

LED with Window, 280 nm

LED280W



Description

The LED280W emits light with a spectral output centered at 280 nm. This LED is encased in a TO-39 package with a UV glass window.

Specifications

| Specification | Value |
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| Color | Deep UV |
| Nominal Wavelength | 280 nm |
| LED Type | TO-39 Flat Window |
| Maximum Forward Current ^a | 40 mA |
| Test Forward Current | 20 mA |
| Full Viewing Angle | 114° |
| Typical Bandwidth (FWHM) | 12 nm |
| Operating Temperature (Non-Condensing) | -30 to 80 °C |
| Storage Temperature | -40 to 100 °C |
| Typical Lifetime | >5000 h |

a. Measured at 25°C

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| | Symbol | Min | Typical | Max | |
| Peak Wavelength | λ_{p} | 270 nm | 280 nm | 290 nm | |
| LED Power Output ^a | P _{out} | - | 2.3 mW | - | |
| Forward Voltage | V _F | - | 6.0 V | - | |

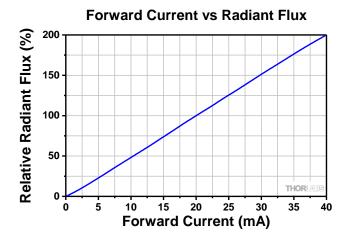
a. Measured at the Test Forward Current

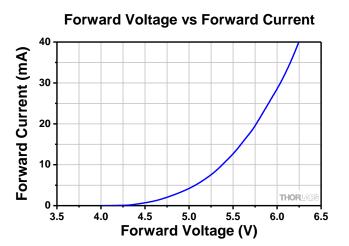
| Soldering Specifications | | | | | |
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| | Symbol | Value | | | |
| Manual Soldering Temperature | T _{SOL} | 350 °C (within 3 sec) | | | |
| Flow Soldering Temperature | T _{SOL} | 250 °C (within 5 sec) | | | |

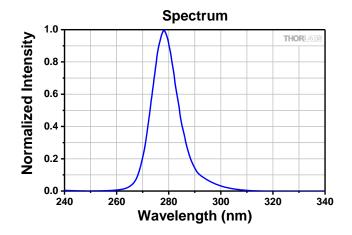


Performance Plots

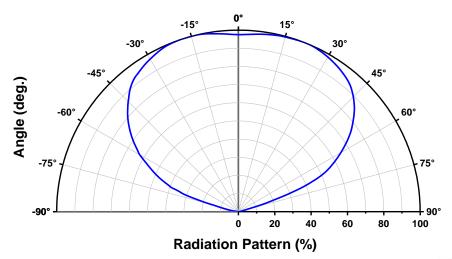
These measurements were taken at an ambient temperature of 25 °C. The output spectrum and radiation distribution were measured with an operating current of 20 mA.





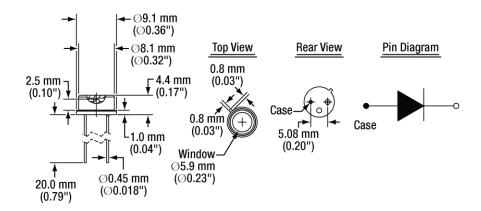


Radiation Pattern





Drawings



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