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TYPE : TCG043WQLBAANN-GN50

< 4.3 inch WQVGA transmissive color TFT
with LED backlight>

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Warning

1. This Kyocera LCD module has been specifically designed for use only in electronic devices and industrial machines in the area of audio control, office automation, industrial control, home appliances, etc. The module should not be used in applications where the highest level of safety and reliability are required and module failure or malfunction of such module results in physical harm or loss of life, as well as enormous damage or loss. Such fields of applications include, without limitation, medical, aerospace, communications infrastructure, atomic energy control. Kyocera expressly disclaims any and all liability resulting in any way to the use of the module in such applications.
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Caution

1. Kyocera shall have the right, which Customer hereby acknowledges, to immediately scrap or destroy tooling for Kyocera modules for which no Purchase Orders have been received from the Customer in a two-year period.

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1. Application

This document defines the specification of TCG043WQLBAANN-GN50. (RoHS Compliant)

2. Construction and outline

LCD	: Transmissive color dot matrix type TFT
Backlight system	: LED
Polarizer	: Glare treatment
Additional circuit	: Timing controller, Power supply (3.3V input) (without constant current circuit for LED Backlight)

3. Mechanical specifications

Item	Specification	Unit
Outline dimensions 1)	105.5(W)×67.2(H)×5.9(D)	mm
Active area	95.04(W)×53.856(H) (10.9cm/4.3 inch(Diagonal))	mm
Dot format	480×(R,G,B)(W)×272(H)	dot
Dot pitch	0.198(W)×0.198(H)	mm
Base color 2)	Normally White	-
Mass	75	g

1) Projection not included. Please refer to outline for details.

2) Due to the characteristics of the LCD material, the color varies with environmental temperature.

4. Absolute maximum ratings

4-1. Electrical absolute maximum ratings

Item	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage	V _{DD}	-0.5	5.0	V
Input signal voltage 1)	V _{IN}	0	V _{DD}	V
LED forward current 2)	I _F	-	100	mA

- 1) Input signal : DCLK, R0 ~ R7, G0 ~ G7, B0 ~ B7, HSD, VSD, DE
 2) For each "AN-CA"

4-2. Environmental absolute maximum ratings

Item	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Unit
Operating temperature 1)	T _{OP}	-20	70	°C
Storage temperature 2)	T _{STO}	-30	80	°C
Operating humidity 3)	H _{OP}	10	4)	%RH
Storage humidity 3)	H _{STO}	10	4)	%RH
Vibration	-	5)	5)	-
Shock	-	6)	6)	-

- 1) Operating temperature means a temperature which operation shall be guaranteed. Since display performance is evaluated at 25°C, another temperature range should be confirmed.
 2) Temp. = -30°C < 48h , Temp. = 80°C < 168h
 Store LCD at normal temperature/humidity. Keep them free from vibration and shock.
 An LCD that is kept at a low or a high temperature for a long time can be defective due to other conditions, even if the low or high temperature satisfies the standard.
 (Please refer to "Precautions for Use" for details.)
 3) Non-condensing
 4) Temp. 40°C, 85%RH Max.
 Temp. > 40°C, Absolute humidity shall be less than 85%RH at 40°C.
 5)

Frequency	10 ~ 55 Hz	Acceleration value (0.3 ~ 9 m/s ²)
Vibration width	0.15mm	
Interval	10-55-10 Hz	1 minutes

2 hours in each direction X, Y, Z (6 hours total)

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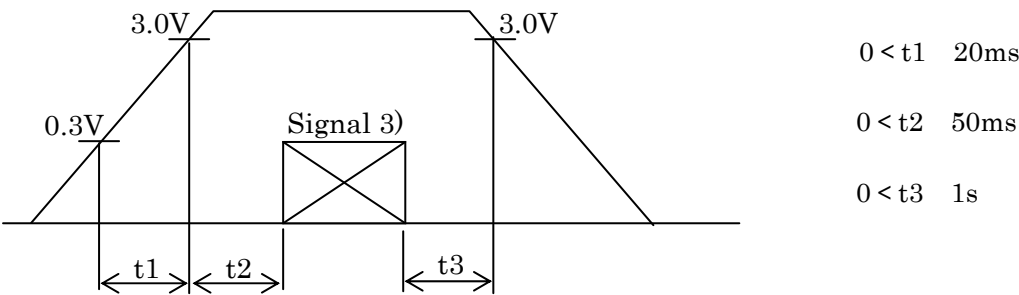
- 6) Acceleration: 490 m/s², Pulse width: 11 ms
 3 times in each direction: ±X, ±Y, ±Z
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5. Electrical characteristics

Temp. = -20 ~ 70°C

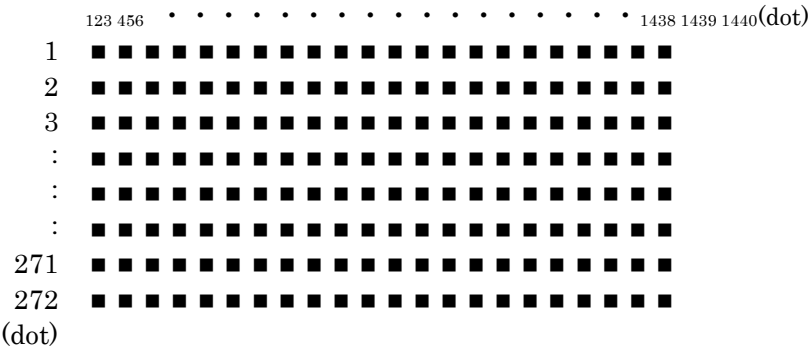
Item	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage 1)	V_{DD}	-	3.0	3.3	3.6	V
Current consumption	I_{DD}	2)	-	14.2	21.3	mA
Input signal voltage 3)	V_{IL}	"Low" level	0	-	$0.3V_{DD}$	V
	V_{IH}	"High" level	$0.7V_{DD}$	-	V_{DD}	V

1) V_{DD} -turn-on conditions



2) Display pattern:

$V_{DD} = 3.3\text{V}$, Temp. = 25°C



3) Input signal : DCLK, R0 ~ R7, G0 ~ G7, B0 ~ B7, HSD, VSD, DE

6. Optical characteristics

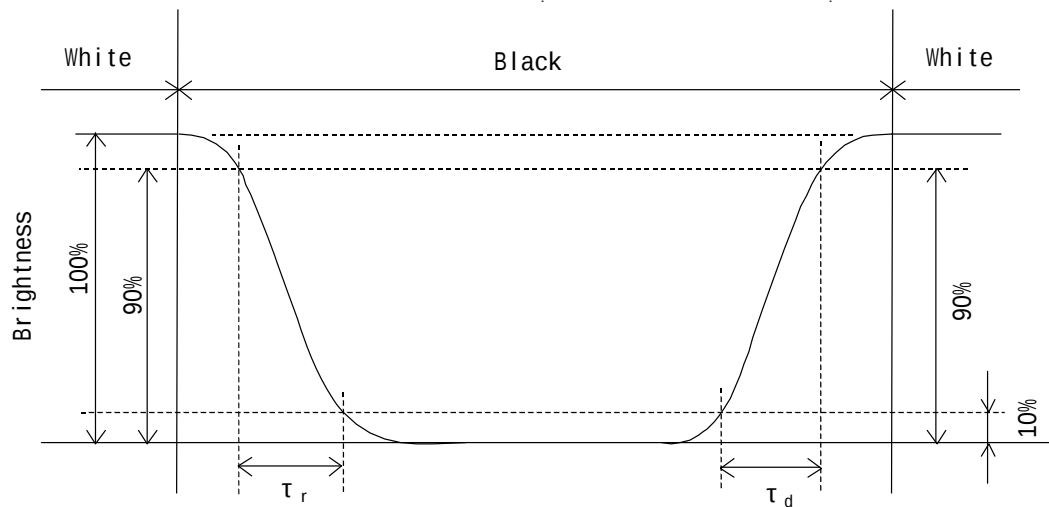
Measuring spot = ϕ 6.0mm, Temp. = 25°C

Item		Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Response time		$\tau_r+\tau_d$	$\theta=\varphi=0^\circ$	-	25	-	ms
Viewing angle range View direction : 6 o'clock (Gray inversion)		θ_{UPPER}	CR 10	-	60	-	deg.
		θ_{LOWER}		-	65	-	
		φ_{LEFT}		-	70	-	deg.
		ϕ_{RIGHT}		-	70	-	
Contrast ratio		CR	$\theta=\varphi=0^\circ$	245	350	-	-
Brightness		L	IF=60mA/Line	560	800	-	cd/m ²
Chromaticity coordinates	Red	x	$\theta=\varphi=0^\circ$	0.535	0.585	0.635	-
		y		0.290	0.340	0.390	
	Green	x	$\theta=\varphi=0^\circ$	0.310	0.360	0.410	
		y		0.520	0.570	0.620	
	Blue	x	$\theta=\varphi=0^\circ$	0.100	0.150	0.200	
		y		0.085	0.135	0.185	
	White	x	$\theta=\varphi=0^\circ$	0.270	0.320	0.370	
		y		0.300	0.350	0.400	

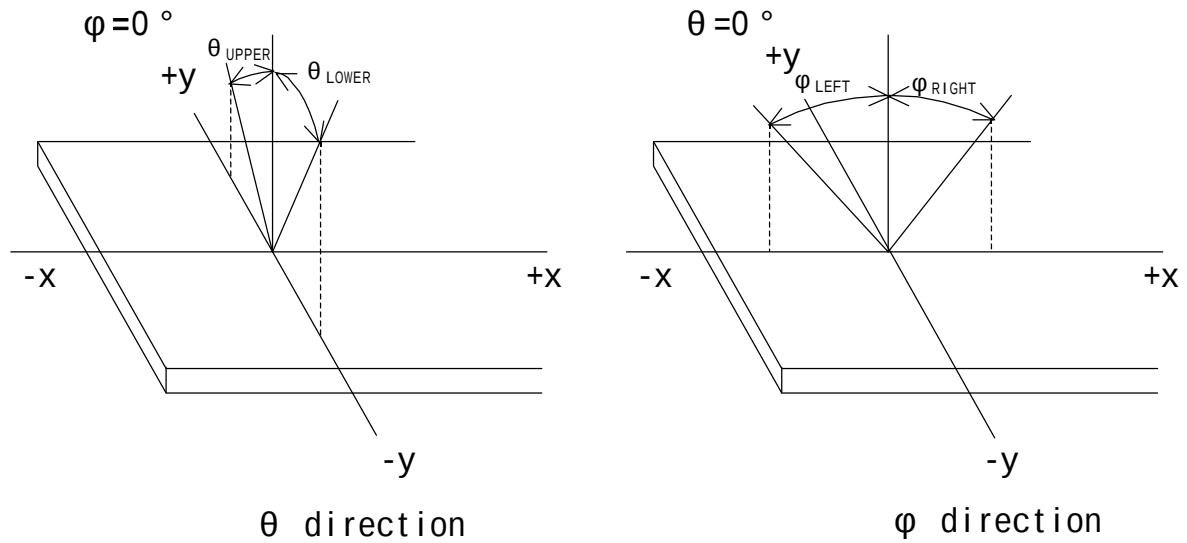
6-1. Definition of contrast ratio

$$\text{CR(Contrast ratio)} = \frac{\text{Brightness with all pixels "White"}}{\text{Brightness with all pixels "Black"}}$$

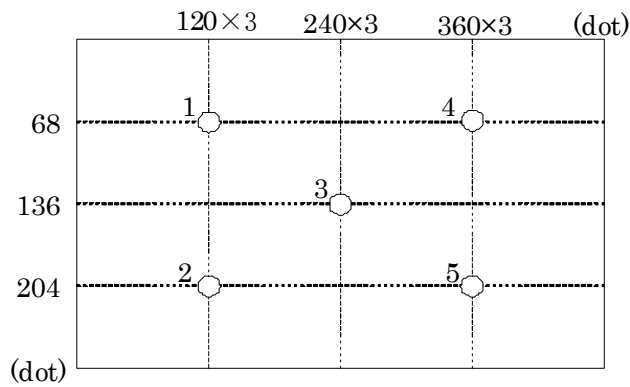
6-2. Definition of response time



6-3. Definition of viewing angle



6-4. Brightness measuring points



- 1) Rating is defined as the white brightness at center of display screen(3).
- 2) Measured 5 minutes after the LED is powered on. (Ambient temp. = 25°C)

7. Interface signals

7-1. LCD

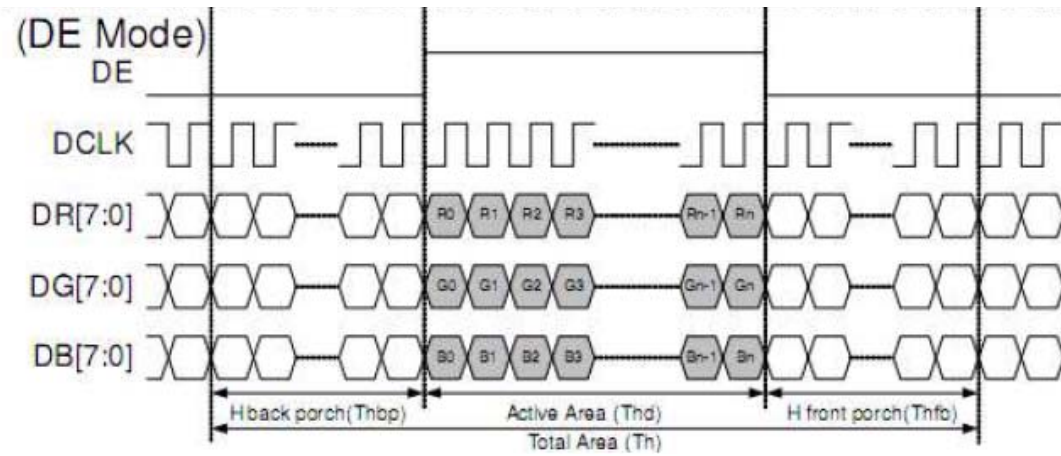
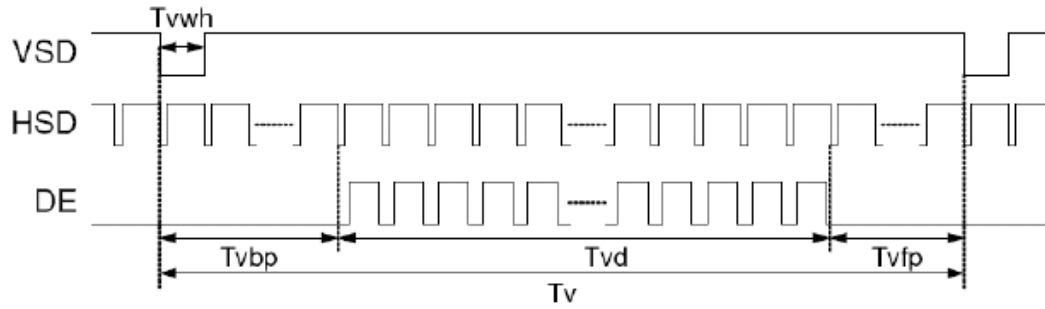
No.	Symbol	Description	Note
1	CA	Cathode	
2	AN	Anode	
3	GND	GND	
4	V _{DD}	Power supply	
5	R0	RED data signal (LSB)	
6	R1	RED data signal	
7	R2	RED data signal	
8	R3	RED data signal	
9	R4	RED data signal	
10	R5	RED data signal	
11	R6	RED data signal	
12	R7	RED data signal (MSB)	
13	G0	GREEN data signal (LSB)	
14	G1	GREEN data signal	
15	G2	GREEN data signal	
16	G3	GREEN data signal	
17	G4	GREEN data signal	
18	G5	GREEN data signal	
19	G6	GREEN data signal	
20	G7	GREEN data signal (MSB)	
21	B0	BLUE data signal (LSB)	
22	B1	BLUE data signal	
23	B2	BLUE data signal	
24	B3	BLUE data signal	
25	B4	BLUE data signal	
26	B5	BLUE data signal	
27	B6	BLUE data signal	1)
28	B7	BLUE data signal (MSB)	
29	GND	GND	
30	DCLK	Pixel clock	
31	DISP	DISP="H", Display on DISP="L", Display off, All outputs are High-Z.	
32	HSD	Horizontal synchronous signal	
33	VSD	Vertical synchronous signal	
34	DE	Data Enable	
35	NC	No connect	
36	GND	GND	
37	NC	No connect	
38	NC	No connect	
39	NC	No connect	
40	NC	No connect	

LCD connector (Reference) : 08 6212 040 340 800+ (KYOCERA-ELCO)

Recommended matching FFC or FPC : 0.5mm pitch

8-4. Data Input format

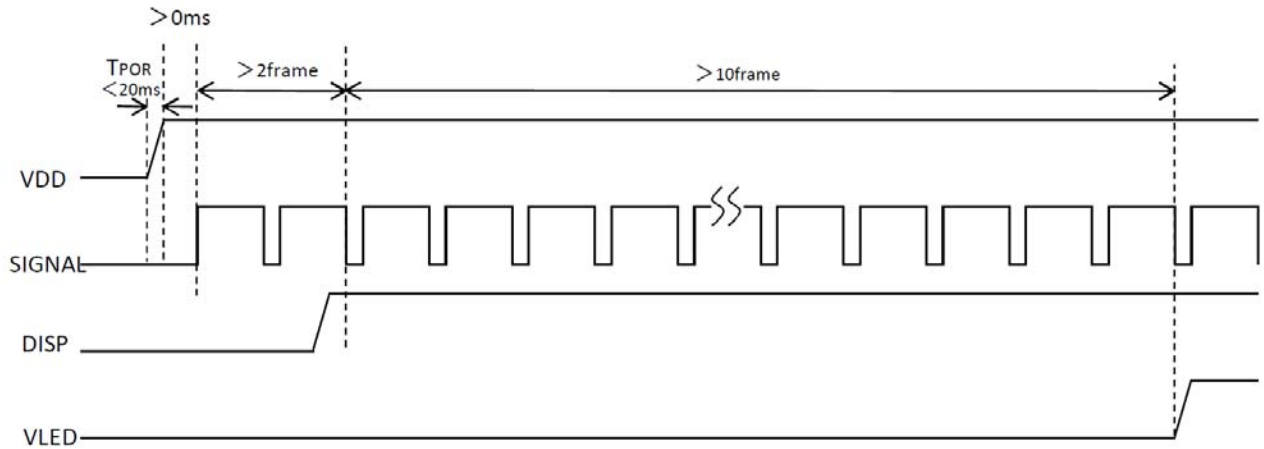
Vertical input timing



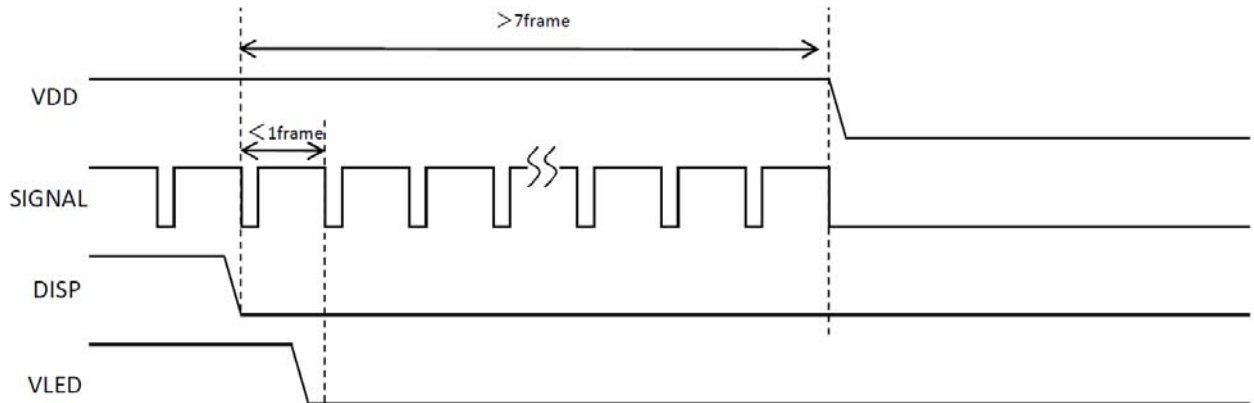
Parameters	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	Condition
DCLK frequency	Fclk	5	9	12	MHz	
VSD period time	T_v	277	288	400	H	
VSD display area	T_{vd}	272			H	
VSD back porch	T_{vbp}	3	8	31	H	
VSD front porch	T_{vfp}	2	8	97	H	
HSD period time	T_h	520	525	800	DCLK	
HSD display area	T_{hd}	480			DCLK	
HSD back porch	T_{hbp}	36	40	255	DCLK	
HSD front porch	t_{hfp}	4	5	65	DCLK	

8-5. Power sequence

Power on sequence



Power off sequence



9. Backlight characteristics

Item	Symbol	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	Note
Forward current 1)	IF	-	60	-	mA	Ta=-20 ~ 70°C
Forward voltage 1)	VF	-	22.0	25.8	V	IF=60mA, Ta=-20
		-	21.0	24.7	V	IF=60mA, Ta=25
		-	20.4	24.1	V	IF=60mA, Ta=70
Operating life time 2), 3)	T	-	70,000	-	h	IF=60mA, Ta=25

- 1) For each "AN-CA"
- 2) When brightness decrease 50% of minimum brightness.
The average life of a LED will decrease when the LCD is operating at higher temperatures.
- 3) Life time is estimated data.(Condition : IF=60mA, Ta=25 in chamber).
- 4) An input current below 15 mA may reduce the brightness uniformity of the LED backlight.
This is because the amount of light from each LED chip is different. Therefore, please evaluate carefully before finalizing the input current.

10. Lot number identification

The lot number shall be indicated on the back of the backlight case of each LCD.

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 1 2 3 4 5

No1. - No5. above indicate 1. Year code 2. Month code 3. Date 4. Version Number 5. Country of origin (Japan or China)
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Year	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Code	2	3	4	5	6	7

Month	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.
Code	1	2	3	4	5	6

Month	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Code	7	8	9	X	Y	Z

11. Warranty

11-1. Incoming inspection

Please inspect the LCD within one month after your receipt.

11-2. Production warranty

Kyocera warrants its LCD's for a period of 12 months from the ship date. Kyocera shall, by mutual agreement, replace or re-work defective LCD's that are shown to be Kyocera's responsibility.

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12. Precautions for use

12-1. Installation of the LCD

- 1) A transparent protection plate shall be added to protect the LCD and its polarizer
- 2) The LCD shall be installed so that there is no pressure on the LSI chips.
- 3) The LCD shall be installed flat, without twisting or bending.
- 4) A transparent protection sheet is attached to the polarizer. Please remove the protection film slowly before use, paying attention to static electricity.

12-2. Static electricity

- 1) Since CMOS ICs are mounted directly onto the LCD glass, protection from static electricity is required.
- 2) Workers should use body grounding. Operator should wear ground straps.

12-3. LCD operation

- 1) The LCD shall be operated within the limits specified. Operation at values outside of these limits may shorten life, and/or harm display images.

12-4. Storage

- 1) The LCD shall be stored within the temperature and humidity limits specified.
Store in a dark area, and protect the LCD from direct sunlight or fluorescent light.
- 2) Always store the LCD so that it is free from external pressure onto it.

12-5. Usage

- 1) **DO NOT** store in a high humidity environment for extended periods. Polarizer degradation bubbles, and/or peeling off of the polarizer may result.
- 2) The front polarizer is easily scratched or damaged. Prevent touching it with any hard material, and from being pushed or rubbed.
- 3) The LCD screen may be cleaned by wiping the screen surface with a soft cloth or cotton pad using a little Ethanol.
- 4) Water may cause damage or discoloration of the polarizer. Clean condensation or moisture from any source immediately.
- 5) Always keep the LCD free from condensation during testing. Condensation may permanently spot or stain the polarizer.
- 6) Do not disassemble LCD because it will result in damage.
- 7) This Kyocera LCD has been specifically designed for use in general electronic devices, but not for use in a special environment such as usage in an active gas. Hence, when the LCD is supposed to be used in a special environment, evaluate the LCD thoroughly beforehand and do not expose the LCD to chemicals such as an active gas.
- 8) Please do not use solid-base image pattern for long hours because a temporary afterimage may appear. We recommend using screen saver etc. in cases where a solid-base image pattern must be used.
- 9) Liquid crystal may leak when the LCD is broken. Be careful not to let the fluid go into your eyes and mouth. In the case the fluid touches your body; rinse it off right away with water and soap.

13. Reliability test data

Test item	Test condition	Test time	Judgement
High temp. atmosphere	80°C	240h	Display function : No defect Display quality : No defect Current consumption : No defect
Low temp. atmosphere	-30°C	240h	Display function : No defect Display quality : No defect Current consumption : No defect
High temp. humidity atmosphere	40°C 90% RH	240h	Display function : No defect Display quality : No defect Current consumption : No defect
Temp. cycle	-30°C 0.5h R.T. 0.5h 80°C 0.5h	10cycles	Display function : No defect Display quality : No defect Current consumption : No defect
High temp. operation	70°C	500h	Display function : No defect Display quality : No defect Current consumption : No defect

- 1) Each test item uses a test LCD only once. The tested LCD is not used in any other tests.
- 2) The LCD is tested in circumstances in which there is no condensation.
- 3) The reliability test is not an out-going inspection.
- 4) The result of the reliability test is for your reference purpose only.
The reliability test is conducted only to examine the LCD's capability.

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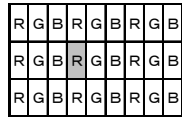
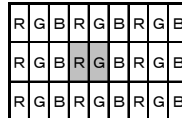
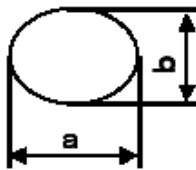
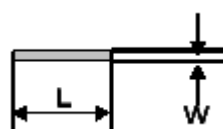
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Visuals specification

1) Note

	Note		
General	- Customer identified anomalies not defined within this inspection standard shall be reviewed by Kyocera, and an additional standard shall be determined by mutual consent. - This inspection standard about the image quality shall be applied to any defect within the active area and shall not be applicable to outside of the area. - Inspection conditions - Luminance : 500 Lux min. - Inspection distance : 300 mm. - Temperature : 25 ± 5 - Direction : Directly above		
Definition of inspection item	Dot defect	Bright dot defect	The dot is constantly “on” when power applied to the LCD, even when all “Black” data sent to the screen. Inspection tool: 5% Transparency neutral density filter. Count dot: If the dot is visible through the filter. Don't count dot: If the dot is not visible through the filter. 
		Black dot defect	The dot is constantly “off” when power applied to the LCD, even when all “White” data sent to the screen.
		Adjacent dot	Adjacent dot defect is defined as two or more bright dot defects or black dot defects. 
	External inspection	Bubble, Scratch, Foreign particle (Polarizer, Cell, Backlight)	Visible operating (all pixels “Black” or “White”) and non operating.
		Appearance inspection	Does not satisfy the value at the spec.
	Others	LED wires	Damaged to the LED wires, connector, pin, functional failure or appearance failure.
	Definition of size	Definition of circle size  $d = (a + b) / 2$ Definition of linear size 	

2) Standard

Classification		Inspection item		Judgement standard					
Defect (in LCD glass)	Dot defect	Bright dot defect		Acceptable number : 4 Bright dot spacing : 5 mm or more					
		Black dot defect		Acceptable number : 5 Black dot spacing : 5 mm or more					
		2 dot join	Bright dot defect	Acceptable number : 2					
			Black dot defect	Acceptable number : 3					
		3 or more dots join		Acceptable number : 0					
		Total dot defects		Acceptable number : 5 Max					
	Others	White dot, Dark dot (Circle)							
				Size (mm)		Acceptable number			
d 0.2				(Neglected)					
0.2 < d 0.4				5					
0.4 < d 0.5				3					
0.5 < d				0					
External inspection (Defect on Polarizer or between Polarizer and LCD glass)		Polarizer (Scratch)							
				Width (mm)		Length (mm)		Acceptable number	
				W 0.1		-		(Neglected)	
				0.1 < W 0.3		L 5.0		(Neglected)	
						5.0 < L		0	
		Polarizer (Bubble)		0.3 < W		-		0	
				Size (mm)		Acceptable number			
				d 0.2		(Neglected)			
				0.2 < d 0.3		5			
		Foreign particle (Circular shape)		0.3 < d 0.5		3			
				0.5 < d		0			
				Size (mm)		Acceptable number			
				d 0.2		(Neglected)			
		Foreign particle (Linear shape) Scratch		0.2 < d 0.4		5			
				0.4 < d 0.5		3			
				0.5 < d		0			
Width (mm)				Length (mm)		Acceptable number			
W 0.03				-		(Neglected)			
0.03 < W 0.1				L 2.0		(Neglected)			
				2.0 < L 4.0		3			
		4.0 < L		0					
0.1 < W		-		(According to circular shape)					