

Title (en)

CONTROL CIRCUIT FOR LED AND CORRESPONDING OPERATING METHOD

Title (de)

ANSTEUERSCHALTUNG FÜR LED UND ZUGEHÖRIGES BETRIEBSVERFAHREN

Title (fr)

CIRCUIT DE COMMANDE DE DEL ET PROCEDE D'UTILISATION DUDIT CIRCUIT

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Abstract (en)

[origin: US6400101B1] The drive circuit is suitable for an LED array, comprising a number of clusters of LEDs, with one cluster comprising a number of LEDs which are arranged in series and are connected to a supply voltage (UBatt). A semiconductor switch (transistor T) is arranged in series between the LED and the supply voltage and allows the LED current to be supplied in a pulsed manner. A measurement resistor (Rshunt) for measuring the LED current is arranged in series between the LED and ground, with a control loop controlling the semiconductor switch such that a constant mean value of the LED current is achieved.

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