



Press Information

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New Philips Xitanium SR LED Driver provides strong foundation for connected lighting systems

Drivers enable every light fixture to be a wireless node, providing fast, easy and cost-effective way to add intelligence to LED luminaires and gain access to the data they can provide

Somerset, NJ – Royal Philips (NYSE: PHG, AEX: PHIA), the global leader in lighting, today announced its innovative new line of LED drivers – Xitanium SR – targeting wireless systems for connected lighting in commercial office buildings . The new line bundles several functions into the driver, reducing the need for auxiliary components, and making wireless-controlled light fixtures less complex and less costly.

The Philips Advance Xitanium SR benefits from Philips' open approach to product development, understanding that connected lighting products must work as part of existing lighting eco-systems. The Product's use of the DALI 2.0 open protocol makes it easy for network application providers to develop sensor and other products that can integrate with the Philips Xitanium SR LED driver. This enables OEM partners to quickly integrate the driver into their fixtures and ensure compatibility with numerous sensors.

By making it easy, practical and less costly to add sensing and wireless connectivity to every light fixture, building managers and end-users can have their lighting system provide useful light-point specific data such as energy use and occupancy data. In this way building managers can monitor occupancy and actively manage and control energy usage, while end-users can easily adjust the light setting to their needs and tastes using wireless devices.

The first Xitanium SR model being introduced is a 40W LED driver targeted specifically for linear applications such as troffers and pendants in commercial office lighting and will be commercially available in the fourth quarter of 2014. The driver integrates DC power to the sensor, provides dim-to-off capability, and power reporting and is based on the commonly used Xitanium form factor to facilitate easy design-in by OEMs. The introduction of additional models for office lighting and other applications will follow later.

Samples will be available for sensor and network application providers as well as light fixture OEMs from September 29 onwards. For more information about the Philips Xitanium SR and full family of Philips LED driver products, please visit: www.philips.com/leddrivers.



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