

Contractor Dual Strip (CDS) LED

Frequently Asked Questions

Is the CDS the same size as the fluorescent C-Strip?

While the CDS features a two-lamp appearance and was designed to mimic the look of the popular C-Strip, the CDS is narrower and shallower than the C-Strip. The dimensional variance will not allow for seamless replacement of a traditional C-Strip housing.

Why does the CDS feature a two-lamp appearance?

The design of the CDS was inspired by the appearance of traditional fluorescent fixtures. With the CDS, this very popular 2-lamp and 4-lamp look is now available in LED and allows customers to maintain the appearance they know and trust while also capturing the savings of converting to a modern, LED fixture.

What sizes are available with the CDS?

The CDS is available in 4' and 8' lengths with a 2' version coming soon.

Why is the family not limited to 4' design only?

Although most competitors do not offer an 8' LED solution in this category, this configuration is very important on any job site. The availability of 8' fixtures allows contractors to cover twice the distance with half the fixtures when comparing to only 4' solutions.

Can I choose a lumen package for the CDS?

The CDS is easy to order, and there are no lumen packages to select. The CDS delivers the following performance:

Fixture	Lumens
CDS L48	4,200
CDS L96	9,000

What traditional equivalent does the CDS replace?

The CDS is designed to be a one-for-one replacement of traditional fluorescent solutions.

Fixture	Replaces
CDS L48	2-Lamp 32W
CDS L96	4-Lamp 32W



How does the CDS mount?

Surface or suspension mount the CDS to get the mounting configuration that is best for your application.

Can the CDS continuous row mount?

The CDS features a row alignment bracket that allows for fixtures to be joined for continuous row applications. The alignment bracket installs quickly and easily and helps ensure each row maintains proper alignment.

Does the CDS offer end-to-end illumination?

The CDS features uninterrupted illumination across the fixture's lenses. This produces a clean, crisp look and allows for minimal visual disruption in continuous row mount applications.

What color temperatures and CRIs are available?

The CDS is available in 3500K, 4000K and 5000K and is also offered in 80 and 90CRI configurations.

Does the CDS Support 0-10V Dimming?

Yes. The CDS offers 0–10V dimming standard so it can further reduce payback periods by maximizing energy savings.

What is the expected service life of the fixture?

The CDS provides a 50,000 hour service life or 10-years of maintenance free illumination.

Is a battery pack available with the CDS?

An emergency battery pack is not available with the CDS. In instances where a battery pack is required, choose the ZL family of strip lighting products for the space.

