

Partners Role in LED value chain

A Consultant's Perspective

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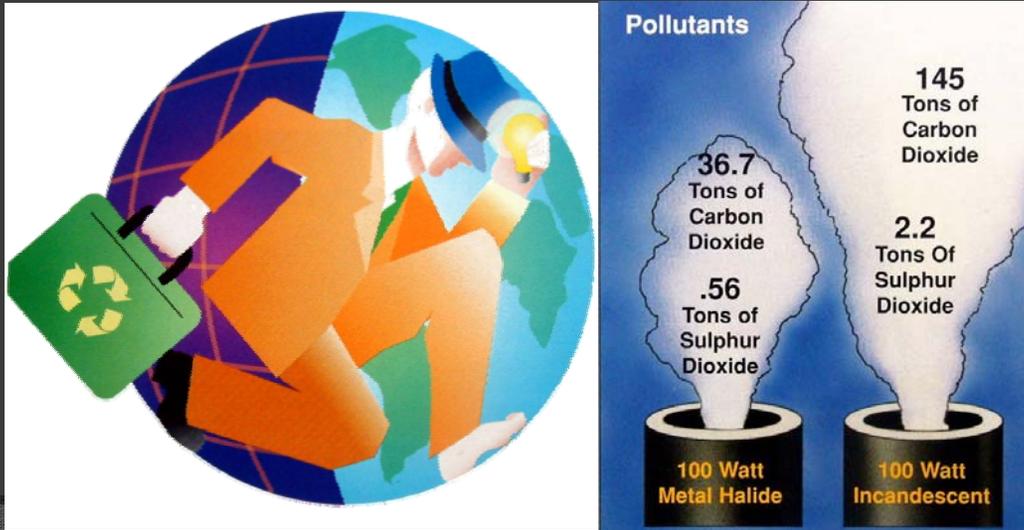
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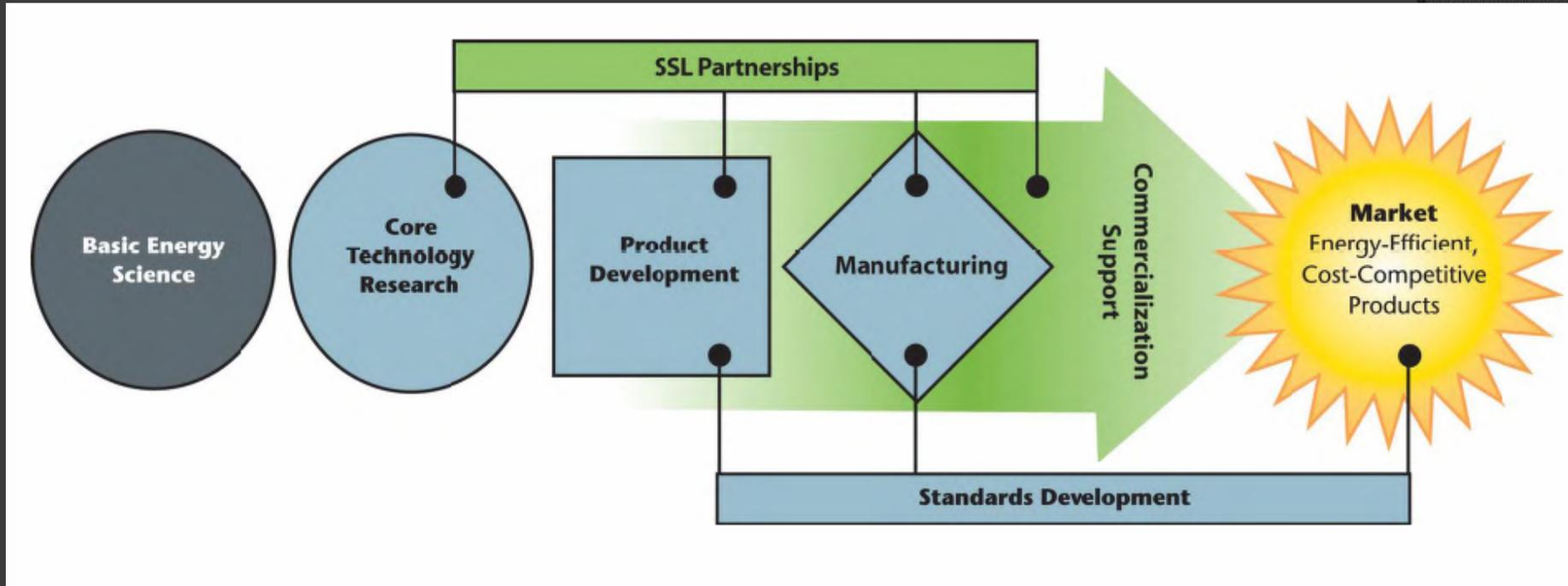
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International Overview

- Lighting standards driven by national goals to reduce energy consumption for greener world –India is also committed.



DOE Solid-State Lighting Program Strategy



Guiding technology advances from
laboratory to marketplace

Value Chain Partners

Manufacturers, Distributors & Suppliers

Semiconductor Companies (LED light sources, LED Drivers, PCBs)

Thermal management Component

Optical Systems Components

LED lighting Luminaire

Conventional lighting equipment

Others

ESCOs

NGOs

System Integrators

Developers

Contractors

CONSUMER

Government (PWD)

Municipalities / Corporation

Industries

Railways

Construction

Corporate

Residential

Professionals

Lighting Designers

Electrical Consultants & specifiers,

Architects & Interior designers,

Energy Consultants & certifiers

Associations

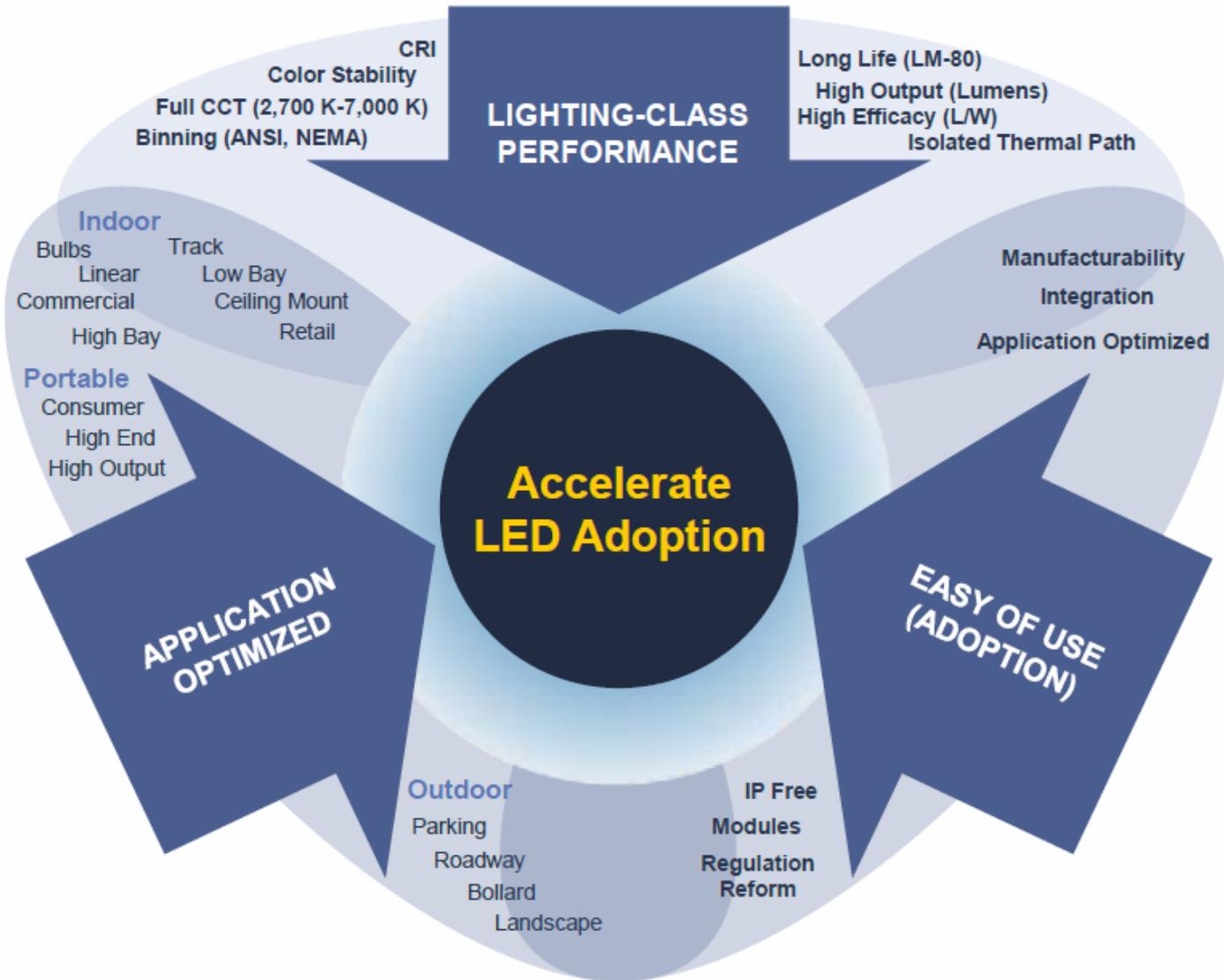
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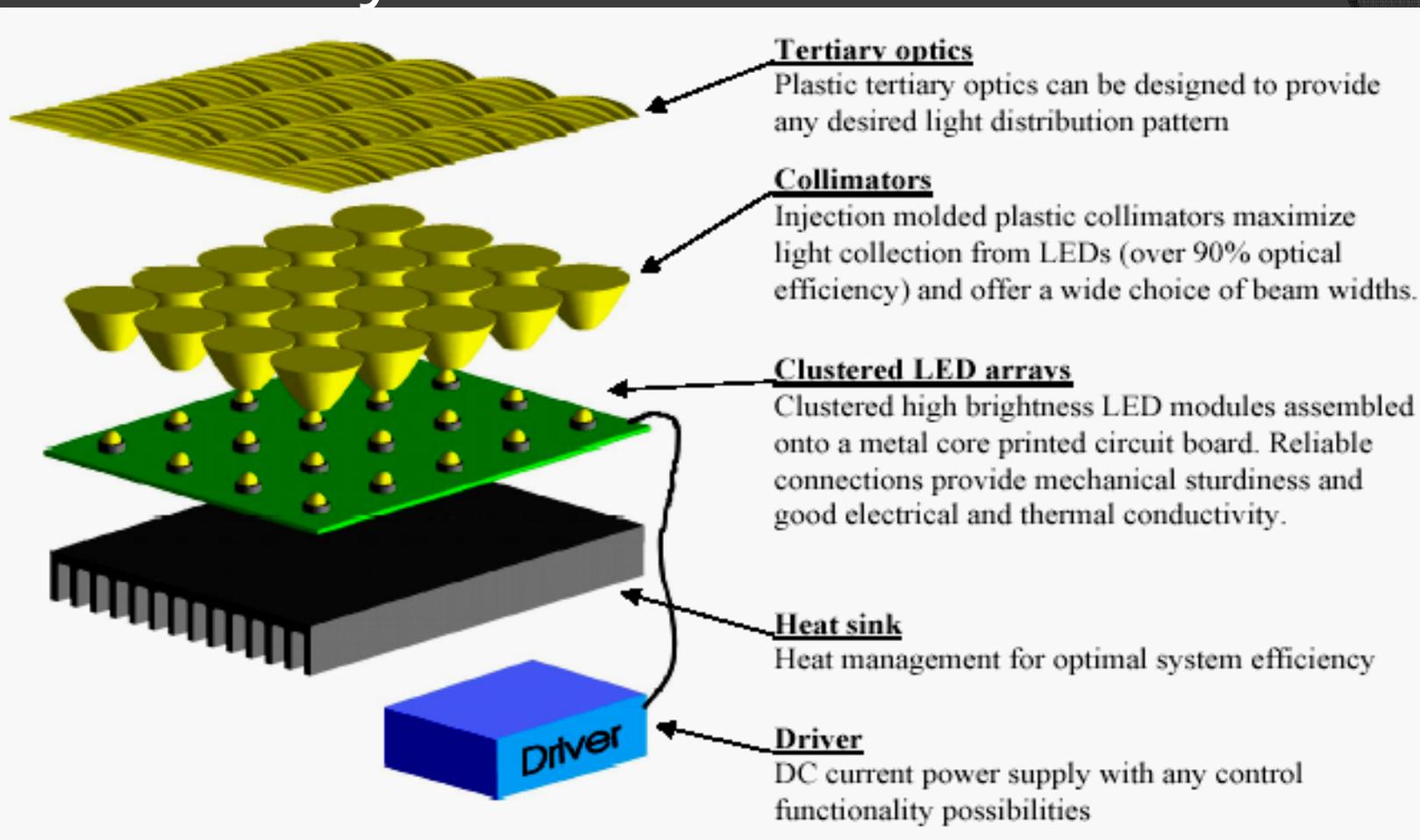
Dimensions of Acceleration



CONSULTANT'S PERSPECTIVE

OEMs v/s.LED Technology

LED – A System Criteria



LED is not a stand alone lamp like any other lamp for using in a standard luminaire

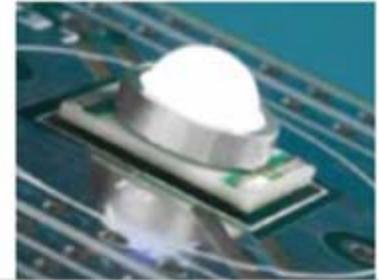
OEMs v/s.LED Technology

- LED Luminaire Manufacturers have to understand entire gamut of LED System manufacturing which is not possible for most of them as they are not that literate /equipped in all the fields.
- Most also claim using reputed Make of LEDs but what about its integration and who certifies that ?



OEMs v/s.LED Technology

- ⦿ Baffled by endless choice of LEDs and changing specifications
- ⦿ Do not always understand thermal / optical challenges
- ⦿ Quality of driver and resulting LED life
- ⦿ Their chosen LED is often obsolete after a year of production!
- ⦿ Blindly substituting conventional lighting with LED, irrespective of their suitability



OEMs v/s.LED Technology

- ◎ Two Groups of industry involved
 - Traditionally lighting
 - electronics (non lighting)
- ◎ Large Gap between LED manufacturers and Lighting Industry

Negative impact on rate of LED penetration

OEMs v/s.LED Technology

- LED products rapidly coming to market. Some LED products perform well, meet manufacturer claims, beat existing alternatives
 - Many do not perform as claimed ...
 - Bad Colour Appearance
 - Poor Colour Rendering
 - Efficacy V/s.Efficiency
 - Short Life,
 - Diming & Flicker Issues
 - Cost V/S. Quality Variation
- Significant learning curve for manufacturers, Consultants, buyers & Users



Lots of hype and misinformation

MISCONCEPTION

“LEDs are going to supersede all other light sources”

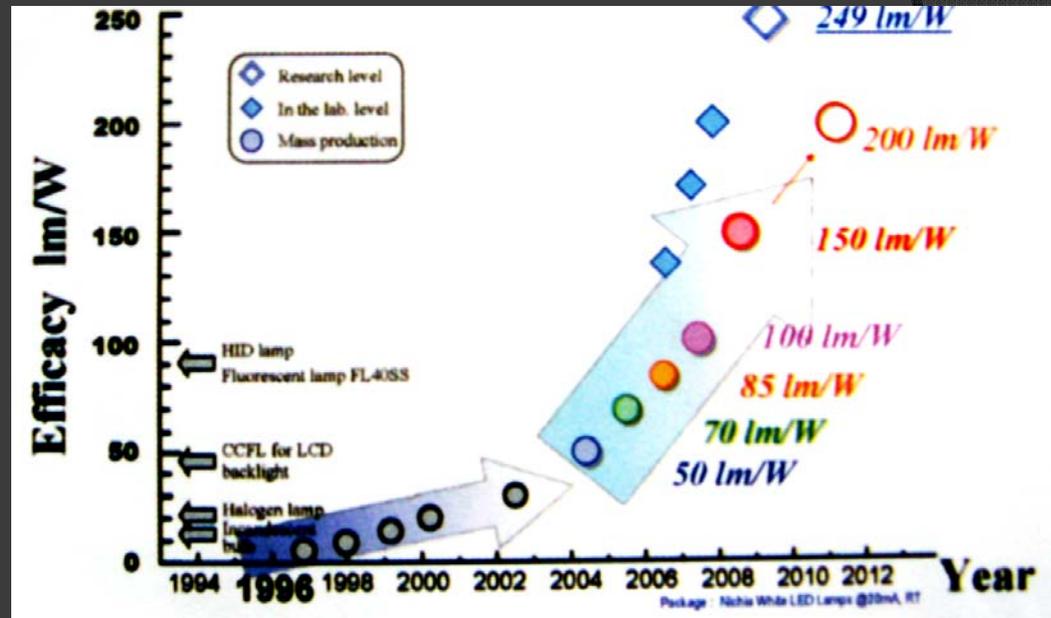
“LEDs out-perform all other lamps on every criteria in each & every applications!”

FACT

- ⦿ LEDs can excel in lifetime and efficacy for incandescent & CFL lamps, but this is not always enough as other parameters are of importance
- ⦿ No single light source technology achieves leadership in every category
 - That is why we still manufacture so many different types of lamps
 - There is always an optimum light source for each given application

Understanding of Efficacy

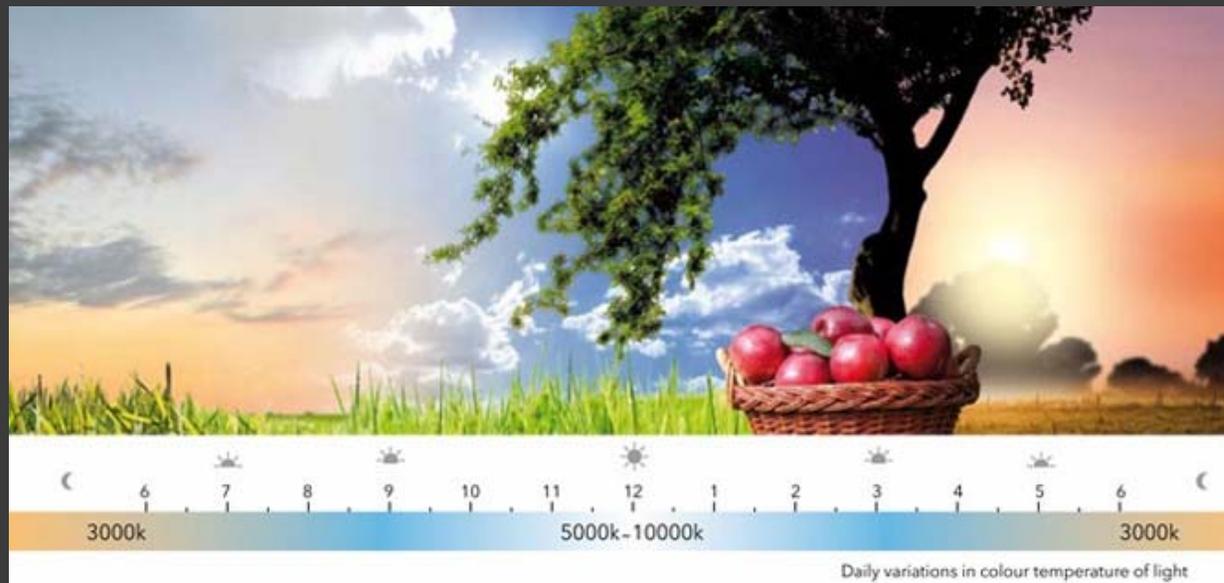
- White LEDs are $> 160 \text{ lm/W}$ but in practice Efficacy of White LED Lamp/Luminaire in Year 2011 is $70 - 90 \text{ lm/W}$
- LED efficacy decreases in Practical Installations
 - at real operating temperatures (droop effect)
 - when used with lens, diffuser, reflector elements
 - when used with Electronic Drivers



White LEDs – Luminous Efficacy

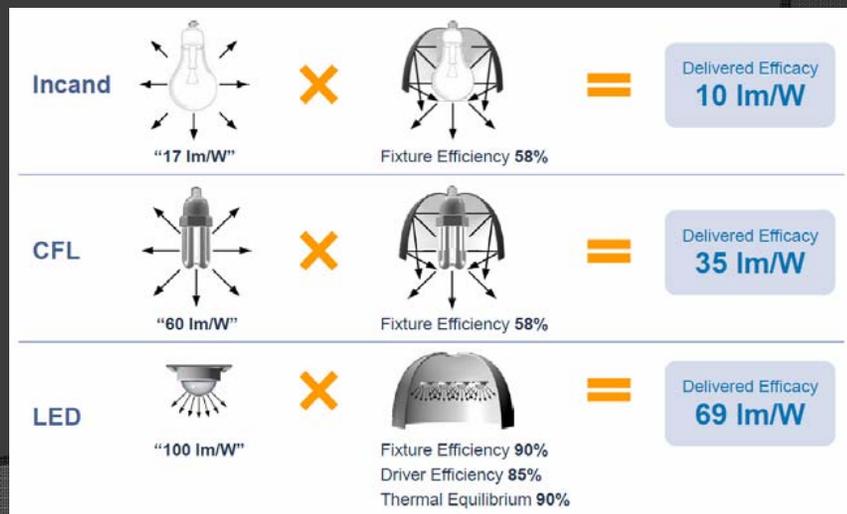
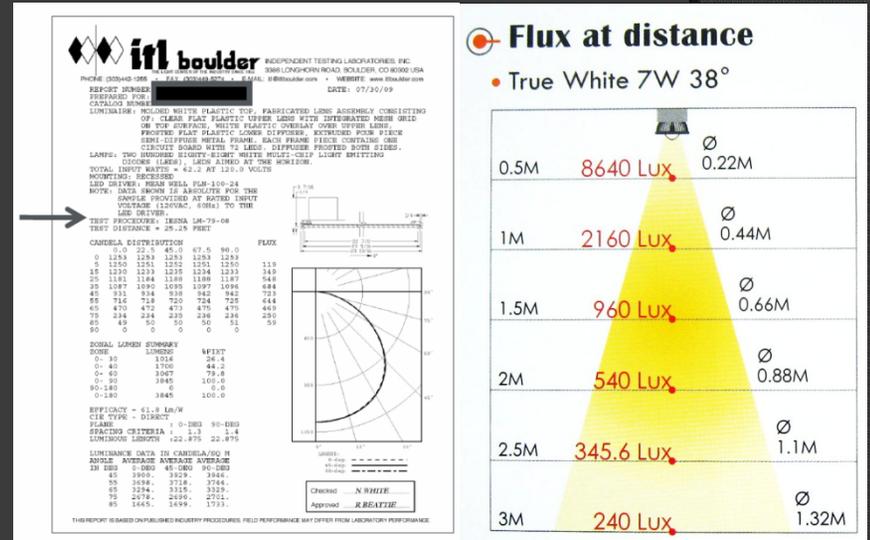
Understanding of Colour Characteristics

- Spectral Distribution (SPD)
- Co related Colour Temperature (CCT)
- Colour Rendering Index (CRI)



Understanding of Photometry

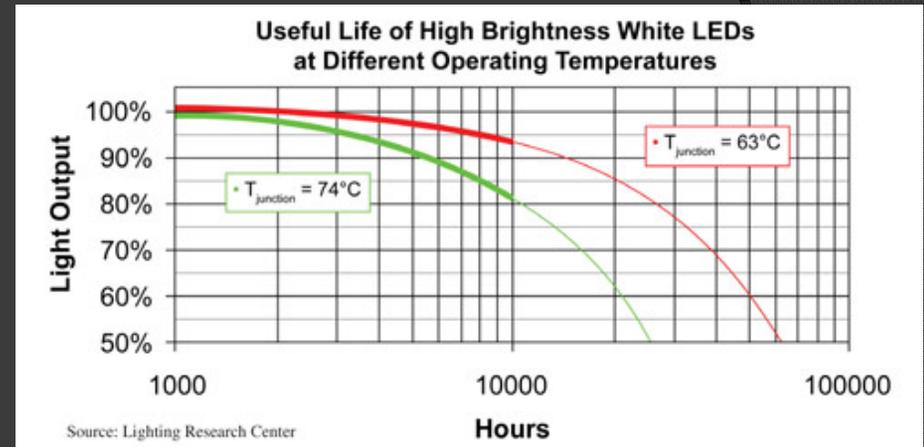
- Understanding of Lamp Beam Characteristics
- Understanding of Photometric data & Delivered Light



Understanding of Life

Life of LEDs & Drivers

- Rated lumens in datasheet at $T_{\text{junction}} (T_j) = 25^\circ\text{C}$ but LEDs in luminaires are hot ($T_j = 60^\circ\text{C} - 100^\circ\text{C}$)
- As T_j rises Temporary decrease in flux & efficacy
- Colour shift over life (increase in CCT)



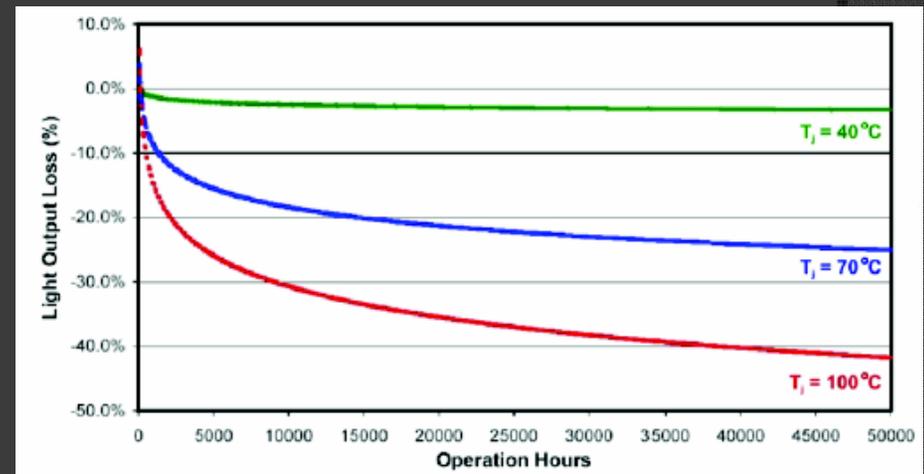
50,000 hours Lifetime to 70% Lumens



Drivers do not have the same Life

Understanding of Thermal Behavior

- Rated datasheet lumens are always at $T_{\text{junction}} (T_j) = 25^\circ\text{C}$
- LEDs in luminaires are hot ($T_j = 60^\circ\text{C} - 100^\circ\text{C}$)
- Above $T_j \sim 120^\circ\text{C}$ irreversible and permanent damage will occur
- Higher the T_j Lower the light Output & Life



T_j is a key metric for evaluating an LED's quality & Life.

Understanding of Wiring

- ⦿ Installation, Commissioning & Integration by Contractors
- ⦿ DC wiring & Polarity issues
- ⦿ Driver, Dimmer & Controller



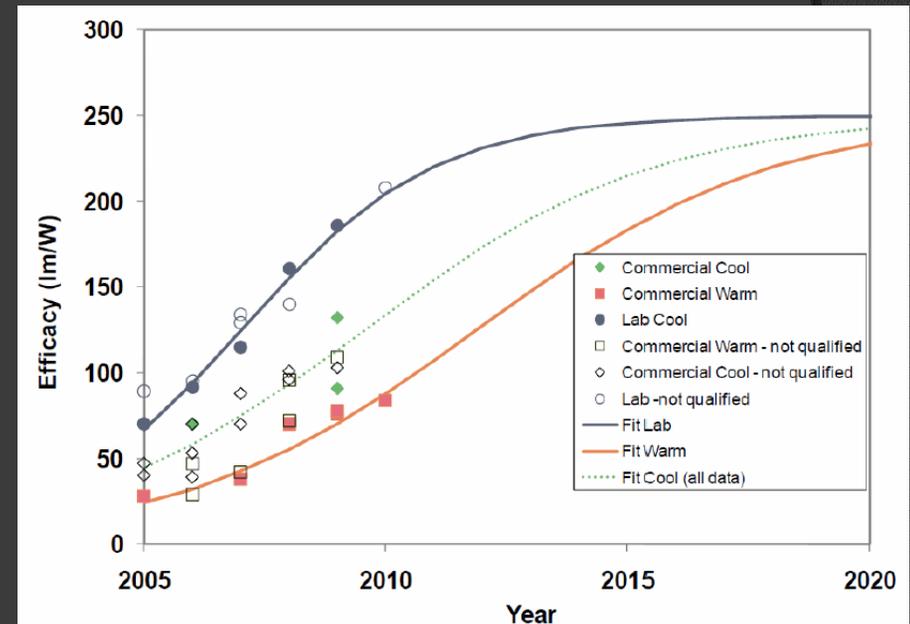
The Challenges ...

A Time to Interact

- ◎ We all Channel Partners must
 - Learn about New Products & Systems
 - Learn about Applications
 - Interact & Share
 - Do justice to our Role

How OEMs Accelerate Adoption?

- Continue to innovate in LEDs & components
- Develop a kilo-lumen high power White LED package with Small footprint
- Optimize LED system elements to provide solutions that are better than traditional lighting
 - Good colour performance
 - Staying ahead of DOE SSL MYPP in terms of \$/lm and lm/W
 - Reduce cost of LED lighting



White LEDs – Price v/s Light Output

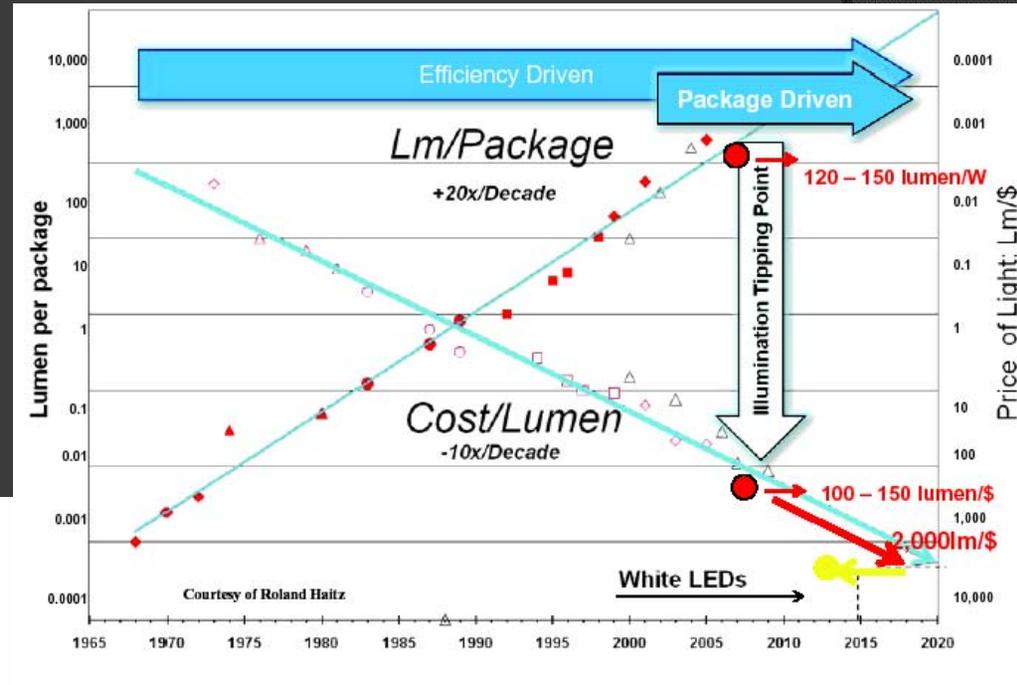
- Cost of lumen package falls by a factor of 10 and the Lumen generated per LED package increases by a factor of 20 every decade

2007

- 42 LEDs
- 650 lm
- 12W
- >\$100 Commercial Wholesale

2010

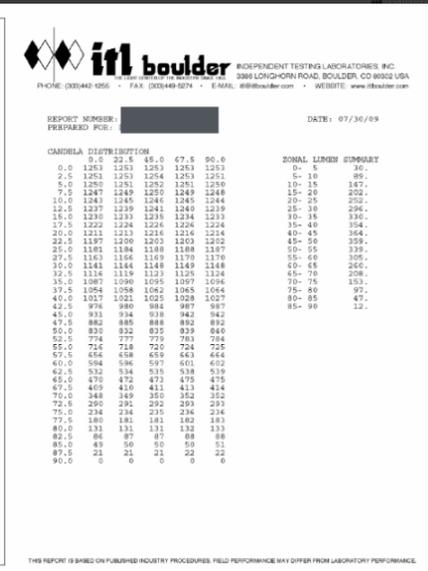
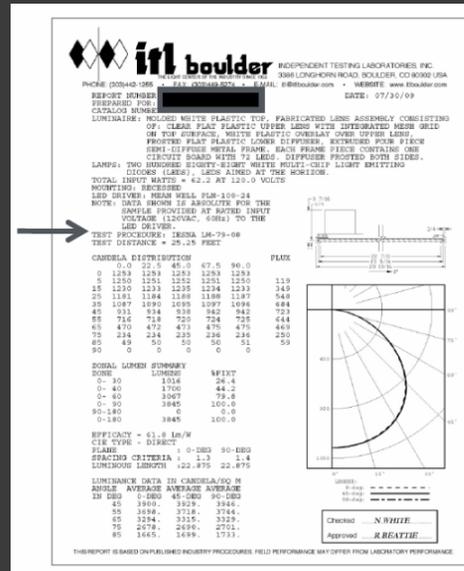
- 8 LEDs
- 560 lm
- 10W
- <\$50 Retail



Haitz Law – LED Performance, lm/\$

Standards & Measurement v/s. LED Technology

- LED Technology is evolving fast and will continue to develop at a very fast pace
- Need to establish standards for LED Lighting at same pace
- Test method and measurement**
 - IESNA LM-79
- Chromaticity specification**
 - ANSI C78.377
- Test method for lifetime of LEDs**
 - IESNA LM-80

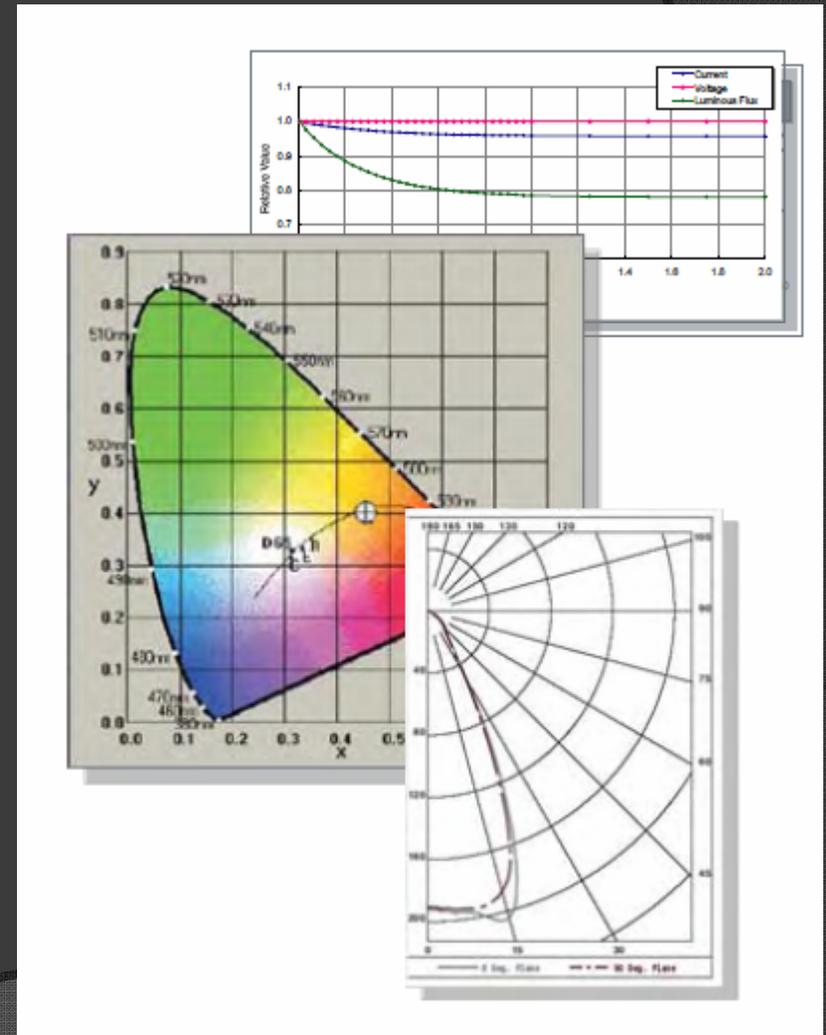


Performance and reliability issues in actual field conditions

How Standards Accelerate Adoption?

- LED Standards in India
 - BEE – Bureau of Energy Efficiency
 - ELCOMA – Electrical Lamp & Component Manufacturer Association
 - BIS - Bureau of Indian Standards
 - 10 Standards on LED approved for printing
- Measurement and quantification for quality is critical
 - 3 LED Testing Laboratories

Need for ENERGY STAR Program



How Quality Accelerate Adoption?

- ◎ Product performance reporting
 - Five key parameters: lumens, watts, efficacy, CRI, CCT
 - Reliability & lifetime
- ◎ ENERGY STAR® qualified products



L Prize winner

How Consultants Accelerate Adoption?

- Recommend right LED Products & Systems for each application
- Critically evaluate suppliers as well as products & systems
- Users to adopt LED Lighting solutions after due evaluation of the performance of the products on comparable conditions.
- User and Contractor to understand additional efforts and cost
- Trust is essential



APPLICATIONS

Applications

- **Architectural Lighting**
RGB LED Lighting
 - Well established since last Ten Years
- **General Lighting**
White LED Lighting
 - Technology Is Still Evolving



Application – RGB LED Lighting

- Well established since last Ten Years



Abbey's Palace, Pune



Rang Mandap
Farm House at Panvel

Projects

*World is Beautiful
Fresh and funky with
season's trends.*

COLOUR

with asianpaints

*The Midas Touch
Elegance at your fingertips.*

COLOUR Asian Paints Signature store, Mumbai

Projects



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YAZOO PARK, Virar

Application

White LED for General Lighting

- Technology Is Still Evolving



API Signature Store, Bandra

3000 Kelvin

3500 Kelvin

6500 Kelvin

Ideal Applications

- ◎ Residential
 - Ambient Lighting with LED Lamps



Ideal Applications

- Residential
 - Accent Lighting
 - Furniture Lighting



Ideal Applications

- ◎ Hospitality
 - Accent Lighting
 - PAR38 LED Lamp
 - MR16 LED Lamp



Ideal Applications

- Hospitality
 - Ambience creation
 - Chandeliers and sparkling lights



Ideal Applications

◎ Retail Lighting

- All accent applications
- Small display units like jewelry, art, shelves



Ideal Applications

- Down Lights in Offices & Mall Passages



Philips



Cree



Sylvania

Ideal Applications

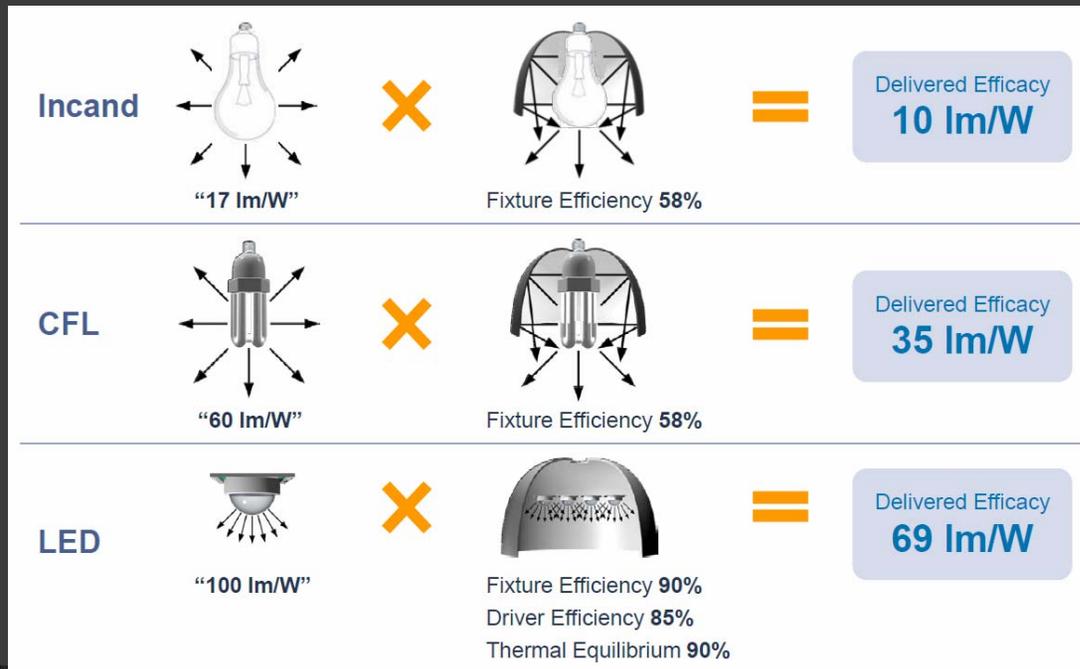
- Retail Lighting – Super Market
 - Parking lot LED lighting
 - Refrigerated display case LED lighting



Ideal Applications

Offices

- Combine LED performance with flexibility of a lamp like CFLs



Philips



Cree



Sylvania

LED Tube Lights

- Good Quality Can Replace first Generation T12 Tubes but at much higher price.



Long way to go to replace T8 & T5 with Class A electronic Ballast.

Ideal Applications

- ◎ 24/7 operation
 - corridors, lobbies
- ◎ hard to maintain or replace
 - escalators, elevators, high ceilings



Municipalities – Road Lighting

- 2nd largest City in the USA
- 4 Million Residents
- 472 Sq. Mi.
- 6500 Miles of streets
- \$6.7 Bi. City Budget for 2011



Main Roads Type A1 & A2 – Key issue is Pay Back Period

Ideal Applications

- Road Lighting
 - Residential area Roads Type B1 & B2
 - Public Plazas



LED Streetlight with Solar Panel is getting popular



Ideal Applications

- Area Lighting
 - Outdoor Car Park





Specially Structured Courses By ILA

- in India & Abroad
- Practical Aspects of Light & Lighting
- LED Lighting Systems

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The promises of white LEDs is AMAZING!
Butwith word of caution for all!!!



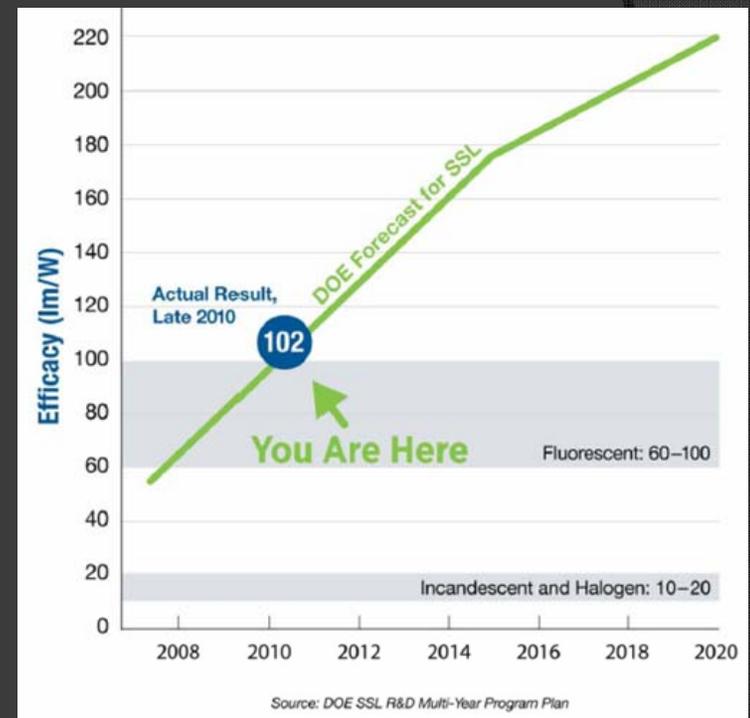
**“Learning is a lifelong process of keeping
abreast of change.”**

— Peter Drucker

The Challenges ...

A Time to Educate

- Education needs to follow the SSL technology & advances steep slope
- Need to educate everyone - designers, professionals, developers, contractors, users, representatives and manufacturers - about solid-state lighting
- Will bridge the gap between the lighting and electronics (non lighting) industry professionals



Education > Adoption \geq Market Growth

LED Lighting Adoption

- LED technology continues to improve rapidly – next generation devices introduced every six months
- LED products can save energy and provide high-quality lighting in a growing number of applications



Momentum is building, but we have to go a long way



Thank You

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