



WTB4FA-22161120A00

W4

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
WTB4FA-22161120A00	1127193

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Illustration may differ



Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Background suppression, LineSpot technology
Sensing range	
Sensing range min.	7 mm
Sensing range max.	150 mm
Adjustable switching threshold for background suppression	15 mm ... 150 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%)	1 mm, at a distance of 50 mm
Recommended sensing range for the best performance	30 mm ... 80 mm
Emitted beam	
Light source	PinPoint LED
Type of light	Visible red light
Shape of light spot	Line-shaped
Light spot size (distance)	1.4 mm x 19 mm (50 mm)
Maximum dispersion of the emitted beam around the standardized transmission axis (squint angle)	< +/- 1.5° (at Ta = +23 °C)
Key LED figures	

Adjustment	Normative reference	EN 62471:2008-09 IEC 62471:2006, modified
	LED risk group marking	Free group
	Wave length	635 nm
	Average service life	100,000 h at $T_a = +25^\circ\text{C}$
Display	Teach-Turn adjustment	BluePilot: For setting the sensing range
	IO-Link	For configuring the sensor parameters and Smart Task functions
	LED blue	BluePilot: sensing range indicator
	LED green	Operating indicatorStatic on: power on/Flashing: IO-Link mode
	LED yellow	Status of received light beamStatic on: object presentStatic off: object not present

Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	642 years
DC_{avg}	0%
T_M (mission time)	20 years

Communication interface

IO-Link	✓, IO-Link V1.1
Data transmission rate	COM2 (38,4 kBaud)
Cycle time	2.3 ms
Process data length	16 Bit
Process data structure	Bit 0 = switching signal Q_{L1} Bit 1 = switching signal Q_{L2} Bit 2 ... 15 = Current receiver level (live)
VendorID	26
DeviceID HEX	0x800303
DeviceID DEC	8389379
Compatible master port type	A
SIO mode support	Yes

Electronics

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	$\leq 5 \text{ V}_{\text{pp}}$
Usage category	DC-12 (According to EN 60947-5-2) DC-13 (According to EN 60947-5-2)
Current consumption	$\leq 25 \text{ mA}$, without load. At $U_B = 24 \text{ V}$
Protection class	III
Digital output	
Number	2 (Complementary)
Type	Push-pull: PNP/NPN

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Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	Approx. U_B -2.5 V / 0 V
Signal voltage NPN HIGH/LOW	Approx. U_B / < 2.5 V
Output current I_{max}	≤ 100 mA
Circuit protection outputs	Reverse polarity protected
	Overcurrent protected
	Short-circuit protected
Response time	≤ 500 μ s ²⁾
Repeatability (response time)	150 μ s
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz ³⁾
Pin/Wire assignment	
Function of pin 4/black (BK)	Digital output, light switching, object present → output Q_{L1} HIGH; IO-Link communication C ⁴⁾
Function of pin 4/black (BK) – detail	The pin 4 function of the sensor can be configured
	Additional possible settings via IO-Link
Function of pin 2/white (WH)	Digital output, dark switching, object present → output \bar{Q}_{L1} LOW ⁴⁾
Function of pin 2/white (WH) – detail	The pin 2 function of the sensor can be configured
	Additional possible settings via IO-Link

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Mechanics

Housing	Rectangular
Design detail	Flat
Dimensions (W x H x D)	16 mm x 40.1 mm x 12.1 mm
Connection	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Material	
Housing	Plastic, VISTAL®
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Male connector	Plastic, VISTAL®
Weight	Approx. 30 g
Maximum tightening torque of the fixing screws	0.4 Nm

Ambient data

Enclosure rating	IP66 (EN 60529) IP67 (EN 60529)
Ambient operating temperature	-40 °C ... +60 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +75 °C
Typ. Ambient light immunity	Artificial light: $\leq 50,000$ lx Sunlight: $\leq 50,000$ lx
Shock resistance	30 g, 11 ms (3 positive and 3 negative shocks along X, Y, Z axes, 18 total shocks (EN60068-2-27))
Vibration resistance	10 Hz ... 1,000 Hz (Amplitude 1 mm, 3 x 30 min (EN60068-2-6))

Air humidity	35 % ... 95 %, relative humidity (no condensation)
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	EN 60947-5-2
Resistance to cleaning agent	ECOLAB
UL File No.	NRKH.E181493 & NRKH7.E181493

Smart Task

Smart Task name	Base logics
Logic function	Direct AND OR
Timer function	Deactivated Switch-on delay Off delay ON and OFF delay Impulse (one shot)
Inverter	Yes
Switching frequency	SIO Logic: 900 Hz ¹⁾ IOL: 800 Hz ²⁾
Response time	SIO Logic: 550 µs ¹⁾ IOL: 600 µs ²⁾
Repeatability	SIO Logic: 200 µs ¹⁾ IOL: 250 µs ²⁾
Switching signal	
Switching signal Q _{L1}	Switching output
Switching signal Q̄ _{L1}	Switching output

¹⁾ Use of Smart Task functions without IO-Link communication (SIO mode).

²⁾ Use of Smart Task functions with IO-Link communication function.

Diagnosis

Device temperature	
Measuring range	Very cold, cold, moderate, warm, hot
Device status	Yes
Detailed device status	Yes
Operating hour counter	Yes
Operating hours counter with reset function	Yes
Quality of teach	Yes

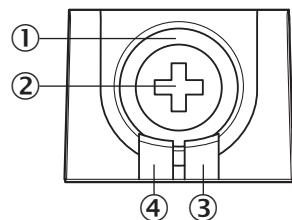
Certificates

EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
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ECOLAB certificate	✓
cULus certificate	✓
EAC certificate / DoC	✓
IO-Link	✓

Classifications

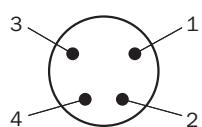
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display and adjustment elements

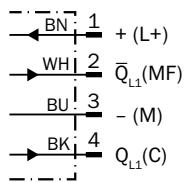


- ① LED blue
- ② Teach-Turn adjustment
- ③ LED yellow
- ④ LED green

Connection type Male connector M8, 4-pin



Connection diagram Cd-490

Truth table Push-pull: PNP/NPN – dark switching \bar{Q}

Dark switching \bar{Q} (normally closed (upper switch), normally open (lower switch))		
	Object not present → Output HIGH	Object present → Output LOW
Light receive	✗	✓
Light receive indicator	✗	✗
Load resistance to L+	✗	⚡
Load resistance to M	⚡	✗

Diagram showing a photoelectric sensor with a light source and a receiver. An arrow points from the receiver to the sensor body. Below is a circuit diagram showing a normally closed switch (top) and a normally open switch (bottom) in series with the output line. The output is labeled \bar{Q} .

Diagram showing a photoelectric sensor with a light source and a receiver. A gray cube is positioned in front of the receiver. An arrow points from the receiver to the sensor body. Below is a circuit diagram showing a normally closed switch (top) and a normally open switch (bottom) in series with the output line. The output is labeled \bar{Q} .

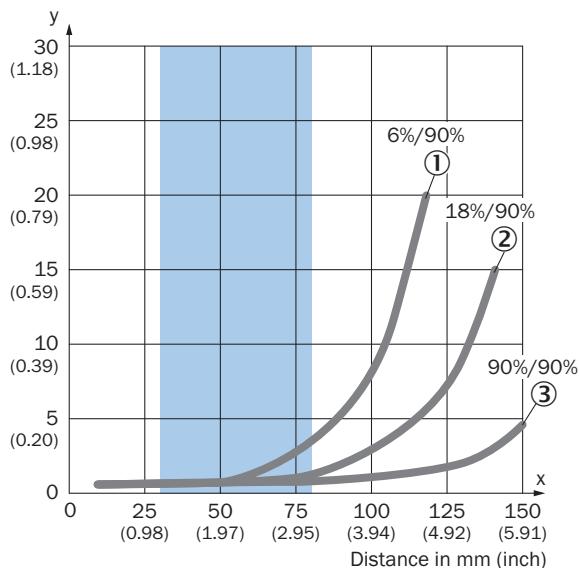
Truth table Push-pull: PNP/NPN - light switching Q

Light switching Q (normally open (upper switch), normally closed (lower switch))		
	Object not present → Output LOW	Object present → Output HIGH
Light receive	✗	✓
Light receive indicator	✗	✗
Load resistance to L+	⚡	✗
Load resistance to M	✗	⚡

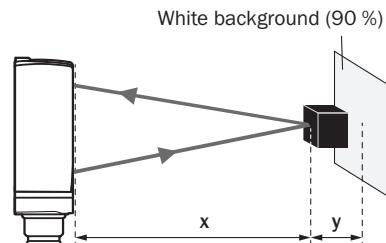



Characteristic curve

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



Example:
Safe suppression of the background



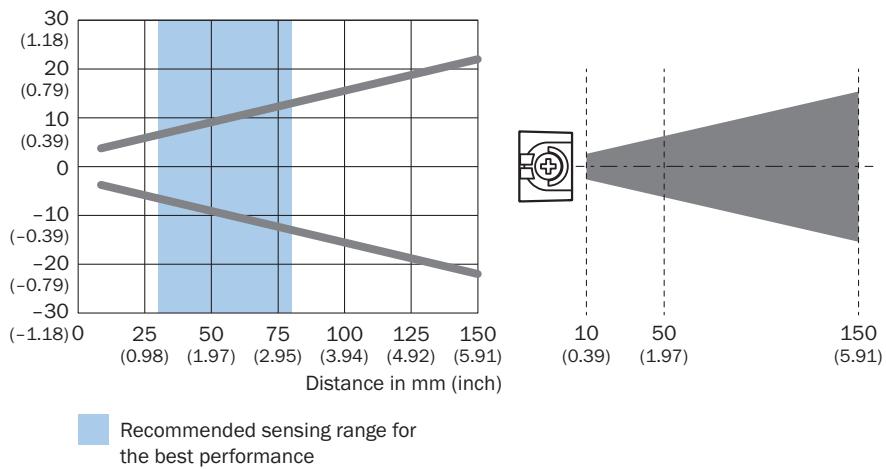
Black object (6 % remission)
Set sensing range $x = 100$ mm
Needed minimum distance to white background $y = 8$ mm

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

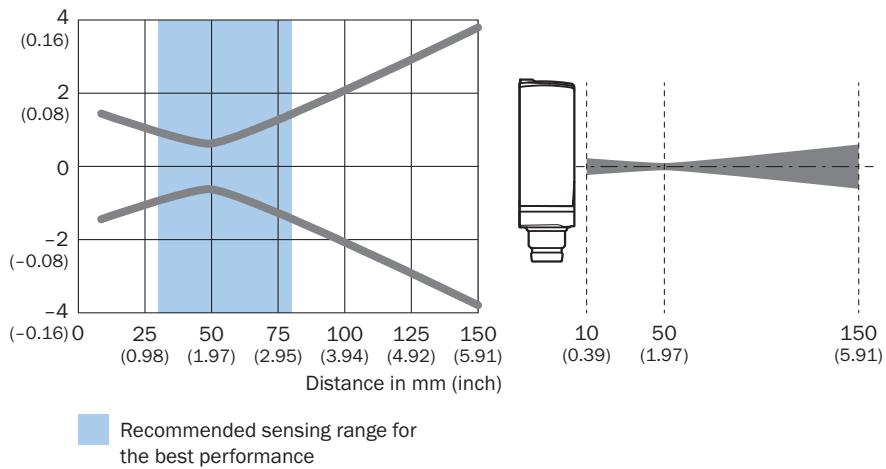
Light spot size

Dimensions in mm (inch)

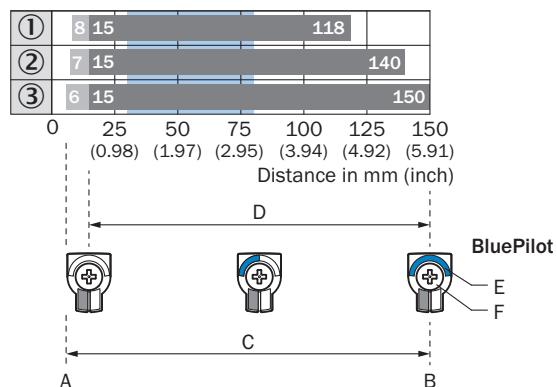


Light spot size Vertical

Dimensions in mm (inch)



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

E = Sensing range indicator

F = Teach-Turn adjustment

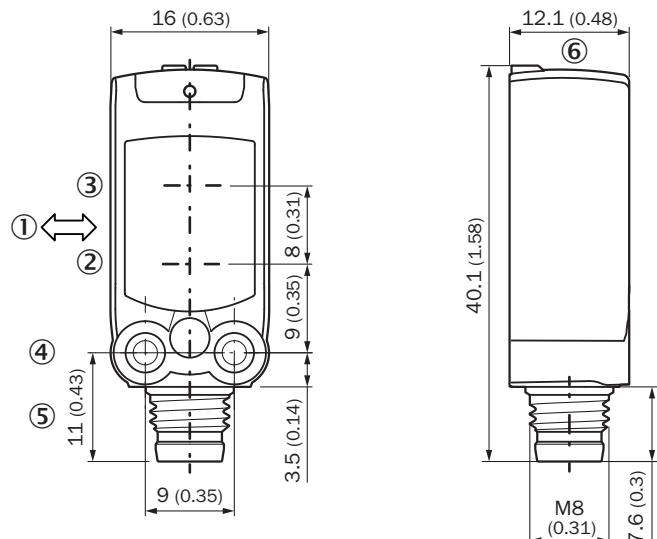
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Dimensional drawing



Dimensions in mm (inch)

① Standard direction of the material being detected

② Center of optical axis, sender

③ Center of optical axis, receiver

④ M3 mounting hole

⑤ Connection

⑥ display and adjustment elements

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Description: Mounting bracket for wall mountingMaterial: Stainless steelDetails: Stainless steel 1.4571Items supplied: Mounting hardware includedSuitable for: W4S, W4F, W4S	BEF-W4-A	2051628
connectors and cables			
	<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
	<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

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