Nanosecond Lasers

NT340 SERIES



BENEFITS

- Hands-free wavelength tuning no need for physical intervention
- ➤ The system is widely tunable 192 – 4400 nm and delivers high pulse energy (up to 150 mJ) that allows the investigation of an extensive range of materials
- Narrow linewidth (down to 3 cm⁻¹) and superior tuning resolution (1 – 2 cm⁻¹) allows recording of high quality spectra
- ► Flashlamps replacement without misalignment of the laser cavity saves on maintenance costs

- ► High integration level saves valuable space in the laboratory
- ► In-house design and manufacturing of complete systems, including pump lasers, guarantees on-time warranty and post warranty services and spares supply
- Variety of control interfaces: USB, RS232 and optional LAN, WLAN ensures easy control and integration with other equipment
- Attenuator and fiber coupling options facilitate incorporation of NT340 systems into various experimental environments

The NT340 series tunable wavelength nanosecond laser seamlessly integrates the nanosecond optical parametric oscillator and the Nd:YAG Q-switched nanosecond laser – all in a compact housing.

The main system features are: hands-free wavelength tuning from UV to IR, high conversion efficiency, optional fiber-coupled output and separate output port for pump laser beam.

NT340 has a linewidth of less than 5 cm⁻¹, which is ideal for many spectroscopic applications.

The laser is designed for convenient use. The OPO pump energy monitoring system helps to control pump laser parameters. Replacement of laser flashlamps can be done without misalignment of the laser cavity and/or deterioration of laser performance.

High Energy Broadly Tunable Lasers

FEATURES

- Customers recognized reliability
- ► Two years warranty
- ► Hands-free no gap wavelength tuning from 192 to 4400 nm *
- ► Up to **150 mJ** pulse energy in visible spectral range
- ► Up to **22 mJ** pulse energy in UV spectral range
- ▶ Up to 20 mJ pulse energy in MIR spectral range
- ▶ 3 5 ns pulse duration
- ▶ Up to **20 Hz** pulse repetition rate
- Remote control via key pad or PC
- ➤ Optional separate shared output port for 532/1064 nm beam (separate output port for the 355 nm beam is standard)
- ▶ OPO pump energy monitoring
- Hermetically sealed oscillator cavity protects non-linear crystals from dust and humidity
- * Automatic wavelength scan is programmable

APPLICATIONS

- ► Laser-induced fluorescence
- ► Flash photolysis
- ▶ Photobiology
- ▶ Remote sensing
- ▶ Time-resolved spectroscopy
- Non-linear spectroscopy
- Vibrational spectroscopy
- Cavity ring-down CRDS, cavity ring-down laser absorption CRLAS spectroscopy
- ▶ Infrared spectroscopy
- Gas spectroscopy



Tuning range extending optional add-ons

Option	Features
-SH	Second harmonic generator for 210–410 nm range
-SF	Sum-frequency generator for 300 – 410 nm range with high pulse energy
-SH/SF	Combined option for highest pulse energy in 210–410 nm range
-DUV	Deep UV option for 192 – 210 nm range output
-MIR	Mid infrared option for 2500–4400 nm range output

Accessories and other optional add-ons

Option	Features
-FC	Fiber coupled output in 350–2000 nm range
-ATTN	Attenuator output in 350 – 2600 nm range
-H, -2H	Separate shared output port for pump laser harmonic (532 or 1064 nm wavelengths)
-AW	Air cooled power supply
-FWS	Fast wavelength scanning option for all ranges (excluding between ranges), wavelength shift on laser shot

SPECIFICATIONS 1)



Model	NT342B	NT342C	NT342E	NT342H	
ОРО					
Wavelength range ²⁾					
Signal	410 – 710 nm ³⁾				
Idler	710–2600 nm				
SH generator (optional)	210-410 nm				
SH/SF generator (optional)	210-410 nm				
DUV generator (optional)	192 – 210 nm				
MIR generator (optional)	n/a 2500-4400 nm n/a		/a		
Output pulse energy		'			
OPO 4)	30 mJ	60 mJ	90 mJ	150 mJ	
SH generator (optional) 5)	4 mJ	6.5 mJ	10 mJ	15 mJ	
SH/SF generator (optional) 6)	6 mJ	10 mJ	15 mJ	22 mJ	
DUV generator (optional) 7)	0.6 mJ	1.2 mJ	2 mJ	3 mJ	
MIR generator (optional) 8)	n/a	20 mJ	n/a		
Linewidth	< 5 cm ^{-1 9)}				
Minimal tuning step 10)					
Signal (410-710 nm)		1 cm) ⁻¹		
Idler (710–2600 nm)	1 cm ⁻¹				
SH/SF/DUV (192-410 nm)	2 cm ⁻¹				
MIR (2500-4400 nm)	n/a 1 cm ⁻¹		n,	n/a	
Pulse duration 11)	3–5 ns				
Typical beam diameter 12)	5 mm	8 mm	10 mm	12 mm	
Typical beam divergence 13)	< 2 mrad				
Polarization					
Signal	horizontal				
Idler	vertical				
SH/SF	horizontal				
DUV	vertical				
MIR	n/a	horizontal	n,	/a	



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Model	NT342B	NT342C	NT342E	NT342H
PUMP LASER 14)				
Pump wavelength		355	nm	
Typical pump pulse energy	100 mJ	150 mJ	250 mJ	400 mJ
Pulse duration	4–7 ns			
Beam quality	Hat-top in near fie		d, without hot spots	
Beam divergence	< 0.6 mrad			
Pulse energy stability (StdDev)	< 3.5 %			
Pulse repetition rate	10 or 20 Hz		10 Hz	

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS		
Unit size $(W \times L \times H)^{15}$	456 × 821 × 270 mm	
Power supply size (W \times L \times H)	330 × 490 × 585 mm	
Umbilical length	2.5 m	

OPERATING REQUIREMENTS	
Water consumption (max 20 °C) 16)	< 10 I/min
Room temperature	18–27 °C
Relative humidity	20-80 % (non-condensing)
Power requirements	200 – 240 VAC, single phase, 50/60 Hz
Power consumption	< 1.5 kVA
Cleanliness of the room	not worse than ISO Class 9

- Due to continuous improvement, all specifications are subject to change. Parameters marked typical are illustrative; they are indications of typical performance and will vary with each unit we manufacture. Unless stated otherwise, all specifications are measured at 450 nm and for basic system without options.
- ²⁾ Hands-free tuning range is from 192 nm to 4400 nm. Up to 2500 nm idler tuning with MIR option.
- ³⁾ Tuning range extension to 400 709 nm is optional.
- Measured at 450 nm. See tuning curves for typical outputs at other wavelengths.
- ⁵⁾ Measured at 260 nm. See tuning curves for typical outputs at other wavelengths.
- Measured at 340 nm. SF generator is optimized for maximum output in 300 – 410 nm range. See tuning curves for typical outputs at other wavelengths.
- Measured at 200 nm. See tuning curves for typical outputs at other wavelengths.
- Measured at 2700 nm. See tuning curves for typical outputs at other wavelengths.

- 9) Linewidth is <8 cm⁻¹ for 210-410 nm, 2500-4400 nm ranges.
- When wavelength is controlled from PC. When wavelength is controlled from keypad, tuning resolution is 0.1 nm for signal, 1 nm for idler, MIR and 0.05 nm for SH, SF and DUV.
- FWHM measured with photodiode featuring 1 ns rise time and 300 MHz bandwidth oscilloscope.
- Beam diameter is measured at 450 nm at the FWHM level. It is approximate and can vary depending on the pump pulse energy and wavelength.
- Full angle measured at the FWHM level at 450 nm, < 5 mrad at 3000 nm with MIR option.</p>
- Separate output port for the 355 nm beam is standard. Outputs for 1064 nm and 532 nm beams are optional. Laser output will be optimized for the best OPO operation and specifications may vary with each unit we manufacture.
- Length from 821 to 1220 mm depending on configuration.
- ¹⁶⁾ Air cooled power supply is available as an



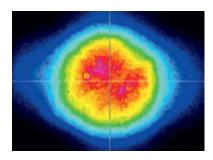


Fig 1. NT340 series laser typical beam profile at 450 nm after ~1.5 m distance from output



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PERFORMANCE

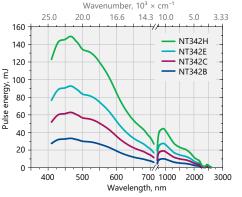


Fig 2. Typical output energy of the NT340 series tunable wavelength systems

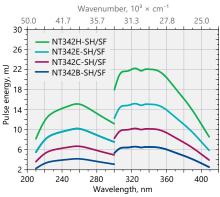


Fig 3. Typical output energy of the NT340 series tunable wavelength systems with SH/SF extension

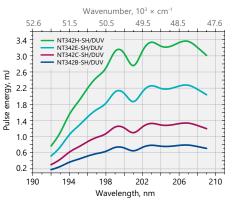


Fig 4. Typical output energy of the NT340 series tunable wavelength systems with SH/DUV extension

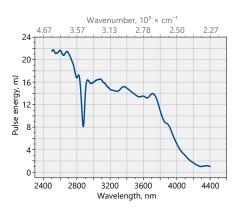


Fig 5. Typical output energy of the NT340 series tunable wavelength systems with MIR extension

OUTLINE DRAWINGS

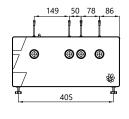
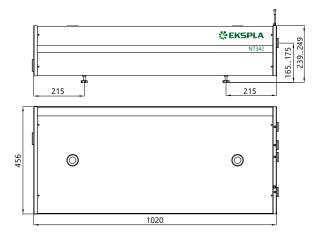


Fig 6. NT340 series laser head typical outline drawing. Unit length and port position vary depending on model



ORDERING INFORMATION

Note: Laser must be connected to the mains electricity all the time. If there will be no mains electricity for longer that 1 hour then laser (system) needs warm up for a few hours before switching on.

NT342C-SH-10-AW-H/2H

