

HNL008RB - November 14, 2019

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HENE LASERS: RED

- ▶ Operating Lifetimes up to 40,000 Hours
- ▶ Output Powers from 0.8 mW to 22.5 mW
- ▶ Low-Intensity Noise

Application Idea
HNL150RB Mounted in C1512 Clamps on Ø1.5" Posts



LASER RADIATION
AVOID EXPOSURE TO BEAM
CLASS 3B LASER PRODUCT
633 nm <500 mW
IEC 60825-1 EDITION 1.2 2001-08

LASER RADIATION
AVOID DIRECT EYE EXPOSURE
CLASS 3R LASER PRODUCT
633 nm <5 mW
IEC 60825-1 EDITION 1.2 2001-08

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OVERVIEW

Features

- 632.8 nm Central Wavelength
- Linearly or Randomly Polarized Output Beams
- Includes External Power Supply
- Packages Available with Integrated Shutters and Remote Interlock Connections

Thorlabs offers an extensive selection of CE compliant 632.8 nm (red) Helium-Neon (HeNe) Lasers

with powers from 0.8 mW to 22.5 mW from stock. In addition to the applications listed to the right, HeNe lasers are widely used in education and as alignment tools due to their excellent beam quality and gas discharge laser characteristics.

Depending upon the model, the output beam is either linearly polarized or randomly polarized (unpolarized). The polarization state of a randomly polarized HeNe changes on nanosecond timescales; when averaged over time, the light emitted from these lasers appears randomly polarized. However, any polarization optics in the path (intentional or unintentional) can cause large variations in the output power. Only polarized lasers should be used in applications that involve polarization optics. Due to the significant ASE background, a bandpass filter should be used for precision measurements.

Specifications common to all of the lasers featured on this page are listed in the table to the right, and model-dependent information is given in the tables below. All but the self-contained packages feature remote interlock connections and integrated shutters. Please see the *Interlock Disassembly* tab for integrating the remote interlock connector into an interlock or lab safety system.

For specialized applications, Thorlabs offers a Stabilized Red HeNe Laser, which is capable of either ±2 MHz stabilization in frequency stabilization mode, or ±0.2% power stabilization in intensity stabilization mode.

Applications

- Metrology
- DNA Sequencing
- Food Sorting
- Flow Cytometry
- Confocal Microscopy
- Imaging and Medical Equipment
- Opacity Monitoring
- Alignment
- Maritime Visual Guidance Systems
- Hematology
- Semiconductor Inspection
- Polarization Experiments

Common Specifications

Mode Structure	TEM ₀₀ >95%
Static Alignment	HNL008: Approximately 1.75" from Base Cylindrical Housings: ±0.01" (Center to Outer Cylinder) ±1 mrad (Parallel to Outer Cylinder)
Starting Voltage	≤10,000 VDC
Storage Lifetime	Indefinite (Hard-Sealed)
Operating Temperature	HNL008: -40 to 60 °C Cylindrical Housings: -40 to 70 °C
Storage Temperature	HNL008: -40 to 100 °C Cylindrical Housings: -40 to 150 °C
Relative Humidity (Non-Condensing)	0 to 100%
Operating Altitude	0 to 10,000 ft
Storage Altitude	0 to 70,000 ft

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LASER SAFETY

Laser Safety and Classification

Safe practices and proper usage of safety equipment should be taken into consideration when operating lasers. The eye is susceptible to injury, even from very low levels of laser light. Thorlabs offers a range of laser safety accessories that can be used to reduce the risk of accidents or injuries. Laser emission in the

visible and near infrared spectral ranges has the greatest potential for retinal injury, as the cornea and lens are transparent to those wavelengths, and the lens can focus the laser energy onto the retina.

Safe Practices and Light Safety Accessories

- Thorlabs recommends the use of safety eyewear whenever working with laser beams with non-negligible powers (i.e., > Class 1) since metallic tools such as screwdrivers can accidentally redirect a beam.
- Laser goggles designed for specific wavelengths should be clearly available near laser setups to protect the wearer from unintentional laser reflections.
- Goggles are marked with the wavelength range over which protection is afforded and the minimum optical density within that range.
- Laser Safety Curtains and Laser Safety Fabric shield other parts of the lab from high energy lasers.
- Blackout Materials can prevent direct or reflected light from leaving the experimental setup area.
- Thorlabs' Enclosure Systems can be used to contain optical setups to isolate or minimize laser hazards.
- A fiber-pigtailed laser should always be turned off before connecting it to or disconnecting it from another fiber, especially when the laser is at power levels above 10 mW.
- All beams should be terminated at the edge of the table, and laboratory doors should be closed whenever a laser is in use.
- Do not place laser beams at eye level.
- Carry out experiments on an optical table such that all laser beams travel horizontally.
- Remove unnecessary reflective items such as reflective jewelry (e.g., rings, watches, etc.) while working near the beam path.
- Be aware that lenses and other optical devices may reflect a portion of the incident beam from the front or rear surface.
- Operate a laser at the minimum power necessary for any operation.
- If possible, reduce the output power of a laser during alignment procedures.
- Use beam shutters and filters to reduce the beam power.
- Post appropriate warning signs or labels near laser setups or rooms.
- Use a laser sign with a lightbox if operating Class 3R or 4 lasers (i.e., lasers requiring the use of a safety interlock).
- Do not use Laser Viewing Cards in place of a proper Beam Trap.



Laser Classification

Lasers are categorized into different classes according to their ability to cause eye and other damage. The International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) is a global organization that prepares and publishes international standards for all electrical, electronic, and related technologies. The IEC document 60825-1 outlines the safety of laser products. A description of each class of laser is given below:

Class	Description	Warning Label
1	This class of laser is safe under all conditions of normal use, including use with optical instruments for intrabeam viewing. Lasers in this class do not emit radiation at levels that may cause injury during normal operation, and therefore the maximum permissible exposure (MPE) cannot be exceeded. Class 1 lasers can also include enclosed, high-power lasers where exposure to the radiation is not possible without opening or shutting down the laser.	
1M	Class 1M lasers are safe except when used in conjunction with optical components such as telescopes and microscopes. Lasers belonging to this class emit large-diameter or divergent beams, and the MPE cannot normally be exceeded unless focusing or imaging optics are used to narrow the beam. However, if the beam is refocused, the hazard may be increased and the class may be changed accordingly.	
2	Class 2 lasers, which are limited to 1 mW of visible continuous-wave radiation, are safe because the blink reflex will limit the exposure in the eye to 0.25 seconds. This category only applies to visible radiation (400 - 700 nm).	
2M	Because of the blink reflex, this class of laser is classified as safe as long as the beam is not viewed through optical instruments. This laser class also applies to larger-diameter or diverging laser beams.	
3R	Lasers in this class are considered safe as long as they are handled with restricted beam viewing. The MPE can be exceeded with this class of laser, however, this presents a low risk level to injury. Visible, continuous-wave lasers are limited to 5 mW of output power in this class.	
3B	Class 3B lasers are hazardous to the eye if exposed directly. However, diffuse reflections are not harmful. Safe handling of devices in this class includes wearing protective eyewear where direct viewing of the laser beam may occur. In addition, laser safety signs/lightboxes should be used with lasers that require a safety interlock so that the laser cannot be used without the safety light turning on. Class-3B lasers must be equipped with a key switch and a safety interlock.	
4	This class of laser may cause damage to the skin, and also to the eye, even from the viewing of diffuse reflections. These hazards may also apply to indirect or non-specular reflections of the beam, even from apparently matte surfaces. Great care must be taken when handling these lasers. They also represent a fire risk, because they may ignite combustible material. Class 4 lasers must be equipped with a key switch and a safety interlock.	
All class 2 lasers (and higher) must display, in addition to the corresponding sign above, this triangular warning sign		

FiberPort and Thread Adapters

FiberPort and Thread Adapters for Self-Contained HeNe Lasers



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The SM1A32 Thread Adapter allows externally SM05-threaded or internally SM1-threaded optomechanics to be attached to the output aperture of the HNLS008R(-EC)(-JP) or HNLS008L(-EC)(-JP) laser.

The HCL2 Adapter, which features external 5/8"-32 threading, allows a FiberPort coupler to be attached directly to the threaded aperture of our self-contained HeNe lasers or any other 5/8"-32 tapped hole. A slip-plate design allows the position of the fiberport to be shifted and locked to maximize coupling efficiency. FiberPort mounting screws are included.

FiberPort and Thread Adapters for Standard Cylindrical HeNe Lasers^a



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The SM05AHN Thread Adapter allows SM05-threaded components to be attached directly to the front of a HeNe laser and is ideal for enclosing a HeNe beam path using SM05 Lens Tubes.

The HCL FiberPort Adapter allows a FiberPort coupler to be attached directly to the front of a HeNe laser. Both adapters can be attached to the laser via counterbored slots that fit industry-standard M3 and 4-40 four-bolt patterns. The HCL can also be mounted via the internal C-Mount-Threaded (1.00"-32) central bore.

- Note that these adapters are not compatible with the HNL008 Series of Cylindrical HeNe Lasers.

Mounting Adapters

V-Clamp Post Mount



C1513
HeNe Laser Mounted in
the C1513 V-Clamp

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The C1512(M) and C1513(M) are designed specifically for fastening Ø0.56" (14 mm) to Ø2" (50 mm) cylindrical lasers to Thorlabs' rigid Ø1.5" Posts. One PM4(M) Clamping Arm is included with each unit and additional clamping arms can be purchased as needed here.

Drop-In Post Clamp



C174TC
HeNe Mounted in the C174TC Tube Clamp

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The C174TC is designed specifically for mounting Ø1.74" (44.2 mm) cylindrical lasers to Thorlabs optical posts with 8-32 (M4) taps. A captive screw with a 3/32" (2.5 mm) hex secures the laser in place.

Post and Cage Mount



HCM2
HeNe Laser Mounted in the HCM2 Cage
System Adapter Plate

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The HCM2 Cage Mount enables integration of a cylindrical HeNe laser with a diameter between 1.74" and 1.77" (44.2 mm and 45.0 mm) into a 60 mm cage system or SM2 (2.035"-40) lens tube system. The HCM2 provides ±1.0 mm of coarse X and Y adjustment, and is compatible with Ø1/2" and Ø1" posts.

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INTERLOCK DISASSEMBLY

Interlock Disassembly

Each of Thorlabs' HeNe sources includes an external power supply with a remote interlock connector. The interlock connector can be disassembled for integration into an interlock system. The interlock is at AC line potential, so proper care must be taken to use the correct connectors and hardware. Be sure to confirm compatibility between the AC line and the interlock system.

The 100 - 240 VAC external power supply that comes with our cylindrical HeNe lasers uses a simplified interlock connector that includes a black, plastic cover that can be unscrewed. Once unscrewed, the shorting conductor on the connector is removed prior to integration into the interlock system (see image to the right).



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Remote Interlock Connector for 100 - 240 VAC
Power Supplies

[Hide 0.8 mW Self-Contained \(632.8 nm\) HeNe Lasers](#)

0.8 mW Self-Contained (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers

- ▶ Self-Contained Laser with Internal High-Voltage Transformer
- ▶ Available with Linearly or Randomly Polarized Output Beam
- ▶ CE Compliant
- ▶ CDRH (IEC 60825-1) Laser Class: IIIa (3R)

Thorlabs' Self-Contained Helium-Neon Lasers integrate a red (632.8 nm) HeNe laser tube with a built-in voltage transformer. The rectangular housing incorporates a hard-sealed internal mirror and plasma tube design that maximizes the lifetime of the laser. The power

Mounting Options

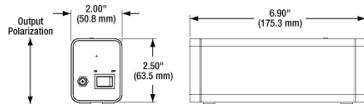
cord and on/off rocker switch are located on the back of the housing. Please note that these self-contained lasers do not feature a remote interlock connector or an integrated shutter.



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Bottom Groove in
Laser Housing with
Two XE25T3
T-Nuts Inserted



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Two BAT1 Bases
Connected to Laser
Housing via T-Nuts



Note that the output polarization applies only to lasers linearly polarized.



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Self-Contained HeNe Lasers
can be fiber-coupled using a
FiberPort Coupler and HCL2
FiberPort Adapter.

The HNLS008L lasers feature a linearly polarized output beam, which is vertically polarized with respect to the rectangular housing, while the HNLS008R features a randomly polarized output beam. These lasers are an ideal choice for applications that require low-power or ease of use, such as alignment or the classroom. The lasers have an external 120 V, 230 V (-EC), or 100 V (-JP) wall adapter that plugs into the back of the module. If you require a different adapter plug, please contact Tech Support before ordering.

Mounting Options

The output aperture is internally 5/8"-32 threaded. Our SM1A32 adapter (not included) connects to this aperture and accepts externally SM05-threaded (0.535"-40) or internally SM1-threaded (1.035"-40) optomechanics.

Alternatively, the HCL2 FiberPort Adapter allows a FiberPort coupler to be attached directly to the front of the laser, as shown to the right.

In addition, as shown to the left, the bottom of the laser contains a groove that accepts our XE25T3 (XE25T3/M) Low-Profile T-Nuts, providing an easy way to use standard optomechanical bases to mount the laser to a breadboard or optical table.

Item #	Power Supply	Polarization Ratio	Power ^a	1/e ² Beam Diameter	Divergence	LMS ^b	Noise (RMS) ^c	Laser Class ^d						
HNLS008L	120 VAC	500:1	0.8 mW	0.48 mm	1.7 mrad	1090 MHz	<1.0%	3R						
HNLS008L-EC	230 VAC													
HNLS008L-JP	100 VAC													
HNLS008R	120 VAC	Unpolarized												
HNLS008R-EC	230 VAC													
HNLS008R-JP	100 VAC													

- ^aMinimum Power Measured at 633 nm
- ^bLongitudinal Mode Spacing
- ^c50 Hz to 10 MHz
- ^dDuring normal operation, the cavity length, and hence the power, can vary. Thus, these class 3R lasers can exceed the specified minimum power.

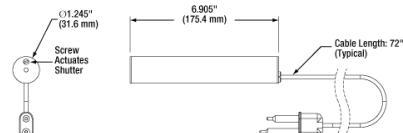
Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNLS008L-EC	Self-Contained HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Polarized, 230 VAC Power Supply	\$943.60	Today
HNLS008R-EC	Self-Contained HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Random, 230 VAC Power Supply	\$878.68	Today
HNLS008L	Self-Contained HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Polarized, 120 VAC Power Supply	\$943.60	Today
HNLS008R	Self-Contained HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Random, 120 VAC Power Supply	\$878.68	Lead Time
HNLS008L-JP	Self-Contained HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Polarized, 100 VAC Power Supply	\$943.60	Today
HNLS008R-JP	Self-Contained HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Random, 100 VAC Power Supply	\$878.68	Today

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0.8 mW (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers with External Power Supplies

- ▶ 0.8 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output
- ▶ Random Polarization
- ▶ External Power Supply Included

Thorlabs' cylindrical, 0.8 mW, unpolarized, red (632.8 nm) Helium-Neon laser feature a tube design that makes it easy to mount in nearly any optical system. A built-in interlock circuit is included that can be integrated with lab safety systems (see *Interlock Disassembly* tab



for details). An external power supply and a location-specific power cord are included.

Item #	Power Supply	Polarization Ratio	Power ^a	1/e ² Beam Diameter ^b	Divergence ^c	LMS ^d	Noise (RMS) ^e	Operating Voltage	Operating Current	Laser Class ^f
HNL008RB	100 - 240 VAC	Unpolarized	0.8 mW	0.48 mm	1.7 mrad	1090 MHz	0.1%	1250 VDC	4.0 mA	3R

- TEM_{00} Minimum Power
- TEM_{00} , 1/e² Points $\pm 3\%$
- TEM_{00} , $\pm 3\%$
- Δ Longitudinal Mode Spacing
- Δ Hz to 10 MHz
- Δ During normal operation, the cavity length, and hence the power, can vary. Thus, these class 3R lasers can exceed the specified minimum power.

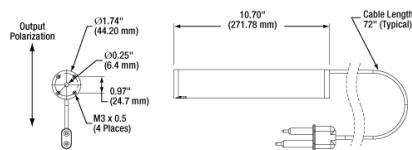
Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNL008RB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 0.8 mW, Random, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$1,580.74	Lead Time

[Hide 2 mW Red \(632.8 nm\) HeNe Lasers](#)

2 mW Red (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers

- ▶ 2.0 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output
- ▶ Linear (500:1 Polarization Ratio) or Random Polarization
- ▶ External Power Supply Included

Thorlabs' cylindrical, 2.0 mW, red (632.8 nm) Helium-Neon lasers feature a tube design that makes them easy to mount in nearly any optical system. These lasers are offered with either linear (500:1 polarization ratio) or random polarization. The linearly polarized beam is polarized vertically with respect to the cable at the rear of the laser's housing. A built-in interlock circuit is included that can be integrated with lab safety systems (see *Interlock Disassembly* tab for details). An external power supply and a location-specific power cord are included.



Note that the output polarization applies only to lasers linearly polarized.

Item #	Power Supply	Polarization Ratio	Power	1/e ² Beam Diameter ^a	Divergence ^b	LMS ^c	Noise (RMS) ^d	Operating Voltage	Operating Current	Laser Class
HNL020LB	100 - 240 VAC	500:1	2.0 mW	0.63 mm	1.3 mrad	730 MHz	0.1%	1800 VDC	6.5 mA	3R
HNL020RB	100 - 240 VAC	Unpolarized								

- TEM_{00} , 1/e² Points $\pm 3\%$
- TEM_{00} , $\pm 3\%$
- Longitudinal Mode Spacing
- 30 Hz to 10 MHz

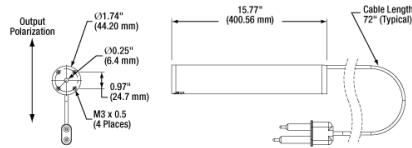
Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNL020LB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 2 mW, Polarized, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$1,739.88	Lead Time
HNL020RB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 2 mW, Random, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$1,686.83	Lead Time

[Hide 5 mW Red \(632.8 nm\) HeNe Lasers](#)

5 mW Red (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers

- ▶ 5.0 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output
- ▶ Linear (500:1 Polarization Ratio) or Random Polarization
- ▶ External Power Supply Included

Thorlabs' cylindrical, 5.0 mW, red (632.8 nm) Helium-Neon lasers feature a tube design that makes them easy to mount in nearly any optical system. These lasers are offered with either linear (500:1 polarization ratio) or random polarization. The linearly polarized beam is polarized vertically with respect to the cable at the rear of the laser's housing. A built-in interlock circuit is included that can be integrated with lab safety systems (see *Interlock Disassembly* tab for details). An external power supply and a location-specific power cord are included.



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Item #	Power Supply	Polarization Ratio	Power	1/e ² Beam Diameter ^a	Divergence ^b	LMS ^c	Noise (RMS) ^d	Operating Voltage	Operating Current	Laser Class
HNL050LB	100 - 240 VAC	500:1	5.0 mW	0.81 mm	1.0 mrad	435 MHz	0.2%	2300 VDC	6.0 mA	3B
HNL050RB	100 - 240 VAC	Unpolarized								

- TEM_{00} , 1/e² Points $\pm 3\%$
- TEM_{00} , $\pm 3\%$
- Longitudinal Mode Spacing
- 30 Hz to 10 MHz

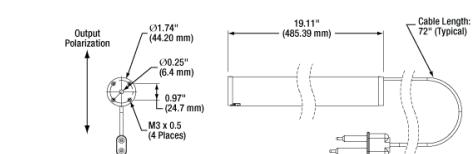
Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNL050LB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 5 mW, Polarized, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$1,686.83	Today
HNL050RB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 5 mW, Random, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$1,633.79	Today

[Hide 10 mW Red \(632.8 nm\) HeNe Lasers](#)

10 mW Red (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers

- ▶ 10.0 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output
- ▶ Linear (500:1 Polarization Ratio) or Random Polarization
- ▶ External Power Supply Included

Thorlabs' cylindrical, 10.0 mW, red (632.8 nm) Helium-Neon lasers feature a tube design that makes them easy to mount in nearly any optical system. These lasers are offered with either linear (500:1 polarization ratio) or random polarization. The linearly polarized beam is polarized vertically with respect to the cable at the rear of the laser's housing. A built-in interlock circuit is included that can be integrated with lab safety systems (see *Interlock Disassembly* tab for details). An external power supply and a location-specific power cord are included.



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Item #	Power Supply	Polarization Ratio	Power	$1/e^2$ Beam Diameter ^a	Divergence ^b	LMS ^c	Noise (RMS) ^d	Operating Voltage	Operating Current	Laser Class
HNL100LB	100 - 240 VAC	500:1	10.0 mW	0.68 mm	1.2 mrad	320 MHz	1.0%	3100 VDC	6.5 mA	3B
HNL100RB	100 - 240 VAC	Unpolarized								

* a. \approx TEM₀₀, 1/e² Points ± 3% b. TEM₀₀, ±3% c. Longitudinal Mode Spacing d. 30 Hz to 10 MHz

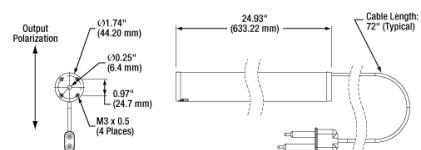
Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNL100LB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 10 mW, Polarized, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$2,111.19	5-8 Days
HNL100RB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 10 mW, Random, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$2,058.15	Today

[Hide 15 mW Red \(632.8 nm\) HeNe Lasers](#)

15 mW Red (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers

- ▶ 15.0 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output
- ▶ Linear (500:1 Polarization Ratio) or Random Polarization
- ▶ External Power Supply Included

Thorlabs' cylindrical, 15.0 mW, red (632.8 nm) Helium-Neon lasers feature a tube design that makes them easy to mount in nearly any optical system. These lasers are offered with either linear (500:1 polarization ratio) or random polarization. The linearly polarized beam is polarized vertically with respect to the cable at the rear of the laser's housing. A built-in interlock circuit is included that can be integrated with lab safety systems (see *Interlock Disassembly* tab for details). An external power supply and a location-specific power cord are included.



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HNL150LB	100 - 240 VAC	500:1	15.0 mW	0.70 mm	1.15 mrad	257 MHz	0.5%	3800 VDC	6.5 mA	3B
HNL150RB	100 - 240 VAC	Unpolarized								

* a. \approx TEM₀₀, 1/e² Points ± 3% b. TEM₀₀, ±3% c. Longitudinal Mode Spacing d. 30 Hz to 10 MHz

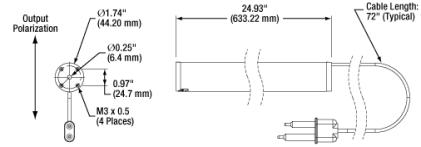
Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNL150LB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 15 mW, Polarized, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$2,588.60	5-8 Days
HNL150RB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 15 mW, Random, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$2,535.55	Today

[Hide 21.0 mW - 22.5 mW Red \(632.8 nm\) HeNe Lasers](#)

21.0 mW - 22.5 mW Red (632.8 nm) HeNe Lasers

- ▶ 21.0 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output with Linear, 500:1 Polarization
- ▶ 22.5 mW Red (632.8 nm) Output with Random Polarization
- ▶ External Power Supply Included

Thorlabs' cylindrical red (632.8 nm) Helium-Neon lasers feature a tube design that makes them easy to mount in nearly any optical system. The HNL210LB outputs a 21.0 mW, linearly polarized beam that is polarized vertically with respect to the cable at the rear of the laser's housing. The HNL225R model offers a 22.5 mW, randomly polarized output. A built-in interlock circuit can be integrated with lab safety systems (see *Interlock Disassembly* tab for details). An external power supply and a location-specific power cord are included.



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HNL210LB	100 - 240 VAC	500:1	21.0 mW	0.70 mm	1.15 mrad	257 MHz	0.5%	3800 VDC	6.5 mA	3B

HNL225RB	100 - 240 VAC	Unpolarized	22.5 mW						
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- a. ΔTEM_{00} , $1/e^2$ Points $\pm 3\%$
- b. TEM_{00} , $\pm 3\%$
- c. Longitudinal Mode Spacing
- d. 30 Hz to 10 MHz

Part Number	Description	Price	Availability
HNL210LB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 21 mW, Polarized, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$2,694.69	Today
HNL225RB	Customer Inspired! HeNe Laser, 632.8 nm, 22.5 mW, Random, 100 - 240 VAC Power Supply Included	\$2,641.64	Today

