



VT18-204470

V18

CYLINDRICAL PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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### Ordering information

Type	Part no.
VT18-204470	6012019

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Illustration may differ



### Detailed technical data

#### Features

<b>Device type</b>	Photoelectric sensors
<b>Sensor/ detection principle</b>	Photoelectric proximity sensor, Background suppression
<b>Dimensions (W x H x D)</b>	18 mm x 18 mm x 92 mm
<b>Housing design (light emission)</b>	Cylindrical
<b>Housing length</b>	92 mm
<b>Thread diameter (housing)</b>	M18 x 1
<b>Optical axis</b>	Axial
<b>Sensing range max.</b>	2 mm ... 100 mm <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Sensing range</b>	≤ 100 mm <sup>2) 3)</sup>
<b>Focus</b>	Approx. 3.5°
<b>Type of light</b>	Infrared light
<b>Light source</b>	LED <sup>4)</sup>
<b>Light spot size (distance)</b>	Ø 12 mm (130 mm)
<b>Angle of dispersion</b>	Approx. 3.5°
<b>Adjustment</b>	None

<sup>1)</sup> Object with 90 % reflectance (referred to standard white, DIN 5033).

<sup>2)</sup> Fix.

<sup>3)</sup> Background blanking at 115 mm.

<sup>4)</sup> Average service life: 100,000 h at T<sub>J</sub> = +25 °C.

#### Mechanics/electronics

<b>Supply voltage</b>	10 V DC ... 30 V DC <sup>1)</sup>
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<sup>2)</sup> May not exceed or fall below U<sub>V</sub> tolerances.

<sup>3)</sup> Without load.

<sup>4)</sup> Signal transit time with resistive load.

<sup>5)</sup> With light/dark ratio 1:1.

<sup>6)</sup> A = V<sub>S</sub> connections reverse-polarity protected.

<sup>7)</sup> B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

<sup>8)</sup> C = interference suppression.

<sup>9)</sup> D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

<b>Ripple</b>	$\pm 10\%$ <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Current consumption</b>	30 mA <sup>3)</sup>
<b>Switching output</b>	NPN PNP
<b>Switching mode</b>	Light/dark switching
<b>Output current I<sub>max.</sub></b>	$\leq 100$ mA
<b>Response time</b>	$\leq 6.25$ ms <sup>4)</sup>
<b>Switching frequency</b>	80 Hz <sup>5)</sup>
<b>Connection type</b>	Male connector M12, 4-pin
<b>Circuit protection</b>	A <sup>6)</sup> B <sup>7)</sup> C <sup>8)</sup> D <sup>9)</sup>
<b>Protection class</b>	III
<b>Weight</b>	30 g
<b>Housing material</b>	Plastic, PBT/PC
<b>Optics material</b>	Plastic, PMMA
<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP67
<b>Ambient operating temperature</b>	-25 °C ... +70 °C
<b>Ambient temperature, storage</b>	-25 °C ... +75 °C
<b>UL File No.</b>	NMFT2.E175606

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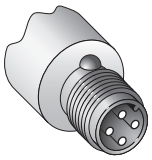
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## Classifications

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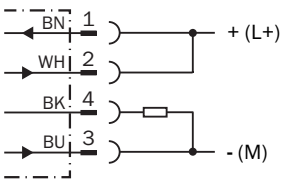
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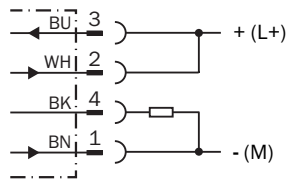
### Connection diagram

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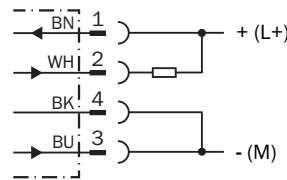
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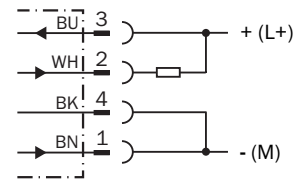
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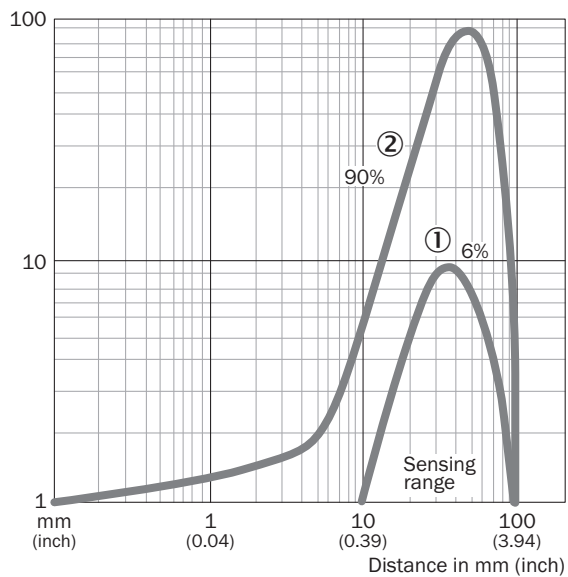
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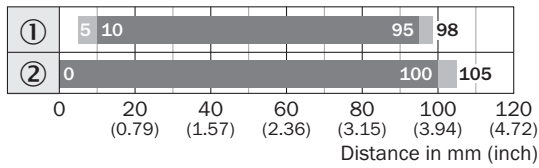
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### Characteristic curve



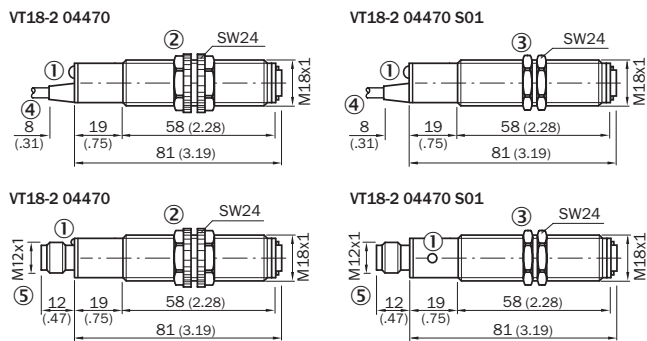
### Sensing range diagram



■ Sensing range      ■ Sensing range typ. max.

- ① Sensing range on black, 6 % remission
- ② Sensing range on white, 90 % remission

### Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))






- ① Red LED signal strength indicator
- ② Locking nut made of plastic (SW 24) – included
- ③ Locking nut made of metal (SW 24) – included
- ④ Connecting cable
- ⑤ Equipment plug M 12, 4 pin

- ① Red LED: light reception
- ② Fastening nuts (2 x), width across 24 mm, plastic, (included)
- ③ Fastening nuts (2 x); width across 24, metal(included with delivery)
- ④ Connection cable
- ⑤ Male connector M12, 4-pin

### Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
<b>Mounting brackets and plates</b>			
	Mounting bracket for M18 sensors, steel, zinc coated, without mounting hardware	BEF-WN-M18	5308446

	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Plug connectors and cables			
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PVC, unshielded, 5 m	YF2A14-050VB3XLEAX	2096235
	Head A: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: - Cable: unshielded	STE-1204-G	6009932

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