



WTE280-2N2431

W280-2

COMPACT PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
WTE280-2N2431	6044729

Included in delivery: BEF-W280 (1)

Other models and accessories → www.sick.com/W280-2

Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Energetic
Dimensions (W x H x D)	23.5 mm x 74.5 mm x 63 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Rectangular
Sensing range max.	10 mm ... 2,000 mm ¹⁾
Sensing range	10 mm ... 1,500 mm
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	LED ²⁾
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 45 mm (1,500 mm)
Adjustment	Potentiometer adjustable via sensing range adjustment

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 U_B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	< 5 V _{pp} ²⁾
Current consumption	20 mA ³⁾

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²⁾ May not fall below or exceed U_y tolerances.

³⁾ Without load.

⁴⁾ Signal transit time with resistive load.

⁵⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

⁶⁾ A = V_S connections reverse-polarity protected.

⁷⁾ B = inputs and output reverse-polarity protected.

⁸⁾ C = interference suppression.

⁹⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

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Switching output	NPN
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Switching mode selector	Selectable via light/dark rotary switch
Output current I_{max}	≤ 100 mA
Response time	≤ 0.5 ms ⁴⁾
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz ⁵⁾
Connection type	Male connector M12, 4-pin
Circuit protection	A ⁶⁾ B ⁷⁾ C ⁸⁾ D ⁹⁾
Protection class	III
Weight	150 g
Housing material	Plastic, ABS
Optics material	Plastic, PMMA
Enclosure rating	IP66 IP67
Items supplied	Mounting bracket BEF-W280
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	EN 60947-5-2 ¹⁰⁾
Ambient operating temperature	-25 °C ... +55 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +70 °C
UL File No.	NRKH2.E300503 & NRKH8.E300503

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Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	1,436 years
DC_{avg}	0 %

Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270903
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270903
ECLASS 6.0	27270903
ECLASS 6.2	27270903
ECLASS 7.0	27270903
ECLASS 8.0	27270903
ECLASS 8.1	27270903

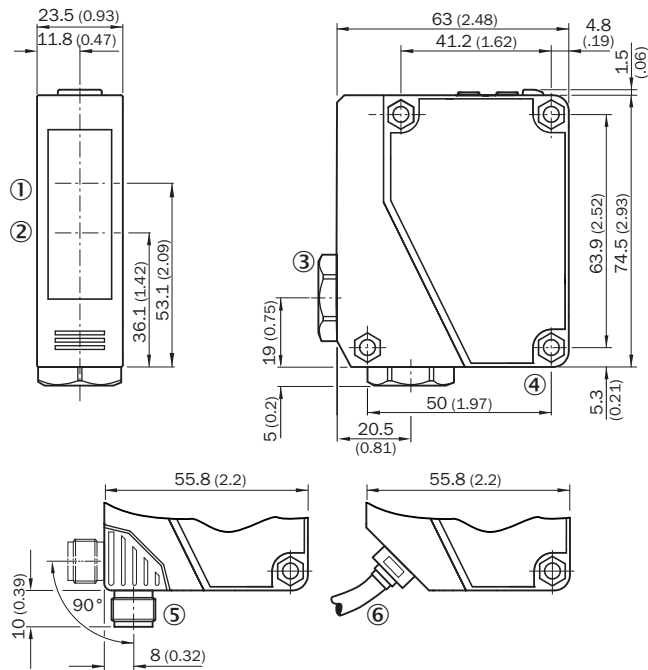
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ECLASS 10.0	27270904
ECLASS 11.0	27270904
ECLASS 12.0	27270903
ETIM 5.0	EC001821
ETIM 6.0	EC001821
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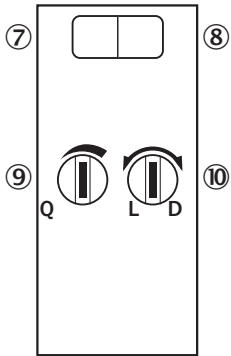
Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))

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- ① Center of optical axis, receiver
- ② Center of optical axis, sender
- ③ Cable entry gland 3/8" for cable diameter 6 to 8 mm
- ④ Mounting hole, Ø 4.3 mm
- ⑤ M12 male connector, 4-pin, can be rotated through 90°, can be locked with slider
- ⑥ Cable, 2 m, 3-wire, Ø 3,8 mm

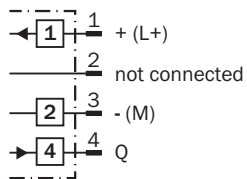
Adjustments



- ⑦ LED indicator green: Stability indicator
- ⑧ LED indicator yellow: Status of received light beam
- ⑨ Sensing range adjustment: potentiometer
- ⑩ Light/dark selector

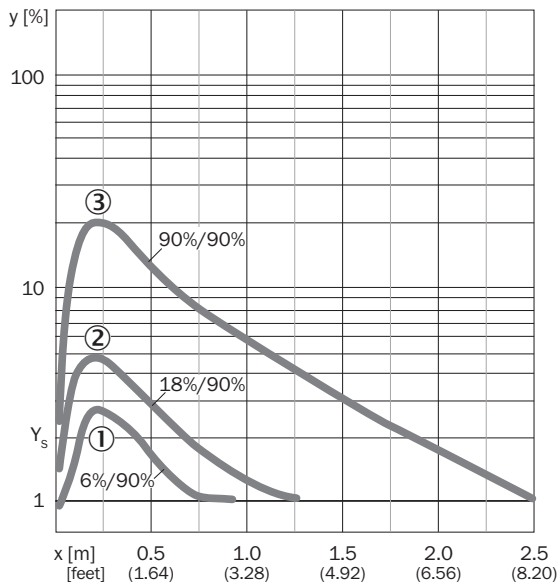
Connection diagram

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Characteristic curve

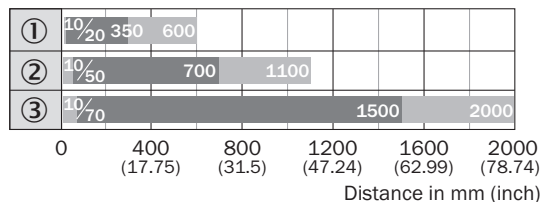
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- ① Sensing range on black, 6% remission factor
- ② Sensing range on gray, 18% remission factor
- ③ Sensing range on white, 90% remission factor

Sensing range diagram

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■ Sensing range ■ Sensing range max.

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Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Others			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection type head A: Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • Connection type head B: Flying leads • Signal type: Sensor/actuator cable • Cable: 5 m, 4-wire, PVC • Description: Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded • Application: Zones with chemicals 	YF2A14-050VB3XLEAX	2096235
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection type head A: Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded • Description: Unshielded • Connection systems: Screw-type terminals • Permitted cross-section: ≤ 0.75 mm² 	STE-1204-G	6009932

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