

Economical, Limit Switch Style Sensor with Plastic Body

- Low cost
- Wide operating voltages (10 to 30 VDC and 90 to 250 VAC)
- Directly switches AC loads up to 500 mA, DC loads up to 200 mA
- Front, side or end sensing
- DC reverse polarity protection
- Operation indicators, all models

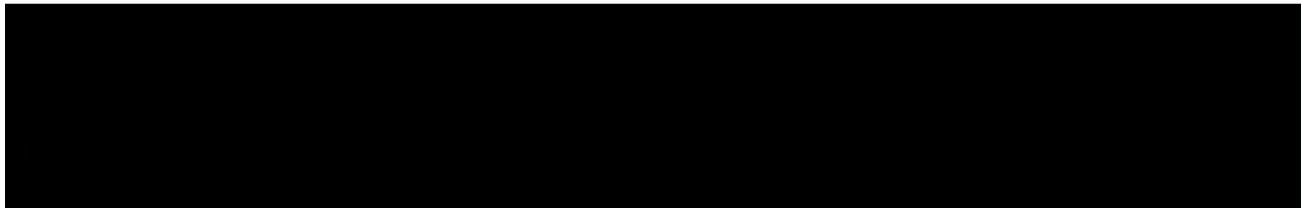


## Ordering Information \_\_\_\_\_

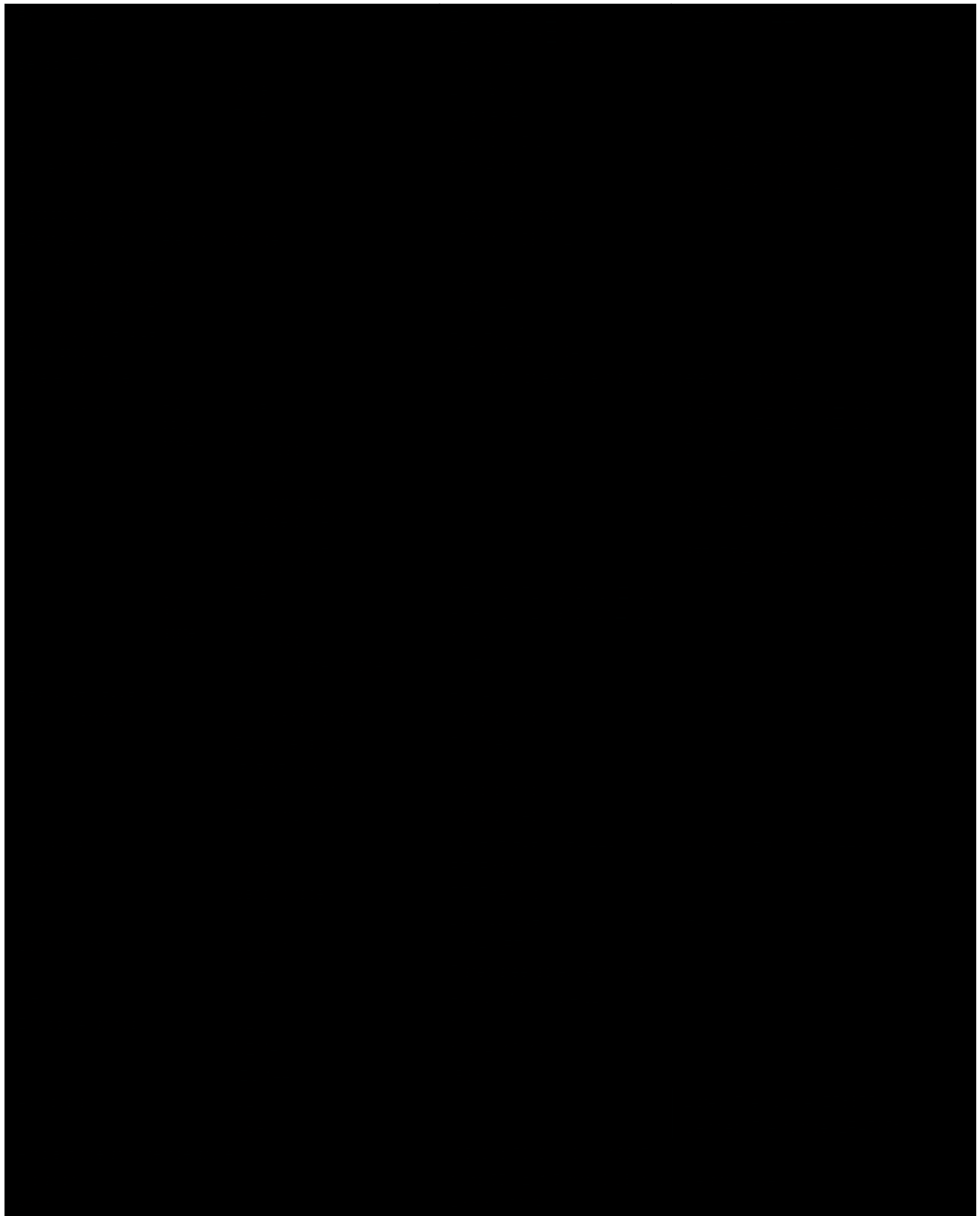
### ■ DC THREE-WIRE SENSORS



### ■ AC TWO-WIRE SENSORS



Specifications \_\_\_\_\_



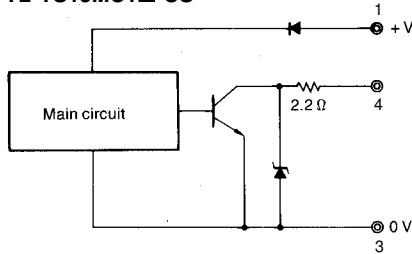
# Operation

## OUTPUT CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

### DC Switching Type

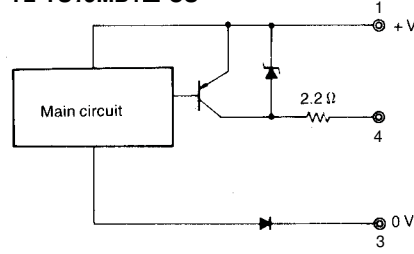
#### NPN output

##### TL-YS15MC1□-US



#### PNP output

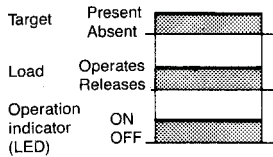
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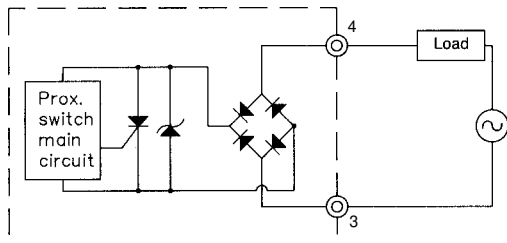
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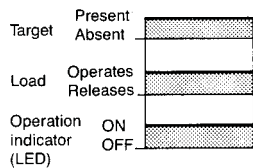
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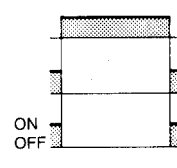
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### NO



##### TL-YS15MY2□-US

### NC

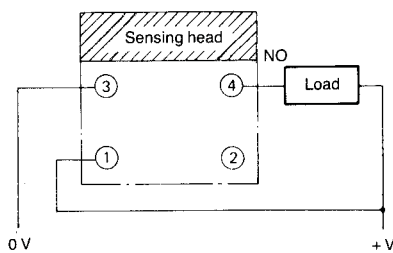


## CONNECTIONS

### DC Switching Types

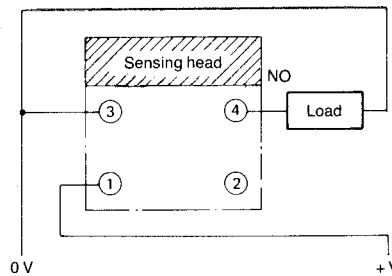
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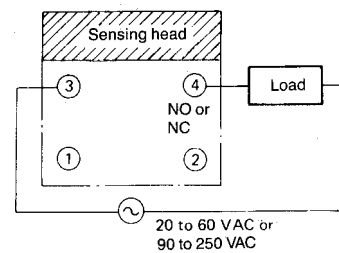
##### TL-YS15MB1□-US



### AC Switching Types

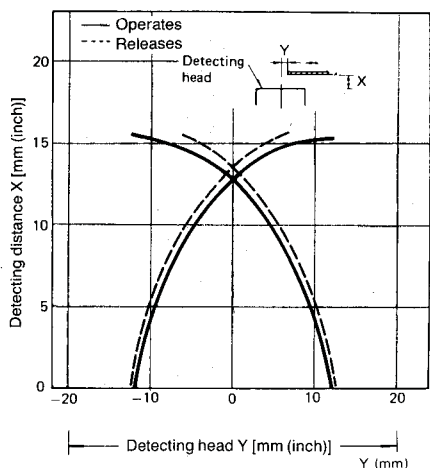
##### TL-YS15MY□□-US

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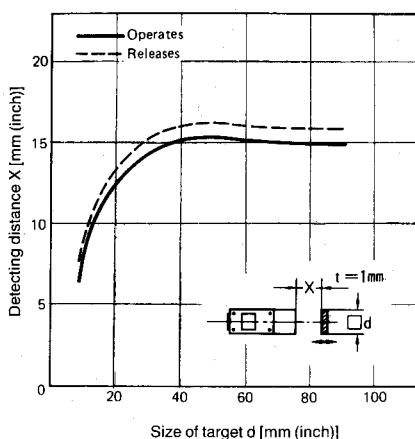


# Engineering Data

## ■ OPERATING RANGE



## ■ DETECTING DISTANCE VS. SIZE OF TARGET



## ■ DETECTING DISTANCE VS. MATERIAL OF TARGET

| Material        | Detecting distances |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| Mild steel      | 15 mm (0.59 in)     |
| Stainless steel | 10 mm (0.39 in)     |
| Brass           | 6.4 mm (0.25 in)    |
| Aluminum        | 5 mm (0.20 in)      |
| Copper          | 5 mm (0.20 in)      |

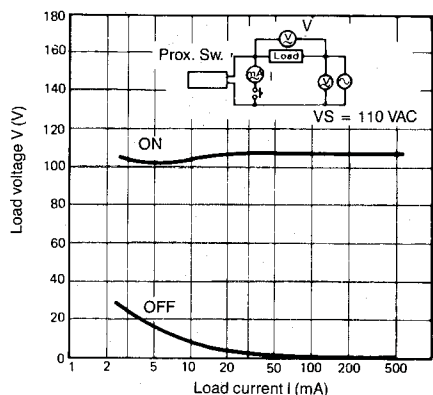
Note: Standard target size is 30 x 30 x 1 mm.

Note: If the target is a nonferrous metal, the operating distance of the proximity sensor decreases. However, with a piece of foil measuring about 0.01 mm (0.0004 in) in thickness, the detecting distance is equivalent to that with a ferrous metal. Note that the proximity sensor cannot detect extremely thin evaporated films and non-conductive targets.

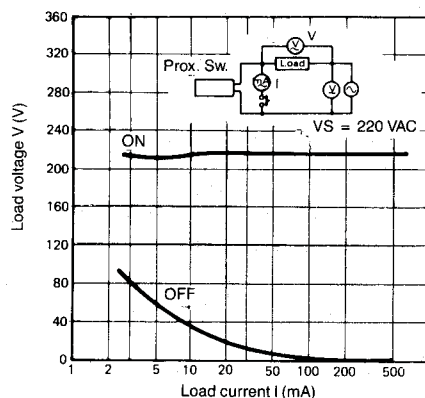
## ■ RESIDUAL LOAD VOLTAGE CHARACTERISTICS

### AC Switching Types TL-YS15MY□□-US

#### 110 VAC



#### 220 VAC



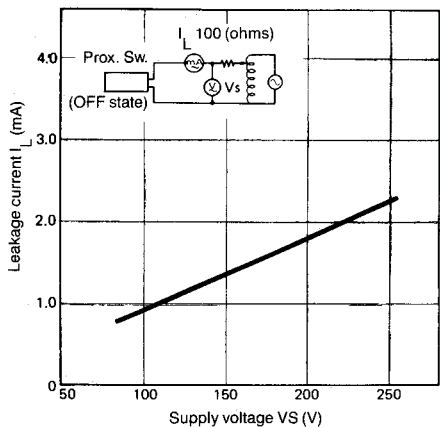
Note: When the current rating of the load is less than 10 mA, false operation may occur. This is normal, and the problem can be solved by installing a bleeder resistor in parallel with the load. Use the formulas given here to calculate the power rating and value of the resistor.

$$R \leq \frac{V_s}{10 - i} \text{ (k}\Omega\text{)} \quad P > \frac{V_s^2}{R} \text{ (mW)}$$

P : Wattage of bleeder resistor  
i : Load current (mA)  
Vs : Supply voltage (V)

■ LEAKAGE CURRENT CHARACTERISTICS

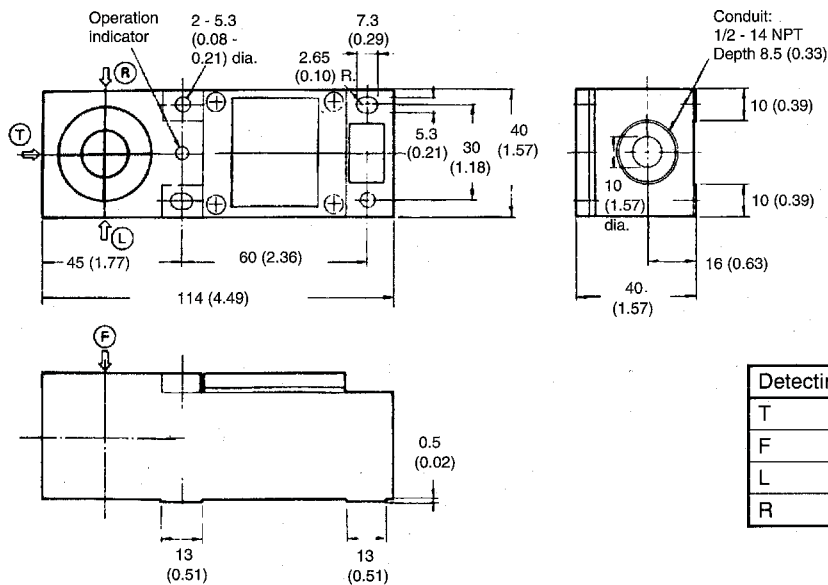
AC Switching Types  
TL-YS15MY□□-US



Note: Even when the proximity sensor is in the OFF state, a very small amount of current flows to operate the internal circuit of the sensor. Because of this leakage current, a small voltage is generated in the load, which may occasionally result in improper resetting of the load. Before using the proximity sensor, confirm that this voltage is less than the release voltage value of the load.

Dimensions

Unit: mm (inch)



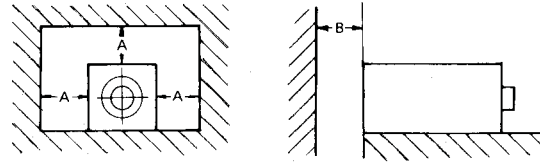
| Detecting surface |       | Part number    |
|-------------------|-------|----------------|
| T                 | Top   | TL-YS15M□□-US  |
| F                 | Front | TL-YS15M□□1-US |
| L                 | Left  | TL-YS15M□□2-US |
| R                 | Right | TL-YS15M□□4-US |

## Precautions

### ■ EFFECTS OF SURROUNDING METALS

When mounting a proximity sensor flush with a metallic panel, be sure to provide a minimum distance as shown in the table to prevent the sensor from being effected by metallic objects other than the target.

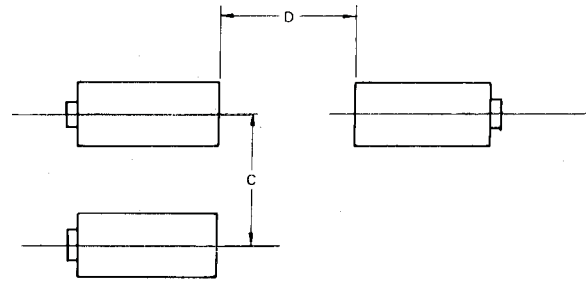
| Drawing dimension | Minimum distance<br>mm (inch) |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| A                 | 45 (1.77)                     |
| B                 | 45 (1.77)                     |



### ■ MUTUAL INTERFERENCE

To prevent mutual interference, be sure to space the sensors at a distance greater than that shown in the table below.

| Drawing dimension | Minimum distance<br>mm (inch) |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| C                 | 150 (5.91)                    |
| D                 | 200 (7.87)                    |



### ■ INFLUENCE OF PLATING

Metals with different types of plating effect the detecting distance of inductive proximity sensors. The table at right shows reference values for the percentage of the rated detecting distance that may be expected by type of plating materials.

| Type of plating | % of detecting distance (of standard unplated iron target) |
|-----------------|--|
| Zn              | 100  |
| Cr              | 75   |
| Ag              | 60   |
| Ni              | 70   |
| Cu              | 70   |

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