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USER HANDBOOK



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# 1. INTRODUCTION

## SEALED DETECTORS WITH PRE-AMPLIFIERS

Irradian's DA211-Cos range of data logger compatible ultra-violet and visible detectors comprise of a sensitive photodiode detector with filter glasses and a transimpedance amplifier, providing a voltage output. Each detector is sealed in a weatherproof enclosure and operates from a single rail power supply.

Models in the DA211-Cos series include: a UVA detector with peak response at 365nm; a UVB2 and narrower bandwidth UVB3 detector with peak responses at 311nm; a broad band UVAB detector with a peak at 352nm; a visible detector with an accurate photopic response.

Key design features include:

- Self cleaning input diffuser
- Stay dry diffuser with wide water drainage slots
- Good cosine response
- Infinity error correction ring
- All aluminium body with weather resistant anodising
- High stability photodiodes
- Internal calibration resistor, adjustable for annual recalibration

Five models of sealed UV and visible detectors are available:

UVA:	Model DA211A-Cos
UVB:	Model DA211B2-Cos Model DA211B3-Cos
UVAB:	Model DA211AB-Cos
Photopic:	Model DA211L-Cos

## 2. SPECIFICATION

Models	Region	Figure	$\lambda_{\text{peak}}$	FWHM
A-Cos	UVA	1	$365 \pm 2\text{nm}$	$35 \pm 2\text{nm}$
B2-Cos	UVB2	2	$311 \pm 2\text{nm}$	$19 \pm 2\text{nm}$
B3-Cos	UVB3	3	$311 \pm 2\text{nm}$	$14 \pm 2\text{nm}$
AB-Cos	UVAB	4	$352 \pm 5\text{nm}$	$84 \pm 5\text{nm}$
L-Cos	Photopic	5	$555 \pm 10\text{nm}$	$100 \pm 10\text{nm}$

Cosine Corrected Input: Within  $\pm 5\%$  up to  $70^\circ$ . Refer to Figure 6.

Sensitivity\*:  $10\text{mV per W}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}$   
 $10\mu\text{V per lux}$

\* Other ranges available on request.

Calibration:  $\pm 7.5\%$  (UV)  
 $\pm 3.0\%$  (lux)  
 Traceable to NPL standards.

Diffuser Area:  $176\text{ mm}^2$ ,  $\varnothing 15\text{ mm}$ .

Linearity:  $<1\%$  Error

Max. Power Density:  $2 \times 10^5\text{ lux}$  for linear operation.

Operating Temperature Range:  $-10$  to  $+60\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Storage Temperature Range:  $-20$  to  $+60\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$

Temperature Dependence: Sensitivity  $<0.1\% / ^\circ\text{C}$  (typical)  
 Amplifier DC offset Refer to Figure 7.

Input Supply: 7 to 15V DC

Current Consumption:  $<2\text{mA @}12\text{V}$

Warm Up Period: 10 seconds

Cable: 5 meter screened multicore.  
 (other lengths available)

Mounting: Two M4 tapped holes on a 43mm PCD.

Housing: Black anodised aluminium, also  
 available in stainless steel.

Enclosure Rating: IP65

Weight: 250g (excluding cable)

### 3. SPECTRAL RESPONSE

DA211A-Cos  
Relative Spectral Response

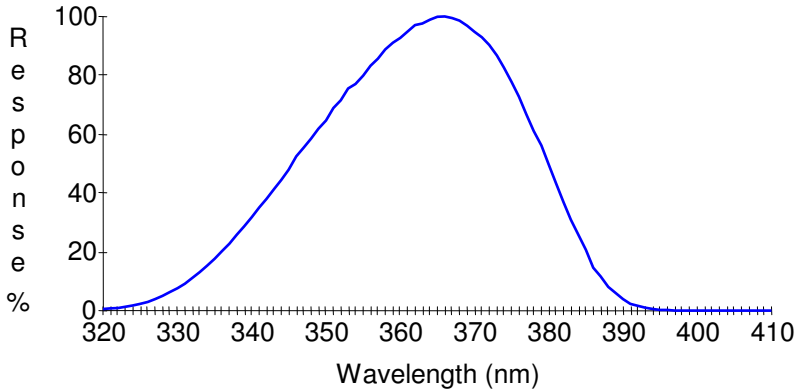


Figure 1

DA211B2-Cos  
Relative Spectral Response

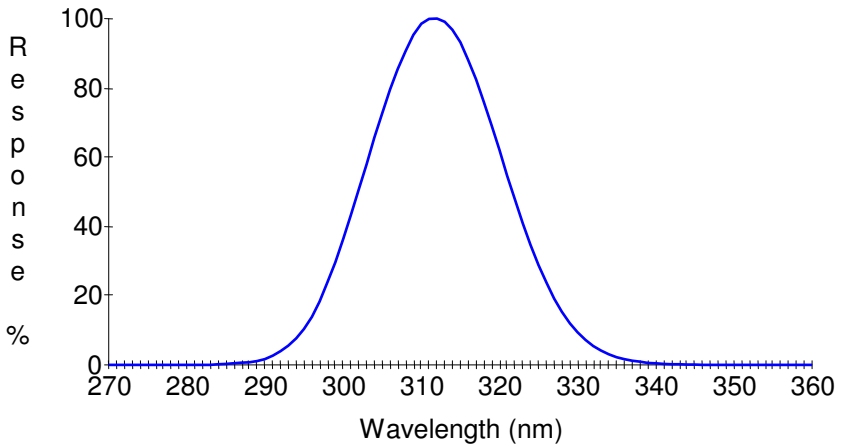


Figure 2

### 3. SPECTRAL RESPONSE (continued):

DA211B3-Cos  
Relative Spectral Response

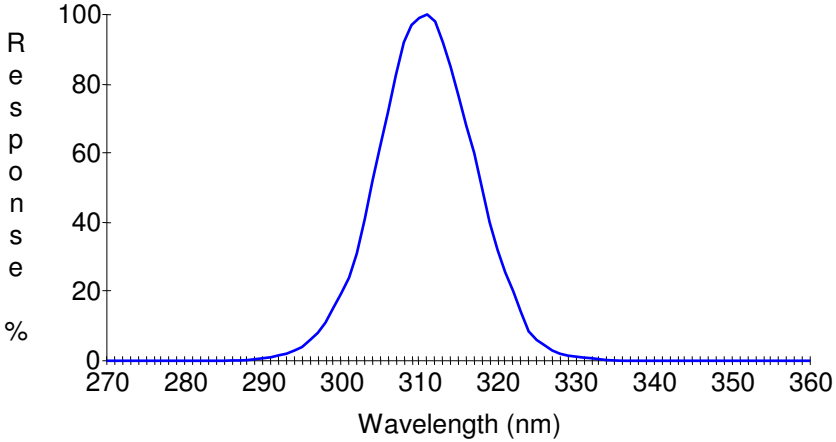


Figure 3

DA211AB-Cos  
Relative Spectral Response

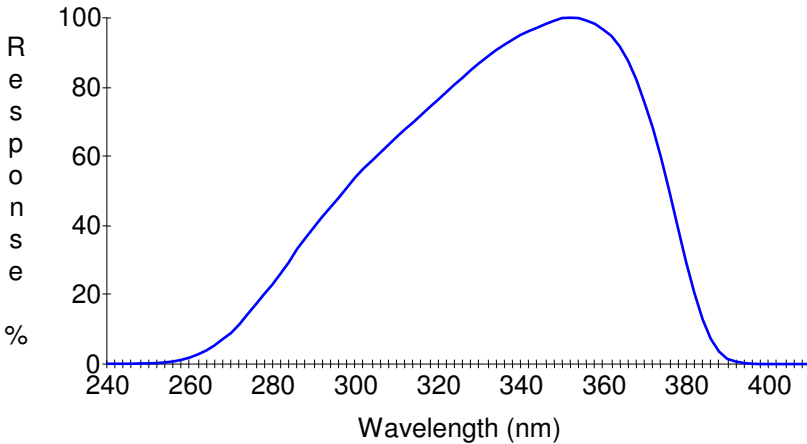


Figure 4



### 3. SPECTRAL RESPONSE (continued):

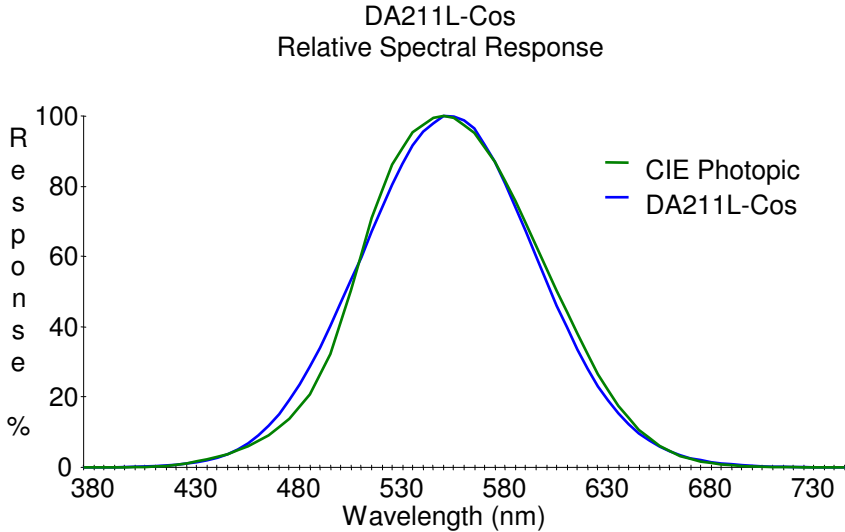


Figure 5

Photometry is the measurement of visible light. Irradian's photopic filter and photodiode (Figure 5) closely matches the response of the standard human eye as published by the CIE (CIE  $V_\lambda$ ). The integrated spectral error is less than  $\pm 1\%$  for most types of light source (including mercury line sources and sodium discharges). This means you do not have to apply correction factors to measurements taken under different illumination conditions. It also means that the diode/filter will accurately measure mixtures of different sources such as daylight and artificial light.

## 4. COSINE ANGULAR RESPONSE

### COSINE CORRECTED INPUT

Angular Response: Accurately cosine corrected to Lambert's Cosine Law.

Maximum error is less than  $\pm 5\%$  from true response to  $70^\circ$  from normal incidence.

Typical DA211-Cos  
Cosine Angular Response

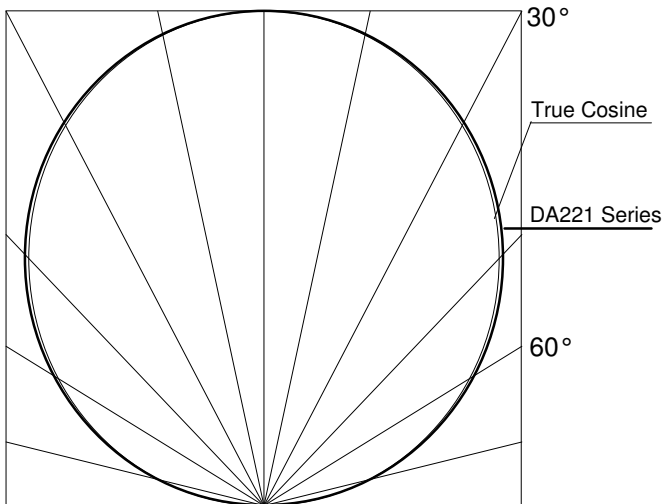


Figure 6

## 5. CIRCUITS & CONNECTIONS

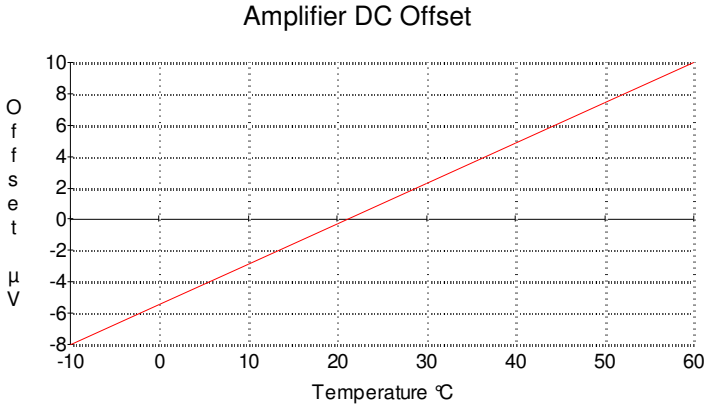
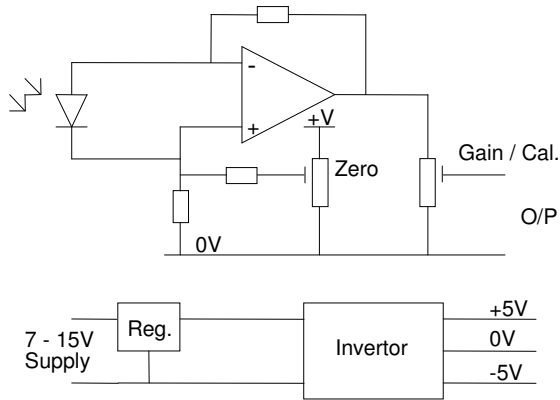


Figure 7



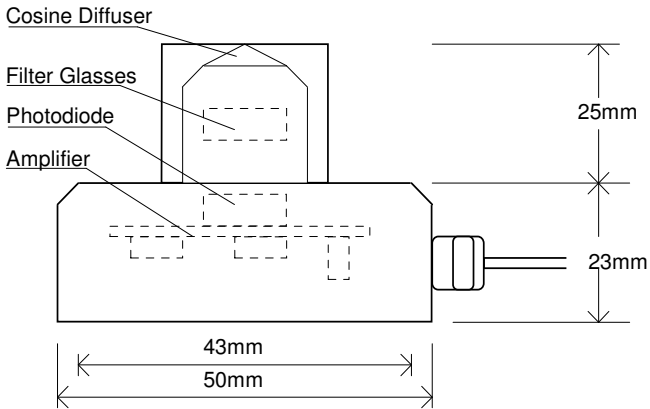
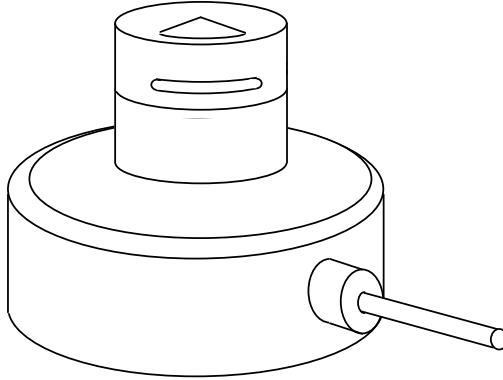
### DA211-Cos Wiring

Supply (+)	-----	Red
Supply (-)	-----	Yellow
Output (+)	-----	Blue
Output (-)	-----	Green

NOTE: Do not link Output (-) to Supply (-) on data logger.  
Do not connect cable screen to data logger.

# 6. OUTLINE DRAWINGS

DA211-Cos Series Detector



## 7. CARE AND MAINTENANCE

### LOOKING AFTER THE DETECTOR

1. The DA211-Cos detector should be cleaned using a moist cloth with detergent, solvent or alcohol.
2. The diffuser on the detector should be kept clean at all times.
3. The detector is a precision instrument, protect it from shocks.
4. Avoid supporting the detector by the cable.

## 8. ENVIRONMENTAL CARE, RECYCLING AND DISPOSAL

### WASTE ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

The purpose of the European Commission WEEE directive (Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment; 2002/96/EC) is to ensure that electrical and electronic products are recycled using the best treatments, recovery and recycling techniques that are currently available. This is so that high health standards and a lasting environmental protection can be achieved and maintained.

This product has been designed and manufactured using high quality materials and components, many of which can be recycled and reused.

Please remember to observe the local regulations that govern both the disposal of the packaging materials accompanying this product and any used batteries.



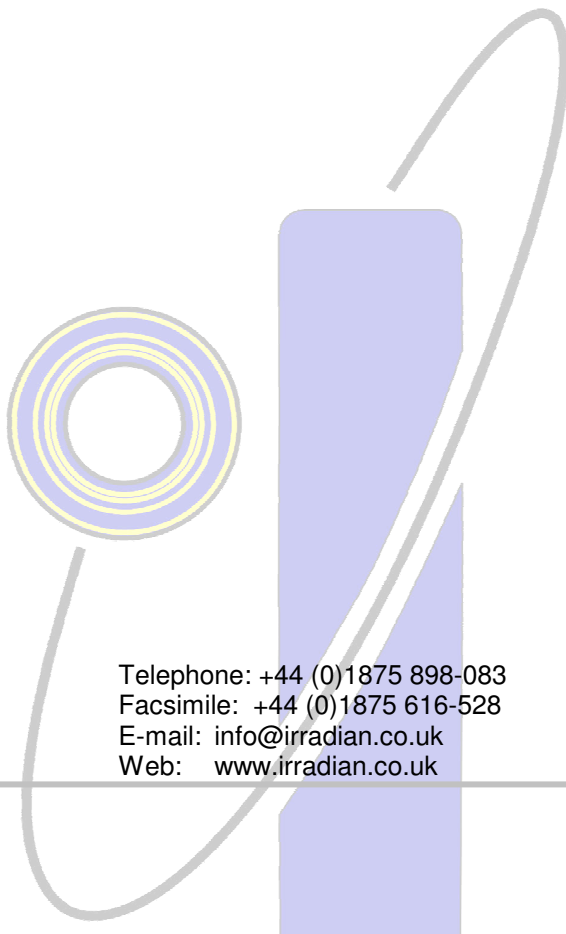
**DO NOT DISPOSE OF THIS PRODUCT IN YOUR GENERAL WASTE BIN.**

Please inform yourself about your local WEEE collection system which is available for electrical and electronic products that are marked with the symbol shown here.

When disposing of this meter, please use one of the following options:

1. Use your local designated WEEE collection facilities to dispose of the complete product (including cables, detectors, filters & accessories).
2. Return the complete product back to Irradian, marking it clearly as intended for WEEE disposal.





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