

Change to Visual Appearance of Cree® XLamp® XT-E LEDs

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Announcement Date: December 23 2014 Implementation Date: Immediately

This notification applies to the following Cree order codes: XTEXXX-XX-XXXX-XXXXXXXX

No customer action is required.

CHANGE DESCRIPTION

Cree will begin shipment of XLamp® XT-E LEDs with a different visual appearance that will slightly change the appearance of the package near the edges. Cree has made this change as part of our ongoing efforts to improve the performance and reliability of our LEDs. Examples of XLamp XT-E White LEDs with the new visual appearance are shown in the pictures below. These new appearance XLamp XT-E LEDs meet the product specifications stated in the data sheet.

XLamp XT-E Cool White LED
Current Appearance New Appea







XLamp XT-E Warm White LED

IMPACT OF CHANGE

Beginning December 23, 2014, Cree may begin shipment of XLamp XT-E LEDs with a new visual appearance. Each reel may contain LEDs with the current visual appearance, new visual appearance or a mixture of both current and new appearance. Customers may receive shipments containing both the current and new appearances in the same shipment until Cree's inventory of the current appearance LEDs is depleted. Customers purchasing through a distributor will be further delayed to see this change until the inventory with the current appearance is depleted from distributor stock.

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