

ASCB-UTC2-0A30B

2828 Tricolor PLCC-6 LED

Description

The Broadcom® ASCB-UTC2 is a tricolor PLCC-6 LED with individually addressable pins for each color. The package is 2.8 mm × 2.8 mm, and it is target for small pitch display. The full black body appearance enhances the contrast of the display.

To facilitate easy pick-and-place assembly, the LEDs are packed in tape and reel form. Every reel is shipped in single intensity and color bin to ensure uniformity.

Features

- PLCC-6 package full black body
- Short leads for better potting process
- Diffused encapsulation
- Compatible with the reflow soldering process
- MSL 5a

Applications

- Full color display

CAUTION! This LED is ESD sensitive. Observe appropriate precautions during handling and processing. Refer to application note AN-1142 for additional details

Figure 1: Package Drawing

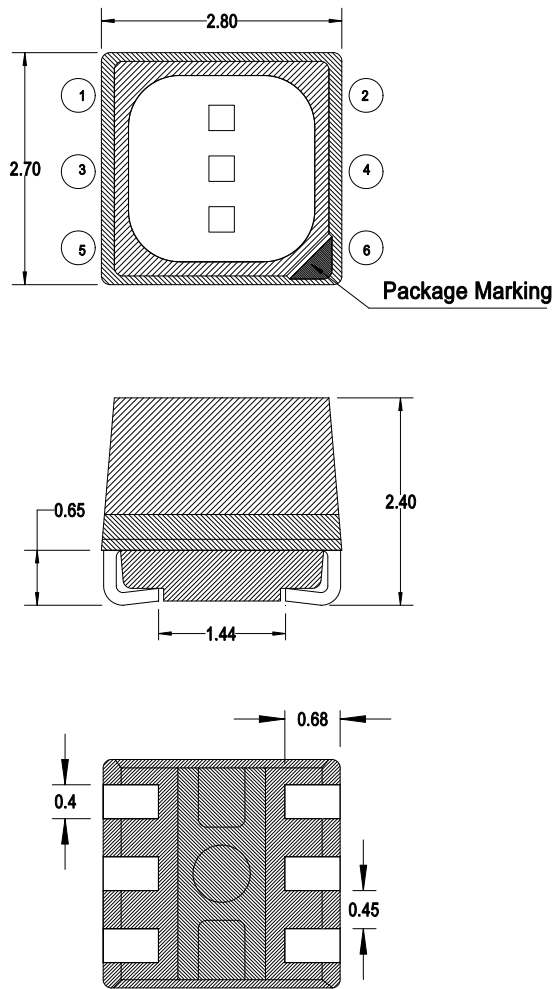


Table 1: Pin Configuration

Pin Number	Configuration
1	Red Anode
2	Red Cathode
3	Green Anode
4	Green Cathode
5	Blue Anode
6	Blue Cathode

NOTE:

1. Tolerance is ± 0.20 mm unless otherwise specified.
2. Encapsulation = epoxy
3. Terminal finish = silver plating.

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameters	Red	Green	Blue	Units
DC Forward Current ^a	50	30	30	mA
Peak Forward Current ^b	100	100	100	mA
Power Dissipation	120	102	102	mW
Reverse Voltage	Not recommended for reverse bias operation			
LED Junction Temperature	105			°C
Operating Temperature Range	-40 to +85			°C
Storage Temperature Range	-40 to +100			°C

a. Derate linearly as shown in Figure 8 and Figure 9.

b. Duty factor = 10%, frequency = 1 kHz.

Optical Characteristics (T_J = 25°C, I_F = 20 mA)

Color	Luminous Intensity, I _V (mcd) ^a			Dominant Wavelength, λ _d (nm) ^b			Peak Wavelength, λ _p (nm)	Viewing Angle, 2θ _½ (°) ^c
	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Typ.	Typ.
Red	400	530	750	618	621	628	628	105
Green	760	1000	1400	518	522	530	516	105
Blue	160	210	300	464	470	474	466	105

a. The luminous intensity, I_V, is measured at the mechanical axis of the package and it is tested with a single current pulse condition. The actual peak of the spatial radiation pattern may not be aligned with the axis.

b. The dominant wavelength, λ_d, is derived from the CIE Chromaticity Diagram and represents the perceived color of the device.

c. θ_½ is the off-axis angle where the luminous intensity is half of the peak intensity.

Electrical Characteristics (T_J = 25°C)

Color	Forward Voltage V _F (V) ^a			Reverse Voltage, V _R (V) at I _R = 10 A ^b	Thermal Resistance, R _{θJ-S} (°C/W) ^c	
					1 Chip On	3 Chips On
	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Typ.
Red	1.70	2.10	2.40	4.0	314	314
Green	2.70	2.80	3.40	4.0	360	360
Blue	2.70	2.90	3.40	4.0	410	410

a. Forward voltage tolerance is ± 0.1V.

b. Indicates product final test condition. Long term reverse bias is not recommended.

c. Thermal resistance from LED junction to solder point.

Part Numbering System

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Code	Description	Option		
x ₁	Package Type	C	Full Black Body	
x ₂	Minimum Intensity Bin	A	Red: bin R1	Red: Bin R1, R2, R3
			Green: Bin G1	Green: Bin G1, G2, G3
			Blue: Bin B1	Blue: Bin B1, B2, B3
x ₃	Number of Intensity Bins	3	3 Intensity Bins	
x ₄	Color Bin Option	0	Red: Full Distribution	
			Green: Bin Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4, Q5, Q6, Q7, Q8, Q9	
			Blue: Bin S1, S2, S3, S4, S5, S6, S7	
x ₅	Test Option	B	Test Current = 20mA	

Bin Information

Intensity Bin Limits (CAT)

Bin ID	Luminous Intensity, I _v (mcd)	
	Min.	Max.
Red		
R1	400	480
R2	480	625
R3	625	750
Green		
G1	760	900
G2	900	1170
G3	1170	1400
Blue		
B1	160	190
B2	190	250
B3	250	300

Tolerance = ± 12%.

Color Bin Limits (BIN) – Red

Bin ID	Dominant Wavelength, λ _d (nm)		Chromaticity Coordinates	
	Min.	Max.	x	y
—	618	628	0.6873	0.3126
			0.6766	0.3132
			0.6940	0.2959
			0.7052	0.2948

Tolerance = ±1.0 nm.

Example of bin information on reel and packaging label:

- CAT: R1 G1 B1 – Red intensity bin R1
- Green intensity bin G1
- Blue intensity bin B1
- BIN: Q1 S1 – Green color bin Q1
- Blue color bin S1

Color Bin Limits (BIN) – Green

Bin ID	Dominant Wavelength, λ_d (nm)		Chromaticity Coordinates	
	Min.	Max.	x	y
Q1	518	522	0.0593	0.8294
			0.1278	0.7054
			0.1508	0.7083
			0.0899	0.8333
Q2	519	523	0.0667	0.8323
			0.1334	0.7075
			0.1568	0.7070
			0.0979	0.8316
Q3	520	524	0.0743	0.8338
			0.1391	0.7087
			0.1628	0.7052
			0.1060	0.8292
Q4	521	525	0.0821	0.8341
			0.1449	0.7089
			0.1689	0.7030
			0.1142	0.8262
Q5	522	526	0.0899	0.8333
			0.1508	0.7083
			0.1751	0.7004
			0.1223	0.8228
Q6	523	527	0.0979	0.8316
			0.1568	0.7070
			0.1812	0.6975
			0.1305	0.8189
Q7	524	528	0.1060	0.8292
			0.1628	0.7052
			0.1874	0.6944
			0.1387	0.8148
Q8	525	529	0.1142	0.8262
			0.1689	0.7030
			0.1934	0.6911
			0.1468	0.8104
Q9	526	530	0.1223	0.8228
			0.1751	0.7004
			0.1994	0.6877
			0.1547	0.8059

Tolerance = ± 1.0 nm.

Color Bin Limits (BIN) – Blue

Bin ID	Dominant Wavelength, λ_d (nm)		Chromaticity Coordinates	
	Min.	Max.	x	y
S1	464	468	0.1374	0.0374
			0.1452	0.0492
			0.1373	0.0608
			0.1291	0.0495
S2	465	469	0.1355	0.0399
			0.1434	0.0516
			0.1349	0.0646
			0.1267	0.0534
S3	466	470	0.1335	0.0427
			0.1415	0.0543
			0.1325	0.0688
			0.1241	0.0578
S4	467	471	0.1314	0.0459
			0.1394	0.0574
			0.1299	0.0734
			0.1215	0.0626
S5	468	472	0.1291	0.0495
			0.1373	0.0608
			0.1273	0.0784
			0.1187	0.0678
S6	469	473	0.1267	0.0534
			0.1349	0.0646
			0.1245	0.0840
			0.1158	0.0736
S7	470	474	0.1241	0.0578
			0.1325	0.0688
			0.1216	0.0900
			0.1128	0.0799

Tolerance = ± 1.0 nm.

Figure 2: Spectral Power Distribution

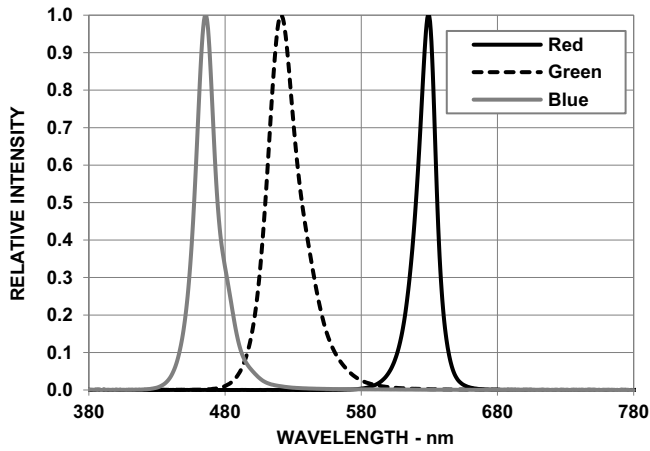


Figure 3: Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage

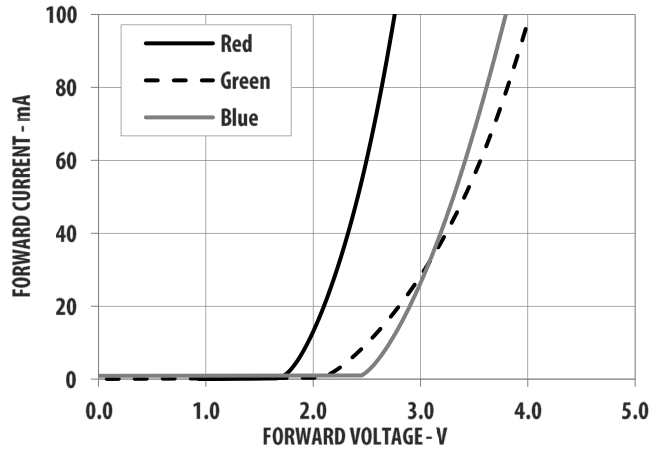


Figure 4: Relative Luminous Intensity vs. Mono Pulse Current

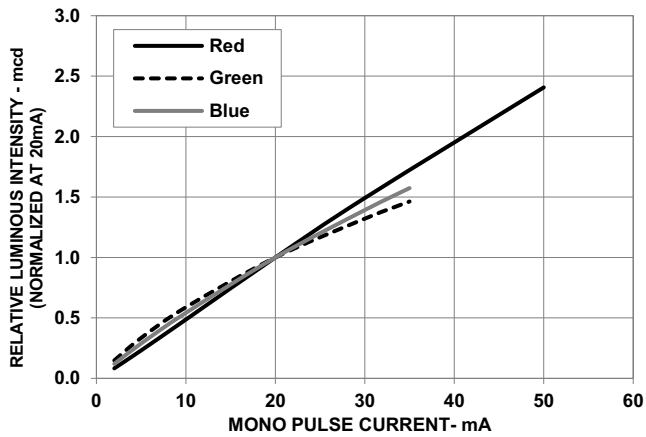


Figure 5: Dominant Wavelength Shift vs. Mono Pulse Current

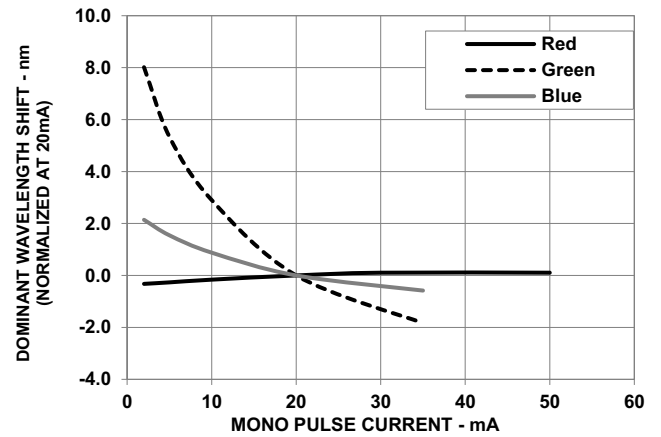


Figure 6: Relative Light Output vs. Junction Temperature

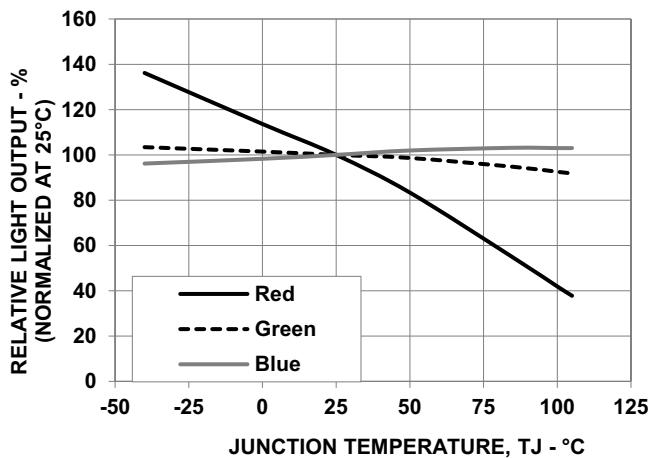


Figure 7: Forward Voltage Shift vs. Junction Temperature

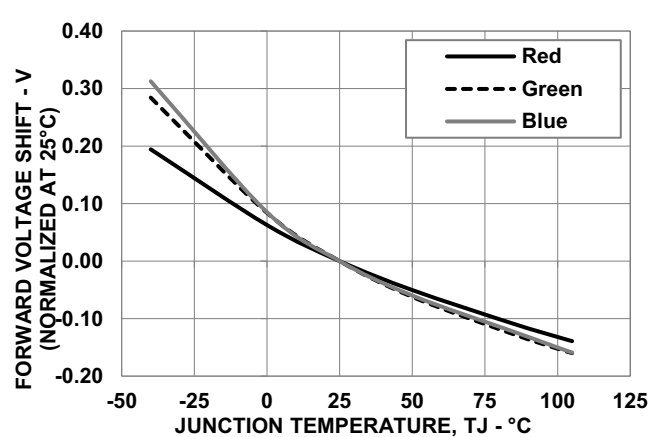


Figure 8: Maximum Forward Current vs. Temperature for Red, Green, and Blue (1 Chip and 3 Chips On)

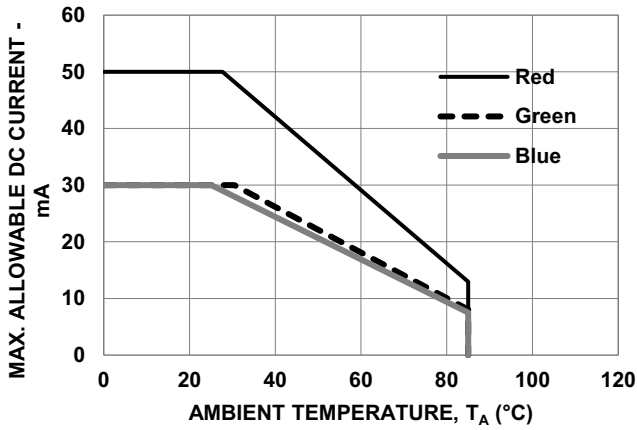
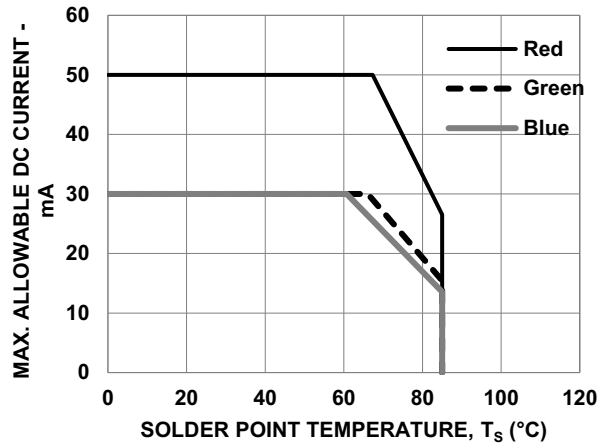


Figure 9: Maximum Forward Current vs. Solder Temperature for Red, Green, and Blue (1 Chip and 3 Chips On)



NOTE: Maximum forward current graphs based on ambient temperature (T_A) above are with reference to the thermal resistance $R_{\theta J-A}$ in the following table. See [Precautionary Notes](#) for more details.

Condition	Thermal Resistance from LED Junction to Ambient, $R_{\theta J-A}$ (°C/W)		
	Red	Green	Blue
1 chip and 3 chips on	644	690	740

Figure 10: Radiation Pattern for X-Axis

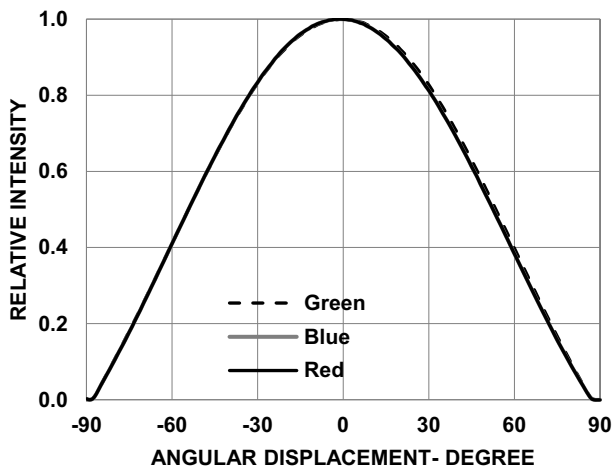


Figure 11: Radiation Pattern for Y-Axis

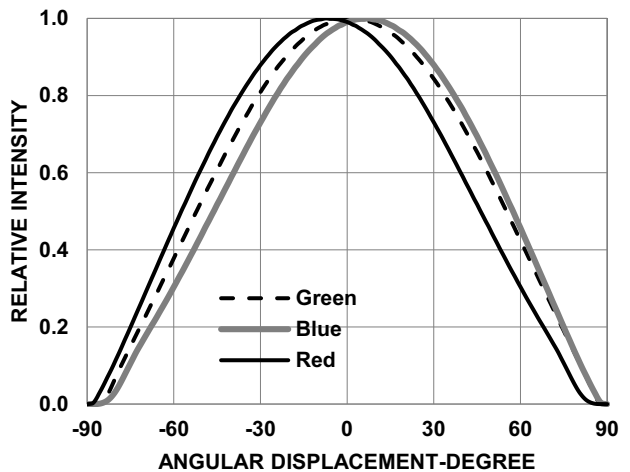
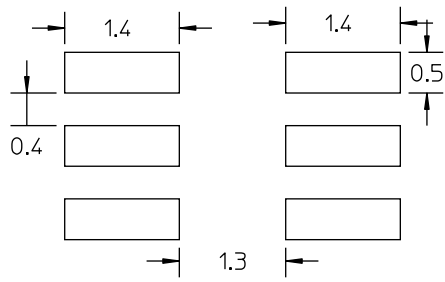
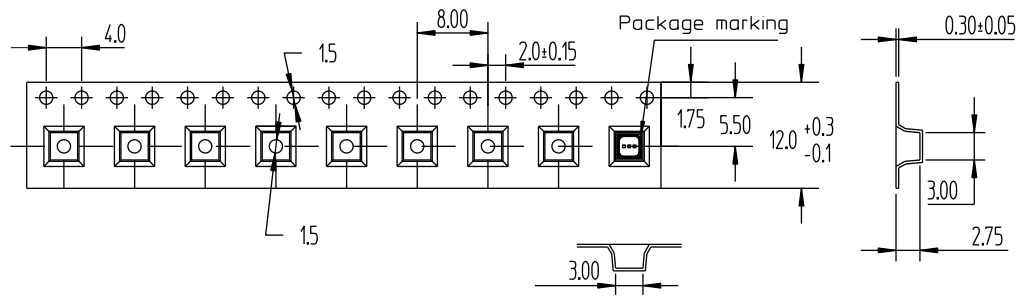


Figure 12: Recommended Soldering Pad Pattern



NOTE: All dimensions are in millimeters (mm).

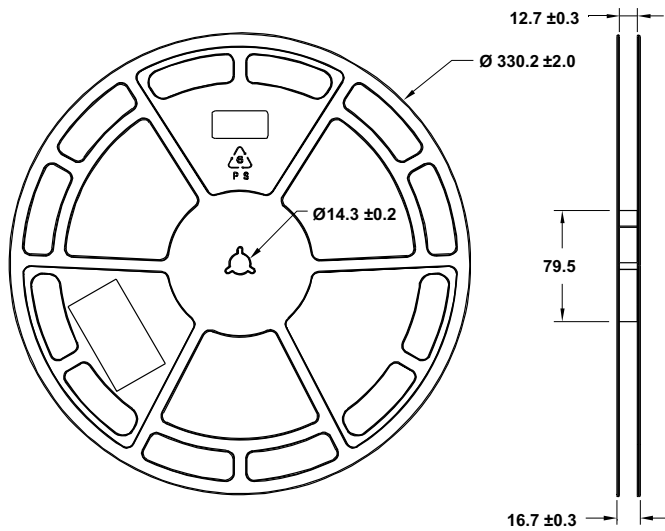
Figure 13: Carrier Tape Dimensions



NOTE:

1. All dimensions are in millimeters (mm).
2. Tolerance is ± 0.20 mm unless otherwise specified.

Figure 14: Reel Dimensions



NOTE: All dimensions are in millimeters (mm).

Precautionary Notes

Soldering

- Do not perform reflow soldering more than twice. Observe necessary precautions of handling moisture-sensitive devices as stated in the following section.
- Do not apply any pressure or force on the LED during reflow and after reflow when the LED is still hot.
- Use reflow soldering to solder the LED. Use hand soldering only for rework if unavoidable, but it must be strictly controlled to following conditions:
 - Soldering iron tip temperature = 315°C maximum
 - Soldering duration = 3 seconds maximum
 - Number of cycles = 1 only
 - Power of soldering iron = 50W maximum.
- Do not touch the LED package body with the soldering iron except for the soldering terminals, because it may cause damage to the LED.
- Confirm beforehand whether the functionality and performance of the LED is affected by soldering with hand soldering.

Figure 15: Recommended Lead-Free Reflow Soldering Profile

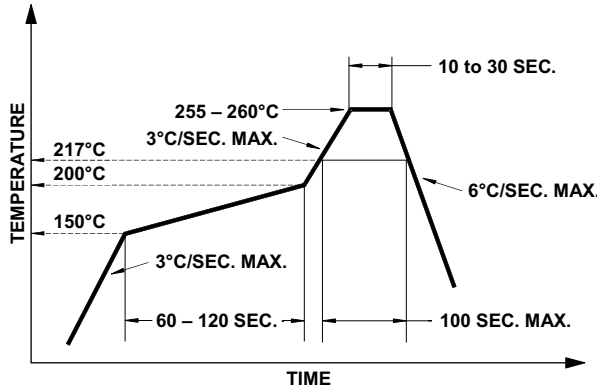
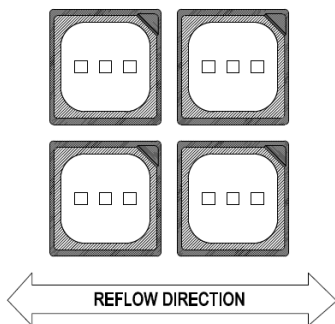


Figure 16: Recommended Board Reflow Direction



Handling Precautions

Special handling precautions must be observed during the assembly of epoxy encapsulated LED products. Failure to comply might lead to damage and premature failure of the LED.

- Do not stack assembled PCBs together. Use an appropriate rack to hold the PCBs.
- For automated pick and place, Broadcom has tested a nozzle size with OD 1.5 mm to work with this LED. However, due to the possibility of variations in other parameters such as pick and place, machine maker/model, and other settings of the machine, verify that the selected nozzle will not cause damage to the LED.

Handling of Moisture-Sensitive Devices

This product has a Moisture Sensitive Level 5a rating per JEDEC J-STD-020. Refer to Broadcom Application Note AN5305, *Handling of Moisture Sensitive Surface Mount Devices*, for additional details and a review of proper handling procedures.

Before use:

- An unopened moisture barrier bag (MBB) can be stored at <40°C/90% RH for 12 months. If the actual shelf life has exceeded 12 months and the humidity indicator card (HIC) indicates that baking is not required, it is safe to reflow the LEDs per the original MSL rating.
- Do not open the MBB prior to assembly (for example, for IQC). If unavoidable, the MBB must be properly resealed with fresh desiccant and HIC. The exposed duration must be taken in as floor life.

Control after opening the MBB:

- Read the HIC immediately upon opening of the MBB.
- Keep the LEDs at <30°/60% RH at all times, and complete all high temperature-related processes, including soldering, curing, or rework within 24 hours.

Control for unfinished reel:

Store unused LEDs in a sealed MBB with desiccant or a desiccator at <5% RH.

Control of assembled boards:

If the PCB soldered with the LEDs is to be subjected to other high-temperature processes, store the PCB in a sealed MBB with desiccant or desiccator at <5% RH to ensure that all LEDs have not exceeded their floor life of 24 hours.

Baking is required if the following conditions exist:

- The HIC indicator indicates a change in color for 10% and 5%, as stated on the HIC.
- The LEDs are exposed to conditions of >30°C/60% RH at any time.
- The LED's floor life exceeded 24 hours.

The recommended baking condition is: 65°C ± 5°C for 24 hours.

Baking can only be done once.

Storage:

The soldering terminals of these Broadcom LEDs are silver plated. If the LEDs are exposed in an ambient environment for too long, the silver plating might be oxidized, thus affecting its solderability performance. As such, keep unused LEDs in a sealed MBB with desiccant or in a desiccator at <5% RH.

Application Precautions

- The drive current of the LED must not exceed the maximum allowable limit across temperature as stated in the data sheet. Constant current driving is recommended to ensure consistent performance.
- Circuit design must cater to the entire range of forward voltage (V_F) of the LEDs to ensure the intended drive current can always be achieved.
- The LED exhibits slightly different characteristics at different drive currents, which may result in a larger variation of performance (such as intensity, wavelength, and forward voltage). Set the application current as close as possible to the test current to minimize these variations.
- The LED is not intended for reverse bias. Use other appropriate components for such purposes. When driving the LED in matrix form, ensure that the reverse bias voltage does not exceed the allowable limit of the LED.
- As the actual application might not be exactly similar to the test conditions, verify that the LED will not be damaged by prolonged exposure in the intended environment.

- Avoid rapid changes in ambient temperatures, especially in high-humidity environments, because they cause condensation on the LED.
- If the LED is intended to be used in a harsh or an outdoor environment, protect the LED against damages caused by rain water, water, dust, oil, corrosive gases, external mechanical stresses, and so on.

Thermal Management

The optical, electrical, and reliability characteristics of the LED are affected by temperature. Keep the junction temperature (T_J) of the LED below the allowable limit at all times. T_J can be calculated as follows:

$$T_J = T_A + R_{\theta J-A} \times I_F \times V_{Fmax}$$

where:

T_A = Ambient temperature (°C)

$R_{\theta J-A}$ = Thermal resistance from LED junction to ambient (°C/W)

I_F = Forward current (A)

V_{Fmax} = Maximum forward voltage (V)

The complication of using this formula lies in T_A and $R_{\theta J-A}$. Actual T_A is sometimes subjective and hard to determine. $R_{\theta J-A}$ varies from system to system depending on design and is usually not known.

Another way of calculating T_J is by using the solder point temperature, T_S as follows:

$$T_J = T_S + R_{\theta J-S} \times I_F \times V_{Fmax}$$

where:

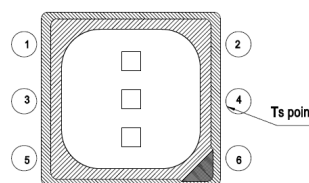
T_S = LED solder point temperature as shown in the following figure (°C)

$R_{\theta J-S}$ = Thermal resistance from junction to solder point (°C/W)

I_F = Forward current (A)

V_{Fmax} = Maximum forward voltage (V)

Figure 17: Solder Point Temperature on PCB



T_S can be easily measured by mounting a thermocouple on the soldering joint as shown in preceding figure, while $R_{\theta J-S}$ is provided in the data sheet. Verify the T_S of the LED in the final product to ensure that the LEDs are operating within all maximum ratings stated in the data sheet.

Eye Safety Precautions

LEDs may pose optical hazards when in operation. Do not look directly at operating LEDs because it might be harmful to the eyes. For safety reasons, use appropriate shielding or personal protective equipment.