

Features

- High-throughput, aberrationcompensated design
- Grating options covering the UV, VIS and NIR spectral ranges
- USB2.0 communication for motorized version
- Fully integrated software and development libraries available

Applications

- Tunable monochromatic light source
- Spectroscopic systems:
- Emission and source characterization
- Absorbance, transmittance and reflectance measurement
- High dispersion or high power density spectral illumination system
- Electrochemical spectroscopy
- Fluorescence spectroscopy
- Scanning spectrophotometer system
- Raman spectroscopy

Monochromators and Spectrographs

Small Series- 9030 Monochromators



Small Series –9030 Monochromators OVERVIEW

The Sciencetech 9030 series monochromators are our most economical scanning monochromators. The standard model features a manually controlled wavelength selector and removable, fixed-width slits.

The compact design features a Seya-Namioka optical layout, using a single concave holographic grating with an f/3.2 aperture. A pair of removable fixed-width slits are included for the input and output ports. Several accessories are available, and an optional external motor drive for computerized control is available.

B. Specifications - 9030 Series Monochromators

Table 1. General Specifications of 9030 Series Monochromators

| Input Focal Length (mm) | 100 (per monochromator) | |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| Output Focal Length (mm) | 100 (per monochromator) | |
| Wavelength Selection* | Manual standard, motorized option available | |
| Communication | USB 2.0 with motorized version | |
| Readout Mechanics | Sine Drive | |
| Spectral Range (nm) ⁺ | Table 3, 4, & 5 | |
| Aperture | f/3.2 | |
| Maximum Grating Sizes (mm) | 32 x 32 | |
| Number of Gratings | 1 per monochromator | |
| Grating Types | Concave Holographic | |
| Grating Selection | Table 6 | |
| Mirror Types | UV-Enhanced Aluminum or Protected Aluminum | |
| Optical Resolution (nm) [†] | Table 3, 4 & 5 | |
| Stray Light | Table 3, 4, & 5 | |
| Dispersion ^t (nm/mm) | Table 3, 4, & 5 | |
| Wavelength Accuracy* (± nm) | 1 | |
| Wavelength Reproducibility* (± nm) | 0.25 | |
| Optical Axis Height (mm) | 76.2 | |
| Compatible Detector Types | Single Channel | |
| Dimensions (mm) | Table 2 | |
| Weight (kg) | Table 2 | |

[†] Grating dependent; ‡ With readout counter (0.1nm); § Substrate size. Active area is 30 x 30 mm.



9030 Single Monochromators



9030 Double Monochromators



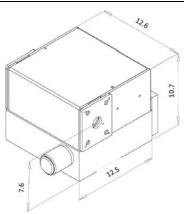
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Table 2. Dimension and Weight of 9030 Series

| Model Widt | h | Depth | Height | Optical Height | Weight |
|------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------|
| Single Monochromators | 12.5 cm 5.0 in | 12.6 cm 4.9 in | 10.4 cm 4.1 in | 7.6 cm 3.0 in | 2 kg |
| Double Monochromators | 26.0 cm 10.2 in | 12.6 cm 4.9 in | 10.4 cm 4.1 in | 7.9 cm 3.1 in | 4.5 kg |

The dimension of 9030DA/DS is approximately double the single unit dimension of 9030.

CAD models of Sciencetech standard monochromators are available upon request. Please contact our application scientist team for more information.



B.1. Specifications - Single Monochromators

Table 3. 9030 Single Monochromators

| Model 9030 | UVVIS | VISNIR | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|
| Spectral Range (nm) ⁺ | 250-700nm | 500-2000nm | |
| Grating Selection | Refer to Table. 6 | Refer to Table. 6 | |
| Mirror Types | UV Enhanced Aluminum | Protected Aluminum | |
| Optical Resolution (nm) ⁺ | < 1 | < 1 | |
| Stray Light | 1.00E-03 | 1.00E-03 | |
| Dispersion*(nm/mm) | 8 | 8 | |

[†] Grating dependent; ‡ With readout counter (0.1nm); § Substrate size. Active area is 30 x 30 mm.

There are 5 grating choices (sold separately) covering from UV to near-IR.



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B.2. Specifications - Double Monochromators

For applications requiring better signal to noise, reduced stray light and better resolution than the standard model
a double additive model (9030DA) is available. For applications requiring a tunable bandpass light source the
double subtractive model (9030DS) is an ideal choice.

Table 4. 9030DA Monochromators

| Model 9030DA | UVVIS | VISNIR |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Spectral Range (nm) | 250-700nm | 500-2000nm |
| Grating Selection | Refer to Table. 6 | Refer to Table. 6 |
| Mirror Types | UV Enhanced Aluminum | Protected Aluminum |
| Optical Resolution (nm) | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| Stray Light | 1.00E-06 | 1.00E-06 |
| Dispersion [†] (nm/mm) | 4 | 4 |

[†] Grating dependent; [‡] With readout counter (0.1nm); [§] Substrate size. Active area is 30 x 30 mm.

Table 5. 9030DS Monochromators

| Model 9030DS | UVVIS | VISNIR |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| Spectral Range (nm) | 250-700nm | 500-2000nm |
| Grating Selection | Refer to Table. 6 | Refer to Table. 6 |
| Mirror Types | UV Enhanced Aluminum | Protected Aluminum |
| Optical Resolution (nm) | 1 nm bandpass | 1 nm bandpass |
| Stray Light | 1.00E-06 | 1.00E-06 |
| Dispersion [†] (nm/mm) | <4 | <4 |

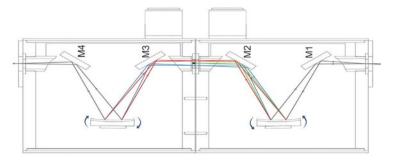
[†] Grating dependent; [‡] With readout counter (0.1nm); [§] Substrate size. Active area is 30 x 30 mm.



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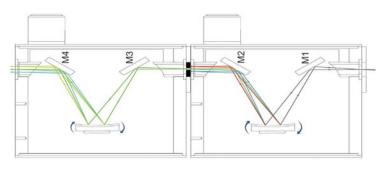
C.1. Double Subtractive (DS) Monochromator Configuration

The 9030DS (Double Subtractive) is made of 2 back-to-back 9030 monochromators in a subtractive mode: the dispersion of the second monochromator is in the opposite direction of that of the first one. The gratings are calibrated to rotate synchronously in opposite directions. Stray light is drastically reduced in a double monochromator, and in the 9030DS it is further minimized by the use of concave holographic gratings. This makes the 9030DS an ideal instrument for applications where stray light is a problem, such as in spectroradiometry, Raman or UV measurements of solar radiation. The 9030DS can act either as a tunable bandpass filter or a tunable notch filter. The Model 9030DS can also be used to pass or filter out several selected wavelengths by using a custom intermediate multislit mask instead of a single width intermediate slit.



C.2. Double Additive (DA) Monochromator Configuration

The 9030DA (Double Additive) is made of 2 back-to-back 9030 monochromators in an additive mode: the dispersion of the second monochromator adds to that of the first one. The gratings are calibrated to rotate synchronously in the same direction. The inbound light is dispersed by the first grating then passes through an intermediate slit where stray light is rejected and then spectrally dispersed again by the second grating. The double dispersion of 9030DA results in a better optical resolution compared to a single 9030 monochromator while the bandpass is half that of a single 9030. The diffraction gratings in the 9030DA are mechanically connected and calibrated for accurate wavelength tracking. The 9030DA can be motorized with the addition of a motor drive system.



Note: The 9030DS and 9030DA can be motorized with the addition of a motor drive system. Only the one motor and one drive system is required enabling control via user-friendly software provided by Sciencetech.



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1) Grating selection

There are three basic parameters to consider when choosing a grating for your monochromator.

Grating Efficiency

There are three basic parameters to consider when choosing ruled gratings may be blazed to increase their efficiency over a specific wavelength band. Holographic gratings can be modulated such that they are more efficient at some wavelengths than at others. Grating efficiency curves are the best tool for determining the most efficient grating available for your application. It is important to note that grating efficiency curves do not represent the exact efficiency that should be expected when the grating is used in a monochromator as grating efficiency curves are taken at Littrow angle. a grating for your monochromator.

Required Resolution and Bandwidth

Resolution is a measure of an instrument's ability to separate adjacent spectral lines. Resolution is generally given in nm. The bandwidth (or bandpass) is the wavelength range that falls on the output port at any one time and is also given in nm.

Table 6. Grating selection

| Grating Selection Guide for 9030 Series | | | | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Grating Model # | 635-0009 | 635-0038 | 635-0008 | 635-0022 | 635-0035 |
| Grating (I/mm) | 1200 | 1200 | 1200 | 600 | 800 |
| Blaze Wavelength | 250 | 350 | 450 | N/A | N/A |
| Dispersion (nm/mm) | 8 | 8 | 8 | 16 | 12 |
| Resolution (nm) | < 1 | < 1 | < 1 | < 2 | < 2 |
| Spectral Range (nm) | 200-600 | 325-700 | 400-1000 | 400-1600 | 300-1200 |
| | 9030-UVVIS | 9030-UVVIS | 9030-VISNIR | 9030-VISNIR | 9030-VISNIR |
| Compatible Mono- chromators | 9030DA-UVVIS | 9030DA-UVVIS | 9030DA-VISNIR | 9030DA-VISNIR | 9030DA-VISNIR |
| Ciromators | 9030DS-UVVIS | 9030DS-UVVIS | 9030DS-VISNIR | 9030DS-VISNIR | 9030DS-VISNIR |

2) Slit assembly options

Browse Grating on the Sciecncetech Website



Slits are included with the purchase of a 9030 or 9030 DA/DS system. Generally, input and output slits are chosen with the same slit width. The intermediate slit for a 9030DA or DS system may be different from the input and output slits. Notch filters are not included and are usually custom made depending on application. Sciencetech can manufacture custom slits. Please talk to a technical support representative about your custom requirements.



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There are three basic parameters to consider when choosing a grating for your monochromator.

| Fixed Slit Options | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------|--|--|
| Model | Slit Selection* | | |
| 9030 | Choose 2 slits | | |
| 9030DS / DA | Choose 3 slits | | |

Available slits for 9030 series



SF01-0.1MM 120-9033

Removable 100µm (0.1mm) Fixed Width Slit



SF025-0.25MM 120-9013

Removable 250µm (0.25mm) Fixed Width slit



SF05-0.5MM 120-9012

Removable 500µm (0.5mm) Fixed Width Slit



SF2-2MM 120-9010

Removable 2mm Fixed Width Slit



SF3-3MM 120-9034

Removable 3mm Fixed Width Slit



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9030 motorized control option and Software

Sciencetech 9030 series monochromators use a precision sine drive system to rotate the grating for wavelength selection. This sine drive maintains a linear correlation between wavelength selected and readout counter which is essential in a manual control system. With the optional motor drive, the precision sine drive system is maintained and the rotation is performed by a computer-controlled stepper motor.

Sci-Mono Software. A Windows based software module with a simple graphical user interface for controlling Sciencetech stepping monochromator wavelength selection. SciMono is provided free of charge with a Sciencetech motorized monochromator when SciSpec software has not been purchased.

Sci-Spec, Sciencetech's standalone data acquisition and monochromator control software is available at an additional cost. Sci-Spec automatically coordinates motorized wavelength scanning actions and data acquisition from a suitable detector mounted at the monochromator output port. Sci-Spec can also coordinate other hardware such as automatic filter wheel selection. For more information about Sci-Spec see the Sciencetech website.



COMPUTER CONTROL

120-9027

Motorization option with USB 2.0 interface

E. Custom Engineering Solutions & OEM

Sciencetech has built its reputation on custom solutions. Whether you need a small modification to an existing system or a completely novel design built from the ground up to meet your technical specifications, Sciencetech's engineering and optical design teams are ready to help.

OEM Division is ready to assist original equipment manufacturers with standard or custom monochromators to suit their equipment.

Browse Configuration Options on the Sciencetech Website

