

Convoy M3-C Torch Retrofit (XHP 70.3 HI)



Purpose of Retrofit

- The purpose of this retrofit is to highlight the capabilities of the third generation of the XHP 70 family of LEDs which brings improved optical performance versus previous generations.
- The XHP70 family of LEDs are optimized for applications that require large amount of light output making is suitable for outdoor area, stadium, and architectural applications.
- This particular retrofit places emphasis on the high intensity version of the XHP70.3 in a torch application.

Convoy MC-3 Torch Summary

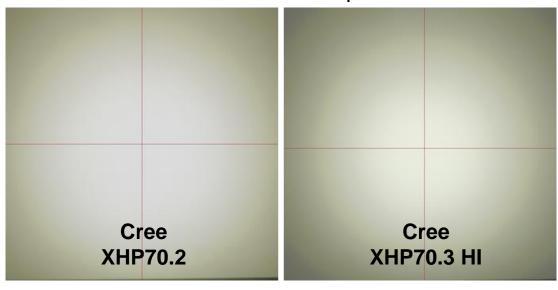
- The Convoy brand is well known amongst flashlight enthusiasts
- The MC3 uses a Cree XHP70.2 LED off the shelf available in a variety of color temperatures
- Utilizes an orange-peel type optical reflector
- Compatible with 26650 or 18650 battery cell options
- Built-in USB-C charging port



XHP70.2 (stock) to XHP70.3 HI (retrofit) Comparison

XHP70.2 (stock) XHP70.3 HI (retrofit) Test Current (A) 2.1 A 2.1 A Luminous Flux (lm) 1611 1574 CCT (K) 5500K 5600K **CRI** 70 68 Beam Angle 19° 14° Peak Candela 14,389 24,276 Candela/lumen 15.42 8.93 Peak Cd @ max 27,339 (4.8A) 63,117 (7.2A) current 3061 (4.8A) Lf @ max current 4100 (7.2A) Max Throw (calculated) (m) 331 m 502 m Max delta u'v' 0.019 0.014

Initial beam shot comparison



^{*} beam projections taken at 2.1A with Radiant Imaging Colorimeter

Application Photos – XHP70.3 HI Retrofit





- * Building photo taken with Nikon D7100, 1/1.6, F4.5, ISO100, distance of 30m
- * Tree photos taken with a Nikon D7100, 15s, F5 and ISO100, distance of 20m

Application Photos – XHP70.3 HI Retrofit





- * Scoreboard photo taken with Nikon D7100, 1/8s, F3.8, ISO100, distance of 50m
- * Woods photo taken with a Nikon D7100, 30s, F8 and ISO100, distance of 15m

Application Photos – XHP70.3 HI Retrofit





- * Rings photo taken with Nikon D7100, 18s, F/4, ISO100, distance of 60m
- * Art photo taken with a Nikon D7100, 10s, F/10 and ISO100, distance of 30m

Parts List

Part	Details / P/N
Convoy MC-3 Torch	SKUG74277-SR1LP
Cree XHP70.3 HI LED mounted on star board	E2 color, P2 brightness, 70 CRI
26650 Battery Cell, 3.7V, 5000mAh	Available from various retailers

Conclusions – XHP70.3 HI Compared to XHP70.2 Torch

- 70% improvement in peak candela at matched drive current
- 72% improvement in candela per lumen, tighter beam angle
- 131% improvement in peak candela at max drive current
- 52% increased throw
- Improved color over angle

