

# SuperK EVO

Industrial white light laser



# High brightness over a wide spectral bandwidth

Ideal for optical device characterization and Test & Measurement.

The SuperK EVO is a range of cost-efficient white light lasers based on our extremely reliable fiber laser technology. Designed for maintenance-free operation, the lasers are extremely stable, boast a long lifetime, and grant a low cost of ownership.



## SuperK EVO

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### Applications

OCT

Thin film

General illumination

Test & Measurement

Inspection, sorting, and quality control

Replacement of Superluminescent Emitting Diodes (SLEDs, SLDs)

Characterizations of optical components and materials

# Ease of use

## High brightness

The SuperK EVO has a very high brightness across the 425 - 2400 nm range.

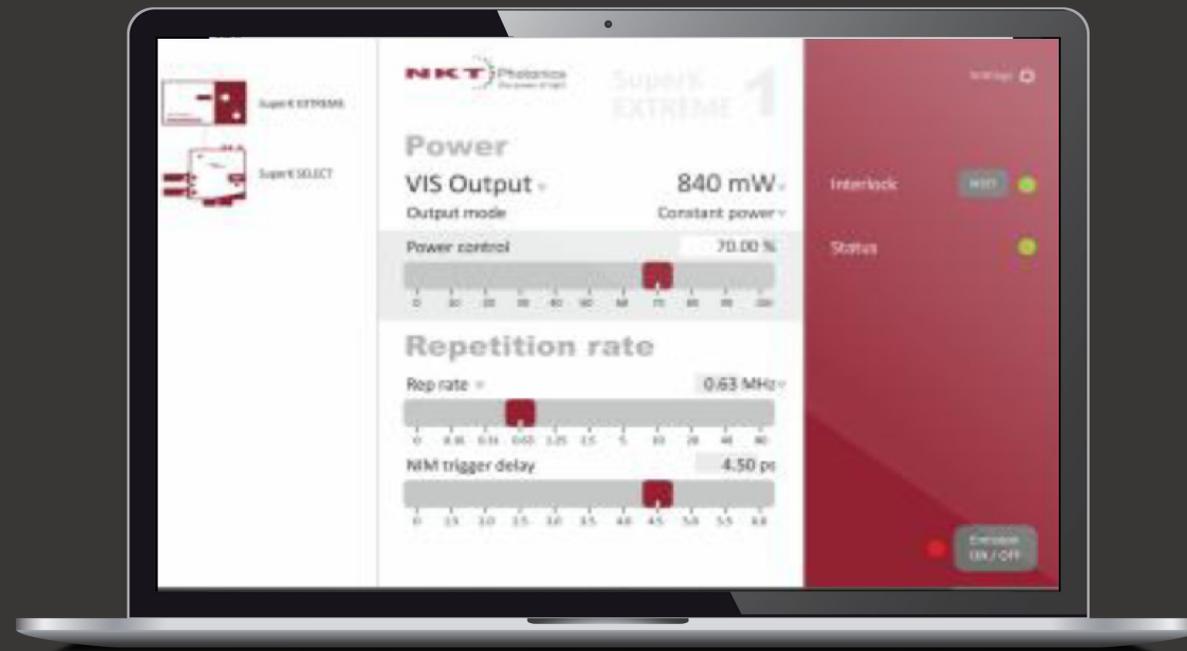
## High repetition rate

With a standard repetition rate of 20 or 30MHz, the EVO is perfectly suited for Test & Measurement and optical device characterization.

## Graphical user interface and software development kit

The SuperK EVO is compatible with all existing SuperK filters and accessories.

Get an utmost user-friendly operation through our NKT Photonics CONTROL software or a direct interface through the free software development kit.



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## NKT Photonics CONTROL

Like other NKT Photonics lasers, the SuperK EVO can be controlled by our intuitive CONTROL software that gives easy access to all laser functions. The software automatically detects all units attached to the computer.

You can control the source and any filtering accessories from CONTROL. It is easy to use and supports touch input as well as traditional mouse+keyboard control.

# Benefits

**Versatile cost-efficient white light laser platform**

**High brightness**

**High repetition rate**

**Robust and compact industrial design**

**Free software development kit**

**Plug and Play with all SuperK accessories**

**Maintenance-free 24/7 operation**

**Simple and intuitive user interface via NKT Photonics CONTROL**



|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| <b>Repetition rate (fixed)</b>               | 20, 30 MHz   |
| <b>Trigger out signals</b>                   | NIM          |
| <b>Trigger signal jitter</b>                 | < 20 ps      |
| <b>Adjustable trigger delay <sup>1</sup></b> | Up to 9.2 ns |
| <b>Adjustable trigger delay resolution</b>   | 15 ps        |

<sup>1</sup>The electrical output trigger signal can be delayed up to 9.2 ns in steps of 15 ps.w

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## Support and warranty

Before shipping, all our SuperK lasers undergo an extensive burn-in to ensure performance and conformity to specifications. Our systems boast over 10,000 hours of continuous lifetime and underlines the high reliability of our NKT Photonics Crystal Fiber technology.

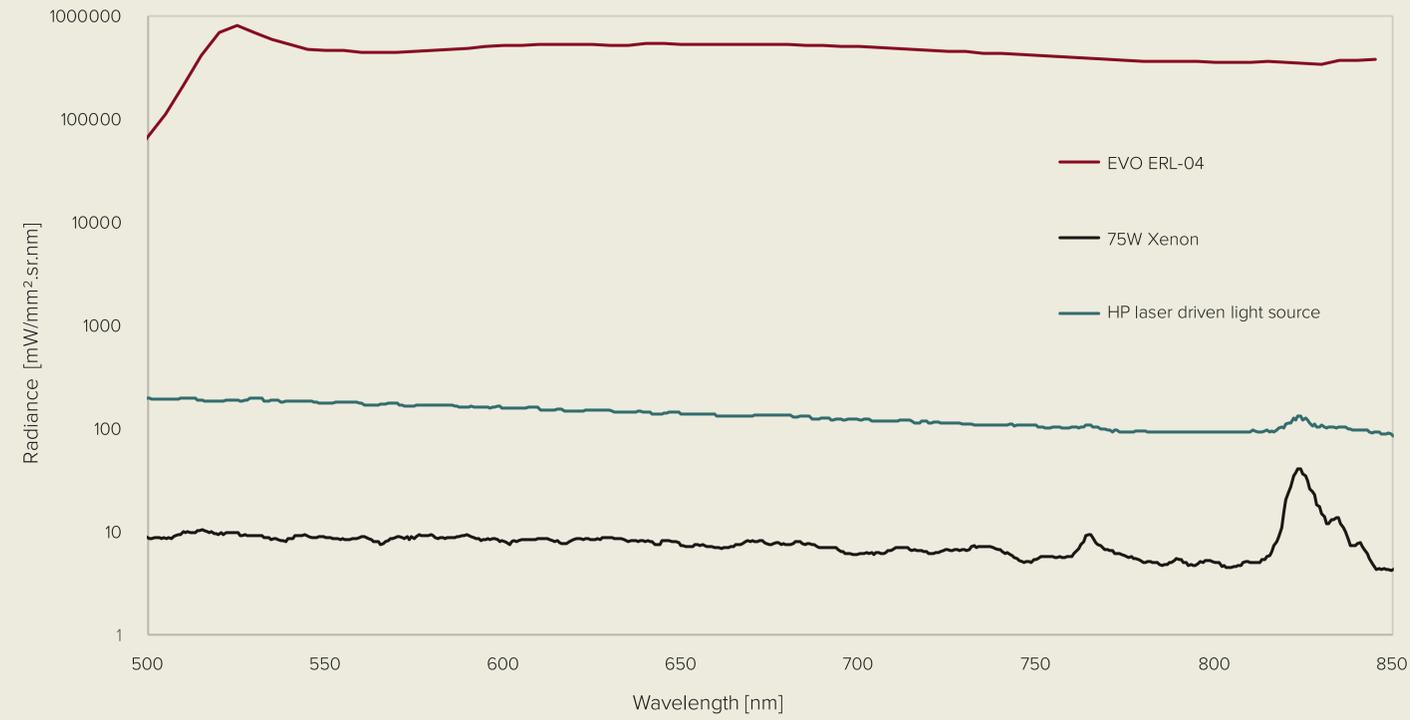
## Lifetime and service

The all-fiber architecture ensures a stable 24/7 operation and a maintenance-free lifetime of thousands of hours. Intended for industrial use, its rugged and compact design make it easy to mount and handle.

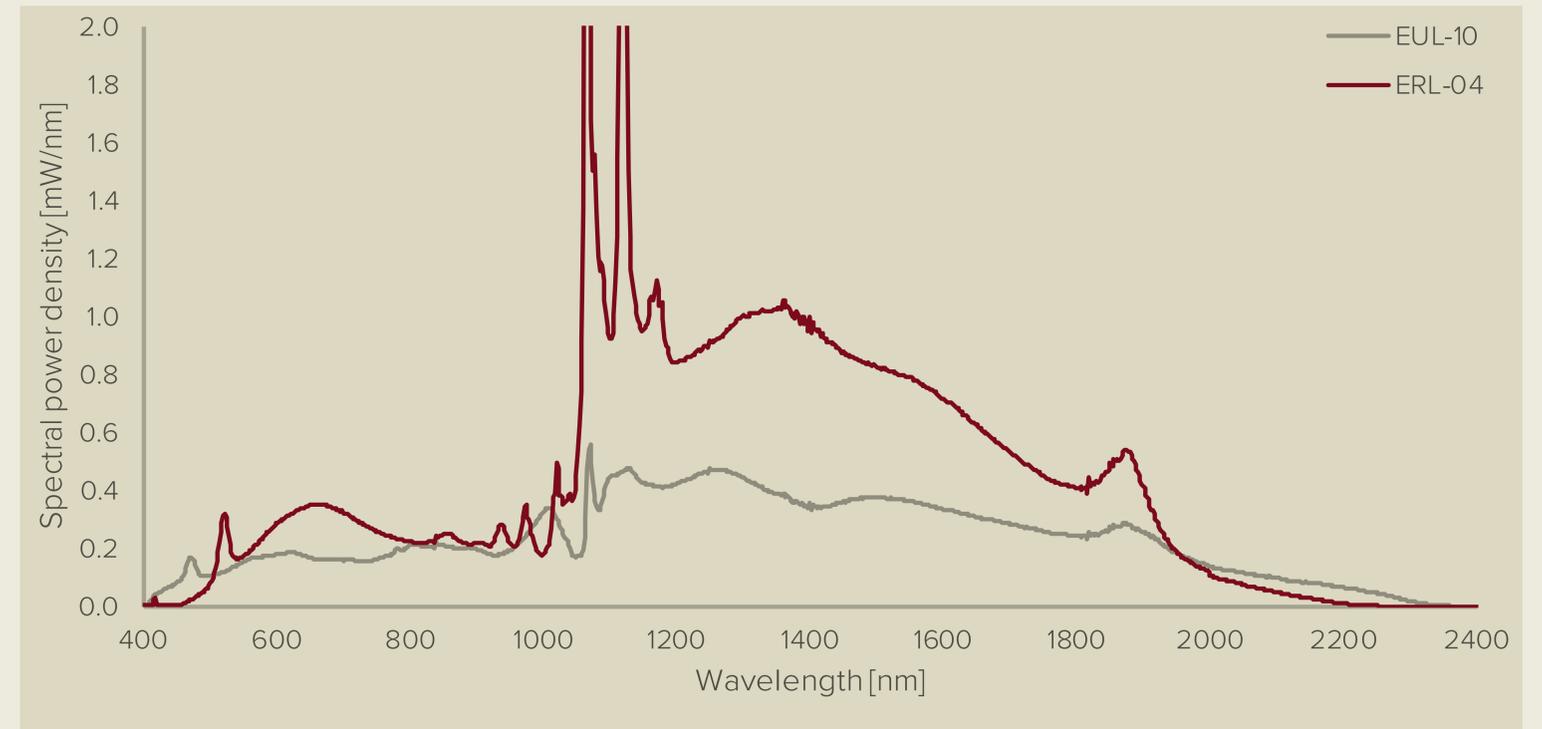
# Performance

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## Spectral radiance



## Spectral power density



# Specifications

## SuperK EVO

### Optical

|  |                     |                     |  |               |               |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|--|---------------|---------------|
| <b>Model</b>                               | ERL - 04            | EUL - 10            | <b>Beam diameter (collimated version) [mm]</b> | ≈ 1 @ 532 nm  | ≈ 1 @ 532 nm  |
| <b>Repetition rate [MHz]</b>               | 20                  | 30                  |  | ≈ 2 @ 1100 nm | ≈ 2 @ 1100 nm |
| <b>Spectral coverage [nm]</b>              | 510 - 2000          | 425 - 2250          |  | ≈ 3 @ 2000 nm | ≈ 3 @ 2000 nm |
| <b>Spectral power density [mW/nm]</b>      | N.A.                | 0.08 @ 450 nm       | <b>Fiber output</b>                            | Collimated    | Collimated    |
|  | 0.10 @ 532 nm       | 0.10 @ 532 nm       | <b>Beam divergence [mrad]</b>                  | < 1.5         |               |
|  | 0.20 @ 650 nm       | 0.16 @ 650 nm       | <b>Laser Class</b>                             | 4             |               |
|  | 0.25 @ 780 nm       | 0.20 @ 780 nm       |  |               |               |
|  | 0.25 @ 800 nm       | 0.20 @ 800 nm       |  |               |               |
| <b>Total power [W]</b>                     | ≈ 1                 | ≈ 0.3               |  |               |               |
| <b>Visibe power (350-850 nm) [mW]</b>      | ≈ 40                | ≈ 60                |  |               |               |
| <b>Total power stability, RMS [%]</b>      | ± 1                 | ± 1                 |  |               |               |
| <b>Cut-in wavelength [nm] <sup>1</sup></b> | 510                 | 425                 |  |               |               |
| <b>Polarization</b>                        | Random              | Random              |  |               |               |
| <b>Beam quality</b>                        | Diffraction Limited | Diffraction limited |  |               |               |

<sup>1</sup> Spectral power density > 0.1 mW/nm

# Specifications

## Electrical/Mechanical

|  |                         |                         |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Model</b>                                 | ERL - 4                 | EUL - 10                |
| <b>Output fiber length [m]</b>               | 1.5                     | 1.5                     |
| <b>Computer interface</b>                    | USB 2.0/RS-232/Ethernet | USB 2.0/RS-232/Ethernet |
| <b>Sync (trigger) output</b>                 | NIM                     | NIM                     |
| <b>Power supply requirements [V DC]</b>      | 24                      | 24                      |
| <b>Power consumption [W] <sup>1</sup></b>    | < 30                    | < 30                    |
| <b>Door interlock connector <sup>2</sup></b> | 2-pin LEMO              | 2-pin LEMO              |
| <b>External bus interface</b>                | 15 D-Sub                | 15 D-Sub                |
| <b>Operation temperature [°C]</b>            | 18 - 35                 | 18 - 35                 |
| <b>Storage temperature [°C]</b>              | -10 - 60                | -10 - 60                |
| <b>System cooling <sup>3</sup></b>           | Passive                 | Passive                 |
| <b>Dimensions (WxHxL) [mm]</b>               | 200 x 90 x 325          | 200 x 90 x 325          |
| <b>Weight [kg]</b>                           | 6                       | 6                       |

<sup>1</sup> Power consumption is depending on the total output power. <sup>2</sup> SuperK EVO is a class 4 laser and required to be connected to a door interlock/circuit. <sup>3</sup> Heat radiation from the base plate.

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### Software Development Kit (SDK)

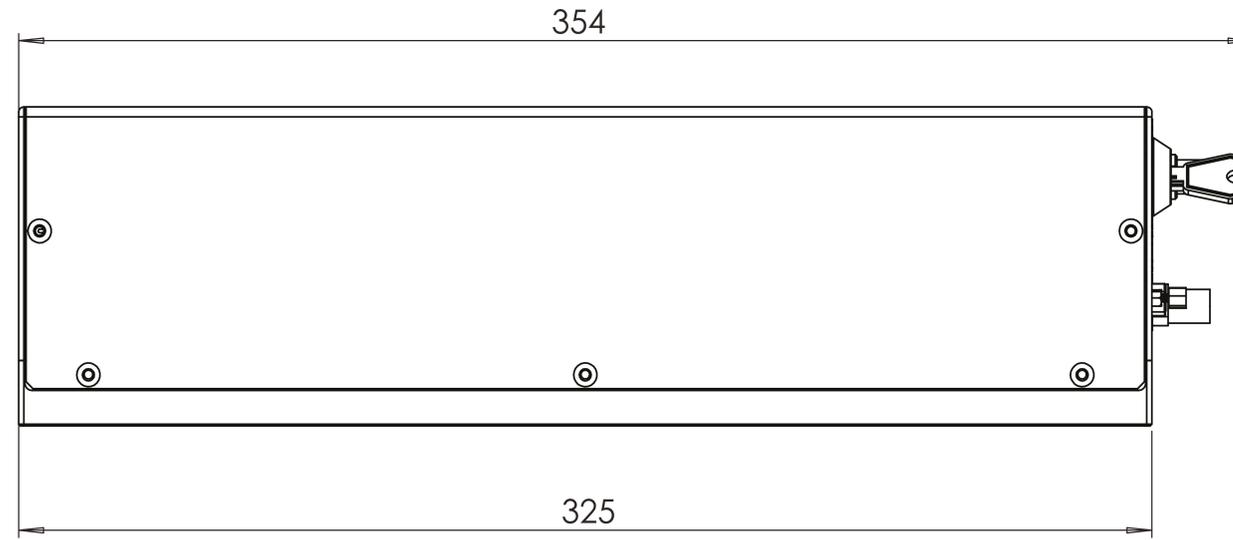
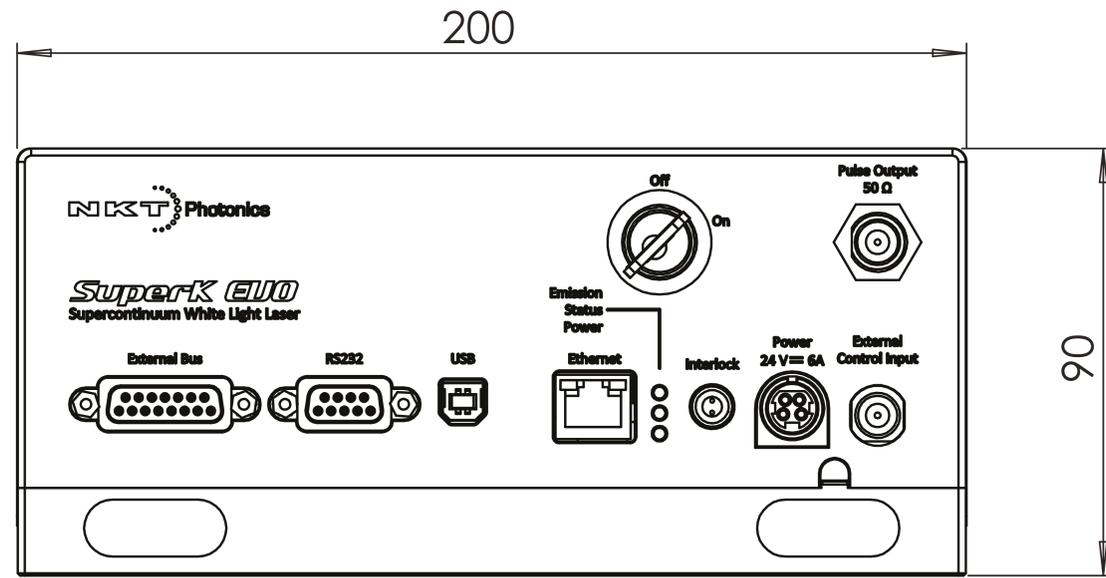
The free software development kit (SDK) enables control of the SuperK EVO laser using third party software and hardware.

The SDK contains a full description of the communication protocols as well as LabView drivers and C++/C# source code.

# Technical Drawings

## SuperK EVO

All NKT Photonics products are produced under our quality management system certified in accordance with the ISO 9001:2015 standard.



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