

# EYP-BAL-0905-00050-1040-TOE22-0010

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## BROAD AREA LASER

GaAs Semiconductor Laser Diode  
Single Emitter Structure



### General Product Information

Product	Application
905 nm Broad Area Laser (Dual Emitter) for Pulse Mode Operation sealed TO-18 Housing (MIL qualified)	Sensing Metrology



### Absolute Maximum Ratings

	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Storage Temperature	$T_S$	°C	-45		90
Operational Temperature at Case	$T_C$	°C	-45		90
Peak Current	$I_{F Peak}$	A			80
Reverse Voltage	$V_R$	V			1
Peak Output Power	$P_{opt Peak}$	W			65
Forward Voltage at Peak	$V_F$	V			15

Measurement Conditions / Comments
Every condition of the Absolute Maximum Ratings has to be kept during operation
see Pulse Mode Conditions
f/1.7
see Pulse Mode Conditions

### Recommended Operational Conditions (Pulse Mode)

	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Operational Temperature at Case	$T_C$	°C	-40		80
Forward Current	$I_{F Peak}$	A		72	
Output Power	$P_{opt Peak}$	W		56	

Measurement Conditions / Comments
under max. Pulse Mode Conditions
f/1.7

### Characteristics at $T_{amb} 25\text{ °C}$ , Pulse Mode, Begin Of Life

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Center Wavelength	$\lambda_C$	nm	850	905	920
Spectral Width (FWHM)	$\Delta\lambda$	nm		10	
Temperature Coefficient of Wavelength	$d\lambda / dT$	nm / K		0.3	
Output Power	$P_{ave}$	mW		30	
Peak Output Power @ $I_F = 78\text{ A}$	$P_{opt Peak}$	W	50		
Threshold Current	$I_{th}$	A		3.0	
Operational Current @ $P_{opt Peak} = 50\text{ W}$	$I_{op}$	A		70	78

Measurement Conditions / Comments
f/1.7, under max. Pulse Mode Conditions
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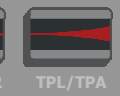
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### Characteristics at $T_{amb}$ 25 °C, Pulse Mode, Begin Of Life

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Cavity Length	L	μm			1000
Stripe width	W <sub>s</sub>	μm		400	
Spacing between Emitters	W <sub>spacing</sub>	μm		200	
Stripe Pitch	W <sub>pitch</sub>	μm		600	
Dual Emitter Width	W <sub>total</sub>	μm		1000	
Divergence parallel (FWHM)	$\Theta_{  }$	°	7	10	13
Divergence perpendicular (FWHM)	$\Theta_{\perp}$	°	25	30	35
Polarization				TE	
Spectral Mode (longitudinal)				Multi Mode	

### Measurement Conditions / Comments

one emitter only

center to center of the dual emitters

total width of the dual emitter

E field perpendicular to plane B (see drawing on p. 3)

### Pulse Mode Conditions

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Pulse Length	t <sub>p</sub>	ns	50		200
Pulse Repetition Rate	RR	s <sup>-1</sup>	1		3000
Duty Cycle	D	%			0.06

### Measurement Conditions / Comments

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### Package Dimensions

Parameter	Symbol	Unit	min	typ	max
Height of Emission Plane	$d_{EP}$	mm		2.4	
Excentricity of Emission Center	R	mm			0.2
Pin Length	l	mm		19.0	

### Measurement Conditions / Comments

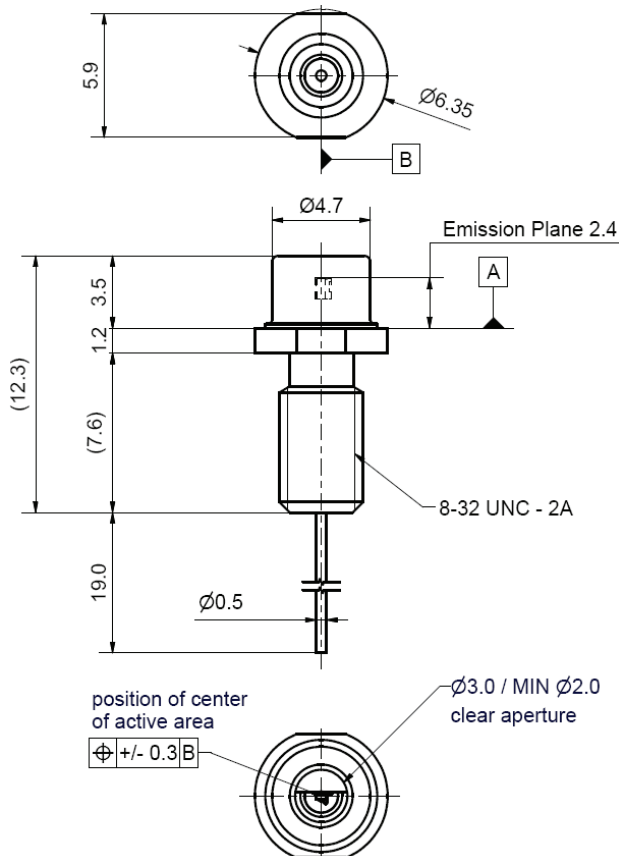
reference plane A: top side of TO header

reference B: center of outer diameter of header

### Package Pinout

Laser Anode (+)	Pin
Laser Cathode (-)	Case

### Package Drawings



### hermetically sealed Package:

Leak Rate  $< 5 \cdot 10^{-8}$  atm.cc./s

acc. MIL-STD-883E

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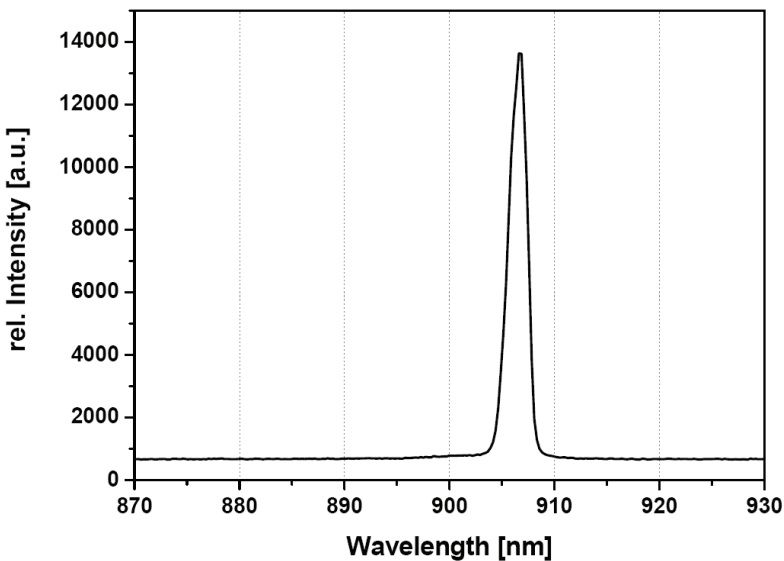
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## Typical Measurement Results

Spectrum



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## Unpacking, Installation and Laser Safety

Unpacking the laser diodes should only be done at electrostatic safe workstations (EPA). Though protection against electro static discharge (ESD) is implemented in the laser package, charges may occur at surfaces. Please store this product in its original package at a dry, clean place until final use. During device installation, ESD protection has to be maintained.

The BAL diode type is known to be sensitive against thermal stress. Operating at moderate temperatures on proper heat sinks will contribute to a long lifetime of the diode.

The laser emission from this diode is close to the invisible infrared region of the electromagnetic spectrum. Avoid direct and/or indirect exposure to the free running beam. Collimating the free running beam with optics as common in optical instruments will increase threat to the human eye.

Each laser diode will come with an individual test protocol verifying the parameters given in this document.

