

Hz-Level Rack Mounted Laser System SLS-INT-1550-200-1



Obtain <1 Hz at the push of a button—less than 3×10^{-15} fractional deviation!

Our fully integrated cavity-stabilized laser system has been engineered to maximize performance and convenience in a compact footprint, combining high stability and ease of use.

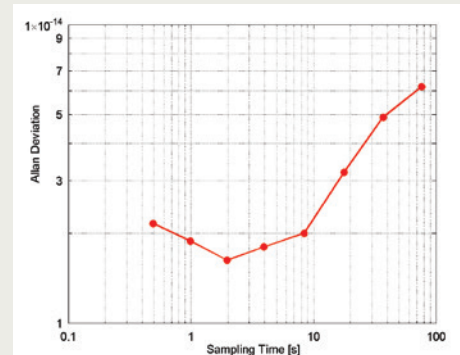
UNCOMPROMISED PERFORMANCE

Everything needed to stabilize your laser has been incorporated into a convenient **19-inch, 11U complete height**. This self-contained system includes a high-finesse Fabry-Perot cavity, temperature-controlled vacuum housing, vacuum pump, laser source, optics, and control electronics. Designed for portability and performance, it maintains the frequency stability for which our products are known: the frequency noise spectral density of **1 Hz/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$** is ideal for applications such as microwave generation and laser radar.

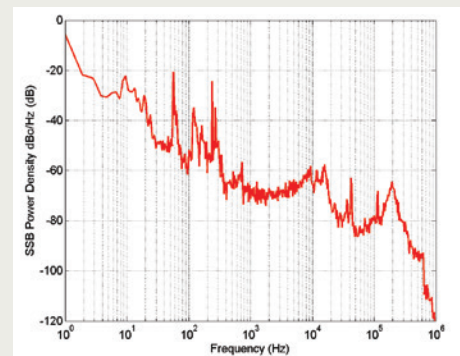
INTELLIGENT DESIGN FOR EASE OF USE

Once the laser has been tuned to be coincident with the cavity frequency, a **push-button lock function** engages the loop filter to stabilize the laser. An **intuitive, integrated touch screen** allows control of laser current, laser temperature, loop filter parameters, as well as displaying the necessary diagnostics, including cavity temperature, reflected and transmitted power from the cavity, and vacuum parameters. Analog outputs are provided for transmitted and reflected photodetectors, error signal, and synchronous frequency ramp signal.

Decades of laser stabilization experience have gone into this optimally engineered system. With minimal user maintenance, our systems give you the frequency you need — guaranteed.



The Allan deviation of a Stable Laser Systems integrated frequency-stabilized laser system, as measured by heterodyning against a more stable system. Hertz-level linewidths are realized. Exact performance may differ due to natural variability in the thermal noise of mirror coatings.



The phase noise power spectral density of the laser.

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SPECIFICATIONS

PRODUCT NOTES

- Fully integrated <1-Hz stabilized laser system in a 11U rack-mountable enclosure
- Turn-key, front panel, touchscreen locking interface or laptop GUI alternative
- System delivered aligned and under vacuum—fully operational within hours.
- Auto relock technology detects drops and quickly scans and relocks the laser

TOUCHSCREEN CONTROLS AND INDICATORS

- Laser current and temperature (set and actual)
- Cavity temperature
- Vacuum pressure
- Vacuum housing temperature
- Loop filter proportional gain and time constant

PERFORMANCE

Wavelength range	Telecommunications C-band (1530 – 1565 nm) chosen at ordering. Please call us for any other wavelengths.
Output power	10 mW, 100 mW
Cavity Free Spectral Range	3 GHz
Allan Deviation 1 s no drift removal	<3e-15
Allan Deviation 10 s no drift removal	<3e-14
Phase noise 10 Hz offset	<-20 dBc/Hz
Phase noise 10 kHz offset	<-53 dBc/Hz
Daily laser drift	< 20 kHz for operating temperature range
Daily frequency variation linear drift removed	<500 Hz
Operating temperature range	18-25 °C

ANALOG OUTPUTS

- PDH error signal
- Transmitted power from the cavity
- Reflected power from the cavity
- Ramp sync signal

ELECTRONICS

Operating voltage	110/115/230 VAC
Power consumption	80 W
AC Power	50-60 Hz
Cooling requirements	None
Vacuum survival with no wallplug power	>7 days

MECHANICAL & OPTICS

Output connector	FC/APC, PM-1550
Dimensions	19" rack mountable housing, 11U high (45 x 47 x 62 cm)
System Weight	80 kg
Vibration Isolation	Included

OPTIONS

- Frequency tuning of locked laser +/- 1.5 GHz (for details or more range, please call us)
- Cavity reconditioning to tune the resonance to be within 150 MHz of an absolute frequency