

spectral sensitivity, $S(\lambda)$

Referred to actinometers based on spectrophotometric measurements, $S_{ac}(\lambda) = \Phi(\lambda) \varepsilon(\lambda_{obs})$ = sensitivity or actinometric factor. $\Phi(\lambda)$ is the quantum yield of the actinometer at the excitation wavelength and λ_{obs} is the observation wavelength, which may be the same as or differ from the former.

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