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TECHSPEC® 18mm Dia. x 20mm, UV-VIS Coated, UV Double-Convex Lens



UV Fused Silica Double-Convex (DCX) Lenses



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Qty 1-5	£129.60 each
Qty 6-25	£104.00 each
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General

Double-Convex Lens **Type:**

Physical & Mechanical Properties

18.00 +0.0/-0.025	Diameter (mm):
<1	Centering (arcmin):
Protective as needed	Bevel:
7.64 ±0.10	Center Thickness CT (mm):
2.50	Edge Thickness ET (mm):
17.00	Clear Aperture CA (mm):
Optical Properties	
17.18	Back Focal Length BFL (mm):
20.00	Effective Focal Length EFL (mm):
UV-VIS (250-700nm)	Coating:
R _{abs} ≤1.0% @ 350 - 450nm R _{avg} ≤1.5% @ 250 - 700nm	Coating Specification:
Fused Silica (Corning 7980)	Substrate: <input type="checkbox"/>
40-20	Surface Quality:
1.5λ	Power (P-V) @ 632.8nm:
λ/4	Irregularity (P-V) @ 632.8nm:
17.05	Radius R₁=R₂ (mm):
1.11	f#:
587.6	Focal Length Specification Wavelength (nm):
±1	Focal Length Tolerance (%):
0.45	Numerical Aperture NA:
250 - 700	Wavelength Range (nm):
3 J/cm ² @ 355nm, 10ns 5 J/cm ² @ 532nm, 10ns	Damage Threshold, Reference: <input type="checkbox"/>

Regulatory Compliance	
Compliant	RoHS 2015:
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Compliant	Reach 235:

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Edmund Optics offers comprehensive custom manufacturing services for optical and imaging components tailored to your specific application requirements. Whether in the prototyping phase or preparing for full-scale production, we provide flexible solutions to meet your needs. Our experienced engineers are here to assist—from concept to completion.

Our capabilities include:

- Custom dimensions, materials, coatings, and more
- High-precision surface quality and flatness
- Tight tolerances and complex geometries
- Scalable production—from prototype to volume

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Product Details

- Ideal for Imaging Applications
- Minimize Aberrations Including Spherical and Coma
- Precision Fused Silica Substrate

TECHSPEC® UV Fused Silica Double-Convex (DCX) Lenses, also referred to as bi-convex lenses, have two positive, symmetrical faces with equal radii on both sides. These lenses are generally recommended for finite imaging applications with a conjugate ratio (ratio between object distance and image distance) between 0.2 and 5. At a conjugate ratio of 1, aberrations such as spherical aberration, chromatic aberration, coma, and distortion are minimized or canceled due to the symmetric lens design. TECHSPEC® UV Fused Silica Double-Convex (DCX) Lenses have a precision fused silica substrate. These lenses are available uncoated or with UV-AR, UV-VIS, VIS-EXT, VIS-NIR, VIS 0°, NIR I, or NIR II coatings.

Technical Information



UV FS Transmission Curve

FUSED SILICA	
<h3>Uncoated Fused Silica Typical Transmission</h3> <p>Y-axis: T (%) X-axis: Wavelength (nm)</p>	<p>Typical transmission of a 3mm thick, uncoated fused silica window across the UV - NIR spectra.</p> <p>Click Here to Download Data</p>
<h3>Fused Silica with MgF₂ Coating Typical Transmission</h3> <p>Y-axis: T (%) X-axis: Wavelength (nm)</p>	<p>Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with MgF₂ (400-700nm) coating at 0° AOI.</p> <p>The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:</p> <p>$R_{avg} \leq 1.75\% @ 400 - 700\text{nm}$ (N-BK7)</p> <p>Data outside this range is not guaranteed and is for reference only.</p> <p>Click Here to Download Data</p>
<h3>Fused Silica with UV-AR Coating Typical Transmission</h3> <p>Y-axis: T (%) X-axis: Wavelength (nm)</p>	<p>Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with UV-AR (250-425nm) coating at 0° AOI.</p> <p>The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:</p> <p>$R_{abs} \leq 1.0\% @ 250 - 425\text{nm}$ $R_{avg} \leq 0.75\% @ 250 - 425\text{nm}$ $R_{avg} \leq 0.5\% @ 370 - 420\text{nm}$</p> <p>Data outside this range is not guaranteed and is for reference only.</p>



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Fused Silica with UV-VIS Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with UV-VIS (250-700nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$$R_{abs} \leq 1.0\% \text{ @ } 350 - 450\text{nm}$$

$$R_{avg} \leq 1.5\% \text{ @ } 250 - 700\text{nm}$$

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Fused Silica with VIS-EXT Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with VIS-EXT (350-700nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$$R_{avg} \leq 0.5\% \text{ @ } 350 - 700\text{nm}$$

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Fused Silica with VIS-NIR Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with VIS-NIR (400-1000nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$$R_{abs} \leq 0.25\% \text{ @ } 880\text{nm}$$

$$R_{avg} \leq 1.25\% \text{ @ } 400 - 870\text{nm}$$

$$R_{avg} \leq 1.25\% \text{ @ } 890 - 1000\text{nm}$$

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Fused Silica with VIS 0° Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with VIS 0° (425-675nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$$R_{avg} \leq 0.4\% \text{ @ } 425 - 675\text{nm}$$

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200 400 600 800 1000 1200

Wavelength (nm)

Fused Silica with YAG-BBAR Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with YAG-BBAR (500-1100nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$R_{abs} \leq 0.25\%$ @ 532nm
 $R_{abs} \leq 0.25\%$ @ 1064nm
 $R_{avg} \leq 1.0\%$ @ 500 - 1100nm

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Fused Silica with NIR I Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with NIR I (600 - 1050nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$R_{avg} \leq 0.5\%$ @ 600 - 1050nm

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Fused Silica with NIR II Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick fused silica window with NIR II (750 - 1550nm) coating at 0° AOI.

The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$R_{abs} \leq 1.5\%$ @ 750 - 800nm
 $R_{abs} \leq 1.0\%$ @ 800 - 1550nm
 $R_{avg} \leq 0.7\%$ @ 750 - 1550nm

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Compatible Mounts