



# IM12-10NPS-VC1

IMI

INDUCTIVE PROXIMITY SENSORS

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### Ordering information

Type	Part no.
IM12-10NPS-VC1	6068719

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### Detailed technical data

#### Features

<b>Housing</b>	Cylindrical thread design
<b>Thread size</b>	M12 x 1
<b>Diameter</b>	Ø 12 mm
<b>Pressure resistance</b>	≤ 80 bar
<b>Sensing range <math>S_n</math></b>	10 mm
<b>Safe sensing range <math>S_a</math></b>	8.1 mm
<b>Installation type</b>	Non-flush
<b>Switching frequency</b>	400 Hz
<b>Connection type</b>	Male connector M12, 4-pin
<b>Switching output</b>	PNP
<b>Output function</b>	NO
<b>Electrical wiring</b>	DC 3-wire
<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP68, IP69K <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Special features</b>	Sensing face made of stainless steel V2A, Resistant against coolant lubricants, triple sensing range, Visual adjustment indicator, IO-Link
<b>Special applications</b>	Zones with coolants and lubricants, Difficult application conditions
<b>Items supplied</b>	Mounting nut, V2A stainless steel (2x) Washer, V2A stainless steel, with locking teeth (2x)

<sup>1)</sup> According to EN 60529.

## Mechanics/electronics

<b>Supply voltage</b>	10 V DC ... 30 V DC
<b>Ripple</b>	$\leq 20\%$ <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Voltage drop</b>	$\leq 2\text{ V}$ <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Time delay before availability</b>	$\leq 10\text{ ms}$
<b>Hysteresis</b>	1 % ... 15 %
<b>Reproducibility</b>	$\leq 5\%$ <sup>3) 4)</sup>
<b>Temperature drift (of S<sub>r</sub>)</b>	$\leq 10\%$
<b>EMC</b>	According to EN 60947-5-2
<b>Continuous current I<sub>a</sub></b>	$\leq 200\text{ mA}$
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	✓
<b>Reverse polarity protection</b>	✓
<b>Power-up pulse protection</b>	✓
<b>Shock and vibration resistance</b>	30 g, 11 ms / 10 ... 55 Hz, 1 mm
<b>Ambient operating temperature</b>	-25 °C ... +85 °C
<b>Housing material</b>	Stainless steel V2A, DIN 1.4305 / AISI 303
<b>Sensing face material</b>	Stainless steel V2A, DIN 1.4305 / AISI 303
<b>Housing length</b>	60 mm
<b>Thread length</b>	36 mm
<b>Tightening torque, max.</b>	$\leq 20\text{ Nm}$
<b>Protection class</b>	III
<b>UL File No.</b>	E191603

<sup>1)</sup> Of V<sub>S</sub>.

<sup>2)</sup> At I<sub>a</sub> max.

<sup>3)</sup> Of S<sub>r</sub>.

<sup>4)</sup> U<sub>B</sub> = 20 V DC ... 30 V DC, T<sub>A</sub> = 23 °C ± 5 °C.

## Communication interface

<b>Communication interface</b>	IO-Link V1.0
<b>Communication Interface detail</b>	COM2 (38,4 kBaud)
<b>Process data length</b>	1 Byte
<b>Process data structure</b>	Bit 0 = S <sub>r</sub> reached
<b>Process data structure A</b>	Bit 1 = S <sub>a</sub> reached

## Reduction factors

<b>Note</b>	The values are reference values which may vary
<b>St37 steel (Fe)</b>	Approx. 1
<b>Stainless steel (V4A, 316L)</b>	Approx. 0.5 <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Aluminum (Al)</b>	Approx. 1
<b>Copper (Cu)</b>	Approx. 0.8
<b>Brass (Br)</b>	Approx. 1.3

<sup>1)</sup> Material thickness/Reduction factor: 1 mm/0.15 2 mm/0.8.

### Installation note

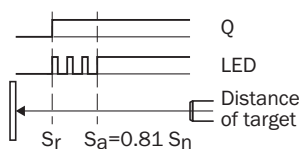
Remark	Associated graphic see "Installation"
<b>A</b>	24 mm
<b>B</b>	108 mm
<b>C</b>	12 mm
<b>D</b>	30 mm
<b>E</b>	Aluminium: 13 mm, Steel: 21 mm, Brass: 14 mm, Stainless steel: 20 mm
<b>F</b>	150 mm

### Classifications

<b>ECLASS 5.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 5.1.4</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 6.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 6.2</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 7.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 8.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 8.1</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 9.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 10.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 11.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECLASS 12.0</b>	27274001
<b>ETIM 5.0</b>	EC002714
<b>ETIM 6.0</b>	EC002714
<b>ETIM 7.0</b>	EC002714
<b>ETIM 8.0</b>	EC002714
<b>UNSPSC 16.0901</b>	39122230

### Adjustments

#### Installation aid



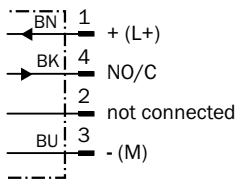
**Installation note**

Non-flush installation

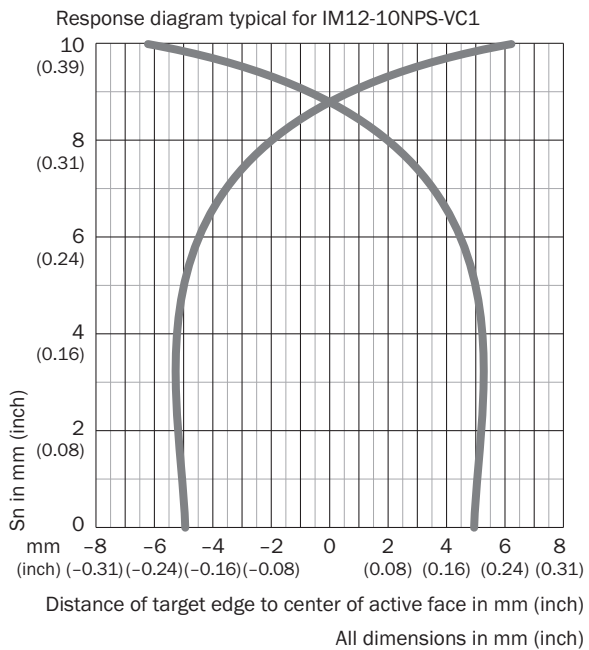


**Connection diagram**

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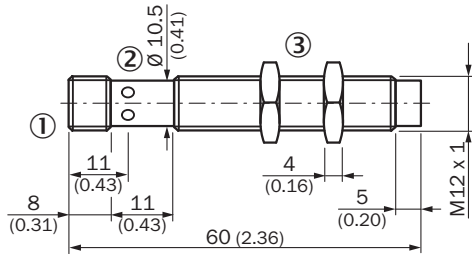


**Response diagram**



**Dimensional drawing** (Dimensions in mm (inch))






IM12, V2A, non-flush
















- ① Connection
- ② Display LED
- ③ Fastening nuts (2 x); width across 17, stainless steel V2A

**Recommended accessories**








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	<b>Brief description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Part no.</b>
<b>Universal bar clamp systems</b>			
	Plate N05N for universal clamp bracket, M12, Stainless steel 1.4571 (sheet), Stainless steel 1.4408 (clamp), Universal clamp (5322627), mounting hardware	BEF-KHS-N05N	2051621
<b>Mounting brackets and plates</b>			
	Mounting plate for M12 sensors, stainless steel, without mounting hardware	BEF-WG-M12N	5320950
	Mounting bracket for M12 housing, stainless steel, without mounting hardware	BEF-WN-M12N	5320949
<b>Others</b>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 2 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-G02MRN	6058291
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-G05MRN	6058476

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 2 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-W02MRN	6058474
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-W05MRN	6058477
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 2 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded, LED function display</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2), only suitable for PNP sensors</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-L02MRN	6058482
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded, LED function display</li> <li>• <b>Connection systems:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2), only suitable for PNP sensors</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DOL-1204-L05MRN	6058483
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 2 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DSL-1204-G02MRN	6058499

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 2 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DSL-1204-B02MRN	6058502
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 5 m, 4-wire, PP</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid &amp; hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Hygienic and washdown zones, Drag chain operation</li> </ul>	DSL-1204-B05MRN	6058503
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 10 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YF2A14-100UB3XLEAX	2095609
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 15 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YF2A14-150UB3XLEAX	2095610
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 20 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YF2A14-200UB3XLEAX	2095611
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 25 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YF2A14-250UB3XLEAX	2095615
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 10 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YG2A14-100UB3XLEAX	2095768



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 20 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YG2A14-200UB3XLEAX	2095770
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 25 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YG2A14-250UB3XLEAX	2095771
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 10 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YF2A14-100UB3M2A14	2096002
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 10 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YM2A14-100UB3XLEAX	2095859
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connection type head A:</b> Male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded</li> <li>• <b>Connection type head B:</b> Flying leads</li> <li>• <b>Signal type:</b> Sensor/actuator cable</li> <li>• <b>Cable:</b> 15 m, 4-wire, PUR, halogen-free</li> <li>• <b>Description:</b> Sensor/actuator cable, unshielded</li> <li>• <b>Application:</b> Zones with oils and lubricants, Drag chain operation, Robot</li> </ul>	YM2A14-150UB3XLEAX	2095866
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	Type	Part no.
Function Block Factory		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Description:</b> The Function Block Factory supports common programmable logic controllers (PLCs) from various manufacturers, such as Siemens, Beckhoff, Rockwell Automation and B&amp;R. More information on the FBF can be found <a _blank"="" href="https://fbf.cloud.sick.com target=">here</a>.</li> <li>• <b>Note:</b> You can configure your function block at <a _blank"="" href="https://fbf.cloud.sick.com target=">Function Block Factory</a>. As a login please use your SICK ID.</li> </ul>	Function Block Factory	On request

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