



VC670M-TO46GL

- Red VCSEL
- 670 nm, 1 mW
- Multi Mode
- TO-46 Can
- Glass Lens, 2° Viewing Angle



Description

VC670M-TO46GL is a multi mode red VCSEL emitting at typically 670 nm with rated output power of 1.0 mW cw, mounted into a standard TO-46 package and sealed with a flat window cap. The VCSEL works under low forward current and voltage.

Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Symbol	Values		Unit
		Min.	Max.	
Forward Current	I_F		8	mA
Reverse Voltage (@ 10 μ A)	V_F		5	V
Operating Temperature	T_{CASE}	- 20	+ 50	°C
Storage Temperature	T_{STG}	- 40	+ 85	°C
Lead Solder Temperature *	T_{SLD}		+ 260	°C

* must be completed within 10 seconds

Laser Characteristics ($T_{CASE}=25^{\circ}\text{C}$)

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Values		Unit
			Typ.	Max.	
Emission Wavelength	λ_{Peak}	660	670	690	nm
Spectral Width	$\Delta\lambda$			0.85	nm
Optical Output Power	P_O		1.0		mW
Threshold Current	I_{TH}		2.0	3.5	mA
Operating Current	I_F		5		mA
Operating Voltage	V_F		2.1	2.5	V
Beam Divergence (Full Width)	Θ		2		deg
Slope Efficiency	η	0.2	0.3		mW/mA
Dynamic Resistance	R_D		60	90	Ω

Thermal Characteristics

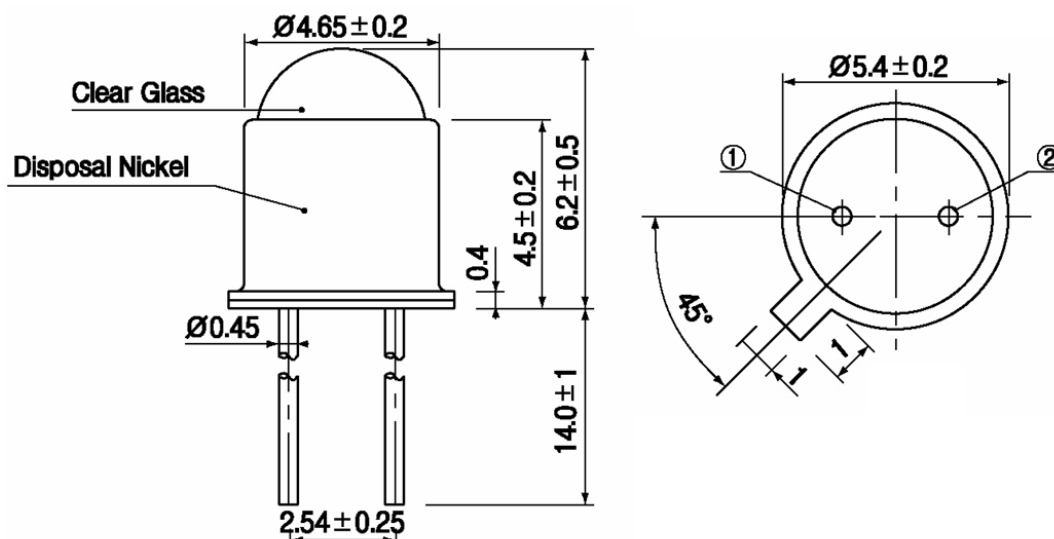
Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Values Typ.	Max.	Test Conditions	Unit
Max. Operating Temperature Optical Output Power	$P_{T=50^{\circ}\text{C}}$		0.5		$T_C=50^{\circ}\text{C}$, 5mA	mW
I_{TH} Temperature Variation	ΔI_{TH}		1.5		$T_C=-20$ to 50°C	mA
η Temperature Variation	$\Delta\eta / \Delta T$		-0.8		$T_C=-20$ to 50°C , 5mA	%/°C
λ Temperature Variation	$\Delta\lambda / \Delta T$		0.05		$T_C=-20$ to 50°C , 5mA	nm/°C



Outline Dimensions

TO46GL

TO-46 with glass lens



All Dimensions in mm

Electrical Connection

Lead	Description
PIN 1	VCSEL Anode
PIN 2	VCSEL Cathode



Precautions

Static Electricity:

VCSELs are **sensitive to electrostatic discharge (ESD)**. Precautions against ESD must be taken when handling or operating these VCSELs. Surge voltage or electrostatic discharge can result in complete failure of the device.



Safety Advice:

This VCSEL emits concentrated red light which can be **hazardous to the human eye and skin**. This diode is classified as CLASS 2 laser product according to IEC 60825-1 and 21 CFR Part 1040.10 Safety Standards.

Operation:

Do only operate VCSELs with a current source.

Running these LEDs from a voltage source will result in complete failure of the device.

Current of a LED is an exponential function of the voltage across it. Usage of current regulated drive circuits is mandatory.