



# VTE18-4N4240V

V18

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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### Ordering information

Type	part no.
VTE18-4N4240V	6035490

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### Detailed technical data

#### Features

<b>Functional principle</b>	Photoelectric proximity sensor
<b>Functional principle detail</b>	Energetic
<b>Dimensions (W x H x D)</b>	18 mm x 18 mm x 83 mm
<b>Housing design (light emission)</b>	Cylindrical
<b>Housing length</b>	83 mm
<b>Thread diameter (housing)</b>	M18 x 1
<b>Optical axis</b>	Axial
<b>Sensing range max.</b>	0 mm ... 450 mm <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Sensing range</b>	5 mm ... 400 mm
<b>Focus</b>	Approx. 4.5°
<b>Type of light</b>	Infrared light
<b>Light source</b>	LED <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Light spot size (distance)</b>	Ø 60 mm (400 mm)
<b>Angle of dispersion</b>	Approx. 4.5°
<b>Wave length</b>	880 nm
<b>Adjustment</b>	Single teach-in button (Sensing range) Manual, via Touch-Teach-in
<b>Special applications</b>	Hygienic and washdown zones

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

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

## Mechanics/electronics

<b>Supply voltage <math>U_B</math></b>	10 V DC ... 30 V DC <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Ripple</b>	$\pm 10\%$ <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Current consumption</b>	35 mA <sup>3)</sup>
<b>Switching output</b>	NPN <sup>4)</sup>
<b>Switching mode</b>	Light/dark switching <sup>4)</sup>
<b>Switching mode selector</b>	Selectable via L/D control cable
<b>Signal voltage NPN HIGH/LOW</b>	Approx. $V_S / < 2.0\text{ V}$
<b>Output current <math>I_{max}</math></b>	$\leq 100\text{ mA}$
<b>Response time</b>	$\leq 1\text{ ms}$ <sup>5)</sup>
<b>Switching frequency</b>	500 Hz <sup>6)</sup>
<b>Connection type</b>	Male connector M12, 4-pin <sup>7)</sup>
<b>Circuit protection</b>	A <sup>8)</sup> B <sup>9)</sup> C <sup>10)</sup> D <sup>11)</sup>
<b>Protection class</b>	III
<b>Weight</b>	120 g
<b>Housing material</b>	Metal, Stainless steel V4A (1.4404, 316L)
<b>Optics material</b>	Plastic, Plan, PPS (Grilamid)
<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP67 IP68 IP69K <sup>12)</sup>
<b>Ambient operating temperature</b>	$-25\text{ °C} \dots +80\text{ °C}$ <sup>13)</sup>
<b>Ambient temperature, storage</b>	$-40\text{ °C} \dots +80\text{ °C}$
<b>UL File No.</b>	FDA, UL No. NRKH.E181493 & cUL No. NRKH7.E181493

<sup>1)</sup> Limit values.

<sup>2)</sup> May not fall below or exceed  $U_V$  tolerances.

<sup>3)</sup> Without load, at  $V_S 30\text{ V DC}$ .

<sup>4)</sup> Control wire open: dark switching D.ON.

<sup>5)</sup> Signal transit time with resistive load.

<sup>6)</sup> With light/dark ratio 1:1.

<sup>7)</sup> With gold plated contact pins, PPS with FDA certificate.

<sup>8)</sup> A =  $V_S$  connections reverse-polarity protected.

<sup>9)</sup> B = interference suppression.

<sup>10)</sup> D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

<sup>11)</sup> D = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

<sup>12)</sup> With correct mounted IP69K connector.

<sup>13)</sup> +100 °C at max 15 minutes.

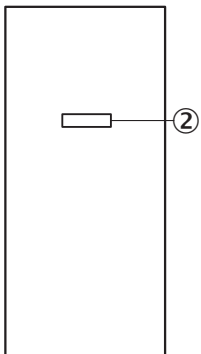
## Certificates

<b>EU declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>UK declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>Moroccan declaration of conformity</b>	✓
<b>China RoHS</b>	✓
<b>cULus certificate</b>	✓

### Classifications

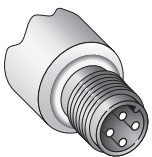
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### Adjustments

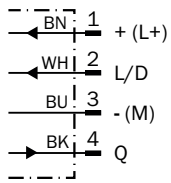


② Sensing range adjustment: Touch-Teach-In

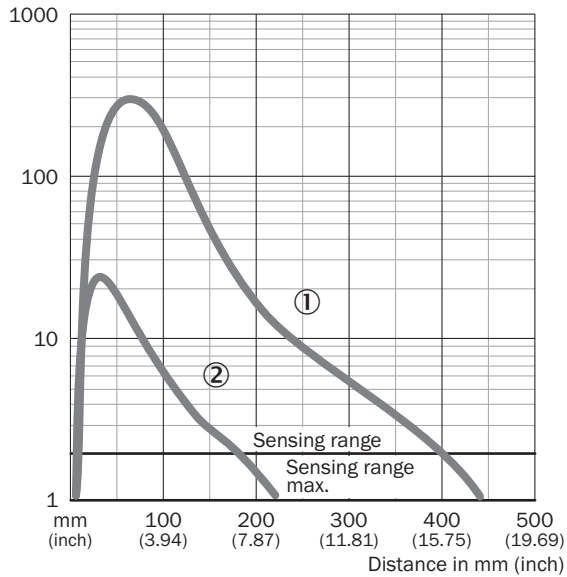
### Connection type



### Connection diagram Cd-087

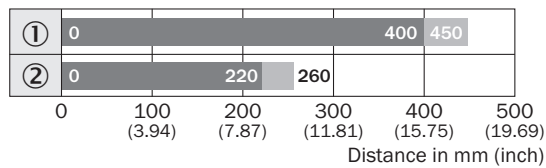


### Characteristic curve VTE18V, 450 mm



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

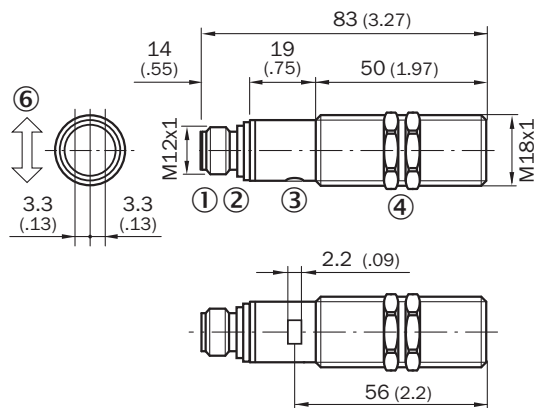
### Sensing range diagram VTE18V, 450 mm



Sensing range
  Sensing range max.

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- ② Sensing range on gray, 18% remission factor

### Dimensional drawing VTF18V, VTE18V







Dimensions in mm (inch)

- ① M12 male device connector, 4-pin
- ② Sensing range adjustment: Touch-Teach-In
- ③ Status indicator LED, green: signaling Touch-Teach-in
- ④ Yellow LED indicator:
- ④ - lights continuously:
- ④ reception signal > reserve factor 2
- ④ - blinks: Reception signal < reserve factor 2 but > switching threshold 1
- ⑤ fastening nuts (2 x); width across 24, stainless steel

### Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
connectors and cables			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</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>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> 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 &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Uncontaminated zones, Hygienic and washdown zones, Zones with chemicals</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-G05MNI	6052615
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</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, PP</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation, Robot, cold bending resistant, seawater resistant</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-G05MRN	6058476

	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Description:</b> Mounting bracket for M18 sensors</li> <li><b>Material:</b> Stainless steel</li> <li><b>Details:</b> Stainless steel</li> <li><b>Items supplied:</b> Without mounting hardware</li> </ul>	BEF-WN-M18N	5320947
	<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

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