosure. This allows the ballast to fit in very small profile fixtures where standard can T8 ballasts are too large.

### System Information

SYLVANIA QUICKTRONIC High Efficiency (QHE) System advantages:

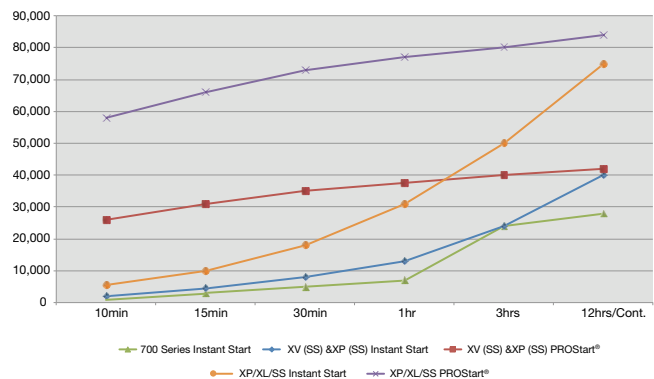
- Operate from 120V through 277V
  - Eliminates "wrong voltage" errors
  - Reduces inventory by 50%
- Utilize Programmed Rapid Start operation for
  - Longer lamp life
  - Over 100,000 switching cycles for occupancy sensor and building control systems
- Operate at >42 kHz to reduce potential interference with infrared control systems



- **Longer lamp life:** PROStart technology extends lamp life compared to instant start models for long or short switching cycles, which is ideal for reducing maintenance costs or for saving energy when using occupancy sensors.
- **UL Type CC compliant:** ballasts utilize a micro-controller based circuit to reduce arcing caused by loose connections or improper lamp pin-to-socket connections.
- **QUICK 60+® System Warranty:** Setting the standard for quality the system is covered by the first and most comprehensive warranty in the industry.

Lamp & Ballast Type	Input Power (W)	Initial Lumens	Initial LPW	Mean System Lumens	Relative Mean Light Output	% Energy Savings
3-F032/700 QTP3x32T8/UNV ISN-SC	86	7390	86	6655	100%	0%
3-F032/800/XP QHE3x32T8/UNV PSN-SC	82	7920	97	7445	112%	5%
3-F028/SS QHE3x32T8/UNV PSN-SC	72	7195	100	6760	102%	16%
3-F025/SS QHE3x32T8/UNV PSN-SC	66	6535	99	6140	92%	23%

Lamp Life on QUICKTRONIC® Ballasts



Data based upon SYLVANIA OCTRON® lamps shown. QUICKTRONIC® QHE PROStart ballasts are also compatible with other lamp manufacturers equivalent lamp types that meet ANSI specifications.

QHE PROStart ballasts will operate F32 (and the SUPERSAVER® & U-Bend equivalent) T8 lamps. Complete performance data is available in the QUICKSYSTEMS section of the SYLVANIA Ballast Technology & Specification Guide.

Specifications  
Data based on F32T8

**Starting Method:** Programmed Rapid Start  
**Ballast Factor:** 0.88  
**Circuit Type:** Parallel  
**Lamp Frequency:** >42 kHz  
**Lamp CCF:** Less than 1.7  
**Starting Temp:**<sup>3</sup>  
 -20°F (-29°C) for OCTRON T8 lamps;  
 60°F (16°C) for SUPERSAVER® T8 lamps  
**Input Frequency:** 50/60 Hz  
**Low THD:** <10%  
**Power Factor:** >98%  
**Voltage Range:** ±10% of 120-277V rated line (108-305V)

UL Listed Class P, Type 1 Outdoor  
 UL Type CC Rated  
 Lamp Striation Control (LSC)  
 CSA Certified (where applicable)  
 70°C Max. Case Temperature  
 FCC 47 CFR Part 18 Non-Consumer  
 Class A Sound Rating  
 RoHS compliant<sup>4</sup>  
 ANSI C62.41 Cat. A Transient Protection  
 GFCI & emergency ballast compatible  
 Remote Mounting (Max wire length from ballast case to lampholder):

- 20 ft: full wattage T8s
- 10 ft: energy saving T8s
- 4 ft: 25W energy saving T8s

<sup>3</sup> Operation below 50°F (10°C) may affect light output or lamp operation – see “Low Temp. Starting” definition.  
<sup>4</sup> Complies with European Union Restriction of Hazardous Substances Directive.

System Life / Warranty

QUICKTRONIC products are covered by the QUICK 60+® warranty, a comprehensive lamp and ballast system warranty. For additional details, refer to the QUICK 60+ warranty bulletin.

SPECIFICATION DATA

Catalog #	Date	Type
Project	Prepared by	
Comments		

High Efficiency Parallel Wired, Type CC, Lamp Striation Control (120-277V)



Item Number	OSRAM SYLVANIA Description	Input Current (AMPS)	Lamp Type	Rated Lumens (lm)	No. of Lamps	Ballast Factor (BF)	Initial System Lumens	Mean System Lumens	Input Power (W) 120V 277V	System Efficacy <sup>1</sup> (lm/W)	BEF <sup>2</sup>
51397 ☉ 51398 ☉	QHE1x32T8/UNV PSN-MC Banded 10-Pack Pallet Pack	0.26/0.11	F032/700	2800	1	0.88	2465	2220	30 29	85	3.03
		0.26/0.11	F032XPS	3100	1	0.88	2730	2565	30 29	94	3.03
		0.26/0.11	F032XP/XL	2950	1	0.88	2595	2440	30 29	90	3.03
		0.24/0.10	F030/SS	2850	1	0.88	2510	2360	28 26	97	3.38
		<b>0.22/0.10</b>	<b>F028/SS</b>	<b>2725</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>2400</b>	<b>2255</b>	<b>26 25</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>3.52</b>
		0.20/0.09	F025/SS	2475	1	0.88	2180	2045	23 23	95	3.83
51408 ☉ 51409 ☉	QHE2x32T8/UNV PSN-MC Banded 10-Pack Pallet Pack	0.48/0.21	F032/700	2800	2	0.88	4930	4435	57 55	90	1.60
		0.48/0.21	F032XPS	3100	2	0.88	5455	5130	57 55	99	1.60
		0.48/0.21	F032XP/XL	2950	2	0.88	5190	5523	57 55	94	3.03
		0.46/0.20	F030/SS	2850	2	0.88	5015	4715	55 53	95	1.66
		<b>0.43/0.18</b>	<b>F028/SS</b>	<b>2725</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>4795</b>	<b>4510</b>	<b>51 50</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>1.76</b>
		0.38/0.16	F025/SS	2475	2	0.88	4355	4095	45 44	99	2.00
51413 ☉ 51414 ☉	QHE3x32T8/UNV PSN-SC Banded 10-Pack Pallet Pack	0.69/0.29	F032/700	2800	3	0.88	7390	6655	83 82	90	1.07
		0.69/0.29	F032XPS	3100	3	0.88	8185	7695	83 82	100	1.07
		0.69/0.29	F032XP/XL	2950	3	0.88	7790	7320	83 82	95	3.03
		0.68/0.28	F030/SS	2850	3	0.88	7525	7075	80 78	96	1.13
		<b>0.62/0.27</b>	<b>F028/SS</b>	<b>2725</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>7195</b>	<b>6760</b>	<b>73 72</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1.22</b>
		0.56/0.24	F025/SS	2475	3	0.88	6535	6140	67 66	99	1.33
51418 ☉ 51419 ☉	QHE4x32T8/UNV PSN-SC Banded 10-Pack Pallet Pack	0.93/0.39	F032/700	2800	4	0.88	9855	8870	111 108	91	0.81
		0.93/0.39	F032XPS	3100	4	0.88	10,910	10,255	111 108	101	0.81
		0.93/0.39	F032XP/XL	2950	4	0.88	10,385	9760	111 108	94	3.03
		0.89/0.38	F030/SS	2850	4	0.88	10,030	9430	105 103	97	0.85
		<b>0.83/0.35</b>	<b>F028/SS</b>	<b>2725</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>9590</b>	<b>9015</b>	<b>98 95</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>0.93</b>
		0.77/0.33	F025/SS	2475	4	0.88	8710	8190	91 89	98	0.99

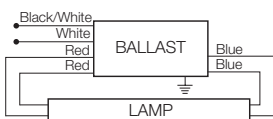
Banded Pack contains 10 pieces each, (add “-B” to description). Pallet Pack contains 840 pieces, (add “-PAL” to description).

<sup>1</sup> System Efficacy is based on the lowest Input Power

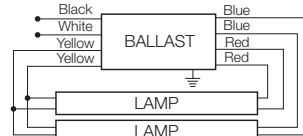
<sup>2</sup> BEF (Ballast Efficiency Factor) shown = (Ballast Factor x 100) divided by Input Power (Note: calculation based on lowest input power)

☉ Preliminary specifications. Please contact OSRAM SYLVANIA for additional information.

1 lamp

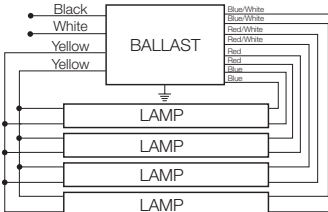


2 lamp



Note: For 1L application, individually cap both RED leads. Insulate to 600 volts.

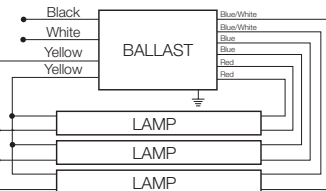
4 lamp



Note: For 3L application, individually cap both RED leads. For 2L application, individually cap both RED and BLUE leads. For 1L application, individually cap both RED, BLUE and Red/White leads. For lamps approved for 1L operation, see QUICKSYSTEMS. Insulate to 600 volts.

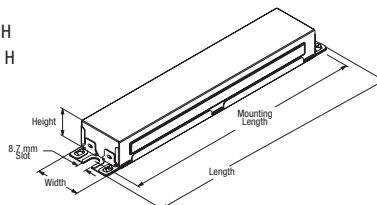
**Installation Notes** Lamp wiring for 3 & 4 lamp QHE PSN “parallel” models vary from QTP series models. Be sure to wire ballasts per label/schematics shown on this bulletin.

3 lamp



Note: For 2L application, individually cap both RED leads. For 1L operation, individually cap both RED and BLUE leads. Insulate to 600 volts.

“SC” Overall: 9.5" L x 1.68" W x 1.18" H  
 “MC” Overall: 9.5" L x 1.30" W x 1.00" H  
 Mounting: 8.90"



**Product Weight:**  
 QHE1xPSN & QHE2xPSN: 0.66 lbs. each  
 QHE3xPSN & QHE4xPSN: 1.27 lbs. each

**Wiring:**  
 Leads only (no connectors provided)

Item Number	51408	QHE 2 x 32T8 / UNV PSN - MC	Case Size
QUICKTRONIC High Efficiency			Starting/Ballast Factor
Number of Lamps			Line Voltage (120-277V)
			Primary Lamp Wattage

