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Spectral imaging radiometer to measure radiance or irradiance in UV, VIS and UV/VIS

RAMSES radiometers are spectral imaging radiometers to measure radiance, irradiance, or scalar irradiance in the UV, VIS and UV/VIS ranges. Thanks to their ultra small size and weight as well as very low power consumption, they are especially suitable for hand-held and autonomous applications. RAMSES radiometers combine precision hyperspectral light measurements with a maximum of flexibility. The modular system increases cost-effectiveness, while the many accessories and special solutions enable a wide range of applications such as installation on ships, handheld usage or autonomous measurements in remote places, like the Arctic or Antarctica.

Benefits

- Extremely low power consumption
- Environmentally robust
- World market leader

Applications

- Water quality
- Field measurements
- Satellite validation
- Biology
- Photosynthesis
- Color measurements
- Climate research



Frame 1



Frame 2



Frame 3

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Technical Specifications

Measurement technology	detector	High-end miniature spectrometer 256 Channels
Measurement principle		Radiance or irradiance
Parameter		See parameter list p. 3
Measuring range		See parameter list p. 3
Measurement accuracy		See parameter list p. 3
Data logger		-
T100 response time		min. 16 s (burst mode)
Measurement interval		min. 8 s (burst mode)
Housing material		Stainless steel (1.4571/1.4404) or titanium (3.7035), POM
Dimensions (L x Ø)		ACC 260 mm x 48 mm ASC 245 mm x 48 mm ARC 300 mm x 48 mm
Weight	stainless steel	0.9 kg
	titanium	0.7 kg
Interface	digital	RS-232 (TriOS)
Power consumption		≤ 0.85 W
Power supply		8...12 VDC (± 3 %)
Maintenance effort		≤ 0.5 h/month (typical)
Calibration/maintenance interval		24 months
System compatibility		RS-232 (TriOS protocol)
Warranty	1 year (EU: 2 years)	US: 2 years
INSTALLATION		
Max. pressure	with SubConn	30 bar ~ 435 psig
Protection type		IP68 NEMA 6P
Sample temperature		+2...+40 °C ~ +36 °F to +104 °F
Ambient temperature		+2...+40 °C ~ +36 °F to +104 °F
Storage temperature		-20...+80 °C ~ -4 °F to +176 °F
Inflow velocity		0.1...10 m/s ~ 0.33 fps to 33 fps

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	ACC	ARC	ASC
Wavelength range* [nm]	UV 280...500	UV/VIS 280...720	VIS 320...950
Detector*	256 channel silicon photo diode array		
Pixel dispersion* [nm/pixel]	2.2	2.2	3.3
Wavelength accuracy*	0.2	0.2	0.3
Usable channels	100	200	190
Wavelength range*	UV A / UV B Irradiance 280...500 nm	ACC-VIS VIS irradiance 320...950 nm	ARC-VIS VIS radiance 320...950 nm
Typical saturation (IT: 4 ms)**	20 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 300 nm) 17 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 360 nm) 18 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 500 nm)	10 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 400 nm) 8 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 500 nm) 14 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 700 nm)	1 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ sr ⁻¹ (at 500 nm) 20 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 400 nm) 12 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 500 nm) 15 W m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 700 nm)
Typical NEI (IT: 8 s)**	0.85 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 300 nm) 0.75 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 360 nm) 0.80 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 500 nm)	0.4 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 400 nm) 0.4 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 500 nm) 0.6 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 700 nm)	0.25 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ sr ⁻¹ 0.8 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 400 nm) 0.6 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 500 nm) 0.8 μW m ⁻² nm ⁻¹ (at 700 nm)
Collector type	cosine response	FOV: 7° in air	Spherical, 2 Pi
Accuracy	Better than 6-10 % ***	Better than 6 % ***	Better than 5 % ***
Integration time	4 ms, 8 s		

*) Specifications of Carl ZEISS AG, Germany

**) IT: Integration time

***) Depends on wavelength range

