

# 638 nm Laser Diode, 150 mW



L638P150

## **Description**

This 638 nm, 150 mW laser diode is suited for a variety of applications. Packaged in Ø3.8 mm TO can with a G pin configuration. This laser is compatible with our line of laser diode and TEC controllers as well as our selection of laser diode mounts and collimation solutions. It is recommended to have the base of the TO package in good thermal contact with a low thermal resistance heat sink.

# **Specifications**

Absolute Maximum Ratings <sup>a</sup>				
Specification	Symbol	Maximum		
Output Power, CW	P <sub>max</sub>	150 mW		
LD Reverse Voltage	$V_{reverse}$	2 V		
Operating Case Temperature	T <sub>op</sub>	-10 to +60 °C		
Storage Temperature	$T_{stor}$	-40 to +85 °C		



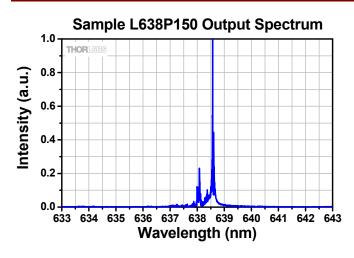
a. Absolute Maximum Rating specifications should never be exceeded. Operating at or beyond these conditions can permanently damage the laser.

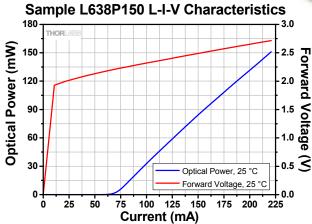
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Specification		Symbol	Min	Typical	Max		
Center Wavelength @ Pop		λο	633nm	638nm	643nm		
Output Power, CW		P <sub>op</sub>	-	150 mW	-		
Threshold Current		I <sub>TH</sub>	-	75 mA	100 mA		
Operating Current CW @ Pop		l <sub>op</sub>	-	230 mA	300 mA		
Operating Voltage @ Pop		$V_{op}$	-	2.7 V	3.1 V		
Slope Efficiency		η	-	1.0 W/A	-		
Beam Divergence (FWHM)	Parallel	$\Theta_{\parallel}$	5°	9°	13°		
@ P <sub>op</sub>	Perpendicular	$ heta_{\perp}$	13°	18°	23°		

 $T_{CASE}$  = 25  $^{\circ}C$ , CW



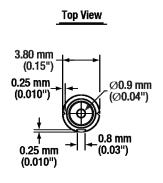
## **Performance Plots**

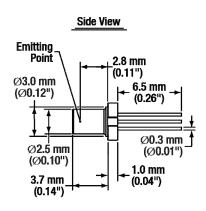


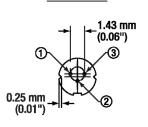


The data presented here is for one particular laser diode. Slight variations in performance data will occur from device to device. The sample spectrum of the L638P150 laser diode was taken at 25 °C, using a Thorlabs OSA201C Spectrum Analyzer with resolution of 7.5 GHz. The L-I-V characteristics data was taken at 25 °C. Please visit our website for the raw data.

# **Drawings**







**Rear View** 

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Pin Code G

Pin	Description
1	Laser Cathode
2	Case Common
3	Laser Anode