

# RLT405-20MG

- Violet Laser Diode
- 405 nm, 20 mW
- 5.6mm TO-Can, Flat Window
- Integrated Photodiode





## Description

**RLT405-20MG** is a violet laser diode, typically emitting at 405 nm, at a rated output power of 20 mW. **RLT405-20MG** comes in 5.6 mm TO-Can package **with integrated PD**.

# Maximum Rating\*1 (T<sub>CASE</sub> = 25°C)

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Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit	
PD Reverse Voltage	$V_{RPD}$		5.0	V	
Operating Temperature*	$T_{OPR}$	- 10	+ 70	°C	
Storage Temperature*	$T_{ m STG}$	- 40	+ 85	°C	
Soldering Temperature (max. 3s)	$T_{SOL}$		+ 260	°C	

<sup>\*1</sup> operating close to or outside these conditions may damage the device

## Electro-Optical Characteristics (TCASE = 25°C, PO = 20 mW)

Parameter		Symbol	Values			I In it
			Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Peak Wavelength		$\lambda_{P}$	400	405	410	nm
Operating Voltage		$V_{F}$		4.8		V
Threshold Current		$I_{th}$		40		mA
Operating Current		I <sub>F</sub>		80		mA
PD Current		$I_{PD}$		0.6		mA
Slope Efficiency		η	0.8	1.2	1.7	W/A
Beam Divergence (FWHM)	parallel	ΘII		10		deg.
	perpendicular	θΤ		20		deg.
Emission Point Accuracy	parallel	ΔΘΙΙ	- 2.0		2.0	deg.
	perpendicular	$\nabla\Theta_{T}$	- 2.5		2.5	deg.



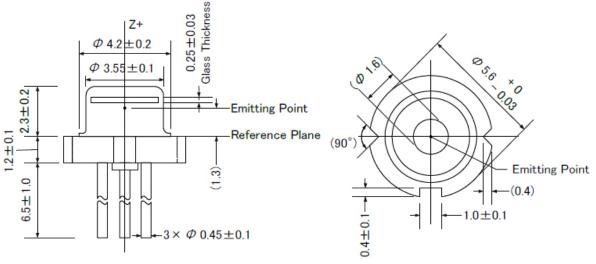


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## **Electrical Connection**

# Pin Configuration Pin # Function Pin 1 LD anode Pin 2 LD cathode, PD cathode Pin 3 PD anode PD anode

## **Outline Dimensions**



All dimensions in mm

## **Precautions**

#### Safety

**Caution:** Laser light emitted from any laser diode may be **harmful to the human eye**. Avoid looking directly into the laser diode's aperture when the diode is in operation.

Note: The use of optical lenses with this laser diode will increase eye hazard

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#### **ESD** caution

Always do handle laser diodes with extreme care to **prevent electrostatic discharge**, the primary cause of unexpected diode failure. To prevent ESD related failures, it is strongly advised to always **wearing wrist straps**, and **grounding all applicable work surfaces**, when handling laser diodes

#### **Operating Considerations**

It is strongly advised to only operate this laser diode with a current source. The current of a laser diode is an exponential function of the voltage across it. **Usage of current regulated drive circuits is mandatory.** Laser diodes may be damaged by excessive drive currents or switching transients

It is advised, to operate the laser diode at the lowest temperature possible, and to never exceed maximum specifications as outlined in the datasheet. Device degradation will accelerate with increased temperature. Proper heat sinking will greatly enhance stability and life time of the laser diode

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