

photon flow, Φ_p

The number of photons (quanta, N) per unit time. ($\frac{dN}{dt}$, simplified expression: $\Phi_p = \frac{N}{t}$ when the number of photons is constant over the time considered). The SI unit is s^{-1} . Alternatively, the term can be used with the amount of photons (mol or its equivalent einstein), the SI unit then being $mol\ s^{-1}$.

See: spectral photon flow

See also: radiant power

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