

Cree® XLamp® MHD-E LEDs



PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The XLamp® MHD-E LED is a new generation of high-power LED that delivers a more effective way to achieve low-cost systems than mid-power (MP) LEDs. Built using Cree's high-reliability ceramic-package technology, the XLamp MHD-E LED is able to operate at higher temperatures than MP LEDs with no reduction in rated lifetime, enabling an impressive 60% reduction in heat sink size and cost. Using many times fewer LEDs than MP LEDs to achieve the same performance, the XLamp MHD-E LED is optimized to simplify LED system designs for directional and semi-directional applications.

FEATURES

- Flexible 9-V, 18-V or 36-V options
- Maximum drive current: 1400 mA (9 V), 700 mA (18 V), 350 mA (36 V)
- Viewing angle: 115°
- Available in 70-CRI, 80-CRI and 90-CRI options
- Unlimited floor life at $\leq 30^{\circ}\text{C}/85\%\text{RH}$
- Reflow solderable - JEDEC J-STD-020C
- Electrically neutral thermal path
- RoHS and REACH compliant
- UL® recognized component (E349212)

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CHARACTERISTICS

MHD-E 9-V/18-V LEDs are tested and binned in production in the 18-V configuration. MHD-E 36-V LEDs are tested and binned in production in the 36-V configuration. See the Mechanical Dimensions section on page 21 for pad layout options.

Characteristics	Unit	Minimum	Typical	Maximum
Thermal resistance, junction to solder point	°C/W		3.2	
Viewing angle (FWHM)	degrees		115	
Temperature coefficient of voltage (9 V)*	mV/°C		-3.75	
Temperature coefficient of voltage (18 V)	mV/°C		-7.5	
Temperature coefficient of voltage (36 V)	mV/°C		-15	
ESD withstand voltage (HBM per Mil-Std-883D)	V			8000
DC forward current (9 V)*	mA			1400
DC forward current (18 V)	mA			700
DC forward current (36 V)	mA			350
Reverse current (9 V, 18 V, 36 V)*	mA			-0.1
Forward voltage (9 V, @ 800 mA, 85 °C)*	V		9.1	10
Forward voltage (18 V, @ 400 mA, 85 °C)	V		18.2	20
Forward voltage (36 V, @ 200 mA, 85 °C)	V		36.3	40
LED junction temperature	°C			150

* Data for the 9-V configuration is calculated and for reference only.

FLUX CHARACTERISTICS, EASYWHITE® ORDER CODES AND BINS - 9 V/18 V

The following table provides order codes for XLamp MHD-E LEDs. For a complete description of the order code nomenclature, please see the Bin and Order Code Formats section (page 17).

Test condition: $T_J = 85\text{ °C}$, 18 V, $I_F = 400\text{ mA}$

Reference condition: $T_J = 85\text{ °C}$, 9 V, $I_F = 800\text{ mA}$

Nominal CCT	CRI	Minimum Luminous Flux			2-Step		3-Step		5-Step	
	Min	Group	Flux (lm) @ 85 °C	Flux (lm) @ 25 °C*	Group	Order Code	Group	Order Code	Group	Order Code
6500 K	70	H2	900	1007					65E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH265E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH465E
	80	G4	840	940					65E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG465E
		H2	900	1007						MHDEWT-0000-000C0HH265E
5700 K	70	H2	900	1007					57E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH257E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH457E
	80	G4	840	940					57E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG457E
		H2	900	1007						MHDEWT-0000-000C0HH257E
5000 K	70	H2	900	1007					50E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH250E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH450E
	80	G4	840	940			50G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG450G	50E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG450E
		H2	900	1007				MHDEWT-0000-000C0HH250G		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HH250E
	90	F4	730	817			50G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF450G	50E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF450E
		G2	780	873				MHDEWT-0000-000C0UG250G		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UG250E

Notes

- Cree maintains a tolerance of $\pm 7\%$ on flux and power measurements, ± 0.005 on chromaticity (CCx, CCy) measurements and a tolerance of ± 2 on CRI measurements. See the Measurements section (page 19).
- Cree XLamp MHD-E LED order codes specify only a minimum flux bin and not a maximum. Cree may ship reels in flux bins higher than the minimum specified by the order code without advance notice. Shipments will always adhere to the chromaticity bin restrictions specified by the order code.
- * Flux values @ 25 °C are calculated and for reference only.

FLUX CHARACTERISTICS, EASYWHITE® ORDER CODES AND BINS - 9 V/18 V - CONTINUED

Nominal CCT	CRI	Minimum Luminous Flux			2-Step		3-Step		5-Step	
	Min	Group	Flux (lm) @ 85 °C	Flux (lm) @ 25 °C*	Group	Order Code	Group	Order Code	Group	Order Code
4000 K	70	G4	840	940					40E	MHDEWT-0000-000C0BG440E
		H2	900	1007						MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH240E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000C0BH440E
	80	G2	780	873	40H	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG240H	40G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG240G		
		G4	840	940		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG440H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG440G		
		H2	900	1007		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HH240H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HH240G		
	90	F2	680	761	40H	MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF240H	40G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF240G		
		F4	730	817		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF440H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF440G		
	3500 K	80	G2	780	35H	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG235H	35G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG235G		
			G4	840		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG435H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG435G		
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			F4	730		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF435H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF435G		
3000 K	80	G2	780	873	30H	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG230H	30G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG230G		
		G4	840	940		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG430H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG430G		
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2700 K	80	G2	780	873	27H	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG227H	27G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG227G		
		G4	840	940		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG427H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0HG427G		
	90	E4	635	710	27H	MHDEWT-0000-000C0UE427H	27G	MHDEWT-0000-000C0UE427G		
		F2	680	761		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF227H		MHDEWT-0000-000C0UF227G		

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FLUX CHARACTERISTICS, EASYWHITE® ORDER CODES AND BINS - 36 V

The following table provides order codes for XLamp MHD-E LEDs. For a complete description of the order code nomenclature, please see the Bin and Order Code Formats section (page 17).

Test condition: $T_j = 85^\circ\text{C}$, 36 V, $I_f = 200\text{ mA}$

Nominal CCT	CRI	Minimum Luminous Flux			2-Step		3-Step		5-Step	
	Min	Group	Flux (lm) @ 85 °C	Flux (lm) @ 25 °C*	Group	Order Code	Group	Order Code	Group	Order Code
6500 K	70	H2	900	1007					65E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH265E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH465E
	80	G4	840	940					65E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0HG465E
		H2	900	1007						MHDEWT-0000-000N0HH265E
5700 K	70	H2	900	1007					57E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH257E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH457E
	80	G4	840	940					57E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0HG457E
		H2	900	1007						MHDEWT-0000-000N0HH257E
5000 K	70	H2	900	1007					50E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH250E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH450E
	80	G4	840	940			50G	MHDEWT-0000-000N0HG450G	50E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0HG450E
		H2	900	1007				MHDEWT-0000-000N0HH250G		MHDEWT-0000-000N0HH250E
	90	F4	730	817			50G	MHDEWT-0000-000N0UF450G	50E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0UF450E
		G2	780	873				MHDEWT-0000-000N0UG250G		MHDEWT-0000-000N0UG250E

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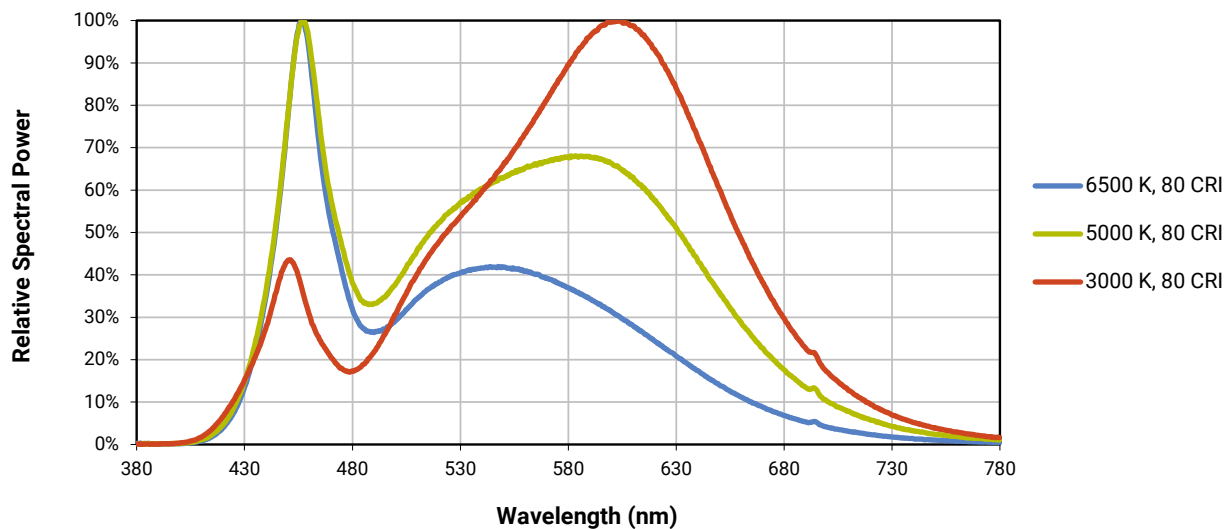
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4000 K	70	G4	840	940					40E	MHDEWT-0000-000N0BG440E
		H2	900	1007						MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH240E
		H4	970	1085						MHDEWT-0000-000N0BH440E
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	90	F2	680	761	30H	MHDEWT-0000-000N0UF230H	30G	MHDEWT-0000-000N0UF230G		
		F4	730	817		MHDEWT-0000-000N0UF430H		MHDEWT-0000-000N0UF430G		
2700 K	80	G2	780	873	27H	MHDEWT-0000-000N0HG227H	27G	MHDEWT-0000-000N0HG227G		
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	90	E4	635	710	27H	MHDEWT-0000-000N0UE427H	27G	MHDEWT-0000-000N0UE427G		
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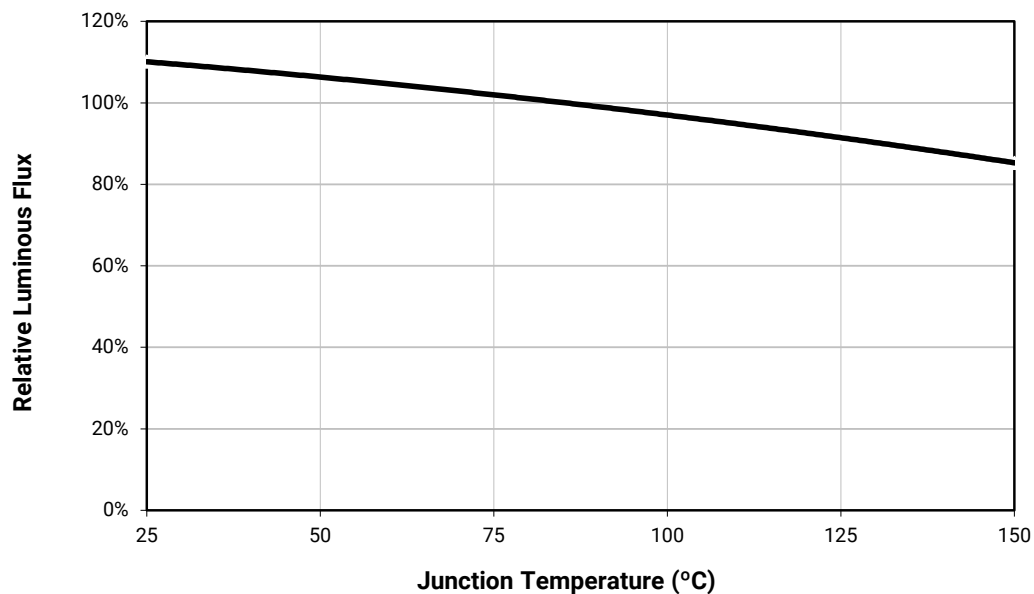
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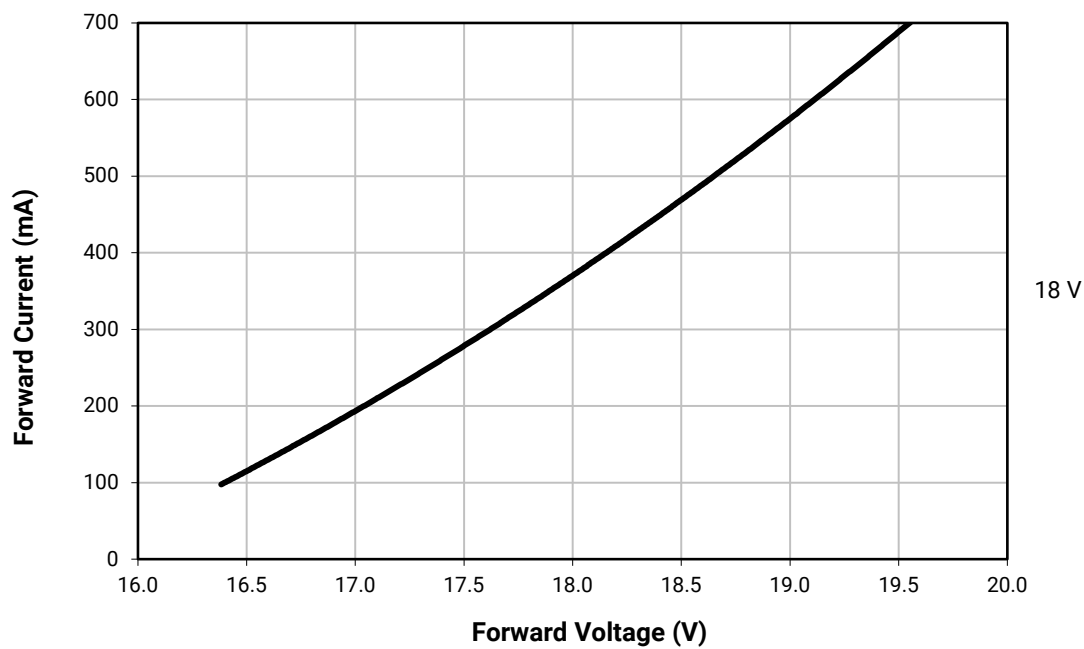
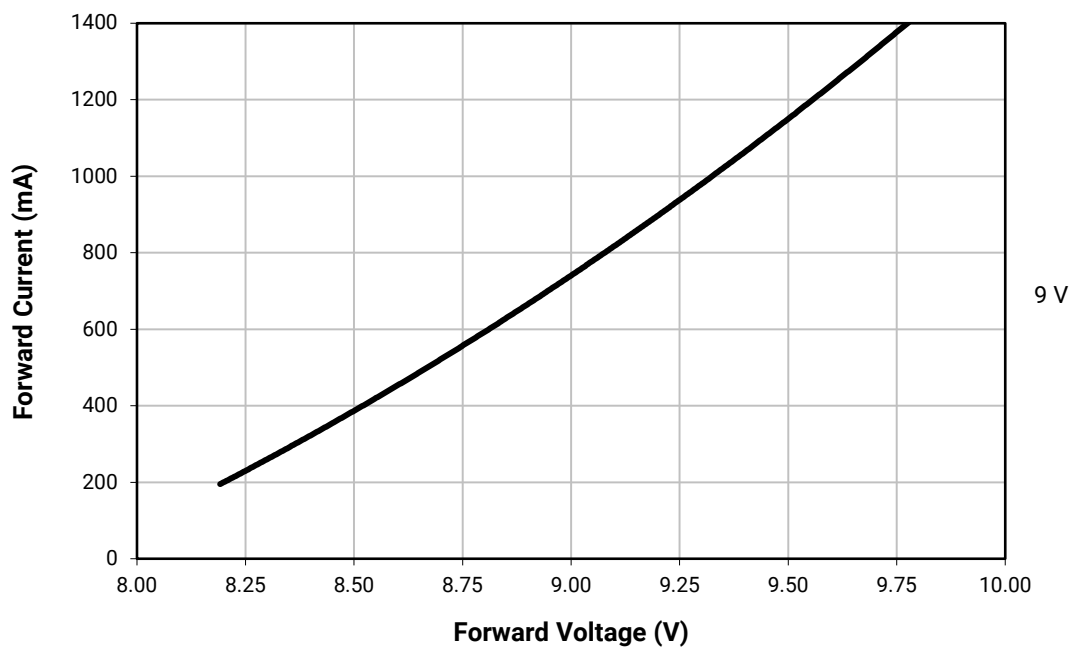


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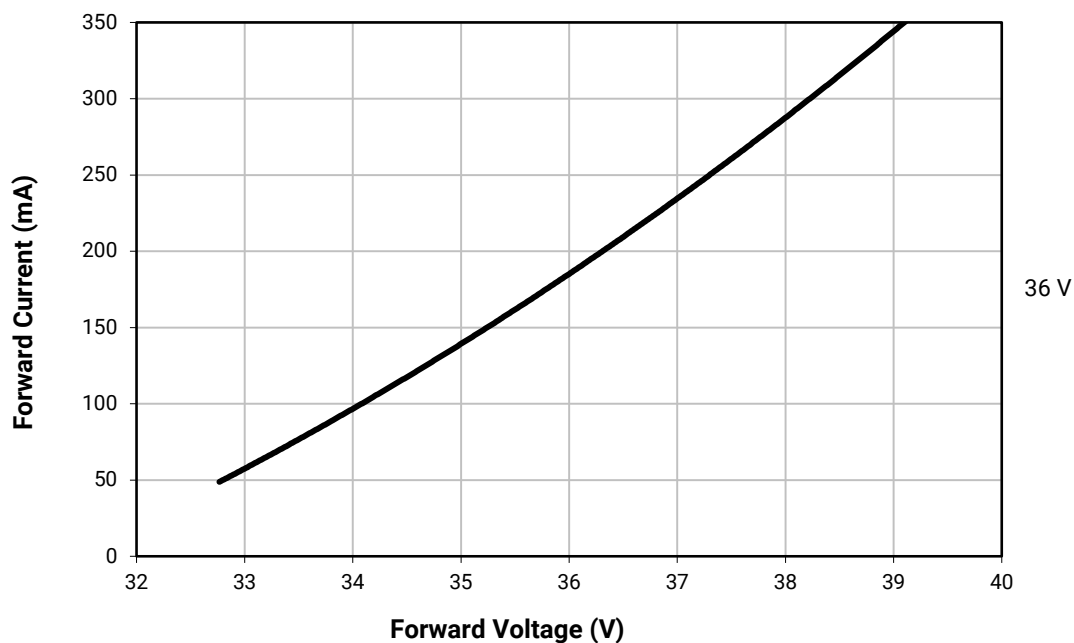
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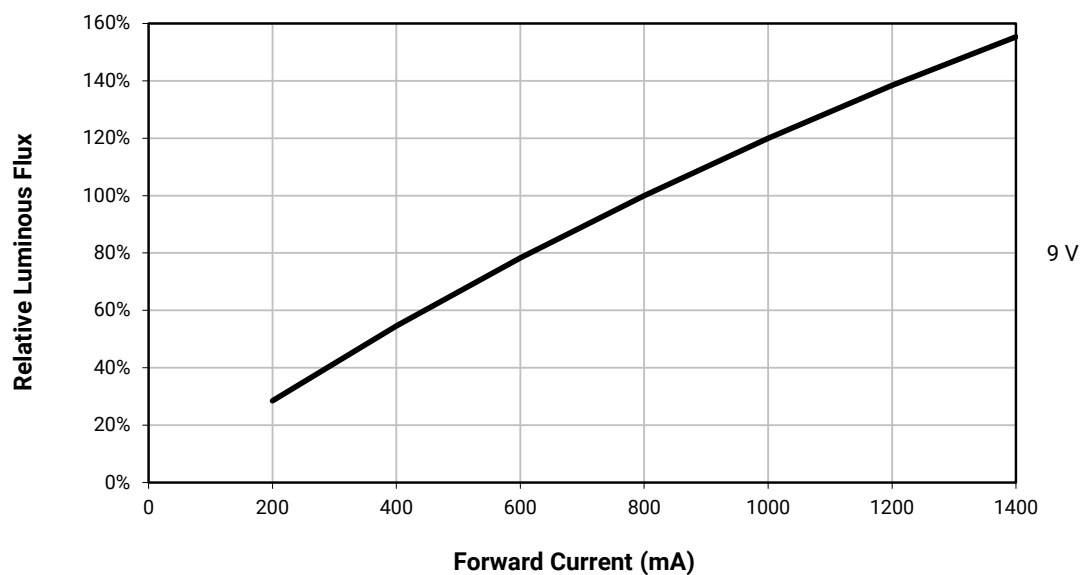
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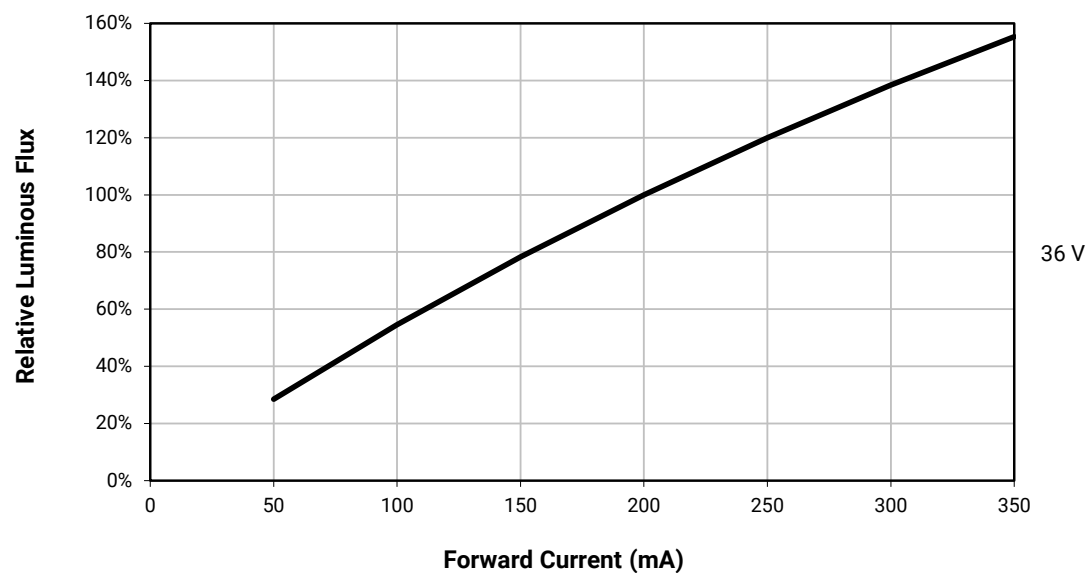
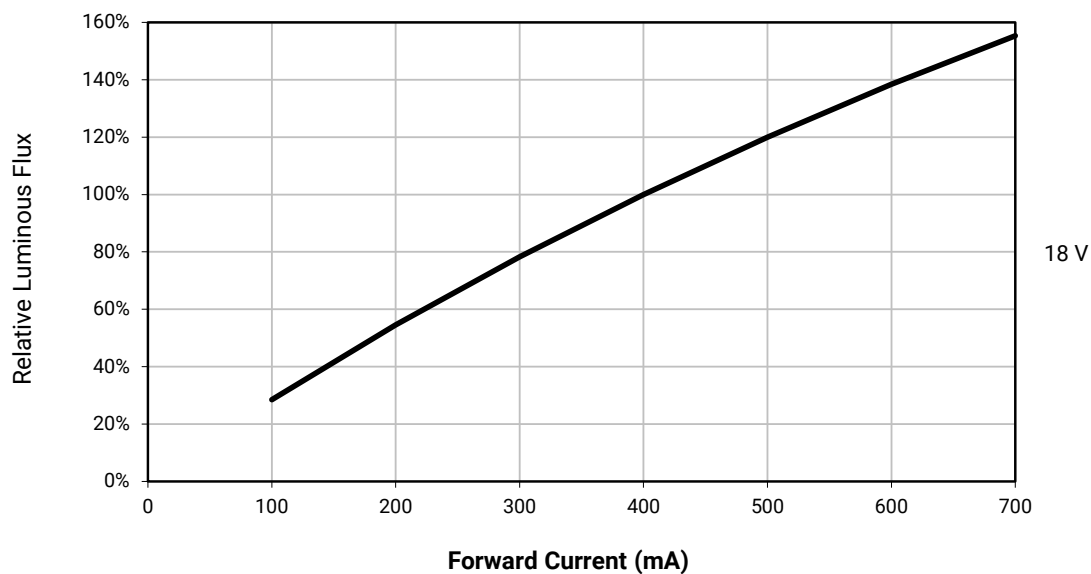
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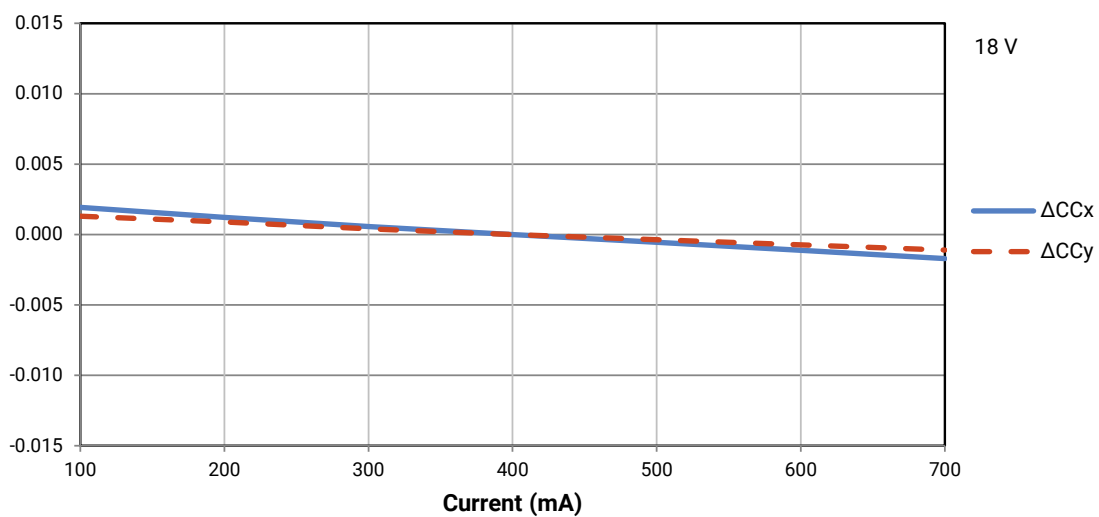
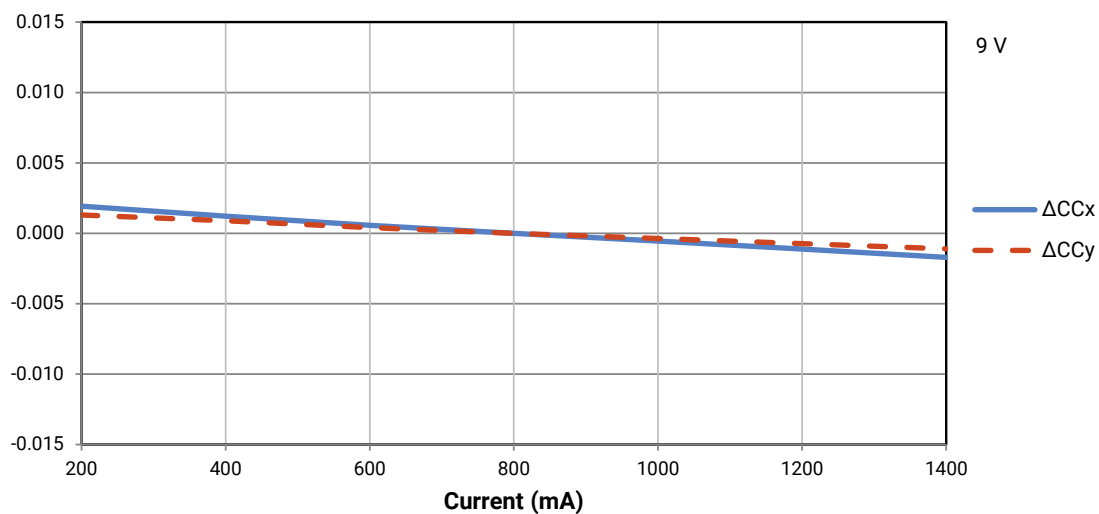
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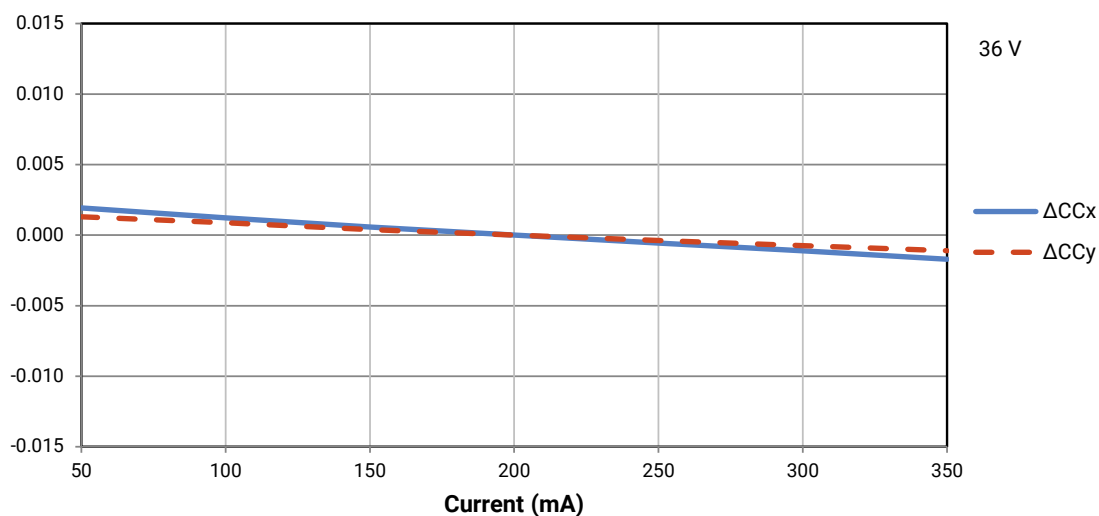
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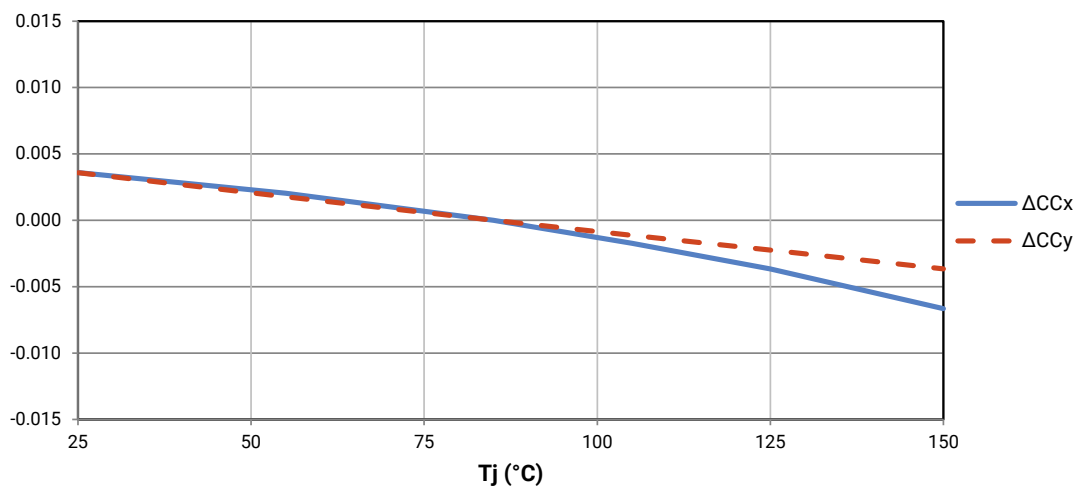


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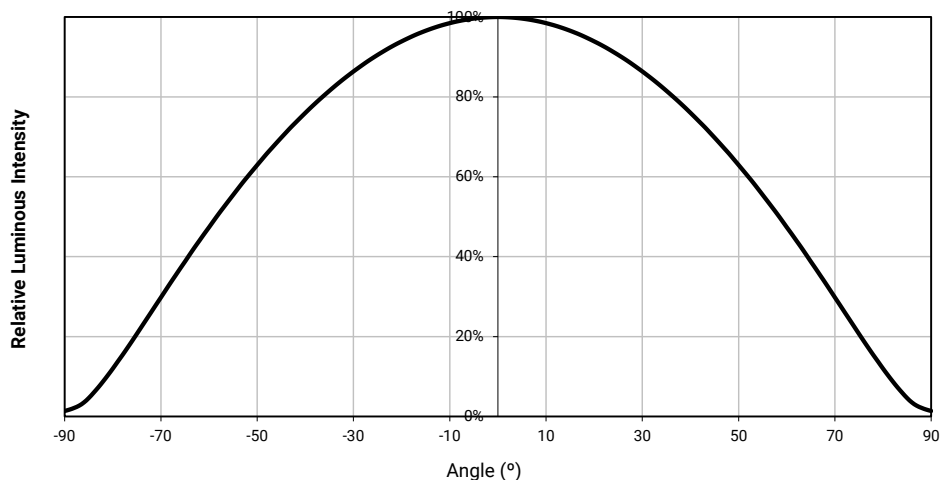
RELATIVE CHROMATICITY VS. TEMPERATURE (WARM WHITE)

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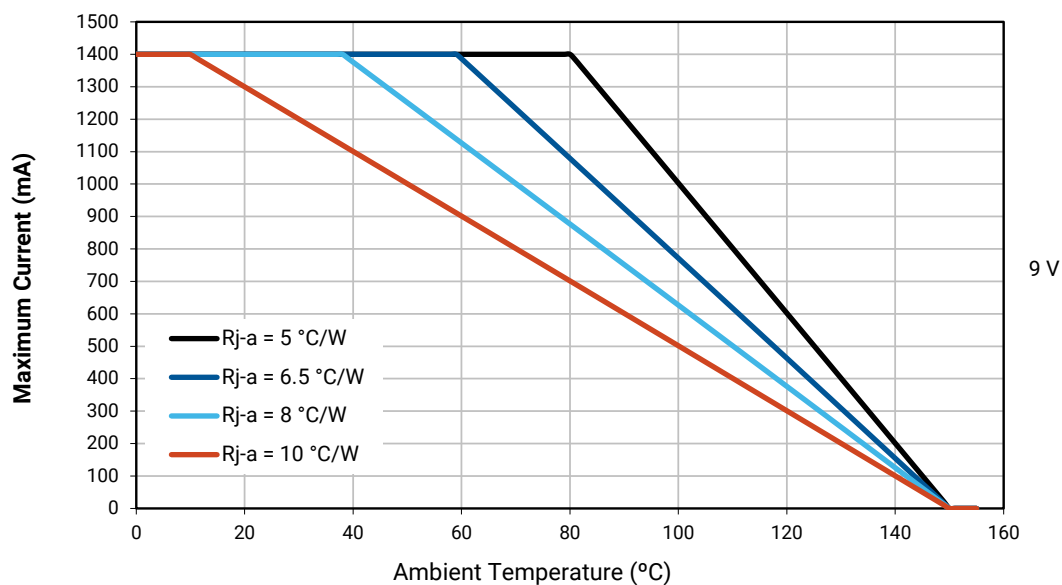
TYPICAL SPATIAL DISTRIBUTION

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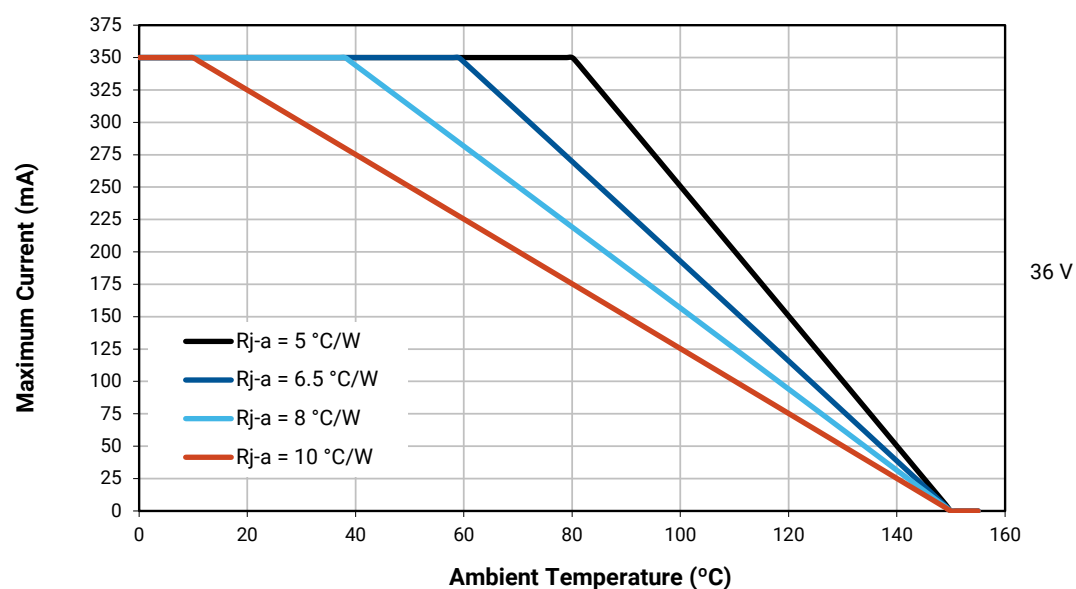
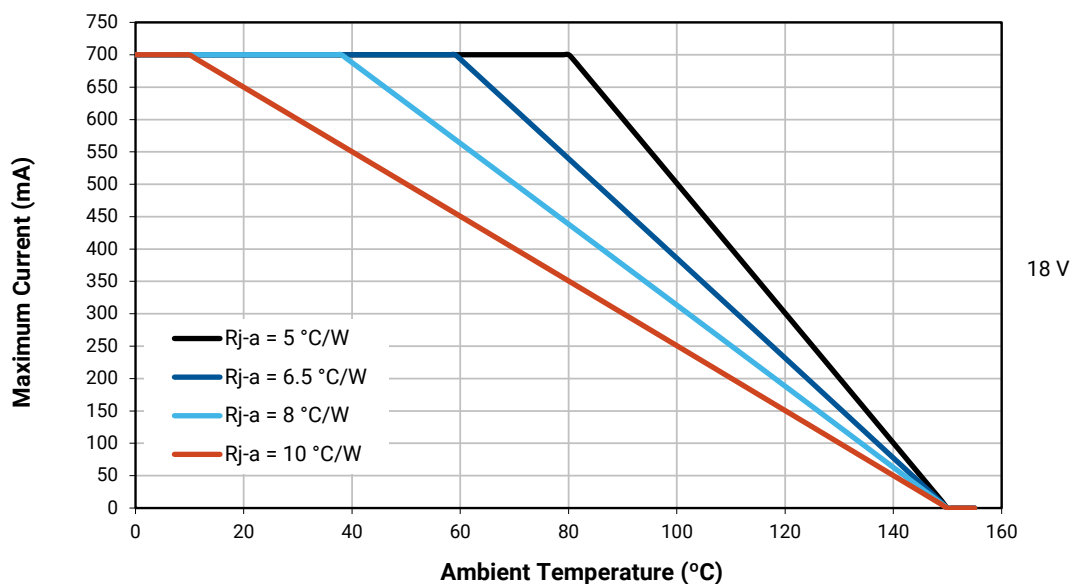


THERMAL DESIGN

The maximum forward current is determined by the thermal resistance between the LED junction and ambient. It is crucial for the end product to be designed in a manner that minimizes the thermal resistance from the solder point to ambient in order to optimize lamp life and optical characteristics.



THERMAL DESIGN - CONTINUED



PERFORMANCE GROUPS – LUMINOUS FLUX ($T_j = 85^\circ\text{C}$)

XLamp MHD-E LEDs are tested for luminous flux and placed into one of the following bins.

Group Code	Minimum Luminous Flux	Maximum Luminous Flux
E4	635	680
F2	680	730
F4	730	780
G2	780	840
G4	840	900
H2	900	970
H4	970	1040
J2	1040	1120

PERFORMANCE GROUPS – CHROMATICITY

XLamp MHD-E LEDs are tested for chromaticity and placed into one of the regions defined by the following bounding coordinates.

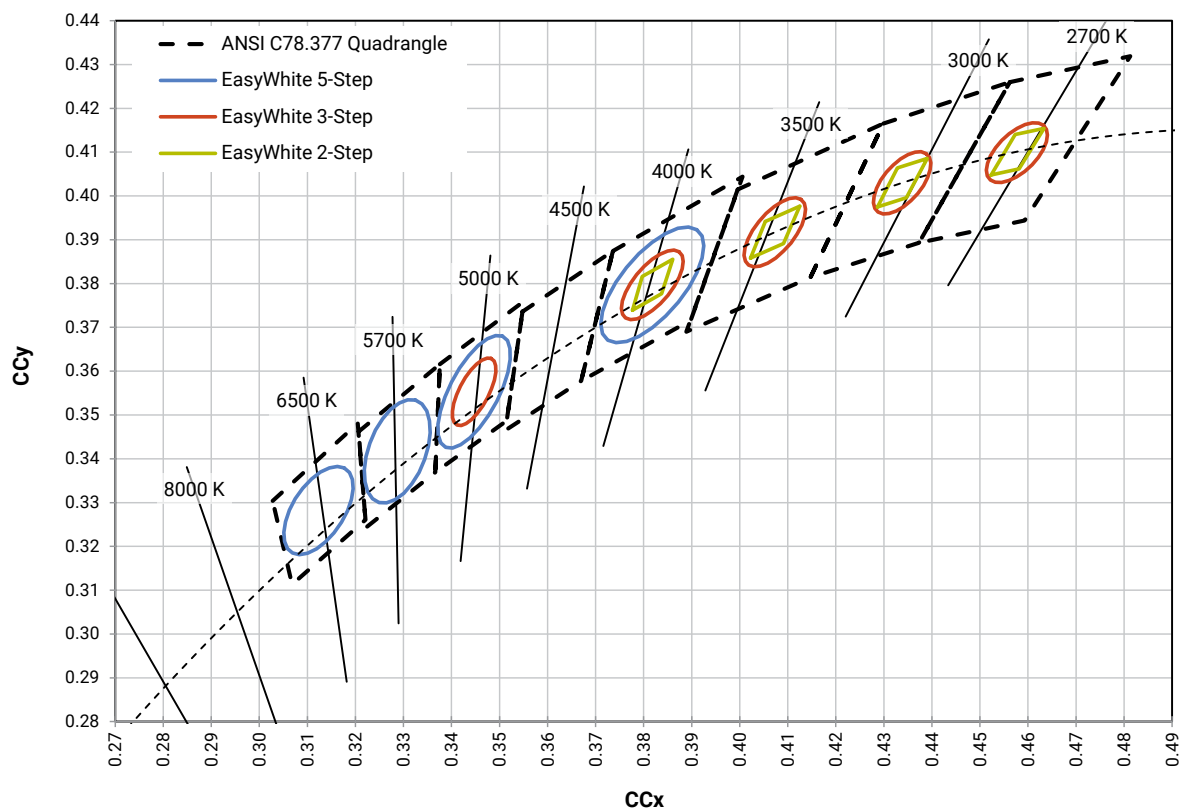
EasyWhite Color Temperatures – 2-Step			
Code	CCT	x	y
40H	4000 K	0.3777	0.3739
		0.3797	0.3816
		0.3861	0.3855
		0.3838	0.3777
35H	3500 K	0.4022	0.3858
		0.4053	0.3942
		0.4125	0.3977
		0.4091	0.3891
30H	3000 K	0.4287	0.3975
		0.4328	0.4064
		0.4390	0.4086
		0.4347	0.3996
27H	2700 K	0.4524	0.4048
		0.4574	0.4140
		0.4633	0.4154
		0.4581	0.4062

PERFORMANCE GROUPS - CHROMATICITY ($T_j = 85^\circ\text{C}$) - CONTINUED

EasyWhite Color Temperatures – 3-Step Ellipse						
Bin Code	CCT	Center Point		Major Axis	Minor Axis	Rotation Angle (°)
		x	y	a	b	
50G	5000 K	0.3447	0.3553	0.00840	0.00312	65.0
40G	4000 K	0.3818	0.3797	0.00939	0.00402	53.7
35G	3500 K	0.4073	0.3917	0.00927	0.00414	53.2
30G	3000 K	0.4338	0.4030	0.00834	0.00408	53.2
27G	2700 K	0.4577	0.4099	0.00834	0.00420	48.5

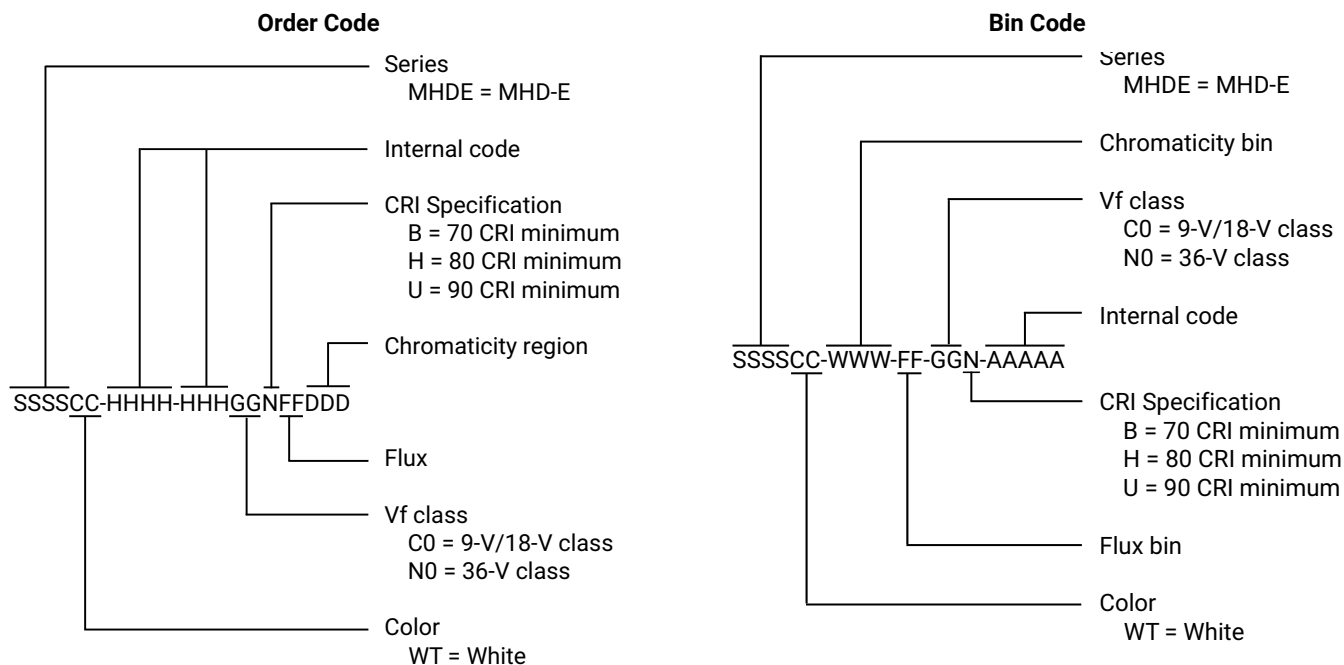
EasyWhite Color Temperatures – 5-Step Ellipse						
Bin Code	CCT	Center Point		Major Axis	Minor Axis	Rotation Angle (°)
		x	y	a	b	
65E	6500 K	0.3123	0.3282	0.01110	0.00550	61.0
57E	5700 K	0.3287	0.3417	0.01230	0.00600	72.0
50E	5000 K	0.3447	0.3553	0.01400	0.00520	65.0
40E	4000 K	0.3818	0.3797	0.01565	0.00670	53.7

CREE'S STANDARD WHITE CHROMATICITY REGIONS PLOTTED ON THE 1931 CIE CURVE



BIN AND ORDER CODE FORMAT

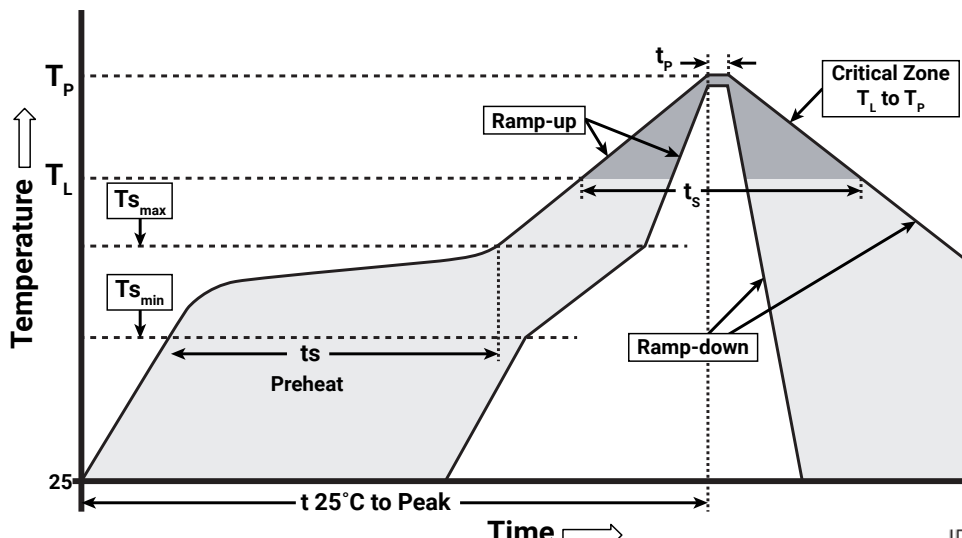
Bin codes and order codes for MHD-E LEDs are configured in the following manner:



REFLOW SOLDERING CHARACTERISTICS

In testing, Cree has found XLamp MHD-E LEDs to be compatible with JEDEC J-STD-020C, using the parameters listed below. As a general guideline, Cree recommends that users follow the recommended soldering profile provided by the manufacturer of the solder paste used.

Note that this general guideline may not apply to all PCB designs and configurations of reflow soldering equipment.



IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020C

Profile Feature	Lead-Free Solder
Average Ramp-Up Rate (T_{s_max} to T_P)	1.2 °C/second
Preheat: Temperature Min (T_{s_min})	120 °C
Preheat: Temperature Max (T_{s_max})	170 °C
Preheat: Time (t_{s_min} to t_{s_max})	65-150 seconds
Time Maintained Above: Temperature (T_L)	217 °C
Time Maintained Above: Time (t_L)	45-90 seconds
Peak/Classification Temperature (T_P)	235 - 245 °C
Time Within 5 °C of Actual Peak Temperature (t_p)	20-40 seconds
Ramp-Down Rate	1 - 6 °C/second
Time 25 °C to Peak Temperature	4 minutes max.

Note: All temperatures refer to the topside of the package, measured on the package body surface.

NOTES

Measurements

The luminous flux, radiant power, chromaticity, forward voltage and CRI measurements in this document are binning specifications only and solely represent product measurements as of the date of shipment. These measurements will change over time based on a number of factors that are not within Cree's control and are not intended or provided as operational specifications for the products. Calculated values are provided for informational purposes only and are not intended or provided as specifications.

Pre-Release Qualification Testing

Please read the [LED Reliability Overview](#) for details of the qualification process Cree applies to ensure long-term reliability for XLamp LEDs and details of Cree's pre-release qualification testing for XLamp LEDs.

Lumen Maintenance

Cree now uses standardized IES LM-80-08 and TM-21-11 methods for collecting long-term data and extrapolating LED lumen maintenance. For information on the specific LM-80 data sets available for this LED, refer to the public [LM-80 results document](#).

Please read the [Long-Term Lumen Maintenance application note](#) for more details on Cree's lumen maintenance testing and forecasting. Please read the [Thermal Management application note](#) for details on how thermal design, ambient temperature, and drive current affect the LED junction temperature.

Moisture Sensitivity

Cree recommends keeping XLamp LEDs in the provided, resealable moisture-barrier packaging (MBP) until immediately prior to soldering. Unopened MBPs that contain XLamp LEDs do not need special storage for moisture sensitivity.

Once the MBP is opened, XLamp MHD-E LEDs may be stored as MSL 1 per JEDEC J-STD-033, meaning they have unlimited floor life in conditions of $\leq 30^{\circ}\text{C}/85\%$ relative humidity (RH). Regardless of the storage condition, Cree recommends sealing any unsoldered LEDs in the original MBP.

RoHS Compliance

The levels of RoHS restricted materials in this product are below the maximum concentration values (also referred to as the threshold limits) permitted for such substances, or are used in an exempted application, in accordance with EU Directive 2011/65/EC (RoHS2), as implemented January 2, 2013. RoHS Declarations for this product can be obtained from your Cree representative or from the [Product Ecology](#) section of the Cree website.

REACH Compliance

REACH substances of very high concern (SVHCs) information is available for this product. Since the European Chemical Agency (ECHA) has published notice of their intent to frequently revise the SVHC listing for the foreseeable future, please contact a Cree representative to insure you get the most up-to-date REACH Declaration. REACH banned substance information (REACH Article 67) is also available upon request.

NOTES - CONTINUED

UL® Recognized Component

Level 4 enclosure consideration. The LED package or a portion thereof has been investigated as a fire and electrical enclosure per ANSI/UL 8750.

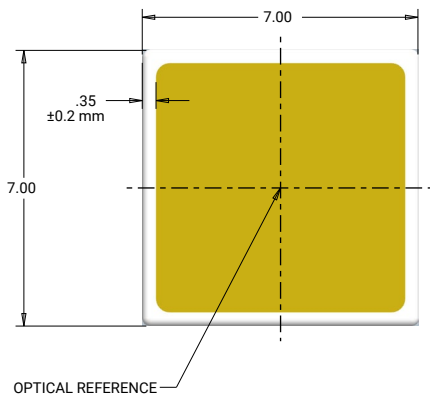
Vision Advisory

WARNING: Do not look at an exposed lamp in operation. Eye injury can result. For more information about LEDs and eye safety, please refer to the [LED Eye Safety application note](#).

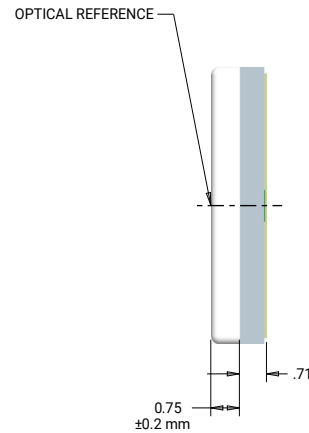
MECHANICAL DIMENSIONS

Thermal vias, if present, are not shown on these drawings.

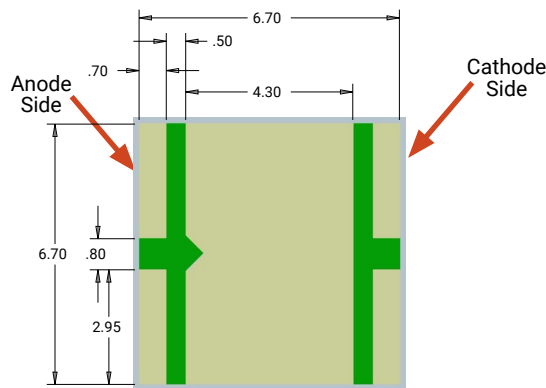
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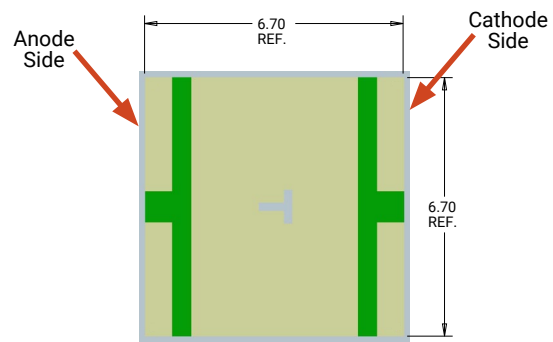
Top View



Side View



Bottom View

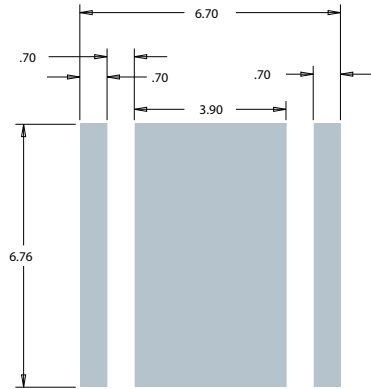


Alternate Bottom View

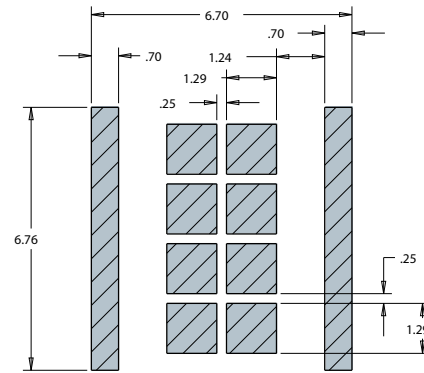
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9-V/18-V Class - 9-V Configuration

36-V Class



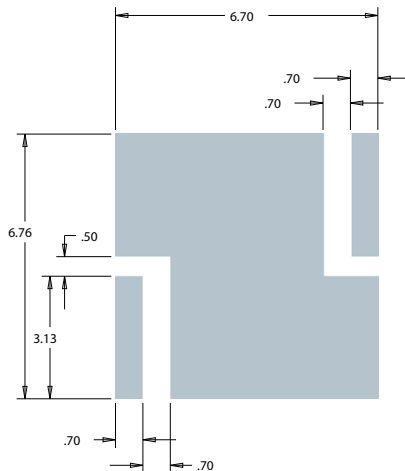
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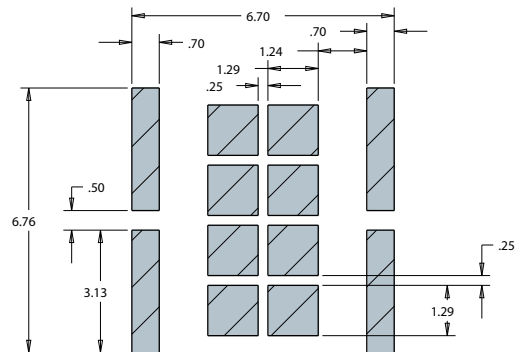
**Recommended Stencil Pattern
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9-V/18-V Class - 18-V Configuration

This configuration should not be used for 36-V class MHD-E LEDs.

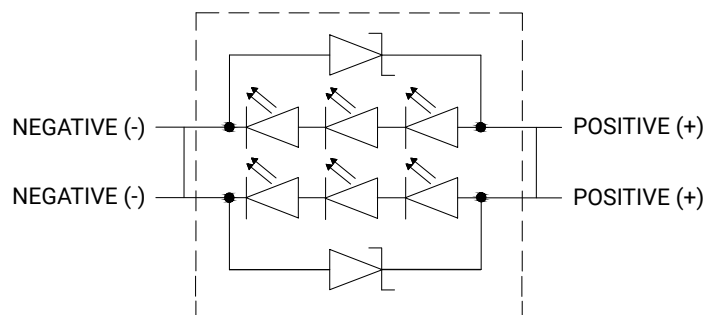


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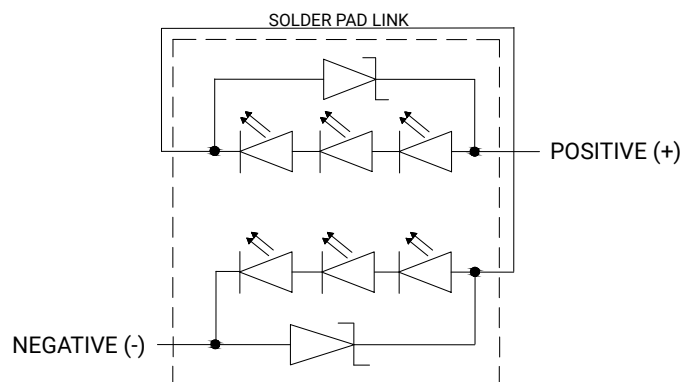


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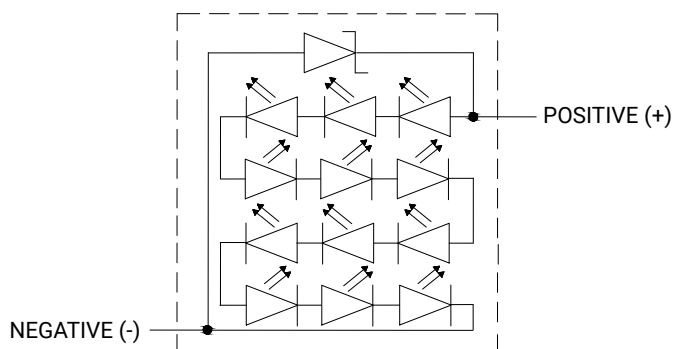
ELECTRICAL CONFIGURATION



9-V Configuration



18-V Configuration

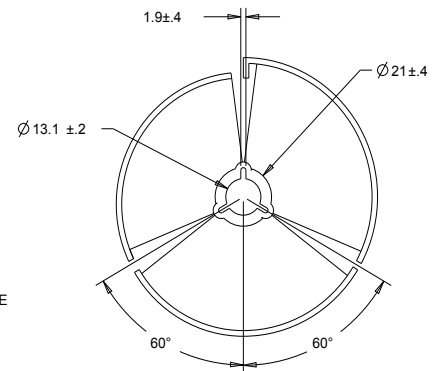
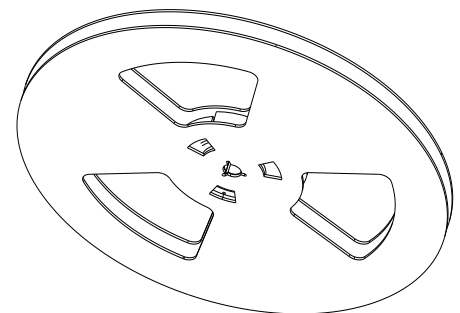
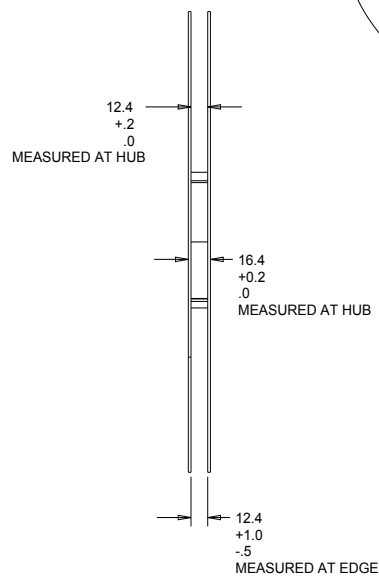
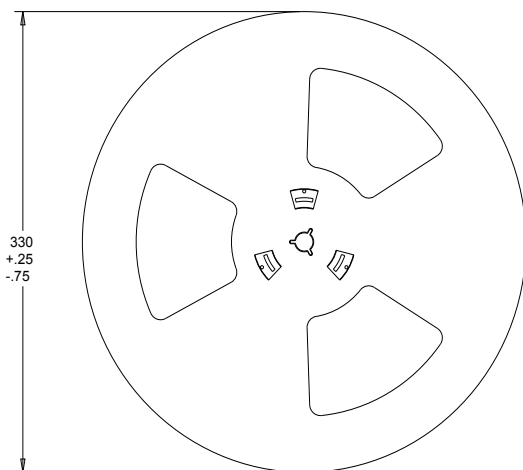
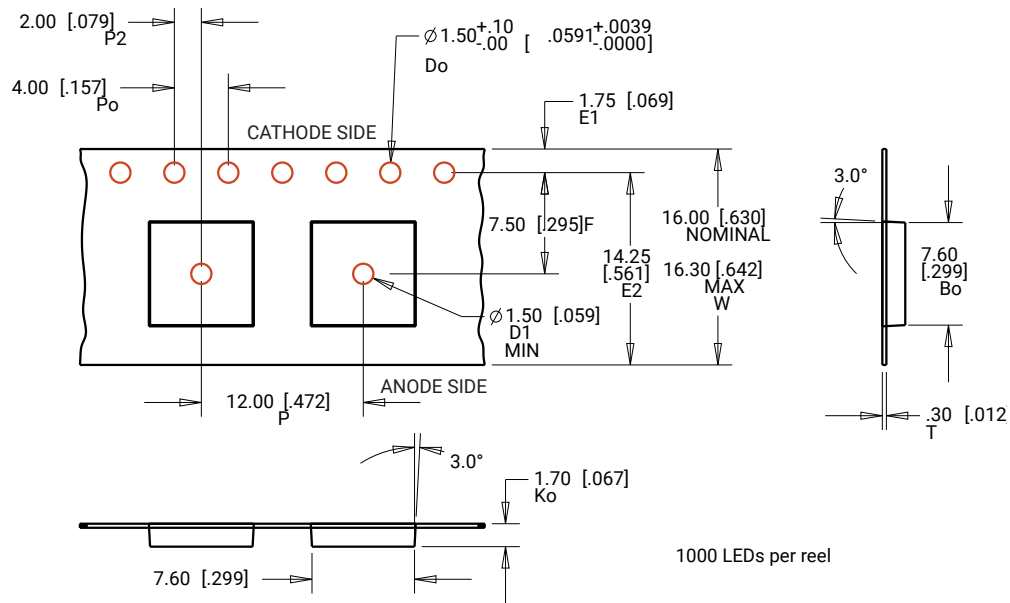


36-V Configuration

TAPE AND REEL

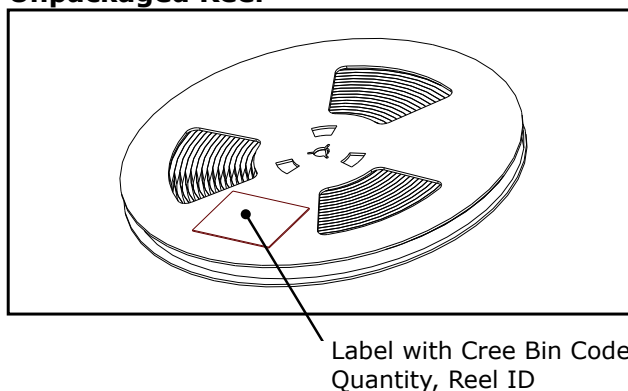
All Cree carrier tapes conform to EIA-481D, Automated Component Handling Systems Standard.

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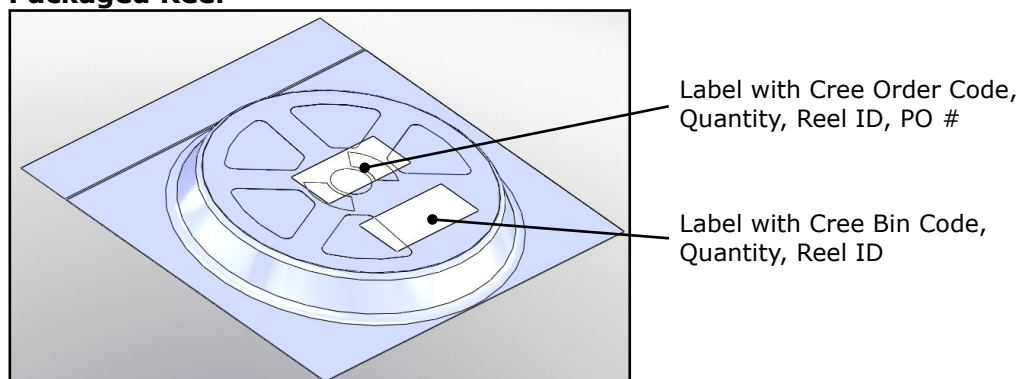


PACKAGING

Unpackaged Reel



Packaged Reel



Boxed Reel

