

In the Matter of:

CERTAIN LIGHT-EMITTING DIODE PRODUCTS, FIXTURES, AND COMPONENTS THEREOF

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Asserted claims of the '819 and '531 patents

- **'819 Patent:** claims 1, 24-27, 29, 48-50, 52, 57-60, and 65-67
- **'531 Patent:** claims 1, 10-12, and 25-26

Text of the Claim Constructions

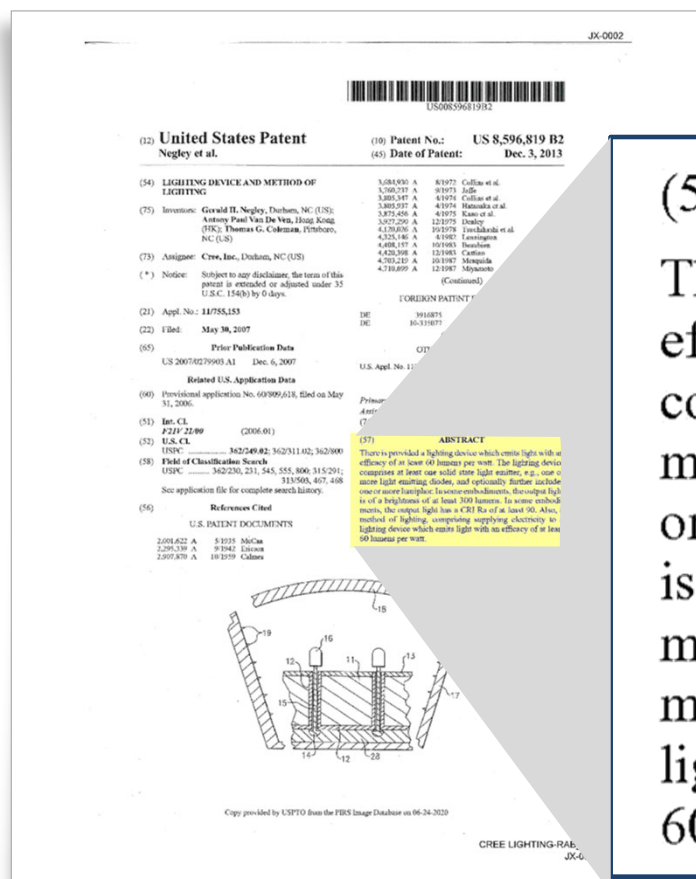
Term	Construction
“said output light being a quantity of light exiting from the lighting device”	Plain and ordinary meaning
“solid state light emitter”	Plain and ordinary meaning
“perceived as white”	“perceived as white by normal human vision”
“perceived as warm white”	“perceived as light having a color temperature between approximately 2700K and 3500K”
“wall plug efficiency”	“brightness (of light emitted by a lighting device) as measured relative to outlet energy (the power input to the lighting device) in lumens per watt.”

Level of Ordinary Skill in the Art

“A person of ordinary skill would have had at least a Bachelor of Science degree in materials science, electrical engineering, or an equivalent field of study, along with three or more years of experience working with LED technology and that a more advanced degree reduces the threshold for years of experience in working with LED technology.”

The '819 Patent

'819 Patent – Abstract



ABSTRACT

There is provided a lighting device which emits light with an efficacy of at least 60 lumens per watt. The lighting device comprises at least one solid state light emitter, e.g., one or more light emitting diodes, and optionally further includes one or more lumiphor. In some embodiments, the output light is of a brightness of at least 300 lumens. In some embodiments, the output light has a CRI Ra of at least 90. Also, a method of lighting, comprising supplying electricity to a lighting device which emits light with an efficacy of at least 60 lumens per watt.

Limitations of the Asserted Claims of '819 Patent

Limitation	Claims
"at least 60 lumens per watt"	1, 29, 52, 60
"output light is perceived as warm white"	24
"from about 60 to about 70 lumens per watt"	25, 48, 57, 65
"from about 70 to about 80 lumens per watt"	26, 49, 58, 66
"from about 80 to about 85 lumens per watt"	27, 50, 59, 67

'819 Patent – First Embodiment

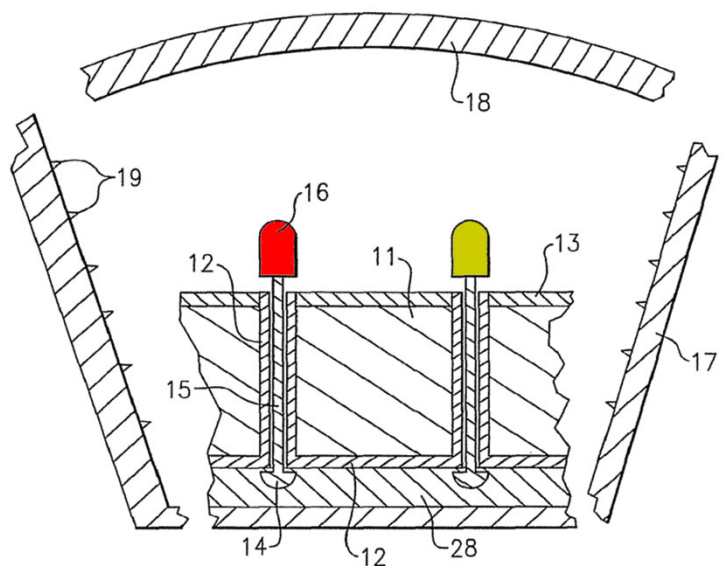


FIG. 4

FIG. 4 depicts a **first embodiment** of a lighting device in accordance with the first aspect of the present invention.

Referring to FIG. 4, there is shown a lighting device which includes a heat spreading element 11 (formed of aluminum), insulating regions 12 (formed in situ by anodizing surfaces of the aluminum heat spreading element), a highly reflective surface 13 (formed in situ by polishing the surface of the aluminum heat spreading element), conductive traces 14 formed of copper, lead frames 15 formed of silver-plated copper (or silver-plated mild steel), packaged LEDs 16a, 16b (described in more detail below), a reflective cone 17 (made of MCPET® (marketed by Furukawa, a Japanese corporation) with a diffuse light scattering surface and a diffusing element 18 (the diffusing element 18 performs a light scattering function).

'819 Patent – First Embodiment

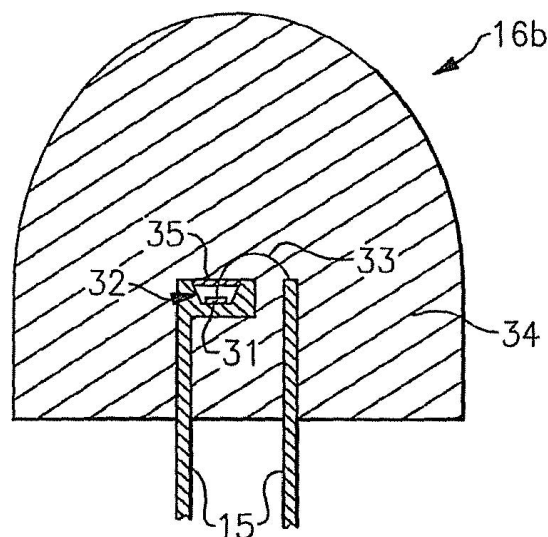
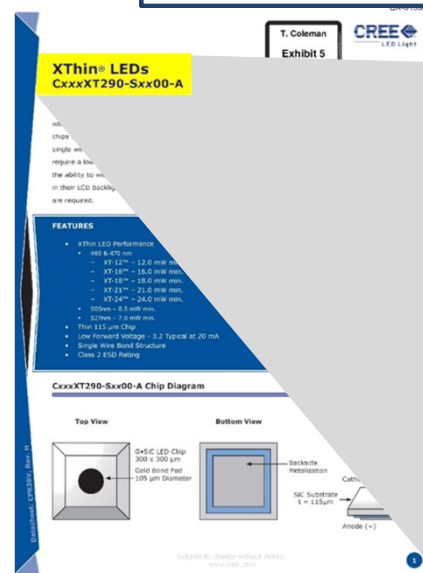


FIG. 7

Referring to FIG. 7, each of the greenish-yellowish emitters 16b includes a blue light emitting diode chip 31 (namely, a Cree XT LED (C460XT290) die with a peak wavelength range of from about 450 nm to about 465 nm, and optical power greater than 24 mW), a lead frame 15 having a reflective surface 32, a copper wire 33, an encapsulant region 34, and a broad spectrum emitting lumiphor 35.



• XThin LED Performance

- ◆ 460 & 470 nm
 - XT-12™ – 12.0 mW min.
 - XT-16™ – 16.0 mW min.
 - XT-18™ – 18.0 mW min.
 - XT-21™ – 21.0 mW min.
 - XT-24™ – 24.0 mW min.

'819 Patent – First Embodiment

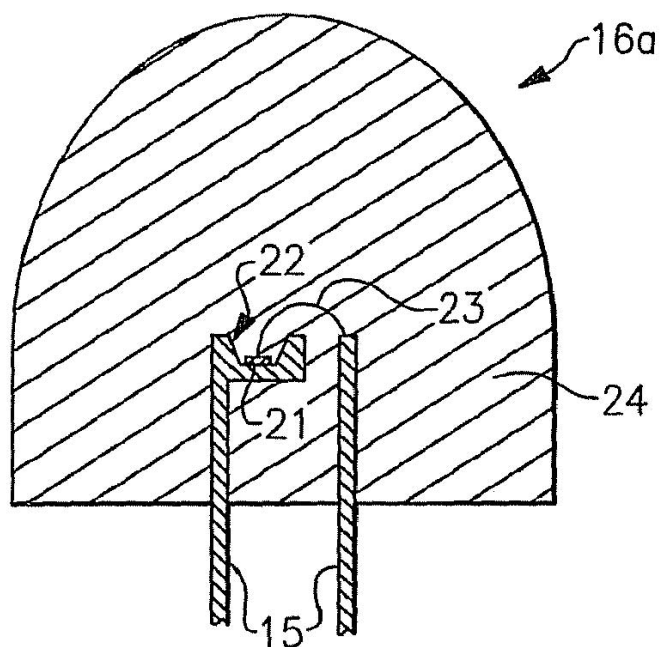


FIG. 6

Referring to FIG. 6, each of the red LEDs 16a includes a red light emitting diode chip 21 (from Epistar in Taiwan, measuring 14 mils×14 mils, comprising AlInGaP and having a brightness of not less than 600 mcd), a lead frame 15 having a reflective surface 22, a copper wire 23, and an encapsulant region 24. The reflective surface 22 is made of silver.

'819 Patent - First Embodiment (47 red LED + 123 BSY emitters)

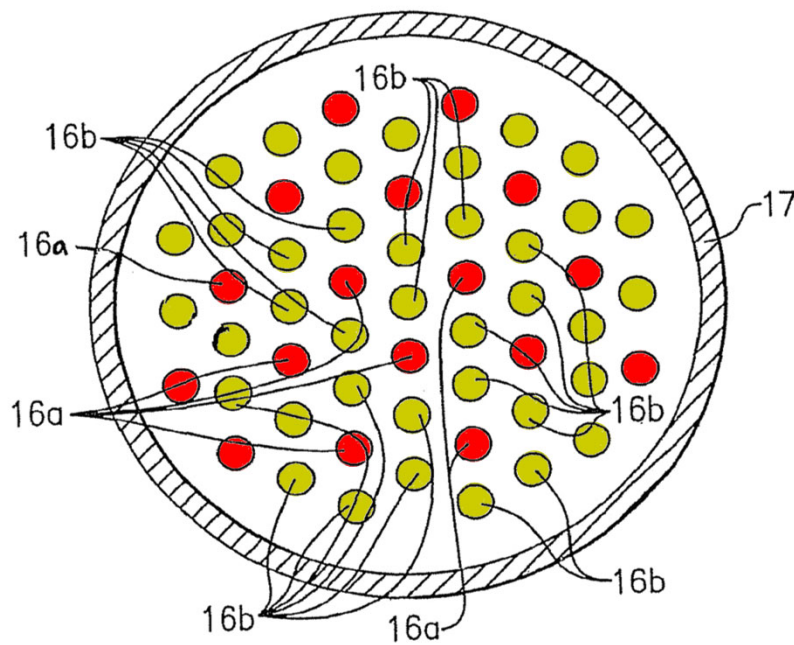


FIG. 5

The device depicted in FIG. 4 includes three series strings of LED emitters.

Connected to the first string of LED emitters are a current regulator, forty-seven red LEDs 16a (shown in more detail in FIG. 6), and twenty-one greenish-yellowish emitters 16b (each including a blue LED and a broad spectrum emitting lumiphor) (shown in more detail in FIG. 7).

Connected to the second string of LED emitters are a current regulator, zero red LEDs and fifty-one greenish-yellowish emitters 16b (as above).

Connected to the third string of LED emitters are a current regulator, zero red LEDs and fifty-one greenish-yellowish emitters 16b (as above).

The current passing through the first string of LED emitters is regulated to be about 20 milliamps.

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'819 patent – Second Embodiment

FIGS. 8-11 depict a second embodiment of a lighting device in accordance with the present invention.

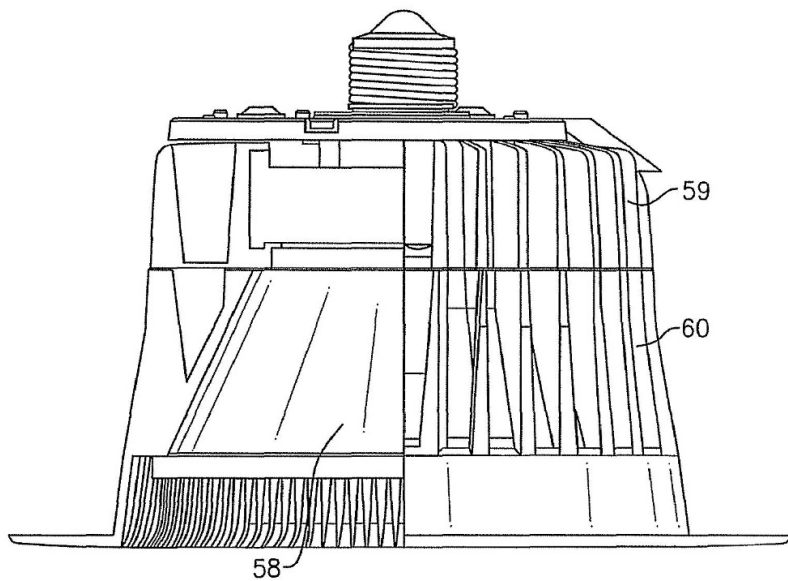


FIG.8

The lighting device includes a plurality (e.g., three) series strings of LED emitters.

Connected to a first string of LED emitters are a current regulator and a plurality (e.g., six) of greenish-yellowish emitters. Each of the greenish-yellowish emitter includes a blue LED and a lumiphor, the lumiphor comprising YAG doped with Ce, Pr and/or Gd.

Connected to a second string of LED emitters are a current regulator, and a ratio of red LEDs to greenish-yellowish emitters, e.g., zero red LEDs and a plurality (e.g., six) of greenish-yellowish emitters.

Connected to a third string of LED emitters are a current regulator, and a different ratio of red LEDs to greenish-yellowish emitters, e.g., a plurality of red LEDs (e.g., thirty) and zero greenish-yellowish emitters.

Background Section of '819 Patent – RGB and PC LED Approaches

of respective red, green and blue light emitting diodes. Another "white" LED lamp which has been produced includes (1) a light emitting diode which generates blue light and (2) a luminescent material (e.g., a phosphor) that emits yellow light in response to excitation by light emitted by the light emitting diode, whereby the blue light and the yellow light, when mixed, produce light that is perceived as white light.

In addition, the blending of primary colors to produce

the matrix, etc. etc. Diagram similar to differences in colors as well.

The CIE Ra is in the range 65-90 (CRI Ra of 100 for LEDs is generally higher than the color temperature of 2700K). Both of these, approved by the addition of selected saturated colors. As

according to the present invention, "blending" of light sources of specific coordinates (see U.S. Patent App. filed Dec. 21, 2005, entitled "Lighting Method" (inventors: Antony Paul van der Nijl), the entirety of which is hereby incorporated by reference). For example, light from additional, red source can be mixed with the main source(s) to provide uniform illumination area of discoloration, and if desired, for example, the individual light sources can be made to be not discrete devices or discrete color areas when the illumination source or aperture is viewed directly.

Light emitting diodes can thus be used individually or in combination, optionally together with one or more luminescent material (e.g., phosphors or excitation) and/or filters, to generate light of any desired perceived color (including white). Accordingly, the area in which effects are being made to replace existing light sources with light emitting diode light sources, e.g., to improve energy efficiency, color rendering index (CRI Ra), efficiency (lm/W), and/or duration of service, are not limited to any particular color or color blends of light.

Aspects related to the present invention can be represented on either the 1931 CIE (Commission Internationale de l'Éclairage) Chromaticity Diagram or the 1976 CIE Chromaticity Diagram. FIG. 1 shows the 1931 CIE Chromaticity Diagram. FIG. 2 shows the 1976 CIE Chromaticity Diagram. FIG. 3 shows an enlarged portion of the 1976 CIE Chromaticity Diagram, in order to show the blackbody locus in more detail. Persons of skill in the art are familiar with these diagrams, and these diagrams are readily available (e.g., by searching "CIE Chromaticity Diagram" on the Internet).

The CIE Chromaticity Diagrams map out the human color perception in terms of two parameters x and y (in the case of the 1931 diagram) or u' and v' (in the case of the 1976 diagram). For a technical description of CIE chromaticity diagrams, see, for example, "Treatise of Physical Science and Technology", vol. 7, 230-231 (Robert A. Meyer ed., 1987). The spectral colors are distributed around the edge of the outlined space, which includes all of the hues perceived by the human eye. The boundary line represents maximum saturation, i.e., a material which converts photo-

Because light that is perceived as white is necessarily a blend of light of two or more colors (or wavelengths), no single light emitting diode junction has been developed that can produce white light. "White" LED lamps have been produced which have a light emitting diode pixel/cluster formed of respective red, green and blue light emitting diodes. Another "white" LED lamp which has been produced includes (1) a light emitting diode which generates blue light and (2) a luminescent material (e.g., a phosphor) that emits yellow light in response to excitation by light emitted by the light emitting diode, whereby the blue light and the yellow light, when mixed, produce light that is perceived as white light.

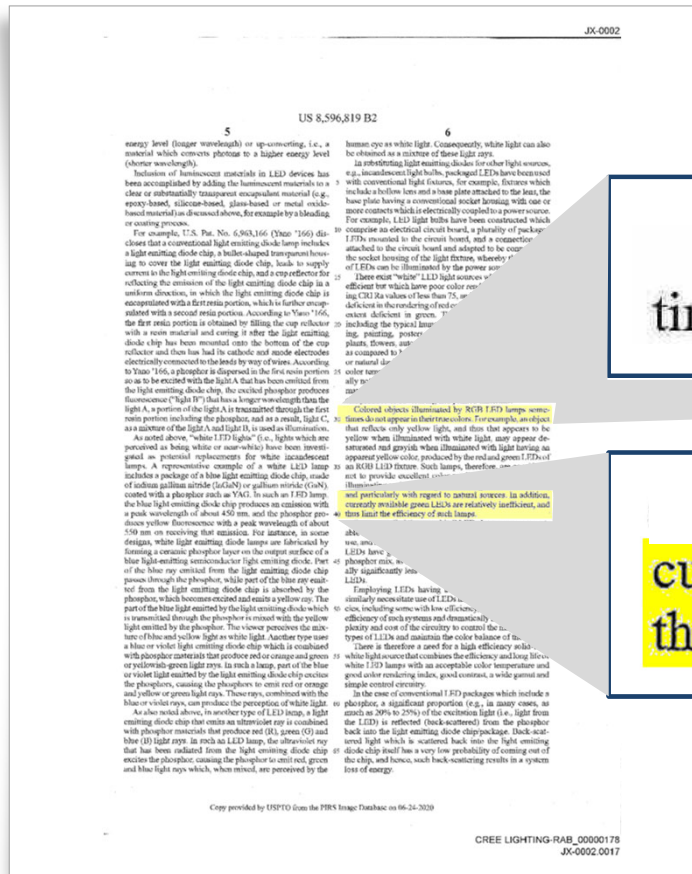
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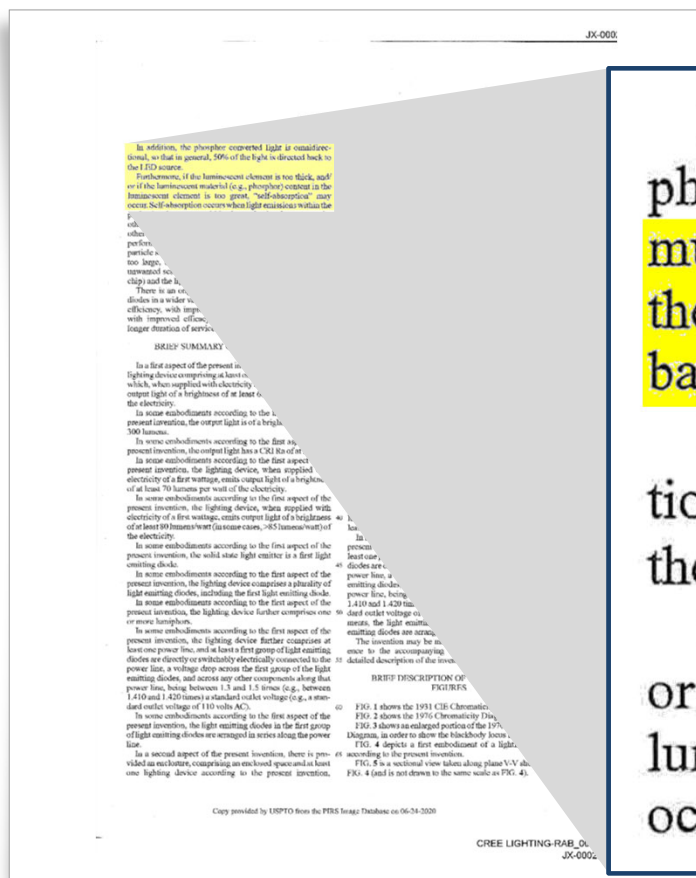
Background Section of '819 Patent – RGB LED Approach



Colored objects illuminated by RGB LED lamps sometimes do not appear in their true colors.

In addition, currently available green LEDs are relatively inefficient, and thus limit the efficiency of such lamps.

Background Section of '819 Patent – PC LED Approach



In the case of conventional LED packages which include a phosphor, a significant proportion (e.g., in many cases, as much as 20% to 25%) of the excitation light (i.e., light from the LED) is reflected (back-scattered) from the phosphor back into the light emitting diode chip/package.

In addition, the phosphor converted light is omnidirectional, so that in general, 50% of the light is directed back to the LED source.

Furthermore, if the luminescent element is too thick, and/or if the luminescent material (e.g., phosphor) content in the luminescent element is too great, "self-absorption" may occur.

Background Section of '819 Patent – PC LED Approach



Some so-called “warm white” LEDs have a more acceptable color temperature (typically 2700 to 3500 K) for indoor use, and in some cases, many (but not all) of such warm white LEDs have good CRI Ra (in the case of a yellow and red phosphor mix, as high as Ra=95), but their efficacy is generally significantly less than that of the standard “cool white” LEDs.

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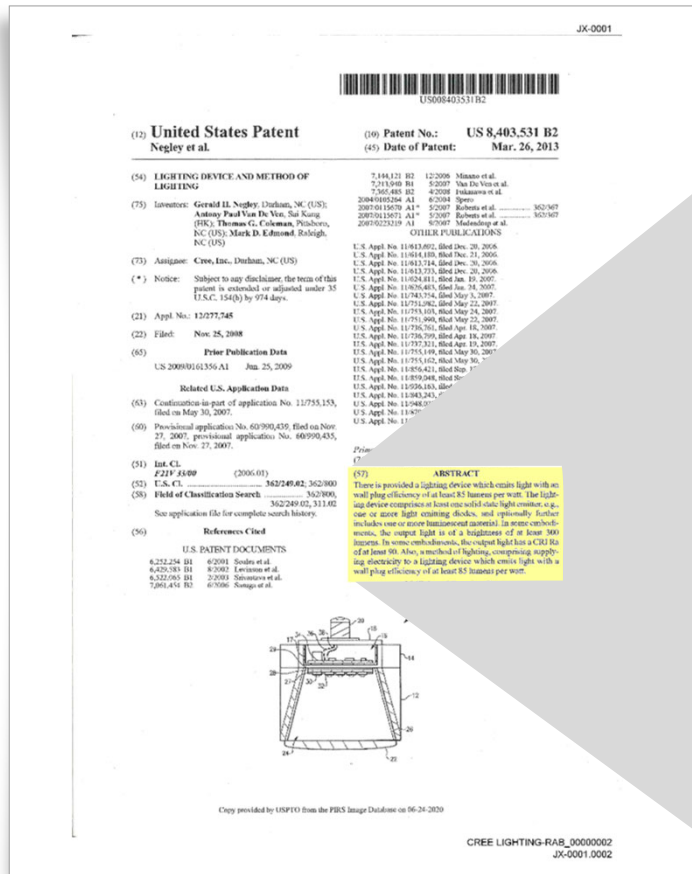
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The '531 Patent

U.S. Patent 8,403,531 – Abstract



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ABSTRACT

There is provided a lighting device which emits light with an wall plug efficiency of at least 85 lumens per watt. The lighting device comprises at least one solid state light emitter, e.g., one or more light emitting diodes, and optionally further includes one or more luminescent material. In some embodiments, the output light is of a brightness of at least 300 lumens. In some embodiments, the output light has a CRI Ra of at least 90. Also, a method of lighting, comprising supplying electricity to a lighting device which emits light with a wall plug efficiency of at least 85 lumens per watt.

Limitations of the Asserted Claims of '531 Patent

Limitation	Claims
"at least 85 lumens per watt"	1
"from about 85 to about 113.5 lumens per watt"	10
"at least 110 lumens per watt"	11
"from about 100 to about 113.5 lumens per watt"	12
"from about 85 to about 100 lumens per watt"	25
"from about 85 to about 110 lumens per watt"	26

'531 Patent – Only Disclosed Embodiment

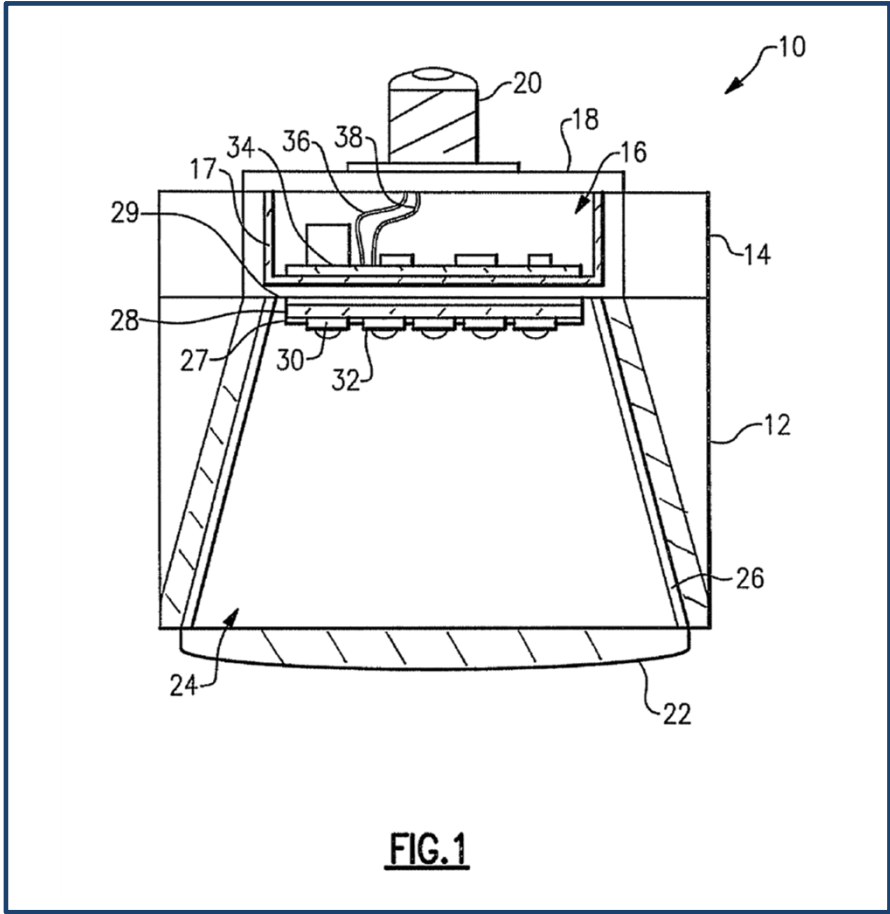
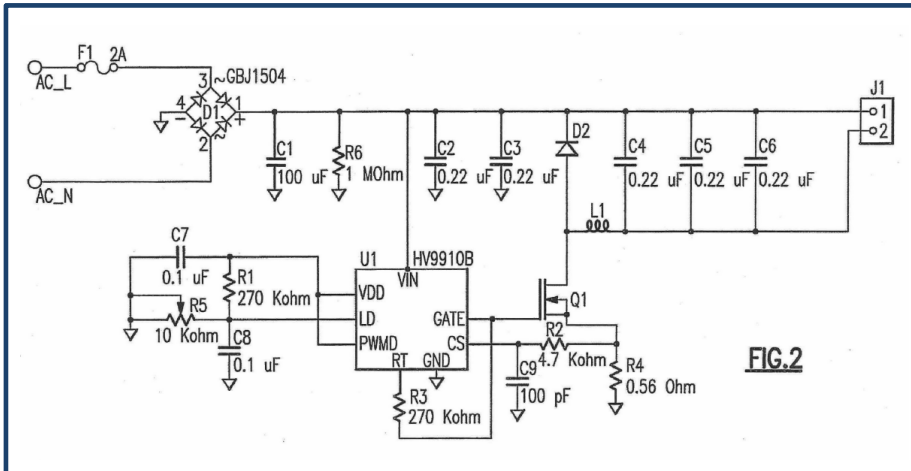


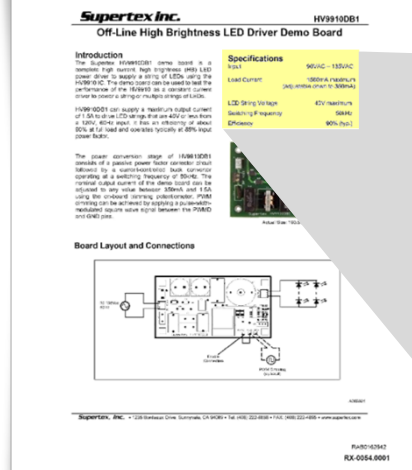
FIG. 1

The light sources are LEDs. The LEDs include non-white, non-saturated phosphor converted LEDs 30 and saturated LEDs 32. The LEDs provided light output as described in U.S. Pat. No. 7,213,940, the entirety of which is hereby incorporated herein in its entirety. In this particular embodiment, 21 phosphor converted LEDs 30 and 11 saturated LEDs 32 are utilized. The phosphor converted LEDs 30 are Cree X Lamps from Cree, Inc., Durham, N.C. and the saturated LEDs 32 are from OSRAM/Sylvania. The brightness of the parts are sufficiently high to achieve the desired light output and wall plug efficiency. The saturated LEDs 32 are OSRAM Golden Dragon parts to which lenses are attached to improve light extraction. In particular, an optical adhesive is used to attach lenses, such as the lenses from Cree XRE parts, to the Golden Dragons.

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The power supply 34 is connected to the Edison connector 20 through wires 36 and 38. A schematic of the power supply 34 is provided in FIG. 2. In FIG. 2, the string of LEDs is connected between pins 1 and 2 of J1. With regard to specific parts, the values in the present embodiment are provided in FIG. 2 for the majority of parts. With regard to parts without values, the diode D2 is a MURS140 from Digikey, the inductor L1 is 3.9 mH and the transistor Q1 is an nFET FQP3N30-ND from Digikey. The HV9910B is a universal high brightness LED driver from Supertex, Inc, Sunnyvale, Calif. The variable resistance R5 is provided to adjust the current through the LED string connected across J1.



Specifications

Input	90VAC – 135VAC
Load Current	1500mA maximum (adjustable down to 350mA)
LED String Voltage	40V maximum
Switching Frequency	50kHz
Efficiency	90% (typ.)

'531 Patent – Only Disclosed Embodiment

Input voltage: 120 Volts (V) AC, 60 Hz
Lamp current: 0.1158 Amperes (A)
LED Lamp Input Electrical Power: 5.802 Watts (W)
Total Luminous Flux: 658.7 lumens (lm)
Wall plug efficiency: 113.5 lm/W
CIE 1931 chromaticity coordinates: x 0.4511, y 0.402
Correlated Color Temperature: 2760K
CRI: 91.2
Ambient temperature: 26° C.

The device of FIGS. 1 and 2 was tested by NIST and resulted in the Following performance:

The optical performance of the system was measured internally at LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. (Morrisville, N.C.) as about a 4.5% loss in that about 95.5% of the light generated by the light sources was extracted from the lamp. The power supply efficiency was measured internally at LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. as about 93.5% in that 93.5% of the power supplied to the lamp was supplied to the load.

Conventional RGB and PC LED Approaches

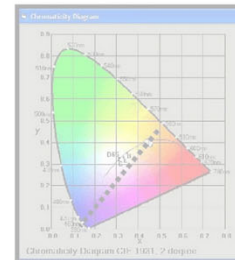
Conventional LED Warm White

- Blue dice with Phosphor conversion
 - Adding Red Phosphor and Green Phosphor
 - Low Efficacy (15 LPW to 35LPW) at the component Level due to phosphor quantum efficiency and stokes loss
 - Good CRI Ra 80 - 95
- RGB
 - Tunable CCT with “warm white”
 - ~ 40 LPW primarily due to low efficiency of Green LEDs
 - Low CRI

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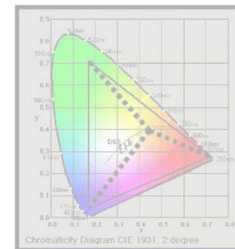
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Conventional methods - Low efficacy or poor CRI

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A Different Approach – “BSY+R”

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Combine phosphor yellow LEDs and red LEDs – “BSY+R”

Phosphor Yellow LED Lamps

– a unique area in color space (CIE 1931 (x,y) chart)

– an “unconventional color” using “conventional phosphor conversion”

“BSY+R” Technology

– Yellow phosphor Lamps in conjunction with conventional, saturated red LEDs

Using BSY lamps of various colors and “pulling” to the Black body locus with RED gives superior efficacy and color

BSY Phosphor yellow + red →

High Efficacy

High Color Quality warm white

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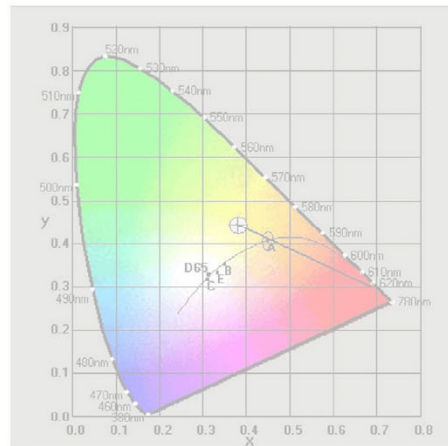
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BSY+R - High efficacy and high CRI

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Conventional vs. “BSY+R” Approaches

Prior Art – RGB

[Mixture of red, green and blue dots]

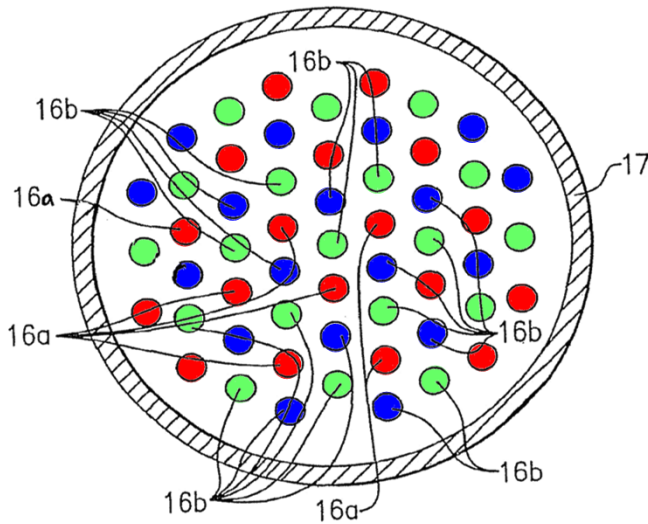


FIG. 5

Prior Art – PC LED

[All white dots]

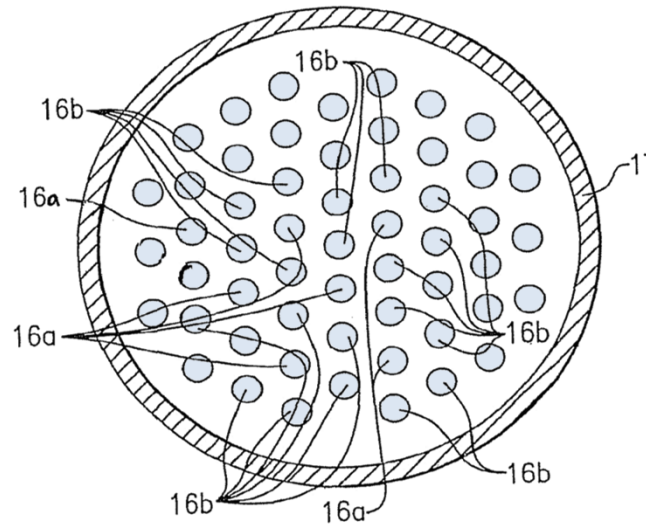


FIG. 5

BSY+R

[Combined red dots and greenish-yellowish dots]

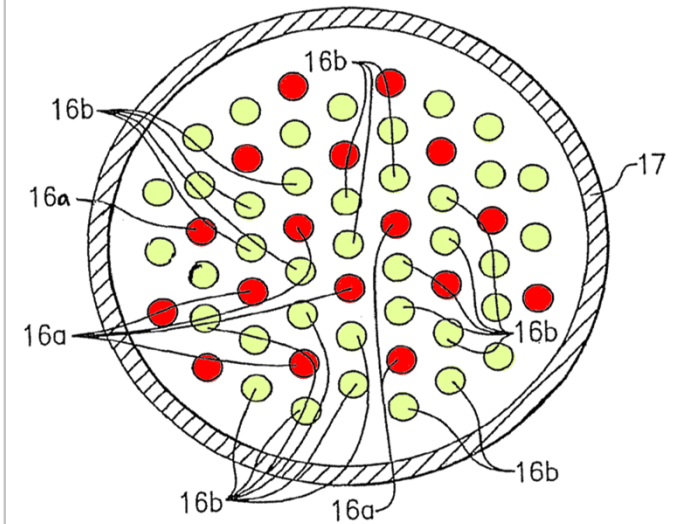


FIG. 5

At Least One LED or Solid State Light Emitter

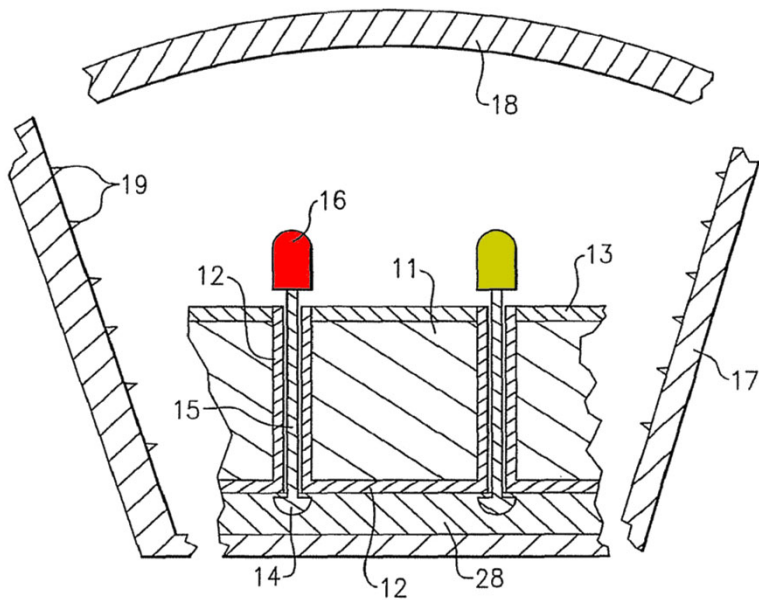


FIG. 4

1. A lighting device comprising at least one solid state light emitter, said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emitting output light having a wall plug efficiency of at least 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.

1. A lighting device comprising at least one light emitting diode, said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emitting output light with a wall plug efficiency of at least 60 lumens per watt of said electricity.

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R Roadmap Recommendations

R-1 Lamp Targets

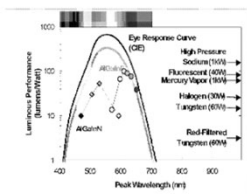


Figure 1. The luminous efficacy, $K(\lambda)$, of monochromatic radiation at wavelength λ . Also shown are the state-of-the-art luminous efficacies of monochromatic LEDs (data points), and of various white light technologies (arrows at far right). Courtesy of M.G. Craford, Lumileds.

In this Section, we discuss each of these target attributes, in the order listed. We also discuss two additional "derived" attributes. The first is ownership cost, which depends on efficiency, lifetime and purchase cost. The second is the correlated color temperature (CCT), which, together with the color-rendering index (CRI), defines the overall color quality of the light.³ Ownership cost and overall color quality are arguably the most important attributes of lighting technologies.

R-1.1 Luminous Efficacy

A primary attribute of a lighting source is its luminous efficacy (lm/W): the efficiency of the conversion from electrical power (W) to optical power (W), combined with the efficiency of the conversion from optical power (W) to the luminous flux (lumen = lm) sensed by the human eye within its spectral response range.

The luminous efficacy of monochromatic radiation $K(\lambda)$ at wavelength λ is shown in Figure 1, and is defined by $K(\lambda) = K_m \times V(\lambda)$, where $K_m = 683 \text{ lm/W}$, and $V(\lambda)$ is the CIE defined wavelength-dependent spectral luminous efficiency of photopic vision. $K(\lambda)$ represents the theoretical maximum light source efficacy at a given

wavelength. Monochromatic light at 555 nm, at which the human photopic vision sensitivity peaks, has a maximum luminous efficacy of 683 lm/W; monochromatic light at 450 nm has a maximum luminous efficacy of only 26 lm/W.

The luminous efficacy of polychromatic radiation is a convolution of its spectral power distribution $S(\lambda)$ with the luminous efficacy of radiation $K(\lambda)$:

$$K[\text{lm/W}] = K_m \frac{\int S(\lambda) V(\lambda) d\lambda}{\int S(\lambda) d\lambda} \quad \text{Eq. 2}$$

Hence, in order to produce a high luminous efficacy, the spectral power distribution $S(\lambda)$ of the light must overlap as best as possible the human photopic vision $V(\lambda)$.

Indeed, the difference between broad-band and narrow-band sources is that, for broad-band sources, the luminous efficacy is a function of the spectral power distribution $S(\lambda)$. The huge disadvantage of broad-band sources is that, for a given luminous efficacy, the spectral power distribution $S(\lambda)$ must be broad enough to cover the entire visible spectrum.

The past-four-decade evolution of total luminous efficacy of various monochromatic solid-state lighting sources is illustrated in Figure 2. Progress has been nothing short of spectacular. Recently, Lumileds and Philips announced a 610 nm (orange/red) LED with a luminous efficacy of 100lm/W; and Lumileds has reported green InGaN-based LEDs having luminous efficacies in the range 50 lm/W.

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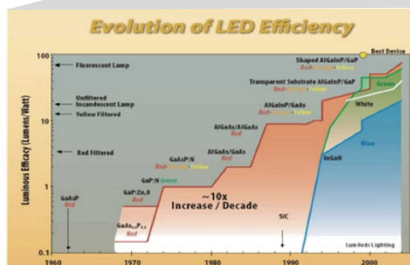


Figure 2 - Schematic of luminous efficacy.

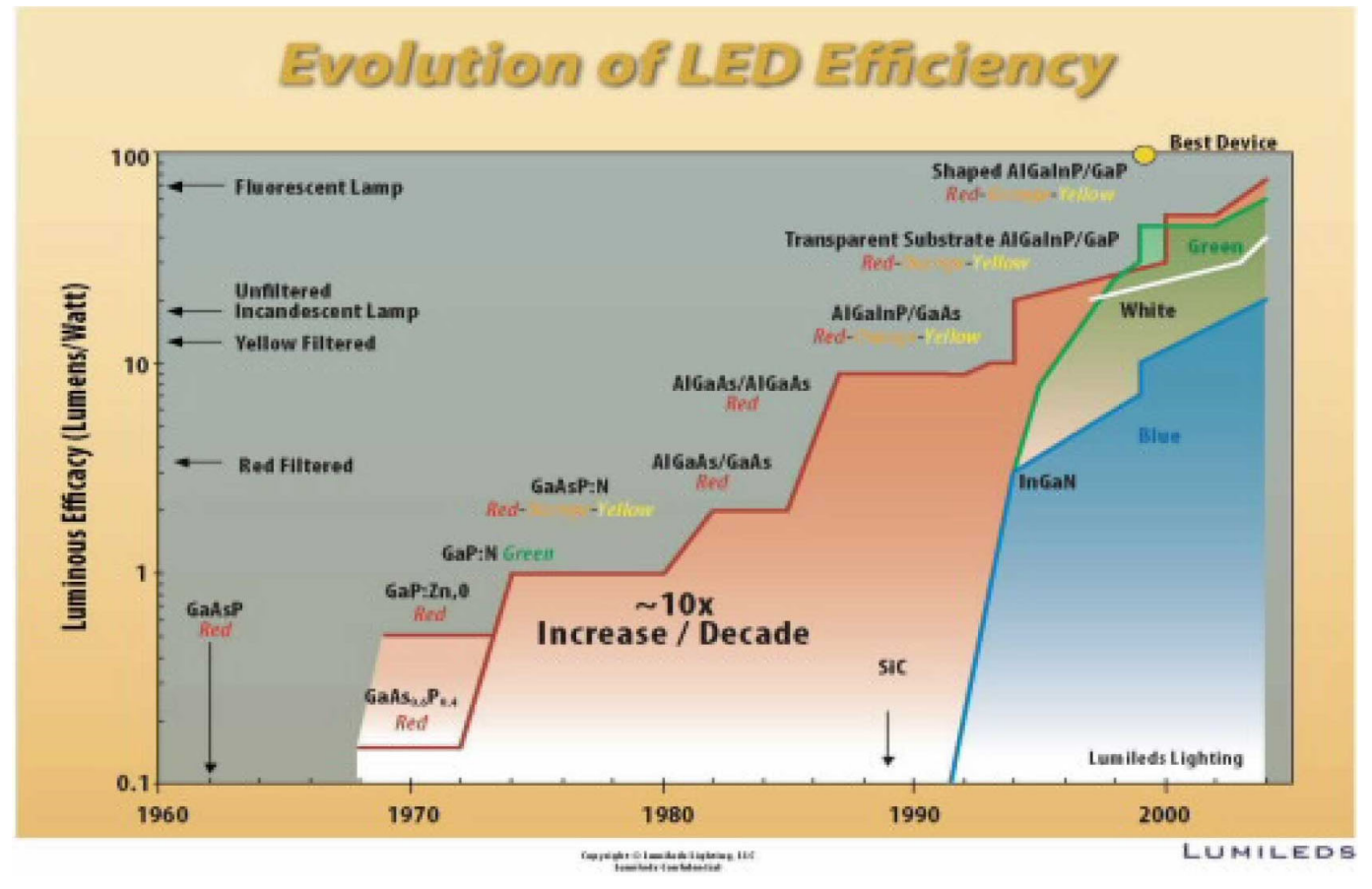
Lumileds Truncated-Inverted



OSRAM AlGaInP Micro-mirror LED



Figure 3 - A variety of approaches for extracting light from LED chips. All of this efficiency or higher.



DOE Roadmap/Craford Article

same amount to produce a 1000 lm
evacuated glass envelope

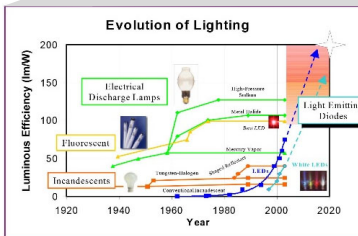


Figure 1. Sources.

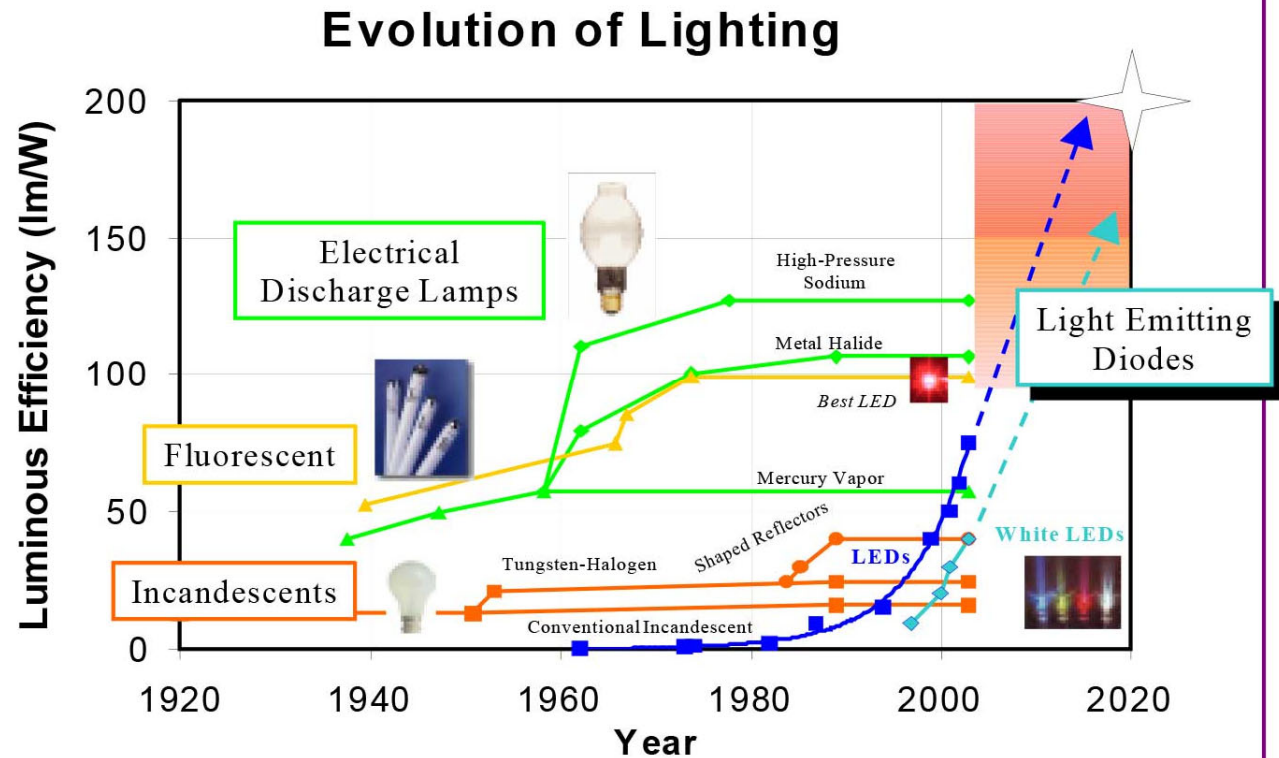
cost of an LED source. LEDs have become less than an order of magnitude more efficient for energy compared to fluorescent penetration.

LED performance has been improving. LED performance is the product of internal quantum efficiency and light extraction efficiency. Extracting the light from an LED chip is a challenge because the light has a tendency to bounce around inside the chip. In 1970 in GaAsP devices because the extraction efficiencies of over 70% reported for some devices achieving high extraction efficiency as shown in figure 3.

The Lumileds truncated-inverted-pyramid LED is a transparent substrate is replaced with a GaP substrate using wafer bonding. It has a minimum number of bounces before it escapes. In the Lumileds, Al₂O₃ growth substrate is used as a window and the epitaxial layers, w.

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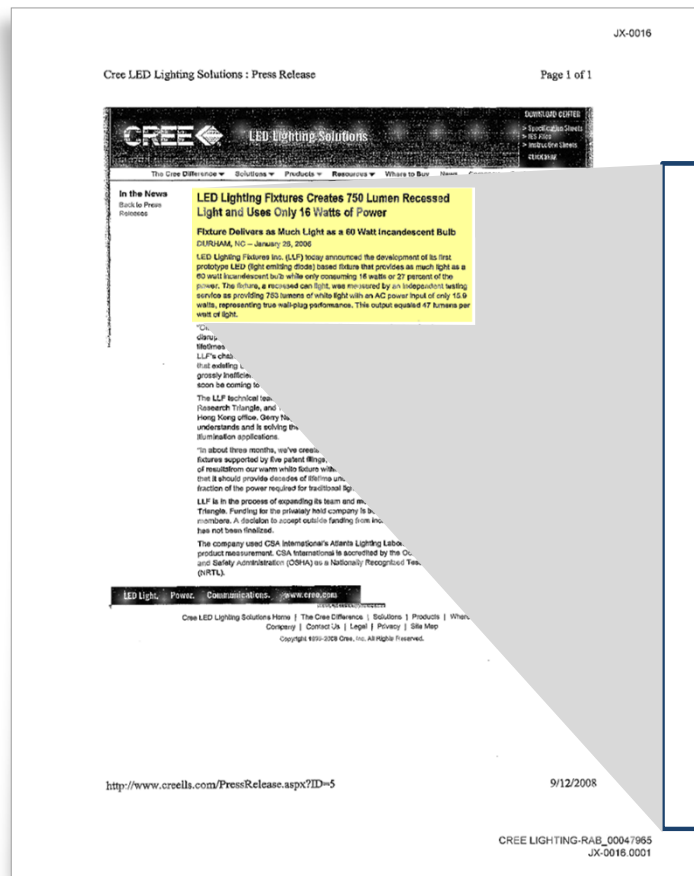
Test Data Collected

1. Total Lamp Operation Time = 20 minutes
2. Input Voltage = 117.01 V, 60Hz
3. Input Current = 323 mA
4. Input Power = 15.9 W
5. Ambient Temperature Inside Sphere = 25.4 °C
6. Luminous Flux = 753 Lumens
7. Radiant Flux = 2579 mW
8. Correlated Color Temperature = 5887 K
9. CRI = 84.46
10. X = 0.3237
11. Y = 0.3409
12. Efficacy (calculated) = 47.36 lumen/watt

Test Data Collected

1. Total Lamp Operation Time = 55 minutes
2. Input Voltage = 117.01 V, 60Hz
3. Input Current = 342 mA
4. Input Power = 16.7 W
5. Ambient Temperature Inside Sphere = 25.7 °C
6. Luminous Flux = 552.2 Lumens
7. Radiant Flux = 1837 mW
8. Correlated Color Temperature = 3557K ✓
9. CRI = 94.28
10. X = 0.4079
11. Y = 0.4055
12. Efficacy (calculated) = 33.07 lumen/watt

Timeline – January 2006 Press Release



LED Lighting Fixtures Creates 750 Lumen Recessed Light and Uses Only 16 Watts of Power

Fixture Delivers as Much Light as a 60 Watt Incandescent Bulb
DURHAM, NC – January 26, 2006

LED Lighting Fixtures Inc. (LLF) today announced the development of its first prototype LED (light emitting diode) based fixture that provides as much light as a 60 watt incandescent bulb while only consuming 16 watts or 27 percent of the power. The fixture, a recessed can light, was measured by an independent testing service as providing **753 lumens** of white light with an AC power input of only 15.9 watts, representing true wall-plug performance. **This output equaled 47 lumens per watt of light.**

Timeline – February 2006 CSA Test

Report Number: 1765845	Date Issued: February 16, 2006
Project Number: 1765845-1	Page 4 of 12

General Input and Output Measurements No Standard

Test Method Applied

The LED lamp was mounted into the integrating sphere in the lamp base up orientation. The lamp was mounted in the sphere using the lamp holder jig. Proper baffling of the lamp was visually verified around the horizontal plane of the opening in the sphere for the measurement surface. The lamp was then energized at rated input voltage and frequency (measurement test binding points). The lamp was allowed to stabilize before any measurements. The LED lamp was considered photometrically stable after a minimum time period of 15 minutes and stable at the LM-60 Standard. The photometric measurements were taken using an integrating sphere with an auxiliary power analyzer. The temperature was measured using a thermocouple placed as close as possible to the lamp.

Test Data Collected

1. Total Lamp Operation Time = 15 minutes
2. Input Voltage = 117.05 V, 60Hz
3. Input Current = 271.9 mA
4. Input Power = 13.089 W
5. Input Power Factor = 0.411
6. Ambient Temperature Inside Sphere = 25.1 °C
7. Luminous Flux = 700.3 Lumens
8. Radiant Flux = 2135 mW
9. Correlated Color Temperature = 2904 K
10. CRI = 92.81
11. X = 0.4425
12. Y = 0.4038
13. Efficacy (calculated) = 53.50 lumen/watt

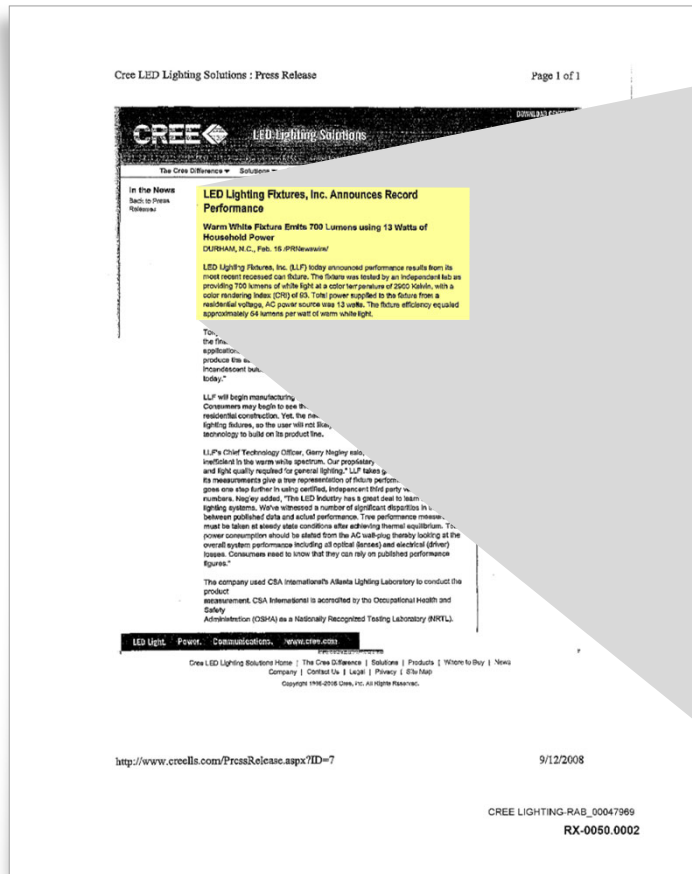
Test Equipment

1. 926
2. A46
3. AC100
4. DAS1160
5. LPS200
6. PA101
7. TI1100

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Timeline – February 2006 Press Release



LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. Announces Record Performance

Warm White Fixture Emits 700 Lumens using 13 Watts of Household Power

DURHAM, N.C., Feb. 16 /PRNewswire/

LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. (LLF) today announced performance results from its most recent recessed can fixture. The fixture was tested by an independent lab as providing **700 lumens** of white light at a color temperature of 2900 Kelvin, with a color rendering index (CRI) of 93. Total power supplied to the fixture from a residential voltage, AC power source was 13 watts. **The fixture efficiency equaled approximately 54 lumens per watt of warm white light.**

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Timeline – April 2006 CSA Tests

Test Data Collected At 110V, 60Hz Input

1. Total Lamp Operation Time = 35 minutes
2. Input Voltage = 110.03 V, 60Hz
3. Input Current = 169.4 mA
4. Input Power = 7.446 W
5. Input Power Factor = 0.4
6. Ambient Temperature Inside Sphere = 24.8 °C
7. Luminous Flux = 594.1 Lumens
8. Radiant Flux = 864.8 mW
9. Correlated Color Temperature = 3124 K
10. CRI = 92.24
11. X = 0.4227
12. Y = 0.3888
13. Efficacy (calculated) = 79.79 lumen/watt

Test Data Collected At 115V, 60Hz Input

14. Total Lamp Operation Time = 112 minutes
15. Input Voltage = 115.03 V, 60Hz
16. Input Current = 213.2 mA
17. Input Power = 9.737 W
18. Input Power Factor = 0.399
19. Ambient Temperature Inside Sphere = 25.5 °C
20. Luminous Flux = 707.9 Lumens
21. Radiant Flux = 1030 mW
22. Correlated Color Temperature = 3189 K
23. CRI = 91.66
24. X = 0.4184
25. Y = 0.3866
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Timeline – April 2006 Press Release for April 2006 CSA Test Results (115V)

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Latest prototype fixture operates using 15 percent of the power of standard 65-watt incandescent bulbs

Morrisville, N.C., April 24, 2006

LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. (LLF) announced today that independent third-party testing has confirmed that the company's recessed luminaire has an efficacy of 73 lumens per watt, a staggering gain in efficacy of 35 percent over test results of its predecessor just two short months ago. This advance paves the way for wider acceptance of light-emitting diode (LED) technology in the U.S. lighting market, estimated at \$12 billion.

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Timeline – May 2006 Press Release for April 2006 CSA Test Results (110V)

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LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. Sets World Record at 80 Lumens per Watt for Warm White Fixture

Company to Demonstrate Initial Products to Target Customers During Lighting Conference

LAS VEGAS, May 30 /PRNewswire/ -- LED Lighting Fixtures Inc. (LLF) today announced another record in solid state fixture performance at 80 lumens per watt from its most recent recessed downlight. This product was tested by an independent lab as providing 600 lumens of warm white light at a color temperature of 3100 Kelvin, with a color rendering index (CRI) of 92. Total power supplied to the fixture from a residential voltage AC power source was 7.5 watts. The company used LEDs supplied by Cree, Inc. (Nasdaq: CREE). These results reflect a ten percent increase in efficiency from the company's previous record of 73 lumens per watt announced on April 24, 2006.

Timeline - May 5, 2006 Project List

Project Name	Description	Purpose	Str	CCT	Lumens	Watts	L/W	CRI	CSA	Location
T1 - cool white	Nichia lamps + Cotco RED	First press release		5500	753	16	47		yes	USA office
T1 - warm white	Nichia lamps (dipped) + Cotco RED			2800					yes	USA office
T2	XT+ cotco red	Second press release	4	2800	700	13	54	93	yes	USA office
L1		Customer demonstration in small volumetric fixture		3400						USA office
L1-1		Light engine for 2' x 4' fixtures for Lightfair		3400			70			
D1	18 x Xlamp CW ring type McPET reflector hat	Photo used in early company presentations	1	5500	600		30			Tony's house
D2	18 x SS WW, ring type cone reflector	Not completed	1	2800						USA office
D3-1	3 strings, 117 x XT31, 55 x EPI 600mcd 616nm AlInGaP	Third press release	3	3200	700	10	73	92	yes	USA conference room
D3-2	Per D3-1- denser packing, improved color mixing	mark II	3	3400	700		70			
D3-3	Per D3-1- improved housing	Lightfair demos	3	3400	700		70			
D4	4 string, XT33 + Osram 616 reds	Lightfair press release	4	3400	700		90			

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Timeline – May 22, 2006 Email

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Message
From: Gerald Negley [mailto:gergy_negley@ledlightingfixtures.com]
Sent: 5/22/2006 7:06:25 PM
To: Cynthia Merrell [cindy_merrell@ledlightingfixtures.com]
CC: mike_rapier@cree.com; Neal Hunter [nh1313@aol.com]; tonyvdv@ledlightingfixtures.com
Subject: RE: No LPW record at this time

From: Gerald Negley [mailto:gergy_negley@ledlightingfixtures.com]
Subject: No LPW record at this time

The 80 LPW number is real and a bench mark -- but does use a lower current density (standard industry trick) to achieve. I must also tell you that we were trying to use this same "trick" to get to 90 lpw..... but the samples just fell short....way short.

paradox!
Let's see the opinions of others.

Knowing that each successive gain that we will release is getting dramatically tougher..... I think we should consider showing this result as we are approaching the onset of Zeno's dichotomy paradox!

to: mke_rapier@cree.com; Neal Hunter [nh1313@aol.com]; tonyvdv@ledlightingfixtures.com; mke_rapier@cree.com; Neal Hunter [nh1313@aol.com]; tonyvdv@ledlightingfixtures.com
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Working on the numbers -- but it looks like we will fall way short of the 90 LPW performance goal..... or even my predicted minimum of 85 LPW.

Our best measured number to date is 79.79 LPW (600 lumens) as measured by CSA about a month ago. So far, this attempt is at 640 lumens (77 LPW).

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Timeline – September 2007 CALiPER Tests

DOE SSL CALiPER Report

Product Test Reference: CALiPER 07-31 Downlight Lamp

DOE TEST REPORT 07-31 – SUMMARY PAGE

Product Category: Downlight Retrofit Lamp
Product Description: LLF L8C White LED Recessed Lighting Fixture 6" downlight module – Incandescent color 2700K

Date of Test(s):
CALiPER 07-31-01B September 7, 2007
CALiPER 07-31-02B September 7, 2007
CALiPER 07-31-01C September 10, 2007
CALiPER 07-31-02C September 10, 2007

Laboratory:

List of Tests Performed:

Total Luminance Light Output:
CALiPER 07-31-01B 730.0 lm
CALiPER 07-31-02B 730.0 lm

DOE SSL CALiPER Report

Product Test Reference: CALiPER 07-47 Downlight Lamp

DOE TEST REPORT 07-47 – SUMMARY PAGE

Product Category: Downlight Retrofit Lamp
Product Description: LLF L8C White LED Recessed Lighting Fixture 6" downlight module – Neutral color 3500K

Date of Test(s):
CALiPER 07-47-01 September 7, 2007
CALiPER 07-47-02 September 10, 2007

Laboratory:

List of Tests Performed:

Total Luminance Light Output:
Luminance Efficiency:
Luminance Center Beam Candle Power:
Luminance Beam Angle:

Product Photo:



Photo source: PHIL

Another version of this product was also tested with CCT = 2700K. See CALiPER 07-31.

Comment: The L8C product received the Grand Prize in the Lighting for Tomorrow 2007 SoLar lighting competition. It is listed on purchased products.



DOE SSL CALiPER Report

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Acquisition Notes

Purchased from a Distributor 8/2007

LED Lamp/Package References (Product literature; 7/2007; www.llfinc.com)

Timeline – September 2007 CALiPER Test Data

Test	“Wall Plug Efficiency”
CALiPER 07-31-01B	59.9 LPW
CALiPER 07-31-01C	62.4 LPW
CALiPER 07-31-02B	60.1 LPW
CALiPER 07-31-02C	62.4 LPW
CALiPER 07-47-01	61.3 LPW
CALiPER 07-47-02	62.4 LPW

Timeline – November 2007 NIST Test and Press Release

The device of FIGS. 1 and 2 was tested by NIST and resulted in the following performance:

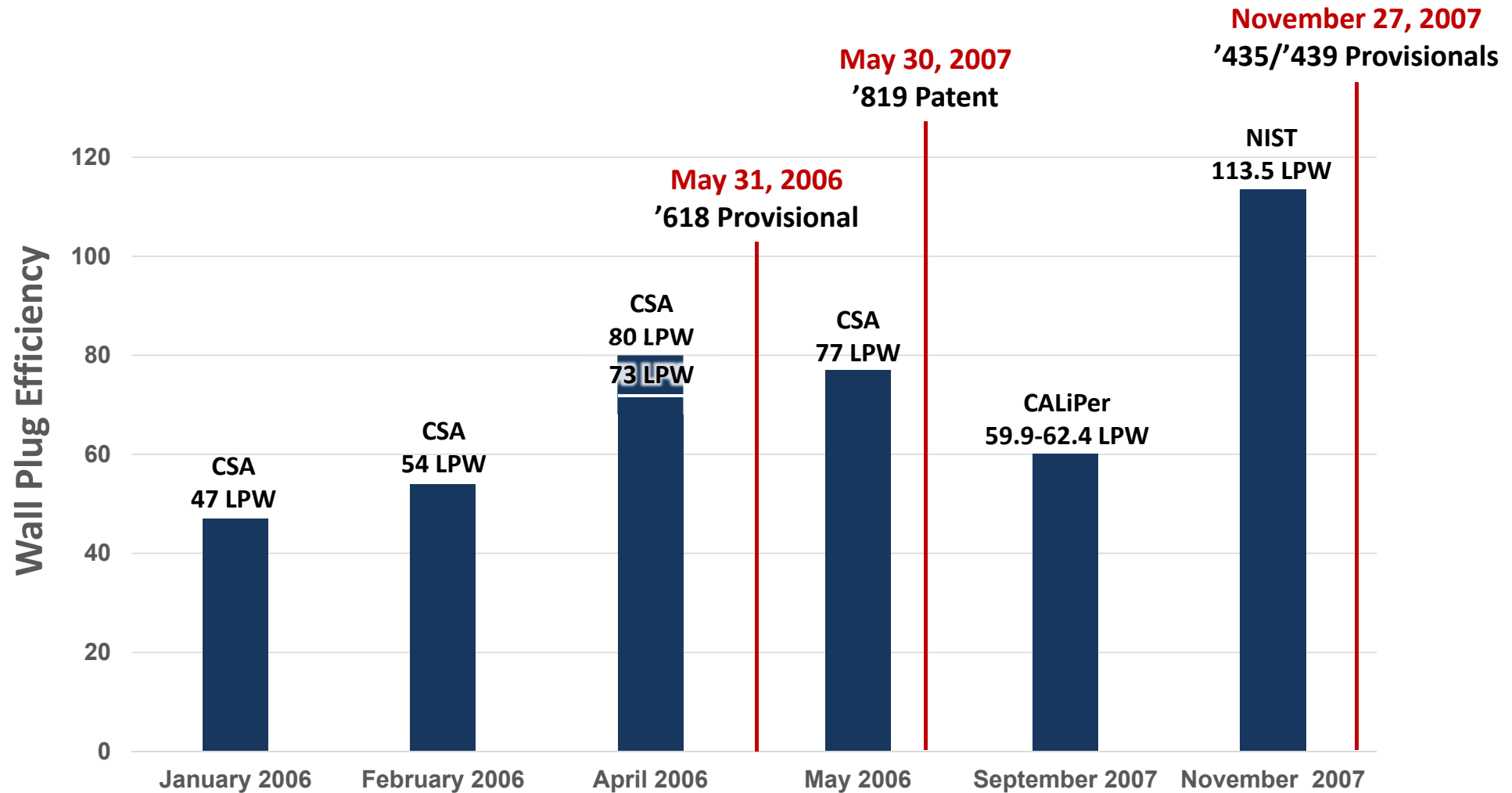
Input voltage: 120 Volts (V) AC, 60 Hz
Lamp current: 0.1158 Amperes (A)
LED Lamp Input Electrical Power: 5.802 Watts (W)
Total Luminous Flux: 658.7 lumens (lm)
Wall plug efficiency: 113.5 lm/W
CIE 1931 chromaticity coordinates: x 0.4511, y 0.4021
Correlated Color Temperature: 2760K
CRI: 91.2
Ambient temperature: 26° C.

New Lamp from LED Lighting Fixtures Shatters World Record for Energy Efficiency

LLF's High CRI Warm-white Lamp Consumes Less Than 6 Watts and Could Replace the Conventional 65 Watt Lightbulb

Morrisville, NC, November 28, 2007 - LED Lighting Fixtures, Inc. (LLF), which developed and markets the only viable indoor light fixture for general illumination from LED light sources, announced today the results from its prototype PAR 38 self-ballasted lamp. LLF's LRP-38 lamp set a new standard for energy efficient lighting by producing 659 lumens at a mere 5.8 watts of wall-plug power, resulting in 113.6 delivered lumens per watt. The LLF lamp would use less than 9% and 30% of the energy consumed by incandescent and fluorescent sources, respectively. Using LLF's proprietary technology platform, the lamp emitted a warm incandescent-like color of 2760 Kelvin with a superb color rendering index of 91.2 and does not contain any toxic mercury. Steady state testing was conducted by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) in Washington, DC.

Timeline – LLF Test Results



Enablement

Wands Factors

- 1 The breadth of the claims
- 2 The nature of the invention
- 3 The state of the prior art
- 4 The level of one of ordinary skill
- 5 The level of predictability in the art
- 6 The amount of direction provided by the inventor
- 7 The existence of working examples
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April 2006 CSA Prototype Is Not First Embodiment

Project Name	Description	Purpose	Str	CCT	Lumens	Watts	L/W	CRI	CSA	Location
D3-1	3 strings, 117 x XT31, 55 x EPI 600mcd 616nm AlInGaP	Third press release	3	3200	700	10	73	92	yes	USA conference room

Referring to FIG. 7, each of the greenish-yellowish emitters 16b includes a blue light emitting diode chip 31 (namely, a Cree XT LED (C460XT290) die with a peak wavelength range of from about 450 nm to about 465 nm, and optical power greater than 24 mW), a lead frame 15 having a reflective surface 32, a copper wire 33, an encapsulant region 34, and a broad spectrum emitting lumiphor 35.

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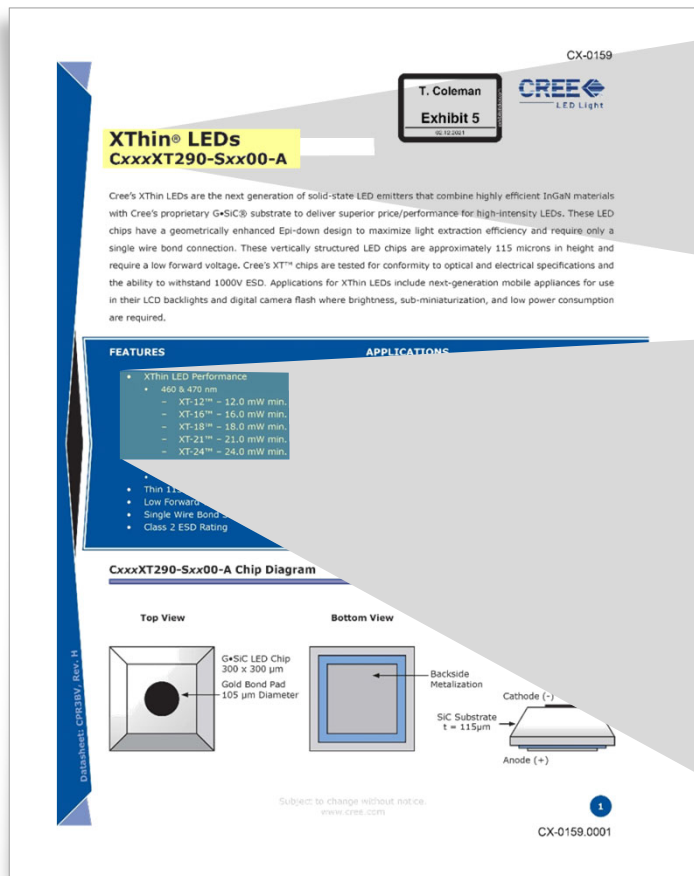
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XThin® LEDs
CxxxXT290-Sxx00-A

– XT-24™ – 24.0 mW min.

C460XT290



XThin® LEDs CxxxXT290-Sxx00-A

- XThin LED Performance
 - ♦ 460 & 470 nm
 - XT-12™ – 12.0 mW min.
 - XT-16™ – 16.0 mW min.
 - XT-18™ – 18.0 mW min.
 - XT-21™ – 21.0 mW min.
 - XT-24™ – 24.0 mW min.

Components Used in April 2006 Prototype

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February 2006 CSA Test

Model LLF-T3
Report 1765845
 1765845-
Project Number 1
Date Issued 2/16/2006

Efficacy 53.50

SF	time	chip	phos %	dispen	x	y	rows	col qty	L tot	L	vf tot	vf	Amps	watts	L/W	cct/dom	CRI
3-2		XT24 465	7.5%	dome	0.2931	0.3182	1	5	18.944	3.789	15.00	3	0.02	0.300	63.1	7842	76
1-7	10:00	XT24 465	10.0%	dome	0.3575	0.4309	1	5	20.797	4.159	15.05	3.01	0.01999	0.301	69.1	4863	66
1-2	8:00	XT24 465	10.0%	dome	0.3763	0.4675	1	5	20.465	4.093	15.00	3	0.02	0.300	68.2	4556	62
1-4		XT24 465	12.0%	dome	0.4159	0.5260	1	5	19.781	3.956	15.15	3.03	0.02	0.303	65.3	4074	53
3-3		XT24 465	7.5%	flat	0.2181	0.1977	1	5	14.168	2.834	15.00	3	0.02	0.300	47.2	20000	0
1-3		XT24 465	10.0%	flat	0.3251	0.3775	1	5	19.060	3.812	15.00	3	0.02	0.300	63.5	5769	71
1-5		XT24 465	12.0%	flat	0.3319	0.3904	1	5	19.447	3.889	15.15	3.03	0.02	0.303	64.2	5528	70
1-1	8:00	XT27 455	10%	dome	0.3956	0.4793	1	8	35.24	4.404	25.76	3.22	0.0200	0.516	68.3	4225	61
1-3	9:10	XT27 455	10%	flat	0.3552	0.4018	2	18	156.3	4.341	57.70	3.21	0.04072	2.350	66.5	4836	67
1-4	9:30	XT27 455	10%	dome	0.3896	0.4602	2	18	161.6	4.489	57.63	3.20	0.04023	2.318	69.7	4257	64
1-5	9:45	XT27 455	10%	dome	0.3857	0.4535	2	18	165.6	4.599	57.84	3.21	0.04032	2.332	71.0	4308	64
1-6	10:00	R8Y12W6			0.4427	0.4087	2	22	96.744	2.199	37.45	1.70	0.04016	1.504	64.3	2941	92
1-7	10:15	R8Y12W6			0.4443	0.4099	2	22	94.698	2.152	37.10	1.69	0.04056	1.505	62.9	2924	92
1-8	10:22	R6Y12W6			0.4288	0.4139	2	20	90.336	2.258	34.88	1.74	0.04009	1.398	64.6	3217	88
1-9	10:35	R10Y12W6			0.4552	0.4044	2	24	98.46	2.051	39.19	1.63	0.04014	1.573	62.6	2716	93
1-10	12:45	R10Y12W6			0.4543	0.4021	2	24	100.282	2.089	39.13	1.63	0.04109	1.608	62.4	2711	93
3-1		14mil 616						5	8.714	1.743	10.63	2.126	0.02	0.213	41	613	0
1-1		14mil 625						5	6.955	1.391	10.41	2.082	0.02	0.208	33	620	0

Prior Art Invalidity

The Fini/Nakamura Technical Report

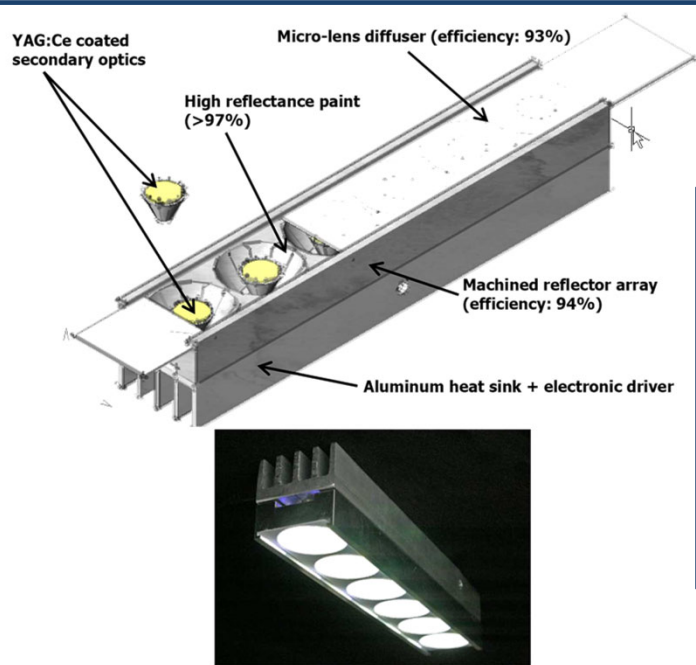


Fig. 64. Fixture incorporating six SPE LED packages. The micro-lens diffuser is not shown in the picture for clarity.

LED fixture using SPE packages

Multiple SPE LEDs were packaged into a fixture and its performance was measured. The goal was to create an efficient and reliable white light source package using the SPE concept. Six 3 W blue LEDs were fitted with YAG:Ce-coated secondary optics and mounted inside a fixture housing with an aluminum heat sink and electronic driver (Fig. 64). The fixture array consisted of a machined reflector with 94% efficiency and a micro-lens diffuser with 93% efficiency. The reflector and micro-lens diffuser combined increase mix uniformity and direct light output in the desired direction. The interior mounting space for the SPE LEDs (*i.e.*, the reflector) was painted with a high-reflectance paint (>97%).

The Fini/Nakamura Technical Report

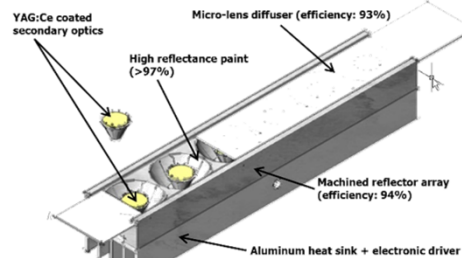


Fig. 64. Fixture incorporating six SPE LED packages for clarity.

The efficacy, luminous flux, CCT, and color sphere. Five following:

- Efficacy: 36 lm/W (at 700 mA)
- Luminous flux: 66 lm (at 50 mA)
- CCT: ~6500 K
- CRI: > 70
- CIE x,y: x: 0.3084, y: 0.3414 without diffuser and x: 0.3139, y: 0.3513 with diffuser (at 700 mA in both cases)

- Efficacy: 36 lm/W (at 700 mA) to 78 lm/W (at 50 mA)
- Luminous flux: 66 lm (at 50 mA) to 541 lm (at 700 mA)
- CCT: ~6500 K
- CRI: > 70
- CIE x,y: x: 0.3084, y: 0.3414 without diffuser and x: 0.3139, y: 0.3513 with diffuser (at 700 mA in both cases)

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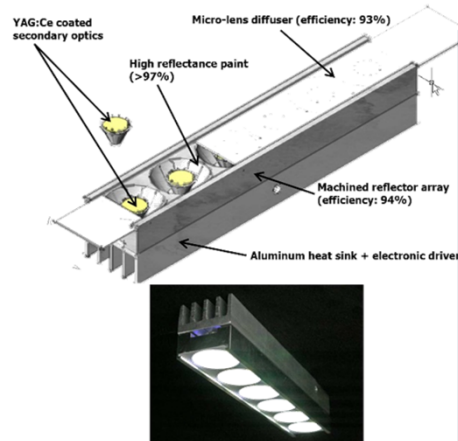


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The efficacy, luminous flux, chromaticity coordinates (x,y), correlated color temperature (CCT), and color rendering index (CRI) of the SPE fixture were measured with a goniophotometer. Figures 65 and 66 illustrate the performance results. The fixture data is as follows:

- Efficacy: 36 lm/W (at 700 mA) to 78 lm/W (at 50 mA)
- Luminous flux: 66 lm (at 50 mA) to 541 lm (at 700 mA)
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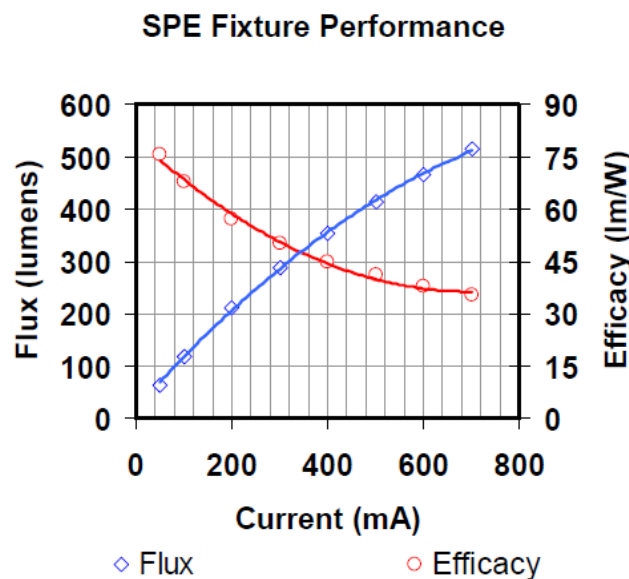


Fig. 65. Measured efficacy and flux for the SPE fixture.

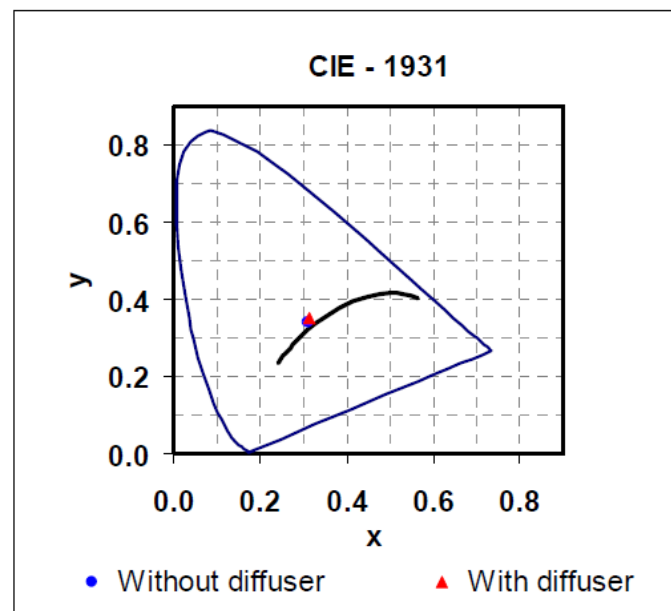


Fig. 66. Chromaticity coordinates of the SPE fixture with and without the micro-lens diffuser.

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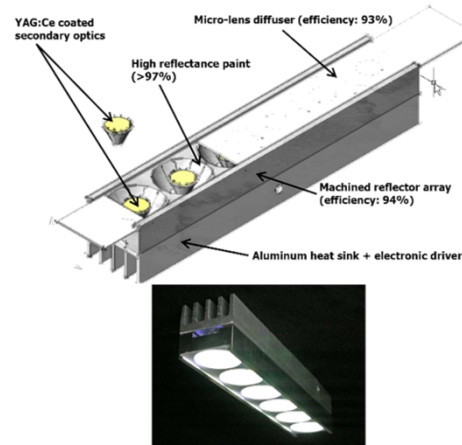


Fig. 64. Fixture incorporating six SPE LED packages. The micro-lens diffuser is not shown in the picture for clarity.

The efficacy, luminous flux, chromaticity coordinates (x,y), correlated color temperature (CCT), and color rendering index (CRI) of the SPE fixture were measured with an integrating sphere. Figures 65 and 66 illustrate the performance results. The fixture demonstrated the following:

- Efficacy: 36 lm/W (at 700 mA) to 78 lm/W (at 50 mA)
- Luminous flux: 66 lm (at 50 mA) to 541 lm (at 700 mA)
- CCT: ~6500 K
- CRI: > 70
- CIE x,y: x: 0.3084, y: 0.3414 without diffuser and x: 0.3139, y: 0.3513 with diffuser (at 700 mA in both cases)

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59. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 80 to about 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.

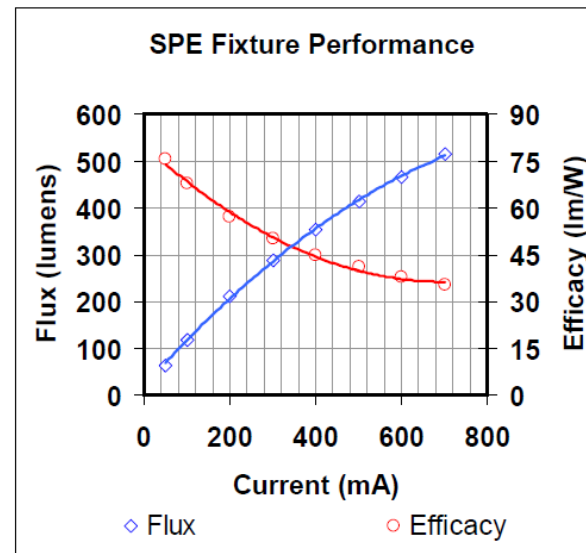


Fig. 65. Measured efficacy and flux for the SPE fixture.

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24. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said output light is perceived as warm white.

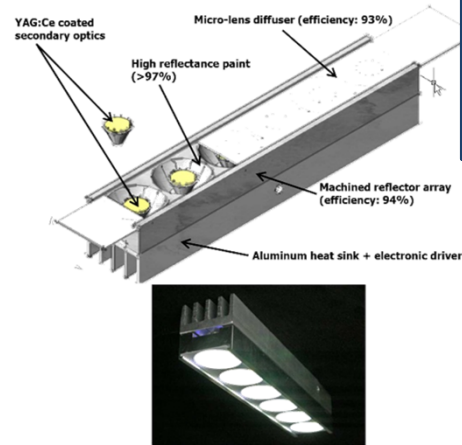


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Term	Construction
“perceived as warm white”	“perceived as light having a color temperature between approximately 2700K and 3500K”

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Extracting phosphor-scattered photons to improve white LED efficiency

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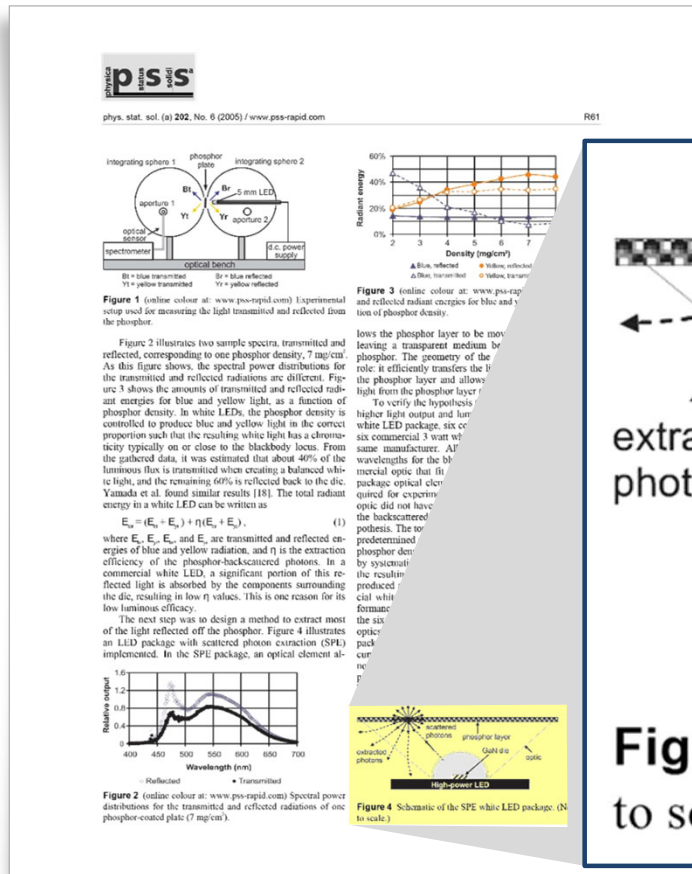


Figure 4 Schematic of the SPE white LED package. (Not drawn to scale.)

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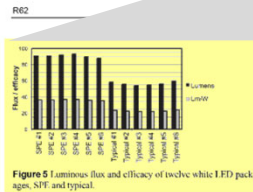


Figure 5 Luminous flux and efficacy of twelve white LED packages, SPE and typical.

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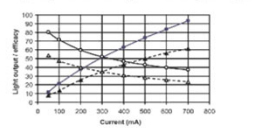


Figure 6 Light output and efficacy as function of current for the SPE and typical white LED.

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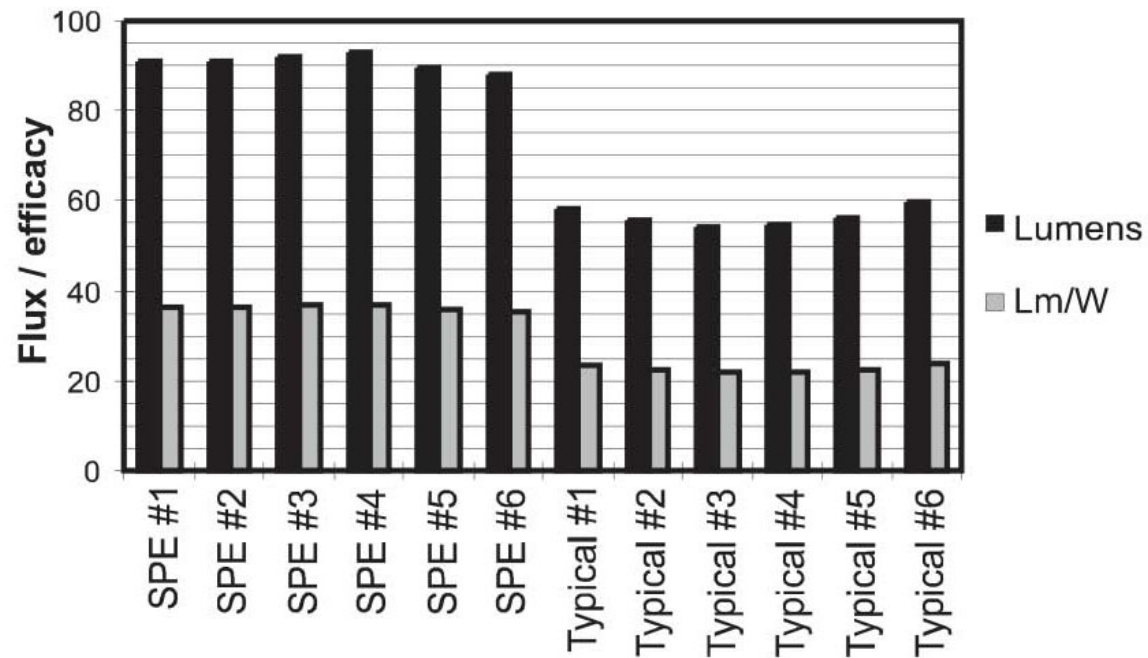


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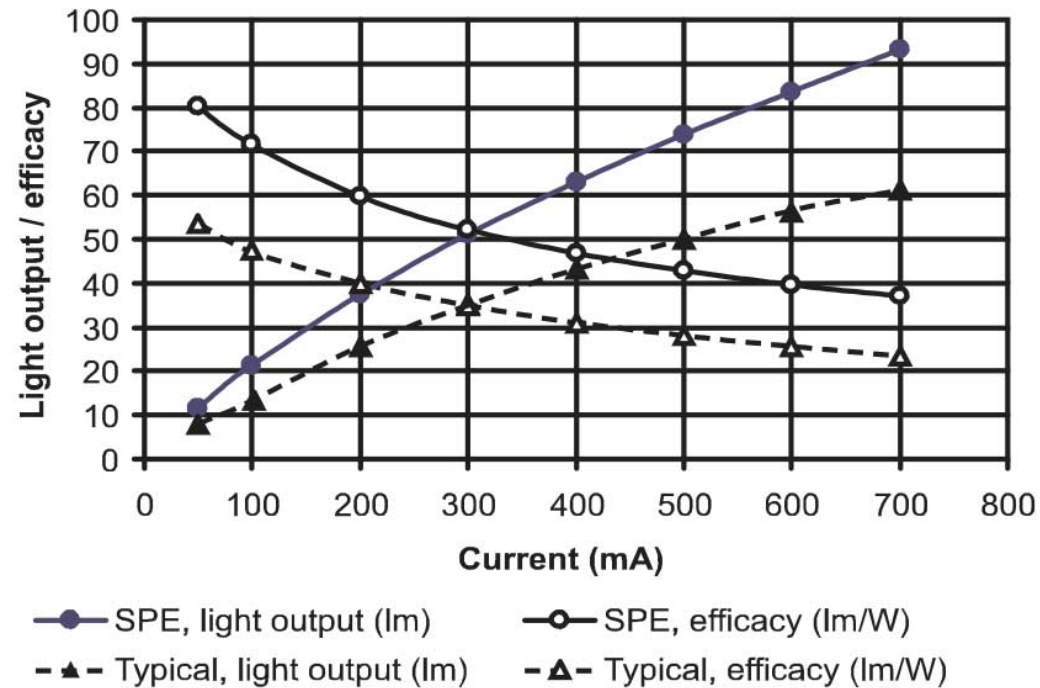
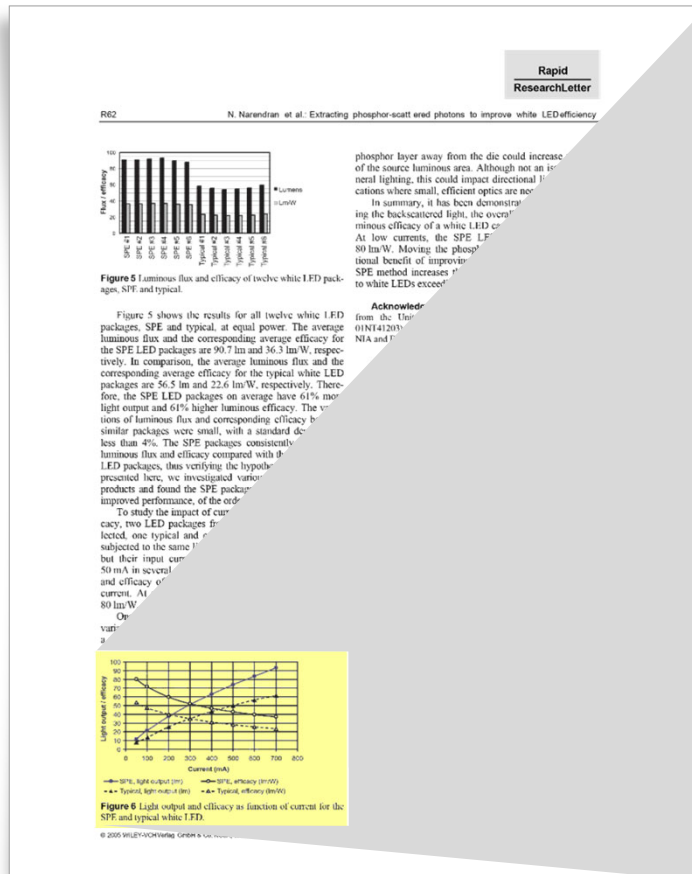


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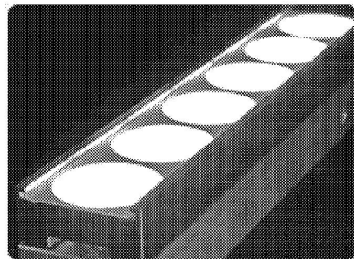
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Breakthrough Technology Accelerates Solid-State Lighting

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A research group, led by Dr. Narendran, developed a method to extract the backscattered photons by moving the phosphor away from the semiconductor and shaping the LED lens geometry. When combined, these changes allow the photons that would typically be absorbed inside the LED to escape as visible light. The new technology is patent pending.

"Demonstration of this new 'remote phosphor' concept by Rensselaer's Lighting Research Center is an exciting development for solid-state lighting,"

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therefore slightly more efficient, package but it isn't suitable for practical use as it cannot effectively dissipate the heat generated by the LED.) The far-field radiation pattern of a typical TO-39 header lamp is shown in figure 14. Of particular note is the near perfect lambertian emission pattern, a result of the micro-lens LED design, which is considered particularly desirable for optical design purposes.

Year 3 Milestone Lamp Demonstrator

At the end of Year 3, we demonstrated high flux white lamp modules with output as high as 1040 lumens at an efficacy of 87 lumens per watt when operated at a drive current of 350 mA per chip (~50 A/cm²). Figure 15 shows a picture of the finished module. The array of emitters was mounted to a metal core printed circuit board attached to a finned metal heat sink for efficient heat dissipation. As far as possible, the modules utilized materials (e.g. solder, phosphor, clear encapsulant) developed for Cree's XLamp products since they have demonstrated proven reliability under high flux operating conditions. The modules' total emitting area was kept within a 4" diameter circle, i.e. the same footprint as a PAR 38 incandescent light source.

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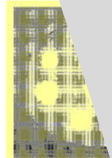


Figure 15: Experimental lamp module consisting of individual emitters on circuit board.

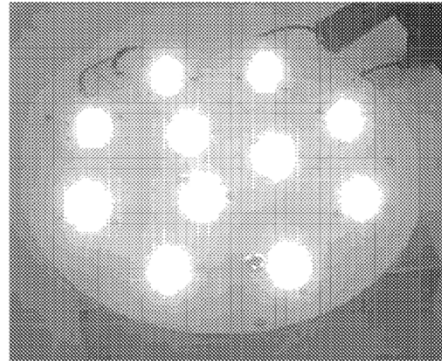


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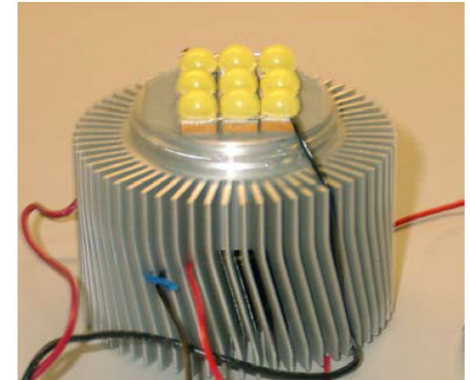


Figure 12. A prototype, 1000 lumens solid-state lamp indicative of the state-of-the-art at the start of the project.

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Metric	Array Results		
Diode Current Density (A/cm ²)	50	75	100
Array Input (W)	12.0	21.5	29.6
Light Output (lumens)	1040	1600	1960
Efficacy (lm/W)	87	74	66
CCT (K)	5850	5900	5950

Table 2: High flux lamp module performance at the target diode current density of 52 A/cm². Array #2 has higher efficacy but lower total luminous output.

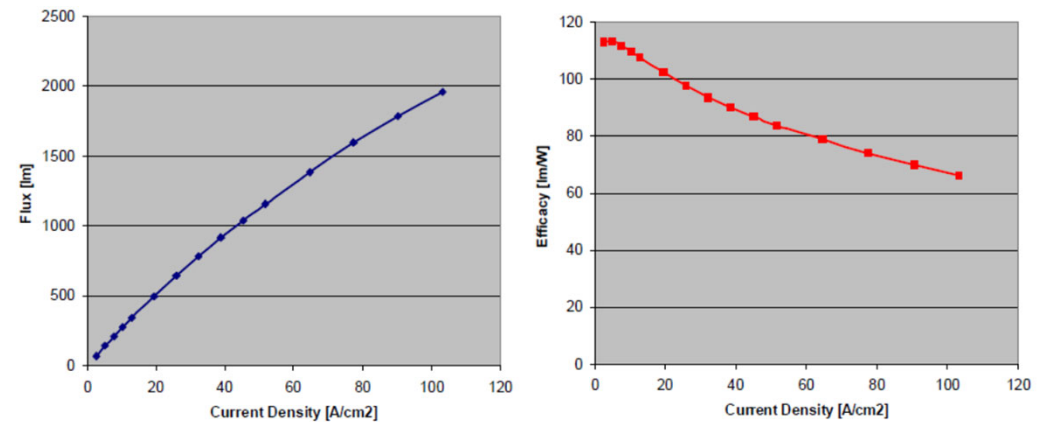
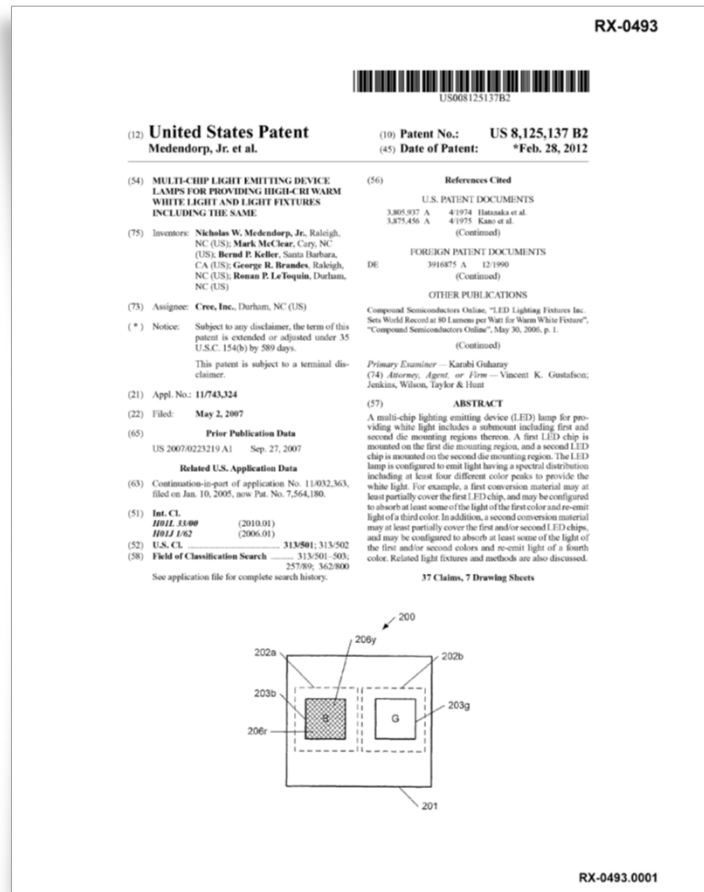
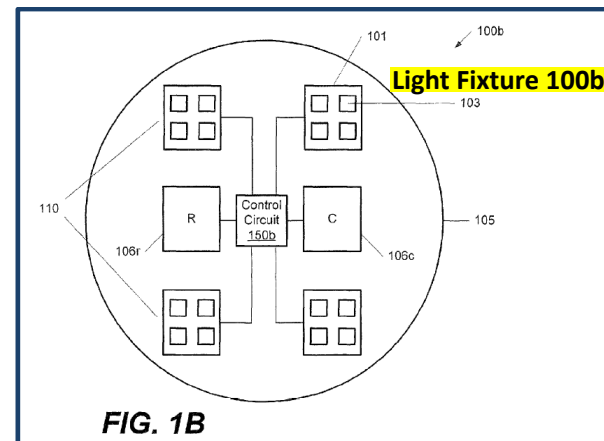


Figure 16: High flux lamp module (a) output and (b) efficacy as a function of current density.

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LED light fixtures according to some embodiments of the present invention, such as the LED light fixtures 100a and/or 100b, may provide a number of features and/or benefits. For example, LED light fixtures including multiple multi-chip lamps according to some embodiments of the present invention may provide a relatively high luminous efficacy (as expressed in lumens per watt) for a given CRI. More particularly, conventional light fixtures may offer 10-20 lumens per watt for a CRI of 90, while LED light fixtures according to some embodiments of the present invention may offer 60-85 lumens per watt for the same CRI. In addition, LED light



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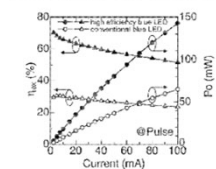


Fig. 1. η_{int} and η_{ext} as a function of the injection current for the high-efficiency blue LED and the conventional blue LED. At 10 mA, η_{int} and η_{ext} of the high-efficiency blue LED are 40% and 10%, respectively.

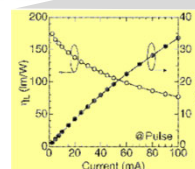


Fig. 2. Φ and η_L as a function of the injection current for the high-efficiency blue LED.

an ITO contact as a p-type electrode to improve the transmittance of a transparent p-type electrode. The wafers were cut into the rectangles, which size were $240 \times 420 \mu\text{m}^2$ and $1 \times 1 \text{ mm}^2$ for the high luminous efficiency blue LED and the high-power white LED, respectively. The white LEDs were fabricated by coating the blue LED chips with yellow YAG phosphors and encapsulated by resin. The all characteristics of the LEDs were measured under pulsed operation ($f = 200 \text{ kHz}$ and $\text{Duty} = 1\%$) at room temperature.

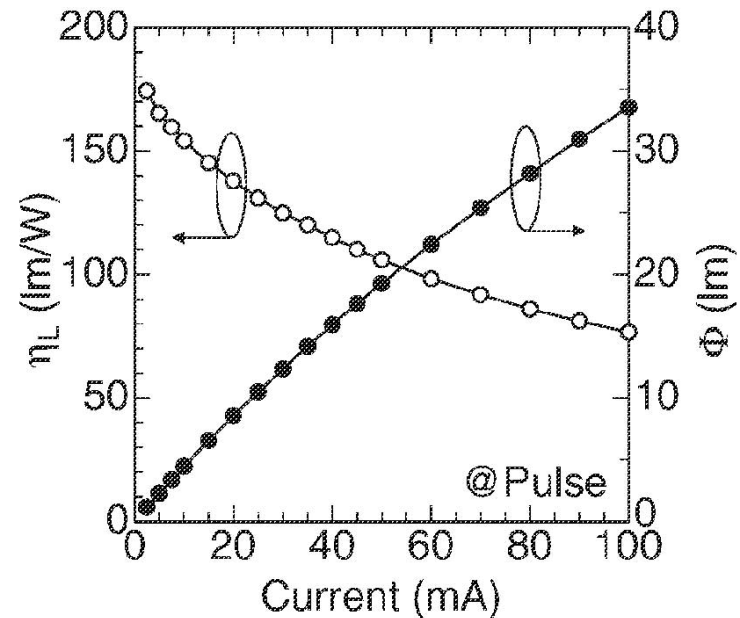
Figure 1 shows η_{int} and η_{ext} as a function of the injection current for the high-efficiency blue LED. The conventional blue LED was also fabricated on a sapphire substrate with a Ni/Al p-type electrode, which consisted of the same MOV structure as the high-efficiency blue LED. The characteristics of the conventional white LED are also shown in Fig. 1. In the conventional blue LED, η_{int} , η_{ext} , the emission wavelength (λ_{em}), η_{ext} , and the wall-plug efficiency (WPE) at 20 mA are 16.1 mW, 2.96 V, 450 nm, 17 nm, 29.3%, and 27.2%, respectively. On the other hand, in the high-efficiency blue LED, η_{int} , η_{ext} , λ_{em} , η_{ext} , and WPE at 20 mA are 35.0 mW, 3.11 V, 450 nm, 17 nm, 61.3%, and 56.3%, respectively. Thus, the external quantum efficiency is significantly enhanced to more than twice. There are two reasons for the improvement of η_{ext} . One is that the ITO electrode has more than 95% transmittance and significantly low optical absorption at 450 nm. Another is that the porous sapphire substrate makes it possible to extract the light, which was confined in the nitride film by total reflection, to the outside by effectively scattering the emission light from the active layer. The maximum η_{ext} is 70.2% at 2.5 mA, which is 11% higher than η_{ext} at 20 mA. Moreover, when the high-efficiency blue LED is operated at 40°C , η_{ext} increases about 10% from η_{ext} at 20 mA. Therefore the maximum estimated η_{ext} of the high-efficiency blue LED is 82%. $\eta_{\text{ext}} (= \eta_{\text{int}}/\eta_{\text{ext}})$ is estimated to be a least 77%, which is almost same as the estimated η_{int} . This result indicates that it is important to improve the internal quantum efficiency as well as the extraction efficiency of light in order to enhance η_{ext} more. Moreover, since V_f is increased from 2.96 to 3.11 V by using an ITO p-electrode and the porous

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sapphire substrate in the WPE of the high efficiency blue LED is 2.96 V. We fabricated the high luminous efficiency blue LED with phosphors. Figure 2 shows the operating characteristics of Φ and η_L of the high luminous efficiency white LED. At 10 mA, η_L , η_{ext} , λ_{em} , η_{ext} , and WPE at 20 mA are 174 lm/W, 3.11 V, 450 nm, 61.3%, 0.34, 0.36, and 27.7%, respectively. The luminous efficiency is approximately 1.5 times higher than that of a tri-phosphor fluorescent lamp (90 lm/W). Moreover, at the low current region, η_L is 174 lm/W, which is about two times higher than that of a tri-phosphor fluorescent lamp (90 lm/W). This result indicates that it is possible to improve the luminous efficiency of the high-power white LED by using an ITO p-electrode and the porous sapphire substrate in the WPE of the high efficiency blue LED.

The high-power white LED fabricated in this study was enlarged to a chip size of $1 \times 1 \text{ mm}^2$ by using the same technology as the high-power blue LED. The current density and the heat η_L versus current for the high-power white LED at 10 mA are 174 lm/W, 3.11 V, 450 nm, 61.3%, 0.34, 0.36, and 27.7%, respectively. The luminous flux reaches to 1.9 W with η_L of 34.7 lm/W. Figure 4 shows the typical current dependence of the high-power white LED fabricated in this study. At a forward-bias current of 10 mA, η_L , η_{ext} , λ_{em} , η_{ext} , and WPE are 100 lm/W, 3.20 V, 450 nm, 61.3%, 0.34, 0.36, and 27.7%, respectively. The peak of η_L is 199 lm/W at 10 mA, which is lower than that of the high luminous efficiency small-size LED (174 lm/W). This result indicates that η_{ext} of the large-size blue LED is not improved as for that of the small-size LED. However, the luminous flux of the high-power white LED is 1.9 W is greater than 100 lm. Furthermore, the luminous flux reaches to 247 lm at 1 A and 402 lm at 2 A. The luminous flux at 2 A

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Moreover, at the low current region, η_L is 174 lm/W, which is about two times higher than that of a tri-phosphor fluorescent lamp (90 lm/W).

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output, particular configurations and/or control schemes of different loads may significantly reduce the power conversion efficiency of a system that includes a DC-DC converter and a load, wherein the load itself may include various control circuitry.

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In different embodiments disclosed herein, various loads are controlled by modulating functional components. Examples of such functional components may include, but are not limited to, motors, actuators, and extended movable components (e.g., antennas), temperature control components (e.g., heat, cooling elements) and at least some types of light sources. Examples of power modulation control techniques that may be employed in the load to control the functional components include, but are not limited to, pulse frequency modulation, pulse width modulation, and pulse number modulation (e.g., pulse-DMA conversion).

More specifically, one type of load of interest for a system is a load power supply/control configuration according to various embodiments of the present disclosure is a lighting apparatus including one or more light emitting diodes (LEDs) light sources whose perceived brightness may be varied based on modulated power delivery. To facilitate discussion of improved power control methods and apparatus according to various embodiments of the present disclosure, and LED-based lighting apparatus as an exemplary load, it is instructive to first discuss one conventional arrangement in which a switching power supply including a DC-DC converter provides power via a regulated DC output voltage to an LED-based lighting apparatus.

FIG. 10 is a diagram illustrating such an exemplary conventional arrangement of a DC-DC converter 60 and an LED-based lighting apparatus serving as a load 40. As illustrated in FIG. 10, the lighting apparatus includes one or more LEDs 100 and various other components configured to control the intensity of radiation generated by the LEDs. One example of such an apparatus is described in U.S. Pat. No. 6,010,006, issued Jan. 15, 2000, entitled "Multichannel LED Lighting Method and Apparatus," which patent hereby is incorporated herein by reference.

For purposes of the present discussion, the DC-DC converter 60 of FIG. 10 is shown as a flyback regulator (first discussed above in connection with FIG. 8), and serves as a portion of a power supply which draws power from an AC power source (i.e., an AC line voltage such as 20 V_{rms}±10%). Accordingly, the DC-DC converter 60 includes a transformer 72 and other components to provide appropriate isolation between the unregulated AC input voltage 30 (V_{AC}) and the DC output voltage 32 (V_{DC}), and the regulated DC output voltage 32 (V_{DC}) should be appreciated that the

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Applicants have recognized and appreciated that for some power supply applications and some types of loads, commercially available conventional switching power supplies based on DC-DC converters may not be best configured to facilitate a flexible and/or efficient provision of power to a load. For example, although the power conversion efficiency of many conventional switching supplies is on the order of approximately 80% (from A.C. line voltage to a regulated DC voltage output), particular configurations and/or control requirements of different loads may significantly reduce the overall power conversion efficiency of a system that includes a DC-DC converter and a load, wherein the load itself may include various control circuitry.

Supertex Driver Efficiency

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HV9910DB1

Off-Line High Brightness LED Driver Demo Board

Introduction

The Supertex HV9910DB1 demo board is a complete high current, high brightness (HB) LED power driver to supply a string of LEDs using the HV9910 IC. The demo board can be used to test the performance of the HV9910 as a constant current driver to power a string or multiple strings of LEDs.

HV9910DB1 can supply a maximum output current of 1.5A to drive LED strings that are 40V or less from a 120V, 60Hz input. It has an efficiency of about 90% at full load and operates typically at 85% input power factor.

The power conversion stage of HV9910DB1 consists of a passive power factor corrector circuit followed by a current-controlled buck converter operating at a switching frequency of 50kHz. The nominal output current of the demo board can be adjusted to any value between 350mA and 1.5A using the on-board trimming potentiometer. PWM dimming can be achieved by applying a pulse-width-modulated square wave signal between the PWM and GND pins.

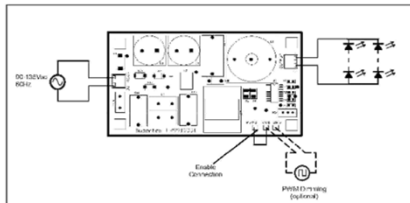
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Input	90VAC – 135VAC
Load Current	1500mA maximum (adjustable down to 350mA)
LED String Voltage	40V maximum
Switching Frequency	50kHz
Efficiency	90% (typ.)



Actual Size: 100.5mm x 57.1mm

Board Layout and Connections



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Specifications

Input

90VAC – 135VAC

Load Current

1500mA maximum
(adjustable down to 350mA)

LED String Voltage

40V maximum

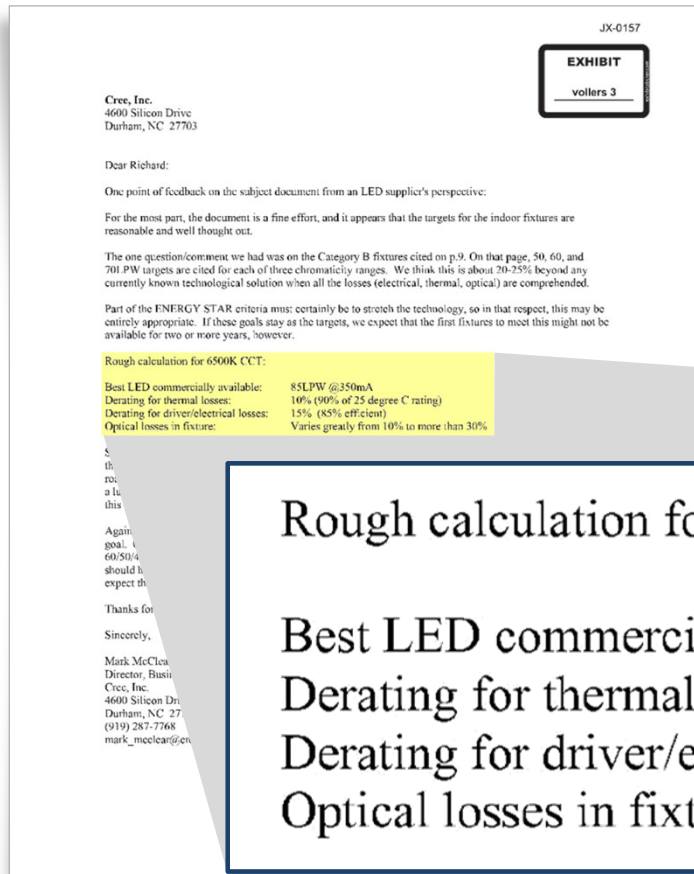
Switching Frequency

50kHz

Efficiency

90% (typ.)

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Rough calculation for 6500K CCT:

Best LED commercially available:	85LPW @350mA
Derating for thermal losses:	10% (90% of 25 degree C rating)
Derating for driver/electrical losses:	15% (85% efficient)
Optical losses in fixture:	Varies greatly from 10% to more than 30%

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Beyond the LED

High Efficacy Fixtures Require a Systems Solution

- **Systems Solution for High Efficacy and Long-Life requires optimization in**
 - Optical
 - Optimization of overall optical system... photons can only be lost or wasted (typical optical efficiency ~80%)
 - Electrical
 - Efficacy is from the wall-plug. (typical power supply efficiency ~80%)
 - Thermal
 - Adequate thermal design is the key to "long life product" (well designed system has a thermal roll-off of ~7%)

**System Efficacy = Optical efficiency x Power Supply Efficiency x LED Thermal roll of
(~ 60% of LED component Efficacy)**

Known and Conventional Claim Limitations

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23 described above, what is conceptually equivalent, and also what incorporates the essential idea of the inventive subject matter.
Any two or more structural parts of the lighting devices described herein can be integrated. Any structural part of the lighting device described herein can be provided in two or more parts (which are held together, if necessary). Similarly, any two or more functions can be conducted simultaneously, and/or any function can be conducted in a series of steps.
The invention claimed is:
1. A lighting device comprising at least one solid state light emitter, said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emitting output light having a wall plug efficiency of at least 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.
2. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said output light is of a brightness of at least 300 lumens.
3. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said output light is perceived as white.
4. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said output light has a CRI of at least 90.
5. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said solid state light emitter is a first light emitting diode.
6. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said

12. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 100 to about 113.5 lumens per watt of said electricity.
13. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said electricity is AC electricity.
14. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein the lighting device comprises a self-heated lamp.
15. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein the lighting device further minimizes a junction temperature of the solid state light emitter at or below a manufacturer rated junction temperature for a 25,000 hour lifetime in a 25 °C ambient temperature.
16. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein the lighting device comprises:
one or more strings of light emitting diodes;
a power supply for driving the one or more strings of light emitting diodes from an AC power source;
a heat sink in thermal communication with the light emitting diodes and configured to transfer heat from the light emitting diodes to an ambient environment of the lighting device; and

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1. A lighting device comprising at least one solid state light emitter, said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emitting output light having a wall plug efficiency of at least 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.

to a third point, said third line segment connecting said third point to a fourth point, said fourth line segment connecting said fourth point to a fifth point, and said fifth line segment connecting said fifth point to said first point, said first point having x, y coordinates of 0.32, 0.40, said second point having x, y coordinates of 0.36, 0.48, said third point having x, y coordinates of 0.43, 0.45, said fourth point having x, y coordinates of 0.42, 0.42, and said fifth point having x, y coordinates of 0.36, 0.38.
9. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said output light is perceived as warm white.
10. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 85 to about 113.5 lumens per watt of said electricity.
11. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emits output light having a wall plug efficiency of at least 110 lumens per watt of said electricity.

AC electricity.
24. A method of lighting, comprising:
providing a lighting device that uses power of a first wattage;
providing at least one solid state light emitter; and
emitting light that has a wall plug efficiency of at least 85 lumens per watt of power.
25. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 85 to about 100 lumens per watt of said electricity.
26. A lighting device as recited in claim 1, wherein said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 85 to about 110 lumens per watt of said electricity.

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21 across any other components along said power line, is between 1.410 and 1.420 times said voltage of said electricity.
46. A method as recited in claim 43, wherein said first group of said light emitting diodes comprises a plurality of said light emitting diodes.
47. A method as recited in claim 29, wherein said lighting device further comprises at least one lamp.
48. A method as recited in claim 29, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 60 to about 70 lumens per watt of said electricity.
49. A method as recited in claim 29, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 70 to about 80 lumens per watt of said electricity.
50. A method as recited in claim 29, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 80 to about 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.
51. A method as recited in claim 29, wherein said electricity is AC electricity.
52. A lighting device comprising at least a first light emitting diode, said lighting device, when supplied with electricity of a first wattage, emitting output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 60 to about 70 lumens per watt of said electricity.
53. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 70 to about 80 lumens per watt of said electricity.
54. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 80 to about 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.
55. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 85 to about 100 lumens per watt of said electricity.
56. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 100 to about 110 lumens per watt of said electricity.
57. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 110 to about 120 lumens per watt of said electricity.
58. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 120 to about 130 lumens per watt of said electricity.
59. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 130 to about 140 lumens per watt of said electricity.
60. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 140 to about 150 lumens per watt of said electricity.
61. A lighting device as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device comprises a plurality of light emitting diodes, including said first light emitting diode.
62. A lighting device as recited in claim 52, wherein said output light is of a brightness of at least 300 lumens.

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57. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 60 to about 70 lumens per watt of said electricity.
58. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 70 to about 80 lumens per watt of said electricity.
59. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 80 to about 85 lumens per watt of said electricity.
60. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 85 to about 100 lumens per watt of said electricity.
61. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 100 to about 110 lumens per watt of said electricity.
62. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 110 to about 120 lumens per watt of said electricity.
63. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 120 to about 130 lumens per watt of said electricity.
64. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 130 to about 140 lumens per watt of said electricity.
65. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 140 to about 150 lumens per watt of said electricity.
66. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 150 to about 160 lumens per watt of said electricity.
67. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 160 to about 170 lumens per watt of said electricity.
68. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 170 to about 180 lumens per watt of said electricity.
69. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 180 to about 190 lumens per watt of said electricity.
70. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 190 to about 200 lumens per watt of said electricity.
71. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 200 to about 210 lumens per watt of said electricity.
72. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 210 to about 220 lumens per watt of said electricity.
73. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 220 to about 230 lumens per watt of said electricity.
74. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 230 to about 240 lumens per watt of said electricity.
75. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 240 to about 250 lumens per watt of said electricity.
76. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 250 to about 260 lumens per watt of said electricity.
77. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 260 to about 270 lumens per watt of said electricity.
78. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 270 to about 280 lumens per watt of said electricity.
79. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 280 to about 290 lumens per watt of said electricity.
80. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 290 to about 300 lumens per watt of said electricity.
81. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 300 to about 310 lumens per watt of said electricity.
82. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 310 to about 320 lumens per watt of said electricity.
83. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 320 to about 330 lumens per watt of said electricity.
84. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 330 to about 340 lumens per watt of said electricity.
85. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 340 to about 350 lumens per watt of said electricity.
86. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 350 to about 360 lumens per watt of said electricity.
87. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 360 to about 370 lumens per watt of said electricity.
88. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 370 to about 380 lumens per watt of said electricity.
89. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 380 to about 390 lumens per watt of said electricity.
90. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 390 to about 400 lumens per watt of said electricity.
91. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 400 to about 410 lumens per watt of said electricity.
92. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 410 to about 420 lumens per watt of said electricity.
93. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 420 to about 430 lumens per watt of said electricity.
94. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 430 to about 440 lumens per watt of said electricity.
95. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 440 to about 450 lumens per watt of said electricity.
96. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 450 to about 460 lumens per watt of said electricity.
97. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 460 to about 470 lumens per watt of said electricity.
98. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 470 to about 480 lumens per watt of said electricity.
99. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 480 to about 490 lumens per watt of said electricity.
100. A method as recited in claim 52, wherein said lighting device emits output light having a wall plug efficiency in the range of from about 490 to about 500 lumens per watt of said electricity.

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52. A lighting device comprising at least a first light emitting diode, said lighting device, when supplied with AC electricity of a first wattage, emitting output light having a wall plug efficiency of at least 60 lumens per watt of said electricity, said output light being a quantity of light exiting from the lighting device, said output light being perceived as white light.

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