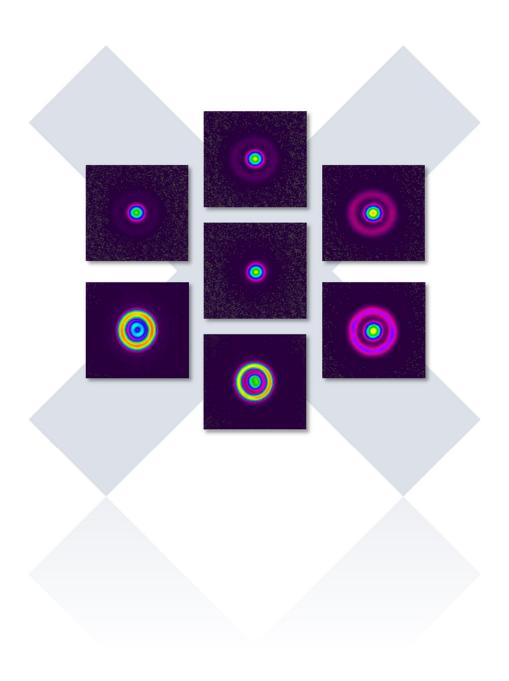
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AFX-1000

Programmable fiber lasers for Additive Manufacturing



nLIGHT AFX | Product specification

Model	AFX-1000 w/o collimator	AFX-1000 w/ collimator	
Optical Specifications			
Mode of Operation	CW / Modulated		
Polarization	Random		
Max Power, SM setting	600 W	550 W	
Max Power, MM settings	1200 W	1050 W	
Max Numerical Aperture ⁵	0.1 NA		
Power Tunability¹	5 – 100%		
Power Variation, 8-Hour	≤ 1%		
Power Modulation Frequency	≤ 100 kHz		
Modulation Rise and Fall Times	≤ 5 µs		
Beam Profile Switching Time	< 30 ms		
SM Beam Parameter Product ²	≤ 0.5 mm-mrad		
MM Beam Parameter Product	≤ 2.5 mm-mrad	≤ 2.0 mm-mrad	
Wavelength	1070 ± 10 nm		
Electrical Specifications			
Operating Voltage, Single-Phase	200 – 240 VAC		
Operating Voltage Frequency	50 / 60 Hz		
Control Interface	External hardware control / RS-232 / Ethernet		
Mechanical Specifications			
Dimensions, W x D x H	480 x 677 x 177 mm		
Optical Fiber Length, Termination ³	5 m fiber with QBH connector standard		
Cooling Method	Water		
Environmental Specifications			
Operating Temperature ⁴	+10 to +40°C		
Storage Temperature	-10 to +60°C		
Relative Humidity	10 to 80%		

Percent relative to max power available at index setting Based on second-moment (ISO std) measurement method. Custom lengths available upon request. Non-condensing or with use of CDA.

⁵90% power enclosed

nLIGHT AFX | Programmable beam control

Controlling the AFX fiber laser beam profile can be accomplished through several interfaces. nLIGHT offers a Graphical User Interface (GUI), Command Line Interface (CLI), Application Program Interface (API) and a Hardware (HW) Interface.

Table 1 shows seven typical beam profiles that are selectable through the interfaces described above. This range of beam characteristics provides the versatility to optimize selective laser melting processes for different materials, hatch spacings, and consolidation rates.

Setting	Beam Profile (typical)	Power Ratio (donut / single-mode)	Near-field Beam Dia. (typical) ¹	BPP (typical) ¹
0	•	0/100 (single-mode)	16 µm	0.46 mm-mrad
1		30/70	25 µm	0.78 mm-mrad
2	•	40/60	30 µm	1.01 mm-mrad
3		50/50	35 µm	1.31 mm-mrad
4	(60/40	40 µm	1.65 mm-mrad
5		80/20	42 µm	1.89 mm-mrad
6	0	90/10 (max donut)	47 μm	1.97 mm-mrad

¹Measured using second-moment method.

Laser Safety

This laser product does NOT comply with IEC 60825-1 or 21CFR1040.10/21CFR1040.11 and is solely intended to be integrated into a laser product certified by the Purchaser. The Purchaser acknowledges their product must comply with application regulations before it can be sold to an end user.

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