

Title (en)

Circuit for controlling the light intensity of current controlled LEDS for display illumination

Title (de)

Schaltungsanordnung zur Einstellung der Helligkeit stromgesteuerter Leuchtdioden zur Beleuchtung einer Anzeige

Title (fr)

Circuit de commande de l'intensité lumineuse de diodes électroluminescentes contrôlées en courant pour l'éclairage d'afficheurs

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP0952757A2] The circuit has a control unit (2) that receives (6) a signal corresponding to the desired intensity and sets the LED (1) control current taking into account a degradation value. The control unit determines the degradation value by recording the operating duration of the diode and places a corresponding value in a memory (7) containing degradation information. The control unit determines the degradation value from the stored information and the measured operating duration and updates it at appropriate time intervals.

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