

## Introduction

The applications of UV sensors are quite varied and therefore the required sensitivity, environmental endurance, spectral response, field of view and electronic output interface must be tailored for individual conditions of use.

This publication presents a variety of different UV sensors covering a broad range of industrial and scientific UV sensor applications.

All of the probes are amplified and shielded against electromagnetic interference. The visible blind sensors are based on a Silicon Carbide (SiC) UV photodiode, which guarantees highest radiation hardness, long term stability and  $>10^{10}$  visible blindness (ratio of UV to VIS-IR sensitivity). Blue and GaP type sensors are based on a Galliumphosphide (GaP) UV photodiode.

Please find an individual four step configuration procedure at page 6 which allows the prospective user to select among different probe mechanical designs (STEP1), to select the correct spectral response (STEP 2), to select the different output types (STEP 3) and to select a sensitivity range (STEP 4).

## UV Sensor "UV-Surface"

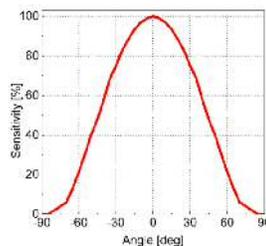
### Standard surface-mount 180° FOV UV Sensor

The sensor **UV-Surface** is a cosine corrected sensor to be used for industrial or scientific UV radiation measurements of radiation arriving at a surface, horizontal or vertical or any orientation. On request it is also available in a submersible version. Available calibrated (NIST or PTB traceable) on request.

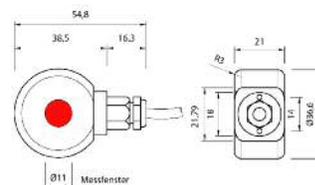
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Field of View



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### UV Sensor “UV-Air”

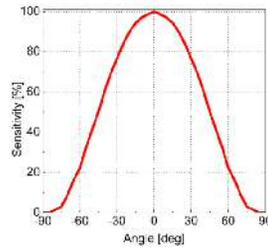
### Standard axis oriented in-chamber UV Sensor

The sensor **UV-Air** is a cosine corrected axial looking UV sensor with a male thread (M22x1,5) with many mounting possibilities inside UV radiation chambers. Available calibrated (NIST or PTB traceable) on request.

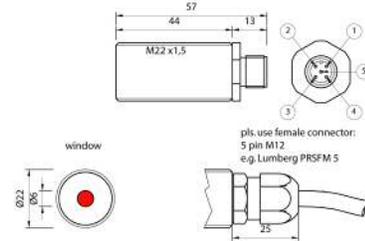
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### UV Sensor “UV-Cosine“

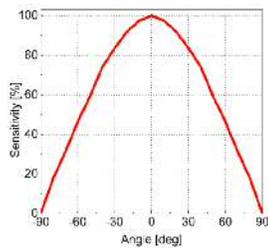
### Waterproof UV Sensor for outdoor use

The sensor **UV-Cosine** is an outdoor cosine corrected waterproof sensor (IP68 at window side, IP65 at plug side, or, on request IP68 for submerge applications). The PTFE housing is stain repellent. Available calibrated (NIST or PTB traceable) on request.

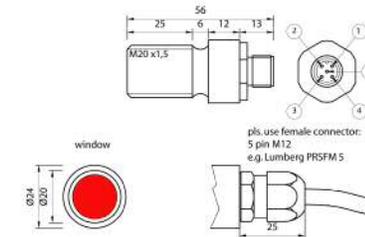
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### UV Sensor “UV-Water-G3/4”

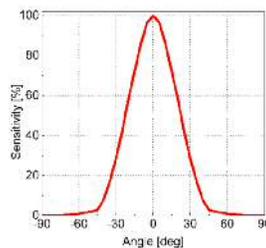
### 10 bar water pressure proof UV Sensor

The sensor **UV-Water-G3/4** is a waterproof (10 bar or 150 psi) UV sensor to be included into pressurized water systems (G3/4“ thread). This UV sensor is suited for use in food and beverages machinery. On request it is also available in a submersible version. Available calibrated (NIST or PTB traceable) on request.

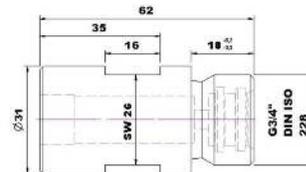
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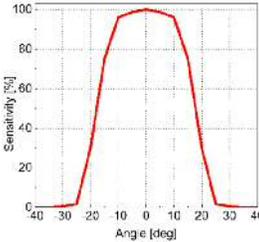
**UV Sensor “UV-DVGW”** **UV Sensor for DVGW certified water purifiers**

The sensor **UV-DVGW** is a special type suitable for use with DVGW certified water purifiers. It complies with the standard DVGW W294-3(2006). Always delivered calibrated according to DVGW requirements.

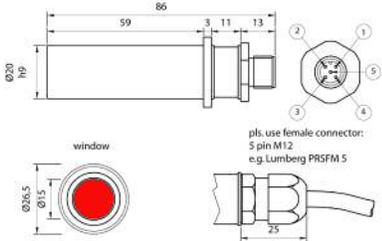
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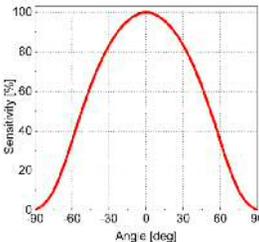
**UV Sensor “UV-Minilog“** **UV Datalogger with PC Software**

The sensor **UV-Minilog** is a battery powered UV datalogger with a large internal data storage (2 million readings). It can log data for up to 18 months without recharging. It is IP67 waterproof and comes with free PC software. The UV-Minilog can be equipped with all UV sensors to be selected at STEP 2 and STEP 4 of page 6 configuration guide. Available calibrated (NIST or PTB traceable) on request.

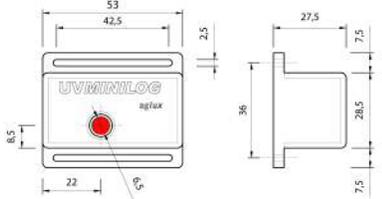
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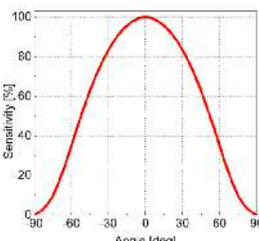
**UV Sensor “TOCON-probe”** **Pre-amplified UV Photodetector with housing**

The sensor **TOCON-probe** is a pre-amplified UV Photodiode inside a robust stainless steel M12x1 thread body. It is configured with an integrated sensor connector (Binder 5-Pin plug) and comes with 2m connector cable. The sensor is easy to mount and connect (only with voltage output available).

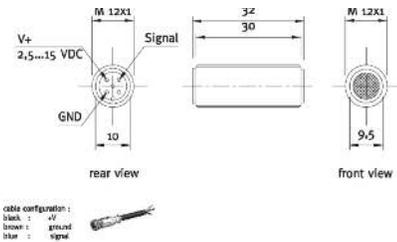
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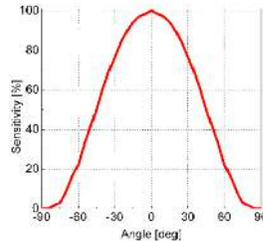
### UV Sensor “UV-Cure” Sensor for high UV-irradiation with integrated temperature sensor

The sensor **UV-Cure** is an axial looking UV sensor for measurement of high UV radiation at high temperatures (up to 170°C) in curing and drying processes. It has an integrated temperature sensor and a diffuser of radiation hard and temperature resistant microporous silica glass. A male thread (M22x1,5) allows many mounting possibilities inside UV radiation chambers. Available calibrated (NIST or PTB traceable) on request. Only available with photocurrent output.

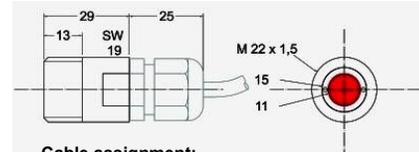
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**Cable assignment:**  
 UV sensor: white anode, brown cathode  
 temperature sensor: black, blue

### Specifications, valid for all UV Sensors

#### Fixed Specifications

Parameter	Value
Dimensions	Pls. refer to the drawing above.
Temp. Coefficient	0,035%/K
Operating Temp.	-20...+80°C (170°C)
Storage Temp.	-40...+80°C
Humidity	<80%, non-condensing for Air versions; 100% immersed for submersible

#### Configurable Specifications

Parameter	Value
Absolute Sensitivity	1nW/cm <sup>2</sup> ... 10W/cm <sup>2</sup>
Spectral Sensitivity	UV-broadband, UVA, UVB, UVC, UV-Index, blue light, GaP (blue+visible)
Signal Output	0...5V, 4...20mA, USB, impulse count
Connections	2m cable or 5pin male plug

Please find the configuration guide at page 6 of this catalogue.

### Monitor Accessories



Please consider our UV monitor and UV controller offer.

### Calibration



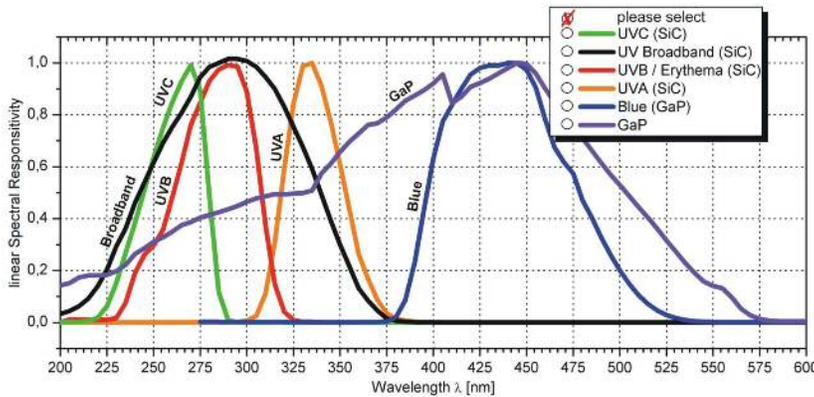
We are pleased to issue an individual quotation for NIST or PTB traceable calibration.

## STEP 1 → Selection of probe mechanical design

Please tick your selection. Please find detailed description of the mechanical design above.

- | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Type | Description  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-Surface      | Standard surface-mount 180° FOV UV Sensor  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-Air          | Standard axis oriented in-chamber UV Sensor  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-Cosine       | Waterproof UV Sensor for outdoor use   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-Water-G3/4   | 10 bar water pressure proof UV Sensor with G3/4" thread  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-Water        | 10 bar water pressure proof UV Sensor with G1/4" thread  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-DVGW         | UV Sensor for DVGW certified water purifiers   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-MINILOG      | UV Datalogger with PC software   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> TOCON-probe     | Pre-amplified UV photodetector in a M12x1 housing ( <i>only with voltage output available</i> )            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> UV-Cure         | Sensor for high UV-Irradiation with integrated temperature sensor ( <i>only with photocurrent output</i> ) |

## STEP 2 → Configuration of the Spectral Sensitivity



Please select one spectral sensitivity curve.

## STEP 3 → Signal Output

Please tick your selection. The pin configuration is shown in the drawings on previous pages.

- | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Type | Description   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Connection = "cable"                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Connection = "male plug"                 |
|--|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0...5V          | 0...5V voltage output proportional to radiation input; supply voltage is 7...24VDC, current consumption is <30mA    | <input type="checkbox"/> $V_0$ =brown, $V_+$ =white, Out=green, Shield=black | <input type="checkbox"/> $V_0$ =Pin1=brown, $V_+$ =Pin2=black, Out=Pin3=blue |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4...20mA        | 4...20mA current loop for PLC controllers; the current is proportional to the radiation, supply voltage is 24VDC    | <input type="checkbox"/> $V_0$ =brown, $V_+$ = white                         | <input type="checkbox"/> $V_0$ =Pin1=brown, $V_+$ =Pin2=black                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> USB             | The signal is transmitted via USB to a computer. Software is included.  | ----->   | <input type="checkbox"/> Standard USB-A plug, 1,5m cable                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pulse           | UV pulse counting for pulses >30ns, signal out is 5V when the pulse intensity is above threshold and 0V when below. | <input type="checkbox"/> $V_0$ =brown, $V_+$ =white, Out=green, Shield=black | <input type="checkbox"/> $V_0$ =Pin1=brown, $V_+$ =Pin2=black, Out=Pin3=blue |

## STEP 4 → Sensitivity

We configure your UV sensor for intensities across 10 orders of magnitude from 1nW/cm<sup>2</sup> to 10W/cm<sup>2</sup>. For good dynamic behaviour the min and max. intensity at the probe position needs to be known as precisely as possible. Please fill that value, if known, into the box below. If only a rough estimate is possible, please estimate it in the range selection fields. We will contact you for further refinement of the range.

- max. radiation in mW/cm<sup>2</sup> or, if not precisely known, range estimation
- 
- 1nW/cm<sup>2</sup> ... 10 $\mu$ W/cm<sup>2</sup>     10 $\mu$ W/cm<sup>2</sup> ... 100mW/cm<sup>2</sup>     100mW/cm<sup>2</sup> ... 10W/cm<sup>2</sup>