



# GLD20G-1IRC217GZZZ

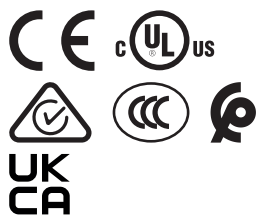
G20

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
GLD20G-1IRC217GZZZ	1138072

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Functional principle detail	With minimum distance to reflector (dual lens system)
Sensing range	
Sensing range min.	0.03 m
Sensing range max.	20 m
Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)	0.03 m ... 20 m
Recommended distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 2)	0.03 m ... 16 m
Reference reflector	Reflector PL80A
Polarisation filters	Yes
Emitted beam	
Light source	LED
Type of light	Visible red light
Shape of light spot	Rectangular
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 200 mm (5,000 mm)
Maximum dispersion of the emitted beam around the standardized transmission axis (squint angle)	< +/- 1.5° (at Ta = +23 °C)
Key LED figures	
Normative reference	EN 62471:2008-09   IEC 62471:2006, modified
LED risk group marking	Free group
Wave length	630 nm
Average service life	100,000 h at Ta = +25 °C

<b>Adjustment</b>	Potentiometer 1	For sensitivity adjustment, 270°
	Operating mode switch	For inverting the switching function (light/dark switching)
	Potentiometer 2	For adjusting the delay time
	Potentiometer 3	For selecting the delay time
<b>Display</b>	LED green	Operating indicatorStatic on: power onStatic off: object present
	LED yellow	Status of received light beamStatic on: object not presentStatic off: object present

## Electronics

Supply voltage U <sub>e</sub>		24 V AC/DC ... 240 V AC/DC <sup>1)</sup>
Ripple		< 10 %
Usage category		DC-13 (according to EN 60947-1) AC-15 (according to EN 60947-1)
Current consumption		≤ 10 mA, Without load At 230 V AC/DC ≤ 45 mA, Without load At 24 V AC/DC
Protection class		II
Digital output		
	Number	2 (Complementary)
	Type	Relay, SPDT, electrically isolated <sup>2)</sup>
	Switching mode	Light/dark switching
	Output current I <sub>max</sub>	4 A@250 V AC, 4 A@24 VDC, 0.11 A@250 V DC
		UL: 4 A@250 V AC, general use
		4 A @ 250 V AC, resistive (NO)
		3 A @ 250 V AC, resistive (NC)
		4 A @ 24 V DC, NO, general use
		3 A @ 24 V DC, NC, general use
		R300/B300 (NO contacts only)
	Response time	≤ 15 ms
	Switching frequency	10 Hz <sup>3)</sup>
	Time functions	Deactivated (factory setting), switch-on delay, off delay, ON and OFF delay
	Delay time	Adjustable via time delay selector switch, 0 ms ... 10,000 ms, 0 ms (factory setting)
Pin/Wire assignment		
	BN	L/(+)
	BU	N/(-)
	WH	Relay COM
	BK	Relay NCRelay output, light switching, object present → output LOW
	GY	Relay NORelay output, dark switching, object present → output HIGH

<sup>1)</sup> ± 10 %.

<sup>2)</sup> Valid only for devices manufactured before June 18, 2023 with a date code of 2324 or earlier. Suitable arc suppression with inductive or capacitive load. Relay contacts are separated from the supply voltage by a base insulation of 3.2 mm. Depending on the application, additional insulation may be required in the user wiring.

<sup>3)</sup> With light/dark ratio 1:1.

## Mechanics

<b>Housing</b>	Rectangular
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<b>Dimensions (W x H x D)</b>	23.5 mm x 74.5 mm x 63 mm
<b>Connection</b>	Cable, 5-wire, 2 m
<b>Connection detail</b>	
Deep-freeze property	Do not bend below 0 °C
Conductor size	0.32 mm <sup>2</sup>
Cable diameter	Ø 5 mm
Length of cable (L)	2 m
<b>Material</b>	
Housing	Plastic, ABS
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Cable	Plastic, PVC
<b>Weight</b>	Approx. 155 g

## Ambient data

<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP67 (EN 60529)
<b>Ambient operating temperature</b>	-30 °C ... +60 °C <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Ambient temperature, storage</b>	-40 °C ... +70 °C
<b>Typ. Ambient light immunity</b>	Sunlight: ≤ 20,000 lx
<b>Shock resistance</b>	30 g, 11 ms (3 positive and 3 negative shocks along X, Y, Z axes, 18 total shocks (EN60068-2-27))
<b>Vibration resistance</b>	10 Hz ... 1,000 Hz (Amplitude 1 mm, 3 x 30 min (EN60068-2-6))
<b>Air humidity</b>	35 % ... 95 %, relative humidity (no condensation)
<b>Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)</b>	EN 60947-5-2, EN 61000-6-3
<b>UL File No.</b>	NRKH.E348498 & NRKH7.E348498

<sup>1)</sup> The max. ambient temperature is 50 °C (UL).

## Certificates

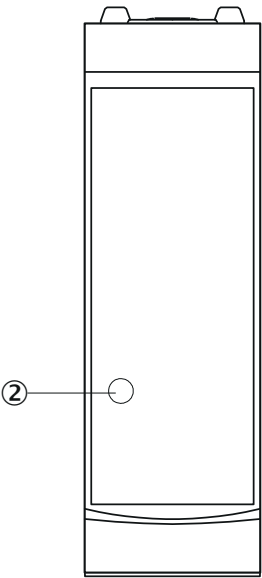
<b>EU declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>UK declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>ACMA declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>Moroccan declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>China-RoHS</b>	✓
<b>CCC certificate</b>	✓
<b>cULus certificate</b>	✓
<b>Photobiological safety (IEC EN 62471)</b>	✓

## Classifications

<b>ECLASS 5.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 5.1.4</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 6.0</b>	27270902
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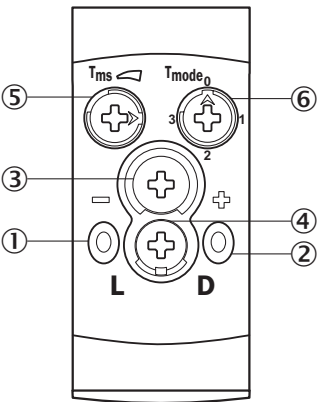
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display and adjustment elements



② LED yellow

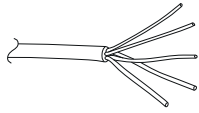
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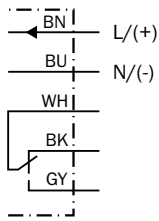
① LED green  
② LED yellow

- ③ Potentiometer 1
- ④ operating mode switch
- ⑤ Potentiometer 2
- ⑥ Potentiometer 3

### Connection type Cable, 5-wire

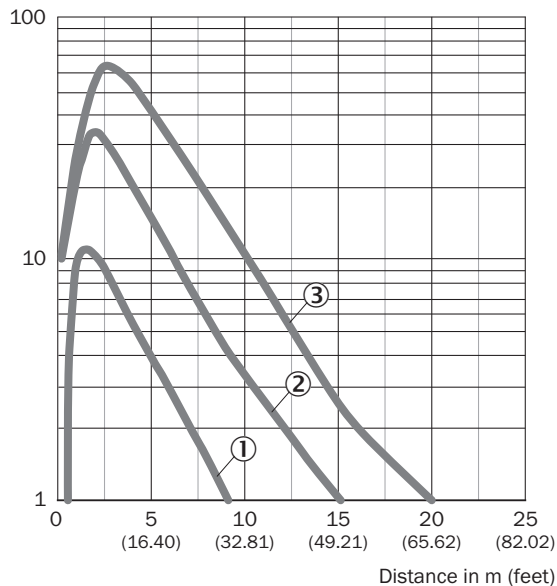


### Connection diagram Cd-579



### Characteristic curve

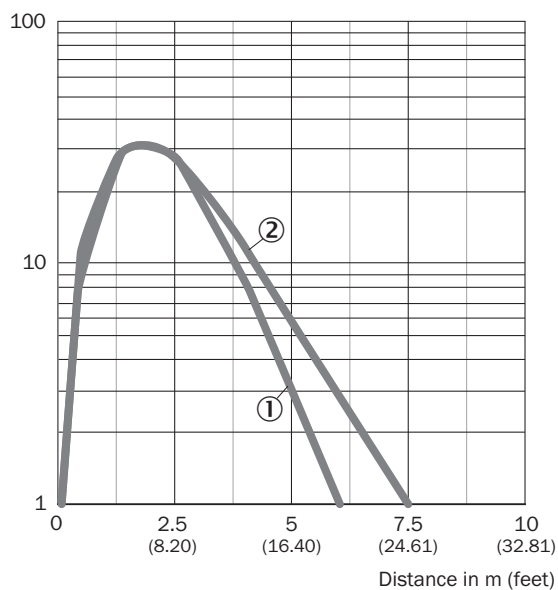
Operating reserve



- ① Reflector PL20A
- ② Reflector PL50A, P250, PL30A, PL31A, PL40A
- ③ reflector PL80A, C110A, PL100

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Operating reserve

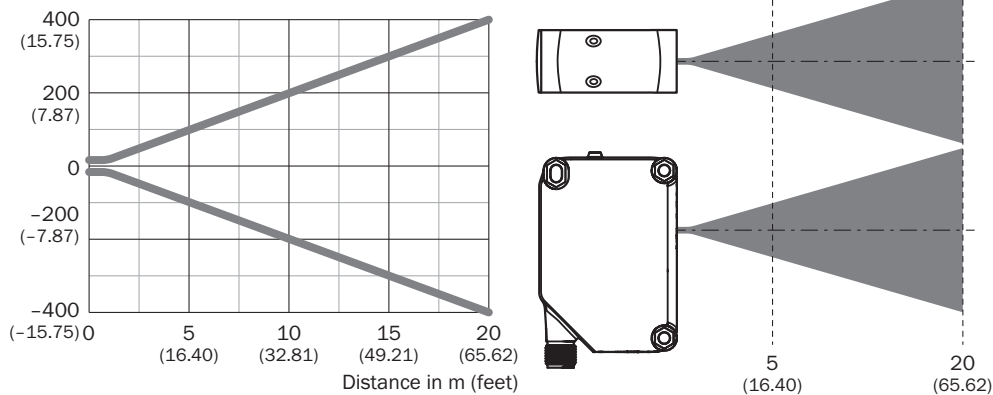


① Reflective tape REF-IRF-56

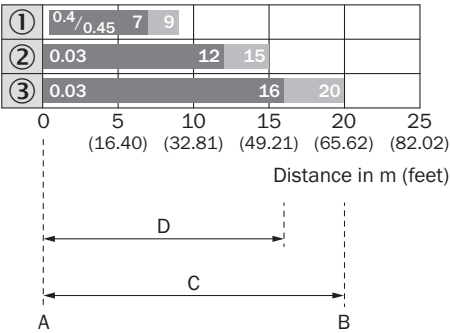
② Diamond Grade reflective tape, 100 mm x 100 mm

## Light spot size

Dimensions in mm (inch)

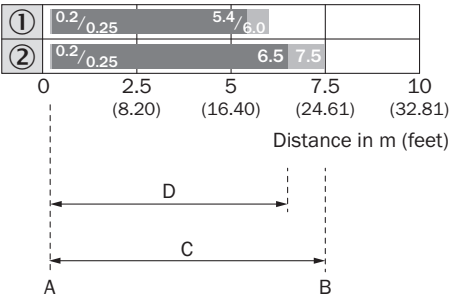


Sensing range diagram



1	Reflector PL20A
2	Reflector PL50A, P250, PL30A, PL31A, PL40A
3	Reflector PL80A, C110A, PL100
A	Sensing range min. in m
B	Sensing range max. in m
C	Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)
D	Recommended distance range from re- flector to sensor (operating reserve 2)

Sensing range diagram



1	Reflective tape REF-IRF-56
2	Diamond Grade reflective tape, 100 mm x 100 mm
A	Sensing range min. in m
B	Sensing range max. in m
C	Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)
D	Recommended distance range from re- flector to sensor (operating reserve 2)




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④ Fixing hole  $\varnothing$  4.3 mm, both sides for hexagon nut M4

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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> Male connector, M12, 5-pin, straight, A-coded</li><li>• <b>Description:</b> Unshielded</li><li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Screw-type terminals</li><li>• <b>Permitted cross-section:</b> ≤ 0.75 mm²</li><li>• <b>Note:</b> For field bus technology</li></ul>	STE-1205-G	6022083

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