

500mW High Power Laser Diode

**Description**

SLD303V are gain-guided, high-power laser diodes fabricated by MOCVD.  
 MOCVD: Metal Organic Chemical Vapor Deposition

**Features**

- High power  
 Recommended power output  $P_o=450mW$
- Small operating current

**Applications**

- Solid state laser excitation
- Medical use

**Structure**

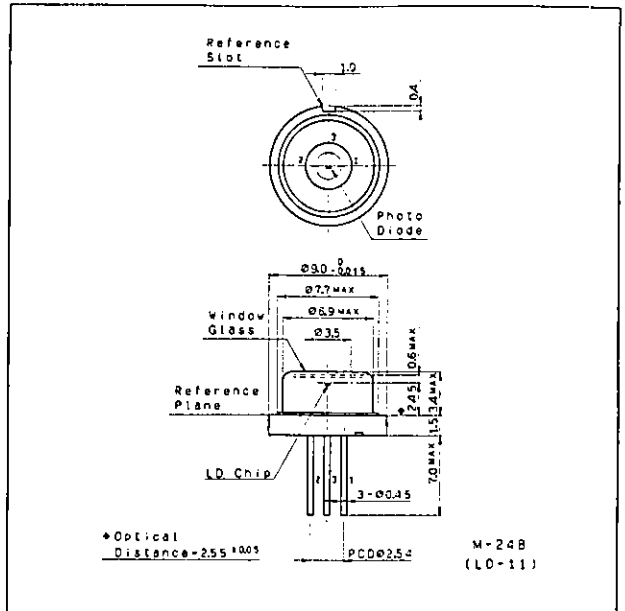
GaAlAs double-hetero laser diode

**Absolute Maximum Ratings (Tc=25°C)**

- Radiant power output  $P_o$  500 mW
- Reverse voltage  $V_R$  LD 2 V  
 PD 15 V
- Operating temperature  $T_{opr}$  -10 to +30 °C
- Storage temperature  $T_{stg}$  -40 to +85 °C

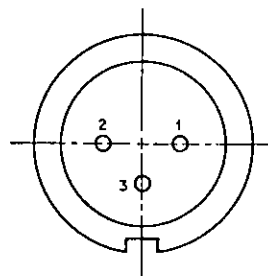
**Package Outline**

Unit: mm



**Pin Configuration (Bottom View)**

No.	Function
1	Laser diode cathode
2	Photodiode anode
3	Common



Optical and Electrical Characteristics

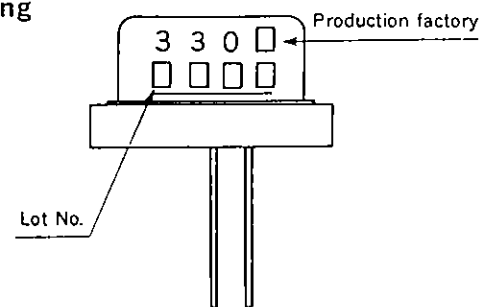
T<sub>c</sub>=25°C

Item	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Threshold current	I <sub>th</sub>			450	600	mA
Operating current	I <sub>OP</sub>	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW		950	1500	mA
Operating voltage	V <sub>OP</sub>	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW		1.9	3.0	V
Wavelength*	λ <sub>p</sub>	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW	770		840	nm
Monitor current	I <sub>mon</sub>	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW V <sub>R</sub> =10V		0.8		mA
Radiation angle (F. W. H. M)	Perpendicular	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW		28	40	degree
	Parallel			12	17	degree
Positional accuracy	Position	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW			±50	μm
	Angle				Δφ <sub>⊥</sub>	±3
Slope efficiency	η <sub>D</sub>	P <sub>0</sub> =450mW	0.65	0.9		mW/mA

\*Wavelength Selection Classification

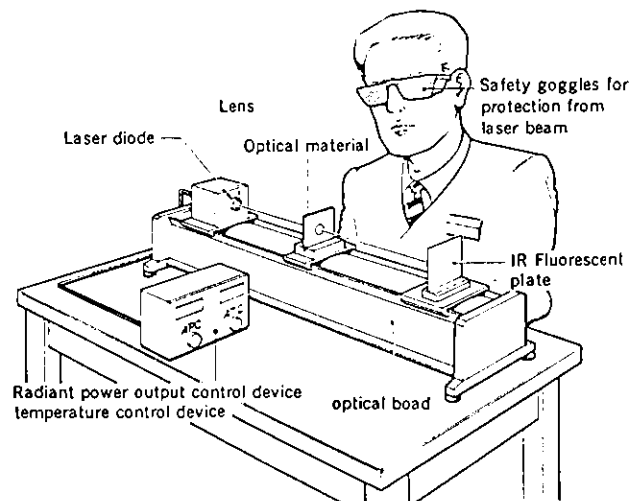
Type	Wavelength (nm)
SLD303V-1	785±15
SLD303V-2	810±10
SLD303V-3	830±10
SLD303V-21	798± 3
-24	807± 3
-25	810± 3

Marking

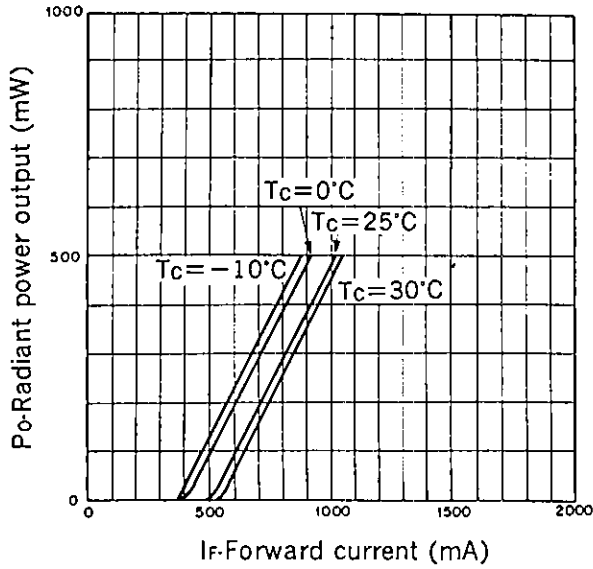


Precautions

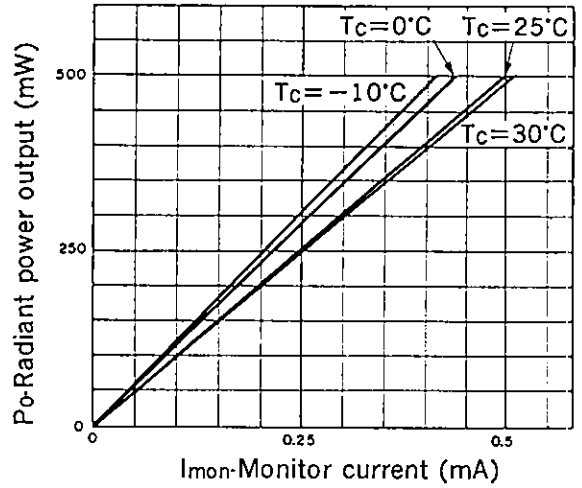
Eye protection against laser beams  
 The optical output of laser diodes ranges from several milliwatts to one watt. However the optical density of the laser beam at the diode chip reaches 1 megawatt per square centimeter. Unlike gas lasers, since laser diode beams are divergent, uncollimated laser diode beams are fairly safe at a laser diode. For observing laser beams, ALWAYS use safety goggles that block infrared rays. Usage of IR scopes, IR cameras and fluorescent plates is also recommended for monitoring laser beams safely.



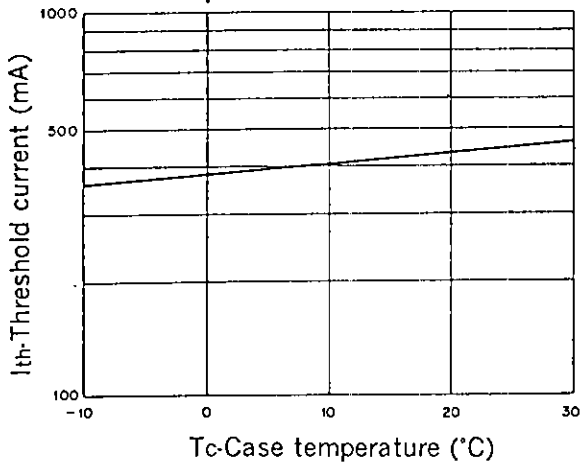
Radiant power output vs. Forward current characteristics



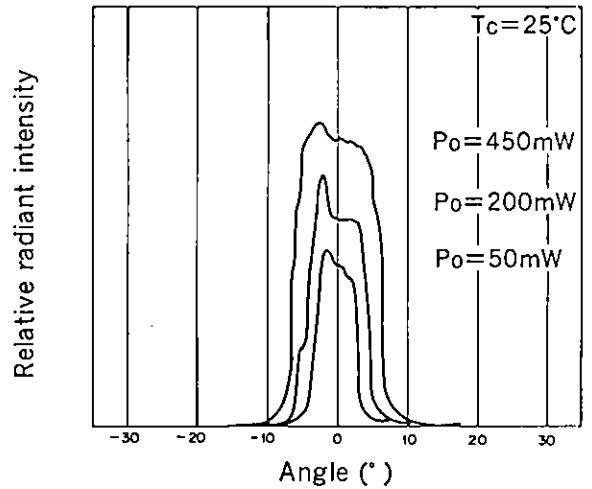
Radiant power output vs. Monitor current characteristics



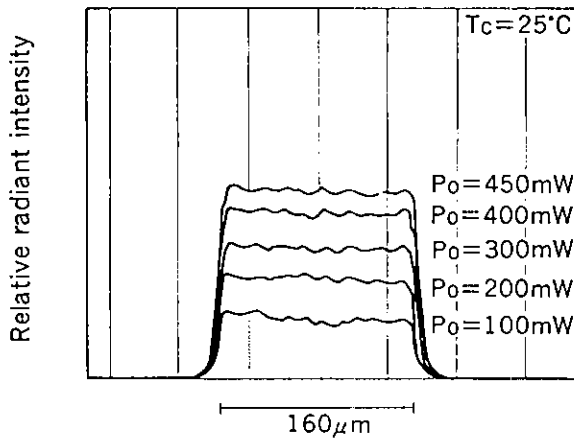
Threshold current vs. Temperature characteristics



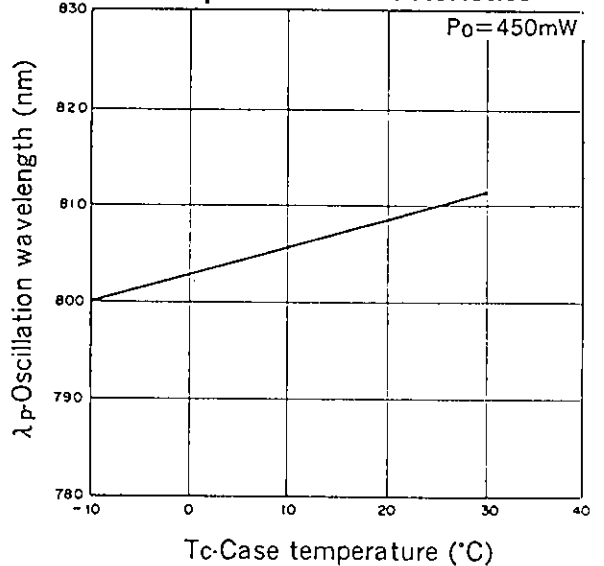
Power dependence of far field pattern (parallel to junction)



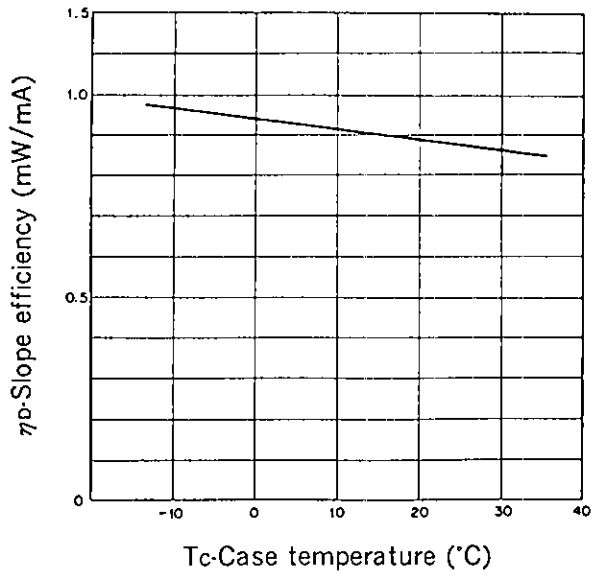
Power dependence of near field pattern



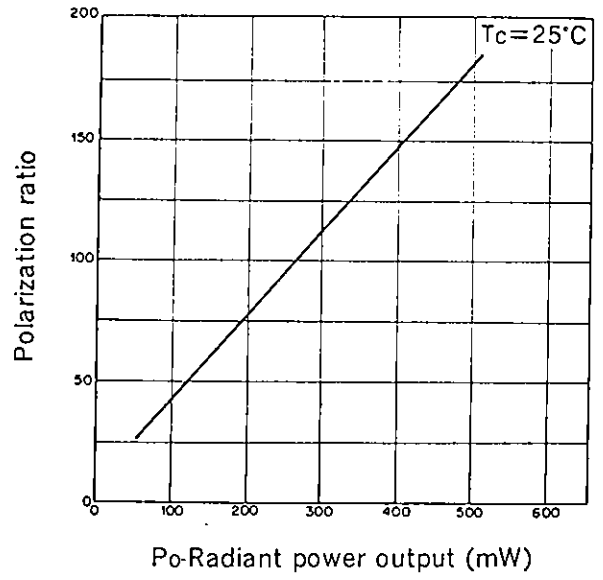
Oscillation wavelength vs. Temperature characteristics



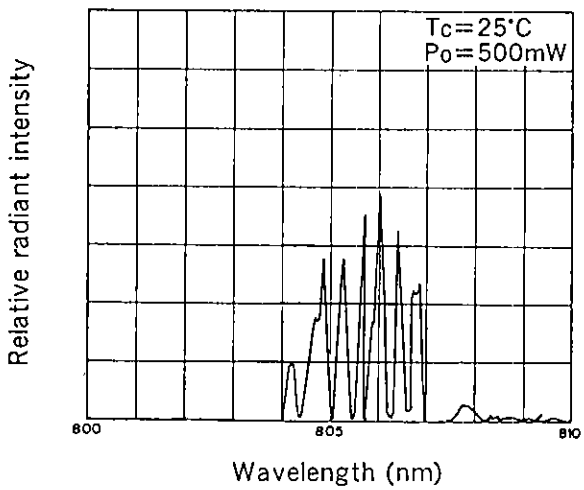
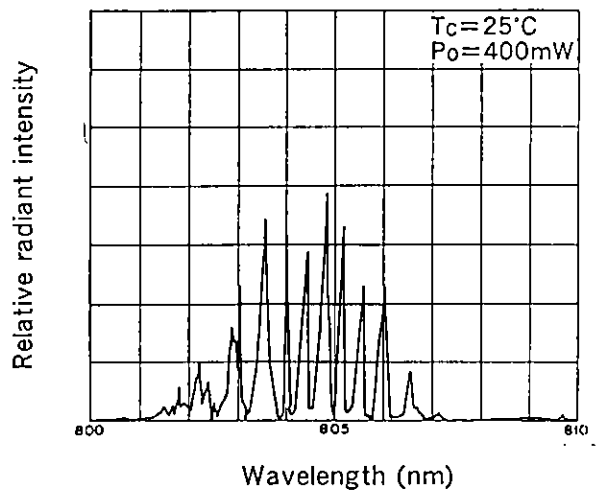
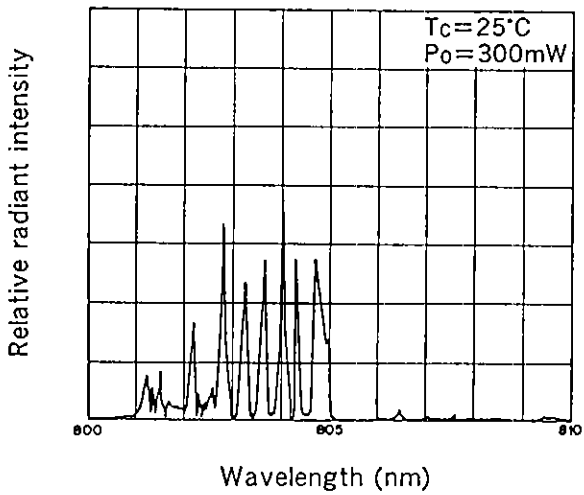
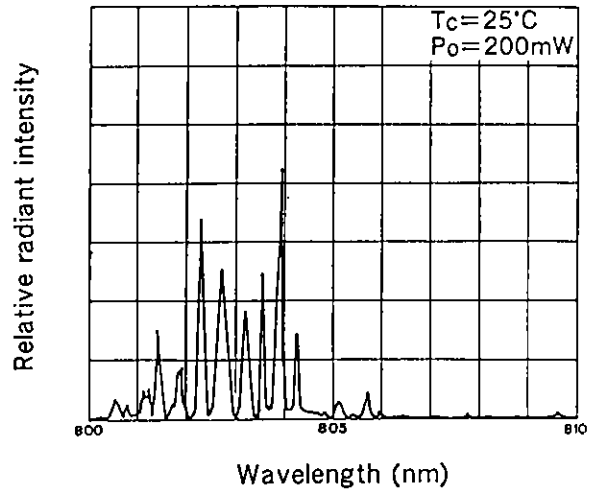
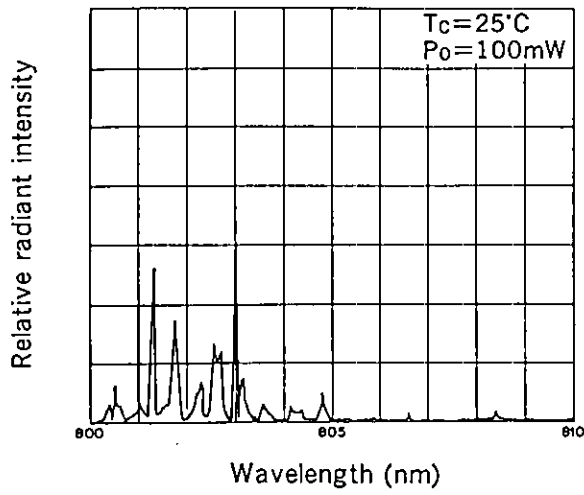
Slope efficiency vs.  
Temperature characteristics



Power dependence of polarization ratio



Power dependence of wavelength



Temperature dependence of wavelength ( $P_o=450mW$ )

