



WT23-2S1521

W23-2

COMPACT PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
WT23-2S1521	1027780

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Background suppression
Dimensions (W x H x D)	24.6 mm x 80.6 mm x 54 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Rectangular
Sensing range max.	50 mm ... 1,000 mm ¹⁾
Sensing range	100 mm ... 1,000 mm
Type of light	Infrared light
Light source	LED ²⁾
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 50 mm (800 mm)
Wave length	880 nm
Adjustment	Potentiometer

¹⁾ Object with 90% remission (based on standard white, DIN 5033).

²⁾ Average service life: 100,000 h at T_J = +25 °C.

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage	90 V AC ... 265 V AC ¹⁾
Power consumption	≤ 2.5 VA
Switching output	Relay, electrically isolated ²⁾

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²⁾ Provide suitable spark suppression for inductive or capacitive loads.

³⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁴⁾ Do not bend below 0 °C.

⁵⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁶⁾ C = interference suppression.

⁷⁾ Reference voltage: 250 V AC.

⁸⁾ UL: 0 °C ... +60 °C.

Output function	Change-over contacts
Switching mode	Light switching ²⁾
Switching current (switching voltage)	3 A (230 V AC) 0.11 A (230 V DC) 3 A (24 V DC)
Response time	≤ 10 ms
Switching frequency	10 Hz ³⁾
Connection type	Cable, 5-wire, 2 m ⁴⁾
Cable material	PVC
Circuit protection	A ⁵⁾ C ⁶⁾
Protection class	II ⁷⁾
Weight	200 g
Housing material	Plastic, ABS
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP67
Ambient operating temperature	-25 °C ... +60 °C ⁸⁾
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +70 °C
UL File No.	NRKH.E181493 & NRKH7.E181493

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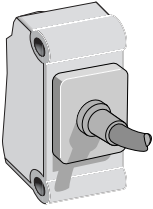
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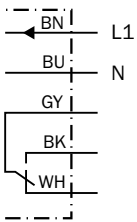
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Connection type



Connection diagram

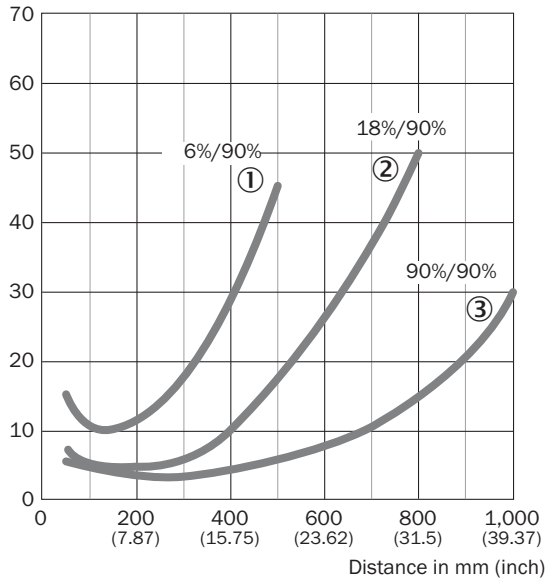
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Characteristic curve

WT23-2, infrared

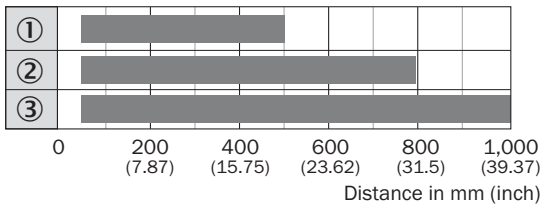
% of sensing range



- ① Sensing range on black, 6% remission
- ② Sensing range on gray, 18 % remission
- ③ Sensing range on white, 90% remission

Sensing range diagram

WT23-2, infrared

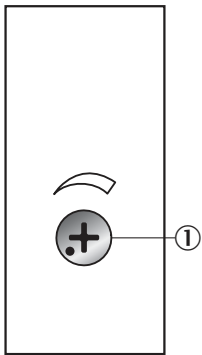


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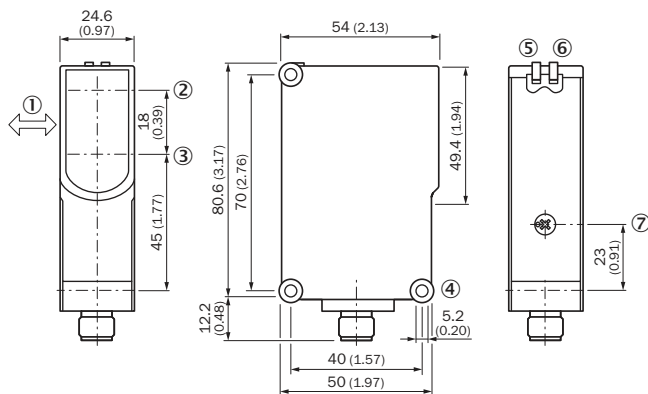
Adjustments

Potentiometer



- ① Sensing range adjustment: potentiometer


Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))



- ① Standard direction of the material being detected
- ② Optical axis, sender
- ③ Optical axis, receiver
- ④ Mounting hole \varnothing 5.2 mm
- ⑤ LED indicator green: Supply voltage active
- ⑥ LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
- ⑦ Sensing range adjustment: potentiometer

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Plug connectors and cables			
	Head A: male connector, M12, 5-pin, straight Cable: unshielded For field bus technology	STE-1205-G	6022083

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