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## SINGLE FREQUENCY LASER DIODES Distributed Feedback Laser

#### General Product Information

Product	Application
Tunable 785 nm DFB Laser	Spectroscopy
with hermetic 8-Pin TO Package (RoHS compliant)	Metrology
including Monitor Diode, Thermoelectric Cooler and Thermistor	



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#### Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Storage Temperature	Ts	°C	-40		85
Operational Temperature at Case	T <sub>C</sub>	°C	-20		75
Operational Temperature at Laser Chip	T <sub>LD</sub>	°C	10		50
Forward Current	I <sub>F</sub>	mA			180
Reverse Voltage	V <sub>R</sub>	V			2
Output Power	P <sub>opt</sub>	mW			110
TEC Current	I <sub>TEC</sub>	А			1.8
TEC Voltage	V <sub>TEC</sub>	V			3.2

#### **Recommended Operational Conditions**

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Operational Temperature at Case	T <sub>case</sub>	°C	-20		65
Operational Temperature at Laser Chip	T <sub>LD</sub>	°C	15		45
Forward Current	I <sub>F</sub>	mA			160
Output Power	P <sub>opt</sub>	mW	20		100

### Characteristics at T<sub>LD</sub> = 25° C at BOL

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Center Wavelength	λ <sub>c</sub>	nm	784	785	786
Linewidth (FWHM)	Δλ	MHz		2	
Mode-hop free Tuning Range	$\Delta\lambda_{tune}$	pm		1500	
Temperature Coefficient of Wavelength	dλ / dT	nm / K		0.06	
Current Coefficient of Wavelength	dλ / dl	nm / mA		0.003	
Sidemode Supression Ratio	SMSR	dB		50	

#### Measurement Conditions / Comments

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measured by integrated Thermistor

Stress in excess of one of the Absolute Maximum Ratings may damage the laser. Please note that a damaging optical power level may occur although the maximum current is not reached. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under Recommended Operational Conditions is not implied.

# Measurement Conditions / Comments see images on page 4 reached by temperature modulation P<sub>opt</sub> = 100 mW



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Characteristics at T <sub>LD</sub>	= 25° C at BOI				cont'd
Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Mode-hop free Temperature Range	T <sub>LD</sub>	° C	15		45
Mode-hop free Power Range	P <sub>opt</sub>	mW	20		100
Laser Current @ P <sub>opt</sub> = 100 mW	I <sub>LD</sub>	mA			160
Slope Efficiency	η	W / A	0.6	0.8	1.1
Threshold Current	l <sub>th</sub>	mA			70
Divergence parallel (FWHM)	$\Theta_{  }$	0		8	
Divergence perpendicular (FWHM)	$\Theta_{\perp}$	0		21	
Degree of Polarization	DOP	%		90	

Measurement Conditions / Comments	_
Temperature at Laser Chip	
parallel to short axis of the housing (see p. 3)	
parallel to long axis of the housing (see p. 3)	
100 mW; E field parallel to long axis of housing	

#### Monitor Diode

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Monitor Detector Responsivity	I <sub>mon</sub> / P <sub>opt</sub>	µA/mW	0.5		10

#### Thermoelectric Cooler

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Current	I <sub>TEC</sub>	А		0.4	
Voltage	U <sub>TEC</sub>	V		0.8	
Power Dissipation (total loss at case)	Ploss	W		0.5	
Temperature Difference	$\Delta T$	К			50

## Thermistor (Standard NTC Type)

Resistance R	kΩ	10
Beta Coefficient β		3892
Steinhart & Hart Coefficient A A		1.1293 x 10 <sup>-3</sup>
Steinhart & Hart Coefficient B B		2.3410 x 10 <sup>-4</sup>
Steinhart & Hart Coefficient C C		8.7755 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>

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 $U_R = 5 V$ 

$P_{opt} = 100 \text{ mW}, \Delta T = 20 \text{ K}$
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$P_{opt} = 100 \text{ mW}, \Delta T =  Tcase - TLD $

$T_{LD} = 25^{\circ} C$	
$R_{1}/R_{2}=e^{\beta(1/T_{1}\cdot1/T_{2})}$ at $T_{LD}=$	0°50°C
$1/T = A + B(\ln R) + C(\ln R)^{3}$	
T: temperature in Kelvin	
R: resistance at T in Ohm	









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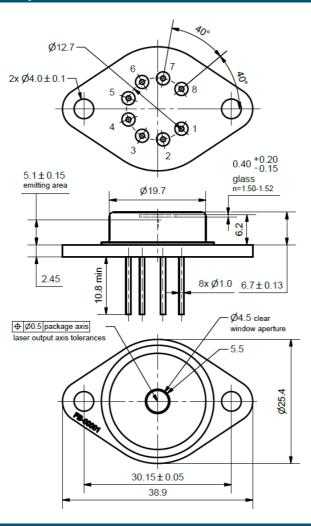
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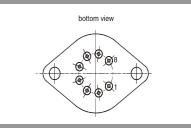
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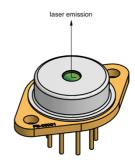
#### Pin Assignment

1	Thermoelectric Cooler (+)	5	Laser Diode Anode					
2	Thermistor	6	Monitor Diode Anode					
3	Thermistor	7	Photo Diode Cathode					
4	Laser Diode Cathode	8	Thermoelectric Cooler (-)					
All	All 8 pins are isolated from case.							

#### Package Drawings







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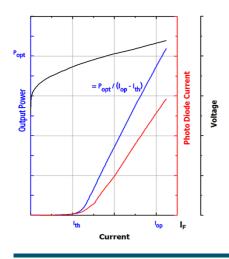


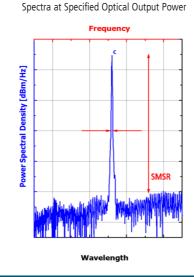
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#### Typical Measurement Results

#### Output Power vs. Current





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#### Unpacking, Installation and Laser Safety

Unpacking the laser diodes should only be done at electrostatic safe workstations (EPA). Though protection against electro static discharge (ESD) is implemented in the laser package, charges may occur at surfaces. Please store this product in its original package at a dry, clean place until final use. During device installation, ESD protection has to be maintained.

The DFB laser is sensitive against optical feedback, so an optical isolator may be required in order to avoid any disturbance of the emission spectrum. Operating at moderate temperatures on proper heat sinks will contribute to a long lifetime of the diode.

Avoid direct and/or indirect exposure to the free running beam. Collimating and focussing the free running beam with optics as common in optical instruments will increase threat to the human eye.

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