

Data Sheet

Description

Avago Color Sensor is a high performance, small in size, cost effective light to voltage converting sensor. The sensor combines a photodiode array and three trans-impedance amplifiers in a single monolithic CMOS IC solution. With Red (R), Green (G), and Blue (B) color filters coated over the photodiode array, the sensor converts RGB light to analog voltage outputs, denoted by $V_{R_{OUT}}$, $V_{G_{OUT}}$ and $V_{B_{OUT}}$, respectively. The sensor is driven by a single 5 V supply and incorporates an internal 5 V to 3.3 V voltage regulator. The color sensor module consists of a color sensor packaged in a 5 x 5 x 2 [mm] surface mount QFN-16, flat flexible cable connector and a decoupling capacitor mounted on a PCB.

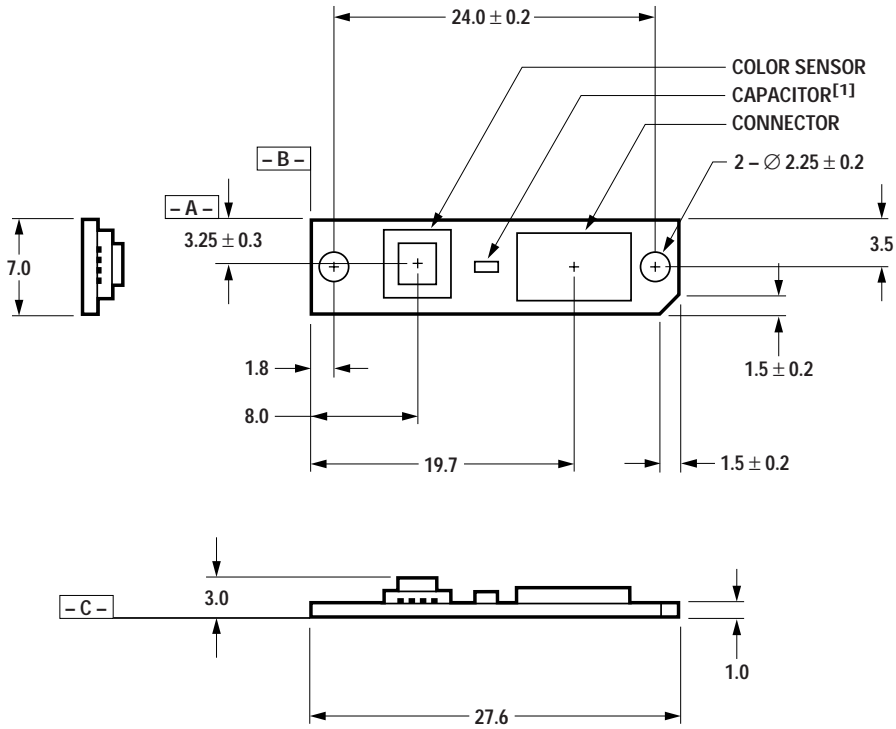
Applications

Avago Color Sensor is ideal for open-loop color identification and closed-loop color point control. The spectral sensitivity response of the sensor is optimized for RGB-LED backlight applications. The sensor has good detection ability in light output chromaticity drift, when used with closed-loop feedback controller, manages to bring the backlight system to realize good du'v' performance. Potential applications include white point control in emissive display, environmental lighting, color control in industrial processes, and many more.

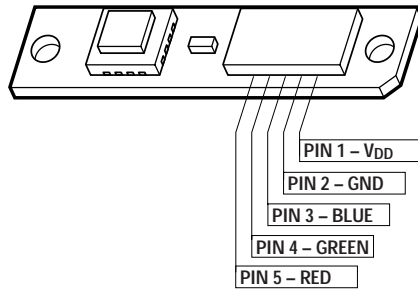
Features

- Converts light to R,G,B voltage output
- Monolithic CMOS IC solution with integrated R,G,B color filter, photodiode array, trans-impedance amplifier in one chip
- 12x12 photodiode array design minimizes the effect of contamination and optical aperture misalignment
- Spectral sensitivity response optimized for RGB-LED backlight application: good detection capability in light chromaticity drift
- Small module size (27.6 mm x 7 mm x 3 mm)
- Internal 5 V to 3.3 V voltage regulator

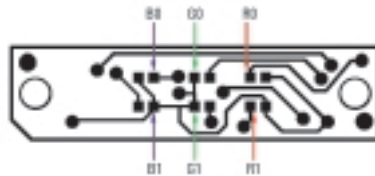
Package Dimensions



NOTE: 1. A 100nF CAPACITOR IS CONNECTED BETWEEN VDD3 AND GND FOR BETTER NOISE IMMUNITY.



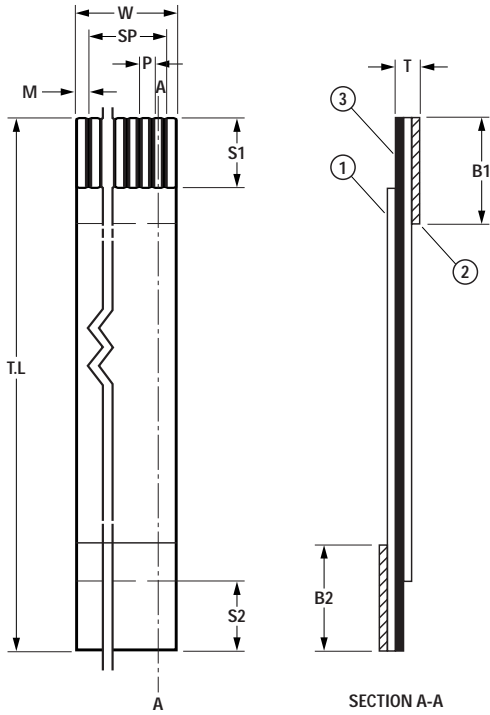
FLAT FLEXIBLE CABLE TO BE USED WITH THE CONNECTOR.
 RECOMMENDED DIMENSIONS:
 CABLE WIDTH: 3.0 ± 0.1 mm
 CONDUCTOR PITCH: 0.5 ± 0.1 mm
 INSERT THICKNESS: 0.3 ± 0.03 mm



NOTE:
 BACK VIEW OF PCB
 SHORT THE 2 PADS WITH JUMPER FOR 0;
 LEAVE THE 2 PADS OPEN FOR 1.
 DEFAULT GAIN SELECTIONS ARE GS:11
 FOR RED, GREEN AND BLUE.
 REFER TO GAIN SELECTION FEEDBACK
 RESISTOR TABLE ON PAGE 8.

NOTES:
 1. DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS (mm).
 2. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, ±0.3 mm TOLERANCE IS APPLICABLE.

Recommended Flat Flexible Cable to be used with the Connector



NO.	ITEM NAME	SPECIFICATION	REMARK
1	INSULATION	20696(42 μ)	
2	P/TAPE	223 μ	

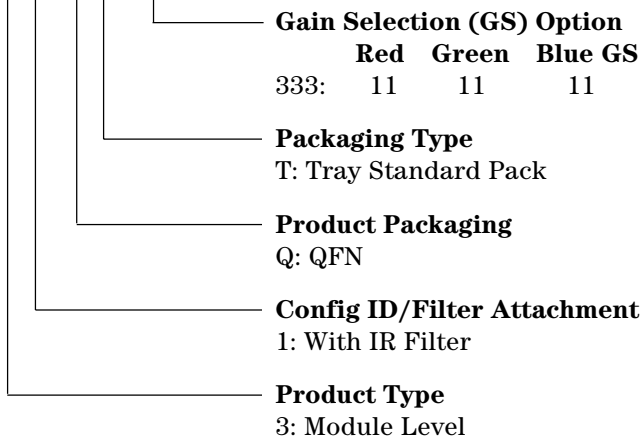
3	CONDUCTOR	THICKNESS	0.035	± 0.1
		WIDTH	0.32	± 0.03
		PLATED TIN (1 μ)	MIN.	

PITCH	P	0.5	± 0.1
SPAN	SP	2.0	± 0.1
WIDTH	W	3.0	± 0.1
MARGIN	M	0.5	± 0.1
INSERT THICKNESS	T	0.3	± 0.03
PROTECTOR LENGTH	B1	6.0	± 1.5
	B2	6.0	± 1.5
STRIP LENGTH	S1	4.0	± 1.0
	S2	4.0	± 1.0
TOTAL LENGTH	T.L	OPTIONAL	
NO. OF PIN		5P	

NOTE: DIMENSIONS ARE IN MILLIMETERS (mm)

Part Numbering System

HDJD-S 8 X X - X X X X X



Pin Out for HDJD-S831-QT333 Color Sensor Module
Pin Descriptions for Flat Flexible Cable Connector

Pin	Name	Description
1	VDD5	5 V DC Supply
2	GND	Ground
3	VB _{OUT}	Analog Output Voltage for Blue
4	VG _{OUT}	Analog Output Voltage for Green
5	VR _{OUT}	Analog Output Voltage for Red

Device Selection Guide

Part Number	Gain Selection ^[2]					
	Red		Green		Blue	
	GS: Bit 1	Bit 0	GS: Bit 1	Bit 0	GS: Bit 1	Bit 0
HDJD-S831-QT333 ^[1]	1	1	1	1	1	1

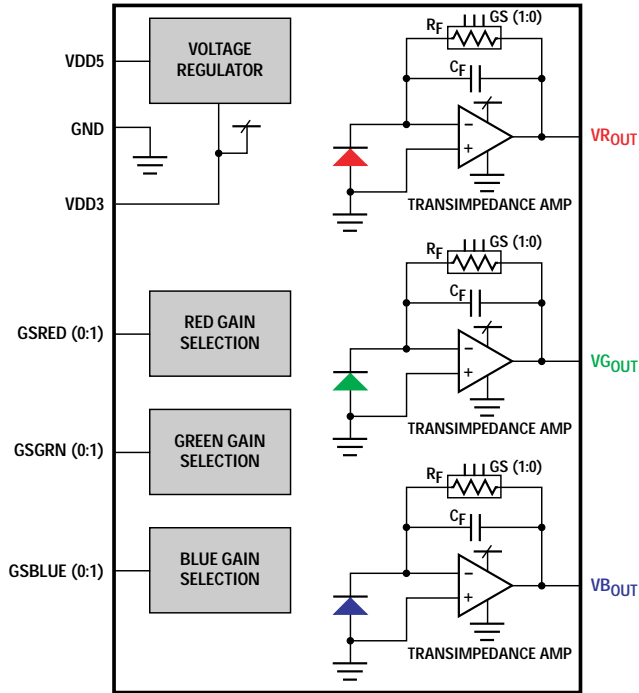
Note:

1. HDJD-S831-QT333 a is gain selections selectable. Please refer to gain Selection Feedback Resistor Table for different feedback resistor setting for different gain selections.
2. 0 indicates that the pin is connected to ground. 1 indicates no connection.

Theory of Operation

The integral R,G,B color filters on the photodiode array detect the R,G,B components of the light falling on the sensor. The photodiode converts the R,G,B light components into photocurrents. The integrated transimpedance amplifiers for R,G,B components then convert the photocurrent to analog voltage outputs. The voltage output of each R,G,B channel increases linearly with increasing light intensity.

Sensor IC Block Diagram



Absolute Maximum Ratings^[1,2]

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit	Notes
Supply Voltage	V_{DD5}	4.5	5.5	V	
Storage Temperature	T_S	-20	85	°C	
Operating Temperature	T_A	-20	85	°C	
Human Body Model ESD Rating	ESD_{HBM}		2	kV	Reference to JESD22-A114-B

Notes:

- Stresses beyond those listed under “absolute maximum ratings” may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only, and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under “recommended operating conditions” is not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.
- Unless otherwise specified, voltages are referenced to ground.

Recommended Operating Conditions

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units	Notes
Operating Temperature	T_A	0	25	70	°C	A decoupling capacitor of 100 nF between VDD5 and ground is recommended.
Supply Voltage	V_{DD5}	4.5	5.0	5.5	V	

Operating Conditions and Electrical Requirements

Electrical Characteristics at $V_{DD} = 5\text{ V}$, $T_A = 25^\circ\text{C}$, $R_L = 68\text{ k}\Omega$

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Dark Voltage	V_D	$E_e = 0$			15	mV
Maximum Output Voltage Swing	$V_{O\text{ MAX}}$			3		V
Supply Current	I_{DD}	$E_e = 0$		3		mA
Output Rise Time	t_r	Min $V_o = 0\text{ V}$, Peak $V_o = 2.0\text{ V}$			15	μs
Output Fall Time	t_f	Min $V_o = 0\text{ V}$, Peak $V_o = 2.0\text{ V}$			15	μs
Irradiance Responsivity	Re	GS:00 $\lambda_p = 460\text{ nm}^{[1]}$ (Blue Channel)		3.10		V/(mW/cm ²)
		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 542\text{ nm}^{[2]}$ (Green Channel)		3.90		
		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 622\text{ nm}^{[3]}$ (Red Channel)		1.10		
		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 645\text{ nm}^{[4]}$ (Red Channel)		0.85		
Irradiance Responsivity	Re	GS:11 $\lambda_p = 460\text{ nm}^{[1]}$ (Blue Channel)		1.55		V/(mW/cm ²)
		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 542\text{ nm}^{[2]}$ (Green Channel)		1.95		
		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 622\text{ nm}^{[3]}$ (Red Channel)		0.55		
		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 645\text{ nm}^{[4]}$ (Red Channel)		0.43		
Irradiance Responsivity	Re	GS:01 $\lambda_p = 460\text{ nm}^{[1]}$ (Blue Channel)		0.78		V/(mW/cm ²)
		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 542\text{ nm}^{[2]}$ (Green Channel)		0.98		
		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 622\text{ nm}^{[3]}$ (Red Channel)		0.28		
		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 645\text{ nm}^{[4]}$ (Red Channel)		0.21		
Irradiance Responsivity	Re	GS:10 $\lambda_p = 460\text{ nm}^{[1]}$ (Blue Channel)		0.41		V/(mW/cm ²)
		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 542\text{ nm}^{[2]}$ (Green Channel)		0.52		
		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 622\text{ nm}^{[3]}$ (Red Channel)		0.15		
		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 645\text{ nm}^{[4]}$ (Red Channel)		0.11		

Operating Conditions and Electrical Requirements (cont'd.)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Saturation Irradiance ^[5]		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 460$ nm ^[1] (Blue Channel)		1.0		mW/cm ²
		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 542$ nm ^[2] (Green Channel)		0.8		
		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 622$ nm ^[3] (Red Channel)		2.7		
		GS:00 $\lambda_p = 645$ nm ^[4] (Red Channel)		3.5		
Saturation Irradiance ^[5]		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 460$ nm ^[1] (Blue Channel)		1.9		mW/cm ²
		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 542$ nm ^[2] (Green Channel)		1.5		
		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 622$ nm ^[3] (Red Channel)		5.5		
		GS:11 $\lambda_p = 645$ nm ^[4] (Red Channel)		7.0		
Saturation Irradiance ^[5]		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 460$ nm ^[1] (Blue Channel)		3.9		mW/cm ²
		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 542$ nm ^[2] (Green Channel)		3.1		
		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 622$ nm ^[3] (Red Channel)		10.7		
		GS:01 $\lambda_p = 645$ nm ^[4] (Red Channel)		14.3		
Saturation Irradiance ^[5]		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 460$ nm ^[1] (Blue Channel)		7.3		mW/cm ²
		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 542$ nm ^[2] (Green Channel)		5.8		
		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 622$ nm ^[3] (Red Channel)		20.0		
		GS:10 $\lambda_p = 645$ nm ^[4] (Red Channel)		27.3		

Notes:

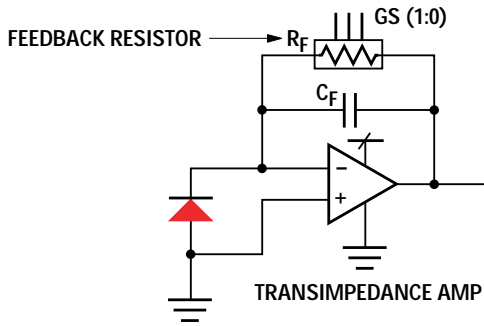
1. Test condition: using blue diffuse light of peak wavelength (λ_p) 460 nm and spectral half width ($\Delta\lambda^{1/2}$) 20 nm as light source.
2. Test condition: using green diffuse light of peak wavelength (λ_p) 542 nm and spectral half width ($\Delta\lambda^{1/2}$) 35 nm as light source.
3. Test condition: using red diffuse light of peak wavelength (λ_p) 622 nm and spectral half width ($\Delta\lambda^{1/2}$) 20 nm as light source.
4. Test condition: using red diffuse light of peak wavelength (λ_p) 645 nm and spectral half width ($\Delta\lambda^{1/2}$) 20 nm as light source.
5. Saturation irradiance = (max output voltage swing)/(irradiance responsivity).

Gain Selection Feedback Resistor Table

GSRED1	GSRED0	GSGRN1	GSGRN0	GSBLUE1	GSBLUE0	Feedback Resistor
0	0	0	0	0	0	3.0 MΩ
0	1	0	1	0	1	0.75 MΩ
1	0	1	0	1	0	0.4 MΩ
1	1	1	1	1	1	1.5 MΩ

Notes:

1. Gains selections, GS: Bit 1 Bit 0 are applicable for each Red, Green and Blue Channel.
2. Gain selections for each channel can be selected independently of each other.
3. Feedback resistor value is proportional to responsivity. Refer to block diagram below.
4. 0 indicates that the pin is connected to ground. 1 indicates no connection.



Typical Characteristics

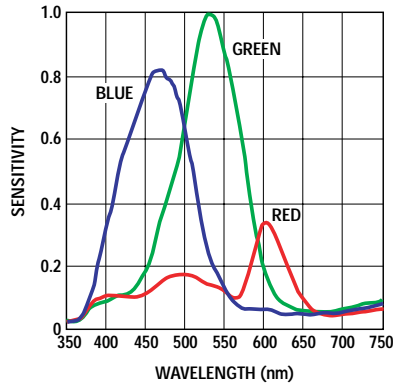


Figure 1. Spectral responsivity.

Note:

Test condition is when Gain Selection Jumpers are set to
 GSBLUE1 = 0 GSGRN1 = 0 GSRED1 = 0
 GSBLUE0 = 0 GSGRN0 = 0 GSRED0 = 0
 in which 0 = connect to Ground, 1 = no connection.
 Refer to Gain Selection Feedback Resistor Table.

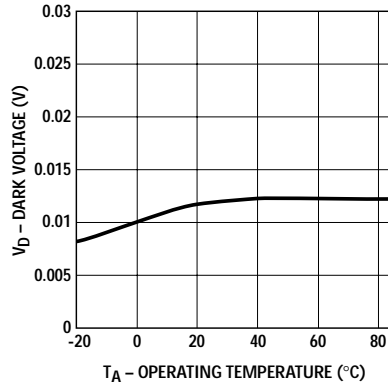


Figure 2. Dark voltage vs. operating temperature.

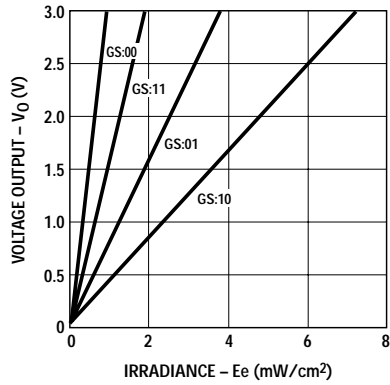


Figure 3. Voltage output of blue channel vs. irradiance ($\lambda_p = 460$ nm).

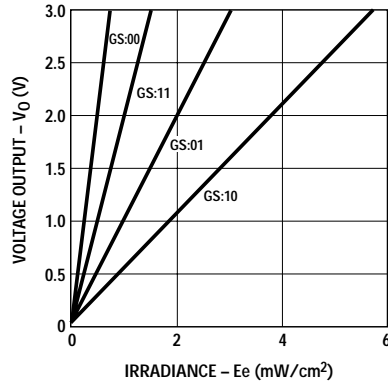


Figure 4. Voltage output of green channel vs. irradiance ($\lambda_p = 542$ nm).

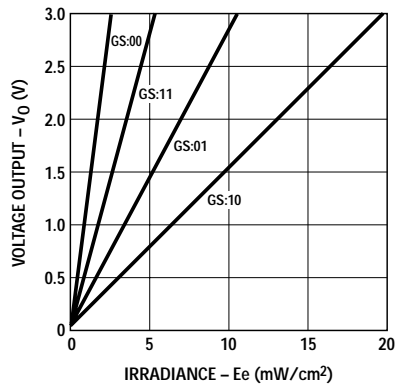
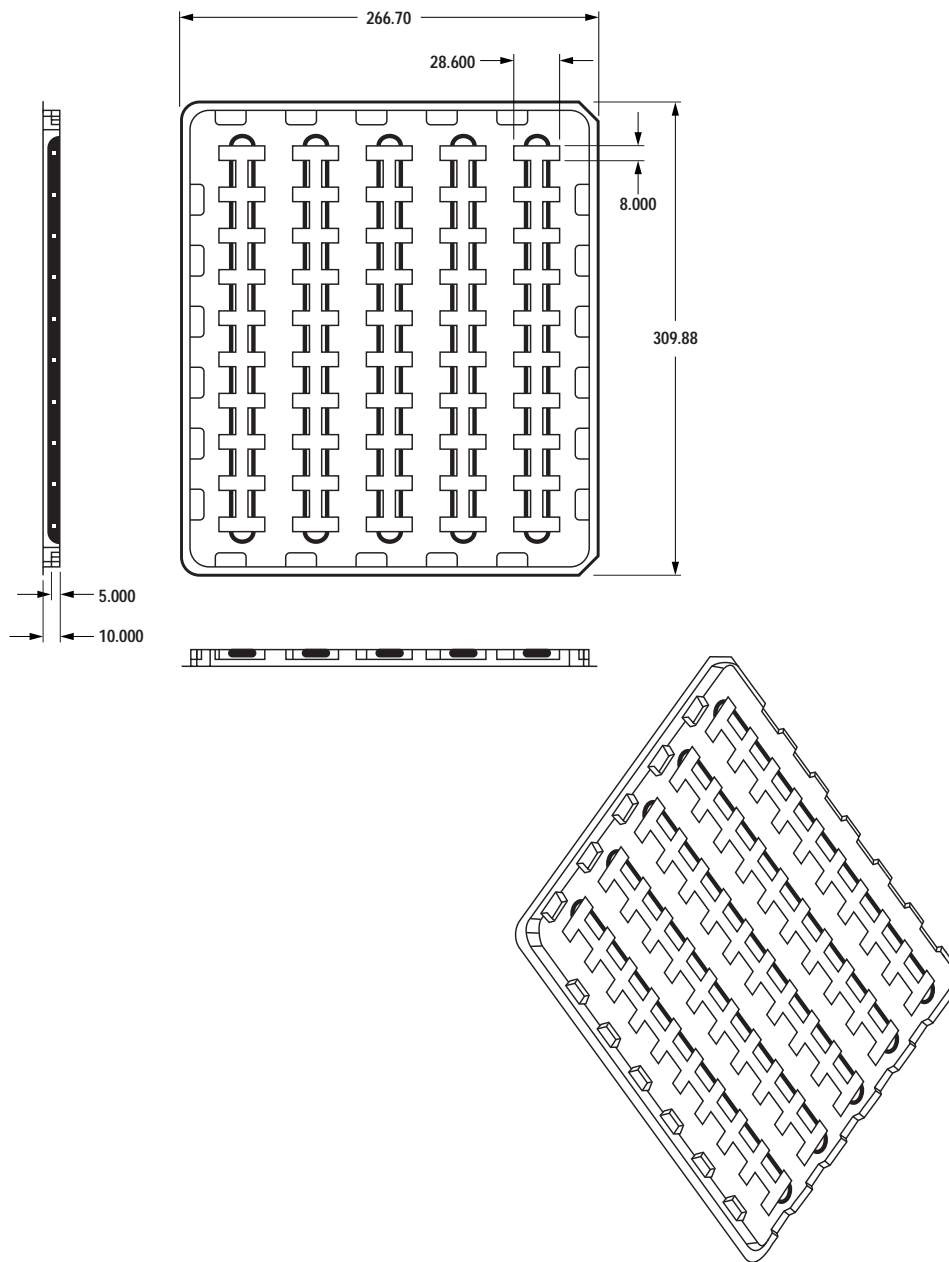


Figure 5. Voltage output of red channel vs. irradiance ($\lambda_p = 622$ nm).

Package Tray Standard Pack Dimensions



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