

**FM01**

**LIGO-T990133-00-D**

**BLANK**

FM Ø 1

**LIGO DETECTOR OPTICS**  
**Incoming Inspection Check-off Sheet**  
**Core Optics Blank Material**

The purpose of this sheet is to verify material physical dimensions, perform visual inspection, and to facilitate material traceability of LIGO Detector optics. This sheet is to be included in the LIGO Quality Assurance traceability file. Complete a check-off sheet for each optic blank received and inspected.

LIGO Contract No.: PP 207573Glass Mfg./Order No.: Corning / QD 10624801

Core optic Material: (BSA FM ITM AETM RRM)

Glass Mfg. Part No.: F 855306 SN-FE Ø 1LIGO Drawing No.: D960794 - A - DManufacturer's Boule No.: 34639 ACT

Optical Glass Spec. MIL-G-174-B

Date Received at Caltech: 12-19-96

- Verify glass manufacturer's Certification against LIGO Component Specification No.. E960097-A-D  
Folding Mirror
- Attach a copy of the glass manufacturer's Certification to check-off sheet.
- Attach the glass manufacturer's optical phase maps supplied by vendor per above Component Specifications.
- Visually inspect for shipping container damage. If applicable, describe damage on attached sheet and notify the Cognizant Engineer. Date Notified: NA
- Visually inspect the blanks for damage, for chips on surfaces and edges, or for other defects. If applicable, describe damage/defects on attached sheet and notify Cognizant Engineer. Date Notified: \_\_\_\_\_
- Verify core optic blank physical dimensions per applicable LIGO drawing.
- Inspection of material diameter. Diameter 10.112" 25.684<sup>cm</sup> ~~102~~ 256.84mm
- Inspection of material thickness. Thickness 4.294" 109.07mm
- Inspection of chamfer. NA
- Verify that the Registration Mark is present as required by LIGO Component Specification.
- Verify receipt of 25mm X 25mm cylinder Witness Sample(s) required by the LIGO Component Specification and visually inspect for damage. If applicable, describe damage on attached sheet and notify the Cognizant Engineer. Date Notified: NA
- Sign and date original packing slip (shipper) and distribute per paragraph 3.P.

Inspect By:  Date Inspected: 12-19-96

Reviewed and/or accepted by:

Cognizant Engineer:  Date: 2-25-96<sup>97/98</sup>

LIGO QA Officer or Designee: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**COMMENTS/DISCREPANCIES:** (Disposition damage/discrepancies per LIGO Quality Assurance Plan (LIGO M960076-00-P) paragraphs 5.12 and 5.12.1.) \_\_\_\_\_

Physical dimensions are accurate to .001 in. Measurements are converted to mm using a factor of  $25.4^{05} \text{ mm} = 1.0 \text{ inch}$ .

**SKETCHES:**

**DISPOSITIONS:** \_\_\_\_\_

CORNING INCORPORATED  
**CORNING**  
CORNING, NEW YORK

**SHIPPING ORDER**

PACKING LIST

UST. ORD. NO. & DATE [00000000] 09/20/96

CNG ORD. NO. [00000000]

SOLD TO CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
ATTN: MR. LOWELL JONES  
PASADENA, CALIF. 91125

13717  
09 006 00

SAME AS "SOLD TO" UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

SHIP TO CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
ATTN: MR. LOWELL JONES  
PASADENA, CALIF. 91125

13717  
09 006 00

SALES CODE [ ] DISCOUNT FACTOR [ ]

DESIRED SHIP DATE [ ]

SHIPPED F.O.B. [ ] DATE ENTERED [09/20/96]

WE EXPECT TO SHIP [11/20/96]

DATE SHIPPED		INVOICE NUMBER	
DATE SHIPPED			
ROUTING <u>52637</u>			
CARRIER <u>UPS Fed</u>			
CAR INITIAL AND NUMBER			
THIS SHIPMENT		PREPAID	COLLECT
PARTIAL	COMPLETE	X	
DATE ISSUED <u>12/18/96</u>		DATE TO SHIP <u>12/18/96</u>	

WHSE. LOC. - PRODUCT CODE	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	
		UNITS	CASES
	<p>1. S.C.A. 10" X 10" X 1/4" + 20% TOL. OF ANY TOLERANCES + 0.001" HOLES BOTH DIMS FOLDING MIRROR, END TEST MARKS CLEAR APERTURE + 0.002" PRICE INCLUDES 12 WITNESS SAMPLES</p> <p>2. S.C.A. 10" X 10" X 1/4" CYLINDRICAL WITNESS SAMPLES FROM REAR POSITION OF BOWLE + 0.001" X 0.001" HOLES WITHIN SAMPLES SHALL BE SERIALIZED AS TEXT WHERE BY INCREMENTS STARTING AT 01</p> <p>3. S.C.A. 10" X 10" X 1/4" CYLINDRICAL WITNESS SAMPLES FROM REAR POSITION OF BOWLE + 0.001" X 0.001" HOLES WITHIN SAMPLES SHALL BE SERIALIZED AS TEXT WHERE BY INCREMENTS STARTING AT 01</p>	3	1
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12-19-96  
 Rec'd 3 cartons in good Condition. Partial  
*Steven Gibson*  
 FE 01

ROUTING

# DATA SHEET - CAL TECH LIGO MIRROR BLANKS

Cal Tech Purchase Order Number:

PP 307573

Cal Tech Drawing Number:

D 960794

Attribute	Specification #	Requirement	Actual	Stamp	
Diameter	Per LIGO - D960794-A-D	10.079", -0.0"/+0.4"	10.111   10.111		QA
Thickness	Per LIGO - D960794-A-D	4.252", -0.01/+0.4"	4.288 4.288 4.288 4.288		QA
Registration Mark	Per LIGO - D960794	TOP CENTER OF OPTIC	See Attached Cert.		M
Serial & Boule #	Per LIGO-D960794	Boule & Serial NO.	34639ACT-FE01		M
Material	Fused Silica 7980		See Attached Cert.		M
Witness Sample Map			See Attached Map		M
Defects		< 0.5 mm	See Attached Map		QA
Inclusions		< 0.1 mm; < 0.03 mm <sup>2</sup> /100cm <sup>2</sup> ; < 0.06 mm disregard	See Attached Map		QA
Homogeneity - central		P.TOV. < 1 x 10E-6	1.26E x 10 <sup>-7</sup> PV-0.027		M
Homogeneity - outside		P.TOV. < 2.5 x 10E-6	7.29E x 10 <sup>-7</sup> PV-0.156		M
Interferograms		To be provided	Attached		M
Birefringence	MIL G-174 Section 4.4.5	< 1nm/cm (central 3.150") < 5 nm/cm (central 7.874")	See Attached Cert.		QA
Striae	MIL G-174 Section 4.4.6, Method 1 or 2	Grade <u>A</u>	Inspection Report		M
Absorption		< 20 ppm / cm @ λ = 1.06 μm	SEE ATTACHED CERT.		M

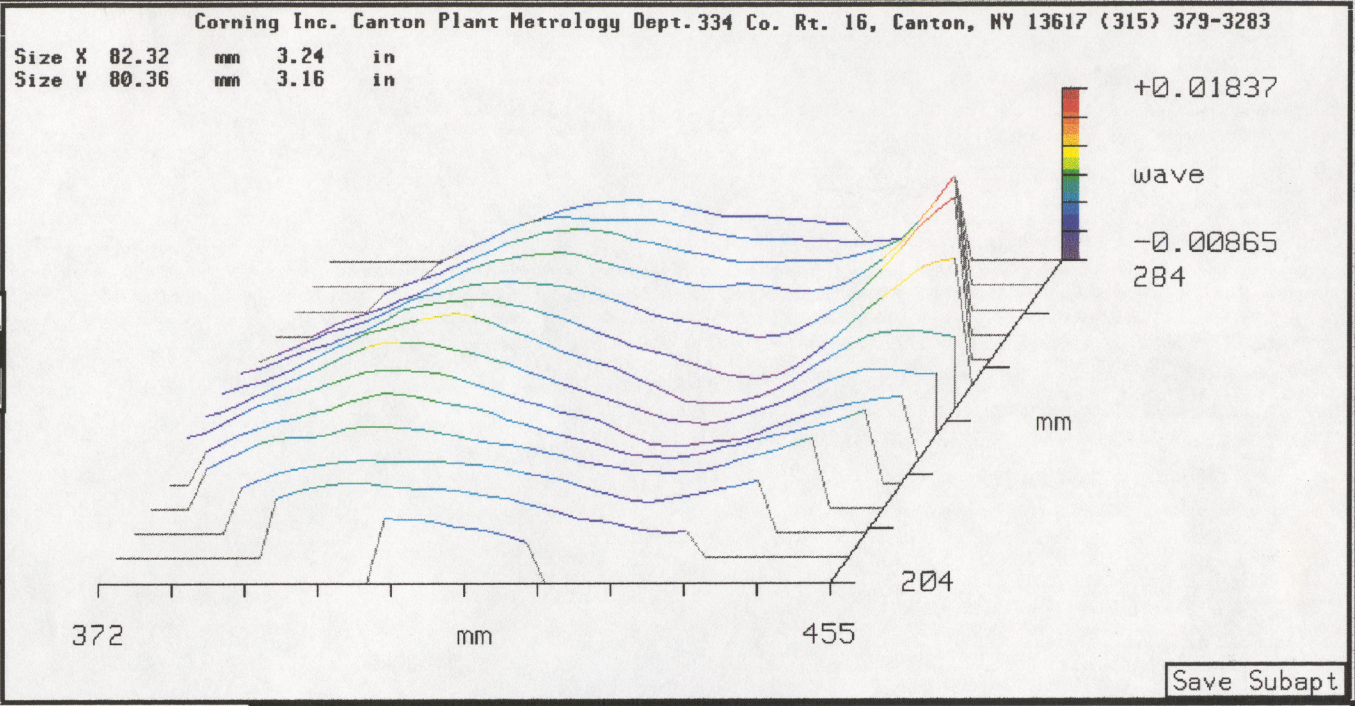
Comments:

Inspected by:

Gail Andrews

Date: 12-17-96

Lg Aperture  
 PV 0.027 wave  
 rms 0.004 wave  
 Power 0.012 wave  
 Homogeneity 1.26E-07  
 Points 1358  
 AstMag (Z) 0.006 wave



zygo Spike  
 Remove Spikes: Off (xRMS): 3.00  
 Data Fill: Off Data Fill Max: 25

Removed:  
 PST TLT PWR  
 PST TLT PWR AST CMA SA3

Zern Terms: 36

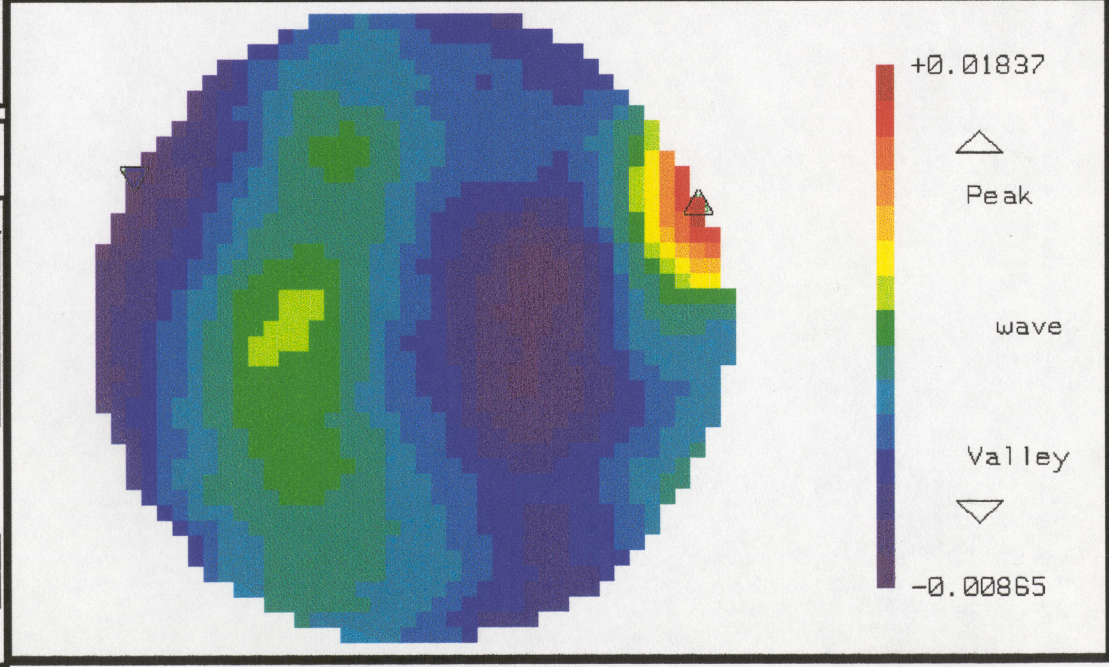
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0.000	0.003	0.008	0.000	-0.001					
0.004	0.001	0.002	0.001	-0.003	0.000	0.000			
0.000	0.002	-0.001	0.001	-0.001	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.000	
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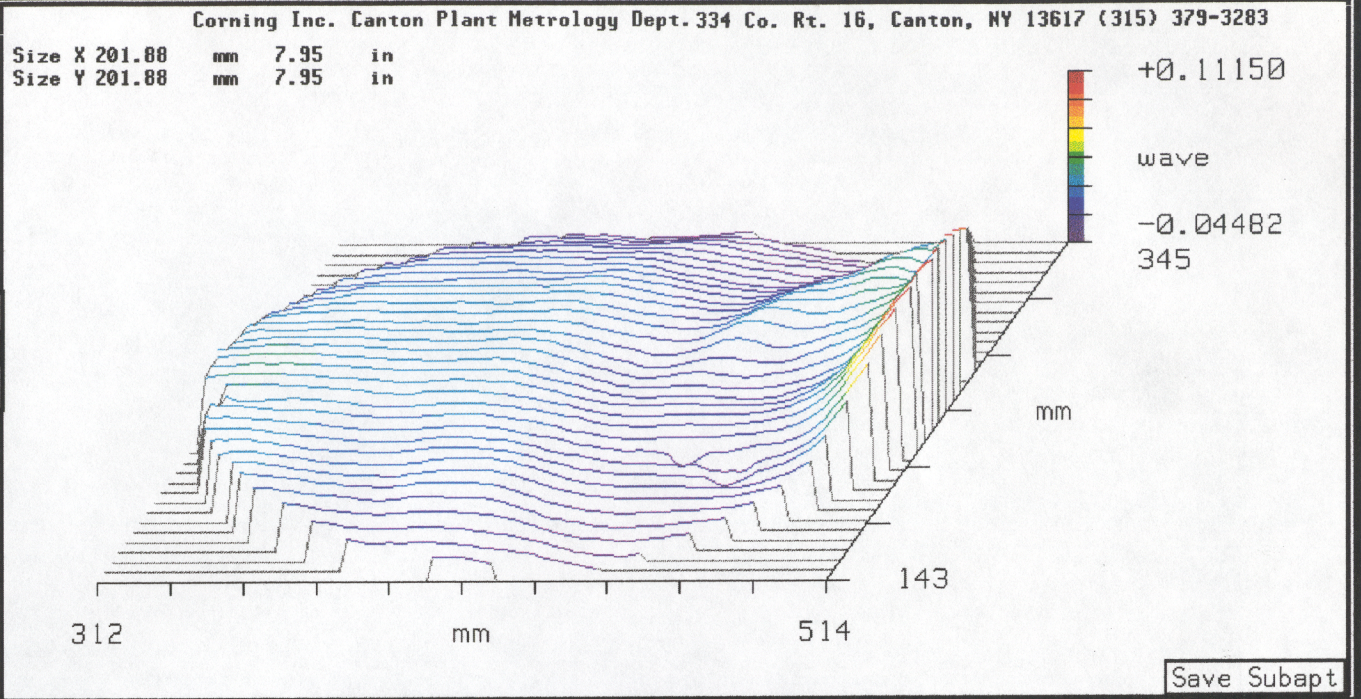
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 Analyze Calibrate Load Data

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 Sys Err File: r111596.802 Phase Res: High  
 Part Thickness: 5.34 in Scale: 0.500  
 Boule #: 34639 AGC: Off  
 Suffix: SNC ACT Light Level: 110

38" BOULE Comment: SAL-FBO1  
 Data File: 34639sn2.sbt Phase Avgs: 6  
 Camera Res: 1.9600 mm Intens Avgs: 6  
 Time: Tue Nov 19 23:38:37 1996



Lg Aperture  
 PV 0.156 wave  
 rms 0.021 wave  
 Power 0.062 wave  
 Homogeneity 7.29E-07  
 Points 8248  
 AstMag (Z) 0.076 wave



zygo Spike  
 Remove Spikes: Off (xRMS): 3.00  
 Data Fill: Off Data Fill Max: 25

Removed:  
 PST TLT PWR  
 PST TLT PWR AST CMA SA3  
 Zern Terms: 36

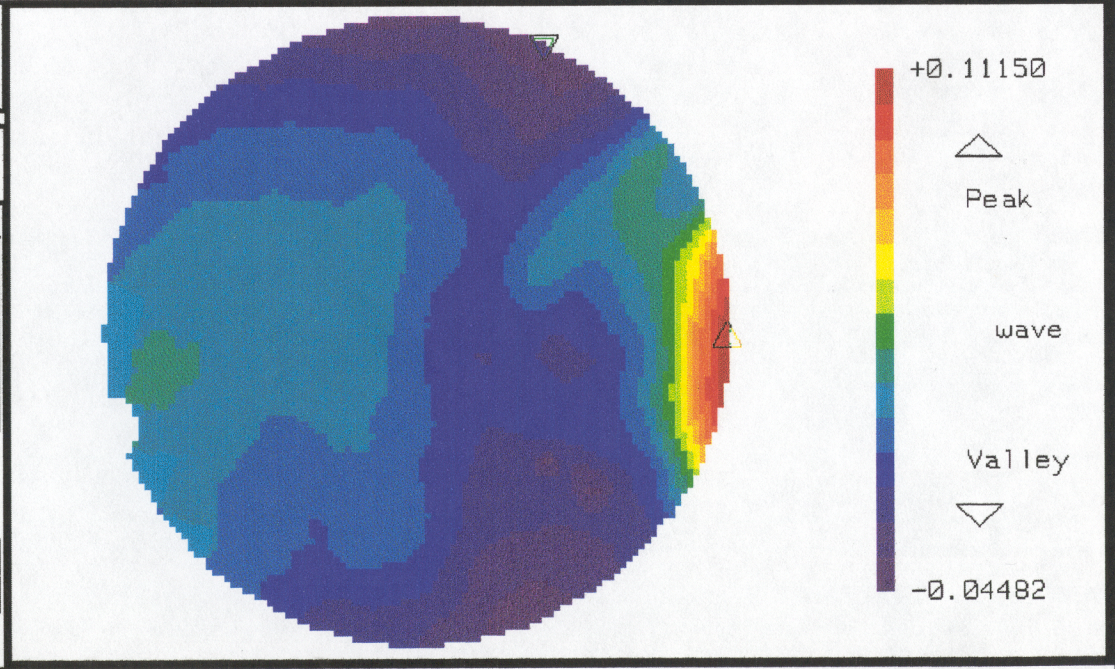
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 Order: 10th Terms: 36 rms: 0.004

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0.037	0.007	0.020	-0.006	0.002					
0.023	0.002	0.012	-0.003	0.000	0.000	0.001			
0.014	0.000	0.003	-0.008	-0.002	0.000	0.002	-0.001	-0.001	
0.005	-0.004	0.000	-0.005	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	-0.004	

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FAX COVER PAGE

CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

LIGO Project, 51-33 East Bridge Laboratory, Pasadena, California 91125  
818-395-2129, Fax 818-304-9834

TO:	Brian Bush, cc:Randy VanBrocklin
ORGANIZATION:	Corning Inc.
FAX NUMBER:	(315) 379-3317
VOICE NUMBER:	(315)379-3381
DATE:	December 9, 1996

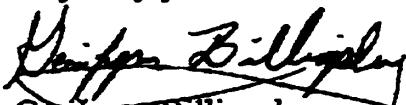
FROM:	GariLynn Billingsley
ORGANIZATION:	LIGO detector group
FAX NUMBER:	818 304-9834
VOICE NUMBER:	818 395-2184
REFER TO:	LIGO-C962562-00-D
SUBJECT:	Discrepant Material

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Randy

I have discussed the problem of the witness samples with our management and QA. Due to schedule pressures we are willing to accept an initial shipment of two Blanks per LIGO specification E960097-A-D without the location and orientation of the witness samples and blanks with respect to the boule. We would like to note that this is a one time discrepancy and all other shipments will be expected to conform with the specification.

very truly yours,

  
GariLynn Billingsley

cc:

DCC, Whitcomb, Petrac, Camp, Tyler

FE 01

Laser Interferometer Gravitational Wave Observatory

**CORNING**

334 County Route 16  
Canton, New York 13617-9703

Canton Plant . . .



...WHERE QUALITY MIRRORS PRIDE

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE**

Customer: <u>California Institute of Technology</u>	Item: <u>001</u>
Customer Order No.: <u>PP207573</u>	Glass: <u>7980 Grade 0A</u>
Corning Order No.: <u>QD106248</u>	Quantity Shipped: <u>3</u>
Code No.: <u>855306</u>	Date Shipped: <u>12/18/96</u>

Registration Mark for & Serial # per LIGO  
 Drawing # D960794-A-D  
 Birefringence  $\leq 1$  nm/cm central 80 mm  
 $\leq 5$  nm/cm central 200 mm  
 Striae per MIL-G-174 Section 4.46 method 1 or 2.

This is to certify that the above material shipped against your order is in conformance with all applicable requirements, specifications, and drawings, except parts approved for shipment in Deviation report.



FE Ø1  
 FE Ø2  
 FE Ø3

Signed: *Brian C. Bush*  
 Brian C. Bush

Title: Quality Assurance Section Leader

Date: 12/18/96

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pertains to serial numbers  
FE01 - FE09 - JB

Canton Plant  
334 County Rt 16  
Canton, New York 13617

# Corning Incorporated

February 17, 1997

California Institute of Technology  
LIGO Project  
51-33 East Bridge Laboratory  
Pasadena, CA 91125

Dear Ms. GariLynn Billingsley:

This letter is in response to concerns indicated in your reference to: Review of Data Packages for first 9 Pieces.

- 1) Diameter and thickness to reference drawing # D960794-A-D.  
QA Inspectors are aware of this requirement. Change will be made on shipment of next parts.
- 2) Registration Mark and Serial number should reference specification E960097-A-D.  
QA Inspectors are aware of this requirement. Change will be made on shipment of next parts.
- 3) Blanks FE04, FE05, FE06 & FE08 had no arrow to point to side 1, but commenced at a surface where there was a reasonable amount of writing.  
Your assumption is correct. The surface with the reasonable amount of writing is side 1.
- 4) Specification for arrow and registration mark will be followed on shipment of next parts.
- 5) Any exceptions to specifications will be noted on data pack in future. QA Inspectors are aware of this requirement.
- 6) Birefringence readings are indicated on the defect and inclusion maps. This map serves both purposes.
- 7) Absorption reading not necessary for part # E970097-A-D. This column on Data Package will be marked N/A for balance of these parts.
- 8) The Certification of Compliance applies to all pieces shipped with order. This will be noted on the C of C in the future.
- 9) Serial Numbers will be included on the shipper.
- 10) Specification revision number referenced on Data Pack.  
QA Inspectors aware of requirement. Will be done on next shipment of parts.

cc:  
Petra  
Camp  
Elison  
Tyler

.....

- 11) Data Disk not sent with pieces of glass.  
Missing information will be forwarded. QA Inspectors will double check contents of Data Packs.
- 12) Deviation Approval Form sent with initial material shipment.  
Approval of first 3 pieces analyzed via Standard Boule Testing. All other parts analyzed separately.

Other:

Standard Boule Testing could be acceptable to the LIGO project given confirmation by Corning Metrology that the interferometer used for SBT is the same used to test individual pieces, and that there is no change in magnification.

This response from Mr. Andy Fanning, Corning, Canton, Metrology Dept.

"The standard process Corning-Canton uses in metrology is compliant with the CIT/LIGO fax to Randy VanBrocklin, dated January 31<sup>st</sup>, 1997. The interferometer and magnification will be the same regardless if the part is shot at it's final dimension or in boule form".

If additional clarification is required on this subject, please let me know.


Hopefully this document addresses the current issues between CalTech -LIGO project and Corning-Canton. If there are any additional issues that need to be addressed by Corning, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your patience in this matter.

Sincerely,

Randy VanBrocklin  
Applications Engineer

Tel: 315-379-3381  
Fax: 315-379-3317



Corning

# CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

LIGO Project, 51-33 East Bridge Laboratory, Pasadena, California 91125  
818-395-2129, Fax 818-304-9834

Date: January 31, 1997

Refer to: LIGO-C970148-00-D

Corning Incorporated  
Canton Plant  
334 Country Route 16  
Canton, New York 13617  
Attention: Randy VanBrocklin, Brian Bush

Subject: Review of Data Packages for first 9 pieces

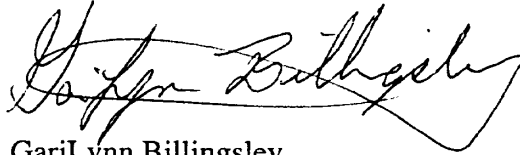
Some clarification of preferences and some discrepancies came to light during examination of the data packages for the first 9 blanks delivered to LIGO. While none of these compromise the integrity of the blanks, they can make for a confusing or misleading data package. Please let us know how you expect to address these issues for subsequent glass deliveries.

1. Data sheet; Diameter and Thickness should reference the drawing D960794-A-D
2. Data sheet; Registration Mark and Serial number should reference the Specification E960097-A-D
3. Blanks FE04, FE05, FE06 and FE08 had a registration mark which was between 12-15 mm in length and had no arrow to point to side 1, but commenced at the surface on which there was a reasonable amount of writing. We have presumed this to be side 1 but would appreciate a confirmation that this is indeed the case
4. Also, on these blanks the serial number is written immediately adjacent to the registration mark and is parallel to the (presumed) side 1, rather than as shown in the drawing. This is not a problem for us as the serial number is clear, but strictly speaking it is not in compliance with the specification.
5. We have a data package that arrived with no witness sample map, yet this item was stamped off on the data sheet, with no note of exception. An exception had been granted for this part, that exception was included in the data package. Please note the presence of an exception on the data sheet.
6. All data packages have arrived without defect or inclusion maps yet the box next to "see attached map" was stamped. How should LIGO interpret the stamp column? Please provide defect and inclusion maps.
7. Data packages arrived with the "Actual" column for Absorption reading "see attached cert", yet there was no attached certification, nor was one required for this part. There was a stamp.
8. The Certification of Compliance does not reference serial number(s) are we to assume that it applies to all pieces in the shipment?
9. Would you please include serial numbers on the shipper?

10. Would you please reference the Specification Revision number on the data sheet?
11. A data disk is required with the package, yet one piece has arrived without it. Should there be a checkoff sheet for each piece of glass stating the contents of the data package?
12. A Deviation Approval form accompanied the shipment of FE01 approving standard boule testing for 11 pieces. The form does not indicate which pieces are affected. LIGO has no record of approving this deviation. Please confirm all future Deviation Approvals in writing.

NOTE: Standard Boule Testing could be acceptable to the LIGO project given confirmation by Corning Metrology of the following information. The Interferometer used for SBT is the same interferometer which is used for single piece testing and there is no change in interferometer magnification between SBT and single piece homogeneity measurements. Deviation approval for SBT will be considered by LIGO following this clarification.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "GariLynn Billingsley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

GariLynn Billingsley  
Technical Representative

# DEVIATION APPROVAL FORM

Customer Name: California Inst. TECHNOLOGY

Customer P.O. Number: PP 207573

Corning Order Number: QD106 94801

Corning Part Number: F 855306

Drawing Number: E960097-A-D - LIGD - D960794

Boule Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity Affected: 11 (FE 01 Thru FE 11)

Deviation Description: SBT PICs to be used in lieu of individual pics of each piece  
(attach backup information as deemed necessary)

Gari Lynn Billingsley  
Customer Contact (print)

*Handwritten initials and date*  
2-24-97

Randy Beard  
Authorizing Signature

12/12/96  
Date

Send copy with shipment?  Y  N  
(circle Yes or No)

### Billing Status

- Bill Now
- Bill in 30 Days
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Deviation Number:
_____ - _____
<small>(sequential number) (year)</small>

FE 01

cc: Shipping Clerk  
Customer Service

**MIRROR**





**Research Electro-Optics Inc.**

# **CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMANCE**

*Section 3.14/REO QC Manual, Q-001, Doc. No. V:QA:REO 014, Rev. "B", 09/13/96*

**Certificate of Conformance from: Research Electro-Optics (REO) Inc.**  
1855 South 57th. Court  
Boulder, Colorado 80301  
(303) 938-1960, Fax (303) 447-3279

**Research Electro-Optics (REO), Inc.** hereby certifies that the items listed below have been inspected and tested to the extent necessary to conform with all the requirements of the noted Purchase Order, drawing, and applicable specification(s). Inspection and test data are on file at our facility and will be furnished to customer upon request.

- Date of shipment : JUNE 3, 1998
- Customer Name, Purchase Order No. : LIGO PO# PC162519/CONO5
- Customer Part Number & Revision : LIGOE980065
- Part Description : FM01,FM02; HR@1064NM
- REO Job No. : OPT05831-20 Run No.: OX744, OX748
- Qty. Shipped/Lot No. : 2 PCS

**Test data (included)**

**Comment:**

Certified by:

[Signature], 6.13.98  
Quality Assurance

Verified by:

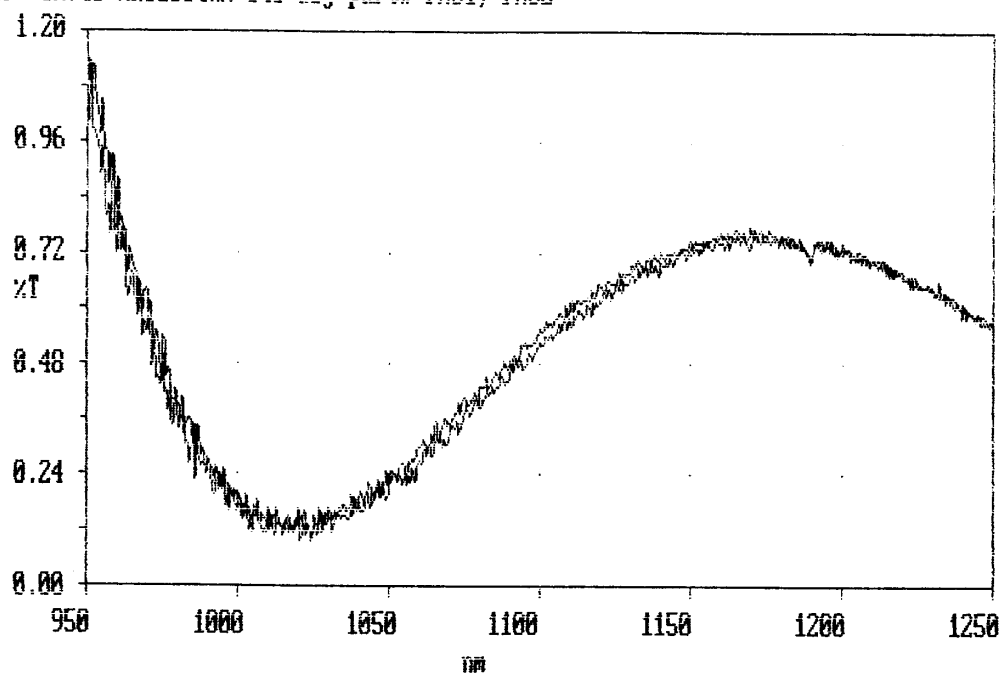
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Engr/Tech

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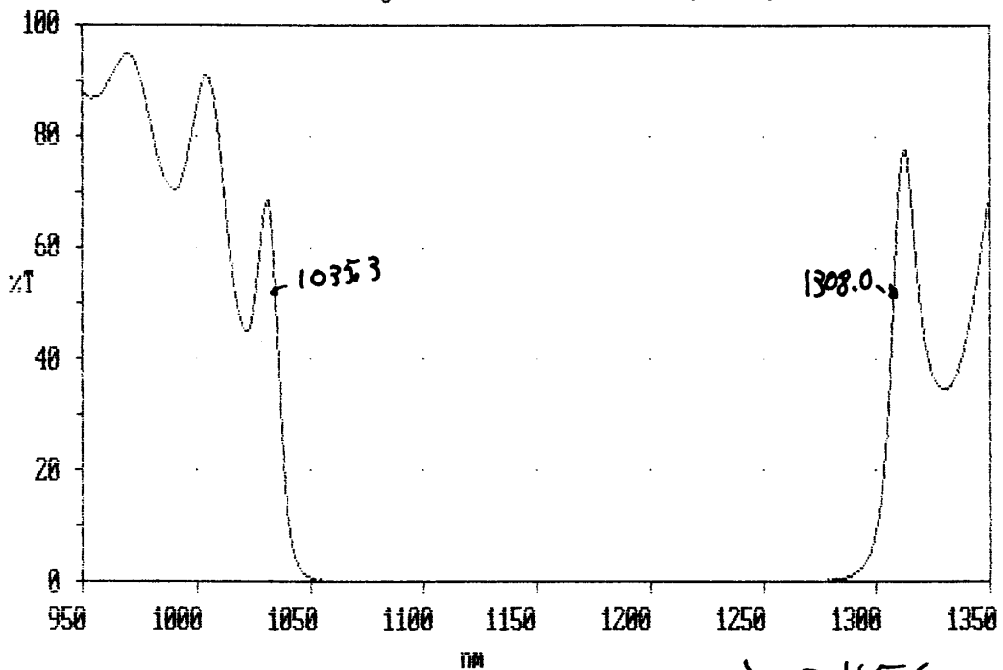
**Certificate must accompany the package to be shipped or attached to the outside of the same box to which the "Packing Slip" envelope is attached.**

Y: user002; 1250.0 - 950.0 nm; pts 601; int 0.50; ord 0.1020 - 1.1515 %T

Inf: ox740 AR01064nm @45 deg part# FM01, FM02

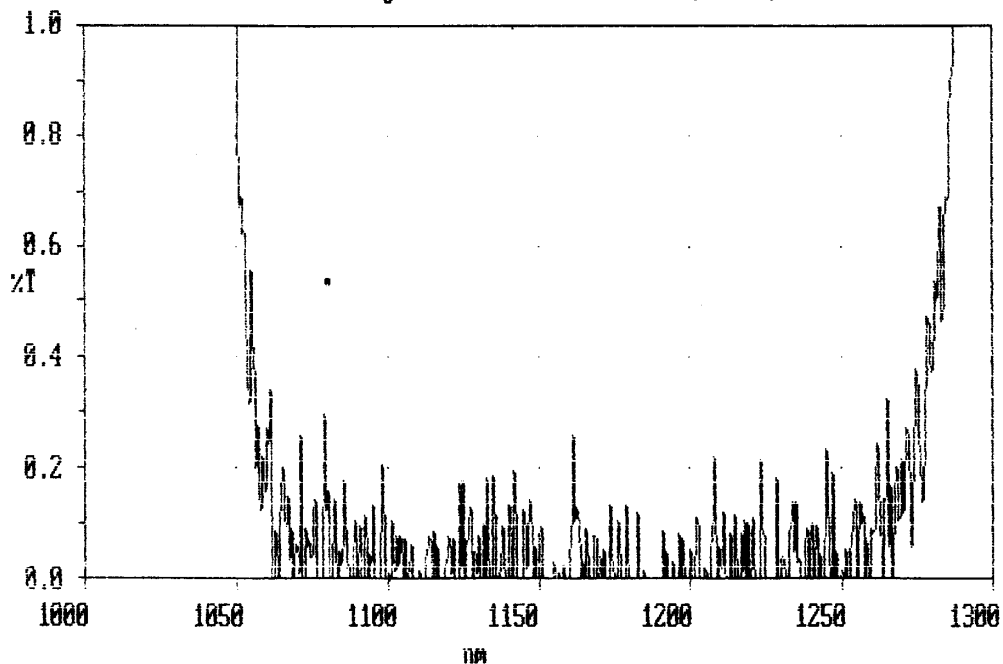


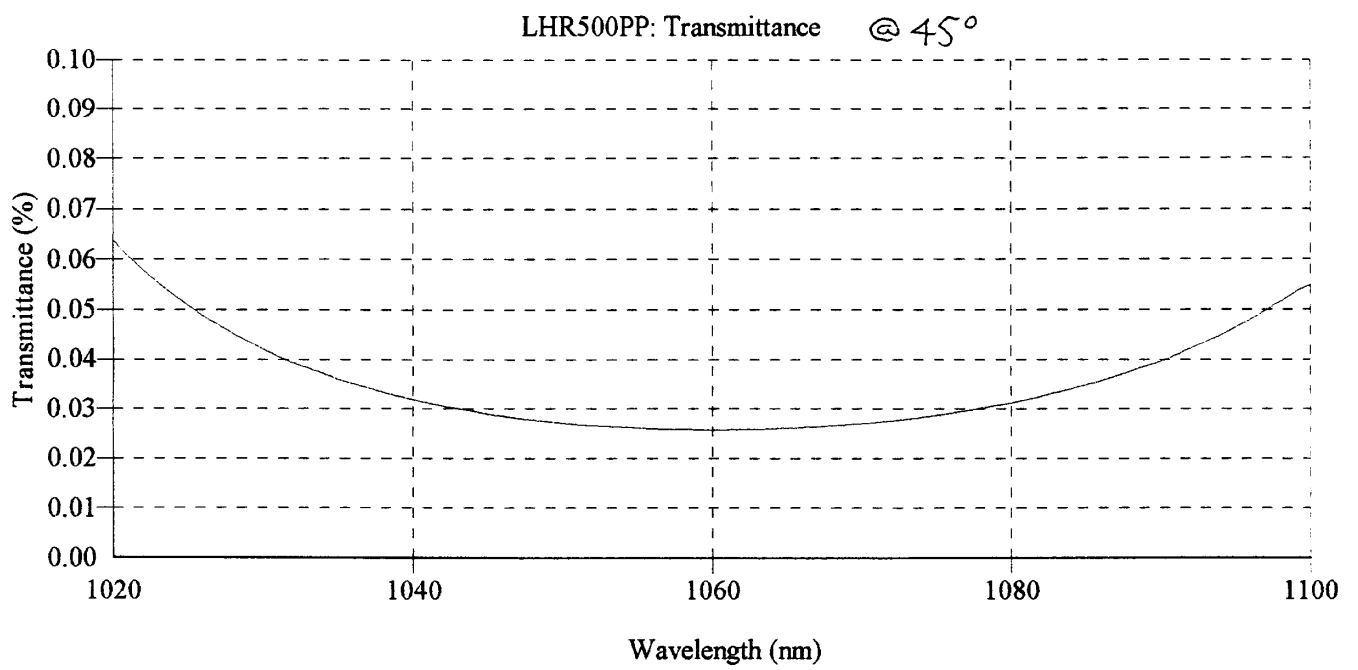
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Inf: #OX744, HR @ 1064nm @ 45 deg. normal incidence scan, FM01, FM02. Baked



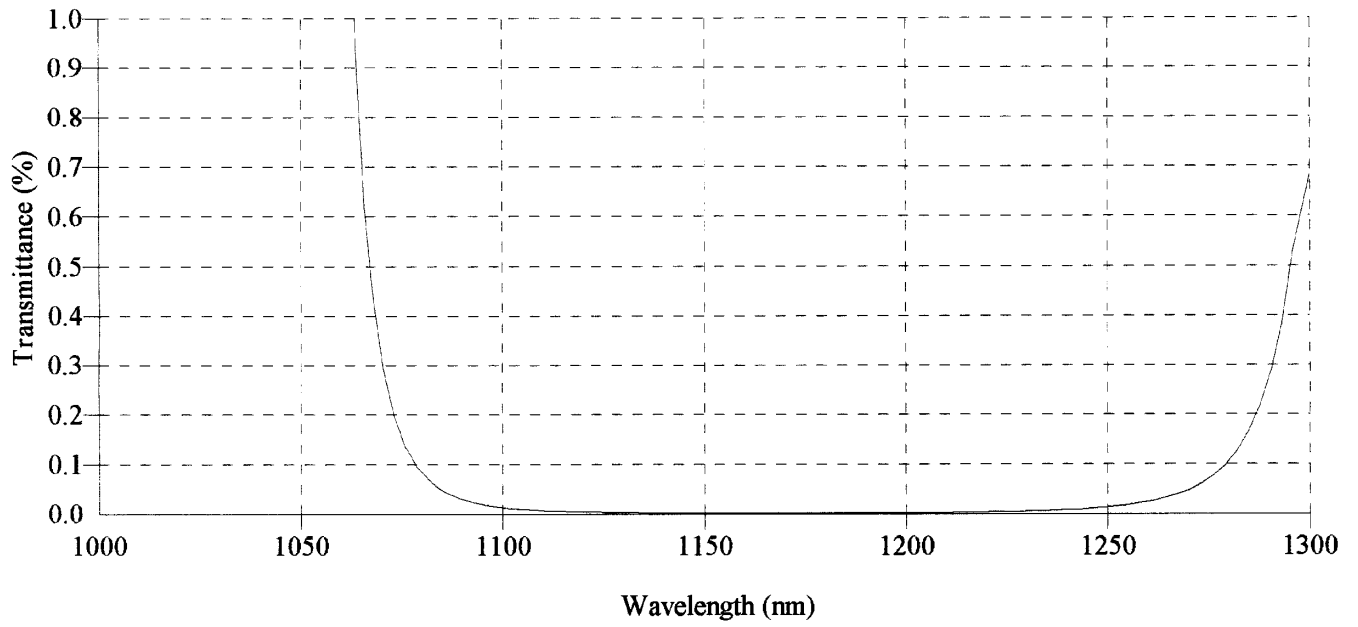
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X: user002; 1350.0 - 950.0 nm; pts 801; int 0.50; ord -0.385 - 95.000 %T  
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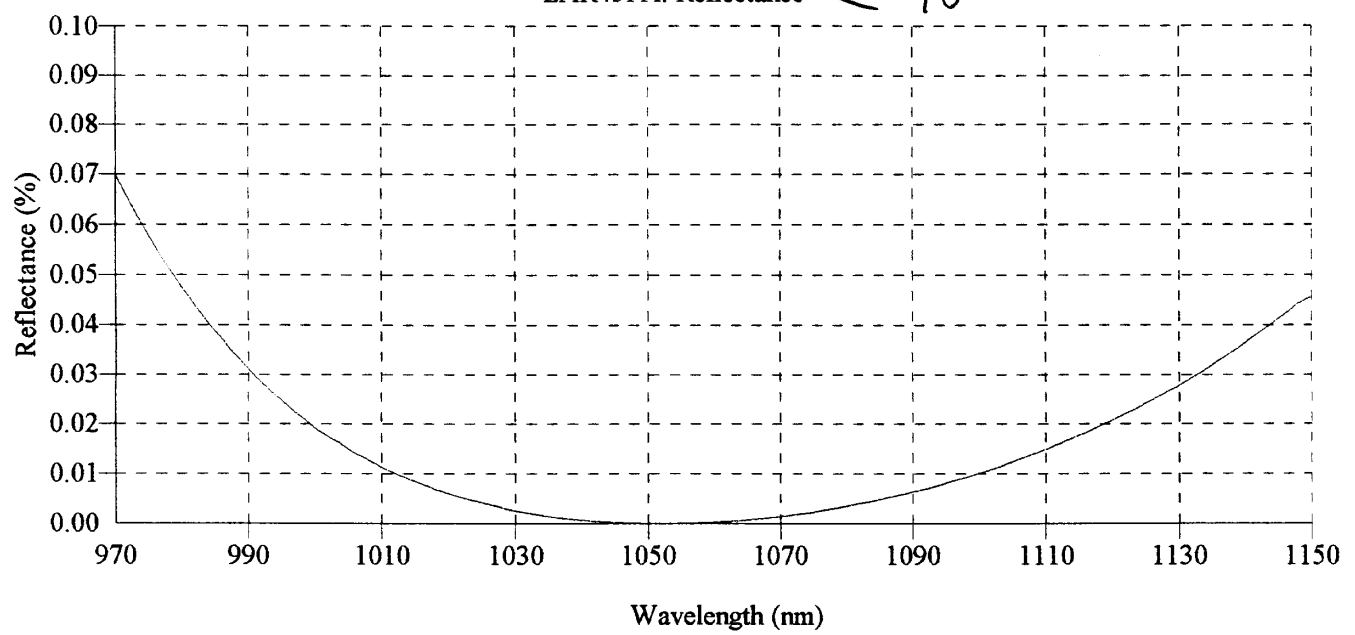




LHR500PP: Transmittance Normal Incidence

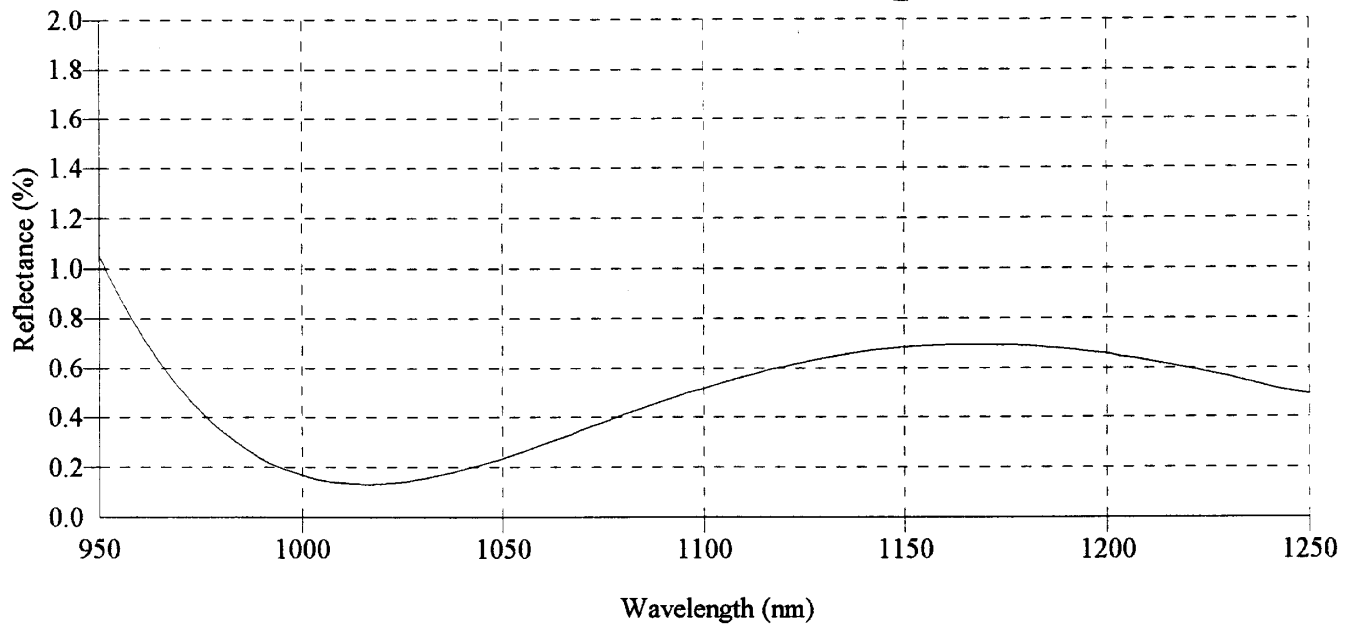


LAR45PA: Reflectance @ 45°



LAR45PA: Reflectance

@ Normal Incidence





# Research Electro-Optics, Inc.

PAGE NO: 1  
 INVOICE NO: 000000  
 INVOICE DATE: 06/29/1998

## INVOICE

CUSTOMER NO: 28100  
 CUSTOMER UNIT: 281-295-6281  
 BILL TO:

YOUR ORDER NO: PC162519/LIG003  
 OUR ORDER NO: OPT05031-0003  
 SHIP TO:

CALIFORNIA INST. OF TECHNOLOGY  
 51-33 EAST BRIDGE LAB, LIG0  
 PASADENA, CA 91125

CALIFORNIA INST. OF TECHNOLOGY  
 51-33 EAST BRIDGE LAB, LIG0  
 ATTN: HELENA ARMANDO, 19-34  
 PASADENA, CA 91125

TERMS: CASH #1:	DISC:	SHIPPED: 05/29/1998
CASH #2:	DISC:	SHIP VIA: FED-EX P1
NET DUE DATE: 062898		F.O.B.: FACTORY
YOUR CUSTOMER REP IS: JN		SHIPMENT NO: 005105 REF:
		PRO NO:

QTY ORDERED	QTY SHIPPED	QTY B.O.	ITEM NUMBER	UNIT PRICE	EXTD PRICE
THIS ORDER IS A CHANGE ORDER TO REF TO PER QUOTES OPQ-2403 & OPQ-2404					
REFERENCE: CALTECH LIG0-C98-000/LIG0-C98095 LIG0-C950494-01-1					
Technical Contact: Helena Armada Tel: 626-395-2070 Mail Code 18-34					
Contractual Representative: Irena Petrac Tel: 626-395-2975 Mail Code 18-34					
Items #001 thru #014 is per PO# PC162519 C					
Items #015 thru #039 is per PO# PC162519 C					
Per REQ quote #OPQ-2537. No Item #027 on the acknowledgment.					
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