Test Sample

Features

- High Power Multiple Laser Diode (LD) Bank
- 8 Collimator Beams
- No Outgas
- High Heat Dissipation

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Green Laser Diode Bank

NUGM03T

• High safety structure for prevention of removing LDs

Standard Operating Conditions

- Forward Current: 1.6A(CW Operation)
- Tm=65°C, ACC(Auto Current Control) Operation

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Item	Symbol	Absolute Maximum Ratings	Unit	
Forward Current (Tm=22°C)	If	2.0^{*1}	А	
Allowable Reverse Current (Tm=22°C)	Ir(LD)	85^{*1}	mA	
Storage Temperature	Tstg	$-40 \sim 85$	°C	
Operating Temperature	Tm	0~65	°C	

*1: Individual LD

Initial Electrical/Optical Characteristics of LD Bank						(Tm=22°C)	
Item	Condition	Symbol	Min	Тур.	Max	Unit	
Optical Output Power	If=1.6A	Ро	7.0	(8.0)	-	W	
Dominant Wavelength	If=1.6A	λd	520	(525)	530	nm	
Operating Voltage ^{*2}	If=1.6A	Vop	32	(38)	43	V	
Beam Pointing Tilt Angle ^{*3}	If=1.6A	$\Delta \theta$	-	-	0.7	0	

*2: 8LDs series connection

*3: Beam Pointing Tilt Angle $\Delta \theta = \sqrt{\Delta \theta_{\parallel}^{2} + \Delta \theta_{\perp}^{2}}$ (Individual LD)

Initial Electrical/Optical Characteristics of mounted LD					(Tc=25°C)		
Ι	tem	Condition	Symbol	Min	Тур.	Max	Unit
Optical O	utput Power	If=1.6A	Ро	-	(1.0)	-	W
Dominant	Wavelength	If=1.6A	λd	515	(525)	532	nm
Thresho	old Current	CW	Ith	150	-	500	mA
Slope I	Efficiency	CW	η	-	(0.7)	-	W/A
Operati	ng Voltage	If=1.6A	Vop	4.0	-	6.0	V
Beam	Parallel	If=1.6A	θ//	0.1	(0.3)	0.5	0
Divergence ^{*4}	Perpendicular	11-1.0A	$\theta \bot$	-1.0	(0)	1.0	

*4: Full angle at $1/e^2$ from peak intensity

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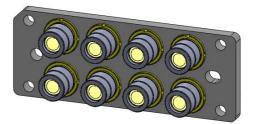
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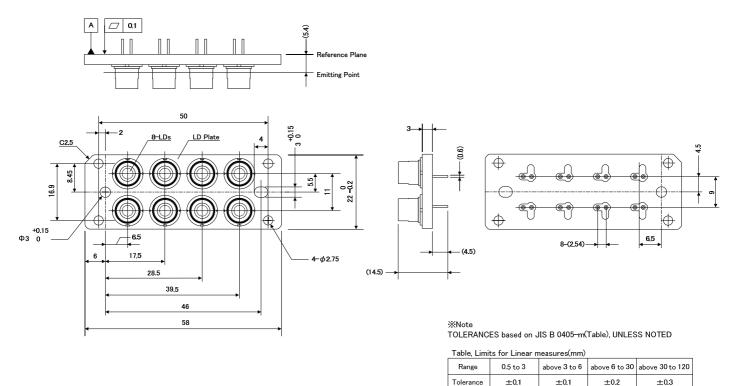
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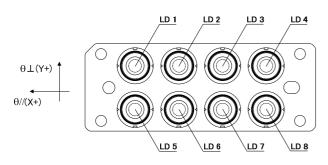


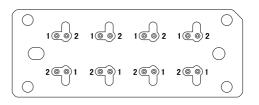
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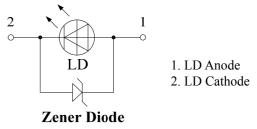


Dimensions are in millimeters Figures in () are reference purpose only.

LD Position No. & Pin Connection







This model does not have a Photo Diode. This model has a Zener Diode built in as a protection circuit against static electricity.



Cautions

(1) Safety of Collimated beam LD

• Laser Light can damage the human eyes and skin. Do not expose the eye or skin to laser light directly. This Laser product has an optical lens and emits a collimated laser beam. The light from this product, both direct and reflected, are very harmful as it can propagate a long distance while maintaining high optical density. When handling the product, wear appropriate safety glasses to protect eyes from laser light including reflected and stray light. The reflected and stray light spilling into an unintended area should be attenuated and/or absorbed.



• The LD Bank is classified in Class 4 of IEC60825-1 and 21 CFR Part 1040.10 Safety Standards. It is absolutely necessary to take overall safety measures against User's modules, equipment and systems into which Nichia LD Bank is incorporated and/or integrated.

(2) Operating method

- The LD Bank shall change its forward voltage requirement and optical output power according to temperature change. Also, the LD Bank will require more operation current to maintain same output power as it degrades. In order to maintain output power, use of APC (Automatic Power Control) is recommended, which use feedback of the optical output power to adjust the operation current.
- Confirm that electrical spike current generated by switching on and off does not exceed the maximum operating current level specified herein above as an absolute maximum rating. Also, employ appropriate countermeasures to reduce chattering and/or overshooting, undershooting in the Circuit.
- ACC (Auto Current Control) mode is recommended for the Product operation. Also, please be careful for the overshooting in order to avoid excessive optical output power as the laser operation is started.

(3) Design Consideration

• LDs may fail as either a short circuit or an open circuit. If an LD shorts during operation, the forward voltage of the LD may fluctuate greatly. When designing a circuit, ensure that both short and open circuits are considered and that there will be no issues if a short or open circuit occurs.

(4) Static Electricity

• Static electricity or electrical surges will reduce and degrade the reliability of the LD Bank. It is recommended to use a wrist strap or anti-electrostatic glove when handling the Product.

(5) Absolute Maximum Rating

- An active layer of mounted LDs shall have a high current density and generate high electric field during its operation. In order to prevent excessive damage, the LD Bank must be operated strictly below Absolute Maximum Rating.
- During operation, if the forward current and/or optical output power are increased the lifetime of the LDs will decrease. Ensure that the LDs are operated within the recommended conditions.

(6) Others

- The LD Bank described in this brochure is intended to be used for ordinary electronic equipment (such as office equipment, communications equipment, measurement instruments and household appliances). Consult Nichia's sales staff in advance for information on the applications in which exceptional quality and reliability are required, particularly when the failure or malfunction of the LD Bank may directly jeopardize life or health (such as for airplanes, aerospace, submersible repeaters, nuclear reactor control systems, automobiles, traffic control equipment, life support systems and safety devices).
- The Purchaser must acknowledge that any LD Bank can statistically fail and must design its equipments in a fail safe design. Prior to use of the LD Bank, please confirm that the LD Bank, as described in Nichia's specifications, meets the life expectancy needs of, and provides the features required by the Circuit and any related modules, equipment and/or systems.
- Due to its short wavelength and high optical output power, optical depositions on optical path may occur depending on the surrounding conditions. Appropriate design or countermeasures should be used to avoid optical depositions.
- Nichia prohibits Purchaser from reverse engineering, disassembling, or taking any other steps to derive the structure or design of the LD and the LD Bank.
- The appearance and specifications of the product may be modified for improvement without notice. The formal specifications must be exchanged and signed by both parties before large volume purchase begins.
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