

# 4200-DR SERIES

## LASERSOURCE DUAL-RANGE LASER DRIVER



The 4200 Series LaserSource is a high-accuracy, dual-range laser driver for low-power laser and LED applications. This laser driver offers features typically found in only more expensive units, such as overlapping laser protection systems, high modulation rates, and programmable PD bias.



### DUAL RANGE LASER DRIVER

Operates at half-scale for improved resolution and lower noise.



### OVERLAPPING LASER PROTECTION

Including safety interlock, ESD protection, hardware limits for current & voltage, soft power-on, and intermittent contact safeguards.



### REMOTE VOLTAGE SENSING

Supports an extra pair of sensing wires to measure the operating voltage of your laser diode or LED.



### PROGRAMMABLE PHOTODIODE BIAS VOLTAGE

Menu-selectable PD bias voltage, from 0 to -5 Volts.



### ANALOG MODULATION

Bandwidths up to 325 kHz.



### MULTIPLE OPERATING MODES

Choose from: ● Constant Current ● Constant Power ● Constant Voltage



### SIMPLE USER INTERFACE

Easy to Read, High Contrast VFD Display with all messages and settings in plain English.

View All 3 At Once:

- Current Set Point
- Photodiode Current
- Laser Voltage

## AT-A-GLANCE

Current Ranges:

- ▶ 50 mA / 100 mA
- ▶ 250 mA / 500 mA
- ▶ 1 Amp / 2 Amp

High Accuracy

- ▶ Up to 0.025% of reading  
+ 0.025% of scale

Low Noise

- ▶ As Low as <1  $\mu$ A

Compliance Voltages

- ▶ Up to 10 Volts available

Remote Operation via PC

- ▶ Use your existing control code.  
Our command set is compatible with other manufacturers.
- ▶ USB Connection



## GROUND LOOPS: ELIMINATED. YOUR LASER IS PROTECTED.

A ground loop can destroy your laser in an instant. Every input and control circuit on the LaserSource is electrically isolated. Offset voltages, ground connections, and AC noise will never act on your system.

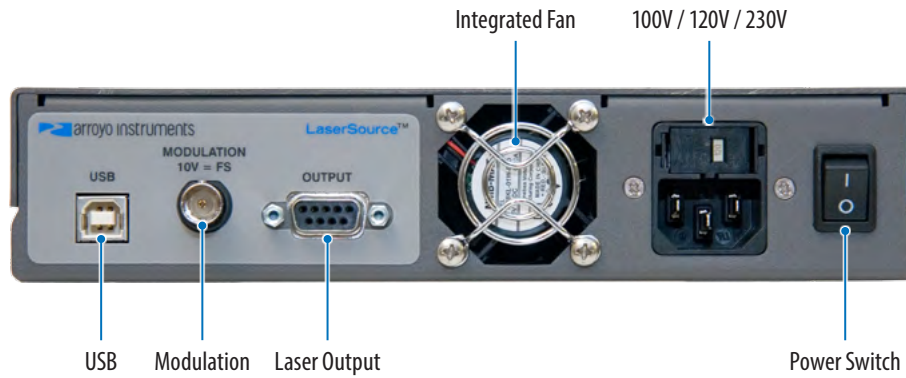
*No other laser driver on the market has this capability.*

# 4200-DR SPECIFICATIONS

|                                   |   | 4201 -DR                      |                  | 4205 -DR         |                  | 4220-DR         |                 |
|-----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Set Point                         | <b>Laser Current (ACC)</b>              |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Range (mA)                              | 50                            | 100              | 250              | 500              | 1000            | 2000            |
|                                   | Maximum Resolution (mA)                 | 0.002                         | 0.005            | 0.01             | 0.02             | 0.05            | 0.1             |
|                                   | Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + mA])      | 0.025%<br>+ 0.02              | 0.025%<br>+ 0.03 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.08 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.12 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.3 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.5 |
|                                   | Stability (ppm, time)                   | < 10, 1 hour                  |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Temperature Coeff (ppm/°C)              | 50                            |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Noise/Ripple ( $\mu$ A rms)             | < 1                           | < 1              | < 1.2            | < 1.5            | <10             | < 15            |
|                                   | Transients ( $\mu$ A)                   | < 50                          |                  | < 100            |                  | < 200           |                 |
|                                   | Compliance Voltage (V)                  | 10                            |                  | 10               |                  | 5               |                 |
|                                   | <b>Photodiode Current (APC)</b>         |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Range ( $\mu$ A)                        | 5 – 5000                      |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Resolution ( $\mu$ A)                   | 0.1                           |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + $\mu$ A]) | 0.05% + 1                     |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Stability (ppm, time)                   | < 200, 24 hours               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Temperature Coeff (ppm/°C)              | < 200                         |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | PD Bias (V)                             | 0 to -5Volts programmable     |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| <b>Laser Voltage (AVC)</b>        |   |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Range (V)                         | 0 – 10                                  |                               | 0 – 10           |                  | 0 – 5            |                 |                 |
| Resolution (V)                    | 0.001                                   |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + V]) | 0.05% + 0.005                           |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Stability (ppm, time)             | < 50, 1 hour                            |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Temperature Coeff (ppm/°C)        | < 100                                   |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| <b>External Modulation</b>        |   |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Input Range                       | 0 – 10V, 10k $\Omega$                   |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Modulation Bandwidth (kHz)        | 325                                     |                               | 325              |                  | 150              |                 |                 |
| Measurement Channels              | <b>Laser Current</b>                    |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Resolution (mA)                         | 0.002                         | 0.005            | 0.01             | 0.02             | 0.05            | 0.1             |
|                                   | Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + mA])      | 0.025%<br>+ 0.02              | 0.025%<br>+ 0.03 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.08 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.12 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.3 | 0.025%<br>+ 0.5 |
|                                   | <b>Laser Voltage</b>                    |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Resolution (V)                          | 0.001                         |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + V])       | 0.05% + 0.005                 |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Measurement Channels              | <b>Photodiode Current</b>               |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Resolution ( $\mu$ A)                   | 0.1                           |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + $\mu$ A]) | 0.05% + 1                     |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Limits                            | <b>Laser Current</b>                    |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Resolution (mA)                         | 1                             |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Accuracy ( $\pm$ [% reading + mA])      | 2                             |                  | 5                |                  | 20              |                 |
|                                   | <b>Laser Voltage</b>                    |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Resolution (V)                    | 0.1                                     |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Accuracy ( $\pm$ % FS)            | 2.5%                                    |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| General                           | Display Type                            | 2x20 VFD                      |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Laser Connector                         | DB-9, female                  |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Computer Interface                      | USB 2.0 Full Speed (Type B)   |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Power                                   | 100V / 120V / 230V, 50/60 Hz  |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Size (H x W x D) [inches (mm)]          | 1.82(47) x 8.5(215) x 11(280) |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Weight [lbs (kg)]                       | 4.8 (2.2)                     |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
|                                   | Operating Temperature                   | +10°C to +40°C                |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |
| Storage Temperature               | -20°C to +60°C                          |                               |                  |                  |                  |                 |                 |

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## REAR VIEW



## ARROYO CONTROL



Control any Arroyo laser driver or temperature controller directly from your PC. Simply connect to your Arroyo device via USB or RS-232 and gain direct access to settings, device limits, and adjustments from an easy-to-use Windows interface. You can even connect to multiple instruments at the same time.

Download ArroyoControl for free from [www.arroyoinstruments.com](http://www.arroyoinstruments.com).

LabView drivers available.



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## ACCESSORIES



### 1400-RM

#### 4200 SERIES 2U RACK MOUNT KIT, 2 BAY

This rack mount kit is designed to work with any 4200 Series LaserSource or 5200 Series TECSource, and is machined out of a single piece of aluminum for excellent rigidity and strength. One or two instruments can be racked into a 2U high space.



### 1400-BL

#### 1 BAY BLANK FOR 1400-RM

The 1400-BL is used to fill the unused opening in a 1400-RM when only rack mounting a single instrument. Machined from solid aluminum and black anodized, it is designed to match the cosmetic style of the 4200 and 5200 instruments.

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