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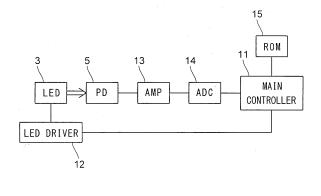
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(54) ILLUMINATING APPARATUS AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY APPARATUS PROVIDED WITH THE SAME

(57) Provided is an illuminating apparatus wherein luminosity deterioration of illuminating light can be suppressed. An illuminating apparatus (10) is provided with a main controller (11), which specifies an LED having the most significant deterioration from among a red LED (3a), a green LED (3b) and a blue LED (3c) for each of a plu-

rality of light emitting elements (3) in a color shade correcting operation, and classifies the light emitting elements (3) into a first group to be subjected to color shade correction and a second group not to be subjected to color shade correction, based on the deterioration ratio of the LED having the most significant deterioration.

FIG.4



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