

Shada BV

Highbay Led's Light Pro

Resistance to ammonia



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DLG Test Report 7519



Overview

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The ammonia resistance test was performed as a laboratory test according to the patented DLG test standard. This test is intended to determine the suitability of equipment for animal living areas to withstand the impacts of animal environments.

Other criteria were not tested.

Assessment in brief

The LED Light “Highbay Led’s Light Pro” has successfully completed the DLG test for ammonia resistance.

According to this result, it can be assumed that these luminaires are resistant to the typical environmental conditions of animal living

areas and that no accelerated reduction of the product lifetime will occur. In addition, the LED Light was operated actively in the chamber for the entirety of the test.

No product damage was observed here.

Table 1:

Overview of results:

DLG QUALITY PROFILE	Evaluation*
Resistance to ammonia	■ ■ ■ ■ □
Preservation of the luminous flux	■ ■ ■ □ □

* The DLG test framework specifies the following evaluation range:
 ■ ■ ■ or better = meets, exceeds or clearly exceeds the specified DLG standard,
 ■ ■ = meets the statutory requirements for marketing the product, ■ = failed

The product

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Description and Technical Data

The LED Light "Highbay Led's Light Pro" is suitable for use in animal living areas and in agricultural farm buildings.

Table 2:
Technical data (according to manufacturer)

	Led's Light Pro		
	Highbay 100 W, CCT	Highbay 150 W, CCT	Highbay 200 W, CCT
Electrical connection			
Voltage		220-240 V AC	
Frequency		50/60 Hz	
Rated input power	100 W	150 W	200 W
Dimension and weight			
Diameter		ø 265 mm	
Height		207 mm	
Weight		2.794 kg	
Additional technical data			
Number of LED modules		1	
Material		housing: aluminium; diffuser: glass	
Protection rating		IP65	
Colour temperature (CCT)		3,000 K/4,000 K/5,000 K	
Rated luminous flux	15,000 lm	22,500 lm	30,000 lm
Color rendering index (CRI)		80	
Ambient temperature		-20 °C ... +50 °C	
Impact resistance		IK08	
Light angle		120°	
dimnable		optional (0-10 V)	

The method

Resistance to ammonia

The ammonia resistance of the LED light “Highbay Led’s Light Pro” was determined by a laboratory test with one luminaire according to the patented DLG test standard for agricultural use. The laboratory test is designed to replicate the conditions of a usage period of about 10 years exposure to animal living areas.

The test was carried out in a climate chamber under the following climate conditions:

Test duration	1500 h
Air temperature	70 °C
Relative humidity	70 %
Ammonia concentration	750 ppm

For assessing the ammonia resistance, each luminaire was examined visually, gravimetrically and the plastic parts additionally through measurement of the hardness (Shore D) before and after the climate testing. The luminaires have additionally been following a cycle of operation predefined by DLG (3 hours on, 1 hour off) in order to evaluate any thermal impacts caused by switch-on and -off procedures during ammonia fumigation. Furthermore the luminous flux was measured according to DIN EN 13032 before and after the fumigation in order to get additional information regarding the aging process.

In order to avoid overheating (> 70 °C), the luminaires could be operated at a reduced power level during the testing period.

For the approval of all luminaires in table 2, the LED Light “Highbay Led’s Light Pro” at an input power of 200 W was tested. After the tests, the luminaires underwent visual examination to a reference sample that was identical in construction.

Detailed account of the test results

Resistance to ammonia

Visual test

The comparative visual examination after the ammonia exposure has shown minor discolorations at the diffuser, but no significant impact on the luminaire performance needs to be expected.

During the test, the luminaire appeared to be sufficiently gas-tight. Nevertheless it cannot be ruled out, that a limited amount of ammonia respectively ammonium compounds could enter the luminaire housing. This has not been verified. Again, no negative impact on the luminaire performance needs to be expected.

The defects are rated as insignificant. The examination of the manufacturer's mounting parts didn't also show any defects.

Gravimetric test

Weight comparisons before and after the ammonia fumigation have not shown any measurable increases or decreases in weight. All determined changes were within the measurement uncertainty.

Hardness test

During the hardness test (Shore D) no measurable changes were observed. All determined changes were within the measurement uncertainty.

Functional test

No defects were observed. All luminaires worked after the conducted tests.

Preservation of the luminous flux

After completion of the test the luminaire still had a luminous flux of 73.6 %.

Based on the results of these tested parameters, the luminaire is evaluated as resistant to ammonia.

Summary

The results show that the LED Light "Highbay Led's Light Pro" fulfills the testing requirements for ammonia resistance and thus receives the test mark DLG-Approved. It can be expected that the luminaire is resistant to ammoniacal air in animal living areas and that no accelerated reduction of the product lifetime occurs.

The LED Light was operated both passively and actively during the ammonia fumigation in the test chamber and passed both tests successfully.

Further information

Testing agency

DLG TestService GmbH,
Gross-Umstadt location, Germany

The tests are conducted on behalf of DLG e.V.

DLG test framework

DLG test specification „Lighting systems in animal houses“ (current as of 03/2021)

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