



Specifications and Applications Information

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The ERG Smart Force Series of LED Drivers are specifically designed for applications which require high efficiency, wide dimming and LCD brightness stability over a wide input voltage range. The SFD2CB4123F is designed to provide backlight power for the ERG SF2R4061CHF.
Designed, manufactured and supported within the USA, the SFD2C features:

Constant LED current
High efficiency
External dimming
High dimming ratio
Seperate enable and dimming function

- ✓ Open/short circuit protection
- ✓ Soft start
- ✓ One year warranty

Connectors										
Input Connector			Output Connector							
Molex 53261-1571			Molex 53261-0471							
J1-1,2,3 J1-4,5,6 J1-7,8,9 J1-10,11,12 J1-13 J1-14 J1-15	Vin(+) Vin(+) GND GND Enable PWM N/C	J2-1 J2-2 J2-3 J2-4	Cathode 1 Anode 1 Cathode 2 Anode 2	J3-1 J3-2 J3-3 J3-4	Cathode 3 Anode 3 Cathode 4 Anode 4					

Smart Force LED Driver







Absolute Maximum Ratings

Rating	Symbol	Value	Units
Input Voltage Range	V _{in}	-0.3 to +18	Vdc
Storage Temperature	T _{stg}	-40 to +85	°C
Control Voltage	V _{Control}	0 to 5.0	Vdc
Enable Input Voltage	V _{Enable}	0 to 5.0	Vdc

Operating Characteristics

Unless otherwise noted Vin = 12.00 Volts dc and Ta = 25° C.

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Мах	Units
Input Voltage	V _{in}	+10.8	+12.0	+18.0	Vdc
Component Surface Temperature ^(Note 1)	T _s	-40	-	+80	°C
Input Current (Note 2)	l _{in}	2.01	2.36	2.71	Adc
Operating Frequency (Note 3)	Fo	-	340	-	kHz
LED String Voltage	V_{LED}	36	-	56	Vdc
Efficiency (Note 2)	η	-	85	-	%
Output Current (per string)	l _{out}	129	136	143	mArms
Enable Pin (Note 4)				-	
Turn-on Threshold (Note 5)	V _{thon}	-	-	1.8	Vdc
Turn-off Threshold	V _{thoff}	1.3	-	-	Vdc
Enable Input Impedance (Note 7)	R _{Enable}	-	2.5	-	kOhms
PWM Pin (Note 4)					
Turn-on Threshold (Note 6)	V _{thon}	-	-	1.8	Vdc
Turn-off Threshold	V _{thoff}	1.3	-	-	Vdc
PWM Input Impedance (Note 7)	R _{Enable}	-	2.5	-	kOhms

Specifications subject to change without notice.

Note 1 Surface temperature must not exceed 80°C; thermal management actions may be required.

Note 2 Input Current and Efficiency are calculated with 44V LED strings.

Note 3 Hysteretic current control frequency.

Note 4 The input voltage to the driver must be within its operating characteristic before the driver is enabled, otherwise the driver may not start or may shut down unexpectedly.

Note 5 Enable pin is internally pulled up above the Turn-on Threshold.

Note 6 PWM pin is internally pulled up above turn on threshold.

Note 7 Input Impedance is 2.5kohms to 2.5V.





Application Information

The ERG SFD2CB4123F has been designed to be configured in multiple ways:

NO DIMMING

- OPERATION: The SFD driver can be configured to operate without dimming by floating the Enable Pin (J1-13) and floating the PWM Pin (J1-14).
- Pins 1 through 6 of connector J1 must be connected to +Vin, between 10.8 and 18 Vdc. Pins 7 through 12 of connector J1 must be connected to GND.

EXTERNAL PWM DIMMING

- OPERATION: External PWM configuration as shown in Figure 1 allows the user to control display brightness with an externally generated PWM signal. The user is responsible to provide the PWM signal. A dimming ratio up to 10,000:1 is possible with this configuration.
- DIMMING: Dimming is accomplished by applying a PWM signal to the PWM Pin (J1-14). PWM on and off levels are specified in the Operating Characteristics section of the data sheet. Display brightness is modulated by controlling the PWM duty cycle as shown in Graph 2.
- ENABLE/DISABLE: The driver may be enabled or disabled (turned on and off) by applying a DC voltage to the Enable Pin (J1-13). Enable Pin on and off levels are specified in the Operating Characteristics section of the data sheet.
- Pins 1 through 6 of connector J1 must be connected to +Vin, between 10.8 and 18 Vdc. Pins 7 through 12 of connector J1 must be connected to GND.





EXTERNAL PWM DIMMING







Figure 1



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