

TG 438-S

Visible and UV laser diodes in TO56 package



Features:

Optical output power: 50mW (Tcase=20°C)

Peak wavelength: 438 +/- 2 nm @RT

Efficient radiation source for cw and pulsed operation

Single tranverse mode semiconductor laser

Absolute maximum ratings

Item	Symbol	Absolute Maximum Ratings	Unit
Allowable Reverse Current	I _r	1	[uA]
PD Reverse Voltage	V_{r}	5	[V]
Storage Temperature	$T_{storage}$	-10~85	[°C]
Operating Case Temperature	T_C	0~60*	[°C]

Electric/Optical Characteristics

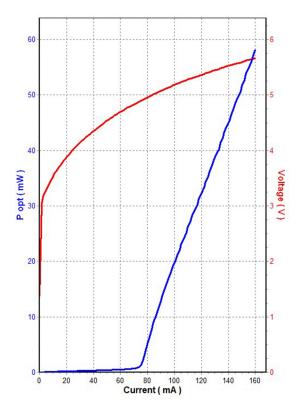
Item	Condition	Symbol	Value	Unit
Optical Output Power	CW	P_{O}	50	[mW]
Peak Wavelength	P _O =50mW	λ_{p}	438 +/-2	[nm]
Threshold Current	CW	I_th	64-112	[mA]
Operating Current	P _O =50mW	I_{op}	137-180	[mA]
Temperature wavelength shift	P _O =50mW	DI	0.05	[nm/deg]
Beam divergence - Fast axis			32	deg
Beam divergence - Slow axis			7	deg

^{*}Please notice that the laser diode is designate to operate at room temperature (20 deg. C). The temperature increase leads to the shorter lifetime and lower output current.

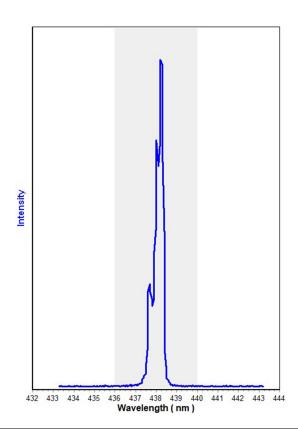
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Optical output power



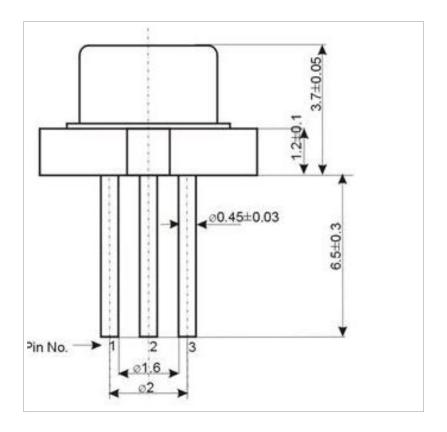
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Physical dimentions



Electrical connections

Laser is connected to isolated pins "1" and "3". Pin "2" is connected with the case and not active.

