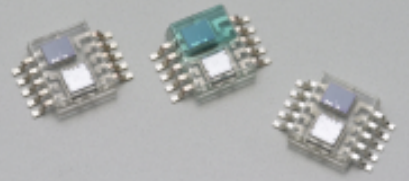


# Photo IC for photometry

## S6446 series, S6975

Photo IC incorporating a dual-element photodiode and log amp



S6446 series and S6975 are designed for camera exposure meters. These photo ICs consist of a dual-element (ball-in-box) photodiode and an IC integrating a logarithmic amplifier circuit and a thermosensor, etc.

### Features

- Photometry in central and peripheral areas
- Clear miniature plastic package (4.5 × 5.5 mm)
- Low noise
- Built-in thermosensor
- S6446-20: With visual-compensation filter
- S6975: Large photometric output change (Logarithmic amplifier gain is 1.5 times larger than S6446.)

### Applications

- Camera auto exposure meter
- Various photometric applications

#### ■ Absolute maximum ratings (Ta=25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Supply voltage	Vcc	-0.3 to +7	V
Input voltage	POC terminals	-0.3 to Vcc+0.3	V
	Other terminals	Do not input voltage	-
Operating temperature	Topr	-20 to +60	°C
Storage temperature	Tstg	-30 to +80	°C
Soldering	-	230 °C, 3 s	-

#### ■ Recommended operating conditions

Parameter	Symbol	S6446/-20	S6975	Unit
Supply voltage	Vcc	3.0 to 3.5	4.5 to 5.5	V
		4.5 to 5.5		
Operating temperature	Topr	-15 to +40		°C

#### ■ Optical characteristics (Ta=25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Spectral response range	$\lambda$		-	320 to 1100	-	nm	
		*1	-	320 to 730	-		
Peak sensitivity wavelength	$\lambda_p$		-	960	-	nm	
		*1	-	560	-		
Short circuit current	Isc	100 k, "A" light source	Center	-	250	-	nA
			Peripheral	-	2.5	-	$\mu$ A
		*1	Center	-	22	-	nA
			Peripheral	-	220	-	nA

#### ■ Temperature characteristics \*2 (Ta= -15 to +40 °C, based on a value at 25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	Terminal
Terminal voltage change	$\Delta V_{rf4}$		-30	-	30	mV	VR <sup>⑥</sup>
Output voltage temperature coefficient	$\alpha$		-	17.8	-	mV/°C	TO <sup>④</sup>
Output voltage temperature coefficient	$\beta$	Output voltage S6446/-20: 500 mV, S6975: 780 mV	-	2500	-	ppm/°C	PO <sup>⑧</sup>
		Output voltage S6446/-20: 1000 mV, S6975: 1550 mV	-	2900	-		
		Output voltage S6446/-20: 1500 mV, S6975: 2300 mV	-	3000	-		
		Output voltage S6446/-20: 2000 mV, S6975: 3100 mV	-	3100	-		

\*1: When used with a standard visual compensation filter (0.5 mm thick)

\*2: S6446/-20: Vcc=3.2 V, S6975: Vcc=5.0 V

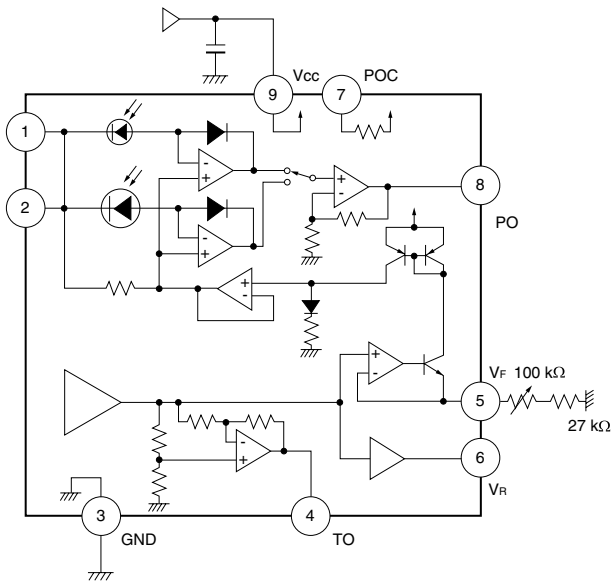
■ Electrical and optical characteristics \*3 (Ta=25 °C)

Parameter	Symbol	Condition	S6446/-20			S6975			Unit	Terminal
			Min.	Typ.	Max.	Min.	Typ.	Max.		
Current consumption	I <sub>cc</sub>	V <sub>cc</sub> =6.5 V, 100 k, "A" light source *4	-	3.5	6.0	-	3.5	6.0	mA	V <sub>cc</sub> ⑨
H Input voltage	V <sub>IH</sub>		V <sub>cc</sub> × 0.7	-	-	V <sub>cc</sub> × 0.7	-	-	V	POC⑦ Output switching
L Input voltage	V <sub>IL</sub>		-	-	V <sub>cc</sub> × 0.3	-	-	V <sub>cc</sub> × 0.3		
L Input current	I <sub>IL</sub>	V <sub>IN</sub> =0 V	-220	-110	-52	-333	-167	-83	μA	
Terminal voltage	V <sub>r</sub> f		2.05	2.20	2.35	3.25	3.5	3.75	V	V <sub>R</sub> ⑥
Load regulation	ΔV <sub>r</sub> f	Load current 0 to 2 mA (with respect to 0.5 mA)	-12	-	12	-12	-	12	mV	Reference voltage
Output voltage	V <sub>TO</sub>		1.2	-	1.68	1.2	-	1.68	V	TO④
Load regulation	ΔV <sub>TO</sub>	R <sub>L</sub> =100 kΩ (with respect to no load)	-10	-	10	-10	-	10	mV	Thermo-sensor
Output voltage 1	V <sub>POS</sub>	100 k, "A" light source, POC terminal ⑦ open	1229	1369	1509	1912	2130	2348	mV	PO⑧ Photometric output
	V <sub>POA</sub>	V <sub>F</sub> terminal ⑤ resistance 47 kΩ, *4	963	1103	1243	1498	1715	1933		
Output voltage 1 switching response	t <sub>s</sub>	Time required to reach within specified V <sub>POA</sub> value after open POC terminal is set to GND level	-	-	5	-	-	5	ms	
Output voltage 1 load regulation	ΔV <sub>PO1</sub>	R <sub>L</sub> =100 kΩ (with respect to no load)	-10	-	10	-10	-	10	mV	
Output voltage 1 change	ΔV <sub>PO2</sub>	V <sub>F</sub> terminal resistance 27 kΩ	140	170	270	218	265	420	mV	
	ΔV <sub>PO3</sub>	V <sub>F</sub> terminal resistance 100 kΩ	-270	-170	-140	-420	-265	-218		
Output change 1	ΔV <sub>PO4</sub>	Difference between output voltage at 1 k and output voltage 1, *4	521	545	569	791	828	865	mV	
Output change 2	ΔV <sub>PO5</sub>	Difference between output voltage at 0.1 k and output voltage 1, *4	769	817	865	1167	1242	1317	mV	
		POC terminal ⑦ GND	793		841	1205		1279		
Power supply response	t <sub>p</sub>	Time required to reach within specified ΔV <sub>PO5</sub> value after power is turned on	-	-	80	-	-	80	ms	

\*3: S6446/-20: V<sub>cc</sub>=3.2 V, S6975: V<sub>cc</sub>=5.0 V

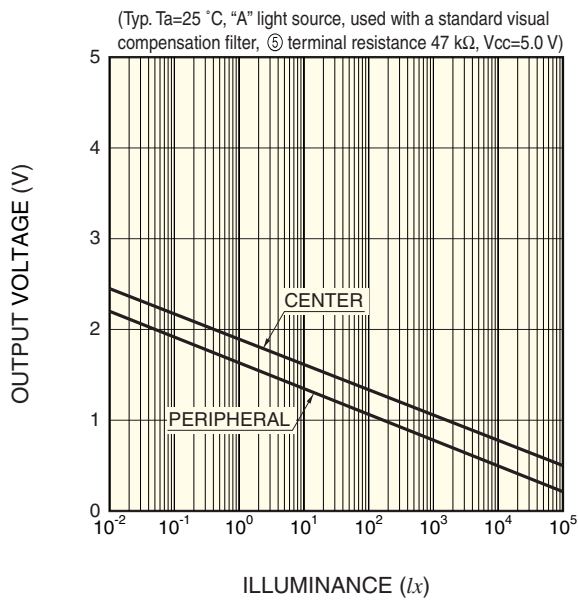
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■ Equivalent circuit



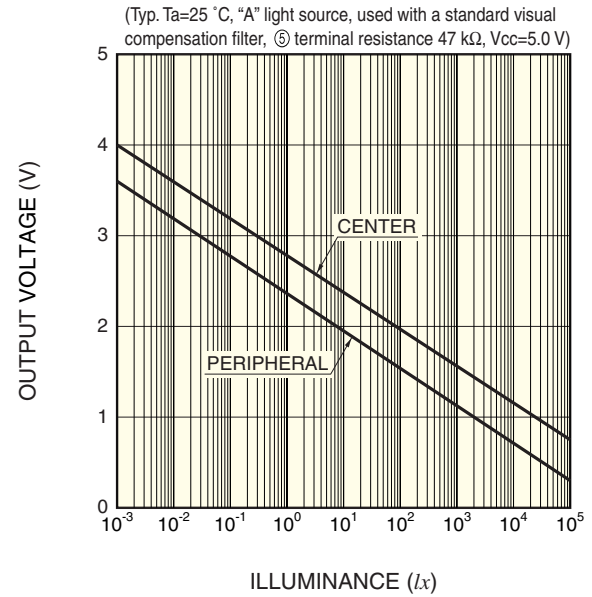
■ Photometric output vs. illuminance

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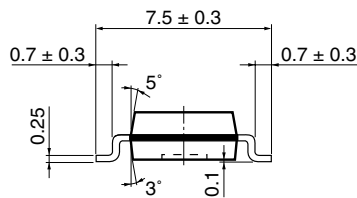
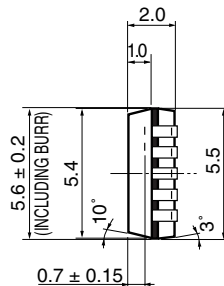
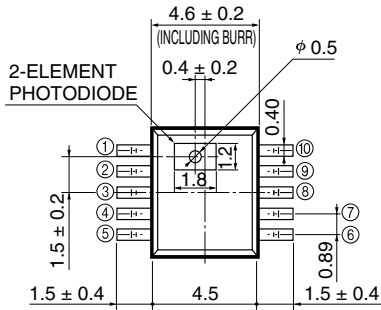
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■ Dimensional outlines (unit: mm)

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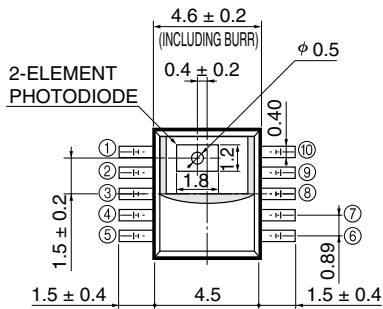


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- ⑩ NC

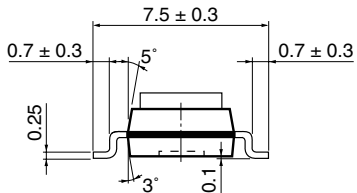
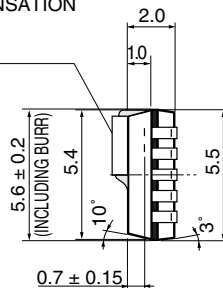
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S6446-20



VISUAL COMPENSATION FILTER  
(2.6 × 3.9 × 0.5)



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