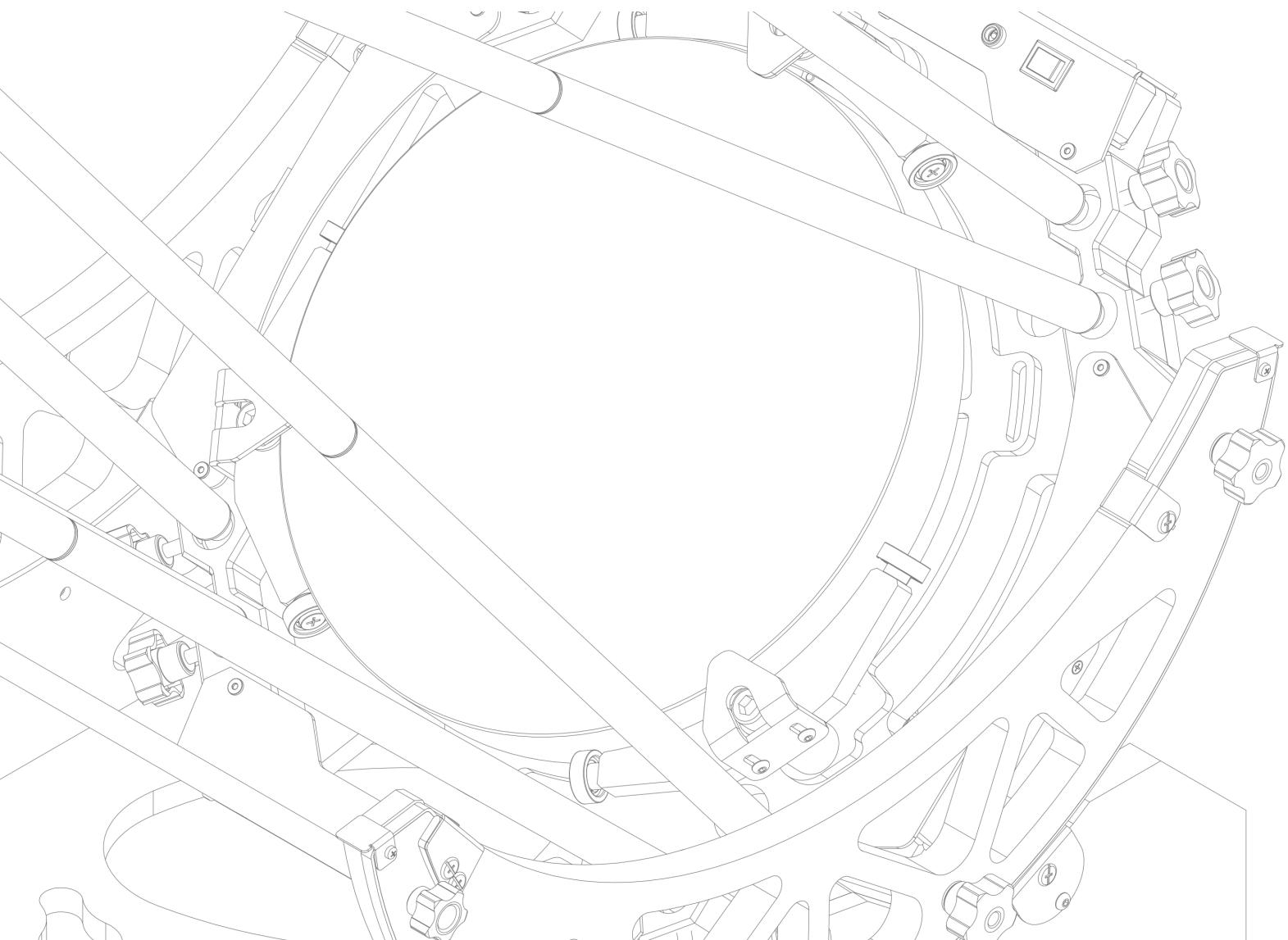


12.50" f/4.5 - Ultra Compact True Travel Dobsonian Telescope - Specification Sheet

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TELESCOPE - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

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**Primary Mirror Specifications:**

1	Mirror Supplier: (Options Available)	Zambuto Optical Company, Ostahowski Optics/ GSO optics (Taiwan)
2	Mirror Type:	Parabolic mirror
3	Coating type:	Metal
4	Coating:	Enhanced Aluminum with SiO ₂ protection layer
5	Coating Specification:	Ravg >95% @ 450-750nm
6	Mirror Diameter:	12.5" (+0.0024/-0") / 317.5mm (+0.06/-0)mm
7	Mirror weight:	12.46lb ± 0.22lb/ 5650g±100g
8	Mirror Substrate: (Options available)	Schott SUPREMAX® or Quartz
9	Substrate Cost: (Raw material cost of substrate glass -annealed)	\$1900
10	Edge Thickness ET:	1.26"±0.2"/32mm±5mm
11	Focal Length:	50"/1270mm
12	Radius of Curvature:	100"/2540mm
13	Aperture (f/#):	f/4
14	Surface Quality: (Scratch to Dig)	10µm-5µm or better
15	Surface Accuracy:	λ/10 or better
16	Wavelength Range:	0.45µm-0.75µm
17	Back Surface:	Ground*
18	Damage Threshold, Reference:	0.2 J/cm ² @ 532nm, 10ns
19	ROHS Compliance:	Applicable
20	Spherical Aberration:	Negligible for both high order and low order
21	Astigmatism:	Undetectable at eyepiece
22	Primary Ripple:	Non existent at eyepiece

**Secondary Mirror Specifications:**

1	Mirror Supplier: (Options Available)	Antares Optics/ Ostahowski Optics
2	Mirror Type:	Flat
3	Coating Type:	Metal
4	Coating Specification:	Ravg >97% @ 450 - 750nm
5	Coating material:	Enhanced Aluminium (450-750nm)
6	Substrate: (Options available)	Fine Annealed Schott SUPREMAX® 33 or Quartz
7	Weight:	5.044oz/143g
8	Thickness:	0.51"/13mm
9	Thickness Tolerance:	±0.060"/±1.52mm*
10	Minor Axis:	2.76"/70mm
11	Major Axis:	3.9"/99mm
12	Dimensional Tolerance:	±0.02"/±0.50mm
13	Surface Flatness (peak to valley):	1/10 - 1/15 P-V 1/35 RMS
14	Wavelength Range:	450nm-1000nm



Telescope structure specifications:

1	Telescope height at zenith:	59"/1500mm
2	Eyepiece height at zenith:	51"/1300mm
3	Total telescope weight (A+B+C+D+E)	41lb/18,7kg
4	Optical tube assembly: (A+B+C)	29.67lb/13.45kg
5	Upper tube assembly: (A)	3.97lb/1.8kg
6	Lower tube assembly: (B)	22.046lb/10kg
7	Truss tube assembly: (C)	3.66lb/1.66kg
8	Altitude Bearing assembly: (D)	2.74lb/1.2kg
9	Rocker box assembly: (E)	8.82lb/4kg
10	Primary mirror weight:	12.35lb±0.22lb/ 5600g ±100g
11	Secondary mirror weight:	0.32lb ± 0.033lb/ 143g ± 15g
12	Theoretical Altitude motion range:	0° to 95°
13	Azimuth motion:	Unlimited rotation ⌂ and ⌂
14	OTA mounting system:	Dobsonian-Hydraulic Motion Control in altitude, PTFE Bearing in azimuth
15	Mirror box, Rocker and secondary cage material:	Baltic birch exterior grade - coated for waterproofing. (BWR)
16	Primary mirror cell:	6 Point floatation cell with active whiffle tree edge supports
17	Secondary mirror cell:	4 point uniform micro force technology
18	Secondary mounting system:	Magnetic auto- indexing secondary mirror cell
19	Focuser - Kine Optics USA— Light weight focuser:	HC-2A - Included
20	Digital setting circle: (NEXUS DSC)	User mod friendly— upcoming soon
21	GO TO functionality:	User mod friendly — upcoming soon
22	DSC Encoders	Nexus DSC based — upcoming soon
23	Truss poles technology:	3 Piece split truss system with a total of 8 Truss Poles.

**Telescope structure specifications (continued):**

24	Truss pole:	Carbon Fiber 3k Rolled
25	Travel case:	ATA travel case with internal foam
26	Secondary Light Baffle	Upcoming soon
27	DSC	Nexus DSC - upcoming soon
28	Operational temperature:	32°F to 95 °F / 0°C to +35°C
29	Storage temperature:	-22 °F to 149 °F / -30°C to + 65°C
30	Optical coating durability (under non corrosive, 25%-65% Relative humidity and dust free conditions(0.1ppm or less)) as per ISO 9211-3:2008 ISO 9211-2:2008 and ISO 15380:1999:	10 years*
31	Efficiency of the OTA system in % light output (Calculated as reflectivity of primary mirror X reflectivity of secondary mirror):	90-94% in 450-1000nm range
32	Customer Service (worldwide):	Paid service (Online)
33	After Market Spares (WORLDWIDE SHIPPING):	Paid service
34	Lowest useful magnification:	45X
35	Field of view (lowest magnification) with 68° AFOV eyepiece:	1.51°
36	Highest useful magnification:	625X
37	Field of view (highest magnification) with 68° AFOV eyepiece:	0.109°/6.54 arc minutes
38	Faintest Stellar Magnitude:	14.73 under ideal conditions
39	Resolving power	0.435 arc seconds
40	Practical Eyepiece weight limit at zenith (90°)	2lb / 0.91kg
41	Practical Eyepiece weight limit at 45° altitude	1lb / 0.45kg
42	Practical Eyepiece weight limit at 20° altitude	4ounce / 0.11kg
43	Lowest useful pointing angle	+20° altitude
44	Highest useful pointing angle	+95° altitude
45	Suggested highest magnification (For Beginners)	350X

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