

Type 4

Ultra-slim Safety Light Curtain

SF4C SERIES



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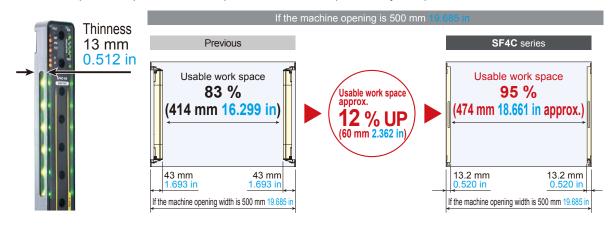


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Machine safeguarding without sacrificing productivity

Slim size for efficient applications

Available work space is expanded from the previous model, and productivity is improved.

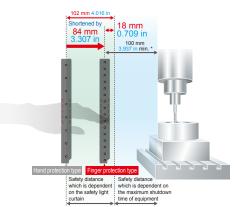


Shorter safety distance to downsize equipment Finger protection type

The safety distance of **SF4C** series finger protection type is 84 mm 3.307 in shorter than that of **SF4C** series hard protection type (**SF4C-H**□). As a result, the depth and guard of the equipment can be downsized.



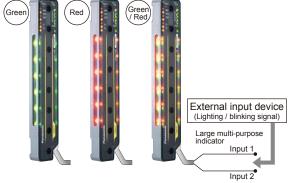
* Calculation based on ISO 13855 with 41 ms or longer being the machinery's maximum stopping time.

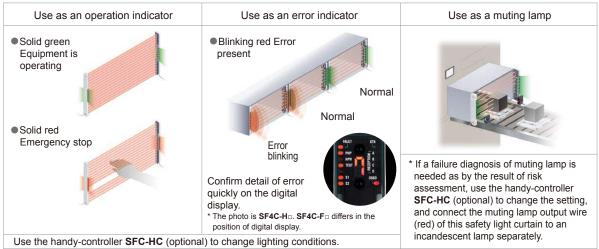


Can be used in a variety of applications for simplified equipment [Large multi-purpose indicator]

The bright LED indicators located in the center of both sides of each safety light curtain can be illuminated by using external inputs. There is no need for setting up a separate indicator, so that equipment is consolidated.

* The lighting conditions of **SF4C** series can be changed by using a handy-controller **SFC-HC** (optional). It is possible to actuate the lighting together with internal operation, regardless of connection of the large multi-purpose indicator input wires.





Beam-axis alignment indicators help to reduce startup time

The beam channels of the safety light curtain are displayed in four blocks so that incident light position is shown at a glance. When the beam channel at the bottommost channel (or topmost channel), which is used as a reference for beam-axis alignments, is correctly aligned, the LED blinks red. After this, each block lights red as the beam axes successively become aligned. When all channel beam axes are aligned, all LEDs light green. The display also has a stability indicator (STB) added so that setup can be carried out with greater stability.



A single model supports both PNP and NPN polarities reducing model numbers

PNP transistor output and NPN transistor output are combined in a single model. Overseas equipment that uses PNP, replacement with NPN sensors, factories that are positively grounded, and transfer of equipment overseas are all situations where the control circuits for a single model are suitable for use worldwide.

Lightweight!

The **SF4C** series is made of resin that is approx. 45 % lighter than the conventional aluminum case type. Its lightweight body eases the burden on the mounting surface of the equipment and contributes to overall reduced weight during equipment transportation or overseas shipment.

* Except the cable part

IP67 protection structure

An IP67 (IEC) rating is achieved even in an ultra-slim resin body by using a laser welding method.

A fast response time for all models

SF4C-H_{\(\mathbb{\pi}\): 7 ms*, SF4C-F_{\(\mathbb{\pi}\): 9 ms*}}

The **SF4C** series reduces the safety distance as well as the calculation work required for the safety distance among models with different beam channels.

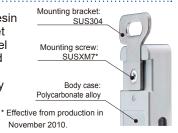
* When connecting safety sensors (safety light curtains, etc) to the safety input,the response time will be the total time of connected units.

Mutual interference is reduced without needing for interference prevention lines

The ELCA (Extraneous Light Check & Avoid) function automatically shifts the scan timing in order to avoid interference.

Material suitable for manufacturing a secondary battery

SF4C body is made of resin and the mounting bracket is made of Stainless Steel (SUS), so materials used are limited. Suitable for manufacturing secondary batteries or for food production equipment. * Effet



Reducing the number of malfunctions caused by extraneous light

Double scanning method and retry processing are effective in eliminating the effects of extraneous light.

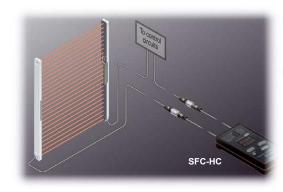
Handy-controller SFC-HC (Opitonal) enables the user to select a variety of settings **■HC**

Operation of the large multi-purpose indicators can be configured

	Operation	Operation of large multi-purpose indicators (factory setting: mode 0				
Mode No.	Large multi-purpose indicator 1	Large multi-purpose indicator 2	urpose Control outputs (OSSD 1 / OSS		Muting function	Override function
	High or Low	High or Low	ON	OFF	Valid	Valid
0	Lights up in red	Lights up in green	-	-	-	-
1	Blinks in red	Blinks in green	-	-	-	-
2	Lights up in red	Blinks in green	ı	-	-	-
3	Blinks in red	Lights up in green	-	-	-	-
4 (Note 1)	Lights up in red	Blinks in red	-	-	-	-
5 (Note 1)	Blinks in green	Lights up in green	-	-	-	-
6 (Note 1)	-	-	Lights up in green	Lights up in red	Blinks in green	-
7 (Note 1)	Lights up in red	Blinks in red	ı	-	Lights up in green	Blinks in green

Notes: 1) Blinking takes precedence in case of same color brinks or light up.
2) During lockout, it is possible to blink in red.

Lockout blinking function	When lockout occurs
Valid	Blinks in red
Invalid	



Fixed blanking function which allows selective beam channels to be activated improves productivity

The SF4C series is equipped with a fixed blanking function which allows specific beam channels to be selectively interrupted without causing the control output (OSSD) to output the OFF signal. This function is convenient for use with applications in which certain fixed obstacles tend to interrupt specific beam channels.

Auxiliary output has selectable output configuration

Mode No.	Description
0	Negative logic of the control outputs (OSSD 1, OSSD 2) (factory setting)
1	Positive logic of the control outputs (OSSD 1, OSSD 2)
2	For test input enabled: output OFF, For Disabled: output ON
3	For test input enabled: output ON, For Disabled: output OFF
4	For unstable incident beam: OFF (Note 1)
5	For unstable incident beam: ON (Note 1)
6	For muting: ON
7	For muting: OFF
8	For beam received: ON, For beam interrupted: OFF (Note 2)
9	For beam received: OFF, For beam interrupted: ON (Note 2)
Α	For safety input enabled: ON, Disabled: OFF
В	For safety input enabled: OFF, Disabled: ON
С	For lockout: OFF
D	For lockout: ON

Notes: 1) The output cannot be used while the fix blanking function, floating blanking function or the muting function is activated.

2) This device outputs the beam received/interrupted state under activating the auxiliary output switching function using the handy-controller irrespective of activating other functions, fixed blanking function, floating blanking function, and muting function.



Floating blanking function which allows non-specified beam channels to be deactivated improves productivity

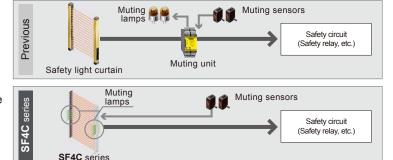
1, 2 or 3 non-specified beam channels can be deactivated. This function is useful in the event when an object passes through the safety light curtain's sensing area.



Note: When the floating blanking function is used, the size of the min. sensing object is changed.

Safety, productivity, and cost reduction [Muting control function]

The safety light curtain has a built-in muting control function that causes the line to stop only when a person passes through the safety light curtain, and does not stop the line when an object passes through. The muting sensors and muting lamps can be connected directly to the safety light curtain. Furthermore, the large multi-purpose indicators can be used as muting lamps, which contribute to less wiring troubles, improvement of safety and productivity, and cost reduction.



If a failure diagnosis of muting lamp is needed as by the result of risk assessment, use the handy-controller SFC-HC (optional) to change the setting, and connect the muting lamp output wire (red) of this safety light curtain to an incandescent lamp separately.

Selective muting area [Separate muting control function for each beam channel]

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The handy-controller **SFC-HC** (optional) can be used to carry out muting control for specified beam channels only. Because individual beam channel can be specified to suit the object, separate guards to prevent entry do not need to be set up.



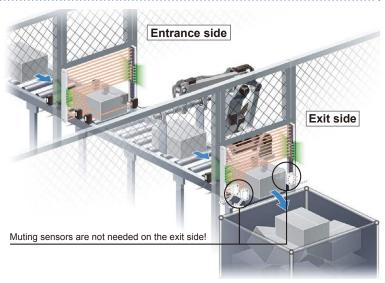


For example, depending on the height of the object, the muting function can be activated for 10 beam channels starting from the bottom most, so that if the 11th or subsequent beam channels are interrupted, it is judged that a person has entered the area and the line stops.

Safety measures when objects exit [Exit muting control function]

HC

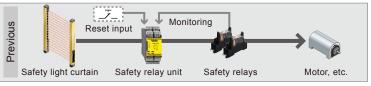
Muting at the exit of a machine is now possible using the handy-controller **SFC-HC** (optional). Just set a Max. four sec. delay timer on the muting sensors located at the exit. This is efficient for places with no installation space for muting sensors and also reduces cost and wiring.



By installing muting sensors only within the dangerous zone and setting up a delay timer on the sensor, muting control is made possible even on the exit side where muting sensors cannot be installed.

Safety circuit is constructed without the need for a safety relay unit [External device monitoring function]

The safety light curtain has a built-in external device monitoring function (such as deposited relay monitoring) and an interlock function. This allows a safety circuit to be constructed so that a separate safety relay unit is not needed, and the control box has become smaller to help to achieve to lower costs.





The safety light curtain can directly connect to external devices (safety relay, etc) without an exclusive control unit. This allows for simplified equipment, cost reduction, and error prevention.

Industry first*! Wire-saving when connecting to safety devices [Safety input function]

Contact outputs such as an emergency stop switches or a safety door switches can be connected to the safety light curtain. Also, by using the handy-controller **SFC-HC** (optional) up to three sets of safety light curtains can be cascade connected for a consolidated safety output.

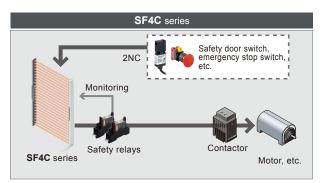
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Direct connection of safety devices

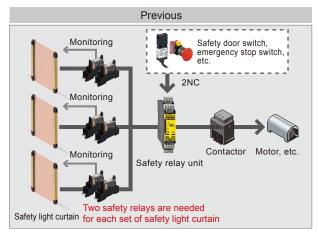


A safety relay unit is needed for connecting safety devices other than safety light curtain.

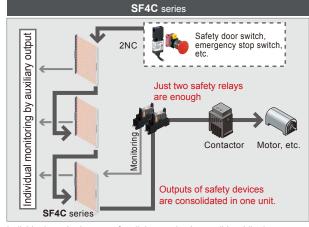


Direct connection of various safety devices is possible for a simplified safety circuit.

By using the handy-controller SFC-HC (optional) up to three sets of safety light curtains can be cascade connected for a consolidated safety output. (Note)



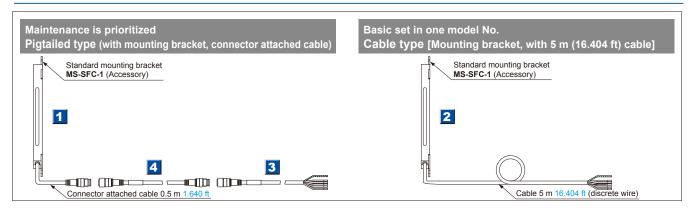
Three sets of safety light curtains require three sets of safety relays.



Individual monitoring on safety light curtains is possible while the outputs of three sets of safety light curtains and other safety devices are consolidated in one unit.

Note: This setting is possible with the use of handy-controller SFC-HC (optional) for SF4C series Ver.2.1 or later.

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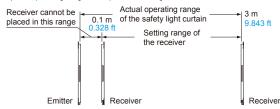
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1 2 Safety light curtains

	Туре	Appearance	Operating range	Model No	(Note 2)	Number of beam	Protective height
Турс		простапос	(Note 1)	1 Pigtailed type	2 Cable type	channels	(mm in)
		Beam		SF4C-F15-J05	SF4C-F15	15	160 mm 6.299 in
be	ot pitch)	channel No. 10 mm 0.394 in		SF4C-F23-J05	SF4C-F23	23	240 mm 9.449 in
ion ty	Min. sensing object ø14 mm ø0.551 in (10 mm 0.394 in beam pitch)	Protective height		SF4C-F31-J05	SF4C-F31	31	320 mm 12.598 in
rotect	ensing m ø0. 94 in b	Protective neight		SF4C-F39-J05	SF4C-F39	39	400 mm 15.748 in
inger protection type	Min. se ø14 min 0.3%		0.1 to 3 m 0.328 to 9.843 ft	SF4C-F47-J05	SF4C-F47	47	480 mm 18.898 in
Fir No miles	Beam pitch 10 mm		SF4C-F55-J05	SF4C-F55	55	560 mm 22.047 in	
		Beam pitch 10 mm 10 mm 0.394 in 0.394 in		SF4C-F63-J05	SF4C-F63	63	640 mm 25.197 in
	Beam 1			SF4C-H8-J05	SF4C-H8	8	160 mm 6.299 in
e	ing object ø0.984 in in beam pitch)	channel 10 mm 0.394 in		SF4C-H12-J05	SF4C-H12	12	240 mm 9.449 in
on typ	objec 984 ir oeam			SF4C-H16-J05	SF4C-H16	16	320 mm 12.598 in
otecti	nsing m ø0. 87 in l			SF4C-H20-J05	SF4C-H20	20	400 mm 15.748 in
Hand protection type	and pr lin. se 125 mr n 0.78		0.1 to 3 m 0.328 to 9.843 ft	SF4C-H24-J05	SF4C-H24	24	480 mm 18.898 in
Hand protection type Min. sensing object a25 mm a0.384 in (20 mm 0.787 in beam pit	N (20 mi	2 1 1 1		SF4C-H28-J05	SF4C-H28	28	560 mm 22.047 in
	Beam pitch 10 mm 20 mm 0.394 in 0.787 in		SF4C-H32-J05	SF4C-H32	32	640 mm 25.197 in	

Notes: 1) The operating range is the possible setting distance between the emitter and the receiver.

2) The model No. with suffix "E" shown on the label affixed to the product is the emitter, "D" shown on the label is the receiver.



3 4 Mating cables

	Туре		Appearance	Model No.		Description
	tor				Length: 3 m 9.843 ft Net weight: 430 g approx. (2 cables)	Cable with connector on one end for pigtailed type Two cables per set for emitter and receiver
	With connector on one end				Length: 7 m 22.966 ft Net weight: 1,000 g approx. (2 cables)	Cable color: Gray (for emitter), Gray with black line (for receiver)
cables			VIIIII		Length: 10 m 32.808 ft Net weight: 1,300 g approx. (2 cables)	Connector color: Gray (for emitter), Black (for receiver) The min. bending radius: R6 mm R0.236 in
Mating ca	ctors	emitter		SFB-CCJ3E-MU	Length: 3 m 9.843 ft Net weight: 190 g approx. (1 cable)	
Mat	connectors oth ends	Fore		SFB-CCJ10E-MU	Length: 10 m 32.808 ft Net weight: 660 g approx. (1 cable)	Cable with connectors on both ends for pigtailed type Cable color: Gray (for emitter), Gray with black line (for receiver)
	With cor	For receiver	\ <u> </u> <u> </u> <u> </u>	SFB-CCJ3D-MU	Length: 3 m 9.843 ft Net weight: 210 g approx. (1 cable)	Connector color: Gray (for emitter), Black (for receiver) The min. bending radius: R6 mm R0.236 in
	4	For re		SFB-CCJ10D-MU	Length: 10 m 32.808 ft Net weight: 680 g approx. (1 cable)	

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Spare parts (Accessories for safety light curtain)

Designation	Model No.	Description
Standard mounting bracket	MS-SFC-1	Allows the safety light curtain to be mounted at the rear with one M5 hexagon-socket-head bolt. Mounting direction of the bracket can be selected between vertical or horizontal (no dead zone). (4 pcs. per set for emitter and receiver)(Note)
Test rod ø14	SF4C-TR14	Min. sensing object for regular checking (ø14 mm ø0.551 in)
Test rod ø25	SF4C-TR25	Min. sensing object for regular checking (ø25 mm ø0.984 in)

Note: The body of the safety light curtain is made of resin, so please take into account the expansion and contraction of the longitudinal dimension. When machining mounting holes, please check the actual product.

Standard mounting bracket





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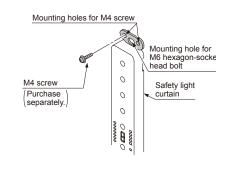
Mounting brackets

Designation	Model No.	Description
NA2-N compatible mounting bracket	MS-SFC-2	Used when changing over area sensor NA2-N series to the SF4C series. The mounting holes of NA2-N series can continue to be used. Center mounting by a M6 hexagon-socket-head bolt is also possible. (4 pcs. per set for emitter and receiver)(Note)
Versatile bracket	MS-SFC-3	Two ways of mounting are possible. ① Rear mounting which enables beam adjustment ② Dead zoneless center mounting on aluminum frame (4 pcs. per set for emitter and receiver)(Note)
Intermediate supporting bracket for versatile bracket	MS-SFC-4	Used to support the safety light curtain in the middle. Be sure to purchase it when using the versatile bracket MS-SFC-3(optional) on SF4C-F55(-J05), SF4C-F63(-J05), SF4C-H28(-J05) or SF4C-H32(-J05). (2 pcs. per set for emitter and receiver)(Note)

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NA2-N compatible mounting bracket

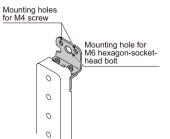
• MS-SFC-2



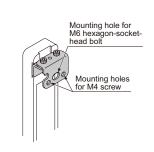
Versatile bracket

• MS-SFC-3

<Rear mounting>

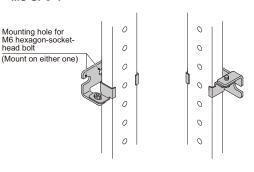


<Dead zoneless mounting>



Intermediate supporting bracket for versatile bracket

• MS-SFC-4

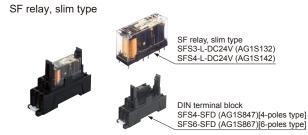


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Control unit

Designation	Appearance	Model No.	Description
Slim type control unit		SF-C13	Use a discrete wire cable to connect to the safety light curtain. Relay output. Compatible with up to Control Category 4.

•Recommended safety relay



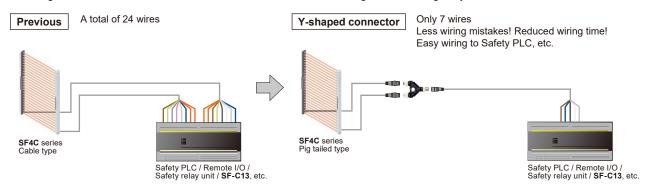
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Туре	With LED indicator		
Model No.	SFS3-L-DC24V	SFS4-L-DC24V	
Item Part No.	AG1S132	AG1S142	
Contact arrangement	3a1b	4a2b	
Rated nominal switching capacity	6 A / 250 V AC, 6 A / 30 V DC		
Min. switching capacity	1 mA / 5 V DC		
Coil rating	15 mA / 24 V DC	20.8 mA / 24 V DC	
Rated power consumption	360 mW	500 mW	
Operation time	20 ms or less		
Release time	20 ms or less		
Ambient temperature	-40 to +85 °C -40 to +185 °F (Humidity: 5 to 85 % RH)		
Applicable standards	UL/c-UL, TÜV,	Korea's S-mark	

Y-shaped connectors

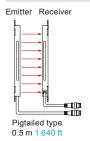
Туре	Appearance	Model No.		Description
Wire-saving Y-shaped connector		SFC-WY1	Wire-saving connector for SF4C-F□-J05 and SF4C-H□-J05. Cables emitter and receiver are consolidated into one cable for wire-saving. Wiring has +24 V, 0 V, OSSD 1, OSSD 2, output polarity setting wir (shield), large multi-purpose indicator input 1, and large multi-purpose indicator input 2 only. Net weight: 40 g approx. [Power wire and synchronization wire are connected inside the confunction of the confuncti	
Cable with connector on one side		WY1-CCN3	Cable length: 3 m 9.843 ft Net weight: 200 g approx. (1 cable)	Mating cable for Y-shaped connector Cable color: Gray (with black line) Connector color: Black
			WY1-CCN10	Cable length: 10 m 32.808 ft Net weight: 620 g approx. (1 cable)

By using the Y-shaped connector, the least required wires such as power or safety output are consolidated into one cable. Man-hours taken for wiring is eliminated to the minimum. Construction times as well as wiring mistakes are greatly reduced.



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Product configuration



Extension cable (1 cable for receiver) SFB-CCJ3D-MU (3 m 9.843 ft for receiver) SFB-CCJ10D-MU (10 m 32.808 ft for receiver)

Extension cable (1 cable for emitter)

SFB-CCJ3E-MU (3 m 9.843 ft for emitter) SFB-CCJ10E-MU (10 m 32.808 ft for emitter)

Y-shaped connector SFC-WY1

Connector

pin No.

1

2

OSSD 2

+24 V

Extension cable

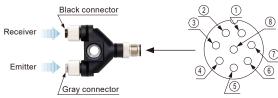
SFB-CCJ3D (3 m 9.843 ft) SFB-CCJ10D (10 m 32.808 ft)

Cable with connector on one side (Common for all models)

WY1-CCN3 (3 m 3 ft) WY1-CCN10 (10 m 32.808 ft)

Description

Connector pin layout

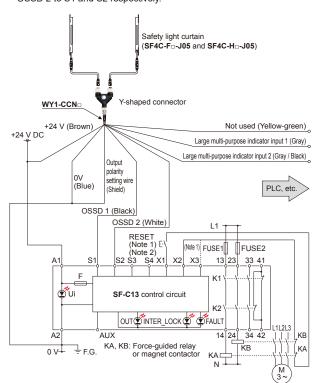


3 OSSD 1 4 Not used (5) Large multi-purpose indicator input 1 6 Large multi-purpose indicator input 2 (7) 8 Output polarity setting wire (Shield)

Wiring diagram of control unit SF-C13

<For PNP output (minus ground)>

· Connect the safety light curtain control outputs OSSD 1 and OSSD 2 to S1 and S2 respectively.

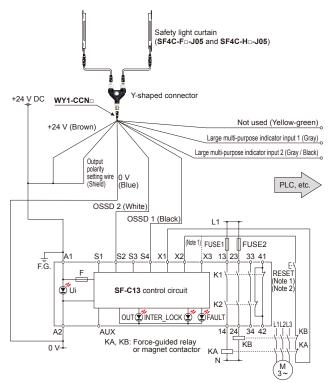


Notes: 1) The above diagram is when using manual reset. If automatic reset is used, disconnect the lead from X2 and connect it to X3. In this case, a reset (RESET) button is not needed

- 2) Use a momentary-type switch as the reset (RESET) button.
- 3) Unused wires must be insulated.

<For NPN output (plus ground)>

· Connect the safety light curtain control outputs OSSD 1 and OSSD 2 to S4 and S2 respectively and ground the + side.



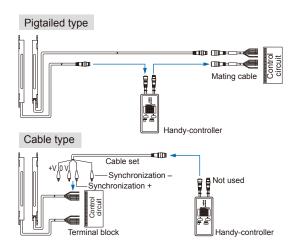
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Handy-controller

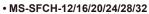
Designation	Appearance	Model No.
Handy- controller		SFC-HC
Cable set for cable type connection		SFC-WNC1



Metal protection case

Applicable beam channels	Designation	Metal protection case (2 pcs. per set for emitter and receiver)
SF4C-F□	SF4C-H□	Model No.
15	8	MS-SFCH-8
23	12	MS-SFCH-12
31	16	MS-SFCH-16
39	20	MS-SFCH-20
47	24	MS-SFCH-24
55	28	MS-SFCH-28
63	32	MS-SFCH-32









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Safety light curtain individual specifications

SF4C-F

	Type Min. sensing object ø14 mm ø0.551 in type (10 mm 0.394 in beam pitch)								
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	Pigtailed type Cable type	SF4C-F15-J05	SF4C-F23-J05	SF4C-F31-J05	SF4C-F39-J05	SF4C-F47-J05	SF4C-F55-J05	SF4C-F63-J05	
Item	ি <u>ই</u> Cable type	SF4C-F15	SF4C-F23	SF4C-F31	SF4C-F39	SF4C-F47	SF4C-F55	SF4C-F63	
No.	of beam channels	15	23	31	39	47	55	63	
Pro	tective height	160 mm 6.299 in	240 mm 9.449 in	320 mm 12.598 in	400 mm 15.748 in 480 mm 18.898 in		560 mm 22.047 in	640 mm 25.197 in	
Current consumption	Large multi- purpose indicator lights off	Emitter: 70 mA or less Receiver: 80 mA or less	Emitter: 75 r Receiver: 85		Emitter: 80 mA or less Receiver: 90 mA or less		Emitter: 85 mA or less Receiver: 95 mA or less		
Current co	Large multi- purpose indicator lights up	Emitter: 105 mA or less Receiver: 110 mA or less	Emitter: 110 mA or less Receiver: 115 mA or less		Emitter: 115 mA or less Receiver: 120 mA or less		Emitter: 120 mA or less Receiver: 125 mA or less		
PFI	-ID	2.29 × 10 ⁻⁹	2.73 × 10 ⁻⁹	3.18 × 10 ⁻⁹	3.62 × 10 ⁻⁹	4.06 × 10 ⁻⁹	4.50 × 10 ⁻⁹	4.95 × 10 ⁻⁹	
MT	TFD				100 years or more				
/Tota	11 71	210 g approx.	270 g approx.	340 g approx.	400 g approx.	470 g approx.	540 g approx.	600 g approx.	
emit	ter and liver Cable type	600 g approx.	670 g approx.	730 g approx.	800 g approx.	860 g approx.	930 g approx.	1,000 g approx.	

SF4C-H□

		Туре	Min. sensing object ø25 mm ø0.984 in type (20 mm 0.787 in beam pitch)								
	Pigtaile Cable	ed type	SF4C-H8-J05	SF4C-H12-J05	SF4C-H16-J05	SF4C-H20-J05	SF4C-H24-J05	SF4C-H28-J05	SF4C-H32-J05		
Item	\ ঐ Cable	e type	SF4C-H8	SF4C-H12	SF4C-H16	SF4C-H20	SF4C-H24	SF4C-H28	SF4C-H32		
No.	of beam cha	nnels	8	12	16	20 24		28	32		
Pro	tective height	t	160 mm 6.299 in	240 mm 9.449 in	320 mm 12.598 in	400 mm 15.748 in 480 mm 18.898 in		560 mm 22.047 in	640 mm 25.197 in		
Current consumption	Large multi- purpose indicator lights off		Emitter: 70 mA or less Receiver: 85 mA or less	Emitter: 70 r Receiver: 90		Emitter: 75 mA or less Receiver: 95 mA or less		Emitter: 80 mA or less Receiver: 100 mA or less			
Current co	Large multi- purpose ind lights up		Emitter: 120 mA or less Receiver: 135 mA or less	Emitter: 120 Receiver: 14	mA or less 0 mA or less	Emitter: 120 mA or less Receiver: 145 mA or less		Emitter: 120 mA or less Receiver: 150 mA or less			
PF	łо		1.66 × 10 ⁻⁹	1.90 × 10 ⁻⁹	2.10 × 10 ⁻⁹	2.33 × 10 ⁻⁹	2.54 × 10 ⁻⁹	2.77 × 10 ⁻⁹	2.98 × 10 ⁻⁹		
MT	ΓFD		100 years or more								
/Tota	11 71	led	240 g approx.	300 g approx.	360 g approx.	420 g approx.	490 g approx.	550 g approx.	610 g approx.		
rece	er and Cable	type	630 g approx.	700 g approx.	760 g approx.	820 g approx.	880 g approx.	950 g approx.	1,000 g approx.		

Note: Where measurement conditions have not been specified precisely, the conditions used were an ambient temperature of +20 °C +68 °F.

PFHD: Probability of dangerous failure per hour, MTTFD: Mean time to dangerous failure (in years)

SPECIFICATIONS

Safety light curtain common specifications

Туре	Pigtailed type	Cable type						
Item Model No.	SF4C-F _□ -J05 SF4C-H _□ -J05	SF4C-F SF4C-H						
International standard Japan Europe (EU) (Note 2) North America (Note 3)	(3) /	Category 4, PLe), IEC 61508-1 to 7 (SIL 3)						
Japan		IS B 9704-1/2 (Type 4), JIS B 9705-1 (Category 4), JIS C 0508 (SIL 3)						
Europe (EU) (Note 2)	1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	EN 61508-1 to 7 (SIL 3), EN 55011, EN 50178, EN 61000-6-2						
North America (Note 3)	OSHA 1910.212, OSHA 1910.217(C), ANSI B11.1 to B11.	ss 2), CAN/CSA 61496-1/2 (Type 4), CAN/CSA C22.2 No.14, .19, ANSI/RIA 15.06						
Regulatory compliance CE Marking (Machinery Directive, EMC Directive, RoHS Directive), TÜV SÜD certification, TÜV SÜD NRTL certification, TÜV								
Operating range (Note 4)		328 to 9.843 ft						
Beam pitch	10 mm 0.394 in 20 mm 0.787 in	10 mm 0.394 in 20 mm 0.787 in						
Min. sensing object (Note 5)		ø14 mm ø0.551 in opaque object ø25 mm ø0.984 in opaque object						
Effective aperture angle		.843 ft (conforming to IEC 61496-2, ANSI/UL 61496-2)]						
Supply voltage		ipple P-P 10 % or less						
Control outputs (OSSD 1, OSSD 2)	PNP open-collector transistor / NPN open-collector transistor (switching method)							
Operation mode	ON when all beam channels are received, OFF wh (OFF also in case of any malfunction in the safety	en one or more beam channels are interrupted light curtain or the synchronization signal)(Note 6,7)						
Protection circuit	Incor	porated						
Response time	OFF response: 9 ms or less, ON response: 90 ms or less ON response: 90 ms or less	OFF response: 9 ms or less, ON response: 90 ms or less ON response: 90 ms or less						
Auxiliary output (Non-safety output)	<when output="" pnp="" selecting=""> Max. source current: 100 mA Applied voltage: same as supply voltage(between the auxiliary source and +V) Residual voltage: 2.5 V or less (source current 100 mA, when using 10 m 32.808 ft length cable) < When selecting NPN output> Max. sink current: 100 mA Applied voltage: same as supply voltage(between the auxiliary sink and 0 V) Residual voltage: 2.5 V or less (sink current 100 mA, when using 10 m 32.808 ft length cable) </when>							
Operation mode	OFF when control outputs are ON, ON when control outputs are OFF [Factory setting, operating mode can be changed using the handy-controller SFC-HC(optional).]							
Protection circuit		porated						
ELCA function	<u> </u>	ual interference automatically)						
Test / reset input function	Incorporated [Manual recet / Automatic recet (Note 8)]							
Interlock function	Incorporated [Manual reset / Automatic reset (Note 8)]							
External device monitoring function Safety input function	Incorporated Incorporated (safety contact)							
Muting function / Override function	·	porated						
Optional functions (Note 9)		rinput (safety sensor), large multi-purpose indicator setting change,						
Pollution degree / Operating altitude	3 / 2,000 m 6,561 6	68 ft or less (Note 10)						
Degree of protection		P65 (IEC)						
Ambient temperature		or icing allowed), Storage: –25 to +60 °C –13 to +140 °F						
Degree of protection Ambient temperature Ambient humidity Ambient illuminance Dielectric strength voltage Insulation resistance Vibration resistance Shock resistance		orage: 30 to 85 % RH						
Ambient illuminance		or less at the light-receiving face						
Dielectric strength voltage	11.	/ terminals connected together and enclosure						
Insulation resistance Vibration resistance		Ill supply terminals connected together and enclosure						
Shock resistance	1 1	amplitude in X, Y and Z directions for two hours each n X, Y and Z directions three times each						
Emitting element		wavelength: 855 nm 0.034 mil)						
Material	<u> </u>	bonate alloy, MS-SFC-1 (Standard mounting bracket): SUS						
Cable		0.15 mm² (power line: 0.2 mm²) 12-core heat-resistant PVC cable, 5 m 16.404 ft long						
Cable extension	Extension up to 40.5 m 132.874 ft is possible for both emitter and receiver optional mating cables	Extension up to 40.5 m 132.874 ft is possible for both emitter and receiver, with 0.2 mm² or more cable (Note 11) (Note 12)						
Accessories	MS-SFC-1 (Standard mounting bracket): 1 set, SF4C-TR14 (Test rod): 1 No. MS-SFC-1 (Standard mounting bracket): 1 set SF4C-TR25 (Test rod): 1 No.	MS-SFC-1 (Standard mounting bracket): 1 set, SF4C-TR14 (Test rod): 1 No. MS-SFC-1 (Standard mounting bracket): 1 set, SF4C-TR25 (Test rod): 1 No.						
Notes: 1) Where measurement a	conditions have not been enecified precisely, the conditions used	Lyara an ambient temperature of +20 °C +60 °E						

- Notes: 1) Where measurement conditions have not been specified precisely, the conditions used were an ambient temperature of +20 °C +68 °F.

 2) Regarding EU Machinery Directive, a Notified Body, TÜV SÜD, has certified with the type examination certificate.

 3) With regards to the standards in the US, under the US regulation 29 CFR 1910.7, TÜV SÜD, a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL) certified by OSHA, has certified with the safety certificate based on UL/ANSI standards. With regards to the standards in Canada, under the safety regulations based on CEC (Canadian Electric Code), TÜV SÜD America, a Certification Body accredited by SCC, has certified with the safety certificate based on CSA standards.

 - 4) The operating range is the possible setting distance between the emitter and the receiver.
 5) When the floating blanking function is used, the size of the min. sensing object is changed.
 6) The outputs are not "OFF" when muting function is active even if the beam channel is interruped.
 - 7) In case the blanking function is valid, the operation mode is changed.
 - 8) The manual reset and automatic reset are possible to be switched depending on the wiring status.
 - 9) In case of using optional function, the handy-controller SFC-HC (optional) is required.
 - 10) Do not use or store in an environment pressurized to atmospheric pressure or higher at an altitude of 0 m.
 - 11) When the muting lamp is used, the cable can be extended within 30.5 m 100.066 ft (for emitter / receiver).
 - 12) When the synchronization + wire (orange) and synchronization wire (orange / black) is extended with a cable other than exclusive cable, use a 0.2 mm² or more shielded twisted pair cable.

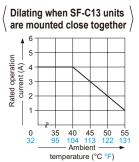
SPECIFICATIONS

Control unit

Model No.		SF-C13				
Connectable safety light curtains		Safety light curtain manufactured by Panasonic Industry				
Applic	able standards	EN 61496-1 (Type 4), EN 55011, EN ISO 13849-1 (Category 4, PLe), IEC 61496-1 (Type 4), ISO 13849-1 (Category 4, PLe), JIS B 9704-1 (Type 4), JIS B 9705-1 (Category 4), ANSI/UL 61496-1 (Type 4), UL 1998 (Class 2)				
Regu	latory compliance	CE Marking (Machinery Directive, Low Voltage Directive, EMC Directive, RoHS Directive), UL/c-UL Listing certification, TÜV SÜD certification, S-mark certification				
Contr	ol category	ISO 13849-1 (EN ISO 13849-1, JIS B 9705-1) compliance up to Category 4, PLe standards				
Supply	voltage / Current consumption	24 V DC ± 10 % Ripple P-P 10 % or less / 100 mA or less (without safety light curtain)				
Fuse	(power supply)	Built-in electronic fuse, Triggering current: 0.5 A or more, Reset after power down				
Safet	y output	NO contact × 3 (13-14, 23-24, 33-34)				
	Application category	AC-15, DC-13 (IEC 60947-5-1)				
	Rated operation voltage (Ue) / Rated operation current (le)	30 V DC / 4 A, 230 V AC / 4 A, resistive load (For inductive load, during contact protection). Min applicable load: 10 mA (at 24 V DC) (Note 2)				
	Contact resistance	100 mΩ or less (initial value)				
	Contact protection fuse rated	4 A (slow blow)				
Pick-up	delay (Auto reset / Manual reset)	80 ms or less / 90 ms or less				
Respo	onse time (Recovery time)	10 ms or less				
Auxili	ary output	Safety relay contact (NC contact) × 1 (41-42) (Related to safety output)				
	Rated operation voltage / current	24 V DC / 2 A, Min. applicable load: 10 mA (at 24 V DC)				
	Contact protection fuse rated	2 A (slow blow)				
	conductor auxiliary t (AUX)	PNP open-collector transistor • Max. source current: 60 mA				
	Output operation	On when the safety light curtain is interrupted				
Exces	ss voltage category	ll l				
Polari	ity selection function	Incorporated (Cable connection allows selection of plus/minus ground) Minus ground: Correspond to PNP output safety light curtain Plus ground: Correspond to NPN output safety light curtain				
Pollut	ion degree	2				
ıtal	Protection	Enclosure: IP40, Terminal IP20				
Environmental resistance	Ambient temperature	-10 to +55 °C +14 to +131 °F (No dew condensation or icing allowed), Storage: -25 to +70 °C -13 to +158 °F				
viron istar	Ambient humidity	30 to 85 % RH, Storage: 30 to 95 % RH				
En	Vibration resistance	Resistance/malfunction 10 to 55 Hz frequency, 0.35 mm 0.014 in double amplitude in X, Y, and Z directions twenty times each				
Enclo	sure material	ABS				
Weigl	nt	Net weight: 200 g approx.				

Notes: 1) Where measurement conditions have not been specified precisely, the conditions used were an ambient temperature of +20 °C +68 °F

2) If several SF-C13 units are being used in line together, leave a space of 5 mm 0.197 in or more between each unit. If the units are touching each other, reduce the rated operating current for safety output in accordance with the ambient operating temperature as shown in the graphs at right.



Handy-controller

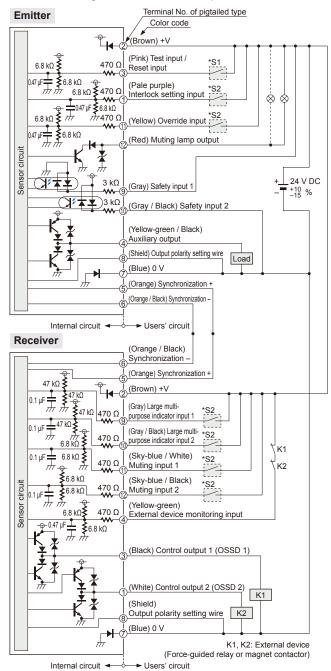
Model No.		SFC-HC			
Supply voltage		24 V DC ⁺¹⁰ ₋₁₅ % Ripple P-P 10 % or less (common to safety light curtain power supply)			
Curre	nt consumption	65 mA or less			
Comn	munication method	RS-485 two-way communications (Specific procedure)			
Digital display		4-digit red LED display × 2 (Selected beam channels, setting contents etc. are displayed.)			
Function indicators		Green LED × 9 (Set function is displayed.)			
Functions		Fixed blanking / Floating blanking / Auxiliary output change / Satety input setting change / Large multi-purpose indicat setting change / Muting setting change / Interlock setting change / External device monitoring setting change / Overric setting changing function 60 sec. / Protecting			
<u>ta</u>	Ambient temperature	-10 to +55 °C +14 to +131 °F (No dew condensation or icing allowed), Storage: -25 to +70 °C -13 to +158 °F			
meu	Ambient humidity	30 to 85 % RH, Storage: 30 to 85 % RH			
Ambient temperature -10 Ambient humidity Voltage withstandability Insulation resistance		1,000 V AC for one min. between all supply terminals connected together and enclosure			
Insulation resistance 20 MΩ, or more, with 500 V DC megger between all supply terminals connected together and enclosure					
Cable		12-core shielded cable, 0.5 m 1.640 ft long, with a connector at the end (2 cables)			
Weight		Net weight: 200 g approx.			

Note: Where measurement conditions have not been specified precisely, the conditions used were an ambient temperature of +20 °C +68 °F.

I/O CIRCUIT AND WIRING DIAGRAMS

I/O circuit diagram

<In case of using I/O circuit for PNP output>



* S1, S2

Switch S1

• Test input / Reset input

For manual reset

Vs to Vs – 3.5 V (sink current 5 mA or less): OFF (Note) Open: ON

For automatic reset

Vs to Vs - 3.5 V (sink current 5 mA or less): ON (Note) Open: OFF

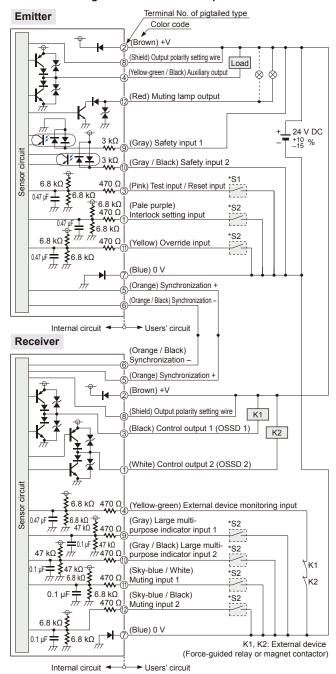
Interlock setting input, Override input, Muting input 1/2, Large multi-purpose indicator input 1/2,

Vs to Vs – 3.5 V (sink current 5 mA or less): Valid (Note) Open: Invalid

Note: Vs is the applying supply voltage.

I/O circuit diagram

<In case of using I/O circuit for NPN output>



* S1, S2

Switch S1

• Test input / Reset input

For manual reset

0 to +2.5 V (source current 5 mA or less): OFF

Open: ON

For automatic reset

0 to +2.5 V (source current 5 mA or less): OFF Open: ON

Interlock setting input, Override input, Muting input 1/2, Large multi-purpose indicator input 1/2,

0 to +2.5 V (source current 5 mA or less): Valid

Open: Invalid

I/O CIRCUIT AND WIRING DIAGRAMS

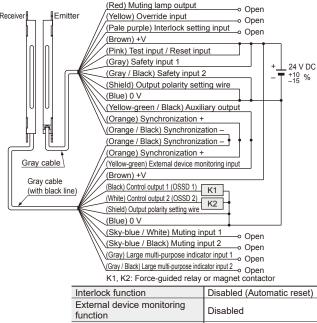
Connection example

Basic wiring: Min. operation only

This is the general configuration using one set of the emitter and receiver facing each other. The control outputs (OSSD 1 / OSSD 2) turn OFF if the light is interrupted, while they automatically turn ON if receive the light.

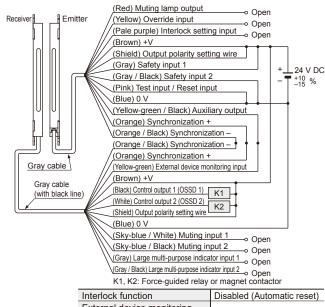
The auxiliary output is used to invalid the external device monitoring function. The auxiliary output cannot be connected to external devices.

<In case of using I/O circuit for PNP output>



Interlock function	Disabled (Automatic reset)
External device monitoring function	Disabled
Auxiliary output	Not used
Output polarity setting wire	PNP
Safety input	Invalid

<In case of using I/O circuit for NPN output>



External device monitoring Disabled function Not used Auxiliary output Output polarity setting wire NPN Safety input Invalid

Refer to the instruction manual for details. The instruction manual can be download from our website.

PRECAUTIONS FOR PROPER USE



· When this device is used in the "PSDI mode", an appropriate control circuit must be configured between this device and the machinery. For details, be sure to refer to the standards or regulations applicable in each region or country.

- This catalog is a guide to select a suitable product. Be sure to read instruction manual prior to its use.
- Both emitter and receiver are adjusted before shipment, please apply both emitter and receiver with the same serial No. The serial No. is indicated on the plates of both emitter and receiver. (Indicated under model No.)
- Make sure to carry out the test run before regular operation.
- · Do not install this safety light curtain with a machine whose operation cannot be stopped immediately in the middle of an operation cycle by an emergency stop equipment.

Others

- This device has been developed / produced for industrial use only.
- Do not use during the initial transient time (2 sec.) after the power supply is switched on.
- Avoid dust, dirt and steam.
- · Take care that the sensor does not come in direct contact with water, oil, grease, or organic solvents, such as, thinner, etc.
- Take care that the sensor is not directly exposed to fluorescent lamp from a rapid-starter lamp or a high frequency lighting device, as it may affect the sensing performance.

• The body of this device is made of resin, so please take into account the expansion and contraction of the longitudinal dimension. When machining mounting holes, please check the actual product.

Handy-controller



This safety light curtain enables to set each function using the handy-controller SFC-HC (optional). Among the functions, the contents related to the safety distance such as the size of the minimum sensing object and response time are varied depending on the setting condition. When setting each function, re-calculate the safety distance, and make enough space larger than the calculated safety distance. Failure to do so might cause the accident that the device cannot stop quickly before reaching the dangerous area of the machinery, resulting in the serious injury or death.

• Refer to the instruction manual of the handy-controller for details of the function settings for using handycontroller SFC-HC (optional).

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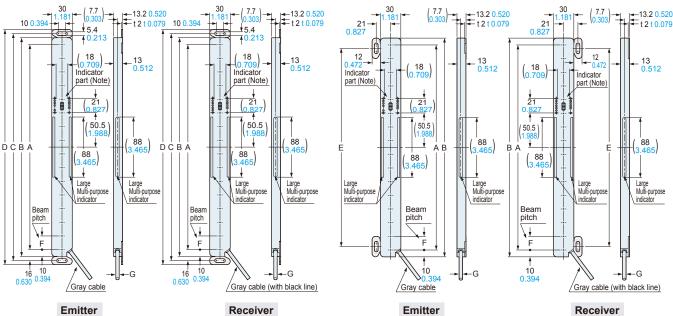
SF4C-F SF4C-H Safety light curtain

Mounting bracket assembly dimensions

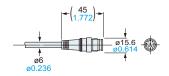
Mounting drawing for the safety light curtains using the standard mounting brackets MS-SFC-1 (accessory).

<Center mounting>

<Dead zoneless mounting>



Connector of the pigtailed type SF4C-F $_{\square}$ -J05 / SF4C-H $_{\square}$ -J05

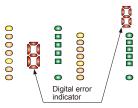


Model No.		Α	В	С	D	Е	
SF4C-F15(-J05)	SF4C-H8(-J05)	140 5.512	160 6.299	172 6.772	184 7.244	130 5.118	
SF4C-F23(-J05)	SF4C-H12(-J05)	220 8.661	240 9.449	252 9.921	264 10.394	210 8.268	
SF4C-F31(-J05)	SF4C-H16(-J05)	300 11.811	320 12.598	332 13.071	344 13.543	290 11.417	
SF4C-F39(-J05)	SF4C-H20(-J05)	380 14.961	400 15.748	412 16.220	424 16.693	370 14.567	
SF4C-F47(-J05)	SF4C-H24(-J05)	460 18.110	480 18.898	492 19.370	504 19.842	450 17.717	
SF4C-F55(-J05)	SF4C-H28(-J05)	540 21.260	560 22.047	572 22.520	584 22.992	530 20.866	
SF4C-F63(-J05)	SF4C-H32(-J05)	620 24.409	640 25.197	652 25.669	664 26.142	610 24.016	

wodel No.	Г	G
SF4C-F□(-J05)	10 0.394	ø5
SF4C-H□(-J05)	20 0.787	ø0.197

Notes: 1) Measurement of drawing above is display section of SF4C-H□. In case of SF4C-F□, the position of digital error indicator (red) is different as lower figure. Also, digital error indicator (red) is not incorporated in SF4C-F15□ (-J05).

<SF4C-H_□> <SF4C-F_□>



²⁾ The body of the safety light curtain is made of resin, so please take into account the expansion and contraction of the longitudinal dimension. When machining mounting holes, please check the actual product.

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SF4C-F_□ SF4C-H_□ Safety light curtain

Mounting bracket assembly dimensions

Mounting drawing for the safety light curtains using the versatile brackets **MS-SFC-C3** (optional) and intermediate supporting bracket for versatile brackets **MS-SFC-F4** (optional).

<Rear mounting> <Dead zoneless mounting> 7.5 0.295 MS-SFC-3 MS-SFC-3 MS-SFC-3 MS-SFC-3 6.5 0.256 (22 0.86 (22 0.866) Large Multi-Large Multi-Large Multi-purpos Large Multi-purpose Large Multi-purpose MS-SFC-4 MS-SFC-4 6.5 Large Multi-purpose indicator Large Multi-purpose (22 (30 .181 650256 -12.7 O.5 42 1.654 25.7 1.021 -25.7 1.<mark>021</mark> _25.7 __1.012 _25.7 1.012 Emitter **Emitter** Receiver Receiver

Model No.		Inter mediate sup- porting bracket	Α	A'	В	B'	С	D
SF4C-F15(-J05)	SF4C-H8(-J05)	_	175 6.890	116 4.567	_	_	190 7.480	160 6.299
SF4C-F23(-J05)	SF4C-H12(-J05)	_	255 10.039	196 7.717	_	_	270 10.630	240 9.449
SF4C-F31(-J05)	SF4C-H16(-J05)	_	335 13.189	276 10.866	_	_	350 13.780	320 12.598
SF4C-F39(-J05)	SF4C-H20(-J05)	_	415 16.339	356 14.016	_	_	430 16.929	400 15.748
SF4C-F47(-J05)	SF4C-H24(-J05)	_	495 19.488	436 17.165			510 20.079	480 18.898
SF4C-F55(-J05)	SF4C-H28(-J05)	Available	575 22.638	516 20.315	238 to 338 9.370 to 13.307	209 to 309 8.228 to 12.165	590 23.228	560 22.047
SF4C-F63(-J05)	SF4C-H32(-J05)	Available	655 25.787	596 23.465	278 to 378	249 to 349	670 26.378	640 25 197

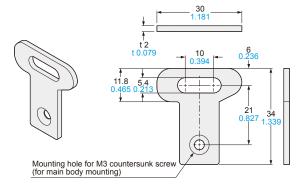
Notes: 1) Be sure to mount MS-SFC-4 when using SF4C-F55(-J05), SF4C-F63(-J05), SF4C-H28(-J05) and SF4C-H32(-J05).

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MS-SFC-1

Standard mounting bracket (Accessory)



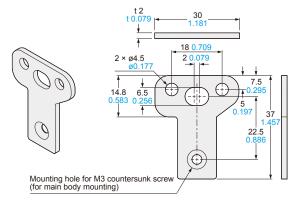
Material: Stainless steel (SUS304) Net weight: 32 g approx. (4 pcs.) Package weight: 35 g appox.

Four bracket set

Four M3 (length 4 mm 0.157 in) countersunk screws are attached.

MS-SFC-2

NA2-N compatible mounting bracket (Optional)



Material: Stainless steel (SUS304) Net weight: 36 g approx. (4 pcs.) Package weight: 40 g appox.

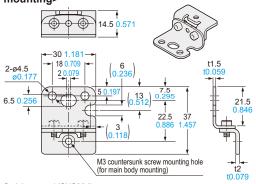
Four bracket set

Four M3 (length 4 mm 0.157 in) countersunk screws are attached.

MS-SFC-3

Versatile bracket (Optional)

<Rear mounting>

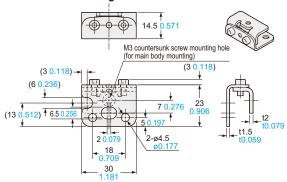


Material: Stainless steel (SUS304) Net weight: 75 g approx. (4 pcs.) Package weight: 90 g appox.

Four bracket set

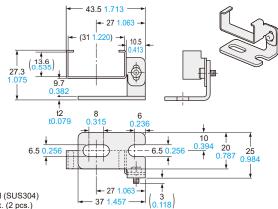
Four M3 (length 4 mm 0.157 in) countersunk screws are attached.

<Dead zoneless mounting>



MS-SFC-4

Intermediate supporting bracket for versatile bracket (Optional)



Material: Stainless steel (SUS304) Net weight: 40 g approx. (2 pcs.) Package weight: 60 g appox.

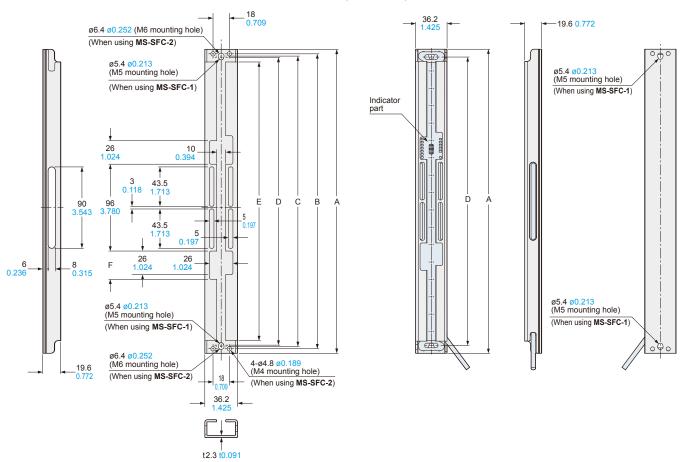
Two bracket set

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MS-SFCH-□ Metal protection case (Optional)

Assembly dimensions

Mounting drawing for the safety light curtains using the metal protection case (MS-SFCH- \square).

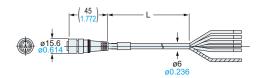


Material: Aluminum

Model No.	А	В	С	D	Е	F	Net weight (2 pcs.)
MS-SFCH-8	190 7.480	180 7.087	175 6.890	172 6.772	162 6.378	26 1.024	160 g approx.
MS-SFCH-12	270 10.630	260 10.236	255 10.039	252 9.921	242 9.528	35 1.378	240 g approx.
MS-SFCH-16	350 13.780	340 13.386	335 13.189	332 13.071	322 12.677	35 1.378	340 g approx.
MS-SFCH-20	430 16.929	420 16.535	415 16.339	412 16.220	402 15.827	35 1.378	420 g approx.
MS-SFCH-24	510 20.079	500 19.685	495 19.488	492 19.370	482 18.976	35 1.378	520 g approx.
MS-SFCH-28	590 23.228	580 22.835	575 22.638	572 22.520	562 22.126	35 1.378	600 g approx.
MS-SFCH-32	670 26.378	660 25.984	655 25.787	652 25.669	642 25.276	35 1.378	700 g approx.

The CAD data can be downloaded from our website.

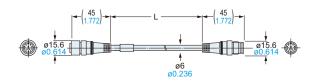
SFB-CC□-MU Mating cable with connector on one end (Optional)



• Length L

Model No.	Length L
SFB-CC3-MU	3,000 118.110
SFB-CC7-MU	7,000 275.590
SFB-CC10-MU	10,000 393.700

SFB-CCJ□-MU Mating cable with connectors on both ends (Optiona

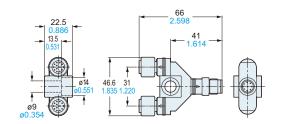


• Length L

Model No.	Length L		
SFB-CCJ3D-MU	0.000.440.440		
SFB-CCJ3E-MU	3,000 118.110		
SFB-CCJ10D-MU	10 000 202 700		
SFB-CCJ10E-MU	10,000 393.700		

SFC-WY1

Y-shaped connector (Optional)



WY1-CCN3 WY1-CCN10

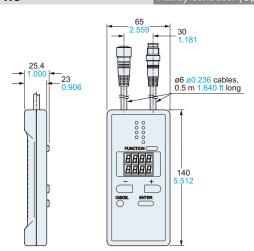
Mating cable (Optional)



Model No.	Length L
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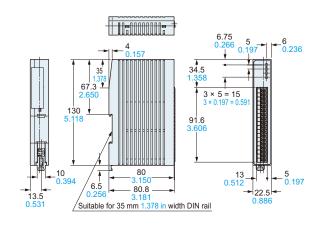
SFC-HC

Handy-controller (Optional)



SF-C13

Control unit (Optional)



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