### 532 nm AND 355 nm DPSS LASERS

# The Spectra-Physics Explorer<sup>®</sup> One<sup>™</sup> XP - available at both 532 nm and 355 nm - is the world's first compact all-in-one laser that combines the laser head and power supply into a single package that fits into the palm of your hand. With the industry's smallest footprint, light 3 kg weight, air-cooled design and rugged construction, the Explorer One XP laser is simple to integrate into machine tools and is ideal for use on a moving gantry.

The Explorer One XP laser models are available in the UV at 355 nm and in the green at 532 nm. The Explorer One XP 355 delivers an average power of 2 W at 80 kHz and the Explorer One XP 532 provides an average power of more than 5 W at 80 kHz.

The Explorer One XP laser delivers exceptional performance including short pulse width for minimum heat affected zone, unmatched pulse-to-pulse stability and superior beam quality. It operates across a wide repetition rate range from single shot up to 500 kHz. With its short laser resonator cavity, Explorer One XP lasers produce high peak powers that in some materials can outperform higher average power lasers. The superior mode quality (M<sup>2</sup> <1.1 typical) over the full repetition-rate range leads to improved spatial resolution and larger depth-of-focus. The Spectra-Physics patented intra-cavity design enables efficient conversion to the green and UV, resulting in the highest pulse-to-pulse stability for consistent processing and higher yields.

Based on the proven Explorer architecture, the Explorer One XP laser is rugged and highly reliable for demanding 24/7 applications. All optical components are soldered in place to ensure exceptional ruggedness and durability in harsh operating environments. No solder flux is used, thereby minimizing organic contaminants that can degrade laser performance. Explorer One XP lasers are tested to endure bare product shock and vibration with accelerations of up to 100 g's.

For ease of use, the Explorer One XP series is equipped with the E-Pu'lse<sup>™</sup> feature, offering constant pulse energy which is ideal for applications with varying repetition rates. Additionally, the system can be operated using TTL and analog control signals. Real-time pulse energy values are available on the integrated Analog Port. For applications that rely on the synchronization of multiple lasers, the Explorer One XP offers a dedicated port to operate multiple lasers synchronously or with precisely separated laser pulses.

With its tiny footprint, ease of integration, exceptional performance, rugged and reliable construction and versatile features, the Explorer One XP lasers are the ultimate, air-cooled DPSS solution.

# It's in the Box'

### *The Explorer One XP Advantage*

- Exceeding 2 W at 355 nm and 5 W at 532 nm
- Unique It's in the Box<sup>™</sup> design at least 7x smaller than any competitive product
- Lightweight only 3 kg; air-cooled design
- Short pulse width and high peak power – ideal for marking applications
- Gaussian beam with typical  $M^2 < 1.1$
- Outstanding pulse energy stability of <3%
- Single pulse energy measurements up to 500 kHz

### Applications

#### 532 nm Applications

• Thin film photovoltaic manufacturing

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- Marking Stainless steel and other metals, HDPE, semiconductor wafers and LED chips
- Resistor trimming
- Micromachining

### 355 nm Applications

- Stereolithography
- Marking Opaque and translucent plastics, medical packaging, glass and inside glass
- ITO/TCO patterning
- Thin film solid state battery processing
- PCB drilling and structuring
- Micromachining



3000 35 Power (mW) 30 Pulse Width (ns) 2500 PE Noise (% rms) 25 Pulse Width (ns) Pulse Energy Noise (%) Average Power (mW) 2000 20 1500 15 1000 10 500 5 0 0 100 120 140 160 180 200 220 240 260 280 300 20 40 60 80 Pulse Repetition Frequency (kHz)

#### Explorer One XP 355-2 Typical Pulse Energy<sup>1</sup>

Explorer One XP 355-2 Typical Performance<sup>1</sup>



1. Typically measured performance; not a guaranteed or warranted specification.

Explorer One XP 532-5 Typical Performance<sup>1</sup>



#### Explorer One XP 532-5 Typical Pulse Energy<sup>1</sup>



### Specifications<sup>5, 7</sup>

	Explorer One XP 532-5	Explorer One XP 355-2
Output Characteristics		
Wavelenght	532 nm	355
Gain Medium	Nd:YVO <sub>4</sub>	Nd:YVO <sub>4</sub>
Pulse Energy	63 µJ@ 80 kHz	25 µJ @ 80 kHz
Output Power	5 W @ 80 kHz	2 W @ 80 kHz
Pulse Width (FWHM) <sup>2</sup>	<12 ns @ 80 kHz	<10 ns @ 80 kHz
Pulse Energy Noise (rms) <sup>2</sup>	<3%	
Long Term Stability (rms)	<±2%	
Repetion Rate Range	Single shot to 500 kHz <sup>3</sup>	Single shot to 300 kHz <sup>3</sup>
Beam Ellipticity <sup>2</sup>	1 ±0.1	
Beam Characteristics <sup>2</sup>		
Spatial Mode	M <sup>2</sup> <1.3, TEM <sub>00</sub>	
Beam Diameter, at waist (1/e <sup>2</sup> )	0.18 mm ±0.027 mm	0.155 ±0.035 mm
Beam Divergence, full angle (1/e <sup>2</sup> )	$3.9 \pm 0.8 \text{ mrad}$	3.1 ±0.7 mrad
Operating Conditions		
Warm-up Time (cold start to >95% full power)	<10 min	
Polarization Ratio	>100:1 (horizontal)	>100:1 (vertical)
Operating Voltage	24 VDC ±2 V	
Maximum Inrush Current	<9 A	
Maximum Power Consumption	<150 W	
Typical Power Consumption	<100 W	
Laser Head Thermal Heat Dissipation	<150 W	
Operating Temperature		
Laser Head <sup>4</sup>	18–40°C (relative humidity <80%; dew point <20°C)	
Storage Temperature Range	-20 to 60°C (<90% relative humidity, non-condensing)	
Physical Characteristics		
Dimensions	9.45 x 3.74 x 3.7 in (240 x 95 x 94 mm)	
Beam Height	35 mm	34.1 mm
Weight	6.84 lb (3.1 kg)	
Static Alignment Tolerance		
Beam Position	<±0.3 mm	
Beam Angle	<±1 mrad	

1. Due to our continuous product improvement program, specifications may change without notice.

Specified at nominal power/energy and repetition rate (see power/energy specifications).
Range from single shot to 20 kHz accessible with E-Pulse feature only when triggered internally.

4. Housing temperature at base.

### **Explorer One XP Dimensions**

3.74

(95)

3.69 (93.6)

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(47.5)

Back Panel Interface



Laser Interface 24 VDC Input On/Off Switch Key Switch Status LEDs Serial Interface Analog Interface Fan Connector Synchronization Input



Side View

9.45 (240)

Top View 8.64 (219.5)ര

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**Back View** Dimensions in inch (mm)

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### **Explorer One XP With Optional Heatsink**



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