COLD LIGHT TECHNOLOGY



THE INNOVATIVE LIGHTING SY

PROPER LIGHTING is a basic need for precision work. In microscopy cold light sources constitute an essential piece of equipment in order to optimally illuminate specimens under examination. Photonic's fibre optic lighting is a highly innovative lighting system that is designed specifically to fulfil the complex scientific and engineering needs.

The light guide is supplied with "cold" light by perfectly coordinating the heat protection filter and the halogen lamp and by spatially isolating the halogen lamp from the surface being illuminated. The light is transported by bundles of glass fibres and guided to the object in the form of concentrated cold light, virtually free of heat-bearing infrared wavelengths.

THE TYPE AND DIRECTION of the illumination are critical for the outcome. Three approaches are used for the desired optimum image contrast: Incident light (offers highest light intensity with maximum flexibility and greatest



1 Ringlight (incident light)

The aim is to provide shadow-free and homogenous illumination of the specimen. The accessories available help produce polarised, diffused and fluorescent light.

2 Flexible, incident and gooseneck lightguides (incident light)

selection of lamps), dark field ringlight and transmitted light.

Flexible light guides, incident light guides and gooseneck light guides produce direct illumination. Light output is increased by up to 40% thanks to the use of the patented optical elements.

3 Dark field ringlight

The light has a very low angle of incidence at the surface of the object, ensuring improved recognition of surface structures. Minimal working distance, optimum representation of edges and vertical structures.

4 Line converter (incident light)

Using fibre optic line converters or line converter adapters visually enhances the structure of the surface being illuminated as a result of the extremely low angle of incidence of the light, particularly in forensic applications.

5 Transmitted light

Transmitted light illumination systems serve to illuminate objects from below.

STEM

PHOTONIC is one of the leading companies in the optics and opto-electronics industry and has a high level of expertise in the field of light projection and fibre optics. It has been accruing knowledge and skills since the birth of the optics industry. Today, Photonic is one of the world's major providers of fibre optic technology.

Photonic lighting systems excel by virtue of their

- Precise object illumination
- ► High light output
- Even illumination without a dark spot
- Individual structuring of the light beam with light guides, lens attachments and filter/filter combinations
- ► Variety of illumination options even in inaccessible places
- Increased lamp life thanks to the newly developed soft start electronics
- ► Unexpected voltages are discharged in combination with ESD light guides



Stackable The stackability of the units is of great benefit for a number of applications and logistics.



Ergonomic design

Photonic cold light sources are constructed from an ergonomic standpoint. From the handle to their light weight, everything is designed to facilitate "optimum" operation.



Side filter insert

The filter insert is located on the side of the unit. This means that filters can easily be exchanged, even when units are stacked. A wide range of different adapters are available. The filter frames have also been designed for easy filter glass exchange at any time.



Simple lamp replacement

The ergonomic design of the light source and the ease of access to the lamp socket mean that lamps and lamp sockets can be replaced without the need for any other tools.



LIGHTSOURCES

PHOTONIC COLD LIGHT SOURCES guarantee a new dimension in terms of light output, light quality and system costs. They are compatible with all microscopes from leading manufacturers.

Quiet vibration-free operation

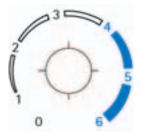
Thanks to their optimised ventilation systems, Photonic cold light sources are equipped with more compact ventilators than other light sources providing the same output and in the case of minimal electric rated capacity they are not fitted with any active cooling at all. Cushion mounted ventilators, a special plastic housing, and absorption elements on the base plate of the light source reduce the level of noise and vibration to a minimum or eliminate them completely.

Long lamp life

The life span of the halogen lamp is maximised through optimal cooling, the electronic brightness control, and the soft start facility. All these measures result in a significant increase in the life of the lamps, while maintaining high light output.

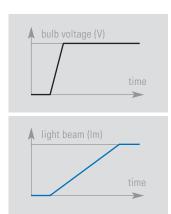
Heat absorbing filter

A so-called heat absorbing filter is installed in the light path of the cold light source to minimise the level of heat. This means that a large percentage of the thermal radiation is already transformed into heat and dissipated in the light source before it enters the light guide.



Electrical brightness control and turbo mode

The electrical brightness control permits the infinitely variable regulation of light intensity. In turbo mode, the lamp is operated at excessive voltage to increase brightness and output further. In many cases lamp life can be extended considerably using the appropriate setting based on the actual functional requirements.



| Model | Specs | Lifespan |
|-------|------------|----------|
| EKE | 150 W/21 V | 200 h |
| EJA | 150 W/21 V | 50 h |
| DDL | 150 W/20 V | 500 h |

Lamps

Lamps offering different lifespans are available to suit your individual needs.

Soft Start

The integrated switch mode power supply gently increases lamp voltage after activation, increasing lamp life.

PERFECT LIGHT FOR EVERY N



PL 1000

- Most economical option
- Electronic brightness control
- No ventilator
- For applications requiring absolutely noise-less, vibration free operation

PL 1000 B

Additional mechanical brightness control



- ► High economical output
- Electronic brightness control
- ► Long lamp life
- Ventilator-cooled light source

PL 2000 B

Additional mechanical brightness control

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Colour and daylight filters allow the light path to be structured in many various ways. The filter frame is designed for exchanging filters easily and also for using one's own appropriately modified filters. Additional effects can be achieved in combination with the light guide filters.



Base plate

Firmly attaching it to the underside of the light source, especially when using gooseneck light guides, greatly improves overall stability.





PL 3000

- Optimal light output
- Electronic brightness control
- Maximum cost effectiveness
- Ventilator-cooled light source

PL 3000 B

Additional mechanical brightness control



PL 3000 R

- ► Lamp with universal voltage range (100-240 V)
- Ripple free power supply (PFC)
- Electronic brightness control
- Connection for manual remote-control
- Remote socket for serial interface (RS 232) for computerised control (for PL 3000 R and RB)

PL 3000 RB

Additional mechanical brightness control

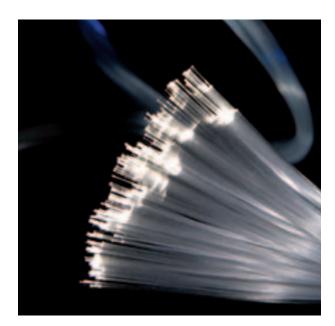


Serial interface (RS 232) for PL 3000R to support control and **remote control** with memory function for electronic brightness control





LIGHT GUIDES



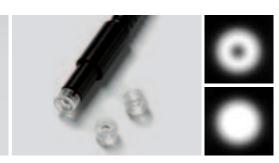
FIBRE OPTICS from Photonic deliver outstanding transmission speeds and optimum light distribution. The luminous flux is unrivalled in comparison with that of its competitors. High-quality fibre sheathing prevents fibre breakage, while the light guide connection is exceptionally heat resistant. This guarantees the highest quality in each particular application and exceptionally long optical fibre life.

- ► Highest transmission speed
- High-quality sheathing protects fibres
- ► Stable aluminium end-piece design
- Optimal light distribution
- ► High temperature resilience
- ► Long fibre durability combined with intense light sources



Focusing lens attachment for ringlights Larger working distances can reduce light output considerably. The newly developed focusing lens attachment (standard ringlight component) ensures optimal illumination regardless of the working distance.

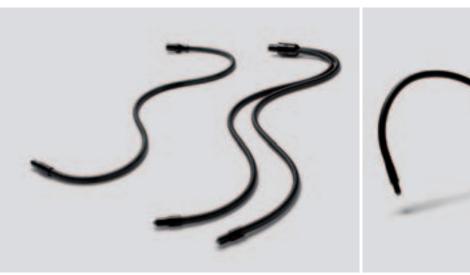
| Working distance | Increase in brightness with focusing lens |
|------------------|--|
| 60 mm | 1.5 x |
| 75 mm | 2 x |
| 100 mm | З х |
| 300 mm | 7 x |
| | |



Optical element to eliminate dark spot

The development of a special optical element eliminates the dark spot in the middle of the illuminated work surface (occurs primarily with standard light guides with smaller light guide cross sections, see small upper image), resulting in an increase in the light output of up to 40 % (lower image)

FLEXIBLE, SEMI-FLEXIBLE AND



Flexible lightguides can be moved freely and are available as one or two armed designs. They allow single-point illumination.

Gooseneck lightguides with one or two arms also allow single-point illumination. A semi-flexible protective/encasing sleeve means the light guide can be positioned in any direction. Gooseneck light guides are also available as **ESD versions,** i.e. any charge that may occur will be dissipated via/through the light source.

Incident lights consist of a flexible lead to a dual gooseneck which can be attached to the rear of the microscope tripod. This means that the gooseneck can be affixed to the microscope and the light source positioned wherever required.









) COMBINED



Fibre optic line converter for extreme incident light illumination. The high light output of the integrated adjustable cylinder lens allows the optimal detection of diverse surface structures and is available in different lengths and diameters

Patented line converter attachment for all flexible light guides, incident light guides and gooseneck light guides. Permits the optimal detection of various surface structures.

ACCESSORIES LIGHTGUIDES, GOOSENECK LIGHTGUIDES AND INCIDENT LIGHTGUIDES



Filter and focusing lens holder The filter and focusing lens holder consists of a frame onto which the focusing lens and/or suitable filter can be screwed. A huge range of filters is available for mastering the most diverse tasks.



Adjustable stand for flexible lightguides Consists of a heavy base plate and an articulated arm that can be swivelled in all directions. It is attached by only one locking screw and is fitted with a universal and protective light guide holder. Alternatively, the articulated arm can also be attached by means of an M6 thread or an M8 adapter, without the base plate.



Incident light adapter for attaching incident light guides to microscope tripods

MANY RINGLIGHTS DESIGNS



Standard ringlights (66 mm with focusing attachment) can be attached directly onto the stereo microscope lens, providing homogenous, shadow-free illumination. They are available as **4-point ringlights** and **continuous ringlights** with a range of long, flexible leads. Adapter 66/58 mm and other adapters for different lens diameters are also available.

High light output thanks to focusing attachment

A special patented focusing attachment is available to increase light intensity at the object by means of adjustments in relation to the working distance. By twisting this easily installed element, optimal illumination can be guaranteed, irrespective of the working distance. It is available for continuous and 4-point ringlights with 66 mm internal diameters.

Various sizes The ringlights are available in 18 mm, 25 mm and 40 mm diameters.

ACCESSORIES FOR RINGLIGHTS



Polarising filter set for ringlights The polarising filter set, consisting of a polarizer and analyser, suppresses reflection. It is used to examine highly reflective or transparent materials and is installed in the ringlight.



Fluorescence filter sets for ringlights This filter set consists of an excitation filter installed in the light source, and a cut-off filter installed in the light path of the lens. The set is employed to examine fluorescence in the visible range.





Customised solutions for lightguides in response to customer's special requirements, e.g. 66 mm continuous ringlight with 90° angled lightguide and focusing attachment or maxi-ringlight with 188 mm internal diameter. Continuous ringlights 66 mm are also available in **ESD versions** (without focusing attachment), i.e. any charge that may occur will be dissipated via/through the light source.

Dark field ringlight

Depending on the illumination distance, the low angle of reflection allows various illumination intensity distributions. Positioned directly over the object.



Diffuser Generates diffuse light for homogenous and shadow-free illumination



Segment shutter Moving the positioning slide masks a segment of the ringlight.



Ringlight adapters

For microscope lenses that do not allow ringlights with a standard diameter of 66 mm to be attached, a large number of adapters is available. Adapters can be individually customised in response to customer needs.

ALL PRODUCTS - SPECIFICATI

LIGHTSOURCES

| Model | | PL 1000 | PL 2000 | PL 3000 | PL 3000 R |
|--|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Article number | 230–240 V | 596-20-15099 | 596-20-25099 | 596-20-35099 | - |
| | 230–240 V B* | 596-20-15199 | 596-20-25199 | 596-20-35199 | - |
| | 100–120 V | 596-20-16099 | 596-20-26099 | 596-20-36099 | - |
| | 100–120 V B* | 596-20-16199 | 596-20-26199 | 596-20-36199 | - |
| | 100–240 V R | - | - | - | 596-20-38099 |
| | 100-240 V RB* | - | - | - | 596-20-38199 |
| Light intensity max. | (at light guide input) | 8 MIx | 18 Mlx | 26 MIx | 26 MIx |
| Halogen bulb | | 30 W/10.8 V | 100 W/12 V | 150 W/21 V | 150 W/21 V |
| Power input max. | | 50 VA | 150 VA | 200 VA | 200 VA |
| Brightness control | | continuous | continuous | continuous | continuous |
| Turbo range | | • | • | • | • |
| Color temperature | at max. standard position | 3200 K | 3250 K | 3250 K | 3250 K |
| | with daylight filter | 5400 K | 5400 K | 5400 K | K 5400 K |
| Color temperature d | isplay | - | - | - | - |
| Lamp life | at max. standard position | 770 h | 3000 h | 1500 h | 1500 h |
| | at max. turbo position | 70 h | 360 h | 160 h | 160 h |
| Electric control incre | eases lamp life | • | • | • | • |
| Elimination of dark s | spot | • | • | • | • |
| Heat protection filte | r | - | • | • | • |
| Filter insert at side Filter exchange in frame possible Stackable Soft start Optimised cooling | | • | • | • | • |
| | | • | • | • | • |
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| | | • | • | • | • |
| | | • | • | • | • |
| Cool plastic housing | | • | • | • | • |
| Overheating protect | ion | • | • | • | • |
| Soundproofing | | No noise | • | • | • |
| Vibration damping | | No vibration | • | • | • |
| Breeze-free workpla | се | • | • | • | • |
| Handle | | • | • | • | • |
| Easy bulb replaceme | ent | • | • | • | • |
| Easy bulb socket replacement | | • | • | • | • |
| Easy fuse replaceme | ent | • | • | • | • |
| Fuses (230/240 V, 10 | 00/120 V) T mAH | 500/800 | 1250/2500 | 1250/2500 | 2500 |
| Mains cable, plug-ir | | • | • | • | |
| Light guide connecti | | 15 mm | 15 mm | 15 mm | 15 mm |
| Housing material | | PC + ABS | PC + ABS | PC + ABS | PC + ABS |
| Fire resistance V-O (| UL) | • | • | • | • |
| Color | | RAL 9001 | RAL 9001 | RAL 9001 | RAL 9001 |
| Dimensions in mm | | 168/120/268 mm | 168/120/268 mm | 168/120/268 mm | 168/120/268 mm |
| Weight | | 1.3 kg | 1.5 kg | 1.6 kg | 1.6 kg |
| No frontal light emis | ssion | • | • | • | • |
| CE certifications | | • | • | • | • |
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*B = Version with additional mechanical brightness control

ONS AND EQUIPMENT

LIGHTGUIDES / RINGLIGHTS

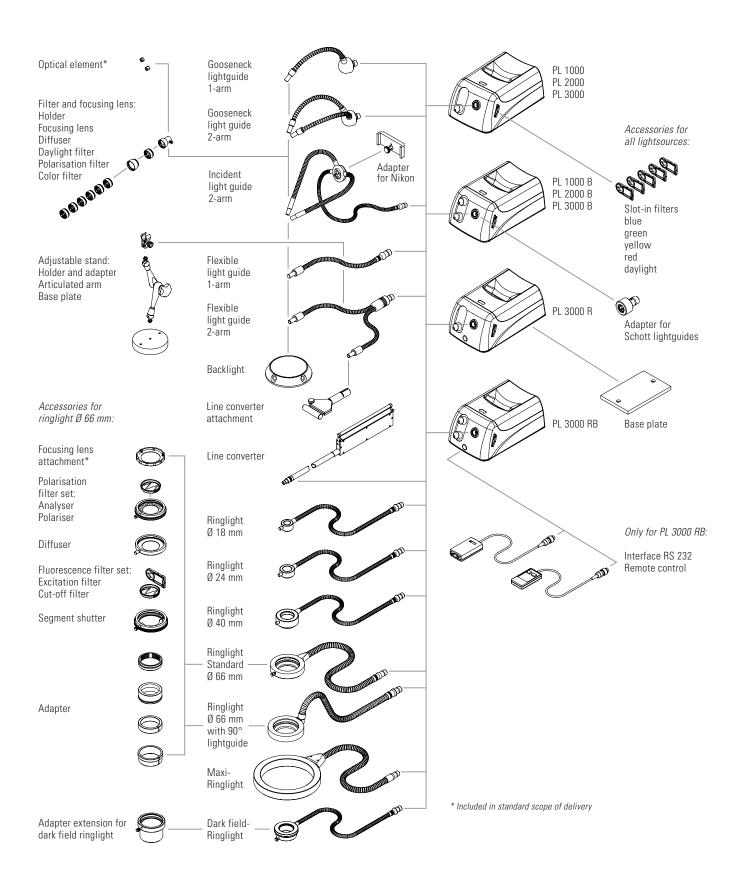
| FLEXIBLE LIGHTGUIDES | Length LG | LG Ø** 3 mm | LG Ø** 4,5 mm | LG Ø** 7 mm | |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1-arm | 800 mm | 598-20-001 | 598-20-011 | 598-20-021 | |
| | 1200 mm | 598-20-002 | 598-20-012 | 598-20-022 | |
| | 1600 mm | 598-20-003 | 598-20-013 | 598-20-023 | |
| 2-arm | 800 mm | 598-20-031 | 598-20-041 | 598-20-051 | |
| | 1200 mm | 598-20-032 | 598-20-042 | 598-20-052 | |
| | 1600 mm | 598-20-033 | 598-20-043 | 598-20-053 | |
| GOOSENECK LIGHTGUIDES | Length LG | LG Ø** 4 mm | | | |
| 1-arm | 550 mm | 598-20-061 | | | |
| 2-arm | 550 mm | 598-20-062 | | | |
| 2-arm ESD | 550 mm | 598-20-068 | | | |
| INCIDENT LIGHTGUIDES | Length flex. LG / Gooseneck | LG Ø** 4 mm | | | |
| 2-arm | 800 / 550 mm | 598-20-071 | | | |
| | 1200 / 550 mm | 598-20-072 | | | |
| | 1600 / 550 mm | 598-20-073 | | | |
| RINGLIGHTS | Length flex. LG | | LG Ø** 6,3 mm | | LG Ø** 8,3 mm |
| 4-Point-RL 66 mm* | 800 mm | | 598-20-091 | | |
| | 1200 mm | | 598-20-092 | | |
| | 1600 mm | | 598-20-093 | | |
| Cont. RL 66 mm* | 800 mm | | | | 598-20-081 |
| | 1200 mm | | | | 598-20-082 |
| | 1600 mm | | | | 598-20-083 |
| Cont. RL 66 mm* ESD | 800 mm | | | | 598-20-088 |
| | Length flex. LG | | LG Ø** 6 mm | LG Ø** 7 mm | LG Ø** 9 mm |
| Cont. RL 66 mm* with 90° angle | d LG 1000 mm | | | | 595-20-130 |
| Cont. RL 18 mm | 1000 mm | | | 598-20-101 | |
| Cont. RL 25 mm | 1000 mm | | 598-20-102 | | |
| Cont. RL 40 mm | 1000 mm | | | 598-20-103 | |
| Darkfield RL | 1000 mm | | | 595-20-143 | |
| LINE CONVERTER | Length x Ø Cyl. / Length flex. LG | | | | |
| | 30 x 0,50 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-088 | | | |
| | 50 x 0,50 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-083 | | | |
| | 50 x 1,00 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-127 | | | |
| | 80 x 0,50 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-089 | | | |
| | 100 x 0,50 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-090 | | | |
| | 120 x 0,50 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-073 | | | |
| | 300 x 0,45 mm / 800 mm | 595-20-072 | | | |
| Line converter attachment | | 595-20-140 | | | |
| BACKLIGHT | | | | | |
| (sui | table for all flexible light guides) | 595-30-075 | | | |
| | | | | | |

* Adapter 66/58 mm available upon request ** active diameter fibre bundle

ACCESSORIES

| LIGHTSOURCES | | RINGLIGHTS | |
|---|------------|--|------------|
| Filter frame without filter | 593-37-006 | Polarising filter set | 598-20-027 |
| Filter holder with blue filter | 593-30-001 | Polariser | 595-30-001 |
| with green filter | 593-30-002 | Analyser | 595-30-002 |
| with yellow filter | 593-30-003 | Fluorescence filter sets: | |
| with red filter | 593-30-004 | 420/500 nm | 595-20-058 |
| with daylight filter | 593-30-005 | 470/540 nm | 595-20-065 |
| with grey filter | 593-30-221 | 505/580 nm | 595-20-066 |
| Remote control for PL 3000R | 593-30-006 | 530/600 nm | 595-20-067 |
| Serial interface (RS 232) for PL 3000 R | 593-30-008 | 570/640 nm | 595-20-068 |
| Base plate | 596-30-051 | Excitation filter 420 nm | 593-30-030 |
| Adapter for Schott standard light guides | 593-30-007 | 470 nm | 593-30-031 |
| LIGHTGUIDES / GOOSENECKS / INCIDENT LIGHTG | GUIDES | 505 nm | 593-30-032 |
| Articulated support arm | 595-30-029 | 530 nm | 593-30-033 |
| Base plate | 595-30-028 | 570 nm | 593-30-034 |
| Light guide holder | 595-30-005 | Cut-off filter 500 nm | 595-30-004 |
| Filter and lens holder | 595-30-006 | 540 nm | 595-30-041 |
| Focusing lens 20 | 595-30-007 | 580 nm | 595-30-042 |
| Focusing lens 26 | 595-30-056 | 600 nm | 595-30-060 |
| Filter blue | 595-30-008 | 640 nm | 595-30-043 |
| green | 595-30-009 | Segment shutter | 595-30-080 |
| yellow | 595-30-010 | Diffuser | 595-30-024 |
| red | 595-30-011 | Adapter 66/58 | 595-32-258 |
| daylight | 595-30-012 | 66/54 | 598-30-002 |
| polarisation | 595-30-013 | 66/50 | 598-30-017 |
| Incident light adapter for Nikon SMZ 600, 800, 1000 | 598-30-023 | 66/47 | 598-30-004 |
| Incident light adapter for Nikon SMZ 1500 | 598-30-024 | 66/60 | 598-32-043 |
| | | 66/62 | 598-32-127 |
| | | 66/M48 x 0.75 | 598-32-049 |
| | | 66/M55 x 0.75 | 598-32-050 |
| | | Universal 38–58 mm | 598-30-022 |
| | | Adapter extension for dark field ringlight | 595-30-083 |

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