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RECORD OF REVISION

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• LCD MODULE PHYSICAL DATA

General Description

Display Type	262K TFT
Display Mode	POSITIVE
Viewing Direction	12 o'clock
Connection Type	COG
Operation temperature	-20 °C ~70°C
Storage temperature	-30 °C ~80°C
Driving IC	НХ8347-А

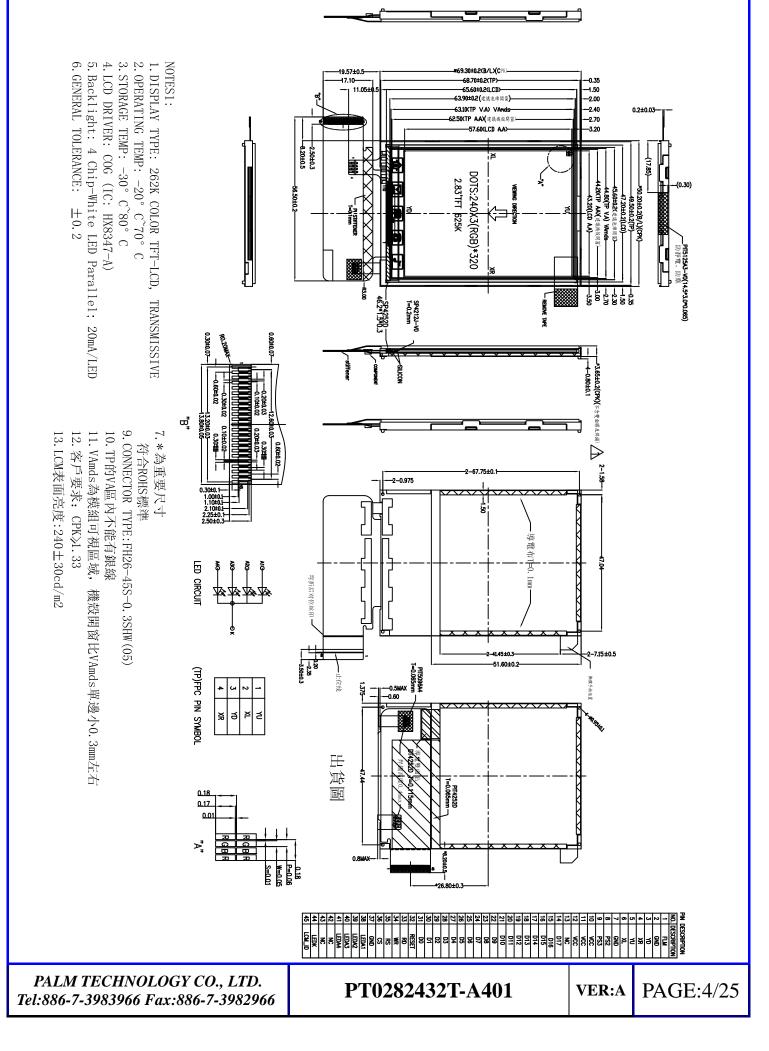
<u>Mechanical Description</u>

Item	Standard Value	Unit
Number of dots	240RGB×320dots	-
LCM dimension	50.20(W)×69.30(H)×3.65(T)	mm
LCD outline	47.20(W)×65.60(H)	mm
Active area	43.20(W)×57.60(H)	mm
TP Viewing area	44.80(W)×63.10(H)	mm
TP Active area	44.20(W)×62.50(H)	mm
Dot size	0.17 (W)×0.17 (H)	mm
Dot pitch	0.18 (W)×0.18(H)	mm
Backlight	4-chip white LED Parallel	/

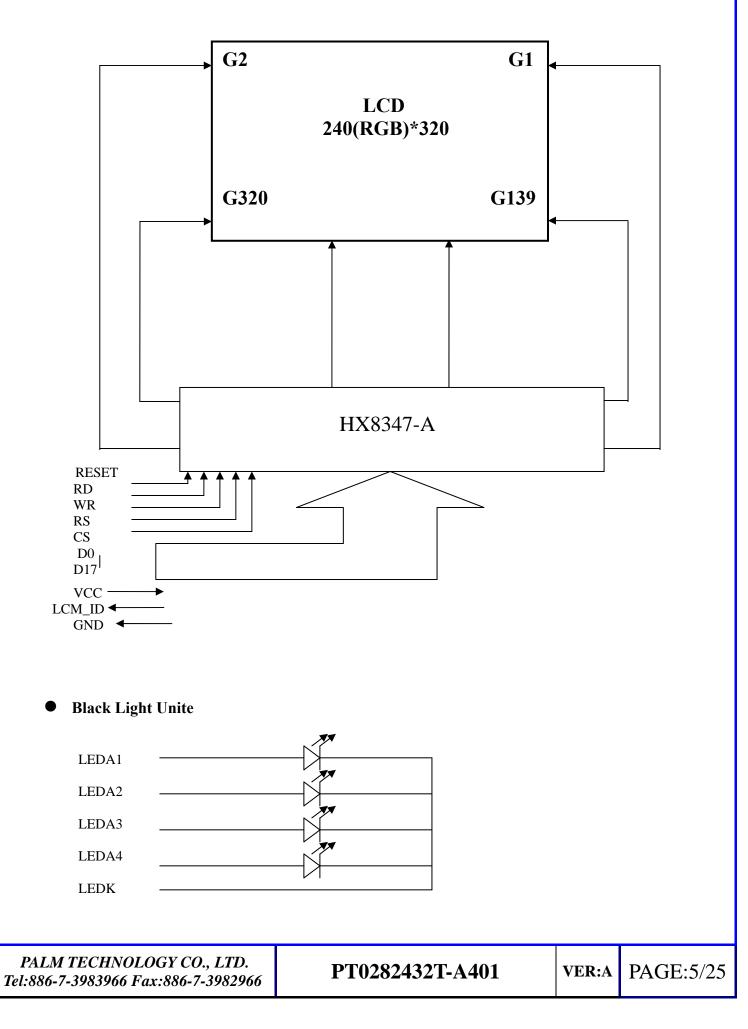
The KEY and accessory materials of our product according with BHS-001 standard

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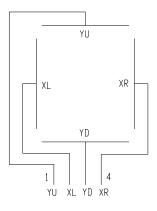
♦ EXTERNAL DIMENSIONS



BLOCK DIAGRAM



Touch Screen Panel(Top View)



ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Item	Symbol	Rating	Unit
Operating temperature	Тор	-20 to 70	°C
Storage temperature	Tst	-30 to 80	°C
Input voltage	Vin	-0.3 to 4.6	V
Supply voltage for logic	IOVCC	-0.3 to 4.6	V
Supply voltage for LCD	VGH – VSSA	0.3 to +18.5	V

NOTE:

1. If the module is used above these absolute maximum ratings. It may become permanently damaged. Using the module within the following electrical characteristic conditions are also exceeded, the module will malfunction and cause poor reliability.

2. VDD>GND must be maintained.

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ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS

• <u>DC Characteristics</u>

Vss= 0V, Ta= 25℃

Item	Symbol	Condition	Min	Тур	Max	Unit
Input high voltage	Vih	-	0.8 IOVCC	-	IOVCC	V
Input low voltage	VIL	-	-0.3V	-	0.2 IOVCC	V
Output high voltage	Vон	-	0.8 IOVCC	-	-	V
Output low voltage	Vol	-	-	-	0.2 IOVCC	V
Operating voltage	IOVCC	Ta=25°C	-	2.8	-	V
LCD driving voltage	VGH	Ta=25°C	-	15	-	V
Current consumption for LCD normal operation	Idd	VDD3 =2.9V	-	5	-	mA

Back-Light unit

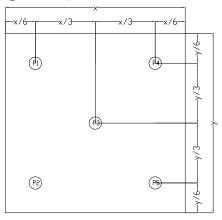
Item	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Remark
Current	I _{BL}	-	20	-	mA	1 LED
CIE	X	0.23	-	0.27	-	X <y< td=""></y<>
CIE	Y	0.235	-	0.275	-	Λ~1
Brightness	-	3800	_	-	-	-
Luminous Uniformity Ratio	-	80	-	-	%	-

Note:

1. Average Luminous Uniformity of P1 ~ P5 (Using a luminance meter BM-7)

2. Luminous Uniformity Ratio = min/max * 100%

Measured Method (X*Y: Light Area).



• <u>AC Characteristics</u> Refer to the SPEC of HX8347-A

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TOUCH SCREEN PANEL SPECIFICATIONS

1.Electrical Characteristics

Item	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Note
Linearity	-	-	1.5	%	X-Axis,Y-Axis
Terminal Resistance	190	-	490	Ω	X(Glass side)
Terminal Resistance	150	-	580	Ω	Y(Film side)
Insulation Resistance	20	-	-	MΩ	DC 25V
Operating voltage	-	5	-	V	DC
Response Time	-	-	10	Ms	-
Transmittance	80	-	-	%	-

Note 1): Do not operate it with a thing except a polyacetal pen(tip R0.8mm or less) or a finger, especially those with hard or sharp tips such as a ball point pen or a mechanical pencil

2. Processing environment

Item	Specification	Remark
Operating temperature	-20°C~60°C	Non-condensing
Storage temperature	-40°C~80°C	Non-condensing

3. Mechanical & Durability Characteristics

Item	Min	Тур	Max	Unit	Note
Operating Force	-	-	80	G	(1)
Touch Test	1,000,000	-	-	Times	(2)
Handwriting Friction Test	100,000	-	-	Times	(3)
Surface hardness	3	-	-	Н	(4)

Note (1) Pen : 0.8N or less (R0.8mm).

Finger : 0.8N or less (0.8mm).

(2) Touch Panel Point Activation Life Test

-Hitting Pad : Tip R8mm Silicon Rubber & Tip R0.8mm Stylus pen.

- -Lode :250gf±10%.
- -Speed :2times/sec.
- -Electric lode :None.
- (3) Touch Panel Lineation Life Test
 - -Sliding Pen : Tip R0.8mm Stylus pen.
 - Lineation press : 250g±10%.
 - -Lineation speed : 60mm/s.

-Sliding Length :Test distance is not less than two-part of catercorner distance of Touch Panel.

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- (4)Lineation test (mass-produce) around Touch Panel
- -Sliding Pen : Tip R0.8mm Stylus pen.
- -Lineation press: 250g±10%.
- -Lineation speed: 60mm/s.
- -Sliding Location: Vertical to the panel surface and the pen orbit on active area line of the touch panel.
- -Times:100 rounds.

4. Integration Design Guide

- Avoid the design that Front-case overlap and press on the active area of the touch-panel.
- Give enough gap (over 0.5mm at compressed) between the front case and touch-panel to protect wrong operating.
- Use a buffer material(Gasket) between the touch-panel and Front-case to protect damage and wrong operating.
- Avoid the design that buffer material overlap and press on the inside of touch-panel viewing area.

IO.	Symbol	Function
1	FLM	Frame synchronization output
2	GND	Ground
3	YD	
4	XR	TD
5	YU	TP pin
6	XL	
7	GND	Ground
8	PS2	
9	PS3	— These pins are the bus interface mode selection input.
0	VCC	Power supply
1	VCC	Power supply
2	VCC	Power supply
3	NC	No connection
4	D17	
15	D16	
6	D15	
7	D14	-
8	D13	-1
.9	D12	-1
20	D11	-1
21	D10	
22	D10	
23	D9 	18-bit data bus
24	D0 D7	
25	<u>D</u>	
26	D5	
27	<u> </u>	
28	D4	
29	D2	
30	D1	
31	<u> </u>	
32	RESET	Reset signal
33	RD	Read signal
64	WR	Write signal
35	RS	Register select pin
36		Chip select signal
37	GND	Ground
38	LEDA1	GA UMAW
39	LEDA2	—
40	LEDA3	Backlight positive
41	LEDA4	-1
42	NC	No connection
43	NC	No connection
44	LEDK	Backlight negative

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Recommand Initial Code void initial() { reset(); //GAMMA SETTING Set LCD 8B REG(0x0046, 0x00A4);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x0047, 0x0053);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x0048, 0x0000); Set LCD 8B REG(0x0049, 0x0044);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x004A, 0x0004);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x004B, 0x0067);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x004C, 0x0033);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x004D, 0x0077); Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x004E, 0x0012);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x004F, 0x004C):// Set LCD 8B REG(0x0050, 0x0046);// Set LCD 8B REG(0x0051, 0x0044);// //240x320 window setting Set LCD 8B REG(0x0002, 0x0000); // Column address start2 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0003, 0x0000); // Column address start1 Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x0004, 0x0000); // Column address end2 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0005, 0x00EF); // Column address end1 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0006, 0x0000); // Row address start2 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0007, 0x0000); // Row address start1 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0008, 0x0001); // Row address end2 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0009, 0x003F); // Row address end1 // Display Setting Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x0001,0x0006); // IDMON=0, INVON=1, NORON=1, PTLON=0 Set LCD 8B REG (0x0016, 0x00C8); // MY=0, MX=0, MV=0, ML=1, BGR=0, TEON=0 48 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0023, 0x0095); // N DC=1001 0101 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0024, 0x0095); // PI DC=1001 0101 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0025, 0x00FF); // I DC=1111 1111 Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x0027,0x0002); // N_BP=0000 0010 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0028, 0x0002); // N FP=0000 0010 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0029,0x0002); // PI BP=0000 0010 Set LCD 8B REG(0x002A, 0x0002); // PI FP=0000 0010 Set LCD 8B REG(0x002C, 0x0002); // I BP=0000 0010 Set LCD 8B REG(0x002D, 0x0002); // I FP=0000 0010 Set LCD 8B REG(0x003A, 0x0001); // N RTN=0000, N NW=001 Set LCD 8B REG(0x003B,0x0001); // PI RTN=0000, PI NW=001 Set LCD 8B REG(0x003C, 0x00F0); // I RTN=1111, I NW=000 Set LCD 8B REG(0x003D, 0x0000); // DIV=00 delay(20); Set LCD 8B REG(0x0035, 0x0038); // EQS=38h Set LCD 8B REG(0x0036, 0x0078); // EQP=78h Set LCD 8B REG(0x003E, 0x0038); // SON=38h Set LCD 8B REG(0x0040, 0x000F); // GDON=0Fh Set LCD 8B REG(0x0041, 0x00F0); // GD0FF=F0 //Set LCD 8B REG(0x0042, 0x0009);

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// Power Supply Setting Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x0019,0x0087); // CADJ=0100, CUADJ=100, OSD_EN=1 ,60Hz//49 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0093, 0x000B); // RADJ=1111, 100% delay(10); Set LCD 8B REG(0x0020, 0x0010); // BT Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x001D, 0x0007); // VC1 Set LCD 8B REG(0x001E, 0x0000); // VC3 Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x001F,0x0004); // VRH Set LCD 8B REG(0x0044, 0x0047); // VCM Set LCD 8B REG(0x0045, 0x0010); // VDV delay(10);Set LCD 8B REG(0x001C, 0x0006); // AP delay(20);Set LCD 8B REG(0x0043, 0x0080); //set VCOMG=1 delay(5);Set LCD 8B REG(0x001B, 0x0008); // GASENB=0, PON=0, DK=1, XDK=0, VLCD TRI=0, STB=0 delay(40); Set LCD 8B REG(0x001B, 0x0010): // GASENB=0, PON=1, DK=0, XDK=0, VLCD TRI=0, STB=0 delay(40);Set LCD 8B REG(0x0070, 0x000E); //TE OUTPUT // Display ON Setting Set LCD 8B REG(0x0090, 0x007F); // SAP=0111 1111 7F Set_LCD_8B_REG(0x0026,0x0004); //GON=0, DTE=0, D=01 delay(40): Set LCD 8B REG(0x0026, 0x0024); //GON=1, DTE=0, D=01 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0026, 0x002C); //GON=1, DTE=0, D=11 delay(40); Set LCD 8B REG(0x0026,0x003C); //GON=1, DTE=1, D=11 Set LCD 8B REG(0x0057, 0x0002); Set LCD 8B REG(0x0055, 0x0000); Set LCD 8B REG(0x0057, 0x0000); $write_command(0x22);$

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◆ ELECTRO-OPTICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Driving condition: VDD= 2.8V, I_{BL}=20mA/LED, Temperature =23°C±5°C , Humidity=60%±20%RH

T.		Licht angle (0)		C al al	5	Specifica	tions	T T . *4		Nut
Item		Light angle (°)	Temp (°C)	Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit	Conditions	Note
Trans	mittance	0	25	-	-	6.3	-	%		(1)
Contra	st ratio	0	25	Cr	-	328	-	-		(2)
Brigh	itness	0	25	-	220	280	-	-		-
Luminance (surface wi		0	25	Lu	80	-	-	%		(3)
Cross	s talk	0	25	CTV	-	-	20	%		(4)
	Rx			Rx	0.5593	0.6093	0.6593		(Equipment :BM-7/CS200)	
	Ry	0	25	Ry	0.2860	0.3360	0.3860	-		
	Gx			Gx	0.2710	0.3210	0.3710			
	G y			Gy	0.5420	0.5920	0.6420			-
Chromaticity	Вx			Bx	0.0920	0.1420	0.1920			
	Ву			By	0.0310	0.0810	0.1310			
	Wx			Wx	0.2260	0.2760	0.3260			
	Wy			Wy	0.2528	0.3028	0.3528			
Color Rep Area(oroduction NTSC)	0	25	-	-	61	-	%	CIE1931(x,y)	(5)
Tr		- 0	25		-	15	20	me	Viewing normal angle	
Response time	Tf		25	-	-	35	50	ms	$\theta_X = \theta_Y = 0^0$	-
	Hor. θ_{X+}			-	-	45	-	deg		
Viewing angle	θ_{v}	0	25	-	-	45	-		Center	-
	Ver. θ_{Y+}	v	20	-	-	35	-		CR≥10	
	θ_{Y-}			-	-	15	-			

Note:

(1) .Transmittance

Introduction

Transmittance (diffuse transmission factor) is a measure for the LCD panel transparency. The Light Source for this measurement is the accompanying LCD-module backlight system (LEDs, Lightguide...)

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Measurement conditions:

Measuring Equipment	BM-7/CS-200
Measurement Point Diameter	3mm
Measurement Point Location	Active Area Center Point
Light source	LCD module backlight
Reflectance Plate	Reflectance Standard(cal. plate)
Test pattern	All pixels white
Contrast setting	Maximum

Measuring procedure:

Transmittance:

The light source is located at the backside of the panel.

- 1. Measure the light source
- 2 Place the LCD panel in front of the light source. Measure the luminance on the LCD panel surface

Definitions

$$\tau = \frac{Lv_{LCD-panel}}{Lv_{lightsource}} * 100\%$$

(2) Definition of Contrast Ratio (C/R): Ratio of gray max (Gmax) & gray min (Gmin) at the center point.

$$CR = \frac{G(Max)}{G(Min)}$$

Where

Gmax: Luminance with all pixels white Gmin: Luminance with all pixels black

(3). Surface luminance uniformity within panel

Measurement conditions:

Measuring Equipment	CS-200 // BM-7
Measurement Point Diameter	3mm // 1mm
Measurement Point Location	Active Area
Light Source	Transmissive Mode: Internal (Backlight)
Test pattern	White

Measuring procedure:

Measure the luminance Li with the points in figure 1.

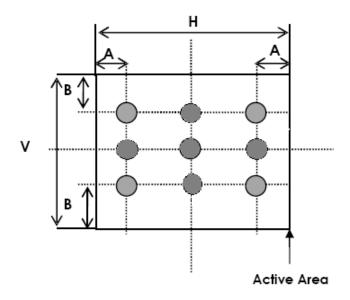


Figure 1

A: 5 mm B: 5 mm H, V: Active Area

Uniformity value (Lu):

$$Lu = \frac{\min(Li)}{\max(Li)} * 100\%$$

(4).CROSS-TALK

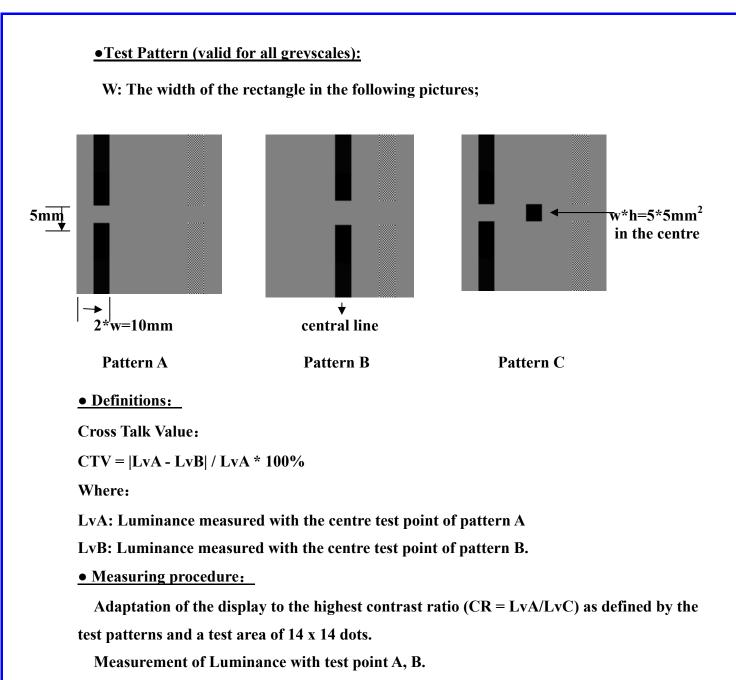
Introduction:

Crosstalk is an effect where the contrast of a display pixel is influenced by the state of the related pixels. A measure for this effect is the Cross Talk Value (CTV)

Measurement conditions:

Measuring Equipment	CS-200 // BM-7
Measurement Point Diameter	3mm // 1mm
Measurement Point Location	
Light Source	Transmissive Mode: Internal (Backlight)
Contrast setting	Maximum

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Determination of Crosstalk value (CTV)

(5). NTSC

Measurement conditions:

Measuring Equipment	LCD-5200
Measuring Point Diameter	3mm//1mm
Measuring point location	Active Area center point
Light source	Transmissive Mode: internal(Backlight)
	All Pixels White Red.Green.Blue.White:
Test pattern	Maximum colour saturation
	(maximum gradation level)
Contrast setting	Maximum

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Definitions

Panel colour coordinates according the CIE colour system (CIE 1931). In general, It is always requested to measure the X, Y and Z values. Here u', v' and L* are according CIE 1931:

$$x' = \frac{4 \cdot X}{X + 15 \cdot Y + 3 \cdot Z}$$
$$y' = \frac{9 \cdot Y}{X + 15 \cdot Y + 3 \cdot Z}$$
$$L^* = 116 \cdot \left(\frac{Y}{Y_n}\right)^{1/3} - 16$$

Colour distance definition (maximum allowed colour distance to specified typical colour coordinate):

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$$\Delta x' y' = \sqrt{\Delta x'^2 + \Delta y'^2}$$

Where:

$$\Delta x' = Max \{ |x'_{typ} - x'_{max}|, |x'_{typ} - x'_{min}| \\ \Delta y' = Max \{ |y'_{typ} - y'_{max}|, |y'_{typ} - y'_{min}| \}$$

Color Gamut definition: $F = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)} * 1000$

X'

Where

$$s = \frac{(a+b+c)}{2}$$

$$a = \sqrt{(x'_{blue} - x'_{red})^{2} + (y'_{blue} - y'_{red})^{2}}$$

$$b = \sqrt{(x'_{blue} - x'_{green})^{2} + (y'_{blue} - y'_{green})^{2}}$$

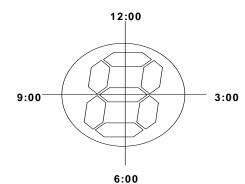
$$c = \sqrt{(x'_{red} - x'_{green})^{2} + (y'_{red} - y'_{green})^{2}}$$

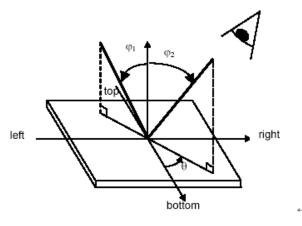
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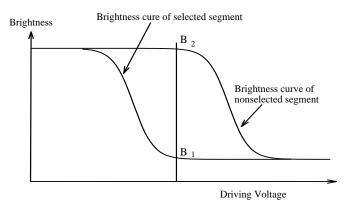
Color Gamut Ratio (NTSC) related to NTSC': NTSC: =F (display)/F (NTSC') NTSC' primaries:

	х'	у'	
Red	0.67	0.33	
Green	0.21	0.71	
Blue	0.14	0.08	

F (NTSC') =74.42







Perpendicular line (θ =90°)

• INSPECTION CRITERION

This specification is made to be used as the standard acceptance/rejection criteria for Color mobile phone LCM.

1 Sample plan

Sampling method shall be in accordance with MIL-STD-105D, inspection level II and based on:

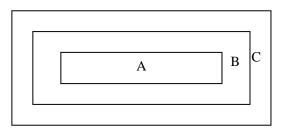
Major defect: AQL 0.65

Minor defect: AQL 1.5

2. Inspection condition

Viewing distance for cosmetic inspection is about 30cm with bare eyes, and under an environment of 20~40W light intensity, all directions for inspecting the sample should be within 45° against perpendicular line.

3. Definition of inspection zone in LCD.



Zone A: character/Digit area

Zone B: viewing area except Zone A (ZoneA+ZoneB=minimum Viewing area)

Zone C: Outside viewing area (invisible area after assembly in customer's product)

Fig.1 Inspection zones in an LCD.

Note: As a general rule, visual defects in Zone C are permissible, when it is no trouble for quality and assembly of customer's product.

4. Inspection standards

4.1 Major Defect

Item No	Items to be inspected	Inspection Standard	Classification of defects
4.1.1	All functional defects	 No display Display abnormally Missing vertical, horizontal segment Short circuit Back-light no lighting, flickering and abnormal lighting. 	
4.1.2	Missing	Missing component	Major
4.1.3	Outline dimension	Overall outline dimension beyond the drawing is not allowed.	

4.2 Cosmetic Defect

Item No	Items to be inspected		Classification of defects			
	Clear Spots	For dark/white spot, s as $\Phi = \frac{(x+y)}{2}$	ize⊕is de:	fined	y x ↓	
	Black and white Spot	1. Zone		Acceptable	Qty	
	defect Pinhole,	Size(mm)	А	В	С	Minor
	Foreign Particle,	Φ ≤ 0.1		Ignore		
	Dirt under polarizer	$0.10 < \Phi \leqslant 0.2$		3	Ignore	
		$0.2 < \Phi \le 0.3$		2		
4.2.1		Φ>0.3		0		
	Dim Spots	2.				
	Circle shaped and dim edged defects	2. Zone		Acceptable Q	ty	
		Size(mm)	А	В	C	
		$\Phi \leqslant 0.2$	Igr	nore		Minor
		$0.20 < \Phi \le 0.40$	2		Innon	
		$0.40 < \Phi \le 0.60$		1	Ignore	
		0.60<Φ		0		

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4.2. Cosmetic Defect

Item No	Items to be inspected	Inspection Standard					Classification of defects	
		Siz	Size(mm)		Acceptable Qty Zone			
Black line,	Line defect Black line,	L(Length)	W(Width)	А	B	C	_	
4.2.2	White line, Foreign	Ignore	W≤0.02	Igno	ore			Minor
+. 2.2	material under	L≤3.0	0.02 <w≤0.03< td=""><td>2</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>winter</td></w≤0.03<>	2				winter
	polarizer,	L≤2.0	0.03 <w<0.05< td=""><td>1</td><td></td><td>Ignore</td><td>•</td><td></td></w<0.05<>	1		Ignore	•	
			0.05 <w< td=""><td>Define a defe</td><td></td><td colspan="2"></td><td></td></w<>	Define a defe				
4.2.3 Polarizer		Polarizer		be seen only in non-operangle, judge by the following Acceptable Qty Zone		lowing.	-	Minor
4.2.3	scratch	L(Length)	W(Width)	A B		С		Minor
		Ignore	W≤0.03	Ignore				
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		Air bubbles bet	ween glass & polar	rizer				
		2. Zone	Acc	ceptable Q	ty			
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4.2.4	Polarize	Φ≤0.2	Ignore					Minor
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4.3. Cosmetic Defect

Item No	Items to be inspected	Inspection Standard	Classification of defects
4.3.5 Glass defect		(i) Chips on corner (i) Chips on corner X Y $Z\boxed{X Y Z}\le 2.0 \le S DisregardNotes: S=contact pad lengthChips on the corner of terminal shall not be allowed to extendinto the ITO pad or expose perimeter seal.$	Minor
		(ii)Usual surface cracks X Y $Z\leq 3.0 Minor$	Minor
			(iii) Crack Cracks tend to break are not allowed.
4.3.6	Parts alignment	 Not allow IC and FPC/heat-seal lead width is more than 50% beyond lead pattern. Not allow chip or solder component is off center more than 50% of the pad outline. 	Minor
4.3.7	SMT	According to the <acceptability assemblies="" electronic="" of=""> IPC-A-610C class 2 standard. Component missing or function defect are Major defect, the others are Minor defect.</acceptability>	

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PRECAUTIONS FOR USING LCD MODULES

Handing Precautions

(1) The display panel is made of glass and polarizer. As glass is fragile. It tends to become or chipped during handling especially on the edges. Please avoid dropping or jarring. Do not subject it to a mechanical shock by dropping it or impact.

(2) If the display panel is damaged and the liquid crystal substance leaks out, be sure not to get any in your mouth. If the substance contacts your skin or clothes, wash it off using soap and water.

(3) Do not apply excessive force to the display surface or the adjoining areas since this may cause the color tone to vary. Do not touch the display with bare hands. This will stain the display area and degraded insulation between terminals (some cosmetics are determined to the polarizer).

(4) The polarizer covering the display surface of the LCD module is soft and easily scratched. Handle this polarizer carefully. Do not touch, push or rub the exposed polarizers with anything harder than an HB pencil lead (glass, tweezers, etc.). Do not put or attach anything on the display area to avoid leaving marks on. Condensation on the surface and contact with terminals due to cold will damage, stain or dirty the polarizer. After products are tested at low temperature they must be warmed up in a container before coming is contacting with room temperature air.

(5) If the display surface becomes contaminated, breathe on the surface and gently wipe it with a soft dry cloth. If it is heavily contaminated, moisten cloth with one of the following solvents

- Isopropyl alcohol

- Ethyl alcohol

Do not scrub hard to avoid damaging the display surface.

(6) Solvents other than those above-mentioned may damage the polarizer. Especially, do not use the following.

- Water

- Ketone

- Aromatic solvents

Wipe off saliva or water drops immediately, contact with water over a long period of time may cause deformation or color fading. Avoid contacting oil and fats.

(7) Exercise care to minimize corrosion of the electrode. Corrosion of the electrodes is accelerated by water droplets, moisture condensation or a current flow in a high-humidity environment.

(8) Install the LCD Module by using the mounting holes. When mounting the LCD module make sure it is free of twisting, warping and distortion. In particular, do not forcibly pull or bend the I/O cable or the backlight cable.

(9) Do not attempt to disassemble or process the LCD module.

(10) NC terminal should be open. Do not connect anything.

(11) If the logic circuit power is off, do not apply the input signals.

(12) Electro-Static Discharge Control, Since this module uses a CMOS LSI, the same careful attention should be paid to electrostatic discharge as for an ordinary CMOS IC. To prevent destruction of the elements by static electricity, be careful to maintain an optimum work environment.

- Before remove LCM from its packing case or incorporating it into a set, be sure the module and your body have the same electric potential.Be sure to ground the body when handling the LCD modules.

- Tools required for assembling, such as soldering irons, must be properly grounded. make certain the AC power source for the soldering iron does not leak. When using an electric screwdriver to attach LCM, the screwdriver should be of ground potentiality to minimize as much as possible any transmission of electromagnetic waves produced sparks coming from the commutator of the motor.

- To reduce the amount of static electricity generated, do not conduct assembling and other work under dry conditions. To reduce the generation of static electricity be careful that the air in the work is not too dried. A relative humidity of 50%-60% is recommended. As far as possible make the electric potential of your work clothes and that of the work bench the ground potential

- The LCD module is coated with a film to protect the display surface. Exercise care when peeling off this protective film since static electricity may be generated

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(13) Since LCM has been assembled and adjusted with a high degree of precision, avoid applying excessive shocks to the module or making any alterations or modifications to it.

- Do not alter, modify or change the shape of the tab on the metal frame.

- Do not make extra holes on the printed circuit board, modify its shape or change the positions of components to be attached.

- Do not damage or modify the pattern writing on the printed circuit board.

- Absolutely do not modify the zebra rubber strip (conductive rubber) or heat seal connector.

- Except for soldering the interface, do not make any alterations or modifications with a soldering iron.

- Do not drop, bend or twist LCM.

Storage Precautions

When storing the LCD modules, the following precaution is necessary.

(1) Store them in a sealed polyethylene bag. If properly sealed, there is no need for the dessicant.

(2) Store them in a dark place. Do not expose to sunlight or fluorescent light, keep the temperature between 0° C and 35° C.

(3) The polarizer surface should not come in contact with any other objects. (We advise you to store them in the container in which they were shipped).

Others

Liquid crystals solidify under low temperature (below the storage temperature range) leading to defective orientation or the generation of air bubbles (black or white). Air bubbles may also be generated if the module is subject to a low temperature.

If the LCD modules have been operating for a long time showing the same display patterns, the display patterns may remain on the screen as ghost images and a slight contrast irregularity may also appear. A normal operating status can be regained by suspending use for some time. It should be noted that this phenomenon does not adversely affect performance reliability.

To minimize the performance degradation of the LCD modules resulting from destruction caused by static electricity etc., exercise care to avoid holding the following sections when handling the modules.

- Exposed area of the printed circuit board.

-Terminal electrode sections.

Precautions for Operation

(1) Viewing angle varies with the change of liquid crystal driving voltage (VLCD). Adjust VLCD to show the best contrast.

(2) It is an indispensable condition to drive LCD's within the specified voltage limit since the higher voltage then the limit cause the shorter LCD life.An electrochemical reaction due to direct current causes LCD's undesirable deterioration, so that the use of direct current drive should be avoided.

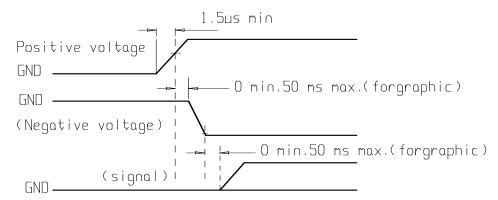
(3) Response time will be extremely delayed at lower temperature than the operating temperature range and on the other hand at higher temperature LCD's show dark color in them. However those phenomena do not mean malfunction or out of order with LCD's, Which will come back in the specified operating temperature.

(4) If the display area is pushed hard during operation, the display will become abnormal. However, it will return to normal if it is turned off and then back on.

(5) A slight dew depositing on terminals is a cause for electro-chemical reaction resulting in terminal open circuit. Usage under the maximum operating temperature,50%RH or less is required.

(6) Input each signal after the positive/negative voltage becomes stable.

(7) Please keep the temperature within specified range for use and storage. Polarization degradation, bubble generation or polarizer peel-off may occur with high temperature and high humidity.



Safety

(1) It is recommended to crush damaged or unnecessary LCDs into pieces and wash them off with solvents such as acetone and ethanol, which should later be burned.

(2) If any liquid leaks out of a damaged glass cell and comes in contact with the hands, wash off thoroughly with soap and water.

Limited Warranty

Unless agreed between PALM TECHNOLOGY and customer, PALM TECHNOLOGY will replace or repair any of its LCD modules which are found to be functionally defective when inspected in accordance with PALM TECHNOLOGY LCD acceptance standards (copies available upon request) for a period of one year from date of shipments. Cosmetic/visual defects must be returned to PALM TECHNOLOGY within 90 days of shipment. Confirmation of such date shall be based on freight documents. The warranty liability of PALM TECHNOLOGY limited to repair and/or replacement on the terms set forth above. PALM TECHNOLOGY will not be responsible for any subsequent or consequential events.

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