In the past 15 years we developed, designed and manufactured a variety of diffractive optical elements that accomplish difficult tasks, conventional optics fails to address effectively. Proven solutions developed for high power lasers include:

- Uniform Splitting of beams
- Tailored Shaping of spots
- Beam Sampling
- Chromatic and Spherical Aberration Correction
- Intensity profile management
- 1D, 2D and 3D spot array generation
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The company employs highly skilled technical personal, and occupies a production facility at the Kiryat Weizmann High-Tech Industrial Park, Rehovot, Israel. Holo-Or has a full capability of developing and manufacturing diffractive optical elements in clean room facilities. The company holds the key patents on its method of manufacturing multi-level elements. Holo-Or is cooperating with Laser Components, GmbH.

**SERVICES & CAPABILITIES**

- Diffractive optical elements: Custom & Stock
- Diffractive design and performance analyses
- Optical design incorporating diffractive optics
- Reactive ion and wet etching and photolithography for visible and IR materials
- Mask fabrication

**IN-HOUSE ELABORATED SOFTWARE**

DOECAD software for design, mask files generation and computer simulation of diffractive optical elements
DIFFRACTIVE-CORRECTED FOCUSING LENS

Our single diffractive-corrected focusing lens demonstrates **sharp focusing** with diffraction-limited spot-size. The lens is fabricated by etching an **aberrations-correction diffractive microrelief pattern** on the plane side of a bulky spherical plano-convex lens.

![Diagram of diffractive focusing lens](image1.jpg)

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LONG-FOCAL -DEPTH DIFFRACTIVE FOCUSING LENS

The "Easy-F" lens design yields a longer focal depth while still maintaining near to diffraction limited spot size, sharp and cleaner edges of the focal spot. "Easy-F" lenses achieve high cutting and drilling speeds, together with smoother and cleaner edges and the ease of focusing of longer-focal-length lenses.

![Diagram of long-focal depth lens](image2.jpg)

**TOP-HAT BEAM SHAPING**

The diffractive top-hat beam shapers are diffractive phase optical elements used to transform a near-gaussian incident laser beam into a uniform-intensity spot of either round or rectangular shape with sharp edges. Applications include laser heat treatment, annealing of surfaces in machinery and microelectronics, optical heads of laser writers and optical information processing.

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ABERRATION-CORRECTION PLATES FOR MULTILENS OBJECTIVES

We design diffractive microrelief pattern on a surface of refractive lens or window in order to correct for chromatic, spherical and other aberrations of broad-band objectives. Diffractive pattern results in reduced of number of components.

Applications include thermal imaging and FLIR systems covering wavelength range the 8-12 μm or 3-5 μm.

PHASE DIFFRACTION GRATINGS

We produce transmissive phase diffraction gratings etched in materials like Fused Silica and ZnSe. Gratings can be binary rectangular-groove shaped or blazed multilevel. Grooved might be straight or curvilinear.

BEAM MULTIPLICATION AND MULTIPLE-SPOT LENSES

Diffractive beam-multiplication elements split a laser beam into several beams, each with the characteristics of the original beam except for power and angle of propagation. Focusing multi-spot elements provide a line or an array of identical focal spots located in the focal plane, with spacing between neighboring spots.

BEAM SAMPLER

Diffractive beam samplers are used to monitor high-power lasers by extraction of exact sampled copies of the beam with only a small fraction of the total power. The passing beam corresponds to the zero diffraction order, while two sampled beams propagate at the symmetrical angles of the first diffraction orders. We offer our high quality beam samplers for various angles and power fractions of sampled beam.

LENSLET ARRAYS

A set of small spherical, aspherical or cylindrical lenses on a single substrate is called a lenslet array. It is used for focusing and sampling as well as for diffusing of light. The Diffractive lenslet arrays we offer have the advantage of a fill factor of 100%, and a diffraction limited focal spot size. We also have the flexibility to design each of the lens-elements independently from its neighbor.
DUAL WAVELENGTH LENS

The dual wavelength beam combiners are diffractive optical elements used to bring two incident beams with different wavelengths into the same focal point.

Performance of regular ZnSe lens in dual-wavelength beam of CO₂ and He-Ne lasers

Performance of diffractive-refractive ZnSe lens in dual-wavelength beam of CO₂ and He-Ne lasers

HOMOGENIZERS

Unlike competing designs, Holo-Or’s Diffractive Homogenizers consist of pure fused silica with an optional high power AR V-Coating on both surfaces. This can reduce the back reflection to 0.2% (0.1% per surface) depending on the coating grade ordered. Back reflection usually hinders the stable operation of the laser and should therefore be reduced to a minimum, as in this design.

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General specifications for All Diffractive Optical Elements

- Mounting: unmounted
- Wavelengths: UV, visible, near IR, far IR
- Materials: ZnSe, Ge, Si, fused silica, PMMA
- Power handling: up to 3 kW
- Coating: AR/AR
- Substrate: window or lens
- Number of output beams: up to 100
- Efficiency: up to 98%

Special effects in lenses

- Off-axis sharp focusing
- Introduction of a custom spherical aberration
- Chromatic correction
- Control of the shape of focal spot
- Longer depth of focus (“Easy-F”)
- Double(multiple) - spot focus

We can customize, material, wavelength, diameter, beam size, working distance, central thickness, and other special effects.

Ask for our
- Standard Element leaflet that lists more designs and more details on them.
- Tailored Optics datasheet to get a better feeling of how close we can approach your ideal optical function within one optical surface.