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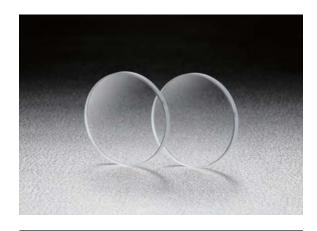
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Beam Samplers

Others

A beam sampler behaves like a plate beamsplitter, it has the ability to reflect approximately 5.2% of the total beam.

- Uncoated surface of optical parallels or wedged substrates are used as reflection surfaces. The rear surfaces are coated with multi-layer anti-reflection.
- These products have transmitted beam deviation and ghosting of the rear surface reflections due to the characteristics of plate beamsplitters.
- Wedged beam samplers with AR coating on the rear surface should be selected to prevent ghosting.



Rear surface:

Visible multi-layer anti-reflection coating

Specifications Material BK7 Surface Flatness λ/10 Front Surface: Uncoated Coating Rear Surface: Visible multi-layer anti-reflection coating Incident angle 45° 5:95 Divergence ratio (The average value of the P-Polarization and the S-Polarization) (reflectance: transmittance) 4J/cm² Laser Damage Threshold (Laser pulse width 4ns, repetition frequency 20Hz) Surface Quality (Scratch-Dig) Clear aperture 90% of actual aperture

Guide

- ▶ Please contact our Sales Division for customized products. (Customized on size, wavelength or R:T, etc.)
- ▶ For a guarantee in reflected wavefront error or transmitted wavefront error, please contact our Sales Division with your requests.
- ▶ Wedged types are marked with an arrow on the side of the substrate indicating the thickest point of the wedge.

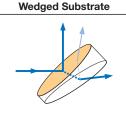
Attention

- ▶ The Beam Sampler has a reflectance of 5.2% when the material is BK7 and the input beam is unpolarized or circularly polarized.
- ▶The transmitted beam deviation of a wedged beamsplitter is larger then with a beamsplitter made of an optical parallel.
- ▶ The amount of beam deviation of a beamsplitter depends on thickness of the substrate and the wavelength of the incident angle of the input beam.
- ▶ Be sure to wear laser safety goggles when checking optical path and adjusting optical axis.

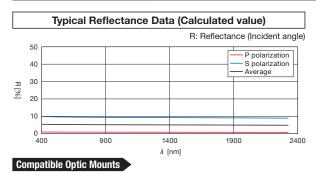
Outline Drawing (in mm) Tolerance Diameter \$\phi D^2_0\$. Thickness \$\text{t} \dots 0.1\$

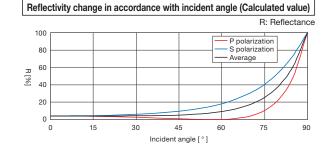
Front surface: Uncoated

Optical Parallel



φ30•φ50				
Part Number	Wavelength Range [nm]	Diameter φD [mm]	Thickness t [mm]	Parallelism W
BS4-25.4C03-10-550	400 – 700	φ25.4	3	<5″
BS4-30C03-10-550	400 – 700	φ30	3	<5″
BS4-30C05-10W-550	400 – 700	φ30	5	1°±5′
BS4-50C05-10-550	400 – 700	φ50	5	<5″
BS4-50C08-10W-550	400 – 700	φ50	8	1°±5′





BHAN-30S, -50S / MHG-MP25-NL, MP30-NL