

25/250 Precision Matched Active LMA Double Clad Fibers

Nufern's matched series of Large Mode Area (LMA) double clad fibers are ideal for high power monolithic fiber lasers and amplifiers. Featuring a matching set of LMA fibers, this series of fibers ensure splice compatibility across the entire chain of 25/250 fiber components required to make monolithic fiber lasers. This matched fiber series is based on a 25 micron diameter core and 250 micron diameter clad size with a low NA (0.065) core and consists of Yb-doped fiber and passive beam delivery fibers all made to highest tolerances in the industry. All fibers utilize the latest glass composition and NuCOAT coating technology to ensure high slope efficiency, extended operating life and excellent beam quality at the high power levels demanded by today's industrial fiber laser applications. These precision matched LMA fiber sets are available in non-PM (LMA) and PM (PLMA) versions.

| Typical Applications | Features & Benefits |
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| High peak power amplifiers | Matched fiber series – Ensures splice compatibility across the 25/250 matched series of fibers |
| • LIDAR | • NuCOAT™ fluoroacrylate coating — Greater fiber durability in extreme environmental operating & storage conditions |
| Material processing | State of the art Yb-doped glass — Useful for generating high CW powers |

- Non-linear optics / frequency doubling
- PANDA-style stress structure for increased birefringence Superior optical performance and uniformity
- All fiber proof tested to > 100 kpsi Critical for ensuring long term reliability when coiling

| Optical Specifications | PLMA-YDF-25/250-M | LMA-YDF-25/250-M | |
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| Operating Wavelength (nominal) | 1060 nm | 1060 nm | |
| Core NA | 0.065 ± 0.005 | 0.065 ± 0.005 | |
| First Cladding NA (5%) | ≥ 0.46 | ≥ 0.46 | |
| Core Attenuation | ≤ 45.0 dB/km @ 1300 nm | ≤ 45.0 dB/km @ 1300 nm | |
| | ≤ 30.0 dB/km @ 1200 nm | ≤ 30.0 dB/km @ 1200 nm | |
| Cladding Attenuation | ≤ 15.0 dB/km @ 1095 nm | ≤ 15.0 dB/km @ 1095 nm | |
| Cladding Absorption | 1.75 ± 0.15 dB/m at 915 nm | 1.60 ± 0.15 dB/m at 915 nm | |
| | 5.25 dB/m near 975 nm | 4.80 dB/m near 975 nm | |
| Birefringence | nominal 2 × 10-4 | N/A | |
| Geometrical & Mechanical Specifications | | | |
| Cladding Diameter | 255.0 ± 5.0 μm | N/A | |
| Cladding Diameter (flat-to-flat) | N/A | 250.0 ± 5.0 μm | |
| Core Diameter | 25.0 ± 1.5 μm | 25.0 ± 1.5 μm | |
| Coating Diameter | 395.0 ± 15.0 μm | 395.0 ± 15.0 μm | |
| Core/Clad Offset | ≤ 2.00 µm | ≤ 2.00 µm | |
| Prooftest Level | ≥ 100 kpsi (0.7 GN/m²) | ≥ 100 kpsi (0.7 GN/m²) | |
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Coating Requirements: Low index polymer coating. The precision matched passive fibers are also available- see PLMA-GDF-25/250-M and LMA-GDF-25/250-M

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products are manufactured under an ISO 9001:2008 certified quality management system.
Standard specifications and design parameters are listed above. Specifications are subject to change without notice. Other configurations such as alternative form factors, optimized cut-off and UV cured color coating may be available. Let us know how Nufern can assist with your requirements.