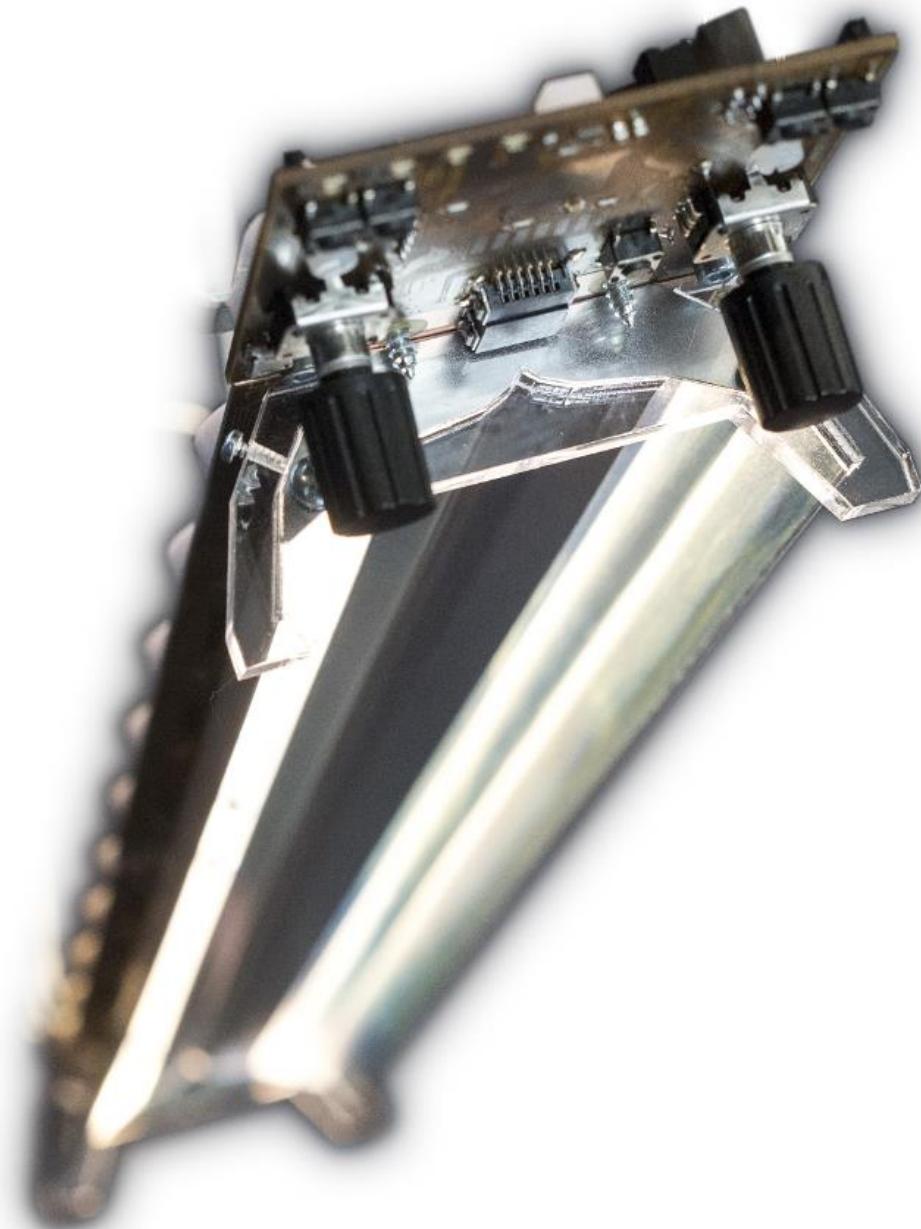


Smart Lighting Technology Demonstrator Luminaires

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Human centric Smart Lighting Luminaires Demonstrators

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Pendant Luminaire



Table Luminaire



Extended table Luminaire



Why technology demonstrator?

- Demonstrator show the technology and are kept purely functional
- It has deliberately avoided a "shell" or "body"

Why?

HSLU (Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts) helps enabling smart lighting technology for small and middle size companies

How?

- Demonstrator is independently developed by HSLU
- HSLU enables the technology through support and know-how transfer
- Product and design is developed by industrial partner

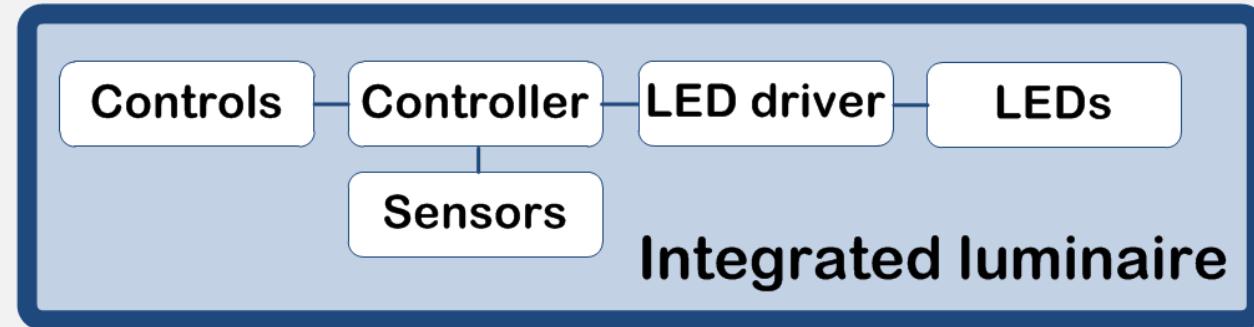
Our vision

Human centric lighting for everybody at home

Our objective

- Easy to use
- Good light quality
- Biological effective
- Energy efficient
- Long life

For example: one pendant luminaire per room



Targets for Demonstrator

- State of the art luminaire for residential use
- Plug & Play: No user programming or configuration required

Requirements: Classical and human centric quality features

Good lighting Classic quality features

- Standard series 5035 (partly)
- DIN SN/EN 12464-1
- Visual comfort
- Visual ambience
- Visual performance

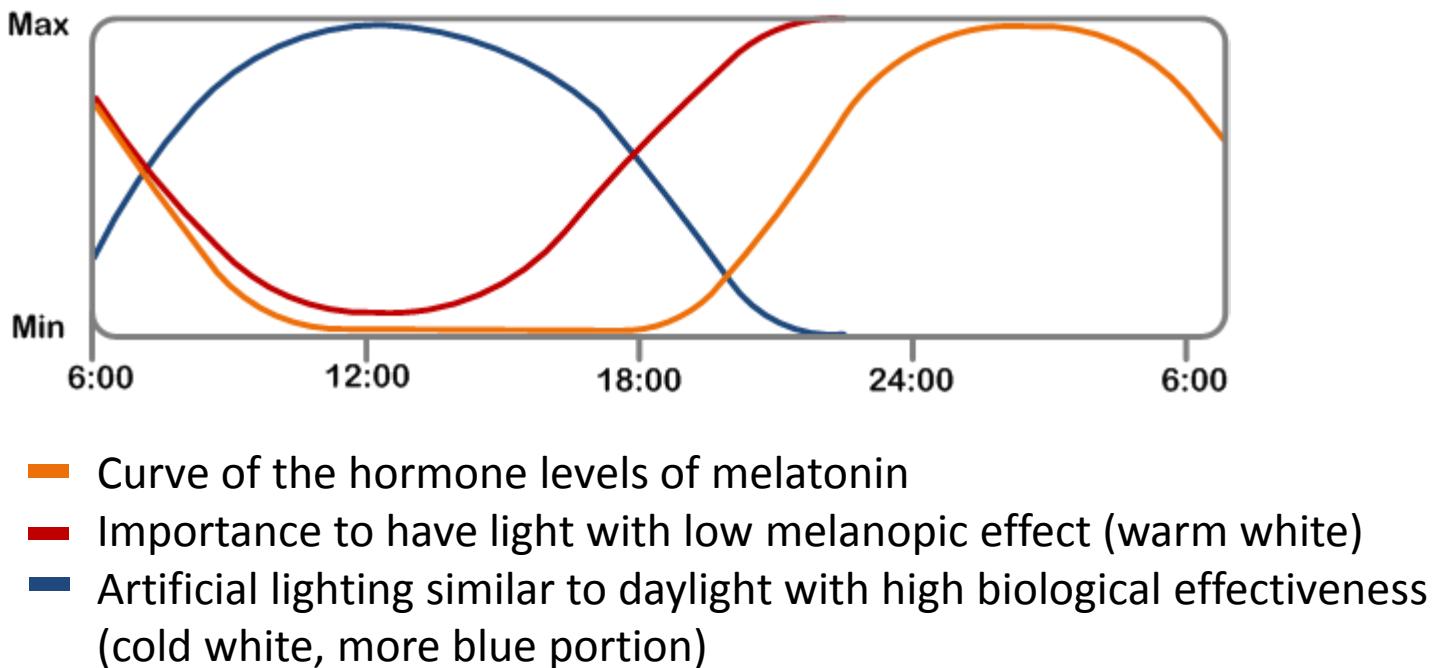
Further criteria for the lighting design

- Daylight Integration
- Change of the lighting situation
- Energy efficiency
- Custom settings

Chronobiological relevant lighting (new features)

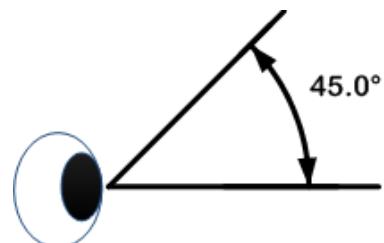
Circadian performance requirements for lighting

- Planning recommendation DIN SPEC 67600
- Notes on melanopic effect factor DIN SPEC 5031-100

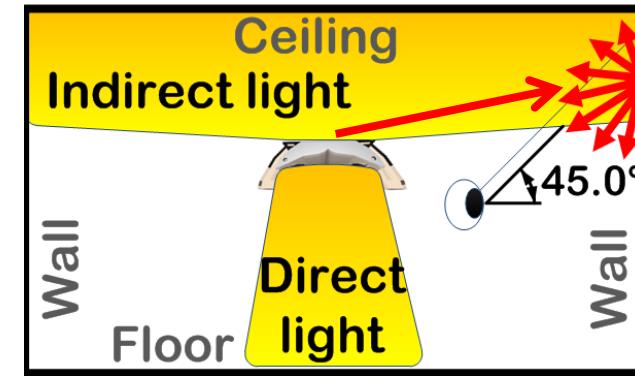


Specification for human centric lighting

- We considered the values of the planning recommendation
 - Illuminance level from 500lx to 2000lx
 - Color temperature <3000K to >5300K
- Compared to conventional lighting a biological effective lighting has to provide higher illuminance and color temperature range
- Light angle and intensity at eye
 - 250 lx vertical measured
 - Entry angle 0° to 45°
 - Glare free



Ideal light entry angle due to position of light receptors in the eye for circadian synchronization

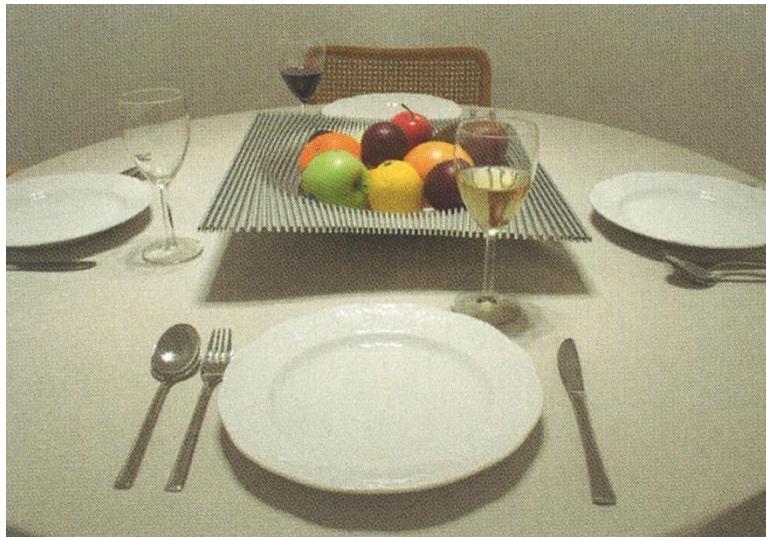


Conclusion

- Indirect light required for floodlighting the ceiling and walls

What LED color temperature for low melanopic effect?

Suggested is <3000K but how much less?



Dining table at 3100K



Dining table at 2100K



Dining table at 1750K

- According to a newer publication 2100K is recommended for night-lighting.
- It has a good user acceptance and causes a low melatonin delay.
- Our LED Selection: 2200K LEDs

Quelle: Licht 2016/4 Gesunde Nachtbeleuchtung

Approach for smart lighting luminaire (pendant luminaire)

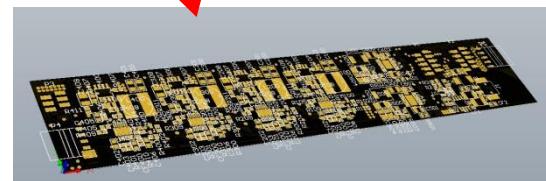
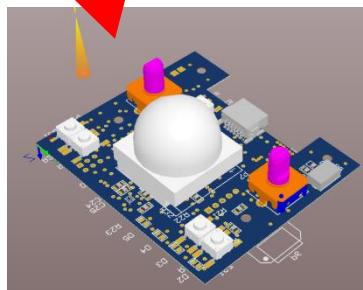
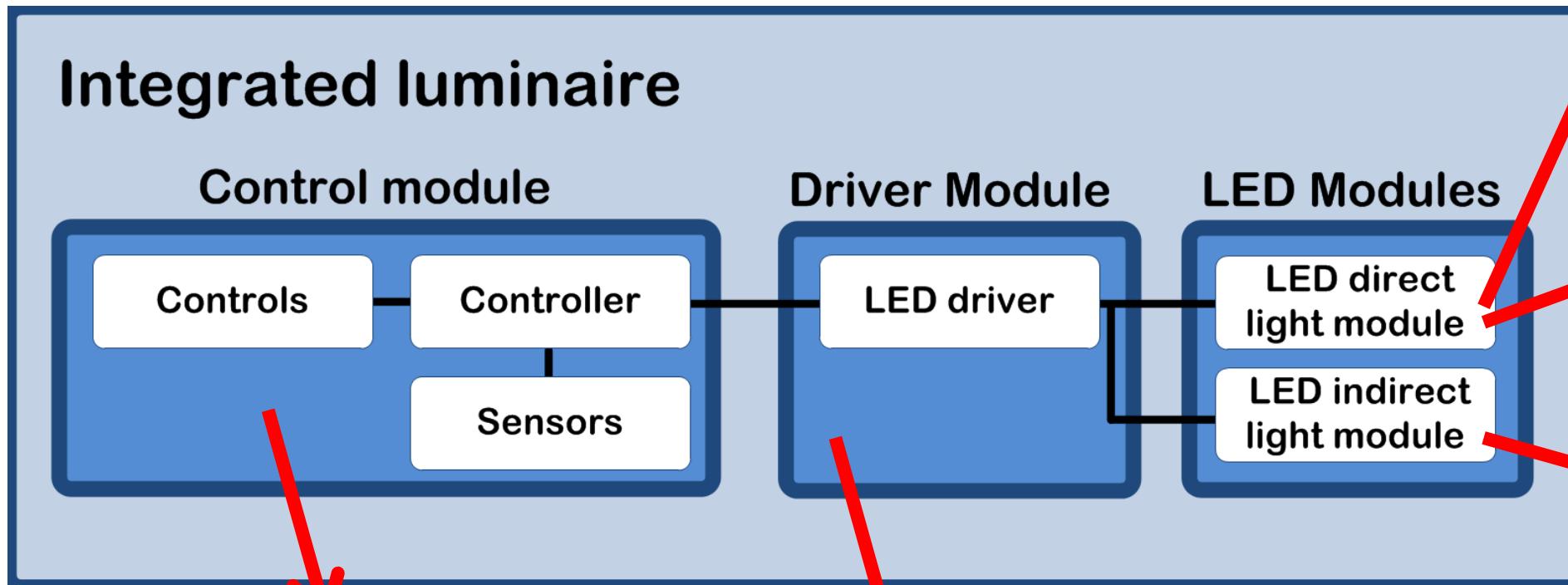
- Direct light
 - 38 mid power LED
warm white 2200K, CRI80, total 1250 lm
 - 38 mid power LED
cool white 5700K, CRI80, total 1370 lm
- Indirect light
 - 18 mid power LED
warm white 2700K, CRI80, total 970 lm
 - 18 mid power LED
cool white 5000K, CRI80, total 1110 lm
- Integration of a classical embedded system into a luminaire
 - Microcontroller
 - Integrated time base (real time clock)
 - Sensors
 - LED drivers



for

- Independent control of illuminance and color temperature
- dependent on time and ambient light

Reducing complexity with a modular concept

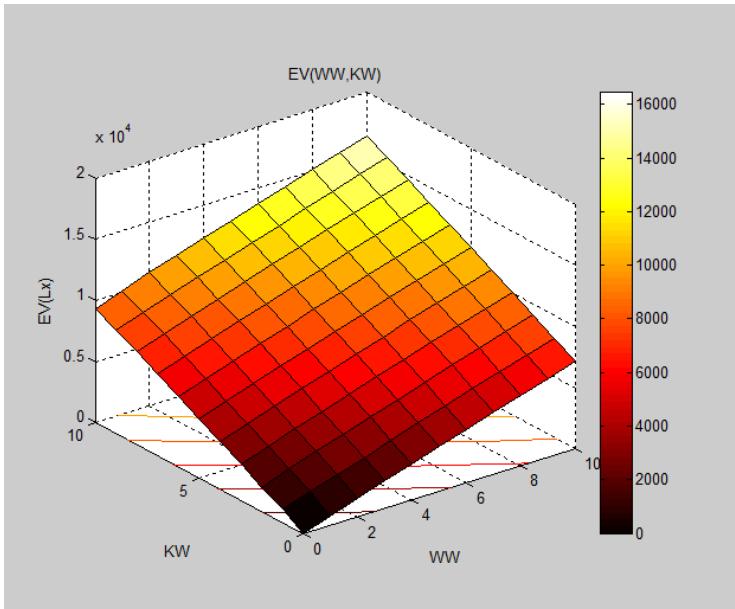


Advantages

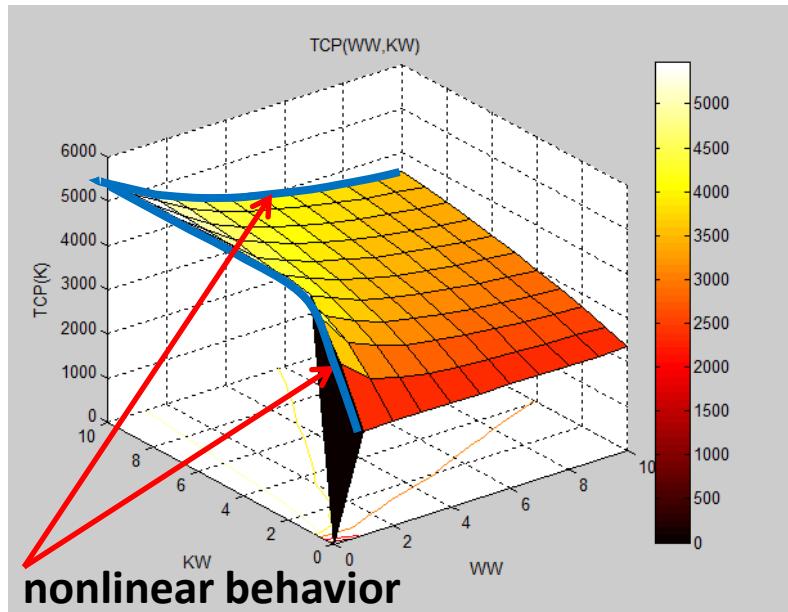
- Reusable in different products
- Easily adaptable to better LEDs
- Replaceable in case of failure

Challenges in producing light with variable color temperature

Illuminance depending on the PWM control value



Color temperature as a function of the PWM control value



Findings

- The dependency of the resulting color temperature from the control value (PWM) is nonlinear
- It depends not only on the control value but also on the efficiency of the LED
 - Different behavior between warm and cold-white LEDs (same type)
 - Reason: They are not equally efficient (due to different phosphor)

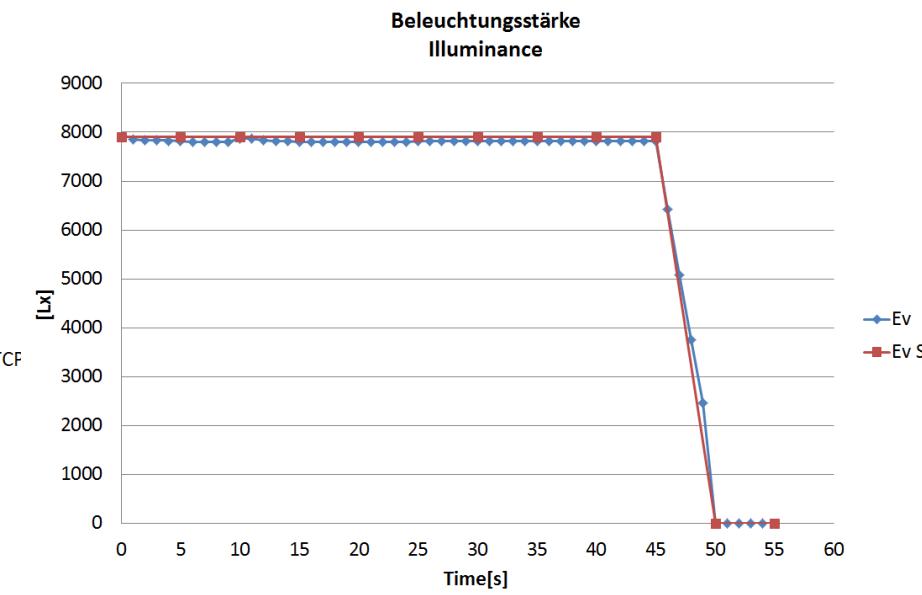
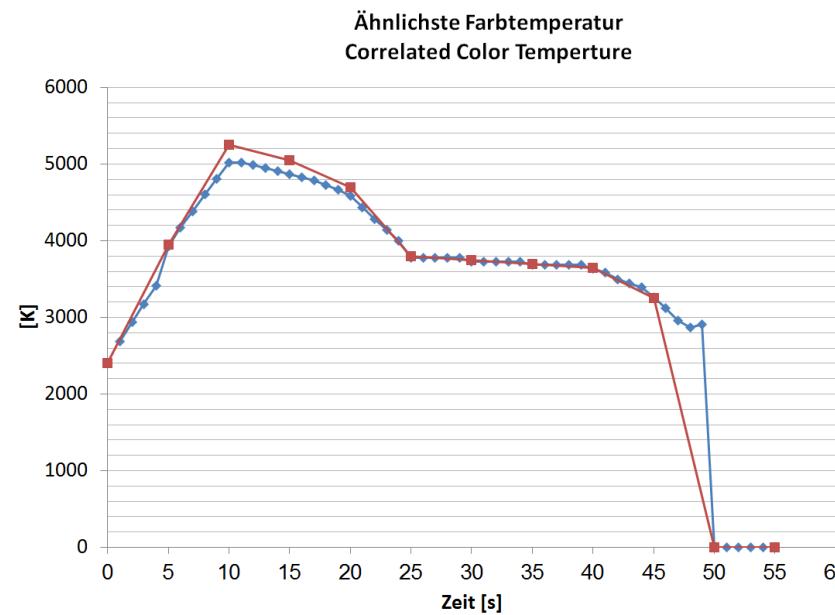
Causes

- The LED efficiency is depending on the LED current (temperature)
- LED temperature is also dependent on mechanical design (heat dissipation: housing, PCB, heat sink)

Conclusion - For good control, due to the manufacturing tolerances for LED flux and color, **individual calibration of each luminaire is suggested**

Precisely controlling of color temperature and illuminance

- A look-up table based control software is implemented in the control module
- Shown is the result of the performance test of the luminaire (control-, driver- and led module)
- The aim of the tests: Constant illuminance at a given color temperature variation



Conclusion

- precise control of illuminance and color temperature is achievable with an calibration procedure integrated in the production

Use of 1.50\$ RGB Sensor for color temperature measurement

Target

- Measuring intensity and color temperature

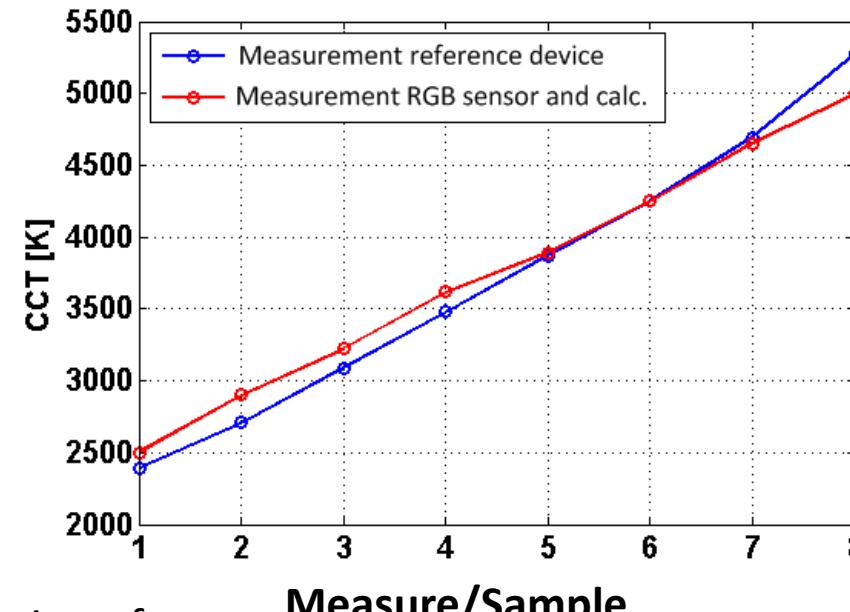
Implementation

- Use of a cheap digital RGB Sensor
- Deriving color temperature from RGB values
- Calculations with microcontroller
 - Data conversion (CCT from RGB)
 - Error compensation (Calibration needed)
- Two sensors integrated
 - One looks in direction ceiling
 - One looks in direction floor

Sensor cost: 1.50\$ 3.5k Units (Digi-Key)

Result of accuracy of color temperature measurement

- The maximal error is 5.2%



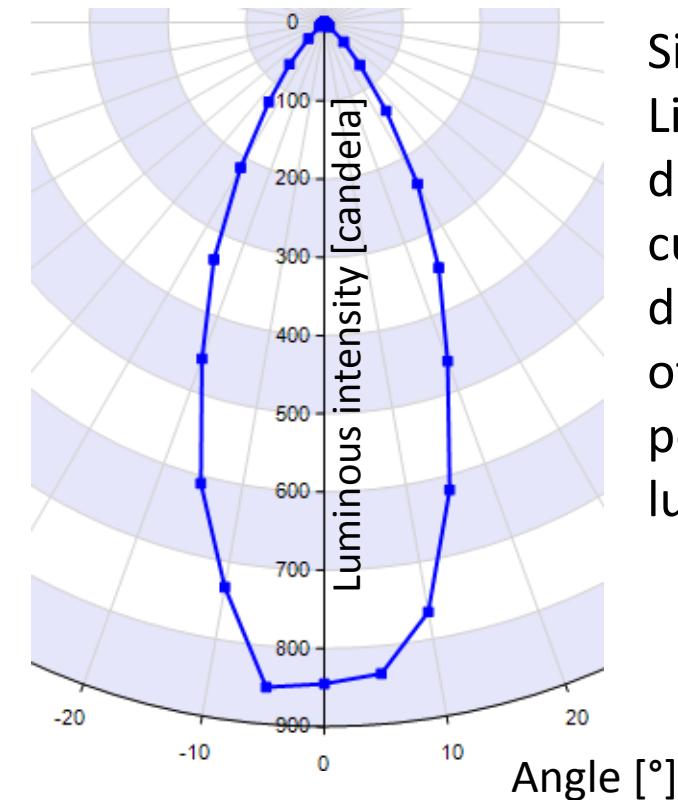
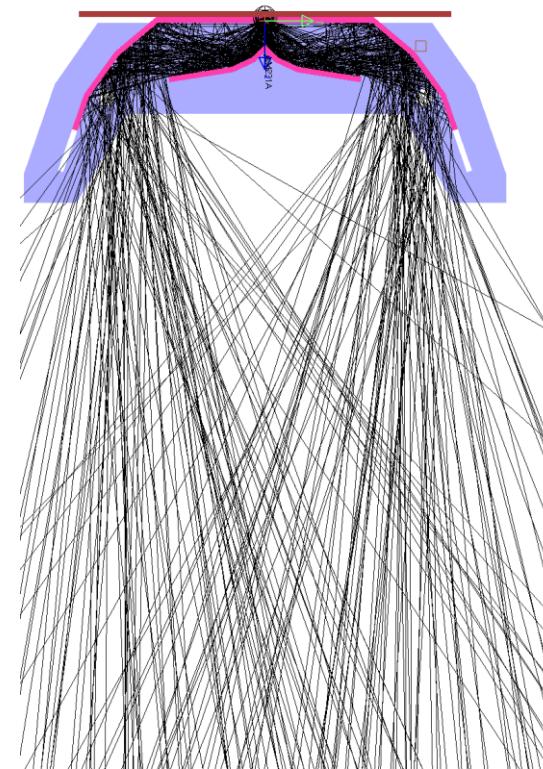
Enables: Compensation of

- change of daylight intensity and color temperature
- LED aging effects (intensity and color drift)

Approach: Integrated close loop control for light intensity and color temperature

Approach for direct light shaping: Reflector design

- The choice of reflector material is important
- The angle-dependent reflectivity of the used reflector sheet metal is between 93% and 97%
- Optical simulation based on measured BRDF data of reflector sheet metal



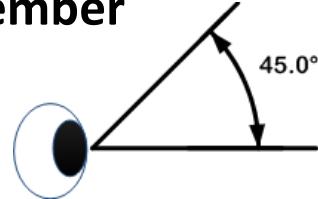
Simulated Light distribution curve of direct light of the pendant luminaire

Results

- Good light shaping
- No glaring
- No multiple shadows
- Simulated optical efficiency of the reflector 85%
- Failure of one LED is not noticed (longer lifetime)

Solution for high efficient indirect light generation

Remember

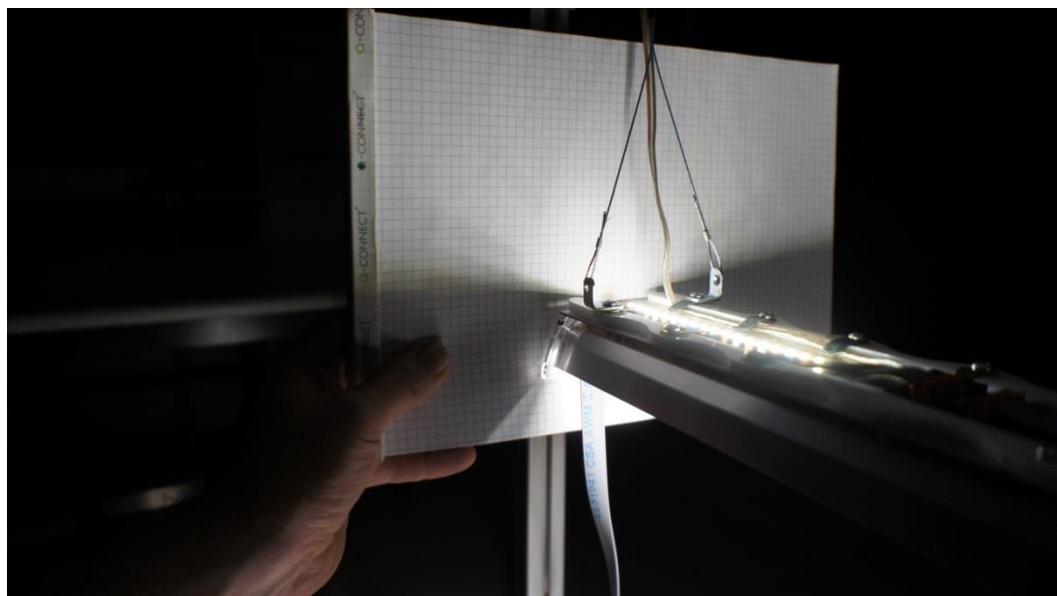


Highest melanopic effect
if light enters eye from
top and front

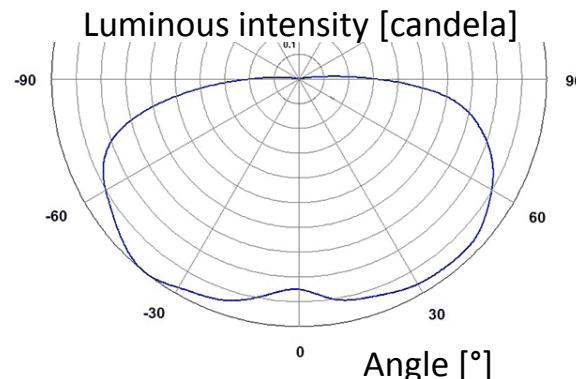
Target

Flat floodlighting the ceiling,
diffuse reflected light enters
with required angle range

LED selection



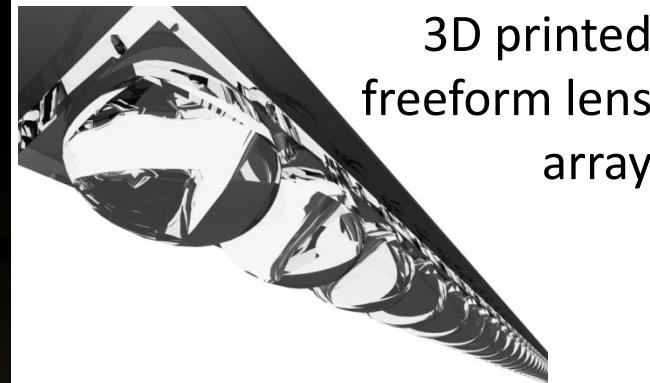
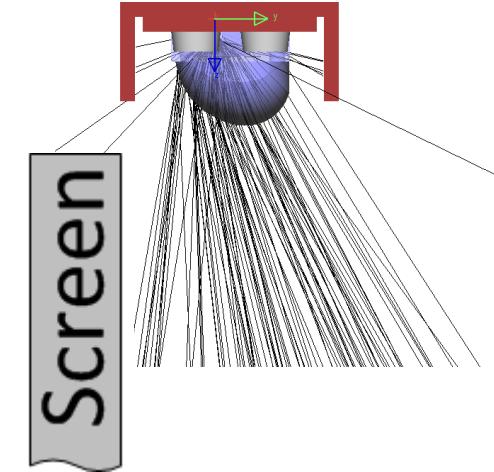
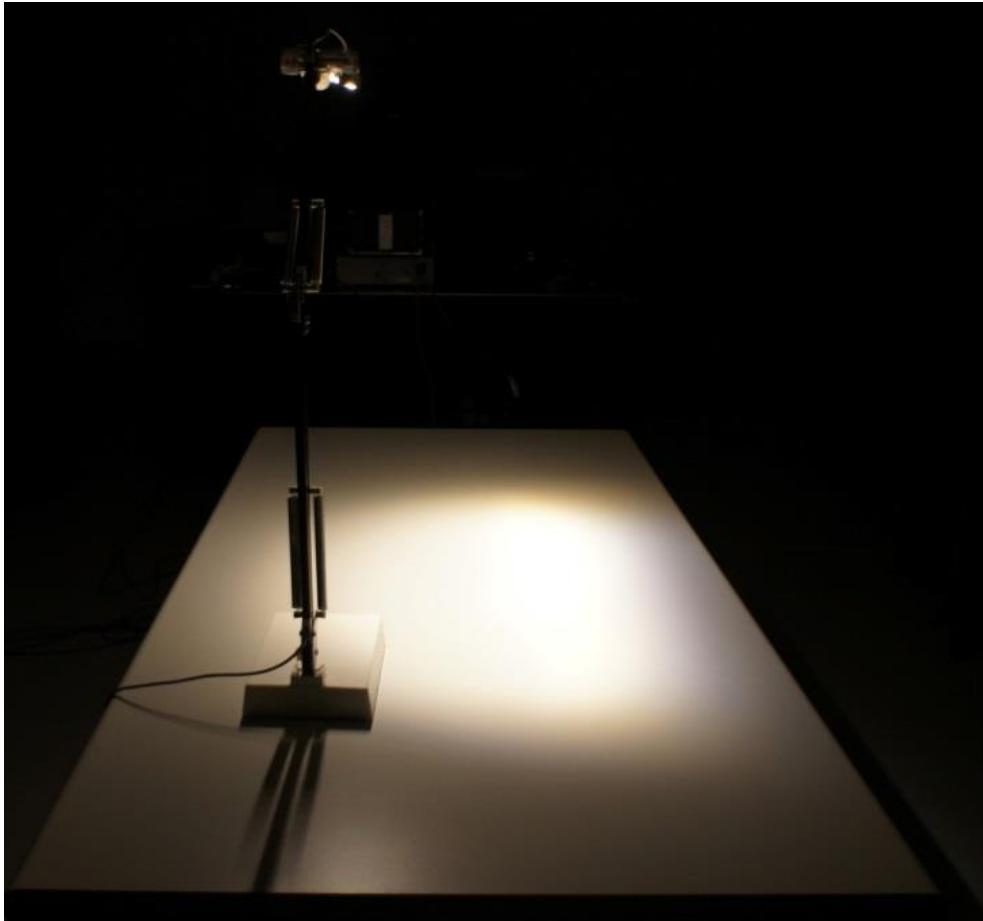
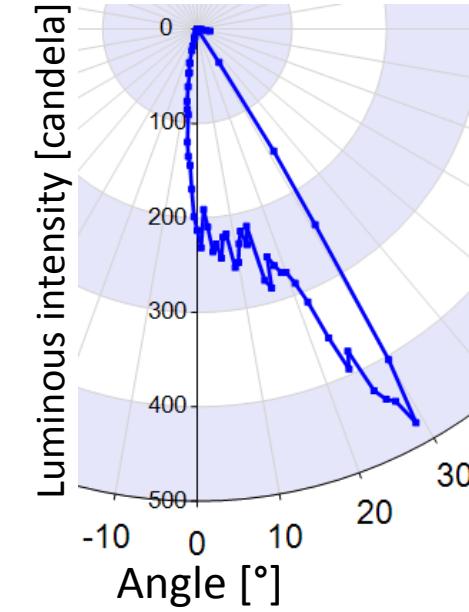
Emission characteristics
of the LED with very
wide beam angle of
 170°



Result

- + no secondary optics
for light shaping
required
- + excellent optical
efficiency for indirect
light
- LED (wide angle type)
not yet available with
 $>5000K, <2700K$

Table luminaire with asymmetric light shaping

Target**Result**

- + glare free light
- + Good light shaping
- + Optical efficiency 77%
- Multiple shadow

Your development partner: Competence Center Electronics of Hochschule Luzern Technik & Architektur

- The luminaires of the future are smart integral solutions based on the fusion of electronics, sensors, embedded controller & SW and optics
- We would like to assist you in the development of such luminaires

Thank you for your attention ☺

Contact

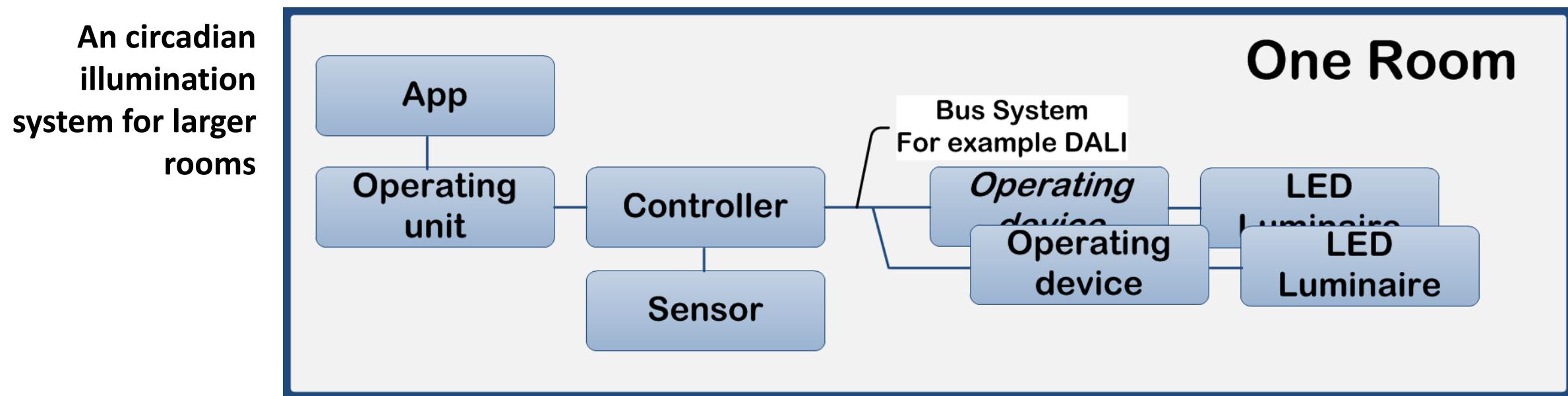
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Wirkung - Energie - Funktion
Interdisziplinäre Betrachtung von Licht

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Appendix

State of the art human centric lighting solutions

- Circadian lighting system for professional applications
- Functions are divided into separate units

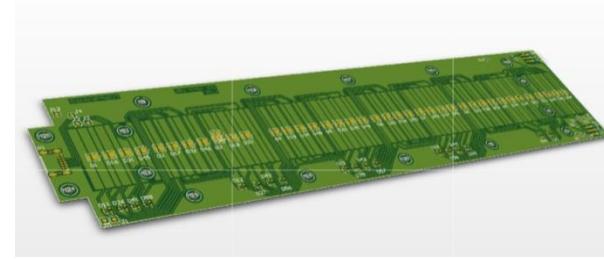


Market considerations

- Gap: No practical solution for at home (residential) available
- Today's solutions are to complicated and to expensive

LED module design

Defensive LED forward current and good cooling

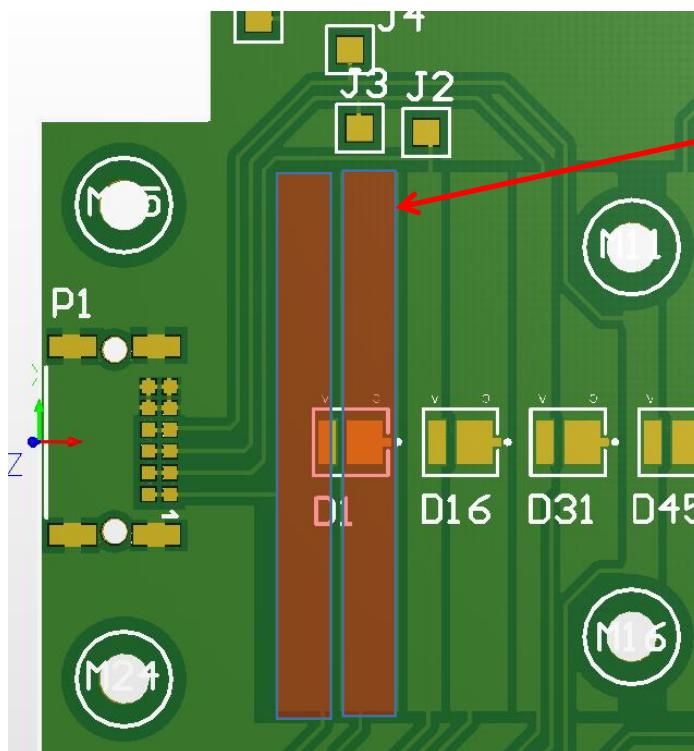


Objective

The cooler the LEDs the higher the efficiency and the longer the service life

Solution

- More LEDs with less current
- Direct light LED with constant current 100mA
- Indirect light LED with constant current 65mA
- Aluminum core PCB and conductor tracks form a heat sink for optimum cooling of the LEDs



- Good heat distribution, thanks to large-area solder pads of copper
- PCB design optimized as a heatsink

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Finding a meaningful and efficient use of light

Lucerne University of Applied Science and Arts

Department

Lucerne School of Engineering and Architecture

Sections

- Interior architecture
- Building construction
- Building Technology
- Computer science
- Electrical Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Industrial Engineering Innovation

One entry point for subject light

Licht@hslu

Interdisciplinary work at the
junction of design and technology

www.hslu.ch/licht



Summary: Checklist requirement for biological relevant light

Higher illuminance:

Mid power LED array for
higher luminous flux as required
according classical luminaires



Melaanopic effective light:

high effective light > 5300K
low effective light < 2200K



Indirect light LEDs
only 5000K and
2700K

Area light sources:

Direct light: light shaping transforms LED point source array to emitting surface source
Indirect light : wide angle emission LEDs for efficient floodlighting ceilings and walls



Time-varying dynamic light at
the right time:

Through integrated embedded system and sensors for time synchronized control of light



Summary: Checklist conventional requirements

Visual comfort

Color rendering:
CRI> 80

harmonic brightness
allocation:

Integrated Optics



Visual ambience

Modelling:
Directional direct light
and indirect light

Light color:
2200K to 5700K from

Variable Light direction:
Good glare-free direct
light and indirect light



Visual performance

Lighting level:
high luminous flux

Glare limitation:
Integrated optics



Additional criteria

Daylight Integration:

Energy efficiency:

Changes in
Light situation:

Custom settings:

Lifetime:

Maintainability:

Adaptive adjustment of
intensity and color
temperature

- Optimized optical, electronic
and thermal design
 - Optimal LED selection
 - Dynamic lighting
 - Different lighting scenarios
available
- Intuitively adjustable

Optimized design for long
life

Excellent servicing due to
modular concept



Neue Erkenntnisse aus der Wissenschaft nutzen

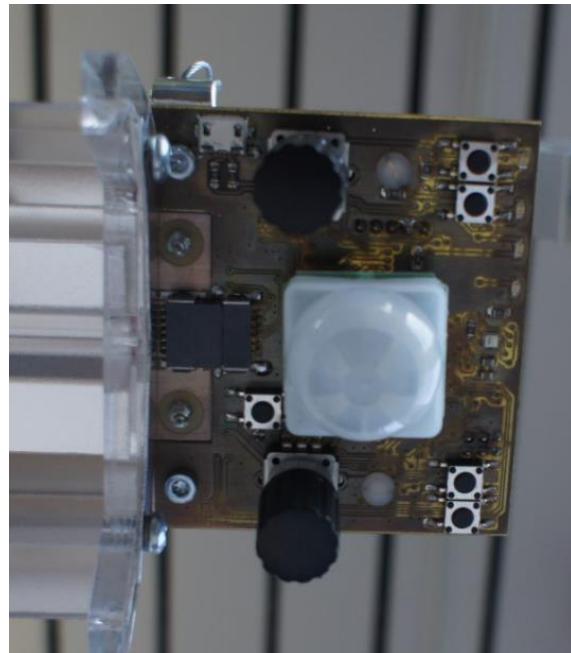
***Human
Centric***

- Blendfreies Licht
- Dynamische Farbtemperatur analog dem natürlichen Sonnenlicht
- Gesunde Nachtbeleuchtung
- Direkt- und Indirekt Licht für gutes Raumklima
- Sehr benutzerfreundlich



Intelligenz durch integrierten Mikrocontroller und Sensoren

Smart



Leuchte passt Farbtemperatur und Intensität automatisch und dynamisch dem Umgebungslicht an

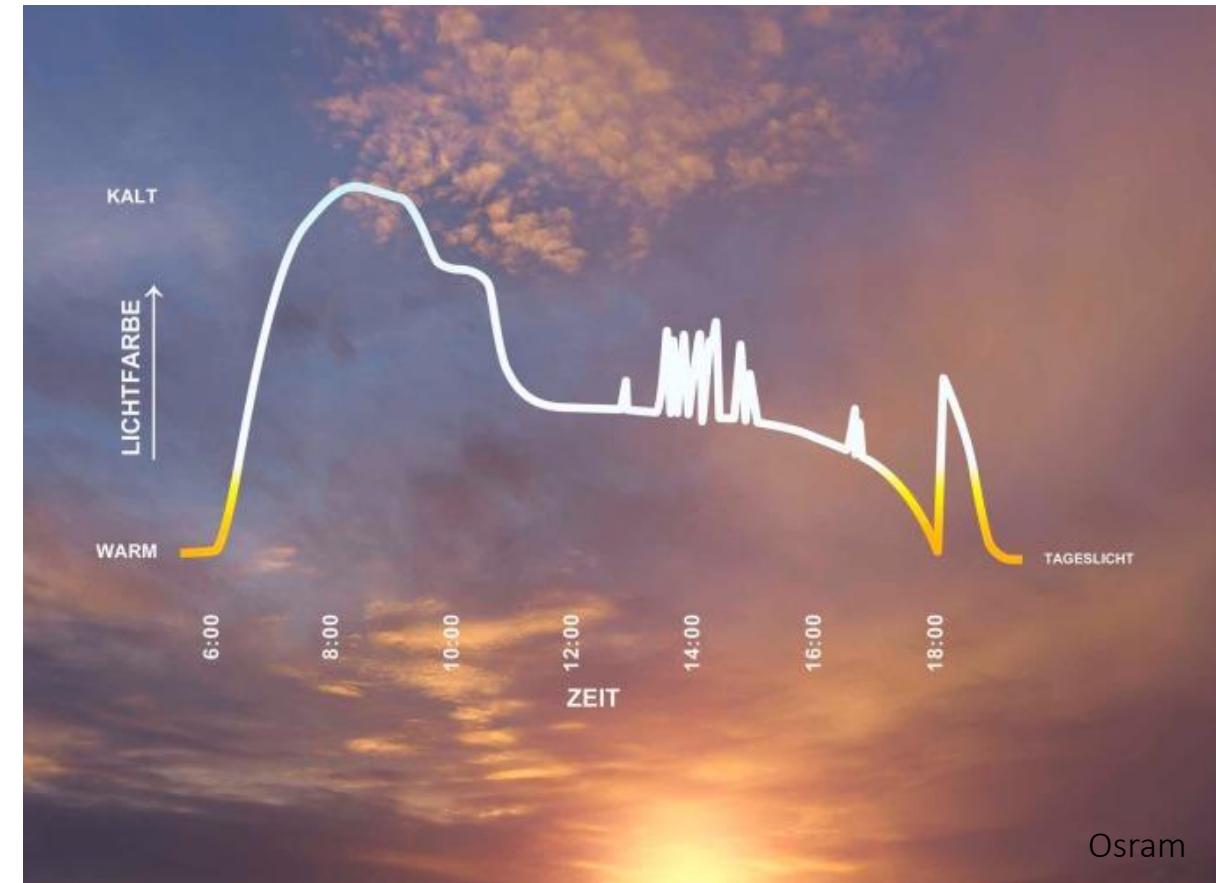
- Integrierte Lichtsensoren für Intensitätsmessung und Farbtemperatur Messung
- Bewegungssensor für Präsenzdetektion und Gesteuerung
- Microcontroller für Leuchten Steuerung
- Integrierte Echtzeit-Uhr mit Batterie Backup
- Bedienelemente für manuelle Einstellung

Dynamisches Licht

- Die Lichtfarbe und -Intensität prägt massgeblich die Tag-Nacht Synchronisation beim Menschen
- Eine geeignete Beleuchtung kann den natürlichen Rhythmus unterstützen

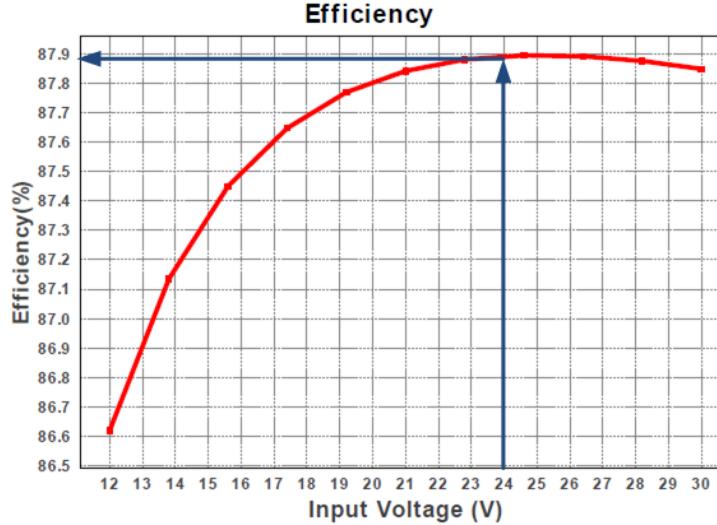
Verschiedene Szenarien sind machbar z.B.:

- *Dynamische Farbtemperatur analog dem natürlichen Sonnenlicht*
- *Stimulation am Morgen und nach Mittagessen*
- *Adaptiv dem Umgebungslicht folgen*

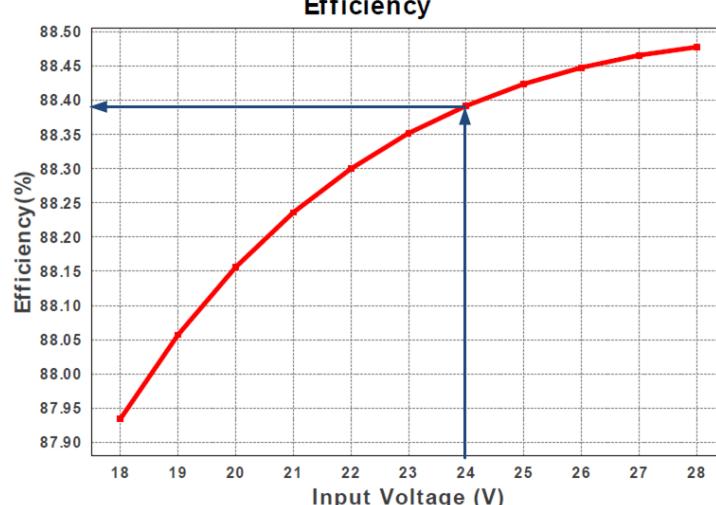


Typischer Verlauf der Farbtemperatur über einen Tag

Integrated LED drivers with high efficiency



Efficiency
driver for
direct
lighting



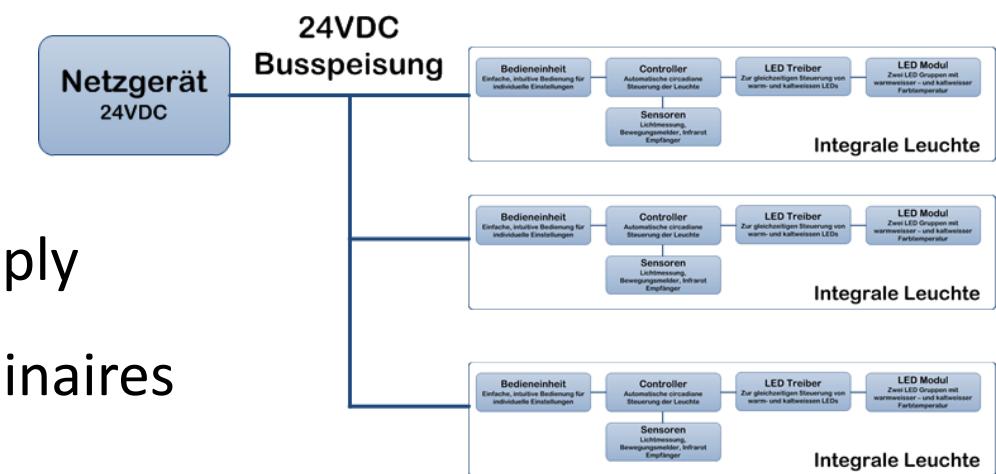
Efficiency
driver for
indirect
light

Result

Simulated efficiency for drivers: 88%

24V DC bus power supply for effective AC/DC
conversion

One power supply
For several luminaires



Vorbild ist das Tageslicht

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Das Tageslicht gibt die Faktoren einer biologisch wirksamen Beleuchtung vor:

Beleuchtungsstarke,

Flachigkeit,

Lichtrichtung,

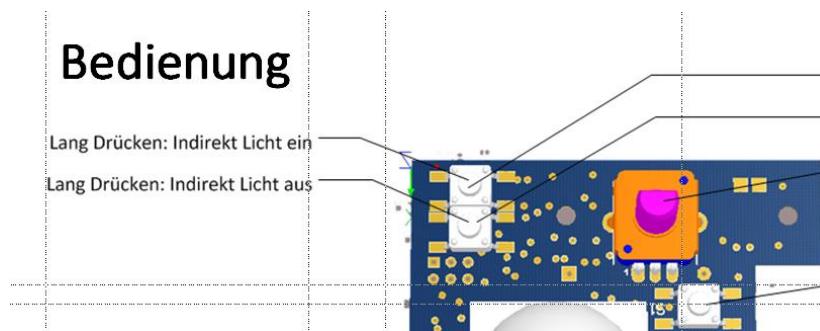
Farbtemperatur und

die Dynamik des Lichts im Tages- und Jahreszeitenverlauf.

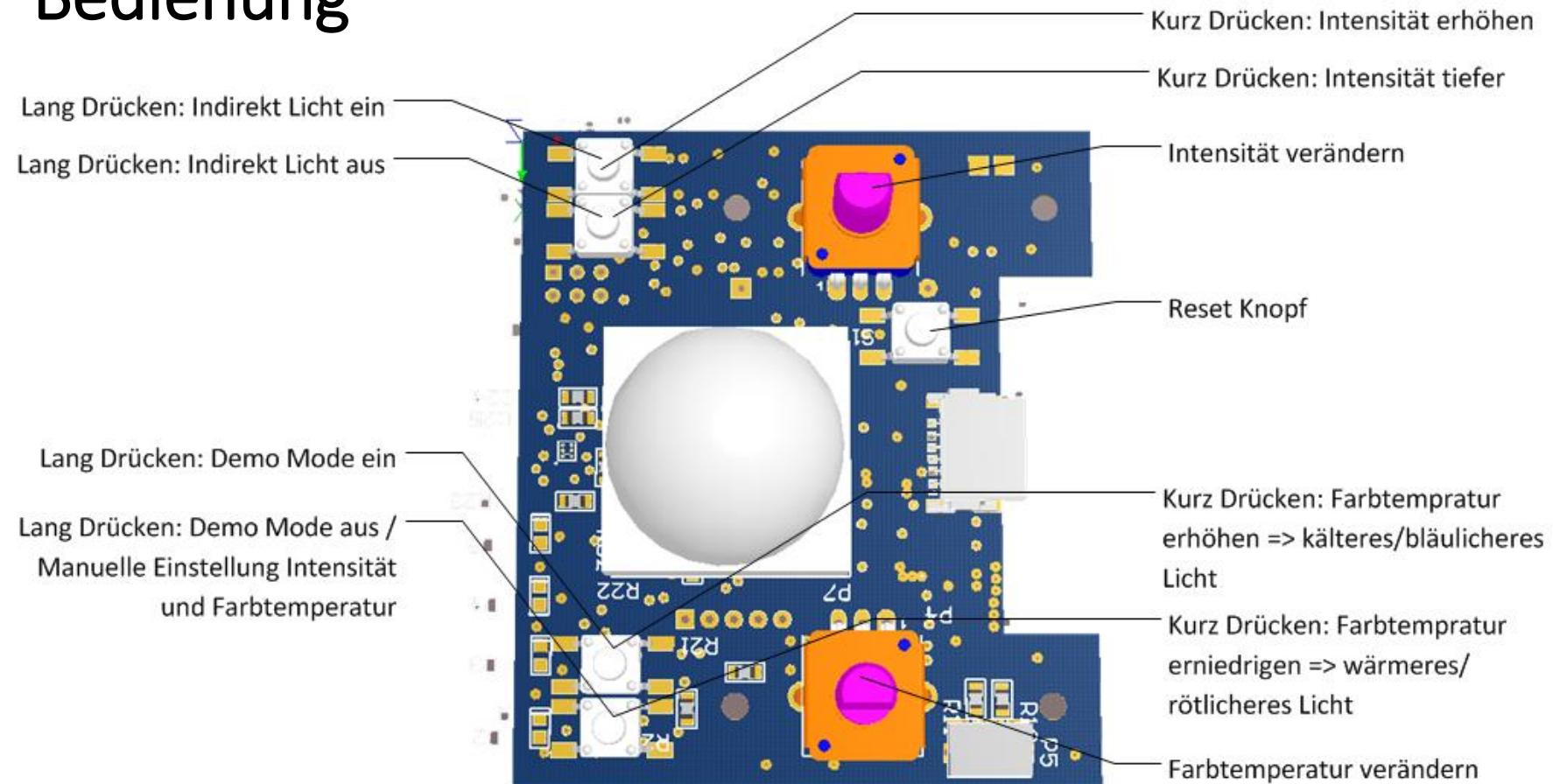
Dabei hangt die Helligkeit des Tageslichts stark von der geografischen Lage, Wetter, Jahres- und Tageszeit ab. In Mitteleuropa konnten die meisten Räume zwar von etwa 8 bis 17 Uhr mit natürlichem Licht beleuchtet werden. Doch meist reicht das durch die Fenster einfallende Tageslicht in der Raumtiefe nicht aus.

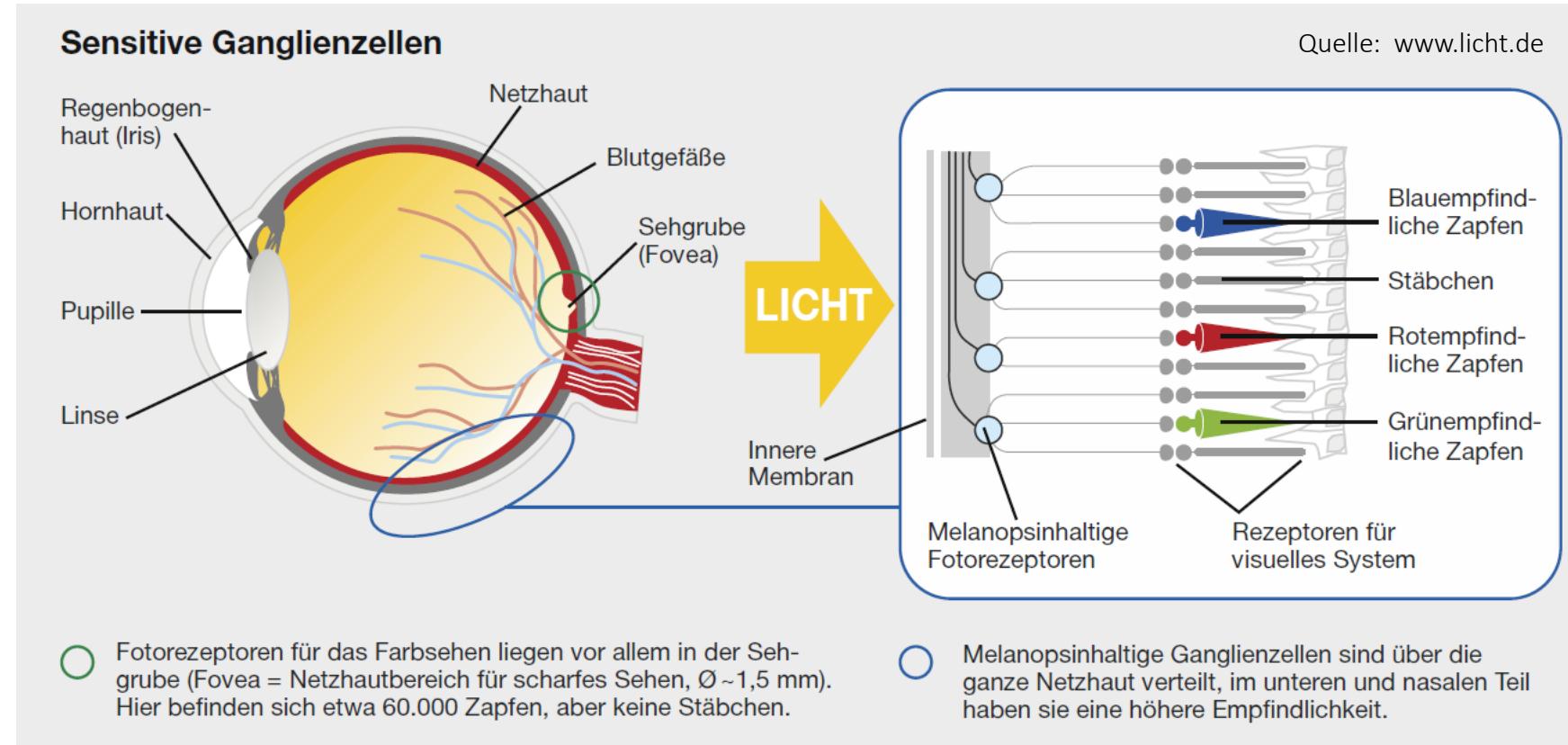
Aufstart der Leuchte

1. Speisungskabel einstecken
 - Pendelleuchte Leuchte startet im Demo Mode (Farbtemperatur Zyklus im 1 Min. Rhythmus)
 - Tischleuchte startet im manuellen Einstellmodus
2. Pendelleuchte Indirekt LEDs einschalten (Siehe Info Bedienung)



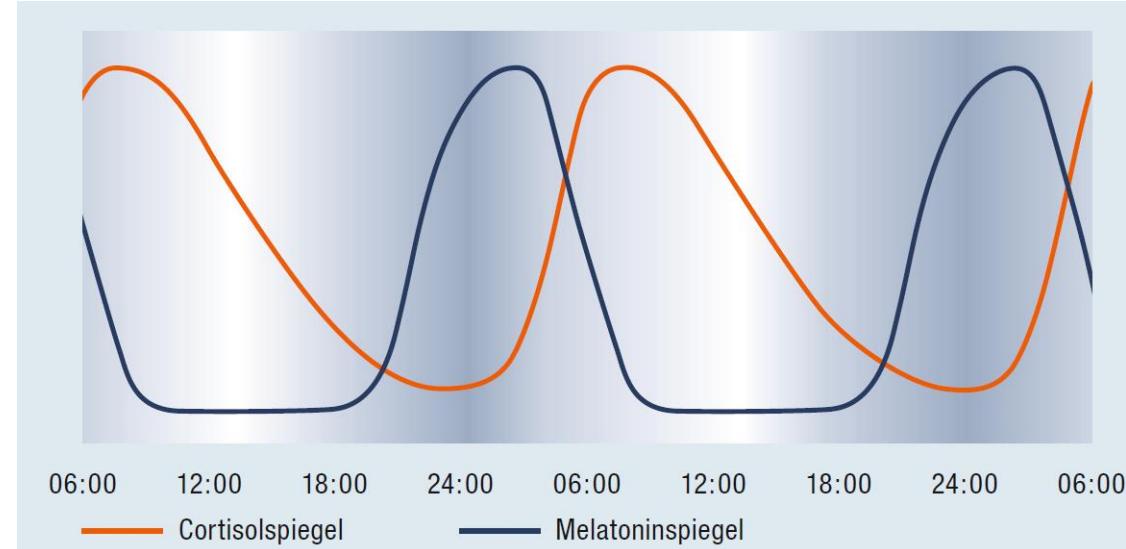
Bedienung





- Die melanopsinhaltige Fotorezeptoren im Auge sind für die Synchronisation der Inneren Uhr

Verantwortliche Hormone für den circadianen Rhythmus



Verlauf der Hormonpegel für die Steuerung des menschlichen Tagesrhythmus (circadianer Rhythmus) Quelle: Osram

- Am Morgen steigt der Cortisolspiegel an. Damit wird der Mensch wach. Je aktiver der Mensch desto höher der Cortisolspiegel.
- Mit zunehmender Dunkelheit wird Melatonin freigesetzt, welches schlaffördernd ist.

Wirkung von blauem und rotem Licht

Blaues Licht (also kurzwelliges Licht) sendet über die Augen aufgenommen über das zentrale Nervensystem einen Impuls an die Zirbeldrüse, die das Schlafhormon Melatonin produziert, dass diese die Produktion drosseln soll. Dadurch wird der Mensch aktiv. Kurz: Blaues Licht verringert die Schlafhormonproduktion und macht fit und aktiv. Rotes Licht (langwelliges Licht) fördert die Melatoninproduktion. Der Mensch entspannt, wird müde und schläft ein. Sinnvoll ist es dementsprechend, morgens nach dem Aufstehen Licht mit einem hohen Blauanteil (kaltweißes Licht) zu verwenden (häufig in Leuchtstoffröhren). Abends in den letzten Stunden vor dem Schlafgehen sollte man auf blaues Licht verzichten. Licht mit einem hohen Rotanteil unterstützt den Organismus dabei, müde zu werden (denn das Schlafhormon Melatonin wird produziert).

<http://www.rp-online.de/nrw/staedte/remscheid/freizeit/wie-man-den-schlaf-durch-licht-regulieren-kann-aid-1.3148149>

Our motivation for developing the Smart Lighting Luminaires demonstrators

A performance mandate of the university are projects in the field of applied research and development.

Objective: Joint projects with industry partners

For this we need skills and knowledge which are in demand in the market
(Customer: SME and industry, Product: Engineering).

A selection of our expertise and know-how

- Light
- Electronics
- Sensors
- Optic

This must be known in the market!

Idea

A demonstrator that shows our competences and know-how relating to light which serves as an aid for the acquisition.

Implementation

Smart Lighting Luminaire Technology Demonstrators

Hochschule Luzern Technik & Architektur Competence Center Electronics

Specialists in analog and digital electronic solutions

Together with research associates, assistants and master's students, lecturers with industry experience carry out applied research and development in the pioneering fields of electronics.

