

Developers of solar optics have discovered that LightTools® software is a proven design tool to meet the industry's unique challenges. LightTools delivers ease of use, fast and flexible ray tracing, a fully featured optical and mechanical design environment, and expert technical support. Moreover, with LightTools, your design results are right the first time, which allows you to finish projects faster and save product development costs.

Here are just a few examples of the benefits LightTools has to offer.

## Increase Engineering Productivity

Benefit	Description			
Reach the best design solution faster	Optimization that delivers the best design solution automatically. Full software integration and built-in merit functions minimize setup and execution time			
Fast and flexible preliminary design studies	Point-and-shoot ray tracing gives you real-time, detailed feedback on your system's light behavior during design iterations			
Rapid model creation	Solar Tracking utility to model a one-axis, two-axis, or non-tracking solar collection system, including direct and diffuse sources and a solar cell receiver			