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STANFORD RESEARCH SYSTEMS

Stanford Research NL100 Nitrogen Laser

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MODEL

**Stanford Research
Systems NL100**

CALIBRATION

**Available on
request**

CONDITION

Used

STATUS

In stock

RFQ / SKU

NL100

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This unit

The Stanford Research Systems NL100 is a compact, pulsed nitrogen laser emitting at 337.1 nm for UV photochemistry, fluorescence spectroscopy, and MALDI-TOF mass spectrometry. This sealed, cartridge-based design eliminates mirror alignment while delivering 170 μ J pulses at up to 20 Hz with <3.5 ns pulse width and 45 kW peak power. Factory-aligned optics, TTL triggering, and integrated interlock control enable rapid experimental deployment with minimal setup overhead.

Technical Specifications
Wavelength: 337.1 nm, spectral bandwidth 0.1 nm
Pulse characteristics: <3.5 ns FWHM, 170 μ J energy, 45 kW peak power
Repetition rate: 1–20 Hz (internal), 0–20 Hz (external TTL)
Average power: 3 mW at 20 Hz maximum
Beam profile: 3 mm $\times$ 7 mm, divergence 5 mrad $\times$ 8 mrad (full angle)
Energy stability: 3% std. dev. (pulse-to-pulse at 10 Hz)
Supply voltage: +24 VDC, 1.5 A average (20 Hz), 3 A peak
Power consumption: 36 W at 20 Hz
Dimensions: 9.5 cm $\times$ 9.5 cm $\times$ 27.9 cm (W $\times$ H $\times$ D); 3.4 kg
Compliance: Class 3B, 21 CFR 1040.10

Key Features
Replaceable sealed laser cartridge with integrated capacitor storage, switching element, and tube
No mirror alignment required; optics permanently factory-mounted on plasma tube
TTL-level external trigger input (opto-isolated) with optional sync output pulse
Internal trigger generator with 1–20 Hz adjustment
Built-in interlock switch and key switch for safety control
Command Charge operating mode available

Typical Applications
Fluorescence-based analytical techniques
MALDI-TOF mass spectrometry ionization
Photochemistry and photobiology research
UV spectroscopy and time-resolved studies

Compatibility & Integration
The NL100 is fully compatible with Spectra-Physics model VSL-337i OEM Nitrogen Laser (part #337999-04). Low-voltage +24 VDC supply requirement and TTL control interfaces simplify integration into OEM systems and custom benchtop setups.

Features & description

From manufacturer datasheet

Features

- 337.1 nm N2 laser with 0.1 nm spectral bandwidth
- 170 uJ pulse energy; 45 kW peak; 3 mW average at 20 Hz
- Internal 1 to 20 Hz or external 0 to 20 Hz TTL (opto-isolated)
- Replaceable cartridge warranted to at least 70 % energy for 20 million pulses or one year
- Class 3B UV; 21 CFR 1040.10 and IEC 60825 compliance stated by SRS
- +24 VDC OEM-style power (average 1.5 A at 20 Hz, 3 A peak)

NL100 Characteristics / Specifications

PARAMETER	VALUE
Model	NL100
Manufacturer	Stanford Research Systems
Instrument Type	Pulsed Nitrogen Laser
Alias	NL100; SRS NL100
Laser Wavelength	337.1 nm
Spectral Bandwidth	0.1 nm
Pulse Width FWHM	less than 3.5 ns
Pulse Energy	170 uJ (catalog; manual also states 170 uJ at 10 Hz)
Energy Stability	3 % standard deviation (pulse to pulse at 10 Hz)
Peak Power	45 kW
Average Power Catalog	3 mW at 20 Hz
Average Power Manual	3.4 mW
Beam Size	3 mm x 7 mm
Beam Divergence	5 mrad x 8 mrad (full angle)
External Trigger Rate	0 to 20 Hz
Internal Trigger Rate	1 to 20 Hz adjustable
External Trigger Input	TTL, opto-isolated
Trigger Modes	internal, external, or command charge
Power Requirements	+24 VDC +/-1 V; 1.5 A average at 20 Hz; 3 A peak
Power Consumption	36 W at 20 Hz operation
Required External Supply	24 VDC, 50 W class, 3 A peak (not built-in AC mains supply)
Operating Temperature	less than 35 C
Key Switch	on/off
Interlock Switch	built-in; Pin 5 +Interlock must be terminated for operation
Laser Class	Class 3B (invisible 337.1 nm)

PARAMETER	VALUE
Safety Standards	IEC 60825 and US 21 CFR 1040.10 (SRS certification statement)
Cartridge Energy Retention	at least 70 % of energy for twenty million pulses or one year, whichever occurs first
Cartridge Contents	HV storage capacitors, switching element, and laser tube
Mirror Alignment	not required; optics mounted on plasma tube at factory
VSL Compatibility	mechanical retrofit compatible with Spectra-Physics VSL-337i OEM 337999-04
Dimensions	3.75 in x 3.75 in x 11 in WHL (9.5 cm x 9.5 cm x 27.9 cm)
Weight	7.5 lbs (3.4 kg)
Power Connectors	Hypertronics receptacle and DB-9 (interlock/power options per manual) Notes Specs from SRS NL100 product page, NL100 catalog, and NL100 user manual. Average-power figures differ slightly between catalog (3 mW at 20 Hz) and manual (3.4 mW); use the faceplate/manual for the shipped unit. Requires a user-supplied +24 VDC supply.
Bandwidth	170 uJ pulse energy; 45 kW peak; 3 mW average at 20 Hz - Internal 1 to 20 Hz or external 0 to 20 Hz TTL (opto-isolated) - Replaceable cartridge warranted to at least 70 % energy for 20 million pulses or one year - Class 3B UV; 21 CFR 1040.10 and IEC

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Full OEM specifications

Complete technical content extracted from the manufacturer datasheet. Sparse OEM tables are reconstructed as tables below; other text is preserved as paragraphs.

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