



WT18X-3P920

W18-3 Ex

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
WT18X-3P920	1029901

Other models and accessories → www.sick.com/W18-3_Ex

Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Background suppression
Dimensions (W x H x D)	23.6 mm x 117 mm x 49.3 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Rectangular
Sensing range max.	10 mm ... 1,000 mm ¹⁾
Sensing range	50 mm ... 1,000 mm ¹⁾
Type of light	Infrared light
Light source	LED ²⁾
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 30 mm (600 mm)
Wave length	870 nm
Adjustment	Potentiometer, 4 turns
Special applications	Explosive areas

¹⁾ Object with 90% remission (based on standard white, DIN 5033).

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

Mechanics/electronics

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

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁵⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁶⁾ Do not bend below 0 °C.

⁷⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁸⁾ C = interference suppression.

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

Ripple	< 5 V _{pp} ²⁾
Current consumption	55 mA ³⁾
Switching output	PNP
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Output current I_{max}	≤ 100 mA
Response time	< 700 μs ⁴⁾
Switching frequency	700 Hz ⁵⁾
Connection type	Cable with M12 male connector, 4-pin, 290 mm ⁶⁾
Cable material	Plastic, PVC
Circuit protection	A ⁷⁾ C ⁸⁾ D ⁹⁾
Weight	300 g
Housing material	Plastic, ABS
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67
ATEX marking	ATEX II 3G Ex nA op is IIB T4 Gc X ATEX II 3D Ex tc IIIB T135 °C Dc X In accordance with directive 2014/34 / EU
Ex area category	3D, 3G
Ambient operating temperature	-20 °C ... +50 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +75 °C

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Certificates

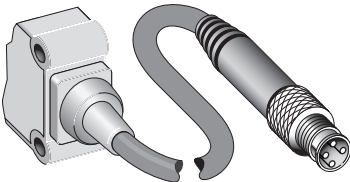
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Classifications

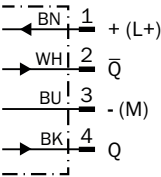
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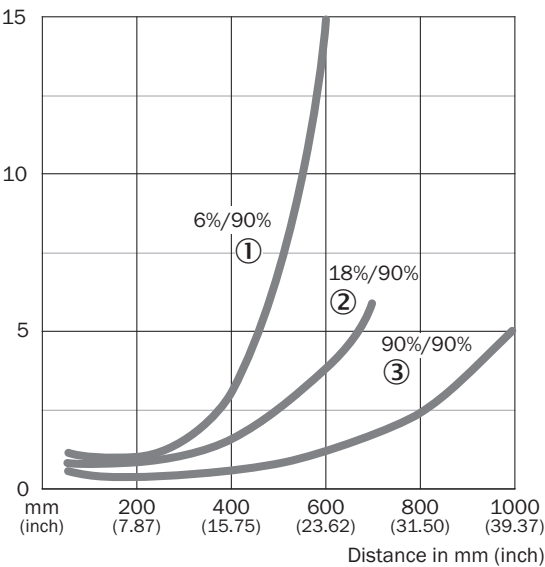
Connection type



Connection diagram Cd-083

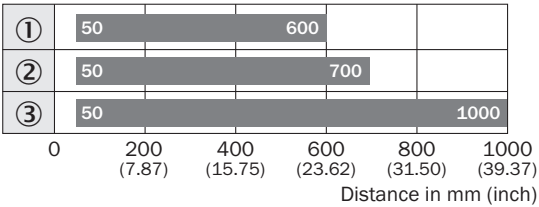


Characteristic curve WT18-3 (Ex), infraret, 1,000 mm



- ① Sensing range on black, 6% remission factor
- ② Sensing range on gray, 18% remission factor
- ③ Sensing range on white, 90% remission factor

Sensing range diagram WT18-3 (Ex), infraret, 1,000 mm



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- ① Display LED
- ② Adjustment of sensing range
- ③ Center of optical axis, sender
- ④ Center of optical axis, receiver
- ⑤ Mounting hole \varnothing 4.1 mm
- ⑥ Connection

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, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • Connection type head B: Flying leads • Signal type: Sensor/actuator cable • Cable: 5 m, 4-wire, PVC • Description: Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded • Application: Zones with chemicals, Uncontaminated zones 	YF2A14-050VB3XLEAX	2096235
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection type head A: Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • Description: Unshielded • Connection systems: Screw-type terminals • Permitted cross-section: ≤ 0.75 mm² 	STE-1204-G	6009932
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection type head A: Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • Connection type head B: Flying leads • Signal type: Sensor/actuator cable • Cable: 5 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free • Description: Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded • Application: Uncontaminated zones, Zones with oils and lubricants, Robot, Drag chain operation 	YF2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2095608
Mounting systems			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description: Mounting bracket with hinged arm • Material: Steel • Details: Steel, zinc coated • Items supplied: Mounting hardware included • Suitable for: W14-2, W18-3 	BEF-WN-W18	2009317
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description: Mounting bracket • Material: Steel • Details: Steel, zinc coated • Items supplied: Mounting hardware included • Suitable for: W14-2, W18-3 	BEF-WN-W14	2019084
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description: Plate N11N for universal clamp bracket • Material: Stainless steel • Details: Stainless steel 1.4571 (sheet), Stainless steel 1.4408 (clamp) • Items supplied: Universal clamp (5322627), mounting hardware • Usable for: DeltaPac, Glare, WTD20E 	BEF-KHS-N11N	2071081

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