Licensing Program for LED-Based Signage

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Agenda

- Introduction
- Program outline
- Contact info
- Core Technology Examples





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Business Drivers

• For Licensee

- Preferred and more economic solutions
- More flexibility in component sourcing
- More freedom for optimal solution

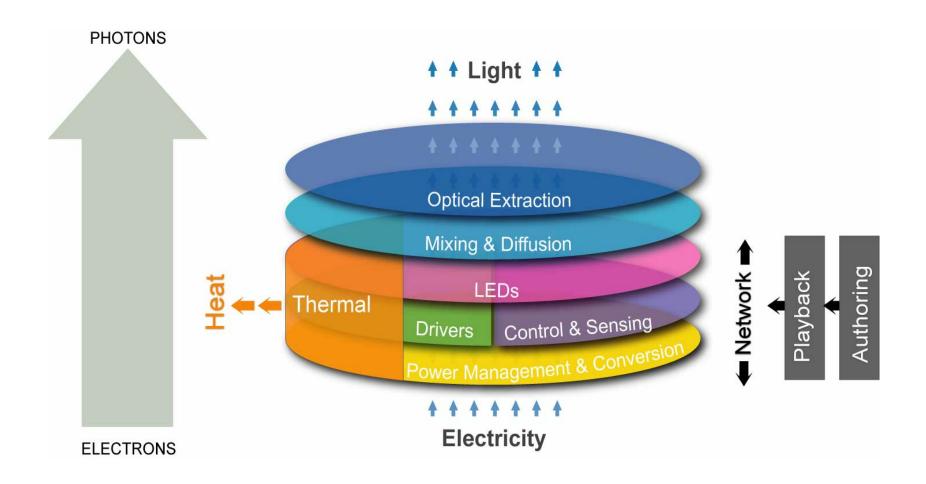
For Licensee and Philips Lighting

Accelerate growth of LED Signage markets





LED Signage Systems – What's Involved





Philips Lighting Licensing Program Outline

- Product scope:
 - Light Engine & Driver ("Signage Kit")



or -----

- Posterbox
- Field of use
 - LED- Based Signage
- Scope of Licensed patents;
 - Basic LED control and system level technologies
 - Covers IP from Philips and former Color Kinetics and TIR





Licensed Patent Portfolio

- Patents relevant to LED-Based Signage from the open Enabled SSL Licensing Program as well as Signage specific:
- More than 263 patent families
- More than 1802 issued patents
- More than 188 patents pending
- Worldwide

 (e.g. US, Europe, China, Japan, Korea, Canada,
 Australia, Taiwan, Hong Kong)





Expected Relevance

- Creation of LED signage that is homogeneously illuminated
- Light distribution management by creating a Posterbox with LED module(s) within that illuminate at least one wall almost exclusively
- Light distribution management using edge-coupled sheet technologies
- Light distribution in channel letters
- Light distribution in acrylic letters
- Creation of specific color temperature using a combination of phosphor conversion and colored LEDs
- Combination of red, green and blue LEDs to create and tune colored light output
- Sensing and control of LEDs, LED and driver protection, dimming (phase cut, 1-10V), EMI reduction
- Simplified mounting of optics in housing



Royalties for Posterbox & Signage Kit

Royalties based on Net Revenues

- 3% single color (Posterbox)
- 4% Tunable white (Posterbox)
- 5% Color changing (Posterbox)
 - or -----
- 9%-kit (Light engine + AC-DC driver)

(Charged only for manufacturing or sales in countries where Philips Lighting has at least one issued patent covering a feature of the licensed product)

 Net Revenue is the price invoiced by a Signage manufacturer or Signage-kit supplier to licensee, excluding freight, insurances, and taxes





Key steps to Agreement



1. Meet with Philips Lighting IP Licensing representative

One of our licensing specialists will be assigned to your company so you have a
personal contact with Philips Lighting. This contact person will explain the Program
in detail and answer any questions you may have.

2. Portfolio Analysis

- We work with you to determine which of your products are relevant and require a license (Posterbox- Kit, LED Based Signage)
- 3. Choose between the Flat Rate and Itemized approach for the payment of royalties (the fees for use of Philips patented technologies) and conclude the agreement
- In order to protect the confidential information that are exchanged between the parties prior to concluding the license agreement, a mutual, two-sided Non-Disclosure Agreement (NDA) will be signed.



FAQ

- Does this program also include Philips Lighting's designs?
 No, the program only relates to patents directed to technology and not to other IP directed to the aesthetic appearance of the products
- I'm interested in applications outside the markets addressed by your program. Can I get a license?

We are willing to further explore your request, but willingness, list of patents and terms can deviate from the program.



Contact info



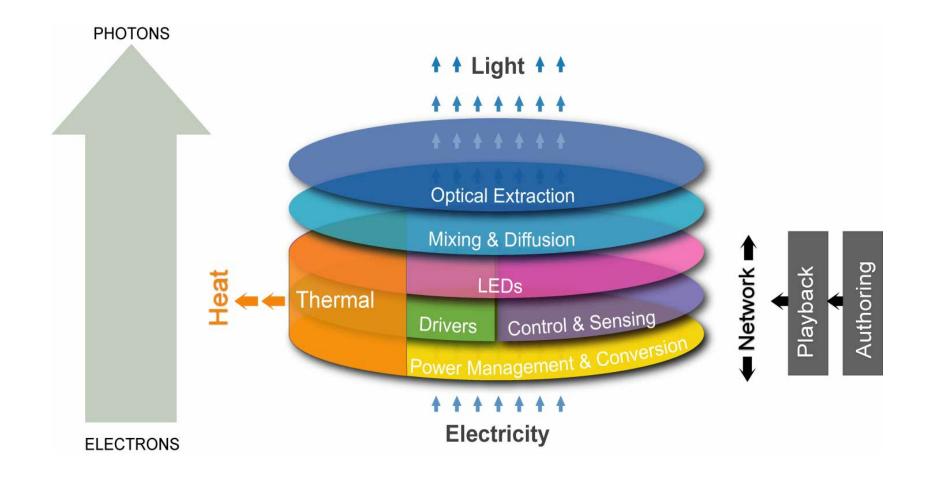
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LED Signage Systems – Examples of what could be involved

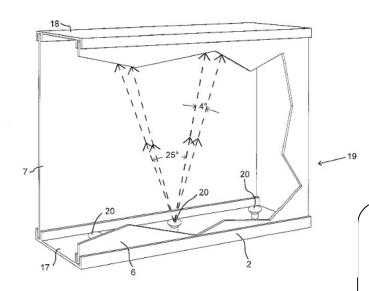


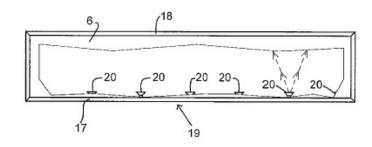


Examples of what could be involved









Optical Extraction

Application: Homogeneous illumination of LED Signage Posterboxes

Advantage: Eliminates zoning within a signage display thus improving sign readability and impact

Electricity

Example Patents/Applications:

North America: US7841733

Europe: EP1938298; EP2390866; EP2779146

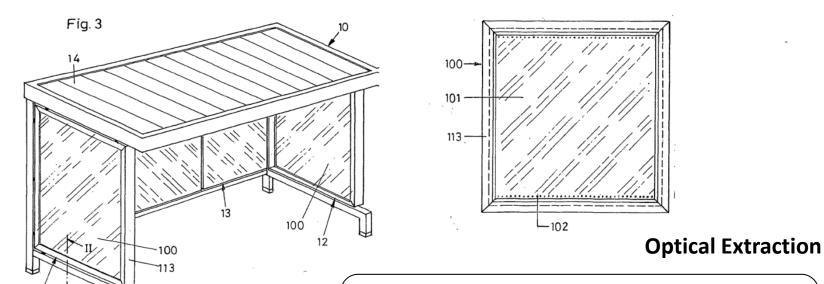
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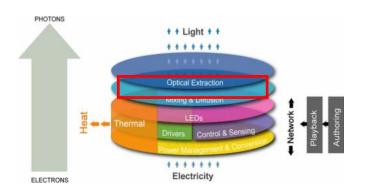
CN101300616; JP5390858 Asia:



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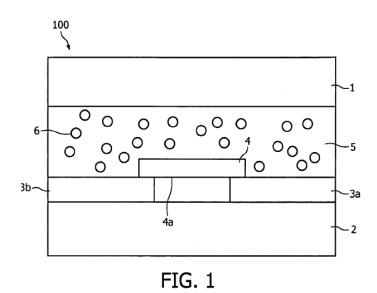


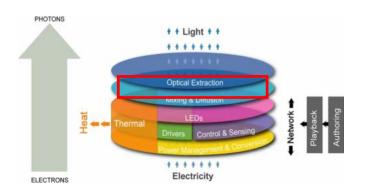
<u>Application</u>: Efficient homogeneous illumination of LED Signage displays

<u>Advantage</u>: Provides high light yield for a comparatively low energy consumption

Example Patents/Applications: Europe: EP1379742







Optical Extraction

<u>Application</u>: LED at least partly embedded in a translucent layer of a thermoplastic material

<u>Advantage</u>: Increased heat conductivity and reduced bright spots.

Example Patents/Applications:

Europe: EP2190664

US: US8748922

Asia: CN101795860



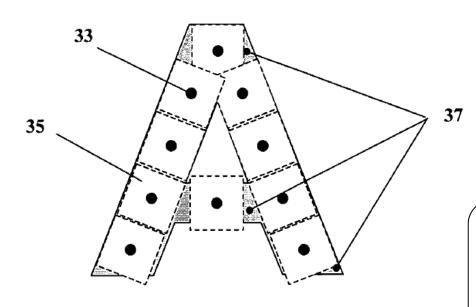
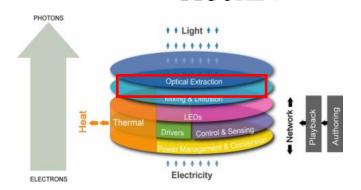


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Optical Extraction

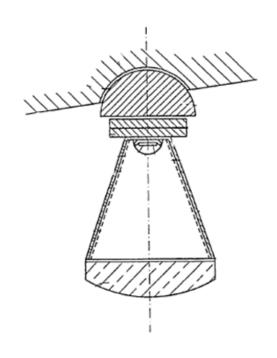
<u>Application</u>: apparatus for forming an asymmetric illumination beam pattern.

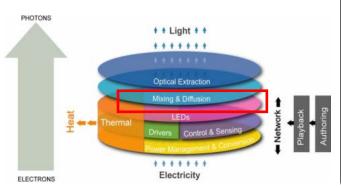
<u>Advantage</u>: Increased homogeneity of illumination of a surface in close proximity to the light sources

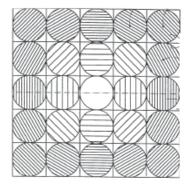
Example Patents/Applications:

US: US7652300; CA2557447











Light Mixing and Diffusion

Application: Light output control

Advantage: Effective and efficient blending and directing of LED light output

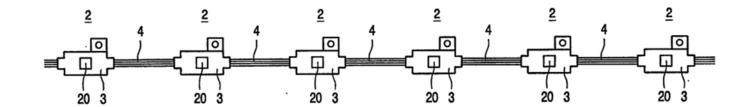
Example Patents/Applications:

North America: US6250774; CA2249423

Europe: EP0890059

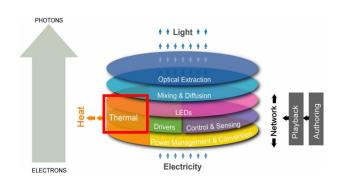
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Thermal Management



Application: Thermal management of LED Strings

<u>Advantage</u>: Efficient heat-sinking with simple manufacturing

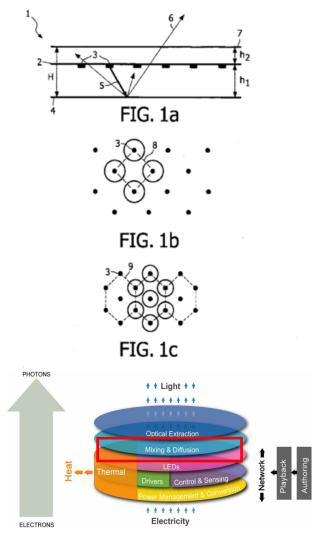
Example Patents/Applications:

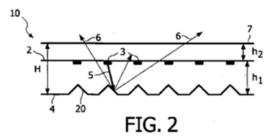
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Light Mixing & Diffusion

<u>Application</u>: Efficient homogeneous illumination of LED Signage displays

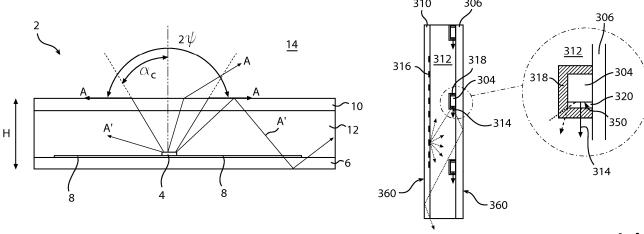
<u>Advantage</u>: Provides a thin illumination device using an array of LEDs

Example Patents/Applications:

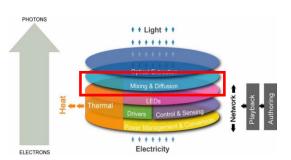
Europe: EP2082160, Asia: CN101523109



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Light Mixing & Diffusion



Application: Efficient homogeneous illumination of LED Signage displays

Advantage: Provides a thin illumination device using side emitting LEDs

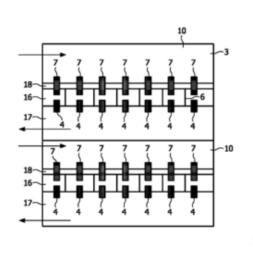
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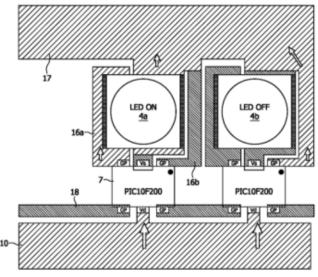
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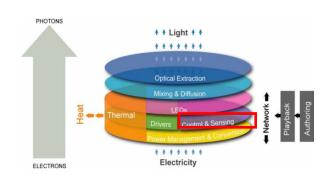
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Control and Sensing



Application: Efficient control of Embedded LEDs

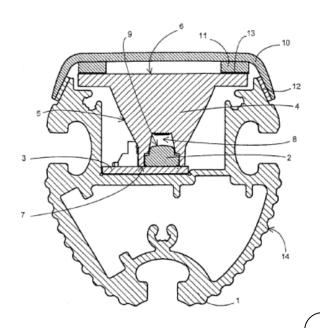
Advantage: Provides a selective control of individual light sources.

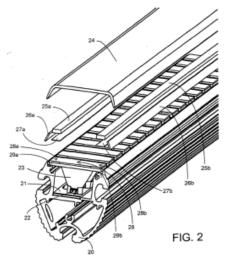
Example Patents/Applications:

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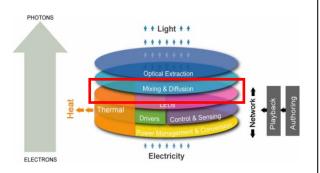
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Light Mixing & Diffusion



Application: LED fixtures with optics

Advantage: Simplifies mounting of optics relative to LED

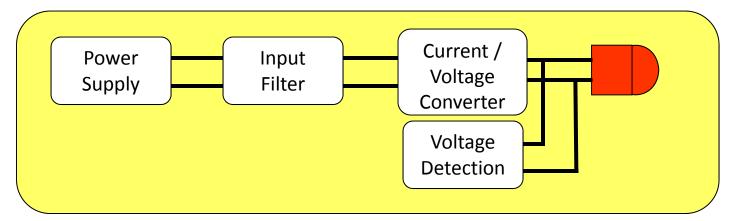
Example Patents/Applications:

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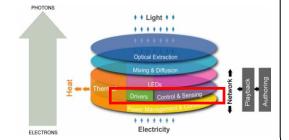




LED Driving

Application: Safe conventional light source replacement

Advantage: Allows accurate control and protection of driver circuitry in case of changes in the LED's at the output, such as over voltage, short circuits or malfunctioning of an individual LED in a string



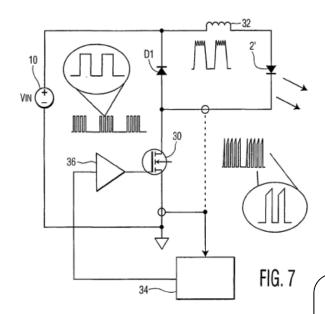
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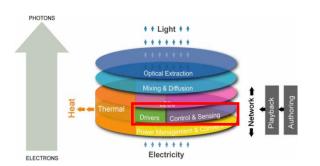
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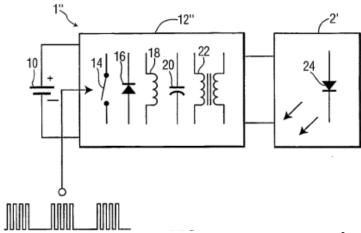
Europe: EP0929992; EP1415518; EP1459599

Asia: JP4260226; JP4657579; JP4353804; CN1241348









LED Dimming

Application: PWM (e.g. 1-10 V) based LED dimming

Advantage: Efficient and full range linear LED dimming

Example Patents/Applications:

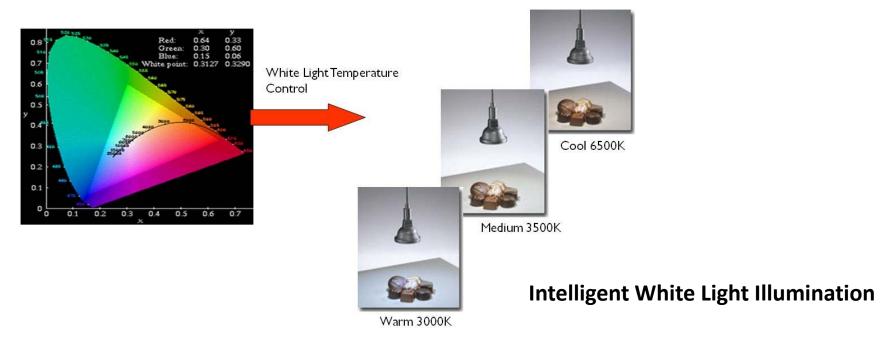
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Application: White color temperature control

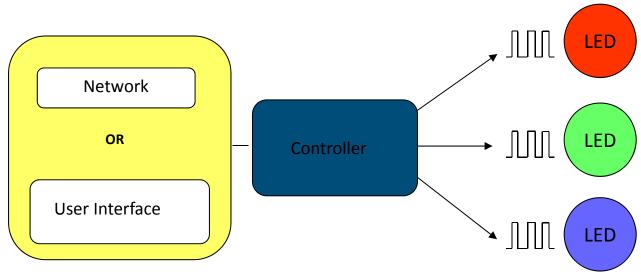
Advantage: Produce high quality tunable white light

Example Patents/Applications:

North America: US7014336; 6636003; 6513949; 6234645

Europe: EP1016062; 1234140; 1118252; 1047904 Asia: JP02525836; 01542388; CN1289397; 1327707





Intelligent Color Illumination

Current Switch

Application: Intelligent RGB color control

Advantage: Allows creating simple to sophisticated illumination

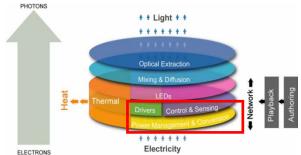
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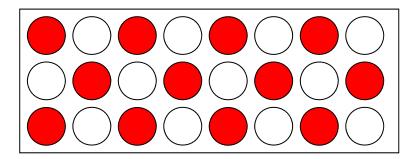
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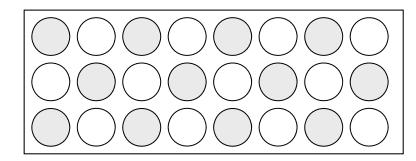
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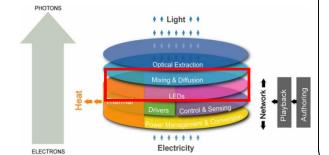




Mixing Light from Different LEDs

Application: Using two or more different LEDs to generate light (for single color or white, tunable white and color-changing)

Advantage: Achieve desired color of light or color temperature of white light, for both static and dynamic (e.g., color-changing) applications



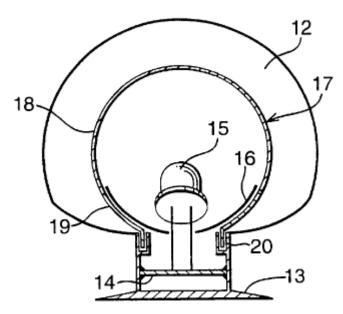
Example Patents/Applications:

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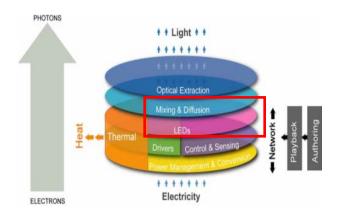
Asia: JP4366016; JP4376464; IN210549; CN99802435.X; CN99802434; KR10-0702273; KR10-0776837; TW167039







Apparatus and method for providing a linear effect



Application: Linear effect apparatus for lighting display

<u>Advantage</u>: Allows creating simple to sophisticated linear illumination effects

Example Patents/Applications:

North America: US7118248; 6676284

Europe: EP1110198; 1391650



