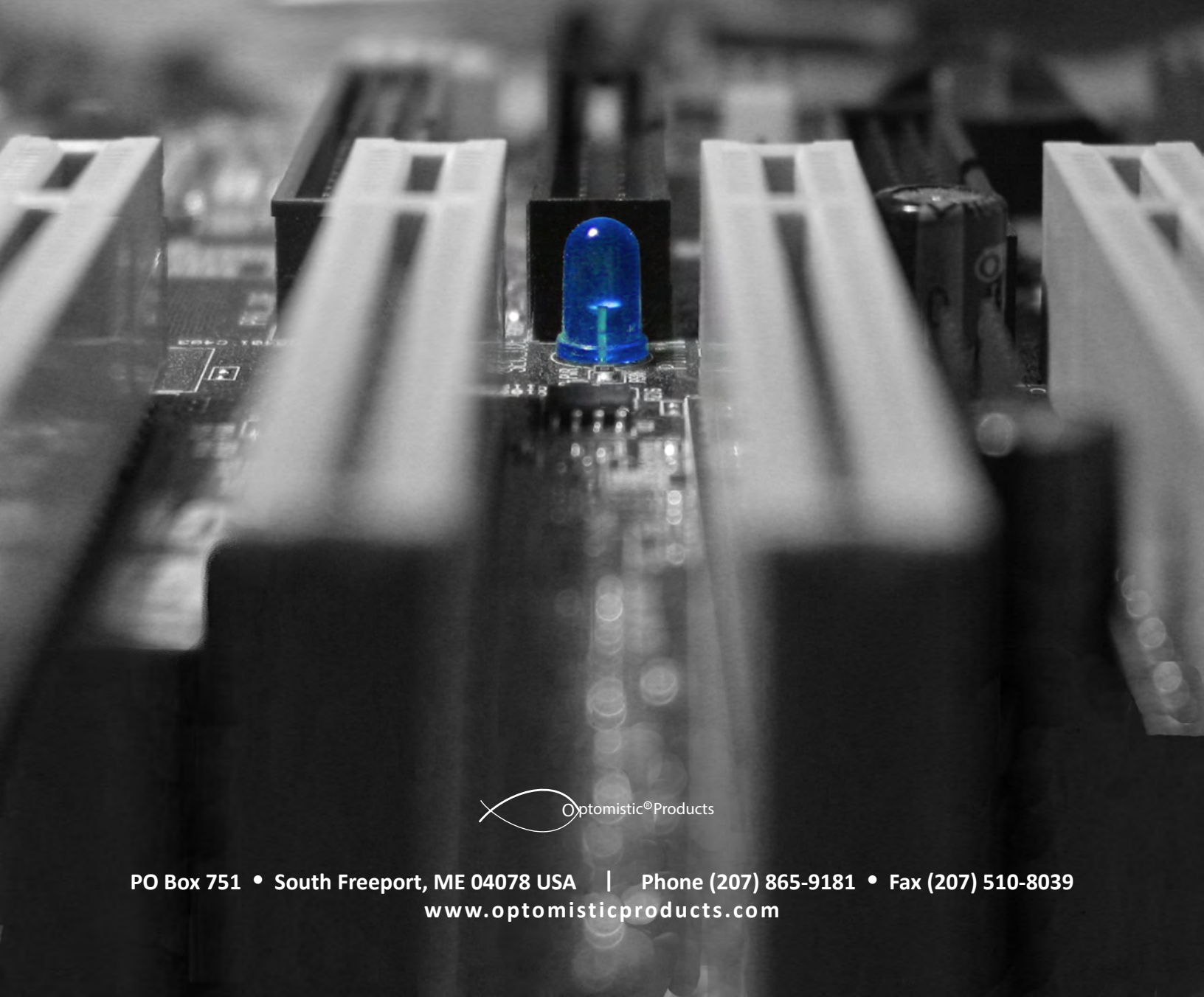


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A TWO-PART SOLUTION FOR LED TESTING

The combination of various pre-programmed Sensors with a wide choice of **Fiber-Optic Probes**, produces a **Universal LightProbe™** that suits any LED test application. Start by choosing a pre-programmed Sensor for the type of test and output you require (Part 1), then, combine it with an interchangeable Fiber-optic Probe (Part 2) to further customize the test for mechanical requirements and constraints.

PART 1: SENSORS



Sensor

Universal LightProbe Sensors are pre-programmed for various types of tests, and are available with a choice of outputs.

ANALOG OUTPUT:

Choose **Penta**, **Spectra** or **Unicolor Sensors** - each of these sensors test for both color and intensity.

Penta Sensor - our best selling sensor. Features color-binning and intensity test.

Spectra Sensor - features user-defined color-boundaries and intensity test.

Unicolor Sensor - is pre-programmed to sense intensity for any single color, or white, or IR or UV.

SERIAL DIGITAL OUTPUT/USB INTERFACE:

Spectra USB Sensors - to test any color in the visual spectrum, and intensity. Popular for Functional Test.

DIGITAL OUTPUT:

Unicolor Digital Sensors - to test a single color with a one-bit PASS/FAIL test output.

Blinx Digital Sensors - for blinking LEDs.

Ultra-High Sensivity Sensors - for extremely dim LEDs.

PART 2: FIBER-OPTIC PROBES



Fiber-Optic Probe

Universal LightProbe Fiber-Optic Probes are combined with the Universal LightProbe Sensor to further refine your test. Choose from several models of Fiber-Optic Probes to meet your precise requirements for testing LEDs. There are three primary ways to tailor the probe, as shown below.

APERTURE TYPES:

There are four choices of Fiber-optic Probe apertures (**Small- Aperture**, **Wide Aperture**, **Contacting-Tip** and **Very-Wide-Aperture**) to allow for specific requirements in spacing, alignment, and working distance from the LED, as well as LEDs that are difficult to access.

CABLE TYPE:

Choose from four cable types ("**Regular**", "**Superflex**", "**Rugged**" and Stainless Steel encased "**Rigid**" models). This allows for specific requirements of LED access, spacing and harsh working conditions.

TIP LENGTH AND TIP SHAPE:

The stainless-steel encased tip that interfaces with the LED comes in a variety of lengths (**Short**, **Long**, and **Extra-Long**), and **Right-Angle** to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility.

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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ SENSOR SELECTION GUIDE AND SPECIFICATIONS:

All Universal LightProbe Sensors are pre-programmed to suit specific LED test requirements. The small size and non-conductive housing is specifically designed to accommodate today's high-density test fixtures.

UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ SENSOR SELECTION

WHAT ARE YOU TESTING?	SENSOR TYPE										Output
	Penta	Penta High Sensivity	Spectra	Spectra USB	Unicolor	Unicolor Digital	Blinx Digital	Ultra High Sensitivity	Low Sensitivity - available for most	Very Low Sensitivity - available for most	
♦5 Main LED Colors (B,G,Y,O,R) & White ♦Intensity	♦	♦									Analog
♦Any Color in Visual Spectrum - (400 - 700nm) & White ♦Intensity			♦								Analog
♦Any color in visual spectrum (400-700nm) & white ♦Intensity				♦							Serial Digital
♦Any single color or white, & IR or UV					♦						Analog
♦ON/OFF of any single color						♦					Digital
♦ON/OFF only. Insentitive to color							♦	♦			Digital
♦Very Bright LEDs (see Sensor Sensitivity Chart for details)									♦	♦	Varies
♦Very Dim LEDs (see Sensor Sensitivity Chart for details)		♦					♦	♦			Varies
♦Blinking LEDs							♦				Digital

UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ SENSOR SPECIFICATIONS:

Sensor size: 0.560 inches dia. x 1.38 in. long

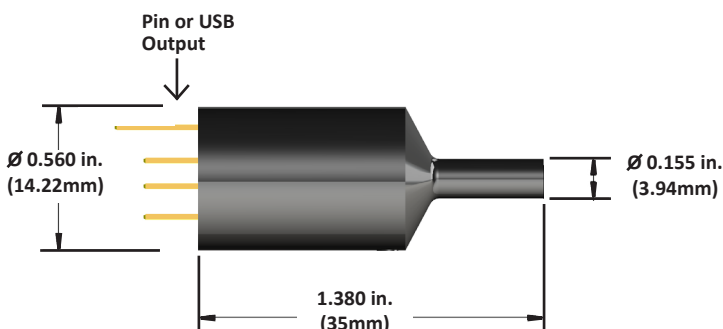
Operating temperature range: 0°C to 70°C

Power consumption: Operates from +5, 12, 24 or 28 volts D.C., at 5mA max.

Voltage protection: Withstands up to +40 volts, & reverse polarity to -18 volts

Output Pins: 3 or 4 gold-plated (depending on Sensor type) standard wire-wrap pins (0.025 in. sq.) or **Built-in USB Port.**

For pin-out and USB location and dimensions on each sensor see pages 11 and 12



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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ PENTA SENSORS:

Optomistic Products' best-selling Sensor, the Universal LightProbe Penta Sensor, provides analog voltage outputs for both color and intensity, and features built-in color binning, eliminating the need to convert LED wavelength to visual color in the ATE software, saving valuable processing time.



Part Number: ULP PCI/V

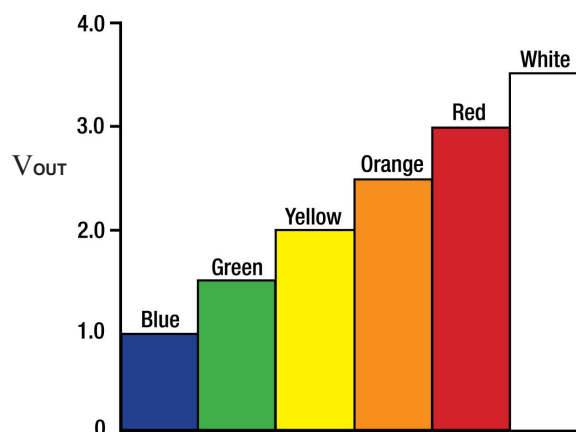
CHARACTERISTICS

- Typical response time: <340mS for color and intensity simultaneously
- Output Loads: 'Int.' & 'Color' - 2Kohms min., 100pF, max.
- Further details on Page 11

COLOR RESPONSE:

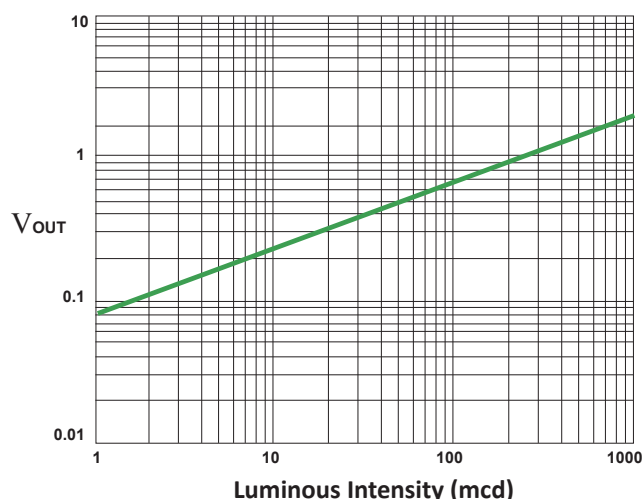
- Test for the five main LED colors, plus white
- Unambiguous and stable analog voltage output
- Color output is independent of LED intensity

Blue:	1.0 volts
Green:	1.5 volts
Yellow/Amber:	2.0 volts
Orange:	2.5 volts
Red:	3.0 volts
White:	3.5 volts



INTENSITY RESPONSE:

- Analog output ranging from 0 to 4 volts
- Corresponds to LED's luminous intensity in millicandelas
- C.I.E. photopic-curve-corrected
- Tests LEDs from 1 mcd to 20,000 mcd, and up to 315,000 mcd with the Penta Very-Low Sensitivity Sensor
- Read-out < 50mV indicates under-ranging - the LED is too dim; Penta High-Sensitivity Sensors are available
- Read-out > 4 volts indicates over-ranging - the LED is too bright; Penta Low-Sensitivity Sensors are available
- Intensity response depends on size of LED, the aperture of the fiber-optic probe and the distance between the probe tip and the LED emitter; for more information on Sensor Sensitivity Responses please see AN 35
- Available in Low and Very-Low-Sensitivity models for extremely bright LEDs



Typical response for PLCC green LED tested with Universal LightProbe Penta Sensor and Small-Aperture Fiber-Optic Probe

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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ SPECTRA SENSORS:

Universal LightProbe Spectra Sensors test a wide range of LED intensity, and any color in the visual spectrum, plus white. Universal LightProbe Spectra Sensors are well-suited for the test of “boundary” color LEDs, as they allow the user to set their own PASS/FAIL limits for color.



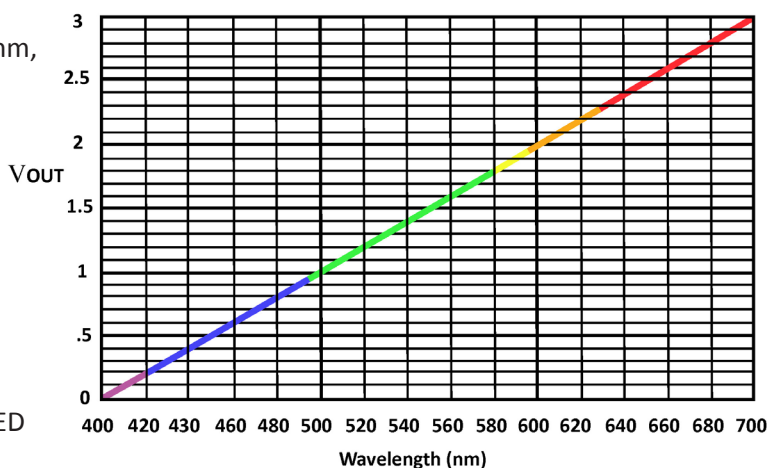
CHARACTERISTICS

- Typical response time: <450mS for color and intensity simultaneously
- Output Loads: ‘Int.’ & ‘Color’ - 2Kohms min., 100pF, max.
- Further details on Page 11

Part Number: ULP WBI/V

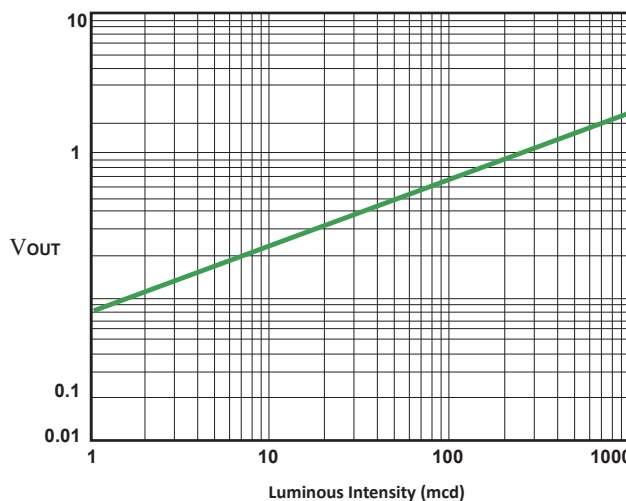
COLOR RESPONSE

- Test any LED color wavelength from 400 to 700nm, plus white
- Unambiguous and stable analog voltage output proportional to LED wavelength
- LED Wavelength = $[100(V_{out} + 4)nm]$
- For white, the voltage output is 3.5volts
- Enables user to set their own PASS/FAIL limits
- Color output is independent of LED intensity
- Eliminates need to convert LED wavelength as a pulse rate
- Improves the overall response time to test an LED



INTENSITY RESPONSE :

- Analog output ranging from 0 to 4 volts
- Corresponds to LED's luminous intensity in millicandelas
- C.I.E. photopic-curve-corrected
- Tests LEDs from 1 mcd to 20,000 mcd, and up to 315,000 mcd with the Spectra Very-Low Sensitivity Sensor
- Read-out < 50mV indicates under-ranging - LED is too dim
- Read-out > 4 volts indicates over-ranging - the LED is too bright
- Intensity response depends on size of LED, the aperture of the fiber-optic probe and the distance between the probe tip and the LED emitter; for more information on Sensor Sensitivity Responses please see Application Note 35
- Available in Low and Very-Low Sensitivity models for extremely bright LEDs up to 315,000 mcd.



Typical response for PLCC green LED tested with Universal LightProbe Spectra Sensor and Small-Aperture Fiber-Optic Probe

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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ SPECTRA USB SENSORS:

Universal LightProbe Spectra USB Sensors test a wide range of LED intensities and any color in the visual spectrum, plus white, providing a linear response with a serial digital output via a PC.



Part Number: ULP SPECTRA USB

CHARACTERISTICS

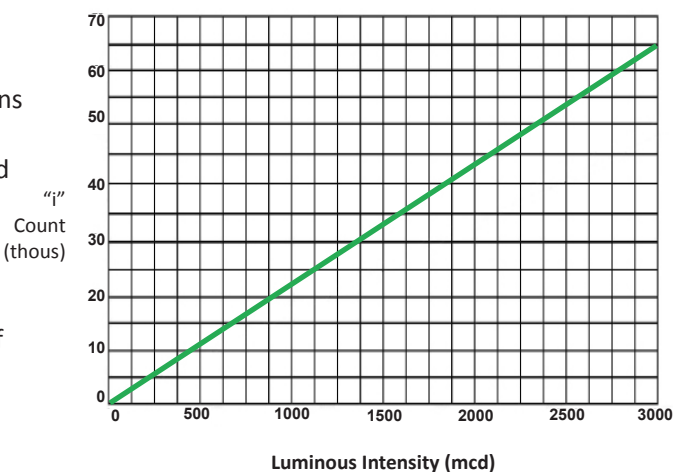
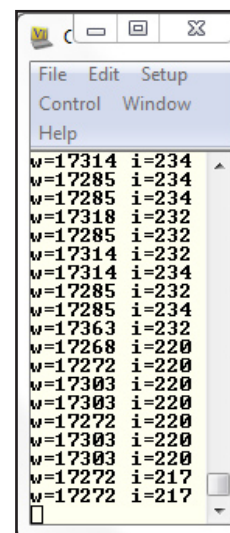
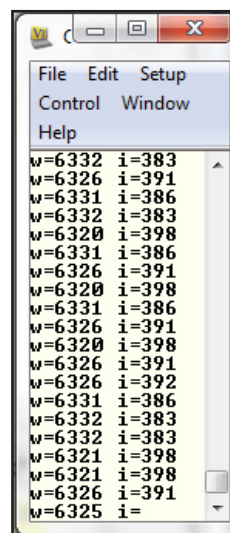
- A standard mini-type B five-pin USB connector is integrated into the Spectra USB Sensor, and a standard USB Cable is provided
- Typical response time: < 250mS for color and intensity as a serial bit-stream (19200 baud rate)

COLOR AND WHITE RESPONSE

- Test any color wavelength, from 400-700nm & white
- Provides serial-digital output of LED color
- "w" = color wavelength in tenths of nanometers
- Or, for white, "w" = a value that corresponds to CCT (see Application Note 39)
- Display/print-out the linear response with Tera Term software (included with purchase) See AN46 for details on LabView VISA
- Color output is independent of LED intensity
- Unique streaming technology enables LED color wavelength (and intensity) to be rapidly and simultaneously accessed by a PC and displayed/printed-out
- Reduces test time and provides continuous automatic data logging for statistical process control (SPC).
- Multiport display is available

INTENSITY RESPONSE

- Provides serial digital output for LED intensity
- "i" = intensity, from 0 to 65,0000
- Output corresponds to LED luminous intensity in millicandelas, as seen in most LED manufacturers' specifications
- C.I.E. photopic-curve-corrected
- Tests LEDs from 0.03mcd to 18,300mcd; up to 293,000mcd with the Spectra USB Very-Low Sensitivity Sensor
- Read-out of 4 indicates under-ranging - LED is too dim
- Read-out > over 65,000 indicates over-ranging - LED too bright; Spectra USB Low-Sensitivity Sensors available
- Intensity response depends on size of LED, the aperture of the fiber-optic probe and the distance between the probe tip and the LED emitter; for more information on Sensor Sensitivity Responses in millicandelas, please see AN 35
- Available in Low and Very-Low Sensitivity models for the test of extremely bright LEDs



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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ UNICOLOR SENSORS:

Universal LightProbe Unicolor Sensors are designed for the color and intensity test of any single one of the five main LED colors (blue, green, yellow, orange, and red) plus white, Infrared and UV.



CHARACTERISTICS

- Typical response time: < 315mS for intensity of correct color
- Easy install with one-hole fixing clamps available
- Output Loads: 'Int.'- 2Kohms min., 100pF, max.
- Further detail on Page 11

Part Number: ULP SCI/V

COLOR RESPONSE

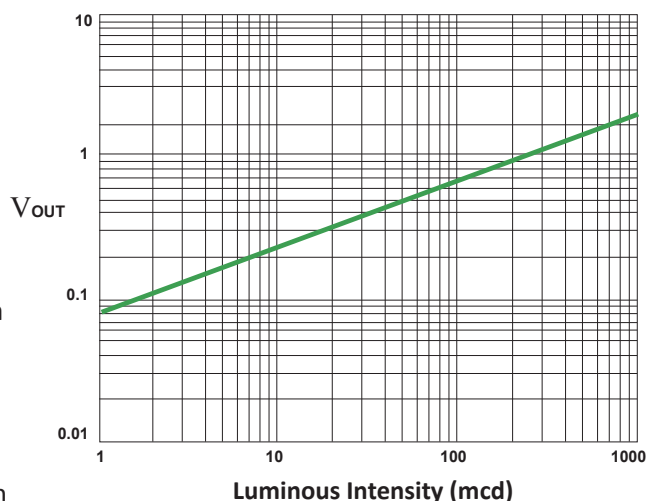
- Analog output ranging from 0 to 4 volts
- Output is proportional to LED intensity *only* if the LED is the color specified and it is "ON"
- Tests five main LED colors - blue, green, yellow/amber, orange, or red, plus white
- Tests Infrared LEDs/emitters 700nm to 1,000nm
- Tests UV LEDs/emitters 365nm to 400nm
- Sensor is insensitive to the "wrong" color
- Note: IR LightSources, emitting specific IR wavelengths, are also available

Specific Color Sensor	Output Voltage (V _{OUT})							
	B	G	Y	O	R	W	IR	UV
Blue	I _V	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green	0	I _V	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yellow	0	0	I _V	0	0	0	0	0
Orange	0	0	0	I _V	0	0	0	0
Red	0	0	0	0	I _V	0	0	0
White	0	0	0	0	0	I _V	0	0
IR	0	0	0	0	0	0	I _e	0
UV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	I _e

INTENSITY RESPONSE

- Analog output ranging from 0 to 4 volts
- Corresponds to LED's luminous intensity in millicandelas (as provided in most LED manufacturers' specifications)
- C.I.E. photopic-curve-corrected for visual colors
- Tests LEDs from 1 mcd to 20,000 mcd, and up to 315,000 md with the Very-Low Sensitivity version of the Sensor
- Read-out < 50mV indicates under-ranging - LED is too dim
- Read-out > 4 volts indicates over-ranging - the LED is too bright; Unicolor Low-Sensitivity and Very-Low-Sensitivity Sensors are available

Note: Intensity response depends on size of LED, the aperture of the fiber-optic probe and the distance between the probe tip and the LED emitter; for more information on Sensor Sensitivity Responses please see Page 10.



Typical response for PLCC green LED tested with Universal LightProbe Unicolor Sensor and Small-Aperture Fiber-Optic Probe

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Universal LightProbe™ Unicolor Digital Sensors:

Universal LightProbe Unicolor Digital Sensors are designed for the simple ON / OFF test and color check of a single color LED, with a one-bit digital output, quickly determining PASS/FAIL status without further processing by the ATE.



CHARACTERISTICS

- Typical response time: <320ms
- Signal Output Loads: 20 mA max. Non-inductive.
- Further details on page 12

Part Number: ULP SCC

COLOR RESPONSE

- Tests a target LED's color by providing a Logic "1" voltage output (5 volts) only if the LED is the color specified and it is "ON"
- Tests five main LED colors: blue, green, yellow/amber, orange, or red, plus white
- Sensor is insensitive to the "wrong" color
- Provides optimum ATE/ICT Pin Board/memory interface for fast digital burst mode LED test

Specific Color Sensor	Output Voltage (V _{out})					
	B	G	Y	O	R	W
Blue	5	0	0	0	0	0
Green	0	5	0	0	0	0
Yellow	0	0	5	0	0	0
Orange	0	0	0	5	0	0
Red	0	0	0	0	5	0
White	0	0	0	0	0	5

INTENSITY RESPONSE

- Unicolor Digital Sensors do not provide an intensity output
- When detecting the correct color, Unicolor Digital Sensors respond to a wide dynamic range of LED intensity
- No adjustments for intensity are necessary



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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ BLINX DIGITAL SENSORS:

Universal LightProbes Blinx Digital Sensors are fast-response-time Sensors, designed for the simple ON/OFF test of any color blinking/pulsed or stable LED, for fast results with a digital output.

CHARACTERISTICS

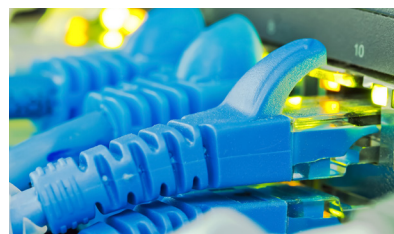
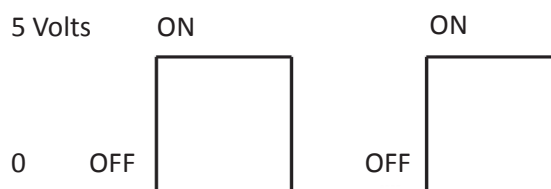
- Response time: < 66mS. Shorter for brighter LEDs
- Signal Output Load: 20mA max. (Source/Sink). Non-inductive
- Wide-aperture Fiber-optic Probe recommended
- Further details on Pag 12



Part Number: ULP BLINX

ON/OFF RESPONSE

- Tests the ON/OFF status of any color LED, from dim to very bright
- Tests stable or blinking/pulsed LEDs, up to a rate of 15 Hz, typically, and higher rates for brighter LEDs
- Provides a Logic "1" output of 5 volts only if the LED is ON and a Logic "0" if the LED is OFF
- "Color-blind" sensor will check the ON/OFF status of any color LED
- Provides the simplest and fastest 1-bit digital interface to automatic test equipment



INTENSITY

- Blinx Digital Sensors do not provide an intensity output
- Blinx Digital Sensors respond to a wide dynamic range of LED intensity without adjustment
- Will test surface-mount LEDs of 0.125 mcd minimum, at a blinking rate of 15Hz
- Will test finished product LED displays, e.g. RJ45 T-1 / 3mm LEDs of 0.5 mcd min. at a blinking rate of 15Hz, or higher for brighter LEDs



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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ ULTRA-HIGH SENSITIVITY SENSORS:

Designed for the test of very dim LEDs, as low as 0.01 mcd minimum, and including very low light-level LED-illuminated action-indicator switches, controls and status indicators for night/dark viewing in automobile interiors. Recommend the use of wide-aperture stainless-steel encased Fiber-optic Probes with contacting tips.



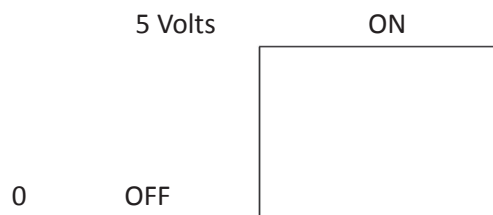
Part Number: ULP UHS

CHARACTERISTICS

- Typical response time: < 190mS
- Signal Output Load: 20mA max. (Source/Sink). Non-inductive
- Further details on Page 12

ON/OFF RESPONSE

- Tests the ON/OFF status of any color LED
- Provides a Logic "1" output of 5 volts only if the LED is ON and a Logic "0" if the LED is OFF
- "Color-blind" sensor will check the ON/OFF status of any color LED
- Provides the simplest and fastest 1-bit digital interface to automatic test equipment, requiring no further PASS/FAIL processing by the ATE software



INTENSITY RESPONSE

- Ultra-High Sensitivity Sensors do not provide an intensity output
- Ultra-High Sensitivity Sensors respond to a wide dynamic range of LED intensity without adjustment
- Will test surface-mount LEDs of 0.01 mcd minimum
- Will test finished product LED displays, e.g. RJ45 T-1 / 3mm LEDs of 0.15 mcd minimum



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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ SENSOR SENSITIVITY SELECTION GUIDE:

Optomistic Products offers a selection of Universal LightProbes for testing various intensity LEDs. Sensor selection depends on several factors, including:

- The size of LED under test
- The brightness of the LED under test (check the manufacturers data sheet for intensity in mcd)
- The type of Universal LightProbe Fiber-optic Probe being used for the test
- The air-gap between the fiber-optic probe tip and the LED under test
- Whether the LED is being tested through translucent material of unknown transmission characteristics.

The chart below serves as a guide to determine which sensor and fiber-optic probe is best for your specific LED test application.

UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE SENSOR TYPE	UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE FIBER-OPTIC PROBE TYPE	CIRCUIT-BOARD TEST		FINISHED-PRODUCT TEST
		SURFACE-MOUNT CHIP LEDs	SURFACE-MOUNT PLCC LEDs	THROUGH-HOLE T-1 3/4 (5MM)
Penta, Spectra or Unicolor Sensor ULP PCI/V, WBI/V, SCI/V	Small-aperture probe (3mm air-gap)	1 mcd to 3000 mcd	1 mcd to 3000 mcd	10 mcd to 20,000 mcd
	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.1 mcd to 200 mcd	0.1 mcd to 275 mcd	3 mcd to 6,000 mcd
Penta, Spectra or Unicolor Low-Sensitivity Sensor (LS) ULP PCI/V-LS, WBI/V,-LS SCI/VLS	Small-aperture probe (3mm air-gap)	5 mcd to 10,000 mcd	5 mcd to 10,000 mcd	40 mcd to 80,000 mcd
	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.3 mcd to 800 mcd	0.5 mcd to 1,000 mcd	10 mcd to 25,000 mcd
Penta, Spectra or Unicolor Very-Low-Sensitivity Sensor (VLS) ULP PCI/V-VLS, WBI/V-VLS, SCI/V-VLS	Small-aperture probe (3mm air-gap)	20 mcd to 45,000mcd	20 mcd to 45,000 mcd	125 mcd to 315,000 mcd
	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	2 mcd to 3,200 mcd	2 mcd to 4,000 mcd	40 mcd to 95,000 mcd
Penta High-Sensitivity Sensor (HS) ULP PCI/V-HS	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	N/A	N/A	1 mcd to 15 mcd (1.0 to 4 volts)
Spectra USB or ASCII Sensor ULP Spectra USB	Small-aperture probe (3mm air-gap)	0.5 mcd to 3,400 mcd	0.5 mcd to 3,000 mcd	3 mcd to 18,300 mcd
	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.03 mcd to 200 mcd	0.04 mcd to 260 mcd	0.5 mcd to 3,000 mcd
Spectra USB Low -Sensitivity Sensor (LS) ULP Spectra USB-LS	Small-aperture probe (3mm air-gap)	2 mcd to 13,600 mcd	2 mcd to 12,000 mcd	12 mcd to 73,200 mcd
	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.12 mcd to 800 mcd	0.2 mcd to 1,000 mcd	2 mcd to 12,000 mcd
Spectra USB Very-Low-Sensitivity Sensor (VLS) ULP Spectra USB-VLS	Small-aperture probe (3mm air-gap)	8 mcd to 54,400 mcd	8 mcd to 48,000 mcd	48 mcd to 293,000 mcd
	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.5 mcd to 3,200 mcd	1 mcd to 4,000 mcd	8 mcd to 48,000 mcd
Blinx Digital Sensor (ULP BLINX) (15 Hz. Max. LED blink rate)	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.125 mcd min.	0.130 mcd min.	1.5 mcd min. (0.5 mcd min. RJ45 T1 LEDs)
Blinx Digital High-Sensitivity Sensor ULP BLINX-HS (5 Hz. Max. LED blink rate)	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip or 1mm air-gap)	0.03 mcd min.	0.03 mcd min.	0.46 mcd min. (0.15 mcd min. RJ45 T1)
Ultra-High Sensitivity Sensor (UHS) ULP-UHS (Does not detect color)	Wide-aperture probe (Contacting tip)	0.01 mcd min.	0.01 mcd min.	0.25mcd min. (0.15 mcd min. RJ45 T1)

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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™

PART 1 - SENSORS

PIN CONNECTIONS, DIMENSIONS AND OUTPUT SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS:

All Universal LightProbe Sensors share the same form, and are then pre-programmed to suit specific LED test requirements.

Operating temperature range: 0°C to 70°C

Power consumption: Operates from +5, 12, 24 or 28 volts D.C., at 5mA max.

Voltage protection: Withstands up to +40 volts, & reverse polarity to -18 volts

Output Pins: 3 or 4 gold-plated (depending on sensor type) standard wire-wrap pins (0.025 in. sq.) **OR** USB

PENTA (PCI/V) and SPECTRA (WBI/V) SENSORS: Four standard wire-wrap pins

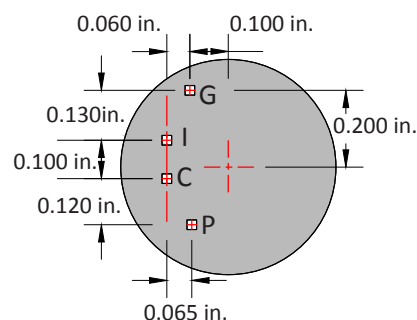
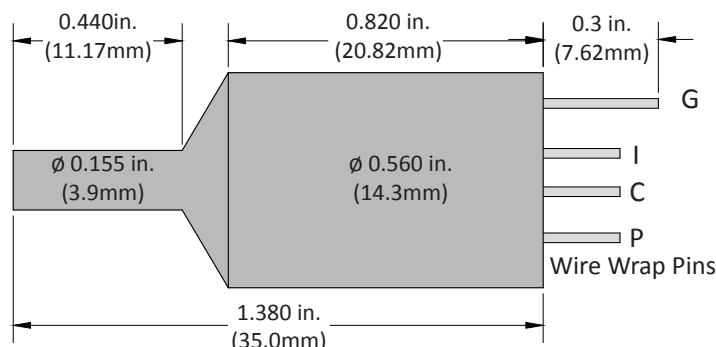
G - Ground - common for analog output and power input

I - Intensity of LED under test (relative)

C - Color of LED under test

P - DC Power Input, +5, 12, 24, or 28 volts

Typical response times: Penta <340mS; Spectra <450mS color & intensity outputs simultaneously



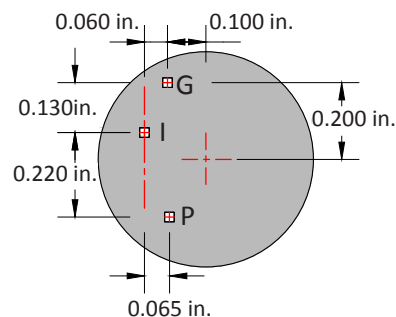
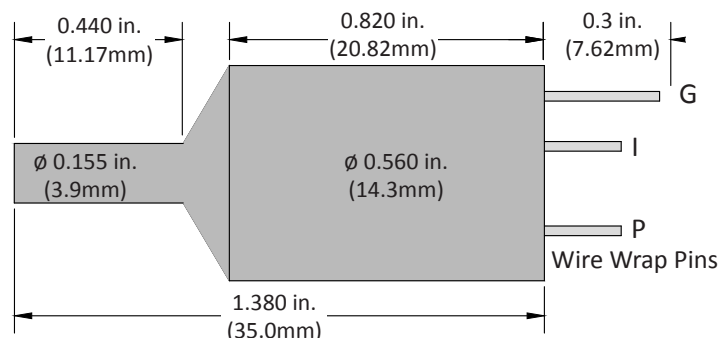
UNICOLOR (SCI/V) SENSOR: Three standard wire-wrap pins

G - Ground: common for analog output and power input

I - Intensity of correct color LED under test (relative)

P - DC Power Input: +5, 12, 24, or 28 volts

Typical response time: <315mS color & intensity output simultaneously



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UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ PART 1 - SENSORS

PIN CONNECTIONS, DIMENSIONS AND OUTPUT SIGNAL CHARACTERISTICS - Continued:

UNICOLOR DIGITAL (SCC), BLINX DIGITAL (BLINX) and ULTRA HIGH-SENSITIVITY (UHS) SENSORS:

Three standard wire-wrap pins

G - Ground: common for digital output and power input

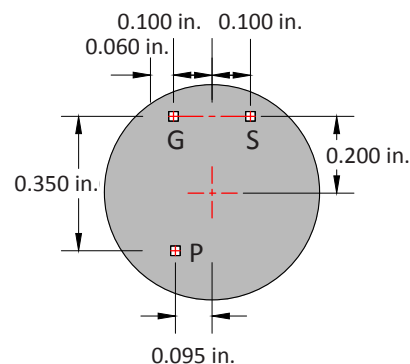
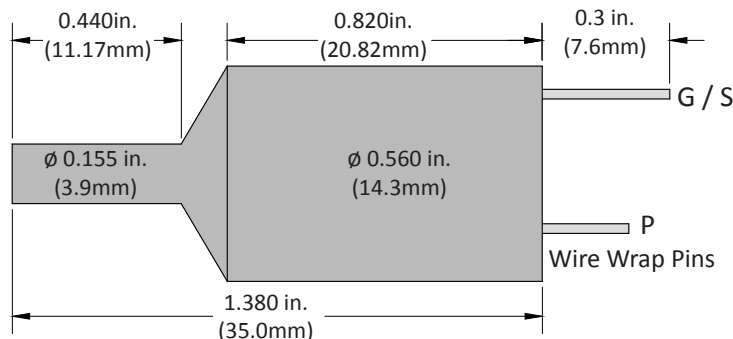
S - Status of LED: **Unicolor Digital** - correct color = Logic '1' (5v); incorrect color = Logic 0 (0v)

Blinx & UHS - ON = Logic '1' (5v); OFF = Logic 0 (0v)

P - DC Power Input: +5, 12, 24, or 28 volts

Typical response times: **Unicolor Digital** <320mS **UHS:** <190mS

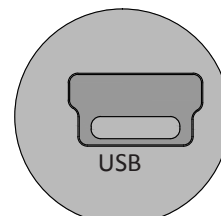
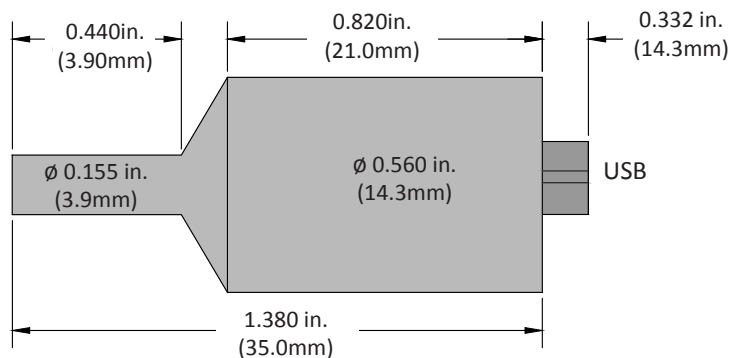
Blinx Digital <66ms, shorter for brighter LEDs



SPECTRA USB SENSOR:

Connection is a USB port: sensor includes compatible standard mini-B type USB cable

Typical response time: <250mS color & intensity output as a serial bit-stream (19200 baud rate)



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PART 2 - FIBER-OPTIC PROBES

UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ FIBER-OPTIC PROBE SELECTION GUIDE

After choosing a pre-programmed **Sensor** for the type of test and output you require, then choose a **Fiber-optic Probe** to further customize the test for mechanical requirements and constraints. Fiber-optic Probes come in a variety of **aperture styles (wide-aperture, small-aperture, contacting tip)**, **fiber-optic cable type**, and **stainless-steel tip** lengths to meet your exact requirements for testing LEDs. These options are outlined below.

SMALL-APERTURE (SA) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES: Our most popular and cost-efficient option.

Appropriate for most testing applications. The best choice for testing closely-spaced LEDs. Small-Aperture Fiber-Optic Probes come in **Single** models for testing single LEDs, **“Duplex”** for testing two LEDs sequentially, and the **“Trident”** and **“Skinny Trident”** models for testing three LEDs sequentially.

SINGLE (250-12): For testing single LEDs.



Characteristics:

- Flexible cable: 1 x 9.84 in./250mm long. / 1 in. bend radius
- Probe tip dia.: 0.050 in. /1.27mm
- LED spacing: Not less than 0.050 in. / 1.27mm
- Probe tip type: Stainless-steel
- Air-gap: 1mm min. recommended
- See probe tip lengths below

PART NUMBERS:

There are 5 tip styles in the **Small-Aperture Single** model available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility, **Short (SL)**, **Long (LL)**, and **Extra-Long (XLL)**, as well as two **Right-Angle** options, **Short (RSL)** and **Long (RLL)**, for side-facing LEDs.

250-12-SL-SA

1.125 in. tip



250-12-LL-SA

1.75 in. tip



250-12-XLL-SA

2.25 in. tip



250-12-RSSL-SA

0.175 in. right-angle length

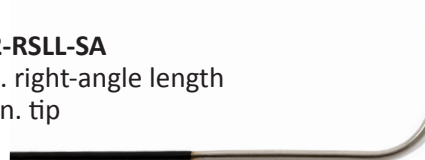
1.75 in. tip



250-12-RSLL-SA

0.80 in. right-angle length

1.125 in. tip

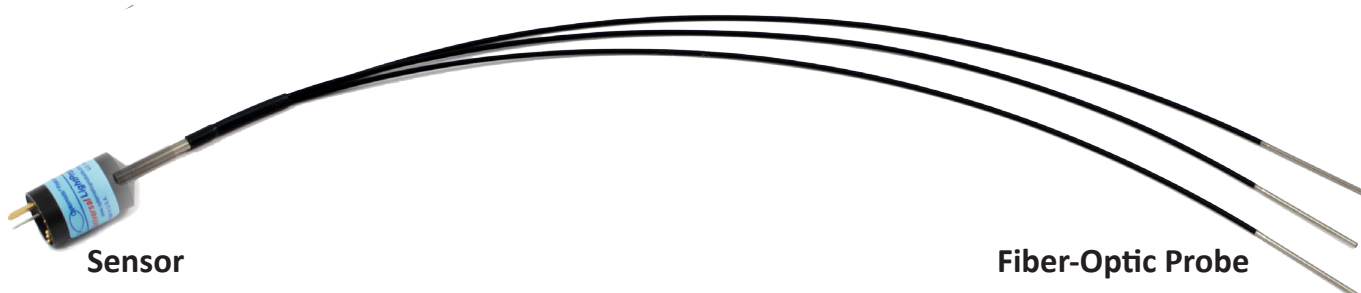


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PART 2 - FIBER-OPTIC PROBES

SMALL-APERTURE (SA) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES - continued:

TRIDENT (250-12x12) AND SKINNY TRIDENT (250T/13): For the testing of three LEDs sequentially with one sensor. Our most popular and cost-efficient option. The “Trident” and “Skinny Trident” models are bundled together in groups of three per sensor for sequential testing of LEDs and additional cost savings. A two probe “Duplex” model is also available



Characteristics:

- Flexible cable: 3 x 9.84 in. / 250mm long / 1 in. bend radius
- Air-gap: 1mm min. recommended
- LED spacing: Not less than 0.050 in. / 1.27mm
- Individual probes on the “Trident” are replaceable
- Probe tip type: Stainless-steel
- Probe tip dia.: 0.050 in. / 1.27mm
- LEDs must be turned on and tested one at a time

PART NUMBERS:

There are 5 tip styles in both the “Trident” (250-12x12) and “Skinny Trident” (250T/13) models available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility: **Short (SL)**, **Long (LL)**, and **Extra-Long (XLL)**, as well as two **Right-Angle** options (**RSSL**) and (**RSLL**) for testing side-facing LEDs.

250T-12x12-SL-SA

250T/13-SL-SA

1.125 in. tips



250T-12x12-RSSL-SA

250T/13-RSSL-SA

0.175 in. right-angle length / 1.75 in. tips



250T-12x12-LL-SA

250T/13-LL-SA

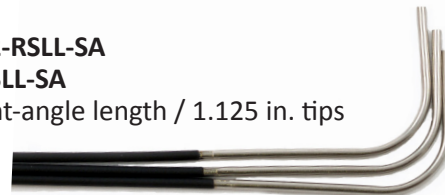
1.75 in. tips



250T-12x12-RSLL-SA

250T/13-RSLL-SA

0.80 in. right-angle length / 1.125 in. tips



250T-12x12-XLL-SA

250T/13-XLL-SA

2.25 in. tips



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WIDE-APERTURE (WA) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES : for Dim or Misaligned LEDs

Allows four times the amount of light input as small-aperture probes, compensating for dim LEDs and potential misalignment errors in ATE test fixtures. The best choice for finished-product displays such as illuminated switch alpha-numeric icons. Wide-Aperture probes come in a variety of models, the flexible **250-27's**, which come with a choice of cable housing, the rigid stainless-steel encased **27's**.

FLEXIBLE (250-27): For testing of single LEDs.



Characteristics:

- Flexible cable: 9.84in. / 250mm long
- Probe tip diameter: 0.109in./2.77mm stainless-steel tip
- Probe tip type: non-contacting stainless steel
- LED spacing: not less than 0.109in./2.77mm
- Air-gap: 1mm recommended- up to 3mm to increase field of view when testing misaligned LEDs

FIBER-OPTIC CABLE TYPES:

Universal LightProbe™ Fiber-Optic Probes come in three cable types ("**Regular**", "**Superflex**", "**Rugged**"). This allows for specific requirements for LED access, spacing and harsh working conditions.

Regular (250) - Most cost efficient. 2 in. minimum bend radius

Superflex (250SF) - Increased flexibility allows for easier access to difficult to reach LEDs. 1/4 in. minimum bend radius.

Rugged (250R) - Extra durability for harsh working environment. 1/4 in. minimum bend radius.

PART NUMBERS:

There are 4 tip styles of the **Wide-Aperture Single** model available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility, **Short (SL)**, **Long (LL)**, and **Extra-Long (XLL)**, as well as a **Right-Angle** option, available only with the "**Superflex**" cable type, (**250SF-27-RSLL**) for testing side-

250-27-SL-WA
250SF-27-SL-WA
250R-27-SL-WA
 0.325 in. tip



250-27-XLL-WA
250SF-XLL-WA
250R-27-XLL-WA
 2.25 in. tip



250-27-LL-WA
250SF-27-LL-WA
250R-27-LL-WA
 1.75 in. tip



250SF-27-RSLL-WA
 Available in the "**Superflex**" model only
 0.220 in right angle length



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WIDE-APERTURE (WA) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES continued: for Dim or Misaligned LEDs.
Stainless-steel encased probe. Eliminates the need for sensor mounting clamps.

RIGID (XXX-27): For testing of single LEDs.



Characteristics:

- Stainless-steel encased probe
- Probe tip diameter: 0.109in./2.77mm stainless-steel tip
- Probe tip type: stainless steel
- LED spacing: Straight - not less than 0.56 in./14.22mm, the width of the sensor; Right Angle - not less than 0.134 in./3.4mm, by rotating the sensors outward
- Air-gap: 1mm recommended- up to 3mm to increase field of view when testing misaligned LEDs

PART NUMBERS:

There are 5 styles of the **Wide-Aperture Rigid** model available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility, **Very Short (SSL)**, **Short (SL)**, **Long (LL)**, as well as two **Right-Angle** options, **(RSL)** and **(RLL)**. Right-angle probes can be rotated for closer spacing of sensors.

XXX-27-SSL-WA

0.75 in. long
Fully inserted into sensor



XXX-27-SL-WA

1.125 in. long
Extends 0.375 in. past sensor



XXX-27-LL-WA

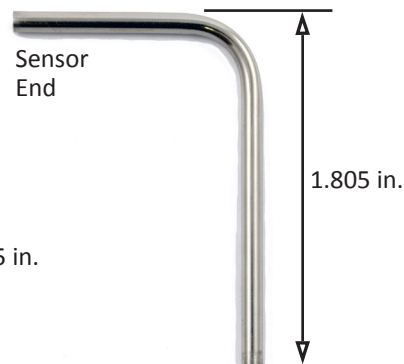
2.20 in. long
Extends 1.145 in. past sensor



XXX-27-RSL-WA



XXX-27-RLL-WA



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CONTACTING-TIP (WA-CT) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES : for more refined intensity testing.

Eliminates variations in intensity measurement due to inconsistent working distance between LED and fiber-optic probe tip. Also comes in **Right-Angle** and **Rigid** models.

FLEXIBLE (250-34): For testing of single LEDs.



Characteristics:

- Flexible cable: 9.84in./250mm long
- Probe tip diameter: 0.134in./3.4mm stainless-steel tip. See specific probe tip lengths below.
- Probe tip type: stainless steel with contacting insulated spring tip
- LED spacing: not less than 0.134in./3.4mm

FIBER-OPTIC CABLE TYPES:

Universal LightProbe™ Flexible Contacting-Tip Fiber-Optic Probes come in three cable types ("**Regular**", "**Superflex**", "**Rugged**"). This allows for specific requirements for LED access, spacing and harsh working conditions.

Regular (250) - 2 in. minimum bend radius. Most cost efficient.

Superflex (250SF) - 1/4 in. minimum bend radius. Increased flexibility allows for easier access to difficult to reach LEDs.

Rugged (250R) - Extra durability for harsh working environments. 1/4 in. minimum bend radius

PART NUMBERS:

There are 2 styles of the **Flexible Contacting-Tip** model available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility, **Short (SL)** and **Long (LL)**.

250-34-SL-WA-CT
250SF-34-SL-WA-CT
250R-34-SL-WA-CT
 1.29 in. long tip

250-34-LL-WA-CT
250SF-34-LL-WA-CT
250R-34-LL-WA-CT
 2.34 in. long tip



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CONTACTING-TIP (WA-CT) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES - continued:

RIGID (XXX-34): For more refined intensity testing. Eliminates variations in intensity measurement due to inconsistent working distance between LED and fiber-optic probe tip. Stainless-steel encased probes eliminate the need for sensor mounting clamps. Comes in **Rigid** and **Rigid Right-Angle** models.



Characteristics:

- Stainless-steel encased probe
- Probe tip diameter: 0.134in./3.4mm stainless-steel tip
- Probe tip type: stainless steel with contacting insulated spring tip
- LED spacing: Straight - not less than 0.56 in./14.22mm, the width of the sensor; Right Angle - not less than, 0.134 in./3.4mm, by rotating the sensors outward

PART NUMBERS:

There are 4 styles of the **Rigid Wide-Aperture Contacting-Tip** model available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility, **Short (SL)** and **Long (LL)**, as well as two **Right-Angle** options, **Short-Length (RSL)** and **Long-Length (RLL)**. Right-angle probes can be rotated for closer spacing of sensors.

XXX-34-SL-WA-CT

2.12 in. long
Extends 1.37 in. past sensor

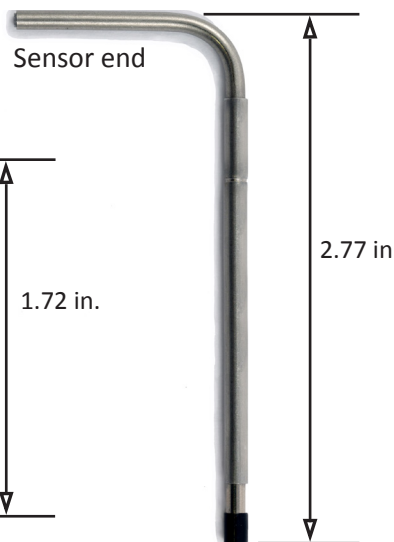


XXX-34-LL-WA-CT

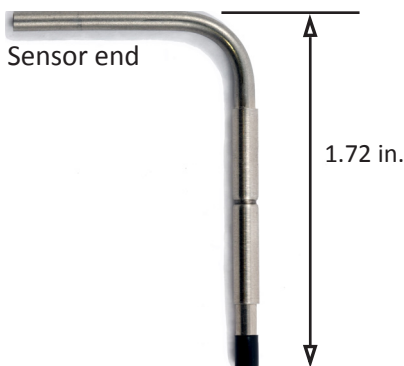
3.17 in. long
Extends 2.42 in. past sensor



XXX-34-RLL-WA-CT



XXX-34-RSL-WA-CT



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VERY-WIDE-APERTURE (VWA) FIBER-OPTIC PROBES: for Very Dim or Misaligned LEDs.
Allows over 2x the light of a WA probe.

VERY-WIDE-APERTURE (152-VWA): For testing very dim LEDs.



Characteristics:

- Semi-flexible cable: 6 in./152mm long, minimum 4 in. bend radius without significant light loss
- Probe tip diameter: 0.145in./3.7mm stainless-steel tip
- Probe tip type: stainless steel
- LED spacing: not less than 0.145in./3.7mm
- Air-gap: 1mm recommended - up to 3mm to increase field of view when testing misaligned LEDs

PART NUMBERS:

There are 2 styles of the **Very-Wide-Aperture** fiber-optic probes available to account for variations in working distance, LED orientation and accessibility, **Short (SL)**, **Long (LL)**.

152-37-SL-VWA
0.325 in. tip



152-37-LL-VWA
1.375 in. tip



SPECIAL ORDERS:

Optomistic Products can provide Special Order fiber-optic probes that are customized to address specific LED test constraints or requirements.

Examples:

- Custom length fiber-optic cables- from 6 inches to 12 feet in length
- Custom length stainless-steel tips
- Small-aperture contacting-tip probes
- Small-aperture Rigid (stainless-steel encased) right-angle probes

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PART 2 - FIBER-OPTIC PROBES

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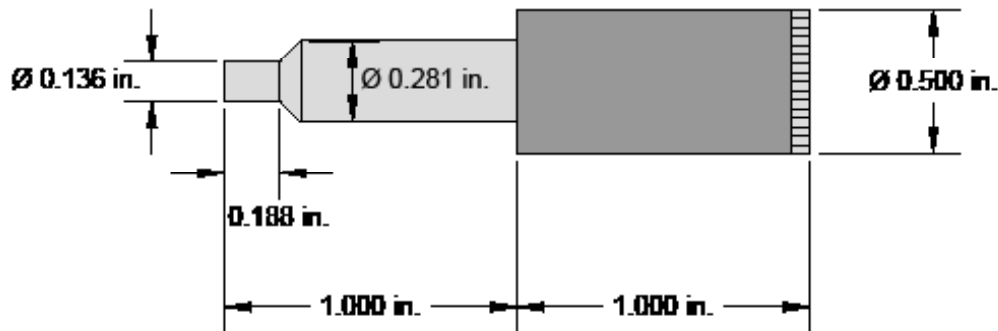
Fiber-optic probes come in a variety of aperture sizes (wide-aperture, small-aperture), lengths, and fiber-optic cable type to meet your exact needs for testing LEDs. After choosing a pre-programmed **Sensor** for the type of test and output you require, then choose a **Fiber-optic Probe** to further customize the test for mechanical requirements and constraints.

WHAT ARE YOU TESTING?	P R O B E T Y P E							
	Small Aperture Probes	Duplex & Trident Small-Aperture Probes	Wide-Aperture Probes	Wide-Aperture Probes Contacting Tips	Very-Wide Aperture Probes	Super-Flexible Wide-Aperture Probes	"Periscope" Wide-Aperture Probe	Stainless Steel Encased Wide-Aperture Probes
Closely spaced LEDs 0.050 inch on center	◆	◆						
Two or Three LEDs with a Single Sensor		◆						
Compensate for Mis-alignment of Probe Tip to LED			◆					
Dim LEDs			◆	◆	◆			
Requiring Refined Intensity Test				◆				
Difficult to Access LEDs					◆	◆		
Side-Facing LEDs							◆	
Install Sensor without Clamps								◆

UNIVERSAL LIGHTSOURCE™ INFRA-RED (IR) EMITTER

Universal LightSources™ emit Infra-red (IR) radiant energy and are designed for the testing of IR (infra-red) sensors used in remotely-controlled products. The emitters are available in eight different IR wavelengths: 830nm, 850nm, 870nm, 875nm, 880nm, 890nm, 940nm and 950nm, with radiant intensities commonly used for such IR emitters. The Universal LightSources use a standard 5-volt regulated DC power supply connected via a connecting cable with mating coaxial power plug supplied with each LightSource. Alternatively, the Universal LightSource can be connected to a serial-digital pulse-code-modulated signal source.

Part Number ULS-SL-IR-XXX - (XXX indicates peak wavelength in nanometers)



A **Universal LightSource** can be mounted with a single-hole mounting clip (also supplied). For fixture mounting, choose from a wide variety of **Universal LightProbe** fiber-optic probes, which can be coupled to the IR LightSources to probe an IR sensor under test.

Clamp and Connector Cable included. Add Universal LightProbe Fiber-Optic Probe if required

UNIVERSAL LIGHTPROBE™ INSTALLATION ACCESSORIES

Universal LightProbe™ Sensors and **Fiber-Optic Probes** are easy and fast to install. Use one-hole fixing clamps for the sensors and flexible cable fiber-optic probes. Stainless-steel encased Fiber-Optic Probes support both the sensor and the Fiber-Optic Probe without sensor clamps. The **Universal LightProbe™ Connector Cable** is also available for quick and easy sensor wiring to ATE interface.

MOUNTING CLAMPS:

Sensor Clamp: Part Number ULP-CP

Use a single clamp for the sensor with a single #10-ANSI screw for one-hole fixing



Probe Clamp: Part Number LCP-XXX

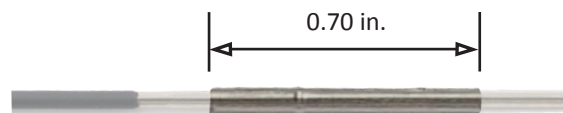
("XX" = Fiber-Optic Probe model number - 12P, 27P, 34P or 37P)

Individual clamps secured to the probe plate, allows the height of the probe tips above the LEDs to be adjusted



Socket Clamp: Part Number LCP-S12

Secures the stainless-steel tips in the probe plate.
For small-aperture fiber-optic-probes, including the popular "Trident" fiber-optic probe.
See AN 22 for more information.



Universal LightProbe™ Connector Cable: Part Number ULP-CC

- Fool-proof Sensor Wiring

Color-coded and labeled wires, corresponding to sensor pin labelling, with separate sheathing of individual sensor wires for easy identification at the ATE interface

- Time-Saving

Provides a quick-change of sensors, saving time over wire-wrap connections

- Reduces Overall Fixture Assembly Cost

Eliminates costly wiring errors and de-bug time and provides automatic dressing of specific sensor wires.

- Protects Sensor from Heat Damage

Eliminates the possibility of sensor damage caused by excessive heat.
(Soldering connections NOT recommended)

- Long, Durable, Flexible and Tested

Long-length (48 inches/1220mm) allows for trimming to suit most fixtures and 26 AWG stranded conductors for flexibility and durability. End-to-end continuity tested and pull tested



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