

PSD modules

C10443 series

Integrates a PSD for precision photometry or a 4-segment Si photodiode with low-noise amp in a compact case

PSD modules contain a high-precision two-dimensional PSD (position sensitive detector) or a 4-segment Si photodiode and a low-noise amplifier, and are able to perform accurate distance measurement. Using a PSD module (excluding the C10443-06) with a dedicated signal processing unit C10460 allows obtaining distance information easily.

Features

- Easy handling
- High precision analog voltage output
- \blacksquare Only half size of a business card: 34 (W) \times 44 (H) \times 40 (D) mm

Applications

- Optical axis alignment
- Distance sensors
- Three-dimensional measurement
- Length measurement
- Liquid level sensors
- Distortion measurement

Selection guide

| Type no. | Detector type | Photosensitive area (mm) | Peak sensitivity wavelength (nm) | Dimensions (mm) | Frequency bandwidth -3 dB (Hz) | |
|-----------|----------------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| C10443-01 | | 4 × 4 | 960 | | 16 k | |
| C10443-02 | PSD | 9 × 9 | 900 | 34 × 44 × 40 | | |
| C10443-03 | PSD | 12 × 12 | 920 | | | |
| C10443-04 | | | | | 160 4 | |
| C10443-06 | 4-segment photodiode | 10 × 10 | 960 | | 160 k | |

Recommended conditions/Absolute maximum ratings

| | Supply voltage | | Current consumption | Absolute maximum ratings | | | |
|-----------|----------------|------|---------------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| Type no. | Vcc (V) | | Icc Max. | Supply voltage | Operating temperature* ¹ | Storage temperature ^{*1} | |
| | Min. | Max. | Dark state (mA) | Vcc max (V) | Topr (°C) | Tstg (°C) | |
| C10443-01 | | | | | | | |
| C10443-02 | | | ±2 | | | | |
| C10443-03 | ±5 | ±12 | | ±13 | 0 to +50 | -10 to +60 | |
| C10443-04 | | | ±15 | | | | |
| C10443-06 | | | 115 | | | | |

*1: No condensation

Note: Exceeding the absolute maximum ratings even momentarily may cause a drop in product quality. Always be sure to use the product within the absolute maximum ratings.

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Electrical and optical characteristics (Typ. Ta=25 °C, Vcc=±12 V, unless otherwise noted)

| Type no. | Spectral response range λ | Peak sensitivity wavelength λp | Saturation incident light level* ² | Photosensitivity* ² S | Position detection error ^{*3} E (µm) | | Position resolution ^{*4} ΔR Σ =10 V |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|------|---|
| | (nm) | (nm) | (µW) | (mV/µW) | Тур. | Max. | (µm) |
| C10443-01 | 320 to 1100 | 960 | - 167 | -60 | ±70 | ±150 | 0.5 |
| C10443-02 | 520 (0 1100 | | | | ±150 | ±250 | 1.0 |
| C10443-03 | 220 to 1060 | 920 | | | | | 1.4 |
| C10443-04 | 320 to 1060 | | | | | | 4.2 |
| C10443-06 | 320 to 1100 | 960 | 139 | -72 | - | - | - |

*2: λ=λp

*3: Reference value. Values may vary depending on operating environment. Position detection error is specified within a circular range of 80% from the center of the photosensitive area to the edge.

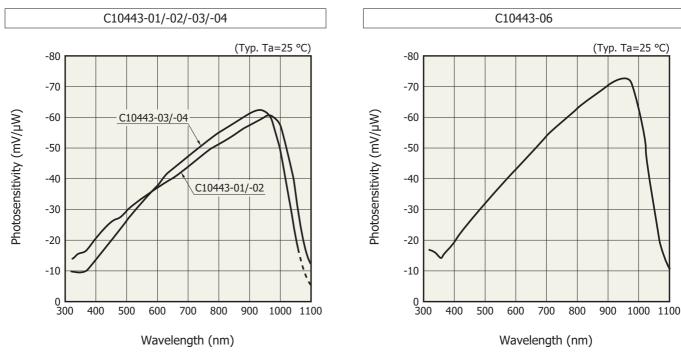
Recommended light spot size: $\phi 0.2 \text{ mm or more}$

*4: Reference value. Values may vary depending on operating environment. Σ is the sum of each output voltage and calculated as follows. $\Sigma = Vx_1 + Vx_2 + Vy_1 + Vy_2$

| Type no. | Output amplitude voltage Vout (V) | | Va Dark | voltage os state IV) | Output noise voltage ^{*5} Vn Dark state | Frequency bandwidth fc -3 dB |
|-----------|---|------------|------------|-------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. | (mVp-p) | (Hz) |
| C10443-01 | | | | | | |
| C10443-02 | 0 | -Vcc + 1.1 | -5 | +5 | 1 | 16 k |
| C10443-03 | | | | | | |
| C10443-04 | 0 | -Vcc + 2.5 | -10 | +10 | 2 | 160 k |
| C10443-06 | 0 | -VCC + 2.5 | -10 | +10 | 5 | 100 K |

*5: 0 V in dark state. A negative voltage output appears when light is input.

Spectral response

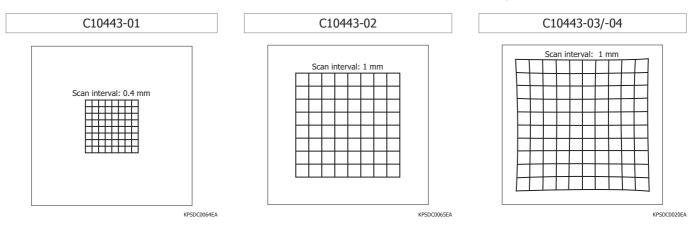


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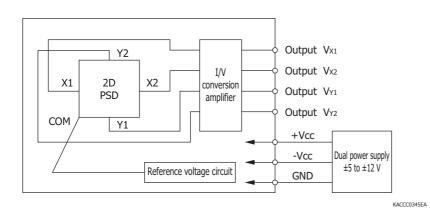


Example of position detectability (Ta=25 °C, λ=900 nm, light spot size: φ0.2 mm)



Block diagram

C10443-01/-02/-03/-04

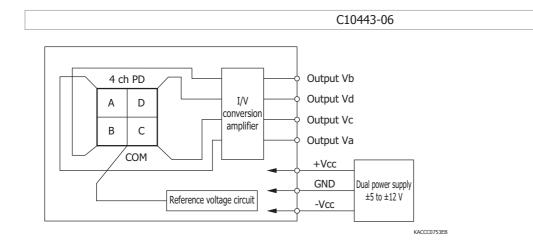


Conversion formula

$$x = \frac{(Vx_2 + Vy_1) - (Vx_1 + Vy_2)}{Vx_1 + Vx_2 + Vy_1 + Vy_2} \times \frac{L}{2}$$

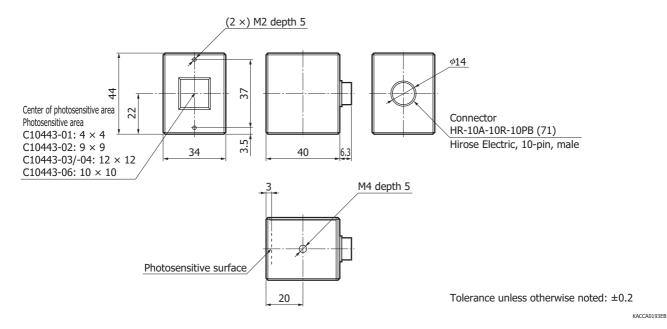
$$y = \frac{(Vx_2 + Vy_2) - (Vx_1 + Vy_1)}{Vx_1 + Vx_2 + Vy_1 + Vy_2} \times \frac{L}{2}$$

x, y: Position (mm) of light spot relative to center of PSD photosensitive area
L: 4.5 mm (C10443-01)
10 mm (C10443-02)
14 mm (C10443-03/-04)

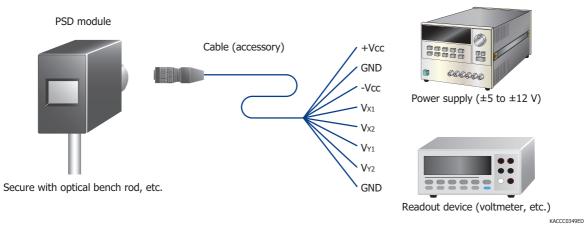




Dimensional outline (unit: mm)

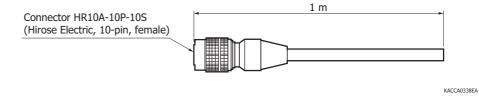


Connection example



Accessories

 \cdot Cable (One end of cable is cut off.)





Options (sold separately)

Signal processing unit for PSD module C10460

This unit converts PSD module output into position signals. The position signals are output as both analog and digital signals. With the analog signal, simply connect a voltmeter to the connector, and the readout voltage will display the position information [output voltage (V) = position relative to the PSD center (mm), excluding C10443-06]. With the digital signal, use a serial connection (RS-232C) to connect with a PC. Use the supplied sample software to easily retrieve position information into a PC. For the specifications, refer to the C10460 datasheet. Dimensions: $150 \times 100 \times 30$ mm



Related information

www.hamamatsu.com/sp/ssd/doc_en.html

Precautions

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