



1650-8000 K

WHAT IS ARAYA TUNABLE COLOR?

Araya recreates daylight by mixing LED colors of the rainbow—red, amber, mint, cyan and blue—to deliver full spectrum light from 1650 K to 8000 K at 90+ CRI, while also providing access to a wide gamut of pastels and saturated colors.

WHY FIVE-COLOR TUNING FOR FULL SPECTRUM LIGHT?

Until recently, all light—sunlight, firelight, candlelight, incandescent light—was full spectrum light. Full spectrum light contains all of the visible colors, and, like sunlight, renders colors naturally. At ERP Power, our goal to create electric sunlight meant that we needed to mix multiple colors (also known as channels) to replicate the color, beauty and range of sunlight. How many colors? No less than five can deliver the full spectrum of Araya illumination.



WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF ARAYA TUNABLE COLOR?

The 1650–8000 K tunable range, 90+ CRI color quality, LED dimming to 0.1%, < 2 SDCM color consistency over life, and access to a wide gamut of colors enable the delivery of lighting profiles that expertly resolve the multiple, yet specific, lighting objectives within a space.

Araya dynamically and precisely tunes light with accuracy, control and consistency never before possible. Now, any subject can be displayed in an optimized lighting profile. The genius of Araya is only fully realized in control of lighting sequences tailored specifically to the application. As one considers the myriad of subjects, spaces and the objectives of aesthetics, comfort, wellness, visual acuity and color communication, the potential of Araya to revolutionize the world of lighting comes into focus.



Pastels to Saturates

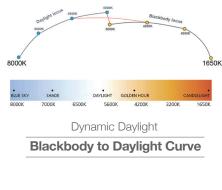




WHAT ARE THE TWO LIGHTING PROFILES OFFERED?

Araya Tunable Color Light Engines feature two lighting profiles stored in the light engine. The tunable color profile features a broad tunable range from 1650 K to 8000 K. The light tracks the CIE Blackbody locus from 1650–4500 K and then smoothly transitions to the Daylight Curve to 8000 K—emulating natural daylight from sunrise to sunset. The warm-dim halogen profile recreates traditional dimming by emulating a halogen lamp from 3050 K at full brightness to 1800 K at 0.1%. Both deliver the same great Araya light quality metrics.

Dual profiles provide the fixture manufacturer or lighting designer the capability to choose either profile, or to combine the two profiles within the fixture.







WHAT IS LED DIMMING TO 0.1%?

LED dimming to 0.1% blends dynamic current control and pulse width modulation (PWM) over 6 channels of LED color. The technique utilizes dynamic LED drive currents to 10% of output and then introduces PWM at modulation rates up to 25 kHZ for output levels from 10% to 0.1%.





ERP POWER SOLVES THE COMPLEXITY

LEDs are notoriously difficult to characterize and the industry has responded with the concept of binning, which places an LED in a performance range. However, binning is not precise enough for a high quality tunable color system, so ERP Power developed a proprietary and patented system to characterize the LED with the utmost of precision. In other words, we know the exact, unique performance characteristics of every LED in our array.

For 4 and particularly 5 or more channels, there is more than one way to create a color, each producing a unique spectral signature of differing color quality and efficiency. Our algorithms use these LED characterizations to correctly optimize each light engine to deliver precise color with optimal spectral content and energy efficiency.

For fixture-to-fixture color consistency, the light from Araya products maintain less than 2 Standard Deviation Color Matching over life. 95% of the general population cannot distinguish any difference in the color of light that is < 2 SDCM.





Fast Inverse
Solver

ADVANCED CALIBRATION AND CHARACTERIZATION OF LEDS

The Fast Inverse Solver uses patented techniques to characterize each and every LED in an array. This advanced technology performs millions of calculations in less than a minute. The result? We know the exact characteristics of each LED and create a color model (the instruction set used to drive each LED for each color point) that precisely generates the Araya specifications.





THE MATHEMATICS OF ARAYA COLOR SPACE

A spectrometer captures the unique spectral signature of each LED channel of a lamp. For 4 and particularly 5 or more channels, an infinite number of color combinations exist, each producing a unique spectral signature of differing color and efficiency qualities. The sheer quantity of these calculations would take months to years to perform on high-speed computers to exhaustively examine what combination best fits a given color metric.

Araya applies innovative lean mathematical methods to rearrange the color metric space and speed up color calculations on the order of 5 trillion times faster than prior known methods. The nature of the Araya method does not "cut corners" / "make any assumptions" and is broadly applicable across multiple color metrics (e.g. CRI, CQS, TM-30, etc.). Araya's dramatic speed-up enables the "impossible" to be done at production-line speeds. The brief period of measure and solving still manages to process multiple terabytes of numeric data to find a fundamentally optimized lamp that meets a custom specification across the entire operating range. The "solved" lamp is flash tested (with all color channels uniquely firing) across a range of operating points for validation.

THE BROADEST CONTROLS COMPATIBILITY IN THE INDUSTRY

DIGITAL - Araya is compatible with all industryleading digital control systems.



Wattstopper* XICATO[®]





















ANALOG - Two 0-10 V lines can be used to control Dimming and CCT independently, or program Scenes—in any combination of Dimming, CCT, Saturation and Hue—and recall them with five 0-10 V presets or the araya iOS App.



OS - Used in conjunction with Digital or Analog controls, each light engine can be wirelessly commissioned and then the radio turns off for enhanced security.

