



DATA SHEET

WTB12-3P2461S58

W12
Photoelectric sensors

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PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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ORDERING INFORMATION

Type	part no.
WTB12-3P2461S58	1047850

Further device versions and accessories at www.sick.com/W12



DETAILED TECHNICAL DATA

FEATURES

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Background suppression
Sensing range max.	30 mm ... 500 mm ¹⁾
Sensing range	50 mm ... 500 mm
Emitted beam	
Light source	PinPoint LED ²⁾
Type of light	Visible red light
Light spot size (distance)	50 mm x 5 mm (150 mm)
Adjustment	Potentiometer, 5 turns
Special applications	Detecting perforated objects, Detecting objects with position tolerances, Detecting objects wrapped in film, Detecting uneven, shiny objects

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

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

SAFETY-RELATED PARAMETERS

MTTF _D	504 years
DC _{avg}	0 %

ELECTRONICS

Supply voltage U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	< 5 V _{pp} ²⁾
Current consumption	40 mA ³⁾
Protection class	III
Digital output	Type PNP Switching mode Light/dark switching Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW > $U_V - 2,5 \text{ V}$ / ca. 0 V Output current I_{max} ≤ 100 mA Response time ≤ 700 μs ⁴⁾ Switching frequency 750 Hz ⁵⁾
Output function	Complementary
Circuit protection	A ⁶⁾ C ⁷⁾ D ⁸⁾
Special feature	Line-shaped light spot

¹⁾ Limit values when operated in short-circuit protected network: max. 8 A.

²⁾ May not fall below or exceed U_V tolerances.

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁵⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁶⁾ A = V_B connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁷⁾ C = interference suppression.

⁸⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

MECHANICS

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	15.6 mm x 48.5 mm x 42 mm
Connection	Male connector M12, 4-pin
Material	Housing Metal Front screen Plastic, PMMA
Weight	120 g

AMBIENT DATA

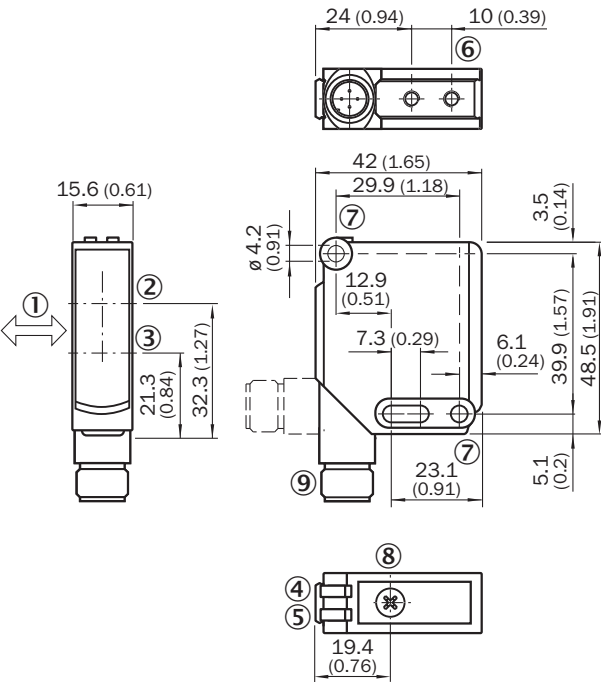
Enclosure rating	IP66 IP67 IP69K
Ambient operating temperature	-40 °C ... +60 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +75 °C
UL File No.	NRKH.E181493 & NRKH7.E181493

CERTIFICATES

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

China RoHS	✓
China Compulsory Product Certification (CCC) exempt	✓
ECOLAB certificate	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Photobiological safety (DIN EN 62471) certificate	✓

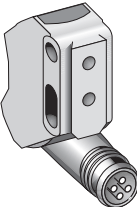
DIMENSIONAL DRAWING WTB12-3, POTENTIOMETER



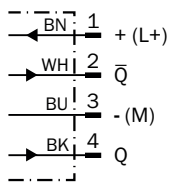
Dimensions in mm (inch)

- ① Standard direction of the material being detected
- ② Optical axis, receiver
- ③ Optical axis, sender
- ④ LED indicator green: Supply voltage active
- ⑤ LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
- ⑥ M4 threaded mounting hole, 4 mm deep
- ⑦ Mounting hole, Ø 4.2 mm
- ⑧ Sensing range adjustment: potentiometer
- ⑨ Connection

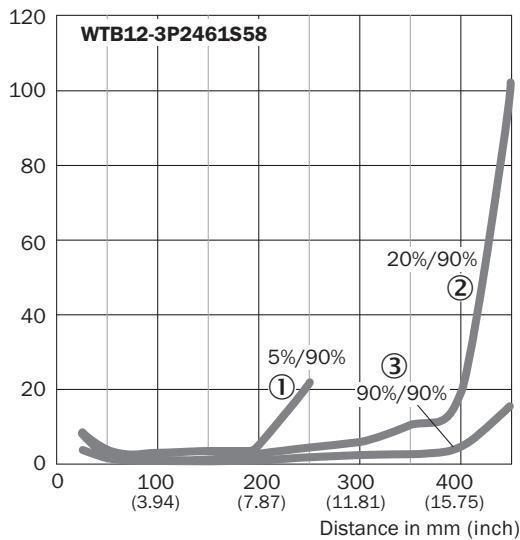
CONNECTION TYPE



CONNECTION DIAGRAM CD-083

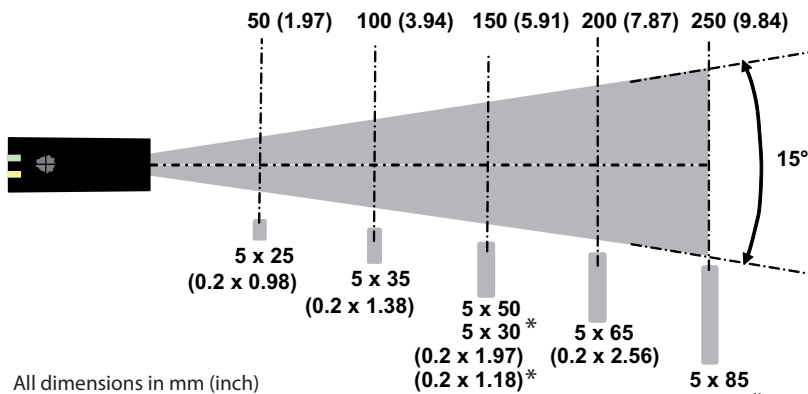


CHARACTERISTIC CURVE



- ① Sensing range to black, 5% remission factor
- ② sensing range to gray, 20% remission factor
- ③ Sensing range on white, 90% remission factor

LIGHT SPOT SIZE WTB12-3, LINE SHAPED LIGHT SPOT



* The angle of reception is smaller than the angle of dispersion therefore the effective length of the light spot is smaller than the real visible line-shaped light spot.

Further information as well as suitable accessories, example applications and downloads such as CAD dimensional models, operating instructions and software can be found at www.sick.com/1047850



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