DELTA7 TRANSMISSIVE WAVEFRONT MODULATOR

TECHNOLOGY

The Delta 7 is based on the Deformable Phase Plate (DPP) technology, exclusively developed by Phaseform GmbH. DPP is composed of a fluidic chamber, enclosed by a thin membrane, which is deformed by electrostatic force. The force is generated by a 2D array of transparent electrodes embedded within the optical aperture of the DPP. The sophisticated optofluidic design of the DPP enables gravity-neutral performance for orientation independent, high-quality wavefront modulation.

KEY FEATURES

Complex wavefront modulation

63 electrodes enabling replication of up to the 7th radial order of Zernike polynomials (>35 modes) with high fidelity

Straightforward system integration

Compact housing compatible with standard 30 mm cage systems by rods, lens tubes, and post assemblies **Linear & hysteresis-free response**

Electrostatic actuation suited for open-loop wavefront control

Remarkable optical quality

Active best flat with an induced RMS wavefront error of less than $\lambda/40$

Polarization-independent

Wavefront modulation independent of the light polarization for maximized efficiency





SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL Modulator type

Clear aperture diameter Number of actuators Number of actuators across aperture diameter Connectivity Operating system Driving software

OPTICAL

Wavefront RMS error of best flat Maximum peak-to-valley of the generated wavefronts Maximum spatial frequency of the correction Optical transmission (VIS-NIR version)

Laser Induced Damage Threshold (LIDT) Nominal operation laser power

Included in the Delta 7 package

Optofluidic DPP (Deformable Phase Plate), electrostatically actuated 10 mm 63 7 USB 2.0 Windows, Linux, and macOS SDK and GUI available in Python. Wrapper to execute Python functions in Matlab.

< 15 nm (orientation independent) >8 μm 7th radial order of Zernike modes 400 nm - 2200 nm 80% at λ=800 nm (no AR coatings applied) 10 W/cm² for 10s @ 1070nm CW Factory calibrated for < 100 mW CW (over full optical aperture)

Driving electronics, control software, cables, manual





GENERATED ZERNIKE MODES

Maximum peak-to-valley of generated zernike modes (optical path difference in µm)

Z (1,-1)	8.0	Z (4,-4)	2.0	Z (5,3)	1.1	Z (7,-7)	0.7
Z (1,1)	8.0	Z (4,-2)	1.5	Z (5,5)	1.3	Z (7,-5)	0.5
Z (2,-2)	5.0	Z (4,0)	1.4	Z (6,-6)	1.0	Z (7,-3)	0.5
Z (2 ,0)	5.0	Z (4,2)	1.5	Z (6,-4)	0.9	Z (7,-1)	0.5
Z (2,2)	5.0	Z (4,4)	2.0	Z (6,-2)	0.9	Z (7,1)	0.5
Z (3,-3)	3.5	Z (5,-5)	1.3	Z (6,0)	0.7	Z (7,3)	0.5
Z (3,-1)	3.0	Z (5,-3)	1.1	Z (6,2)	0.9	Z (7,5)	0.5
Z (3,1)	3.0	Z (5,-1)	1.1	Z (6,4)	0.9	Z (7,7)	0.7
Z (3,3)	3.5	Z (5,1)	1.1	Z (6,6)	1.0		



OPTICS HOUSING MECHANICAL DRAWINGS





SPECIFICATIONS, CONT.

MECHANICAL

Thickness (within clear aperture) Response time (best flat to maximum deformation) Hysteresis Linearity Mounting capability

Connector cable length

ELECTRICAL

Actuator voltage Maximum power consumption Power supply

THERMAL

Storage temperature Operating temperature 0.87 mm < 55 ms < 1% > 92% 30 mm cage system rods, SM1 tubing, and Ø=1/2" post 1.5 m

up to 295 V DC < 9 W 120/230 VAC, 2.5 phono plug (included)

10 °C to 35 °C 20 °C to 25 °C

DISCLAIMER

All specifications are preliminary and subject to change without notice. No representation or warranty, either expressed or implied, is made as to the reliability, completeness, or accuracy of this specification sheet.

CONTACT US

Phaseform GmbH Georges-Köhler-Allee 302 79110 Freiburg i.B. Germany

info@phaseform.com +49 761 216 0800 0



