Data sheet

WF15-40B416

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FORK SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
WF15-40B416	6028452

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Optical detection principle
Dimensions (W x H x D)	10 mm x 45 mm x 57 mm
Fork width	15 mm
Fork depth	42 mm
Minimum detectable object (MDO)	0.2 mm
Light source	LED, infrared, Infrared light
Adjustment	Plus/minus button (Teach-in, sensitivity, light/dark switching, key lock)
Teach-in mode	2-point teach-in
Output function	Light/darkswitching, selectable via button
Safety-related parameters	
$MTTF_D$	97 years
DC_{avg}	0 %

Electronics

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC
Ripple	< 10 %
Switching frequency	10 kHz
Response time	≤ 100 µs
Stability of response time	± 20 µs
Jitter	40 µs
Switching output	PNP/NPN
Switching output (voltage)	PNP: HIGH = U_V ≤ 2 V / LOW approx. 0 V NPN: HIGH = approx. U_V / LOW ≤ 2 V
Switching mode	Light/dark switching

Output current $I_{max.}$	100 mA
Circuit protection	U_V connections, reverse polarity protected Output Q short-circuit protected Interference pulse suppression
Enclosure rating	IP65

Mechanics

Housing material	Aluminum
Connection type	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Weight	Approx. 36 g ... 160 g [1]

[1] Depending on fork width.

Ambient data

Ambient operating temperature	–20 °C ... +60 °C [1]
Ambient temperature, storage	–30 °C ... +80 °C
Ambient light immunity	≤ 10,000 lx
Shock load	According to EN 60068-2-27
Protection class	III [2]
UL File No.	NRKH.E191603

[1] Do not bend below 0 °C.
[2] Reference voltage DC 50 V.

Certificates

EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China RoHS	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Photobiological safety (IEC EN 62471)	✓

Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270909
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270909
ECLASS 6.0	27270909
ECLASS 6.2	27270909
ECLASS 7.0	27270909
ECLASS 8.0	27270909
ECLASS 8.1	27270909
ECLASS 9.0	27270909
ECLASS 10.0	27270909
ECLASS 11.0	27270909
ECLASS 12.0	27270909
ETIM 5.0	EC002720

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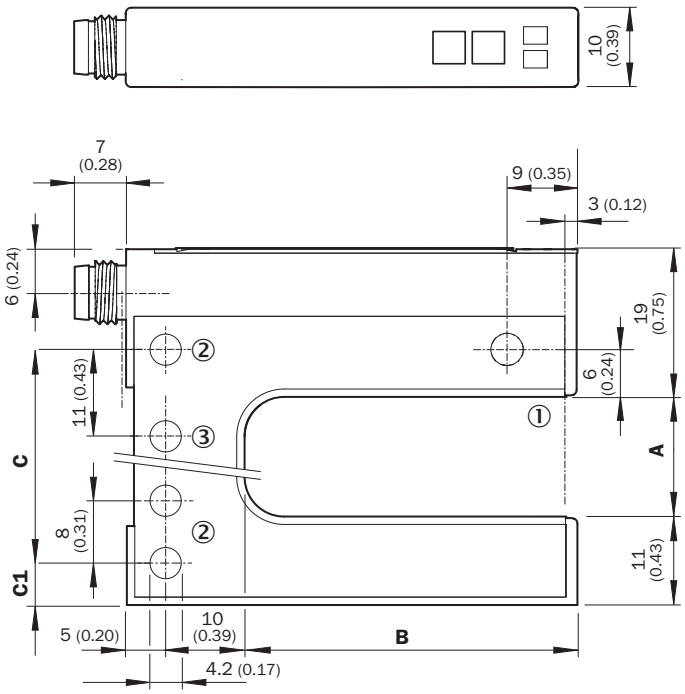
ETIM 8.0	EC002720
UNSPSC 16.0901	39121528

Dimensional drawing

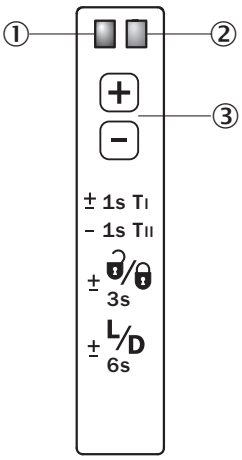


Dimensions in mm (inch)

	A Fork width	B Fork depth	C	C1
WF2	2 (0.08)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	14 (0.55)	5 (0.20)
WF5	5 (0.20)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	14 (0.55)	6.5 (0.20)
WF15	15 (0.59)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	27 (1.06)	5 (0.20)
WF30	30 (1.18)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	42 (1.65)	5 (0.20)
WF50	50 (1.97)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	51 (2.01)	16 (0.63)
WF80	80 (3.15)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	81 (3.19)	16 (0.63)
WF120	120 (4.72)	42/59/95 (1.65/2.32/3.74)	121 (4.76)	16 (0.63)

Dimensions in mm (inch)
① Optical axis
② Mounting hole, Ø 4.2 mm
③ WF50/80/120 only

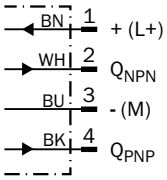
Adjustments Adjustment: teach-in via plus/minus buttons (WFxx-B416)



① Function signal indicator (yellow), switching output

② Function indicator (red)
③ “+”/“–” buttons and function button

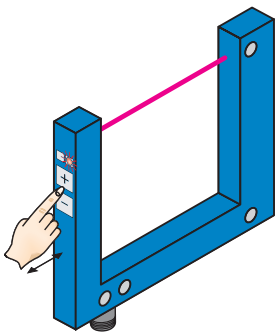
Connection diagram Cd-086



Concept of operation Teach-in via plus/minus buttons (WFxx-B416)

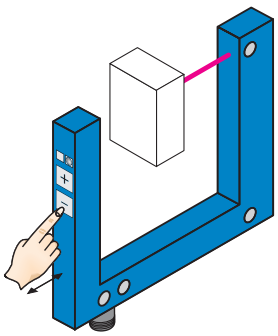
The switching threshold is set automatically. Fine adjustment is possible using the “+”/“–” buttons.

1. No object or substrate in the beam path



Press the “+” and “–” buttons together and hold for 1 second.
The red function indicator flashes slowly.

2. Object or label in the beam path



Press the “–” button for 1 second.
Red function indicator goes out.

Notes

Material speed = 0 (machine at a standstill).

+ / – Once teach-in process is complete, the switching threshold can be adjusted at any time using the “+” or “–” button. To make minor adjustments, press the “+” or “–” button once. To configure settings quickly, keep the “+” or “–” button pressed for longer.

± 3s Press both the “+” and “–” buttons together (3 seconds) to lock the device and prevent unintentional actuation.

± 6s L/D Press both the “+” and “–” buttons together (6 seconds) to define the switching function (light/dark switching). Standard setting: $\overline{Q}$ = light switching.

Recommended accessories

Other models and accessories ➜ www.sick.com/WF

	Brief description	Type	part no.
connectors and cables			
	• **Connection type head A:** Male connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • **Description:** Unshielded • **Connection systems:** Screw-type terminals • **Permitted cross-section:** 0.14 mm² ... 0.5 mm²	STE-0804-G	6037323
	• **Connection type head A:** Female connector, M8, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • **Connection type head B:** Flying leads • **Signal type:** Sensor/actuator cable • **Cable:** 5 m, 4-wire, PVC • **Description:** Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded • **Application:** Zones with chemicals, Uncontaminated zones	YF8U14-050VA3XLEAX	2095889

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