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Infrared Chalcogenide Glass IRG 25

Product Information

IRG 25 has excellent transmission in the SWIR, MWIR, & LWIR. Physical properties such as low dn/dT and low dispersion enable optical engineers to design color corrected optical systems without thermal defocusing. IRG 25 is optimized for pairing within the family of IR glasses and with other IR materials to support cost effective and high performance optical designs. Furthermore, IRG 25 can be processed by conventional grinding and polishing, single point diamond turning, or molding to support low to high volume component level fabrication.

Typical Forms of Supply

Typical forms of supply are upon customer request. Maximum sizes up to \varnothing 95 mm and 150 mm length. For sample parts we would like to offer you the following polished blanks:

- Diameter: 10 to 95 mm
- Thickness: 5 to 30 mm



Calculation Formula: Refractive index as a function of wavelength and temperature

$$n(\lambda, T) = \sqrt{1 + \frac{B_1 \lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C_1} + \frac{B_2 \lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C_2} + \frac{B_3 \lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C_3}}$$

$$\frac{dn}{dT} = \frac{n^2(\lambda, 22) - 1}{2n(\lambda, 22)} \left[D_0 + \frac{E_0}{\lambda^2 - \lambda_{TK}^2} \right]$$

Constants of Dispersion Formulas

B_1	2.7574
B_2	3.0990
B_3	1.6660
C_1	0.0000
C_2	0.1596
C_3	2045.5
D_0	$5.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$
E_0	$1.21 \cdot 10^{-5}$
λ_{TK}	$7.59 \cdot 10^{-5}$

Material Properties

Composition	$\text{Ge}_{28}\text{Sb}_{12}\text{Se}_{60}$
Density	4.66 g/cm ³
Thermal Expansion (20 – 100°C)	$14.0 \cdot 10^{-6}/\text{K}$
Specific Heat	0.33 J/(g · K)
Thermal Conductivity	0.25 W/(m · K)
Transition Temperature	285 °C
Hardness (Knoop)	1.13 GPa
Fracture Toughness	0.438 MPa · m ^{1/2}
Young's Modulus	22.1 GPa

Wavelength [μm]	Refractive Index (@ 22 °C)	$\Delta n \text{ abs} / \Delta T$ [$10^{-6}/\text{K}$] @ 22 °C
0.85	2.7811	–
1.0	2.7284	79.2
1.5	2.6629	69.0
2.0	2.6423	65.7
3.0	2.6277	63.3
4.0	2.6219	62.4
5.0	2.6183	62.0
6.0	2.6154	61.8
7.0	2.6126	61.6
8.0	2.6097	61.4
9.0	2.6065	61.3
10.0	2.6030	61.1
11.0	2.5992	61.0
12.0	2.5949	60.8

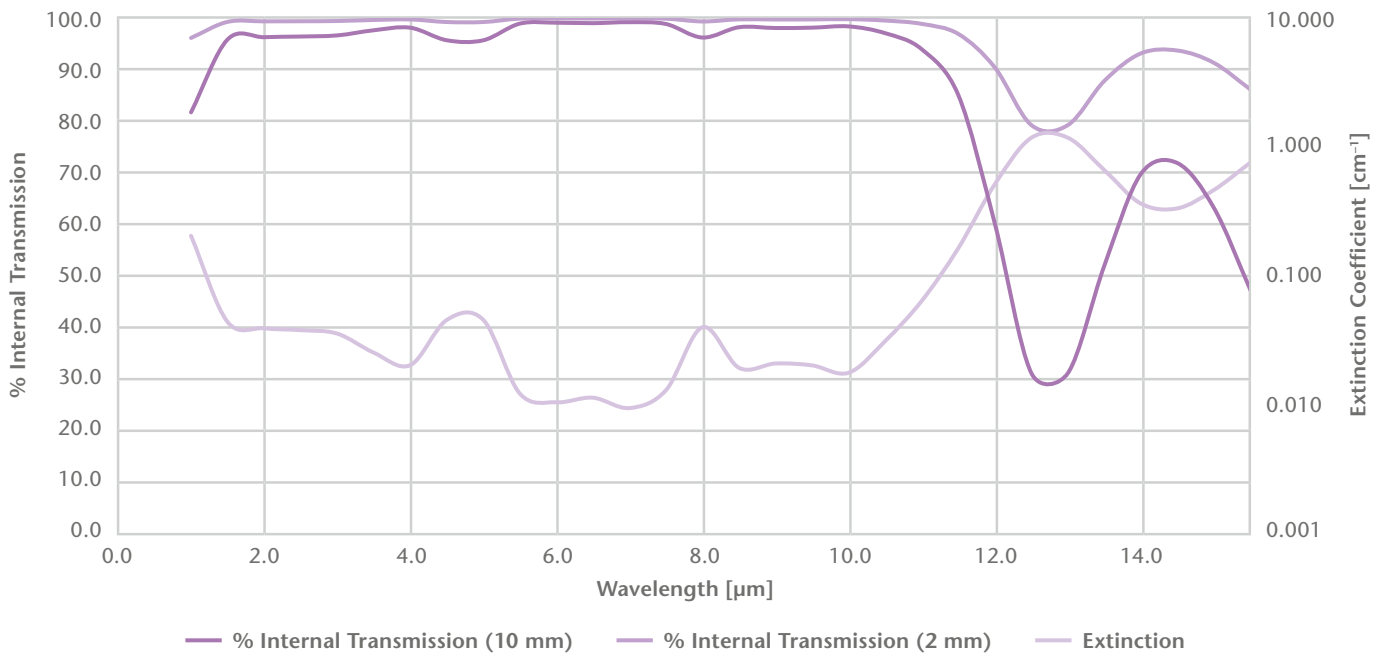
Refractive index tolerance at 10 μm wavelength: ± 0.001

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IRG 25 Extinction and Internal Transmission



Wavelength [μm]	% Transmission (10 mm)	% Transmission (2 mm)	Extinction [cm ⁻¹]
1.0	81.6	96.0	0.203
1.5	95.7	99.1	0.044
2.0	96.2	99.2	0.039
2.5	96.3	99.2	0.038
3.0	96.5	99.3	0.036
3.5	97.5	99.5	0.025
4.0	98.0	99.6	0.020
4.5	95.6	99.1	0.045
5.0	95.6	99.1	0.045
5.5	98.8	99.8	0.012
6.0	99.0	99.8	0.010
6.5	98.9	99.8	0.011
7.0	99.1	99.8	0.009
7.5	98.7	99.7	0.013
8.0	96.1	99.2	0.040

Wavelength [μm]	% Transmission (10 mm)	% Transmission (2 mm)	Extinction [cm ⁻¹]
8.5	98.1	99.6	0.019
9.0	97.9	99.6	0.021
9.5	98.0	99.6	0.020
10.0	98.2	99.6	0.018
10.5	96.9	99.4	0.031
11.0	93.8	98.7	0.064
11.5	85.0	96.8	0.163
12.0	60.1	90.3	0.509
12.5	31.1	79.2	1.167
13.0	31.1	79.2	1.167
13.5	52.0	87.7	0.654
14.0	69.7	93.0	0.361
14.5	71.8	93.6	0.332
15.0	63.1	91.2	0.461
15.5	47.2	86.0	0.752

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