Features

- Close responsively to the human eye spectrum
- Light to Current, analog output
- Good output linearity across wide illumination range
- Low sensitivity variation across various light sources
- Operating temperature performance, -40°C to 85°C
- Wide supply voltage range, 2.5V to 5.5V
- Size: 3mm Lamp
- RoHS compliant and Pb Free package

Description

The ALS-PT204-6C/L177 is consisting of a phototransistor in 3mm lamp. EVERLIGHT ALS series products are good effective solution to the power saving of display backlighting of mobile appliances, such as the mobile phones, NB and PDAs. Due to the high rejection ratio of infrared radiation, the spectral response of the ambient light sensor is close to human eyes.

Applications

- Detection of ambient light to control display backlighting
  - Mobile devices – mobile phones, PDAs
  - Computing device – TFT LCD monitor for Notebook computer
  - Consumer device – TFT LCD TV, video camera, digital camera, toys
- Automatic residential and commercial management
- Automatic contrast enhancement for electronic signboard
- Ambient light monitoring device for daylight and artificial light
  - Street light, CCD/CCTV
Notes: 1. All dimensions are in millimeters
   2. Tolerances unless dimensions ±0.1mm
Absolute Maximum Ratings (Ta=25°C)

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<td>Soldering Temperature Range [Note1]</td>
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**Note1:** For detail reflow time and the recommended temperature profile, please refer to page 8.

Recommended Operating Conditions (Ta=25°C)

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## Electrical and Optical Characteristics (Ta=25°C)

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<td>$V_{CE}=10V$, $E_v=0Lux$</td>
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<td>Collector-Emitter Saturation Voltage</td>
<td>$V_{CE(sat)}$</td>
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<td>$I_C=2mA$, $E_v=1000Lux$</td>
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<td>Light Current</td>
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<td>100</td>
<td>200</td>
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<td>$V_{CE}=5V$, $E_v=100Lx$  [Note1]</td>
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<td>$I_{PH2}$</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>2000</td>
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<td>Saturation Output Voltage</td>
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<td>4.6</td>
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<td>V</td>
<td>$V_{CC}=5V$, $E_v=1000Lx$ $R_L=75K\Omega$ [Note2]</td>
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<td>Peak Sensitivity Wavelength</td>
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<td>64</td>
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<td>Deg.</td>
<td>$I_F = 20 mA$</td>
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**Note:**

1. White Fluorescent light (Color Temperature = 6500K) is used as light source. However, White LED is substituted in mass production.
2. Illuminance by CIE standard illuminant-A / 2856K, incandescent lamp.
Typical Electrical and Optical Characteristics Curves

Fig.1  Light Current vs. Illuminance  

Fig.2  Output Voltage vs. Illuminance  

Fig.3  Spectral Response  

Fig.4  Light current vs. Supply Voltage  

Fig.5  Light Current vs. Temperature  

Fig.6  Dark Current vs. Temperature  

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Equations:

- $V_{ce} = 7V$
- $V_{cc} = \text{Lux}$

Legend:

- Fluorescent light $RL=1k\Omega$
- Fluorescent light $RL=7.5k\Omega$
- Fluorescent light $RL=75k\Omega$
Converting Photocurrent to Voltage

![Diagram showing light source, Iph, Vout, and GND with Vcc, RL, and CL connections.]

Note:

1. The output voltage ($V_{out}$) is the product of photocurrent ($I_{PH}$) and loading resistor ($R_L$).
2. A right loading resistor should be selected to meet the requirement of maximum ambient light, and output saturation voltage:

$$V_{out(max.)} = I_{out(max.)} \times R_L \leq V_{out(saturation)} - V_{cc} - 0.4V$$
Recommended method of storage

Reflow Terms: JEDEC Level 4 Specification

Dry box storage is recommended as soon as the aluminum bag has been opened prevent

1. Over-current-proof
   Customer must apply resistors for protection, otherwise slight voltage shift might cause big current happen. (Burned-out might happen).

2. Storage
   (1) Do not open moisture proof bag before components are ready to use.
   (2) Before opening moisture proof bag, components should be kept at 30°C or less and 90%RH or less.
   (3) Components should be used within a year.
   (4) After opened moisture proof bag, components should be kept at 30°C or less and 70%RH or less.
   (5) Components should be used within 168 hours after opened moisture proof bag.
   (6) If the moisture absorbent material (silica gel) has faded away or the components have exceeded the storage time, baking treatment should be performed using the following conditions. (Baking treatment: 60±5°C for 24 hours)

ESD Precaution:

Proper storage and handing procedures should be followed to prevent ESD damage to the devices especially when they are removed from the Anti-static bag. Electro-Static Sensitive Devices warning labels are on the packing.
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Recommended Solder Profile

Notice:

(1) Reflow soldering should not be done more than two times.
(2) When soldering, do not put stress on the devices during heating.
(3) After soldering, do not warp the circuit board.

Soldering Iron

Each terminal is to go to the tip of soldering iron temperature less than 350°C for 3 seconds within once in less than the soldering iron capacity 25W. Leave two seconds and more intervals, and do soldering of each terminal. Be careful because the damage of the product is often started at the time of the hand solder.
Packing Quantity Specification

1. 500PCS/1Bag, 5Bags/1Box
2. 10Boxes/1Carton

Label Format

![Label Format Image]
Notes

1. Above specification may be changed without notice. EVERLIGHT will reserve authority on material change for above specification.

2. When using this product, please observe the absolute maximum ratings and the instructions for using outlined in these specification sheets. EVERLIGHT assumes no responsibility for any damage resulting from use of the product which does not comply with the absolute maximum ratings and the instructions included in these specification sheets.

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