

RU50L-S18-AP8X Ultrasonic Sensor – Retroreflective Sensor





Туре	RU50L-S18-AP8X
ID	100002165
Ultrasonic data	
Function	Retroreflective
Range	50500 mm
Resolution	0.2 mm
Minimum switching range	5 mm
Ultrasound frequency	300 kHz
Repeat accuracy	≤ 0.15 % of full scale
Temperature drift	± 1.5 % of full scale
Linearity error	≤ ± 0.5 %
Edge lengths of the nominal actuator	20 mm
Approach speed	≤ 5 m/s
Pass speed	≤ 3 m/s
Electrical data	
Operating voltage $U_{\scriptscriptstyle B}$	1530 VDC
DC rated operating current I _e	≤ 150 mA
No-load current	≤ 50 mA
Residual current	≤ 0.1 mA
Response time typical	< 65 ms
Readiness delay	≤ 300 ms
Output function	NO contact, PNP
Output 1	Switching output



Features

- Smooth sonic transducer face
- Cylindrical housing S18, potted
- Connection via cable, 2 m
- Teach range adjustable via adapter
- Temperature compensation
- Teach-in range: 5...49 cm
- Aperture angle of sonic cone: ±20 °
- PNP switching output, NO contact
- Switching range adjustable

Wiring diagram



Functional principle

Ultrasonic sensors capture a multitude of objects contactlessly and wear-free with ultrasonic waves. It does not matter whether the object is transparent or opaque, metallic or non-metallic, firm, liquid or powdery. Even environmental conditions such as spray, dust or rain hardly affect their function. The sonic cone diagram indicates the detection range of the sensor. In accordance with standard EN 60947-5-2, quadratic targets in a range of sizes (20 × 20 mm, 100 × 100 mm) and a round rod with a diameter of 27 mm are used.

Important: The detection ranges for other targets may differ from those for standard



Technical data

Switching frequency	≤ 9.6 Hz
Hysteresis	≤ 5 mm
Voltage drop at I _e	≤ 2.5 V
Short-circuit protection	yes/Cyclic
Reverse polarity protection	yes
Wire breakage protection	yes
Setting option	Remote Teach
Mechanical data	
Design	Threaded barrel, S18
Radiation direction	straight
Dimensions	Ø 18 x 64 mm
Housing material	Plastic, LCP, Yellow
End cap	Plastic, EPTR, black
Transducer material	Plastic, Epoxyd resin and PU foam
Electrical connection	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m
Ambient temperature	-20+50 °C
Storage temperature	-40+80 °C
Pressure resistance	0.55 bar
Protection class	IP67
Switching state	LED, Yellow
Tests/approvals	
MTTF	293 years acc. to SN 29500 (Ed. 99) 40 °C
Declaration of conformity EN ISO/IEC	EN 60947-5-2
Vibration resistance	20 g, 1055 Hz, sine, 3 axes, 30 min/ axis according to IEC 60068-2-6
Shock test	30 g, 11 ms, half sine, 3 axes according to IEC 60068-2-27
Approvals	CE cULus

targets due to the different reflection properties and geometries.

Sonic Cone



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Mounting instructions

Mounting instructions/Description



Teaching the reflector position The ultrasonic sensor features a switching output with a teachable switching range. The yellow LED indicates whether the sensor has detected the object.

A switching range is taught in. This must be within the detection range. In this operating



mode, the taught reflector position is detected permanently without an object.

Simple Teach-In

• Place stationary reflector within the detection range

#• Pin 2/seal the white core against Ub for 2... 7 s

• Return to normal operating mode after 17 s or more.

After a successful teach-in, the yellow LED flashes 3 times and the sensor runs automatically in normal operating mode.

LED response

In normal operating mode, the LED signals the switching state of the sensor.

Accessories

BSS-18



Mounting clamp for smooth and threaded barrel sensors; material: Polypropylene

6901320

A3501-29



MW18

6945004

Mounting bracket for threaded barrel sensors; material: Stainless steel A2 1.4301 (AISI 304)

VB2-SP1



Teach adapter