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SHD4850MG

- **Cyan Laser Diode**
- **488 nm, 50 mW**
- **TE transverse mode**
- **TO56 package, Flat Window**

RoHS COMPLIANT Pb Pb-Free

Description

SHD4850MG is a direct emitting, **InAlGaN** multiple quantum well **cyan** laser diode in 5.6 mm TO-Can **without photodiode**, typically lasing at 488nm with TE transverse mode. **SHD4850MG** is an efficient radiation source for many applications like **laser projection**, holography, metrology, biomedical application…

Maximum Rating* (T_{CASE} = 25°C)

Parameter	Symbol	Values Min.	Values Max.	Unit
Optical Output Power*1	$P_{O(CW)}$		55	mW
LD Reverse Voltage	V_{RLD}		2	V
Operating Temperature*1	T_{OPR}	- 10	+ 60	°C
Storage Temperature	T_{STG}	- 40	+ 85	°C
Soldering Temperature (max. 3s)	T_{SOL}		+ 260	°C

* operating outside these conditions may damage the device
*1 operating at maximum ratings may influence the life time

Electro-Optical Characteristics (T_{CASE} = 25°C, P_O=80 mW)

Parameter		Symbol	Values Min.	Values Typ.	Values Max.	Unit
Peak Wavelength		**λ_P**	**480**	**488**	**495**	**nm**
Optical Output Power		P_O		50		mW
Operating Voltage		V_F		6.0	7.5	V
Threshold Current		I_{th}		40	60	mA
Operating Current		I_F		105	135	mA
Slope Efficiency		CW	0.5	0.8		W/A
Beam Divergence (FWHM)	parallel	$\Theta\parallel$	6	8	10	deg.
	perpendicular	$\Theta\perp$	20	23	26	deg.
Misalignment	parallel	$\Delta\,\Theta\parallel$	- 3		3	deg.
	perpendicular	$\Delta\,\Theta\perp$	- 3		3	deg.

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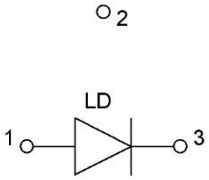
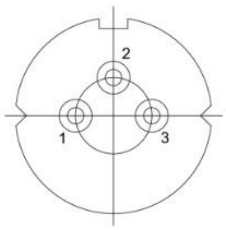
Electrical Connection

Pin Configuration

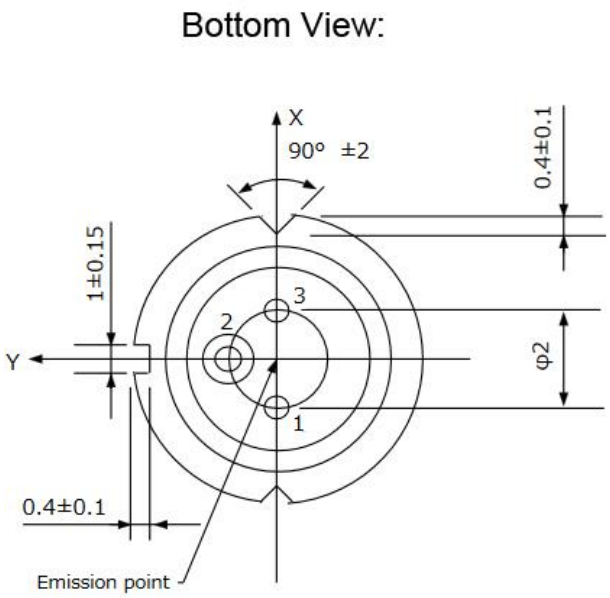
Pin #	Function
Pin 1	LD anode
Pin 2	not connected
Pin 3	LD cathode

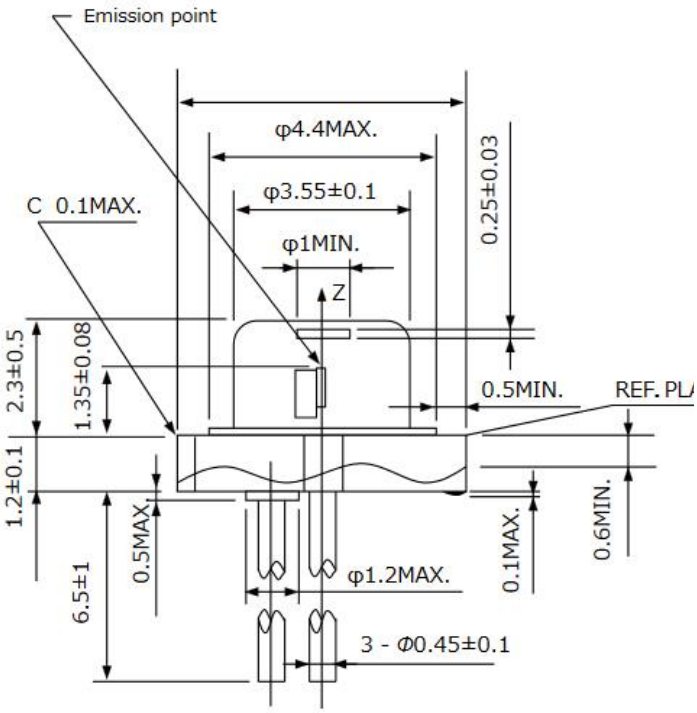


Bottom View



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

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**