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# 10mAD3382

# Specifications and Applications Information

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The ERG 10mAD3382 (10m Class) low profile dc to ac inverter is specifically designed to power the the following display module(s) to a moderate brightness level from a +5 volt dc power supply:

#### NEC NL10276BC30-24D

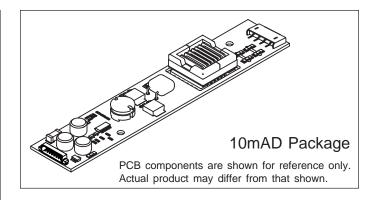
This inverter can be dimmed using an external analog control voltage or an external PWM generator.

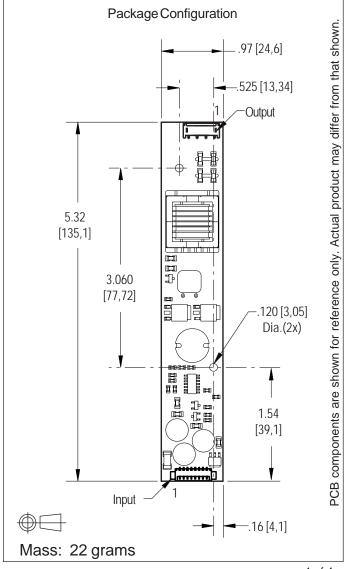
#### This low profile inverter features:

- ✓ Less Than 10 mm in Height
- ✓ LCD Module Specific
- ✓ Display Compatible Output Connector
- ✓ Firm Specifications
- ✓ High Dimming Ratio
- ✓ Application Information
- Designed, Manufactured and Supported in the USA
- ✓ Custom Input and Output Voltages
- ✓ Flexible System Interface

Connectors			
Input Connector Molex 53261-0871	Output Connector JST SM04(4.0)B-BHS-1-TB		
J1-1 +Vin J1-2 +Vin J1-3 GND J1-4 GND J1-5 Enable J1-6 Control J1-7 GND J1-8 GND	J2-1 ACout J2-2 ACout J2-3 ACreturn J2-4 ACreturn		

# 10m Class Two Lamp DC to AC Inverter





#### **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Rating	Symbol	Value	Units
Input Voltage Range	V <sub>in</sub>	-0.3 to +5.5	Vdc
Storage Temperature	T stg	-40 to +85	°C

#### **Operating Characteristics**

With a load simulating the referenced display and lamp warm-up of 5 minutes. Unless otherwise noted Vin = 5.00 Volts dc and Ta =  $25^{\circ}$ C.

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Input Voltage	V <sub>in</sub>	+4.50	+5.00	+5.25	Vdc
Component Surface Temperature (note 1)	Ts	-20	-	+80	°C
Input Current (note 2)	I in	-	1.97	2.30	Adc
Input Ripple Current	I <sub>rip</sub>	-	20	-	mA <sub>pk-pk</sub>
Operating Frequency	Fo	34	39	44	kHz
Minimum Output Voltage (note 3)	V out (min)	1700	-	-	Vrms
Efficiency (note 4)	h	-	79	-	%
Output Current (per lamp)	I <sub>out</sub>	-	6.0	-	mArms
Output Voltage	V <sub>out</sub>	-	650	-	Vrms
Enable Pin					
Turn-off Threshold	V thoff	GND	-	0.5	Vdc
Turn-on Threshold	V thon	2.5	-	Vin	Vdc
Impedance to Vin	R <sub>Enable</sub>	-	24.0	-	kOhms

Specifications subject to change without notice.

- (Note 1) Surface temperature must not exceed 80 degrees C; thermal management actions may be required.
- (Note 2) Input current in excess of maximum may indicate a load/inverter mismatch condition, which can result in reduced reliability. Please contact ERG technical support.
- (Note 3) Provided data is not tested but guaranteed by design.
- (Note 4) Efficiency calculated using a resistive load on each output, simulating the referenced display.

#### **Application Notes:**

- 1) The minimum distance from high voltage areas of the inverter to any conductive material should be .12 inches per kilovolt of starting voltage.
- 2) Mounting hardware to be non-conductive.
- 3) Open framed inverters should not be used in applications at altitudes over 10,000 feet.
- 4) Contact ERG for possible exceptions.



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#### **Onboard PWM**

Unless otherwise noted Vin = 5.00 Volts DC, T<sub>a</sub> = 25 °C and unit has been running for 5 minutes.

Characteristic	Symbol	Min	Тур	Max	Units
Frequency	f <sub>pwm</sub>	-	160	-	$H_Z$
Control Input Bias Current	I <sub>cbias</sub>	-	-	10	uA

### **Pin Descriptions**

Vin Input voltage to the inverter. The two pins should be connected for optimum reliability and efficiency.

**GND** Inverter ground. The four pins should be connected for optimum reliability and efficiency.

Control Analog voltage input to the onboard pulse width modulator. Increasing this voltage increases the off

time of the onboard PWM resulting in decreased brightness. The inverter is full on when this voltage

is near inverter ground.

**Enable** Inverter Enable. The inverter is always enabled with an internal pullup resistor tied to the enable pin.

Pull this pin low todisable the inverter. The onboard PWM is always utilized.

## **Application information**

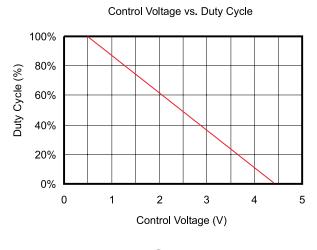
The 10mAD series of inverters is designed to power two cold cathode fluorescent lamps each with six watts. An external analog control interfaces with an onboard pulse width modulator to provide dimming control. The inverter can reliably dim to less than 5% duty cycle.

External shutdown of the inverter is accomplished using the Enable pin. Pulling this pin low (below Vthoff) disables the inverter.

If analog voltage dimming is required, the analog voltage is applied to the Control pin. Figure 1 shows how to connect the inverter for onboard PWM operation. Graph 1shows the relationship of PWM duty cycle to input control voltage.

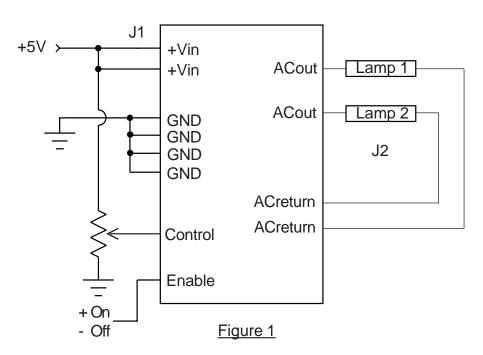
If an external PWM is used, simply connect the Enable pin to the PWM source and connect the Control pin to inverter ground. If the onboard PWM is used, connect the analog voltage to the Control pin.





### Graph 1

## **Typical Application**





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