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KT500

LightWAVE®

Industrial CO₂ Lasers



Laser

Characteristics

- Liquid Cooled
- RF Excited
- Wide Operating Power Range
- Exceptional Power Stability
- Fast Rise and Fall Time
- Pulsed up to Quasi-CW Operation

Standard Features

- Integrated Carry Handles
- Metal Sealed Laser Cavity
- Internally Collimated
- Integrated RF
- Common Footprint
- Overbuilt Electronics
- Three Point Mounting
- Manufactured in the USA

LASER CHARACTERISTICS

OUTPUT POWER ¹	≥300 watts	≥500 watts
POWER RANGE	20-300 watts	20-500 watts
TYPICAL PEAK POWER ²	≥1200 watts	≥1200 watts
DUTY CYCLE RANGE	≤40%	≤70%
POWER STABILITY ³	±6%	±6%
MAXIMUM PULSE ENERGY	>600 mJ	>1750 mJ
PULSE LENGTH	≤2.0 ms	≤3.5 ms
PULSE RISE/FALL TIME		30/50 μs
MODE QUALITY		M ² < 1.2
BEAM ELLIPTICITY		<1.2
BEAM DIAMETER AT LASER OUTPUT		0.31" ±0.04" (8.0 mm ±1.0 mm)
BEAM DIVERGENCE (FULL ANGLE)		<2.5 mrad
POLARIZATION		Linear (parallel to baseplate)
MODULATION FREQUENCY		200 Hz to 200 kHz
WAVELENGTH		10.6 μm

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

WEIGHT	122 lbs. [55 kg]	
DIMENSIONS	47.25" x 10" x 10.1" [1200 x 254 x 257 mm]	

ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

DC INPUT VOLTAGE	48 V	
DC PEAK CURRENT	230 A	
DC CONTINUOUS CURRENT	<100 A	<160 A

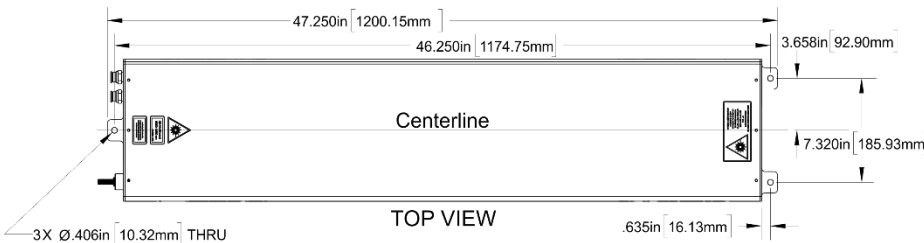
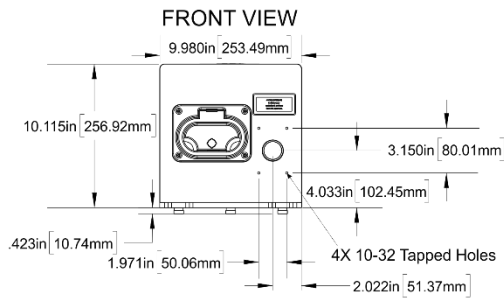
COOLING REQUIREMENTS⁴

HEAT LOAD	<5 kW	<8 kW
FLOW RATE	≥3 GPM (≥11.4 L/min)	
COOLANT MAXIMUM PRESSURE	90 PSI	
COOLANT	Distilled water with corrosion inhibitor	
COOLANT SETPOINT TEMP. RANGE	68°F - 77°F (20°C - 25°C)	
COOLANT TEMP. STABILITY (MAX)	±1°F (±0.5°C)	

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

AMBIENT TEMP. RANGE	50°F - 100°F [10°C - 38°C]	
RELATIVE HUMIDITY	<95% non-condensing	
ALTITUDE	≤6500 ft. (2000 m)	

MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS



¹ Measured at maximum duty cycle and a 4 kHz pulse repetition frequency (PRF).
² Measured at 10% duty cycle at 1 kHz PRF.
³ Power stability may not be met at low duty cycle or acoustic PRF.
⁴ Refer to the manual for details.



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Disclaimer

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