

NICHIA CORPORATION

SPECIFICATIONS FOR AUTOMOTIVE HEADLIGHT NICHIA LEDS

PART NO. NLSW03A04A



Applications



- RoHS Compliant
- IATF 16949 Compliant

This LED is intended for use in digital micromirror device (DMD) systems. With a discrete LED component (i.e. P/N: NV3W470A) specifically designed to be used with DMDs, the LEDs have an emission area optimal in size and structure (i.e. monolithic phosphor plate covering multiple LED die) for this application allowing for simple optical designs.

SPECIFICATIONS

(1) Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Item | Symbol | Absolute Maximum Rating | Unit |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|------|
| Forward Current | I_F | 5500 | mA |
| Surge Forward Current | I_{FS} | 7000 | mA |
| Allowable Reverse Current | I_R | 85 | mA |
| Power Dissipation | P_D | 71 | W |
| Operating Temperature | T_{opr} | -40~125 | °C |
| Storage Temperature | T_{stg} | -40~125 | °C |
| Junction Temperature | T_J | 150 | °C |

* Absolute Maximum Ratings at $T_J=25^\circ\text{C}$.

* I_{FS} conditions with pulse width $\leq 0.01\text{ms}$ and duty cycle $\leq 0.5\%$.

(2) Initial Electrical/Optical Characteristics

| Item | Symbol | Condition | Typ | Max | Unit | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------|--------------------|---|
| Forward Voltage | V_F | $I_F=5000\text{mA}$ | 10.8 | - | V | |
| Luminous Flux | Φ_v | $I_F=5000\text{mA}$ | 4000 | - | lm | |
| Average Luminance | L_v | $I_F=5000\text{mA}$ | 230 | - | cd/mm ² | |
| Chromaticity Coordinate | x | - | $I_F=5000\text{mA}$ | 0.322 | - | - |
| | y | - | $I_F=5000\text{mA}$ | 0.335 | - | |
| Thermal Resistance | $R_{\theta JB_real}$ | - | 0.92 | 1.08 | °C/W | |
| | $R_{\theta JB_el}$ | - | 0.72 | 0.82 | | |

* Characteristics at $T_J=25^\circ\text{C}$. The forward voltage, luminous flux, and the chromaticity coordinate are measured in a continuous square wave pulse mode with a pulse width of 0.05msec and a duty cycle of 1%.

* Luminous Flux value as per CIE 127:2007 standard.

* Chromaticity Coordinates as per CIE 1931 Chromaticity Chart.

* $R_{\theta JB}$ is the thermal resistance from junction to board (i.e. back of the PCB populated with the LED component).

* Thermal resistance values ($R_{\theta JB_real}$) determined by considering the energy conversion efficiency ($\eta_e=24\%$). Refer to JESD51.

* $R_{\theta JB_el}$ is the thermal resistance when the thermal grease (i.e. P/N: G-779 manufactured by Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd. Thermal conductivity: 3.0W/m·K) is used. If a thermal film/sheet is used, the $R_{\theta JB_el}$ will probably be larger than this $R_{\theta JB_el}$ and Nichia will not guarantee the reliability of the LEDs.

* For more information about Nichia's thermal design requirements/suggestions, refer to CAUTIONS, (7) Thermal Management.

RANKS

| Item | Rank | Min | Max | Unit |
|-----------------|---------|------|------|------|
| Forward Voltage | - | 8.5 | 12.5 | V |
| Luminous Flux | J4000f2 | 4000 | 4300 | lm |
| | J3700f2 | 3700 | 4000 | |

Color Rank

| | Rank asw60 | | | |
|---|------------|--------|--------|--------|
| x | 0.3163 | 0.3138 | 0.3296 | 0.3300 |
| y | 0.3181 | 0.3381 | 0.3526 | 0.3308 |

* Ranks at $T_j=25^{\circ}\text{C}$ measured in a continuous square wave pulse mode with a pulse width of 0.05msec and a duty cycle of 1%.

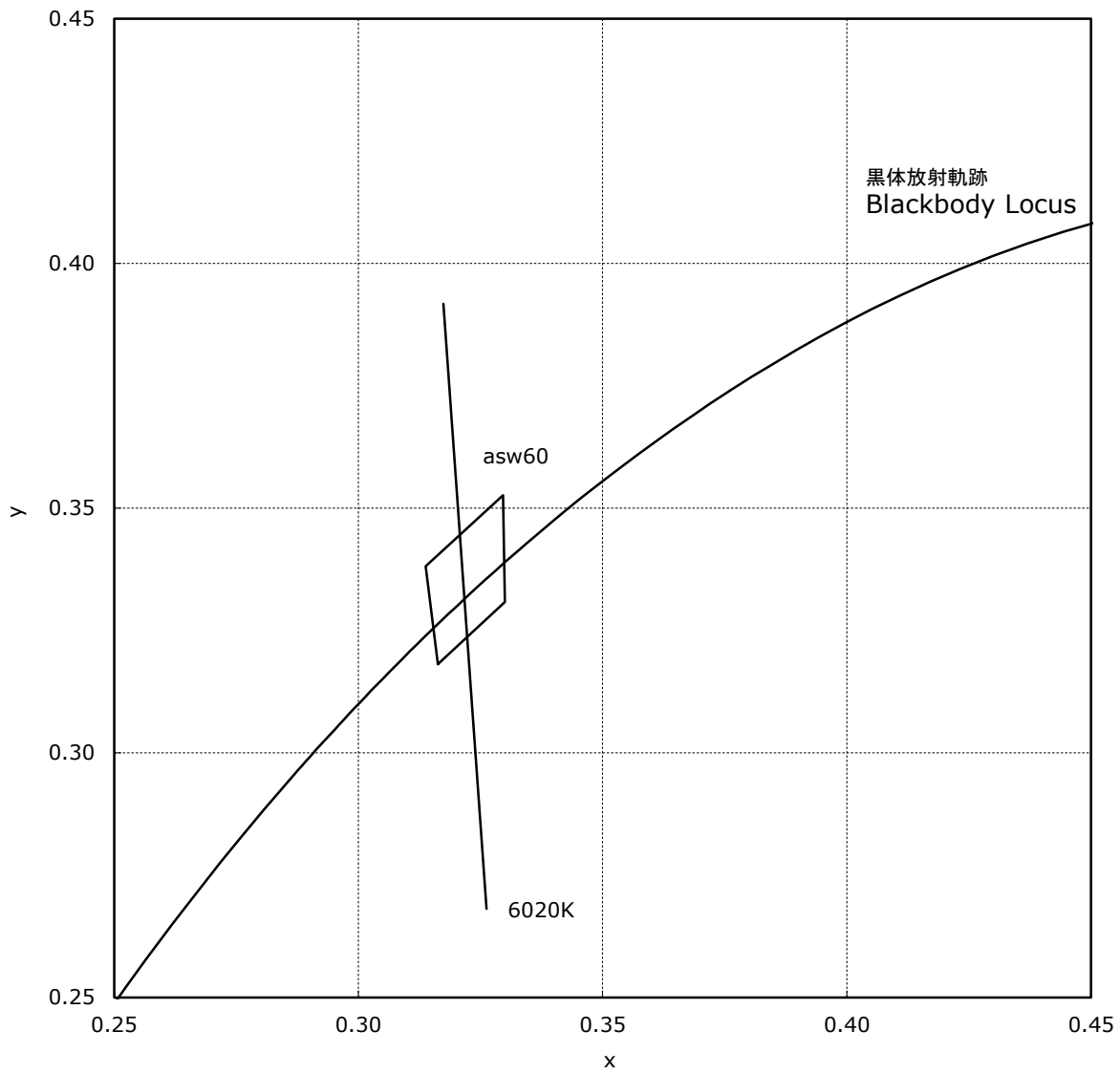
* Forward Voltage Tolerance: $\pm 0.13\text{V}$

* Luminous Flux Tolerance: $\pm 7\%$

* Chromaticity Coordinate Tolerance: ± 0.005

* LEDs from the above ranks will be shipped. The rank combination ratio per shipment will be decided by Nichia.

CHROMATICITY DIAGRAM

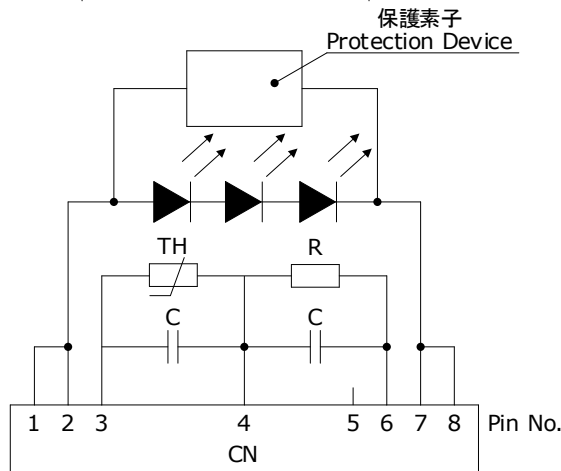
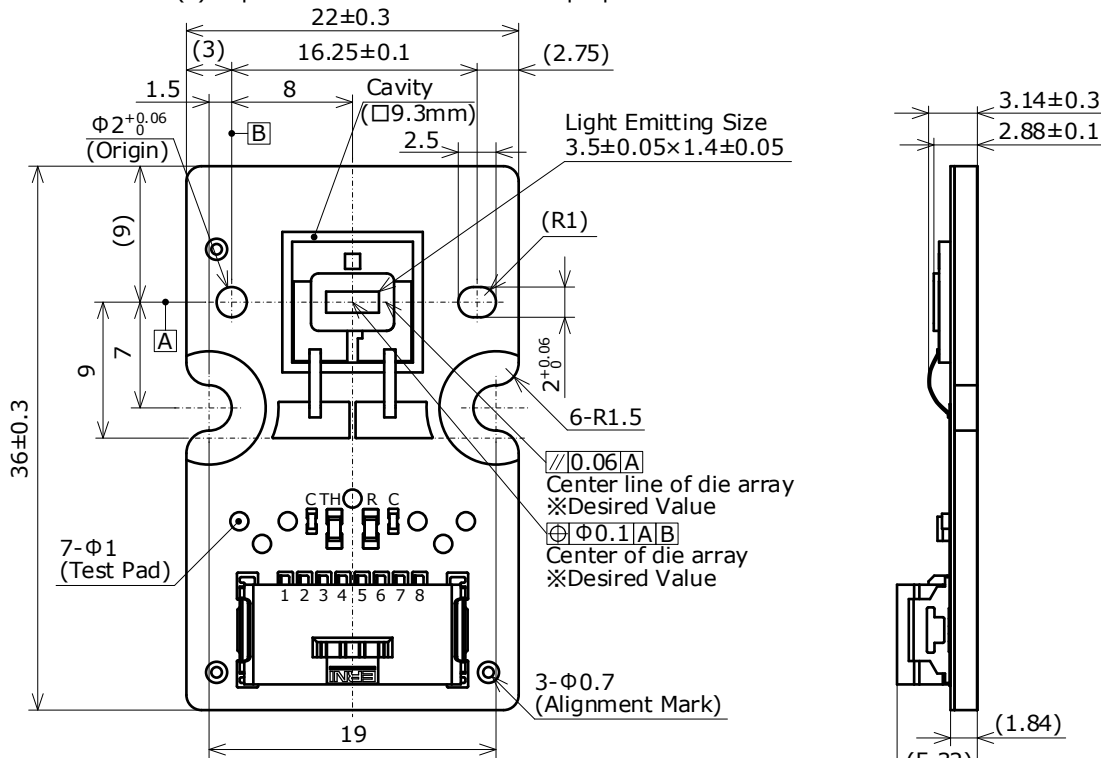


OUTLINE DIMENSIONS

- * 本製品はRoHS指令に適合しております。
This product complies with RoHS Directive.
- * 括弧で囲まれた寸法は参考値です。
The dimension(s) in parentheses are for reference purposes.

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No. STS-DA7-15547D

(単位 Unit: mm, 公差 Tolerance: ±0.2)



| 品名 Model | 供給元 Supplier | 型名 Part Number | 備考 Remarks |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|---|
| 白色LED White LED | 日亜化学工業株式会社 NICHIA CORPORATION | NV3W470A | - |
| 基板 Substrate | - | - | Material: Cu |
| チップコンデンサ(C) Condenser(C) | 太陽誘電株式会社 TAIYO YUDEN CO., LTD. | UMK105 B7103KVHF | C=0.01μF a) SIZE: 1005 |
| サーミスタ(TH) Thermistor(TH) | パナソニック株式会社 Panasonic Corporation | ERTJ1VG103FM | R=10kΩ a) SIZE: 1608 |
| チップ抵抗(R) Resistance(R) | パナソニック株式会社 Panasonic Corporation | ERJS03F4301V | R=4.3kΩ a) (Luminous Flux Rank: J4000f2) SIZE: 1608 |
| | | ERJS03F6801V | R=6.8kΩ a) (Luminous Flux Rank: J3700f2) SIZE: 1608 |
| コネクタ(CN) Connector(CN) | ERNI Electronics | 474811 | - |

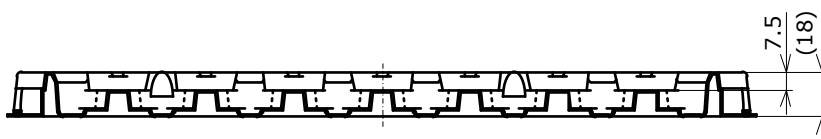
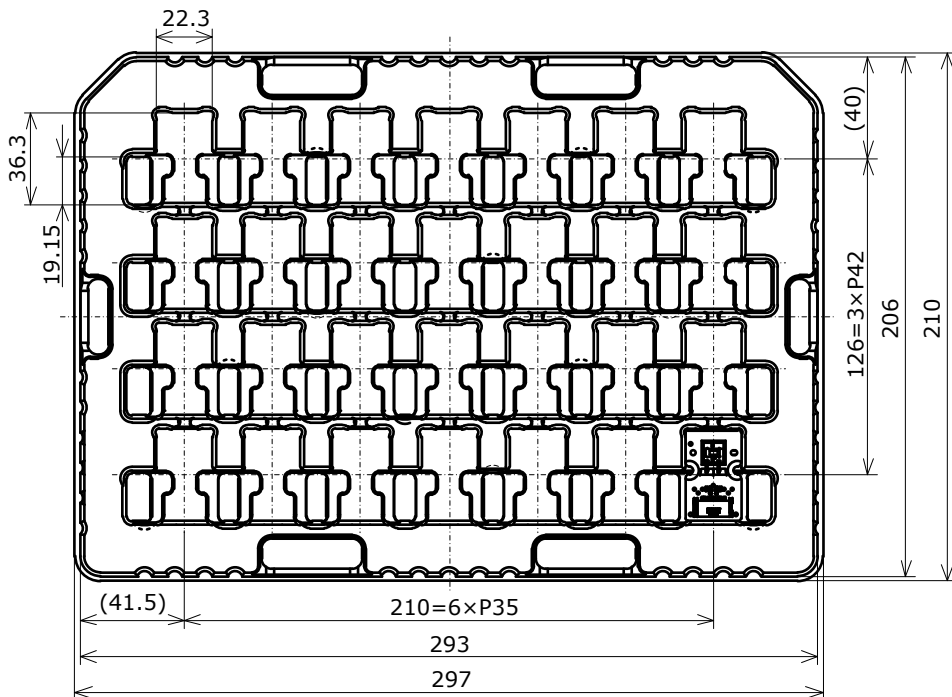
- * T_A=25°Cでの値です。
Characteristics at T_A=25°C.
- * 表面処理仕様 無電解Auメッキ、レジスト 黒色
Surface treatment specification Electroless Au plating, resist black
- a) メーカー公称値です。
Manufacturer's nominal values.

TRAY DIMENSIONS

- * 数量は1トレイにつき 28個入りです。
Tray Size: 28pcs
- * 寸法は参考です。
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No. STS-DA7-15940A

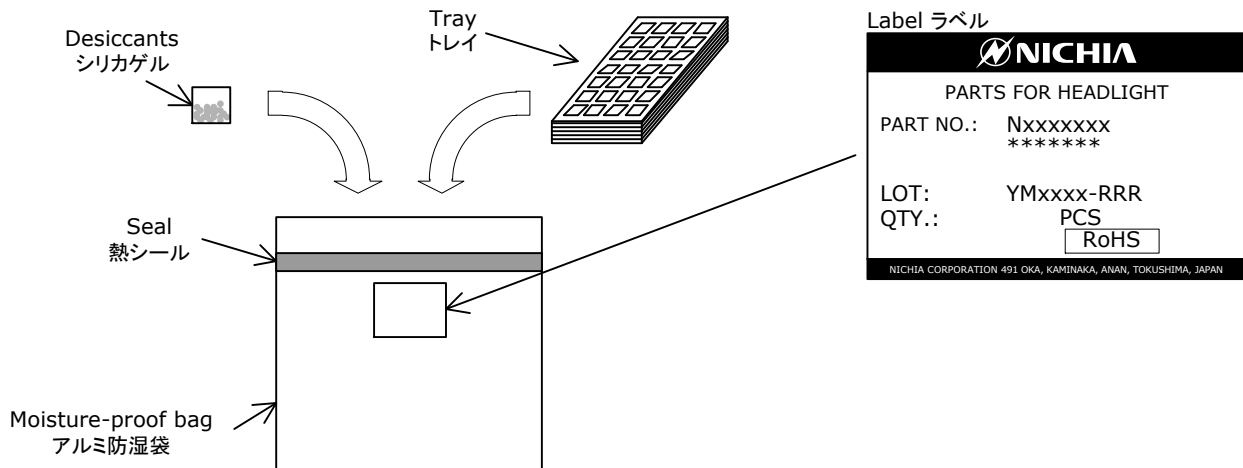
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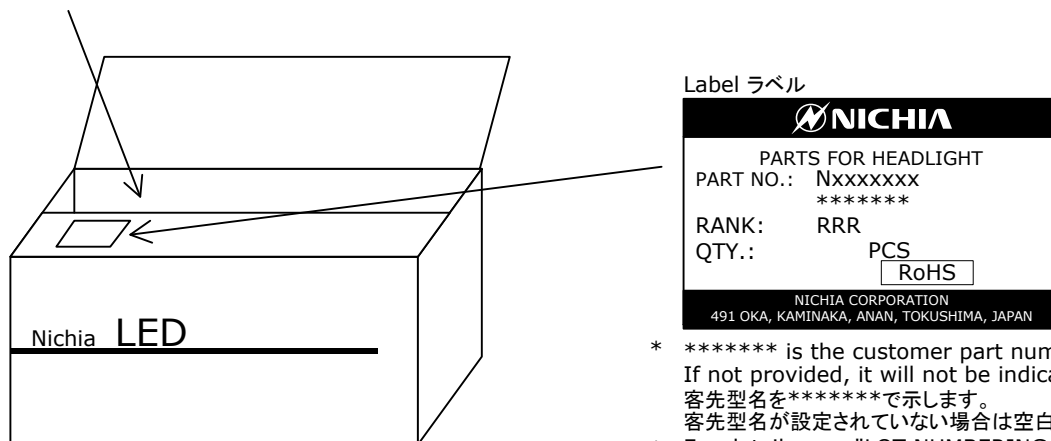
PACKAGING - TRAY PACK

Trays are shipped with desiccants in heat-sealed moisture-proof bags.
シリカゲルとともにトレイをアルミ防湿袋に入れ、熱シールにより封をします。

Part No. Nxxxxxxx
No. STS-DA7-15941



Moisture-proof bags are packed in cardboard boxes with corrugated partitions.
アルミ防湿袋を並べて入れ、ダンボールで仕切ります。



- * ***** is the customer part number.
If not provided, it will not be indicated on the label.
客先型名を*****で示します。
客先型名が設定されていない場合は空白です。
- * For details, see "LOT NUMBERING CODE" in this document.
ロット表記方法についてはロット番号の項を参照して下さい。

- * Products shipped on trays are packed in a moisture-proof bag.
They are shipped in cardboard boxes to protect them from external forces during transportation.
本製品はトレイに入れたのち、輸送の衝撃から保護するためダンボールで梱包します。
- * Do not drop or expose the box to external forces as it may damage the products.
取り扱いに際して、落下させたり、強い衝撃を与えたりしますと、製品を損傷させる原因になりますので注意して下さい。
- * Do not expose to water. The box is not water-resistant.
ダンボールには防水加工がされておきませんので、梱包箱が水に濡れないよう注意して下さい。
- * Using the original package material or equivalent in transit is recommended.
輸送、運搬に際して弊社よりの梱包状態あるいは同等の梱包を行って下さい。

LOT NUMBERING CODE

Lot Number is presented by using the following alphanumeric code.

YMxxxx - RRR

Y - Year

| Year | Y |
|------|---|
| 2020 | K |
| 2021 | L |
| 2022 | M |
| 2023 | N |
| 2024 | O |
| 2025 | P |

M - Month

| Month | M | Month | M |
|-------|---|-------|---|
| 1 | 1 | 7 | 7 |
| 2 | 2 | 8 | 8 |
| 3 | 3 | 9 | 9 |
| 4 | 4 | 10 | A |
| 5 | 5 | 11 | B |
| 6 | 6 | 12 | C |

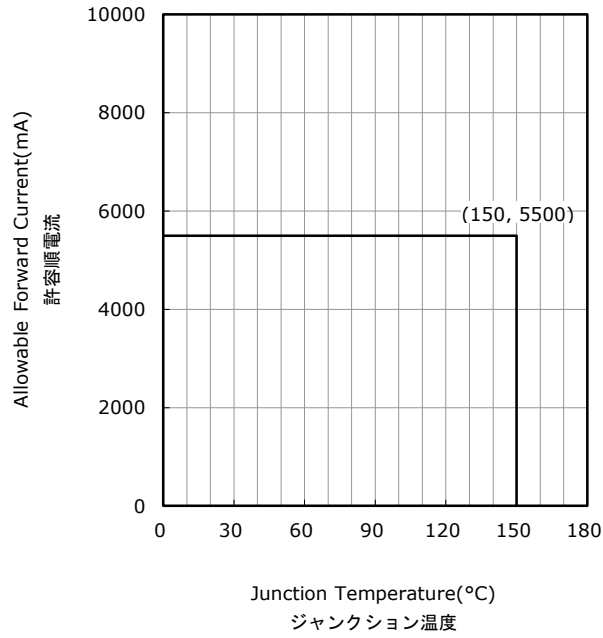
xxxx-Nichia's Product Number

RRR-Ranking by Luminous Flux, Ranking by Color Coordinates

DERATING CHARACTERISTICS

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 No. STS-DA7-16026A

**Junction Temperature vs
 Allowable Forward Current**
 ジャンクション温度-許容順電流特性

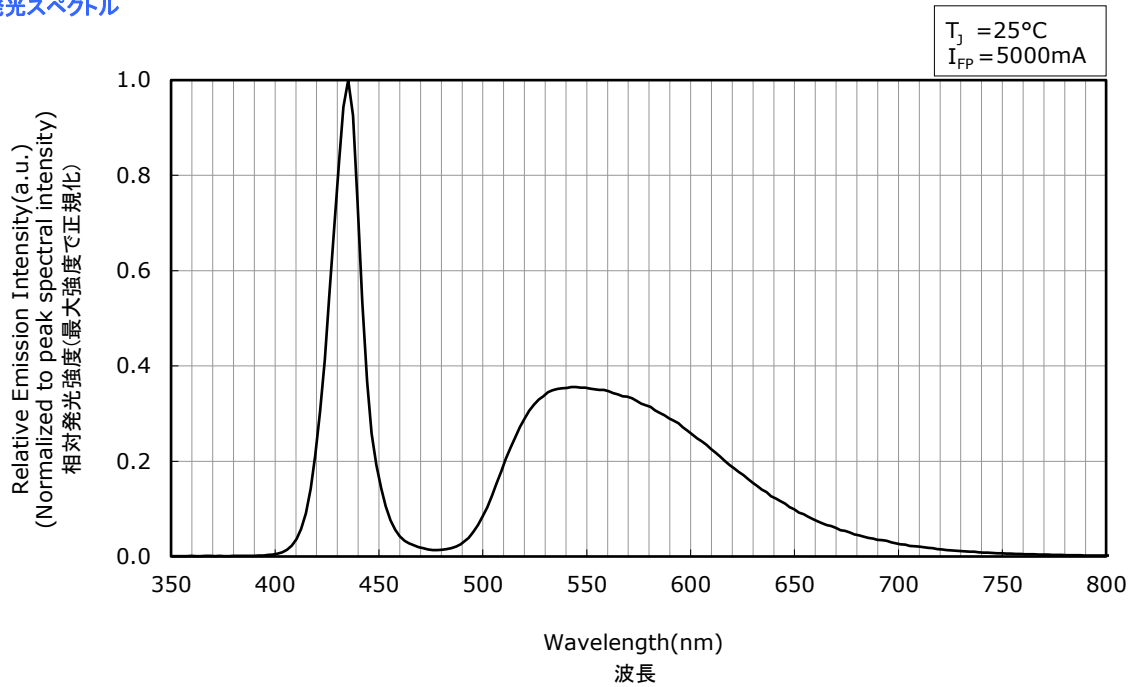


OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS

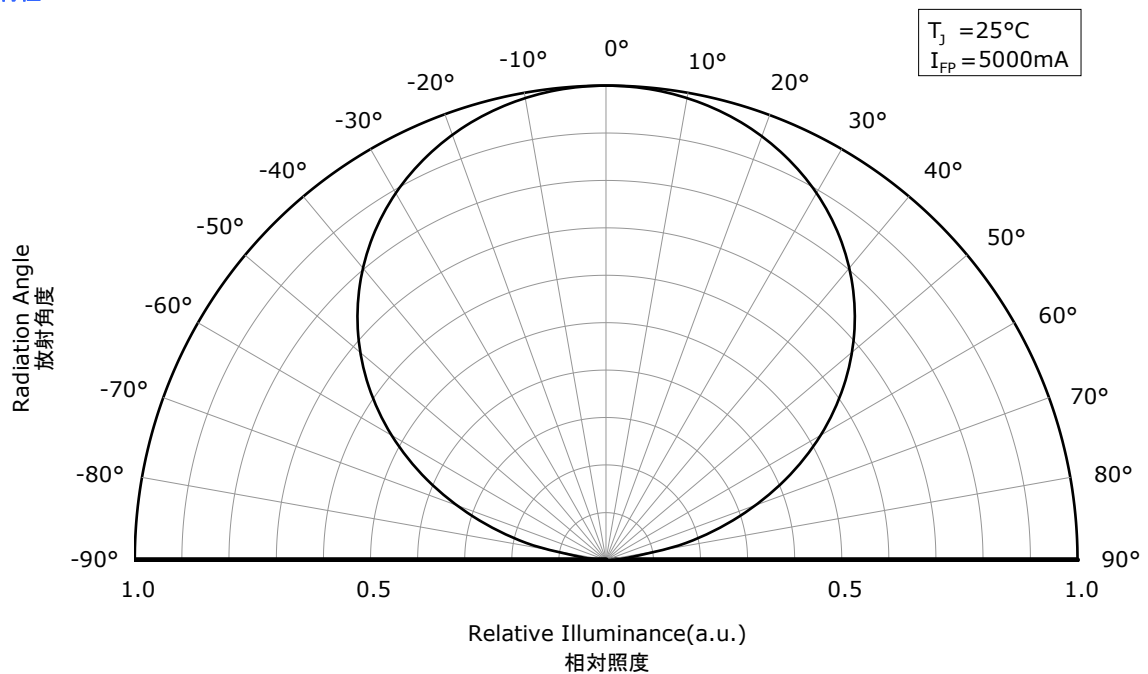
- * All characteristics shown are for reference only and are not guaranteed.
本特性は参考です。
- * Characteristics measured in a continuous square wave pulse mode with a pulse width of 0.05msec and a duty cycle of 1%.
パルス幅0.05msec、デューティー比1%の連続矩形波により測定しています。

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Spectrum 発光スペクトル



Directivity 指向特性



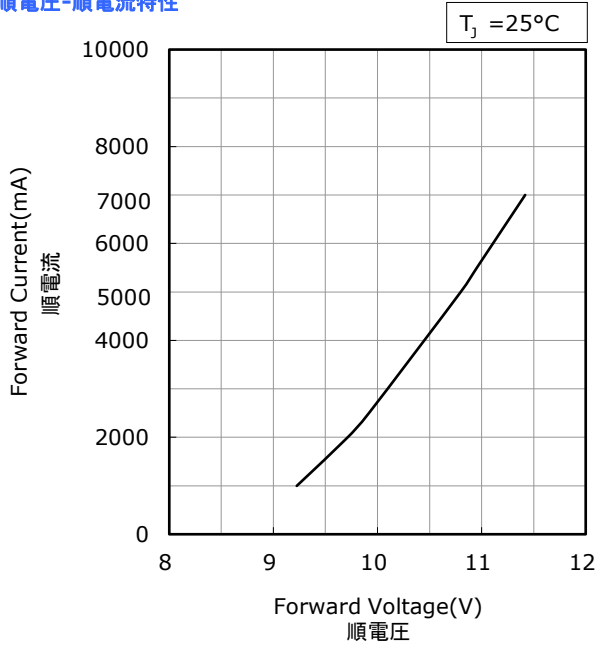
FORWARD CURRENT CHARACTERISTICS / TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS

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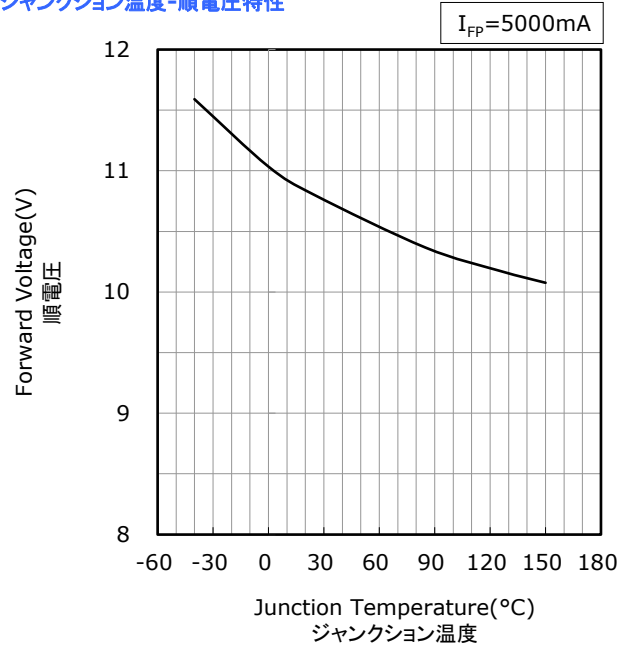
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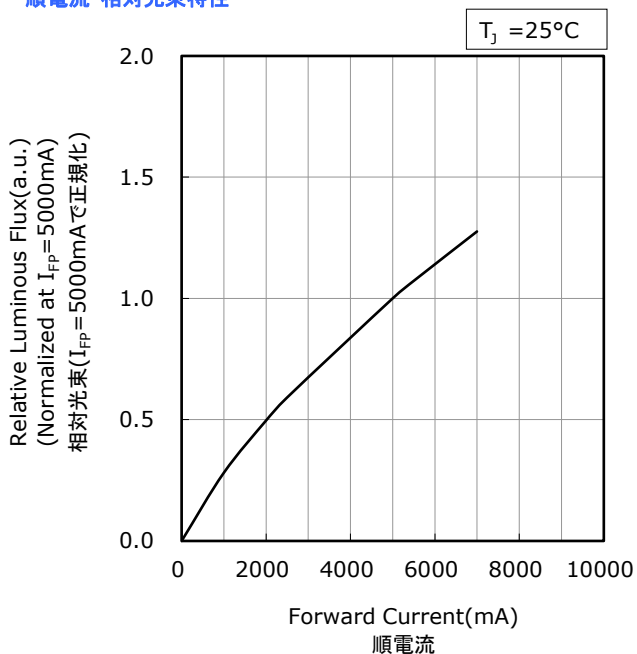
Forward Voltage vs Forward Current
 順電圧-順電流特性



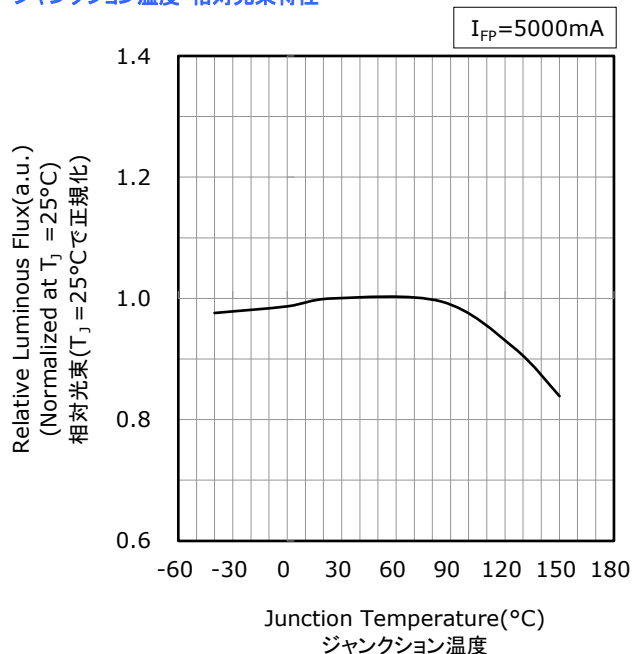
Junction Temperature vs Forward Voltage
 ジャンクション温度-順電圧特性



Forward Current vs Relative Luminous Flux
 順電流-相対光束特性



Junction Temperature vs Relative Luminous Flux
 ジャンクション温度-相対光束特性



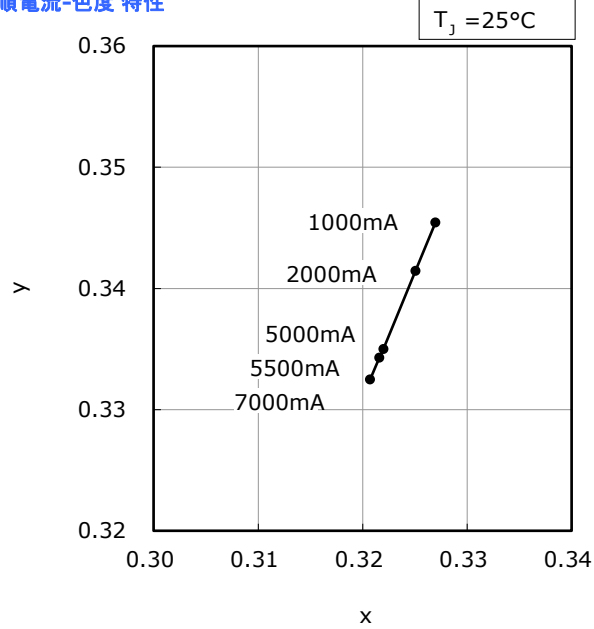
FORWARD CURRENT CHARACTERISTICS / TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS

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パルス幅0.05msec、デューティ比1%の連続矩形波により測定しています。

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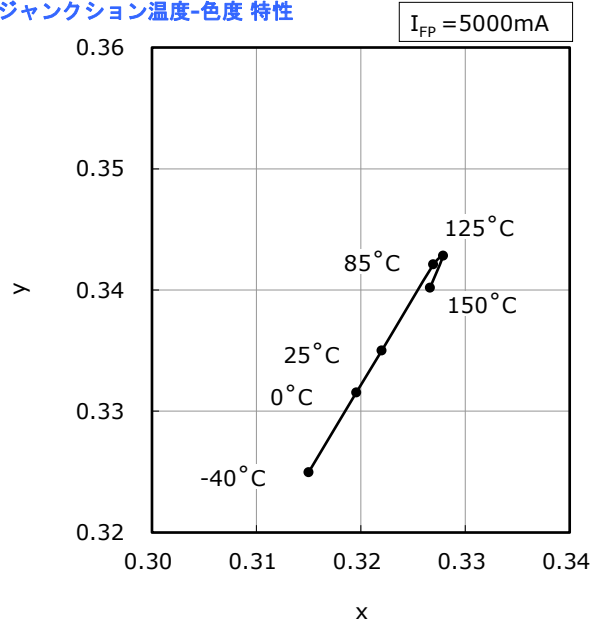
Forward Current vs Chromaticity Coordinate

順電流-色度 特性



Junction Temperature vs Chromaticity Coordinate

ジャンクション温度-色度 特性



RELIABILITY

(1) Tests and Results

| Test | Reference Standard | Test Conditions | Test Duration | Failure Criteria # | Units Failed/Tested |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|---------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Thermal Shock(Air to Air) | | -40°C to 125°C, 15min dwell | 100cycles | #1 | 0/4 |
| High Temperature Storage | JEITA ED-4701 200 201 | T _A =125°C | 1000hours | #1 | 0/4 |
| Temperature Humidity Storage | JEITA ED-4701 100 103 | T _A =85°C, RH=85% | 1000hours | #1 | 0/4 |
| Low Temperature Storage | JEITA ED-4701 200 202 | T _A =-40°C | 1000hours | #1 | 0/4 |
| Room Temperature Operating Life | | T _A =25°C, I _F =5500mA, T _J =150°C | 1000hours | #1 | 0/4 |
| High Temperature Operating Life | JEDEC JESD22-A101 | T _A =125°C, I _F =1100mA, T _J =150°C | 1000hours | #1 | 0/4 |
| Temperature Humidity Operating Life | JEDEC JESD22-A101 | 85°C, RH=85%, I _F =4000mA, T _J =150°C | 1000hours | #1 | 0/3 |
| Low Temperature Operating Life | JEDEC JESD22-A108 | T _A =-40°C, I _F =5500mA | 1000hours | #1 | 0/4 |

NOTES:

- The LEDs were attached to a heat sink for the operating life tests, secured with both screws and thermal grease:
Thermal grease: G-779 (manufactured by Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd.)
Screw: M2.6
Tightening torque: 0.3N·m
- Measurements are performed after allowing the LEDs to return to room temperature.

(2) Failure Criteria

| Criteria # | Items | Conditions | Failure Criteria |
|------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| #1 | Forward Voltage(V _F) | I _F =5000mA | >U.S.L.×1.1 |
| | Luminous Flux(Φ _v) | I _F =5000mA | <L.S.L.×0.7 |

U.S.L. : Upper Specification Limit L.S.L. : Lower Specification Limit

CAUTIONS

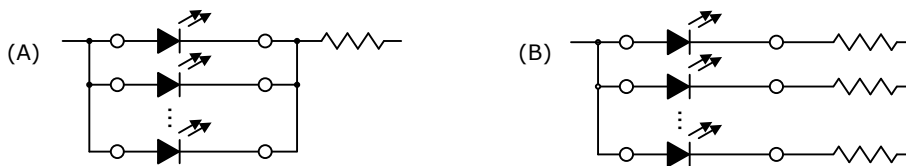
(1) Storage

| Conditions | | Temperature | Humidity | Time |
|------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Storage | Before Opening Aluminum Bag | $\leq 30^{\circ}\text{C}$ | $\leq 90\% \text{RH}$ | Within 1 Year from Delivery Date |
| | After Opening Aluminum Bag | $\leq 30^{\circ}\text{C}$ | $\leq 70\% \text{RH}$ | $\leq 168 \text{hours}$ |

- Once the moisture-proof aluminum bag is open, ensure that the LED is assembled in a housing (i.e. mounted on a heat sink) within the range of the conditions above. To store any remaining unused LEDs, use a hermetically sealed container with silica gel desiccants. Nichia recommends placing them back to the original moisture-proof bag and reseal it.
- This LED has metal parts (e.g. electrodes, plating, silver bonding material, aluminum ribbons, solder joints, etc.). If those metal parts are exposed to a corrosive environment, it may cause them to tarnish causing issues. Once the moisture-proof bag is opened, the remaining unused LEDs must be stored in a hermetically sealed container. Nichia recommends placing them back to the original moisture-proof bag and reseal it.
- To prevent substances/gases from affecting the metal parts (e.g. electrodes, plating, silver bonding material, aluminum ribbons, solder joints, etc.) ensure that the parts/materials (e.g. gasket/seal, adhesive, etc.) used with the LEDs in the same assembly/system do not contain sulfur. If those metal parts are contaminated, it may cause issues (e.g. electrical connection failures). If a gasket/seal is used, silicone rubber gaskets/seals are recommended; ensure that this use of silicone does not result in issues (e.g. electrical connection failures) caused by low molecular weight volatile siloxane.
- To avoid condensation, the LEDs must not be stored in areas where temperature and humidity fluctuate greatly.
- Do not store the LEDs in a dusty environment.
- Do not expose the LEDs to direct sunlight and/or an environment over a long period of time where the temperature is higher than normal room temperature.

(2) Directions for Use

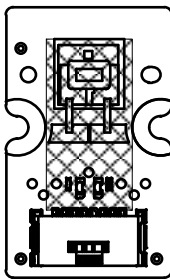
- The circuit must be designed to ensure that the Absolute Maximum Ratings are not exceeded for each LED. The LEDs should be operated at a constant current per LED. In the case of operating at a constant voltage, Circuit B is recommended. If Circuit A is used, it may cause the currents flowing through the LEDs to vary due to the variation in the forward voltage characteristics of the LEDs on the circuit.




- The LED used in this LED is designed to be operated at a forward current. Ensure that no voltage is applied to the LED in the forward/reverse direction while the LED is off. If the LEDs are used in an environment where reverse voltages are applied to the LED continuously, it may cause electrochemical migration to occur causing the LED to be damaged. When not in use for a long period of time, the system's power should be turned off to ensure that there are no issues/damage.
- To stabilize the LED characteristics while in use, Nichia recommends that the LEDs are operated at currents $\geq 10\%$ of the sorting current.
- Ensure that transient excessive voltages (e.g. lightning surge) are not applied to the LEDs.
- If the LEDs are used for outdoor applications, ensure that necessary measures are taken (e.g. protecting the LEDs from water/salt damage and high humidity).

(3) Handling Precautions

- Do not touch any placed components/objects in the prohibited area (i.e. LED, electronic components, area covered with the black resin). This may cause the LED to malfunction (e.g. the LED not to illuminate). For details on where the prohibited area is, see the figure below.
- Do not apply an external force $\geq 10.45\text{N}$ to the connecting device. This may cause the LED to malfunction.
- Nichia strongly recommends that the LEDs are picked up by the sides of the connecting device.
- Do not handle the LEDs with bare hands:
 - this may contaminate the surface and have an effect on the optical characteristics,
 - this may cause static electricity to build up leading to a malfunction (e.g. causing the LED not to illuminate).
- Ensure that when handling the LEDs with tweezers, excessive force is not applied to the LED. Otherwise, it may cause damage to the resin of the LED (e.g. cut, scratch, chip, crack, delamination and deformation) and the internal connection to fail causing a catastrophic failure (i.e. the LED not to illuminate). This may cause the LED to malfunction (e.g. the LED not to illuminate).
- Dropping may damage the LED leading to a malfunction (e.g. causing the LED not to illuminate).
- Do not stack the LEDs on top of one another, regardless of whether the LEDs are attached to heat sinks or not. Otherwise, it may cause the LEDs (e.g. connecting device, components, solder joints, aluminum ribbons, electrodes, etc.) to be damaged, chipped, cracked, and/or deformed leading to malfunction or disconnection of the LED component/other components, and in some cases causing the LED not to illuminate.



 Prohibited Area

(4) Assembly Precautions

- When securing the LEDs to a heat sink, insert both screws into the holes and partially tighten them, then fully tighten them. If an excessive torque is used, it may cause the LED to deform, the plating to delaminate, and in some cases, the LED may not illuminate.
- Ensure that an appropriate screw size is used. Nichia recommends using M2.6 screws. For the details, refer to the OUTLINE DIMENSIONS section. During assembly, do not touch the LED component or the other component parts.
- Once the screws have been fully tightened, do not remove or loosen them. This may cause the plating to delaminate.
- Ensure that excessive force is not applied to the connecting device, especially during/after inserting a receptacle connecting device (i.e. box or female end) into the connecting device (i.e. header or male end). If this occurs, it may damage the connecting device.
- Ensure that excessive force is not applied to the cable harness. Otherwise, this may cause the connecting device to become damaged and/or detached from the PCB.

(5) Design Consideration

- Volatile organic compounds that have been released from materials present around the LED modules (e.g. housing, gasket/seal, adhesive, secondary lens, lens cover, grease, etc.) may penetrate the LED emitting surface. If the LED modules are being used in a hermetically/near-hermetically sealed environment, these volatile compounds can discolor after being exposed to heat and/or photon energy and it may greatly reduce the LED light output and/or color shift. In this case, ventilating the environment may improve the reduction in light output and/or color shift. Perform a light-up test of the chosen application for optical evaluation prior to use to ensure that there are no issues, this test should be performed taking into consideration the conditions/environments in which the end-product containing these LED modules will actually be used.

(6) Electrostatic Discharge (ESD)

- The LED used in this LED is sensitive to transient excessive voltages (e.g. ESD, lightning surge). If this excessive voltage occurs in the circuit, it may cause the LED to be damaged causing issues (e.g. the LED to become dimmer or not to illuminate [i.e. catastrophic failure]). Ensure that when handling the LEDs, necessary measures are taken to protect them from an ESD discharge. The following examples are recommended measures to eliminate the charge:
 - Grounded wrist strap, ESD footwear, clothes, and floors
 - Grounded workstation equipment and tools
 - ESD table/shelf mat made of conductive materials
- Ensure that all necessary measures are taken to prevent the LEDs from being exposed to transient excessive voltages (e.g. ESD, lightning surge):
 - tools, jigs, and machines that are used are properly grounded
 - appropriate ESD materials/equipment are used in the work area
 - the system/assembly is designed to provide ESD protection for the LEDs
- If the tool/equipment used is an insulator (e.g. glass cover, plastic, etc.), ensure that necessary measures have been taken to protect the LEDs from transient excessive voltages (e.g. ESD). The following examples are recommended measures to eliminate the charge:
 - Dissipating static charge with conductive materials
 - Preventing charge generation with moisture
 - Neutralizing the charge with ionizers
- To detect if an LED was damaged by transient excess voltages (i.e. an ESD event during the system's assembly process), perform a characteristics inspection (e.g. forward voltage measurement, light-up test) at low current ($\leq 1\text{mA}$).
- Failure Criteria: $V_F < 6.0\text{V}$ at $I_F = 0.5\text{mA}$

If the LED is damaged by transient excess voltages (e.g. ESD), it will cause:

- the Forward Voltage (V_F) to decrease
- the LED not to illuminate at a low current

(7) Thermal Management

- The Absolute Maximum Junction Temperature (T_J) must not be exceeded under any circumstances. The increase in the temperature of the LEDs while in operation may vary depending on the material of the heatsink being used and other conditions (e.g. with/without a cooling fan). Ensure that when using the LEDs for the chosen application, heat is not concentrated in an area and properly managed in the system/assembly.
- The operating current should be determined by considering the temperature conditions surrounding the LED (i.e. T_A). Ensure that when operating the LEDs, proper measures are taken to dissipate the heat.
- Ensure that there are no holes/openings and/or cavities/recesses on the surface of the housing/heatsink to attach the LEDs and if necessary, the surface is leveled before mounting the LEDs.
- Nichia recommends using thermal grease (i.e. P/N: G-779 manufactured by Shin-Etsu Chemical Co., Ltd. Thermal conductivity: 3.0W/m·K) for the interface between the LED and housing/heatsink. If the LEDs are attached to a housing/heatsink without a thermal interface material, it may cause the heat dissipation to decrease resulting in the LEDs failing to meet the specifications; additionally, if a thermal film/sheet is used as the thermal interface material, the $R_{\theta JB_el}$ will probably be larger than the specified $R_{\theta JB_el}$ and Nichia will not guarantee the reliability of the LEDs.
- When applying the recommended thermal grease, the thermal grease should be applied evenly and in a manner that covers the entire back surface of the LED to ensure effective heat dissipation.
- The following equation can be used to calculate the LED junction temperature once the saturation temperature at the junction has been reached:

$$T_J = T_{TH} + R_{\theta JTH} \cdot W$$

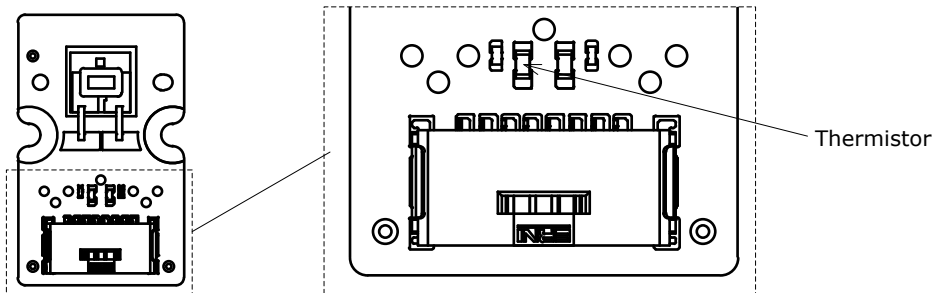
* T_J = LED junction temperature: °C

T_{TH} = Thermistor temperature: °C

$R_{\theta JTH}$ = Thermal Resistance from Junction to T_{TH} Measurement Point: °C/W

Note: The $R_{\theta JTH}$ will vary depending on the LED operating current (I_F).

W = Input Power ($I_F \times V_F$) when the saturation temperature at the junction has been reached: W



| LED Operating Current | $R_{\theta JTH}$ (°C/W) |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| $I_F = 5A$ | 1.64 |
| $I_F = 4.5A$ | 1.68 |
| $I_F = 4A$ | 1.71 |
| $I_F = 3.5A$ | 1.74 |
| $I_F = 3A$ | 1.77 |
| $I_F = 2.5A$ | 1.78 |

How to determine the T_{TH}

1. Apply a very low pulse current to the thermistor.
Recommended current: 0.1mA
2. Measure the voltage drop across the thermistor.
3. Calculate the resistance of the thermistor (i.e. R_{TH}) using $R_{TH}(\Omega) = V(V)/I(A)$.
4. Determine the T_{TH} using the resistance vs. temperature characteristics of the thermistor (P/N: ERTJ1VG103FM manufactured by Panasonic Corporation) and the calculated R_{TH} .

(8) Eye Safety

- In 2006, the International Electrical Commission (IEC) published IEC 62471:2006 Photobiological safety of lamps and lamp systems, which added LEDs in its scope. On the other hand, the IEC 60825-1:2007 laser safety standard removed LEDs from its scope. However, be advised that some countries and regions have adopted standards based on the IEC laser safety standard IEC 60825-1:20112001, which still includes LEDs in its scope. Most of Nichia's LEDs can be classified as belonging into either the Exempt Group or Risk Group 1. High-power LEDs, that emit light containing blue wavelengths, may be classified as Risk Group 2. Proceed with caution when viewing directly any LEDs driven at high current or viewing LEDs with optical instruments which may greatly increase the damage to human eyes.
- Viewing a flashing light may cause eye discomfort. When incorporating the LED into chosen application, be careful to avoid adverse effects on the human body caused by light stimulation.

(9) Miscellaneous

- Nichia warrants that the discrete LEDs will meet the requirements/criteria as detailed in the Reliability section within this specification. If the LEDs are used under conditions/environments deviating from or inconsistent with those described in this specification, the resulting damage and/or injuries will not be covered by this warranty.
- Nichia warrants that the discrete LEDs manufactured and/or supplied by Nichia will meet the requirements/criteria as detailed in the Reliability section within this specification; it is the customer's responsibility to perform sufficient verification prior to use to ensure that the lifetime and other quality characteristics required for the intended use are met.
- The applicable warranty period is one year from the date that the LED is delivered. In the case of any incident that appears to be in breach of this warranty, the local Nichia sales representative should be notified to discuss instructions on how to proceed while ensuring that the LED in question is not disassembled or removed from the heatsink/system if it has been attached to the heatsink/system. If a breach of this warranty is proved, Nichia will provide the replacement for the non-conforming LED or an equivalent item at Nichia's discretion. FOREGOING ARE THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDIES AVAILABLE TO THE CUSTOMER IN RESPECT OF THE BREACH OF THE WARRANTY CONTAINED HEREIN, AND IN NO EVENT SHALL NICHIA BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL LOSSES AND/OR EXPENSES (INCLUDING LOSS OF PROFIT) THAT MAY BE SUFFERED BY THE CUSTOMER ARISING OUT OF A BREACH OF THE WARRANTY.
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- The customer will not reverse engineer, disassemble or otherwise attempt to extract knowledge/design information from the LED.
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