The application of green YF₃:Er³⁺,Yb³⁺ and red MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ layers to remote phosphor LED

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ABSTRACT

White light-emitting diodes (WLEDs) with quantum dots (QDs) and phosphor have pulled in huge consideration because of their incredible shading rendering capacity. In the bundling procedure, a QDs film and a phosphor silicone layer will in general be isolated for lessening the reabsorption misfortunes and keeping the QDs surface molecules in a good condition. This examination explored the bundling succession of QDs and phosphor layers to the optical and warm exhibitions of WLEDs. The emitted optical power and PL spectra were estimated and dissected, while an infrared warm imager was utilized to reenact and approve tentatively the temperature fields. The results reveal that at 60 mA, WLEDs with green QDs-on-phosphor type accomplished lumen output (LO) of 1578 lm, with shading rendering record (CRI) of Ra = 60, while the red QDs-on-phosphor type WLEDs exhibited lower LO of 1000 lm, with Ra = 82. In addition, the QDs-onphosphor type WLEDs generated less warmth than the other, and as a result, the most noteworthy temperature in this packaged type was lower than the other. Additionally, its temperature contrast can arrive at 12.3°C. Along these lines, regarding bundling arrangement, the QDs-on-phosphor type is an ideal bundling design to better the optical productivity and shading rendering capacity, as well as lower gadget temperature.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Phosphor converted-light-emitting diodes (pc-LEDs) have gained its popularity in the lighting market and been considered as a great alternative light source to the conventional one. Moreover, with their outstanding features, including high radiant productivity lighting efficacy (LE), low energy consumption, and long lifespan, they also become favorable in strong state lighting (SSL) and level board show applications [1-3]. The most regular pc-LEDs are acknowledged by putting yellow phosphor $Y_3Al_5O_{12}$:Ce³⁺(YAG: Ce³⁺) on the surface of blue LED chips. Some portion of blue lights from the LED chips are consumed by the phosphor and changed into yellow light, and then the white light is generated as a result of the combination between the blue light and yellow light. This sort of pc-LEDs can arrive at high LE, while their shading rendering record (CRI) is fairly poor because of the red phantom inadequacy [4]. Numerous endeavors have been proposed and carried out to

improve the shading rendering capacities for pc-LEDs, for example, the expansion of high effectiveness red emissive phosphors [5-8]. Be that as it may, they are unequipped for keeping up high LE in light of the fact that their wide red discharge in part is not in the delicate locale of human eyes [8, 9]. As of late, semiconductor quantum dabs (QDs) have pulled in various considerations in SSL applications by uprightness of their unique optical properties, for example, restricted discharge spectra, tunable band-hole, and high quantum efficiency [10-13]. Researches have demonstrated hypothetically and tentatively that including QDs in pc-LED packages can achieve a significant improvement in color rendering index (CRI) and shading extent and QDs' tight emanation takes into consideration the capability of better luminous efficacy [14-16]. The noteworthy bundling procedures of applying QDs to pc-LEDs includes the two approaches: 1) The blended structure in which the LED chips are coated with the mixture of QDs and phosphor-silicone gel [17, 18]; 2) a QDs layer and a phosphor film are separately placed on the LED chips, which is called the remote structure [19, 20]. For the blended structure, the QDs that are put into the reflection cup is placed on the LED chips. In this manner, the QDs experience the ill effects of a high optical power thickness. Meanwhile, the remote phosphor design shows that the QDs film is separated from the chip, and consequently experiencing a lower optical power thickness. Moreover, it is possible to discharge the substance incongruence between the surface of QDs' ligands and the phosphor-silicone gel by making a change to the polymeric condition of QDs film [21-23]. In this manner, the remote bundling structure is generally used for creating WLEDs with both QDs and phosphor.

2. PREPARATION AND SIMULATION

In type I, as illustrated in Figure 1 (a), the green QDs layer is located above the yellow phosphor layer while in type II as shown in Figure 1 (b) on the phosphor layer is the red QDs film. The bundling succession can influence the light output productivity, and thus changing the temperature dispersion, and at last impacts the long-haul soundness. Albeit numerous sorts of writing have talked about the impact of bundling design on the performance of QDs-WLEDs, there is no deliberate investigation about the optical vitality move between the QDs and the phosphor layers. Then, Woo and his partners right off the bat looked at two structures QDs-on-phosphor and phosphor-on-QDs with their examination in the PL rot of QDs and phosphor. Their outcomes give huge direction to QDs-WLEDs plan. In any case, they did not discover the loss of the optical vitality of QDs and phosphor in these two types of layered structures, and moreover the variety of QDs content on the exhibition variety has not been considered. Along these lines, in this work, we conducted quantitative researches on the presentation contrasts between the two sorts of WLEDs by exactly restricting the optical vitality loss of QDs and phosphor. The red CdSe/ZnS QDs were joined, and WLED packages were manufactured dependently on YAG:Ce³⁺ phosphor layer and a progression of QDs layer. An incorporating circle framework was used to estimate and break down the yield optical power and PL spectra, while a process of brushing optical estimation with warm reenactment was applied to recreate the temperature fields which were finally approved with the use of infrared warm imager. It was confirmed that among the bundling structures, the QDs-on-phosphor type is the most appropriate design to accomplish higher optical efficiency and shading rendering capacity, along with lower temperature for the devices.



Figure 1. Schematic showing two remote type WLEDs with different packaging sequences; (a) green QDs-on-phosphor type, (b) red QDs-on-phosphor type

3. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Figure 2 showed the conflicting alteration among the green phosphor fixation YF₃:Er³⁺,Yb³⁺, red phosphor focus MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺, and yellow phosphor focus YAG:Ce³⁺. This adjustment has two implications: the principal importance is to keep up the normal of CCTs and the subsequent one is that it

influences to the dispersing and engrossing procedure of two phosphor layers in WLEDs, which certainly influences to the shading quality and radiant transition discharge of WLEDs. Henceforth, the decision of $YF_3:Er^{3+},Yb^{3+}$ and $MgSr_3Si_2O_8:Eu^{2+}$, Mn^{2+} focus decides shading nature of WLEDs. At the point when the $YF_3:Er^{3+},Yb^{3+}$, and $MgSr_3Si_2O_8:Eu^{2+}$, Mn^{2+} fixation individually increment from 2%-20% wt., YAG: Ce3+ focus diminishes to keep up the normal of CCTs. It is anything but difficult to understand the impact of red phosphor fixation $MgSr_3Si_2O_8:Eu^{2+}$, Mn^{2+} on outflow range of WLEDs as Figure 3.



Figure 2. The change of phosphor concentration of the remote WLEDs for keeping the average CCT

Figure 3. Emission spectra of dual-layer phosphor configurations

The decision relies upon the prerequisite of maker. WLEDs require high shading quality, so it is conceivable to diminish a little measure of glowing transition. The force inclination at two light range ranges from 420-480 nm to 500-640 nm will in general increment with $YF_3:Er^{3+},Yb^{3+}$ focus. The expansion of range transmitted in this range demonstrates for the expansion of radiant transition emanation. Furthermore, blue-light dispersing in WLED builds which implies that the dissipating in phosphor layer and WLEDs expands prompts a few focal points for the connected shading. This is an astounding outcome in applying $YF_3:Er^{3+},Yb^{3+}$. It is evident to understand that the inclination of red range ranges from 648 to 738 nm increments with MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺, Mn²⁺ fixation. Be that as it may, there is no critical significance if coming up short on the expansion of two range ranges left: 420-480 nm and 500-640 nm. The expansion of two ranges 420-480 nm builds blue-light dispersing. The higher temperature communicates the higher range produced, and the outcome is the higher shading quality and brilliant motion. This is a fundamental outcome applying MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺. Particularly, the guideline of shading nature of WLEDs having high temperature is a test. This exploration asserts that MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ can lift shading nature of WLEDs paying little respect to the shading temperature.

Color rendering index truthfully accesses the color of the object when the light of led illuminates too. The measure of green-light increment overwhelmingly which makes the shading unbalance among three noteworthy hues: blue, yellow, and green. This likewise influences the shading quality and prompts a decline of shading honesty of WLEDs. The outcome in Figure 4 showed the slight lessening of CRI when layer remote phosphor $YF_3:Er^{3+}, Yb^{3+}$ exists. Be that as it may, it is worthy since CRI is only a component of CQS. Looking at among CRI and CQS, the list of CQS is increasingly significant and hard to accomplish. In Figure 5, CQS is unchangeable when the $YF_3:Er^{3+}, Yb^{3+}$ concentration under 8%. In this way, 8% $YF_3:Er^{3+}, Yb^{3+}$ can be picked to apply in the wake of thinking about the glowing transition outflow. The model of the asymmetrical spectrum power distribution (SPD) of monochrome LED is carried out with Gaussian function [24, 25]:

$$P_{\lambda} = P_{opt} \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} exp\left[-0.5 * \frac{(\lambda - \lambda_{peak})^2}{\sigma^2}\right]$$
(1)

in which σ is a parameter depending on the peak wavelength λ_{peak} , and FWHM $\Delta\lambda$ can be expressed as

$$\sigma = \frac{\lambda^2_{peak}\Delta E}{2hc\sqrt{2\ln 2}} = \frac{\lambda^2_{peak}\left(\frac{hc}{\lambda_1} - \frac{hc}{\lambda_2}\right)}{2hc\sqrt{2\ln 2}} = \frac{\lambda^2_{peak}\left(\frac{hc\Delta\lambda}{\lambda_1\lambda_2}\right)}{2hc\sqrt{2\ln 2}}$$

$$P_{\lambda} = P_{opt_b} \frac{1}{\sigma_b\sqrt{2\pi}} exp\left[-0.5 * \frac{(\lambda - \lambda_{peak_b})^2}{\sigma_b^2}\right]$$
(2)



Figure 4. The color rendering index as a function of the concentration of YF₃:Er³⁺,Yb³⁺ and MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺, Mn²⁺ phosphors

Figure 5. The color quality scale as a function of the concentration of YF₃:Er³⁺,Yb³⁺ and MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺, Mn²⁺ phosphors

It is possible to hypothetically consider the SPD of a white LED using yellow YAG phosphor and blue LED chip as a combination between the spectra of the blue and yellow lights. However, in fact, the applied yellow phosphor can emit lights in both yellow and green spectra. In the case where a blue and a yellow range are chosen, a green range can be use to present the contrast between the essentially estimated SPD and twofold shading (blue and yellow shading) range model. Thus, in this practical circumstance, a green range is possibly added to the twofold range model, resulting in the accompanying investigative triple-spectrum (B-G-Y) model which is expressed by (3) and then replaced with (4).

$$P_{\lambda} = \eta_{b} P_{opt_total} \frac{1}{\sigma_{b} \sqrt{2\pi}} exp \left[-0.5 * \frac{(\lambda - \lambda_{peak_b})^{2}}{\sigma_{b}^{2}} \right]$$

+ $\eta_{g} P_{opt_total} \frac{1}{\sigma_{g} \sqrt{2\pi}} exp \left[-0.5 * \frac{(\lambda - \lambda_{peak_g})^{2}}{\sigma_{g}^{2}} \right]$
+ $\eta_{y} P_{opt_total} \frac{1}{\sigma_{y} \sqrt{2\pi}} exp \left[-0.5 * \frac{(\lambda - \lambda_{peak_y})^{2}}{\sigma_{y}^{2}} \right]$ (4)

in which:

- P_{λ} is spectrum power distribution (SPD) (mW/nm).
- *h* is planck's constant (J.s).
- c is speed of light (m s⁻¹).
- λ is wavelength (nm).
- *P*_{opt} is optical power (W).
- λ_{peak} is peak wavelength (nm).
- $\Delta\lambda$ indicates full-width at half-maximum (FWHM) (nm).
- η presents the ratio of specific spectra to white spectrum, dimensionless.
- *P*_{opt_b}, *P*_{opt_g}, *P*_{opt_y}, and *P*_{opt_total} express the optical power (W) for the blue, green, yellow, and white spectra, respectively.
- λ_{peak_b} , λ_{peak_g} , and λ_{peak_y} are peak wavelengths (nm) for the blue, green, and yellow spectra, respectively.
- η_b , η_g , and η_y show the ratios of blue-green-yellow (B-G-Y) spectra to white spectrum, respectively, dimensionless.
- λ_1 and λ_2 indicate wavelengths at half of the peak intensity.

Hence, the model of SPD for the WLED with phosphor-coated design can be demonstrated as a tricolor spectrum, and this is viewed as an extended Gaussian model. Figure 6 demonstrates that radiant

motion expanded considerably when YF₃:Er³⁺,Yb³⁺ rise in the range of 2-20% wt. Be that as it may, the grouping of phosphor MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ impacts the brilliant transition of dual-layer remote phosphor configuration. Obviously, as per Lambert-Beer law, the decreased factor μ_{ext} is proportional to the grouping of MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺, but contrarily relative to the light transmission vitality. Along these lines, if the thickness of two phosphor layers in WLEDs are fixed, the radiant transition radiated may diminish when the grouping of MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ increments. At the point when fixation of MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ at 20% wt optics diminished altogether. Be that as it may, this decrease is flawlessly adequate, when considering the upsides of the red phosphor class MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ which are increased CRI and CQS values, and the higher glowing transition of this double-layer remote phosphor structure, compared to that of the single-layer one which does not include the red phosphor film. The rest of the issue relies upon the objective of the producer, which offers the fitting focus MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ when creating these WLEDs in mass.



Figure 6. The luminous flux as a function of the concentration of YF_3 : Er^{3+} , Yb^{3+} and $MgSr_3Si_2O_8$: Eu^{2+} , Mn^{2+} phosphors

4. CONCLUSION

The paper proposes the impact of phosphor green $YF_3:Er^{3+},Yb^{3+}$ and phosphor red MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺,Mn²⁺ on CRI, CQS and radiant transition of double layer phosphor structure. In light of the Mie dispersing hypothesis and the Lambert-Beer rule, the examination has demonstrated MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺, Mn²⁺ are reasonable decisions to improve shading quality. In the mean time, $YF_3:Er^{3+}, Yb^{3+}$ is the decision to recuperate the iridescent motion of WLEDs. This isn't valid for WLEDs with low shading temperature however valid for high shading temperature. In this manner, the aftereffects of this examination have accomplished the objective of improving white light shading quality, which is exceptionally troublesome with a remote-phosphor structure. Be that as it may, there is a little drawback that happens with glowing motion. When expanding groupings of $YF_3:Er^{3+}, Yb^{3+}$ or MgSr₃Si₂O₈:Eu²⁺, Mn²⁺ exorbitant, shading quality or glowing motion fundamentally diminished. Subsequently, the decision of a sensible fixation winds up significant, contingent upon the objective of the producer. What's more, the article has given much significant hint to reference in creating better quality WLEDs.

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