

# Laser-Induced Damage Threshold (LIDT) Measurement Report

## Damage Certification Test

Sample: Sample #4,2

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### **Specimen**

Name of sample: Sample #4,2;

Type of specimen: Glass, HR Dielectric Coating.

Storage, cleaning: Plastic box, dust blow off by compressed air;

### **Test specification**

Third harmonic of pulsed Nd:YAG InnoLas Laser: SpitLight Hybrid laser ( $\lambda = 355$  nm, linear polarization, pulse duration 4.8 ns),  $\lambda/2$  plate combined with additional polarizer attenuator, online scattered light damage detection, offline inspection of damage detection using Nomarski microscopy (100x).

### **Laser parameters**

Wavelength: 355 nm;  
Angle of incidence: 0 deg;  
Polarisation state: linear;  
Pulse repetition frequency: 50 Hz;  
Spatial beam profile in target plane: TEM<sub>00</sub>;  
Longitudinal beam profile: Single mode (SLM);  
Beam diameter in target plane ( $1/e^2$ ): 160.33  $\mu$ m (average from 64 pulses);  
Pulse duration: 4.8 ns;

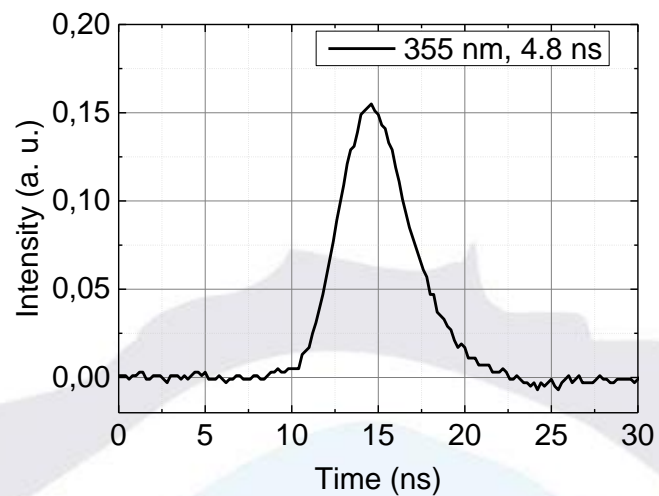
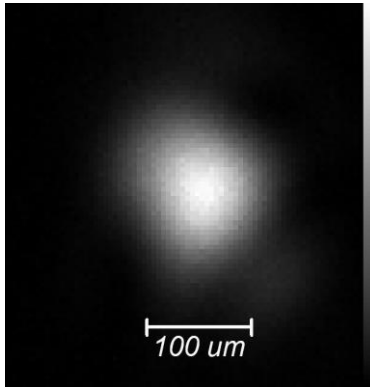


Fig 1 Spatial beam profile in target plane (left) and oscilloscope trace (right)

**Test procedure:**

Number of sites per specimen:  
Arrangement of test sites:  
Minimum distance between sites:  
Damage detection:  
Storage of the specimen:  
Test environment:  
Cleaning:  
Definition of LIDT:

**S-on-1 test**

428;  
Equally spaced;  
720 μm;  
Scattered light diode;  
Optical paper, plastic box;  
Industrial environment;  
Compressed air;  
Nonlinear fit to 0% of damage probability;

**Test result:**

Table 1 Summarized LIDT's for sample #4,2;

Test mode	Threshold, J/cm <sup>2</sup>
1-on-1	$6.0 \leq 7.8 \leq 8.5$
1000-on-1	$1.8 \leq 3.4 \leq 4.5$

Measured at LIDARIS 2014-04-28

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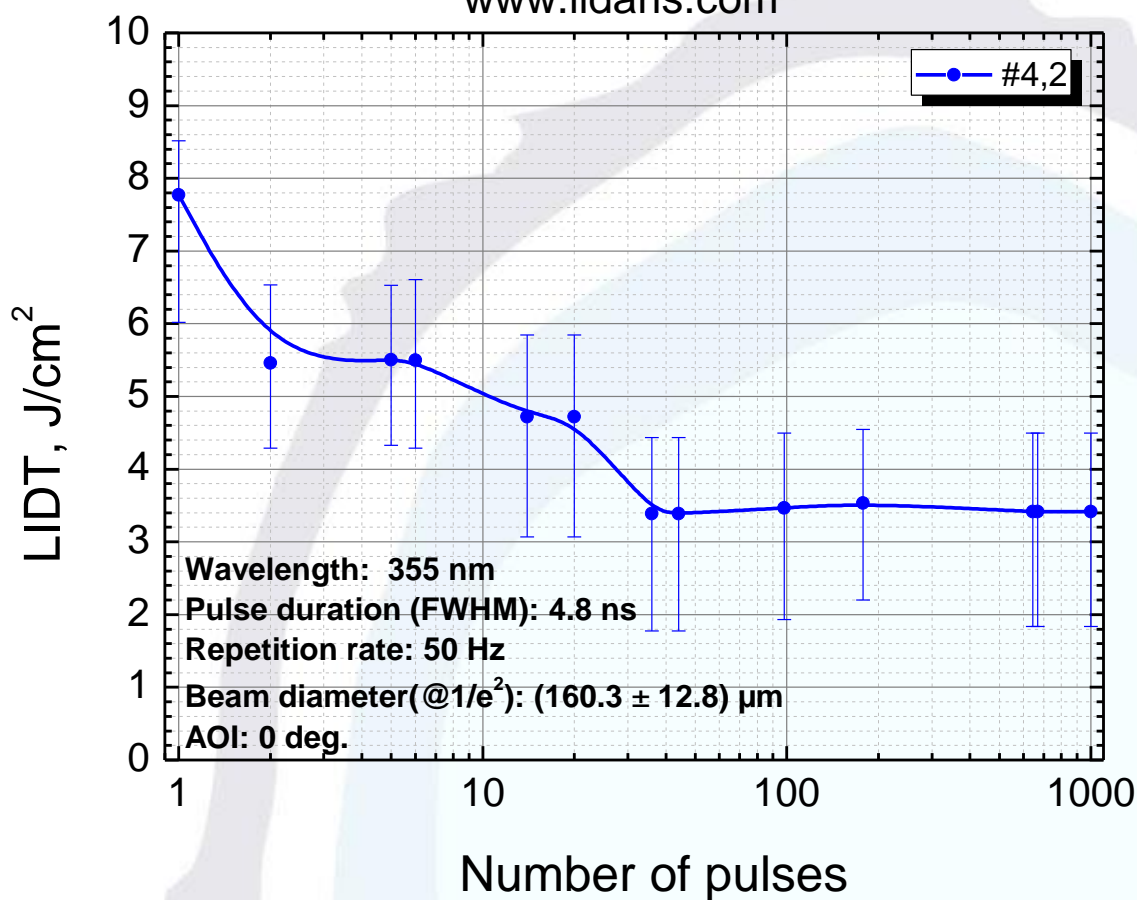


Fig. 2

Typical damage morphology:

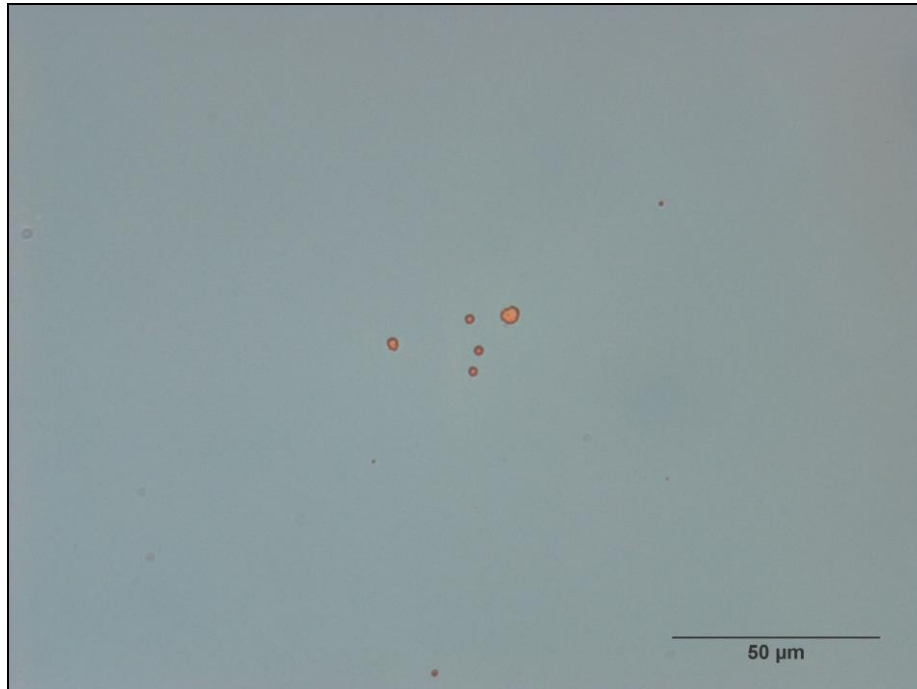


Fig. 3 Typical front surface damage morphology  
(Energy density  $7.61 \text{ J/cm}^2$ , damage after 1 pulse)

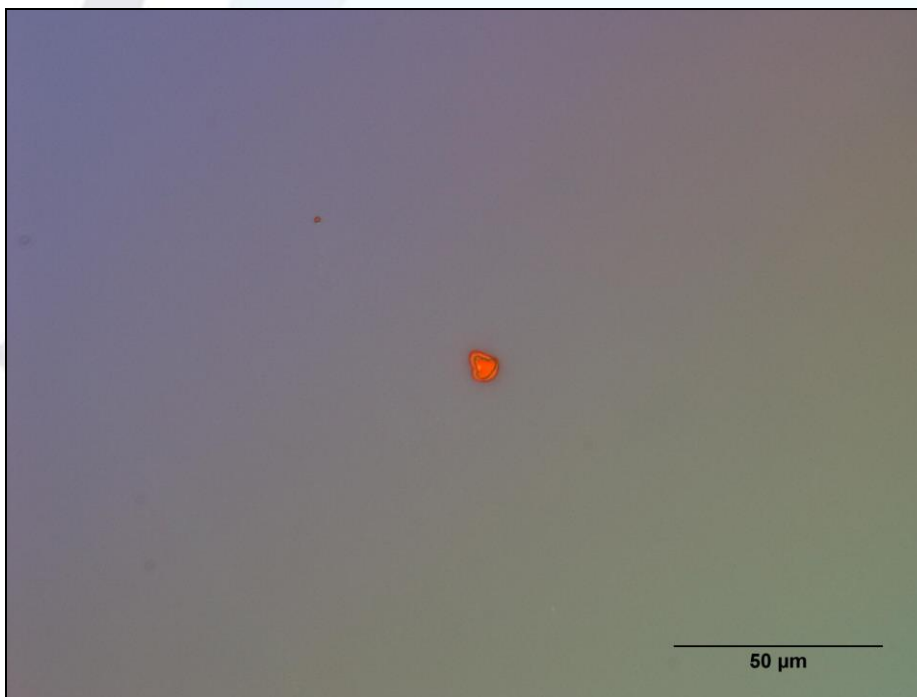


Fig. 4 Typical front surface damage morphology  
(Energy density  $3.70 \text{ J/cm}^2$ , damage after 43 pulses)