

## **UHE-15/16 ULTRA HIGH EFFICIENCY SOLAR SIMULATOR**



### **Features**

- Industry's highest efficiency!
- Inexpensive I50W light source
- Large working distance
- Compact design
- Adjustable target size

## **Applications**

- Photovoltaic Testing
- Cosmetics Research and Evaluation
- Sunscreen Research and Testing
- Display Inspection

## Sciencetech is proud to offer our new line of:

# **Ultra-High Efficiency solar simulators**

Building on our existing Fully Reflective design, but optimized for greater illumination sizes and more power on target.

Our UHE solar simulators use a completely new design for the beam homogenizer, the UHE systems are capable of

maintaining Sciencetech's proprietary "Fully Reflective" design maximizing ultraviolet light

Due to the low power draw, compact size, and light weight design, the UHE are perfect for almost every application requiring small to medium size illumination targets. The compact nature of the system allows Sciencetech to provide top quality performance for a fraction of the cost of our competition.

The UHE comes standard with a downward facing stand. Each UHE Includes an internal power supply.



### **UHE-15/16 SYSTEM CONFIGURATION**

#### **UHE-15 SOLAR SIMULATORS**

The UHE-15 can be configured for different working distances and target sizes depending on the level of non-uniformity and quality of spectral match that is required. See the table at right to choose a system configuration.

| Model                       | UHE-15-A                      | UHE-15-I                      | UHE-15-II      | UHE-15-III                    | UHE-15-IV         |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Spectral Match              | Α                             | Α                             | Α              | С                             | С                 |
| Non-Uniformity              | Α                             | В                             | В              | В                             | В                 |
| Target Size                 | 7.6x7.6                       | 12.7cm x<br>12.7cm            | 10cm x<br>10cm | 16cmx16cm                     | 12.7cmx12.<br>7cm |
| Typical Working<br>Distance | 55cm                          | 55cm                          | 45cm           | 60cm                          | 60cm              |
| Air Mass Filter             | AM1.5G/<br>AM1/AM2/<br>AM1.5D | AM1.5G/<br>AM1/AM2/<br>AM1.5D | AM0            | AM1.5G/<br>AM1/AM2/<br>AM1.5D | AM0               |

#### **UHE-16 SOLAR SIMULATORS**

The UHE-16 is Sciencetechs state of the art solar simulator. The UHE-16 is capable of achieving an industry best AAA classification and illuminate a 15.2×15.2cm target size (6"x6") using only a 150W Xenon short arc lamp. If AM0 light is required the target size is reduced to 12.7×12.7cm (5"x5").

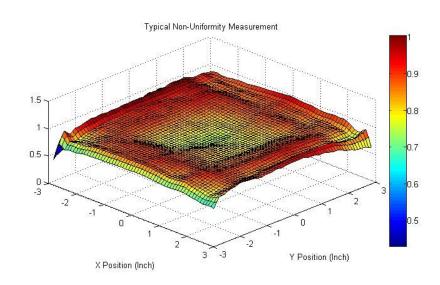


| Model                       | UHE-16-A              | UHE-16-A-0    |  |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--|
| Spectral Match              | Α                     | А             |  |
| Non-Uniformity              | Α                     | А             |  |
| Target Size                 | 15.2cmx15.2cm         | 12.7cmx12.7cm |  |
| Typical Working<br>Distance | 58cm                  | 55cm          |  |
| Air Mass Filter             | AM1.5G/AM1/AM2/AM1.5D | AM0           |  |

#### **SOLAR SIMULATOR VALIDATION**

#### **NON UNIFORMITY MEASUREMENT**

Non-Uniformity is measured using a 2-axis motorized stage. A labview program instructs the stage to move a silicon detector (with adjustable aperture) over a 36 point grid in either a circular or square pattern as required. The detector is a monocrystalline silicon cell loaded with a high precision I ohm resistor. The effective short circuit current of the cell is measured at each position by measuring the produced voltage across the high precision resistor. To compensate for small temporal variations in signal level measurements at any one position are averaged for up to 10 seconds before moving to the next position.

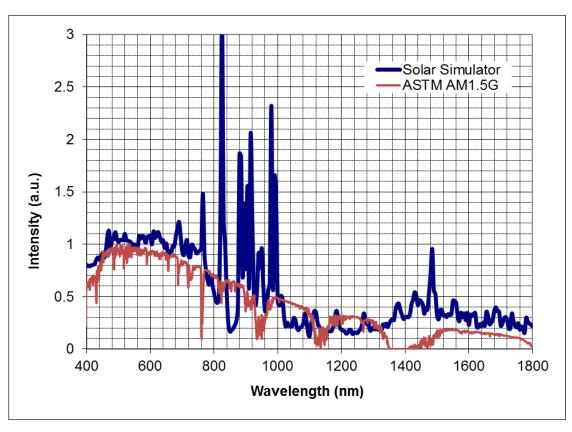




#### **INSTRUMENT VALIDATION**

To measure non-uniformity a two-axis stage with silicon detector and adjustable iris is used. Each axis of the stage has sub mm precision allowing for precise position control during measurements. The two axis stage removes human error associated with detector positioning.

### **SPECTRAL MATCH**



#### **CLASS A SPECTRAL MATCH**

Sciencetech UHE solar simulators can match class A ASTM, IEC and JIS solar simulator standards. A number of air mass filters are available for UHE solar simulators giving you the capability to customize the instrument for your requirements. In addition to spectral match filters you can also add intensity filters and other spectral filters like UV and IR blocking filters.

| Range (nm) | ASTM<br>AM 1.5G | UHE—15/16 with<br>AM1.5G |
|------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| 400-500    | 18.40%          | 15.6%                    |
| 500-600    | 19.90%          | 17.7%                    |
| 600-700    | 18.40%          | 17.4%                    |
| 700-800    | 14.90%          | 15.6%                    |
| 800-900    | 12.50%          | 15.1%                    |
| 900-1100   | 15.90%          | 18.5%                    |

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

| Model   | UHE-15/16  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| Spectral Match*                               | Up to Class A available                                    |  |  |  |  |
| Non-Uniformity*                               | Up to Class A available                                    |  |  |  |  |
| Temporal Stability*                           | Up to Class A available                                    |  |  |  |  |
| Air Mass Filters Available                    | AM0, AM1.5G, AM1.5D, AM1, AM2                              |  |  |  |  |
| Working Distance**,t                          | See product confirmation                                   |  |  |  |  |
| Collimation Angle**,t                         | 5 deg, half angle  |  |  |  |  |
| Target Size**,t                               | See product configuration                                  |  |  |  |  |
| Lamp Type                                     | 150W Xenon   |  |  |  |  |
| Lamp Life                                     | 1000 hours (average)                                       |  |  |  |  |
| Lamp Typical<br>Voltage, Current              | 17-21V, 7.5A   |  |  |  |  |
| Lamp Cooling                                  | Forced Air   |  |  |  |  |
| Input Voltage / Current                       | 110-220V / 3 A   |  |  |  |  |
| Recommended environ-<br>ment                  | Temperature 10-35 C , Humidity 20-80% * Avoid Condensation |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions (hxwxd) <sup>t</sup>               | 105cm x 36cm x 26cm  |  |  |  |  |
| Dimensions with stand<br>(hxwxd) <sup>t</sup> | 160cm x 46cm x 51cm  |  |  |  |  |
| Weight  | 15kg   |  |  |  |  |
| Weight (with stand)                           | 35kg   |  |  |  |  |



UHE-15/16 with stand