

# **SPAD** module



C14076-01

# Embedded use, fiber coupling type 1 ch SPAD module (for VIS region)

The C14076-01 is a fiber coupling type photon counting module that can detect low-level light. It consists of a thermoelectric cooled single photon avalanche diode (SPAD), an amplifier, a comparator, a SPAD bias circuit, and a temperature controller. The module operates by simply connecting to an external power supply (±5 V). As this product is compact and lightweight, it is suitable for integration into devices.

#### Features

- ➡ Fiber coupling type
- **→** Single photon counting is possible.
- ➡ High short-wavelength sensitivity
- **■** Low dark count
- Compact and lightweight

## Applications

- **Low-level-light measurement**
- **■** Particle diameter measurement
- **➡** Fluorescence measurement
- **■** Analytical instruments

## - Absolute maximum ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Value	Unit
Supply voltage	Vs		±6	V
Operating temperature	Topr	No dew condensation*1	-10 to +40	°C
Storage temperature	Tstg	No dew condensation*1	-20 to +70	°C
Maximum incident light level	-	λ=450 nm	50	μW

<sup>\*1:</sup> When there is a temperature difference between a product and the surrounding area in high humidity environments, dew condensation may occur on the product surface. Dew condensation on the product may cause deterioration in characteristics and reliability.

#### **Electrical and optical characteristics (Ta=25 °C, λ=450 nm, Vs=±5 V, unless otherwise noted)**

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Spectral response range	λ		370 to 900		nm	
Peak sensitivity wavelength	λр		-	450	-	nm
Fiber connector*2	-		FC type		-	
Chip temperature (setting temperature)*3 *4	Tchip		-	-20	-	°C
Photon detection efficiency	PDE		35	45	-	%
Dark count	CD		-	7	25	cps
Afterpulse probability	-	100 ns to 500 ns	- 0.1 -		-	%
Comparator output	-		TTL compatible			-
Current Positive power supply	Ic	Vs=+5 V	-	+200	+1500	mΛ
consumption Negative power supply	10	Vs=-5 V	-	-20	-40	mA

<sup>\*2:</sup> Recommended fiber: GI 50/125 multimode fiber

#### Recommended operating conditions

	Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Supply	Positive power supply	Vs	+4.75	+5	+5.25	V
voltage*5	Negative power supply		-4.75	-5	-5.25	

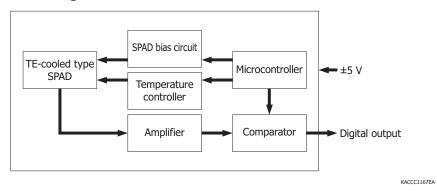
<sup>\*5:</sup> A power supply with 2 A or higher output must be used.

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.

<sup>\*3:</sup> When the chip temperature strays from the setting temperature by 5 °C, cooling automatically stops, and signals are no longer output.

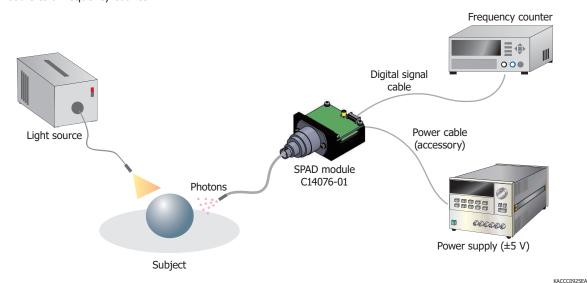
<sup>\*4:</sup> The setting temperature cannot be changed.

# Block diagram



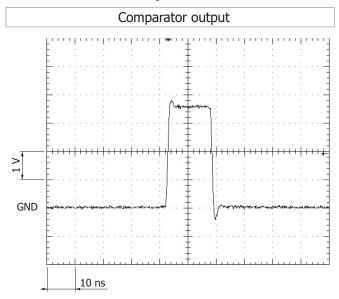
# **Connection example**

Using the supplied power cable, connect the SPAD module to a power supply. You can count output pulses by connecting the SPAD module to a frequency counter.

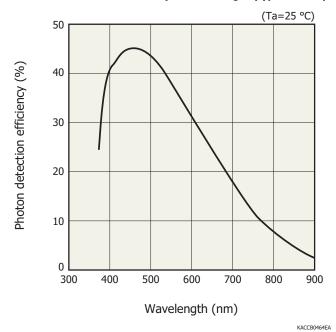


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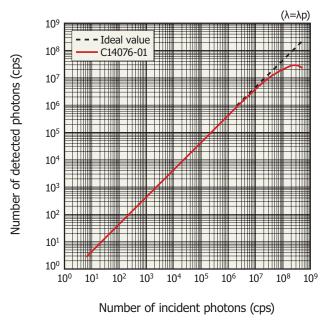
## Measurement example



# Photon detection efficiency vs. wavelength (typical example)

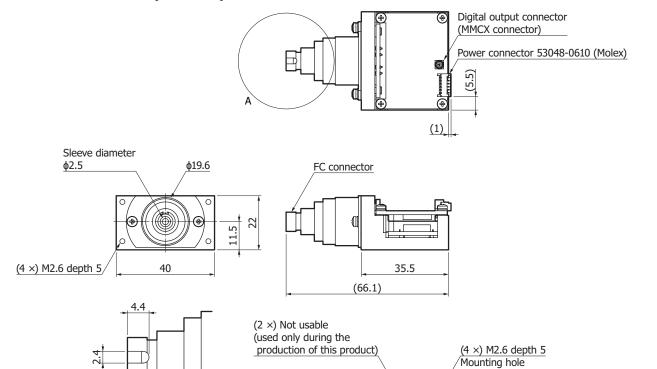


# **Linearity** (typical example)



KACCB0546EA

# Dimensional outline (unit: mm)



KACCA0421EC

Note: When using this product, provide heat dissipation measures by using heatsinks or through thermal coupling with the enclosure that you will use. Keep the thermal resistance to 3 °C/W or less.

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#### Accessories

M8, pitch 0.75

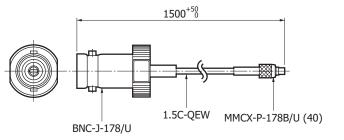
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- · Power cable
- · Instruction manual

#### Options (sold separately)

#### MMCX-BNC cable A12763

Dimensional outline (unit: mm)



#### Precautions

· Use the product by referring to the supplied instruction manual.

#### Related products





The C13001-01 is a module for evaluating fiber coupling type single photon avalanche diode (SPAD). This module consists of a fiber coupling type (SPAD), an amplifier, a comparator, a SPAD bias circuit, and a temperature controller. The module operates by simply connecting to an external power supply (±5 V). The C13001-01 series has nearly the same functions as the C14076-01. Note that the C13001-01 does not require heat dissipation measures.

#### Related information

http://www.hamamatsu.com/sp/ssd/doc\_en.html

- Precautions
- · Disclaimer

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