

DB550/850 DUAL BANDPASS GREEN + 850NM NIR

MidOpt Dual Bandpass and Triple Bandpass Filters

- Available in UV, VIS and NIR passbands
- Achieve optimal contrast
- Improve system control, repeatability and stability
- Block interfering wavelengths, eliminating the need for shrouds
- Increase resolution by reducing chromatic aberration
- Anti-reflection coated for maximum transmission
- Hard coated, single substrate fabrication
- Exceptional surface quality; 40/20 scratch/dig



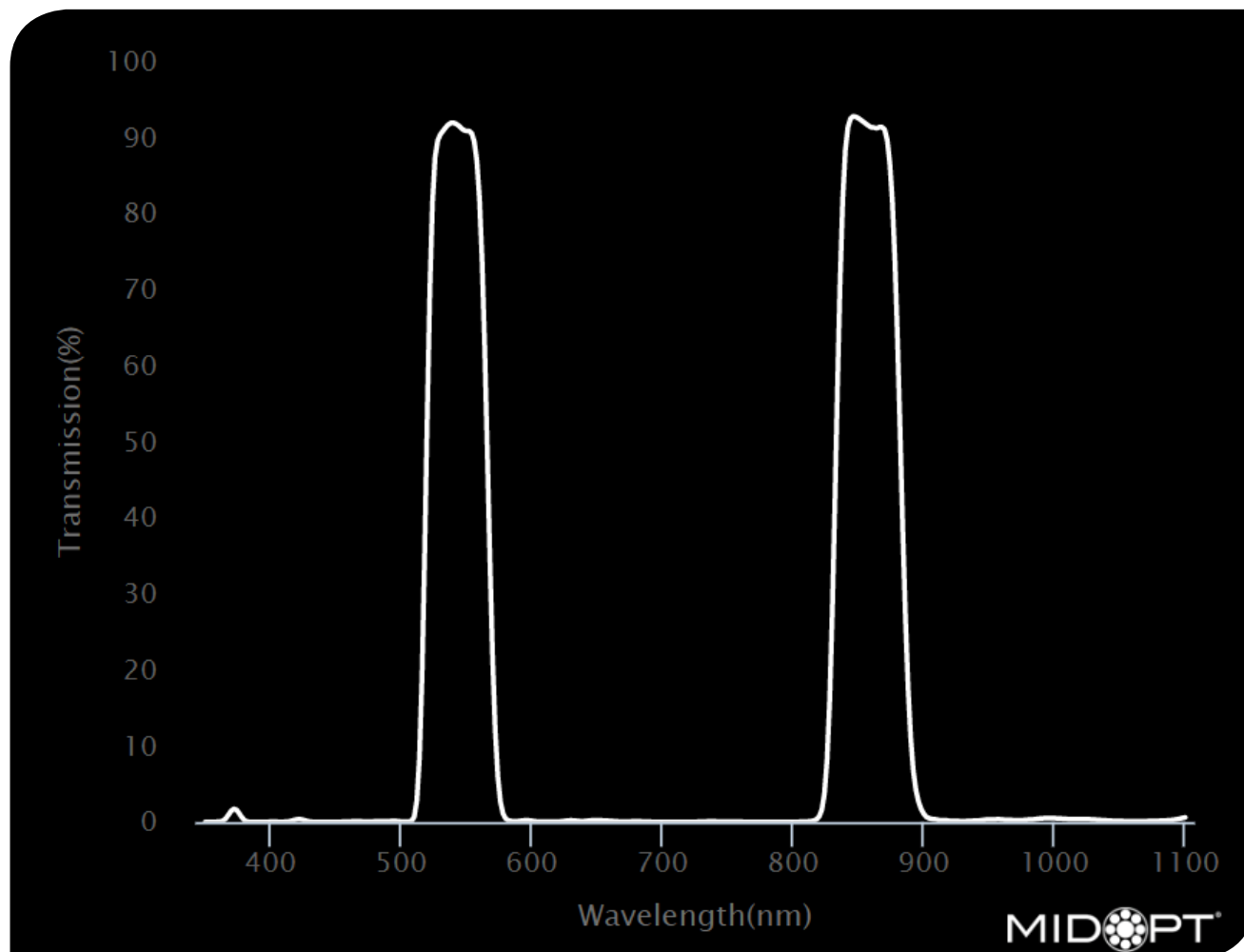
Dual Bandpass Filter Applications

MidOpt Dual Bandpass and Triple Bandpass Filters are most commonly used for security and surveillance, intelligent traffic solutions and Normalized Difference Vegetation Index (NDVI) imaging.

DB Series - Dual Bandpass Filters

- Pass visible light and a specific portion of the visible (VIS) and near-infrared (NIR) spectrums
- Ideal for color camera applications that utilize daytime sunlight and NIR illumination at night
- Achieve accurate color rendition by blocking interfering wavelengths
- Eliminate the need for dual sensor imaging
- Anti-reflection coated for maximum transmission
- Hard-coated, single-substrate fabrication
- Exceptional surface quality; 40/20 scratch/dig

APPLICATIONS: Dual Bandpass Filters are becoming increasingly popular in NDVI aerial drone inspection, allowing for single sensor imaging and reduced operation payload. NDVI, traditionally achieved by satellite imagery, can now be obtained utilizing Dual Bandpass Filters and personal aerial imaging devices.



Useful Range:	535-565nm, 830-870nm
FWHM:	40nm, 50nm
Tolerance:	+/- 5nm
Peak Transmission:	≥85%
Surface Quality:	40/20
Compatible LED:	548nm, 840nm, 850nm

The DB550/850 compliments the DB660/850 and DB475/850 filters. When modifying a single color camera by removing its IR blocking filter, incorporation of this filter in its place allows reflected near-infrared light (850nm) to be captured in the camera sensor's red channel and reflected green light (550nm) to be captured in the sensor's green channel (the blue channel is not used). Healthy vegetation will absorb (not reflect) green light and strongly reflect near-infrared light. Thus this information can then be used to apply a false color gradient to images to better highlight the contrast between regions of healthy vegetation vs. areas with stressed, diseased or no vegetation.

There are a range of vegetation indices used by the remote sensing and precision agriculture community, and while NDVI is probably the most common, each have their advantages. Any of the indices listed below can be considered when employing a single color sensor camera that has been converted using a DB550/850 filter. Information gathered can then be overlaid on vegetation maps to provide information used to make better crop management decisions.

Green Chlorophyll Index

$$CI_g = (NIR / Green) - 1$$

Green Difference Vegetation Index

$$GDI = NIR - Green$$

Green Normalised Difference Vegetation Index

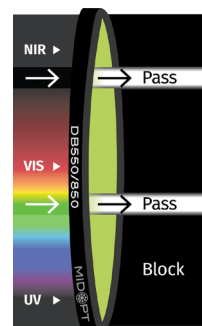
$$GNDVI = (NIR - Green) / (NIR + Green)$$

Green Ratio Vegetation Index

$$GRVI = NIR / Green$$

Green Soil Adjusted Vegetation Index

$$GSAVI = [(NIR - Green) / (NIR + Green + 0.5)] * (1 + 0.5)$$



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DB550/850 TRANSMISSION DATA (TYPICAL)

Wavelength (nm)	Transmission (%)
1100	0.60
1090	0.27
1080	0.16
1070	0.11
1060	0.11
1050	0.14
1040	0.21
1030	0.32
1020	0.36
1010	0.39
1000	0.51
990	0.48
980	0.31
970	0.22
960	0.32
950	0.33
940	0.18
930	0.10
920	0.14
910	0.32
900	1.07
890	11.04
880	62.85
870	91.07
860	91.34
850	92.56
840	88.38
830	27.83
820	0.74
810	0.05
800	0.01

Wavelength (nm)	Transmission (%)
790	0.00
780	0.00
770	0.00
760	0.03
750	0.05
740	0.08
730	0.04
720	0.01
710	0.01
700	0.01
690	0.03
680	0.09
670	0.05
660	0.15
650	0.25
640	0.11
630	0.22
620	0.06
610	0.05
600	0.16
590	0.12
580	0.45
570	21.57
560	81.81
550	90.87
540	91.96
530	90.42
520	53.57
510	0.67
500	0.06
490	0.09

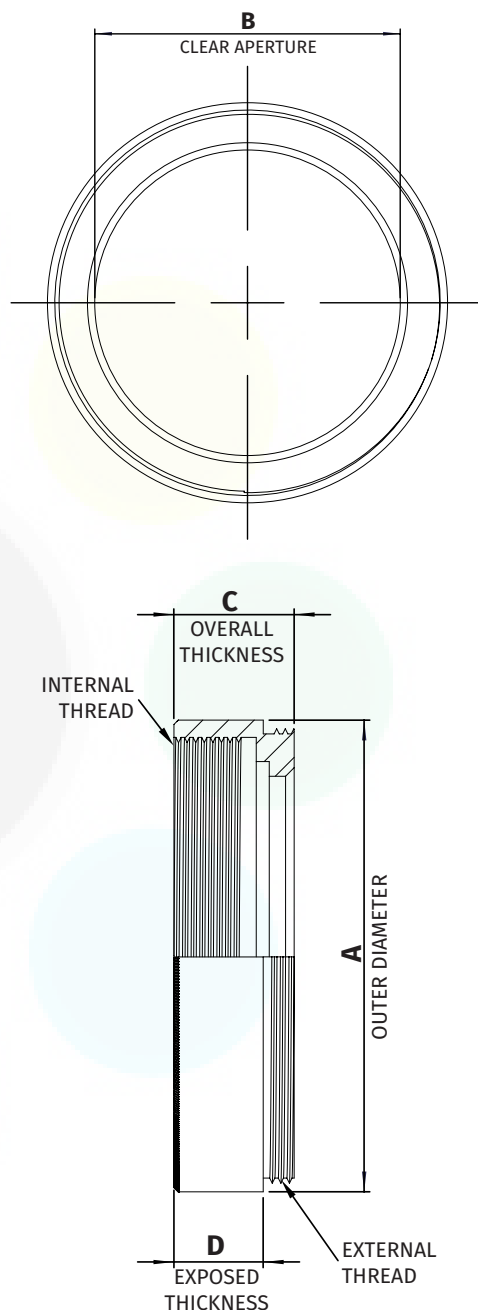
Wavelength (nm)	Transmission (%)
480	0.08
470	0.07
460	0.06
450	0.01
440	0.00
430	0.06
420	0.34
410	0.02
400	0.03
390	0.01
380	0.25
370	1.48
360	0.03
350	0.00

STANDARD THREADED MOUNT DIMENSIONS

NOTES:

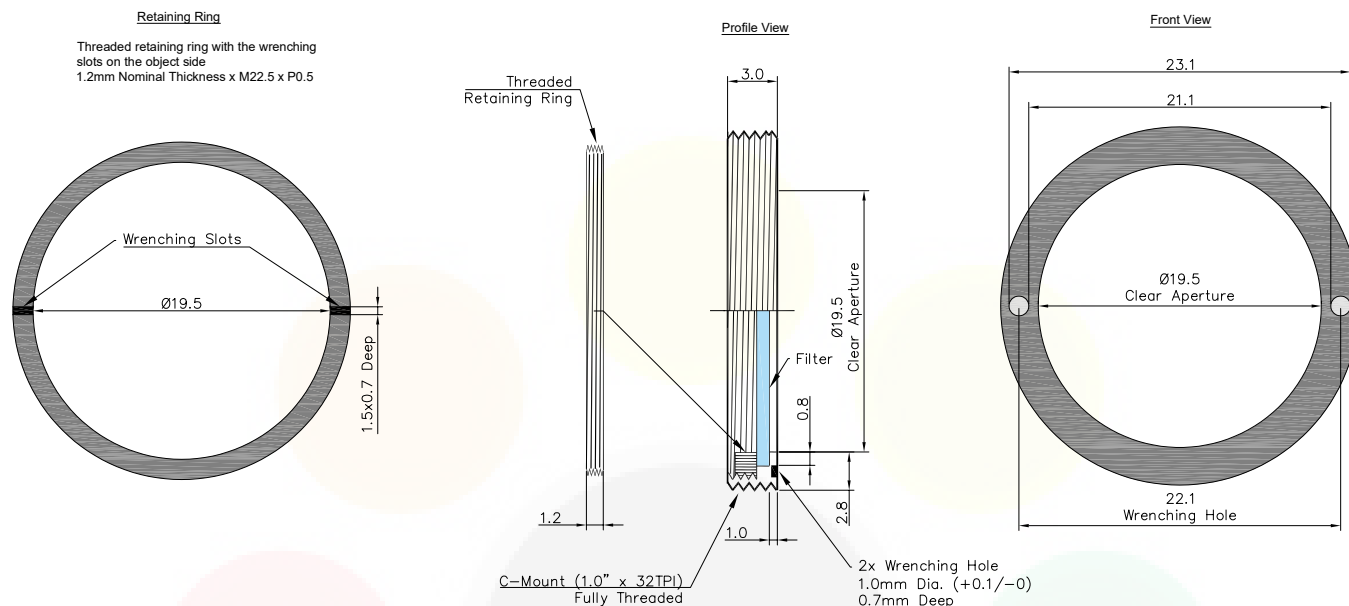
1. Inner and outer threads are of the same size and pitch.
2. Filter mount and retaining ring are black anodized aluminum.
3. All dimensions indicated in mm.
4. Tolerance: $\pm 0.3\text{mm}$.

Mount Size	A	B	C	D
M13.25 x P0.5	14.3	10.6	7.5	5.7
M22.5 x P0.5	24	18.5	7	5.2
M25.5 x P0.5	27.5	21	7	5.2
M27 x P0.5	29	22.5	7	5.2
M30.5 x P0.5	32.5	25.5	7	5.2
M34 x P0.5	36	29	7	5.2
M35.5 x P0.5	37.5	30.5	7	5.2
M37 x P0.75	39	31.9	6.5	4.5
M37.5 x P0.5	39.5	32.5	7.2	5.2
M39 x P0.5	41	34	7	5.2
M40.5 x P0.5	42.5	35.5	7	5.2
M43 x P0.75	45	38	7	5.2
M46 x P0.75	48	41	7	5.2
M48 x P0.75	50	43	7	5.1
M49 x P0.75	51	44	7	5.2
M52 x P0.75	54	47	7	5.2
M55 x P0.75	57	50	7	5.2
M58 x P0.75	60	52.9	6.5	4.5
M62 x P0.75	64	57.1	7	5.2
M67 x P0.75	70	61.8	6.5	4.5
M72 x P0.75	75	66.9	6.5	4.5
M77 x P0.75	80	71.9	6.5	4.5
M82 x P0.75	85	76.8	6.5	4.5
M86 x P1.0	89	80.8	6.5	4.5
M95 x P1.0	98.2	89.9	10	7.1
M105 x P1.0	109.8	100	11	8



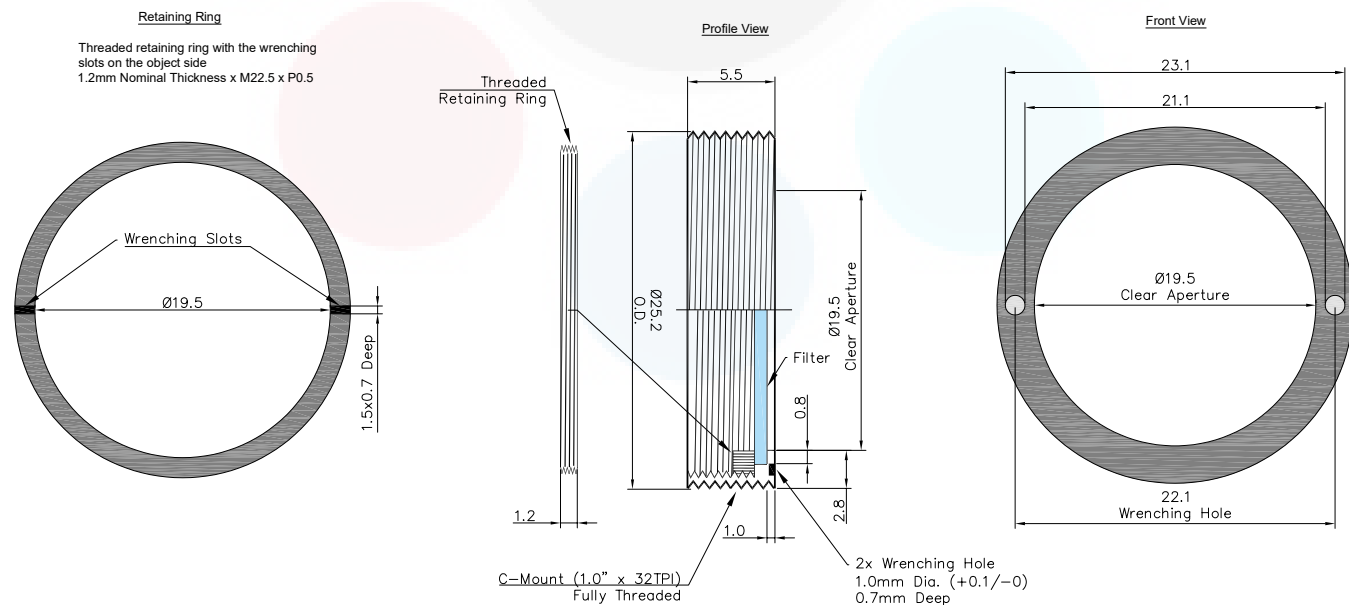
C-MOUNT DIMENSIONS (-25.4)

C-Mount is available on filters with a substrate thickness of 1mm or less



C-MOUNT SIS DIMENSIONS (-25.4-SIS)

C-Mount SIS is available on filters with a substrate thickness greater than 1mm and less than or equal to 3.5mm



MOUNTS FOR ANY SYSTEM

Mount Sizes

THREADED

Mount Size	Pitch
M13.25	0.5
M22.5	0.5
M25.5	0.5
M27	0.5
M30.5	0.5
M34	0.5
M35.5	0.5
M37	0.75
M37.5	0.5
M39	0.5
M40.5	0.5
M43	0.75
M46	0.75
M48	0.75
M49	0.75
M52	0.75
M55	0.75
M58	0.75
M62	0.75
M67	0.75
M72	0.75
M77	0.75
M82	0.75
M86	1.0
M95	1.0
M105	1.0

C-MOUNT

M25.4™

SLIP MOUNT

Outside Diameter Range	Threaded Mount
15.1-19.0	M22.5
19.1-26.5	M30.5
26.6-31.9	M40.5
32.0-40.9	M46
41.0-50.9	M55
51.0-57.9	M62
58.0-68.0	M72
68.1-79.0	M82
79.1-101.0	M105

UNMOUNTED

Custom Shapes & Sizes Available

M12 MOUNT

Outside Diameter Range	Part #
13.2-14.2	S14A
14.3-15.0	S15A



Midwest Optical Systems is the world's leading resource in machine vision filters and optical solutions. MidOpt's innovative filter designs ensure flawless control, dependable results and unmatched image quality. Mounting solutions are available for any system for lenses with and without filter threads, the exclusively designed 25.4™ C-Mount, and custom fabrication of unmounted shapes and sizes.



THREADED MOUNT Designed for Lenses with Filter Threads

- MidOpt offers the largest variety of filters in-stock and ready to ship
- Sizes available: M13.25-M105
- Black anodized aluminum
- Custom thread sizes are available upon request

CREATE PART #: Select a filter and add a mount size (e.g. M27) Example: BP470-27



25.4™ C-MOUNT Threads into all C-Mount Cameras

- 25.4™ C-Mount Camera Filter exclusively designed by MidOpt to thread directly into any C-Mount Camera between the lens and sensor
- Recommended for use with wide angle lenses to prevent vignetting and angle shift
- Helpful in applications with space constraints and lenses without filter threads
- Custom installation wrench included

CREATE PART #: Select a filter and add "-25.4" Example: BP470-25.4



SLIP MOUNT Designed for Wide Angle Lenses Without Filter Threads

- Accommodates standard threaded mounts
- Low profile and oversize diameter design prevents wide angle lens vignetting
- Includes black Delrin® Slip Mount adapter plus Threaded Mount Filter

CREATE PART #: Select a filter, use "S" for slip and add the outside diameter of lens in mm (e.g. 43mm) Example: BP470-S43



UNMOUNTED

- Any MidOpt filter type can be provided as an Unmounted Filter
- Custom shapes and sizes are typically available within a two week lead time with many shipped same day

CREATE PART #

CIRCLE: Use "D" and add diameter in mm (e.g. 19mm) Example: BP470-D19

SQUARE: Use "R" and add side measurement in mm (e.g. 15mm) Example: BP470-R15

RECTANGLE: Use "R" and add length in mm (e.g. 30mm) x width in mm (e.g. 15mm) Example: BP470-R30x15



CUSTOM SOLUTIONS FOR M12 MOUNT LENSES

- Offered in aluminum slip mount over the lens
- Can be optically cemented behind the lens

HOW TO ORDER

To order a filter with a threaded mount, first select a filter (e.g. BP470) and add the mount size (e.g. M27) to build your part number (e.g. BP470-27).

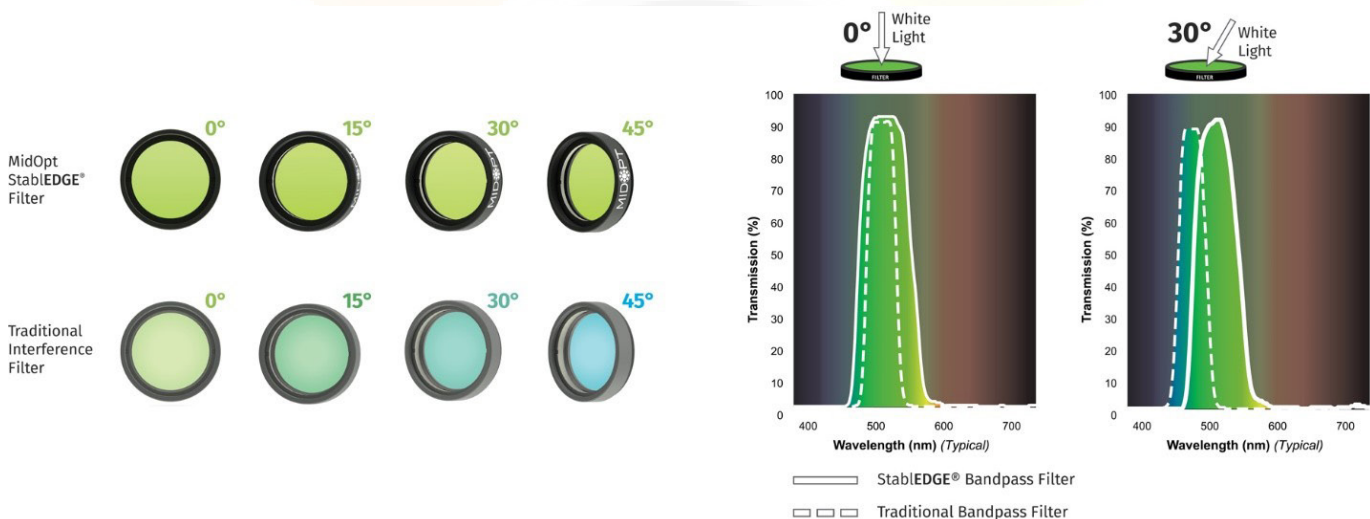
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Minimize the Effects of Short Shifting

MidOpt StablEDGE® optical filters are specifically designed to be less susceptible to effects from angular shifting seen when optical filters are placed in front of short focal length (<12mm) camera lenses. This feature is becoming increasingly important as today's trend in machine vision imaging progresses towards more compact inspection layouts, which utilize less space – forcing the camera and lens closer to the subject. As a result, short focal length lenses are now more widely used than ever before.

Using a traditional coated interference filter in these more compressed configurations results in contrast loss toward the edges of the image. Because of the angle imposed by the field of view (FOV) of the lens, the passband shifts and allows short wavelength ambient light to overwhelm the subject. Light from LED or laser diode lighting is also cut off. In contrast, peak transmission of MidOpt's StablEDGE® filters is not significantly altered, and effects due to short shifting are minimized.



StablEDGE® filters take advantage of absorptive filter glass to form the leading edge of the filter passband. This assures no shifting in this region, even when the lens FOV exceeds 100°. Filter glasses also offer far superior lower wavelength blocking of ambient light, sharp transition slopes and unmatched durability. MidOpt's StablEDGE® Filter cut-off slopes utilize interference filter coatings, however the cut-off slope is positioned to be sufficiently broad, and the Gaussian passband profile ensures that excessive ambient light is not allowed to degrade image contrast. Thus, shifting will not significantly encroach into peak transmission, assuring angular insensitivity over the desired range.

Among all machine vision filter manufacturers, MidOpt is unique in incorporating StablEDGE® technology across a full range of products. StablEDGE® designs are less angle-of-incidence sensitive, inherently more rugged, and are environmentally stable.