

Achieving the best system cost in Mid/High Power

#### Mid-Power LED – 3020 Series

STW8B12B-NZ (Cool, Neutral, Warm)



### **Product Brief**

#### Description

- This White Colored surface-mount LED comes in standard package dimension.
  Package Size : 3.0x2.0x0.6mm
- It has a substrate made up of a molded plastic reflector sitting on top of a lead frame.
- The die is attached within the reflector cavity and the cavity is encapsulated by silicone.
- The package design coupled with careful selection of component materials allow these products to perform with high reliability.

#### **Features and Benefits**

- Thermally Enhanced Package Design
- Mid Power to High Power up to 0.23W
- Max. Driving Current 80mA
- Compact Package Size
- High Color Quality with CRI Min.80(R9>0)
- RoHS compliant

#### **Key Applications**

- Replacement lamps
- Architectural
- Entertainment
- Commercial
- Industrial

#### Table 1. Product Selection Table

Part Number		ССТ		
Fait Nulliber	Color	Min.	Тур.	Max.
STW8B12B-NZ	Cool White	4700K	5600K	7000K
STW8B12B-NZ	Neutral White	3700K	4200K	4700K
STW8B12B-NZ	Warm White	2600K	3000K	3700K







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### **Product Performance & Characterization Guide**

Table 2.	Characteristics,	$I_{F}=60 \text{mA}, T$	Γ <sub>i</sub> =25°C,	RH30%
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Doromotor	Sumbol		Value		Unit
Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Forward Current	I <sub>F</sub>	-	60	80	mA
Forward Voltage <sup>[1]</sup>	V <sub>F</sub>	2.9	-	3.3	V
Luminous Intensity <sup>[1]</sup> (3,700~7,000 K)	Iv	-	7.5 (22.5)	-	cd (Im)
Luminous Intensity <sup>[1]</sup> (2,600~3,700 K)	Iv	-	6.8 (20.4)	-	cd (Im)
CRI [1]	R <sub>a</sub>	80	-	90	
Viewing Angle <sup>[2]</sup>	20 <sub>1/2</sub>	-	120	-	Deg.
Thermal resistance (J to S) <sup>[3]</sup>	$R\theta_{J-S}$	-	40	-	°C/W
ESD Sensitivity(HBM)	-		Class 2 JESE	022-A114-E	

#### **Table 3. Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Forward Current	I <sub>F</sub>	80	mA
Power Dissipation	P <sub>D</sub>	0.264	W
Junction Temperature	Τ <sub>j</sub>	125	٥C
Operating Temperature	T <sub>opr</sub>	-40 ~ + 100	٥C
Storage Temperature	T <sub>stg</sub>	-40 ~ + 100	٥C

#### Notes :

- (1) Tolerance : VF :±0.2V, IV :±7%, Ra :±2, x,y :±0.007
- (2)  $2\Theta_{1/2}$  is the off-axis where the luminous intensity is 1/2 of the peak intensity
- (3) Thermal resistance : Rth<sub>JS</sub> (Junction / solder)
- LED's properties might be different from suggested values like above and below tables if operation condition will be exceeded our parameter range. Care is to be taken that power dissipation does not exceed the absolute maximum rating of the product.
- All measurements were made under the standardized environment of Seoul Semiconductor.



# **Characteristics Graph**

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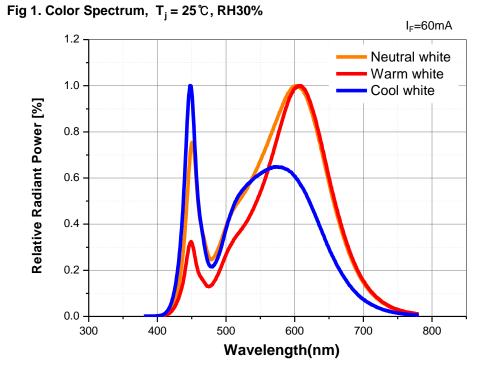
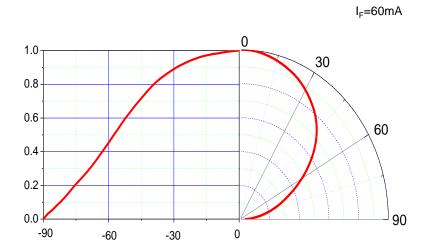


Fig 2. Viewing Angle Distribution



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### **Forward Current Characteristics**

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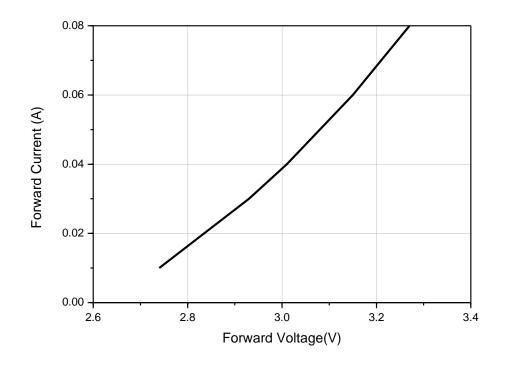
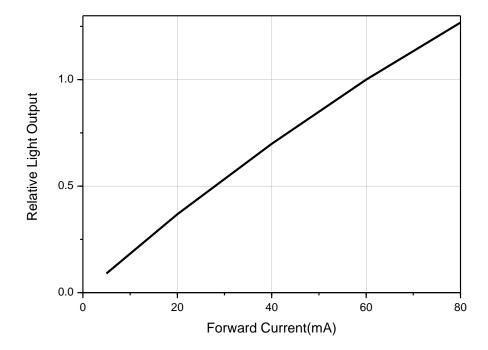


Fig 3. Forward Voltage vs. Forward Current ,  $\rm T_{j}=25\,^{\circ}{\rm C}$ 

Fig 4. Forward Current vs. Relative Luminous Flux,  $T_i$ =25  $^{\circ}$ C



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# **Junction Temperature Characteristics**

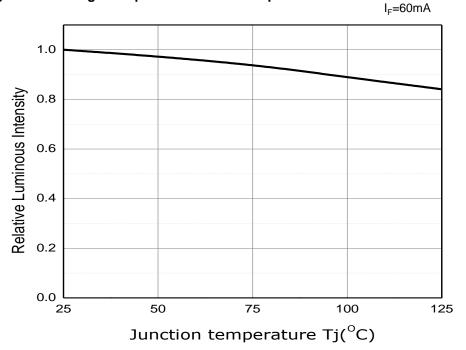
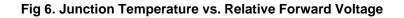
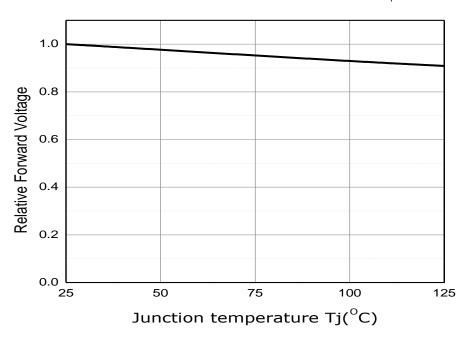


Fig 5. Relative Light Output vs. Junction Temperature



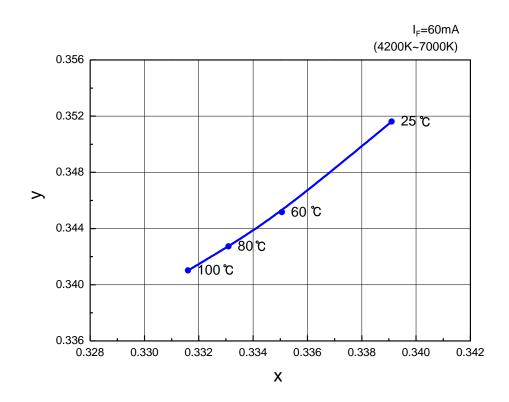
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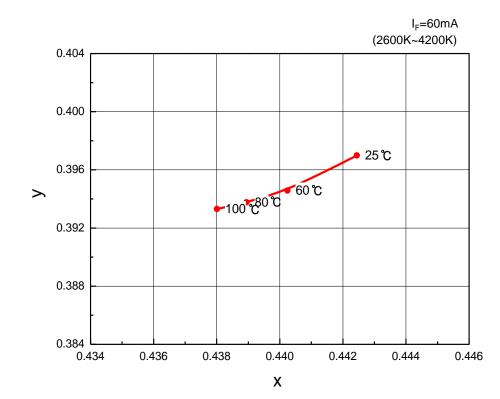
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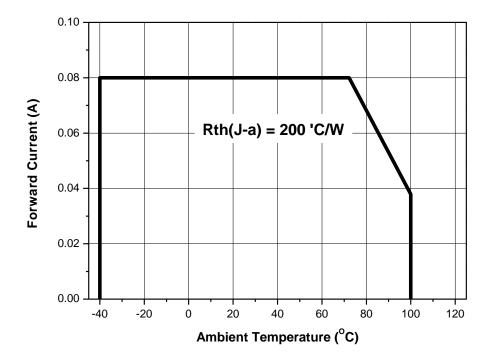
#### Fig 7. Chromaticity Coordinate vs. Junction Temperature



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# **Ambient Temperature Characteristics**







# **Color Bin Structure**

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#### Table 4. Bin Code description

Part Number	Luminous Intensity Iv (mcd)		Luminous Flux Φv (lm) <sup>[1]</sup>		Color Chromaticity Coordinate	Voltag	al Forwa ge (V <sub>F</sub> ) @ 60mA		
	Bin Code	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	@ I <sub>F</sub> = 60mA	Bin Code	Min.	Max.
	P5	6500	7000	19.5	21.0		Y3	2.9	3.0
STW8B12B-	Q0	7000	7500	21.0	22.5	Refer to	Z1	3.0	3.1
NZ	Q5	7500	8000	22.5	24.0	page.10	Z2	3.1	3.2
							Z3	3.2	3.3

#### Table 5. Intensity rank distribution

Available Ranks

ССТ	CIE		IV Rank	
6000~7000 K	А	P5	Q0	Q5
5300~6000 K	В	P5	Q0	Q5
4700~5300 K	С	P5	Q0	Q5
4200~4700 K	D	P5	Q0	Q5
3700~4200 K	E	P5	Q0	Q5
3200~3700 K	F	P5	Q0	Q5
2900~3200 K	G	P5	Q0	Q5
2600~2900 K	н	P5	Q0	Q5

#### Notes :

(1) Calculated performance values are for reference only.

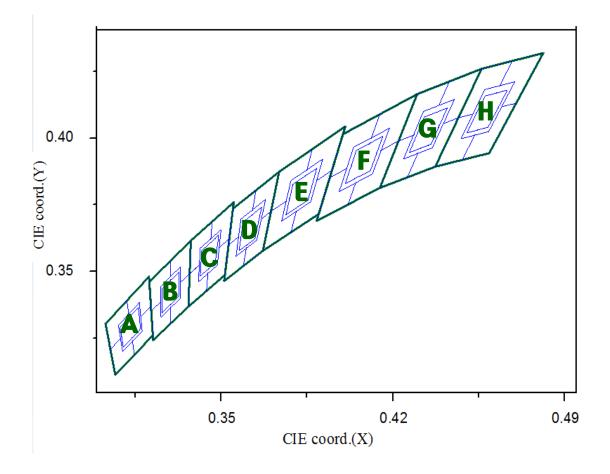
(2) All measurements were made under the standardized environment of Seoul Semiconductor.

(3) Seoul Semiconductor sorts the LED package according to the luminous intensity IV.



### **Color Bin Structure**

Fig 9. CIE Chromaticity Diagram  $T_j=25$  °C,  $I_F=60$ mA



(1) Energy Star binning applied to all 2600~7000K.

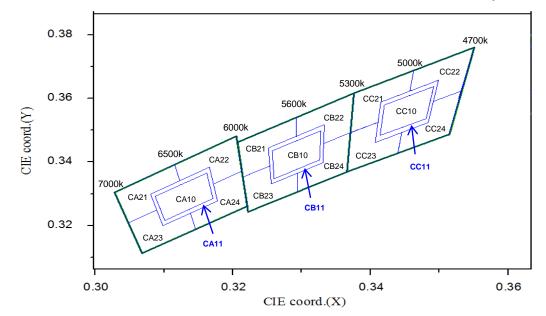
(2) Measurement Uncertainty of the Color Coordinates :  $\pm$  0.007



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<I<sub>F</sub>=60mA, T<sub>j</sub>=25℃>



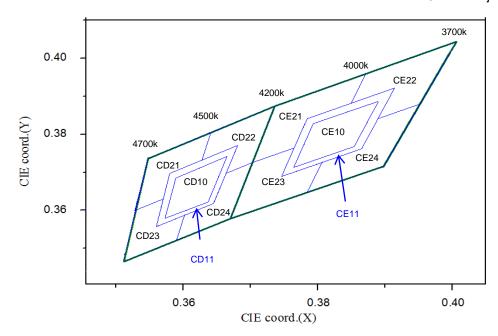
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0.3087	0.3292	0.3080	0.3299	0.3028	0.3304	0.3115	0.3393	0.3048	0.3209
0.3162	0.3365	0.3166	0.3384	0.3115	0.3393	0.3205	0.3481	0.3131	0.3290
0.3171	0.3285	0.3178	0.3277	0.3131	0.3290	0.3213	0.3371	0.3146	0.3187
0.3101	0.3216	0.3098	0.3200	0.3048	0.3209	0.3131	0.3290	0.3068	0.3113
CA	24	CB	10	СВ	11	CE	21	CE	322
CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y
0.3131	0.3290	0.3257	0.3435	0.3252	0.3444	0.3207	0.3462	0.3292	0.3539
0.3213	0.3371	0.3328	0.3498	0.3333	0.3518	0.3292	0.3539	0.3376	0.3616
0.3221	0.3261	0.3326	0.3406	0.3331	0.3398	0.3293	0.3423	0.3371	0.3493
0.3146	0.3187	0.3260	0.3347	0.3256	0.3331	0.3215	0.3353	0.3293	0.3423
CE	323	CB	24	cc	10	cc	:11	cc	21
CE CIE X	CIE Y	CE CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	10 CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y
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CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y
CIE X 0.3215	CIE Y 0.3353	CIE X 0.3293	CIE Y 0.3423	CIE X 0.3420	CIE Y 0.3579	CIE X 0.3415	CIE Y 0.3588	CIE X 0.3376	CIE Y 0.3616
CIE X 0.3215 0.3293	CIE Y 0.3353 0.3423	CIE X 0.3293 0.3371	CIE Y 0.3423 0.3493	CIE X 0.3420 0.3492	CIE Y 0.3579 0.3637	CIE X 0.3415 0.3499	CIE Y 0.3588 0.3657	CIE X 0.3376 0.3463	CIE Y 0.3616 0.3687
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### **Color Bin Structure**

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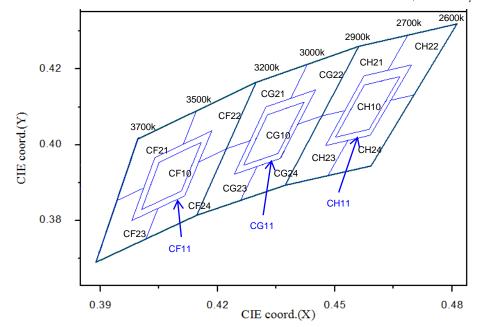
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0.3665	0.3742	0.3580	0.3697	0.3548	0.3736	0.3736	0.3874	0.3616	0.3663
0.3637	0.3622	0.3681	0.3771	0.3641	0.3805	0.3703	0.3726	0.3590	0.3521
0.3573	0.3579	0.3645	0.3618	0.3616	0.3663	0.3616	0.3663	0.3511	0.3465
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CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y
CIE X 0.3616	CIE Y 0.3663	CIE X 0.3764	CIE Y 0.3713	CIE X 0.3746	CIE Y 0.3689	CIE X 0.3703	CIE Y 0.3726	CIE X 0.3828	CIE Y 0.3803
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0.3616	0.3663	0.3764	0.3713	0.3746	0.3689	0.3703	0.3726	0.3828	0.3803
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CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y
0.3670	0.3578	0.3784	0.3647
0.3703	0.3726	0.3828	0.3803
0.3828	0.3803	0.3952	0.3880
0.3784	0.3647	0.3898	0.3716



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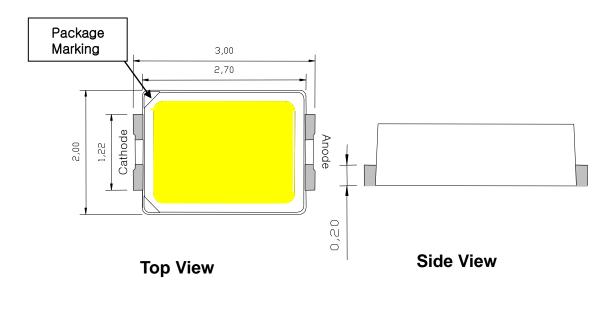


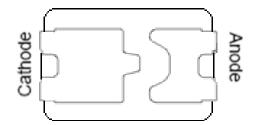
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0.4051	0.3954	0.4040	0.3966	0.4146	0.4089	0.4299	0.4165	0.4082	0.3920
0.4159	0.4007	0.4186	0.4037	0.4082	0.3920	0.4223	0.3990	0.4017	0.3751
0.4108	0.3878	0.4116	0.3865	0.3943	0.3853	0.4082	0.3920	0.3889	0.3690
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CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y	CIE X	CIE Y
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0.4223	0.3990	0.4328	0.4079	0.4324	0.4100	0.4430	0.4212	0.4562	0.4260
0.4147	0.3814	0.4422	0.4113	0.4451	0.4145	0.4345	0.4033	0.4468	0.4077
0.4017	0.3751	0.4355	0.3977	0.4361	0.3964	0.4223	0.3990	0.4345	0.4033
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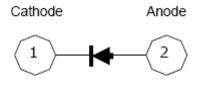


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### **Mechanical Dimensions**







**Bottom View** 

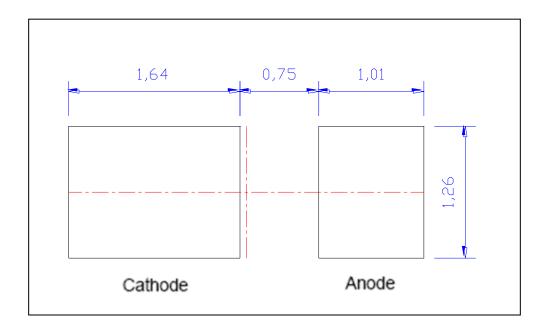
Circuit

#### Notes :

- (1) All dimensions are in millimeters.
- (2) Scale : none
- (3) Undefined tolerance is  $\pm 0.2 \text{mm}$



### **Recommended Solder Pad**



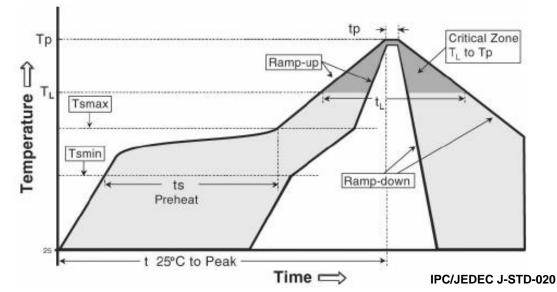
#### [Recommended Solder Pattern]

#### Notes :

- (1) All dimensions are in millimeters.
- (2) Scale : none
- (3) This drawing without tolerances are for reference only
- (4) Undefined tolerance is  $\pm 0.1$ mm

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### **Reflow Soldering Characteristics**



#### Table 8.

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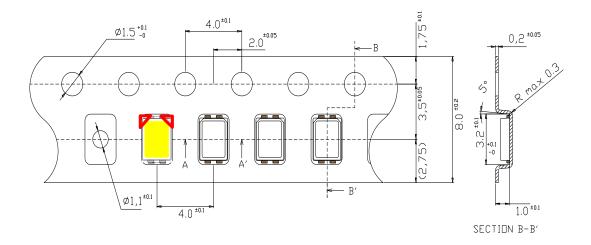
Profile Feature	Sn-Pb Eutectic Assembly	Pb-Free Assembly
Average ramp-up rate $(T_{smax} \text{ to } T_p)$	3° C/second max.	3° C/second max.
Preheat - Temperature Min (T <sub>smin</sub> ) - Temperature Max (T <sub>smax</sub> ) - Time (T <sub>smin</sub> to T <sub>smax</sub> ) (t <sub>s</sub> )	100 ℃ 150 ℃ 60-120 seconds	150 °C 200 °C 60-180 seconds
Time maintained above: - Temperature (T <sub>L</sub> ) - Time (t <sub>L</sub> )	183 °C 60-150 seconds	217 °C 60-150 seconds
Peak Temperature (T <sub>p</sub> )	<b>215</b> ℃	<b>260</b> ℃
Time within 5°C of actual Peak Temperature (t <sub>p</sub> )2	10-30 seconds	20-40 seconds
Ramp-down Rate	6 °C/second max.	6 °C/second max.
Time 25°C to Peak Temperature	6 minutes max.	8 minutes max.

#### Caution

- (1) Reflow soldering is recommended not to be done more than two times. In the case of more than 24 hours passed soldering after first, LEDs will be damaged.
- (2) Repairs should not be done after the LEDs have been soldered. When repair is unavoidable, suitable tools must be used.
- (3) Die slug is to be soldered.
- (4) When soldering, do not put stress on the LEDs during heating.
- (5) After soldering, do not warp the circuit board.

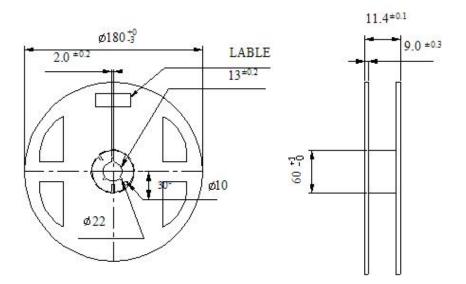


# **Emitter Tape & Reel Packaging**





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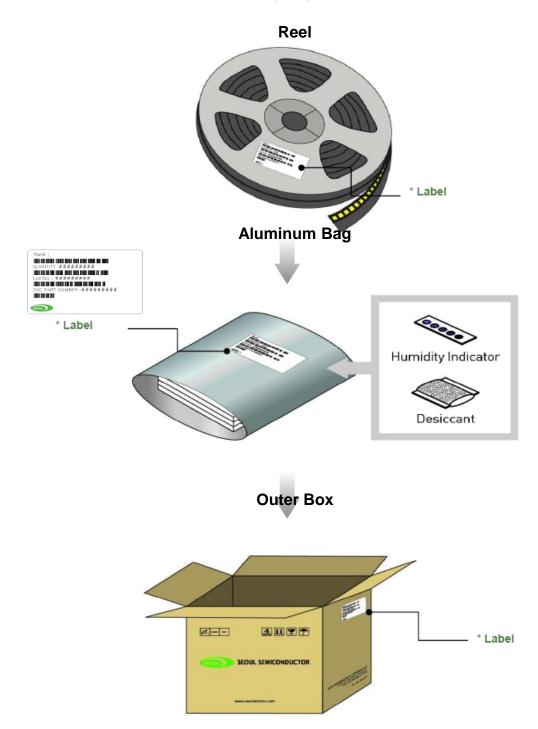
(Tolerance:  $\pm 0.2$ , Unit: mm)

- (1) Quantity : Max 4,000pcs/Reel
- (2) Cumulative Tolerance : Cumulative Tolerance/10 pitches to be  $\pm$ 0.2mm
- (3) Adhesion Strength of Cover Tape
- Adhesion strength to be 0.1-0.7N when the cover tape is turned off from the carrier tape at the angle of 10° to the carrier tape.
- (4) Package : P/N, Manufacturing data Code No. and Quantity to be indicated on a damp proof Package.



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## **Emitter Tape & Reel Packaging**



# **Product Nomenclature**

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Part Number Code	Description	Part Number	Value
X <sub>1</sub>	Company	S	
X <sub>2</sub>	Top View LED series	Т	
X <sub>3</sub> X <sub>4</sub>	Color Specification	W8	CRI 80
X <sub>5</sub>	Package series	В	B series
X <sub>6</sub> X <sub>7</sub>	Characteristic code	12	
X <sub>8</sub>	Revision	В	
X <sub>9</sub> X <sub>10</sub>	Internal Code		

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#### Table 6. Part Numbering System : X<sub>1</sub>X<sub>2</sub>X<sub>3</sub>X<sub>4</sub>X<sub>5</sub>X<sub>6</sub>X<sub>7</sub>X<sub>8</sub>-X<sub>9</sub>X<sub>10</sub>

#### Table 7. Lot Numbering System $:Y_1Y_2Y_3Y_4Y_5Y_6Y_7Y_8Y_9Y_{10}-Y_{11}Y_{12}Y_{13}Y_{14}Y_{15}Y_{16}Y_{17}$

Lot Number Code	Description	Lot Number	Value
Y <sub>1</sub> Y <sub>2</sub>	Year		
Y <sub>3</sub>	Month		
Y <sub>4</sub> Y <sub>5</sub>	Day		
Y <sub>6</sub>	Top View LED series		
Y <sub>7</sub> Y <sub>8</sub> Y <sub>9</sub> Y <sub>10</sub>	Mass order		
Y <sub>11</sub> Y <sub>12</sub> Y <sub>13</sub> Y <sub>14</sub> Y <sub>15</sub> Y <sub>16</sub> Y <sub>17</sub>	Internal Number		



### Handling of Silicone Resin for LEDs

(1) During processing, mechanical stress on the surface should be minimized as much as possible. Sharp objects of all types should not be used to pierce the sealing compound.



(2) In general, LEDs should only be handled from the side. By the way, this also applies to LEDs without a silicone sealant, since the surface can also become scratched.



(3) When populating boards in SMT production, there are basically no restrictions regarding the form of the pick and place nozzle, except that mechanical pressure on the surface of the resin must be prevented. This is assured by choosing a pick and place nozzle which is larger than the LED's reflector area.

(4) Silicone differs from materials conventionally used for the manufacturing of LEDs. These conditions must be considered during the handling of such devices. Compared to standard encapsulants, silicone is generally softer, and the surface is more likely to attract dust.

As mentioned previously, the increased sensitivity to dust requires special care during processing. In cases where a minimal level of dirt and dust particles cannot be guaranteed, a suitable cleaning solution must be applied to the surface after the soldering of components.

(5) SSC suggests using isopropyl alcohol for cleaning. In case other solvents are used, it must be assured that these solvents do not dissolve the package or resin. Ultrasonic cleaning is not recommended. Ultrasonic cleaning may cause damage to the LED.

(6) Please do not mold this product into another resin (epoxy, urethane, etc) and do not handle this. product with acid or sulfur material in sealed space.

# Precaution for Use

#### (1) Storage

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To avoid the moisture penetration, we recommend store in a dry box with a desiccant. The recommended storage temperature range is 5  $\degree$  to 30  $\degree$  and a maximum humidity of RH50%.

(2) Use Precaution after Opening the Packaging

Use proper SMT techniques when the LED is to be soldered dipped as separation of the lens may affect the light output efficiency.

Pay attention to the following:

- a. Recommend conditions after opening the package
  - Sealing
  - Temperature : 5 ~ 40  $^{\circ}$ C Humidity : less than RH30%
- b. If the package has been opened more than 4 week(MSL\_2a) or the color of the desiccant changes, components should be dried for 10-12hr at  $60\pm5$  °C
- (3) Do not apply mechanical force or excess vibration during the cooling process to normal temperature after soldering.
- (4) Do not rapidly cool device after soldering.
- (5) Components should not be mounted on warped (non coplanar) portion of PCB.
- (6) Radioactive exposure is not considered for the products listed here in.
- (7) Gallium arsenide is used in some of the products listed in this publication.These products are dangerous if they are burned or shredded in the process of disposal.It is also dangerous to drink the liquid or inhale the gas generated by such products when chemically disposed of.
- (8) This device should not be used in any type of fluid such as water, oil, organic solvent and etc. When washing is required, IPA (Isopropyl Alcohol) should be used.
- (9) When the LEDs are in operation the maximum current should be decided after measuring the package temperature.
- (10) LEDs must be stored properly to maintain the device. If the LEDs are stored for 3 months or more after being shipped from SSC, a sealed container with a nitrogen atmosphere should be used for storage.



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- (11) The appearance and specifications of the product may be modified for improvement without notice.
- (12) Long time exposure of sunlight or occasional UV exposure will cause lens discoloration.
- (13) VOCs (Volatile organic compounds) emitted from materials used in the construction of fixtures can penetrate silicone encapsulants of LEDs and discolor when exposed to heat and photonic energy. The result can be a significant loss of light output from the fixture. Knowledge of the properties of the materials selected to be used in the construction of fixtures can help prevent these issues.
- (14) Attaching LEDs, do not use adhesives that outgas organic vapor.
- (15) The driving circuit must be designed to allow forward voltage only when it is ON or OFF. If the reverse voltage is applied to LED, migration can be generated resulting in LED damage.
- (16) Similar to most Solid state devices;

LEDs are sensitive to Electro-Static Discharge (ESD) and Electrical Over Stress (EOS). Below is a list of suggestions that Seoul Semiconductor purposes to minimize these effects.

a. ESD (Electro Static Discharge)

Electrostatic discharge (ESD) is the defined as the release of static electricity when two objects come into contact. While most ESD events are considered harmless, it can be an expensive problem in many industrial environments during production and storage. The damage from ESD to an LEDs may cause the product to demonstrate unusual characteristics such as:

- Increase in reverse leakage current lowered turn-on voltage
- Abnormal emissions from the LED at low current

The following recommendations are suggested to help minimize the potential for an ESD event. One or more recommended work area suggestions:

- Ionizing fan setup
- ESD table/shelf mat made of conductive materials
- ESD safe storage containers

One or more personnel suggestion options:

- Antistatic wrist-strap
- Antistatic material shoes
- Antistatic clothes

Environmental controls:

- Humidity control (ESD gets worse in a dry environment)



### **Precaution for Use**

b. EOS (Electrical Over Stress)

Electrical Over-Stress (EOS) is defined as damage that may occur when an electronic device is subjected to a current or voltage that is beyond the maximum specification limits of the device. The effects from an EOS event can be noticed through product performance like:

- Changes to the performance of the LED package

(If the damage is around the bond pad area and since the package is completely encapsulated the package may turn on but flicker show severe performance degradation.)

- Changes to the light output of the luminaire from component failure
- Components on the board not operating at determined drive power

Failure of performance from entire fixture due to changes in circuit voltage and current across total circuit causing trickle down failures. It is impossible to predict the failure mode of every LED exposed to electrical overstress as the failure modes have been investigated to vary, but there are some common signs that will indicate an EOS event has occurred:

- Damaged may be noticed to the bond wires (appearing similar to a blown fuse)
- Damage to the bond pads located on the emission surface of the LED package
- (shadowing can be noticed around the bond pads while viewing through a microscope)
- Anomalies noticed in the encapsulation and phosphor around the bond wires.
- This damage usually appears due to the thermal stress produced during the EOS event.

c. To help minimize the damage from an EOS event Seoul Semiconductor recommends utilizing:

- A surge protection circuit
- An appropriately rated over voltage protection device
- A current limiting device





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