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V5.1 Application Processing Webinar

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Agenda

- Stay Up to Date
- Top Causes of Application Processing Delays
- Q&A
 - Via Chat feature
 - Specific application questions can be emailed to applications@designlights.org
 - For applications in process, please message via the Application Portal

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The DLC is a non-profit organization whose mission is to achieve energy optimization by enabling controllability with a focus on quality, people, and the environment.

Goals of Technical Requirements V5.1



New color quality requirements help provide good color rendering with better color consistency over time.



Lighting decision makers can use DLC Premium classification to have more confidence in the glare performance of listed products.



Virtually all listed products are dimmable, providing increased energy savings and improved user satisfaction.

A modern building at night with blue and white light trails from moving vehicles or lights, creating a dynamic, futuristic feel. The image is framed by a large yellow arrow pointing right, which serves as a background for the text.

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Latest Application Files

- Download the latest applications from the DLC website
 - <https://www.designlights.org/solid-state-lighting/submit-a-product/>

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(V5.0) Single Product Application Form [Accepted through Jan. 31, 2021]

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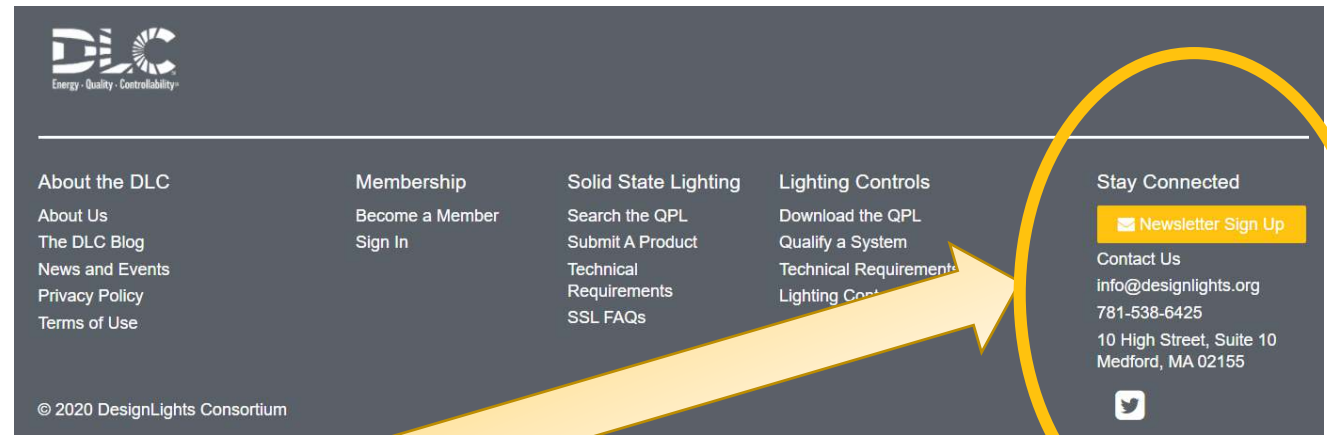
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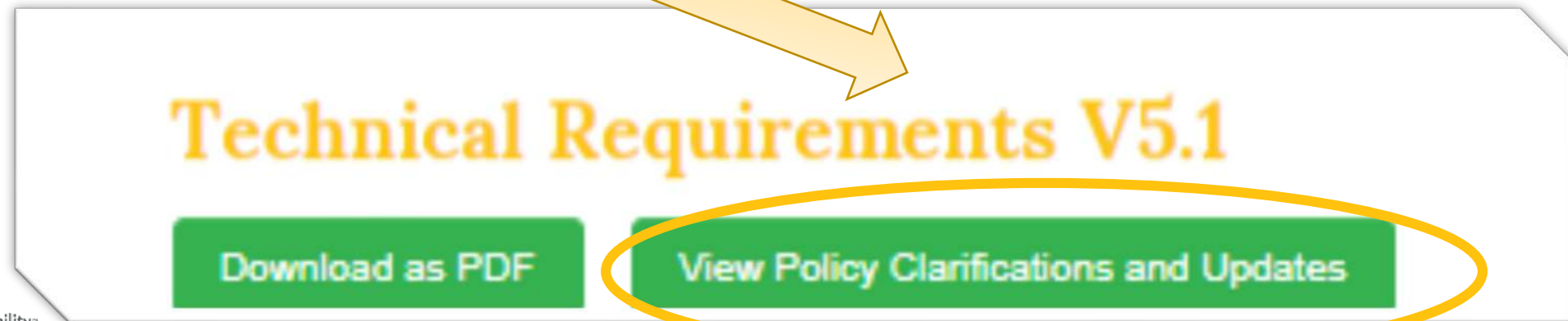
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 - Summary link on website




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Date Updated	Subject	Change Type	Description	Affected Document	Affected Page(s)
8/20/2020	Outdoor R_g Requirement	Policy Change	The R_g requirement for outdoor products has been changed from a required threshold to a reporting requirement only. High-bay products must still meet $R_g \geq -40$.	V5.1 Policy and TRT	8
7/30/2020	Color Maintenance reporting requirements	Guidance added	LM-80 reports may not include absolute D_{uv} information for each reporting interval, but only the change in D_{uv} from 0 hours. Guidance has been added to the policy document and Manufacturer Guidance that describes how to report maintenance in the case that average chromaticity coordinate data at the ≈ 1000 -hour and ≈ 6000 -hour measurement points are not provided and only chromaticity shift ($\Delta u'v'$) data is available.	V5.1 Policy and Manufacturer and Industry Guidance	10
6/17/2020	White-tunable testing requirements	Clarification	Clarified requirements around testing and reporting at various CCT settings for all white-tunable products; not just DLC Premium.	V5.1 Policy	11

Technical Requirement Guidance Resources


- <https://www.designlights.org/solid-state-lighting/qualification-requirements/ssl-v5-1-resources/>



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Top Causes of Application Processing Delays

Reported Control Capabilities

- Fill out application forms completely, controls information columns on the Reported Data tab
- All columns except “LLLC Model Name” require an entry
 - “No” should be selected instead of leaving blank

AD	AE	AF	AG	AH	AI	AJ	AK
Sensor Type	Control Capability	LLLC Model Name	Dimming Capability and Range (Continuous Below 10, Continuous Above 10, Stepped, Not Dimmable)	Wired Communication Protocol	Other Wired Protocol Name	Wireless Communication Protocol	Other Wireless Protocol Name
Exterior Photocell	LLLC	LLLC Control	Stepped Dimmable	Phase-Cut		WiFi	
Occupancy Sensor; Daylight Sensor; Multifun	Integral Sensor Receptacle		Continuous Dimmable <10%	0-10V		Zigbee; Bluetooth	
Multifunction Sensor	Energy Monitoring; High-end Trim		Not Dimmable	No Wired Communication Protocol		No Wireless Protocol	
Traffic Sensor; Exterior Photocell	LLLC; Energy Monitoring	TestLLLC	Continuous Dimmable >10%	0-10V; Phase-cut	TestWiredProtocol	Bluetooth; WiFi	TestWirelessProtocol

Controllability Reporting

- 3 different controllability reporting requirements
 - Dimming
 - Integral Controls
 - Control Communication
- Must be in app form
- Must be reflected on spec sheets and reported data on application form

Metric		V.1 Requirements	QPL Listing	Method of Evaluation ⁴
Dimming		Indoor luminaires and retrofit kits (excluding case lighting and Specialty primary uses intended for hazardous location): Continuous dimming capability required	1. Dimming capability (continuous, stepped, none) 2. Range of continuous dimming (if applicable) (Above 10%, Less than or equal to 10%)	Product specification sheet shall clearly identify dimming capability
		Outdoor luminaires, retrofit kits, and mogul screw-base replacement lamps for outdoor applications (excluding landscape accent/flood, specialty sports flood, specialty tunnel, and Specialty primary uses designated for hazardous locations): Continuous or stepped dimming capability required		
		Lamps, unless noted above: Continuous dimming capability required		
		All other products: Required reporting of dimming capability		
Integral Controls		All products are required to report on integral control sensors and capabilities	1. Integral control sensors * 2. Integral control capabilities ** 3. LLLC model name (if applicable)	Product specification sheet or supplemental literature shall clearly identify the types of integral controls available
Control Communication		All products listed as dimmable are required to report the available wired and/or wireless control communication protocol(s)	1. Wired Communication Protocols [†] 2. Wireless Communication Protocols ^{††}	Product specification sheet or supplemental literature shall clearly identify the communication type and dimming protocol (if applicable)

Integral Controls Reporting

- The spec sheets/literature must be clear about what control options are available, and that there must be clear indications of these in the model number/ordering code
 - Needs to match reporting on app form
- **Spec sheets/literature must explicitly and exactly match the Acceptable Terms for controls, sensors, and communication protocol as described in the policy**

Integral Control Feature			Acceptable Terms on the Product Spec Sheet or Supplemental Literature
S E N S O R S	Occupancy	Sensors that can automatically control lighting equipment based on the presence or absence of people in a space.	Occupancy Sensor, Vacancy Sensor, Motion Sensor, Exterior Motion Sensor
	Daylight	Sensors that can automatically control lighting or other equipment based on daylight and/or ambient light levels in a space.	Daylight Sensor, Daylight Harvesting, Daylight Dimming, Daylight Response, Photosensor
	Multifunction (Occupancy + Daylight)	A combination sensor that can sense occupancy and daylight levels in a space.	Multifunction Sensor, Dual/Combination Sensor, Occupancy/Vacancy/Motion Sensor + Daylight Sensor
	Traffic	A sensor that can automatically control lighting or other equipment based on the presence or absence of people in a space.	Traffic Sensor, Adaptive Traffic Sensor
	Photocell	A sensor that can automatically control lighting or other equipment based on daylight and/or ambient light levels in a space.	Photocell, Daylight Sensor, Photosensor, Dusk-to-Dawn
	Sensor Receptacle	An integrated receptacle for sensors, communication devices for indoor or outdoor use.	Sensor Receptacle, ANSI Receptacle, NEMA Receptacle, Zhaga Receptacle/Socket
		The capability to set the lighting system to a minimum state when not in use.	Task Tuning

Control Communication Type		Definition	Acceptable Terms on the Product Spec Sheet or Supplemental Literature	Notes on the Spec Sheet or Literature
WIRED	0-10V	Wired analog low-voltage control between 0 and 10 volts (or 1 and 10) with varying light output.	0-10V, 1-10V	
	DALI	Wired digital communication protocol 2, IEC 62386 and IEC 60929.	DALI, DALI-2, D4i, Digital Addressable Lighting Interface	Digital Addressing
	DMX	Wired digital communication protocol 512.	DMX, DMX512, Digital Multiplex	Digital
	Power Line / Phase-cut	Modulation or modification of the current, and/or wave form to produce phase-cut.	Power line, voltage modulation, phase-cut, forward phase, reverse phase	Phase-cut, Reverse
	Other Wired	Other wired communication protocol from manufacturer.	N/A	
WIRELESS	ZigBee	Wireless digital communication protocol maintained by the ZigBee Alliance.	ZigBee, ZigBee HA, ZigBee 3.0	ZigBee
	Bluetooth	Wireless digital communication protocol maintained by the Bluetooth Special Interest Group.	Bluetooth, Bluetooth Low Energy, BLE, BLE Mesh	Bluetooth Low Energy, Mesh
	Wi-Fi	Wireless networking protocol based on IEEE 802.11.	Wi-Fi, Wireless Internet	Internet
	Other Wireless	Other wireless communication protocol from manufacturer.	N/A	

Control Communication Reporting

- The spec sheets must specifically describe control communication
- The spec sheets/literature must explicitly and exactly match the Acceptable Terms for communication protocol as described in the policy

Reported Color Data

- Fill out application forms completely
 - Particularly, new color information columns on the Reported Data tab
 - All color data (column O-T) must be filled out for every app

O	P	Q	R	S	T
Reported CCT (K)	Reported CRI (Ra)	Reported R9	Reported Rf	Reported Rg	Reported Rcs,h1 (%)
6500	72	0	85	92	10
3500	85	5	75	90	0.2
2700	80	23	70	89	20
2200	99	99	99	99	0

Color Rendition Requirements:

- Provide full color data (including TM-30)
 - Particularly on the “high CCT” product
- Both TM-30 and CIE color rendering metrics must be provided, even if only one set must pass

Metric and/or Application	V5.1 Standard Requirements	QPL Listing	Method of Measurement/Evaluation	
<i>All Indoor products, except high-bay:</i> Option 1 - ANSI/IES TM-30-18 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• IES $R_f \geq 70$• IES $R_g \geq 89$• $-12\% \leq \text{IES } R_{cs,h1} \leq +23\%$ Option 2 - CIE 13.3-1995: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• $R_a \geq 80$• $R_g \geq 0$		CCT and Duv for parent ¹ products from LM-79 test reports listed as Tested Data Nominal CCT for child products listed as Reported Data	ANSI/IES LM-79 ANSI C78.377-2017	
			All color rendition metrics for parent products from LM-79 test reports listed as Tested Data. All color rendition metrics for child products listed as Reported Data	ANSI/IES LM-79 ANSI/IES TM-30-18 CIE 13.3-1995
	<i>All Outdoor and high-bay products:</i> Option 1 - ANSI/IES TM-30-18 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• IES $R_f \geq 70$• IES $R_g \geq 89$• $-18\% \leq \text{IES } R_{cs,h1} \leq +23\%$ Option 2 - CIE 13.3-1995: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• $R_a \geq 70$• $R_g \geq -40$ (high bay only)• Outdoor must report R_g		Color maintenance information not listed on the QPL at this time.	ANSI/IES LM-80, and/or IES LM-84-14



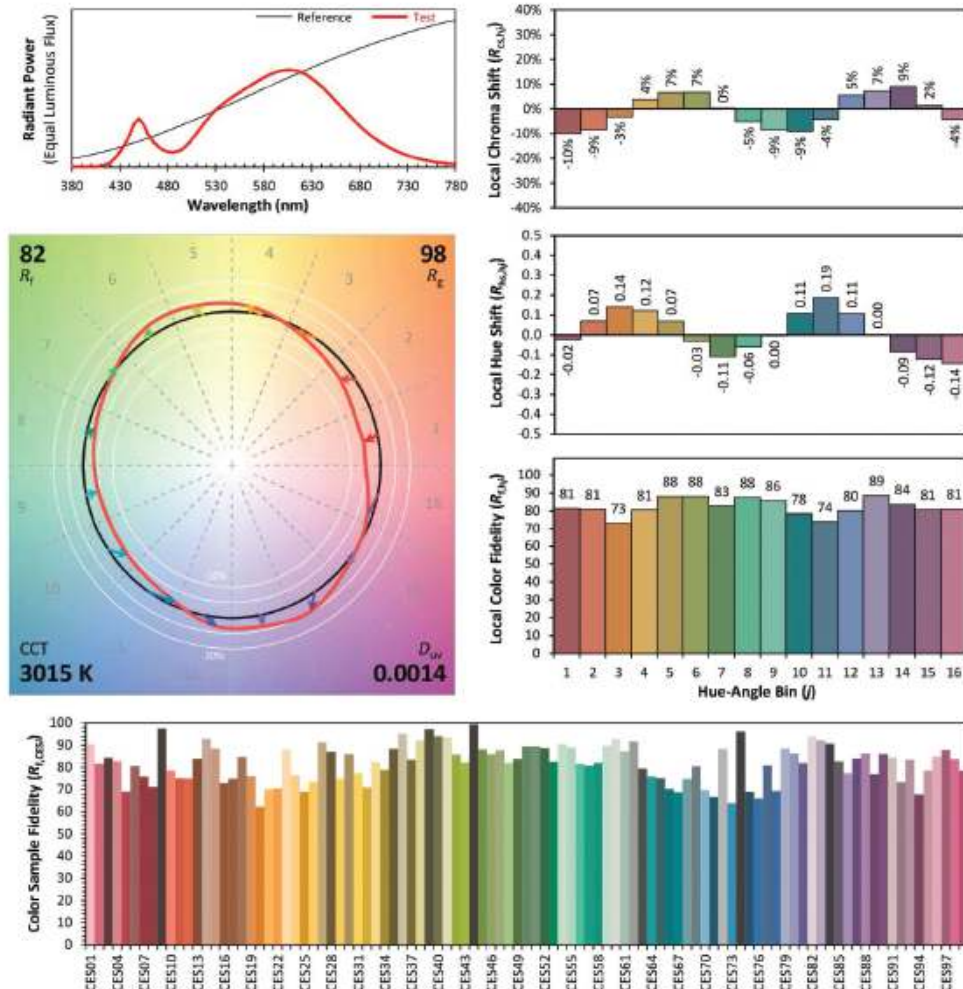
IES TM-30-18 Color Rendition Report

Source: Example

Manufacturer: Example

Date: 1/1/2018

Model: Example



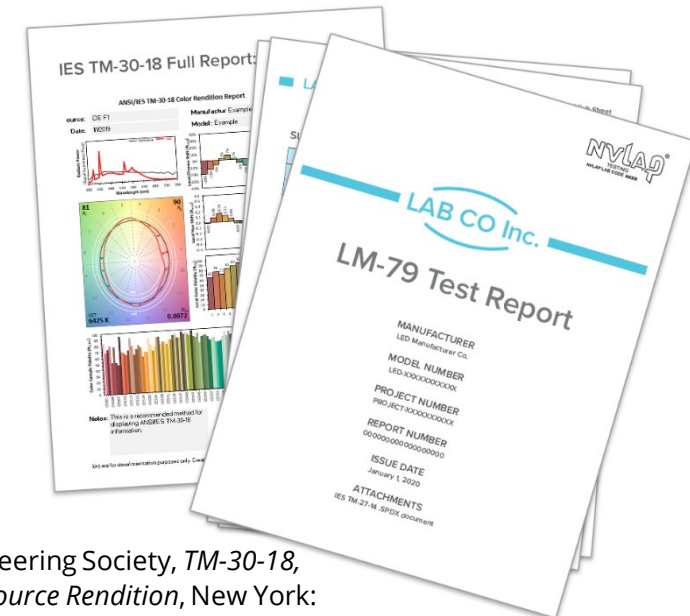
Notes: This is a recommended method for displaying IES TM-30-18 information.

x 0.4379
 y 0.4080
 u' 0.2495
 v' 0.5231

CIE 13.3-1995
(CRI)
 R_a 80
 R_g 18

TM-30 Report Requirements

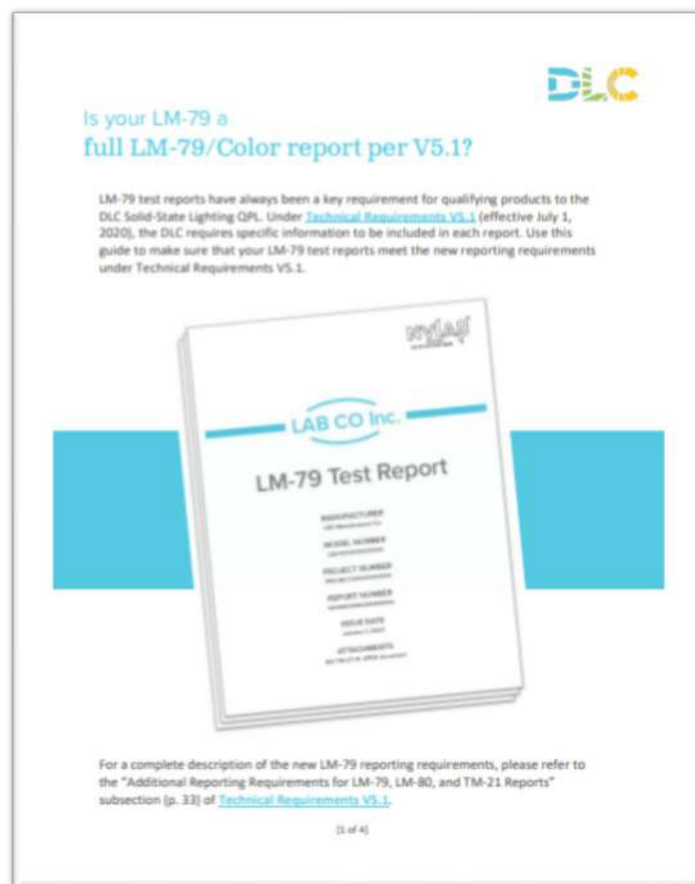
- All Full LM-79/color reports must contain the [ANSI/IES TM-30-18](#) Full Report (per Annex D, Figure D-3)
 - Template is free on IES website
 - Must be included within report



TM-30-18 image © Illuminating Engineering Society, *TM-30-18, IES Method for Evaluating Light Color Source Rendition*, New York: Illuminating Engineering Society, 2018.

<https://www.ies.org/product/ies-method-for-evaluating-light-source-color-rendition/>

Data Required in LM-79 Color Report



An ideal electrical results summary table will include:

- Input Voltage
- Current
- Wattage
- Power Factor
- Current THD

SUMMARY

MODEL NUMBER	LED-XXXXXXXXXX
DESCRIPTION	Description of product
LED MODEL NUMBER(S)	LED-XXX; LED-YYY
DRIVER MODEL NUMBER(S)	DRIVER-XXX

ELECTRICAL CRITERIA	RESULTS
Input Power (W) @ 120 (VAC)	XXX
Input Power Factor @ 120 (VAC)	XXX
Input Current ATHD (%) @ 120 (VAC)	XXX
Input Power (W) @ 277 (VAC)	XXX
Input Power Factor @ 277 (VAC)	XXX
Input Current ATHD (%) @ 277 (VAC)	XXX

PHOTOMETRIC CRITERIA	RESULTS
Lumen Output (lm)	XXX
Lumen Efficacy (lm/W) @ 120 (VAC)	XXX
Correlated Color Temperature (K)	XXX
Color Rendering Index - Ra	XXX
Color Rendering - R9	XXX
Duv	XXX
Chromaticity Coordinate (x)	XXX
Chromaticity Coordinate (y)	XXX
Chromaticity Coordinate (u')	XXX
Chromaticity Coordinate (v')	XXX

THERMAL CRITERIA	RESULTS
Max. Measured Source Temperature (°C)	XXX
Max. Measured Driver Temperature (°C)	XXX

An ideal photometric results summary table will include:

- Total Luminous Flux
- Luminous Efficacy
- Chromaticity Coordinates
- CCT & Duv
- IES Rf, Rg, and Rcs,h1
- CRI (Ra) and R9



TM-27/.SPDX files

- Minimum Information needed in the TM-27/SPDX files:
 - Manufacturer
 - Catalog/Model Number
 - Laboratory
 - Report Number
 - Report Date
 - Spectral Power Distribution Data from 380-780 nm in ≤ 5 nm increments

4.1.1 Manufacturer Element The optional Manufacturer element identifies the manufacturer of the device under test.

4.1.2 Catalog Number Element The optional CatalogNumber element identifies the manufacturer's product catalog number.

4.1.3 Description Element The required Description element contains a text description of the spectral data in the document.

4.1.4 Document Creator Element The required DocumentCreator element identifies the creator of the document, which may be a test lab, a research group, a standard body, a company or an individual.

4.1.5 Unique Identifier Element The optional UniqueIdentifier element contains a unique identifier to the product under test or the spectral data in the document.

4.1.6 Measurement Equipment Element The optional MeasurementEquipment element contains a description of the equipment used to measure the spectral data.

4.1.7 Laboratory Element The optional Laboratory element identifies the testing laboratory name that performed the spectral data measurements. If the data is generated and not tested at a laboratory, this field shall contain the name of the company generating the data.

4.1.8 Report Number Element The optional ReportNumber element identifies the testing laboratory report number.

4.1.9 Report Date Element The optional ReportDate element identifies the testing laboratory report date using the XML DateTime Data Type, YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.

4.1.10 Document Creation Date Element The required DocumentCreationDate element identifies the document creation date using the XML DateTime Data Type, YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.

4.1.11 Comments Element The optional Comments element provides additional information relating to the tested and reported data.

4.2 Spectral Distribution Element The SpectralDistribution element is the parent of the spectral distribution data. This element contains information that is specific to the spectral data. Elements are detailed in Table 2.

4.2.1 Spectral Quantity Element The SpectralQuantity attribute provides the quantity of measurement for each element of the spectral data. Valid SpectralQuantity attributes are identified in Table 3.

All wavelengths shall be specified in nanometers. Relative measurements (i.e., absorbance, transmittance, reflectance, R-Factor, T-Factor and rela-

TM-27/.SPDX files

- Must be provided with every LM-79/color test
- IES calculator (Excel) is not an acceptable substitute
- These must be .spdx files and not simply .xml files.

5.0 BRANDING – LOGO AND NAME

The major goal of this document is to create a unified, industry standard format for spectral data transfer. Given that there are many existing files in the industry, each used only for a specific piece of software, confusion about the new unified format among consumers may arise.

To help eliminate this confusion, spectral data transfer conforming to this document shall always be referred to as either an "IES TM-27 SPDX document" or simply an "SPDX document". Whenever the document is displayed for download or distribution it shall be shown with "IES-TM-27" as a descriptor, and the document extension of ".spdx" shall be used.

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<https://www.ies.org/product/ies-standard-format-for-the-electronic-transfer-of-spectral-data/>

Data Required in LM-79/Distribution Reports

How to ensure that your IES files comply with the full V5.1 LM-79/distribution report requirements



While IES files haven't changed, under V5.1, the DLC will review additional fields in submitted IES files to ensure accuracy of data and to support USR analyses for certain Primary Use Designations. When submitting an application under V5.1, be sure that your LM-79 IES file follows the requirements below.

The samples from the IES file shown below depict a generic version of a 2x2 LED troffer. The keyword text does not represent a real company or product.

1. The following keywords must be included and contain values that match the LM-79 test report: TEST, TESTLAB, ISSUEDATE, MANUFAC, and LUMCAT.

```
IESNA:LM-63-2002
[TEST]abc123
[TESTLAB]Lab123
[ISSUEDATE]12/01/18
[MANUFAC] Lighting Inc.
[LUMCAT]T22-40-3580-U
[LUMINAIRE]2' x 2' LED Troffer
[LAMPCAT] L3580
[LAMP]125 3500 K LEDs
```

2. The <multiplier> field must be 1 or 1.0; it cannot be a scaling multiplier. IES files must be the result of a tested luminaire. Scaled IES files will result in a multiplier other than 1 or 1.0 and will not be accepted (see image on page 2).
3. The <photometric type> field must be 1 (i.e., the photometric type is in Type C format) or 2 (i.e., the photometric type is Type B, which may be used for spot and flood luminaire Primary Use Designations) (see image on page 2).
4. The <length><width><height> luminous opening fields must appropriately reflect the luminous opening of the luminaire shown in submitted documents. See the "Additional Reporting Requirements for LM-79, LM-80, and TM-21 Reports" subsection (p. 33) of [Technical Requirements V5.1](#) for more guidance (see image on page 2).



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6. The angular resolution for the <vertical angles> field must be at most 5 degrees. In this example it is 2.5 degrees (see image below).
7. The angular resolution for the <horizontal angles> field must be at most 22.5 degrees (see image below).

```
[LAMPCAT] L3580
[LAMP]125 3500 K LEDs
[BALLASTCAT] 123
[BALLAST] 123
TILT=NONE
1 -1 1 37 5 1 1 2 2 0
1 1 32
0 2.5 5 7.5 10 12.5 15 17.5 20 22.5 25 27.5 30 32.5 35
47.5 50 52.5 55 57.5 60 62.5 65 67.5 70 72.5 75 77.5 80
0 22.5 45 67.5 90
```



LM-63/.IES files

- Minimum Information needed in the LM-63/.IES files
 - Manufacturer
 - Catalog/Model Number
 - Laboratory
 - Report Number
 - Report Date
 - Wattage and Input Voltage
 - Multiplier may only be 1.0
 - Luminous Dimensions
 - Candela Array

5.2 [Keywords]

Following IESNA:LM-63-2002, and prior to TILT= any number of defined IES keywords may be used (see Annex A and B). Each keyword line shall begin with an appropriate keyword.

All files shall contain the following keywords:

[TEST]	Test report number
[TESTLAB]	Photometric testing laboratory
[ISSUEDATE]	Date that the manufacturer issued the IESNA:LM-63-2002 file
[MANUFAC]	Manufacturer of luminaire

All other keywords are optional. In addition to the required keywords, the following are a suggested minimum:

[LUMCAT]	Luminaire catalog number
[LUMINAIRE]	Luminaire description
[LAMPCAT]	Lamp catalog number
[LAMP]	Lamp description (i.e., type, wattage, size, etc.)

LM-63/.IES files

- Input voltage may be represented:
 - In the IES file using the [OTHER] tag
 - In the IES file using a User-Defined Keyword. For example [_VOLTAGE]
 - In an accompanying PDF report of the goniophotometer test

Miscellaneous:

•	[ISSUEDATE]	Date that the manufacturer issued the IESNA LM-63-2002 file
	[OTHER]	Other information about this file
	[SEARCH]	User created search string
	[MORE]	More information tied to previous keyword

Annex A - General rules for keywords

The keyword:

- Shall be the first non-blank character in a new line.
- Shall be in upper case.
- Shall occur prior to **TILT=**.
- Shall not contain any characters (including spaces and/or non-printing characters) that are not specifically listed as part of the keyword.
- Shall be contained in square brackets.
- Shall occur only once except for the keywords [MORE] and [OTHER].
- Shall be 20 characters or less counting the brackets.
- User defined keywords may be included. User defined keywords shall have an underscore character immediately following the first bracket and preceding the actual keyword (e.g., [_USERKEYWORD]). The underscore character distinguishes user-defined keywords from those defined in Annex B.
- Shall be read as descriptive text if not listed in Annex B.

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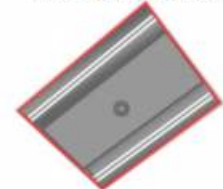
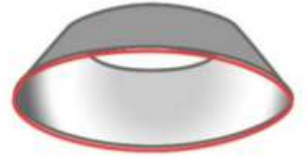
UGR Glare Guidance

- Luminous area noted in .IES must represent the light emitting opening of the luminaire.
- Represented as the smallest geometry that completely encompasses of the light emitting surfaces of the product
- Guidance for luminous area descriptions in LM-63 files for UGR calculations available on DLC website




Guidance for Modeling Luminous Area

The following examples are given as guidance for modeling common types of luminaires, with luminous areas per IES LM-63. The red boundary line indicates the boundary of suggested luminous opening. Each .ies file can only have one luminous area, so the following conventions are recommended.¹

High Bay/Low Bay Luminaires


Multiple LED configurations below heat sink 	Luminous channels on edges with opaque center 	Luminous disk in center with reflector/refractor 
Model as a circular opening encompassing all LED configurations	Model as rectangle (enclosing opaque area in the center) encompassing both luminous channels	Model as circular opening or vertical cylinder with sides encompassing all luminous components

Linear Ambient Luminaires

Internal channel with luminous sides and horizontal plane 	Cylinder with open top (uplight) and luminous panels on curved portion (downlight) 	Cylinder with wraparound luminous panel 

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