THz time-domain spectrometer

with software for measurement and data analysis

for transmission measurements up to 3 THz

for use with femtosecond fiber laser systems optional with housing for nitrogen purging



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THz time domain spectrometer for transmission measurements using a fs fiber laser source

Spectrometer description:

- fiber coupled THz emitter and detector photoconductive antennas with one collimating and one focusing aspheric THz lens
- optical delay line for a time delay of 500 ps (<5 GHz resolution)
- Laptop with software T3DS, complete electronics with pulse generator, amplifier and lock-in detector. The software allows measurement of the THz pulse and calculates in-situ the THz spectrum. It includes the calibration procedures for 100 % transmittance and the calculation of the spectral transmittance and absorbance of a sample.
- Instruction manual for the THz spectrometer and test report

Main spectrometer data:

•	Supply voltage	115 230 V
•	dynamic range	> 60 dB
•	useful spectral region	0.05 to 3 THz
•	scan range	500 ps (< 3 GHz resolution)
•	THz beam diameter	12 mm
•	Fast scan duration	0.5 s
•	Slow scan duration	8 min

Laser requirements:

- wavelength of ~ 1 μm or ~ 1.55 μm
- pulse duration of < 120 fs
- repetition rate ~ 100 MHz
- mean optical power of > 60 mW

Optional: spectrometer housing with closed sample box for nitrogen gas purging



setup with two fiber coupled antennas with collimating aspheric silicon substrat lenses, THz beam \varnothing 12 mm



THz-spectrum:

Emitter: parallel line antenna PCA 40-05-10-1060 / Detector: butterfly antenna PCA 44-06-10-1030 / laser: 1064nm, 120 fs, 100 mW