



WL4SC-3P2232A71  
W4

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
WL4SC-3P2232A71	1067761

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Detailed technical data

Features

<b>Functional principle</b>		Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
<b>Functional principle detail</b>		Without reflector minimum distance (autocollimation/coaxial optics)
<b>Sensing range max.</b>		0 m ... 5 m <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Sensing range</b>		0 m ... 3 m <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Polarisation filter</b>		Yes
<b>Emitted beam</b>		
	Light source	PinPoint LED <sup>2)</sup>
	Type of light	Visible red light
	Light spot size (distance)	Ø 45 mm (1.5 m)
<b>Key LED figures</b>		
	Wave length	650 nm
<b>Adjustment</b>		IO-Link, Single teach-in button
<b>Pin 2 configuration</b>		External input, Teach-in input, Sender off input, Detection output, logic output, Device contamination alarm output

<sup>1)</sup> Reflector PL80A.

<sup>2)</sup> Average service life: 100,000 h at T<sub>U</sub> = +25 °C.

Safety-related parameters

<b>MTTF<sub>D</sub></b>	1,222 years
<b>DC<sub>avg</sub></b>	0 %

## Communication interface

<b>IO-Link</b>	✓ , COM2 (38,4 kBaud)
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 <sub>L1</sub>
	Bit 1 = switching signal Q <sub>L2</sub>
	Bit 2 ... 15 = measuring value
VendorID	26
DeviceID HEX	0x8000D9
DeviceID DEC	8388825

## Electronics

<b>Supply voltage U<sub>B</sub></b>	10 V DC ... 30 V DC <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Ripple</b>	< 5 V <sub>pp</sub> <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Current consumption</b>	20 mA <sup>3)</sup>
<b>Protection class</b>	III
<b>Digital output</b>	
Type	PNP <sup>4)</sup>
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Output current I <sub>max.</sub>	≤ 100 mA
Repeatability (response time)	150 μs <sup>5)</sup>
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz
<b>Circuit protection</b>	A <sup>6)</sup> B <sup>7)</sup> C <sup>8)</sup> D <sup>9)</sup>
<b>Response time Q/ on Pin 2</b>	300 μs ... 450 μs <sup>10) 5)</sup>
<b>Switching frequency Q / to pin 2</b>	1,000 Hz <sup>11)</sup>

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

<sup>2)</sup> May not fall below or exceed U<sub>y</sub> tolerances.

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

<sup>4)</sup> Pin 4: This switching output must not be connected to another output.

<sup>5)</sup> Valid for Q \ on Pin2, if configured with software.

<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.

<sup>10)</sup> Signal transit time with resistive load.

<sup>11)</sup> With light / dark ratio 1:1, valid for Q \ on Pin2, if configured with software.

## Mechanics

<b>Housing</b>	Rectangular
<b>Design detail</b>	Slim
<b>Dimensions (W x H x D)</b>	12.2 mm x 41.8 mm x 17.3 mm
<b>Connection</b>	Male connector M8, 4-pin

<b>Material</b>	Housing	Plastic, ABS
	Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
<b>Weight</b>		30 g

#### Ambient data

<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP67 IP66
<b>Ambient operating temperature</b>	-40 °C ... +60 °C
<b>Ambient temperature, storage</b>	-40 °C ... +75 °C
<b>UL File No.</b>	NRKH.E181493 & NRKH7.E181493

#### Smart Task

<b>Smart Task name</b>	Counter + debouncing
<b>Logic function</b>	Direct WINDOW Hysteresis
<b>Timer function</b>	Deactivated Switch-on delay Off delay ON and OFF delay Impulse (one shot)
<b>Inverter</b>	Yes
<b>Response time</b>	1) 2)
<b>Repeatability</b>	1) 2)
<b>Maximum counting frequency</b>	SIO Direct: --- <sup>3)</sup> SIO Logic: 1000 µs <sup>1)</sup> IOL: 900 µs <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Counter reset</b>	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: 1,5 ms IOL: 1,5 ms
<b>Min. Time between two process events (switches)</b>	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: 450 µs IOL: 500 µs
<b>Debounce time max.</b>	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: 30.000 ms IOL: 30.000 ms
<b>Switching signal</b>	
	Switching signal Q <sub>L1</sub> Output type (dependant on the adjusted threshold)
<b>Measuring value</b>	Switching signal Q <sub>L2</sub> Output type (dependant on the adjusted threshold)
	Counting value

<sup>1)</sup> SIO Logic: Sensor operation in standard I/O mode without IO-Link communication. Sensor-internal logic or timing parameters plus Automation Functions used.

<sup>2)</sup> IOL: Sensor operation with full IO-Link communication and usage of logic, timing and Automation Function parameters.

<sup>3)</sup> SIO Direct: sensor operation in standard I/O mode without IO-Link communication and without using internal sensor logic or time parameters (set to "direct"/"deactivated").

#### Diagnosis

<b>Device status</b>	Yes
<b>Quality of teach</b>	Yes

<b>Quality of run</b>	Yes, Contamination display
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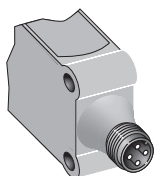
## Certificates

<b>EU declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>UK declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>ACMA declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>Moroccan declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>China RoHS</b>	✓
<b>ECOLAB certificate</b>	✓
<b>IO-Link certificate</b>	✓
<b>Photobiological safety (DIN EN 62471) certificate</b>	✓

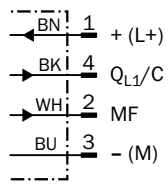
## Classifications

<b>ECLASS 5.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 5.1.4</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 6.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 6.2</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 7.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 8.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 8.1</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 9.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 10.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 11.0</b>	27270902
<b>ECLASS 12.0</b>	27270902
<b>ETIM 5.0</b>	EC002717
<b>ETIM 6.0</b>	EC002717
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<b>ETIM 8.0</b>	EC002717
<b>UNSPSC 16.0901</b>	39121528

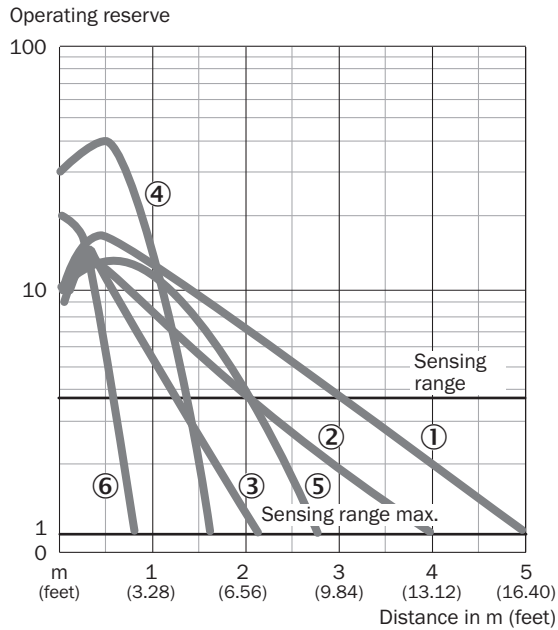
## Connection type



### Connection diagram Cd-367

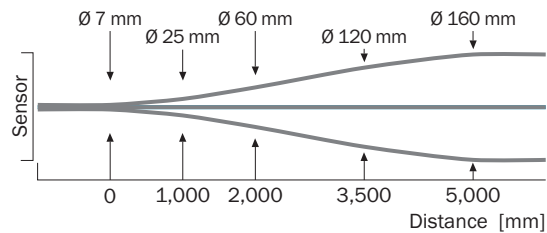


### Characteristic curve WL4S-3, WLG4S-3, 5 m

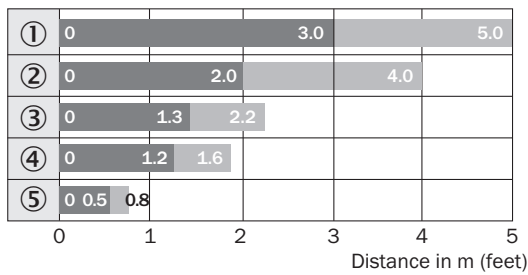


- ① Reflector PL80A
- ② Reflector PL40A
- ③ Reflector PL20A
- ④ PL10F reflector
- ⑤ Reflector P250 CHEM
- ⑥ Reflective tape REF-IRF-56

### Light spot size



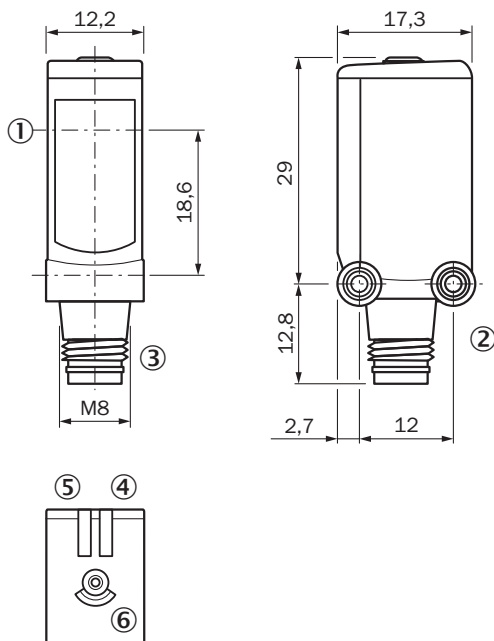
## Sensing range diagram WL4S-3, WLG4S-3, 5 m



■ Sensing range      ■ Sensing range max.

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## Dimensional drawing WL4S-3, WLG4S-3, single teach-in button







Dimensions in mm (inch)






- ① Center of optical axis
- ② Threaded mounting hole M3
- ③ Connection
- ④ LED indicator green: Supply voltage active
- ⑤ Orange LED indicator: status of received light beam
- ⑥ Teach-in button

### Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Description:</b> Mounting bracket for wall mounting</li> <li><b>Material:</b> Stainless steel</li> <li><b>Details:</b> Stainless steel 1.4571</li> <li><b>Items supplied:</b> Mounting hardware included</li> <li><b>Suitable for:</b> W4S, W4F, W4S</li> </ul>	BEF-W4-A	2051628
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Description:</b> Plate N08 for universal clamp bracket</li> <li><b>Material:</b> Steel, zinc diecast</li> <li><b>Details:</b> Zinc plated steel (sheet), Zinc die cast (clamping bracket)</li> <li><b>Items supplied:</b> Universal clamp (5322626), mounting hardware</li> <li><b>Usable for:</b> W100, W150, W4S, W4F, W8, W9-3, W8G, W8 Laser, W8 Inox, G6, W100 Laser, W100-2, W10, G6 Inox, RAY10, W4SLG-3, W9, GR18, MultiPulse, Reflex Array, MultiLine, LUT3, KT5, KT8, KT10, CS8</li> </ul>	BEF-KHS-N08	2051607
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Description:</b> Plate N11N for universal clamp bracket</li> <li><b>Material:</b> Stainless steel</li> <li><b>Details:</b> Stainless steel 1.4571 (sheet), Stainless steel 1.4408 (clamp)</li> <li><b>Items supplied:</b> Universal clamp (5322627), mounting hardware</li> <li><b>Usable for:</b> DeltaPac, Glare, WTD20E</li> </ul>	BEF-KHS-N11N	2071081
reflectors and optics			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Description:</b> Fine triple reflector, screw connection, suitable for laser sensors</li> <li><b>Dimensions:</b> 20 mm 32 mm</li> <li><b>Ambient operating temperature:</b> -30 °C ... +65 °C</li> </ul>	PL10F	5311210



	Brief description	Type	part no.
connectors and cables			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PVC</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Uncontaminated zones, Zones with chemicals</li> </ul>	YF8U14-050VA3M2A14	2096609
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PVC</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Uncontaminated zones, Zones with chemicals</li> </ul>	YF8U14-050VA3XLEAX	2095889
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Male connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Screw-type terminals</li> <li>• <b>Permitted cross-section:</b> 0.14 mm² ... 0.5 mm²</li> </ul>	STE-0804-G	6037323
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Drag chain operation, Zones with oils and lubricants, Robot, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	YF8U14-050UA3XLEAX	2094792
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Female connector, M8, 4-pin, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head C:</b> Female connector, M8, 4-pin, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 0.11 m, PVC</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Unshielded</li> </ul>	SYL-8204-G0M11-X2	6055012

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