

## EM-field optical probe **eoProbe™**

Make accurate E-field measurement with an interference-free optical RX antenna from 10 Hz up to 100 GHz

Absolute E-field measurement from mV/m up to MV/m in time & frequency domains

Compliant with all media such as liquids, biological tissues, vacuum, plasma...

Ultra high damage threshold  $> 10 \text{ W/cm}^2$  & compliant with near-field measurement

Transverse, longitudinal and SAR probes for measuring E-field in low  $\kappa$  (gases, plasma, oils) or high  $\kappa$  media (aqueous liquids, biological tissues) and in harsh environment (vacuum, high pressure)

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**PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS**

	Model	Min	Typical	Max	Unit
Frequency bandwidth (cutoff freq. $f_{low}$ & $f_{high} \pm 10\%$ )	ET5, EL5 & ES5	10	12		GHz
	ET1, EL1 & ES1	50	60		
Dynamic range	All models	130	135		dB.Hz
Min. measurable E-field strength in Time Domain ( $E_{min}$ ) (for $f > 200$ kHz)	EL5		16	20	mV <sub>RMS</sub> /m.√Hz
	ET5 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O		25	32	
	EL1		64	80	
	ET5 low $\kappa$ in air		80	100	
	ET1 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O		100	125	
	ET1 low $\kappa$ in air		320	400	
Min. measurable E field strength in Frequency Domain (for $f > 200$ kHz)	EL5		40	50	mV <sub>RMS</sub> /m.√Hz
	ET5 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O		64	80	
	EL1		160	200	
	ET5 low $\kappa$ in air		200	250	
	ET1 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O		250	320	
	ET1 low $\kappa$ in air		800	1000	
Phase noise	@ 10 Hz from carrier			-65	dBc/Hz
Rejection of orthogonal E-field components		50	60		dB
Probe response isotropy defined by HPBW (Half Power Beam Width)	Below 100 MHz	300			°
	@ 20 GHz for ET5 low $\kappa$ in air	70	80		
Damage threshold	E-field strength	10			MV <sub>RMS</sub> /m
	Permanent power density	10			W/cm <sup>2</sup>
Measurement repeatability	For $E \geq 100 \times E_{min}$		0.15	0.2	dB
Measurement voxel (cylindrical shape)	Diameter		0.5	1	mm
	Length for ET5, EL5 & ES5	4.8	5	5.2	
	Length for ET1, EL1 & ES1	0.8	1	1.2	
P1dB (1-dB compression point)	EL5	70			kV <sub>peak</sub> /m
	ET5 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O	110			
	EL1	280			
	ET5 low $\kappa$ in air	350			
	ET1 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O	450			
	ET1 low $\kappa$ in air	1400			
Lower cut-off frequency	All models		10	40	Hz
Effective relative permittivity (@ 10 MHz)	Probes with low $\kappa$ sheath	3.2	3.6	4.0	
	Probes with high $\kappa$ sheath	XX	XX	XX	
Optical insertion loss	LF ( $f > 200$ kHz)		6	9	dB
Antenna factor AF for HF-0.04-3.2/6.4 & HF-2.5-18	EL5		100	110	dB/m
	ET5 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O		105	115	
	EL1		110	120	
	ET5 low $\kappa$ in air, ET1 high $\kappa$ in H <sub>2</sub> O		115	125	
	ET1 low $\kappa$ in air		125	135	

## MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

		Min	Typical	Max	Unit
Optical fiber cord	Length	4.5	5.0		m
Transducer	Tip diameter	5.4	5.5	5.6	mm
	Base diameter	7.9	8.1	8.3	
	Length	30		36	
	Weight	2			
Probe axis marker	Angular deviation			3	°
	Resulting rejection of orthogonal E-field comp.	25			dB
Ingress Protection rating	Except optical connector		IP67		
Main components	Transducer	① tip	Quartz (low $\kappa$ ) / sapphire (high $\kappa$ ) sheath		
		② EO crystal			
		③ base			
	Optical fiber cord	④	3mm $\varnothing$ PEEK / PVC fiber sheath		
Optical connector Diamond HE-2000	⑤ base				
	⑥ dust cap				

Front view



## ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

		Min	Typical	Max	Unit
Fiber bending radius	Operating	40			mm
	Storage	50			
Temperature	Operating	10		50	°C
	Storage	10		40	
Pressure	Standard probes ( <b>medium vacuum</b> )	10 <sup>-3</sup>		2000	hPa
	Harsh environment probes ( <b>high vacuum</b> )	10 <sup>-6</sup>		7000	
	<b>Storage</b> for all models	690		1075	
Out-gassing properties (harsh environment probes only)	CVCM (Collected Volatile Condensable Material)			0.1	%
	RML (Recovered Mass Loss)			1	
Relative humidity	Non-condensing			90	%
Optical connector	Durability	10 000			mating
Storage	Only in its original case in a clean, dry environment				
Cleaning	Use cloth moistened with isopropyl alcohol (except for inner part of connectors) Specific tool for inner part of connectors (see § Options, customization and accessories)				

## STANDARDS COMPLIANCE

Laser safety IEC / EN 60825-2, class 1

## PACKAGING INFORMATION

Contents	
E-field probe	Delivered with a routine test report
Probe protection for handling	Removable protective foam (red color)
Attached USB stick	Probe calibration file supplied on USB stick (if calibration ordered)
Transport case (up to 4 probes)	drip-proof and dust-proof case (W x D x H = 430 x 335 x 115 mm - Weight: 2.2 kg)
User guide	See website <a href="https://en.kapteos.com/">https://en.kapteos.com/</a>

COMPATIBLE DEVICES AND ACCESSORIES

Device	Associated data sheet	Use	Outline schematic
Optoelectronic converter Probe holder	eoSense-FT-23.07.pdf eoPod-FT-23.07.pdf	Recommended setup in most cases	<p>The schematic shows an eoSense unit connected to an eoPod unit. A yellow cable labeled '5 m' connects the two. The eoSense unit has a 'Signal OUT' port. The eoPod unit has an eoProbe attached to its top.</p>
Optical fiber extension cord	eoLink-FT-23.07.pdf	Required setup for measurements over great distances, like outdoor conditions	<p>The schematic shows an eoSense unit connected to an eoPod unit. A yellow cable labeled '5 m' connects the eoSense unit to an eoLink fiber extension cord. The eoLink cord is labeled '95 m'. The eoLink cord is then connected to the eoPod unit. The eoSense unit has a 'Signal OUT' port. The eoPod unit has an eoProbe attached to its top.</p>
Optical multiplexer	eoSwitch-FT-23.07.pdf	Recommended setup to sequentially connect up to 16 probes	<p>The schematic shows an eoSense unit connected to an eoPod unit. A yellow cable labeled '5 m' connects the eoSense unit to an eoSwitch multiplexer. The eoSwitch multiplexer has 16 ports. One port is connected to the eoPod unit. The eoSense unit has a 'Signal OUT' port. The eoPod unit has an eoProbe attached to its top.</p>
EM-field probe calibration cell	eoCal-FT-23.07.pdf	Required setup for probe calibration in air or in any fluid	<p>The schematic shows an eoSense unit connected to an eoPod unit. A yellow cable connects the eoSense unit to an eoCal calibration cell. The eoSense unit has a 'Signal OUT' port. The eoPod unit has an eoProbe attached to its top. The eoCal cell is shown as a cylindrical component with a probe inside, and a vertical arrow labeled 'E' indicates the field direction.</p>
Vacuum feed- through	eoVac-FT-23.07.pdf	Recommended setup in most cases	<p>The schematic shows an eoSense unit connected to an eoPod unit. A yellow cable labeled '5 m' connects the eoSense unit to an eoVac vacuum feed-through. The eoSense unit has a 'Signal OUT' port. The eoPod unit has an eoProbe attached to its top. The eoVac component is shown as a rectangular box with a probe inside.</p>

## HARDWARE OPTIONS, CUSTOMIZATION AND ACCESSORIES

Field of activity	Issue	Options and/or accessories
SAR	Use in high $\kappa$ liquids	<b>-HK</b> High $\kappa$ sapphire probe tip sheath & 3mm $\varnothing$ PVC probe fiber sheath
Antennas, MRI, Plasma, HPEM, EMC, High Voltage	Use in low $\kappa$ media: gases, oils	<b>-LK</b> Low $\kappa$ quartz probe tip sheath & 3mm $\varnothing$ PVC probe fiber sheath
Harsh environment (high vacuum, high pressure)	$P < 10^{-3}$ hPa $P > 2000$ hPa	<b>-HE</b> Specific 3mm $\varnothing$ PEEK probe fiber sheath (compliant with both high $\kappa$ and low $\kappa$ models of probe)
EMP generated by laser-plasma interaction using PW lasers	Intense UV, X and $\gamma$ rays	<b>-LPI</b> Additional protective sheath for harsh environment probe
HPEM, High Voltage, MRI, Antennas	Large distance from DUT and digitizer	<b>-Xm</b> (X = 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50) Extra fiber length to get a fiber cord length of X meters
RF measurement in ultra small enclosure	Specific packaging	Customized probe tip sheath

## USEFUL EQUATIONS

$P_{OEC}$  → Power delivered by the optoelectronic converter  
 $V_{OEC}$  → Voltage generated by the optoelectronic converter

### Equation

Frequency domain	$E \text{ [dBV}_{RMS}/\text{m}] = P_{OEC} \text{ [dBm]} + AF \text{ [dB/m]} - 13.01$
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Time domain	$E \text{ [V/m]} = V_{OEC} \text{ [V]} \times AF \text{ [m}^{-1}\text{]}$
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Conversion of units	$AF \text{ [dB/m]} = 20 \log_{10}(AF \text{ [m}^{-1}\text{]})$
	$E \text{ [V}_{RMS}/\text{m}] = 10^{(E \text{ [dBV}_{RMS}/\text{m]} / 20)}$

## ORDERING INFORMATION

Model	Type	(Option)
eoProbe	EL5	-HK
		-LK-HE-20m
		-LK-HE-LPI-10m

Examples:

- Transverse EM-field optical probe with 5-mm EO crystal for high  $\kappa$  liquids → **eoProbe ET5-HK**
- Longitudinal EM-field optical probe with 1-mm EO crystal for low  $\kappa$  media with a fiber cord length of 20 m → **eoProbe EL1-LK-20m**
- Transverse EM-field optical probe with 1-mm EO crystal for low  $\kappa$  media, harsh environment with extra protective sheath for EMP generated by intense laser-plasma interaction with a fiber cord length of 15 m → **eoProbe ET1-LK-HE-LPI-15m**