

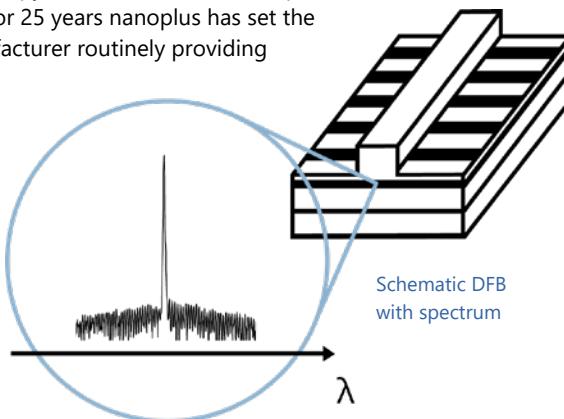
# DFB Quantum Cascade Lasers

## (pulsed QCL): 6000 nm - 14000 nm

### WAVELENGTH

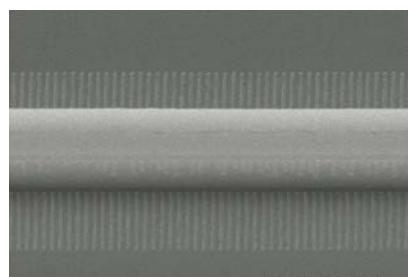
- 760–830 nm
- 830–920 nm
- 920–1100 nm
- 1100–1300 nm
- 1300–1650 nm
- 1650–1850 nm
- 1850–2200 nm
- 2200–2600 nm
- 2600–2900 nm
- 2800–4000 nm
- 4000–4600 nm
- 4600–5300 nm
- 5300–5800 nm
- 5800–6500 nm**
- 6000–14000 nm**

nanoplus Distributed Feedback Lasers (**DFB**) are specifically designed for high-precision gas detection using tunable diode laser absorption spectroscopy (**TDLAS**). Our devices operate **reliably** in more than 100,000 installations worldwide. For 25 years nanoplus has set the standard for DFB laser technology and is the only manufacturer routinely providing DFB lasers at **any wavelength**.



### Key features:

- MONOMODE
- PULSED
- ROOM TEMPERATURE
- MODE HOP FREE TUNING



Overgrowth-free DFB device processing

Any **custom wavelength** is possible: You tell us what you need and we deliver it. With our patented DFB technology we design any wavelength **between 760 nm and 14  $\mu$ m**.

Our excellent **spectral purity** is characterized by a large side mode suppression ratio (**SMSR**) of **> 35 dB**, giving your system a low signal to noise ratio against crossinterference.

A **narrow linewidth below 3 MHz** guarantees ultra-precise scanning of the absorption line feature. The **high output power** of **several mW** yields a stronger signal and increases your measurement precision.

**Fast and wide wavelength tuning** is required for in situ systems. Most customers use a scan rate of 10 kHz and benefit from our very **large tuning coefficient**.

**"Do not change your ideas, let us deliver a laser that fits your application."**

We offer **various packaging options**, e.g. several free space housings including TEC and NTC, fiber coupling **collimation** and **custom designs**. What do you require?

If you require **custom specifications**, please contact us. Nearly 80 % of our devices are more or less customer-specific. As nanoplus is a **fully vertically integrated company**, we control the entire process chain from design to packaging. Both nanoplus production facilities are based in **Germany**. To guarantee consistent product quality we apply a strict and **ISO certified quality management system** at all levels.



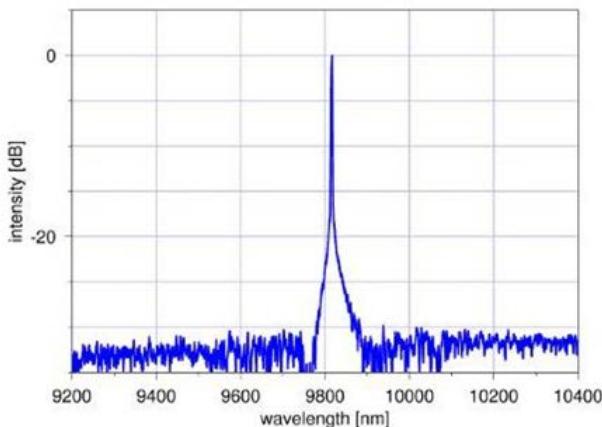
High-Heatload (HHL) mount<sup>1</sup> incl. collimation

Our sales and R&D teams have long-standing experience in developing lasers. They will advise you in your design and realization phase as well as after-sales: **We make market leaders!**

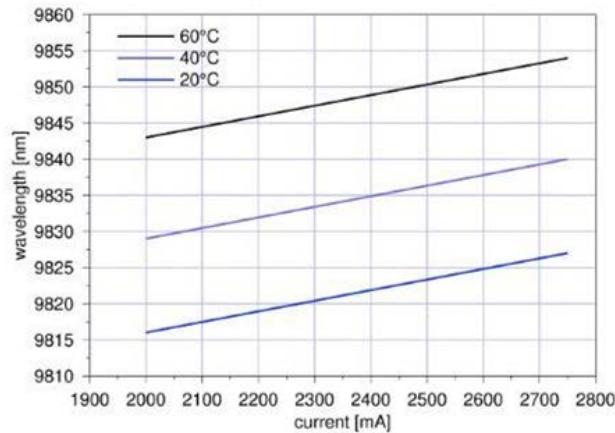


# Typical Specifications: 6000 nm - 14000 nm (pulsed)

This data sheet reports performance data of a **sample DFB QCL at 9800 nm in pulsed operation**, which is representative for the entire wavelength range.



Typical room temperature spectrum of a pulsed nanoplus DFB QCL at 9800 nm



Typical mode hop free tuning of a pulsed nanoplus DFB QCL at 9800 nm by current and temperature

electro-optical characteristics <sup>1</sup> (pulsed operation)	symbol	unit	min.	typ	max.
operating wavelength (at $T_{op}$ , $I_{op}$ )	$\lambda_{op}$	nm		Please specify to 0.1 nm.	
optical average output power (at $\lambda_{op}$ )	$P_{avg}$	mW		10	
optical peak output power (at $\lambda_{op}$ )	$P_{peak}$	mW		200	
operating current	$I_{op}$	mA		2000	5000
operating voltage	$V_{op}$	V		15	20
threshold current	$I_{th}$	mA		1500	
repetition frequency	$f$	kHz		500	
pulse length	$\tau$	ns		100	
duty cycle	d.c.	%		5	
side mode suppression ratio	SMSR	dB		> 30	
current tuning coefficient	$C_i$	nm / mA	0		0.15
temperature tuning coefficient	$C_T$	nm / K		0.7	
operating chip temperature	$T_{op}$	°C	-10	20	45
operating case temperature <sup>2</sup>	$T_c$	°C	10	20	30
storage temperature	$T_s$	°C	0	20	50

## laser packaging options

<sup>1</sup> TM-polarized <sup>2</sup> non-condensing

### High-Heatload Mount (HHL) incl. collimation

Technical drawings & accessories are available at: <https://nanoplus.com/products/packaging-options>

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