

PICUS DUO

PICOSECOND LASER SOURCE FOR COHERENT RAMAN IMAGING

The **PICUS DUO** is the ideal laser source for multicolor CARS and SRS imaging. The turn-key **PICUS DUO** offers a compact footprint, no need for water cooling or an isolated table.

Wavelength conversion in an all-fiber optical parametric oscillator, pumped by a stable fiber laser provides an unmatched combination of tuningspeed and tuning range.



HIGHEST AVAILABLE TUNING SPEED

- Tunable in 5 ms across 700 3200 cm⁻¹
- · No external delay required

OPTIMIZED FOR CARS & SRS MICROSCOPY

- Stokes output shot-noise limited at 1 mA
- Integrated AM and FM modulator
- · Optimized low-noise detector available

CARE-FREE OPERATION

- Plug & Play installation
- · Hands- and maintenance-free operation
- Air-cooled & compact: 40x40x20 cm³

Applications

CRI with inter-image wavelength switching

Live virtual H&E contrast via CRI

Multicolor pump-probe experiments



Product Specifications

Optical	Output A	Output B
Tuning range	770 - 980 nm (Signal)	1022 - 1052 nm
Tuning speed	<5 ms	<1 ms
Average power	100 - 300 mW	300 - 500 mW
Covered wavenumbers	700 - 3200 cm ⁻¹	
Pulse duration	7 ps	
Spectral bandwidth	< 12 cm ⁻¹	
Repetition rate	40.5 MHz	
RMS noise	< 1 %	
Polarization	linear, 100:1	

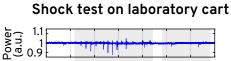
Electrical

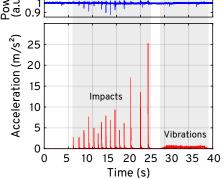
	Communication through USB or RS232	
Interfaces	Trigger in for high speed wavelength tuning	
	Monitor out for external synchronisation	
Software interfaces	GUI and custom serial API, e.g., via Python & Matlab	

Mechanical

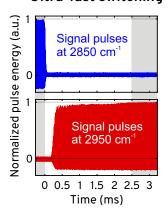
Laser head dimension	42x42x20 cm ³	
Laser controller dimension	43x31x13 cm³	
Cooling	Air-cooled	
Weight	25 kg	
Standard umbilical length	2 m	

Performance

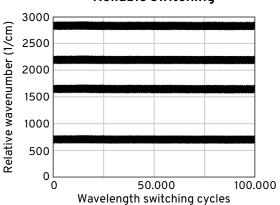




Ultra-fast switching







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