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Title	15.0" XGA TFT LCD
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SUPPLIER	LG.Philips LCD CO., Ltd.
*MODEL	LM150X05
SUFFIX	A3

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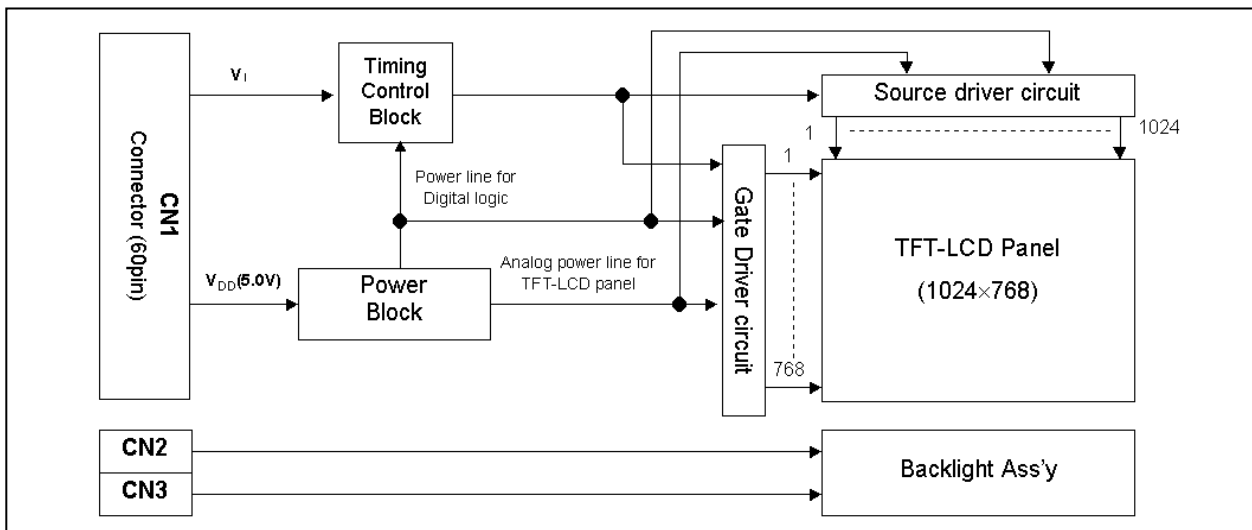
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1. General Description

The LM150X05-A3 is a Color Active Matrix Liquid Crystal Display with an integral Cold Cathode Fluorescent Lamp(CCFL) backlight system. The matrix employs a-Si Thin Film Transistor as the active element. It is a transmissive type display operating in the normally white mode. This TFT-LCD has a 15.0 inches diagonally measured active display area with XGA resolution(768 vertical by 1024 horizontal pixel array). Each pixel is divided into Red, Green and Blue sub-pixels or dots which are arranged in vertical stripes. Gray scale or the brightness of the sub-pixel color is determined with a 6-bit gray scale signal for each dot, thus, presenting a palette of more than 262,144 colors.

The LM150X05-A3 has been designed to apply the 2-port TTL (2-pixel 1-clock) interface method. The LM150X05-A3 LCD is intended to support applications where high brightness, wide viewing angle, high color saturation, and high color depth are very important. In combination with the vertical arrangement of the sub-pixels, the LM150X05-A3 characteristics provide an excellent flat panel display for office automation products such as monitors.



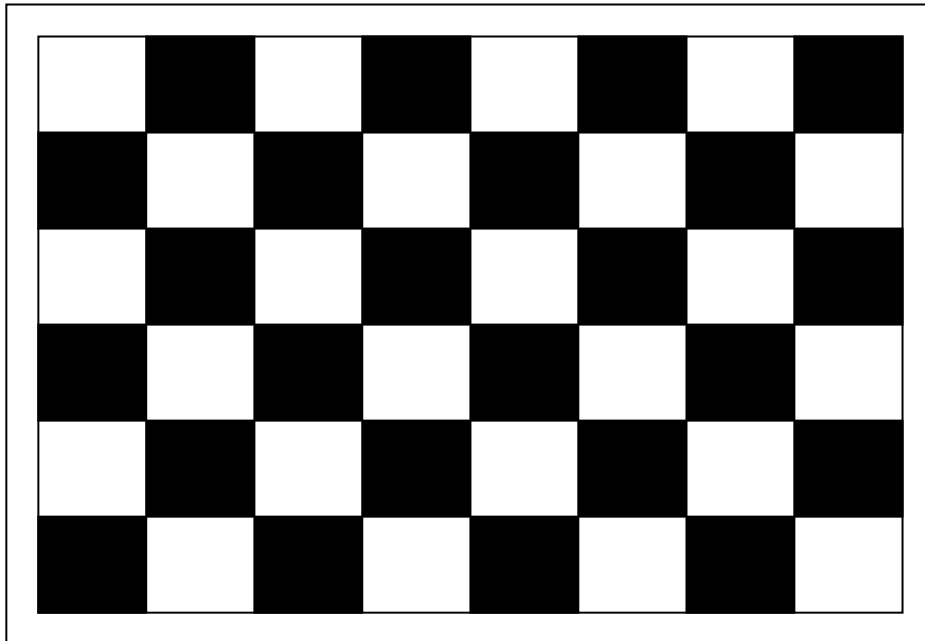
[figure 1] Block diagram

General Features

Active screen size	15.0 inches(304.1 x 228.1) diagonal
Outline Dimension	331.3(H) × 257.9(V) × 11.0(D) mm (Typ)
Pixel Pitch	0.297 mm x 0.297mm
Pixel format	1024 horiz. By 768 vert. Pixels RGB stripes arrangement
Color depth	6-bit, 262,144 colors
Luminance, white	200 cd/m ² (Typ.)
Power Consumption	Total 9.0 Watt(Typ.)
Weight	1050g (Typ)
Display operating mode	Transmissive mode, normally white
Surface treatments	Hard coating(3H) Anti-glare treatment of the front polarizer

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5. The output of the inverter must have symmetrical(negative and positive) voltage waveform and symmetrical current waveform.(Unsymmetrical ratio is less than 10%) Please do not use the inverter which has unsymmetrical voltage and unsymmetrical current and spike wave.
Lamp frequency may produce interference with horizontal synchronous frequency and as a result this may cause beat on the display. Therefore lamp frequency shall be as away as possible from the horizontal synchronous frequency and from its harmonics in order to prevent interference.
6. Let's define the brightness of the lamp after being lighted for 5 minutes as 100%.
 T_s is the time required for the brightness of the center of the lamp to be not less than 95%.
The used lamp current is the lamp typical current.
7. The lamp power consumption shown above does not include loss of external inverter.
The used lamp current is the lamp typical current.
8. The life time is determined as the time at which brightness of lamp is 50% compared to that of initial value at the typical lamp current on condition of continuous operating at $25 \pm 2^\circ\text{C}$.



[figure 3] mosaic pattern for Power Consumption measurement

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3-2. Interface Connections

This LCM has three interface connections, a 60 pin connector is used for the module electronics and, two three pin connectors are used for the integral back light system.

The interface pin configuration for the connector is shown in the table below.

LCD Connector : FX8-60S-SV(Hirose Electric Co.,Ltd.)

Mating Connector : FX8-60P-SV or FX8-60P-SV-1(Hirose Electric Co.,Ltd.)

Table 3. MODULE CONNECTOR PIN CONFIGURATION

Pin	Symbol	Description	Notes
1	GND	GND	
2	RB0	RED even data signal(LSB)	Even data means second pixel data
3	RB1	RED even data signal	
4	RB2	RED even data signal	
5	RB3	RED even data signal	
6	RB4	RED even data signal	
7	RB5	RED even data signal(MSB)	
8	GND	GND	
9	GB0	GREEN even data signal(LSB)	
10	GB1	GREEN even data signal	
11	GB2	GREEN even data signal	
12	GB3	GREEN even data signal	
13	GB4	GREEN even data signal	
14	GB5	GREEN even data signal(MSB)	
15	GND	GND	
16	BB0	BLUE even data signal(LSB)	
17	BB1	BLUE even data signal	
18	BB2	BLUE even data signal	
19	BB3	BLUE even data signal	
20	BB4	BLUE even data signal	
21	BB5	BLUE even data signal(MSB)	
22	GND	GND	
23	RA0	RED odd data signal(LSB)	Odd data means first pixel data
24	RA1	RED odd data signal	
25	RA2	RED odd data signal	
26	RA3	RED odd data signal	
27	RA4	RED odd data signal	
28	RA5	RED odd data signal(MSB)	
29	GND	GND	
30	GA0	GREEN odd data signal(LSB)	

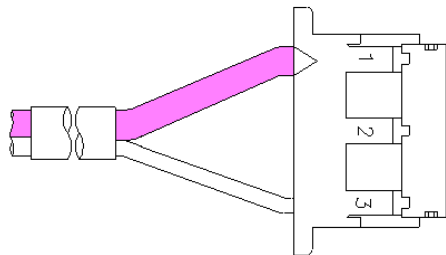
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The backlight interface connector is a model BHR-03VS-1, manufactured by JST. The mating connector part number is SM02(8.0)B-BHS-1-TB or equivalent. The pin configuration for the connector is shown in the table below.

Table 4. BACKLIGHT CONNECTOR PIN CONFIGURATION

Pin	Symbol	Description	Notes
1	HV	Power supply for lamp (High voltage side)	1
2	NC	No Connect	
3	LV	Power supply for lamp (Low voltage side)	

Notes : 1. The high voltage side terminal is colored pink.



[figure 7] Backlight connector view

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3-3. Signal Timing Specifications

This is the signal timing required at the input of the User connector. All of the interface signal timing should be satisfied with the following specifications for it's proper operation.

Table 5. TIMING TABLE

	ITEM	SYMBOL	MIN	TYP.	MAX.	UNIT	NOTES
Dclk	Period	t_{CLK}	25	30.8	40	ns	
	Frequency	f_{CLK}	25	32.5	40	MHz	
Hsync	Period	t_{HP}	584	672	680	t_{CLK}	
	Width	t_{WH}	12	68	120		
Vsync	Period	t_{VP}	780	806	830	t_{HP}	
	Frequency	f_V	50	60	75	Hz	
	Width	t_{WV}	1	6	24	t_{HP}	
DE (Data Enable)	Horizontal Valid	t_{HV}	512	512	512	t_{CLK}	
	Horizontal Back Porch	t_{HBP}	12	12	-		
	Horizontal Front Porch	t_{HFP}	24	80	-		
	Horizontal Blank	-	48	160	$t_{HP} - t_{HV}$		$t_{WH} + t_{HBP} + t_{HFP}$
	Vertical Valid	t_{VV}	768	768	768	t_{HP}	
	Vertical Back Porch	t_{VBP}	2	29	-		
	Vertical Front Porch	t_{VFP}	1	3	-		
	Vertical Blank	-	4	38	$t_{VP} - t_{VV}$		$t_{WV} + t_{VBP} + t_{VFP}$
	Set up time	t_{SI}	3	-	-		ns
Hold time	t_{HI}	3	-	-			
Set up time	t_{SD}	3	-	-			
Data	Hold time	t_{HD}	3	-	-		

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3-5. Color Input Data Reference

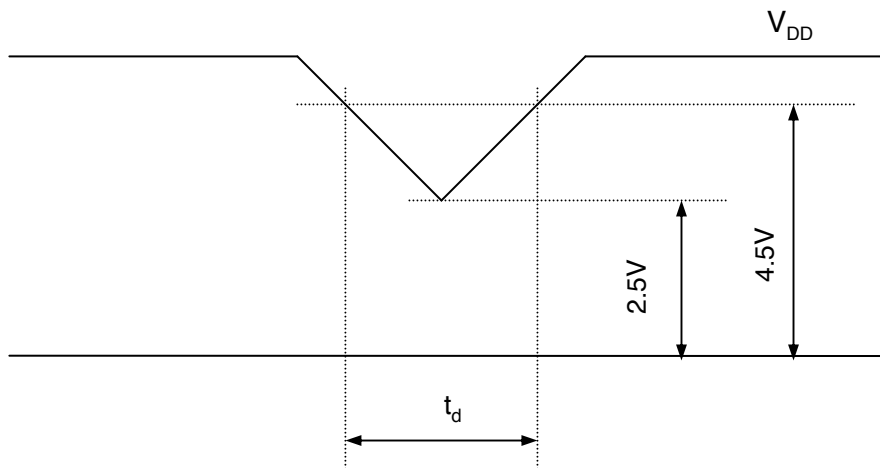
The brightness of each primary color(red,green and blue) is based on the 6-bit gray scale data input for the color ; the higher the binary input, the brighter the color. The table below provides a reference for color versus data input.

Table 6. COLOR DATA REFERENCE

Color	Input Color Data																	
	Red						Green						Blue					
	MSB			LSB			MSB			LSB			MSB			LSB		
	RO5 RE5	RO4 RE4	RO3 RE3	RO2 RE2	RO1 RE1	RO0 RE0	GO5 GE5	GO4 GE4	GO3 GE3	GO2 GE2	GO1 GE1	GO0 GE0	BO5 BE5	BO4 BE4	BO3 BE3	BO2 BE2	BO1 BE1	BO0 BE0
Black	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Red(63)	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green(63)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Basic Colors Blue(63)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cyan	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Magenta	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Yellow	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
White	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Red(00) Dark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Red(01)	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Red(02)	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Red(61)	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Red(62)	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Red(63) Bright	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green(00)Dark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green(01)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green(02)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Green(61)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green(62)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Green(63)Bright	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blue(00) Dark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blue(01)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Blue(02)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
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Blue(61)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1
Blue(62)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0
Blue(63) Bright	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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3-7. V_{DD} Power Dip Condition



[figure 10] Power Dip condition

1) Dip condition

$$2.5V \leq V_{DD} < 4.5V, t_d \leq 20ms$$

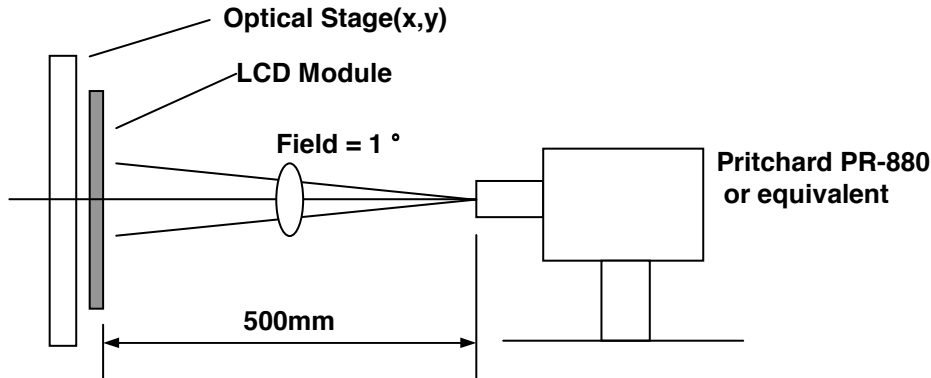
2) $V_{DD} < 2.5V$

V_{DD}-dip conditions should also follow the Power On/Off conditions for supply voltage.

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4. Optical Specification

Optical characteristics are determined after the unit has been 'ON' and stable for approximately 30 minutes in a dark environment at 25 °C. The values specified are at an approximate distance 50cm from the LCD surface at a viewing angle of Φ and θ equal to 0 °.

[Figure 11] presents additional information concerning the measurement equipment and method.



[Figure 11] Optical Characteristic Measurement Equipment and Method

($T_a=25^\circ\text{C}$, $V_{DD}=5.0\text{V}$, $f_v=60\text{Hz}$
 $D_{clk}=32.5\text{MHz}$, $I_{BL}=8\text{mA}$)

Table 8. OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Parameter	Symbol	Values			Units	Notes
		Min.	Typ.	Max.		
Contrast Ratio	CR	200	300	-		1
Surface Luminance, white	L_{WH}	170	200	-	cd/m ²	2
Luminance Variation	δ_{WHITE}	-	-	1.3		3
Response Time	T_r		30	50	ms	4
Rise Time	T_{rR}	-	10	15		
Decay Time	T_{rD}	-	20	35		
CIE Color Coordinates	Red	XR	0.596	0.626	0.656	
		YR	0.317	0.347	0.377	
	Green	XG	0.278	0.308	0.338	
		YG	0.558	0.588	0.618	
	Blue	XB	0.116	0.146	0.176	
		YB	0.089	0.119	0.149	
White	XW	0.283	0.313	0.343		
	YW	0.299	0.329	0.359		
Viewing Angle	x axis, right ($\phi=0^\circ$)	θ_r	55	60	degree	5
	x axis, left ($\phi=180^\circ$)	θ_l	55	60		
	y axis, up ($\phi=90^\circ$)	θ_u	40	45		
	y axis, down ($\phi=270^\circ$)	θ_d	40	45		
Gray Scale		-	2.2	-		6
Flicker		-	-	-20	dB	7

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Notes : 1. Contrast Ratio(CR) is defined mathematically as :

$$\text{Contrast Ratio} = \frac{\text{Surface Luminance with all white pixels}}{\text{Surface Luminance with all black pixels}}$$

2. Surface luminance is the center point across the LCD surface 50cm from the surface with all pixels displaying white. For more information see [Figure 12].
When $I_{BL}=8\text{mA}$, $L_{WH}=170\text{cd/m}^2(\text{Min.})$ $200\text{cd/m}^2(\text{Typ.})$

3. The variation in surface luminance , δ WHITE is determined by measuring L_{ON} at each test position 1 through 5, and then dividing the maximum L_{ON} of 5 points luminance by minimum L_{ON} of 5 points luminance. For more information see [Figure 12].

$$\delta \text{ WHITE} = \text{Maximum}(L_{ON1}, L_{ON2}, \dots, L_{ON5}) \div \text{Minimum}(L_{ON1}, L_{ON2}, \dots, L_{ON5})$$

4. Response time is the time required for the display to transition from to black(Rise Time, Tr_R) and from black to white(Decay Time, Tr_D). For additional information see [Figure 13].

5. Viewing angle is the angle at which the contrast ratio is greater than 10. The angles are determined for the horizontal or x axis and the vertical or y axis with respect to the z axis which is normal to the LCD surface. For more information see [Figure 14].

6. Gray scale specification

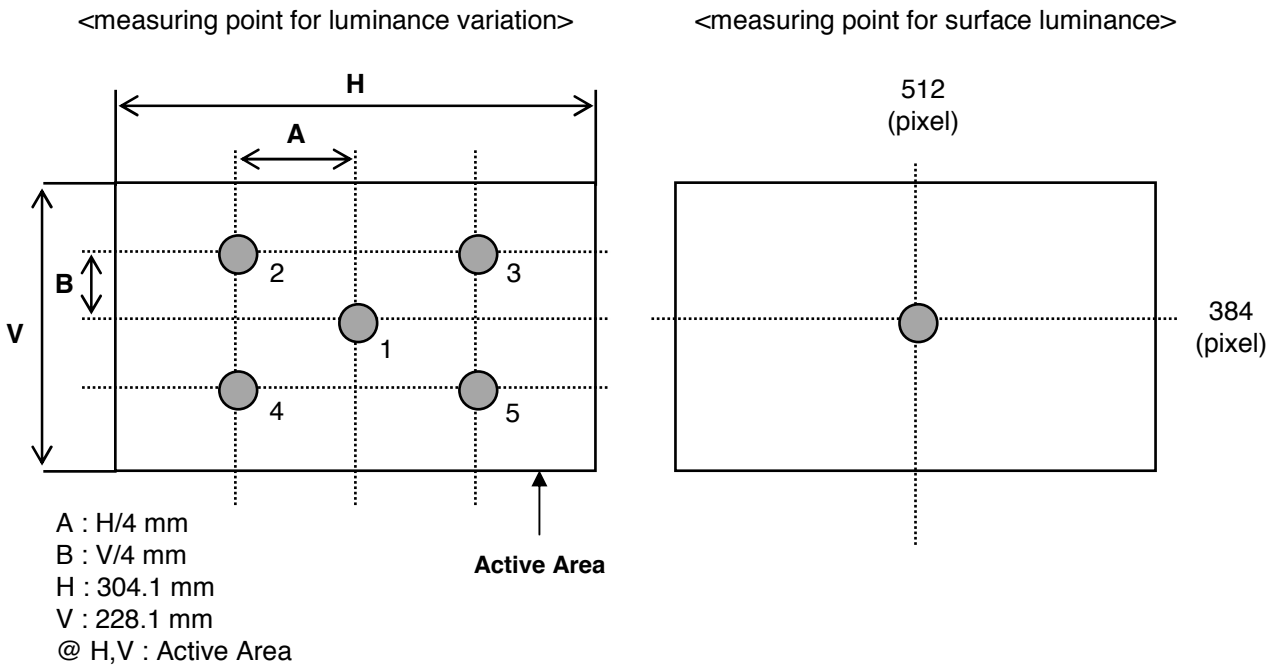
Table 9. GRAY SCALE

Gray Level	Luminance(%) (Typ.)
L0	0.22
L7	0.81
L15	4.29
L23	11.4
L31	22.1
L39	36.4
L47	55.4
L55	78.0
L63	100

7. Flicker is measured at cyan dot pattern of Forground RGB(0,0,0) and Background RGB(0,31,31).

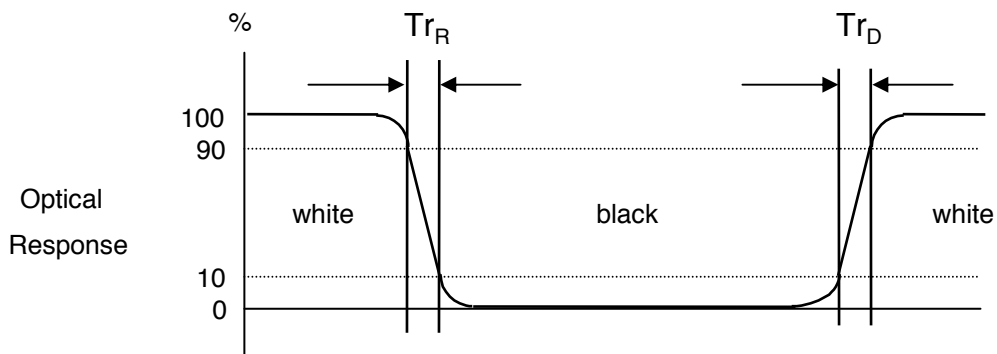
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[Figure 12] Luminance measuring point



[Figure 13] Response Time

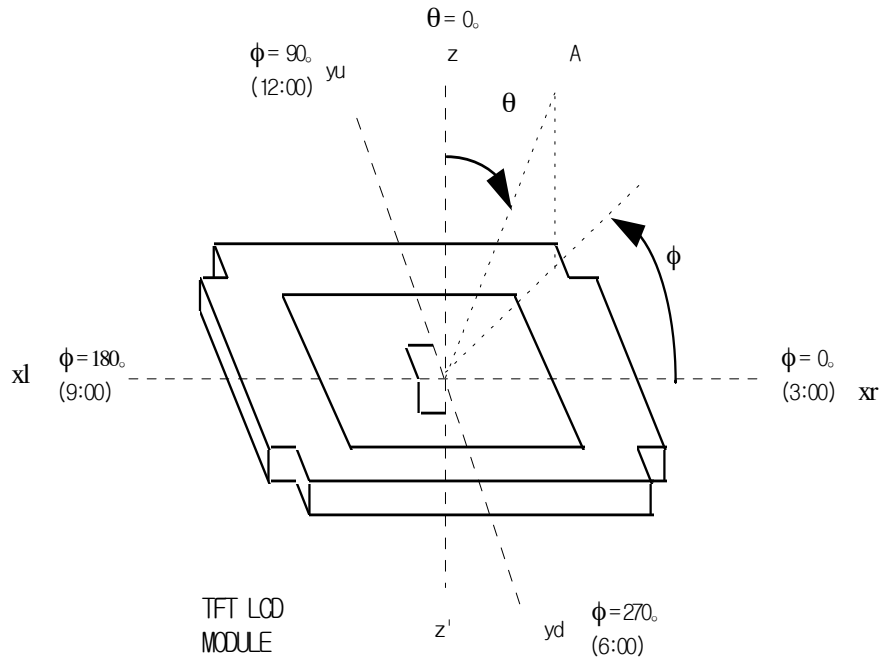
The response time is defined as the following figure and shall be measured by switching the input signal for "black" and "white".



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[Figure 14] Viewing angle

<dimension of viewing angle range>



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5. Mechanical Characteristics

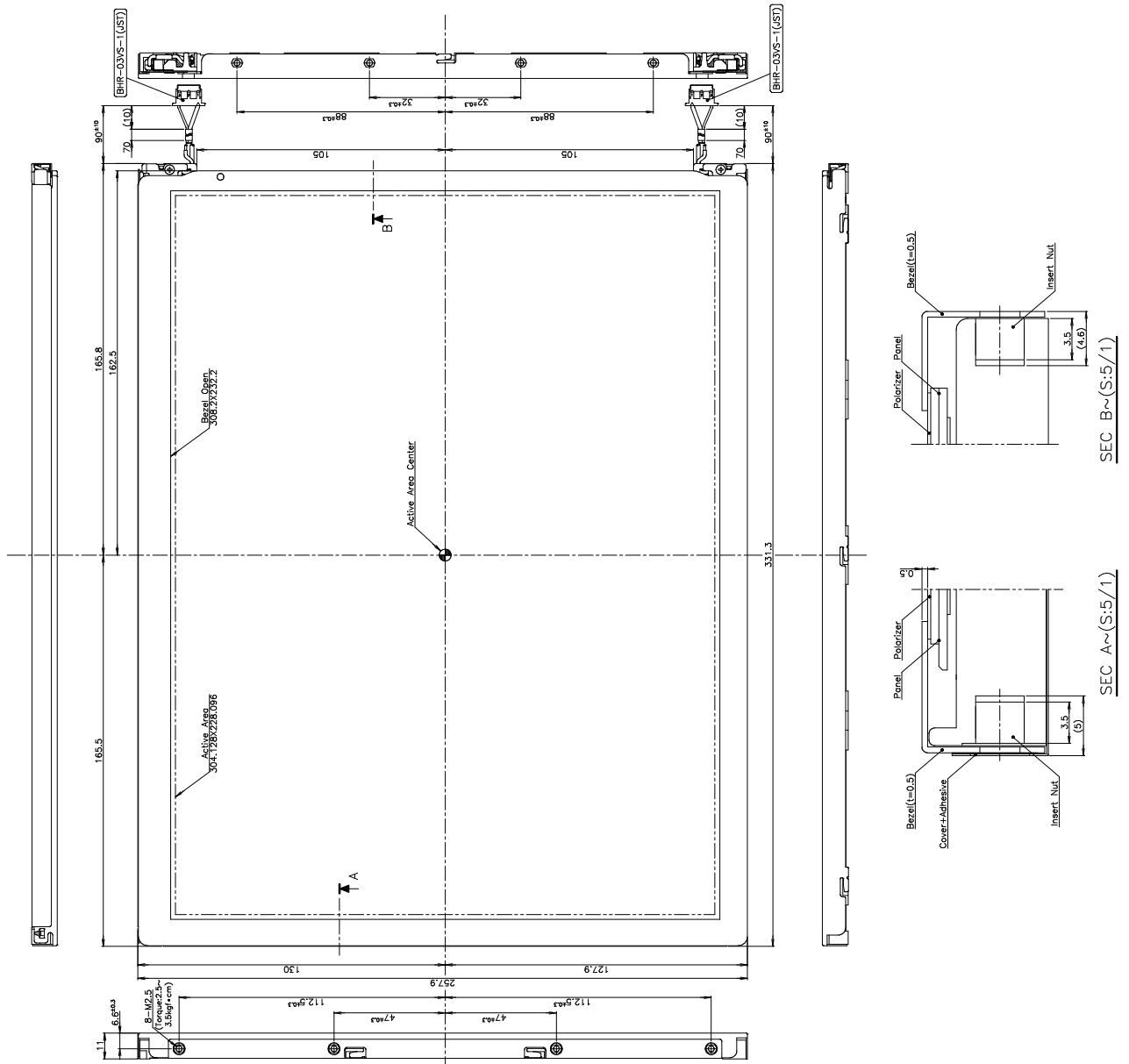
The contents provide general mechanical characteristics for the model LM150X05-A2. In addition, the figures in the next page are detailed mechanical drawing of the LCD.

Table 10. MECHANICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Outside dimensions	Horizontal	331.3 ± 0.5 mm
	Vertical	257.9 ± 0.5 mm
	Depth	11.0 ± 0.5 mm
Bezel area	Horizontal	308.2 ± 0.5 mm
	Vertical	232.2 ± 0.5 mm
Active display area	Horizontal	304.128 mm
	Vertical	228.096 mm
Weight	1050g(Typ.)	
Surface Treatment	Hard coating 3H. Anti-glare, LR coating treatment of the front polarizer.	

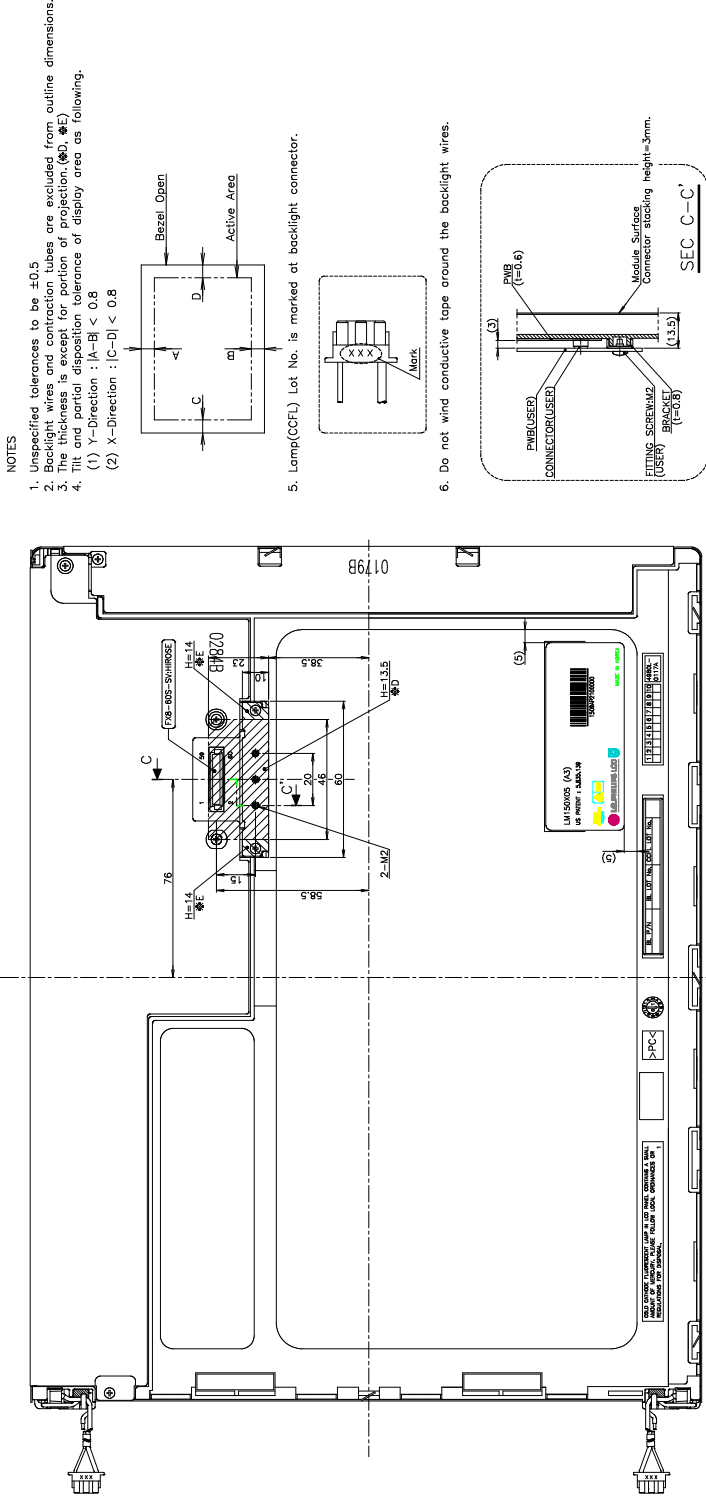
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[Figure 15] LM150X05 Front View



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[Figure 16] LM150X05 Rear View



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6. Reliability

Table 11. ENVIRONMENT TEST CONDITION

No.	Test Item	Conditions
1	High temperature storage test	Ta= 60°C 240h
2	Low temperature storage test	Ta= -20°C 240h
3	High temperature operation test	Ta= 50°C 50%RH 240h
4	Low temperature operation test	Ta= 0°C 240h
5	Humidity Condition operation	10%RH ~ 90%RH
6	Humidity Condition storage	10%RH ~ 90%RH
7	Vibration test (non-operating)	Wave form : Sine Vibration level : 1.2G Bandwidth : 5-500Hz Duration : X,Y,Z, 20 mins Each direction
8	Shock test (non-operating)	Shock level : 100G Waveform : Sine wave, 11ms Direction : ±X, ±Y, ±Z One time, each direction
9	Altitude storage / shipment	0 - 40,000 feet(12,192m)

{ Result Evaluation Criteria }

There should be no change which might affect the practical display function when the display quality test is conducted under normal operating condition.



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7. International Standards

7-1. Safety

- a) UL 1950 Third Edition, Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Jan. 28, 1995.
Standard for Safety of Information Technology Equipment Including Electrical Business Equipment.
- b) CAN/CSA C22.2 No. 950-95 Third Edition, Canadian Standards Association, Jan. 28, 1995.
Standard for Safety of Information Technology Equipment Including Electrical Business Equipment.
- c) EN 60950 : 1992+A1: 1993+A2: 1993+A3: 1995+A4: 1997+A11: 1997
IEC 950 : 1991+A1: 1992+A2: 1993+A3: 1995+A4: 1996
European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardization(CENELEC)
EUROPEAN STANDARD for Safety of Information Technology Equipment Including Electrical
Business Equipment.

7-2. EMC

- a) ANSI C63.4 "Methods of Measurement of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electrical Equipment in the Range of 9kHz to 40GHz. "American National Standards Institute(ANSI), 1992
- b) C.I.S.P.R "Limits and Methods of Measurement of Radio Interface Characteristics of Information Technology Equipment." International Special Committee on Radio Interference
- c) EN 55022 "Limits and Methods of Measurement of Radio Interface Characteristics of Information Technology Equipment." European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardization (CENELEC), 1998

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8. Packing

8-1. Designation of Lot Mark

a) Lot Mark

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
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A,B,C : SIZE

D : YEAR

E : MONTH

F,G : PANEL CODE

H : ASSEMBLY CODE

I,J,K,L,M : SERIAL NO.

Note:

1. YEAR

YEAR	97	98	99	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Mark	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

2. MONTH

MONTH	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Mark	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C

3. Serial No.

Serial No.	1 ~ 99999	100000 ~
Mark	00001 ~ 99999	A0001 ~ A9999,....., Z9999

b) Location of Lot Mark

Serial NO. is printed on the label. The label is attached to the backside of the LCD module.
This is subject to change without prior notice.

8-2. Packing Form

a) Package quantity in one box : 8 pcs

b) Box Size : 344mm X 315mm X 410mm.



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9. PRECAUTIONS

Please pay attention to the following when you use this TFT LCD module.

9-1. MOUNTING PRECAUTIONS

- (1) You must mount a module using holes arranged in four corners or four sides.
- (2) You should consider the mounting structure so that uneven force(ex. Twisted stress) is not applied to the module.
And the case on which a module is mounted should have sufficient strength so that external force is not transmitted directly to the module.
- (3) Please attach a transparent protective plate to the surface in order to protect the polarizer.
Transparent protective plate should have sufficient strength in order to resist external force.
- (4) You should adopt radiation structure to satisfy the temperature specification.
- (5) Acetic acid type and chlorine type materials for the cover case are not describe because the former generates corrosive gas of attacking the polarizer at high temperature and the latter causes circuit break by electro-chemical reaction.
- (6) Do not touch, push or rub the exposed polarizers with glass, tweezers or anything harder than HB pencil lead. And please do not rub with dust clothes with chemical treatment.
Do not touch the surface of polarizer for bare hand or greasy cloth.(Some cosmetics are determined to the polarizer.)
- (7) When the surface becomes dusty, please wipe gently with absorbent cotton or other soft materials like chamois soaks with petroleum benzene. Normal-hexane is recommended for cleaning the adhesives used to attach front / rear polarizers. Do not use acetone, toluene and alcohol because they cause chemical damage to the polarizer.
- (8) Wipe off saliva or water drops as soon as possible. Their long time contact with polarizer causes deformations and color fading.
- (9) Do not open the case because inside circuits do not have sufficient strength.

9-2. OPERATING PRECAUTIONS

- (1) The spike noise causes the mis-operation of circuits. It should be lower than following voltage :
 $V = \pm 200\text{mV}$ (Over and under shoot voltage)
- (2) Response time depends on the temperature.(In lower temperature, it becomes longer.)
- (3) Brightness depends on the temperature. (In lower temperature, it becomes lower.)
And in lower temperature, response time(required time that brightness is stable after turned on) becomes longer.
- (4) Be careful for condensation at sudden temperature change. Condensation makes damage to polarizer or electrical contacted parts. And after fading condensation, smear or spot will occur.
- (5) When fixed patterns are displayed for a long time, remnant image is likely to occur.
- (6) Module has high frequency circuits. Sufficient suppression to the electromagnetic interference shall be done by system manufacturers. Grounding and shielding methods may be important to minimized the interference.



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9-3. ELECTROSTATIC DISCHARGE CONTROL

Since a module is composed of electronic circuits, it is not strong to electrostatic discharge. Make certain that treatment persons are connected to ground through wrist band etc. And don't touch interface pin directly.

9-4. PRECAUTIONS FOR STRONG LIGHT EXPOSURE

Strong light exposure causes degradation of polarizer and color filter.

9-5. STORAGE

When storing modules as spares for a long time, the following precautions are necessary.

- (1) Store them in a dark place. Do not expose the module to sunlight or fluorescent light. Keep the temperature between 5°C and 35°C at normal humidity.
- (2) The polarizer surface should not come in contact with any other object.
It is recommended that they be stored in the container in which they were shipped.

9-6. HANDLING PRECAUTIONS FOR PROTECTION FILM

- (1) When the protection film is peeled off, static electricity is generated between the film and polarizer. This should be peeled off slowly and carefully by people who are electrically grounded and with well ion-blown equipment or in such a condition, etc.
- (2) The protection film is attached to the polarizer with a small amount of glue. If some stress is applied to rub the protection film against the polarizer during the time you peel off the film, the glue is apt to remain on the polarizer.
Please carefully peel off the protection film without rubbing it against the polarizer.
- (3) When the module with protection film attached is stored for a long time, sometimes there remains a very small amount of glue still on the polarizer after the protection film is peeled off.
- (4) You can remove the glue easily. When the glue remains on the polarizer surface or its vestige is recognized, please wipe them off with absorbent cotton waste or other soft material like chamois soaked with normal-hexane.