

DATA SHEET

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VISIBLE LASER DIODE NDL3321ST, NDL3321SU

5 mW, 650 nm AlGaInP MQW VISIBLE LASER DIODE FOR DVD, DVD-ROM APPLICATIONS

DESCRIPTION

The NDL3321ST and NDL3321SU are AlGaInP 650 nm visible laser diodes and especially developed for DVD, DVD-ROM. The newly developed Multiple Quantum Well (MQW) LD chip, can achieve low operating current, wide temperature range.

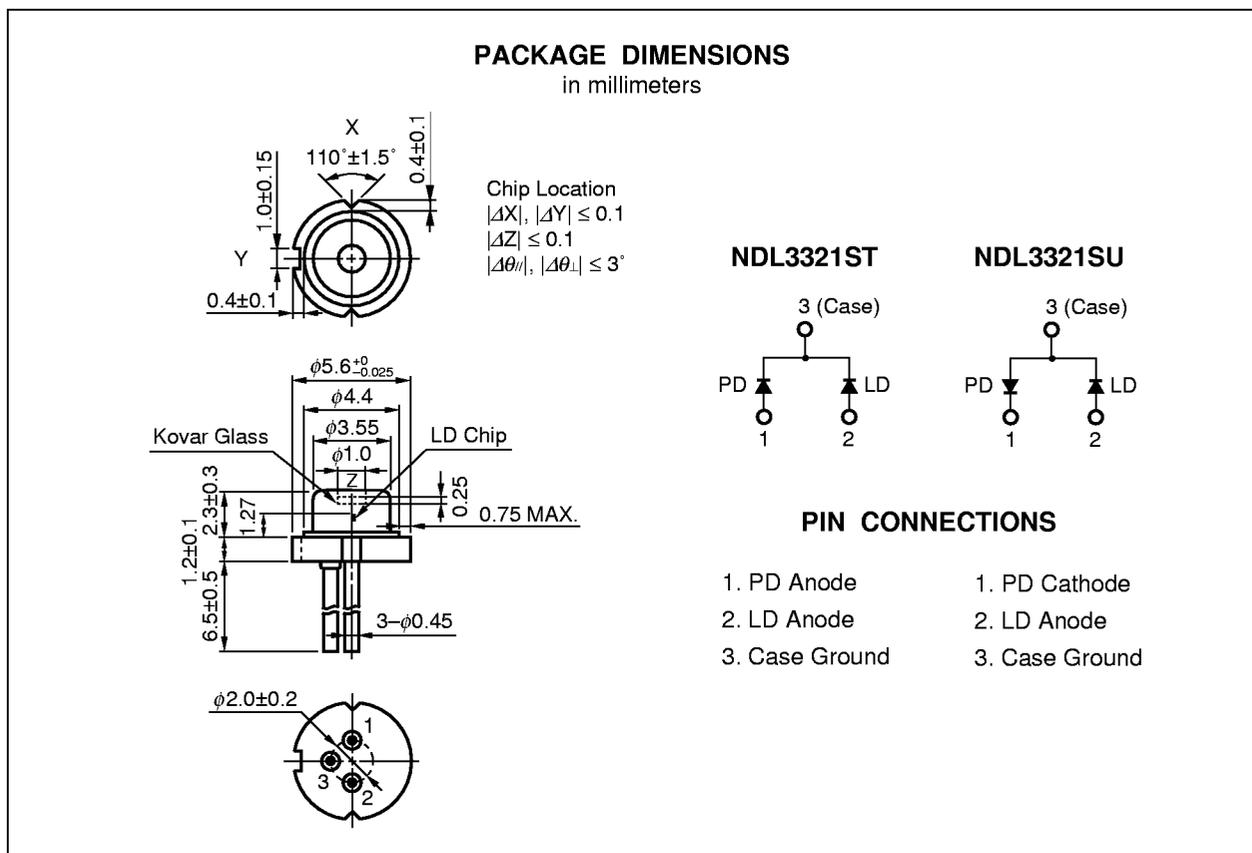
Use of a CD package allows easy replacement of conventional 780 nm LDs.

FEATURES

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| • Optical output power | $P_o = 5.0 \text{ mW}$ | • Wide operating temperature range | $T_c = -10 \text{ to } +70 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ |
| • Low threshold current | $I_{th} = 45 \text{ mA TYP.}$ | • Peak emission wavelength | $\lambda_p = 650 \text{ nm TYP.}$ |
| • Low operating current | $I_{op} = 60 \text{ mA TYP.}$ | • Fundamental transverse mode | |
| • Low operating voltage | $V_{op} = 2.2 \text{ V TYP.}$ | | |

APPLICATIONS

- DVD, DVD-ROM
- Measurement Instrument



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS (T_c = 25 °C, unless otherwise specified)

Parameter	Symbol	Ratings	Unit
Optical Output Power	P _o	6.0	mW
Reverse Voltage of LD	V _R	2.0	V
Forward Current of PD	I _F	20	mA
Reverse Voltage of PD	V _R	30	V
Operating Case Temperature	T _c	-10 to +70	°C
Storage Temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +85	°C

RECOMMENDED OPERATING CONDITIONS (T_c = 25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
Optical Output Power	P _o			5.0	mW

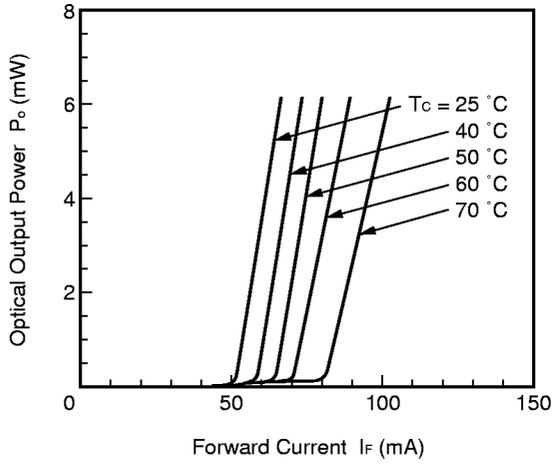
ELECTRO-OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS (T_c = 25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	Conditions	MIN.	TYP.	MAX.	Unit
Operating Voltage	V _{op}	P _o = 5.0 mW		2.2	2.7	V
Threshold Current	I _{th}	CW		45	65	mA
Operating Current	I _{op}	P _o = 5.0 mW		60	80	mA
Monitor Current	I _m	V _R = 5 V, P _o = 5.0 mW	0.1	0.3	0.5	mA
Peak Emission Wavelength	λ _p	P _o = 5.0 mW	645	650	657	nm
Vertical Beam Angle	θ _⊥	P _o = 5.0 mW, FAHM ^{*1}	25	30	35	deg.
Lateral Beam Angle	θ _∥	P _o = 5.0 mW, FAHM ^{*1}	6	8	10	deg.

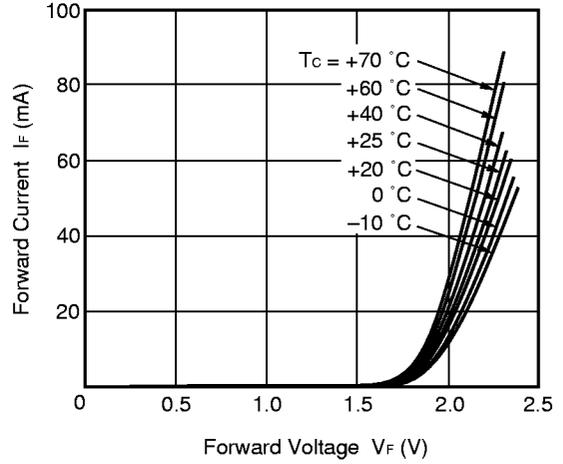
*1 FAHM: Full Angle at Half Maximum

★ TYPICAL CHARACTERISTICS ($T_c = 25\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$, unless otherwise specified)

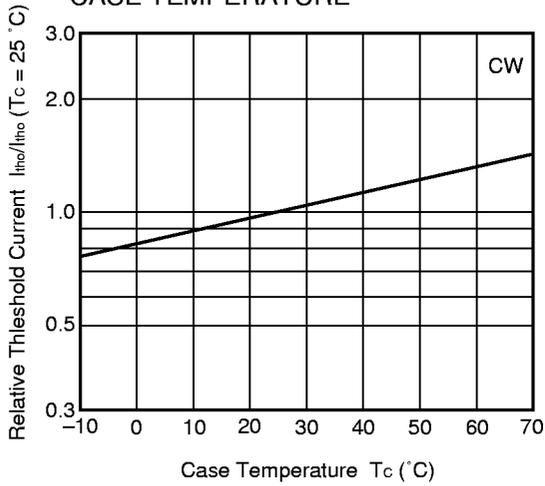
OPTICAL OUTPUT POWER vs. FORWARD CURRENT



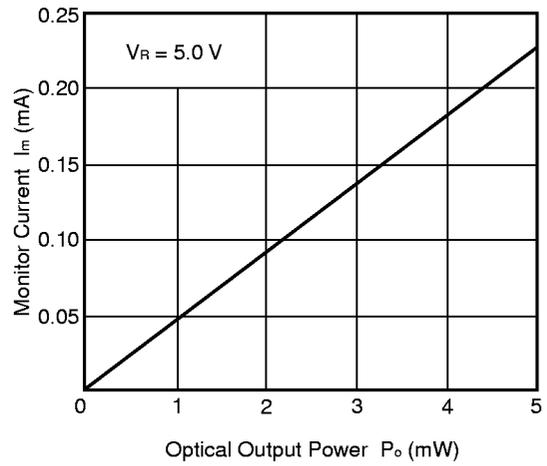
FORWARD CURRENT vs. FORWARD VOLTAGE



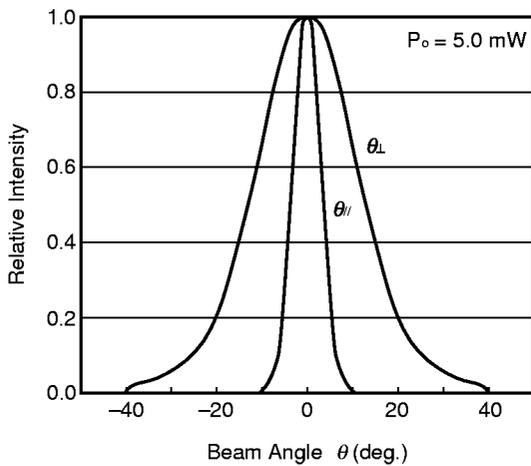
RELATIVE THRESHOLD CURRENT vs. CASE TEMPERATURE



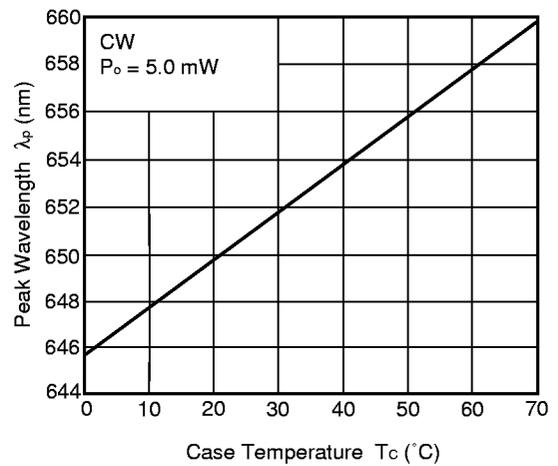
MONITOR CURRENT vs. OPTICAL OUTPUT POWER

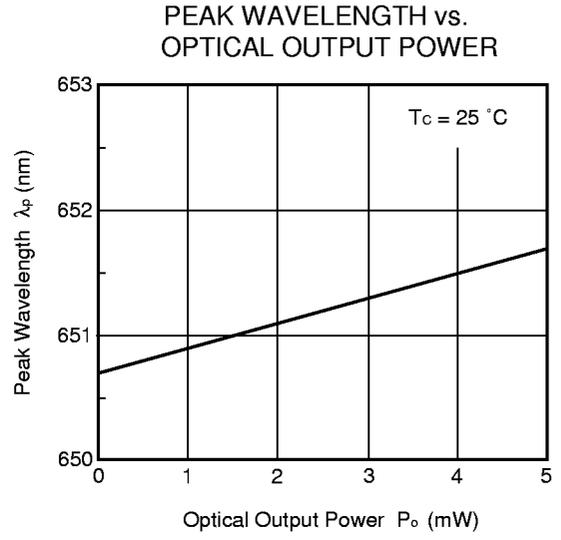
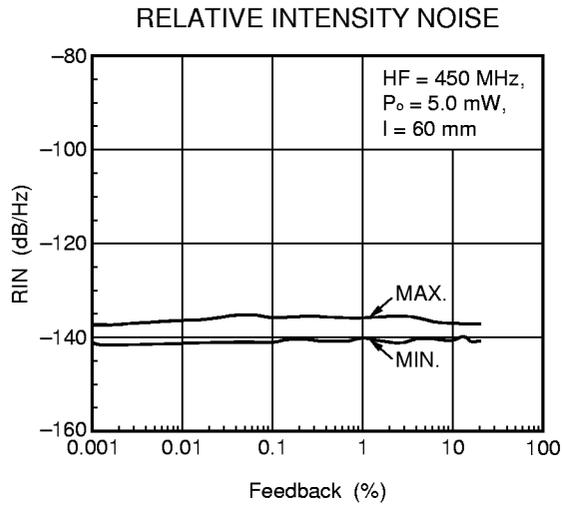


FAR FIELD PATTERN



PEAK WAVELENGTH vs. CASE TEMPERATURE





★ TEMPERATURE DEPENDENCE OF OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS

