

Illuminate:

A free and open source germicidal UV
modeling tool



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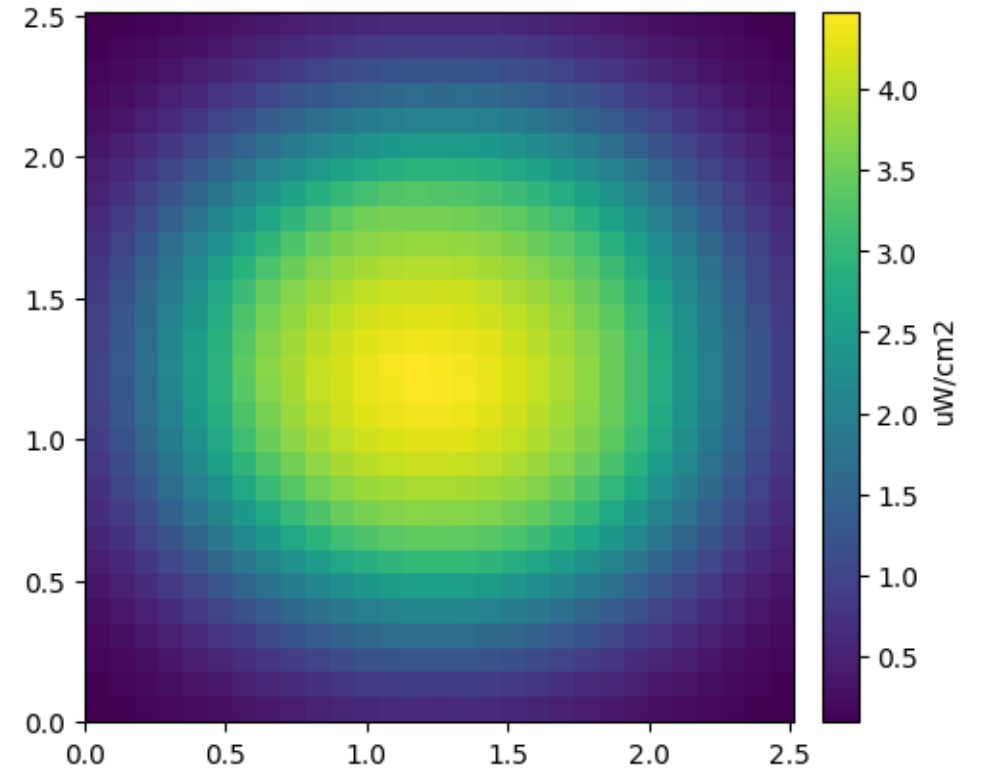
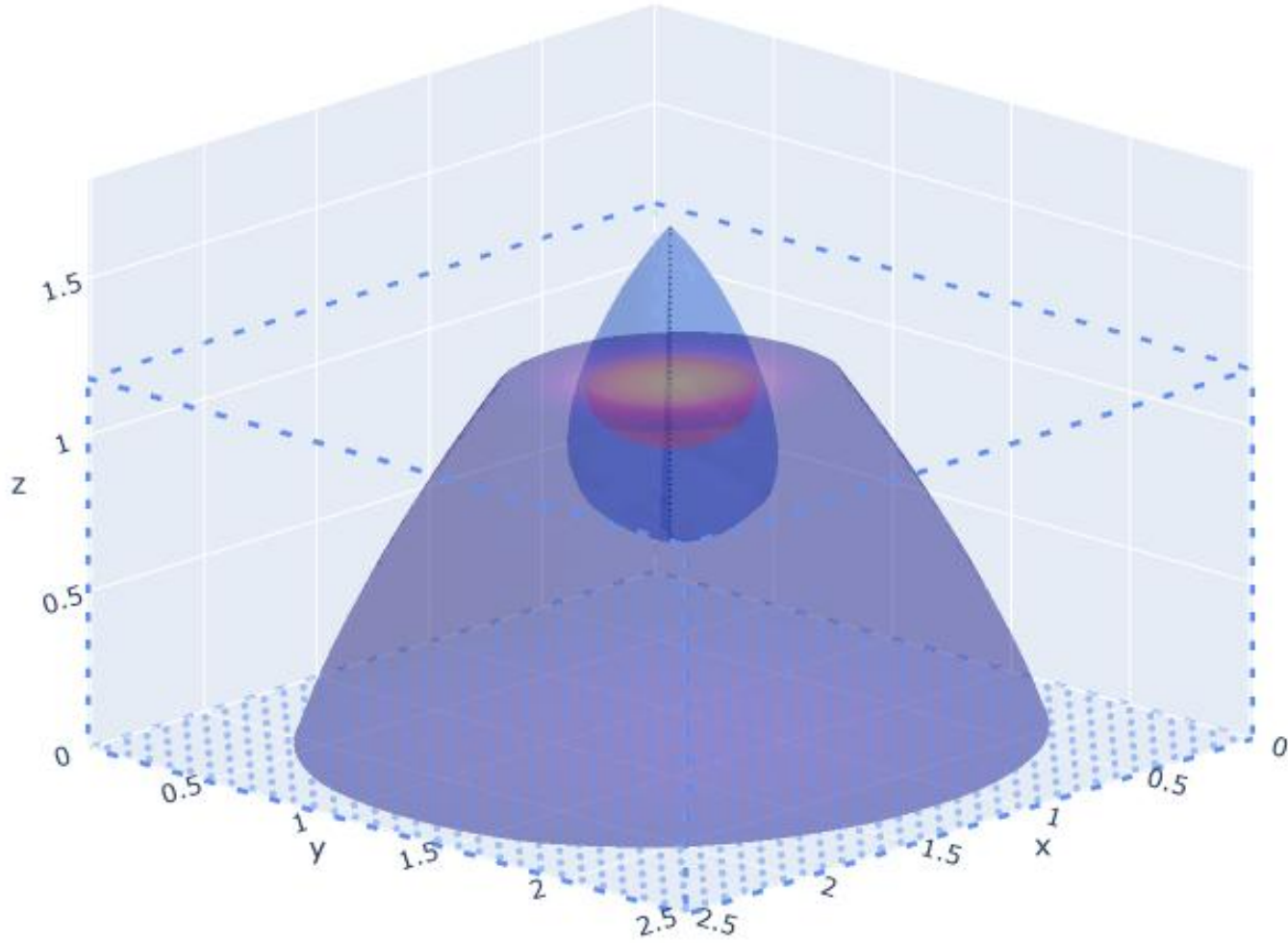


Why is there a need?

- Any GUV research has a critical need to accurately estimate fluence and irradiance
- Extensive irradiance measurements are not always practical; fluence can't be accurately measured at all
- Software is available to model what can't practically be measured:
 - Acuity Visual
 - ray tracing software
 - radiation transport solvers
- ...but either requires expensive licenses, long computation times, or both

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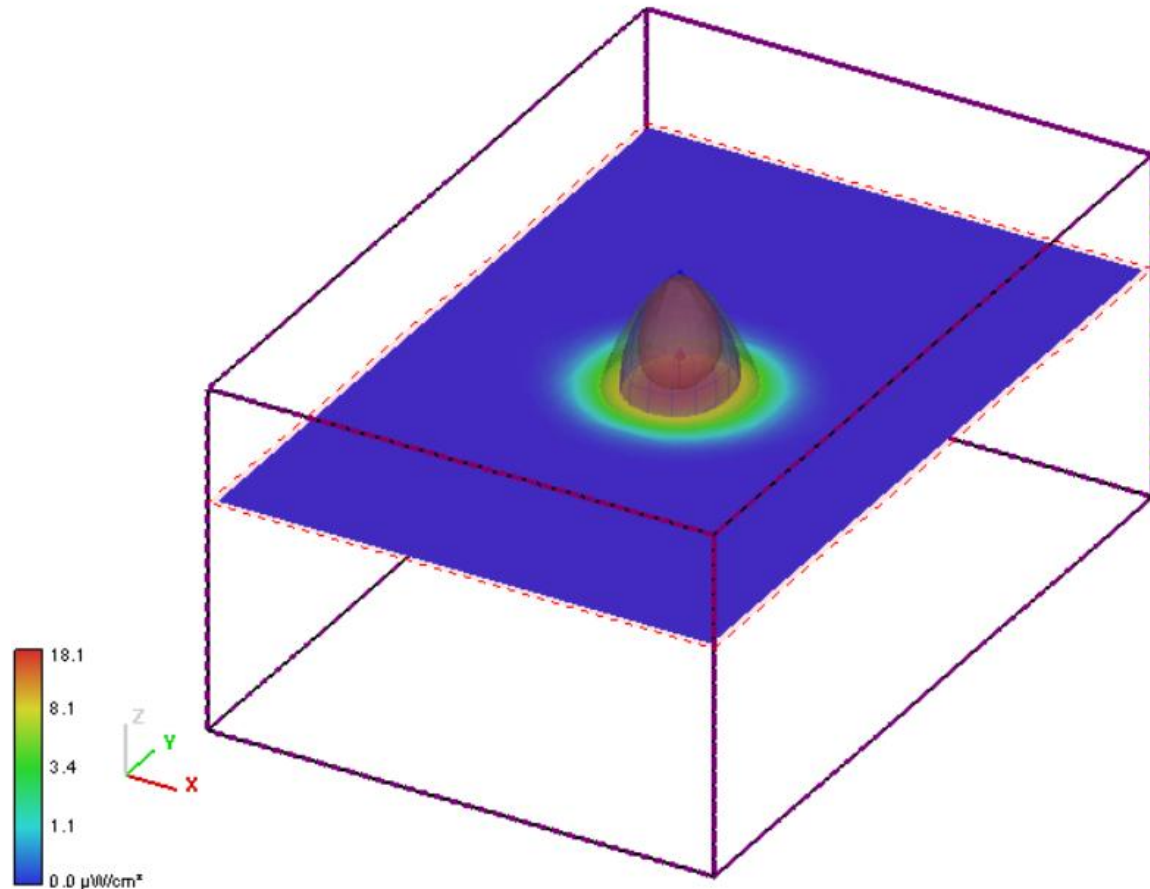
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What does it do?

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- Validated against Acuity Visual results
- Eg: 4 x 6 x 2.7 meter room
- Calculation zones at 1.8 meters
- One B1 module mounted in center of ceiling

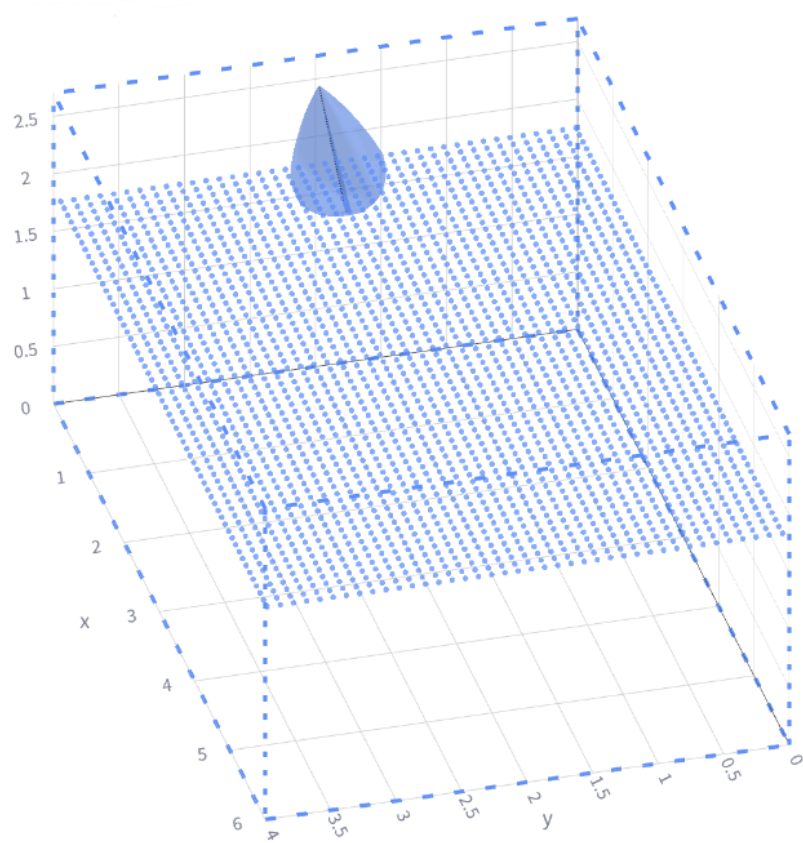


Calculation Type	Quantity	Illuminate	Acuity Visual	Difference	% difference
Fluence - Average	Average	0.535	0.53	0.005	0.93%
	Planar Max	Average	0.554	0.504	0.05
	Max	18.172	18.094	0.078	0.43%
Planar Norm	Average	0.505	0.5	0.005	0.99%
	Max	18.116	18.09	0.026	0.14%
Planar Max - No Offset	Average	0.5315	0.53	0.0015	0.28%
	Max	18.163	18.55	-0.387	-2.13%

What does it do?

2. Check proposed GUV installations against existing safety standards

Lamp type: KrCl (222 nm)



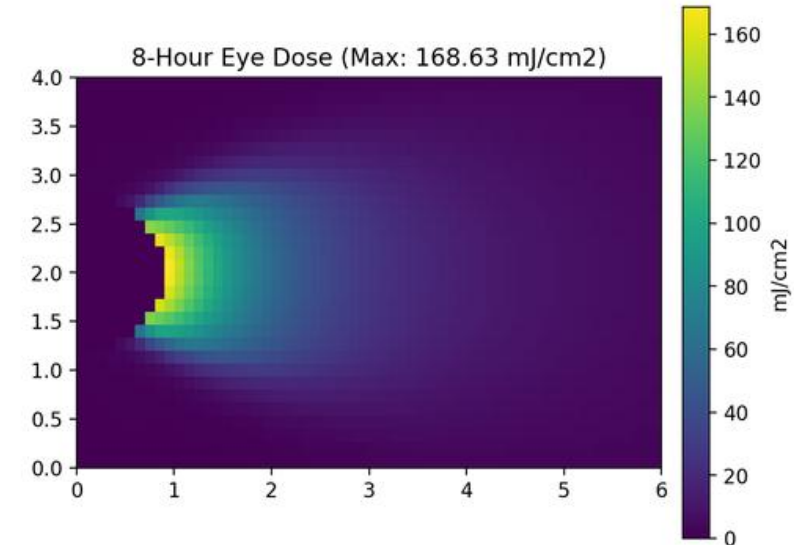
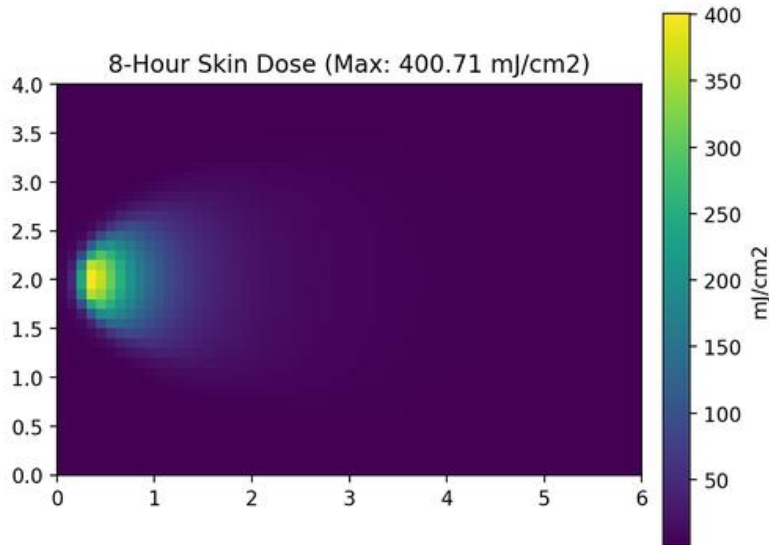
Photobiological Safety ⓘ

Select photobiological safety standard ⓘ

ANSI IES RP 27.1-22 (America) ▼

Max Skin Dose (8 Hours): 400.71 mJ/cm²

Max Eye Dose (8 Hours): 168.63 mJ/cm² (To be compliant with eye TLVs, this lamp must be dimmed to 85.4% of its present power)

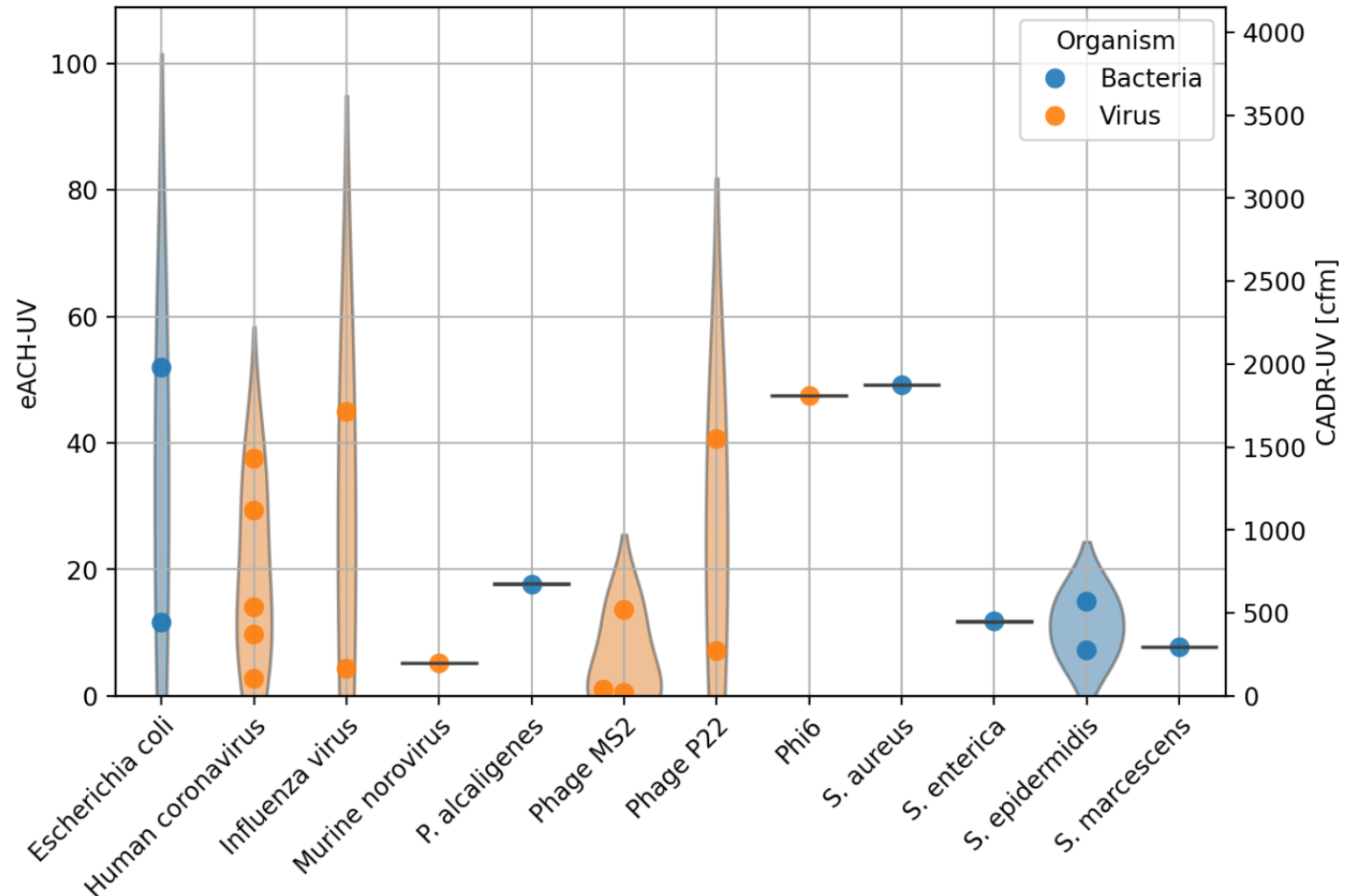


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3. Estimate clean air delivery rate (CADR) provided by UV

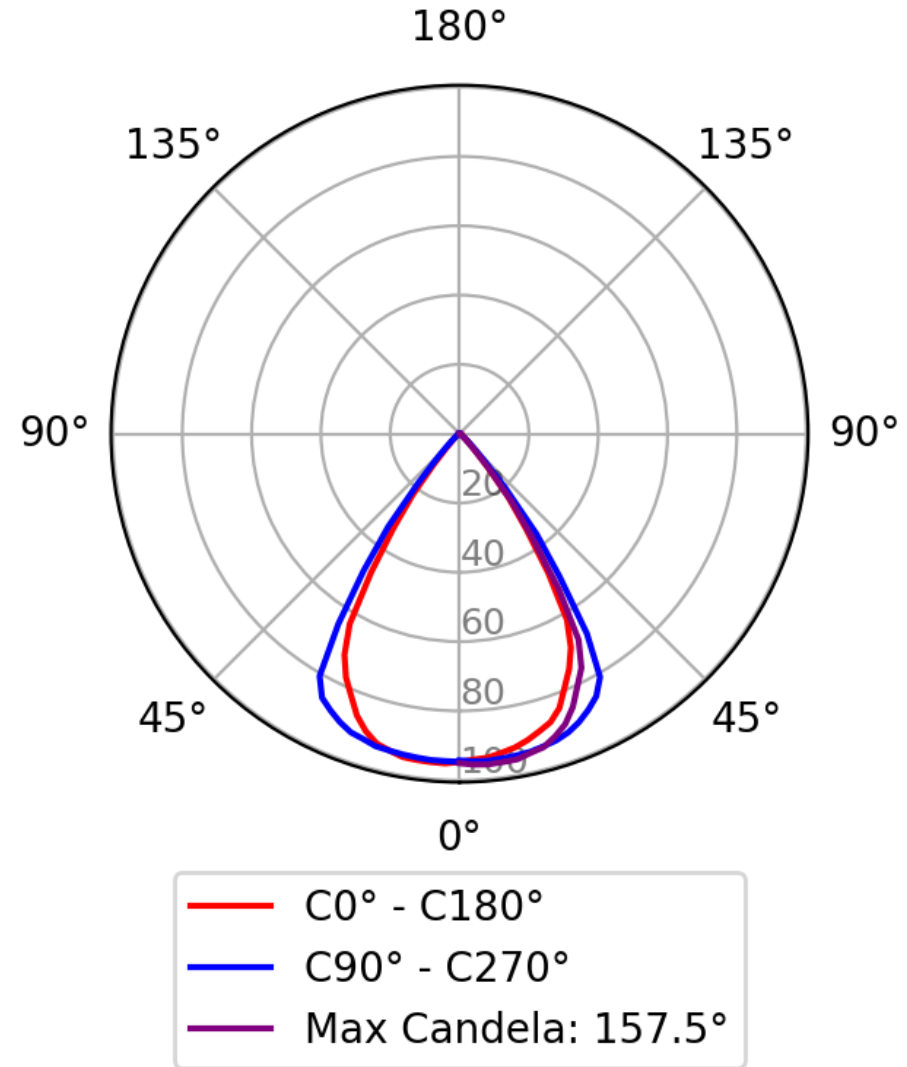
- Data collated for wide range of wavelengths
- Linked to public database of sensitivity constants (k)
- <https://shorturl.at/kcGeR>

eACH/CADR from GUV-222 with average fluence 0.657 uW/cm²



How does it work?

- Photometric (.ies) files
- Geometry of room, lamp(s) position, target surface
- Programming interface: Python
- Calculations: NumPy (C++)



How is it different from other software?

1. Designed with germicidal UV in mind

- Simple, fast, lightweight
- Easily calculate fluence rate field in room, as well as eye and skin dose
- Awareness of multiple different photobiological standards
 - ANSI/IES RP27.1-22
 - IEC 62471-6:2022
 - UL8802
 - GB 28235-2020 (coming soon)
- Extra features like ozone generation estimates

Ozone Generation ?

Air changes per hour from ventilation ?

1.00

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Ozone decay constant ?

2.70

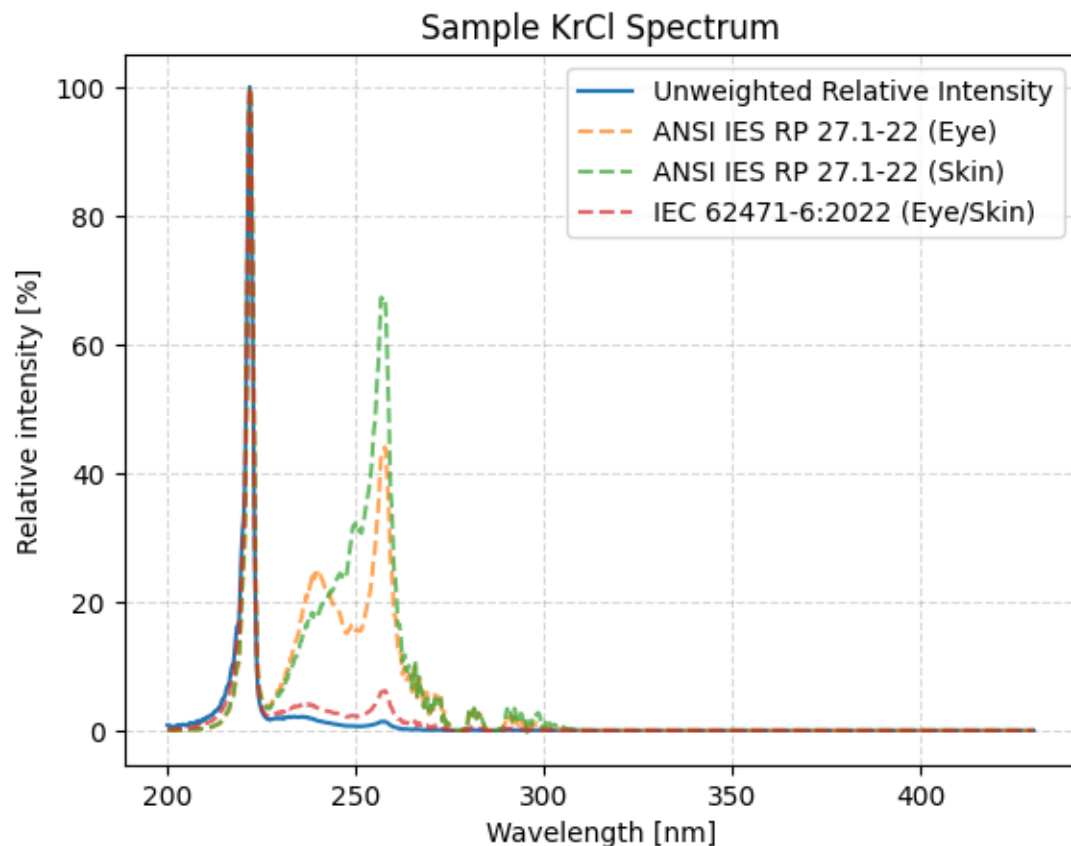
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Estimated increase in indoor ozone from UV: **1.73 ppb**

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2. Safety calculations take lamp spectra into account (lamp exposure limit)



Hours before skin TLV is reached:

With monochromatic assumption: **Indefinite**
(12.76)

With spectral weighting: **3.75** (To be compliant
with skin TLVs, this lamp must be dimmed to
46.9% of its present power)

Hours before eye TLV is reached:

With monochromatic assumption: **Indefinite**
(9.87)

With spectral weighting: **3.51** (To be compliant
with eye TLVs, this lamp must be dimmed to
43.9% of its present power)

How is it different from other software?

3. Comes pre-loaded with measured, characterized far-UVC sources

- with links to full reports

Select lamp ?

UVPro222 B1 ▼

- None
- Beacon (PRERELEASE DATA)
- Lumenizer Zone
- Sterilray GermBuster Sabre (PRERELEASE DATA)
- USHIO B1 (PRERELEASE DATA)
- USHIO B1.5 (PRERELEASE DATA)
- UVPro222 B1

Lumenizer Zone **[DRAFT]**

PHOTO/RADIO/SPECTRO/GONIOMETRIC ASSAY

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Quick Facts

Power & Pattern	
<i>(All reported values after stabilization)</i>	
Total UVC Optical Power	161.9mW
1m Peak Irradiance	19.5μW/cm ²
Safety	
Power above 240nm	0.6mW (0.4%)
Equivalent 222nm Eye S(λ) Power	181.8mW
$w_s/S(222nm)$ (ANSI/IES Eye Limit)	112.3%

How is it different from other software?

4. Free, open-source, and available online

Graphical user
interface (GUI):

illuminate.osluv.org

Python libraries:

IES file interface (PhotomPy):

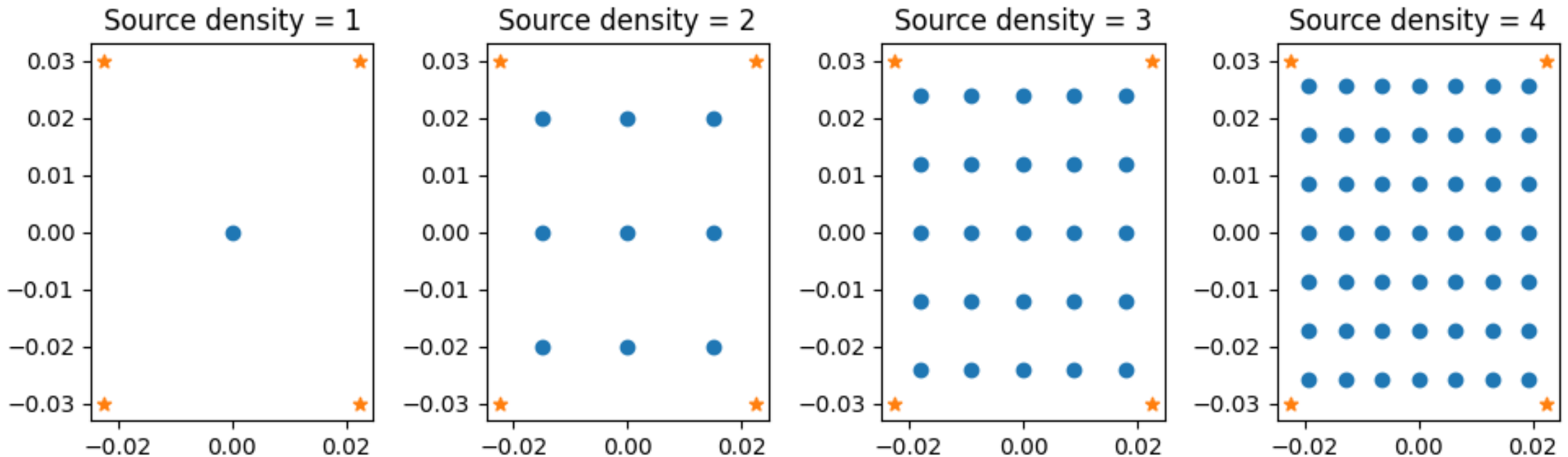
github.com/jvbelenky/photompy

Fluence, irradiance, and all GUV
calculations:

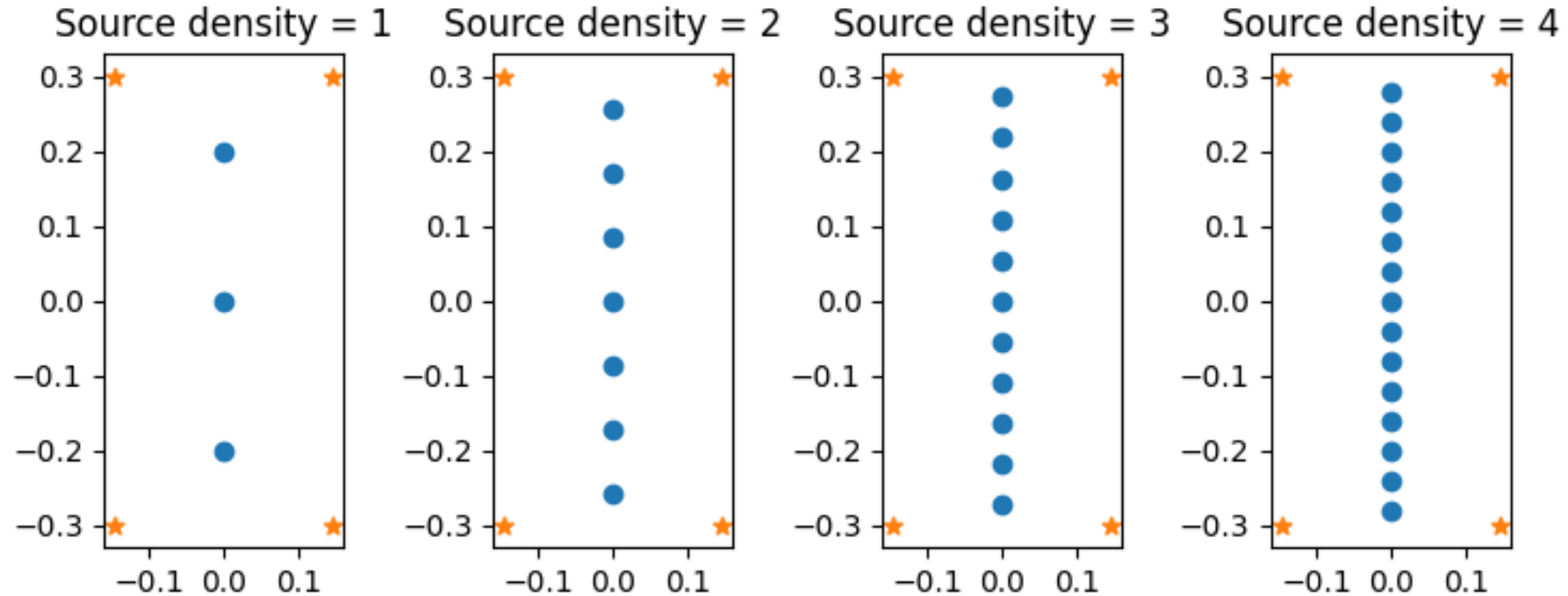
github.com/jvbelenky/guv-calcs

Other features – source discretization

- Single parameter (source density) determines fineness of emissive surface
- Always maintains center point
- Only enabled at distances $<$ the photometric distance ($\times 10$ the longest side)



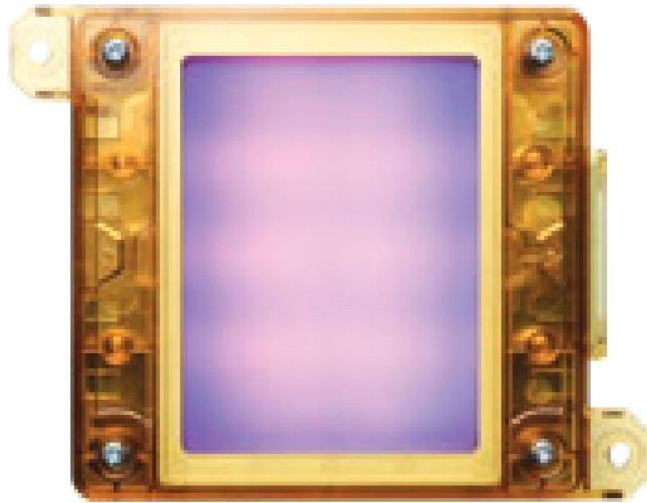
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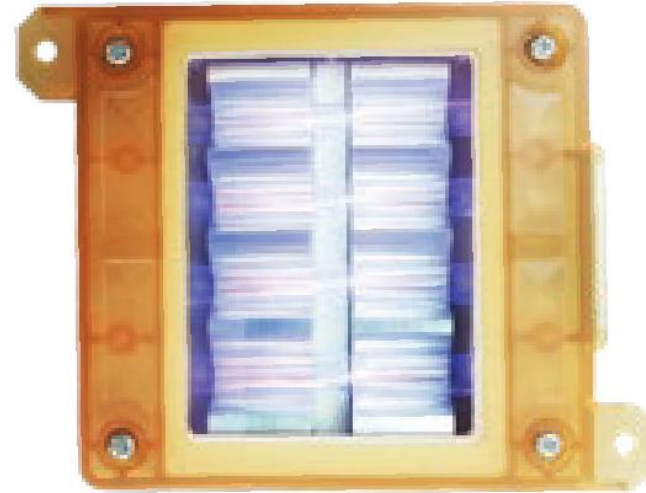
- For sources at least twice as long as they are wide (or vice versa)
- Source density = 0 results in point source for source of any dimensions (aka based on .ies file)

Other features – relative intensity map

- Specify a relative intensity map for source with non-uniform surface emission



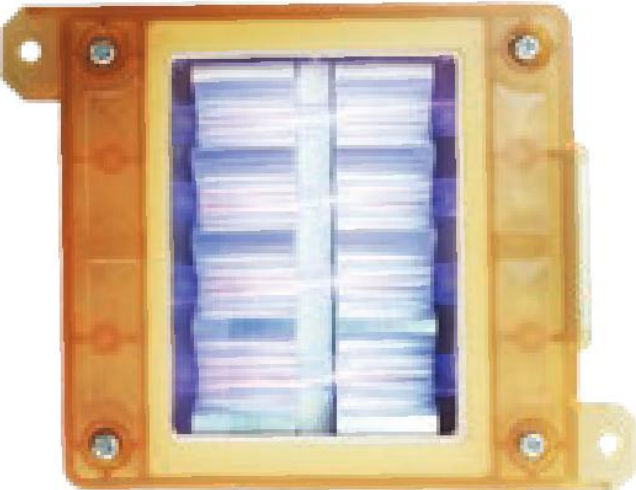
B1.5 Wide Beam Module



B1 Narrow Beam Module

Other features – relative intensity map

- Passed to a Lamp object (bundled with photometric file, optional spectrum file, position / orientation information, source density parameter)
- Measured values converted to relative values
- Sample 5x5 intensity map



B1 Narrow Beam Module



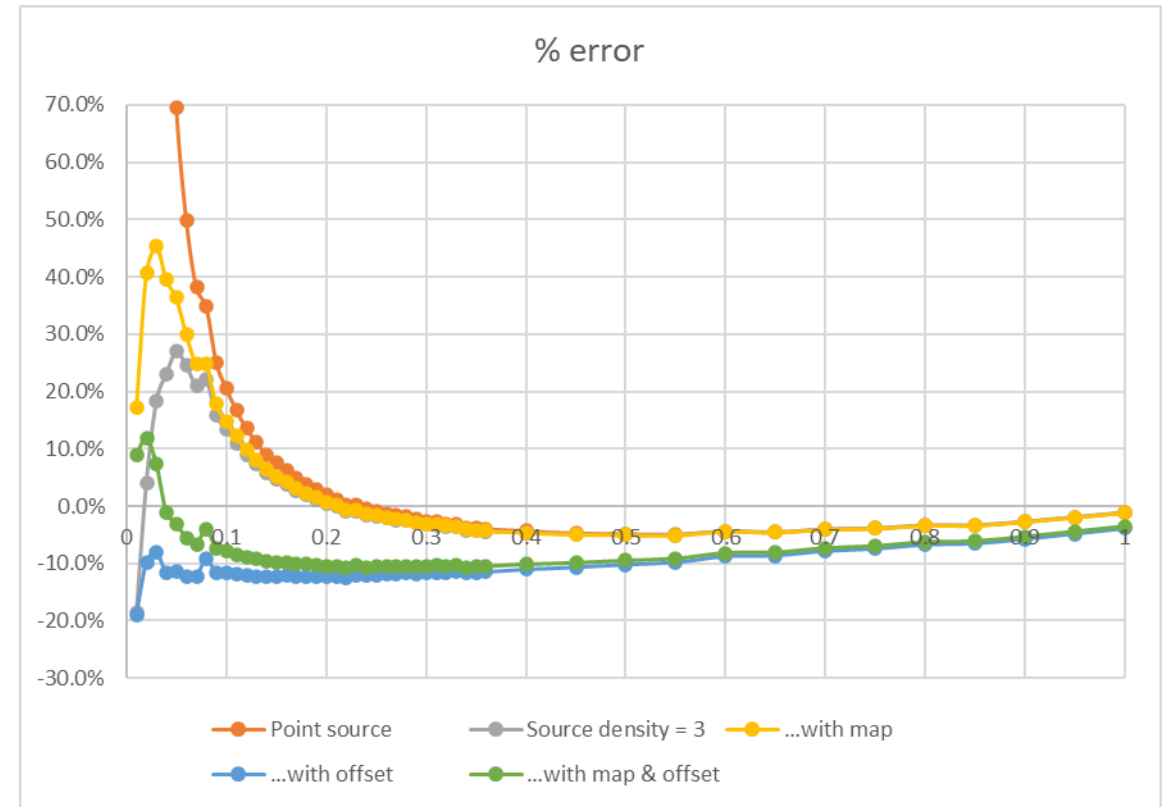
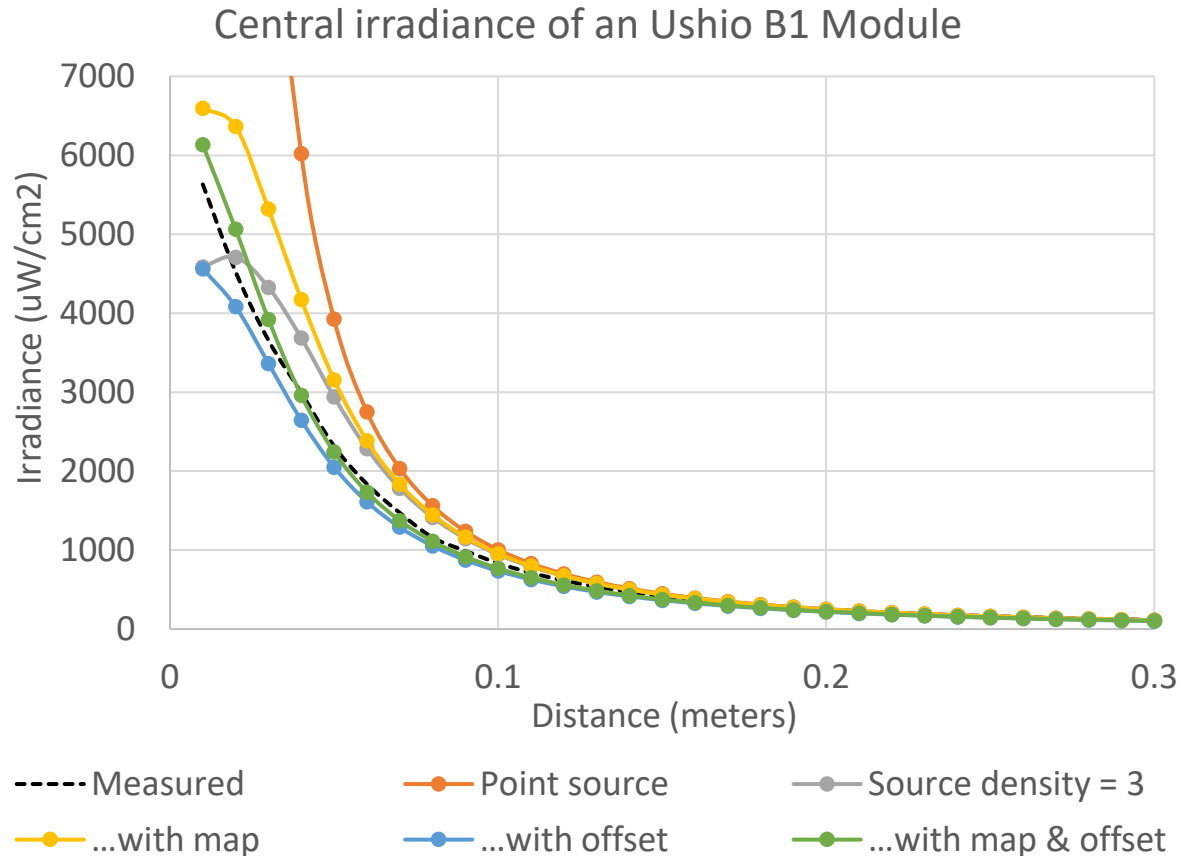
131	286.3	359.6	314	140.1
130.2	323.1	403.5	357.4	140.9
121.7	319.6	412.2	334.5	128.1
147.3	297.3	353.7	364.6	181.9
154	217	255.1	329	222.7



0.51	1.114	1.399	1.222	0.545
0.507	1.257	1.57	1.391	0.548
0.474	1.244	1.604	1.302	0.498
0.573	1.157	1.376	1.419	0.708
0.599	0.844	0.993	1.28	0.867

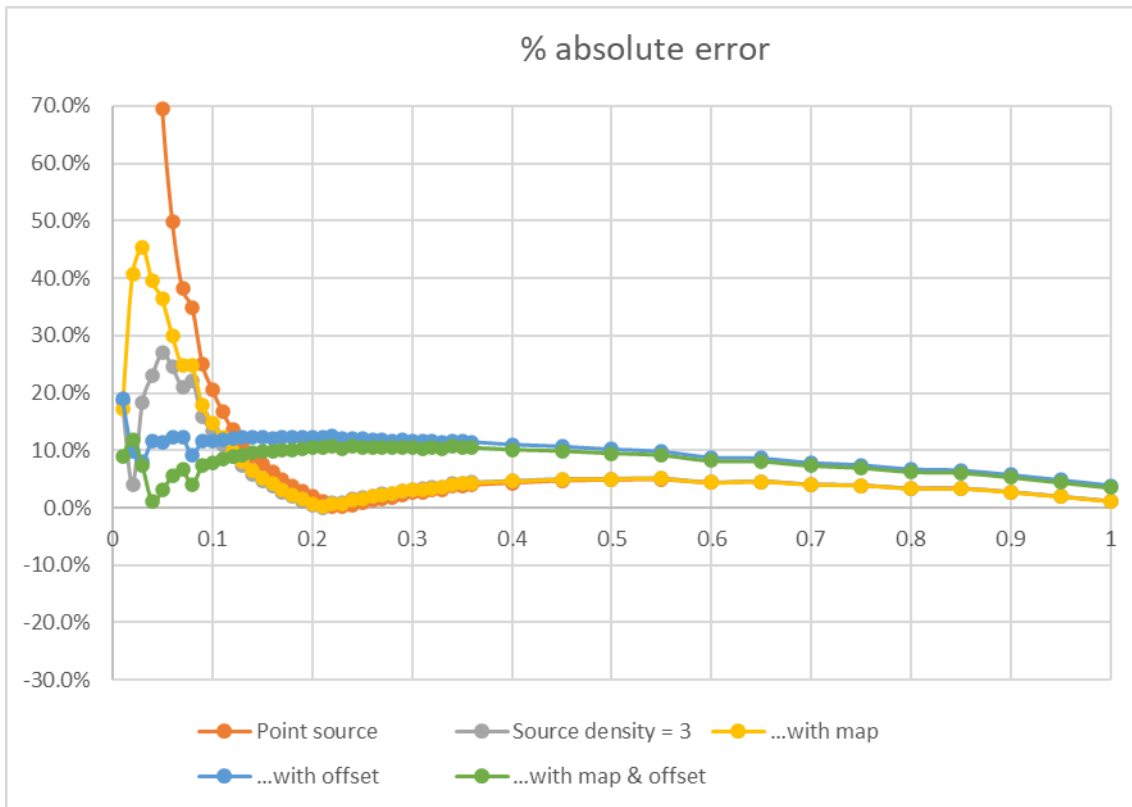
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- ...accounting for the offset of the light source behind the glass



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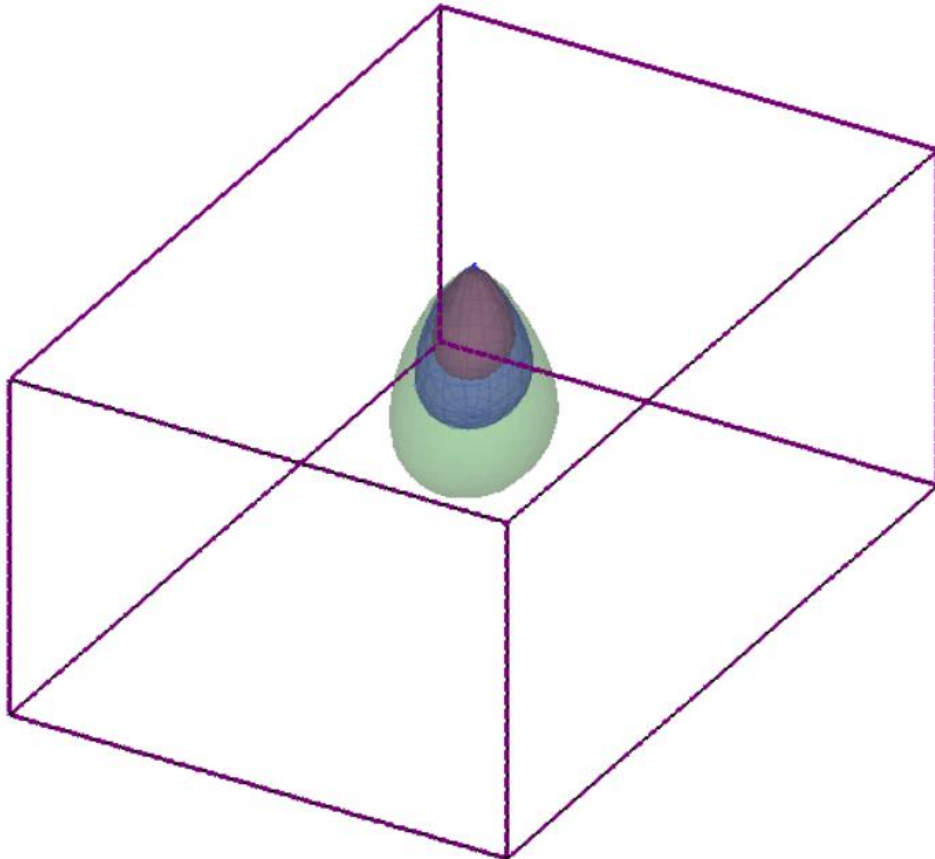
Total error sum

Point source	112753
Source density = 3	4817
...with map	8337
...with offset	3957
...with map & offset	2462

Features under development

1. Reflections

- Error is small for typical UVC reflection values



Reflection	Average Fluence	% error
0%	0.53	-
5% (typical)	0.56	3.5%
20% (maximum)	0.66	20%

Features under development

1. Reflections
2. Shadows and obstacles
3. A faster, nicer website
4. Built-in risk modeling
5. A more complete indoor chemistry model
6. ...and much more

Help wanted! Tell me what to work on next