# LITEPIPE® FOR SURFACE MOUNT AND STANDARD LEDS



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#### **APPLICATION**

LITEPIPE®

VCC's LITEPIPE<sup>®</sup> provides a method of transmitting the light of a surface mount LED to the display panel. Vertical and horizontal PCB and surface mount LEDs can be displayed in this manner. The LITEPIPE<sup>®</sup> is also capable of blending multicolor LED light into a single color.

#### INTENSITY

LITEPIPE<sup>®</sup> lightpipes have a unique near flush design and are still able to provide up to 160 degrees of viewing angle. This light output is achieved by the use of a concave shaped receiving surface which collects the LEDs light, and fresnel rings on the opposite surface that disperse the light.

#### VERSATILITY

The LITEPIPE<sup>®</sup> is available in .020" increments from .200" to 2.0". This wide range of lengths simplifies the PCB positioning in relation to the display panel. Lightpipes are secured directly to the display panel with no mechanical attachment to the PCB. The installation and removal of the circuit board can thus be accomplished without disturbing the display panel.

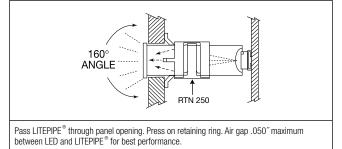
#### INSTALLATION

 $\label{eq:LITEPIPE} \ensuremath{^\circ}\xspace{1.5} products are easy to install. Slide the LITEPIPE \ensuremath{^\circ}\xspace{1.5} through the panel opening and slip the retainer in place. Finish the installation by pressing the retainer up against the display panel.$ 

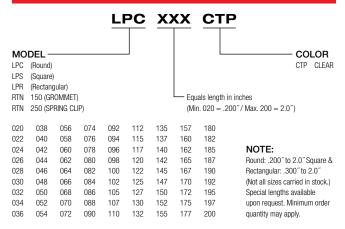
## **SPECIFICATIONS**

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MATERIAL	LITEPIPE <sup>®</sup> - Acrylic, optical grade, (Clear) Grommet - Polyethylene, (black) - J-Von Spring Clip - Spring Steel (nickel plate)			
MOUNTING	Panel hole: round .171" Dia.(4.34mm). square .180" x .180" (4.57mm x 4.57mm). rectangular .170" x .250" (4.34mm x 6.35mm).			
	LITEPIPE <sup>®</sup> from .200" to .500" use grommet retainer (RTN 150). LITEPIPE <sup>®</sup> from .500" to 2.00" the spring clip (RTN250) is recommended for rigidity.			
LED	Surface mount, vertical and horizontal LEDs. LITEPIPE $^{\circ}$ products for blending multicolor LEDs are available.			
STANDOFF	Use standoff to adjust height of standard LED above the PCB in order to maintain a maximum .050 $^\circ$ clearance between LITEPIPE $^\circ$ and LED. See STD Series data sheet on page 28.			

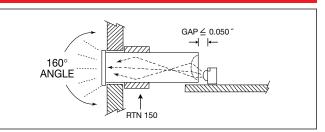
# LITEPIPE® WITH VERTICAL SURFACE MOUNT LED



#### **ORDERING CODES**



### LITEPIPE<sup>®</sup> WITH HORIZONTAL SURFACE MOUNT LED



OUTLINE DRAWING	MOUNTING COMPONENTS			
LPR	LPS	LPC	RTN 150	RTN 250
0.190 0.270 0.270 0.190 0.190 0.190 0.190 0.000 0.700 0.200 0.	200 0.200 0.40 (r. 32mm) 120 (3.16mm) 040 (r. 32mm) 170 DIA. (4.33mm) 700 DIA. 700 DIA	0.190 DIA		1 33 DIA. (8.38mm) (6.38mm) (6.35mm) (6.35mm)
Rectangular .190 X .270 (4.83mm X 6.86mm)	Square .200 X .200 (5.08mm X 5.08mm)	<b>Round .190 Dia.</b> (4.83mm)	GROMMET	SPRING CLIP

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