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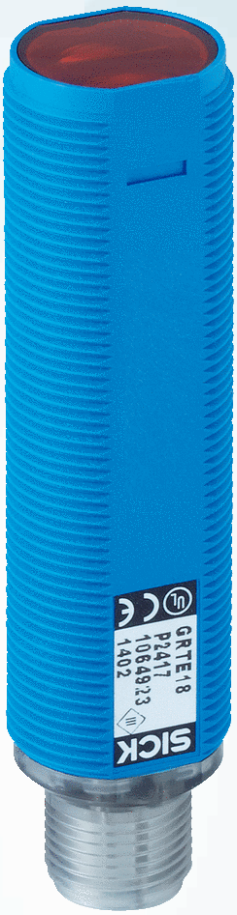

GRL18-P2437

GR18

PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	part no.
GRL18-P2437	1066555

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor
Functional principle detail	With minimum distance to reflector (dual lens system)
Dimensions (W x H x D)	18 mm x 18 mm x 73.5 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Cylindrical
Thread diameter (housing)	M18 x 1
Optical axis	Axial
Sensing range max.	0.03 m ... 7.2 m [1]
Sensing range	0.06 m ... 6 m [1]
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	PinPoint LED [2]
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 175 mm (7 m)
Wave length	650 nm
Adjustment	Potentiometer
Display	
LED green	Operating indicator Static on: power on
LED yellow	Status of received light beam Static on: object not present Static off: object present

[1] Reflector PL80A.

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

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC [1]
Ripple	< 5 V_{pp} [2]
Current consumption	30 mA
Switching output	PNP
Output function	Complementary
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	V_S - (≤ 3 V) / approx. 0 V
Output current $I_{max.}$	≤ 100 mA [3]
Response time	< 500 µs [4]
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz [5]
Connection type	Male connector M12, 4-pin
Circuit protection	A [6] B [7] D [8]
Protection class	III
Polarisation filter	✓
Housing material	Plastic, ABS
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67
Items supplied	Fastening nuts (2 x)
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	EN 60947-5-2
Ambient operating temperature	–25 °C ... +55 °C [9]
Ambient temperature, storage	–40 °C ... +70 °C
UL File No.	E348498

[1] Limit values. Operated in short-circuit protected network: max. 8 A.
[2] May not fall below or exceed U_V tolerances.
[3] At Uv > 24 V or ambient temperature > 49 °C, IA max. = 50 mA.
[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.
[9] At U_V <=24V and I_A<50mA.

Safety-related parameters

$MTTF_D$	2,412 years
DC_{avg}	0 %

Certificates

EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓

China RoHS	✓
ECOLAB certificate	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Photobiological safety (DIN EN 62471) certificate	✓

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
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ECLASS 10.0	27270902
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ETIM 5.0	EC002717
ETIM 6.0	EC002717
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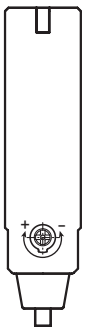
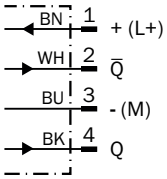
UNSPSC 16.0901	39121528

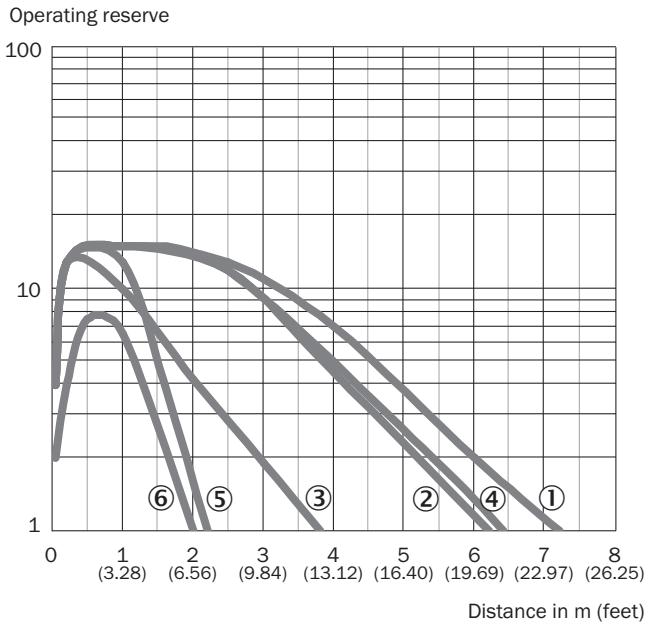
Adjustments GRL18(S), GRSE18(S), Sensitivity setting: Potentiometer, 270°



Connection diagram Cd-084



Characteristic curve GRL18S



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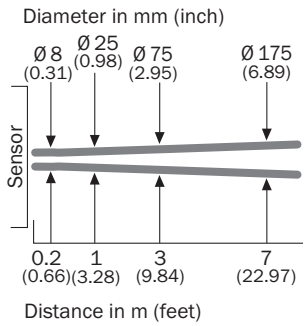
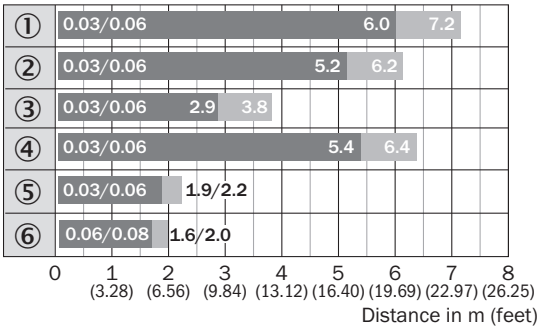
④ Reflector P250
⑤ Reflector PL22
⑥ Reflective tape REF-Plus 3436

Light spot size GRL18S



Sensing range diagram GRL18S



Sensing range Sensing range max.

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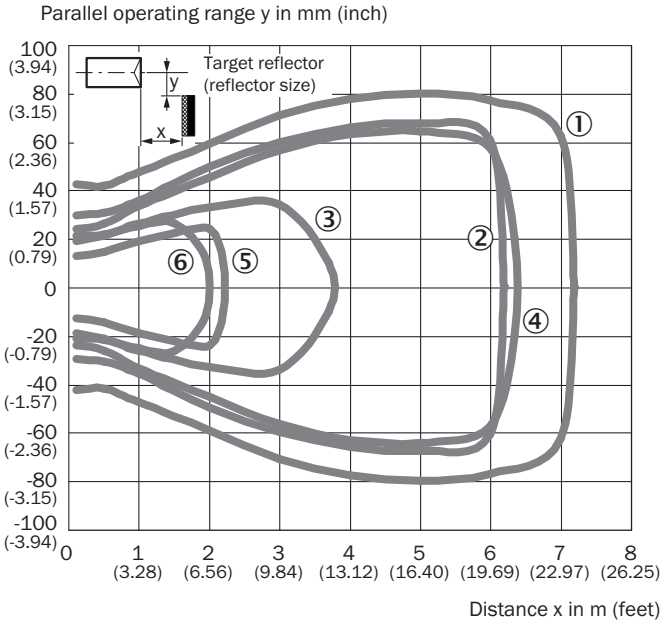
Response range GRL18S



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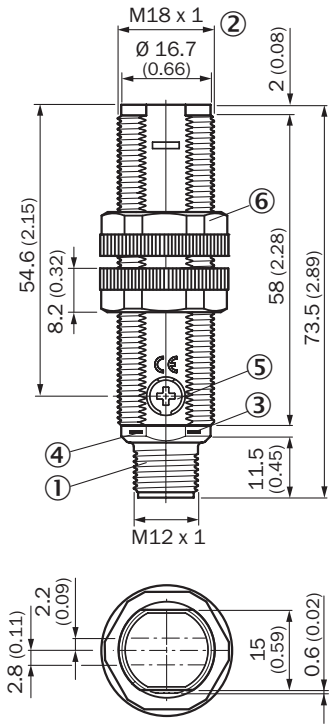
Dimensional drawing GRTE18, GRL18, GRSE18, plastic, connector, straight



Dimensions in mm (inch)
① male connector M12, 4-pin
② Threaded mounting hole M18 x 1
③ LED indicator yellow
④ LED indicator green
⑤ sensitivity control: potentiometer 270°
⑥ fastening nuts (2 x); width across 22, plastic

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	part no.
Mounting systems			
	• **Description:** Mounting bracket for M18 sensors • **Material:** Steel • **Details:** Steel, zinc coated • **Items supplied:** Without mounting hardware • **Suitable for:** GR18, V180-2, V18, W15, Z1, Z2	BEF-WN-M18	5308446
	• **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

	Brief description	Type	part no.
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, PUR, halogen-free • **Description:** Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded • **Application:** Uncontaminated zones, Zones with oils and lubricants, Robot, Drag chain operation	YF2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2095608
	• **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

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