



WL27X-3P3431

W27-3 Ex

COMPACT PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
WL27X-3P3431	1029955

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Illustration may differ



Detailed technical data

Features

Sensor/ detection principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Dimensions (W x H x D)	31.4 mm x 112.3 mm x 70.4 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Rectangular
Sensing range max.	0.1 m ... 15 m ¹⁾
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Focus	Approx. 1.5°
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	LED ²⁾
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 220 mm (10 m)
Angle of dispersion	Approx. 1.5°
Wave length	660 nm
Adjustment	Potentiometer
Special applications	Explosive areas

¹⁾ Reflector PL80A.

²⁾ Average service life: 100,000 h at T_U = +25 °C.

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
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²⁾ May not exceed or fall below U_V tolerances.

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁵⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁶⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁷⁾ B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

⁸⁾ C = interference suppression.

⁹⁾ Reference voltage: 50 V DC.

Ripple	< 5 V _{pp} ²⁾
Current consumption	35 mA ³⁾
Switching output	PNP
Output function	Complementary
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	Approx. V _S - 2.5 V / 0 V
Output current I_{max.}	≤ 100 mA
Response time	≤ 500 μs ⁴⁾
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz ⁵⁾
Connection type	Cable with M12 male connector, 4-pin, 300 mm
Cable material	PVC
Circuit protection	A ⁶⁾ B ⁷⁾ C ⁸⁾
Protection class	II ⁹⁾
Weight	750 g
Polarisation filter	✓
Housing material	Stainless steel, Stainless steel V2A (1.4301) Plastic
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67
ATEX marking	EX II 3G EX nA op is IIB T4 Gc X EX II 3D EX tc IIIB T135 °C Dc X
Ex area category	3D, 3G
Ambient operating temperature	-20 °C ... +50 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +75 °C

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Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	1,646 years
DC_{avg}	0 %

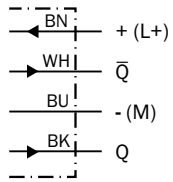
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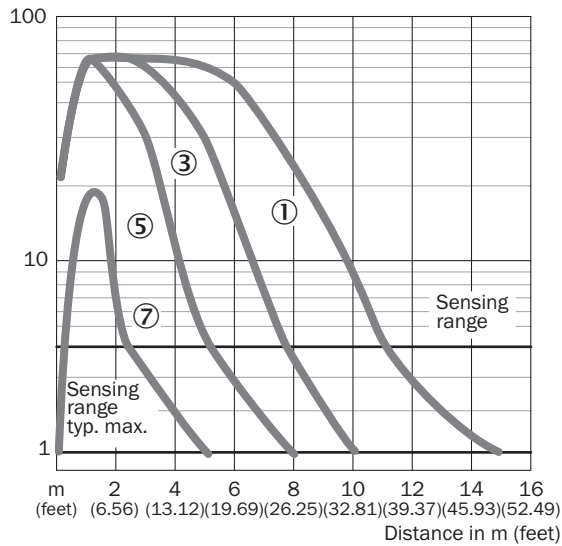
Connection diagram

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Characteristic curve

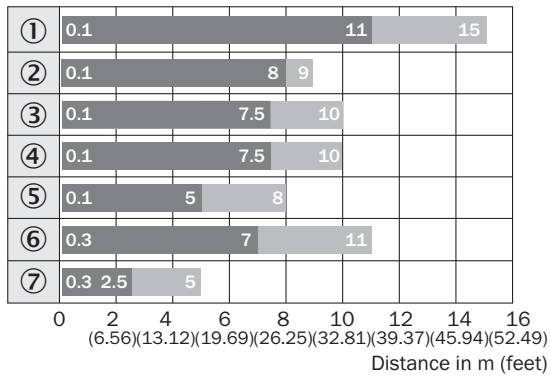
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- ① Reflector PL80A
- ③ Reflector PL40A
- ⑤ Reflector PL20A
- ⑦ Reflective tape Diamond Grade

Sensing range diagram

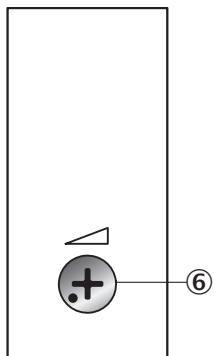
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■ Sensing range ■ Sensing range max.

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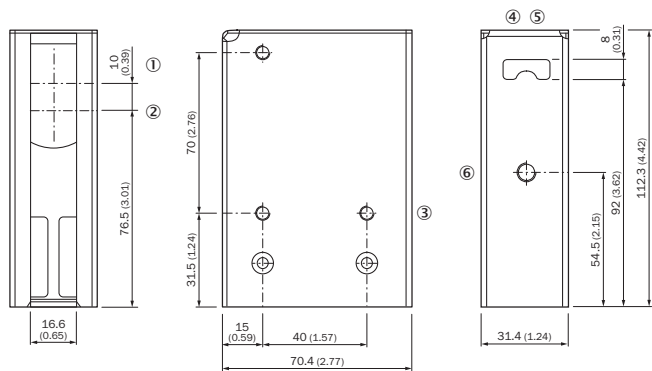
Adjustments



⑥ Sensitivity control: potentiometer

Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))




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- ① Optical axis, sender
- ② Optical axis, receiver
- ③ Mounting hole, Ø 5.2 mm
- ④ Sensitivity control
- ⑤ LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Mounting brackets and plates			
	Universal mounting bracket for reflectors, steel, zinc coated	BEF-WN-REFX	2064574
Plug connectors and cables			
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PVC, unshielded, 5 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB). Please do not use cleaning agents of any other kind., Not resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-G05MNI	6052615
Reflectors			
	Rectangular, screw connection, 84 mm x 84 mm, PMMA/ABS, Screw-on, 2 hole mounting	PL80A	1003865

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