

# 935 nm, 13 mW DBR Butterfly Laser with Isolator, PM Fiber



### Description

Thorlabs' DBR935PN Distributed Bragg Reflector (DBR) laser is a single-frequency laser diode that is well-suited for differential absorption LIDAR water vapor sensing (DIAL), laser seeding, second harmonic generation, time-resolved fluorescence spectroscopy, and as a low-noise pump source for laser cooling. This laser includes an integrated optical isolator, thermoelectric cooler (TEC), thermistor, and monitor photodiode. It is packaged in a 14-pin butterfly package with PM780-HP polarization-maintaining optical fiber and an FC/APC connector with the connector key aligned to the slow axis of the fiber.

#### **Specifications**

DBR935PN <sup>a</sup>				
	Symbol	Min	Typical	Max
Center Wavelength	λς	933 nm	935 nm	937 nm
Laser Linewidth	Δν	-	8 MHz	-
Output Power CW @ I <sub>OP</sub>	P <sub>OP</sub>	10 mW	13 mW	-
Operating Current	I <sub>OP</sub>	-	300 mA	-
Mode-Hop-Free Range <sup>b</sup>	ΔI <sub>Mode-Hop-Free</sub>	20 mA	-	-
SMSR in Mode-Hop-Free Range <sup>c</sup>	SMSR	30 dB	50 dB	-
30 dB BW in Mode-Hop-Free Range <sup>c</sup>	30 dB BW	-	-	0.3 nm
Threshold Current	I <sub>TH</sub>	-	33 mA	-
Forward Voltage	$V_{F}$	-	1.75 V	2.5 V
Slope Efficiency	ΔΡ/ΔΙ	0.036 W/A	0.05 W/A	-
Current Tuning	Δλ/ΔΙ	-	0.002 nm/mA	-
Temperature Tuning	Δλ/ΔΤ	-	0.07 nm/°C	-
Monitor Diode Responsivity	I <sub>MON</sub> /P	-	46 μA/mW	-
Polarization Extinction Ratio <sup>d</sup>	r <sub>ex</sub>	-	16 dB	-
Internal Isolation	ISO	-	30 dB	-
TEC Current	I <sub>TEC</sub>	-	0.15 A	-
TEC Voltage	$V_{TEC}$	-	0.21 V	
Thermistor Resistance @ 25 °C	R <sub>TH</sub>	-	10 kΩ	-

- a.  $T_{CASE} = 25 \, ^{\circ}C; T_{CHIP} = 25 \, ^{\circ}C.$
- b. Continuous tuning range between mode hops.
- c. As measured with an optical spectrum analyzer (OSA) with spectral resolution of 0.02 nm to empirically determine single frequency range. Laser 30 dB bandwidth and SMSR are subject to monochromator settings and OSA internal algorithms, and will differ from instrument to instrument.
- d. Ratio of transmitted light polarized along the fiber's slow axis to transmitted light polarized along the fast axis.

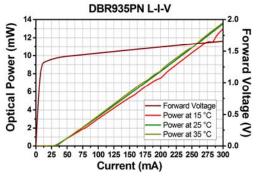


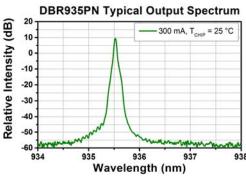


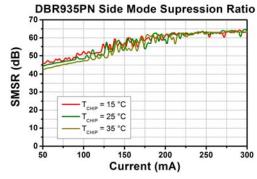
Absolute Max Ratings			
LD Reverse Voltage (Max)	2 V		
Laser Current (Max) <sup>a</sup>	See Serialized Datasheet		
Laser Power (Max) <sup>a</sup>	See Serialized Datasheet		
TEC Current (Max)	3.0 A ( $T_{CASE} = 20  ^{\circ}C$ ); 2.9 A ( $T_{CASE} = 70  ^{\circ}C$ ) <sup>b</sup>		
TEC Voltage (Max)	3.6 V ( $T_{CASE} = 20  ^{\circ}C$ ); 4.4 V ( $T_{CASE} = 70  ^{\circ}C$ ) <sup>b</sup>		
PD Reverse Voltage (Max)	15 V		
Operating Case Temperature	0 to 50 °C		
Operating Chip Temperature	5 to 45 °C		
Storage Temperature	-10 to 65 °C		

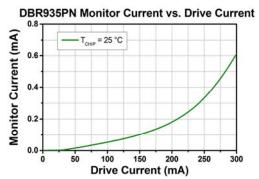
- a. Some devices will produce the max laser power before exceeding the typical operating current. Do not drive the laser diode beyond the absolute max laser current or power. Operating in this regime can cause damage to the device.
- b. Do not operate above maximum operating case temperature. Given for reference purposes only.

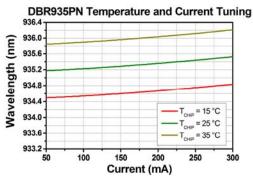
## Typical Performance Plots

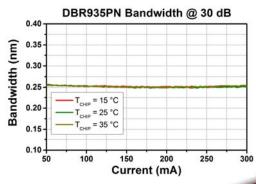














## **Drawings**

