

GenX Precision Matched Active LMA Double Clad Fiber

GenX fibers are the newest series of Large Mode Area (LMA) double-clad fibers, specifically tailored to enable power scaling of multi-kW -class fiber lasers and amplifiers. Offering superior photo-darkening (PD) performances with maintained and/or higher absorption, these fibers are optimized to benefit both CW and pulsed multi-kW systems. The 14/250 GenX design is ideal for efficient and reliable kW-class systems. The 20/400 GenX offers the same absorption with significantly lower PD than comparable products providing an optimized platform for high efficiency and high-reliability multi-kW CW lasers. The 25/250 GenX product combines higher absorption and superior PD, ideal for enabling multi-kW peak power scaling with reduced cavity length and nonlinearities.

Typical Applications	Features & Benefits		
• kW Class Fiber Lasers & Amplifiers	•	Superior photo-darkening performance in both CW and pulsed applications	
 Materials Processing 	•	Enhanced reliability for power scaling beyond kW level	
 Military, Industrial and Medical 	•	Higher absorption mitigates non-linearities and enables higher peak powers	

- NuCOAT-FA-HP for enhanced coating reliability in industrial environments
- · Designed to work with existing matched passive fibers

Optical Specifications	LMA-YDF-14/250-HP-XM 1365438	LMA-YDF-20/400-HP-XM 1398875	LMA-YDF-25/250-HP-XM
Operating Wavelength	1015 – 1115 nm	1015 – 1115 nm	1015 – 1115 nm
Core NA	0.070 ± 0.005	0.065 ± 0.005	0.070 ± 0.005
First Cladding NA (5%)	≥ 0.46	≥ 0.46	≥ 0.46
Core Attenuation	≤ 20.0 dB/km @ 1200 nm	≤ 15.0 dB/km @ 1200 nm	≤ 25.0 dB/km @ 1200 nm
Cladding Attenuation	≤ 15.0 dB/km @ 1095 nm	≤ 15.0 dB/km @ 1095 nm	≤ 15.0 dB/km @ 1095 nm
Cladding Absorption	0.80 ± 0.10 dB/m at 915 nm 3.40 dB/m near 976 nm	$0.40 \pm 0.05 \text{ dB/m}$ at 915 nm	2.30 ± 0.30 dB/m at 915 nm 9.90 dB/m near 976 nm
Slope Efficiency	N/A	> 70.0%@ 915 nm	N/A
Geometrical & Mechanical Specifications			
Cladding Diameter (flat-to-flat)	250.0 ± 5.0 μm	400.0 ± 10.0 µm	250.0 ± 5.0 μm
Core Diameter	14.0 ± 1.0 µm	20.0 ± 1.5 μm	25.0 ± 1.5 µm
Coating Diameter	395.0 ± 15.0 μm	550.0 ± 15.0 μm	395.0 ± 15.0 μm
Core/Clad Offset	≤ 1.00 µm	≤ 2.00 µm	≤ 1.5 µm
Coating Material	Low Index Acrylate	Low Index Acrylate	Low Index Acrylate
Prooftest Level	≥ 100 kpsi (0.7 GN/m²)	≥ 100 kpsi (0.7 GN/m²)	≥ 100 kpsi (0.7 GN/m²)



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