



GTE6-P6231 G6

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
GTE6-P6231	1080231

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Illustration may differ



Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor	
Functional principle detail	Energetic	
Sensing range max.	30 mm ... 900 mm	
Sensing range	40 mm ... 760 mm	
Emitted beam		
Light source	PinPoint LED	
Type of light	Visible red light	
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 5 mm (150 mm)	
Key LED figures		
Wave length	650 nm	
Adjustment	Mechanical spindle, 5 turns	

Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	1,749 years
DC_{avg}	0 %
T_M (mission time)	20 years

Electronics

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	$\pm 10\%$ ²⁾
Current consumption	30 mA ³⁾
Protection class	III
Digital output	
Type	PNP
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Switching mode selector	Selectable via light/dark selector
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	V_S - (≤ 3 V) / approx. 0 V
Output current $I_{max.}$	≤ 100 mA ⁴⁾
Response time	< 1.25 ms ⁵⁾
Switching frequency	500 Hz ⁶⁾
Circuit protection	
	A ⁷⁾
	B ⁸⁾
	D ⁹⁾

¹⁾ Limit values when operated in short-circuit protected network: max. 8 A.

²⁾ May not fall below or exceed U_V tolerances.

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ At $U_V > 24$ V, I_A max. = 50 mA.

⁵⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁶⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁷⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁸⁾ B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

⁹⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

Mechanics

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 31.5 mm x 21 mm
Connection	Cable with M8 male connector, 4-pin, 300 mm ¹⁾
Connection detail	
Conductor size	0.14 mm ²
Length of cable (L)	300 mm ¹⁾
Material	
Housing	Plastic, ABS/PC
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Cable	Plastic, PVC
Weight	60 g

¹⁾ Do not bend below 0 °C.

Ambient data

Enclosure rating	IP67
Ambient operating temperature	-25 °C ... +55 °C ¹⁾

¹⁾ Temperature stability following adjustment +/-10 °C.

Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +70 °C
UL File No.	E348498

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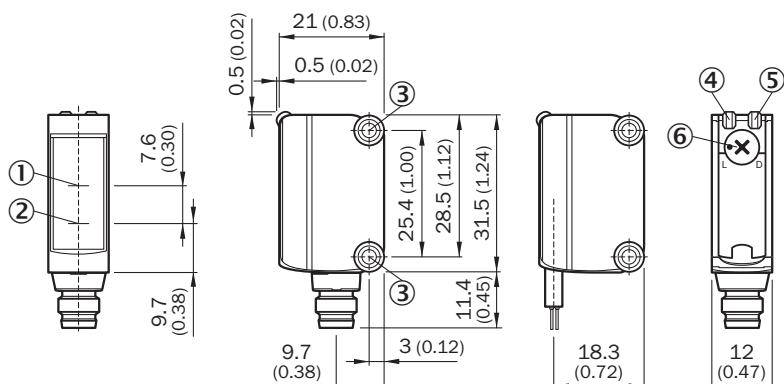
Certificates

EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China-RoHS	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Photobiological safety (DIN EN 62471) certificate	✓

Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270903
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270903
ECLASS 6.0	27270903
ECLASS 6.2	27270903
ECLASS 7.0	27270903
ECLASS 8.0	27270903
ECLASS 8.1	27270903
ECLASS 9.0	27270903
ECLASS 10.0	27270904
ECLASS 11.0	27270904
ECLASS 12.0	27270903
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ETIM 7.0	EC002719
ETIM 8.0	EC002719
UNSPSC 16.0901	39121528

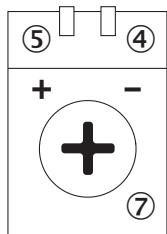
Dimensional drawing



Dimensions in mm (inch)

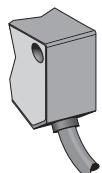
- ① Optical axis, receiver
- ② Optical axis, sender
- ③ Mounting holes M3
- ④ LED indicator green: Supply voltage active
- ⑤ LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
- ⑥ Light/ dark rotary switch: L = light switching, D = dark switching

Adjustments Adjustment possibility

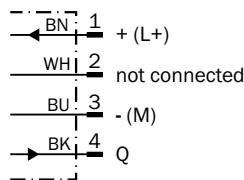


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- ⑦ Sensitivity control: potentiometer

Connection type

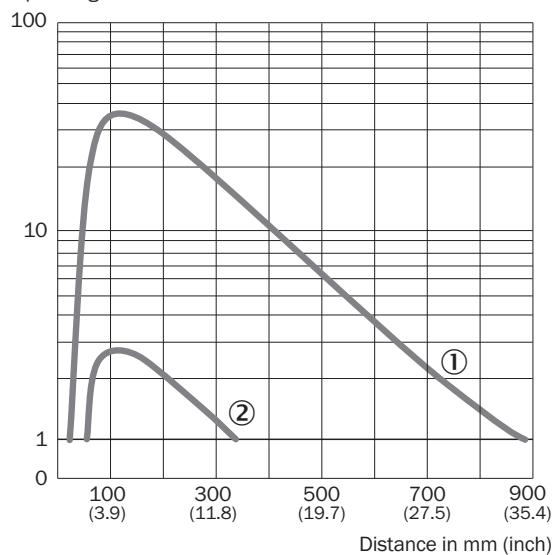


Connection diagram Cd-066



Characteristic curve

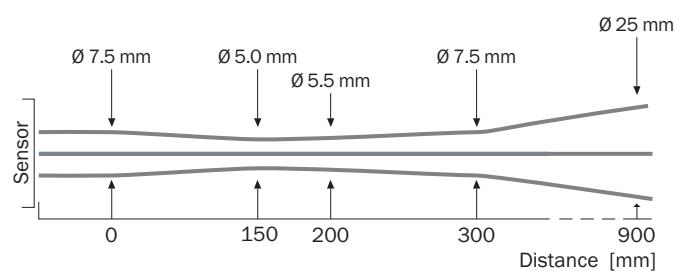
Operating reserve



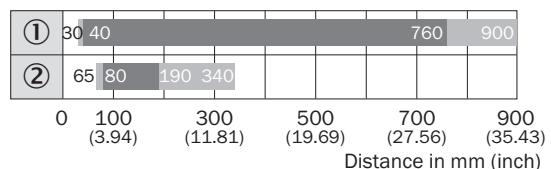
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Light spot size



Sensing range diagram



█ Sensing range █ Sensing range, typ. max.

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Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
connectors and cables			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Connection type head A: Female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-codedConnection type head B: Flying leadsSignal type: Sensor/actuator cableCable: 5 m, 4-wire, PVCDescription: Sensor/actuator cable, unshieldedApplication: Zones with chemicals, Uncontaminated zones	YF8U14-050VA3XLEAX	2095889
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Connection type head A: Male connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-codedDescription: UnshieldedConnection systems: Screw-type terminalsPermitted cross-section: 0.14 mm² ... 0.5 mm²	STE-0804-G	6037323
Mounting systems			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Description: Clamp bar to fix G6 sensors on rods of 12 mm, clamp-on design up to 4 mm wall thicknessMaterial: SteelDetails: Aluminum (clamp bar), stainless steel (bracket)Items supplied: Clamp bar mounting and clamp function, mounting bracket, mounting hardware	BEF-KHS-IS12G6	2086865
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Material: Stainless steelDetails: Stainless steel (1.4301)Suitable for: W4S	BEF-WN-G6	2062909

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