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# **SPECIFICATIONS**

## **Direct Modulation Low DOP ASE Broadband Source**

### **DL-ASE-IM-CSC107A**

## A. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The DenseLight DL-ASE-IM-CSC107A is a series Low DOP ASE broadband source for fiber optic gyroscope, fiber optic sensor, optical test instrument and optical coherence tomography. This DL-ASE-IM-CSC107A consists of a DenseLight standard ASE broadband source, a temperature controller and a built-in current driver capable for digital or analog modulation input, which can be customized with various options to meet your specific needs. The broadband source covers over a wide wavelength range include O, E, S, C and L bands.

## B. FEATURES

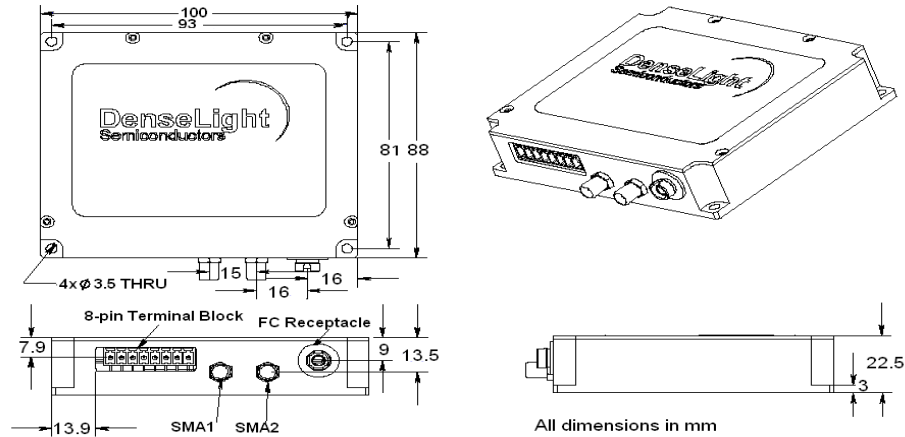
- Ex-fiber output power of >10mW
- Spectral power density >-12dBm/nm over 1525 to 1565nm
- Low Degree of Polarization
- FC receptacle
- Integrated optical isolator
- Single +5V power supply (optional power adapter)
- Built-in current driver and temperature controller
- Operating temperature 0 to 65 °C (<0°C or >65°C extended range available)
- Over temperature protection and internal PCB temperature monitor
- Analog intensity modulation up to 6MHz (transconductance amplifier performance)
- Pulse or digital modulation up to 200MHz
- High wall-plug efficiency
- Compact size
- RoHS Compliance
- Telcordia Qualified broadband source (GR-468-CORE)

## C. APPLICATIONS

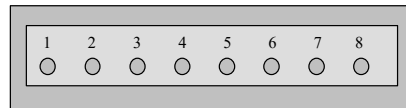
- Fiber Optic Gyroscope
- Optical Test Instrument
- Fiber Optic Sensors
- Fiber Optic Communications
- Optical Coherence Tomography
- Biomedical Imaging Device
- Clinical Healing Equipment

## D. PHYSICAL DIMENSIONS AND MECHANICAL SPECIFICATION

Dimension: L100 x W88 x H24.5 mm  
 Enclosure: Metal Case  
 Optical output: FC receptacle  
 Cooling: Air-cooled.  
 Electronic interface: 8-pin terminal block



## E. PIN ASSIGNMENT AND FUNCTION



*8-pin terminal block (Pin 8 near to SMA1)*

Pin No.	Symbol	Power/Control /Monitor	Analog /Digital	Input /Output	Description
1	P <sub>GND</sub>	P	-	-	Power Supply Ground
2	V <sub>S</sub>	P	-	-	+5V d.c.
3	OVRT	M	D	O	To report PCB over temperature and internal self-protection shutdown in operation (Active high)
4	T <sub>MON</sub>	M	A	O	To monitor the temperature of PCB
5	N/C	-	-	-	-
6	N/C	-	-	-	-
7	LO_EN	C	D	I	To enable Light output (active low or no connection to enable SLED light driver)
8	A <sub>GND</sub>	-	-	-	Signal ground for control and monitor signals

## F. ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min	Max	Unit
Operating temperature (chassis)	$T_{op}$	$I_{op}$	0	65	°C
Operating Relative Humidity <sup>1</sup>	RH	$I_{op}$	-	85	%
Storage temperature	$T_{stg}$	Unbiased	-40	85	°C
Input current	$I_s$	-	-	6	A
Input Power Supply	$V_s$	-	-	6	V

<sup>1</sup>) Non-condensing

## G. ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS <sup>2</sup>

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Input Power Supply	$V_s$	$T_{op} = 0$ to $65^{\circ}\text{C}$	4.75	5	5.5	V
Input Current	$I_s$	$T_{op} = 0$ to $65^{\circ}\text{C}$	-	-	2.5	A
Total Power consumption	$P_s$	$T_{op} = 0$ to $65^{\circ}\text{C}$	-	-	12.5	W
Over Temperature	OVRT	Open-drain digital output with internal 1K pull-up to 3V for VH and 8mA current sink for VL				
	$V_{OL}$	Normal	0	-	0.45	V
	$V_{OH}$	Over-temp	2.0	-	3	V
Internal PCB Temperature Monitor	$T_{MON}$	Analog voltage: $T_{MON} = 395\text{mV} + (6.2\text{mV}/^{\circ}\text{C} \times T)$ , T = PCB temperature in °C				mV
Voltage	$V_{OUT}$	$R_x = \text{infinite}$	0	-	2.5	V
Output Impedance	$R_{OUT}$	-	-	150	-	$\Omega$
Source Current	$ I_{OUT} $	$V_{OUT} = 2.5\text{V}$	-	-	4	mA
Light Output Enable	LO-EN	Digital input with internal 10K pull-down for light output enable at logic low or no connection				
	$V_{IL}$	Normal	0	-	1	V
	$V_{IH}$	Over-temp	2.5	-	3.3	V

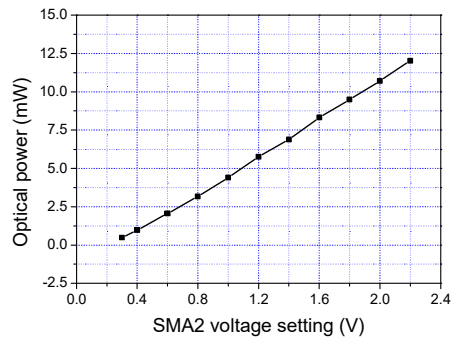
<sup>2</sup>) Unless otherwise specified. Tests are performed at  $T_{op} = 25^{\circ}\text{C}$

Operating mode <sup>3</sup>	Operation Setting	
	SMA1 connector (50Ω)	SMA2 connector (50Ω)
CW	Logic High, $2V \leq V_{IH} \leq 3V$	DC Voltage (User to set optical peak power through DC voltage to SMA2) <sup>4)</sup>
Digital modulation	External Trigger Input (CMOS/TTL compatible), $0 \leq V_{IL} \leq 0.8V$ and $2V \leq V_{IH} \leq 3V$	DC Voltage (User to set optical peak power through DC voltage to SMA2) <sup>4)</sup>
Analog modulation	Logic High, $2V \leq V_{IH} \leq 3V$	Transconductance amplifier operating on positive polarity analog input signal

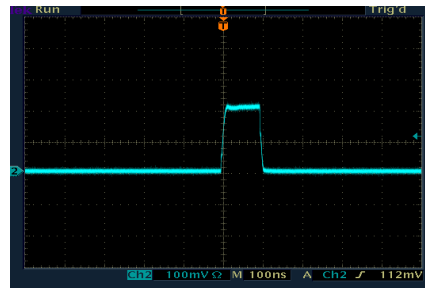
<sup>3)</sup> There will be no optical output power if SMA1 or SMA2 is left unconnected, unless pre-bias power is specified. Pre-bias setting on SLED can be factory preset. Note: Factory default setting is zero.

<sup>4)</sup> Maximum SMA2 voltage setting is 2.2V. Unless otherwise specified in OGR.

### Digital modulation:

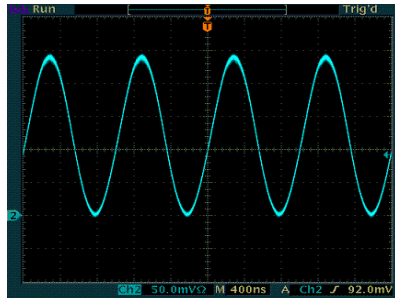


Optical power vs SMA2 voltage setting



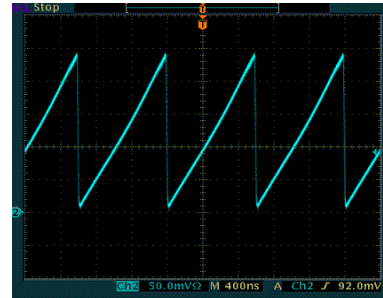
SMA1: Pulse waveform  
Frequency= 100kHz  
Amplitude= 2V  
SMA2: DC voltage 2V

### Analog modulation



SMA1: Logic high ( $V_{IH} = 2V$ )  
SMA2: Sine wave  
Frequency: 1MHz  
Amplitude= 0.3 to 2.3V

### Analog modulation



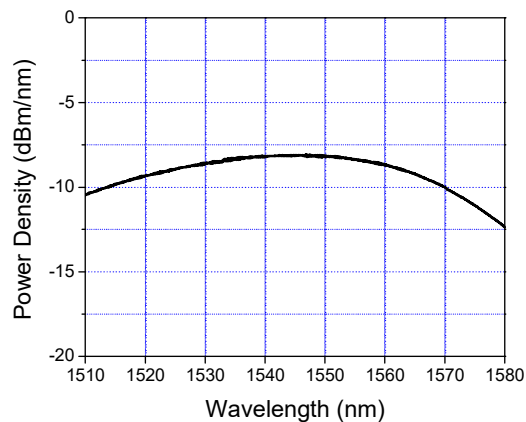
SMA1: Logic high ( $V_{IH} = 2V$ )  
SMA2: Ramp wave  
Frequency: 1MHz  
Amplitude= 0.3 to 2.3V

## H. OPTICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Parameter	Condition	Symbol	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
Power output	CW	$P_o$	10	-	-	mW
Power density @ 1525 to 1565nm	CW	$P_{density}$	-12	-	-	dBm/nm
Bandwidth @ 3dB	CW	$B_{FWHM}$	55	-	-	nm
Degree of polarization	CW	DOP	-	-	5	%
Output stability <sup>(5)</sup> 1 hour	CW	Stb	-	-	$\pm 0.05$	dB
8 hour					$\pm 0.1$	dB

<sup>5)</sup> After 1-hour warm-up

## I. TYPICAL OPTICAL PERFORMANCE



**Spontaneous Emission Spectrum**

## **J. DISCLAIMER FOR CUSTOMER SPECIFIC APPLICATIONS**

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## **K. SAFETY INFORMATION**

The is DL-ASE-IM-CSC107A classified as Class 3R products per IEC 60825-1 laser safety requirements.