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## Detector Signal Calculation

**Power On Detector:**  $\Delta\Phi = \tau_0\tau_1\tau_2\rho(\Delta L)\pi\text{SIN}^2\theta\text{Ad Watts}$

$$\theta \approx \text{TAN}^{-1} \left( \frac{D_m}{2f'} \right)$$

$$\Delta L = \frac{4\sigma T^3 \Delta T}{\pi}$$

**Where:**

$\tau_1\tau_2$  = Transmission of Windows  $W_1$  &  $W_2$       $\sigma = 5.6686 \times 10^{-12} \text{ W/cm}^2\text{deg}^4$

$$\tau_0 = 1 - \left( \frac{D_d}{D_m} \right)^2$$

$T = 273 + ^\circ\text{C}$  (T in Kelvin)

$\rho$  = Mirror Reflectance

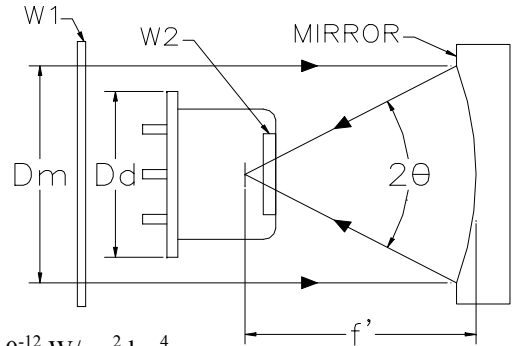
Ad = Detector Area in  $\text{cm}^2$

**Voltage from Detector:**  $\Delta V = R\Delta\Phi$  Volts

**Signal to Noise Ratio:**  $(S/N) = R\Delta\Phi/N$ ; Where N = Amplifier & Detector Noise

**Sensitivity:**

$$\Delta T = \frac{N(S/N)}{\tau_0\tau_1\tau_2\rho(4\sigma T^3)(R\text{Ad})\text{SIN}^2\theta} \text{ } ^\circ\text{C}$$



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