## PRODUCT BRIEF

# LEAD SULFIDE INFRARED (PbS) DETECTOR ARRAY (0.5 - 3 microns)

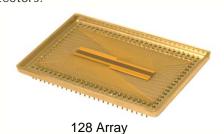
## **Advantages**

- New Automated Chemical Processing (ACP) produces higher yield at lower cost.
- Extremely high reliability under extreme conditions.
- Long shelf life.
- Hermetically sealed package to completely eliminate humidity attack on detection area.
- Wide range of electrical characteristics available.
- Wide range of sizes available.
- 100% tested.
- State of the art microelectronics fabrication capability.
- Specializing in high density arrays. 64/128 element, etc.

#### **Overview**

Agiltron manufactures state-of-the-art lead sensitivity Sulfide (PbS) for room temperature operation as well as thermoelectrically cooled operation for spectroscopy from 0.5 to 3 microns. The linear arrays is with 128 element. The device can be supplied with integrated optical filters. It can be connected with pre-amplifiers or multiplexed amplifiers for applications. Thermoelectronic cooler and thermistor can be built in for temperature stabilization.

Listed below is typical 128 element electrical characteristics of PbS Array of Agiltron Automated Chemical Processing (ACP) detectors.





Parameter	Typical Performance	
Operating Wavelength Range:	0.5 to 3 Microns (PbS)	
Number of Elements:	128/64 <sup>1</sup> detector elements	
Element Size:	Pixel width 230 microns, pixel height 2570 microns, and pixel pitch 320 microns	
Peak Detectivity:	D*: 1x10 <sup>11</sup> (cm/Hz <sup>0.5</sup> /W <sup>-1</sup> )	

<sup>1. 64</sup> array element size:260x2600µm

#### Mechanical Features

PbS Detector array is typically manufactured on quartz substrate. Devices can be supplied integrated with optical condenser elements, thermoelectric (TE) coolers, and processing electronics, all in a miniature package.

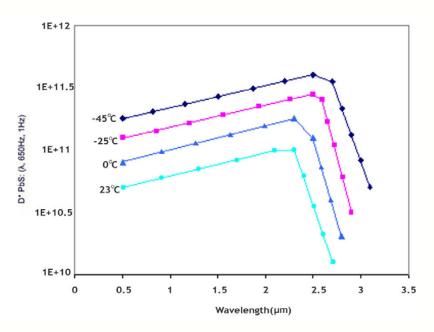
## **Aging Characteristics**

All stock detector arrays undergo a minimum four week aging period. Experience with detectors manufactured by the advanced process, including the above aging period, has shown the electrical characteristics to be stable to within 10% for over a year.



### **Response of Detectors**

The typical response for PbS operates in 0.5 to 3 micron spectral region with time constants below 2  $\mu$ sec. TE-cooled packages are available with a response in the 0.5 to 3 micron region with increased D\*. Typical spectral response of standard PbS detector is shown below.



## **Ordering Information**

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	Material Type	Array	Туре	Element size: width×height (µm)	Pixel pitch (µm)
			· ·	Size of 64 array=0260x2600 Size of 128 array=0230x2570	320μm=0320



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