

# Chameleon MPX

## Multiphoton Microscopy Wavelength Extension

Chameleon MPX extends the wavelength range of Chameleon Vision and Ultra Ti:Sapphire lasers, and is specifically designed and optimized for non-linear imaging techniques.

Employing the latest generation fan-poled OPO technology, the fully automated Chameleon MPX delivers high peak power to the sample plane with short pulses and dispersion compensation optimized for typical commercial microscope systems.

Featuring a wide pump tuning range, the Chameleon MPX offers independently tunable dual beam excitation of popular fluorescent probes (e.g. eGFP, mCherry), enabling powerful and truly flexible multimodal imaging.



### FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Fully automated for hands-free operation
- Performance optimized for non-linear imaging applications
- 130 fs short pulses for high peak power
- Dispersion compensated output to optimize pulse width at the sample
- Gap-free tuning from 680 nm to 1340 nm with Chameleon pump laser
- Independent wavelength tuning of pump laser and OPO for simultaneous 2-color excitation
- Synchronized output pulse trains for CARS/SRS and wavelength mixing

### APPLICATIONS

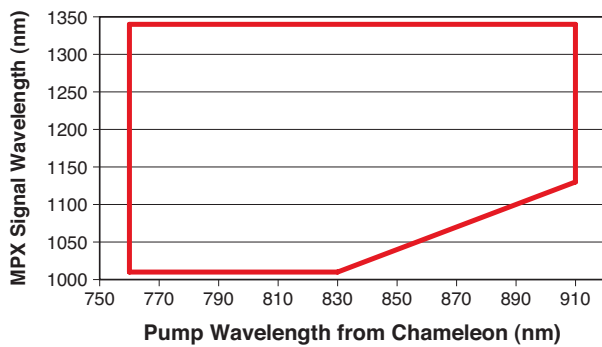
- Multiphoton Excitation Microscopy
- Second Harmonic Generation Imaging
- Third Harmonic Generation Imaging
- CARS/SRS Microscopy
- Ultrafast Spectroscopy
- Non-linear Optics

SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS	Pumped by Chameleon Ultra II	Pumped by Chameleon Vision II
Tuning Range <sup>1</sup> (nm)	1010 to 1340	1010 to 1340
Pump Wavelength Range (nm)	760 to 910	760 to 910
Output Power <sup>2</sup> (mW) (signal)	>750	>700 <sup>3</sup>
Pump Output Power Available <sup>4</sup> (%) when pumping OPO in bypass mode	~15 95	
Pulse Width <sup>5</sup> (fs) (typical)	130	
Output GDD Precompensation <sup>6</sup> (fs <sup>2</sup> )	-6000	
M <sup>2</sup> (typical)	<1.1	
Beam Diameter (mm)	2	
Beam Divergence (mrad) (typical)	0.7	
Polarization	Horizontal	
Repetition Rate (MHz)	80 (locked to pump laser)	
Dimensions (L x W x H)	520 x 369 x 158 mm (20.5 x 14.5 x 6.2 in.)	

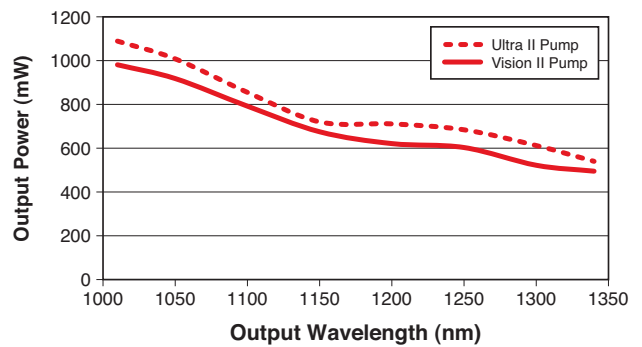
1 Tuning range depends on Pump Wavelength.  
 2 At maximum of pump and OPO signal tuning curve.  
 3 Vision Dispersion settings optimized.  
 4 Typical. Please refer to Chameleon datasheet for respective power specifications.  
 5 Typical value at sample plane after microscope dispersion.  
 6 Typical value at 1100 nm.

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA

Chameleon MPX  
Dual Tuning Range



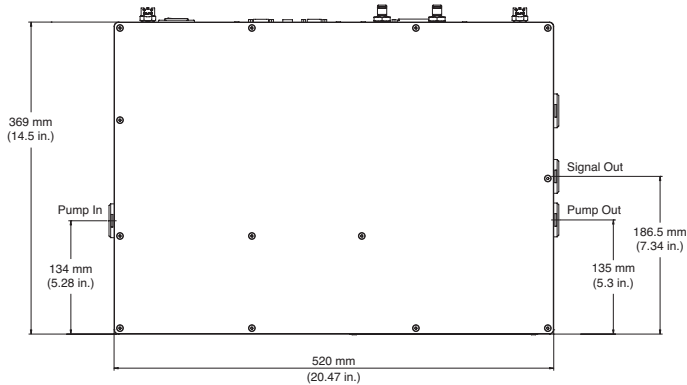
Chameleon MPX  
Typical Output Power



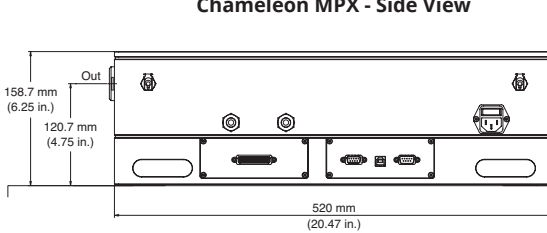
## MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

### Chameleon MPX

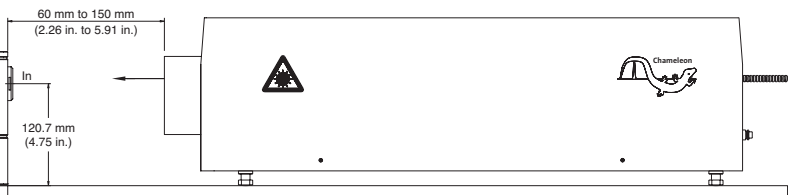
Chameleon MPX - Top View



Chameleon MPX - Side View



Chameleon - Side View



Chameleon and Chameleon MPX Table Layout



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