



# Interferometric Optics

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## Multiple-Prism Beam Expanders<sup>†</sup>

<i>M</i>	Number of Prisms	Prisms Height	Exit Aperture	Deployment Configuration <sup>††</sup>	Dispersion <sup>†††</sup>	Price of Set (US Dollars)
81	2	10 mm	20mm	+ -	$(\partial\phi/\partial\lambda) = 0$ @ 590 nm <sup>††††</sup>	1 900.00
120	3	10 mm	30 mm	+ + -	$(\partial\phi/\partial\lambda) = 0$ @ 590 nm <sup>††††</sup>	2 900.00

<sup>†</sup> Made of fused silica. Detailed angular deployment position of each prism supplied. All beam incidence and beam exit prisms surfaces polished to  $\lambda/10$  over 90% . Only the hypotenuse and the exit surfaces are polished. All prism angles are specified within 5 arc min.

<sup>††</sup> Simple deployment of the last prism to a positive configuration (+) provides a highly dispersive arrangement.

<sup>†††</sup> Assumes an original unexpanded beam diameter of 200 $\mu$ m. For  $M = 81$  the expanded beam is 16.2 mm and for  $M = 120$  the expanded beam is 24 mm.

<sup>††††</sup> Quoted dispersion is for deployment in a compensating configuration. Large dispersion values can be obtained by deploying the prisms in an additive configuration.

Note: special designs, for specific  $M$  factors and optical materials, are available up on request.

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## Multiple-Prism Pulse Compressors<sup>†</sup>

Number of Prisms	Prism Material	Design $\lambda$ (nm)	Prism Class	Dimensions <sup>††</sup> (mm)	Price of Set (US Dollars)
2	Fused silica	620	Near Isosceles	30 mm	1 990.00
2	Fused silica	800	Near Isosceles	30 mm	1 990.00
2	NSF 10	620	Near Isosceles	30 mm	2 050.00
2	NSF 10	800	Near Isosceles	30 mm	2 050.00

<sup>†</sup> Designed for incidence at the Brewster angle. Detailed angular deployment position of each prism supplied. All beam incidence and beam exit prisms surfaces polished to  $\lambda/10$  over 90%. Only the incidence and exit surfaces are polished. All prism angles are specified within 5 arc min.

<sup>††</sup> Refers to the incidence and exit surfaces. Prism height (or thickness) is 10 mm.

Note: special designs, for specific wavelengths or optical materials, are available up on request.

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## Intracavity Solid Etalons<sup>†</sup>

Diameter (mm) <sup>††</sup>	Thickness (mm)	FSR (GHz)	Surface Flatness <sup>†††</sup>	Price (US Dollars)
12.7	5	~ 30.00	$\lambda/20$	1 350.00
12.7	10	~ 15.00	$\lambda/20$	1 350.00
12.7	15	~ 9.99	$\lambda/20$	1 350.00
12.7	20	~ 7.49	$\lambda/20$	1 350.00
12.7	25	~ 6.00	$\lambda/20$	1 350.00
25.4	5	~ 30.00	$\lambda/20$	1 550.00
25.4	10	~ 15.00	$\lambda/20$	1 550.00
25.4	15	~ 9.99	$\lambda/20$	1 550.00
25.4	20	~ 7.49	$\lambda/20$	1 550.00
25.4	25	~ 6.00	$\lambda/20$	1 550.00

<sup>†</sup> Material: fused silica.

<sup>††</sup> Clear aperture: 80-90% central.

<sup>†††</sup> Measured at  $\lambda = 632.8$  nm. Surface quality is better than 10/20-10/5. Surface parallelism: 0.2 arc min.

Note: Specific FSRs are available up on special request.

### General Notes:

1. Prices do not include tax or FedEx delivery.
2. Export: customers are responsible of local custom expenses.
3. Delivery times vary between 6-8 weeks.
4. All orders are prepaid.