Product data sheet



VL18-4N3140V

V18V

CYLINDRICAL PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
VL18-4N3140V	6035496

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Detailed technical data

Features

Sensor/ detection principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor, Dual lens
Dimensions (W x H x D)	18 mm x 18 mm x 83 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Cylindrical
Housing length	83 mm
Thread diameter (housing)	M18 x 1
Optical axis	Axial
Sensing range max.	0.1 m ... 5 m [1]
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Focus	2.5°
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	LED [2]
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 200 mm (4.5 m)
Angle of dispersion	2.5°
Wave length	660 nm
Adjustment	None
Special applications	Hygienic and washdown zones

[1] Reflector PL80A.

[2] Average service life: 100,000 h at T_U = +25 °C.

Mechanics/electronics

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

[1] Limit values.
[2] May not exceed or fall below U_V tolerances.
[3] Without load, at VS 30 V DC.
[4] Control wire open: dark switching D.ON.
[5] Signal transit time with resistive load.
[6] With light/dark ratio 1:1.
[7] With gold plated contact pins, PPS with FDA certificate.
[8] A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.
[9] B = interference suppression.
[10] D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.
[11] D = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.
[12] With correct mounted IP69K connector.

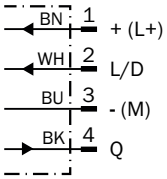
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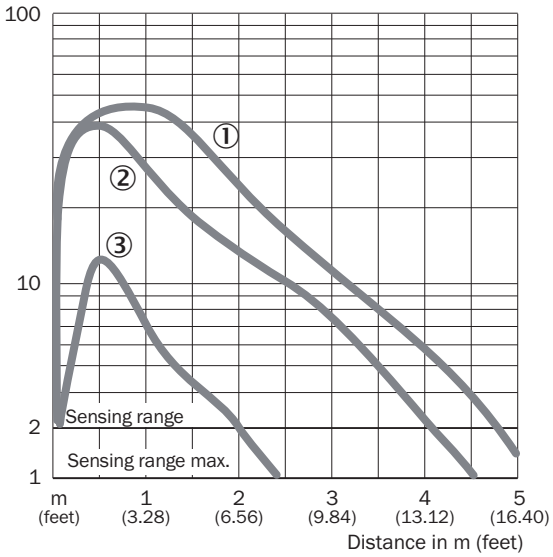
Connection diagram

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Characteristic curve

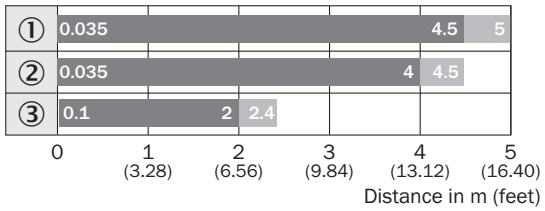
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① Reflector PL80A
② Reflector C110A
⑤ Reflector P250 CHEM

Sensing range diagram

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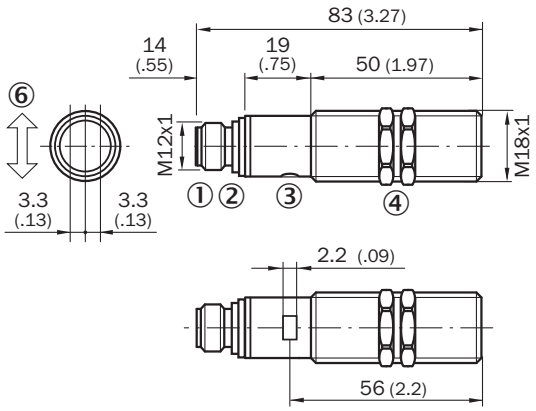


Sensing range Sensing range max.

① Reflector PL80A
② Reflector C110A
③ Reflective tape Diamond Grade

Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))

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① M12 male device connector, 4-pin
② Yellow LED indicator:- lights continuously:Reception signal> reserve factor 2- blinks: Reception signal< reserve factor 2 but > switching threshold 1
③ Fastening nuts (2 x); width across 24, stainless steel

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Mounting brackets and plates			
	Universal mounting bracket for reflectors, steel, zinc coated	BEF-WN-REFX	2064574
Reflectors			
	Chemically resistant, screw connection, 52 mm x 62 mm, plastic, Screw-on, 2 hole mounting	P250 CHEM	5321097

	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Plug connectors and cables			
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PVC, unshielded, 5 m 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 & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-G05MNI	6052615

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