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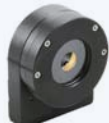
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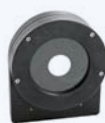
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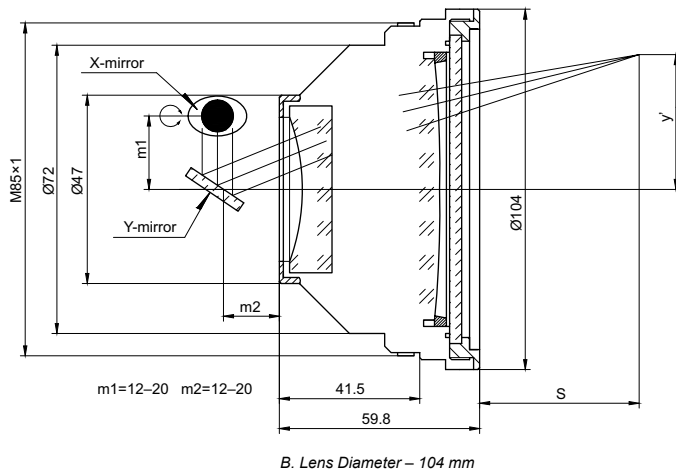
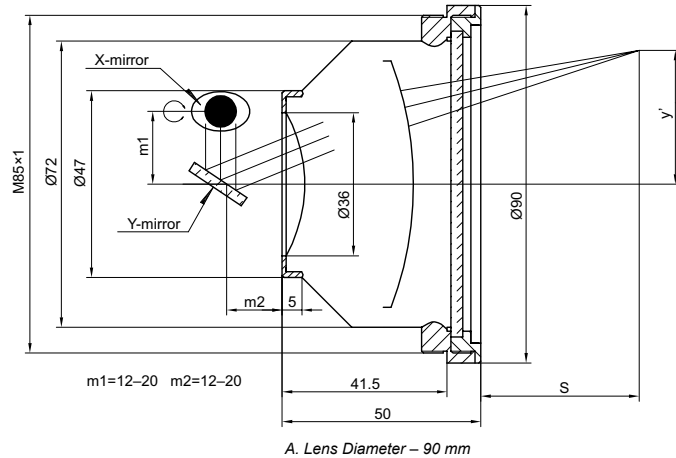
F-THETA LENS



The F-Theta Lens is designed to provide a flat field on the image plane for scanning and engraving applications where a high power laser and set of rotating mirrors are used to scan across a given field.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Screw Size | M85×1 |
| Best mirror places m1/m2 | 16/16 mm |



Wavelength – 1064 nm, Lens Diameter – 90 mm

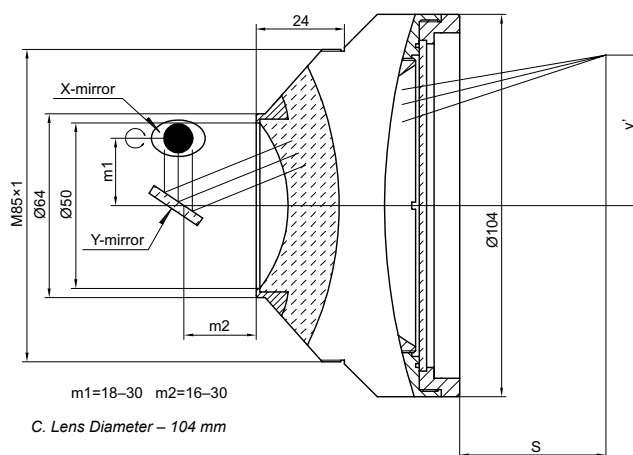
| Catalogue number | Focus length, mm | Working distance S, mm | Max. scan area, mm ² | Max. scan angle, θ max | Input beam diameter, mm | Spot size, μ m | Drawing | Price, EUR |
|------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------|------------|
| 150-1001 | 100 | 115 | 70×70 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 12 | 16 | A | 420 |
| 150-1601 | 160 | 176 | 110×110 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 12 | 26 | A | 420 |
| 150-2101 | 210 | 230 | 145×145 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 12 | 34 | A | 420 |
| 150-2541 | 254 | 284 | 175×175 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 16 | 31 | A | 420 |
| 150-2901 | 290 | 324 | 200×200 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 16 | 31 | A | 420 |
| 150-3301 | 330 | 346 | 220×220 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 16 | 40 | A | 420 |
| 150-4201 | 420 | 467 | 300×300 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 16 | 50 | A | 420 |

Wavelength – 532 nm, Lens Diameter – 90 mm

| Catalogue number | Focus length, mm | Working distance S, mm | Max. scan area, mm ² | Max. scan angle, θ max | Input beam diameter, mm | Spot size, μ m | Drawing | Price, EUR |
|------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------|------------|
| 150-1002 | 100 | 115 | 70×70 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 12 | 10 | A | 460 |
| 150-1602 | 160 | 186 | 110×110 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 12 | 16 | A | 460 |

Wavelength – 355 nm

| Catalogue number | Focus length, mm | Working distance S, mm | Max. scan area, mm ² | Max. scan angle, θ max | Input beam diameter, mm | Spot size, μ m | Drawing | Price, EUR |
|------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------|------------|
| 150-1003 | 100 | 136 | 70×70 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 7 | 10 | A | 930 |
| 150-1603 | 160 | 199 | 110×110 | $\pm 28^\circ$ | 7 | 15 | B | 930 |



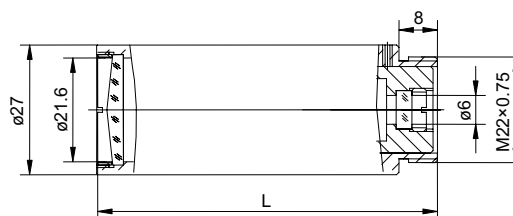
SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Screw Size | M85×1 |
| Best mirror places m1/m2 | 24/24 mm |

Wavelength – 1064 nm, Lens Diameter – 104 mm

| Catalogue number | Focus length, mm | Working distance S, mm | Max. scan area, mm ² | Max. scan angle, θ max | Input beam diameter, mm | Spot size, μm | Drawing | Price, EUR |
|------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|---------|------------|
| 151-1631 | 163 | 185 | 110×110 | ±28° | 20 | 17 | C | 520 |
| 151-2101 | 210 | 255 | 150×150 | ±28° | 20 | 24 | C | 520 |
| 151-2541 | 254 | 285 | 175×175 | ±28° | 20 | 31 | C | 520 |
| 151-4201 | 420 | 467 | 300×300 | ±28° | 20 | 55 | C | 520 |
| 151-6501 | 650 | 697 | 400×400 | ±25° | 20 | 85 | C | 520 |

COMPACT BEAM EXPANDER



Expansion ratio - 2X, 2.5X, 3X, 4X, 5X, 6X, 8X

A laser beam expander is designed to increase the diameter of a collimated input beam to a larger collimated output beam. EKSMA OPTICS offers compact Galilean type beam expanders for 1064 nm, 532 nm and 355 nm wavelengths. Compact beam expander has the possibility to be adjusted for the input beam divergence angle to obtain collimated, divergent or focused beam at the output.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|---------------|----------------------------------|
| Lens material | AR coated Fused Silica Lenses |
| Screw Size | M22×0.75 |

RELATED PRODUCT

Large Rod Small
Mounting Clamp
(aluminium)
810-0062A

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| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Expansion ratio | Beam expander size L, mm | Transmission, % | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 160-0021 | 1064 | 2X | 51 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0251 | 1064 | 2.5X | 51 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0031 | 1064 | 3X | 68 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0041 | 1064 | 4X | 75 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0051 | 1064 | 5X | 73 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0061 | 1064 | 6X | 75 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0081 | 1064 | 8X | 77 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0101 | 1064 | 10X | 70 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0022 | 532 | 2X | 51 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0252 | 532 | 2.5X | 51 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0032 | 532 | 3X | 68 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0042 | 532 | 4X | 75 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0052 | 532 | 5X | 73 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0062 | 532 | 6X | 75 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0082 | 532 | 8X | 77 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0102 | 532 | 10X | 70 | >96 | 235 |
| 160-0043 | 355 | 4X | 75 | >96 | 250 |
| 160-0063 | 355 | 6X | 75 | >96 | 250 |
| 160-0083 | 355 | 8X | 68 | >96 | 250 |
| 160-0103 | 355 | 10X | 71 | >96 | 250 |

Compact beam expanders of other expansion ratio are available upon request.

ZOOM BEAM EXPANDER



EKSMA OPTICS offers compact Galilean type zoom beam expanders for Nd:YAG lasers fundamental and harmonics wavelength: 1064 nm, 532 nm and 355 nm.

Zoom beam expander provides variable expansion ratio of 1x-8x or 2x-8x with adjustable focus to correct for laser beam divergence.

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Expansion ratio | Input Clear Aperture, mm | Output Clear Aperture, mm | Length, mm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------|------------|
| 165-1181 | 1064 | 1x-8x | 12 | 33 | 162 | 860 |
| 165-1281 | 1064 | 2x-8x | 12 | 33 | 143.3 | 860 |
| 165-1185 | 532 | 1x-8x | 12 | 33 | 162 | 860 |
| 165-1285 | 532 | 2x-8x | 12 | 33 | 139.9 | 860 |
| 165-1183 | 355 | 1x-8x | 12 | 33 | 162 | 860 |
| 165-1283 | 355 | 2x-8x | 12 | 33 | 158.5 | 860 |

- Adjustable expansion ratio
- Adjustable divergence
- Galilean design

Visit our e-shop
www.eksmaoptics.com
 and find the drawings
 of all zoom beam expanders

RELATED PRODUCT

Universal Adjustable
 Optics Mount 830-0035
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SIMPLE TELESCOPE KIT



Simple lenses are subject to optical aberrations. In many cases these aberrations can be compensated for to a great extent by using a combination of simple lenses with complementary aberrations. A compound lens is a collection of simple lenses of different shapes and made of materials of different refractive indexes, arranged one after the other with a common axis.

If two thin lenses are separated in air by some distance d (where d is smaller than the focal length of the first lens), the focal length for the combined system is given by

$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{d}{f_1 \cdot f_2}$$

The distance from the second lens to the focal point of the combined lenses is called the back focal length (BFL).

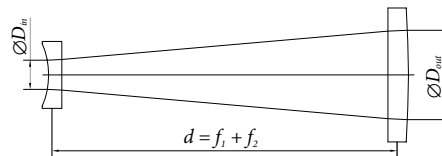
$$BFL = \frac{f_2 \cdot (d - f_1)}{d - (f_1 + f_2)}$$

If the separation distance is equal to the sum of the focal lengths ($d = f_1 + f_2$), the

combined focal length and BFL are infinite. This corresponds to a pair of lenses that transform a parallel (collimated) beam into another collimated beam. This type of system is called an afocal system, since it produces no net convergence or divergence of the beam. Two lenses at this separation form the simplest type of optical telescope. Although the system does not alter the divergence of a collimated beam, it does alter the width of the beam. The magnification of such a telescope is given by

$$M = -\frac{f_2}{f_1} = \frac{D_{out}}{D_{in}} \frac{(\text{exit diameter})}{(\text{input diameter})}$$

which is the ratio of the input beam width to the output beam width. Note the sign convention: a telescope with two convex lenses ($f_1 > 0, f_2 > 0$) produces a negative magnification, indicating an inverted image. A concave plus a convex lens ($f_1 < 0 < f_2$) produces a positive magnification and the image is upright.



Lens material: BK7

| Lens 1 | Focal length f_1 , mm | Lens 2 | Focal length f_2 , mm | Distance between lenses $d=f_1+f_2$, mm | Magnification, M |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|
| BK7 bi/cv Ø12.7 mm 114-0104 | -12.7 | BK7 pl/cx Ø50.8 mm | | | |
| | | 110-0502 | +75 | 62 | 5.9 |
| | | 110-0505 | +100 | 87 | 7.7 |
| | | 110-0507 | +150 | 137 | 11.8 |
| | | 110-0509 | +200 | 187 | 15.7 |
| | | 110-0511 | +250 | 237 | 19.7 |
| BK7 bi/cv Ø25.4 mm 114-0204 | -25 | BK7 pl/cx Ø50.8 mm | | | |
| | | 110-0502 | +75 | 50 | 3 |
| | | 110-0505 | +100 | 75 | 4 |
| | | 110-0507 | +150 | 125 | 6 |
| | | 110-0509 | +200 | 175 | 8 |
| | | 110-0511 | +250 | 225 | 10 |
| BK7 pl/cv Ø25.4 mm 112-0209 | -50 | BK7 pl/cx Ø50.8 mm | | | |
| | | 110-0502 | +75 | 25 | 1.5 |
| | | 110-0505 | +100 | 50 | 2 |
| | | 110-0507 | +150 | 100 | 3 |
| | | 110-0509 | +200 | 150 | 4 |
| | | 110-0511 | +250 | 200 | 5 |

Note that distance between lenses d is the distance between focal planes of the lenses and is given theoretically (the thickness of lenses is not included into calculation). It, also, depends on wavelength. The distance should be adjusted ± 10 mm in each particular case.

Each kit includes 8 lenses, Aluminium Optical Rail 810-0005-02, two Aluminium Rail Carriers 810-0007-06, Self Centering Lens Mounts 830-0010 and 830-0020, two Rod Holders 820-0050-02 and two Rods 820-0010-02.

Net weight: 1.4 kg

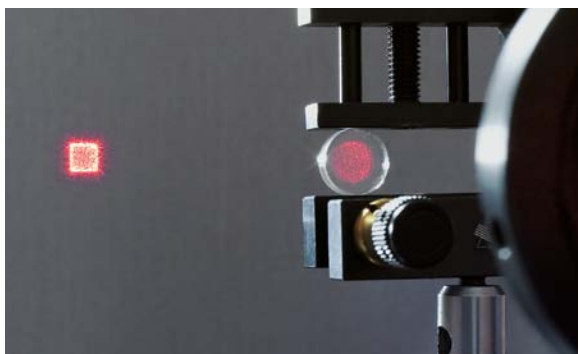
Lens material: UVFS

| Lens 1 | Focal length f_1 , mm | Lens 2 | Focal length f_2 , mm | Distance between lenses $d=f_1+f_2$, mm | Magnification, M |
|---|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--|------------------|
| UVFS bi/cv Ø12.7 mm 114-1104 | -12.7 | UVFS pl/cx Ø50.8 mm | | | |
| | | 110-1505 | +75 | 62 | 5.9 |
| | | 110-1509 | +100 | 87 | 7.7 |
| | | 110-1511 | +150 | 137 | 11.8 |
| | | 110-1515 | +200 | 187 | 15.7 |
| | | 110-1517 | +250 | 237 | 19.7 |
| UVFS bi/cv Ø25.4 mm 114-1204 | -25 | UVFS pl/cx Ø50.8 mm | | | |
| | | 110-1505 | +75 | 50 | 3 |
| | | 110-1509 | +100 | 75 | 4 |
| | | 110-1511 | +150 | 125 | 6 |
| | | 110-1515 | +200 | 175 | 8 |
| | | 110-1517 | +250 | 225 | 10 |
| UVFS pl/cv Ø25.4 mm 112-1205 | -50 | UVFS pl/cx Ø50.8 mm | | | |
| | | 110-1505 | +75 | 25 | 1.5 |
| | | 110-1509 | +100 | 50 | 2 |
| | | 110-1511 | +150 | 100 | 3 |
| | | 110-1515 | +200 | 150 | 4 |
| | | 110-1517 | +250 | 200 | 5 |

| Code | Material | Coating | Price, EUR |
|-----------------|----------|--------------------------|------------|
| 140-0008 | BK7 | Uncoated | 771 |
| 141-0008 | BK7 | 1064 nm, R<0.2% | 1075 |
| 142-0008 | BK7 | 532 nm + 1064 nm, R<0.5% | 1110 |
| 147-0008 | BK7 | 400-700 nm, R<0.9% | 1260 |
| 140-1008 | UV FS | Uncoated | 1170 |
| 144-1008 | UV FS | 266 nm, R<0.4% | 1470 |
| 149-1008 | UV FS | 266 nm + 355 nm, R<0.6% | 1480 |
| 146-1008 | UV FS | 210-400 nm, R<1.5% | 1680 |
| 143-1008 | UV FS | 355 nm, R<0.25% | 1465 |
| 141-1008 | UV FS | 532 nm + 1064 nm, R<0.5% | 1485 |
| 145-1008 | UV FS | 350-900 nm, R<1.5% | 1685 |
| 148-1008 | UV FS | 650-950 nm, R<1% | 1645 |

Any other antireflection coating wavelength region is available on request.

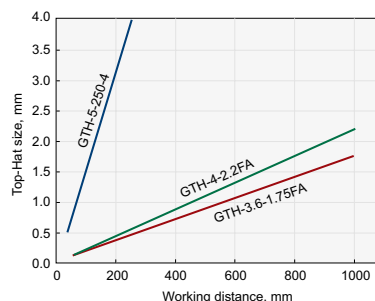
GAUSS-TO-TOP HAT BEAM SHAPING LENS



Gauss-to-Top Hat Beam Shaping Lens is a lens of a special form, used to distribute energy of Gaussian beam to Top Hat profile.

LENS SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Material | LF5 Schott glass $n = 1.5659$ @ 1060 nm, $n = 1.5848$ @ 546 nm, $n = 1.6192$ @ 365 nm |
| Clear aperture | Ø11.0 mm |
| Damage threshold (uncoated) | >3 J/cm ² @ 532 nm, 10 ns |
| Mounting | Mounted in to 1" ring holder |



GTH-5-250-4**GAUSS-TO-TOP-HAT BEAM SHAPING LENS**

Square top hat size and corresponding working distance can be changed by placing an extra lens or objective behind beam shaping lens GTH-5-250-4.

Dependence of square size and working distance vs focal length of additional lens or objective:

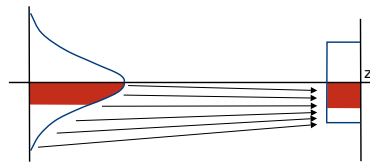
| Focal length, mm | Top hat square size, mm | Working distance, mm |
|------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| +50 | 0.67 x 0.67 | 42 |
| +100 | 1.1 x 1.1 | 71 |
| +200 | 1.8 x 1.8 | 111 |
| +300 | 2.2 x 2.2 | 136 |
| -1000 | 5.3 x 5.3 | 333 |
| -500 | 8.0 x 8.0 | 500 |

GTH-5-250-4 OPERATION SPECIFICATIONS

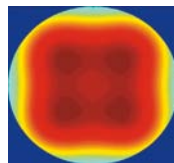
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| Recommended operation wavelength range | 400-1500 nm |
| Input beam | TEM ₀₀ , diameter (1/e ²): 5.0 ± 0.15 mm |
| Output beam | Top hat size at 250 mm working distance: 4 × 4 mm ² (adjustable with additional lens) |
| Working distance | 250 mm (adjustable with additional lens) |
| Beam energy distribution efficiency | > 95% of input energy within Top Hat profile |
| Beam homogeneity | ± 5 % (rel. to average intensity within top hat) |
| Lens diameter | 12.0 +0.0/-0.1 mm |
| Thickness | 4.0 ± 0.1 mm |

| Catalogue number | Description | Price, EUR |
|------------------------|--|------------|
| GTH-5-250-4 | uncoated lens | 565 |
| GTH-5-250-4-VIS | VIS coated lens (400-700 nm (R<1% per face)) | 620 |
| GTH-5-250-4-IR | IR coated lens (700-1300 nm (R<1% per face)) | 620 |

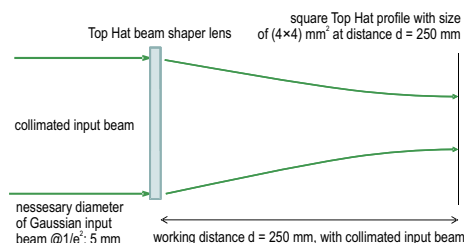
Other specific laser wavelengths are available on request.

GTH-5-250-4 OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS**Principles of Beam Shaper Operation and Lens Shape**

Energy of Gaussian input beam is re-distributed to a Top Hat beam profile by beam shaper lens (mapping).



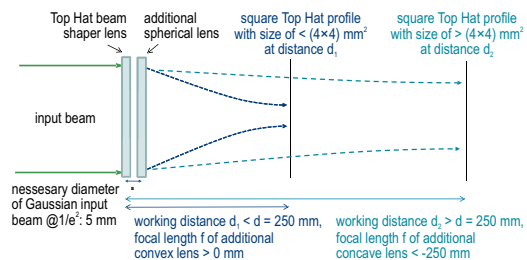
Surface contour plot of beam shaper lens (free form optic).

Optical Setup for Gauss-to-Top Hat Beam Shaper Lens

If a collimated Gaussian beam is used the Top Hat beam shaper lens delivers at the working distance $d = 250$ mm a square Top Hat beam profile with the size of (4×4) mm².

The Top Hat beam shaper lens works also for divergent and convergent Gaussian beams. Important: One has to consider that input beam diameter at beam shaper lens plane must be 5 mm @ 1/e².

For divergent (or convergent) beams the size of Top Hat and working distance increase (or decrease).

Adjustment of Square Top Hat Size by Additional Spherical Lens

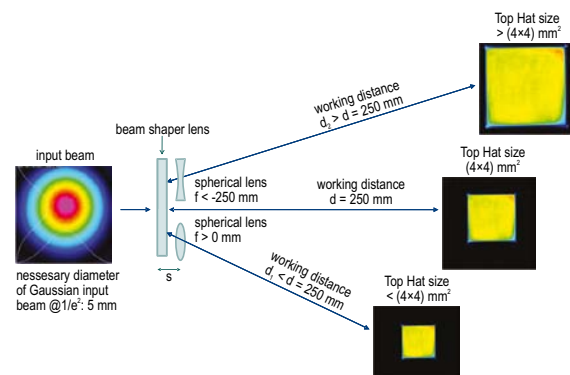
The working distance and the size of the Top Hat profile can be changed (same ratio) by an additional spherical lens. For a convex lens the size of the Top Hat profile and the working distance becomes smaller. For a concave lens the size of the Top Hat profile and the working distance becomes bigger.

The new working distance and the size of the Top Hat profile can be calculated:

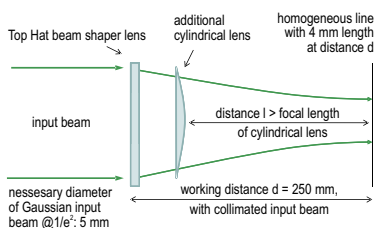
$$\text{Working distance} = \frac{250 \text{ mm} \cdot f}{250 \text{ mm} + f}$$

for focal length $f > 0$ mm (additional convex lens) respectively focal length $f < -250$ mm (additional concave lens); $s > 0$

$$\text{Square Top Hat Size} = \left(\frac{4 \text{ mm} \cdot \text{working distance}}{250 \text{ mm}} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{4 \text{ mm} \cdot f}{250 \text{ mm} + f} \right)^2$$

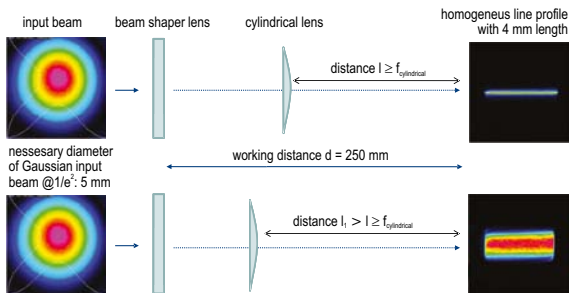


Homogeneous Line Generation with Top Hat Beam Shapper Lens and Additional Cylindrical Lens



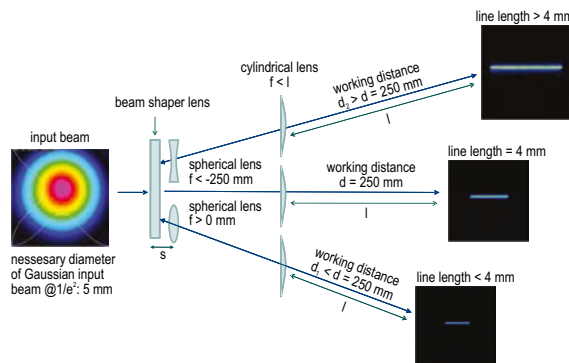
By introducing an additional cylindrical lens behind the Top Hat beam shapper lens (thereby one has to consider that the distance l between cylindrical

lens and working plane must be bigger or same as focal length of cylindrical lens) it is possible to generate a line profile at working plane. Along the long axis the intensity profile is homogeneous. Along short axis, which is focused by cylindrical lens, the profile is near Gaussian.



By varying the distance l the width of line profile (short axis) can be changed from near diffraction limited size to several millimeters.

Adjustment of Length of Homogeneous Line by Additional Spherical Lens



GTH-4-2.2FA

GAUSS-TO-TOP-HAT BEAM SHAPING LENS

Working distance of this lens is given by the focal length of an additional lens, which is always needed.

For instance if an additional lens $f = 100$ mm is used, Top Hat appears at 100 mm behind additional lens. So GTH-4-2.2FA could be easily put in front of objectives for example.

The distance between GTH-4-2.2FA and additional lens is not critical (up to several tens of centimeters).

The full fan angle of Top-Hat generation for GTH-4-2.2FA is 2.2 mrad. This leads to Top-Hat sizes:

- 110×110 μm for lens with $f = 50$ at 50 mm distance
- 220×220 μm for lens with $f = 100$ at 100 mm distance
- 2.2×2.2 mm for lens with $f = 1000$ at 1000 mm distance
- 4.4×4.4 mm for lens with $f = 2000$ at 2000 mm distance

GTH-4-2.2FA OPERATION SPECIFICATIONS

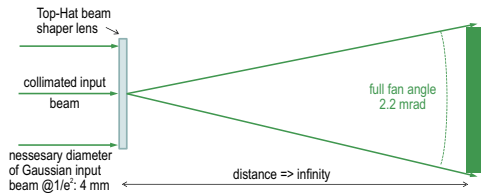
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| Recommended operation wavelength range | 400-1550 nm |
| Input beam | TEM ₀₀ , diameter (1/e²): 4.0 ± 0.15 mm |
| Achievable Top Hat size | 6x diffraction limited @ 1064 nm, 12x diffraction limited @ 532 nm |
| Full fan angle of Top-Hat generation | 2.2 mrad |
| Beam energy distribution efficiency | > 95% of input energy within Top Hat profile |
| Beam homogeneity | ± 5 % (rel. to average intensity within Top Hat) |
| Lens diameter | $12.0 \pm 0.0/-0.1$ mm |
| Lens thickness | 4.0 ± 0.1 mm |

| Catalogue number | Description | Price, EUR |
|------------------|--|------------|
| GTH-4-2.2FA | uncoated lens | 565 |
| GTH-4-2.2FA-VIS | VIS coated lens (400-700 nm (R<1% per face)) | 620 |
| GTH-4-2.2FA-IR | IR coated lens (700-1300 nm (R<1% per face)) | 620 |

Other specific laser wavelengths are available on request.

GTH-4-2.2FA OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

General function of Top-Hat beam shaper GTH-4-2.2FA



The Top-Hat beam shaper GTH-4-2.2FA is generating a square Top-Hat profile with a full fan angle of 2.2 mrad. To get best results it is necessary to use a Gaussian TEM₀₀ input beam with a diameter of 4 mm @ 1/e².

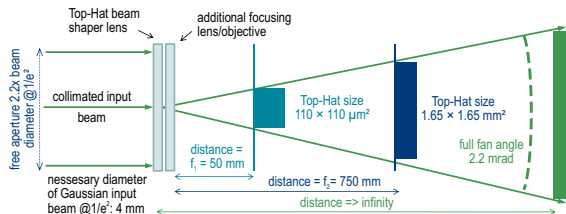
For all setups using GTH beam shaper the user has to consider that the free aperture along the total beam path has to be at least 2.2 (better 2.5) times bigger than the beam diameter @ 1/e².

Optical setup for Top-Hat beam shaper GTH-4-2.2FA

There are different possibilities to integrate the GTH-4-2.2 beam shaper into an optical setup.

1. Beam shaper directly in front of focusing optic/objective (Top Hat size >100 µm).

Top Hat size is determined by focal length (f) of focusing optic/objective and can be calculated as follows:

$$\frac{2.2}{1000} \cdot f$$


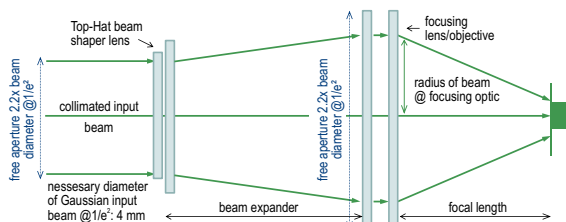
By introducing the GTH-4-2.2FA into the beam path in front of a lens/objective the initial diffraction limited Gaussian spot will be transformed into a square homogeneous Top-Hat profile. The necessary beam diameter at the position of GTH-4-2.2FA is 4 mm @ 1/e².

The resulting Top-Hat size is given by: $\frac{2.2}{1000} \cdot \text{focal length}$, for example with $f = 50 \text{ mm} \Rightarrow 110 \text{ µm}$.

2. Beam shaper in front of beam expander (Top Hat size <100 µm)

Top Hat size is determined by numerical aperture (NA) of focused beam and can be calculated as follows:

$$\approx \frac{4 \text{ µm}}{\text{NA}} \Rightarrow \approx 6x \text{ diffraction limited @ } 1064 \text{ nm (12x @ 532 nm)}$$



To achieve Top Hat sizes smaller than 100 µm it's recommended to introduce the GTH-4-2.2FA into the beam path in front of a

beam expander. Initially the necessary input beam diameter of 4 mm @ 1/e² is passing the GTH. Afterwards the beam is expanded and focused on working plane. The initial diffraction limited Gaussian spot at focal plane will be transformed into a square homogeneous Top-Hat profile. The resulting Top-Hat size is given by:

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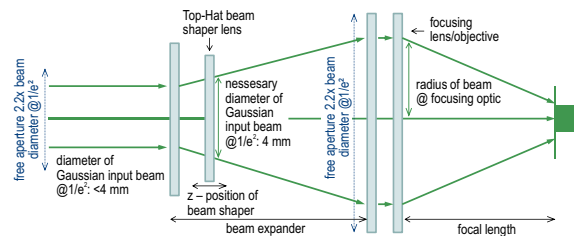
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A further and even more flexible possibility is to introduce GTH-4-2.2FA into the beam path within a beam expander. The user has the possibility for an easy "fine tuning" of beam diameter at the position of GTH-4-2.2FA by shifting shaper along z-axis. It's just necessary to consider that the beam diameter at the position of GTH is 4 mm @ 1/e². The resulting Top-Hat size is given by:

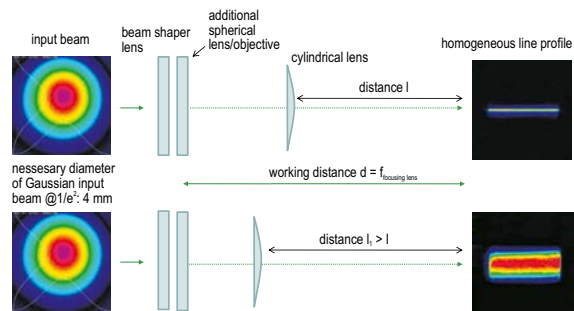
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NA represents the numerical aperture of focused beam and is given by:

$$\text{NA} = \frac{\text{beam radius @ focusing optic}}{\text{focal length of focusing optic}}$$

Homogeneous line generation with additional cylindrical lens

Line thickness fixed, near diffraction limited.



If an additional cylindrical lens is used, one can generate homogeneous line profiles. By varying the distance l the width of line profile (short axis) can be changed from near diffraction limited size to several millimeters. We recommend the use of a cylindrical lens with a focal length of $f = 2.25 \text{ m}$.

GTH-3.6-1.75FA

GAUSS-TO-TOP-HAT BEAM SHAPING LENS

Working distance of this lens is given by the focal length of an additional lens, which is always needed.

For instance if an additional lens $f = 100$ mm is used, Top Hat appears at 100 mm behind additional lens. So GTH-3.6-1.75FA could be easily put in front of objectives for example.

The distance between GTH-3.6-1.75FA and additional lens is not critical (up to several tens of centimeters).

The full fan angle of Top-Hat generation for GTH-3.6-1.75FA is 1.75 mrad. This leads to Top-Hat sizes:

- 88×88 μm for lens with $f = 50$ at 50 mm distance
- 175×175 μm for lens with $f = 100$ at 100 mm distance
- 1.75×1.75 mm for lens with $f = 1000$ at 1000 mm distance

GTH-3.6-1.75FA OPERATION SPECIFICATIONS

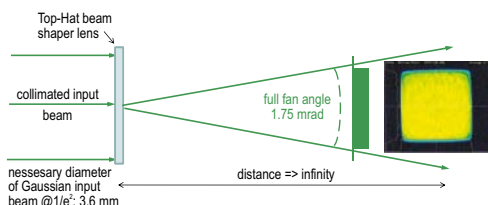
| | |
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| Recommended operation wavelength range | 400-1550 nm |
| Necessary free aperture | always 2.2x beam diameter @ $1/e^2$, along total beam path |
| Input beam | TEM ₀₀ , diameter ($1/e^2$): 3.6 ± 0.15 mm |
| Achievable Top Hat size @ $1/e^2$ | 5x diffraction limited @ 1064 nm, 10x diffraction limited @ 532 nm |
| Full fan angle of Top-Hat generation | 1.75 mrad |
| Beam energy distribution efficiency | > 95% of input energy within Top Hat profile |
| Beam homogeneity | ± 5 % (rel. to average intensity within Top Hat) |
| Lens diameter | 12.0 +0.0/-0.1 mm |
| Lens thickness | 2.0 ± 0.1 mm |

| Catalogue number | Description | Price, EUR |
|--------------------|--|------------|
| GTH-3.6-1.75FA | uncoated lens | 565 |
| GTH-3.6-1.75FA-VIS | VIS coated lens (400-700 nm (R<1% per face)) | 620 |
| GTH-3.6-1.75FA-IR | IR coated lens (700-1300 nm (R<1% per face)) | 620 |

Other specific laser wavelengths are available on request.

GTH-3.6-1.75FA OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

General function of Top-Hat beam shaper GTH-3.6-1.75FA



The Top-Hat beam shaper GTH-3.6-1.75FA is generating a square Top-Hat profile with a full fan angle of 1.75 mrad. To get the best results it is necessary to use a Gaussian TEM₀₀ input beam with a diameter of 3.6 mm @ $1/e^2$.

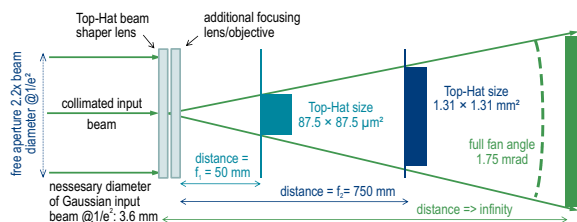
For all setups using GTH beam shaper the user has to consider that the free aperture along the total beam path has to be at least 2.2 (better 2.5) times bigger than the beam diameter @ $1/e^2$.

Optical setup for Top-Hat beam shaper GTH-3.6-1.75FA

There are different possibilities to integrate the GTH-3.6-1.75FA beam shaper into an optical setup.

1. Beam shaper directly in front of focusing optic/objective (Top Hat size @ $1/e^2 > 90 \mu\text{m}$).

Top Hat size is determined by focal length (f) of focusing optic/objective and can be calculated as follows: $\frac{1.75}{1000} \cdot f$



By introducing the GTH-3.6-1.75FA into the beam path in front of a lens/objective the initial diffraction limited Gaussian spot will be transformed into a square homogeneous Top-Hat profile.

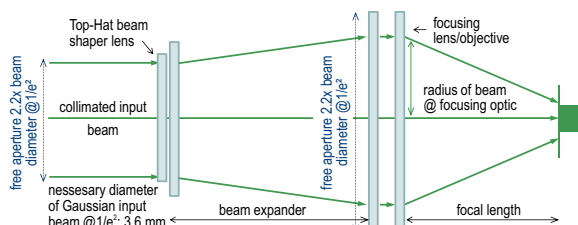
The necessary beam diameter at the position of GTH-3.6-1.75FA is 3.6 mm @ $1/e^2$.

The resulting Top-Hat size is given by: $\frac{1.75}{1000} \cdot \text{focal length}$, for example with $f = 50$ mm $\Rightarrow 87.5 \mu\text{m}$.

2. Beam shaper in front of beam expander (Top Hat size @ $1/e^2 < 90 \mu\text{m}$).

Top Hat size is determined by numerical aperture (NA) of focused beam and is given by:

$$\approx \frac{3.2 \mu\text{m}}{\text{NA}} \Rightarrow \approx 5x \text{ diffraction limited @ } 1064 \text{ nm (10x @ } 532 \text{ nm)}$$



To achieve Top Hat sizes smaller than 90 μm it's recommended to introduce the GTH-3.6-1.75FA into the beam path in front of a beam expander. Initially the necessary input beam diameter of 3.6 mm @ $1/e^2$ is passing the GTH. Afterwards the beam is expanded and focused on working plane. The initial diffraction limited Gaussian spot at focal plane will be transformed into a square homogeneous Top-Hat profile. The resulting Top-Hat size is given by:

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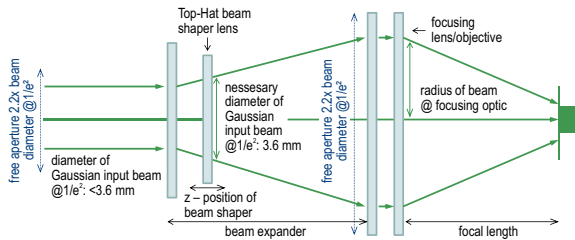
NA represents the numerical aperture of focused beam and is given by:

$$\text{NA} = \frac{\text{beam radius @ focusing optic}}{\text{focal length of focusing optic}}$$

3. Beam shaper within beam expander (Top Hat size @ $1/e^2 < 90 \mu\text{m}$).

Top Hat size is determined by numerical aperture (NA) of focused beam and is given by:

$$\approx \frac{3.2 \mu\text{m}}{\text{NA}} \Rightarrow 5x \text{ diffraction limited @ } 1064 \text{ nm (10x @ } 532 \text{ nm)}$$



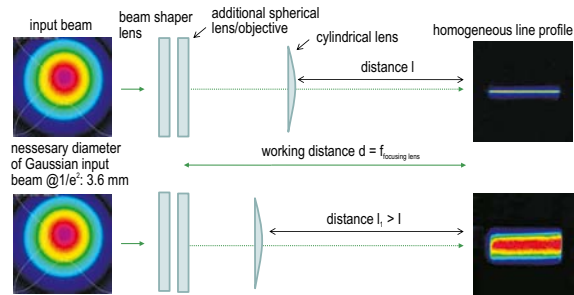
A further and even more flexible possibility is to introduce GTH-3.6-1.75FA into the beam path within a beam expander. The user has the possibility for an easy "fine tuning" of beam diameter at the position of GTH-3.6-1.75FA by shifting shaper along z-axis. It's just necessary to consider that the beam diameter at the position of GTH is 3.6 mm @ $1/e^2$. The resulting Top-Hat size is given by:

$$\approx \frac{3.2 \mu\text{m}}{\text{NA}} \Rightarrow 5x \text{ diffraction limited @ } 1064 \text{ nm (10x @ } 532 \text{ nm)}$$

NA represents the numerical aperture of focused beam and is given by:

$$\text{NA} = \frac{\text{beam radius @ focusing optic}}{\text{focal length of focusing optic}}$$

Homogeneous line generation with additional cylindrical lens



If an additional cylindrical lens is used, one can generate homogeneous line profiles. By varying the distance l the width of line profile (short axis) can be changed from near diffraction limited size to several millimeters. We recommend the use of a cylindrical lens or lens system with a focal length of $\approx 1.8 \text{ m}$.

FBS

TOP HAT BEAM SHAPING LENS

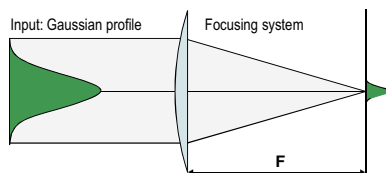
- **New Diffractive Beam Shaping Concept based on Fourier methods**
- **Transforming Gaussian TEM_{00} beam into square or round homogeneous Top-Hat profile**
- **Top Hat size is near diffraction limited and is given by: $\sim \lambda / \text{NA}$**
- **Achievable Top Hat sizes: $1 \mu\text{m} - 200 \mu\text{m}$**

SPECIFICATIONS

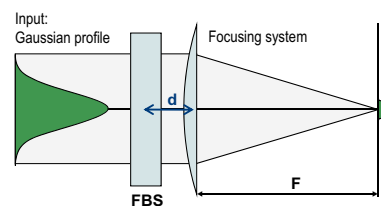
| | | |
|-------------------------|--|---|
| Material | fused silica | |
| Diameter | 25.4 mm | tolerance $\pm 0.1 \text{ mm}$ |
| Input Beam | TEM_{00} , different models for diameter @ $1/e^2$: 2.0 ... 10.0 mm with 0.5 mm step | tolerance $\pm 5\%$ |
| Necessary Free Aperture | 2.2x (or better 2.5x) beam diameter @ $1/e^2$ | along total beam path |
| Top Hat Size | 1.5x diffraction limited Gaussian spot | square form (round optional) |
| Homogeneity | $\pm 2.5\%$ | rel. to average intensity within tophat |
| Wavelength | different models for: 1064 nm, 532 nm or 355 nm | others on request |
| Transmission | $> 99\%$ | AR/AR coating |
| Efficiency | $> 95\%$ | of input energy within tophat profile |
| Damage Threshold | 4 J/cm ² @ 532 nm, 10 ns | |
| Free Aperture | 23 mm | |

FBS OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS

FBS – Top-Hat Fundamental Beam Mode Shaper



Without FBS Beam Shaper: Gaussian-profile at focal plane



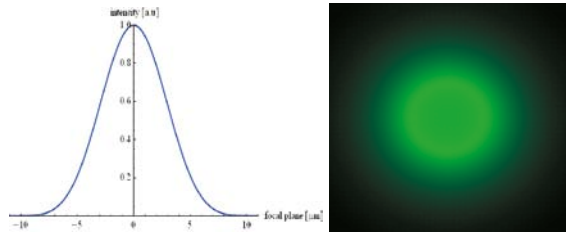
With FBS Beam Shaper: Top-Hat-profile at focal plane

- FBS works together with focusing system (FS)
- Top Hat size just depends on wavelength (λ) and numerical aperture (NA) of focused beam
- Distance d between FBS and FS up to several meters

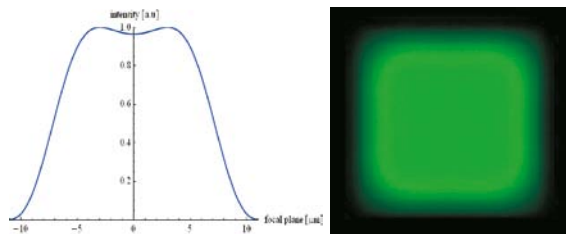
Intensity distribution at focal plane

Main FBS advantages:

- Smallest achievable Top-Hat size: \approx always 1,5x of diffraction limited Gaussian-spot @ $1/e^2$
- Achievable Top Hat profiles: square or round
- Diffraction efficiency: > 95% of energy in Top Hat
- Homogeneity: modulation < $\pm 2.5\%$
- Depth of focus: similar as for Gaussian beam
- Insensitive to misalignment, ellipticity and input diameter variation: $\pm 5\text{-}10\%$



Without FBS shaper: diffraction limited Gaussian profile



With FBS shaper: near diffraction limited Top Hat profile

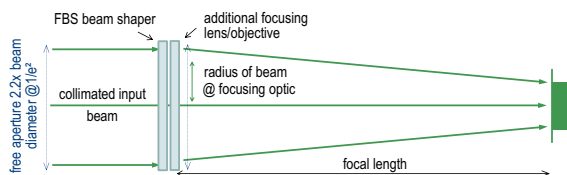
Optical setup for FBS Top-Hat beam shaper

Independent of optical setup the user has to consider that:

- The free aperture along the total beam path has to be at least 2.2x (better 2.5x) bigger than the beam diameter @ $1/e^2$
- The Top Hat size is always given by: $\frac{\lambda}{NA}$
 λ is the used wavelength;
 NA is the numerical aperture of focused beam and is given by: $\frac{\text{beam radius @ focusing optic}}{\text{focal length of focusing optic}}$

There are different possibilities to integrate the FBS beam shaper into an optical setup.

1. Beam shaper directly in front of a focusing optic/objective

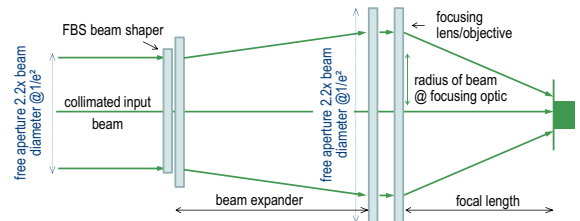


By introducing the FBS beam shaper into the beam path in front of a lens/objective the initial diffraction limited Gaussian spot will be transformed into a homogeneous Top-Hat profile.

When a Gaussian TEM_{00} input beam with a diameter of 5 mm @ $1/e^2$ is used the diameter of the free aperture along the total beam path have to be at least 11 mm (better 13 mm).

If for example a wavelength with 532 nm, a Gaussian TEM_{00} input beam with a diameter of 5 mm @ $1/e^2$ and a focusing lens with $f=160$ mm is used, ones will get a homogeneous Top Hat profile with a diameter of 34 μm .

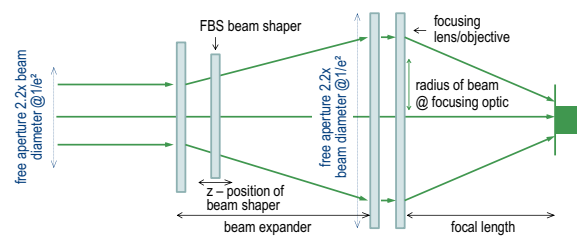
2. Beam shaper in front of a beam expander



There is also the possibility to introduce the FBS beam shaper into the beam path in front of a beam expander. This leads to a higher numerical aperture of the focused beam and to a smaller Top Hat profile.

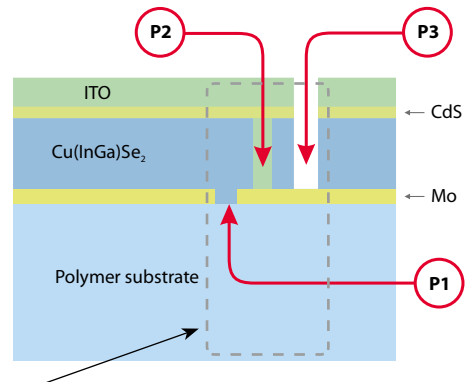
Example: A Gaussian beam with a diameter of 5 mm @ $1/e^2$ illuminates the FBS beam shaper and is afterwards increased by a beam expander to a beam diameter of 8 mm. With an focusing optic with $f=50$ mm the user can generate a Top Hat with a diameter of 7 μm . The needed free aperture increases with the expanded beam. For a beam with a diameter of 8 mm the free aperture has to be at least 18 mm.

3. Beam shaper within a beam expander

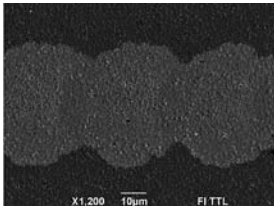


A further and even more flexible possibility is to introduce the FBS beam shaper into the beam path within a beam expander. The user has the possibility for an easy "fine tuning" of beam diameter at the position of FBS beam shaper by shifting shaper along z-axis.

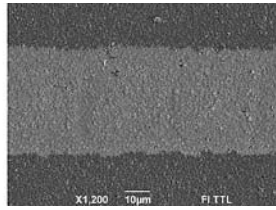
Scribing of CIGS-solar cells



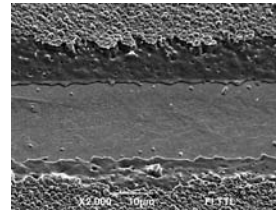
- Wasted area, reducing efficiency \rightarrow need of smallest scribing lines
- Cut quality influence efficiency \rightarrow need of small HAZ, no debris, smooth edges
- High scanning speed for high throughput \rightarrow need of small pulse overlap

P1 – „Scribing“

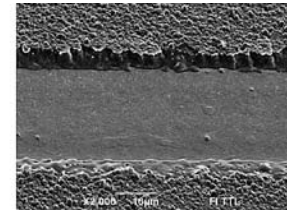
Gaussian Profile

FBS-Top-Hat Profile
small overlap, smooth edges

Removal of a front contact in ZnO(1 μm)/CIGS/Mo/PI structure. Laser PL10100/SH, 10 ps, 370 mW, 100 kHz, 532 nm; scanning speed 4.3 m/s, single pass.

P3 – „Scribing“

Gaussian Profile

FBS-Top-Hat Profile
small HAZ, smooth edges

Tilted SEM pictures of the P3 scribe in ZnO(1 μm)/CIGS/ Mo/PI structure. Laser PL10100/SH, 10 ps, 370 mW, 100 kHz, 532 nm; scanning speed 60 mm/s, single pass.

Raciukaitis et. al, JLMN-Vol. 6, No. 1, 2011

RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES

Zoom Beam
Expander

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Two Axes Translation
Polarizer Holder
840-0240

See page 8.98

**990-0060****CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE
ATTENUATOR / BEAMSPLITTER**

- Divides laser beam into two beams of manually adjustable intensity ratio
- Convenient 90° angle between reflected and transmitted beams
- Negligible beam deviation
- Large dynamic range
- Broadband transmission
- Weight – 0.16 kg

Continuously Variable Attenuator/Beamsplitter is designed to be used for laser pulses as short as 100 fs. It consists of 2 high-performance polarizing optics

components placed in precision opto-mechanical holder 840-0197. Variable attenuator/beamsplitter incorporates a high-performance Polarizing Cube Beamsplitter which reflects s-polarized light at 90° while transmitting p-polarized light.

A rotating $\lambda/2$ waveplate is placed in the incident polarized laser beam. The intensity ratio of those two beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit beam, and their intensity ratio, can be controlled over a wide dynamic range. Pure p-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or pure s-polarization for maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam.

**Multiple Order Half Waveplate and
High Power Cube Polarizing Beamsplitter****SPECIFICATIONS**

| | |
|------------------|-------------------|
| Extinction ratio | $T_s/T_p < 1:500$ |
| Clear aperture | 11 mm |

| Catalogue number | Central wavelength, nm | LDT, J/cm ² * | Price, EUR |
|------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| 990-0061-11 | 1064 | 15 | 810 |
| 990-0062-11 | 1030 | 15 | 810 |
| 990-0063-11 | 800 | 8 | 810 |
| 990-0064-11 | 532 | 6 | 810 |
| 990-0065-11 | 355 | 3 | 855 |

* LDT measured at designed wavelength, 10 Hz, 10 ns pulses.

**Achromatic Air-Spaced Waveplate and
High Power Broadband Cube Polarizing
Beamsplitter****SPECIFICATIONS**

| | |
|------------------|-------------------|
| Extinction ratio | $T_s/T_p < 1:200$ |
| Clear aperture | 11 mm |

for Broadband Region

| Catalogue number | Central wavelength, nm | LDT, J/cm ² | Price, EUR |
|------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| 990-0060-11VIS | 450-680 | 1 ¹⁾ | 1150 |
| 990-0060-11IR | 700-1000 | 2 ²⁾ | 1150 |

¹⁾ LDT measured at 532 nm, 10 Hz, 10 ns pulses.

²⁾ LDT measured at 1064 nm, 10 Hz, 10 ns pulses.

990-0070

VARIABLE ATTENUATORS FOR LINEARLY POLARIZED LASER BEAM



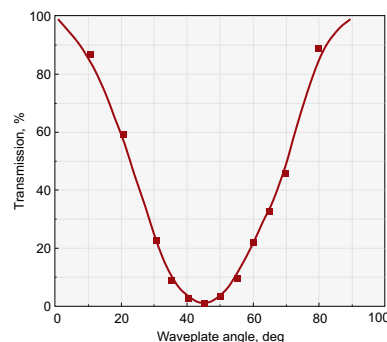
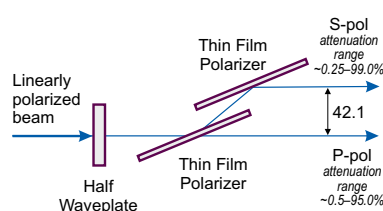
Note: Movable base 820-0090, Rod Holder 820-0050-02 and standard rod should be ordered separately.

- Divides laser beam into two parallel beams of manually adjustable intensity ratio
- Large dynamic range
- Transmitted beam shift ~ 0.5 mm
- High Optical damage threshold
- Weight – 0.35 kg

This variable attenuator/beamsplitter consists of special design opto-mechanical Adapter and precision opto-mechanical holder 840-0197. Two Thin Film Brewster type polarizers, which reflect s-polarized light while transmitting p-polarized light, are housed into Adapter. Quartz Half Waveplates are housed in rotating holder 840-0197.

The intensity ratio of those two beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit beam, or their intensity ratio, can be con-

trolled over a wide dynamic range. P-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or high-purity s-polarization could be reflected when maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam takes place. The holder 840-0197 allows to adjust Angle Of Incidence of the Thin Film Brewster type polarizers by $\pm 2^\circ$ and to get the maximum polarization contrast.



For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| | |
|---|--|
| Aperture diameter | 17 mm |
| Damage threshold | 5 J/cm ² pulsed at 1064 nm, typical |
| Polarization Contrast (after 1st polarizer) | >1:200 |
| Polarization Contrast (after 2nd polarizer) | >1:500 |

For Femtosecond Applications

| | |
|---|--|
| Aperture diameter | 17 mm |
| Damage threshold | >10 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| for high power laser applications | >100 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| Time dispersion | <4 fs for 100 fs Ti:Sapphire laser pulses |
| Polarization Contrast (after 1st polarizer) | >1:200 |
| Polarization Contrast (after 2nd polarizer) | >1:500 |

For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0070-266H * | 266 | 1020 |
| 990-0070-355 | 355 | 750 |
| 990-0070-532 | 532 | 650 |
| 990-0070-1064 | 1064 | 650 |

Multi order half waveplate is housed in rotating holder 840-0197 for Nd:YAG laser pulses (laser damage threshold: 5 J/cm² pulsed at 1064 nm, typical).

* With Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate.

RELATED PRODUCTS

Beam dumps
990-0800,
990-0820

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For Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0070-266 | 266 | 945 |
| 990-0070-343 | 343 | 840 |
| 990-0070-400 | 400 | 740 |
| 990-0070-400B | 390-410 | 890 |
| 990-0070-515 | 515 | 740 |
| 990-0070-515B | 505-525 | 890 |
| 990-0070-800 | 800 | 740 |
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| 990-0070-1030 | 1030 | 740 |
| 990-0070-1030B | 1010-1050 | 890 |

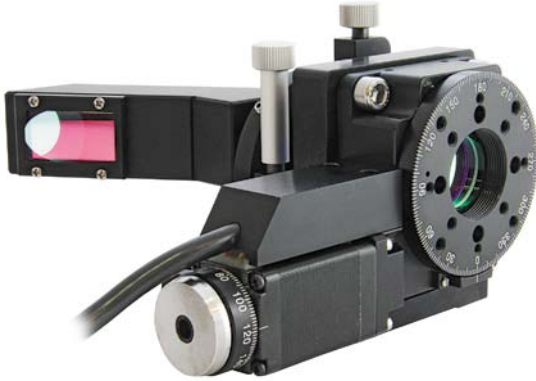
Zero order optically contacted half waveplate is housed in rotating holder 840-0197 for femtosecond laser pulses (laser damage threshold: >10 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

For High Power Femtosecond Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0070-266H | 266 | 1020 |
| 990-0070-343H | 343 | 915 |
| 990-0070-400H | 400 | 815 |
| 990-0070-400HB | 390-410 | 965 |
| 990-0070-515H | 515 | 815 |
| 990-0070-515HB | 505-525 | 965 |
| 990-0070-800H | 800 | 815 |
| 990-0070-800HB | 780-820 | 965 |
| 990-0070-1030H | 1030 | 815 |
| 990-0070-1030HB | 1010-1050 | 965 |

Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate is housed in rotating holder 840-0197 for high power femtosecond applications (laser damage threshold: >100 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

990-0070M

**MOTORIZED VARIABLE ATTENUATOR
FOR LINEARLY POLARIZED LASER BEAM**


This motorized variable attenuator/beamsplitter consists of special design opto-mechanical Adapter and precision opto-mechanical holder 840-0193. Two Thin Film Brewster type polarizers, which reflect s-polarized light while transmitting p-polarized light, are housed into Adapter. Quartz Half Waveplates are housed in motorized rotation stage 960-0161.

The intensity ratio of those two beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit beam, or their intensity ratio, can be controlled over a wide dynamic range. P-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or high-purity s-polarization could be reflected when maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam takes place. The holder 840-0193 allows to adjust Angle Of Incidence of the Thin Film Brewster type polarizers by $\pm 2^\circ$ and to get the maximum polarization contrast.

- New compact design!

Ordering information

Please note: these motorized variable attenuators for linearly polarized laser beam are provided without controller and power supply. If you would like to order the complete solution (controller 990-0841 and power supply: 980-0841), please add CP to code and 600 EUR to price.

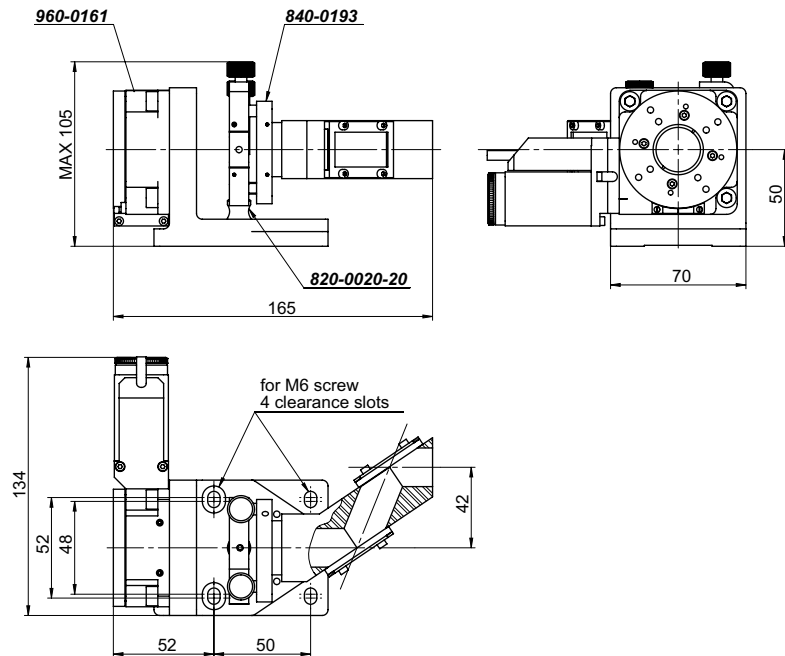
Example:

990-0070-266M – motorized attenuator without controller and power supply.

Price – 1630 EUR

990-0070-266M+CP – motorized attenuator with controller (990-0841) and power supply (980-0841).

Price – 2230 EUR


For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0070-266HM * | 266 | 1800 |
| 990-0070-355HM | 355 | 1530 |
| 990-0070-532M | 532 | 1430 |
| 990-0070-1064M | 1064 | 1430 |

Multi order half waveplate is housed in Motorized Rotation Stage 960-0161 and Polarizer with adapter in Kinematic Optical Mount 840-0193 for Nd:YAG laser application (laser damage threshold: 5 J/cm², 10 ns pulses, 10 Hz at 1064 nm, typical).

* With Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate.

For Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0070-266M | 266 | 1725 |
| 990-0070-343M | 343 | 1620 |
| 990-0070-400M | 400 | 1520 |
| 990-0070-400BM | 390-410 | 1670 |
| 990-0070-515M | 515 | 1520 |
| 990-0070-515BM | 505-525 | 1670 |
| 990-0070-800M | 800 | 1520 |
| 990-0070-800BM | 780-820 | 1670 |
| 990-0070-1030M | 1030 | 1520 |
| 990-0070-1030BM | 1010-1050 | 1670 |

Zero order optically contacted half waveplate is housed in Motorized Rotation Stage 960-0161 and Polarizer with adapter in Kinematic Optical Mount 840-0193 for femtosecond laser application (laser damage threshold: >10 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

For High Power Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0070-266HM | 266 | 1800 |
| 990-0070-343HM | 343 | 1695 |
| 990-0070-400HM | 400 | 1595 |
| 990-0070-400HBM | 390-410 | 1745 |
| 990-0070-515HM | 515 | 1595 |
| 990-0070-515HBM | 505-525 | 1745 |
| 990-0070-800HM | 800 | 1595 |
| 990-0070-800HBM | 780-820 | 1745 |
| 990-0070-1030HM | 1030 | 1595 |
| 990-0070-1030HBM | 1010-1050 | 1745 |

Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate is housed in Motorized Rotation Stage 960-0161 and Polarizer with adapter in Kinematic Optical Mount 840-0193 for high power femtosecond laser application (laser damage threshold: >100 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

990-0071

VARIABLE ATTENUATORS FOR LINEARLY POLARIZED LASER BEAM

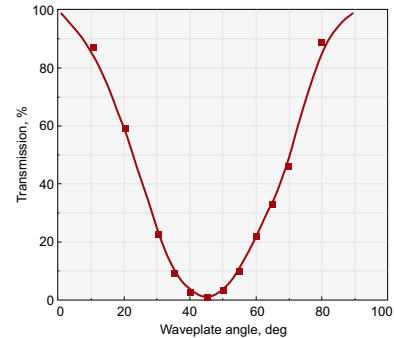
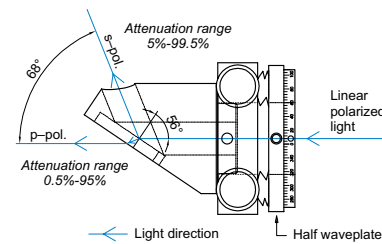


Note: Solid Base Height Extender **820-0210** and Standard Rod **820-0020-20** should be ordered separately

This variable attenuator/beam splitter consists of special design opto-mechanical adapter for polarizer at 56° 840-0117A or 840-0118A and precision opto-mechanical holder 840-0197. Thin Film Brewster type polarizer, which reflect s-polarized light at 56° while transmitting p-polarized light, is housed into adapter for polarizer at 56°. Quartz Half Waveplates are housed in rotating holder 840-0197.

The intensity ratio of those two beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit

beam, or their intensity ratio, can be controlled over a wide dynamic range. P-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or high-purity s-polarization could be reflected when maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam takes place. The holder 840-0197 allows to adjust Angle Of Incidence of the Thin Film Brewster type polarizer by $\pm 2^\circ$ and to get the maximum polarization contrast.



- Divides laser beam into separated by 68° angle two beams of manually adjustable intensity ratio
- Large dynamic range
- Transmitted beam shift ~0.5 mm
- High Optical damage threshold
- Weight – 0.25 kg

For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| | |
|-----------------------|--|
| Aperture diameter | 10 mm |
| Damage threshold | 5 J/cm ² pulsed at 1064 nm, typical |
| Polarization Contrast | >1:200 |

For Femtosecond Applications

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Aperture diameter | 10 mm |
| Damage threshold | >10 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| for high power laser applications | >100 mJ/cm ² , 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical |
| Time dispersion | t<4 fs for 100 fs Ti:Sapphire laser pulses |
| Polarization Contrast | >1:200 |

For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0071-266H * | 266 | 690 |
| 990-0071-355 | 355 | 475 |
| 990-0071-532 | 532 | 445 |
| 990-0071-1064 | 1064 | 445 |

Multi order half waveplate is housed in rotating holder 840-0197 for Nd:YAG laser pulses (laser damage threshold: 5 J/cm² pulsed at 1064 nm, typical).

* With Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate.

For Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0071-266 | 266 | 625 |
| 990-0071-343 | 343 | 600 |
| 990-0071-400 | 400 | 550 |
| 990-0071-400B | 390-410 | 650 |
| 990-0071-515 | 515 | 550 |
| 990-0071-515B | 505-525 | 650 |
| 990-0071-800 | 800 | 550 |
| 990-0071-800B | 780-820 | 650 |
| 990-0071-1030 | 1030 | 550 |
| 990-0071-1030B | 1010-1050 | 650 |

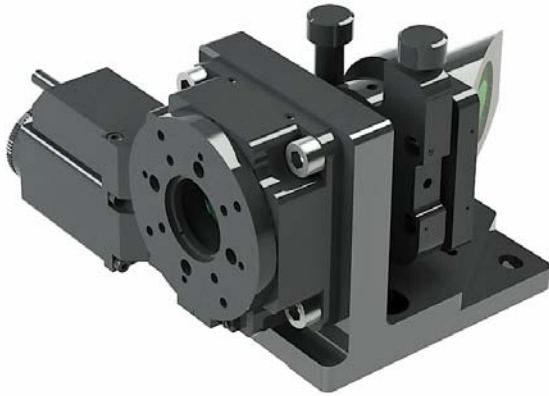
Zero order optically contacted half waveplate is housed in rotating holder 840-0197 for femtosecond laser pulses (laser damage threshold: >10 mJ/cm², 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical).

For High Power Femtosecond Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0071-266H | 266 | 690 |
| 990-0071-343H | 343 | 665 |
| 990-0071-400H | 400 | 615 |
| 990-0071-400HB | 390-410 | 715 |
| 990-0071-515H | 515 | 615 |
| 990-0071-515HB | 505-525 | 715 |
| 990-0071-800H | 800 | 615 |
| 990-0071-800HB | 780-820 | 715 |
| 990-0071-1030H | 1030 | 615 |
| 990-0071-1030HB | 1010-1050 | 715 |

Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate is housed in rotating holder 840-0197 for high power femtosecond applications (laser damage threshold: >100 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

990-0071M

**MOTORIZED VARIABLE ATTENUATOR
FOR LINEARLY POLARIZED LASER BEAM**


This motorized variable attenuator/beamsplitter consists of special design opto-mechanical adapter for polarizer at 56° 840-0117A or 840-0118A and precision opto-mechanical holder 840-0193. Thin Film Brewster type polarizer, which reflect s-polarized light at 56° while transmitting p-polarized light, is housed into adapter for polarizer at 56°. Quartz Half Waveplates are housed in motorized rotation stage 960-0161.

The intensity ratio of those two beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit beam, or their intensity ratio, can be controlled over a wide dynamic range. P-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or high-purity s-polarization could be reflected when maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam takes place. The holder 840-0193 allows to adjust Angle of Incidence of the Thin Film Brewster type polarizer by $\pm 2^\circ$ and to get the maximum polarization contrast.

- New compact design!

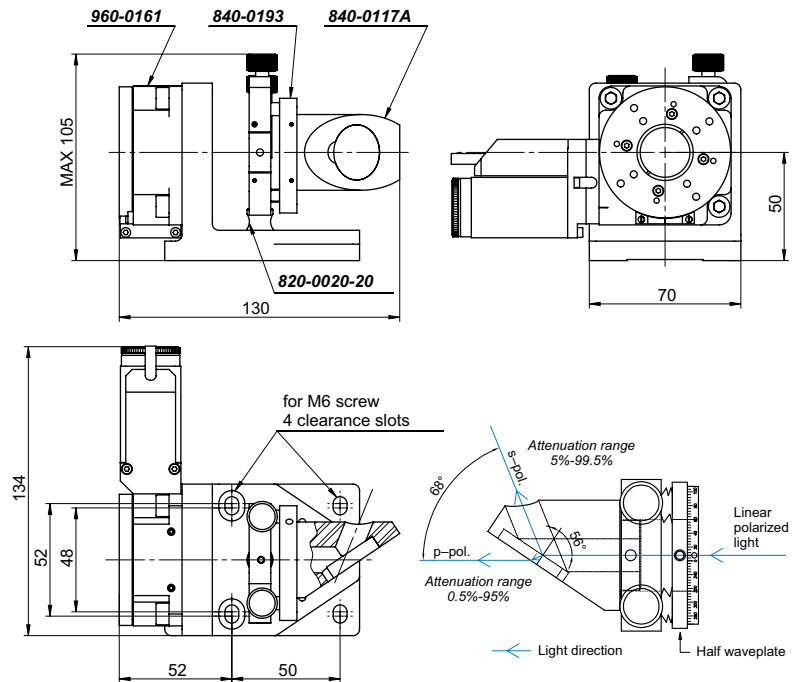
Ordering information

Please note: these motorized variable attenuators for linearly polarized laser beam are provided without controller and power supply. If you would like to order the complete solution (controller 990-0841 and power supply: 980-0841), please add CP to code and 600 EUR to price.

Example:

990-0071-266M – motorized attenuator without controller and power supply. Price – 1295 EUR

990-0071-266M+CP – motorized attenuator with controller (990-0841) and power supply (980-0841). Price – 1895 EUR


For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0071-266HM * | 266 | 1470 |
| 990-0071-355M | 355 | 1260 |
| 990-0071-532M | 532 | 1230 |
| 990-0071-1064M | 1064 | 1230 |

Multi order half waveplate is housed in Motorized Rotation Stage 960-0161 and Polarizer with adapter in Kinematic Optical Mount 840-0193 for Nd:YAG laser application (laser damage threshold: 5 J/cm², 10 ns pulses, 10 Hz at 1064 nm, typical).

* With Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate.

For Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0071-266M | 266 | 1405 |
| 990-0071-343M | 343 | 1380 |
| 990-0071-400M | 400 | 1330 |
| 990-0071-400BM | 390-410 | 1430 |
| 990-0071-515M | 515 | 1330 |
| 990-0071-515BM | 505-525 | 1430 |
| 990-0071-800M | 800 | 1330 |
| 990-0071-800BM | 780-820 | 1430 |
| 990-0071-1030M | 1030 | 1330 |
| 990-0071-1030BM | 1010-1050 | 1430 |

Zero order optically contacted half waveplate is housed in Motorized Rotation Stage 960-0161 and Polarizer with adapter in Kinematic Optical Mount 840-0193 for femtosecond laser application (laser damage threshold: >10 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

For High Power Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0071-266HM | 266 | 1470 |
| 990-0071-343HM | 343 | 1445 |
| 990-0071-400HM | 400 | 1395 |
| 990-0071-400HBM | 390-410 | 1495 |
| 990-0071-515HM | 515 | 1395 |
| 990-0071-515HBM | 505-525 | 1495 |
| 990-0071-800HM | 800 | 1395 |
| 990-0071-800HBM | 780-820 | 1495 |
| 990-0071-1030HM | 1030 | 1395 |
| 990-0071-1030HBM | 1010-1050 | 1495 |

Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate is housed in Motorized Rotation Stage 960-0161 and Polarizer with adapter in Kinematic Optical Mount 840-0193 for high power femtosecond laser application (laser damage threshold: >100 mJ/cm², 50 fsec pulse, 800 nm typical).

990-0072

VARIABLE ATTENUATOR FOR FEMTOSECOND LASER PULSES

- New compact design!



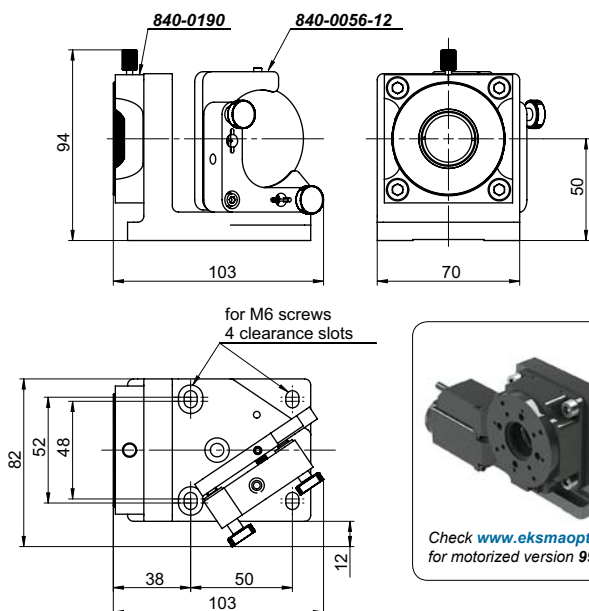
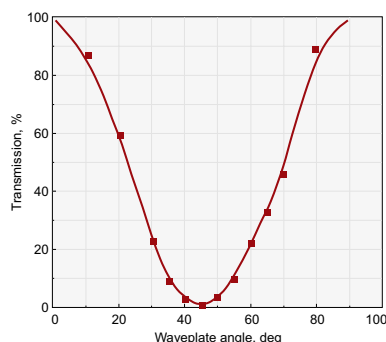
- Divides laser beam into two parallel beams of manually adjustable intensity ratio
- Large dynamic range
- Transmitted beam shift ~1 mm
- High optical damage threshold
- Look online for motorized version 990-0072M

This variable attenuator/beamsplitter consists of Polarizer Holder 840-0180-A1 and Kinematic Mirror/Beamsplitter Mount 840-0056-12. UVFS Thin Film Brewster type polarizer diameter 50.8 mm, which reflect s-polarized light while transmitting p-polarized light, is housed into Beamsplitter Mount 840-0056-12. A quartz Zero Order (optically contacted) Half Waveplate Ø25.4 mm (for femtosecond applications), quartz Zero Order Air-Spaced Half Waveplate (for high power femtosecond applications) or quartz Multi Order Half Waveplate Ø25.4 mm (for Nd:YAG laser applications) is housed in rotating polarizer holder 840-0180-A1 and placed in the incident linearly polarized laser beam.

The intensity ratio of those two separated and different polarized beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit beam, or their intensity ratio, can be controlled over a wide dynamic range. P-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or high-purity s-polarization could be

reflected when maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam takes place.

The holder 840-0056-12 allows to adjust Angle Of Incidence of the Thin Film Brewster type polarizers by $\pm 4.5^\circ$ and to get the maximum extinction contrast. The mounts are on rods, rod holders and Movable Base 820-0090. The optical axis height from the table top can be adjusted in the range 78-88 mm. Other height can be offered as custom changing the standard rods and rod holders into higher.



Check www.eksmaoptics.com for motorized version 990-0072M

For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| | |
|-------------------------|---|
| Clear Aperture diameter | 22 mm |
| Damage threshold | >5 J/cm ² , 10 ns pulse, 10 Hz at 1064 nm, typical |
| Polarization Contrast | >1:200 |
| Transmitted beam shift | ~ 1 mm |
| Weight | 0.45 kg |

A quartz Multi Order Half Waveplate Ø25.4 mm is housed in rotating holder 840-0180-A1.

For Femtosecond Applications

| | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Clear Aperture diameter | 22 mm |
| Damage threshold | >10 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| for high power applications | >100 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| Polarization Contrast | >1:200 |
| Transmitted beam shift | ~ 1 mm |
| Weight | 0.45 kg |

A quartz Zero Order (optically contacted) Half Waveplate (for femtosecond applications) or Zero Order Air-Spaced Half Waveplate (for high power applications) Ø25.4 mm are housed in rotating holder 840-0180-A2.

For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0072-266H* | 266 | 1085 |
| 990-0072-355 | 355 | 765 |
| 990-0072-532 | 532 | 735 |
| 990-0072-1064 | 1064 | 755 |

* A quartz Zero Order Air-Spaced Half Waveplate clear aperture Ø22 mm is housed in rotating holder 840-0180-A2.

For Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0072-266 | 266 | 950 |
| 990-0072-343 | 343 | 895 |
| 990-0072-400 | 400 | 865 |
| 990-0072-515 | 515 | 865 |
| 990-0072-800 | 800 | 880 |
| 990-0072-800B | 780-820 | 980 |
| 990-0072-1030 | 1030 | 890 |
| 990-0072-1030B | 1010-1050 | 980 |

For High Power Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0072-266H | 266 | 1085 |
| 990-0072-343H | 343 | 1030 |
| 990-0072-400H | 400 | 1000 |
| 990-0072-515H | 515 | 1000 |
| 990-0072-800H | 800 | 1015 |
| 990-0072-800HB | 780-820 | 1115 |
| 990-0072-1030H | 1030 | 1025 |
| 990-0072-1030HB | 1010-1050 | 1115 |

990-0073

**VARIABLE ATTENUATOR
FOR FEMTOSECOND AND Nd:YAG LASER PULSES**

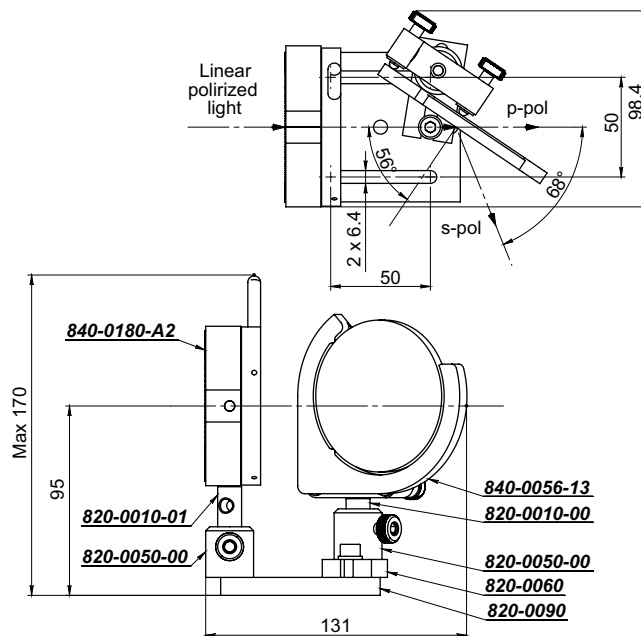
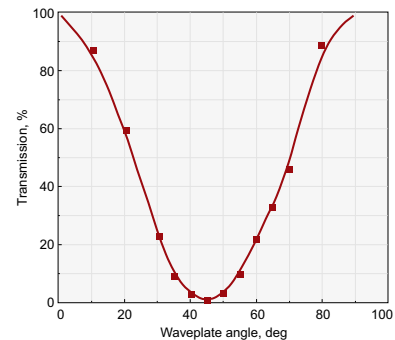

- Divides laser beam into two parallel beams of manually adjustable intensity ratio
- Large dynamic range
- Transmitted beam shift ~1.4 mm
- High optical damage threshold
- Motorized version available on request

This variable attenuator/beamsplitter consists of Polarizer Holder 840-0180-A2 and Kinematic Mirror/Beamsplitter Mount 840-0056-13. UVFS Thin Film Brewster type polarizer Ø76.2 mm, which reflect s-polarized light while transmitting p-polarized light, is housed into Beamsplitter Mount 840-0056-13. A quartz Zero Order (optically contacted) Half Waveplate Ø40 mm (for femtosecond applications), Zero Order Air-Spaced Half Waveplate (for high power femtosecond applications) or quartz Multi Order Half Waveplate Ø40 mm (for Nd:YAG laser applications) is housed in rotating polarizer holder 840-0180-A2 and placed in the incident linearly polarized laser beam.

The intensity ratio of those two separated and different polarized beams may be continuously varied without alteration of other beam parameters by rotating the waveplate. The intensity of either exit beam, or their intensity ratio, can be controlled over a wide dynamic range. P-polarization could be selected for maximum transmission, or high-purity s-polarization could be

reflected when maximum attenuation of the transmitted beam takes place.

The holder 840-0056-13 allows to adjust Angle Of Incidence of the Thin Film Brewster type polarizers by $\pm 4.5^\circ$ and to get the maximum extinction contrast. The mounts are on rods, rod holders and Movable Base 820-0090. The optical axis height from the table top can be adjusted in the range 92-98 mm. Other height can be offered as custom changing the standard rods and rod holders into higher.


For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| | |
|-------------------------|---|
| Clear Aperture diameter | 36 mm |
| Damage threshold | >5 J/cm ² , 10 ns pulse, 10 Hz at 1064 nm, typical |
| Polarization Contrast | >1:200 |
| Transmitted beam shift | ~ 1.4 mm |
| Weight | 0.6 kg |

Quartz Multi Order Half Waveplate Ø40 mm is housed in rotating polarizer holder 840-0180-A2.

For Femtosecond Applications

| | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Clear Aperture diameter | 36 mm |
| Damage threshold | >10 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| for high power applications | >100 mJ/cm ² , 50 fs pulse at 800 nm, typical |
| Polarization Contrast | >1:200 |
| Transmitted beam shift | ~ 1.4 mm |
| Weight | 0.6 kg |

A quartz Zero Order (optically contacted) Half Waveplate Ø40 mm (for femtosecond applications) or Zero Order Air-Spaced Half Waveplate (for high power applications) is housed in rotating polarizer holder 840-0180-A2.

For Nd:YAG Laser Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0073-266H* | 266 | 1790 |
| 990-0073-355 | 355 | 1460 |
| 990-0073-532 | 532 | 1440 |
| 990-0073-1064 | 1064 | 1515 |

* Zero Order Air-Spaced half waveplate is housed in rotating holder.

For Femtosecond Applications

| Catalogue number | Wavelength, nm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|------------|
| 990-0073-266 | 266 | 1690 |
| 990-0073-343 | 343 | 1560 |
| 990-0073-400 | 400 | 1540 |
| 990-0073-515 | 515 | 1540 |
| 990-0073-800 | 800 | 1560 |
| 990-0073-800B | 780-820 | 1790 |
| 990-0073-1030 | 1030 | 1615 |
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**For High Power
Femtosecond Applications**

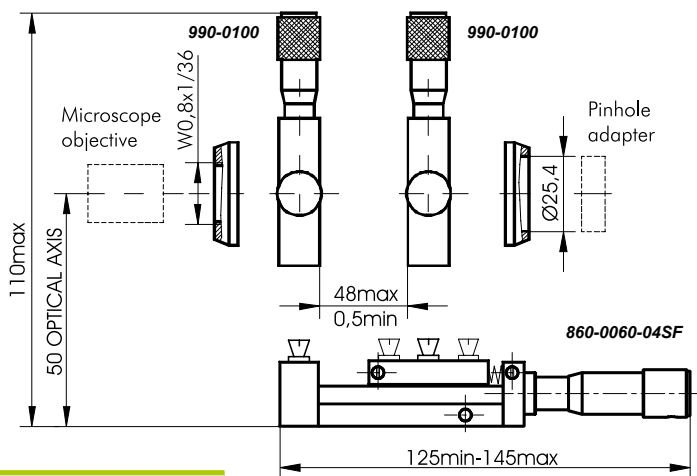
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| 990-0073-266H | 266 | 1790 |
| 990-0073-343H | 343 | 1660 |
| 990-0073-400H | 400 | 1640 |
| 990-0073-515H | 515 | 1640 |
| 990-0073-800H | 800 | 1660 |
| 990-0073-800HB | 780-820 | 1890 |
| 990-0073-1030H | 1030 | 1715 |
| 990-0073-1030HB | 1010-1050 | 1950 |

990-1000

PRECISION SPATIAL FILTER



990-1000 with Precision Pinholes and Microscope Objectives



- 3-axes adjustment with micrometers
- Accommodates virtually any microscope objective
- Unobscured view of a pinhole facilitates alignment
- Easy pinhole removal and replacement

Microscope Objective and Precision Pinholes can be supplied as option.

Precision Spatial Filter 990-1000 can be used to filter a beam of any power, generated by visible to near infrared laser. The result – the output beam is delivered with a smooth, near ideal intensity profile. The Spatial Filter consists of two YZ Positioners 990-0100 and Translation Stage 860-0060-04SF (modification of 860-0060-04). YZ Positioner for Lens, Pinholes and Objectives 990-0100 provides adjustment

of the pinhole and objective in two axes. The precision X axis motion is provided by Translation Stage 860-0060-04SF.

The pinhole and the objective should be selected and ordered separately. Provided selection of interchangeable microscope objective lenses and precision pinholes allow to build the best spatial filter for your laser.

| Code | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|----------|------------|------------|
| 990-1000 | 0.87 | 480 |

Complementary Products

| Code | Page |
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| 850-0040 | 8.102 |
| 860-0060-04 | 8.111 |
| 990-0100 | 7.20 |

RELATED PRODUCTS

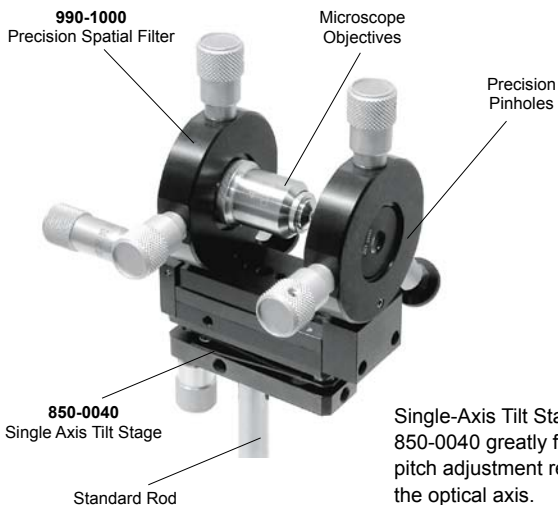
Precision pinholes

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Microscope objectives

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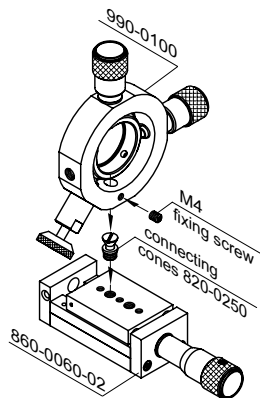
Single-Axis Tilt Stage 850-0040 greatly facilitates pitch adjustment relative to the optical axis.

990-0100 • 990-0200

Y-Z POSITIONER FOR LENS, PINHOLES AND OBJECTIVES



990-0100



Y-Z Positioners for Lens, Pinholes and Objectives are compact mounts designed to precisely position optical components in the plane orthogonal to the optical axis. Ideal for microscope objectives, mounted pinholes, fiber optics chucks, and diode lasers.

The mounts provide 5 mm translation with sensitivity of 2 μm .

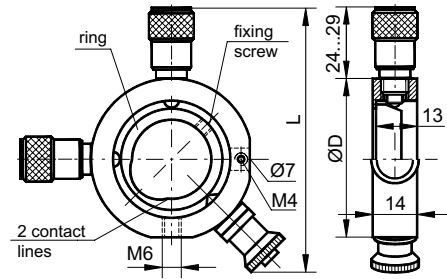
990-0100 may contain one of 1 inch rings: W0.8, A1 or B1.

990-0200 may contain one of 2 inch rings: A2 or B2.

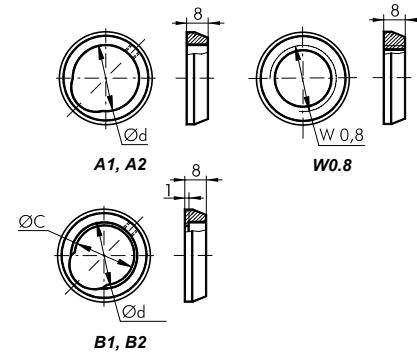
Two adjustment screws 870-0030 are used for positioning. They can be replaced with any screw or micrometer with M10 \times 1 mounting thread.

Two ways to fasten positioner: mounting posts 820-0010 by an M6 hole; on a connecting cone 820-0250; 820-0254 by a $\varnothing 7$ hole.

Material: black anodized aluminium.



Insert rings



ORDERING INFORMATION

| | |
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| 990-0100-A1 | 1" Positioner with ring A1 |
| 990-0200-A2 | 2" Positioner with ring A2 |
| 990-0100-B1 | 1" Positioner with ring B1 |
| 990-0200-B2 | 2" Positioner with ring B2 |
| 990-0100-W0.8 | 1" Positioner with ring W0.8 |

| Model | D, mm | d, mm | C, mm | L, mm | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|------------|
| 990-0100 | 58 | 25.5 | 24 | 102 | 0.26 | 149 |
| 990-0200 | 83 | 51 | 48 | 127 | 0.38 | 159 |

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Y-Z POSITIONERS FOR LENS, PINHOLES AND OBJECTIVES



990-0050



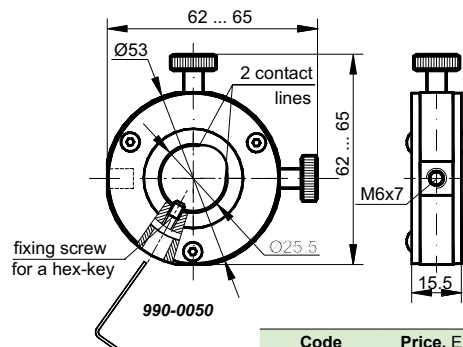
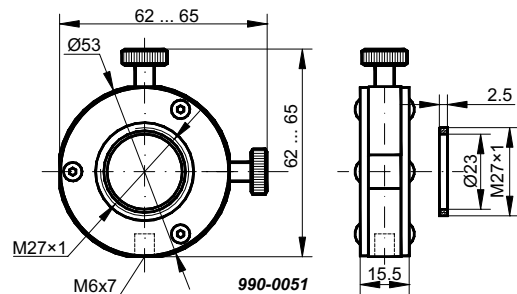
990-0051

- Travel range 3 mm
- Fine adjustment screws with 0.25 mm pitch
- The movable carriage could accept $\varnothing 25.4$ optics up to 9 mm thick
- Alternatively, the movable carriage could be used to mount additional lens tubes

Y-Z Positioner 990-0050 accepts optics $\varnothing 25.4$ mm. Optics is stopped by a rest-flange inside the central aperture of the platform and is secured by a hex fixing screw with hard plastic tip. 990-0050 is ideal for microscope objectives, mounted pinholes, fiber optics chucks and diode lasers.

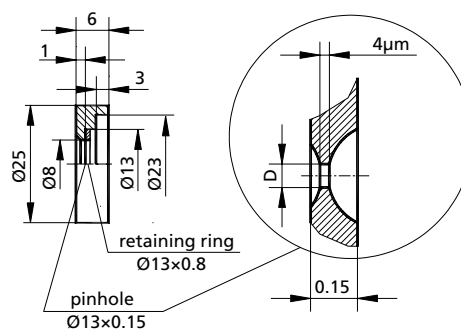
990-0051 includes two plastic padding rings and a retaining ring M27 \times 1 to fix the optics.

A tightening key for the retaining ring is available on request.



| Code | Price, EUR |
|----------|------------|
| 990-0050 | 119 |
| 990-0051 | 119 |

PRECISION PINHOLES



- For diffraction experiments, alignment purposes, projection applications
- Chemically etched apertures
- Apertures formed in vacuum
- 4 μm thick pinhole in a kovar foil
- Ultra-thin substrate minimizes laser power loss
- Chemically inert

Precision Pinhole is a round aperture precisely formed and controlled in a kovar foil. To facilitate handling, a pinhole foil is mounted in Ø25 mm black metal donut. Precision Pinholes can be used in Precision Spatial Filters 990-1000 or YZ Positioner for Lens, Pinholes and Objectives 990-0100.

We also offer pinholes with diameter D in the range of 45–100 μm every 5 μm. Pinholes of custom diameters up-to 200 μm are available on request.

| Model | D, μm | Price, EUR |
|----------|---------|------------|
| 990-0010 | 10±0.5 | 39 |
| 990-0020 | 20±0.5 | 34 |
| 990-0030 | 30±0.5 | 29 |
| 990-0040 | 40±0.5 | 29 |
| 990-0049 | 50±0.5 | 29 |
| 990-0075 | 75±0.5 | 29 |
| 990-0110 | 100±0.5 | 29 |



990-1000 Precision Spatial Filter with Precision Pinholes and Microscope Objectives

990-0100

Single-Axis Tilt Stage 850-0040 greatly facilitates pitch adjustment relative to the optical axis.

Complementary Products

| Code | Page |
|----------|------|
| 990-1000 | 7.19 |
| 990-0100 | 7.20 |

MICROSCOPE OBJECTIVES



- Plan Achromat or Achromat Design
- Wide range of magnifications available
- Ideal for Imaging or Focusing Laser Light
- RMS (0.800"-36) Threading

Complementary Products

| Code | Page |
|----------|------|
| 840-0120 | 8.83 |
| 990-1000 | 7.19 |

| Model | 990-0410 | 990-1125 | 990-2040 | 990-4065 | 990-1025 |
|----------------------------|------------------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|
| Magnification | 4x | 10x | 20x | 40x | 100x |
| Numerical aperture | 0.10 | 0.25 | 0.40 | 0.65 | 1.25 |
| Focal length, mm | 40 | 16 | 8 | 4 | 1.6 |
| Working distance, mm | 23.40 | 13.13 | 1.70 | 0.41 | 0.10 |
| Design type | Air immersion | | | | Oil immersion |
| Mechanical tube length, mm | 160 | | | | |
| Optical scheme | Plan Achromat | | Achromat | | |
| Mounting thread | 0.8"-36 RMS | | | | |
| Wavelength range | Visible Spectrum | | | | |

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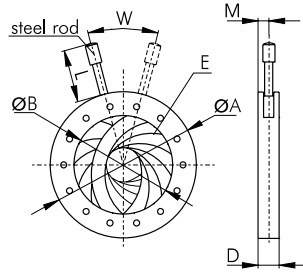
UNMOUNTED IRIS DIAPHRAGMS

EKSMA OPTICS offers three types of unmounted Iris Diaphragms: Zero aperture Iris Diaphragms (992 series), standard iris diaphragms with retainer (993 series), standard iris diaphragms screwed (994 series).

Iris diaphragm provides a continuously variable field stop for controlling the focal

length of an optical system or for adjusting the diameter of a beam. Iris diaphragms enable smooth operation over the lever travel, from maximum to minimum aperture. Lever actuators of the iris diaphragms are either of plastic tab or steel pin. Zero Aperture iris diaphragms provide total light extinction.

Zero Aperture Iris Diaphragms (992 Series)



AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

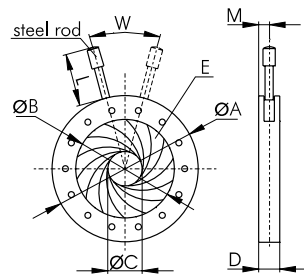
H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

HT - High-temperature alloy for up to 1000 °C

| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | N/H/HT |
|----------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 992-2008 | 20 | 8 | 4 | 8 | Tab | 6 | 2 | 90 | H/N |
| 992-2512 | 25 | 12 | 5 | 12 | Pin | 12 | 2.5 | 96 | H/N |
| 992-2915 | 29 | 15 | 5 | 12 | Pin | 12 | 2.5 | 97 | H/N |
| 992-3922 | 39 | 22 | 5 | 14 | Pin | 12 | 2.5 | 99 | H/N |
| 992-4830 | 48 | 30 | 5 | 14 | Tab | 11 | 2.5 | 100 | H/N/HT |
| 992-6940 | 69 | 40 | 6.5 | 14 | Tab | 16 | 3.3 | 96 | H/N/HT |
| 992-7950 | 79 | 50 | 7 | 18 | Pin | 20 | 3.5 | 100 | H/N/HT |
| 992-9460 | 94 | 60 | 9 | 16 | Tab | 25 | 4.5 | 98 | H/N/HT |
| 992-1177 | 117 | 75 | 9.5 | 18 | Tab | 53 | 4.8 | 97 | H/N/HT |
| 992-1258 | 125 | 85 | 9.5 | 18 | Tab | 50 | 4.8 | 98 | H/N/HT |
| 992-1359 | 135 | 98 | 8.5 | 20 | Tab | 50 | 4.3 | 102 | H/N/HT |
| 992-1601 | 160 | 113 | 13 | 20 | Pin | 18 | 6.5 | 99 | N/H/NT |

Please add letter H, N or HT to code to indicate temperature needed.

Iris Diaphragms with Retainer (993 Series)



AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

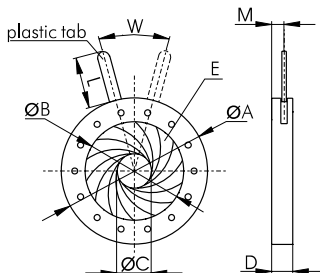
HT - High-temperature alloy for up to 1000 °C

| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | C, Min. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | AR/N/H |
|----------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 993-1005 | 10 | 5 | 0.5 | 4 | 8 | Pin | 4 | 2.4 | 78 | AR/N |
| 993-1207 | 12 | 7 | 0.5 | 4 | 8 | Pin | 6 | 2.4 | 88 | AR/N |
| 993-1482 | 14 | 8.2 | 0.8 | 4 | 8 | Pin | 6 | 2.4 | 80 | N |
| 993-1488 | 14.8 | 8 | 1 | 4.5 | 9 | Pin | 6 | 2.5 | 77 | N |
| 993-1610 | 16 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 10 | Pin | 6 | 2.4 | 83 | N |
| 993-1912 | 19.8 | 12 | 1 | 5 | 11 | Pin | 10 | 2.7 | 89 | AR/H/N |
| 993-2214 | 22 | 14 | 1 | 5 | 10 | Pin | 10 | 2.7 | 94 | AR/N |
| 993-2415 | 24 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 12 | Pin | 13 | 2.7 | 89 | H/N |
| 993-2818 | 28 | 18 | 1 | 5 | 12 | Pin | 13 | 2.7 | 90 | AR |
| 993-3020 | 30 | 20 | 1.2 | 5.5 | 12 | Pin | 13 | 2.9 | 90 | AR/H/N |

| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | C, Min. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | AR/N/H |
|----------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 993-3322 | 33 | 22 | 1.5 | 5.5 | 14 | Pin | 13 | 2.9 | 94 | N |
| 993-3725 | 37 | 25 | 1.5 | 5.5 | 15 | Pin | 13 | 3 | 93 | H/N |
| 993-4027 | 40 | 27 | 1.5 | 5.5 | 12 | Pin | 13 | 3 | 90 | AR/H/N |
| 993-4330 | 43 | 30 | 1.5 | 5.5 | 14 | Pin | 13 | 3 | 92 | AR/H/N |
| 993-4934 | 49 | 34 | 2 | 6.5 | 14 | Pin | 13 | 3.5 | 91 | AR/H/N |
| 993-5036 | 50 | 36 | 2.5 | 6 | 16 | Pin | 13 | 3.2 | 92 | H/N |
| 993-5337 | 53 | 37 | 2.5 | 6 | 16 | Pin | 13 | 3.2 | 89 | N |
| 993-5842 | 58 | 42 | 2.5 | 6.5 | 18 | Pin | 13 | 3.3 | 93 | H/N |
| 993-6040 | 60 | 40 | 2.5 | 6.5 | 12 | Pin | 13 | 3.3 | 88 | H/N |
| 993-6445 | 64 | 45 | 2.5 | 7 | 14 | Pin | 13 | 3.8 | 92 | H/N |
| 993-7050 | 70 | 50 | 2.5 | 7 | 18 | Pin | 15 | 4 | 94 | H/N |
| 993-8260 | 82 | 60 | 4 | 8 | 17 | Pin | 13 | 4.4 | 91 | H/N |
| 993-1075 | 100 | 75 | 4 | 9 | 20 | Pin | 15 | 4.5 | 95 | H/N |
| 993-1181 | 110 | 81 | 3 | 10 | 16 | Pin | 15 | 5 | 94 | AR |
| 993-1290 | 120 | 90 | 3.5 | 12 | 20 | Pin | 15 | 6.5 | 97 | AR |
| 993-1398 | 130 | 98 | 4 | 12 | 20 | Pin | 20 | 6.5 | 97 | H/N |
| 993-1513 | 150 | 113 | 6 | 13 | 20 | Pin | 20 | 7.2 | 95 | H/N |
| 993-1612 | 165 | 120 | 6 | 15 | 18 | Pin | 20 | 7.9 | 94 | H/N |
| 993-1914 | 195 | 145 | 8 | 16 | 18 | Pin | 18 | 8.9 | 93 | N |

Please add letter AR, N or H to code to indicate temperature needed.

Screwed Iris Diaphragms (994 Series)



AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

HT - High-temperature alloy for up to 1000 °C

| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | C, Min. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | N |
|----------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| 994-1508 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 5.3 | 9 | Tab | 5 | 2.5 | 81 | N |
| 994-1585 | 15.5 | 8.5 | 1 | 5.3 | 9 | Tab | 8 | 2.6 | 75 | N |
| 994-2214 | 22 | 14 | 1 | 6 | 10 | Tab | 12 | 3 | 90 | AR/N |
| 994-3118 | 31 | 18 | 1.5 | 6.5 | 11 | Tab | 10 | 3.4 | 85 | N |
| 994-4027 | 40 | 27 | 1.5 | 6.2 | 12 | Tab | 11 | 3.5 | 90 | AR/N |
| 994-4830 | 48.5 | 30 | 1.2 | 7 | 10 | Tab | 10 | 3.6 | 86 | N |
| 994-6040 | 60 | 40 | 2.5 | 7.8 | 12 | Tab | 13 | 4.6 | 88 | N |
| 994-7050 | 70 | 50 | 2.5 | 7 | 18 | Tab | 13 | 4 | 94 | N |
| 994-8260 | 82 | 60 | 4 | 10 | 17 | Tab | 11 | 5.4 | 91 | N |

Please add letter AR or N to code to indicate temperature needed.

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MOUNTED IRIS DIAPHRAGMS



In optics there are a lot of fields where accurate amount of light, precise projection, specific depth of focus and other requirements are necessary. For such areas the use of iris diaphragms is one of the best options. These applications are met in industry of optics, opto-electronics, laser and medical technology, lightening technology and other. Our iris diaphragms are made of high quality materials. Also, we use highest manufacturing standards. These points lead to reliability and durability of our products.

DESIGN

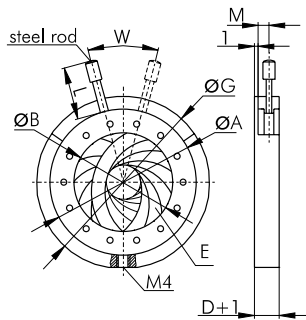
Our iris diaphragms consist of leaves and case. Leaves are made of hardened spring steel. Stainless chrome nickel steel can be used when better resistance to heat is necessary. The surface of leaves is polished and reducing the reflections. The edges of the leaves are rounded to

achieve smooth operation. For increasing the slip of leaves an invisible coating is applied. Next, protection from corrosion is guaranteed by particular polishing process. Further, for producing the case, corrosion resistant aluminum alloy is used. Fine mat black look is achieved by black-anodizing the surface of the case.

CUSTOM MODELS

We have a wide variety of iris diaphragms that suit to different applications. Also, we introduce the series of fully closing iris diaphragms to meet the needs of all customers. Nevertheless, if you don't find a suitable model, we can make custom iris diaphragm. The changes can be made in dimensions, form; it can be adapted to high temperatures, adapted for special fastening or modified according to your other requests.

Mounted Zero Aperture Iris Diaphragms (992 Series)



| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | G, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | C, Min. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | N/H |
|-----------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-----|
| 992-2512M | 25 | 32.5 | 12 | - | 5 | 12 | Pin | 12 | 2.5 | 96 | H/N |
| 992-2915M | 29 | 36.5 | 15 | - | 5 | 12 | Pin | 12 | 2.5 | 97 | H/N |
| 992-3922M | 39 | 46 | 22 | - | 5 | 14 | Pin | 11 | 2.5 | 99 | H/N |

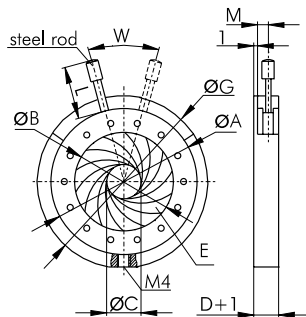
AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

HT - High-temperature alloy for up to 1000 °C

Mounted Iris Diaphragms with Retainer (993 Series)



| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | G, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | C, Min. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | AR/N/H |
|-----------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 993-2214M | 22 | 29.5 | 14 | 1 | 5 | 10 | Pin | 10 | 2.7 | 94 | AR/N |
| 993-2415M | 24 | 31 | 15 | 1 | 5 | 12 | Pin | 13 | 2.7 | 89 | N/H |
| 993-3725M | 37 | 44 | 25 | 1.5 | 5.5 | 15 | Pin | 13 | 3 | 94 | N/H |
| 993-4934M | 49 | 56 | 34 | 2 | 6.5 | 14 | Pin | 13 | 3.4 | 93 | AR/H |
| 993-5036M | 50 | 57 | 36 | 2.5 | 6 | 16 | Pin | 13 | 3.2 | 93 | N |
| 993-7050M | 70 | 77 | 50 | 2.5 | 7 | 18 | Pin | 15 | 3.8 | 93 | N |
| 993-1488M | 14.8 | 23 | 8 | 1 | 4.5 | 9 | Pin | 6 | 2.5 | 77 | N |
| 993-1482M | 14 | 22 | 8.2 | 0.5 | 4 | 8 | Pin | 6 | 2.4 | 84 | N |

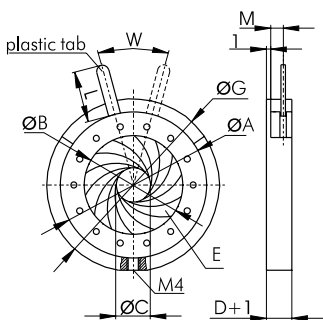
AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

HT - High-temperature alloy for up to 1000 °C

Mounted Screwed Iris Diaphragms (994 Series)



| Code | A, Outer Diameter, mm | G, mm | B, Max. Aperture, mm | C, Min. Aperture, mm | D, Thickness, mm | E, Number of Leaves | Tab/ Pin | L, mm | M, mm | W, mm | AR/N/H |
|-----------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 994-2214M | 22 | 29.5 | 14 | 1 | 6 | 10 | Tab | 12 | 2,8 | 91 | N |
| 994-3118M | 31 | 38 | 18 | 1,5 | 6,5 | 11 | Tab | 10 | 3,4 | 85 | N |
| 994-4830M | 48.5 | 55.5 | 30 | 1,2 | 7 | 10 | Tab | 10 | 3,7 | 87 | N |
| 994-7050M | 70 | 77 | 50 | 2,5 | 7 | 18 | Tab | 13 | 3,9 | 93 | N |
| 994-1508M | 15 | 23 | 8 | 1 | 5,3 | 9 | Tab | 5 | 2,3 | 75 | N |
| 994-1585M | 15,5 | 23 | 8,5 | 1 | 5,3 | 9 | Tab | 8 | 2,3 | 85 | N |

AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

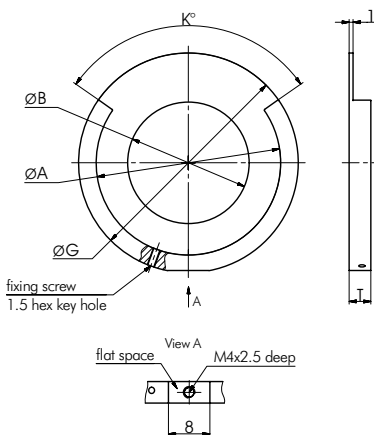
N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

HT - High-temperature alloy for up to 1000 °C

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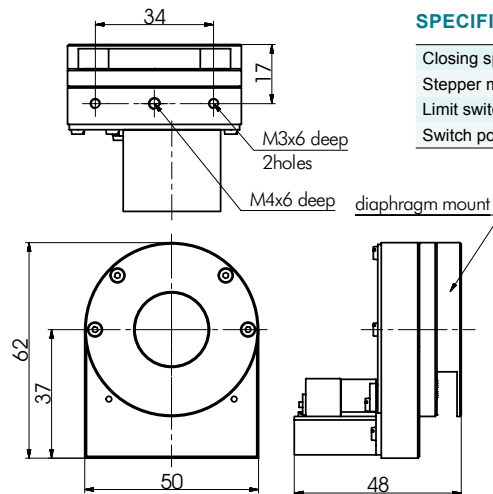


| Code | G, mm | A, mm | B, mm | T, mm | K, deg |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| 992-34-10 | 18 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 106 |
| 992-34-12 | 20 | 12 | 9 | 6 | 122 |
| 992-34-14 | 22 | 14 | 10 | 6 | 140 |
| 992-34-14.8 | 23 | 14.8 | 10 | 6 | 130 |
| 992-34-15 | 23 | 15 | 10 | 6.3 | 123 |
| 992-34-15.5 | 23 | 15.5 | 10.5 | 6.3 | 125 |
| 992-34-19.8 | 28 | 19.8 | 14 | 7 | 125 |
| 992-34-22 | 29.5 | 22 | 16 | 7 | 130 |
| 992-34-24 | 31 | 24 | 17 | 6 | 123 |
| 992-34-25 | 32.5 | 25 | 14 | 6 | 127 |
| 992-34-28 | 35.5 | 28 | 20 | 6 | 125 |
| 992-34-29 | 36.5 | 29 | 17 | 6 | 125 |
| 992-34-30 | 37.5 | 30 | 22 | 6.5 | 125 |
| 992-34-31 | 38 | 31 | 20 | 7.5 | 110 |
| 992-34-37 | 44 | 37 | 27 | 6.5 | 116 |
| 992-34-39 | 46 | 39 | 24 | 6 | 120 |
| 992-34-40 | 48 | 40 | 29 | 7 | 112 |
| 992-34-48 | 55.5 | 48 | 32 | 6 | 116 |
| 992-34-48.5 | 55.5 | 48.5 | 32 | 8 | 104 |
| 992-34-49 | 56 | 49 | 36 | 7.5 | 110 |
| 992-34-50 | 57 | 50 | 38 | 7 | 110 |
| 992-34-60 | 67 | 60 | 42 | 8 | 104 |
| 992-34-70 | 77 | 70 | 52 | 8 | 105 |
| 992-34-82 | 89 | 82 | 62 | 9 | 105 |

995 Series

MOTORIZED IRIS DIAPHRAGMS
 (Max. Aperture Range 5-27 mm)


995 Series Motorized Iris Diaphragms are available with a wide range of apertures (from 5 mm to 98 mm). Irises with max. apertures from 5 mm to 27 mm are shown on this page. Irises with max. apertures up to 27 mm close from min. to max. in 1.2 seconds with resolution depending on aperture size (see table below). Zero aperture motorized iris diaphragms are available on request, max. aperture sizes from 12 mm to 40 mm.

**SPECIFICATIONS**

| | |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| Closing speed (min to max) | 1.2 seconds |
| Stepper motor/gear | 50:1 |
| Limit switch | 2 mechanical |
| Switch polarity | pushed is closed |

TEMPERATURE LIMITS

- AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C
- N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C
- H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

| Catalogue number | Diaphragm Used | Min. Clear Aperture, mm | Max. Clear Aperture, mm | Resolution, steps per mm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| 995-1005-AR | 993-1005-AR | 0.5 | 5 | 444 | 855 |
| 995-1005-N | 993-1005-N | 0.5 | 5 | 444 | 855 |
| 995-1207-AR | 993-1207-AR | 0.5 | 7 | 308 | 855 |
| 995-1207-N | 993-1207-N | 0.5 | 7 | 308 | 855 |
| 995-1488-N | 993-1488-N | 1 | 8 | 286 | 855 |
| 995-1482-N | 993-1482-N | 0.5 | 8.2 | 260 | 855 |
| 995-1912-AR | 993-1912-AR | 1 | 12 | 182 | 855 |
| 995-1912-H | 993-1912-H | 1 | 12 | 182 | 855 |
| 995-1912-N | 993-1912-N | 1 | 12 | 182 | 855 |
| 995-2214-AR | 993-2214-AR | 1 | 14 | 154 | 855 |
| 995-2214-N | 993-2214-N | 1 | 14 | 154 | 855 |
| 995-2415-H | 993-2415-H | 1 | 15 | 143 | 855 |
| 995-2415-N | 993-2415-N | 1 | 15 | 143 | 855 |
| 995-2818-AR | 993-2818-AR | 1 | 18 | 118 | 855 |
| 995-3020-AR | 993-3020-AR | 1.2 | 20 | 106 | 855 |
| 995-3020-H | 993-3020-H | 1.2 | 20 | 106 | 855 |
| 995-3020-N | 993-3020-N | 1.2 | 20 | 106 | 855 |
| 995-3322-N | 993-3322-N | 1.5 | 22 | 98 | 855 |
| 995-3725-N | 993-3725-N | 1.5 | 25 | 85 | 855 |
| 995-4027-AR | 993-4027-AR | 1.5 | 26 | 78 | 855 |
| 995-4027-H | 993-4027-H | 1.5 | 26 | 78 | 855 |
| 995-4027-N | 993-4027-N | 1.5 | 26 | 78 | 855 |

RECOMMENDED CONTROLLERS

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996 Series

MOTORIZED IRIS DIAPHRAGMS (Max. Aperture Range 30-50 mm)

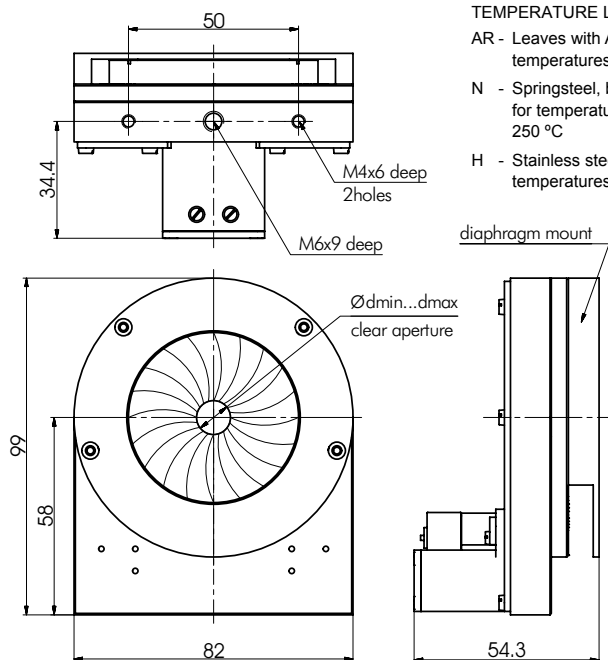


Irises with max. apertures from 30 mm to 50 mm close from min. to max. in 2 seconds with resolution depending on aperture size (see table below).

Zero aperture motorized iris diaphragms are available on request, max. aperture sizes from 12 mm to 40 mm.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| Closing speed (min to max) | 2 seconds |
| Stepper motor/gear | 50:1 |
| Limit switch | 2 mechanical |
| Switch polarity | pushed is closed |
| Stepper motor | PG15/50 |



TEMPERATURE LIMITS

AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C

N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C

H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

| Catalogue number | Diaphragm Used | dmin Aperture, mm | dmax Aperture, mm | Resolution, steps per mm | Price, EUR |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------|
| 996-4330-H | 993-4330-H | 1.5 | 30 | 70 | 951 |
| 996-4330-N | 993-4330-N | 1.5 | 30 | 70 | 951 |
| 996-4934-AR | 993-4934-AR | 2 | 34 | 62 | 951 |
| 996-4934-N | 993-4934-N | 2 | 34 | 62 | 951 |
| 996-5036-N | 993-5036-N | 2.5 | 36 | 60 | 951 |
| 996-5337-N | 993-5337-N | 2.5 | 37 | 58 | 951 |
| 996-6040-N | 993-6040-N | 2.5 | 40 | 53 | 951 |
| 996-5842-N | 993-5842-N | 2.5 | 42 | 51 | 951 |
| 996-6445-H | 993-6445-H | 2.5 | 45 | 47 | 951 |
| 996-6445-N | 993-6445-N | 2.5 | 45 | 47 | 951 |
| 996-7050-N | 993-7050-N | 2.5 | 50 | 42 | 951 |

RECOMMENDED CONTROLLERS

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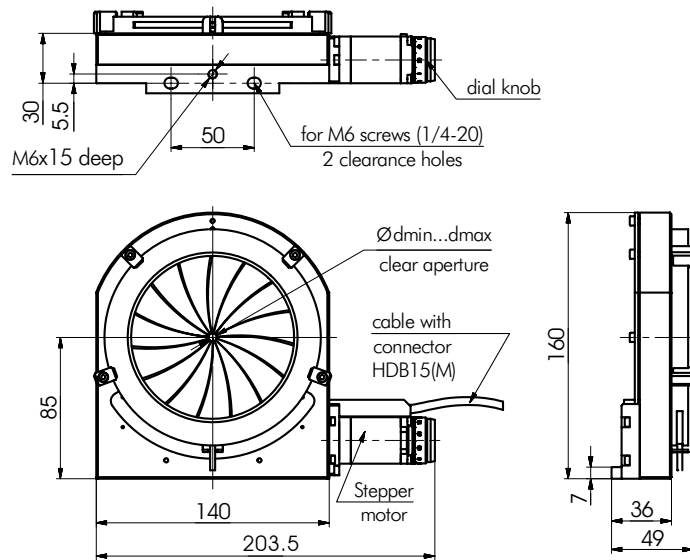


997 Series

MOTORIZED IRIS DIAPHRAGMS (Max. Aperture Range 60-98 mm)



- Smooth and fast operation
- Continuously adjustable light attenuation
- Compact design
- Control via PC through USB or RS232
- Adjustable inserts



997 Series Motorized Iris Diaphragm Mount was developed due to interest in our previously presented motorized iris 993 Series. Iris diaphragms cannot be changed by the user, because every diaphragm has its own adapter ring and requires calibration.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| Closing speed (min to max) | 3 sec |
| Stepper motor/gear | 195:1 |
| Limit switch | 2, mechanical |
| Switch polarity | pushed is closed |

TEMPERATURE LIMITS

- AR - Leaves with AR coating, for temperatures up to 180 °C
- N - Springsteel, black finished, for temperatures up to 250 °C
- H - Stainless steel, for temperatures up to 400 °C

| Catalogue number | Diaphragm used | Max. aperture, mm | Min. aperture, mm | Resolution, steps per mm |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| 997-8260-H | 993-8260-H | 60 | 4 | 696 |
| 997-8260-N | 993-8260-N | 60 | 4 | 696 |
| 997-1075-H | 993-1075-H | 75 | 4 | 549 |
| 997-1075-N | 993-1075-N | 75 | 4 | 549 |
| 997-1181-AR | 993-1181-AR | 81 | 3 | 500 |
| 997-1290-AR | 993-1290-AR | 90 | 3.5 | 451 |
| 997-1398-H | 993-1398-H | 98 | 4 | 415 |
| 997-1398-N | 993-1398-N | 98 | 4 | 415 |

RECOMMENDED CONTROLLERS

980-0040-USB

see page 8.196



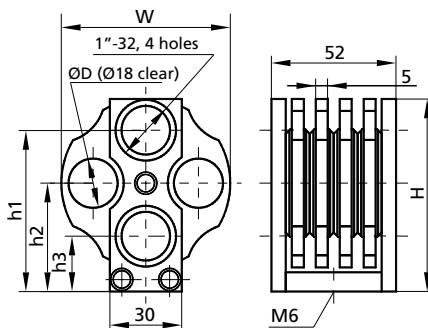
990-0604

VARIABLE WHEEL ATTENUATOR



990-0604-01

- 4 wheels
- 3 filter per wheel (12 filters in total)
- Filter diameter 20 or 25.4 mm
- Maximum deviation 0.09 mm
- Clear aperture Ø18/Ø20 mm
- C-mount threads on both ends
- Connecting adapters available



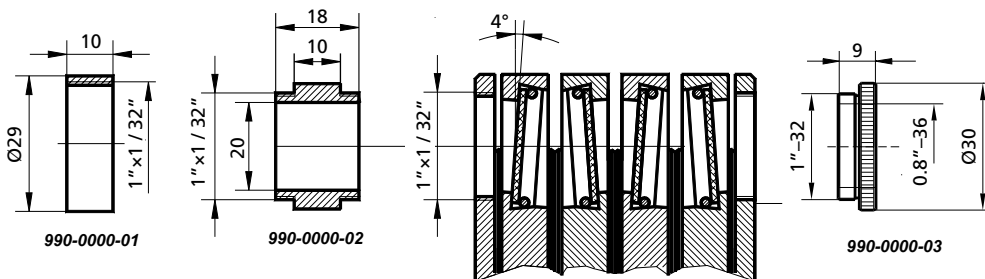
Variable Wheel Attenuator 990-0604 is a basic model with 4 filter-set wheels. Each wheel contains 4 filter slots each for Ø20 mm with clear aperture of Ø18 mm.

Each filter slot is inclined by 4° to avoid retroreflections.

Each wheel has 4 fixed positions. You can use any of these 4 filter positions as an optical axis. The back and front panels do not obscure.

Both panels have 1"-32 threaded holes (C-Mounts). Separately you may order standard connecting adapters 990-0000-01, 990-0000-02 and 990-0000-03. Custom adapters are available.

M6 mounting hole is provided in the bottom plate. 990-0604-02 model is designed to accept 1" (25.4 mm) filters with maximum thickness of 3 mm. This model comes without filters.



| Model | H, mm | W, mm | h1, mm | h2, mm | h3, mm | D, mm | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|-------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|------------|------------|
| 990-0604-01 | 84 | 70 | 67 | 45 | 23 | Ø20 | 0.35 | 457 |
| 990-0604-02 | 95 | 80 | 75 | 50 | 25 | Ø25.4 | 0.40 | 297 |

Note:

990-0604-01 is with filters Ø20 mm.

990-0604-02 is without filters. 990-0604-02 is suitable for Neutral Density and Colour Glass filters Ø25.4 mm that should be ordered separately.

RELATED PRODUCTS

Neutral Density Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.13

Colour Glass Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.15

990-0704

CLOSED VARIABLE WHEEL ATTENUATOR



990-0704



991-0704 with a CCD camera

Close Variable Wheel Attenuator 991-0704 ideally suits for use with CCD cameras. Adapters 990-0000-01 or 990-0000-02 are used for connection.

- 4 wheels, each containing 3 filters & 1 empty space
- 4 fixed positions per wheel
- C-mount threads on both ends
- Connecting adapters available
- Stray light fully eliminated
- Variable height of the optical axis
- Three mounting holes

SPECIFICATIONS

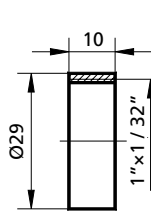
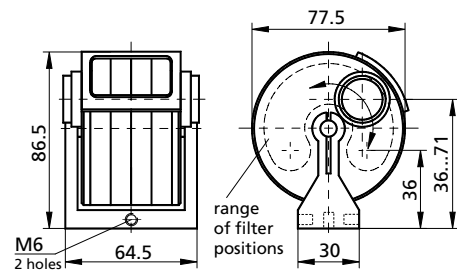
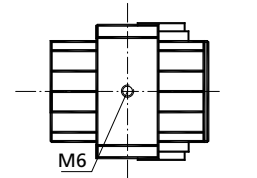
| | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|
| Diameter NDF | 20 mm |
| Maximum thickness | 3 mm |
| Non-parallel filters (inclined by 4°) | |
| Maximum deviation | 0.09 mm |
| Clear aperture | Ø18 mm |

| Code | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|----------|------------|------------|
| 990-0704 | 0.55 | 549 |

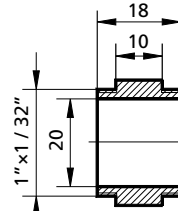
Close Variable Wheel Attenuator is used when it is necessary to fully eliminate the side background lighting when using photodetectors with high sensitivity (e.g. CCD, photomultiplier, etc.). You may order standard connecting adapters 990-0000-01 and 990-0000-02 separately. Custom adapters are available too.

Loosen the central axis and rotate the whole body of the filter to set the desired position of an optical axis at a height between 36–71 mm.

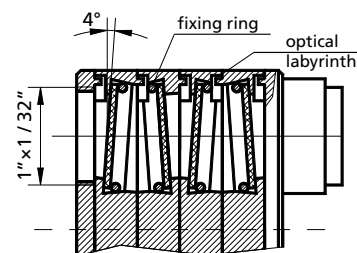
The base of the attenuator has M6 holes on 3 sides for mounting versatility.



990-0000-01



990-0000-02



SOME APPLICATIONS OF OPTICAL FILTERS

- In systems for laser beam diagnostics with CCD-cameras
- Measurement of laser power, pulse energy and pulse duration
- Spectroscopy
- We can offer a set of bandpass filters for mercury lamp, laser lines, and for your other needs

A choice of filters is available for our standard 4-wheel attenuators, allowing 256 relative positions of wheels, rendering 99 different transmission values, of which you can find a very close match to the desired value. Discrete filters permit to establish accurate optical density.

Also we can offer designs with 1, 2, 3 and more wheels.

Variable wheel attenuators come with a standard, most popular, set of filters listed in Table 1. The standard filters are made of neutral grey glass with spectral characteristics according to Figure 3.

Alternatively, attenuators (wheels and optics) can be manufactured according individual orders. We can also supply variable wheel attenuators without filters, which you can fit by yourself.

In most cases detectors (CCDs, photodiodes, photomultipliers, etc.), used for diagnostics of laser radiations, are too delicate for direct measurement of high powers, such as from ion lasers or pulsed solid-state lasers. An attenuator may be required to reduce laser power density at the surface of detector. Optical attenuators must be used when the laser output-power or power density exceeds working (linear) range or damage threshold of a detector. (Draft International Standard ISO/TC172/SC9/WG1) For example, the damage threshold for a typical commercially available CCD is about 100 mW/cm², for the ultra high speed photodetectors series AR-S (Antel Optronik Inc.) it is about 200 mW/cm². On the other hand, laser power must be adjusted to the optimum point, which is typically just below the saturation level of the detector. For example, a typical commercially available CCD saturates at only 0.05 mW/cm² at 632.8 nm and at 5.5 mW/cm² at 1.06 mm (see R. Rypma "Dimming the Light ...", in Photonics Spectra N.10, 1995, p.145).

For preliminary attenuation of very high power lasers the simplest approach is to use just the first surface reflection of an uncoated laser-grade substrate.

It is useful to have an intensity adjustment range of at least 1000:1 or more in this final stage. Even when working with a single-wavelength laser, operated at one power level, this range may be encountered when making measurements at different points in the optical train.

After major reduction in intensity by reflection off an uncoated substrate is achieved, some of the low-power neutral density filters of the high optical quality can bring the beam power to the exact level necessary for optimum measurement by detection system.

Table 1. List of a standard filter-set

| | | Filter #1 | Filter #2 | Filter #3 | Filter #4 |
|----------|----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Wheel #1 | T | 1.00 | 0.90 | 0.80 | 0.50 |
| | dB | 0.00 | 0.46 | 0.97 | 3.00 |
| Wheel #2 | T | 1.00 | 0.30 | 0.10 | 0.03 |
| | dB | 0.00 | 5.20 | 10.00 | 15.20 |
| Wheel #3 | T | 1.00 | 0.01 | 0.003 | 0.001 |
| | dB | 0.00 | 20.00 | 25.00 | 30.00 |
| Wheel #4 | T | 1.00 | 0.0003 | 0.0001 | 0.00003 |
| | dB | 0.00 | 35.00 | 40.00 | 45.00 |

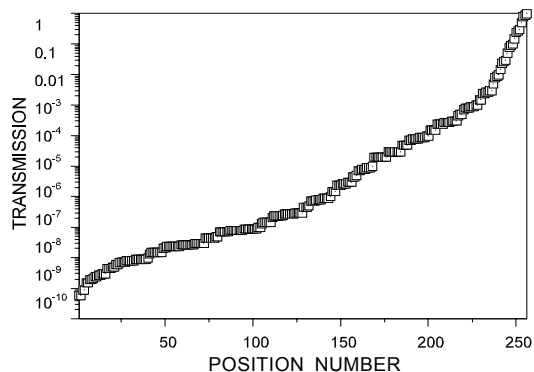


Figure 1

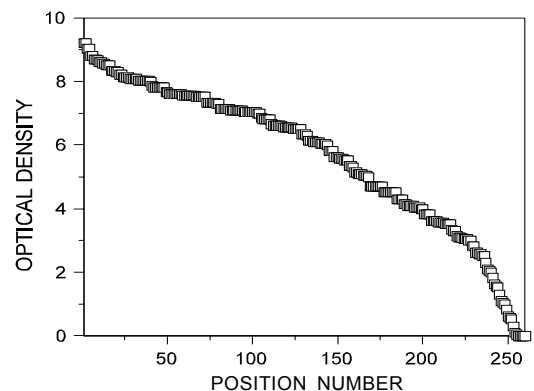


Figure 2

Charts for the standard filter-set: possible filter positions versus resulting transmission/density.

RELATED PRODUCTS

990-0604 Variable
Wheel Attenuator

See page 7.29

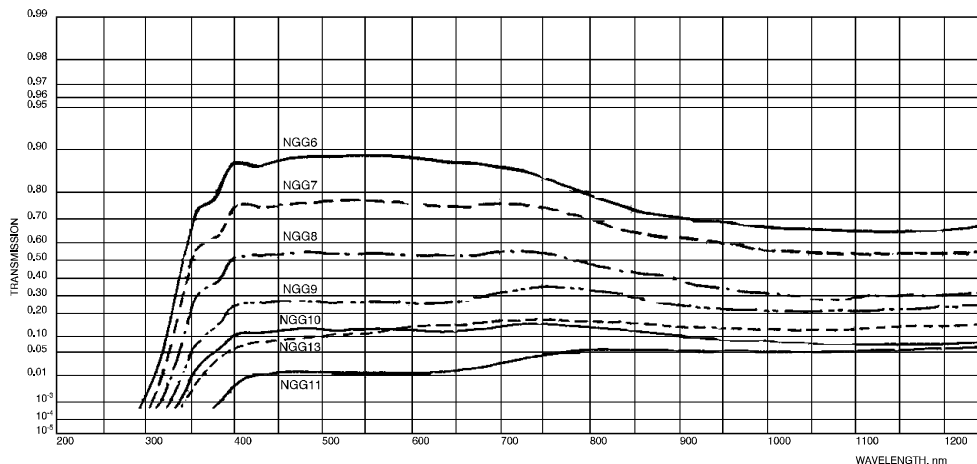


Figure 3. Spectral characteristics of the grey glass filters from a standard set

990-0400

FILTERS HOLDER WITH 90° FLIP



990-0415



990-0423

The holder of 1 inch filters **990-0415** allows the fixation of up to 5 filters into 1 inch optics ring holders. The thickness of optical filters (or any other optical elements) to be held is from 0.5 mm to 8.0 mm. Filters can be easily replaced in ring holders. This filter holder allows fast filter removal from beam path flipping it at 90° position. Any position of filters can be fixed with fixing screw. The firm 0° position can be fixed with the second brass screw (included).

The holder of 2 inch filters **990-0423** allows the fixation of up to 3 filters into 2 inch optics ring holders. The thickness of optical filters (or any other optical elements) to be held is from 0.5 mm to 14.0 mm.

The holder **990-0415ND** is the same holder **990-0415** but with Neutral Density filters that operates as step energy attenuator and allows adjusting transmission from 100% (all 5 filters are at 90° position) till 0.015% (all 5 filters are at 0° position) at visible region. If you need other adjustment you can choose any other Neutral Density filter Ø25.4 mm.

Using the holder **990-0415** with various color glass or dielectric filters various transmitted band pass regions can be achieved. The Filters Holder with 90° Flip is made of black anodized aluminium and brass screws.

| Catalogue number | Acceptable filters number | Suitable filters diameter, mm | Clear aperture diameter, mm | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| 990-0415 | 5 | 25.4 | 23 | 0.16 | 155 |
| 990-0415ND | 5 | 25.4 | 23 | 0.19 | 250 |
| 990-0423 | 3 | 50.8 | 48 | 0.22 | 145 |

- Allows stacking of 5 filters of Ø25,4 mm (1"), or 3 filters of Ø50,8 (2")
- Fast flipping in and out of beam path
- Available to be used in 90° position
- Has one M4, two M6 and two holes Ø 6.4mm for mounting on posts or table bases
- Large aperture allows to attenuate large diameter laser beam
- Black Anodized Aluminium and Brass screws



990-0415 at 0° position

(Note: Solid base height extender 820-0210 should be ordered separately)



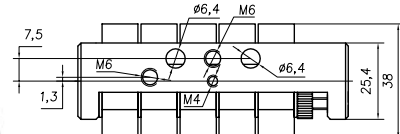
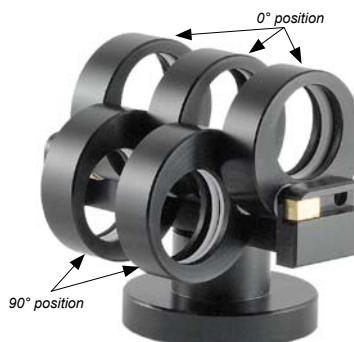
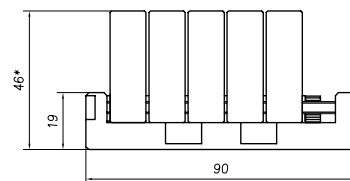
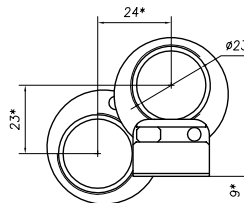
990-0423 at 0° position

(Note: Solid base height extender 820-0210 should be ordered separately)

RELATED PRODUCTS

Neutral Density Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.13



990-0415 at 0° or 90° position

(Note: Solid base height extender 820-0210 should be ordered separately)

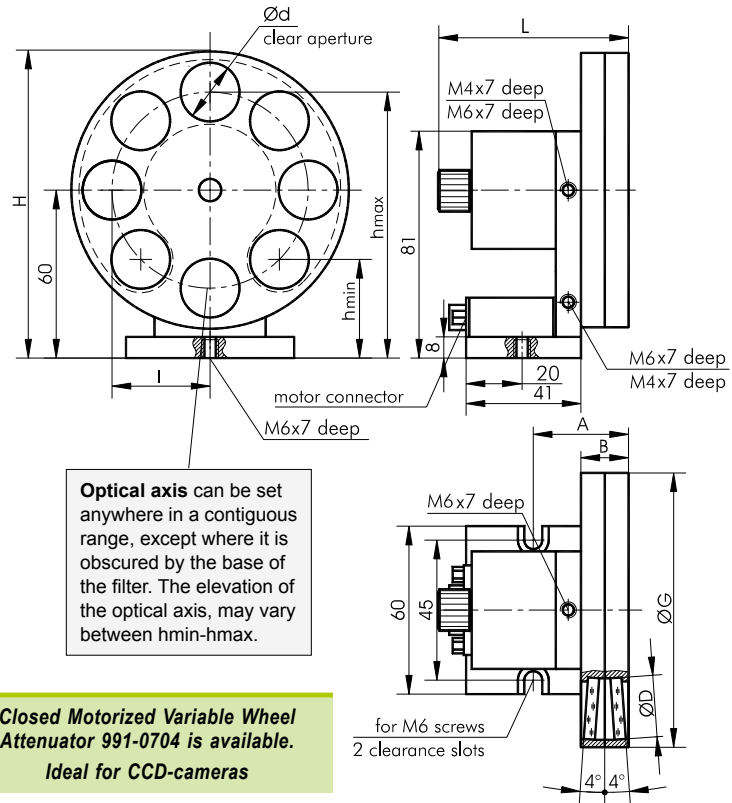
991-0602

MOTORIZED VARIABLE TWO WHEELS ATTENUATORS



991-0602-01

- Filter diameter – Ø20/Ø25.4 mm
- Clear aperture Ø18/Ø23 mm
- Non parallel filters (inclined by 4°)
- Maximum thickness of filters – 2 mm
- Custom design available



Closed Motorized Variable Wheel Attenuator 991-0704 is available.

Ideal for CCD-cameras

Motorized Variable Two Wheel Attenuator 991-0602 consists of two filter wheels. Each wheel contains eight filter mounts of ØD mm with clear aperture Ød mm. Each mount is inclined by 4° to prevent mutual reflections between filters.

We supply the attenuators 991-0602-01 with a standard, most popular, set of filters. (See the table below.) Alternatively, optics can be manufactured according individual orders. Or we can supply the attenuators without filters, which you can fit by yourself.

Bring a filter of each wheel into the optical path easily by hand or using automation.

Two wheels are driven by a single step motor. A computer can operate it via a controller. The Step Motor Controller Card 980-0030F-USB / 980-0030-RS232 and Position Control Software come separately. For fastening, attenuator has clearance slots for M6 and M4 screws. There are also two M6 holes, and one M4 hole (opposite to one of the M6 holes).

Material: black anodized aluminium.

| Model | D, mm | d, mm | H, mm | G, mm | A, mm | B, mm | L, mm | h _{min} , mm | h _{max} , mm | I, mm | Price, EUR |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------|------------|
| 991-0602-01 | Ø20 | Ø18 | 110 | Ø100 | 35 | 16.5 | 73.5 | 34 | 97 | 37 | 918 |
| 991-0602-02 | Ø25.4 | Ø23 | 115 | Ø110 | 39 | 20.5 | 78 | 32 | 99.5 | 39.5 | 738 |

Note:
991-0602-01 is with filters dia 20 mm.

991-0602-02 is without filters. 991-0602-02 is suitable for Neutral Density and Colour Glass Filters Ø25.4 mm that should be ordered separately.

RELATED PRODUCTS

Neutral Density Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.13

Colour Glass Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.15

Stepper, BLDC and DC Motor Controller
980-0040-USB

see page 8.196



Standard set filters transmittance

| Wheel N1 | Wheel N2 |
|----------|----------|
| 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0.9 | 0.8 |
| 0.5 | 0.3 |
| 0.1 | 0.03 |
| 0.01 | 0.003 |
| 0.001 | 0.0003 |
| 0.0001 | 0.00003 |

Stepping motor specifications

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Rated Current | 0.4 A |
| Resistance | 33 Ω |
| Inductance | 52 mH |
| Holding torque | 0.12 N·m |
| Step angle | 1.8 ° |
| Step angle accuracy | 5 minutes |
| Required electrical power | 5.6 W |

Motors of other types are available.

MOTORIZED CLOSED VARIABLE TWO WHEELS ATTENUATORS



991-0702-01

Motorized Closed Variable Two Wheel Attenuator 991-0702 consists of two filter wheels. Each wheel contains eight filter mounts of ØD mm with clear aperture of Ød mm. Each mount is inclined by 4 degrees to prevent mutual reflections between filters.

We supply the attenuator 991-0702-01 with a standard, most popular, set of filters. See the table below. Alternatively, optics could be manufactured to individual orders. Or we could supply the attenuator without filters, which you can fit by yourself.

You bring a filter of each wheel into the optical path easily by hand or using automation. The two wheels are driven by a single step motor. A computer can operate

it via a controller and Computer Software which come separately.

For fastening, the attenuator has clearance slots for M6 and M4 screws. There are also two M6 holes, and one M4 hole (opposite to one of the M6 holes).

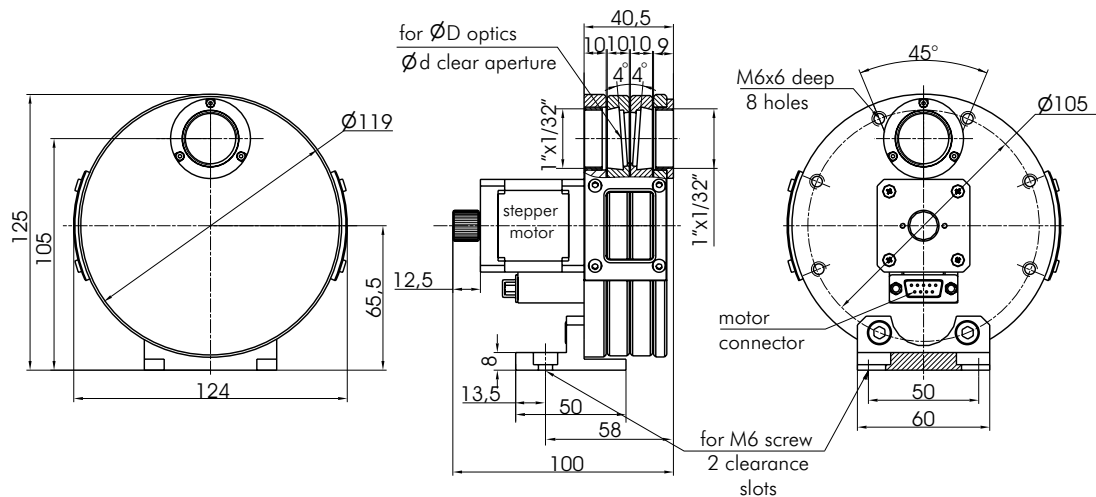
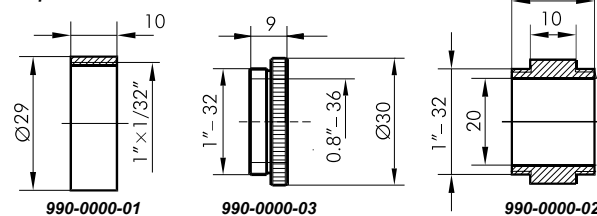
Material: black anodized aluminium.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Step angle | 1.8° |
| Step angle accuracy | 5 minutes |
| Required electrical power | 5.6 W |
| Weight | 0,75 kg |
| Motor | 4247 |
| Mechanical reference switch | 1 |
| Switch polarity | pushed is closed |

- Filter diameter – Ø20/Ø25.4 mm
- Clear aperture Ø18/Ø23 mm
- Non parallel filters (inclined by 4°)
- Maximum thickness of filters – 4 mm
- C-mount threads on both ends

Adapters for Attenuators



| Model | D, mm | d, mm | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|-------------|-------|-------|------------|------------|
| 991-0702-01 | Ø20 | Ø18 | 0.7 | 1118 |
| 991-0702-02 | Ø25.4 | Ø23 | 0.75 | 938 |

Note:

991-0702-01 is with filters Ø20 mm.

991-0702-02 is without filters. 991-0702-02 is suitable for Neutral Density and Colour Glass Filters Ø25.4 mm that should be ordered separately.

RELATED PRODUCTS

Neutral Density Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.13

Colour Glass Filters Ø25.4 mm

See page 1.15

Stepper, BLDC and DC Motor
Controller 980-0040-USB

see page 8.196

Standard set filters transmittance

| Wheel N1 | Wheel N2 |
|----------|----------|
| 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0.9 | 0.8 |
| 0.5 | 0.3 |
| 0.1 | 0.03 |
| 0.01 | 0.003 |
| 0.001 | 0.0003 |
| 0.0001 | 0.00003 |

Stepping motor specifications

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Rated Current | 0.4 A |
| Resistance | 33 Ω |
| Inductance | 52 mH |
| Holding torque | 0.12 N·m |
| Step angle | 1.8 ° |
| Step angle accuracy | 5 minutes |
| Required electrical power | 5.6 W |

Motors of other types are available.

COMPUTER SOFTWARE FOR MOTORIZED ATTENUATORS

- Control of single stepper motor with two wheels and up to 8 filters in every wheel
- Three different transmittance tables can be configured for three different wavelengths
- Operation in transmittance and optical density modes
- Program can choose the best combination for required transmittance or optical density, or filters defined by user can be set
- Different speed and step division options

Computer Software is designed to control motorized attenuator unit with our stepper motor controller 980-0040-USB (page 8.196).

Motorized attenuator together with program can be applied in all kinds of optical circuitry where variable transmittance has to be achieved.

Program allows to change easily transmittance or optical density of an attenuator **991-0602** and **991-0702**. Just enter transmittance or optical density values, and the program will select the closest two filters. Or you can select the filters directly.

The simple interface allows to use the program right away. For each of the three different wavelengths it stores a set of filter transmittance values, which a user can modify. "Density/Transmittance" button switches between these modes at any time.

All system configuration information and current state of an attenuator is stored in a file and is automatically reloaded after the program starts.

Any of our software works only with our controllers.

Standard set filters transmittance

| Wheel N1 | Wheel N2 |
|----------|----------|
| 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 |
| 0.9 | 0.8 |
| 0.5 | 0.3 |
| 0.1 | 0.03 |
| 0.01 | 0.003 |
| 0.001 | 0.0003 |
| 0.0001 | 0.00003 |



REQUIREMENTS

PC compatible computer with any minimal
Windows 95/98/ME/2000/XP installation

Display

Step Motor Controllers

Stepper Motor Controllers for MOTORIZED VARIABLE TWO WHEELS ATTENUATORS



*Motorized Variable
Two Wheels
Attenuator 991-0602
see page 7.33*



980-0040-USB
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*Motorized Closed Variable
Two Wheels Attenuators
991-0702
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990-0800**AIR-COOLED BEAM DUMP**

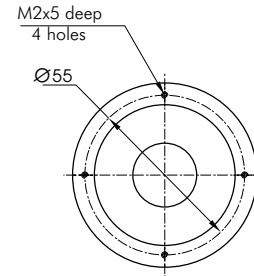
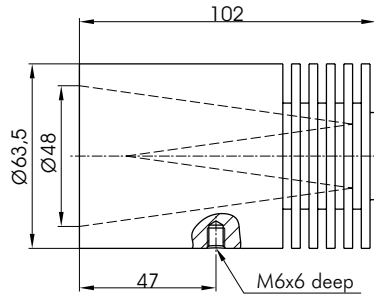
990-0800

Beam Dump 990-0800 is designed to block a CW or a pulsed laser beam. It can be used on beams of up to 50 W in the wavelength range from 0.1 to 30 μm . The design is such, that, even if the non-reflective coating is damaged by high intensity pulses, there's no backward reflection.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Wavelength range | 0.1-30 μm |
| Max. Handling power | 50 W |
| Max. Energy | 2.5 J (20 Hz) |
| Acceptance aperture | 48 mm (1.89") |
| Laser type | pulsed, CW |

| Code | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|----------|------------|------------|
| 990-0800 | 0.57 | 169 |

**990-0820****WATER-COOLED BEAM DUMP**

990-0820

Beam Dump 990-0820 blocks a CW or a pulsed laser beam. It is mainly intended for beams 2 inch wide.

Water absorbs much energy. So, the dump is best suited for beams of up to 1 kW. The wavelength range is from 0.1 to 30 μm .

Even if the non-reflective coating is damaged by high intensity pulses, the beam is not reflected back into your optical scheme.

The dump mounts on M6 hole on its back.

SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Wavelength range | 0.1-30 μm |
| Max. Handling power | 1 kW |
| Max. Energy | 50 J (20 Hz) |
| Acceptance aperture | 48 mm (1.89") |
| Laser type | pulsed, CW |

| Code | Weight, kg | Price, EUR |
|----------|------------|------------|
| 990-0820 | 1.2 | 239 |

