## AST A250+ Pyrometer for industrial application



### Overview

### Digital pyrometers with RS-485 interface



#### **Special features**

- For temperature measurements between 200 °C and 2500 °C
- Temperature linear output 0/4 to 20 mA, switchable
- Display, keys and integrated RS-485 interface
- Laser aiming light or integrated color video camera
- Optional through-lens sighting
- Very short response time 2 ms

#### **Description and application**

The digital AST pyrometer AST A250+ is specifically designed for industrial purposes. This devices are suitable for non-contact temperature measurement from 200 °C on different surfaces like metal, graphite or ceramics.

The solid and compact stainless steel housing allows usage even under rough environmental conditions. Measuring spot sizes from 0.8 mm can be easily realized. With a minimal response time of only 2 ms (t95) the devices are usable for fast measuring tasks.

The temperature linear standard output signal of 0/4 to 20 mA allows an easy implementation in existing measurement and control systems.

Use the integrated red laser aiming light for the exact aiming of the pyrometer to the measurement object .The optional integrated video camera module provides an anti-glare aiming of the pyrometer even when the measurement object is very hot. It substantially facilitates the adjustment under diffi cult local conditions where the pyrometer is not easy to reach or the measurement object cannot be seen directly. A through-lens sighting is also optionally available.

The AST A250+ possesses a RS-485 interface. The devices are bus-compatible in this way and use the Modbus RTU protocol.

Connect the pyrometer to a PC to adjust the parameters emissivity, sub temperature range, data storage settings and response time to the application by using the comfortable parameterizing and evaluation software AST NET1.

Typical application areas:

- Steel and metal industry
- Furnace industry
- Soldering applications
- Ceramic industry



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Technical data					
Туре	AST A250+				
Temperature range	200 °C to 1200 °C	250 °C to 1500 °C	350 °C to 2000 °C	250 °C to 2500 °C	200 °C to 2000 °C
Distance ratio	200:1	300:1	300:1	300:1	200:1
Optics	several fixed optics (type 250, 650, 2000, 4000)				
Part numbers	Laser Color camera Through-lens sighting	Laser Color camera Through-lens sighting	Laser Color camera Through-lens sighting	Laser Color camera Through-lens sighting	Laser Color camera Through-lens sighting
250	55610622045561082204 5561072204	55610622055561082205 5561072205	5561062206 5561082206 5561072206	5561062207 5561082207 5561062208 55610822   5561072207 5561072208	
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4000	5561067204 5561087204 5561077204	55610672055561087205 5561077205			5561067208 5561087208 5561077208
Sub temperature range of analog output	adjustable within temperature range, minimum span 50 °C				
Spectral range	1.5 µm to 1.8 µm				
Emissivity 🗉	0.050 to 1.000				
Response time (t95)	2 ms 2, adjustable up to 100 s				
Measurement uncertainty3	0.5 % of measured value in °C + 1 K				
Reproducibility <sub>3</sub>	0.1% of measured value in °C + 0.5 K				
NETD <sub>3,4</sub>	0.1K				
Transmittance	50 % to 100 %				
Ambient radiation	adjustable within temperature range				
Output	0/4 mA to 20 mA, temperatur linear, burden max. 500 $\Omega$ (galvanically isolated)				
Interface	RS-485 (galvanically isolated), half duplex, max. 115 kBd, data protocol Modbus RTU				
Aiming	AST A250+: laser aiming light, 630 680 nm, class II, < 1 mW, optional optical through-lens sightings AST A250+V: video camera, composite video signal PAL (B), 50Hz (galvanically isolated) or NTSC (M),				
Switching output/threshold Parameters	60 Hz1 opto relay, RLoad min. 48 Ω (galvanically isolated)/adjustable within temperature range adjustable via interface and software or at the device: emissivity, transmissivity, ambient radiation, response time, data storage settings, sub range of measurement output, switching thresholds of switching output				
Power supply	24 V DC ± 25 %, residual ripple 500 mV				
Power consumption	max. 1.5 W (without load at switching output)				
Operating temperature	0 °C to 70 °C				
Storage temperature	-20 °C to 70 °C				
Weight	approx. 750 g				
Housing	stainless steel round housing with plug connector, length: approx. 140 mm (without through-lens sighting), Ø 50 mm				
Safety class	IP65 according to DIN EN 60529 and DIN 40050				
Test regulations	EN 55 011:1998, limit class A				
CE symbol	according to EU regulations				
Scope of delivery	AST A250+ manual, inspection sheet, software AST NET1 without connection cable (please order separately)				

1 Other fixed optics on request. 2 With dynamic adaption at low signal level. 3 Specifications for black body radiator, T = 23 °C, t = 1s. 4 Noise equivalent temperature difference. ambient 95 s Operating temperature up to 50 °C to avoid injury.

Fixed optics					
Measurement distance a [mm]	Aperture D [mm]	a = 250	a = 650	a = 2000	a = 4000
Temperature range		Measuring field diameter M [mm]			
200 °C to 1200 °C	10.0	1.3	3.5	10.0	20.0
250 °C to 1500 °C	8.0	0.8	2.2	6.7	13.3
350 °C to 2000 °C	5.0	0.8	2.2	6.7	13.3
200 °C to 2000 °C	5.0	1.3	3.5	10.0	20.0
250 °C to 2500 °C	3.5	0.8	2.2	6.7	13.3

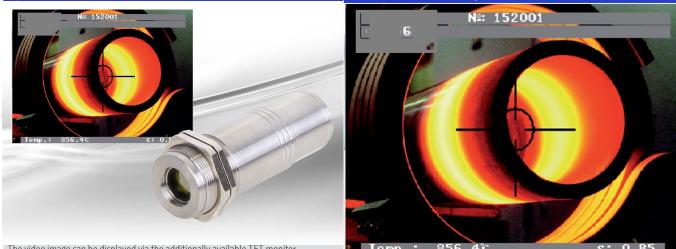
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Video signal	Composite video signal approx. 1Vss at 75 $\Omega$ (galvanically isolated, video signal can be deactivated via software)	
Color norm	PAL (B), 50 Hz (optional color norm NTSC (M), 60 Hz)	
Resolution	1/3 inch video chip 628 × 586 pixels (NTSC option: 510 × 496 pixels)	
Exposure control	automatic	
Visible field	approx. 8 % $\times$ 6 % of adjusted measurement distance (NTSC option: 6.5 % $\times$ 5 %)	
Date/time	Real-time clock with minimum 3 days power reserve, adjustable via software	
Durable image displays	Target mark in measurement spot size , measurement temperature, emissivity	
Optional image displays	Via software: serial number, device name or user-defined text (16 characters), date, time, temperature unit °C/°F, 12/24 hours display	

### Pyrometer with TFT monitor



The video image can be displayed via the additionally available TFT monitor.

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Detailed view of video image

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Pyrometer with different aiming variants



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### **Accurate Sensors Technologies**

Electrical, mechanical and optical accessories			Part number		
Connection cable, straight plug, 12 pin		length 2 m length 5 m length 10 m length 15 m length 20 m length 25 m length 30 m	3310A11111 3310A11112 3310A11113 3310A11114 3310A11115 3310A11116 3310A11117		
Video connection cable		length 2 m length 5 m length 10 m length 15 m length 20 m length 25 m length 30 m	3310A16521 3310A16522 3310A16523 3310A16524 3310A16525 3310A16526 3310A16527		
Mounting angle		adjustable	3310A21050		
Cooling jacket		including air purge unit, without mounting angle	3310A23056		
Ball flange		thread M40 × 1.5	3310A24020		
Air purge unit		stainless steel	3310A22050		
Power supply PSU 15		24 V DC, 0.6 A	3310A12010		
Ring nut		with quartz glass window with sapphire glass window	3310A34022 3310A34052		
TFT monitor	TFT monitor industrial	3.5" with 2 m connection cable2	3310A16110	3310A16120	
Adaptor		video/USB	3310A14030		
DHP 1040		handheld programming device	3310A17010		
1 More accessories	1 More accessories on request. 2 Cable lengths 5 m and 10 m also available.				

Selected accessories			
Mounting angle, adjustable	Cooling jacket	Air purge unit	
Part number: 3310A21050	Part number: 3310A23056	Part number: 3310A22050	
TFT monitor (industrial)	Ball flange Part	Power supply PSU 15	
Part number: 3310A16120	number: <u>3310</u> A74070	<section-header></section-header>	
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