

Cree, Inc. Product Change Notification Product Line Obsolescence Effective September 22, 2006

Change Description

Cree will discontinue the XLamp® 7090 XL Series, and XLamp 3 7090 product lines effective September 22, 2006. XLamp 7090 XR Series, XLamp 4550, and future products will not be affected.

Impact of Change:

As of September 22, 2006, Cree will no longer accept orders for XLamp 7090 XL Series and XLamp 3 products. All "Lifetime Buys" must be submitted before this date for immediate shipment.

Customers are encouraged to qualify Cree's XLamp 7090 XR Series products, which include a complete range of monochromatic and white high power LEDs. The XR Series product:

- Is a "drop-in" replacement for the XLamp 7090 XL Series and the XLamp 3 7090 due to its common pad layout and optical characteristics.
- Features a lower thermal resistance.
- Is operable up to 700mA, eliminating the need for a separate product line for 700mA drive current.

Complete documentation can be found at www.cree.com.

Reason for Change:

This change is being made in order to introduce and support the new XLamp 7090 XR Series.

Products Affected by this Change:

Order code prefixes to be Obsoleted	Replacement prefix
XL7090ROY, 3XL7090RY	XR7090RY
XL7090BLU, 3XL7090BL	XR7090BL
XL7090CYN, 3XL7090CN	XR7090CN
XL7090GRN, 3XL7090GR	XR7090GR
XL7090AMB, 3XL7090AM	XR7090AM
XL7090RDO, 3XL7090RO	XR7090RO
XL7090RED, 3XL7090RD	XR7090RD
XL7090WHT, 3XL7090WT	XR7090WT
XL7090UVV	XR7090UV

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