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DATA SHEET

GLD6SP-A8A1217EZZZ

G6
Photoelectric sensors

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PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

GLD6SP-A8A1217EZZZ

ORDERING INFORMATION

Type	part no.
GLD6SP-A8A1217EZZZ	1150119

Further device versions and accessories at www.sick.com/G6

DETAILED TECHNICAL DATA

FEATURES

Functional principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Functional principle detail	With minimum distance to reflector (dual lens system)
Sensing range	
Sensing range min.	0.03 m
Sensing range max.	6 m
Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)	0.03 m ... 6 m
Recommended distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 2)	0.07 m ... 5 m
Reference reflector	Reflector PL80A
Recommended sensing range for the best performance	0.25 m ... 1.6 m
Polarisation filter	Yes
Emitted beam	
Light source	PinPoint LED
Type of light	Visible red light
Shape of light spot	Point-shaped
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 11.5 mm (350 mm)
Key LED figures	
Normative reference	EN 62471:2008-09 | IEC 62471:2006, modified
LED risk group marking	Free group
Wave length	640 nm
Average service life	100,000 h at T_a = +25 °C
Adjustment	
Potentiometer	For setting the sensing range, 270°
Operating mode switch	For inverting the switching function (light/dark switching)
Display	
LED green	Operating indicator Static on: power on
LED yellow	Status of received light beam Static on: object not present Static off: object present

SAFETY-RELATED PARAMETERS

$MTTF_D$	4,112 years

ELECTRONICS

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC [1]
Ripple	≤ 5 V_{pp}
Usage category	DC-12 (According to EN 60947-5-2) DC-13 (According to EN 60947-5-2)
Current consumption	≤ 20 mA, without load. At U_B = 24 V
Protection class	III
Digital output	
Number	1
Type	PNP
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	Approx. U_B-3 V / 0 V
Output current $I_{max.}$	≤ 100 mA [2]
Circuit protection outputs	Reverse polarity protected Overcurrent protected Short-circuit protected
Response time	≤ 625 µs [3]
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz [4]
Pin/Wire assignment	
Function of pin 4/black (BK)	Digital output, light switching, object present → output Q LOW
Function of pin 4/black (BK) – detail	The pin 4 function of the sensor can be switched Additional possible settings via operating mode switch

[1] Limit values.

[2] At U_B > 24 V, I max. = 50 mA.

[3] Signal transit time with resistive load.

[4] With light/dark ratio 1:1.

MECHANICS

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 31.6 mm x 21 mm
Connection	Cable with M8 male connector, 4-pin, 1.54 m
Connection detail	
Deep-freeze property	Do not bend below 0 °C
Conductor size	0.14 mm²
Cable diameter	Ø 3.4 mm
Length of cable (L)	1.5 m
Material	
Housing	Plastic, ABS
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Cable	Plastic, PVC
Male connector	Metal, copper alloy (C3604 CUZN39PB3)
Weight	Approx. 16 g
Maximum tightening torque of the fixing screws	0.4 Nm

AMBIENT DATA

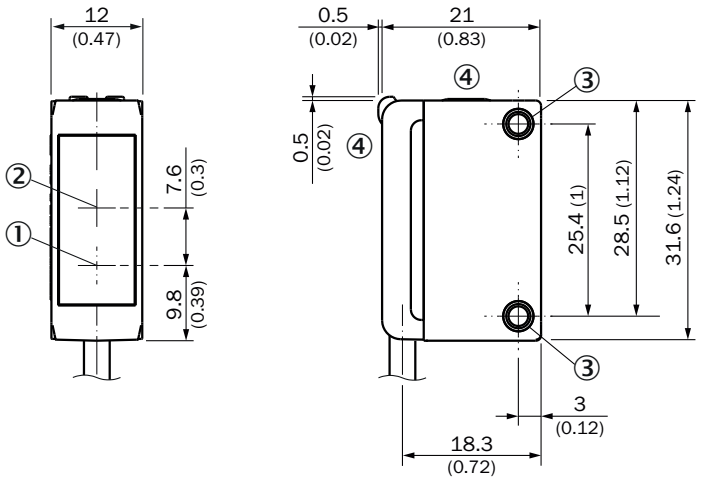
Enclosure rating	IP67 (EN 60529)
Ambient operating temperature	–30 °C ... +55 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	–40 °C ... +70 °C
Typ. Ambient light immunity	Sunlight: ≤ 30,000 lx

Shock resistance	11 ms (3 positive and 3 negative shocks along X, Y, Z axes, 18 total shocks (EN60068-2-27))
Vibration resistance	10 Hz ... 55 Hz (Amplitude 0.5 mm, 3 x 30 min (EN60068-2-6))
Air humidity	35 % ... 95 %, relative humidity (no condensation)
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	EN 60947-5-2
UL File No.	NRKH.E348498 & NRKH7.E348498

CERTIFICATES

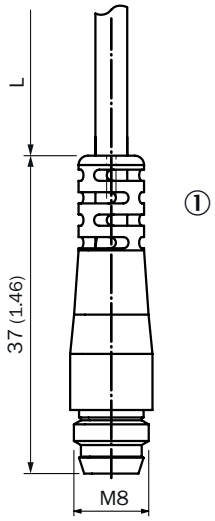
EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China RoHS	✓
China Compulsory Product Certification (CCC) exempt	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Photobiological safety (IEC EN 62471)	✓

DIMENSIONAL DRAWING



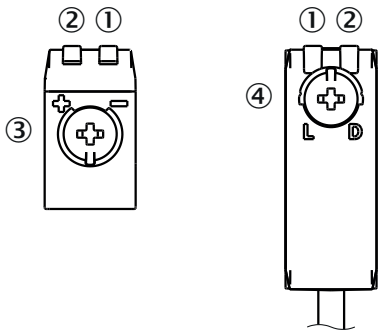
Dimensions in mm (inch)
① Center of optical axis, sender
② Center of optical axis, receiver
③ Mounting holes M3
④ display and adjustment elements

DIMENSIONAL DRAWING, CONNECTION



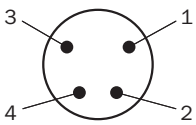
Dimensions in mm (inch)
For length of cable (L), see technical data
① cable with connector M8

DISPLAY AND ADJUSTMENT ELEMENTS

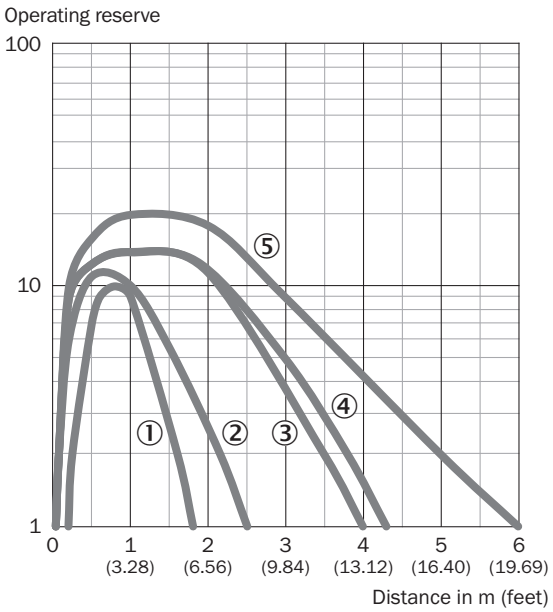


① LED green
② LED yellow
③ Potentiometer
④ operating mode switch

CONNECTION TYPE MALE CONNECTOR M8, 4-PIN

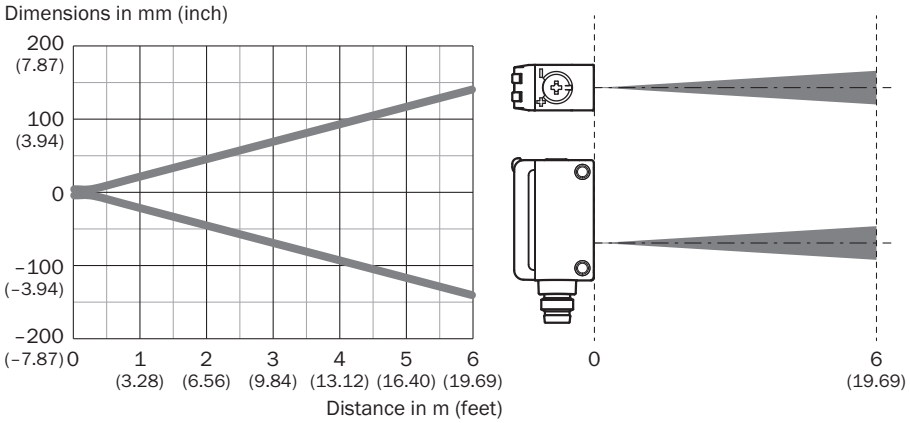


CHARACTERISTIC CURVE

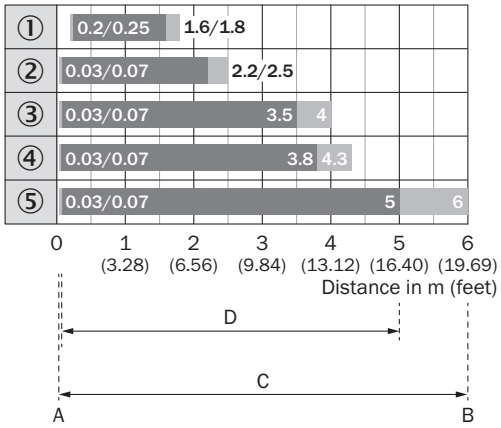


① Reflective tape REF-IRF-56
② Reflector PL20A
③ Reflector P250
④ Reflector PL40A
⑤ Reflector PL80A

LIGHT SPOT SIZE



SENSING RANGE DIAGRAM



1	Reflective tape REF-IRF-56
2	Reflector PL20A
3	Reflector P250
4	Reflector PL40A
5	Reflector PL80A
A	Sensing range min. in m
B	Sensing range max. in m
C	Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)
D	Recommended distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 2)

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/1150119

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