Data sheet

WL12GC-3P2472A91

W12

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
WL12GC-3P2472A91	1061063

Other models and accessories → www.sick.com/W12

Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Functional principle detail	Without reflector minimum distance (autocollimation/coaxial optics)
Sensing range max.	0 m ... 4 m
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Polarisation filter	Yes
Emitted beam	
Light source	PinPoint LED [2]
Type of light	Visible red light
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 25 mm (1.5 m)
Key LED figures	
Wave length	660 nm
Adjustment	IO-Link, Single teach-in button
Special applications	Detecting transparent objects
Pin 2 configuration	External input, Teach-in input, Sender off input, Detection output, logic output, Device contamination alarm output
AutoAdapt	✓

[1] Reflector PL80A.
[2] Average service life: 100,000 h at T_U = +25 °C.

Safety-related parameters

$MTTF_D$	891 years
DC_{avg}	0 %
T_M (mission time)	20 years

Communication interface

IO-Link	✓ , COM2 (38,4 kBaud)
Data transmission rate	COM2 (38,4 kBaud)
Cycle time	2.3 ms
Process data length	16 Bit
Process data structure	Bit 0 = switching signal Q_{L1}
	Bit 1 = switching signal Q_{L2}
	Bit 2 ... 15 = measuring value
VendorID	26
DeviceID HEX	0x8000F5
DeviceID DEC	8388853

Electronics

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC [1]
Ripple	< 5 V_{pp} [2]
Current consumption	30 mA [3]
Protection class	III
Digital output	
Type	PNP [4]
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	Approx. V_S – 2.5 V / 0 V
Output current $I_{max.}$	≤ 100 mA
Repeatability (response time)	100 µs [5]
Switching frequency	1,500 Hz
Attenuation along light beam	> 8 %
Circuit protection	A [6] B [7] C [8] D [9]
Response time Q/ on Pin 2	200 µs ... 300 µs [10] [5]

[1] Limit values when operated in short-circuit protected network: max. 8 A.
[2] May not fall below or exceed U_V tolerances.
[3] Without load.
[4] Pin 4: This switching output must not be connected to another output.
[5] Valid for Q \ on Pin2, if configured with software.
[6] A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.
[7] B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.
[8] C = interference suppression.
[9] D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.
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[11] With light / dark ratio 1:1, valid for Q \ on Pin2, if configured with software.

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Mechanics

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	15.6 mm x 48.5 mm x 42 mm
Connection	Male connector M12, 4-pin
Material	
Housing	Metal, zinc diecast
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Weight	120 g

Ambient data

Enclosure rating	IP66 IP67
Ambient operating temperature	–40 °C ... +60 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	–40 °C ... +75 °C
UL File No.	NRKH.E181493 & NRKH7.E181493

Smart Task

Smart Task name	Timestamp + debouncing
Logic function	Direct AND OR WINDOW Hysteresis
Timer function	Deactivated Switch-on delay Off delay ON and OFF delay Impulse (one shot)
Inverter	Yes
Response time	SIO Direct: 300 µs ... 450 µs [1] SIO Logic: 550 µs ... 650 µs [2] IOL: --- [3]
Repeatability	SIO Direct: 150 µs [1]

[1] SIO Direct: sensor operation in standard I/O mode without IO-Link communication and without using internal sensor logic or time parameters (set to "direct"/"deactivated").
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[3] IOL: Sensor operation with full IO-Link communication and usage of logic, timing and Automation Function parameters.

	SIO Logic: 150 µs [2] IOL: --- [3]
Time stamp accuracy	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: --- IOL: - 90 ... + 90 µs
Min. Time between two process events (switches)	SIO Direct: 450 µs SIO Logic: 450 µs IOL: 500 ms
Time stamp number buffer	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: --- IOL: 8
Max. TimeStamp Range	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: --- IOL: 260 ms
Debounce time max.	SIO Direct: --- SIO Logic: 52 ms IOL: 52 ms
Switching signal	
Switching signal Q_{L1}	Switching output
Switching signal Q_{L2}	Switching output
Measuring value	Timestamp

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Diagnosis

Device status	Yes
Quality of teach	Yes
Quality of run	Yes, Contamination display

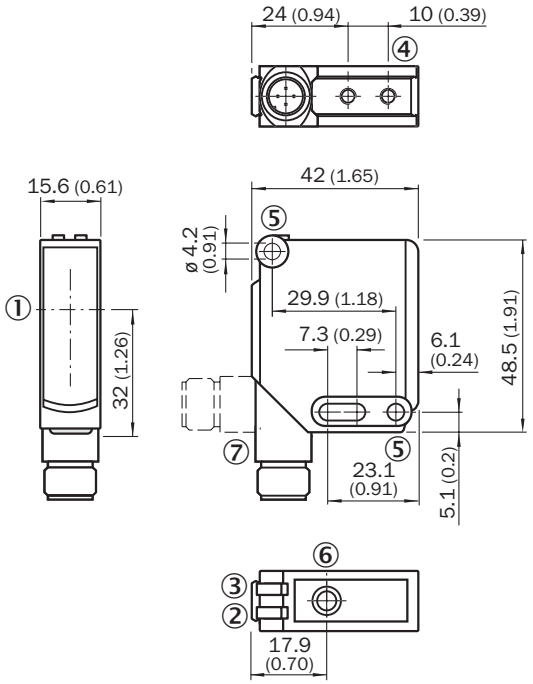
Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270902
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270902
ECLASS 6.0	27270902
ECLASS 6.2	27270902
ECLASS 7.0	27270902
ECLASS 8.0	27270902
ECLASS 8.1	27270902
ECLASS 9.0	27270902
ECLASS 10.0	27270902
ECLASS 11.0	27270902
ECLASS 12.0	27270902
ETIM 5.0	EC002717
ETIM 6.0	EC002717
ETIM 7.0	EC002717
ETIM 8.0	EC002717
UNSPSC 16.0901	39121528

Certificates

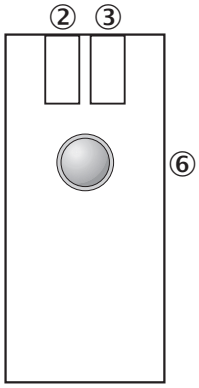
EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China-RoHS	✓
ECOLAB certificate	✓
cULus certificate	✓
IO-Link	✓
Photobiological safety (DIN EN 62471) certificate	✓
Information according to Art. 3 of Data Act (Regulation EU 2023/2854)	✓

Dimensional drawing



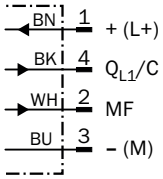
Dimensions in mm (inch)
① Optical axis
② LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
③ LED indicator green: Supply voltage active
④ M4 threaded mounting hole, 4 mm deep
⑤ Mounting hole, Ø 4.2 mm
⑥ Sensitivity setting: single teach-in button
⑦ Connection

Adjustments Teach-in

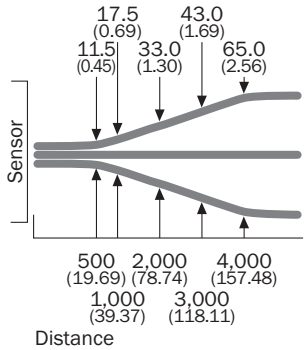


② LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
③ green LED indicator: power on, teach-in mode I
③ blue LED indicator: teach-in mode II
⑥ Single teach-in button,
⑥ function 1: teach-in sensitivity on reflector,
⑥ function 2: change operation/teach-in mode

Connection diagram Cd-367

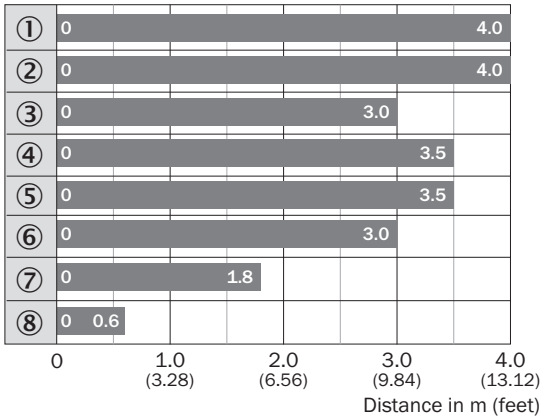


Light spot size



All dimensions in mm (inch)

Sensing range diagram WL12G-3



Sensing range max.

① Reflector PL80A
② Reflector C110A
③ Reflector P250F
④ Reflector PL50A
⑤ Reflector PL40A
⑥ Reflector PL30A
⑦ Reflector PL20A
⑧ Reflective tape REF-IRF-56

Functions

Teach-in-Modus für Objekte / ***Teach-in mode for objects***	**Lichtdämpfung /**	**Objekttyp /**	**Teach-in-Zeit /** ***Teach-in time***	**Ext. Teach-in über Leitung /** ***Ext. cable teach-in***	**Anzeige-LED /** ***LED indicator***
I	10 %	PET-Flasche / Folie /Glas / *PET-Flasche / Folie/ glas*	1 ... 5 s	30 ... 100 ms	grün / green
II	18 %	Farbglasflaschen/ Colored glass bottles	5 ... 10 s	100 ... 200 ms	blau / blue

Recommended accessories

Other models and accessories ➜ www.sick.com/W12

	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	• **Description:** Universal mounting bracket for reflectors • **Dimensions (W x H x L):** 85 mm x 90 mm x 35 mm • **Material:** Steel • **Details:** Steel, zinc coated • **Suitable for:** C110A, P250, PL20, PL30A, PL40A, PL80A	BEF-WN-REFX	2064574
	• **Description:** Mounting bracket, large • **Material:** Stainless steel • **Details:** Stainless steel • **Items supplied:** Mounting hardware included • **Suitable for:** W11-2, W12-3, W16	BEF-WG-W12	2013942
	• **Description:** Plate N11N for universal clamp bracket • **Material:** Stainless steel • **Details:** Stainless steel 1.4571 (sheet), Stainless steel 1.4408 (clamp) • **Items supplied:** Universal clamp (5322627), mounting hardware • **Usable for:** DeltaPac, Glare, WTD20E	BEF-KHS-N11N	2071081
reflectors and optics			
	• **Description:** Fine triple reflector, screw connection, suitable for laser sensors • **Dimensions:** 52 mm 62 mm • **Ambient operating temperature:** –30 °C ... +65 °C	P250F	5308843
connectors and cables			
	• **Connection type head A:** Female connector, M12, 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	YF2A14-050VB3XLEAX	2096235
	• **Connection type head A:** Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • **Description:** Unshielded • **Connection systems:** Screw-type terminals • **Permitted cross-section:** ≤ 0.75 mm²	STE-1204-G	6009932
	• **Connection type head A:** Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • **Connection type head B:** Flying leads • **Signal type:** Sensor/actuator cable • **Cable:** 5 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free • **Description:** Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded • **Application:** Uncontaminated zones, Zones with oils and lubricants, Robot, Drag chain operation	YF2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2095608

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