# UV-2000S ULTRAVIOLET TRANSMITTANCE ANALYZER

## Achieve instantaneous UVA/UVB protection factor values of sunscreen samples



#### **FEATURES:**

One touch sample analysis, with results in less than five seconds

Manual stage for accurate sample positioning and pre and post irradiation

New Wavelength standard that captures six relevant spectral bands

Easy-to-use menu driven application software

Simple instrument performance validation routine ensures accurate, repeatable measurements

Automatic calculation of SPF, UVA to UVB ratio, critical wavelength, COLIPA Method, Revised Boots Star Rating (pending), and the new FDA testing method

#### ADVANCED

Labsphere's UV-2000S incorporates the latest component and software technology to achieve accurate in-vitro SPF/UVA-Protection Factor analysis of sun care products developed to receive the "very high" sun protection label. Driven by rapidly evolving industry requirements to simplify product labeling and new in-vitro methods to validate product UVA Protection, the UV-2000S is designed to comply with recently approved in-vitro methods, such as COLIPA UVA-PF, ISO 24443, Boots Star Rating and the US FDA, as well as several pending global standards/methods. The UV-2000S has replaced Labsphere's UV-1000S as the Industry's choice for laboratory in-vitro SPF/UVA analysis and production floor quality control.

#### **FAST**

The UV-2000S rapidly measures the diffuse transmittance of sunscreen samples in the ultraviolet wavelength region from 250 - 450 nm. Labsphere's Spectralon® integrating sphere incorporates a re-optimized xenon flash lamp to provide exceptional diffuse illumination of the product sample and minimize data integration time. New high performance diode array spectrometers coupled by new advanced fiber optics are optimized at the system level for low stray light with superior wavelength stability and flash-to-flash repeatability.

#### **IMPROVED**

Many improvements are incorporated in the UV-2000S to realize a new industry standard for in-vitro sun care product analysis. System improvements include new spectrometers, Xenon Flash Lamp, optical coupling fibers, optical head positioning mechanism, sample positioning stage and a new, robust software development platform.

The diode array spectrometers feature stable, custom concave diffractive optics for measurement integrity and repeatability, original holographic diffraction gratings, not replicated gratings, peaked for higher efficiency across the wavelength range, and longer pixel arrays for better pixel wavelength resolution.

Illumination is filtered at the integrating sphere to limit total exposure at the sample and to improve stray light performance. A higher flash rate reduces exposure time, minimizing dark current and maximizing dynamic range.

Use of solarization resistant fibers maintains high system throughput over time. Longer fibers filter high order modes to provide cleaner grating illumination improving stray light performance.

#### **EASY-TO-OPERATE**

A built-in report function generates essential information at the click of a button. Reports include necessary information such as date, time, operator name, sample identification, and test parameters. Reports are conveniently viewed on your PC, printed, or exported as text to data processing software for further review and analysis.

#### POWERFUL APPLICATION SOFTWARE

Developed with .NET Framework®, the license controlled UV-2000S Software features different in-vitro measurement methods for UVA/UVB protection factors of sunscreen including the COLIPA, ISO 24443, Boots Star and FDA methods. By licensing the included software, users are able to receive free upgrades on their software for one year as new methods are released to the industry. This easy to use Vista® compatible software facilitates capture/archival/retrieval and export of all data including bare substrate data that may impact UVA-PF due to surface roughness.

UV-2000S application software includes an integrated Performance Validation Routine that allows for on-site validation and re-validation to ensure optimum instrument performance. A set of calibrated standards, including a wavelength standard that captures six relevant spectral bands, is included with each UV Transmittance Analyzer.



### **Specifications**

Included Model Name

UV-2000S UV-2000S Control Software 50 HelioScreen HD6 Plates Order Number

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#### System Properties and Performance

Wavelength Range: 250 to 450 nm\*
Wavelength Accuracy: ±1 nm
Bandwidth: (FWHM) <4 nm

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Optical Geometry: Hemispherical Illumination/0° viewing (d/0)

Integrating Sphere Geometry: Spectralon® Integrating Sphere Port Area: < 5% Sample Exposure Area: 0.79 cm² Xenon Flash Lamp:

UV Dose Per Measurement Cycle: < 0.2 J/cm²
Sample Positioning Stage: Manual Stage

Measurement Range:

Transmittance: 0 - 100%

Absorbance: 0 - 2.7 A (Dual Doped PMMA Method)

Measurement Methods Supported:

Bare Substrate Analysis and Data Archival: Yes SPF: Yes UVA/UVB: Yes Critical Wavelength: Yes UVA Protection Factor: COLIPA Method (2011)\*\* Yes UVA Protection: Revised Boots Star Rating (2008)\*\* Yes UVA Protection Factor: FDA UV1/UVA (2011)\*\* Yes UVA Photoprotection Method: ISO 24443 Yes

Computer Interface: USB

Minimum Computer Requirements: 1.6 GHz processor, Windows®XP or 7

SVGA 800 x 600

Power Requirements: 256MB RAM, 400MB free disk space 110 - 120/220 - 240 VAC, 60/50 Hz
Operating Environment: 0° - 50°C, 0% - 70% RH (non-condensing)

Dimensions:

With Stage: 11H x 22.6D x 12.3W In (27.9H x 56.6D x 31.2W cm)
Without Stage: 11H x 12.6D x 12.3W in (27.9H 32.0D x 31.2W cm)

**Optional Accessories** 

 UV-2000S Starter Kit:
 AS-02796-000

 HelioScreen HD6 Plates:
 PP-02097-000

 Updated Software Subscription:
 UV-2000S Software

 UV-2000S Upgrade Kit
 AS-02942-000\*\*\*

- \* All system specifications are based on a wavelength range of 290 to 400 nm.
- \*\* Requires a separate solar simulator
- \*\*\* Upgrade kit includes ISO 24443 capability



