

KDP and its isomorphs

PHYSICAL AND OPTICAL PROPERTIES

Crystals	KDP	DKDP
chemical formula	KH_2PO_4	KD_2PO_4
symmetry	42 m	42 m
hygroscopicity	high	high
density [g/cm ³]	2.332	2.355
thermal conductivity [W/cm×K]	$k_{11} = 1.9 \times 10^{-2}$	$k_{11} = 1.9 \times 10^{-2}$ $k_{33} = 2.1 \times 10^{-2}$
thermal expansion coefficients [1/K]	$a_{11} = 2.5 \times 10^{-5}$ $a_{33} = 4.4 \times 10^{-5}$	$a_{11} = 1.9 \times 10^{-5}$ $a_{33} = 4.4 \times 10^{-5}$
transmission range [μm]	0.18 ÷ 1.5	0.2 ÷ 2.0
residual absorption [1/cm] (at 1.06 μm)	0.04	0.005
measured refractive index (at 1.06 μm)	$n_o = 1.4938$ $n_e = 1.4599$	$n_o = 1.4931$ $n_e = 1.4582$
Sellmeier coeff. λ – wavelength in μm	$n^2 = A + \frac{B\lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - C} + \frac{D}{\lambda^2 - E}$ A n_o n_e B n_o n_e C n_o n_e D n_o n_e E n_o n_e	2.259276 2.2409 2.132668 2.1260 13.00522 2.2470 3.2279924 0.7844 400 126.9205 400 123.4032 0.01008956 0.0097 0.008637494 0.0086 0.012942625 0.0156 0.012281043 0.0120
nonlinear coeff. d_{36} (1.06 μm) [pm/V]	0.43	0.40
laser damage threshold [GW/cm ²] at 1.06 μm	10 ps – 100 1 ns – 10 15 ns – 14.4	250 ps – 6 10 ns – 0.5

Phase matching angles and bandwidths for SHG of 1064 nm

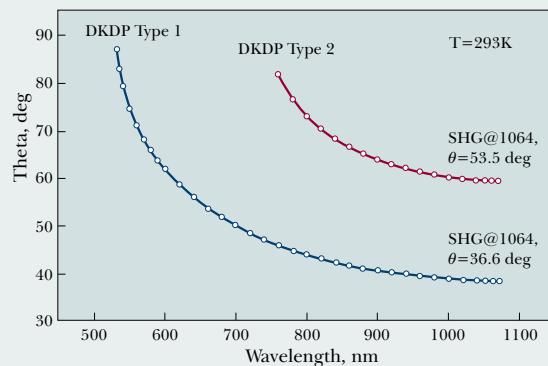
Type of phase matching	ooe	ooe	ooe	ooe
Cut angle, θ [deg]	41.2	59.1	36.6	53.7
acceptances (FWHM):				
Δθ (internal) [mrad×cm]	1.1	2.2	1.2	2.3
ΔT thermal [K×cm]	11	13.2		6.7
Δλ spectral [nm×cm]	7.25	5.57		5.57
walk off [mrad]	27	24	25	24

CUSTOM MANUFACTURING CAPABILITIES

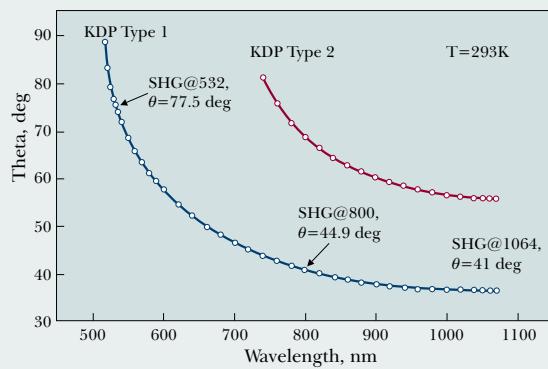
- The mass production of KDP and its isomorphs is available.
- OEM customers are granted with special attractive discounts.
- Different shapes (slabs, cylinders, Brewster ends) are available.
- AR, BBAR and P - coatings according to customer's choice.

APPLICATIONS

- Harmonic generators
- Electro-optical modulators



DKDP Second harmonic generation phasematching



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ADP, DADP, RDP, CDA and DCDA crystals are available too!

Please contact EKSMA for further information or nonstandard specifications.

Nonlinear and Laser Crystals