



# Comparison for UV Sensors of Genicom's GaN-based and Si Lab's Si-based

## 1. Purpose: Test for accurate UV Index measurement

## 2. Test sample

- 1) Reference UVI meter : Solarmeter 6.5 (Solartech Co.)
- 2) GaN-based UVB sensor : MG-07 UVI meter (Genicom Co.)
- 3) Si-based UV sensor : Si1145 (Silicon Labs Co.)

## 3. Test Results

Light source	Ref. value	UVB sensor (MG-07)		Si1145 (Silicon labs)	Remark
Sun (Clear sky)			Accurate		Error : > 40% Large error

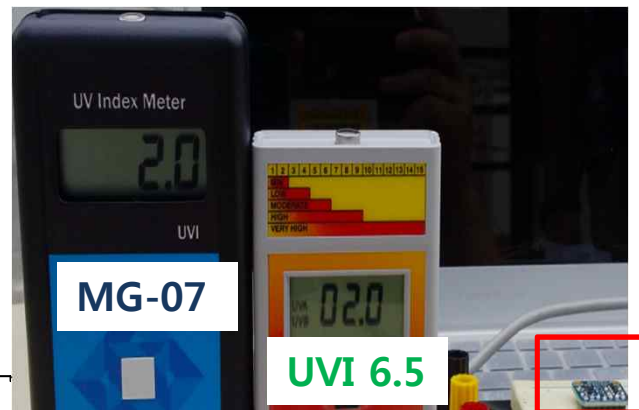
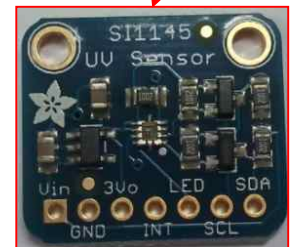


Fig. 1 Test scheme



Si1145

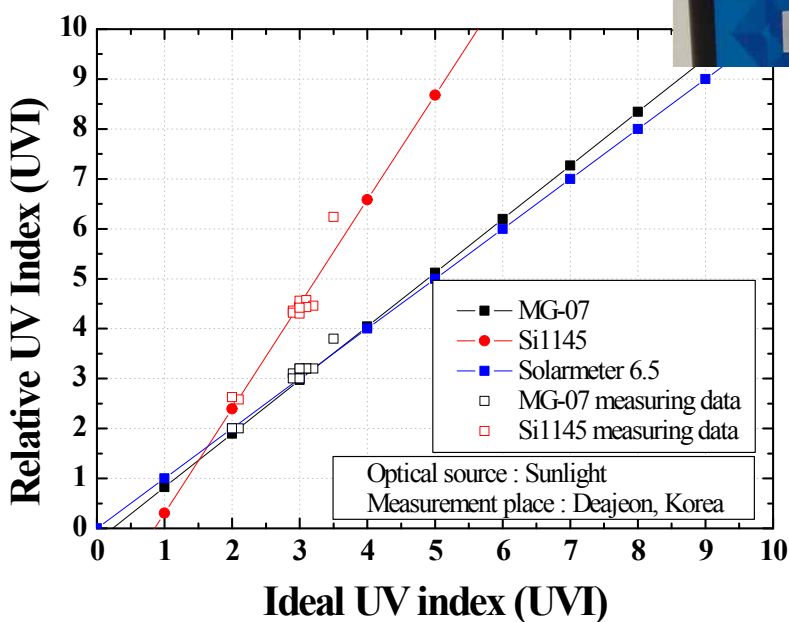

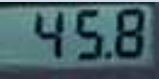
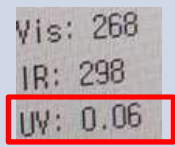


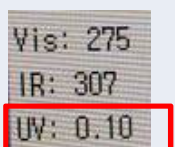


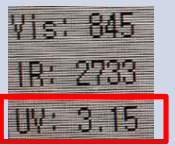


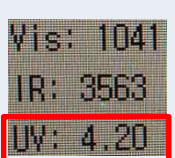
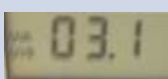
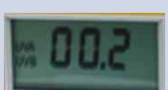
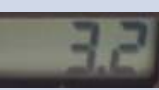

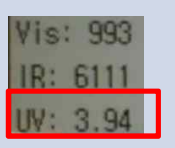



Fig. 2 Measured UV Index data for sun light

Light source	Ref. value	UVB sensor (MG-07)		Si1145 (Silicon labs)	
UVB lamp (305nm peak)			Normal operation		No response for UV ray <b>Error</b>
UVA lamp (352nm peak)					No response for UV ray <b>Error</b>
3-lambda lamp			No response for visible ray (Normal operation)		Response for visible ray <b>Error</b>
White LED					Response for visible ray <b>Error</b>
Sun light (UV cut by acryl plate)	No UV cut  UV cut 	No UV cut  UV cut 	No response for UV cut	No UV cut  UV cut 	Response for UV cut. <b>Error</b>

#### 4. Conclusion

- 1) Genicom's UVB sensor is very accurate and show normal operation for various environment.
- 2) Si Lab's Si1145 sensor has large error and show abnormal operation for various light sources due to just detection of visible and IR ray. It's just visible sensor not UV sensor.