

**Datasheet for #sbcw515 UP**
Recommendations:

Please read the starter kit user manual (at least installation chapter 5), if available, and have a look at the FAQ at <http://www.alpeslasers.ch/alphaq.pdf>

**WARNING:** Operating the laser with higher current or voltage than specified in this document may cause damage and will result in loss of warranty, unless Alpes Lasers has permitted to do so!

**WARNING:** Beware of the polarity of the laser. This laser has to be powered with negative current on the laser contact (= bonding pad, corresponding to the label "laser" on the LLH) and the positive current on the base contact (= submount, corresponding to the label "base" on the LLH). To use with a power-supply ILX Lightwave LDX-3232 or equivalent.

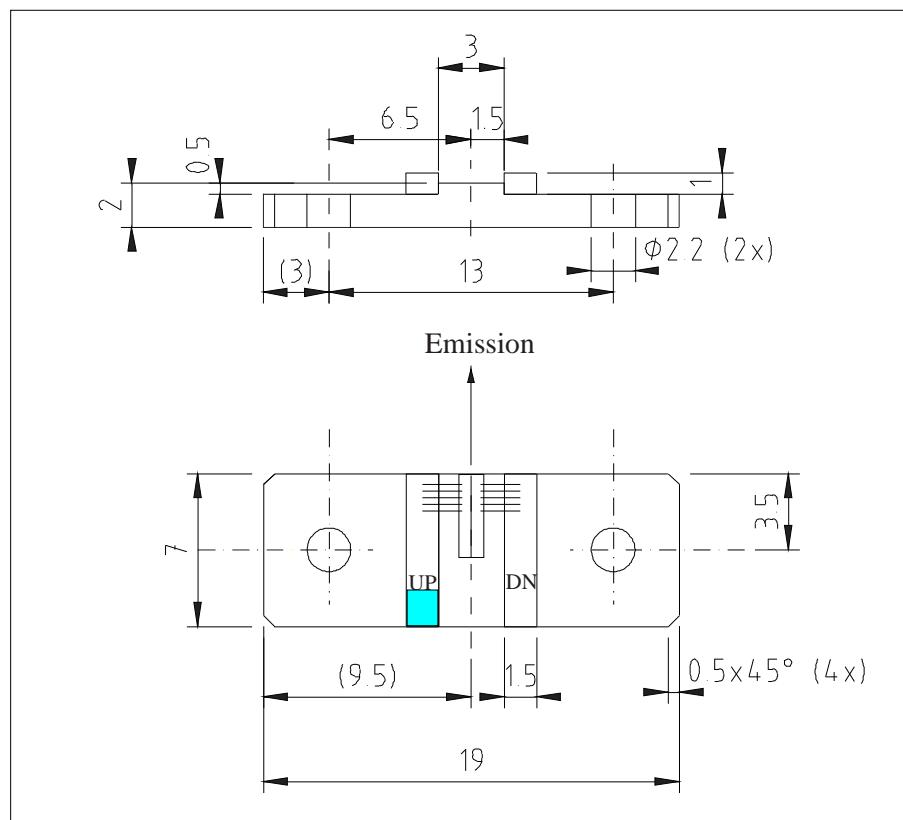


Figure 1: Support mounting for #sbcw515 UP (please note that the laser is connected to the UP pad drawn in blue)

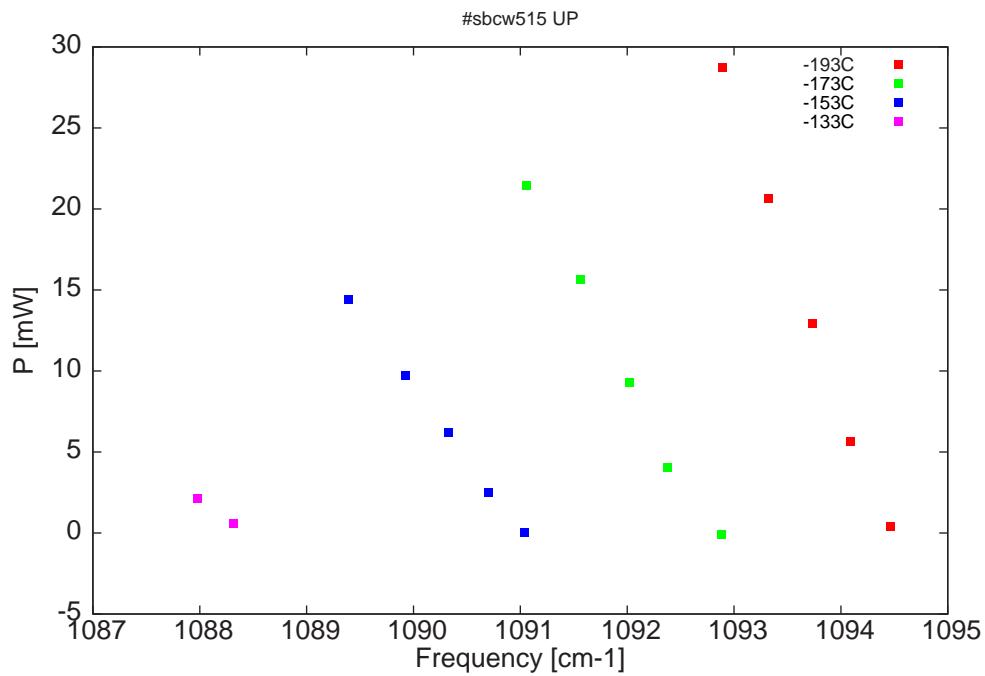


Figure 2: Output power as a function of the singlemode emission frequencies and temperatures

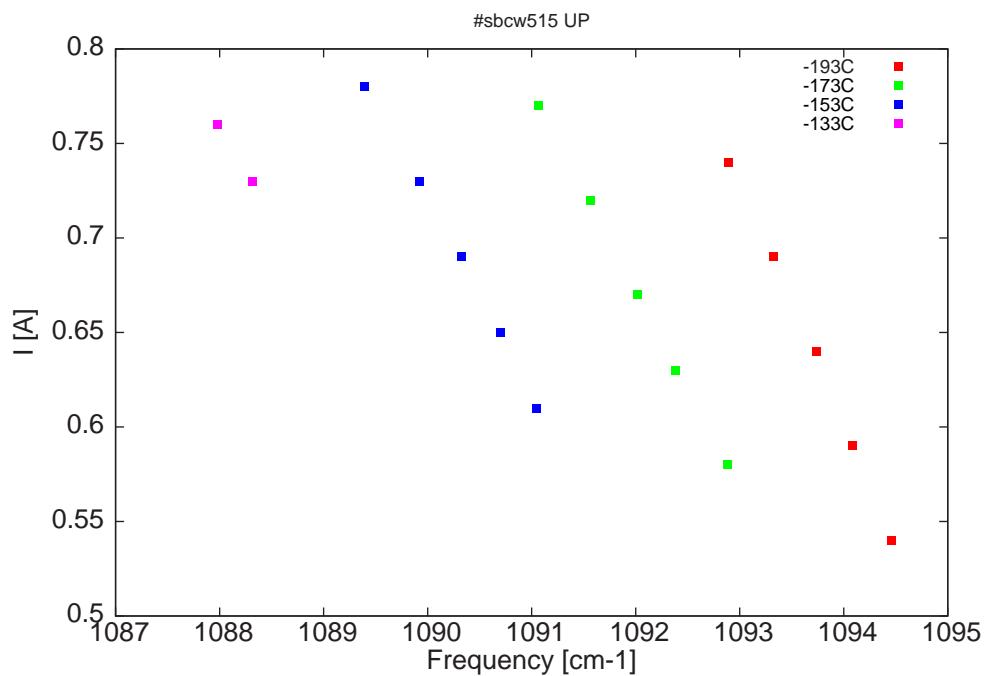


Figure 3: Applied DC current as a function of singlemode emission frequencies and temperatures

$\lambda$ [nm]	$\nu$ [cm $^{-1}$ ]	P[mW]	Temp[°C]	$U_{LASER}$ [V]	I[A]
9136.9	1094.5	0.4	-193	10.4	0.54
9140	1094.1	5.6	-193	10.5	0.59
9143	1093.7	12.9	-193	10.6	0.64
9146.4	1093.3	20.6	-193	10.7	0.69
9150.1	1092.9	28.7	-193	10.7	0.74
9150.1	1092.9	-0.1	-173	10.1	0.58
9154.3	1092.4	4.1	-173	10.2	0.63
9157.3	1092	9.3	-173	10.3	0.67
9161.1	1091.6	15.6	-173	10.4	0.72
9165.4	1091.1	21.5	-173	10.5	0.77
9165.5	1091	0	-153	9.7	0.61
9168.4	1090.7	2.5	-153	9.8	0.65
9171.6	1090.3	6.2	-153	9.9	0.69
9174.9	1089.9	9.7	-153	10	0.73
9179.4	1089.4	14.4	-153	10.1	0.78
9188.5	1088.3	0.6	-133	9.7	0.73
9191.4	1088	2.1	-133	9.8	0.76

Table 1 : singlemode optical output power as function of operating parameters

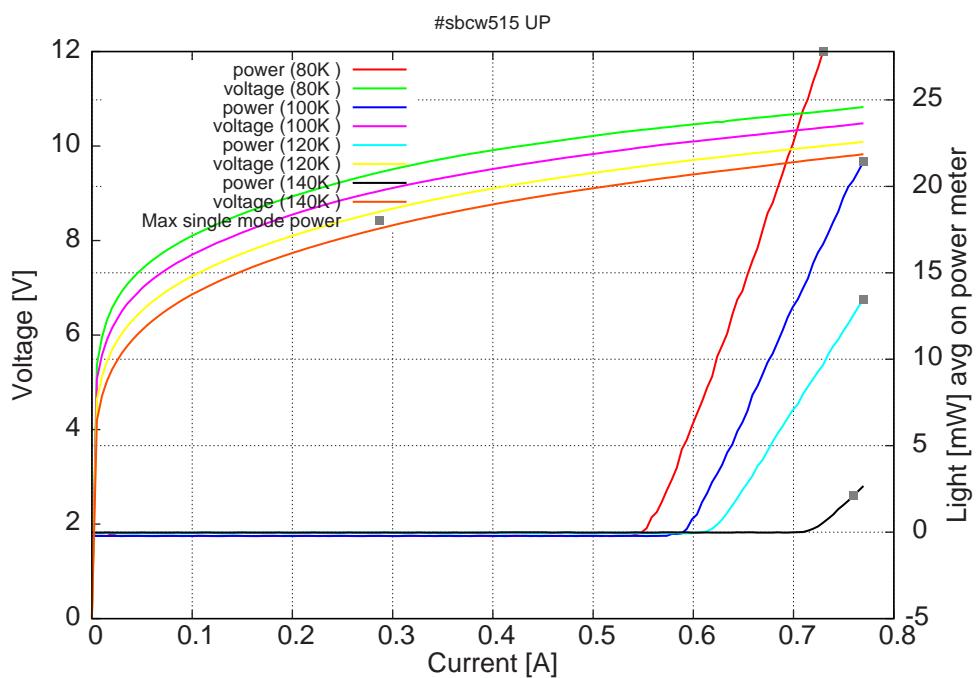


Figure 4: peak voltage and average power vs peak current in continuous-wave operation (the solid squares indicate the maximum singlemode emitted power)

Note: The collection efficiency of our setup for nitrogen temperatures measurements is 67% using a 2-inches parabolic mirror with a focal length of 2-inches.

Note: at 80K:  $I_{th}=540\text{mA}$  /  $V_{th}= 10.32\text{V}$  (2-wires measurements)

Maximum operation current: 0.77A for all temperatures.

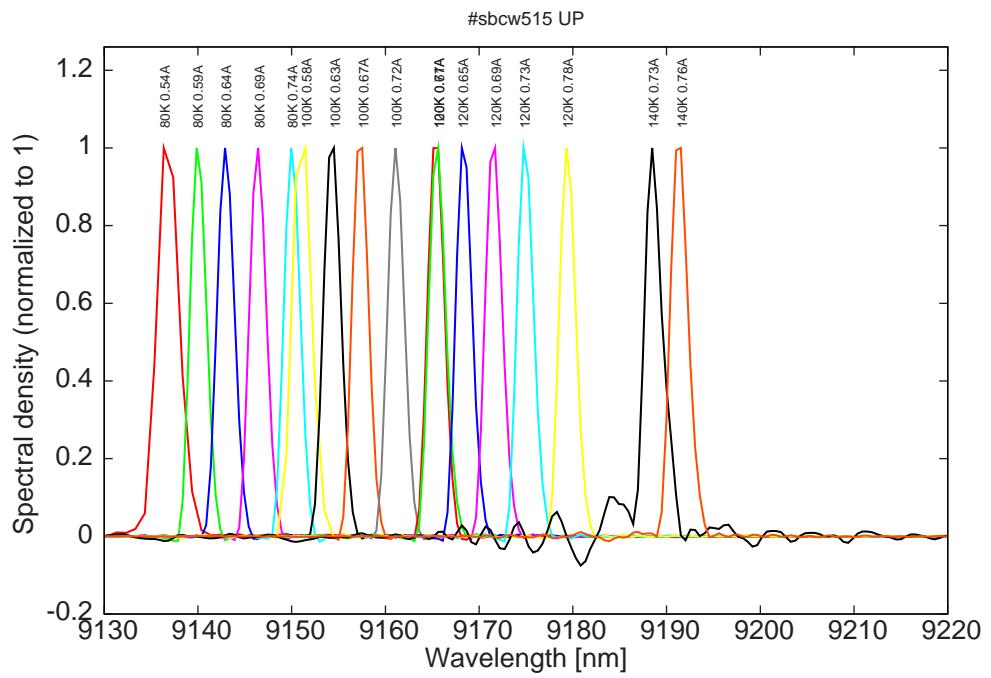


Figure 5: spectra at 80K, 100K, 120K and 140K

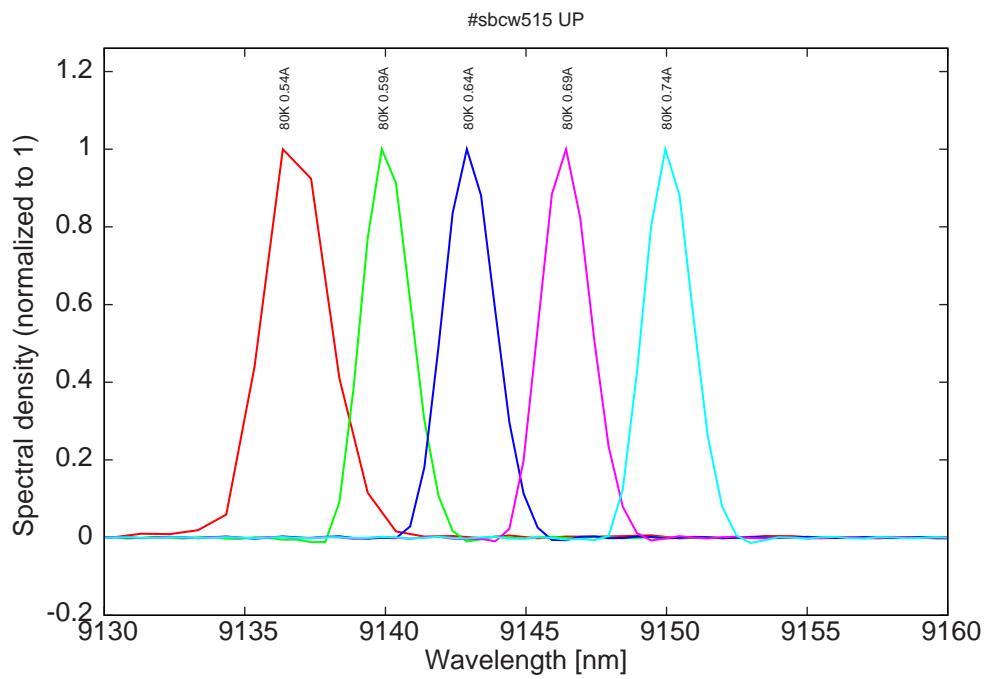


Figure 6: spectra at 80K

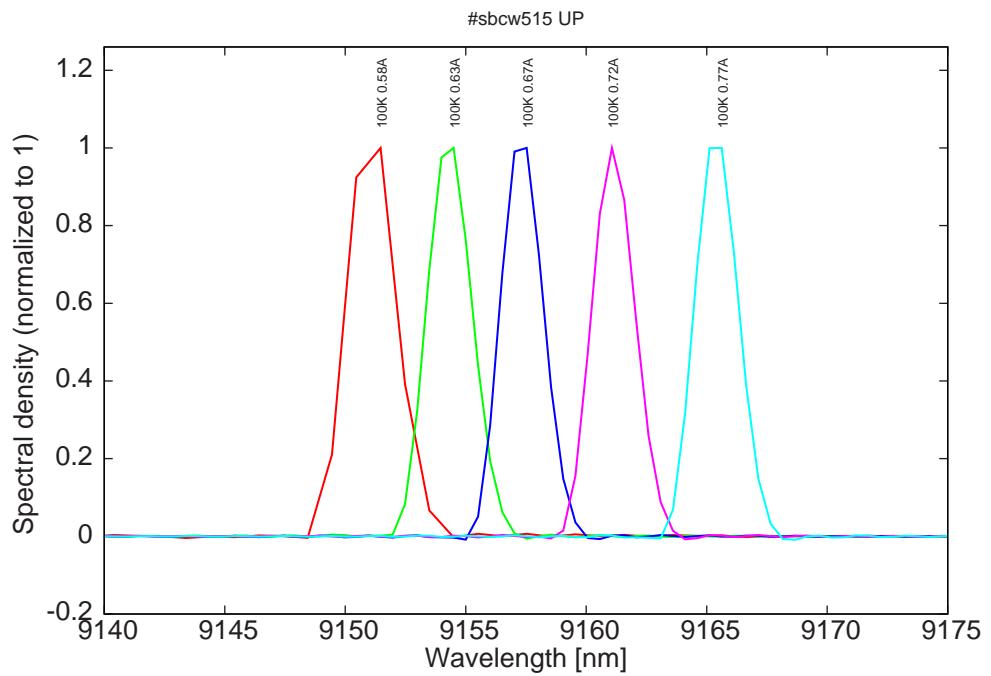


Figure 7: spectra at 100K

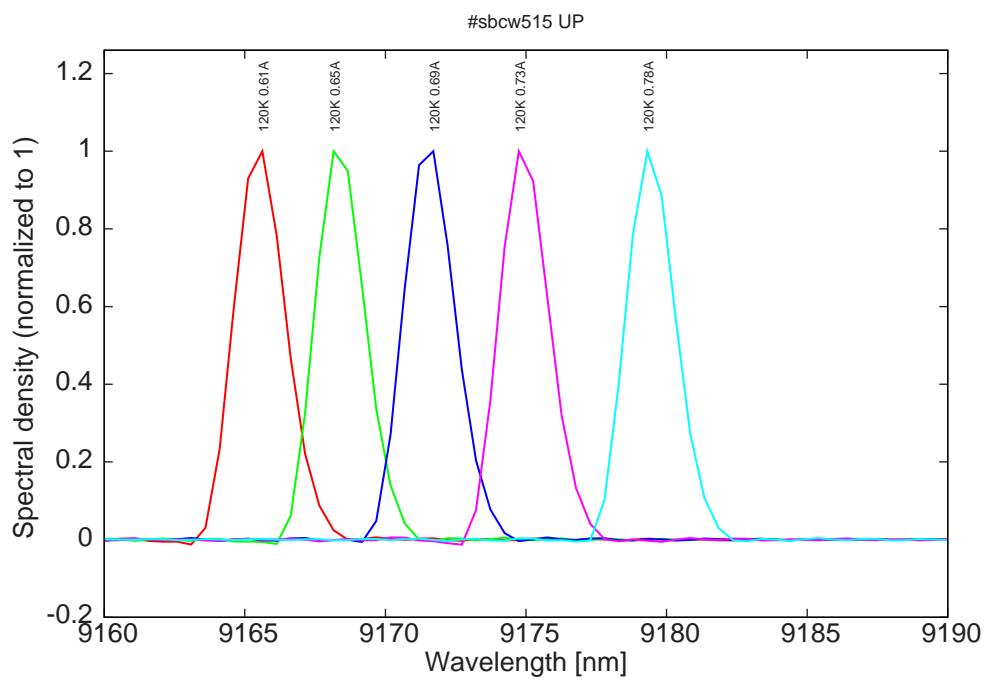


Figure 8: spectra at 120K

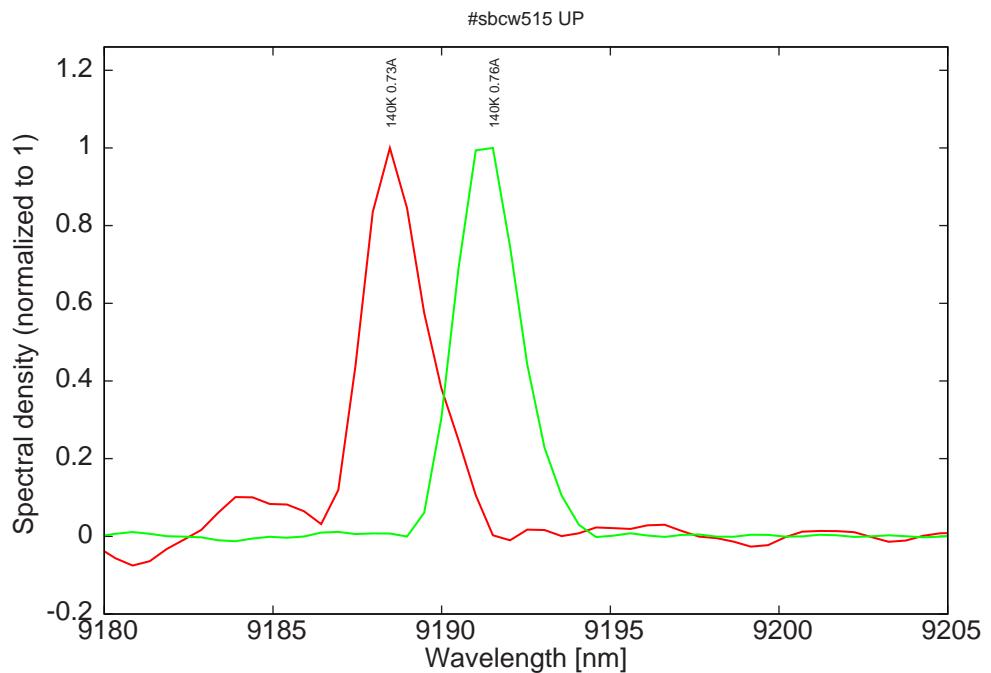


Figure 9: spectra at 140K