LASER-LINE POLARIZING CUBE BEAMSPLITTERS

Coated polarizing cube beamsplitters are available for twelve common laser wavelengths, from the ultraviolet to the infrared, providing a polarization purity of 98 percent or better at their design wavelength.

For normal incidence, monochromatic, unpolarized light:

The incident beam is separated into two polarized beams which emerge through adjacent faces and in directions 90 degrees apart.

The beam that passes straight through the cube emerges as linearly p-polarized, with the electric field vector parallel to the plane of incidence.

The beam that emerges from the cube at right angles to the incident beam is linearly s-polarized, with the electric field vector orthogonal to the plane of incidence.

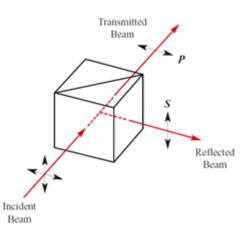
When used with a linearly polarized monochromatic incident beam:

- The incident beam is similarly divided.
- The ratio of the emergent beam irradiances depends on the orientation of the incident beam electric field vector.

For greater extinction, each cube can be replaced by a pair of cubes in identical orientation. The resulting extinction ratio will be the square of a single pair.

Standard Specifications:

Optical Material:	BK7 grade A optical glass	
Diameter Tolerance:	±0.2mm	
Surface Quality:	40-20 scratch and dig	
Surface Flatness:	lambda/4 at 632.8nm	
Beam Deviation:	<10 arc minutes	
Principal Transmittance:	Tp>95% AND Ts<1%	
Principal Reflectance:	Rs>99% AND Rs<5%	
Clear Aperture:	>85%	
Bevel:	<0.25mm X 45°	
Coating:	Broadband antireflection coating on	
	entrance and exit faces.	
Available Wavelength:	488, 532, 632.8, 650,780, 808, 850,	
	980, 1047, 1053, 1064, 1310, 1319,	
	1342 1550 nm	



Standard Laser-line Polarizing Cube Beamsplitters

Dimension(mm)	Shape	Nominal R/T Ratio	Product Number
10.0x10.0x10.0	Square	50/50	UQT-LPB0501
12.7x12.7x12.7	Square	50/50	UQT-LPB0502
15.0x15.0x15.0	Square	50/50	UQT-LPB0503
20.0x20.0x20.0	Square	50/50	UQT-LPB0504
25.4x25.4x25.4	Square	50/50	UQT-LPB0505

Please Contact ultiQuest for other dimensions in prototype and production quantities.

NOTES!

- The transmittance curve is a graph based on actual measurements and may vary from production lot to production lot.
- The surface flatness is the reflected wavefront distortion of the surface before coating.
- Be sure to wear laser safety goggles when checking optical path and adjusting optical axis.