



N3838U-VNxx Series High Power UV LED

Introduction

The N3838U-VNxx Series LED from TSLC brings industry leading technology to the UV lighting market with its high reliability and performance. With a ceramic substrate and a 56/40 degree viewing angle primary optic, the N3838U-VNxx is ideal for all UV curing and general UV applications.



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RoHS Compliant

Characteristics

Absolute Maximum Ratings (T_J=25°C)

| Parameter | Rating |
|---------------------------|---|
| | N3838U-VNxx Series |
| DC Forward Current (mA) | 500 mA |
| LED Junction Temperature | 115°C |
| LED Operating Temperature | -40°C~85°C |
| Storage Temperature | -40°C~125°C |
| Soldering Temperature | Max. 260°C / Max. 10sec. (JEDEC 020) |
| ESD Sensitivity | 2,000 V HBM (JESD-22A-114-B) |
| Reverse Voltage | Not designed to be driven in reverse bias (VR ≤ 5V) |
| Preconditioning | Acc. to JEDEC Level 1 |

General Characteristics at 500mA

| Part number | Color | Peak Wavelength λ _p | | 2θ _{1/2} | Temperature Coefficient of Vf (mV/°C) | Thermal Resistance Junction to Pad (°C/W) |
|-------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| | | Min | Max | | ΔVf / ΔT _J | RO _{J-L} |
| N3838U-VN1x | U2X | 365 | 375 | 56 | -2~-4 | 4.4 |
| N3838U-VNEx | U2X | 365 | 375 | 40 | -2~-4 | 4.4 |

Notes:

1. The peak wavelength is measured with an accuracy of ±1nm
2. All values stated are subject to the limits and set up of TSLC's testers. All other measurement data are defined as long-term production mean values and are only given for reference.
3. A critical component is a component used in a life-support device or system whose failure can reasonably be expected to cause the failure of that life-support device or system, or to affect its safety or effectiveness of that device or system. Life support devices or systems are intended (i) to be implanted in the human body, or (ii) to support and/or maintain and sustain human life. If they fail, it is reasonable to assume that the health of the user may be endangered. Components used as a critical component must be approved in writing by TSLC Corporation.
4. These devices emit high intensity UV/NUV light. Necessary precautions must be taken during operation. Do not look directly into the light or look through the optical system when in operation. Protective eyewear should be worn at all times during operation.
5. Do not drive at rated current for more than 5 seconds without proper thermal management.
6. Always follow thermal design recommendations in the relevant Application Note.
7. Lens discoloration may occur with prolonged exposure to UN/NUV light. Additional lens material will need to be tested for UN/NUV light compatibility and durability.

Radiometric Power and Forward Voltage ($T_j=25^{\circ}\text{C}$)

| Part number | Color | Performance at Test Current (500mA) | | | | |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| | | Group | Radiometric Power (mW) | | VF | |
| | | | Min | Max | Min | Max |
| N3838U-VNIx (beam angle 56°) | U2X (365-375nm) | NF1 | 600 | 650 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| | | NF2 | 650 | 700 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| | | NF3 | 700 | 750 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| | | NF4 | 750 | 800 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| N3838U-VNEx (beam angle 40°) | U2X (365-375nm) | NE5 | 560 | 600 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| | | NF1 | 600 | 650 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| | | NF2 | 650 | 700 | 3.4 | 4.4 |
| | | NF3 | 700 | 750 | 3.4 | 4.4 |

Note:

1. Radiometric power is measured with an accuracy of $\pm 10\%$
2. The forward voltage is measured with an accuracy of $\pm 0.2\text{V}$

* Calculated values are for reference only.

Electrical Characteristics

| Part number | Performance at Test Current (500mA) | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Vf Group | Minimum (V) | Maximum (V) |
| N3838U-VN1x (beam angle 56°) N3838U-VNEx (beam angle 40°) | V34 | 3.4 | 3.6 |
| | V36 | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| | V38 | 3.8 | 4.0 |
| | V40 | 4.0 | 4.2 |
| | V42 | 4.2 | 4.4 |

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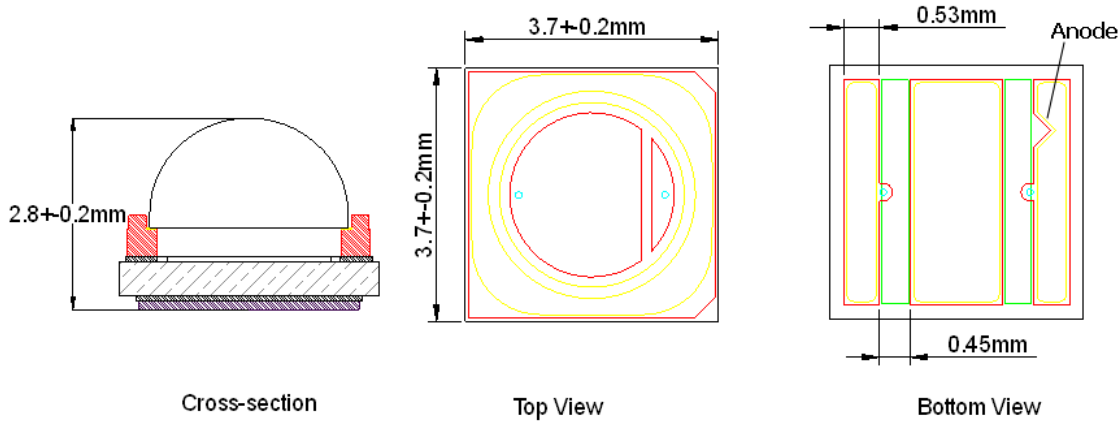
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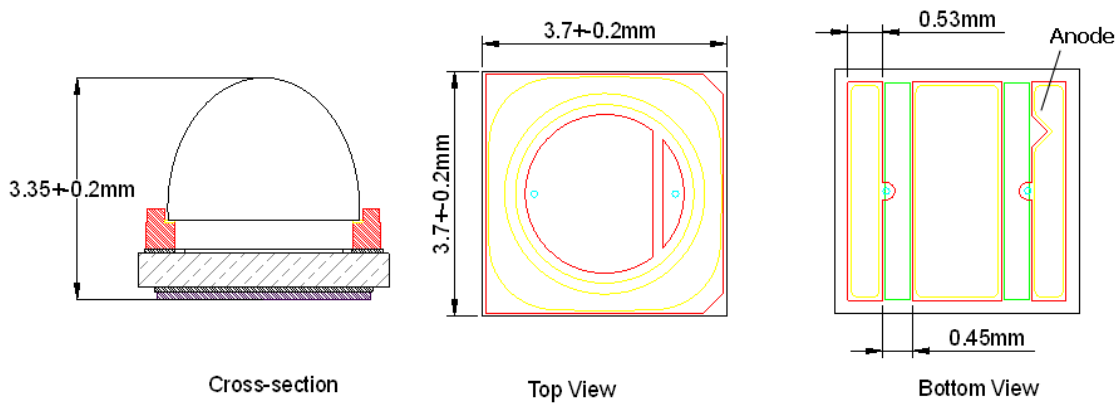


Mechanical Dimensions

N3838U-VN1x (beam angle 56°)



N3838U-VNEx (beam angle 40°)

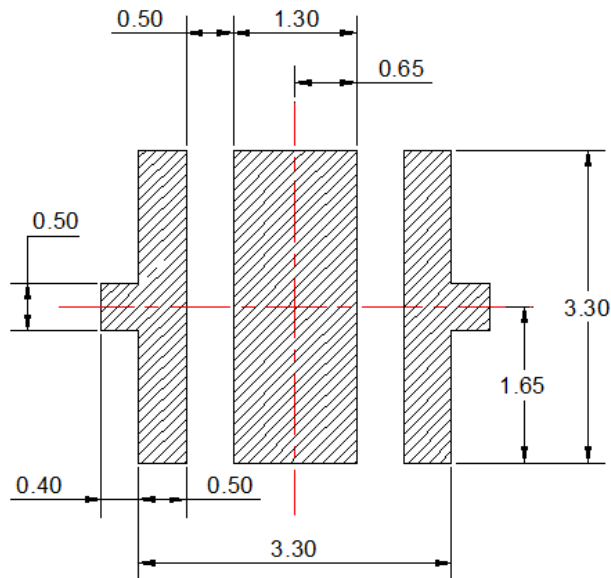


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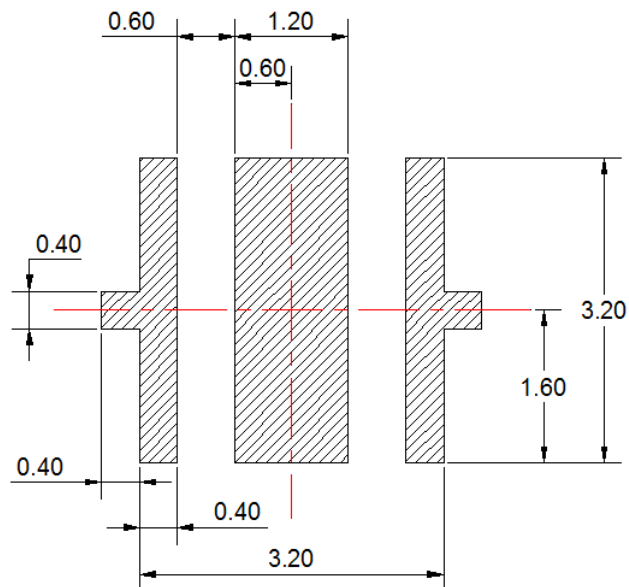
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Recommended Solder Pad Design

Recommended Soldering Pad Design



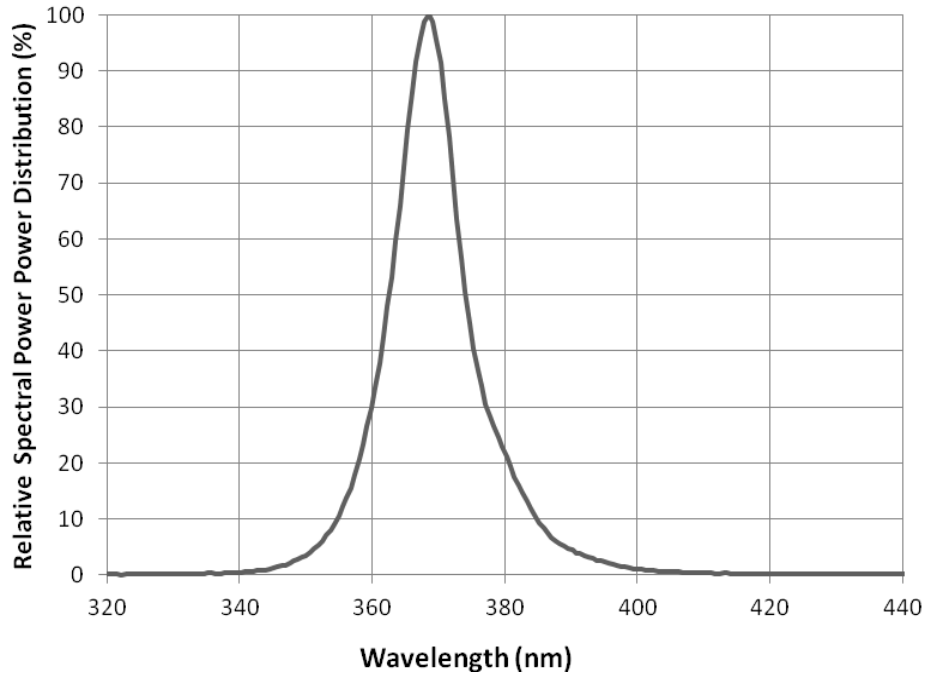
Recommended Stencil Pattern Design (Marked Area is Opening)



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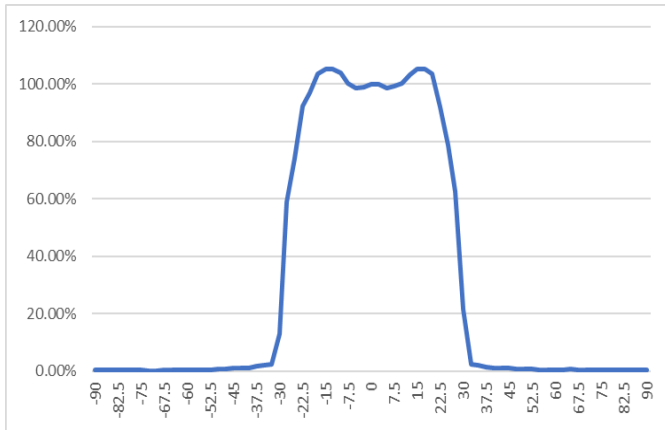
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Relative Spectral Power Distribution, $T_j=25^{\circ}\text{C}$

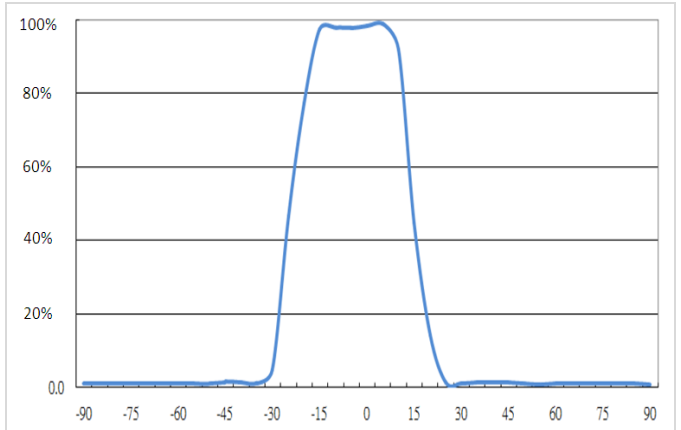


Typical Spatial Radiation Pattern

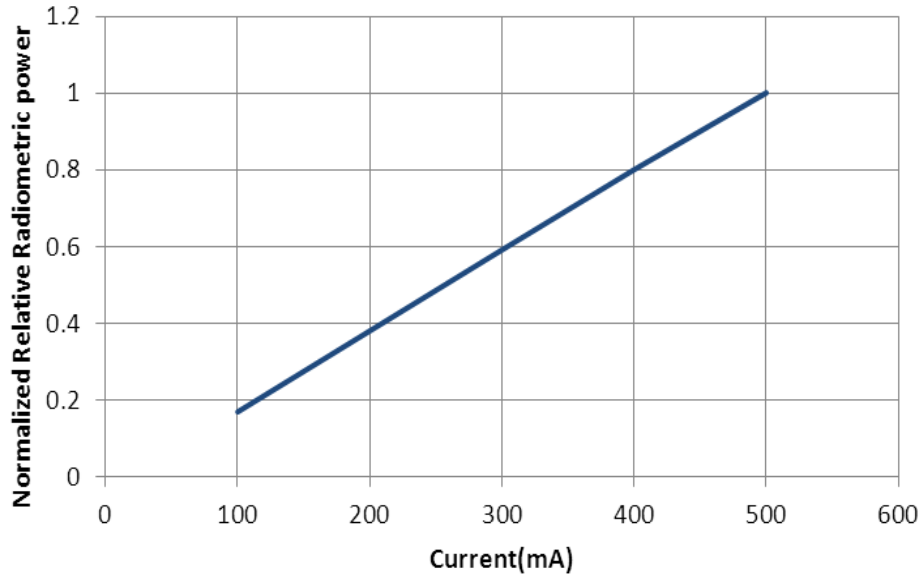
N3838U-VN1x (beam angle 56°)



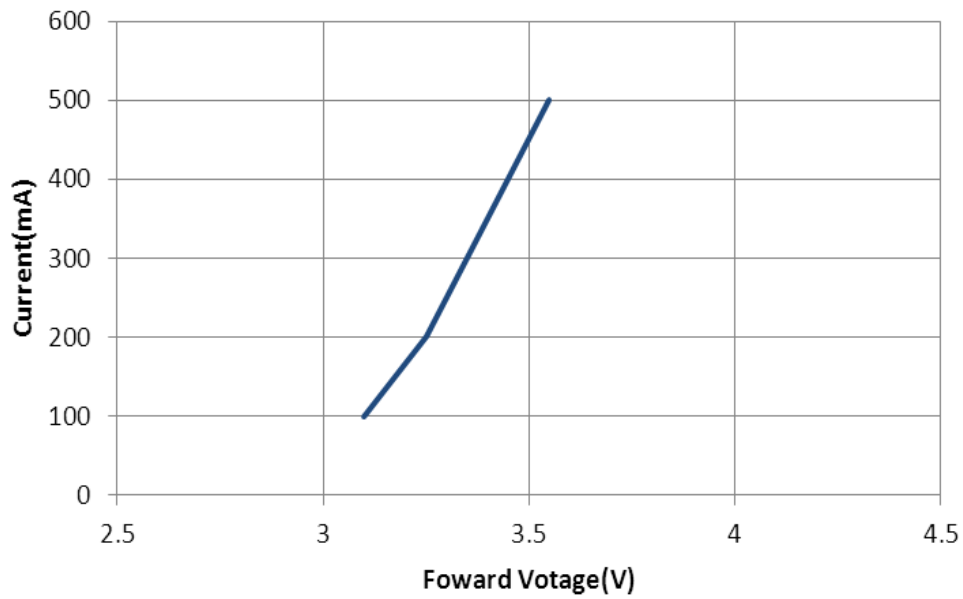
N3838U-VNEx (beam angle 40°)



Typical Forward L-I Characteristics, $T_j=25^{\circ}\text{C}$

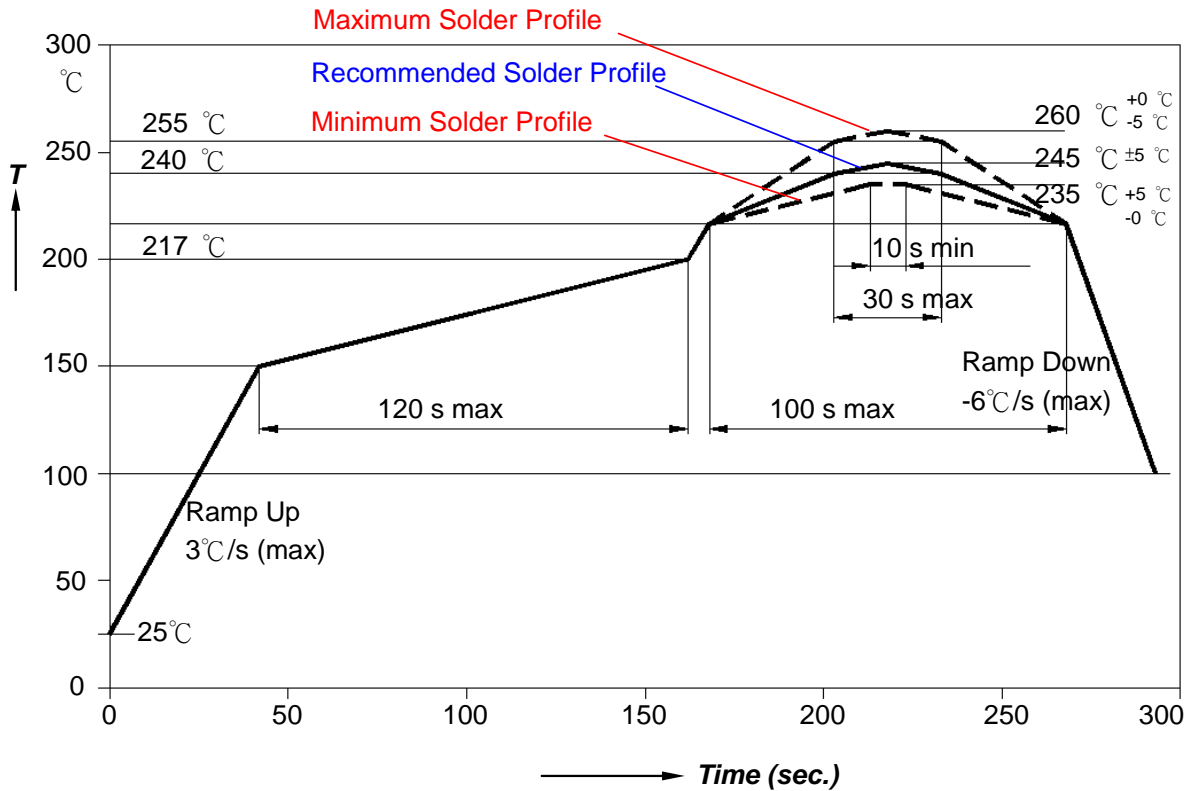


Typical Forward I-V Characteristics, $T_j=25^{\circ}\text{C}$



Recommended Soldering Profile

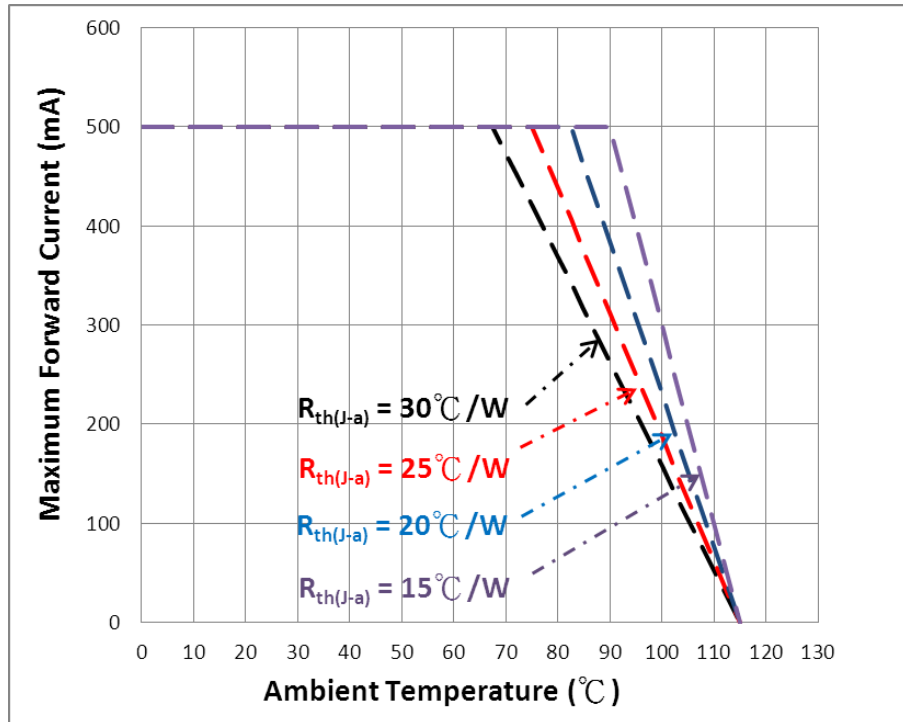
The LEDs can be soldered using the parameters listed below. As a general guideline, the users are suggested to follow the recommended soldering profile provided by the manufacturer of the solder paste. Although the recommended soldering conditions are specified in the list, reflow soldering at the lowest possible temperature is advised for the LEDs.



| Profile Feature | Sn-Pb Eutectic Assembly | Pb-Free Assembly |
|--|-------------------------|------------------|
| Average Ramp-up Rate ($T_{s_{max}}$ to T_p) | 3°C/second max. | 3°C/second max. |
| Preheat | | |
| - Temperature Min($T_{s_{min}}$) | 100°C | 150°C |
| - Temperature Max($T_{s_{max}}$) | 150°C | 200°C |
| - Time($t_{s_{min}}$ to $t_{s_{max}}$) | 60-120 seconds | 60-180 seconds |
| Time maintained above: | | |
| - Temperature(T_L) | 183°C | 217°C |
| - Time(t_L) | 60-150 seconds | 60-150 seconds |
| Peak/classification Temperature(T_p) | 215°C | 260°C |
| Time within 5°C of actual Peak Temperature(t_p) | 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. |

Thermal Design

Thermal design of the end product is important. The thermal resistance between the junction and the solder point ($R_{\theta_{J-P}}$) and the end product should be designed to minimize the thermal resistance from the solder point to ambient in order to optimize the emitter life and optical characteristics. The maximum operation current is determined by the plot of Allowable Forward Current vs. Ambient Temperature.



The junction temperature can be correlated to the thermal resistance between the junction and ambient (R_{ja}) by the following equation.

$$T_j = T_a + R_{ja} \cdot W$$

T_j : LED junction temperature

T_a : Ambient temperature

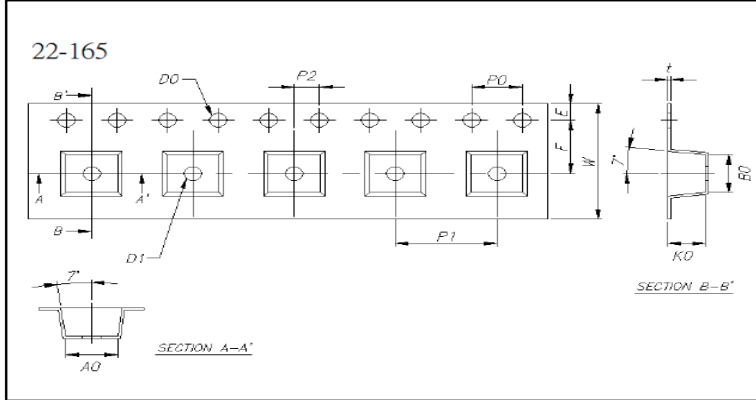
R_{ja} : Thermal resistance between the junction and ambient

W : Input power ($I_F \cdot V_F$)

Packing Information

N3838U-VNlx series (beam angle 56°), Max QTY: 500ea / roll

Dimensions. (Unit: mm)

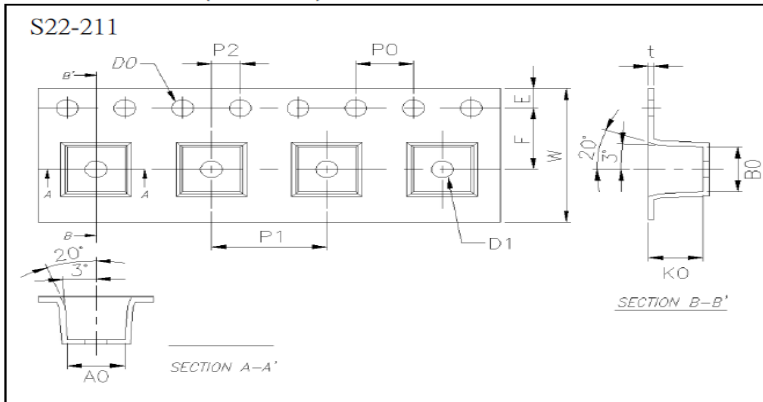


| Item | Specification | Tol. (+/-) |
|---------|---------------|------------|
| W | 12.00 | ± 0.30 |
| E | 1.75 | ± 0.10 |
| F | 5.50 | ± 0.10 |
| D0 | 1.50 | +0.10, -0 |
| D1 | 1.50 | ± 0.10 |
| P0 | 4.00 | ± 0.10 |
| P1 | 8.00 | ± 0.10 |
| P2 | 2.00 | ± 0.10 |
| P0 x 10 | 40.00 | ± 0.20 |

| | | |
|----|------|--------|
| t | 0.23 | ± 0.05 |
| A0 | 4.09 | ± 0.10 |
| B0 | 3.93 | ± 0.10 |
| K0 | 2.95 | ± 0.10 |

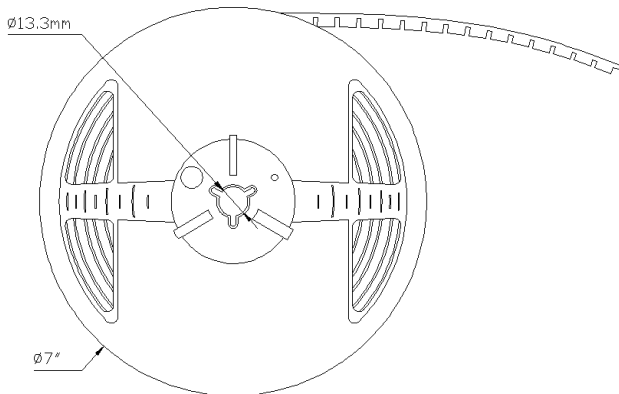
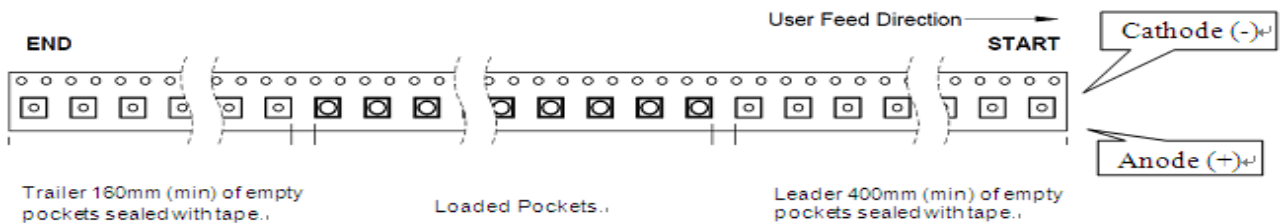
N3838U-VNEx series (beam angle 40°), Max QTY: 500ea / roll

Dimensions. (Unit: mm)



| Item | Specification | Tol. (+/-) |
|---------|---------------|------------|
| W | 12.00 | ± 0.30 |
| E | 1.75 | ± 0.10 |
| F | 5.50 | ± 0.10 |
| D0 | 1.50 | +0.10, -0 |
| D1 | 1.50 | +0.10, -0 |
| P0 | 4.00 | ± 0.10 |
| P1 | 8.00 | ± 0.10 |
| P2 | 2.00 | ± 0.10 |
| P0 x 10 | 40.00 | ± 0.20 |

| | | |
|----|------|--------|
| t | 0.40 | ± 0.05 |
| A0 | 4.00 | ± 0.10 |
| B0 | 4.00 | ± 0.10 |
| K0 | 3.80 | ± 0.10 |



Note:

All dimensions are in millimeter.

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TSLC Corporation is devoted to developing high-density, and multi-size emitters with powerful output to satisfy the needs of every customer.

TSLC Corporation is the leader in LED solutions. Unlimited design flexibility for interior and exterior spaces with high-end lighting effect; energy-efficient for UV curing to improve the quality of medical care; horticulture solutions create a better environment for everyone; high-intensity rotatable lightings for the entertainment industry, TSLC is always there for your lighting needs.

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