



# **Single-photon SPAD Detector**



Our USB-powered fiber-coupled single-photon SPAD detector is specifically engineered for time-resolved fluorescence lifetime imaging and spectroscopy measurements. Thanks to its portable and light-weight format it allows time-tagging with no precedent.

#### **KEY SPECS**

- Single-Photon Avalanche Diode technology
- Portable
- Desktop-size-compact: 100x60x30mm
- USB-powered
- Light weight: 235g
- TE-cooled sensor
- FC/PC fiber-coupled sensor
- B2C or B2B selling options

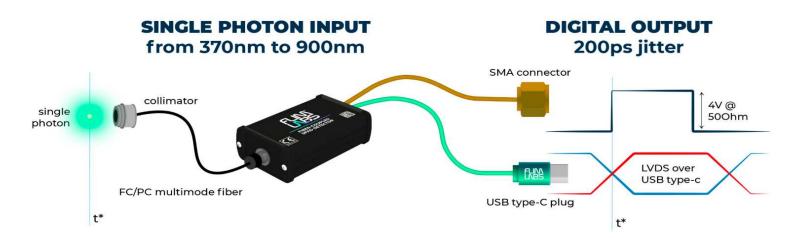
#### Included in the price

- Wall-mount DC converter
- USB type-C power cable
- SMA coaxial cable
- USB type-C LVDS signal cable
- FC/PC MultiMode fiber patch cord

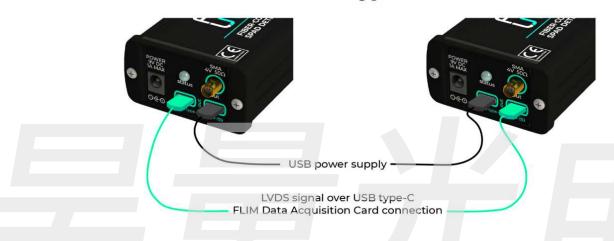
### **MAIN TECH-SPECS**

- Spectral response range from 370nm to 900nm
- Peak sensitivity at 450nm
- 7 cps dark œunt
- < 200ps jitter
- 50 µm photosensitive area
- Digital LVTTL 4V @ 500hm and LVDS output

### **Main Function**



## **POWER SUPPLY AND USB type-C SIGNAL INTERFACE**



## **MAIN FEATURES**

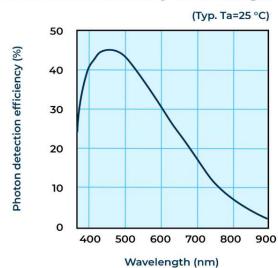
Our fiber-coupled SPAD detector is specifically designed for pursuing fluorescence lifetime imaging and spectroscopy measurements. Thanks to its capability of being powered via a standard USB port, it will introduce a new paradigm for fluorescence lifetime-based applications, where it can be deployed with minimal effort in any type of environment.

#### Compactness

Compact dimensions (100x60x30mm) and lightweight (235g) allows for extreme portability. Furthermore, capable of also being USB-powered our SPAD detector could be used in a portable setup or even outdoors.



#### Photon detection efficiency vs. wavelength

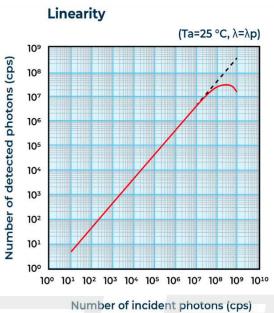


#### **Spectral Response**

The sensitivity of our SPAD detector peaks at 450nm, while its spectral response range spans from 370nm to 900 nm.

#### **Key tech specs**

Our fiber-coupled USB-powered SPAD detector yields a <200 ps timing jitter coupled with 7cps of dark count rate. The throughput linearity is maintained up to 3.5Mcounts/s of incident photons.







## Interface and connection type

Our SPAD detector has a SMA coaxial connector for a LVTTL 50 Ohm interface, working in a parallel and independent way together with orientation independent USB type-C ports for communicating over a proprietary FLIM LABS LVDS protocol with the FLIM Data Acquisition Card. USB type-C connector allows for user-friendly and low-cost interfacing as well as powering the SPAD.

## **Power Supply**

The 2 options available for the power supply allow for flexible powering the SPAD detector via standard USB port or via a 2.1/5.5 mm coaxial connector using a wall-mount DC converter (recommended values are 9 V DC - 1 A max).





#### Fiber coupling

FC/PC fiber coupling offers flexibility for using our SPAD detector in any type of context boosting, together with USB powering, its adaptability for a plethora of different applications.

#### **LED Status**

A LED light is always there for providing real time feedback on the correct functioning of the SPAD detector.

## **FULL SPECS**

Technology Single-Photon Avalanche Diode (SPAD)

Spectral response range 370nm ÷ 900nm

Peak sensitivity (Ap) 450nm
Dark count 7cps

Timing jitter < 200ps
Photosensitive area 50μm
Fiber connector FC type

Maximum light incident level 50μW

Maximum photon counts throughput Linear response up to 3.5MCounts/s

Output interface LVTTL 4V@50 Ohm over the SMA connector

LVDS over the USB-type C ports (FLIM LABS proprietary interface)

Operating temperature  $-10 \div +40$  °C Storage temperature  $-20 \div +70$  °C

Power supply USB powered or 9V DC-1 A max via the 2.1/5.5 mm coaxial connector

Dimensions 100x60x30mm

Weight 235g

Model Flim spad-07