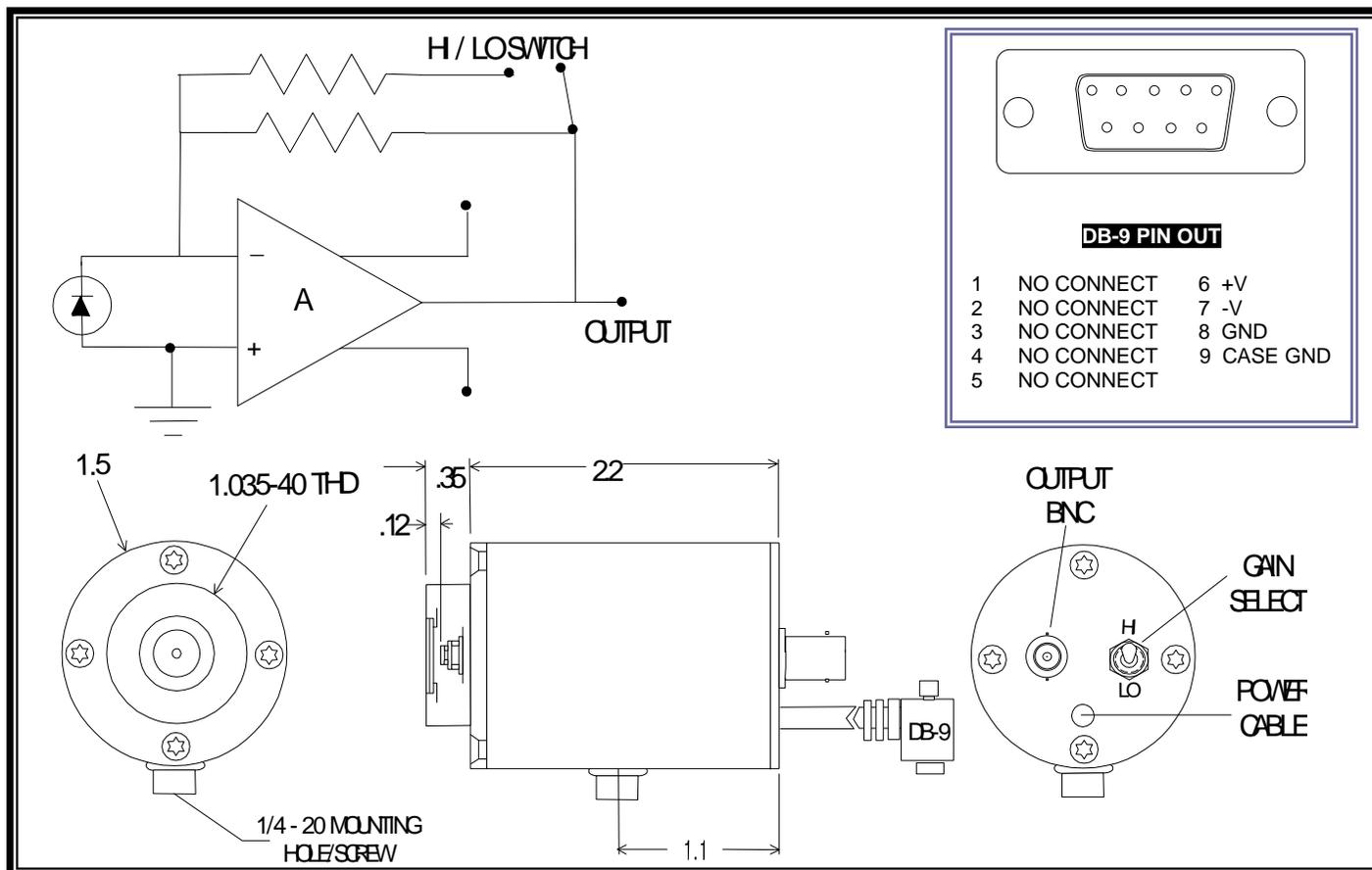


GERMANIUM PHOTODIODE RECEIVERS



Application Note

This unit is a high performance photodiode/receiver operated with at ambient temperature with a dual gain FET input transimpedance amplifier. The output voltage is proportional to the input signal current:

$$V_{out} = I_{signal} \cdot R_f$$

The PD/AMP is a DC coupled dual gain system. Care should be taken in shielding the unit from stray light during operation to prevent saturation of the amplifier (and potential failure).

SPECIFICATIONS @ 23° C NOM.

Part Number	G - 020 - H	G - 030 - H	G - 050 - H
Active Area	2mm dia	3mm dia	5mm dia
Operating Wavelength- μm	0.8 - 1.8		
Responsivity- V/W @ pk	$0.8 \times 10^7 / 10^6$	$0.8 \times 10^7 / 10^6$	$0.8 \times 10^6 / 10^5$
Noise- V/Hz ^{1/2}	$4.0 \times 10^{-6} / \times 10^{-7}$	$6.0 \times 10^{-6} / 10^{-7}$	$1 \times 10^{-6} / 10^{-7}$
NEP- W/Hz ^{1/2} @ pk	5×10^{-13}	7.5×10^{-13}	1.2×10^{-12}
Bandwidth (-3dB)- Hz	DC - 2k		
Power Requirements	+/- 9 VDC to +/- 15 VDC		
Connections	BNC signal output. Shielded power cable terminated with a DB-9 connector directly couples the unit with the PS -1 Low Noise Power Supply.		