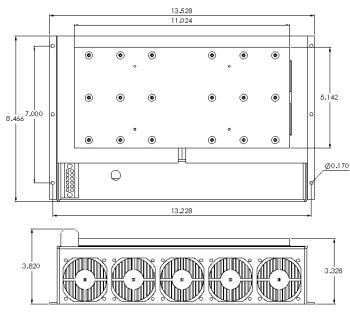
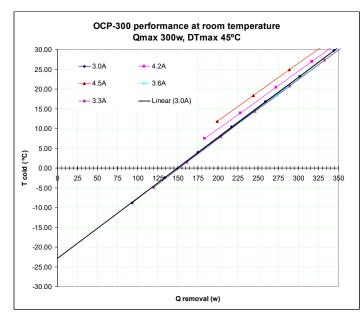
# Model OCP-300

## 1. Introduction

OCP-300 is a high performance thermoelectric cooling module designed for OEM applications for high power laser products, medical equipments and semiconductor processing. It is also a convenient solution for general cooling of common fiber coupled lasers in laboratory environment.

Figure 1 below is the outline dimension of OCP-300. The cold plate will be made to order with mounting hole patterns provided by customer. We also accept customer provided cold plates and install it in place of our standard cold plate. The size and material of the cold plate may be changed upon request except the location of the mounting holes for the cold plate itself.





wiring options and the corresponding power requirements):





The heatsink we use for OCP-300 is our model HS-004. HS-004 has four heat pipes embedded in the base of the heatsink to minimize heat spreading resistance; the heatsink is nickel plated and the heat pipes are soldered into the heatsink. HS-004 is available for sale as a standalone unit. It is a great solution for high power lasers, electronics, IGBTs, etc.

All electrical connections are provided through the terminal block. Table 1 below lists the pin out designations (<u>the TECs in OCP-300 maybe custom wired</u> to meet users' specific needs; contact ETE for other

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## 2. Performance curve

The performance curve illustrates the performance of OCP-300 at various current in room ambient temperature. The X-axis is the heat load to the cold plate, the Y-axis is the cold plate temperature at the heat load. Please notice that the cold plate temperature is an average figure, the temperature of the cold plate is very uniform (<0.5°C) with evenly distributed heat load; when used to cool high power laser diode, the temperature directly underneath the diode source will be slightly higher than the edge of the cold plate. The curve

Pin # marked on terminal block	Designation	Maximum rating
1	TEC +	15A x 40V
2	TEC -	
3		
4		
5	Fan +	4.2A x 12V
6	Fan -	

indicates the optimum current to individual TEC is 3-3.6A (12-15A at terminal block) depends on the operating point. The performance, optimum current, maximum rating all changes depends on the heat load, cold side set temperature and ambient temperature.

## 3. Cooling Fan Specifications (5 fans in parallel)

Parameters	Standard
Rated voltage	12VDC
Operating voltage range	7~13.5 VDC
Input power	50W
Rated current	4.2A, startup 5.2A
Noise per fan	50dBA

#### 4. TEC specifications

There are two sets of TECs in OCP-300 that are pre-wired in parallel and routed to the terminal block. The maximum operating current 15 A, and maximum voltage is 40VDC at room temperature. Maximum operating current and voltage increases if ambient is higher. Exceeding the specified maximum current may reduce the performance and degrade the reliability of TECs. The TECs shall run from constant current source.

Users are advised to manually ramp the TEC driving current after assembling the diode or other heat load on the cold plate to identify the optimum current and set current limit accordingly so that the TEC will not runaway.

All TECs are environmentally sealed for operating below dew points. The maximum rated operating temperature for TECs is 150°C. The thermal resistance from TEC to ambient of OCP-300 heatsink is 0.04°C/w.

# 5. Diode Cooling Interface Guidelines

The actual performance of the cooling module is extremely sensitive to the quality of the thermal interface between the cold plate and the diode. For high power laser modules with large footprints, it is very difficult to maintain uniform high quality interface. We recommend customers to use copper cold plate for low spreading resistance if highly concentrated heat sources are to be mounted on the cold plate; for well distributed heat source, aluminum cold plate will be sufficient.

If diode set temperature is significantly below ambient, we highly recommend using thermal insulation materials such as silicone foam or ceramic-based insulation to insulate laser from ambient.

#### 6. Controller, Pricing and Contacts

ETE offers standard controllers for all our thermoelectric products. The controller for OCP-300 is MC-1000-300. For pricing and availability, please contact ETE in any of the following options:

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