

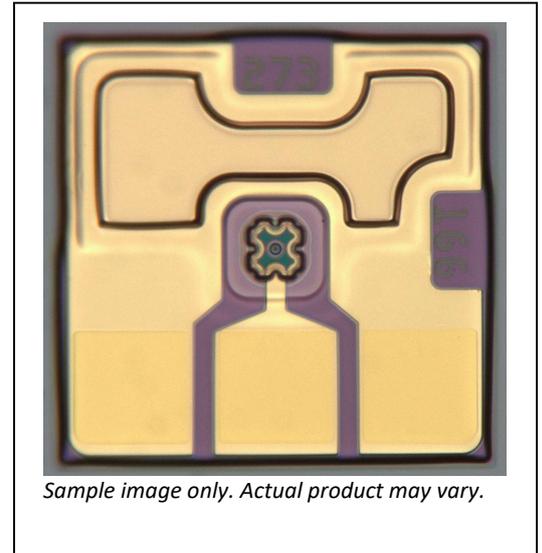
## VM100-880-GSG-MA-SM-Cxx

Single Mode High-Speed 880 nm VCSEL  
 100 Gbit/s VCSEL SM (880 nm)  
 Contact type: GSG  
 Chip type: Multi-aperture

### Product Code:

VM100-880-GSG-MA-SM-C1 1x1

VM100-880-GSG-MA-SM-C4 4x1



**Engineering Samples**  
*Preliminary datasheet*

## Product Description

These compact and very high modulation rate top-emitting GaAs-based vertical cavity surface emitting laser (VCSEL) chips are available as engineering samples for use in the development and evaluation of optical interconnections, optical backplanes and integrated waveguides, and next-generation optical data communications systems. The VCSELs are contacted on the top-surface individually using ground-source-ground (GSG) microprobes or wire bonds.

New multi-aperture design enables **single mode emission** and high-speed operation at high output power.

Equivalent optical aperture diameter: ~6µm

### Features

- Up to 112 Gbit/s (PAM-4 modulation)
- Single chip size 250 x 250 µm
- Suitable for wire bonding

### Applications

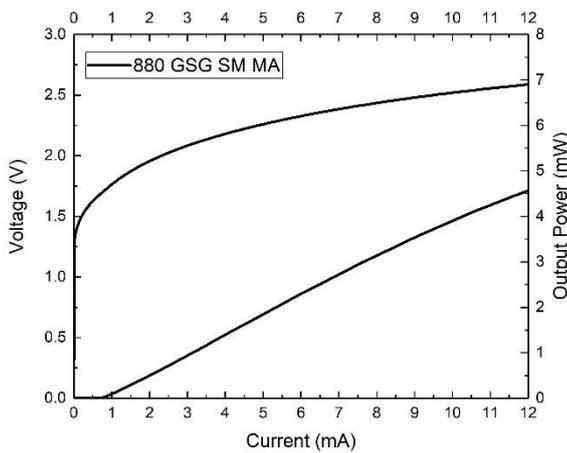
- 200G / 400G in SWDM
- Proprietary optical interconnects
- Active Optical Cables (AOC)

| Parameter           | Typical          | Notes                |
|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| Emission wavelength | 880 nm           | (range 870 – 890 nm) |
| Data rate           | Up to 112 Gbit/s | 56 GBaud/s PAM-4     |
| Threshold current   | < 1 mA           |                      |
| Peak output power   | 4 mW             |                      |

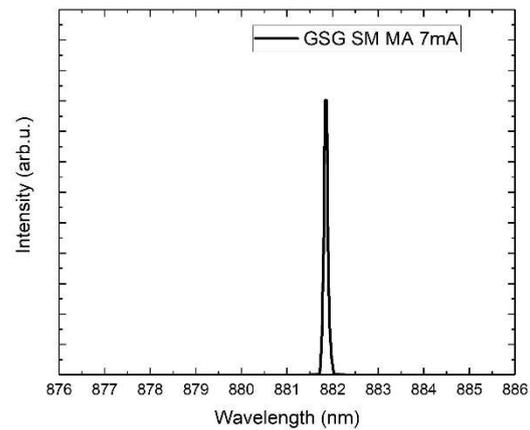
### Electro-Optical Specifications (T = 0 to 85°C)

| Parameter                | Symbol                | Condition        | Min | Typ | Max | Unit     |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----|-----|-----|----------|
| Emission wavelength      | $\lambda$             |                  | 870 |     | 890 | nm       |
| Data rate                | BR                    | PAM-4            |     | 50  | 56  | GBaud/s  |
| Optical bandwidth        | BW (f3dBo)            | 6 mA             |     | 23  | 28  | GHz      |
| Slope efficiency         | $\eta$                | 5-10 mA          |     | 0.5 |     | W/A      |
| Threshold current        | I <sub>th</sub>       |                  |     | 0.9 | 1   | mA       |
| Differential resistance  | R <sub>d</sub>        | 5-10 mA          |     | 50  |     | $\Omega$ |
| Beam divergence          | $\Theta$              | 1/e <sup>2</sup> |     | 20  |     | °        |
| Peak output power        | P <sub>max</sub>      |                  |     | 4   |     | mW       |
| Spectral bandwidth (RMS) | $\Delta\lambda_{RMS}$ |                  |     | 0.1 | 0.2 | nm       |

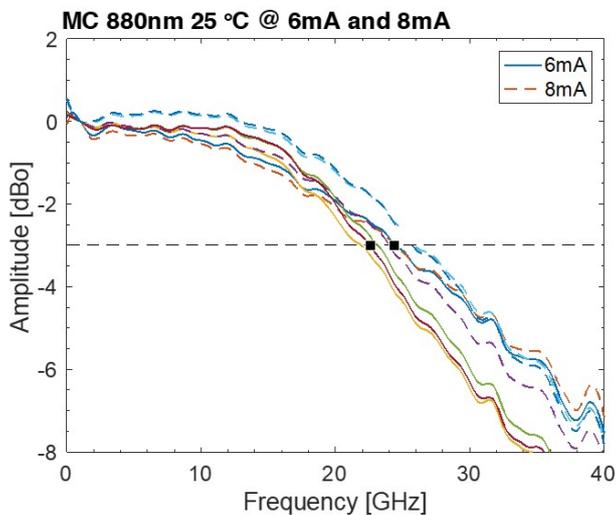
### LIV Characteristics



### Optical Spectrum



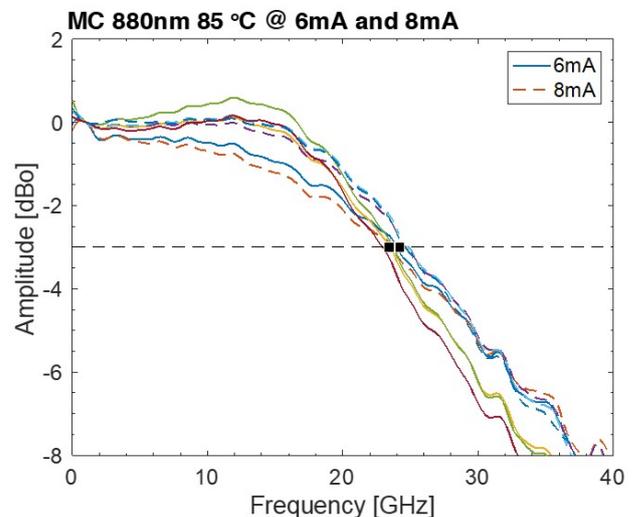
### Frequency response (optical) at 25°C



Measurement of 4 chips across the wafer

Test Equipment: Keysight VNA

### Frequency response (optical) at 85°C



Measurement of 4 chips across the wafer

### Absolute Maximum Ratings

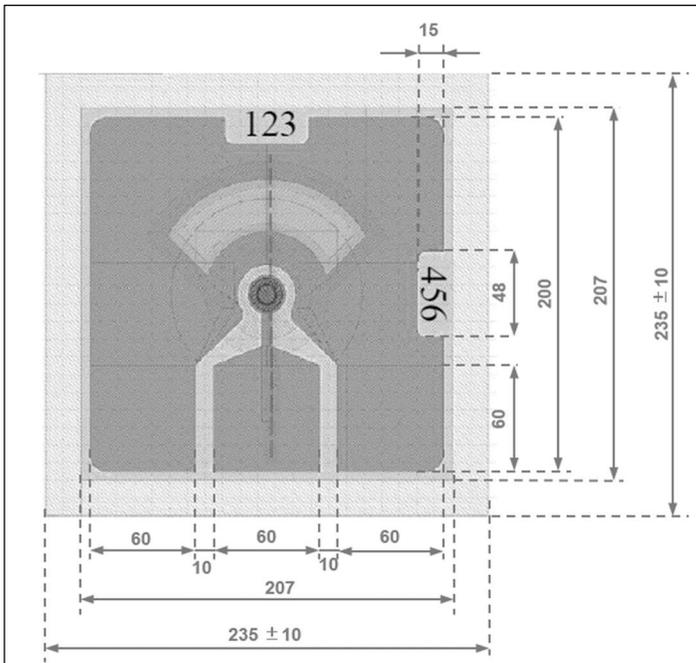
| Parameter               | Symbol   | Condition   | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Peak forward current    | $I_f$    |             |     |     | 8   | mA   |
| Maximum reverse voltage | $V_{rv}$ |             |     |     | 5   | V    |
| Operating temperature   | $T_{op}$ |             |     |     | 85  | °C   |
| Storage temperature     | $T_{st}$ |             | -40 |     | 100 | °C   |
| Soldering temperature   | $T_{sl}$ | max 260 sec |     |     | 150 | °C   |

Stress in excess of any of the individual Absolute Maximum Ratings can cause immediate irreversible damage to the component even if all other parameters are within the electro-optical specifications. Exposure to any of the Absolute Maximum Ratings for extended periods can adversely affect the reliability of these chips.

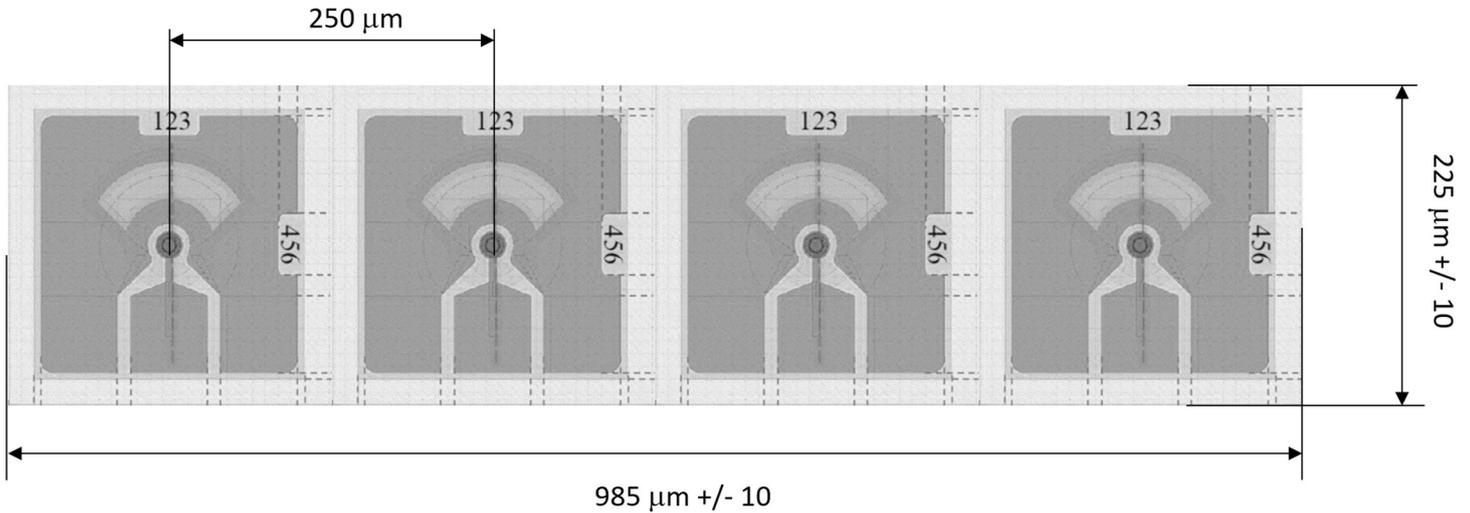
### Mechanical Dimensions

| Parameter   | Type | Min | Typ | Max | Unit          |
|-------------|------|-----|-----|-----|---------------|
| VCSEL pitch |      |     | 250 |     | $\mu\text{m}$ |
| Length      |      |     | 210 | 250 | $\mu\text{m}$ |
| Height      |      | 140 | 150 | 160 | $\mu\text{m}$ |
| Width       |      |     | 210 | 250 | $\mu\text{m}$ |

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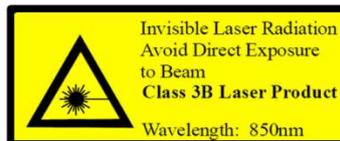


### VM100-880-GSG-MA-SM-C4 Array dimensions



### Qualification Notification

The VM100-880-GSG-MA-SM-Cxx has been tested to meet specifications outlined in this data sheet at room temperature. However, it has not undergone full qualification testing or characterization and therefore may not meet the performance specifications over all extremes.



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