



# GTB6L-P3211

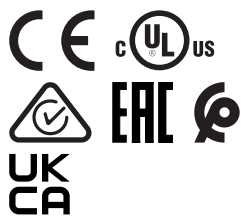
G6

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

| Type        | part no. |
|-------------|----------|
| GTB6L-P3211 | 1117820  |

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Detailed technical data

Features

|                                                                                                 |                                                                                       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Functional principle                                                                            | Photoelectric proximity sensor                                                        |
| Functional principle detail                                                                     | Background suppression                                                                |
| Sensing range                                                                                   |                                                                                       |
| Sensing range min.                                                                              | 10 mm                                                                                 |
| Sensing range max.                                                                              | 400 mm                                                                                |
| Adjustable switching threshold for background suppression                                       | 30 mm ... 400 mm                                                                      |
| Reference object                                                                                | Object with 90% remission factor (complies with standard white according to DIN 5033) |
| Minimum distance between set sensing range and background (black 6% / white 90%)                | 3 mm, at a distance of 75 mm                                                          |
| Recommended sensing range for the best performance                                              | 30 mm ... 180 mm                                                                      |
| Emitted beam                                                                                    |                                                                                       |
| Light source                                                                                    | Laser                                                                                 |
| Type of light                                                                                   | Visible red light                                                                     |
| Shape of light spot                                                                             | Point-shaped                                                                          |
| Light spot size (distance)                                                                      | Ø 0.4 mm (150 mm)                                                                     |
| Maximum dispersion of the emitted beam around the standardized transmission axis (squint angle) | < +/- 1.5° (at Ta = +23 °C)                                                           |
| Key laser figures                                                                               |                                                                                       |
| Normative reference                                                                             | IEC 60825-1 / CDRH 21 CFR 1040.10 & 1040.11                                           |
| Laser class                                                                                     | 1                                                                                     |
| Wave length                                                                                     | 680 nm                                                                                |

|                                              |                                                                                                                      |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pulse duration                               | 2 $\mu$ s                                                                                                            |
| Maximum pulse power                          | $\leq 11.9$ mW                                                                                                       |
| Average service life                         | 100,000 h at $T_a = +25$ °C                                                                                          |
| <b>Smallest detectable object (MDO) typ.</b> |                                                                                                                      |
|                                              | 0.4 mm (at 150 mm distance (object with 90% remission factor (corresponds to standard white according to DIN 5033))) |
| <b>Adjustment</b>                            |                                                                                                                      |
| Potentiometer                                | For setting the sensing range, 5 rotations                                                                           |
| Operating mode switch                        | For inverting the switching function (light/dark switching)                                                          |
| <b>Display</b>                               |                                                                                                                      |
| LED green                                    | Operating indicatorStatic on: power on                                                                               |
| LED yellow                                   | Status of received light beamStatic on: object presentStatic off: object not present                                 |

### Safety-related parameters

|                                     |           |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| <b>MTTF<sub>D</sub></b>             | 662 years |
| <b>DC<sub>avg</sub></b>             | 0 %       |
| <b>T<sub>M</sub> (mission time)</b> | 10 years  |

### Electronics

|                                       |                                                                 |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Supply voltage U<sub>B</sub></b>   | 10 V DC ... 30 V DC <sup>1)</sup>                               |
| <b>Ripple</b>                         | $< 5$ V <sub>pp</sub>                                           |
| <b>Usage category</b>                 | DC-13 (According to EN 60947-5-2)                               |
| <b>Current consumption</b>            | $\leq 20$ mA, without load. At U <sub>B</sub> = 24 V            |
| <b>Protection class</b>               | III                                                             |
| <b>Digital output</b>                 |                                                                 |
| Number                                | 1                                                               |
| Type                                  | PNP                                                             |
| Switching mode                        | Light/dark switching                                            |
| Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW           | Approx. U <sub>B</sub> -3 V / 0 V                               |
| Output current I <sub>max.</sub>      | $\leq 100$ mA <sup>2)</sup>                                     |
| Circuit protection outputs            | Reverse polarity protected                                      |
|                                       | Overcurrent protected                                           |
|                                       | Short-circuit protected                                         |
| Response time                         | $\leq 625$ $\mu$ s                                              |
| Switching frequency                   | 1,000 Hz <sup>3)</sup>                                          |
| <b>Pin/Wire assignment</b>            |                                                                 |
| Function of pin 4/black (BK)          | Digital output, light switching, object present → output Q HIGH |
| Function of pin 4/black (BK) – detail | The pin 4 function of the sensor can be switched                |
|                                       | Additional possible settings via operating mode switch          |

<sup>1)</sup> Limit values.

<sup>2)</sup> At U<sub>B</sub> > 24 V, I max. = 50 mA.

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

## Mechanics

|                               |                                       |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Housing</b>                | Rectangular                           |
| <b>Dimensions (W x H x D)</b> | 12 mm x 31.5 mm x 21 mm               |
| <b>Connection</b>             | Connector M8, 3-pin                   |
| <b>Material</b>               |                                       |
| Housing                       | Plastic, ABS                          |
| Front screen                  | Plastic, PMMA                         |
| Cable                         | Plastic, PVC                          |
| Male connector                | Metal, copper alloy (C3604 CUZN39PB3) |
| <b>Weight</b>                 | Approx. 60 g                          |

## Ambient data

|                                            |                                                                                                   |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Enclosure rating</b>                    | IP67 (EN 60529)                                                                                   |
| <b>Ambient operating temperature</b>       | -20 °C ... +50 °C <sup>1) 2)</sup>                                                                |
| <b>Ambient temperature, storage</b>        | -40 °C ... +70 °C                                                                                 |
| <b>Typ. Ambient light immunity</b>         | Sunlight: ≤ 13,000 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 ... 55 Hz (Amplitude 0.5 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                                                                                      |
| <b>UL File No.</b>                         | NRKH.E348498 & NRKH7.E348498                                                                      |

<sup>1)</sup> As of T<sub>a</sub> => 45 °C, a max. supply voltage U<sub>B</sub> = 24 V and a max. load current I<sub>max.</sub> = 50 mA is permitted.

<sup>2)</sup> Below T<sub>u</sub> = -20 °C, a warm-up time of 3 seconds is required.

## Certificates

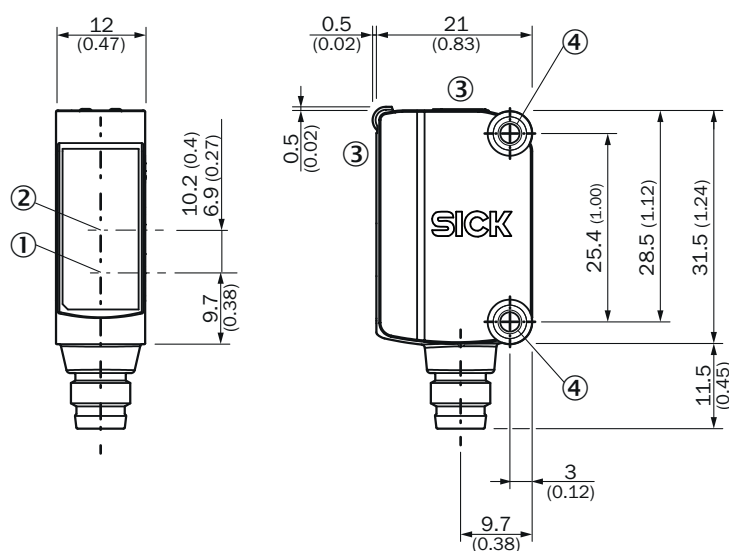
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| <b>EU declaration of conformity</b>                           | ✓ |
| <b>UK declaration of conformity</b>                           | ✓ |
| <b>ACMA declaration of conformity</b>                         | ✓ |
| <b>Moroccan declaration of conformity</b>                     | ✓ |
| <b>China-RoHS</b>                                             | ✓ |
| <b>cULus certificate</b>                                      | ✓ |
| <b>EAC certificate / DoC</b>                                  | ✓ |
| <b>Laser safety (IEC 60825-1) declaration of manufacturer</b> | ✓ |

## Classifications

|                     |          |
|---------------------|----------|
| <b>ECLASS 5.0</b>   | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 5.1.4</b> | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 6.0</b>   | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 6.2</b>   | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 7.0</b>   | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 8.0</b>   | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 8.1</b>   | 27270904 |

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| <b>ECLASS 9.0</b>     | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 10.0</b>    | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 11.0</b>    | 27270904 |
| <b>ECLASS 12.0</b>    | 27270903 |
| <b>ETIM 5.0</b>       | EC002719 |
| <b>ETIM 6.0</b>       | EC002719 |
| <b>ETIM 7.0</b>       | EC002719 |
| <b>ETIM 8.0</b>       | EC002719 |
| <b>UNSPSC 16.0901</b> | 39121528 |

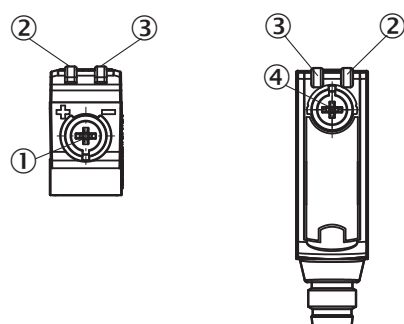
## Dimensional drawing



Dimensions in mm (inch)

- ① Center of optical axis, sender
- ② Center of optical axis, receiver
- ③ display and adjustment elements
- ④ Mounting holes M3

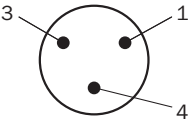
## display and adjustment elements



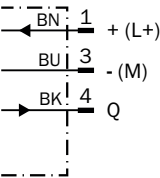
- ① Potentiometer
- ② LED yellow

- ③ LED green
- ④ operating mode switch

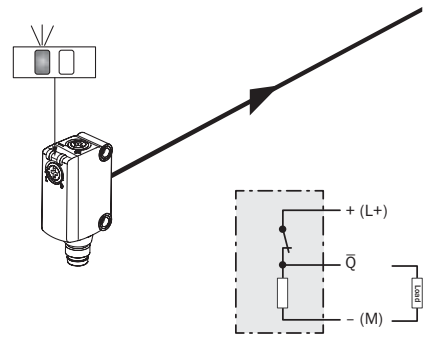
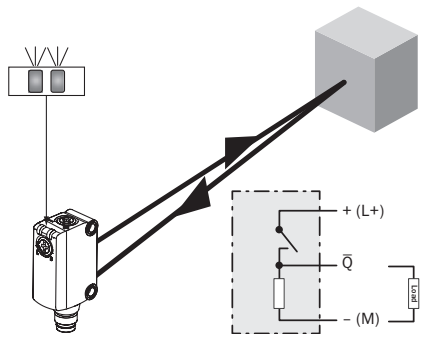
Connection type Connector M8, 3-pin



Connection diagram Cd-045



Truth table PNP - dark switching

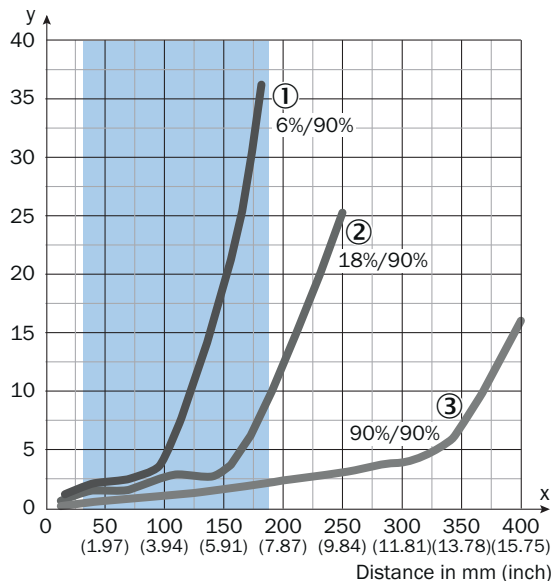
|                         | Dark switching $\bar{Q}$ (normally closed)                                           |                                                                                       |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                         | Object not present → Output HIGH                                                     | Object present → Output LOW                                                           |
| Light receive           | ✗                                                                                    | ✓                                                                                     |
| Light receive indicator | ✗                                                                                    | ☀                                                                                     |
| Load resistance         | ⚡                                                                                    | ✗                                                                                     |
|                         |  |  |

## Truth table PNP - light switching

|                         | Light switching Q (normally open) |                              |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|
|                         | Object not present → Output LOW   | Object present → Output HIGH |
| Light receive           | ✗                                 | ✓                            |
| Light receive indicator | ✗                                 | ☀                            |
| Load resistance         | ✗                                 | ⚡                            |
|                         |                                   |                              |

## Characteristic curve

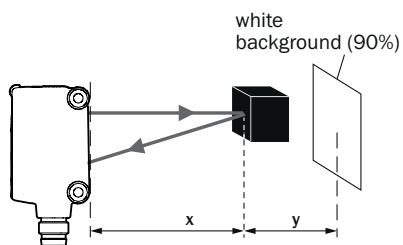
Minimum distance in mm (y) between the set sensing range (x) and white background (90% remission)



Recommended sensing range for the best performance

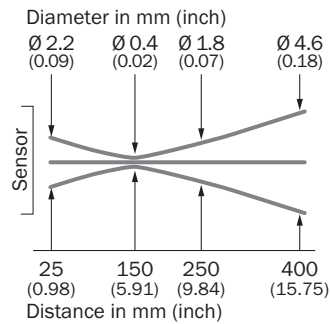
- ① Black object, 6% remission factor
- ② Gray object, 18% remission factor
- ③ White object, 90% remission factor

Example:  
Safe suppression of the background

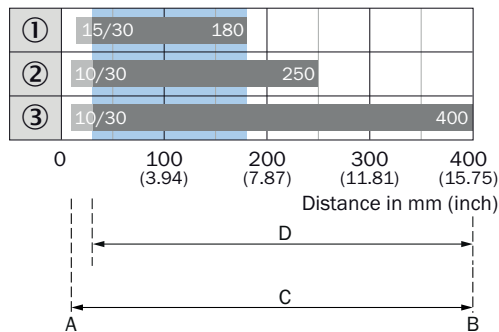


Black object (6% remission)  
Set sensing range  $x = 150$  mm. Needed minimum distance to white background  $y = 20$  mm.

## Light spot size



## Sensing range diagram



A = Sensing range min. in mm  
B = Sensing range max. in mm  
C = Viewing range  
D = Adjustable switching threshold for background suppression

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- ① Black object, 6% remission factor
- ② Gray object, 18% remission factor
- ③ White object, 90% remission factor

## Recommended accessories

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|                                                                                     | Brief description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Type           | part no. |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------|
| Mounting systems                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                |          |
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Description:</b> Clamp bar to fix G6 sensors on rods of 12 mm, clamp-on design up to 4 mm wall thickness</li> <li><b>Material:</b> Steel</li> <li><b>Details:</b> Aluminum (clamp bar), stainless steel (bracket)</li> <li><b>Items supplied:</b> Clamp bar mounting and clamp function, mounting bracket, mounting hardware</li> </ul> | BEF-KHS-IS12G6 | 2086865  |
|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Material:</b> Stainless steel</li> <li><b>Details:</b> Stainless steel (1.4301)</li> <li><b>Suitable for:</b> W4S</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                            | BEF-WN-G6      | 2062909  |



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