## DH-2000-BAL Balanced Deuterium Tungsten Halogen Light Source

We've applied our expertise in patterned dichroic filters to create the only combined-spectrum illumination source available that eliminates saturation and signal-to-noise issues associated with the D-alpha line in deuterium sources. Our DH2000-BAL Deuterium Tungsten Halogen Light Source combines deuterium and tungsten halogen light sources into a single optical path that produces a powerful, stable output from 215-2000 nm.

## About the D-alpha Line

All deuterium-tungsten halogen sources have a D-alpha line, revealed as a jagged peak in the visible portion of the spectrum, that produces "unbalanced" output in the deuterium and tungsten halogen sources. Correcting for this deuterium line – a sharp spectral feature near 655 nm – is difficult.

For example, if you adjust spectrometer integration time to reduce the intensity of this saturated spectral line, the efficiency of the system at UV wavelengths drops significantly, compromising signal-to-noise performance. Also, spectrometer efficiency is greatest at about the same spectral range as the 655 nm line, exaggerating its effects.

## **Proprietary Filtering Technology**

Using the same high-precision patterned dichroic filter technology that distinguishes our Linear Variable Filters, the DH-2000-BAL balances the intensity of the deuterium and tungsten halogen sources, producing a "smoother" spectrum across the entire wavelength range and eliminating problems associated with saturation. By comparison, most combination UV-NIR sources can be adjusted for relative intensity only.

Specifications	
Dimensions:	150 mm x 135 mm x 319 mm
Weight:	3.8 kg
Wavelength range:	210-400 nm (deuterium); 360-1500 nm (tungsten halogen)
Power consumption:	25 W (deuterium); 20 W (tungsten halogen); 190 W maximum
Power requirements:	85-264 V 50/60 Hz
Voltage:	Ignition 350 V/20°; tungsten bulb voltage is adjustable from 4.5 to 11.5 volts
Current:	Operating 85 V/0.3A
Stability:	<5 x 10 <sup>6</sup> peak-to-peak (0.1-10.0 Hz)
Drift:	<0.01% per hour
Time to stable output:	40 minutes (deuterium); 20 minutes (tungsten)
Bulb life:	1,000 hours
Operating temperature:	5 °C - 35 °C
Humidity:	5-95% non-condensing at 40 °C
Electronic certifications:	CE; VDI/VDE 0160; EN 61010





Measured with HR2000+ with 25  $\mu m$  Slit and 400  $\mu m$  Optical Fiber



## **Technical Tip**

Ultraviolet radiation below 300 nm degrades transmission in silica fibers, resulting in solarization (increased light absorption in the UV fiber that can invalidate data). For applications using the DH-2000 Light Sources at <300 nm, we recommend solarization-resistant assemblies. See Page 135 for details.

