

PARUS. Ultrafast Optical Parametric Amplifier

- Available wavelengths from 320 nm up to 10 um
- Up to 3 mJ input pump pulse energy
- Up to 10% signal+idler typical conversion efficiency
- <250 fs typical pulse duration
- Harmonic generators, SFG, DFG add-ons available
- Thermally stabilized body
- Fully automated tuning with PC software

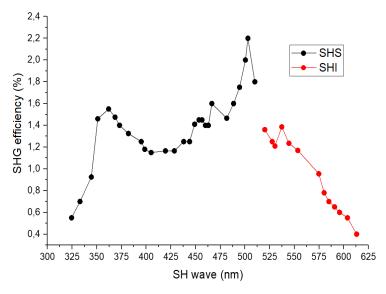


PARUS-NE-515 optical head

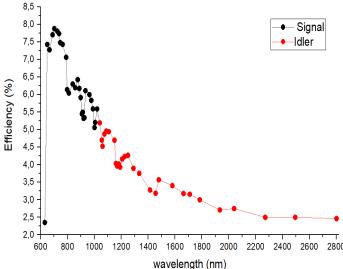
Product overview

The PARUS femtosecond optical parametric amplifier (OPA) is designed as a robust automated wavelength conversion tool with broad wavelength tuning. The units can be pumped either by a Ti:S REUS amplifier series (at ~800 nm) or by Yb ANTAUS or TETA series (at ~1030 nm).

Certain OPA models include a built-in SHG module for pump beam conversion in order to offer higher energy in the VIS and NIR ranges, while some models are pumped by a fundamental pump beam offering broader coverage and higher pulse energy in the MIR range and DFG applications. The system is fully automated and is offered with a Windows PC software for wavelength tuning.



Typical tuning curve of optional SHG module of the PARUS-NE-515 (for reference only); efficiency given with 400 uJ input pump energy at 1030 nm.

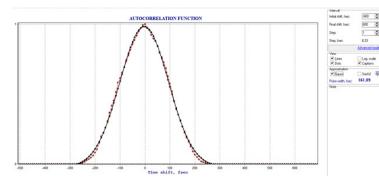


Typical tuning curve of the PARUS-NE-515 (for reference only); efficiency given with 400 uJ input pump energy at 1030 nm.

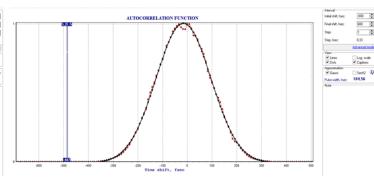


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	PARUS-515	PARUS-800	PARUS-1030
Signal output tuning range	640-1020 nm	1200-1600 nm	1400-2000 nm
Idler output tuning range	1040-2600 nm	1600-2400 nm	2100-4000 nm
Conversion efficiency of pump input (S+I, at peak of tuning curve)	>10%	>10%	>10%
Output pulse duration ¹⁾	<1x of pump	<1.5x of pump	<1x of pump
Pump laser specifications ²⁾			
Max. pump average power	8 W at 1030 nm	2.5 W at 800 nm	8 W at 1030 nm
Pump pulse energy	0.22 mJ	0.23 mJ	0.22 mJ
Suitable pump laser	TETA Yb series	REUS Ti:S series	TETA Yb series
Pump pulse duration	250-300 fs	35-100 fs	250-300 fs
Additional outputs			
Full pump SHG output (switchable)	yes, ~50% eff.	n/a	n/a
Depleted pump fundamental after SHG	yes	n/a	n/a
Depleted pump after OPA	yes, pump SHG	yes, pump fund.	yes, pump fund.
Available optional extension modules ³⁾			
Sum frequency 1 (SFS)	data on request	480-533 nm (3%)	data on request
Sum frequency 2 (SFI)	data on request	533-600 nm (1.5%)	data on request
Second harmonic of signal (SHS)	320-510 nm (2%)	600-800 nm (2%)	data on request
Second harmonic of idler (SHI)	520-650 nm (2%)	800-1200 nm (2%)	data on request
Difference frequency (DFG1)	3000-9000 nm (0.8%)	2700-4500 nm (0.5%)/ 4500-10000 nm(0.2%)	data on request
Environmental and utility specifications			
Operating conditions	18-25 °C; RH <60%, non-condensing		
Voltage	single-phase; 100-240 V AC; 50/60 Hz		
Physical dimensions (LxWxH)			
OPA optical head	510×345×110 mm (without external periscope)		
SHG extension (optional)	480×260×105 mm (SHS and SHI)		

- 1) depends on input pump pulse duration and output central wavelength;
- 2) exact value or certain range must be confirmed, please contact us for details; customized solutions are available upon request;
- 3) possible tuning ranges with typical peak conversion efficiency to pump pulse energy given in brackets; please ask for a quote for exact values

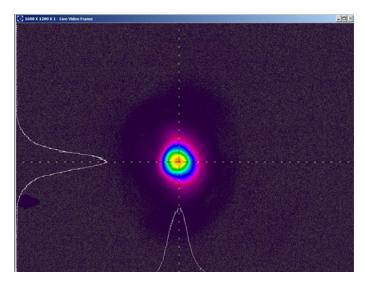


PARUS-NE-515 signal output typical ACF at 702 nm (pulse duration 162 fs)



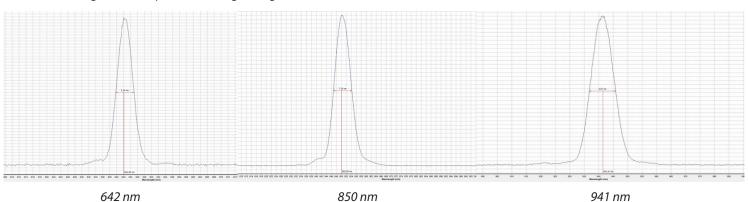
PARUS-NE-515 signal output typical ACF at 901 nm (pulse duration 185 fs)



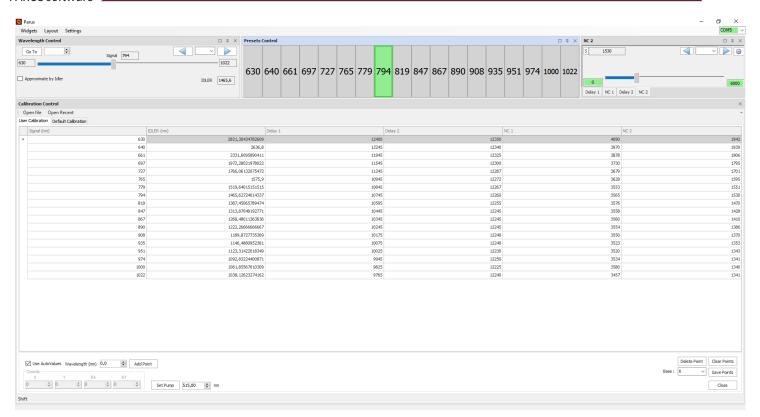


PARUS-NE-515 signal beam profile at 800 nm

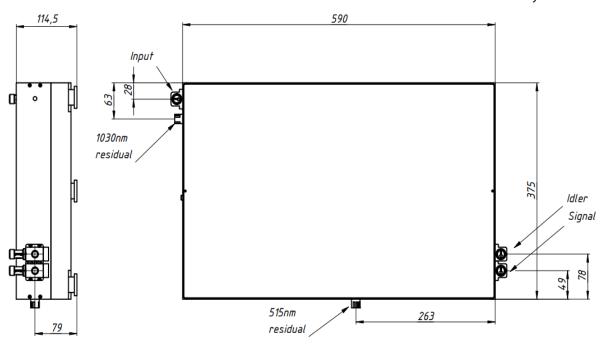
PARUS-NE-515 signal beam spectrum during tuning



PARUS software







PARUS-NE-515 outline drawing (w/out external input beam periscope)

