



## Technical Data Sheet

# 1.8mm Round Subminiature Infrared LED

### IR42-21C/TR8

#### Features

- Compatible with infrared and vapor phase reflow solder process.
- Low forward voltage
- Good spectral matching to Si photodetector
- Pb free
- The product itself will remain within RoHS compliant version.



#### Descriptions

- IR42-21C/TR8 is an infrared emitting diode in miniature SMD package which is molded in a water clear plastic with spherical top view lens.
- The device is spectrally matched with silicon photodiode and phototransistor.

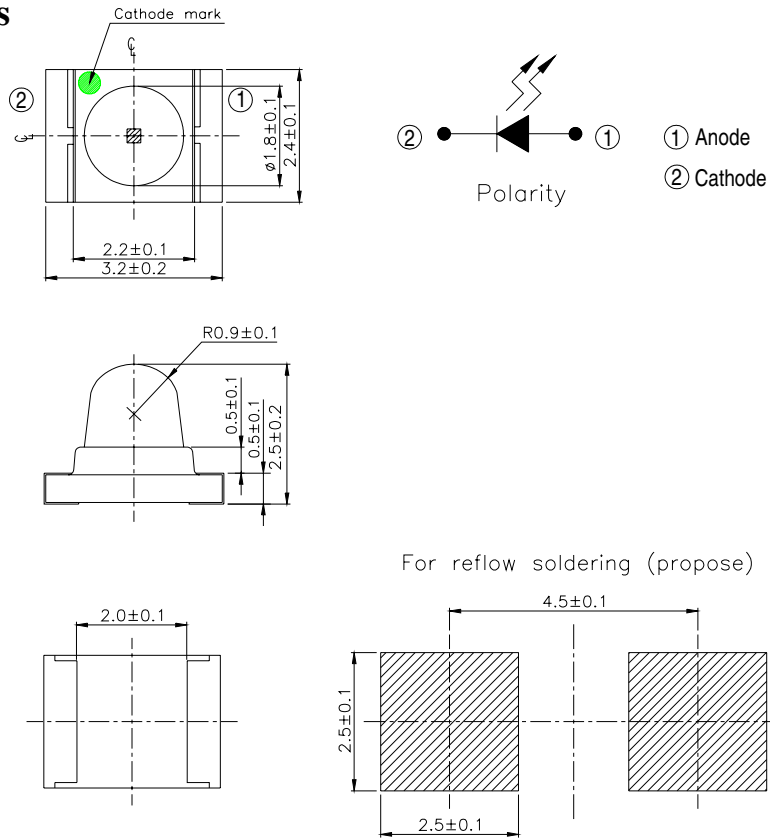
#### Applications

- PCB mounted infrared sensor
- Infrared emitting for miniature light barrier
- Floppy disk drive
- Optoelectronic switch
- Smoke detector

#### Device Selection Guide

LED Part No.	Chip	Lens Color
	Material	
IR	GaAlAs	Water clear

**Package Dimensions**



- Notes:** 1.All dimensions are in millimeters  
 2.Tolerances unless dimensions  $\pm 0.1$ mm

**Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta=25°C)**

Parameter	Symbol	Rating	Units
Continuous Forward Current	$I_F$	65	mA
Peak Forward Current	$I_{FP}$	1.0	A
Reverse Voltage	$V_R$	5	V
Operating Temperature	$T_{opr}$	-40 ~ +85	°C
Storage Temperature	$T_{stg}$	-40 ~ +85	°C
Soldering Temperature	$T_{sol}$	260	°C
Power Dissipation at(or below) 25°C Free Air Temperature	$P_d$	130	mW

- Notes:** \*1: $I_{FP}$  Conditions--Pulse Width  $\leq 100 \mu s$  and Duty  $\leq 1\%$ .  
 \*2:Soldering time  $\leq 5$  seconds.

**Electro-Optical Characteristics (Ta=25°C)**

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Radiant Intensity	Ee	I <sub>F</sub> =20mA	1.0	3.0	--	mW /sr
		I <sub>F</sub> =100mA Pulse Width ≤ 100 μs ,Duty ≤ 1%	--	14	--	
Peak Wavelength	λ <sub>p</sub>	I <sub>F</sub> =20mA	--	940	--	nm
Spectral Bandwidth	Δ λ	I <sub>F</sub> =20mA	--	45	--	nm
Forward Voltage	V <sub>F</sub>	I <sub>F</sub> =20mA	--	1.2	1.5	V
		I <sub>F</sub> =100mA Pulse Width ≤ 100 μs ,Duty ≤ 1%	--	1.4	1.8	
Reverse Current	I <sub>R</sub>	V <sub>R</sub> =5V	--	--	10	μA
View Angle	2 θ 1/2	I <sub>F</sub> =20mA	--	30	--	deg

**Typical Electro-Optical Characteristics Curves**

Fig.1 Forward Current vs. Ambient Temperature

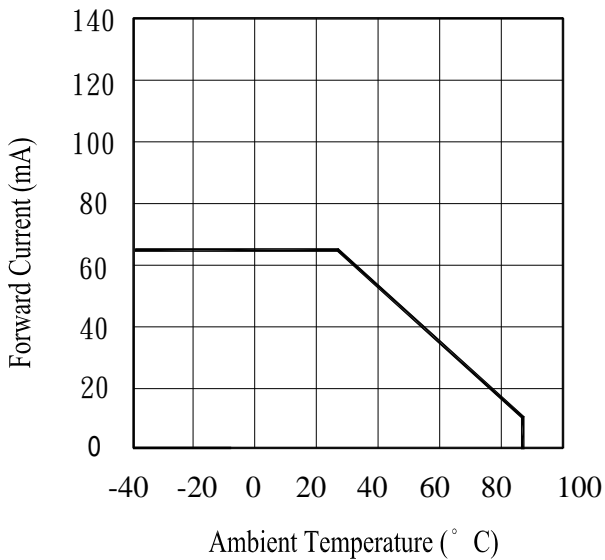


Fig.2 Spectral Distribution

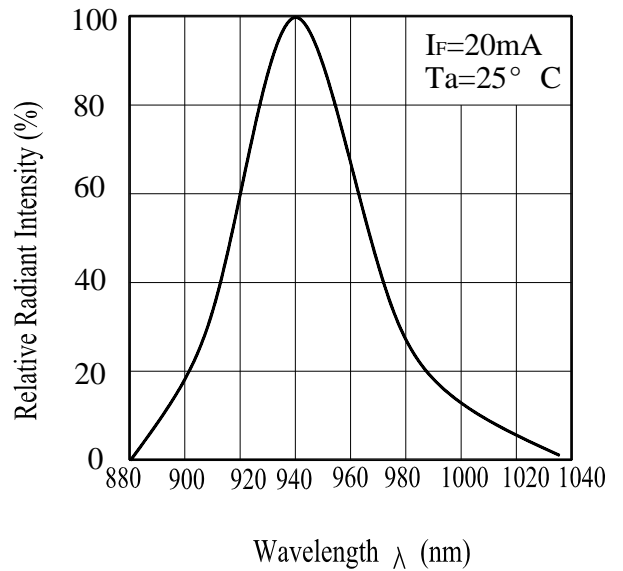


Fig.3 Peak Emission Wavelength vs. Ambient Temperature

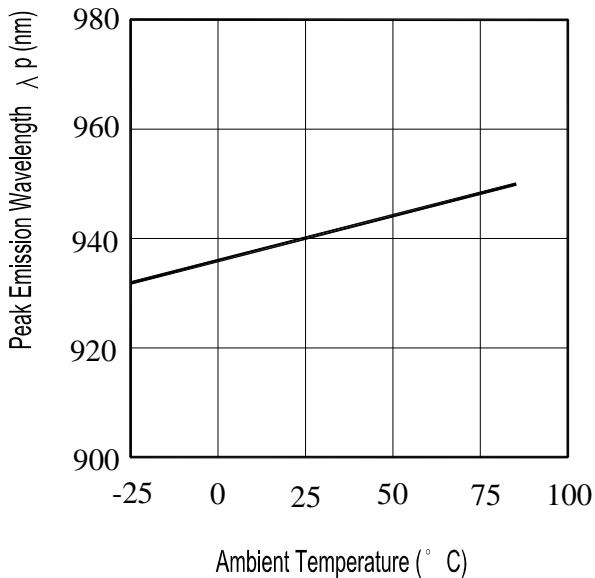
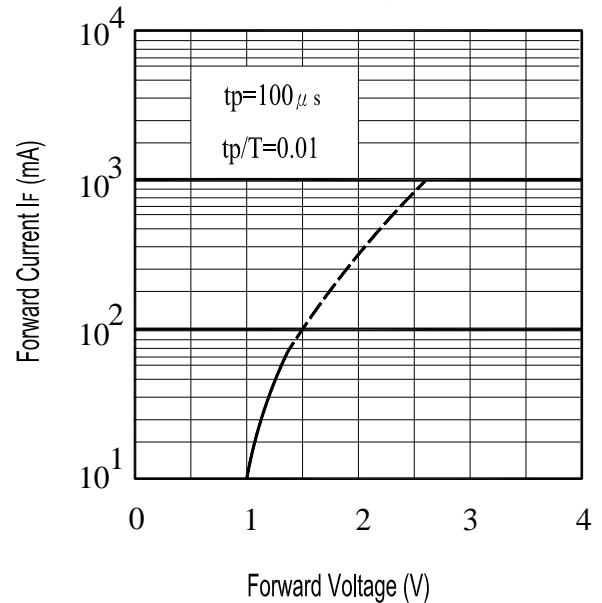


Fig.4 Forward Current vs. Forward Voltage



**Typical Electro-Optical Characteristics Curves**

Fig.5 Relative Intensity vs. Forward Current

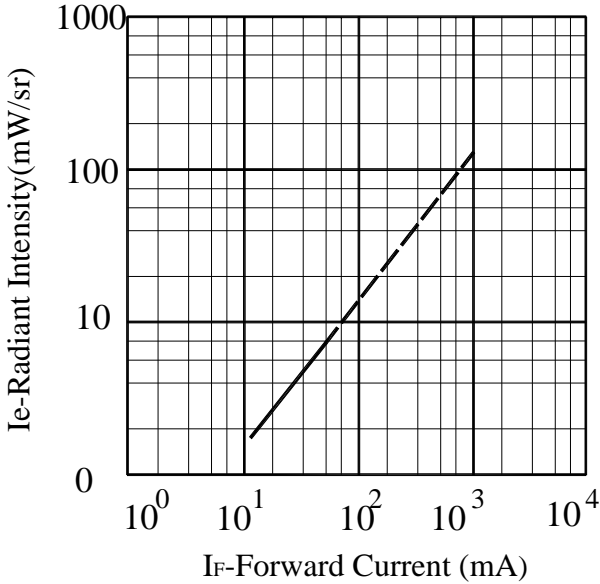


Fig.6 Relative Radiant Intensity vs. Angular Displacement

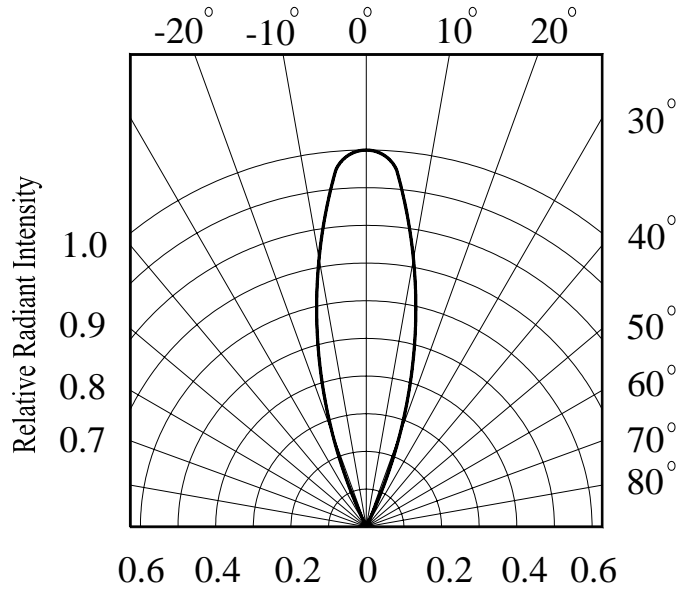


Fig.7 Relative Intensity vs. Ambient Temperature(°C)

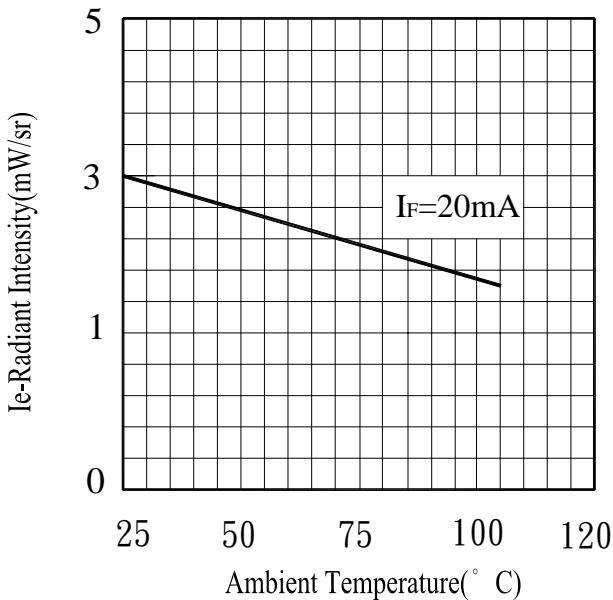
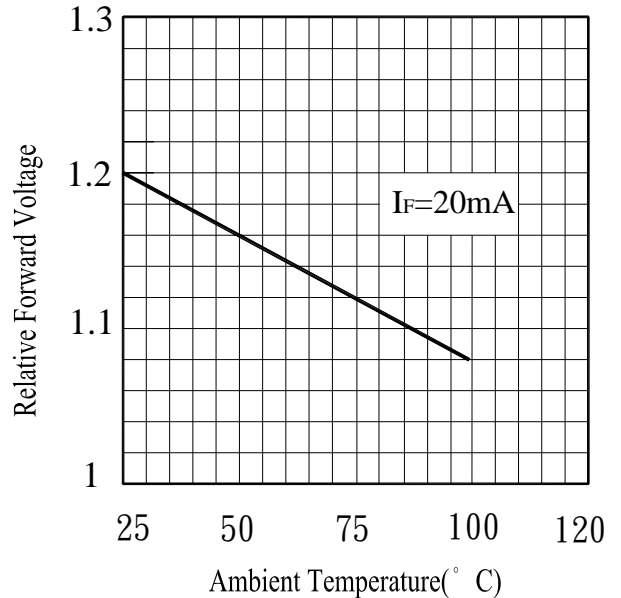


Fig.8 Forward Current vs. Ambient Temperature(°C)



## Precautions For Use

### 1. Over-current-proof

Customer must apply resistors for protection , otherwise slight voltage shift will cause big current change ( Burn out will happen ).

### 2. Storage

2.1 Do not open moisture proof bag before the products are ready to use.

2.2 Before opening the package, the LEDs should be kept at 30°C or less and 90%RH or less.

2.3 The LEDs should be used within a year.

2.4 After opening the package, the LEDs should be kept at 30°C or less and 70%RH or less.

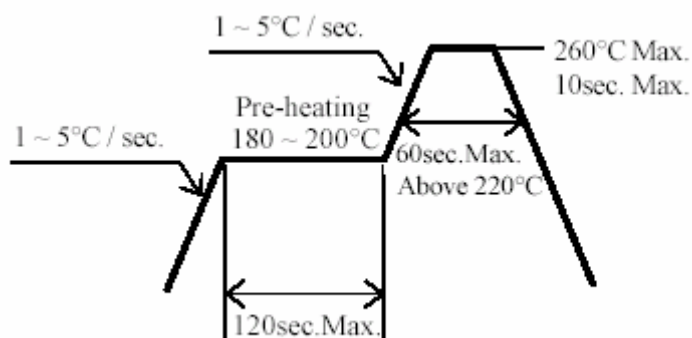
2.5 The LEDs should be used within 168 hours (7 days) after opening the package.

2.6 If the moisture absorbent material (silica gel) has faded away or the LEDs have exceeded the storage time, baking treatment should be performed using the following conditions.

Baking treatment : 60±5°C for 24 hours.

### 3. Soldering Condition

#### 3.1 Pb-free solder temperature profile



3.2 Reflow soldering should not be done more than two times.

3.3 When soldering, do not put stress on the LEDs during heating.

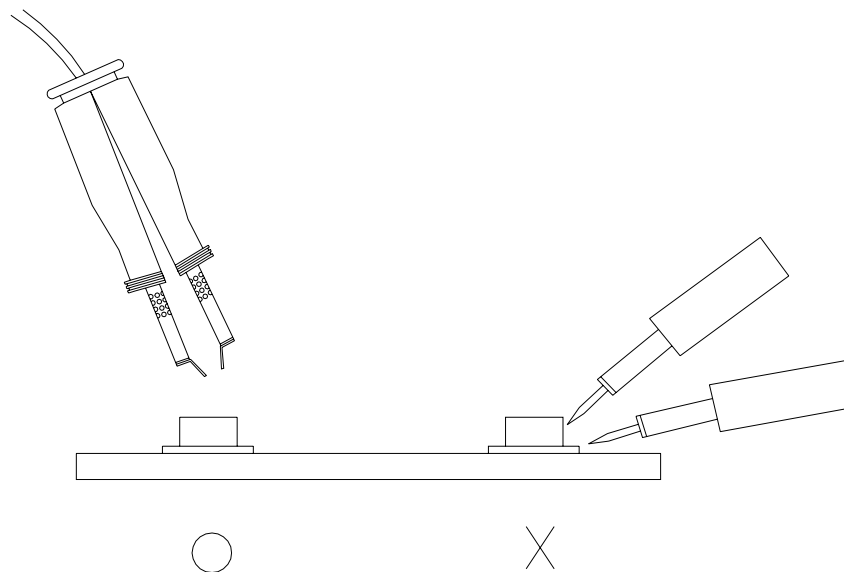
3.4 After soldering, do not warp the circuit board.

#### 4.Soldering Iron

Each terminal is to go to the tip of soldering iron temperature less than 280°C for 3 seconds within once in less than the soldering iron capacity 25W. Leave two seconds and more intervals, and do soldering of each terminal. Be careful because the damage of the product is often started at the time of the hand solder.

#### 5.Repairing

Repair should not be done after the LEDs have been soldered. When repairing is unavoidable, a double-head soldering iron should be used (as below figure). It should be confirmed beforehand whether the characteristics of the LEDs will or will not be damaged by repairing.



**Reliability Test Item And Condition**

The reliability of products shall be satisfied with items listed below.

Confidence level : 90%

LTPD : 10%

NO.	Item	Test Conditions	Test Hours/ Cycles	Sample Sizes	Failure Judgement Criteria	Ac/Re
1	REFLOW Soldering	TEMP. : 260°C±5°C 5secs	6Mins	22pcs	$I_R \geq U \times 2$	0/1
2	Temperature Cycle	H : +100°C    15mins ↑          5mins ↓          15mins L : -40°C	50Cycles	22pcs	$E_e \leq L \times 0.8$ $V_F \geq U \times 1.2$	0/1
3	Thermal Shock	H : +100°C    5mins ↑          10secs ↓          5mins L : -10°C	50Cycles	22pcs	U : Upper Specification Limit	0/1
4	High Temperature Storage	TEMP. : +100°C	1000hrs	22pcs	L : Lower Specification Limit	0/1
5	Low Temperature Storage	TEMP. : -40°C	1000hrs	22pcs		0/1
6	DC Operating Life	$I_F = 20mA$	1000hrs	22pcs		0/1
7	High Temperature/ High Humidity	85°C / 85% R.H	1000hrs	22pcs		0/1

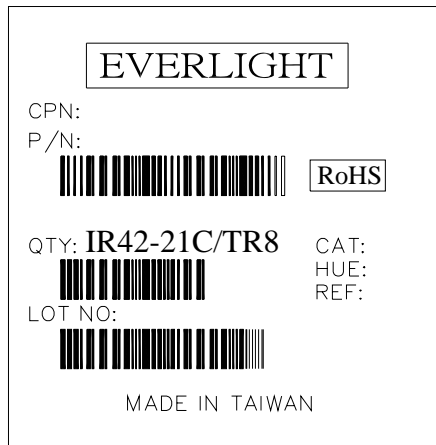




**Packing Quantity Specification**

- 1.1000Pcs/1Volume · 1Volume/1Bag
- 2.10Boxes/1Carton

**Label Form Specification**



- CPN: Customer's Production Number
- P/N : Production Number
- QTY: Packing Quantity
- CAT: Ranks
- HUE: Peak Wavelength
- REF: Reference
- LOT No: Lot Number
- MADE IN TAIWAN: Production Place

**Notes**

1. Above specification may be changed without notice. EVERLIGHT will reserve authority on material change for above specification.
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