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Product data sheet



GL6L-P6211

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
GL6L-P6211	1109690

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Sensing range	
Sensing range min.	0.08 m
Sensing range max.	12 m
Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)	0.08 m ... 12 m
Recommended distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 2)	0.08 m ... 10 m
Reference reflector	Reflector P250F
Recommended sensing range for the best performance	0.08 m ... 4.2 m
Polarisation filters	Yes
Emitted beam	
Light source	Laser
Type of light	Visible red light
Shape of light spot	Point-shaped
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 3.5 mm (1,000 mm)
Maximum dispersion of the emitted beam around the standardized transmission axis (squint angle)	< +/- 1.5° (at Ta = +23 °C)
Key laser figures	
Normative reference	IEC 60825-1 / CDRH 21 CFR 1040.10 & 1040.11
Laser class	1
Wave length	680 nm
Pulse duration	2 µs
Maximum pulse power	≤ 11.9 mW
Average service life	100,000 h at T_a = +25 °C
Smallest detectable object (MDO) typ.	

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	3.5 mm (at 1 m distance (object with 90% remission (corresponds on standard white DIN 5033)))
Adjustment	
Potentiometer	For setting the sensing range
Operating mode switch	For inverting the switching function (light/dark switching)
Indication	
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

$MTTF_D$	1,005 years
DC_{avg}	0 %
T_M (mission time)	10 years (EN 60825-1)

Electrical data

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC [1]
Ripple	< 5 V_{pp}
Usage category	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
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
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz [3]
Pin/Wire assignment	
Function of pin 4/black (BK)	Digital output, light switching, object present → output Q HIGH
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 U_B connections, reverse polarity protected.

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

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

Mechanical data

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 31.5 mm x 21 mm
Connection	Cable with M8 male connector, 4-pin, 336 mm
Connection detail	
Deep-freeze property	Do not bend below 0 °C

Conductor size	0.14 mm²
Cable diameter	Ø 8 mm
Length of cable (L)	300 mm
Material	
Housing	Plastic, ABS
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Cable	PVC
Male connector	Copper alloy (C3604 CUZN39PB3)
Weight	Approx. 60 g

Ambient data

Enclosure rating	IP67 (EN 60529)
Ambient operating temperature	–20 °C ... +50 °C [1) 2)]
Ambient temperature, storage	–40 °C ... +70 °C
Typ. Ambient light immunity	Sunlight: ≤ 13,000 lx
Shock resistance	30 g, 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, 3x30 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

[1)] As of T_a => 45 °C, a max. supply voltage U_B = 24 V and a max. load current $I_{max.}$ = 50 mA is permitted.

[2)] Below T_a = –20 °C a warm-up time of 3 seconds is required.

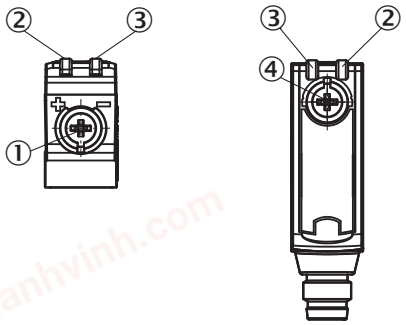
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Adjustments

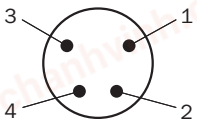
Display and adjustment elements



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

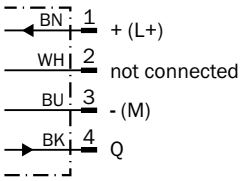
Connection type

Male connector M8, 4-pin



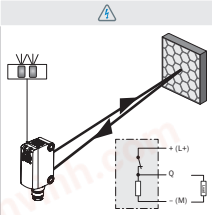
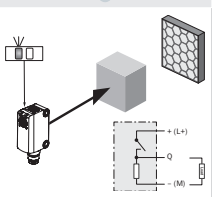
Connection diagram

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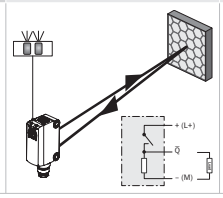
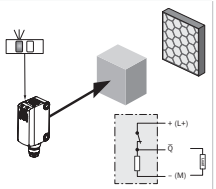


Truth table

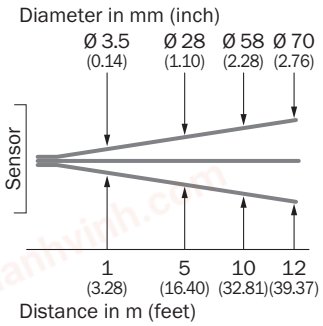
PNP - light switching

	Light switching Q (normally closed)	
	Object not present ➔ Output HIGH	Object present ➔ Output LOW
Light receive	✓	⊗
Light receive indicator	☼	⊗
Load resistance	⚠	⊗
		

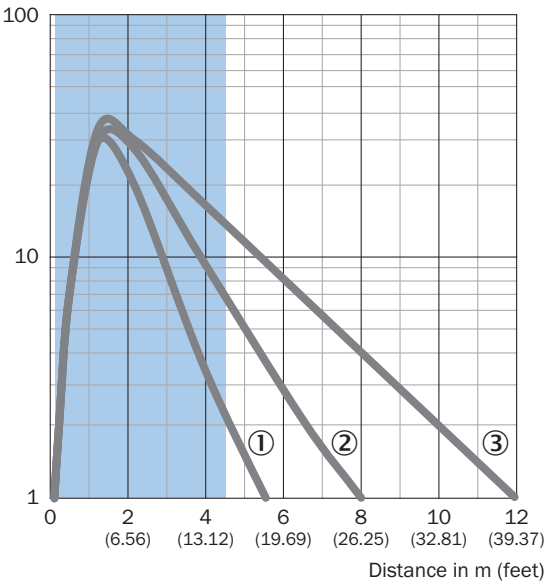
PNP - dark switching

	Dark switching Q̄ (normally open)	
	Object not present ➜ Output LOW	Object present ➜ Output HIGH
Light receive	✓	⊗
Light receive indicator	☀	⊗
Load resistance	⊗	⚠
		

Characteristic curve



Operating reserve

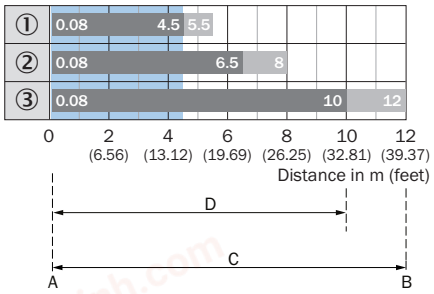


Recommended sensing range for the best performance

① PL10F reflector
② Reflector PL20F
③ Reflector P250F

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Sensing range diagram

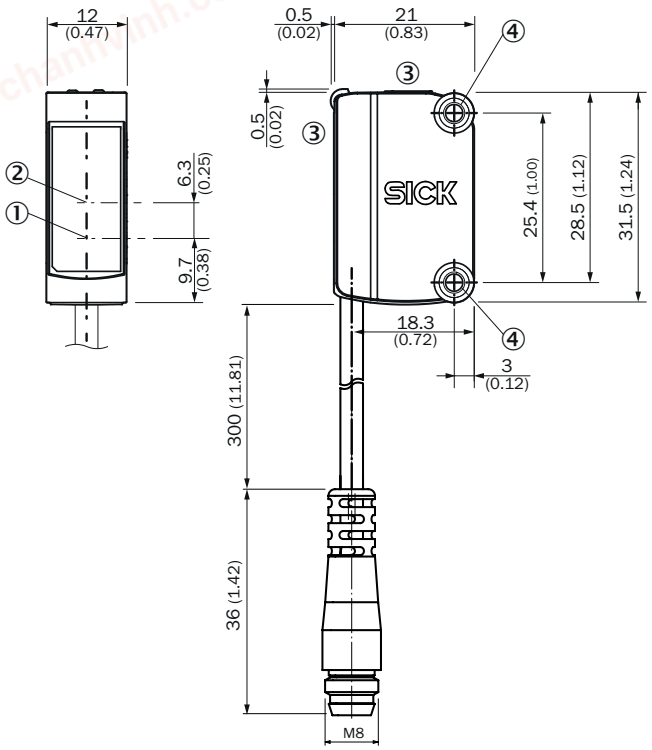


A = Sensing range min. in m
B = Sensing range max. in m
C = Maximum distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 1)
D = Recommended distance range from reflector to sensor (operating reserve 2)

Recommended sensing range for the best performance

① PL10F reflector
② Reflector PL20F
③ Reflector P250F

Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))



① Center of optical axis, sender
② Center of optical axis, receiver
③ Display and adjustment elements
④ Mounting holes M3

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Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Universal bar clamp systems			
	Clamp bar to fix G6 sensors on rods of 12 mm, clamp-on design up to 4 mm wall thickness, aluminum (clamp bar), stainless steel (bracket), clamp bar mounting and clamp function, mounting bracket, mounting hardware	BEF-KHS-IS12G6	2086865
Mounting brackets and plates			
	Stainless steel (1.4301)	BEF-WN-G6	2062909
Reflectors			
	Fine triple reflector, screw connection, suitable for laser sensors, 20 mm x 60 mm, PMMA/ABS, Screw-on, 2 hole mounting	PL20F	5308844

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