



HTB18-A3A2BH

H18 Sure Sense

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
HTB18-A3A2BH	1082748

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Background suppression
Dimensions (W x H x D)	16.2 mm x 44.9 mm x 31.8 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Hybrid
Thread diameter (housing)	M18
Mounting system type	M18, head/side (24.1 ... 25.4 mm)
Housing color	Blue
Sensing range max.	5 mm ... 300 mm ¹⁾
Sensing range	5 mm ... 150 mm ²⁾
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	PinPoint LED ³⁾
Light spot size (distance)	7 mm (300 mm)
Wave length	631 nm
Adjustment	
Potentiometer, right	Sensing range
Potentiometer, left	Light/dark switching
Special features	Signal strength light bar

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

²⁾ Object with 6% remission factor (based on standard black, DIN 5033).

³⁾ Average service life: 100,000 h at T_U = +25 °C.

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC
Ripple	$< 5 V_{pp}^{1)}$
Current consumption	$\leq 20 \text{ mA}^{2)}$
Switching output	PNP, NPN
Switching mode	Dark switching
Switching output detail	
Switching output Q1	PNP, Dark switching
Switching output Q2	NPN, Dark switching
Output current $I_{\max.}$	$\leq 100 \text{ mA}$
Response time	$\leq 0.5 \text{ ms}^{3)}$
Switching frequency	$1,000 \text{ Hz}^{4)}$
Connection type	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Cable material	Plastic, PVC
Circuit protection	A ⁵⁾ B ⁶⁾ D ⁷⁾
Protection class	III
Weight	18 g
Housing material	Plastic, VISTAL®
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67 IP69K
Items supplied	Fastening nut (1x), M18, plastic, black, flat
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	EN 60947-5-2 (The sensor complies with the Radio Safety Requirements (EMC) for the industrial sector (Radio Safety Class A). It may cause radio interference if used in a residential area.)
Ambient operating temperature	$-40 \text{ °C} \dots +65 \text{ °C}$
Ambient temperature, storage	$-40 \text{ °C} \dots +75 \text{ °C}$
UL File No.	E189383

¹⁾ May not fall below or exceed U_y tolerances.

²⁾ Without signal strength light bar and load.

³⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁴⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁵⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁶⁾ B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

⁷⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	523.9 years
DC_{avg}	0 %

Connection type/pinouts

Connection type	
	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Connection type Detail	

Pinouts	Cable material	Plastic
	BN 1	+ (L+)
	WH 2	Q ₂
	BU 3	- (M)
	BK 4	Q ₁

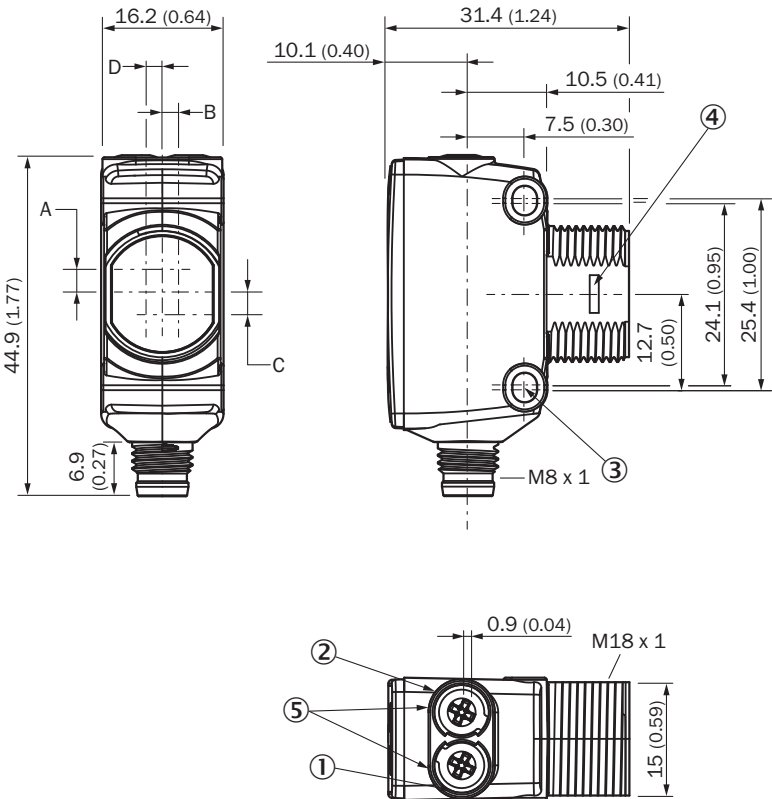
Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270904
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270904
ECLASS 6.0	27270904
ECLASS 6.2	27270904
ECLASS 7.0	27270904
ECLASS 8.0	27270904
ECLASS 8.1	27270904
ECLASS 9.0	27270904
ECLASS 10.0	27270904
ECLASS 11.0	27270904
ECLASS 12.0	27270904
ETIM 5.0	EC002719
ETIM 6.0	EC002719
ETIM 7.0	EC002719
ETIM 8.0	EC002719
UNSPSC 16.0901	39121528

Certificates

EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China RoHS	✓
cULus certificate	✓

Dimensional drawing



- Dimensions in mm (inch)
- ① LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
 - ② LED indicator green: power on
 - ③ M3 mounting hole
 - ④ Snap Connection for flush ring (sold seperatly)
 - ⑤ Potentiometer (if selected) or LED Indicators

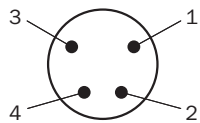
Dimensions in mm (inch)	Receiver		Sender	
	A	B	C	D
HTB18 / HTF18	- 1.1 (0.04)	1.1 (0.04)	4.7 (0.19)	0.6 (0.02)
HTE18 / HL18 / HSE18	2.5 (0.1)	0.0 (0.0)	4.0 (0.16)	0.0 (0.0)
HTB18L / HTF18L / HL18L / HSE18L	2.5 (0.1)	0.0 (0.0)	3.5 (0.14)	0.0 (0.0)

Adjustments



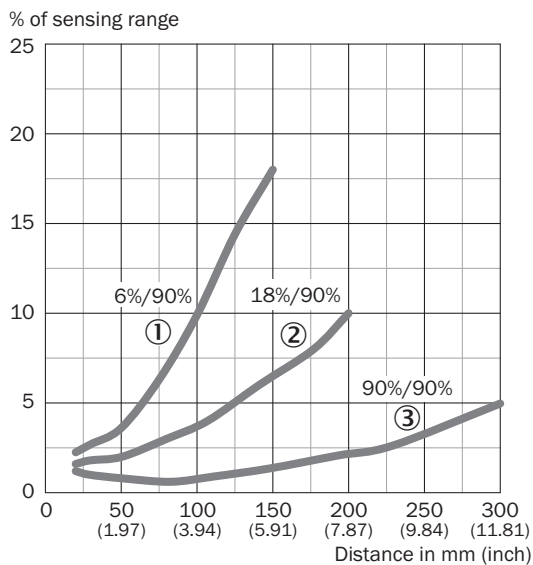
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- ③ Signal strength light bar

Pinouts, see table [Technical data: Connection type/pinouts](#)



Male connector, M8, 4-pin, uncoded

Characteristic curve

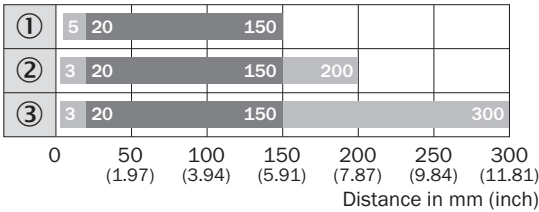


- ① Sensing range on black, 6% remission factor
- ② Sensing range on gray, 18% remission factor
- ③ Sensing range on white, 90% remission factor

Light spot size



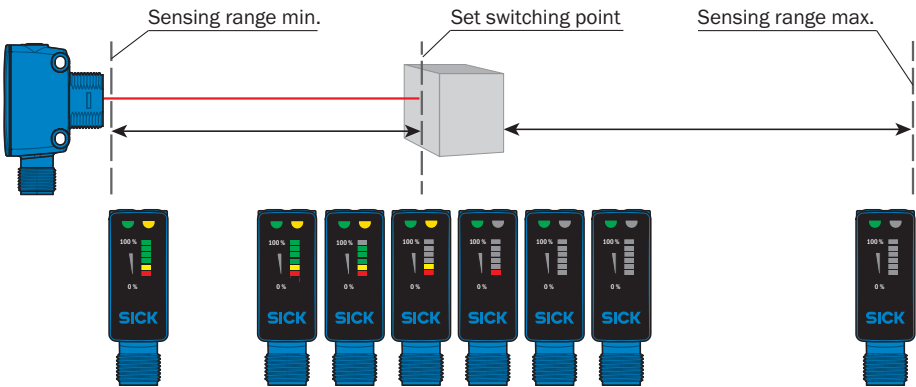
Sensing range diagram



■ Sensing range ■ Sensing range max.

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Functions



Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	• Description: Mounting bracket for M18 sensors • Material: Steel • Details: Steel, zinc coated • Items supplied: Without mounting hardware • Suitable for: GR18, V180-2, V18, W15, Z1, Z2	BEF-WN-M18	5308446
	• 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

	Brief description	Type	part no.
connectors and cables			
	• Connection type head A: Female connector, M8, 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	YF8U14-050VA3XLEAX	2095889
	• Connection type head A: Male connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • Description: Unshielded • Connection systems: Screw-type terminals • Permitted cross-section: 0.14 mm² ... 0.5 mm²	STE-0804-G	6037323
	• Connection type head A: Female connector, M8, 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	YF8U14-050UA3XLEAX	2094792

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