

**TECHSPEC® 50.8mm Dia., 4mm Thick, VIS-NIR Coated λ/4 N-BK7 Window**Stock #15-438 **5 In Stock**[-](#)  [+](#)£122<sup>40</sup>**ADD TO CART**

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Protective Window

## Physical & Mechanical Properties

Bevel:	Protective as needed
Clear Aperture (%):	90
Clear Aperture CA (mm):	45.72
Diameter (mm):	50.80 +0.0/-0.25
Thickness (mm):	4.00 ±0.20
Edges:	Fine Ground
Knoop Hardness (kg/mm <sup>2</sup> ):	610.00
Parallelism (arcmin):	<1
Poisson's Ratio:	0.21
Young's Modulus (GPa):	82

## Optical Properties

Abbe Number (ν <sub>d</sub> ):	64.17
Coating:	VIS-NIR (400-1000nm)
Coating Specification:	$R_{abs} \leq 0.25\% @ 880\text{nm}$ $R_{avg} \leq 1.25\% @ 400 - 870 \text{ nm}$ $R_{avg} \leq 1.25\% @ 890 - 1000\text{nm}$
Index of Refraction (n <sub>d</sub> ):	1.516
Substrate:	N-BK7
Surface Flatness (P-V):	λ/4
Surface Quality:	60-40
Wavelength Range (nm):	400 - 1000
Damage Threshold, By Design:	5 J/cm <sup>2</sup> @ 532nm, 10ns

## Material Properties

Coefficient of Thermal Expansion CTE (10 <sup>-6</sup> /°C):	7.1 (-30 to +70°C) 8.3 (+20 to +300°C)
Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> ):	2.51

## Regulatory Compliance

RoHS 2015:	Compliant
Certificate of Conformance:	<a href="#">View</a>
Reach 235:	Compliant

## PRODUCT DETAILS

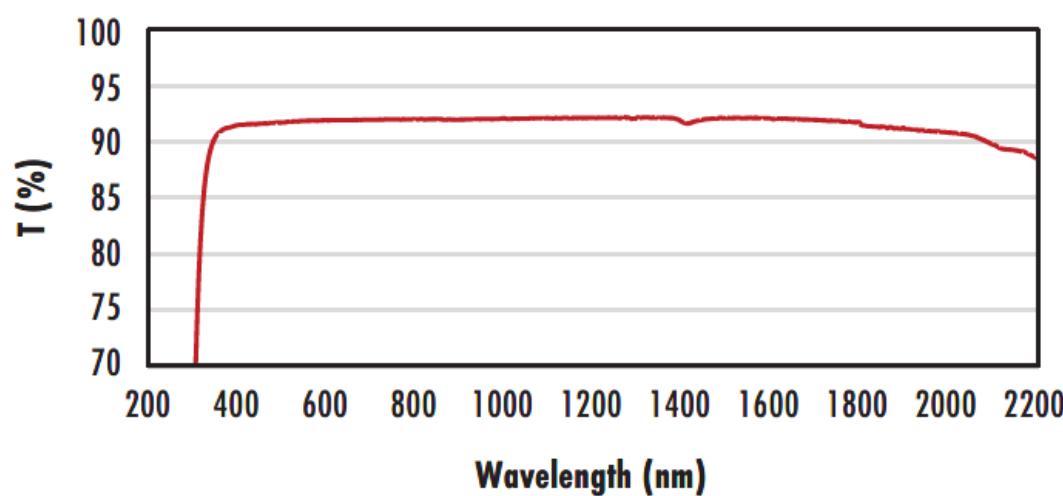
- Circular and Rectangular Sizes from 2mm to 200mm
- 8 Broadband Anti-Reflection Coating Options Available
- World's Largest Selection of Standard N-BK7 Windows
- Also Available with [Ultra-Thin N-BK7 Windows](#)

TECHSPEC® λ/4 N-BK7 Precision Windows are ideally suited for industrial and low-power laser applications. The high tolerance design yields minimal beam distortion and scatter. Broadband coating options extend the range of these precision windows through the visible and near-infrared spectra. TECHSPEC® λ/4 N-BK7 Precision Windows are offered in circular and rectangular sizes ranging from 2mm to 200mm.

**Note:** New additions to this product family may be specified with a transmitted wavefront distortion (TWD) specification instead of a surface flatness. For more information on the difference between these two specifications, see our application note on [Understanding Optical Windows](#).

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

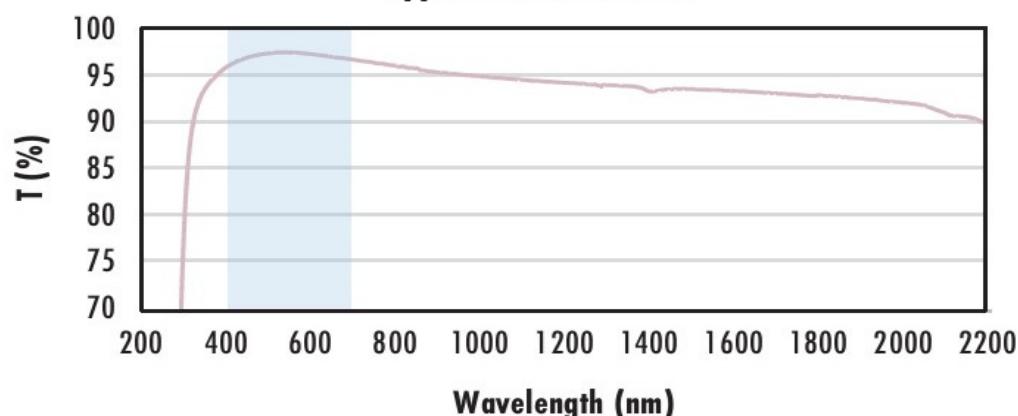
### Uncoated N-BK7 Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick, uncoated N-BK7 window across the UV-NIR spectra.

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### N-BK7 with $\text{MgF}_2$ Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with  $\text{MgF}_2$  (400-700nm) coating at 0° AOI.

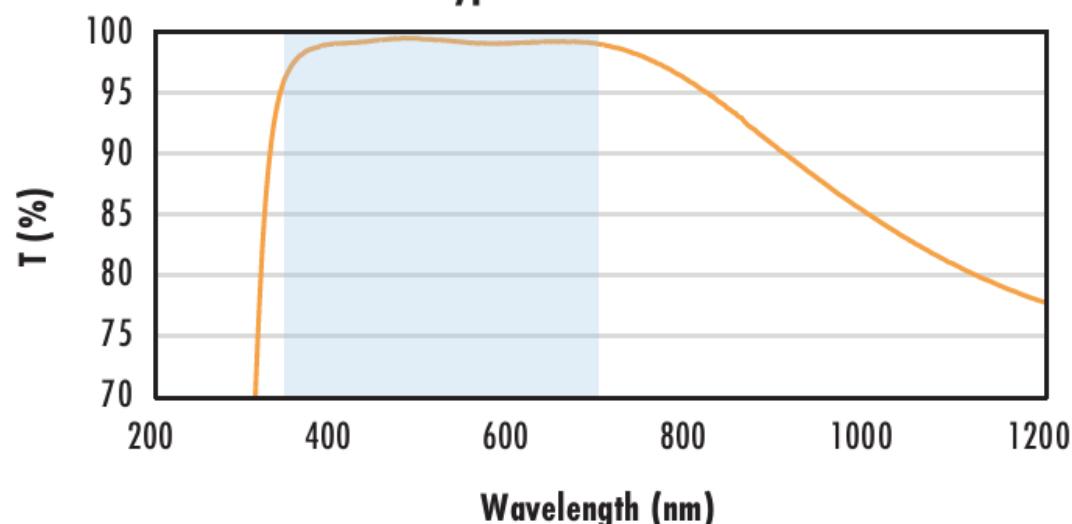
The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$$R_{\text{avg}} \leq 1.75\% \text{ @ 400 - 700nm (N-BK7)}$$

Data outside this range is not guaranteed and is for reference only.

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### N-BK7 with VIS-EXT Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with VIS-EXT (350-700nm) coating at 0° AOI.

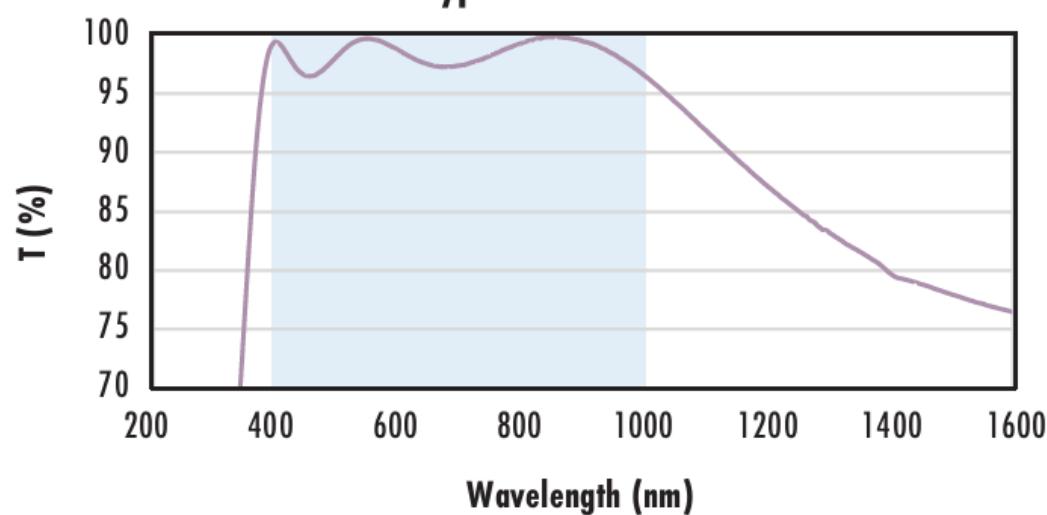
The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

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

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### N-BK7 with VIS-NIR Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with VIS-NIR (400-1000nm) coating at 0° AOI.

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

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

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

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

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### N-BK7 with VIS 0° Coating Typical Transmission

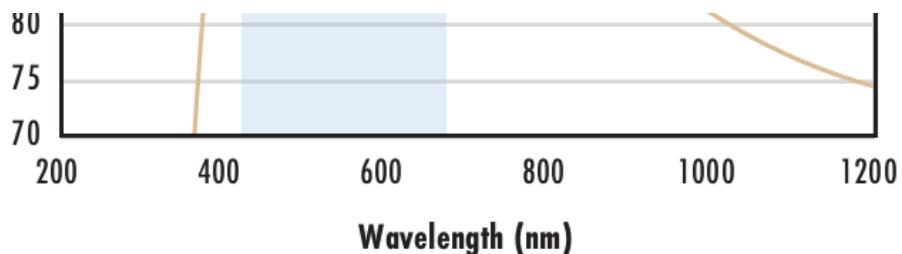


Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with VIS 0° (425-675nm) coating at 0° AOI.

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

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

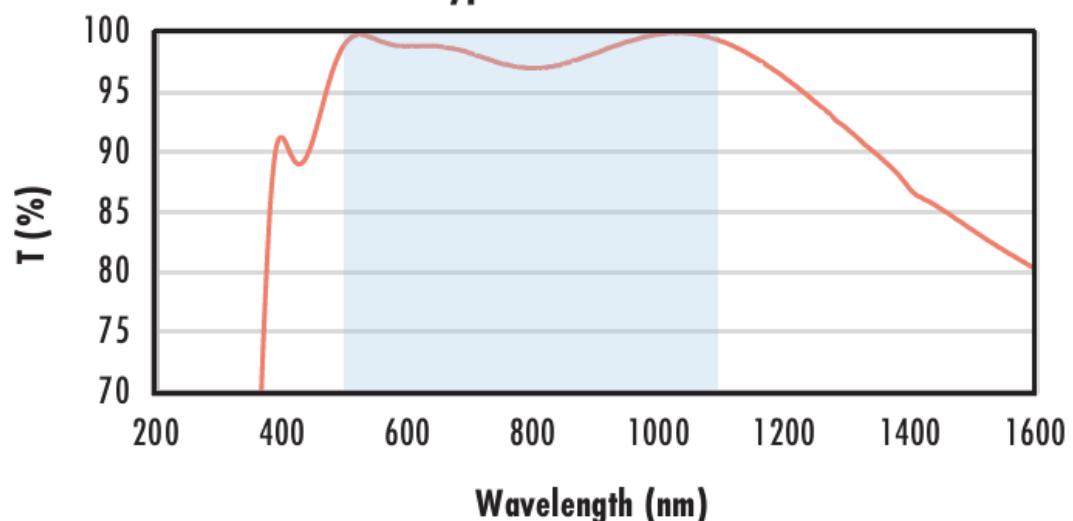
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### N-BK7 with YAG-BBAR Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with YAG-BBAR (500-1100nm) coating at 0° AOI.

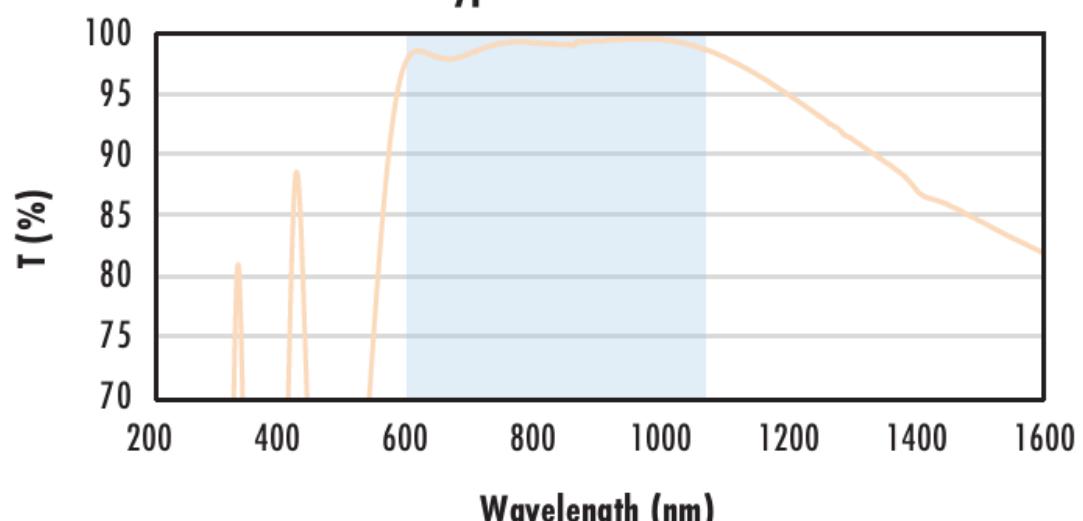
The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

$$\begin{aligned} R_{abs} &\leq 0.25\% @ 532\text{nm} \\ R_{abs} &\leq 0.25\% @ 1064\text{nm} \\ R_{avg} &\leq 1.0\% @ 500 - 1100\text{nm} \end{aligned}$$

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### N-BK7 with NIR I Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with NIR I (600 - 1050nm) coating at 0° AOI.

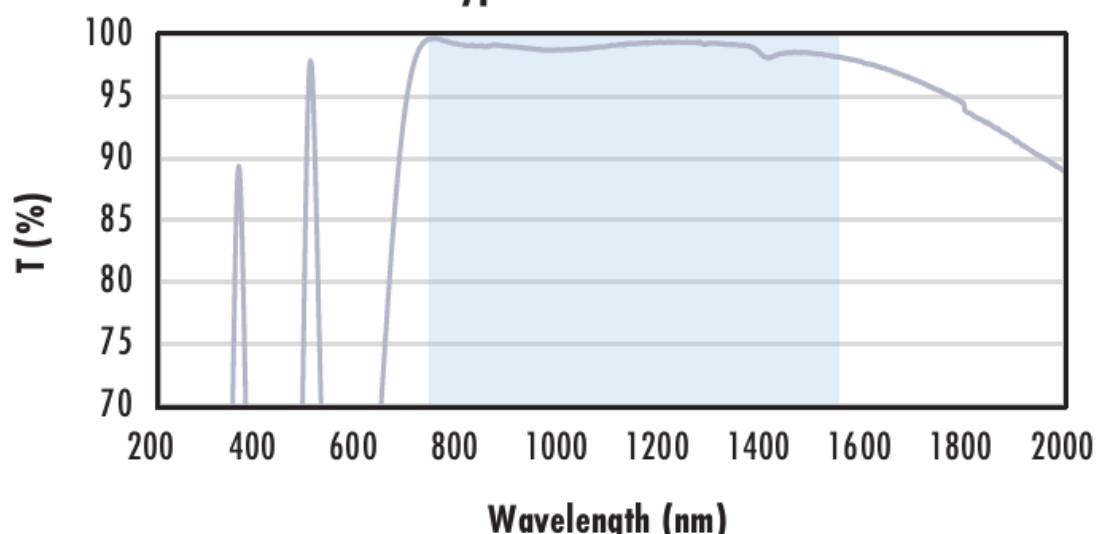
The blue shaded region indicates the coating design wavelength range, with the following specification:

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

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### N-BK7 with NIR II Coating Typical Transmission



Typical transmission of a 3mm thick N-BK7 window with NIR II (750 - 1550nm) coating at 0° AOI.

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

$$\begin{aligned} R_{abs} &\leq 1.5\% @ 750 - 800\text{nm} \\ R_{abs} &\leq 1.0\% @ 800 - 1550\text{nm} \\ R_{avg} &\leq 0.7\% @ 750 - 1550\text{nm} \end{aligned}$$

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