



## AHS36A-S3PC016384

AHS/AHM36

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## Ordering information

Type	part no.
AHS36A-S3PC016384	1105307

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## Detailed technical data

## Safety-related parameters

**MTTF<sub>D</sub> (mean time to dangerous failure)**230 years (EN ISO 13849-1)<sup>1)</sup>

<sup>1)</sup> This product is a standard product and does not constitute a safety component as defined in the Machinery Directive. Calculation based on nominal load of components, average ambient temperature 40 °C, frequency of use 8760 h/a. All electronic failures are considered hazardous. For more information, see document no. 8015532.

## Performance

<b>Number of steps per revolution (max. resolution)</b>	16,384 (14 bit)
<b>Error limits G</b>	0.35° (at 20 °C) <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Repeatability standard deviation σ<sub>r</sub></b>	0.2° (at 20 °C) <sup>2)</sup>

<sup>1)</sup> In accordance with DIN ISO 1319-1, position of the upper and lower error limit depends on the installation situation, specified value refers to a symmetrical position, i.e. deviation in upper and lower direction is the same.

<sup>2)</sup> In accordance with DIN ISO 55350-13; 68.3% of the measured values are inside the specified area.

## Interfaces

<b>Communication interface</b>	SSI
<b>Initialization time</b>	100 ms <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Position forming time</b>	125 µs
<b>Process data</b>	Position
<b>Parameterising data</b>	Number of steps per revolution PRESET Counting direction Code type Offset of position bits Position error bit SSI mode
<b>Code type</b>	Gray, binary

<sup>1)</sup> Valid positional data can be read once this time has elapsed.

<sup>2)</sup> Minimum, LOW level (Clock +): 250 ns.

<b>Code sequence parameter adjustable</b>	CW/CCW (V/R) configurable via programming tool or cable
<b>Clock frequency</b>	2 MHz <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Set (electronic adjustment)</b>	H-active (L = 0 - 3 V, H = 4,0 - U <sub>S</sub> V)
<b>CW/CCW (counting sequence when turning)</b>	L-active (L = 0 - 1 V, H = 2,0 - U <sub>S</sub> V)

1) Valid positional data can be read once this time has elapsed.

2) Minimum, LOW level (Clock +): 250 ns.

## Electronics

<b>Connection type</b>	Male connector, M12, 8-pin, universal
<b>Supply voltage</b>	4.5 ... 32 V DC
<b>Power consumption</b>	≤ 1.5 W (without load)
<b>Reverse polarity protection</b>	✓

## Mechanics

<b>Mechanical design</b>	Solid shaft, face mount flange
<b>Shaft diameter</b>	6 mm
<b>Shaft length</b>	12 mm
<b>Characteristics of the shaft</b>	With flat
<b>Weight</b>	0.12 kg <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Shaft material</b>	Stainless steel
<b>Flange material</b>	Aluminum
<b>Housing material</b>	Zinc
<b>Start up torque</b>	1 Ncm (+20 °C)
<b>Operating torque</b>	< 1 Ncm (+20 °C)
<b>Permissible shaft loading</b>	40 N (radial) 20 N (axial)
<b>Operating speed</b>	≤ 6,000 min <sup>-1</sup> <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Moment of inertia of the rotor</b>	2.5 gcm <sup>2</sup>
<b>Bearing lifetime</b>	3.6 x 10 <sup>8</sup> revolutions
<b>Angular acceleration</b>	≤ 500,000 rad/s <sup>2</sup>

1) Based on devices with male connector.

2) Allow for self-heating of 3.5 K per 1,000 rpm when designing the operating temperature range.

## Ambient data

<b>EMC</b>	According to EN 61000-6-2 and EN 61000-6-3
<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP66 (IEC 60529) IP67 (IEC 60529)
<b>Permissible relative humidity</b>	90 % (Condensation not permitted)
<b>Operating temperature range</b>	-40 °C ... +100 °C
<b>Storage temperature range</b>	-40 °C ... +100 °C, without package
<b>Resistance to shocks</b>	100 g, 6 ms (EN 60068-2-27)
<b>Resistance to vibration</b>	20 g, 10 Hz ... 2,000 Hz (EN 60068-2-6)

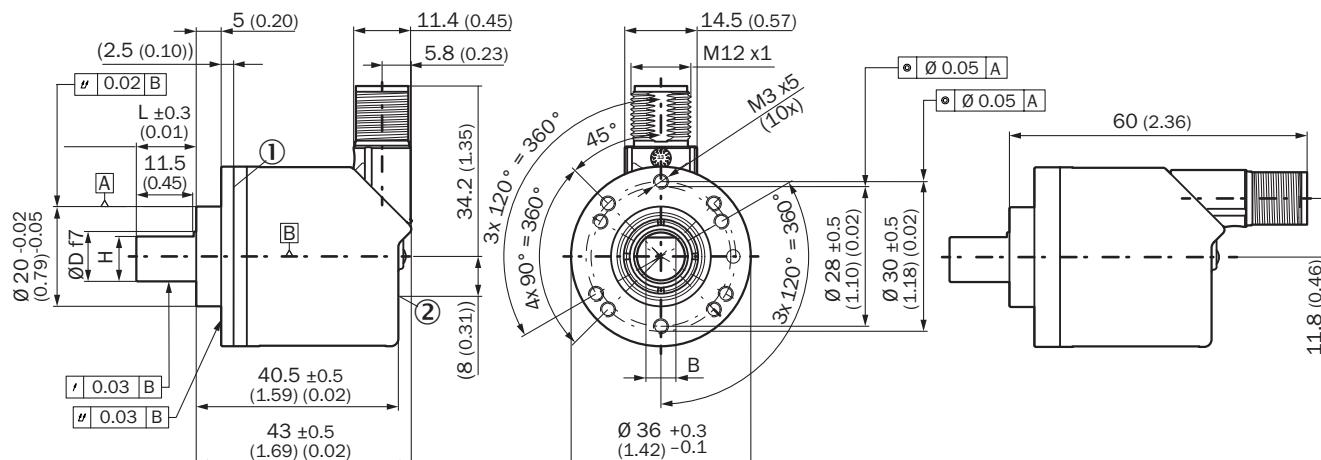
## Classifications

<b>ECLASS 5.0</b>	27270502
<b>ECLASS 5.1.4</b>	27270502
<b>ECLASS 6.0</b>	27270590
<b>ECLASS 6.2</b>	27270590
<b>ECLASS 7.0</b>	27270502
<b>ECLASS 8.0</b>	27270502
<b>ECLASS 8.1</b>	27270502
<b>ECLASS 9.0</b>	27270502
<b>ECLASS 10.0</b>	27270502
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<b>ECLASS 12.0</b>	27270502
<b>ETIM 5.0</b>	EC001486
<b>ETIM 6.0</b>	EC001486
<b>ETIM 7.0</b>	EC001486
<b>ETIM 8.0</b>	EC001486
<b>UNSPSC 16.0901</b>	41112113

## Certificates

<b>EU declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>UK declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>ACMA declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>Moroccan declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>China-RoHS</b>	✓
<b>cTUVus certificate</b>	✓
<b>Information according to Art. 3 of Data Act (Regulation EU 2023/2854)</b>	✓

solid shaft, face mount flange, male connector

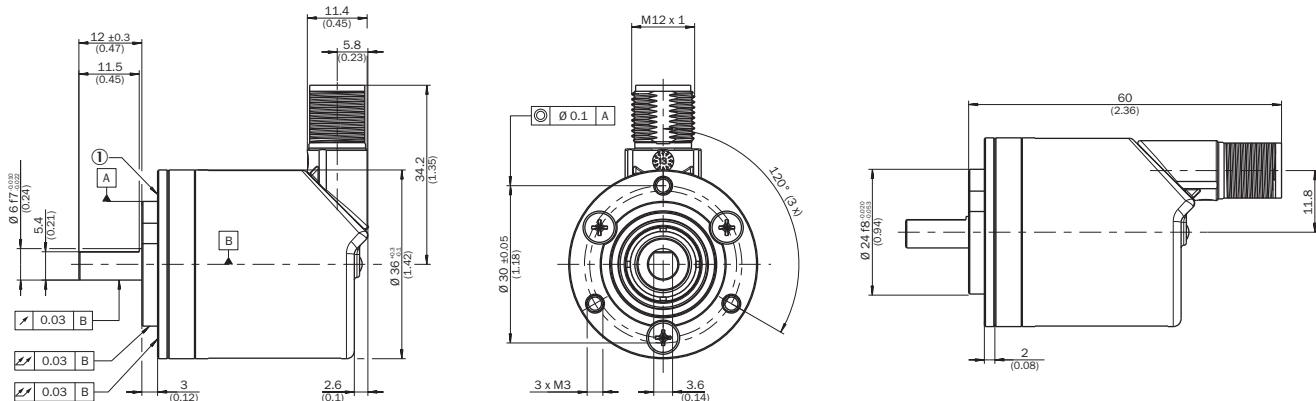


Dimensions in mm (inch)

① Measuring point for operating temperature  
 ② measuring point for vibrations

Type	Shaft diameter Ø D f7	B	H
AHx36x-S1xxxxxxxxAHx36x-S3xxxxxx	6 mm	3,6 mm	5,4 mm
AHx36x-S9xxxxxxxxAHx36x-S5xxxxxx	8 mm	3,9 mm	7,5 mm
AHx36x-S2xxxxxxxxAHx36x-S4xxxxxxxxAHx36x-SCxxxxxxxx	10 mm	6 mm	9 mm
AHx36x-SAxxxxxxxAHx36x-S8xxxxxx	1/4"	3,85 mm	5,7 mm
AHx36x-SBxxxxxxxxAHx36x-S7xxxxxx	3/8"	4,35 mm	9 mm

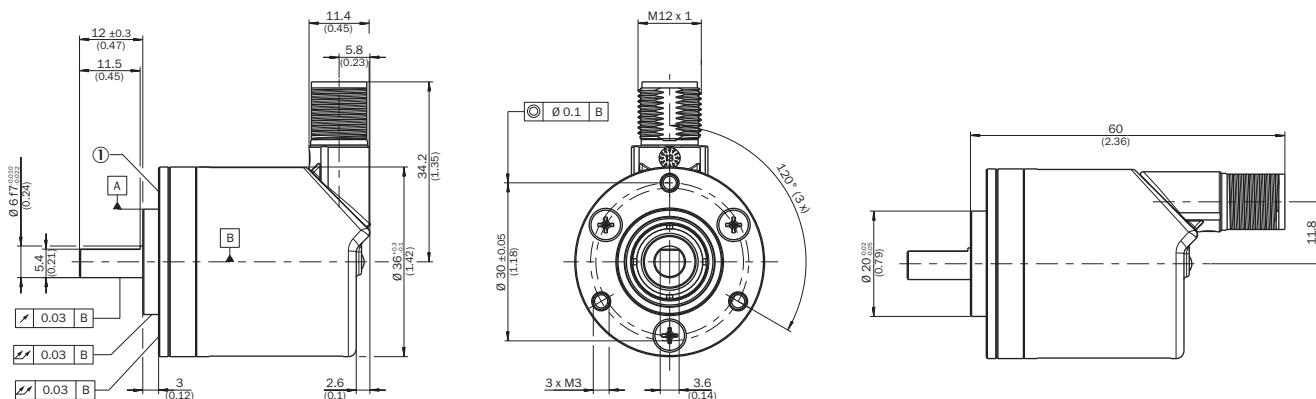
Attachment specifications Solid shaft, face mount flange with flange adapter, centering collar D20 on D24 (BEF-FA-020-024, 2072294)



order example for 6 mm shaft diameter: AHx36x-S3xx0xxxx + BEF-FA-020-024 (adapter is not pre-assembled)

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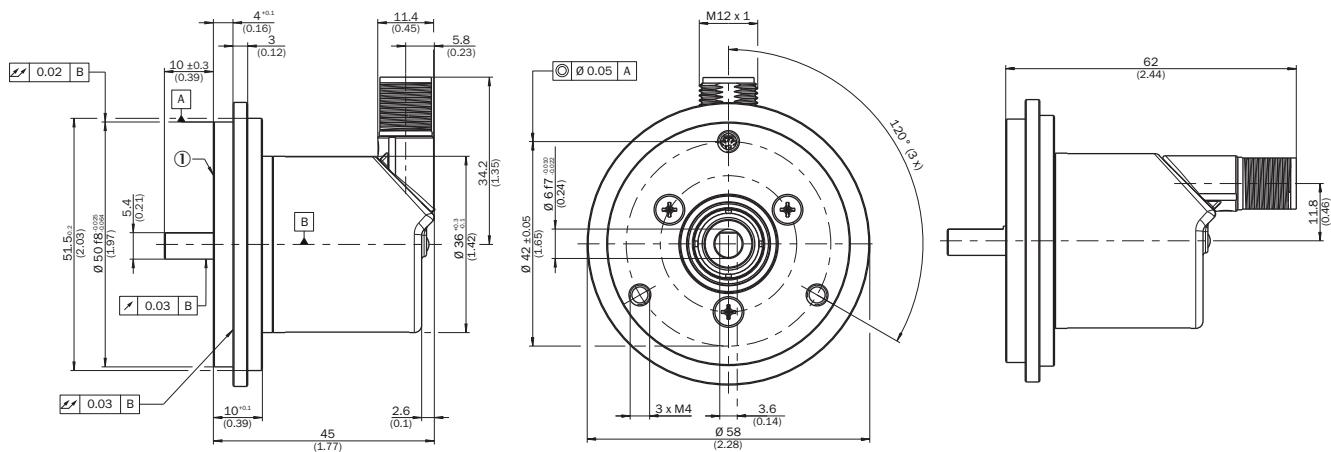
Attachment specifications Solid shaft, face mount flange with flange adapter, centering collar D20 on D36, 2 mm high (BEF-FA-020-036-002, 2072296)



order example for 6 mm shaft diameter: AHx36x-S3xx0xxxx + BEF-FA-020-036-002 (adapter is not pre-assembled)

① Measuring point for operating temperature

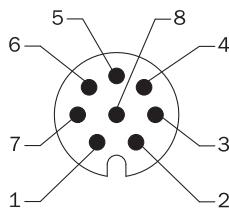
Attachment specifications Solid shaft, face mount flange with flange adapter, centering collar D20 on D50 (BEF-FA-020-050, 2072297)



order example for 6 mm shaft diameter: AHx36x-S3xx0xxxx + BEF-FA-020-050 (adapter is not pre-assembled)

① Measuring point for operating temperature

Anschlussbelegung M12 male connector, 8-pin and cable, 8-wire, SSI/Gray



view of M12 male device connector on encoder

PIN	Wire colors (cable connection)	Signal	Explanation
1	Brown	Data -	Interface signals
2	White	Data +	Interface signals
3	Black	V/R	Sequence in direction of rotation
4	Pink	SET	Electronic adjustment Interface signals
5	Yellow	Clock +	Interface signals
6	Purple	Clock -	Interface signals
7	Blue	GND	Ground connection
8	Red	U <sub>S</sub>	Operating voltage
-	-	Shielding	Screen connected to housing on encoder side. Connected to ground on control side.

## Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
connectors and cables			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> SSI, TTL, HTL, Incremental</li><li><b>Items supplied:</b> By the meter</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 12-wire, UV and saltwater-resistant, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> SSI, shielded, TTL, HTL, Incremental</li></ul>	LTG-2612-MW	6028516
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> SSI, Incremental, HIPERFACE®</li><li><b>Items supplied:</b> By the meter</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> SSI, shielded, Incremental, HIPERFACE®</li></ul>	LTG-2308-MWENC	6027529
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight, A-coded</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> Incremental, SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> CAT5, CAT5e</li><li><b>Description:</b> Incremental, shieldedSSI</li><li><b>Connection systems:</b> IDC quick connection</li><li><b>Permitted cross-section:</b> 0.14 mm² ... 0.34 mm²</li></ul>	DOS-1208-GA01	6045001
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> Incremental, SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 25 m, 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> Incremental, shieldedSSI</li><li><b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li></ul>	DOL-1208-G25MAC1	6067859
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> Incremental, SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 20 m, 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> Incremental, shieldedSSI</li><li><b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li></ul>	DOL-1208-G20MAC1	6032869
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> Incremental, SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 10 m, 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> Incremental, shieldedSSI</li><li><b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li></ul>	DOL-1208-G10MAC1	6032868
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> Incremental, SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> Incremental, shieldedSSI</li><li><b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li></ul>	DOL-1208-G05MAC1	6032867
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> Incremental, SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 2 m, 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> Incremental, shieldedSSI</li><li><b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li></ul>	DOL-1208-G02MAC1	6032866
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 8-pin, straight</li><li><b>Connection type head B:</b> Male connector, D-Sub, 9-pin, straight</li><li><b>Signal type:</b> SSI</li><li><b>Cable:</b> 0.5 m, 8-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li><li><b>Description:</b> SSI, shielded</li><li><b>Note:</b> Suitable for use with SSI interfaces, not suitable for use with SSI + Incremental interface or SSI + Sin/Cos., programming adapter cable for programming tool PGT-10-Pro and PGT-08-S</li></ul>	DSL-2D08-G0M5AC2	2048439

	Brief description	Type	part no.
programming devices			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Programming devices</li> <li><b>Product family:</b> PGT-10 Pro</li> <li><b>Description:</b> Programming unit display for programmable SICK DFS60, DFV60, AFS/AFM60, AHS/AHM36 encoders, and wire draw encoder with DFS60, AFS/AFM60 and AHS/AHM36. Compact dimensions, low weight, and intuitive operation.</li> <li><b>Items supplied:</b> 1 x PGT-10-Pro stand-alone programming tool, 4 x alkaline type batteries, 1.5 V Mignon (AA)</li> </ul>	PGT-10-Pro	1072254
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Programming devices</li> <li><b>Product family:</b> PGT-08-S</li> <li><b>Description:</b> USB programming unit, for programmable SICK encoders AFS60, AFM60, DFS60, VFS60, DFV60 and wire draw encoders with programmable encoders. Not compatible with the portable SOPAS ET versions.</li> </ul>	PGT-08-S	1036616
shaft adaptation			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Shaft adaptation</li> <li><b>Product:</b> Shaft couplings</li> <li><b>Description:</b> Bellows coupling, shaft diameter 6 mm / 6 mm, maximum shaft offset: radial <math>\pm</math> 0.25 mm, axial <math>\pm</math> 0.4 mm, angular <math>\pm</math> 4°; max. speed 10,000 rpm, -30 °C to +120 °C, max. torque 120 Ncm; material: stainless steel bellows, aluminum hub</li> </ul>	KUP-0606-B	5312981
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Shaft adaptation</li> <li><b>Product:</b> Shaft couplings</li> <li><b>Description:</b> Bellows coupling, shaft diameter 6 mm / 10 mm, maximum shaft offset: radial <math>\pm</math> 0.25 mm, axial <math>\pm</math> 0.4 mm, angular <math>\pm</math> 4°; max. speed 10,000 rpm, -30 °C to +120 °C, max. torque 120 Ncm; material: stainless steel bellows, aluminum hub</li> </ul>	KUP-0610-B	5312982
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Shaft adaptation</li> <li><b>Product:</b> Shaft couplings</li> <li><b>Description:</b> Double loop coupling, shaft diameter 6 mm / 10 mm, max. shaft offset: radially <math>\pm</math> 2,5 mm, axially <math>\pm</math> 3 mm, angle <math>\pm</math> 10 degrees; max. speed 3.000 rpm, -30 to +80 degrees Celsius, torsional spring stiffness of 25 Nm/rad</li> </ul>	KUP-0610-D	5326697
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Shaft adaptation</li> <li><b>Product:</b> Shaft couplings</li> <li><b>Description:</b> Spring washer coupling, shaft diameter 6 mm / 10 mm, Maximum shaft offset: radial <math>\pm</math> 0.3 mm, axial <math>\pm</math> 0.4 mm, angular <math>\pm</math> 2.5°; max. speed 12,000 rpm, -10° to +80 °C, max. torque 60 Ncm; material: aluminum flange, glass fiber-reinforced polyamide membrane and hardened steel coupling pin</li> </ul>	KUP-0610-F	5312985
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Product segment:</b> Shaft adaptation</li> <li><b>Product:</b> Shaft couplings</li> <li><b>Description:</b> Claw coupling, shaft diameter 6 mm / 10 mm, damping element 80 shore blue, maximum shaft offset: radial <math>\pm</math> 0.22 mm, axial <math>\pm</math> 1 mm angular <math>\pm</math> 1.3°, max. speed 19,000 rpm, angle of twist max. 10°, -30 °C to +80 °C, max. torque 800 Ncm, tightening torque of screws: ISO 4029 150 Ncm, material: aluminum flange, damping element: polyurethane</li> </ul>	KUP-0610-J	2127056

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