

Infrared light emitting diode, top view type

SIR-56ST3F

The SIR-56ST3F is a GaAs infrared light emitting diode housed in clear plastic. This device has a high luminous efficiency and a 950nm spectrum suitable for silicon detectors. Low cost make it an ideal light source for household remote control devices.

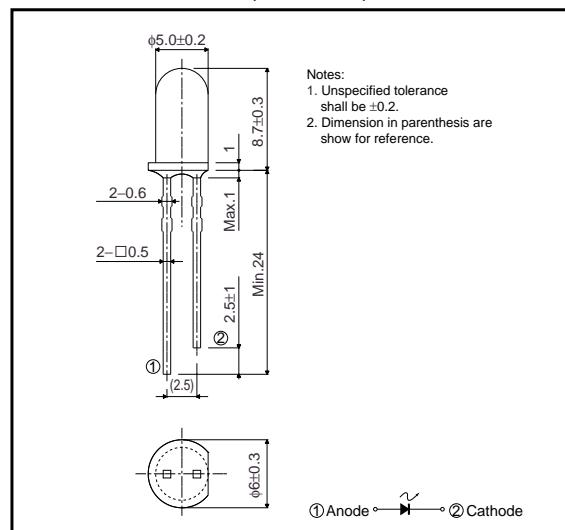
●Applications

Optical control equipment
Light source for remote control devices

●Features

- 1) High efficiency, high output $P_o=8.0\text{mW}$ ($I_f=50\text{mA}$).
- 2) Emission spectrum well suited to silicon detectors.
- 3) Good current-optical output linearity.
- 4) Long life, high reliability.

●External dimensions (Units : mm)



●Absolute maximum ratings ($T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$)

Parameter	Symbol	Limits	Unit
Forward current	I_f	100	mA
Reverse voltage	V_R	5	V
Power dissipation	P_D	160	mW
Pulse forward current	I_{FP}^*	1.0	A
Operating temperature	T_{opr}	-25~+85	°C
Storage temperature	T_{stg}	-40~+85	°C

* Pulse width=0.1msec, duty ratio 1%

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●Electrical and optical characteristics ($T_a = 25^\circ\text{C}$)

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	Conditions
Optical output	P_o	—	8.0	—	mW	$I_F=50\text{mA}$
Emitting strength	I_E	5.6	—	—	mW/sr	$I_F=50\text{mA}$
Forward voltage	V_F	—	1.3	1.6	V	$I_F=100\text{mA}$
Reverse current	I_R	—	—	10	μA	$V_R=3\text{V}$
Peak light emitting wavelength	λ_P	—	950	—	nm	$I_F=50\text{mA}$
Spectral line half width	$\Delta\lambda$	—	40	—	nm	$I_F=50\text{mA}$
Half-viewing angle	$\theta_{1/2}$	—	± 15	—	deg	$I_F=50\text{mA}$
Pesponse time	t_r-t_f	—	1.0	—	μs	$I_F=50\text{mA}$
Cut-off frequency	f_c	—	1.0	—	MHz	$I_F=50\text{mA}$

●Electrical and optical characteristic curves

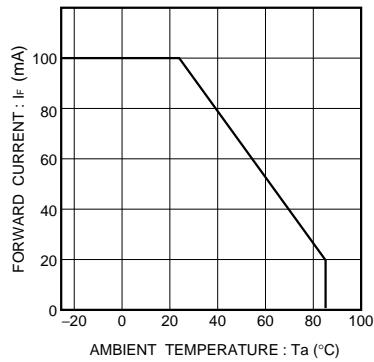


Fig.1 Forward current falloff

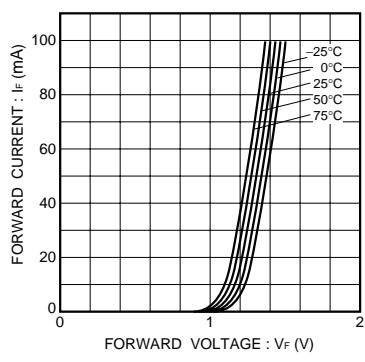


Fig.2 Forward current vs. forward voltage

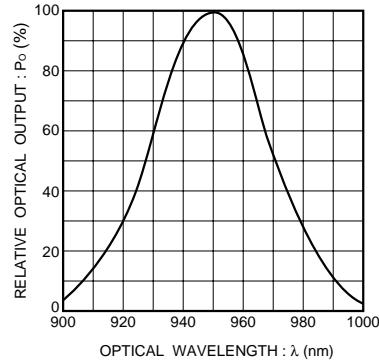


Fig.3 Wavelength

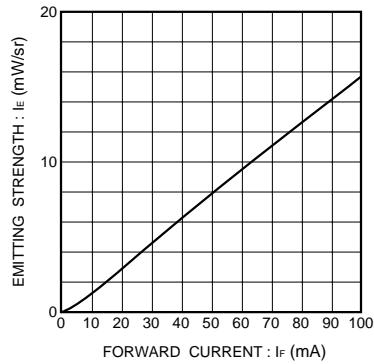


Fig.4 Emitting strength vs. forward current

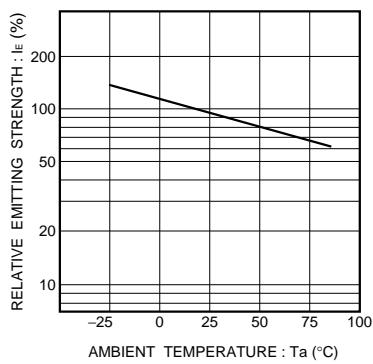


Fig.5 Relative emitting strength vs. ambient temperature

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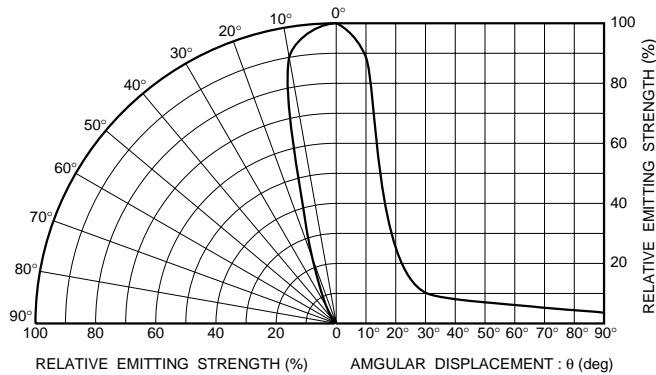


Fig.6 Directional pattern