

QuarkStar - Nichia

Project Tango: Partnering Light with Space

Based on QuarkStar's high-efficiency optical technology Edge-X[™] coupled to an innovative solid-state lighting source Surface Mounted Filaments[™] – created using materials from our L-Prize partner Nichia – Project Tango is able to overcome compromises and trade-offs that have previously hampered lighting systems.

Innovations for the L-Prize



- A networked white-tunable luminaire based on QuarkStar's Edge-XTM optics
- Edge-XTM is compact with 96% optical efficiency and light distributions with class-defining uniformity & shaping
- SMF (Surface Mounted FilamentTM) is a new low-etendue LED source optimally matched to Edge-X optics
- SMF is more thermally efficient than other LED packages while also optimizing Color Rendition (P1,F3)
- Edge-X & SMFs combined = smallest size system solution with optimized etendue & minimized current densities
- Edge-X & SMFs combined = best lumen and chromaticity point maintenance; highest lumen & color lifetimes