

# FilterReader™ Spectrophotometer

(Part Numbers: FRD-350-AU and FRD-385-AU)

## FEATURES

- Compact size
- Solid-state light source
- Fast scan cycle
- Dedicated holder for filters/beam splitters
- USB Interface

## APPLICATIONS

- Microscopy

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Ever wondered what's in your filter cube? FilterReader spectrophotometer will give you the answer in a few seconds.

Identifying and confirming transmission characteristics of filters and beam splitters used in fluorescence microscopy is often critical especially when troubleshooting a system or an experiment. To address this need Mightex has developed the FilterReader, a unique mini spectrophotometer specifically designed for measuring spectral transmission of excitation filters, dichroic beam splitters, and emission filters. A high-resolution CCD spectrograph coupled with a solid-state light source provides high dynamic range measurements in a compact package. A sample cart holds excitation filters and emission filters at vertical position, and beam splitters at a 45-degree angle.

FilterReader is a fully integrated spectrophotometer with a footprint of a book. All one needs is a PC to run the control software, which communicates with the FilterReader via a USB interface. FilterReader software guides users through an intuitive work flow which leads to the measurement results after a few clicks. Results can be displayed in spectral transmission or optical density. Measurements of filters and beam splitters can be overlaid on a single chart. Various data saving and chart printing functions are supported.

Unlike traditional spectrophotometers, FilterReader spectrophotometers are small enough to be easily stored when not in use. The solid-state light source in the FilterReader also ensures a trouble-free use for years without the need to change the light source.



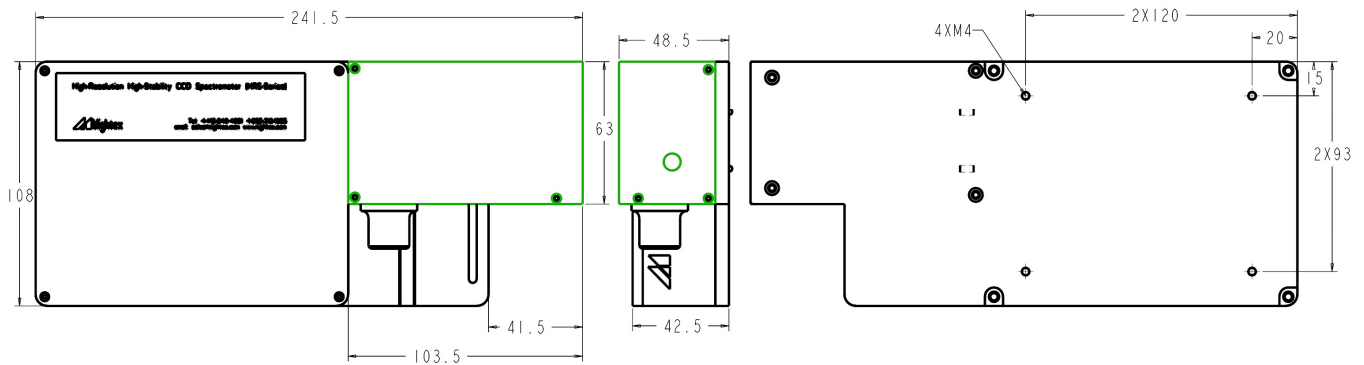
## PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS

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|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Wavelength Range:   | 350nm - 720nm for model FRD-350-AU<br>385nm - 720nm for model FRD-385-AU |
| Dynamic Range:      | >1000:1 (OD3)                                                            |
| Filter Size:        | f25.4mm or smaller                                                       |
| Beam splitter Size: | up to 27mm x 36mm                                                        |
| PC Interface:       | USB2.0                                                                   |
| DC Power Supply:    | 12V/1A (included)                                                        |
| Dimensions: 2       | 41.5 x 108 x 48.5 mm                                                     |
| Weight:             | 1,275g                                                                   |

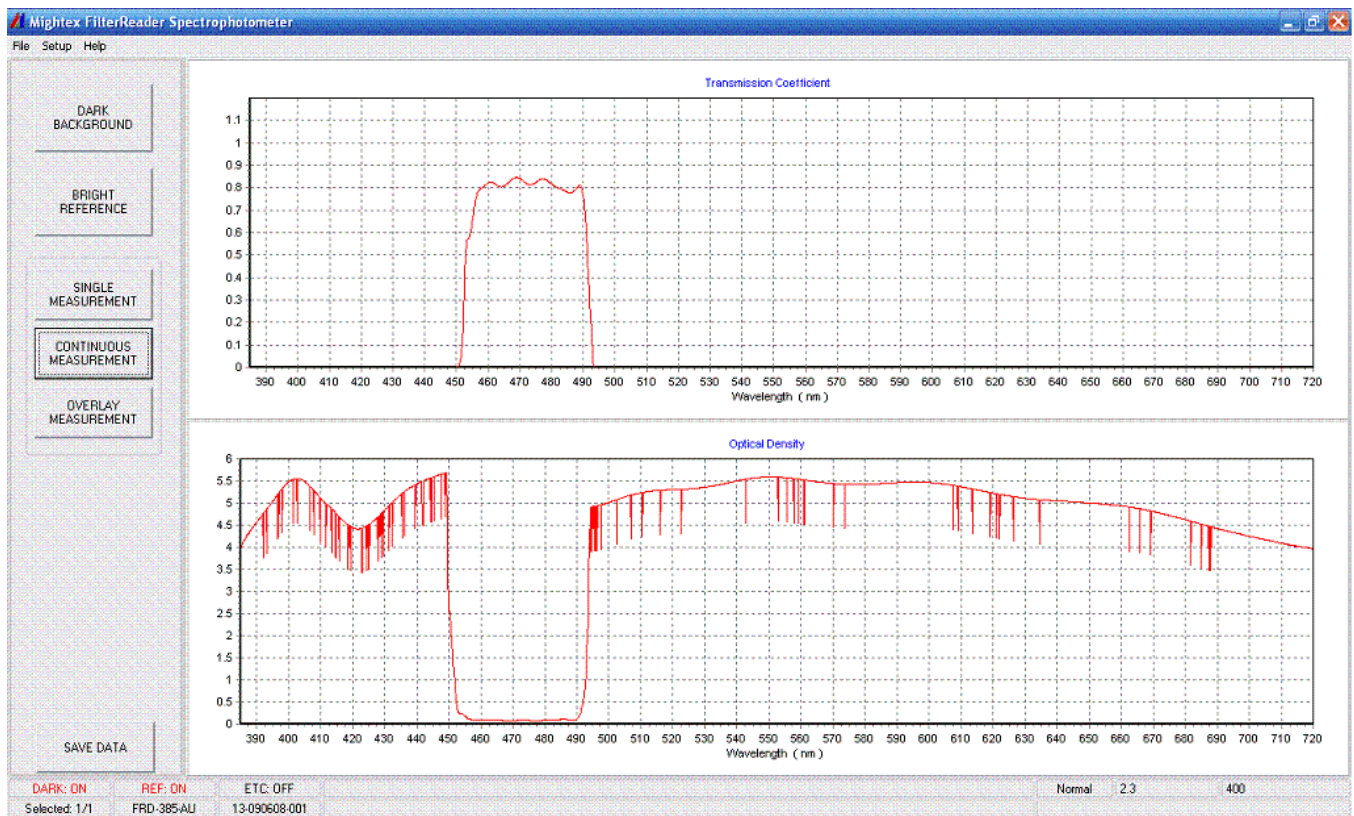
## OPERATION CONDITIONS

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| Operating Temperature Range:       | -10°C ~ +50°C |
| Storage Temperature Range:         | -25°C ~ 85°C  |
| Relative Humidity, Non-condensing: | 5% ~ 95%      |

## INSTALLATION DRAWINGS



## SOFTWARE USER INTERFACE



## PART NUMBER AND ORDERING INFORMATION

FRD -    - AU

Starting Wavelength

Distributor



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For example, FRD-385-AU is a FilterReader spectrophotometer with a wavelength range of 385nm to 720nm.

With a world-class OEM design team, Mightex offers a broad range of customized solutions in order to meet individual customer's unique requirements. Please call 1-416-840 4991 or email sales@mightex.com for details.