

spectral irradiance, E_λ

Irradiance, E , at wavelength λ per unit wavelength interval. The SI unit is W m^{-3} , but a commonly used unit is $\text{W m}^{-2} \text{nm}^{-1}$.

Source:

PAC, 1996, 68, 2223 (*Glossary of terms used in photochemistry (IUPAC Recommendations 1996)*) on page 2275

See also:

PAC, 1990, 62, 2167 (*Glossary of atmospheric chemistry terms (Recommendations 1990)*) on page 2198