

# SkySpec 2D Telescope unit v.260

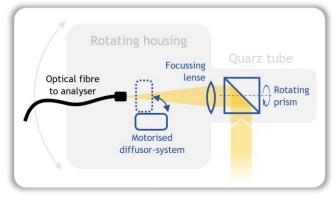
# FAST AND ACCURATE POINTING FOR UV/VIS/IR REMOTE SENSING

#### **GENERAL**

- Two-axes motorised telescope
- Gathers light from arbitrary directions in the sky hemisphere and below the horizon
- Integrated inclination sensor for real-time elevation correction
- Acceptance angles down to tenths of degrees
- Optional motorised diffusor/attenuator option to switch between direct Sun and scattered skylight within seconds.
- · Optional integrated spectrometer calibration lamp
- Highly customizable to meet your specific requirements and interfaces



Field application with optional tripod and mounting plate.



Schematic of opto-mechanics

## **EXAMPLE APPLICATIONS**

- Passive remote detection of atmospheric trace gases (e.g. NO<sub>2</sub>, O<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, HCHO, H<sub>2</sub>O, HONO, IO, BrO, Glyoxal) and aerosols under scattered light as well as direct Sun geometries.
- Measurements of surface reflection properties
- Solar induced plant fluorescence measurements

### **HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **BENEFITS** INNOVATION Fused silica optical components enable large spectral range Narrow vertical field of views possible, optimized for MAX-DOAS applications High measurement Viewing elevation is monitored and real-time corrected by means of an integrated inclination accuracy sensor → Ideal for applications on ships or other moving platforms Diffusor system ensures high spectral quality during direct Sun observations Simple instrument setup and start up Sun search routine for automatic azimuthal calibration Simple setup & Low maintenance, easy cleaning of optics operation Connection via optical fiber or fiber bundles for high flexibility Monitoring of measurement conditions with optional camera systems and various internal sensors Quartz cylinder construction around light entrance optics minimizes outside moving parts Water proof with IP64, snow resistant Long lifetime Designed for long term operation Internal humidity monitoring to avoid water condensation

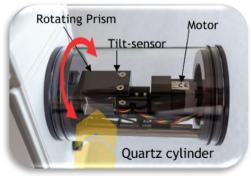


# TYPICAL SPECIFICATIONS

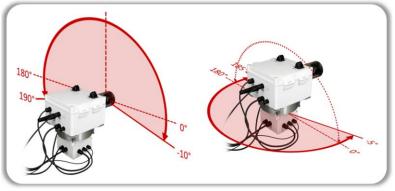
Spectral range	200 nm to 2 μm wavelength (fused silica optical components) <sup>1</sup>	
Operation temperature range	-30°C to 50°C	
Elevation range and accuracy	-10° to 190°, 0.1° resolution, automatic correction with < 0.2° accuracy (1 $\sigma$ )	
Azimuth range and precision	-5° to 185°, $\pm$ 0.2° (360° virtually available due to > 180° elevation range)	
Field of view FWHM, height x width <sup>1</sup>	Scattered light: < 0.3° x 1° Direct Sun²: ≈ 10° x 10°	
Optical fibre connection <sup>1</sup>	Various configurations available, (e.g. SMA, 7 x 100 µm fibre bundle, cross-sectional converter)	
Telescope optic <sup>1</sup>	focal length (internal): 75 mm; (external): infinite at 400 nm wavelength clear aperture: 22.5 mm	
F-Number <sup>1</sup>	f/4	
Camera FOV1	120° x 90°	

Mechanical	stability	Robust for harsh environmental conditions, water proof (IP 64), automatic heater prevents freezing and water condensation on optics.
Additional Sensors	Temperature:	1°C accuracy, ambient, telescope
	Pressure:	0.5% accuracy, ambient
	Humidity:	± 3% accuracy in relative humidity
Power consumption		Typ. < 2 W (max 20 W with heating) 12 V
Weight		≈ 7 kg
Size (WxDxH)		Box only: $20 \times 20 \times 29 \text{ cm}^3$ Tube length: $12.3 \text{ cm}$
Start-up time		< 10 s
Mounting options		Tripod, wall mount, tripod, mast, rail
Data com- munication <sup>1</sup>	Telescope control:	RS232 protocol (SUB-D 9) USB adapter included
	Camera Signals:	Analogue (chinch), External Analogue- to-USB Video grabber included

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}\,\text{Custom}$  configuration possible,  $^{\rm 2}\text{FOV}$  widened due to diffusor system



Close-up of telescope entrance optics



Elevation and azimuth motor ranges

# OPTIONAL COMPONENTS & CONFIGURATIONS

- Custom optical fibre configuration for best compatibility with your spectrometer/analysing unit.
- Integrated, wide FOV camera (2 cameras cover the full sky) to monitor measurement conditions
- Integrated mercury (HG) wavelength calibration lamp system
- Integrated diffusor system, which enables direct-sun observations by homogenizing and attenuating the incoming radiation.
- Fibre and cable length extensions up to 20 m
- Heated Azimuth 2D motor (for low temperature operation)
- Frames, tripods and adapters for simple mounting
- Spare parts and maintenance set
- Online installation and support service

# **DIMENSIONS**

