



VTE18L-4N324

V18 Laser

CYLINDRICAL PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
VTE18L-4N324	6027420

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Detailed technical data

Features

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Energetic
Dimensions (W x H x D)	18 mm x 18 mm x 97.7 mm
Housing design (light emission)	Cylindrical
Housing length	97.7 mm
Thread diameter (housing)	M18 x 1
Optical axis	Axial
Sensing range max.	0 mm ... 400 mm ¹⁾
Sensing range	5 mm ... 300 mm
Type of light	Visible red light
Light source	Laser ²⁾
Light spot size (distance)	Ø 8 mm (300 mm)
Wave length	650 nm
Laser class	1 (IEC 60825-1)
Laser power output	0.4 mW
Adjustment	Cable (Sensing range) ³⁾ Single teach-in button (Sensing range) ⁴⁾
Special feature	Focused optics
Special applications	Detecting small objects

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

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

³⁾ Electronically via control input C (0 V).

⁴⁾ Manual, via teach-in button.

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	± 10 % ²⁾
Current consumption	30 mA ³⁾
Switching output	NPN
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Switching mode selector	Selectable via control input C
Output current I_{max.}	≤ 100 mA
Response time	≤ 0.625 ms ⁴⁾
Switching frequency	800 Hz ⁵⁾
Connection type	Male connector M12, 4-pin
Circuit protection	A ⁶⁾ B ⁷⁾ C ⁸⁾ D ⁹⁾
Protection class	III
Weight	60 g
Housing material	Metal, Nickel-plated brass/PC
Optics material	Plastic, PC with protective glass pane
Enclosure rating	IP67
Special feature	Focused optics
Ambient operating temperature	-15 °C ... +55 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-25 °C ... +70 °C
UL File No.	NRKH.E181493, CDRH-conform (0312012-00)

¹⁾ Limit values.

²⁾ May not exceed or fall below U_v 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.

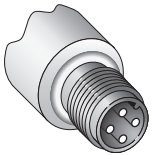
⁹⁾ D = outputs overcurrent and short-circuit protected.

Classifications

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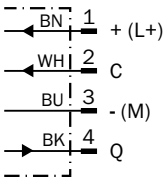
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Connection type



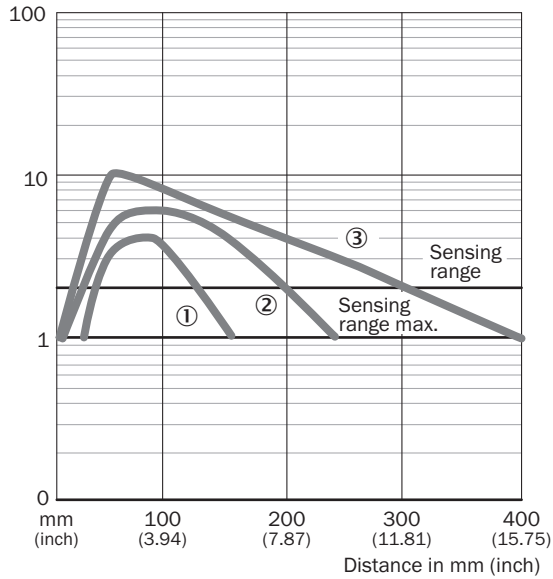
Connection diagram

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Characteristic curve

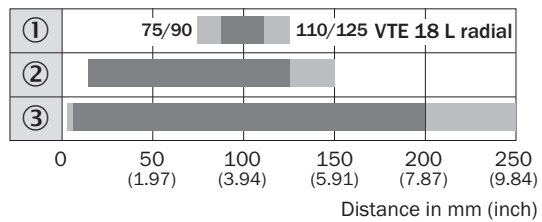
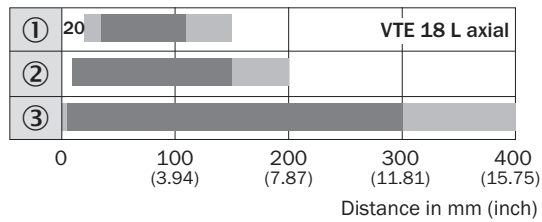
Operating reserve



- 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

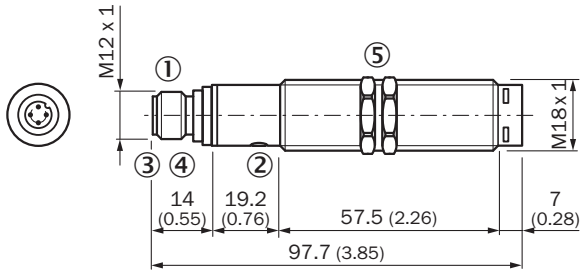
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- Sensing range ■ Sensing range max.
- ① Sensing range on black, 6% remission factor
- ② Sensing range on gray, 18% remission factor
- ③ Sensing range on white, 90% remission factor

Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))



Axial



- ① M12 male device connector, 4-pin
- ② Sensitivity setting: single teach-in button
- ③ Green LED indicator: V_S Supply voltage feed
- ④ Yellow LED indicator: - lights continuously: Reception signal > reserve factor 2 - blinks: Reception signal < reserve factor 2 but > switching threshold 1
- ⑤ Fastening nuts (2 x); width across 24, metal (included with delivery)

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Plug connectors and cables			
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PVC, unshielded, 5 m	YF2A14-050VB3XLEAX	2096235
	Head A: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Cable: unshielded	STE-1204-G	6009932

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