



WL8G-P2231S01

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MINIATURE PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
WL8G-P2231S01	6036082

Included in delivery: P250 (1), BEF-W100-A (1)

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Detailed technical data

Features

Sensor/ detection principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor, autocollimation
Dimensions (W x H x D)	11 mm x 31 mm x 20 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Rectangular
Sensing range max.	0 m ... 3 m ¹⁾
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Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	LED ²⁾
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 70 mm (2 m)
Wave length	650 nm
Adjustment	Potentiometer, 270°
Special applications	Detecting transparent objects

¹⁾ Reflector PL80A.

²⁾ Average service life: 100,000 h at T_J = +25 °C.

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	± 10 % ²⁾
Power consumption	30 mA ³⁾
Switching output	PNP

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²⁾ May not exceed or fall below U_V tolerances.

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁵⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁶⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁷⁾ B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

⁸⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Switching mode selector	Selectable via light/dark rotary switch
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	Approx. $V_S - 1.8 \text{ V} / 0 \text{ V}$
Output current $I_{\max}$	$\leq 100 \text{ mA}$
Response time	$\leq 0.5 \text{ ms}^{4)}$
Switching frequency	$1,000 \text{ Hz}^{5)}$
Attenuation along light beam	$\leq 20 \%$
Connection type	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Circuit protection	A ⁶⁾ B ⁷⁾ D ⁸⁾
Weight	10 g
Polarisation filter	✓
Special device	✓
Housing material	Plastic, ABS
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67
Special feature	Detecting transparent objects
Ambient operating temperature	$-25 \text{ °C} \dots +55 \text{ °C}$
Ambient storage temperature	$-40 \text{ °C} \dots +70 \text{ °C}$

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Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	1,028.4 years
DC_{avg}	0%

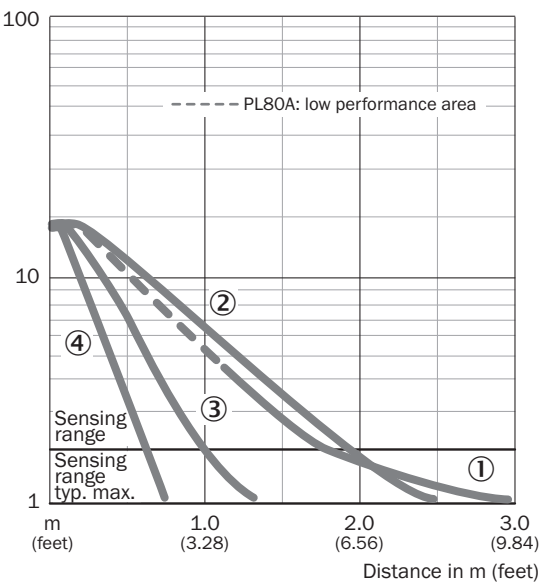
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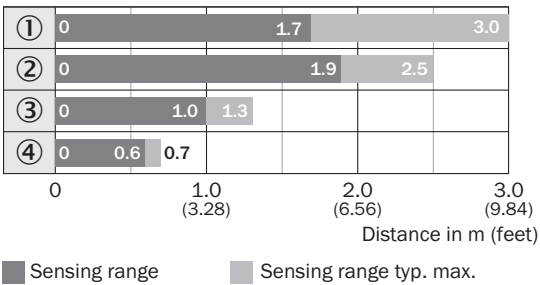
Characteristic curve

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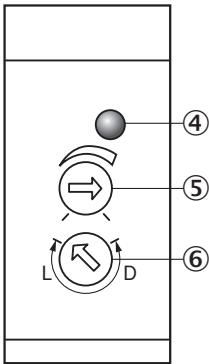


Sensing range diagram

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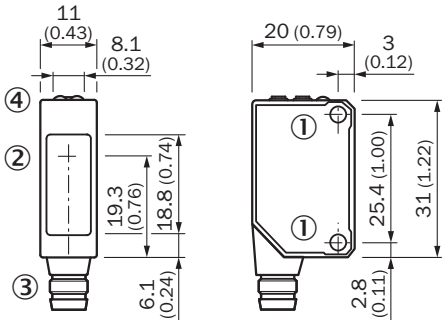


Adjustments possible



- ④ Orange LED indicator : switching output active
- ⑤ Sensitivity control
- ⑥ Light/ dark rotary switch: L = light switching, D = dark switching

Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))



- ① Threaded mounting hole M3, max. tightening torque: 0.6 Nm
- ② Center of optical axis
- ③ Connection
- ④ Orange LED indicator : switching output active

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Mounting brackets and plates			
	Mounting bracket for wall mounting, stainless steel, mounting hardware included	BEF-W100-A	5311520
	Universal mounting bracket for reflectors, steel, zinc coated	BEF-WN-REFX	2064574

	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Plug connectors and cables			
	Head A: female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PVC, unshielded, 5 m	YF8U14-050VA3XLEAX	2095889
	Head A: male connector, M8, 4-pin, straight Head B: - Cable: unshielded	STE-0804-G	6037323

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