SPECTRO Series

- Measuring range (object distance) typ. 100 mm ... 2000 mm
- Integrated transmitter and receiver optics (confocal)
- Up to 3 colors (or color groups) can be stored
- RS232 interface (USB or Ethernet adapter available)
- UV LED, 375 nm, focused (AC-/DC-operation or OFF for luminous objects can be switched)
- Transmitter power of UV LED can be adjusted for excitation of luminescent marks
- Detection of different luminescent colors
- Insensitive to outside light (in AC-operation)
- Brightness correction can be activated (STAT/DYN)
- Scan frequency max. 90 kHz (in DC- or OFF-operation)
- Switching frequency typ. 60 kHz
- 3 analog outputs to output color values to PLC
- 2 digital outputs to output taught colors
- TEACH via PC or PLC (external input)
- Various evaluation algorithms can be activated
- "BEST HIT" mode ("human color assessment")
- Parameterizable via Windows® software, scope function
- Temperature compensated
- Averaging can be activated (from 1 up to over 32000 values)
- 3-color filter detector (true color detector: "human color perception")

**Product name:**

SPECTRO-3-500-COF-10x10-UV-ANA

(incl. Windows® PC software SPECTRO3-ANA-Scope)
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<th>Model</th>
<th>SPECTRO-3-500-COF-10x10-UV-ANA</th>
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<tr>
<td>Voltage supply</td>
<td>+24VDC (± 10%), reverse polarity protected, overcurrent protected</td>
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<tr>
<td>Current consumption</td>
<td>&lt; 160 mA</td>
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<tr>
<td>Max. switching current</td>
<td>100 mA, short circuit proof</td>
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<td>Input digital (1x)</td>
<td>IN0 (Pin 3), digital (0V+24V)</td>
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<td>Outputs digital (2x)</td>
<td>OUT0, OUT1 (Pin 4 and 5); digital (0V/24V), npn/pnp-able (bright/dark-switching, can be switched)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Outputs analog (3x)</td>
<td>OUT2, OUT3, OUT4 (Pin 6, 7, and 8); voltage output 0 ... +10V (R,G,B or X,Y,INT or s,j,M)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Interface</td>
<td>RS232</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pulse lengthening</td>
<td>0 ... 100 ms, adjustable via PC software</td>
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<td>Averaging</td>
<td>max. 32 768 values, adjustable via PC software</td>
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<td>LED operation, can be switched via PC software:</td>
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<tr>
<td>Switching frequency</td>
<td>typ. 60 kHz</td>
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<tr>
<td>Analog band width</td>
<td>max. 90 kHz (-3dB)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Transmitter (light source)</td>
<td>UV-LED, 375 mm</td>
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<td>Transmitter control</td>
<td>can be switched via PC software:</td>
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<td>Measuring range</td>
<td>typ. 100 mm ... 2000 mm</td>
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<tr>
<td>Receiver</td>
<td>3-color filter detector (TRUE COLOR detector, &quot;human color perception&quot;), color filter curves acc. to CIE 1931</td>
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<tr>
<td>Receiver gain setting</td>
<td>8 steps (AMP1 ... AMP8), adjustable via PC software</td>
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<td>Ambient light</td>
<td>max. 5000 Lux</td>
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<td>Size of light spot</td>
<td>typ. 6 mm x 6 mm at a distance of 200 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 8 mm x 8 mm at a distance of 400 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 10 mm x 10 mm at a distance of 500 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 16 mm x 16 mm at a distance of 800 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 20 mm x 20 mm at a distance of 1000 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 24 mm x 24 mm at a distance of 1200 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 31 mm x 31 mm at a distance of 1500 mm</td>
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<td>typ. 45 mm x 45 mm at a distance of 2000 mm</td>
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<td>Reproducibility</td>
<td>in the X, Y color range each 1 digit at 12-bit A/D conversion</td>
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<td>Temperature drift X,Y</td>
<td>( \Delta X/\Delta T, \Delta Y/\Delta T ) typ. 0.2 digits/°C (&lt; 0.01% / °C)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Color difference</td>
<td>( \Delta \Gamma = 0.5 )</td>
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<tr>
<td>Color space</td>
<td>X Y INT siM (Lab)</td>
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<tr>
<td>Color memory capacity</td>
<td>nichtflüchtiges EEPROM mit Parametersätzen für max. 3 Farben (max. 31 Farben im Gruppenmodus)</td>
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<td>Housing dimensions</td>
<td>LxWxH approx. 90 mm x 90 mm x 116 mm (incl. optics holding device Ø 80 mm, without flange connectors)</td>
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<td>Housing material</td>
<td>aluminum, anodized in black</td>
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<td>Enclosure rating</td>
<td>IP67 (optics), IP64 (electronics)</td>
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<td>Connecting cables</td>
<td>to PLC: cab-las8/SPS or cab-las8/SPS-w</td>
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<td>to PC/RS232 interface: cab-las4/PC or cab-las4/PC-w</td>
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<td>to PC/USB interface: cab-las4/USB or cab-las4/USB-w</td>
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<td>to PC/Ethernet interface: SI-RS232/Ethernet-4</td>
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<td>Type of connector</td>
<td>connection to PLC: 8-pole fem. connector (Binder 712), connection to PC: 4-pole fem. connector (Binder 707)</td>
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<td>Operating temp. range</td>
<td>-20°C ... +55°C</td>
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<td>Storage temperature range</td>
<td>-20°C ... +85°C</td>
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<tr>
<td>EMC test acc. to</td>
<td>DIN EN 60947-5-2</td>
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All dimensions in mm
Connection to PLC:
8-pole fem. connector Binder Series 712

Pin | Color | Assignment:  
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1 | white | GND (0V)  
2 | brown | +24VDC (+10%)  
3 | green | IN0  
4 | yellow | OUT0 (Digital 0: 0 ... 1V, Digital 1: +Ub - 10%)  
5 | grey | OUT1 (Digital 0: 0 ... 1V, Digital 1: +Ub - 10%)  
6 | pink | OUT2 (Analog R or X or s: 0 ... +10V)  
7 | blue | OUT3 (Analog G or Y or i: 0 ... +10V)  
8 | red | OUT4 (Analog B or INT or M: 0 ... +10V)

Connecting cable:
cab-las8/SPS-(length)  
cab-las8/SPS-w-(length) (angle type, 90°)  
(standard length 2m)

Connection to PC:
4-pole fem. connector Binder Series 707

Pin | Assignment:  
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1 | +24VDC (+Ub, OUT)  
2 | GND (0V)  
3 | RxD  
4 | TxD

Connection via RS232 interface at the PC:
Connecting cable:
cab-las4/PC-(length)  
cab-las4/PC-w-(length) (angle type 90°)  
(standard length 2m)

alternative:
Connection via USB interface at the PC:
Connecting cable (incl. driver software):
cab-las4/USB-(length)  
cab-las4/USB-w-(length) (angle type 90°)  
(standard length 2m)

alternative:
Connection to local network via Ethernet bus:
Adapter (based on Lantronix XPortModul):
SI-RS232/Ethernet-4-(length)  
(standard length 2m)
Measuring principle of color sensors of SPECTRO-3-...-UV-ANA series:

The SPECTRO-3-ANA provides highly flexible signal acquisition. For example, the sensor can be operated in alternating-light mode (AC mode), which makes the sensor insensitive to extraneous light. It also can be set to constant-light mode (DC mode), which makes the sensor extremely fast.

When the integrated light source of the SPECTRO-3-...-UV-ANA color sensor is activated, the sensor detects the radiation that is diffusely reflected from the object to be measured.

As a light source the SPECTRO-3-...-UV-ANA color sensor uses a UV-LED (385 nm, or 365 nm in case of using an external UV illumination unit SPECTRO-ELS-UV) with adjustable transmitter power to excite the luminescent marking. An integrated 3-fold receiver for the red, green, and blue content of the visible light that is emitted by the luminescent marking is used as a receiver. A special feature here is that the gain of the receiver can be set in 8 steps. This makes it possible to optimally adjust the sensor to almost any luminescent colorant that can be excited in the long-wave UV range (365 nm or 385 nm).

The SPECTRO-3-ANA color sensor can be "taught" up to 3 colors. For each of these taught colors it is possible to set tolerances. In "X Y INT - 2D" or "s i M - 2D" mode these tolerances form a color cylinder in space. In "X Y INT - 3D" or "s i M - 3D" mode the tolerances form a color sphere in space. Color evaluation according to "s i M - 2D" is based on the Lab calculation method. All modes can be used in combination with several operating modes such as "FIRST HIT" and "BEST HIT".

Raw data are represented with 12 bit resolution.

As a special feature the sensor can be taught two completely independent parameter sets. Input IN0 can then be used to tell the sensor which parameter set it should work with.

Color detection either operates continuously or is started through an external PLC trigger signal. The respective detected color either is provided as a binary code at the 2 digital outputs or can be sent directly to the outputs, if only up to 2 colors are to be detected.

In addition to the 2 digital outputs there also are 3 analog outputs that either provide the red, green, and blue components or the calculated color coordinates (X, Y, INT oder s, i, M) in values of 0-10V.

Through input IN0 (green wire of the cab-las8/SPS cable) the color sensor can be taught up to 3 colors (31 in group mode). For this purpose the corresponding evaluation mode must be set with the software.

Parameters and measurement values can be exchanged between a PC and the SPECTRO-3 color sensor through the serial RS232 interface. All the parameters for color detection also can be saved to the non-volatile EEPROM of the SPECTRO-3 color sensor through this serial RS232 interface. When parameterisation is finished, the color sensor continues to operate with the current parameters in STAND-ALONE mode without a PC.

The sensors of the SPECTRO-3-...-UV-ANA series also can be calibrated. Analogous to white-light balancing with color sensors, balancing of the SPECTRO-3-...-UV-ANA could be performed to any luminescent color marking.
Parameterization

Windows® user interface:

The color sensor is parameterized under Windows® with the SPECTRO3-ANA-Scope software. The Windows® user interface facilitates the teach-in process at the color sensor and supports the operator in the task of adjustment and commissioning of the color sensor.

Under Windows® representation of the color value on a PC in numeric form and in a color chart, and representation of RGB values in a time chart. In addition the current RGB values are displayed as a bar chart.

The RS232 interface (tab PARA1 or PARA2) is used for setting parameters such as:

- **POWER MODE:** Light power of the LED
- **LED MODE:** Triggering of the internal light source
- **GAIN:** Used for setting the gain of the receiver
- **AVERAGE:** Averaging over a maximum of 32768 values. This function field is used for adjusting the number of scanning values (measurement values) over which the raw signal measured at the receiver is averaged. A higher AVERAGE default value reduces noise of the raw signals at the receiver unit and there will be a decrease of the maximal available switching frequency of the sensor
- **INTEGRAL:** This function field is used to set the number of scan values (measurement values) over which the raw signal measured at the receiver is summed up. This integral function allows the reliable detection even of extremely weak signals
- **ANA LOG OUTMODE:** Function to determine the signals that the sensor provides at its analog outputs (OUT2, OUT3, OUT4) (R G B, X Y INT, s i M, RGB MM, or s i M REF)
- **DIGITAL OUTMODE:** Control of the 2 digital outputs (OUT0, OUT1)
- **MAXCOL-No.:** Number of colors to be checked
- **INTLIM:** Minimum intensity required for color evaluation
- **EVALUATION MODE:** Various evaluation modes to choose from (FIRST HIT, BEST HIT, MIN DIST, COL2, THD Red Green, THD Red Blu, or THD Green Blue)
- **CALCULATION MODE:** There are 2 methods of teaching a color: "X Y INT - 3D" (or "s i M - 3D") uses a color sphere in space with radius TOL. Contrary to this, "X Y INT - 2D" (or "s i M - 2D") uses a color cylinder in space with radius CTO or siTO and with height ITO or M.
- **EXTEACH:** In all the evaluation modes teaching of a color can be performed externally through IN0.
- **TRIGGER:** Continuous or external or self trigger.
Firmware update by means of the software „FirmwareLoader“:

The software „Firmware Loader“ allows the user to perform an automatic firmware update. The update will be carried out through the RS232 interface.

An initialisation file (xxx.ini) and a firmware file (xxx.elf.S) are required for performing a firmware update. These files can be obtained from your supplier. In some cases an additional firmware file for the program memory (xxx.elf.p.S) is also needed, and this file will be automatically provided together with the other two files.
Diagrams: SPOT DIAMETER and RELATIVE INTENSITY
SPECTRO-3-500-COF-10x10-UV-ANA

Spot diameter
SPECTRO-3-500-COF-10x10-UV-ANA:
10 mm x 10 mm (typ.) at a working distance of 500 mm

Relative Intensity
SPECTRO-3-500-COF-10x10-UV-ANA:
100% at a working distance of 400 mm (INTENSITY 3846)