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SFDLB3785F

Specifications and Applications Information

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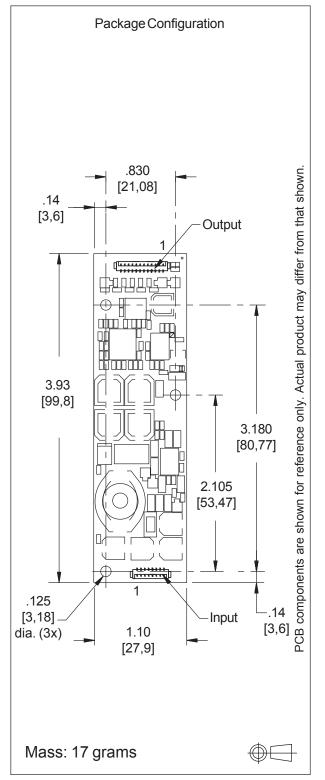
The ERG Smart Force Series of LED Drivers are specifically designed for applications which require wide dimming and LCD brightness stability over a wide input voltage range. The SFDLB3785F is designed to provide backlight power for the NEC NL6448BC26-15C-L display.

Designed, manufactured and supported within the USA, the SFDL features:

- ✓ Less than 8 mm in height
- ✓ Wide input voltage range
- ✓ Constant LED current
- ✓ External or internal dimming
- ✓ High dimming ratio
- ✓ Separate enable & dimming function
- ✓ Soft start
- ✓ One year warranty

Connectors						
Input Connector	Output Connector*					
Molex 53261-0871	Molex 53261-1271					
J1-1 Vin(+) J1-2 Vin(+) J1-3 GND J1-4 GND J1-5 Enable J1-6 Vin(+) J1-7 Control J1-8 GND	J2-1 Cathode 1 J2-7 Cathode 4 J2-2 Anode 1 J2-8 Anode 4 J2-3 Cathode 2 J2-9 (do not use) J2-4 Anode 2 J2-10 (do not use) J2-5 Cathode 3 J2-11 (do not use) J2-6 Anode 3 J2-12 (do not use) * Requires harness: ERG part number H10808152 recommended					

Smart Force LED Driver





Absolute Maximum Ratings

Rating	Symbol	Value	Units
Input Voltage Range	V _{in}	-0.3 to +20.0	Vdc
Storage Temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +85	°C
Control Voltage	V _{Control}	0 to 5.0	Vdc
Enable Input Voltage	V _{Enable}	0 to Vin	Vdc

Operating Characteristics

Unless otherwise noted Vin = 12.00 Volts dc and Ta = 25°C.

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Units	
Input Voltage	V _{in}	+10.0	+12.0	+20.0	Vdc	
Component Surface Temperature (Note 1)	T _s	-20	-	+80	°C	
Input Current	I in	0.34	0.40	0.46	Adc	
LED String Voltage	V _{LED}	30.5	33.0	35.5	Vdc	
Efficiency	η	-	70	-	%	
Output Current (per string)	l out	23.5	25.0	26.5	mAdc	
Enable Pin (Note 2)						
Turn-on Threshold	V _{thon}	-	-	1.55	Vdc	
Turn-off Threshold	V _{thoff}	1.25	-	-	Vdc	
Enable Input Impedance	R _{Enable}	-	5.0	-	kOhms	
Control Pin						
Full-on Threshold	V _{fon}	-	0.9	-	Vdc	
Full-off Threshold	V _{foff}	-	4.2	-	Vdc	

Specifications subject to change without notice.

Note 1 Surface temperature must not exceed 80°C, except for U5 which must be kept below 100°C; thermal management actions may be required.

Note 2 The input voltage to the driver must be within its operating characteristic before the driver is enabled, otherwise the driver may not start or may shut down unexpectedly.



Onboard PWM

Unless otherwise noted Vin = 12.00 Volts DC, T_a = 25 °C and unit has been running for 5 minutes.

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Frequency	f _{pwm}	-	160	-	H_Z
Control Input Bias Current	I chias	-	-	10	uA

Application Information

The ERG SFDLB3785F has been designed to be configured in multiple ways:

NO DIMMING

- OPERATION: The SFD driver can be configured to operate without dimming by floating the Control Pin (J1-7), and the Enable Pin (J1-5).
- Pins 1 and 2 of connector J1 must be connected to +Vin, between 10 and 20 Vdc. Pins 3 and 4 of connector J1 must be connected to GND.

ONBOARD PWM DIMMING

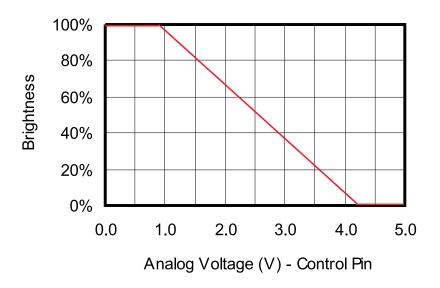
- OPERATION: Onboard PWM configuration as shown in Figure 1 allows the user to control display brightness by controlling the onboard PWM generator. The user is responsible to provide an analog control signal. A dimming ratio up to 1000:1 is possible with this configuration.
- DIMMING: Dimming is accomplished by applying an analog voltage to the Control Pin (J1-7). Display brightness is modulated by controlling the Control Pin voltage as shown in Graph 1.
- ENABLE/DISABLE: The driver may be enabled or disabled (turned on and off) by applying a DC voltage to the Enable Pin(J1-5). Enable Pin on and off levels are specified in the Operating Characteristics section of the data sheet. The driver can also be enabled by floating the Enable Pin.
- Pins 1 and 2 of connector J1 must be connected to +Vin, between 10 and 20 Vdc. Pins 3 and 4 of connector J1 must be connected to GND.

EXTERNAL PWM DIMMING

- OPERATION: External PWM configuration as shown in Figure 2 allows the user to control display brightness
 with an externally generated PWM signal. The user is responsible to provide the PWM signal. A dimming ratio up
 to 5000:1 is possible with this configuration.
- DIMMING: Dimming is accomplished by applying a PWM signal to the Enable Pin (J1-5). PWM on and off levels are specified in the Operating Characteristics section of the data sheet. Display brightness is modulated by controlling the PWM duty cycle as shown in Graph 2.
- ENABLE/DISABLE: The driver may be enabled or disabled (turned on and off) by applying a DC voltage to the Control Pin (J1-7). Control Pin on and off levels are specified in the Operating Characteristics section of the data sheet. The driver can also be enabled by floating the Control pin.
- Pins 1 and 2 of connector J1 must be connected to +Vin, between 10 and 20 Vdc. Pins 3 and 4 of connector J1 must be connected to GND.



ONBOARD PWM DIMMING



Graph 1

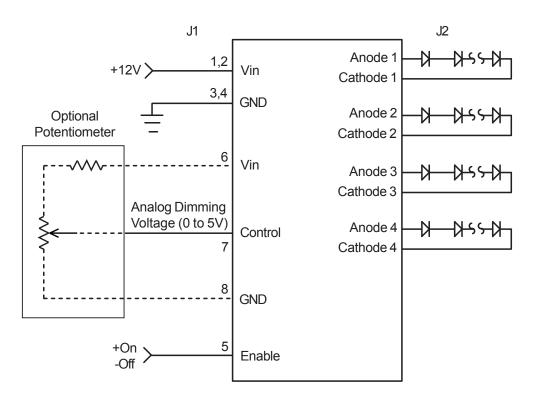
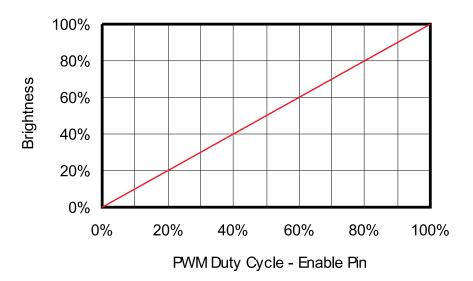


Figure 1



EXTERNAL PWM DIMMING



Graph 2

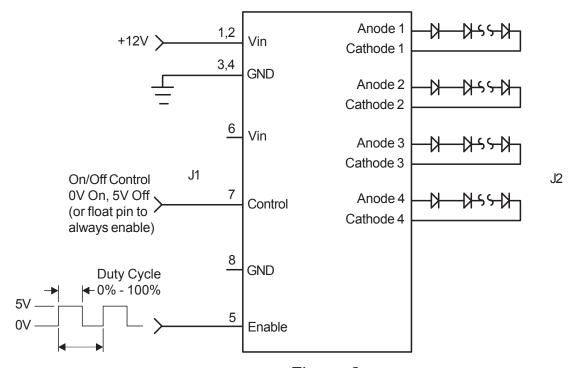


Figure 2



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