

# Digital Sensors UV Safety Sensor PMA2120

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When used with our **Model PMA2100 Dual-Input Data Logging Radiometer**, Solar Light's Model PMA2120 UV Radiation Safety Sensor indicates how long a worker may remain at the measured position before reaching the threshold limit value (TLV) proposed by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) published guidelines. If desired, the instantaneous effective irradiance can be displayed in  $\mu$ W/cm². The radiation can be integrated over time and the dose in mJ/cm² can be shown on the Radiometer's LCD display. The angular response of the PMA2120 sensor is cosine corrected, and suitable for measurements of diffuse radiation or radiation from extended sources.

The TLV exposure dose has been chosen by the ACGIH as one that can be tolerated, even if repeated every work day, without causing any long term effects. The TLV for occupational exposure takes into consideration the risks of acute and chronic injury to both an eye and skin. The eye is the most radiation sensitive organ, and therefore the dose causes no eye damage is the maximum allowable radiation dose. Actinic ultraviolet radiation (UVB and UVC) is strongly absorbed by cornea and conjunctiva. Overexposure of these tissues cause keratoconjunctivitis, commonly referred to as welder's flash or arc-eye.



### **Applications**

- Industrial and Laboratory Safety
- Hospital Monitoring
- Germicidal Lamps Monitoring
- Commercial Lighting
- Safety Glass Testing
- Welding
- UV Curing and Printing

#### **Features and Benefits**

- High Sensitivity
- Excellent Long-Term Stability
- Cosine Corrected
- NIST Traceable Calibration
- Radiometric Units and Max Exposure Time









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Standard Chassis - IP60 1.8" (45.8mm) High x 1.6" (40.6mm) Diameter



Weatherproof Standard Chassis - IP68 Can be submersed up to 3 meters deep 1.8" (45.8mm) High x 1.6" (40.6mm) Diameter



Waterproof Underwater Chassis - IP68 Can be submersed up to 100 meters deep 3.3" (83.4 mm) High x 4.7" (119.7 mm) Diameter

### **Options:**

- Tripod Mounting Plate
- Weatherproof Chassis (submersible up to 3 meters)
- Waterproof Underwater Chassis (submersible up to 100 meters)
- Analog Model Also Available (Model PMA1120)

SPECIFICATIONS		
Spectral Response	220-400nm, Figure 1	
Cosine Response	5% for Angles <40° (Standard Chassis)	
Range	*See model chart on the next page	
Display Resolution	*See model chart on the next page	
Operating Environment	32 to 120°F (0 to +50°C)	
Temperature Coefficient	1%/°C	
Cable Length	*See cable length chart below	
<b>Dimensions and Weight</b>	*See outline drawings	

#### **REFERENCES**

"Documentation of the threshold limit values for Physical Agents in the Work Environment" American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, Inc. Sliney, D.H., The Merits of an Envelope Action Spectrum for UVR Exposure Criteria, Am. Industr. Hyg. Assn. J..33 (9):644-653,1972

Part Number: 210009 Revision Level: D Specifications subject to change without notice.

CABLE LENGTHS		
Standard Chassis	6ft Straight Cable (1.82m) (Custom Lengths Available)	
Weatherproof Chassis	15ft Standard Cable (4.57m) (Custom Lengths Available)	
Waterproof Underwater Chassis	Cable Length by Request. Specify up to 100 Meters.	

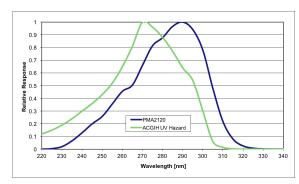


Fig. 1. Linear Spectral Response

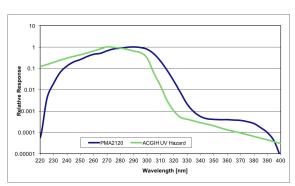


Fig. 2. Log Spectral Response

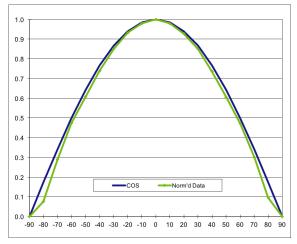


Fig. 3. Cosine Response





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## **Partial Model Selection Chart**



STANDARD CHASSIS - IP60			
Model	Range	<b>Display Resolution</b>	
PMA2120	1,000 [µW/cm²] or 3 [sec-10 Hrs]	0.01 [μW/cm²] or 1 [hh:mm:ss]	



WEATHERPROOF CHASSIS - IP68		
Model	Range	Display Resolution
PMA2120- WP	1,000 [µW/cm²] or 3 [sec-10 Hrs]	0.01 [μW/cm²] or 1 [hh:mm:ss]

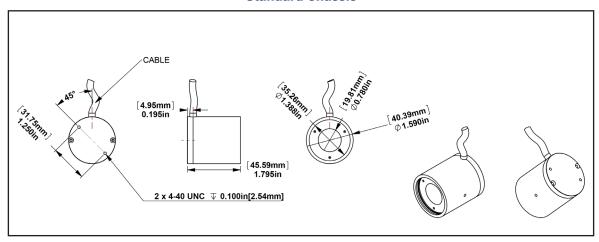


WATERPROOF UNDERWATER CHASSIS - IP68		
Model	Range	<b>Display Resolution</b>
PMA2120- UW	1,000 [µW/cm²] or 3 [sec-10 Hrs]	0.01 [μW/cm²] or 1 [hh:mm:ss]

Custom ranges, cable lengths, and cable types are available upon request – please consult factory for details

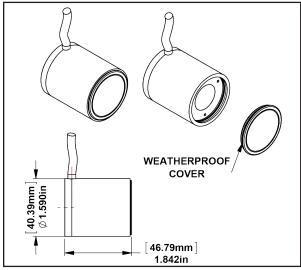


### **Standard Chassis**



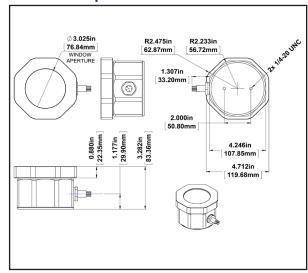
Est. Weight: 4 oz. (113 g)

### **Weatherproof Chassis**



Est. Weight: 4.2 oz. (119 g)

## **Waterproof Underwater Chassis**



Est. Weight: 3.7 lbs. (1678 g)

## **Additional Sensor Information**

LIGHT SOURCE	CORRECTION FACTOR
Quartz-Halogen Lamp	1.00
Xenon Arc Lamp	1.19
Direct Sunlight	0.16
Low Pressure Mercury Lamp	2.49
Metal Halide Lamp	1.65





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