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DATA SHEET

WL160-E440

Photoelectric sensors

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PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

WL160-E440

ORDERING INFORMATION

Type	part no.
WL160-E440	6022766

Further device versions and accessories at www.sick.com/

DETAILED TECHNICAL DATA

FEATURES

Functional principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Dimensions (W x H x D)	11 mm x 38 mm x 23 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Rectangular
Sensing range max.	0.01 m ... 6.5 m ¹⁾
Sensing range	0.01 m ... 4.5 m ¹⁾
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	LED
Wave length	680 nm

¹⁾ Reflector PL80A.

MECHANICS/ELECTRONICS

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC
Ripple	± 10 %
Current consumption	25 mA ¹⁾
Switching output	NPN
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Switching mode selector	Selectable via light/dark rotary switch
Response time	≤ 0.5 ms ²⁾
Connection type	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Housing material	Plastic, PBT
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67
Ambient operating temperature	-25 °C ... +55 °C

¹⁾ Without load.

²⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

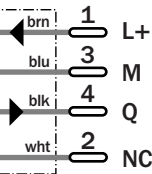
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +70 °C
UL File No.	NRNT2.E128350 & NRNT8.E128350

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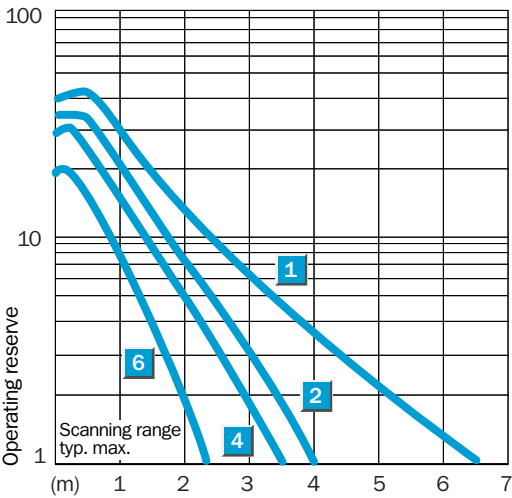
CONNECTION TYPE



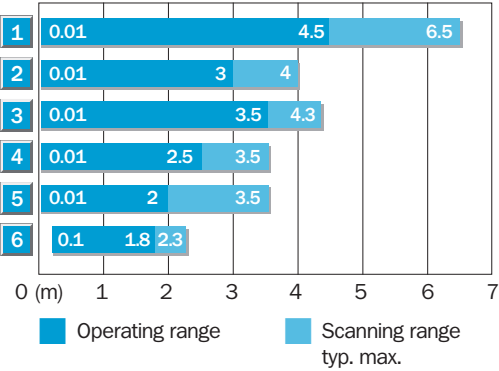
CONNECTION DIAGRAM



CHARACTERISTIC CURVE

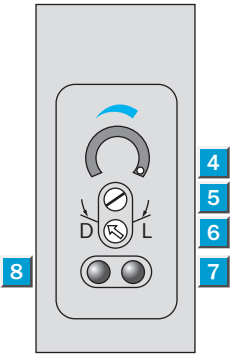


SENSING RANGE DIAGRAM



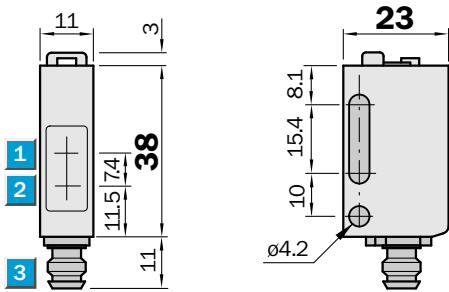
	Reflector type	Operating range
1	PL80A	0.01 ... 4.5 m
2	P250	0.01 ... 3 m
3	PL50A/PL40A	0.01 ... 3.5 m
4	PL30A/PL31A	0.01 ... 2.5 m
5	PL20A	0.01 ... 2 m
6	Reflective tape Diamond Grade	0.1 ... 1.8 m (100 x 100 mm ²)

ADJUSTMENTS



- ④ Scaling 270°
- ⑤ sensitivity control
- ⑥ Light/ dark rotary switch: L = light switching, D = dark switching
- ⑦ Orange LED indicator : switching output active
- ⑧ Green LED indicator: light reception with operating reserve >1.1 and < 0.9

DIMENSIONAL DRAWING



Dimensions in mm (inch)

- ① Center of optical axis, receiver
- ② Center of optical axis, sender
- ③ Connection

Further information as well as suitable accessories, example applications and downloads such as CAD dimensional models, operating instructions and software can be found at www.sick.com/6022766



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