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DATA SHEET

GTE6L-P4211

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Photoelectric sensors

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PHOTOELECTRIC SENSORS

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ORDERING INFORMATION

Type	part no.
GTE6L-P4211	1109683

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Illustration may differ



DETAILED TECHNICAL DATA

FEATURES

Functional principle	Photoelectric proximity sensor
Functional principle detail	Energetic
Sensing range	Sensing range min. 0 mm Sensing range max. 450 mm Reference object Object with 90% remission factor (complies with standard white according to DIN 5033) Recommended sensing range for the best performance 5 mm ... 400 mm
Emitted beam	Light source Laser Type of light Visible red light Shape of light spot Point-shaped Light spot size (distance) Ø 0.4 mm (150 mm) Maximum dispersion of the emitted beam around the standardized transmission axis (squint angle) < +/- 1.5° (at T ₀ = +23 °C)
Key laser figures	Normative reference IEC 60825-1 / CDRH 21 CFR 1040.10 & 1040.11 Laser class 1 ¹⁾ Wave length 680 nm Pulse duration 2 µs Maximum pulse power ≤ 11.9 mW Average service life 100,000 h at T _a = +25 °C
Smallest detectable object (MDO) typ.	

¹⁾ Do not intentionally look into the laser beam. Never point the laser beam at people's eyes.

		0,4 mm, at 150 mm distance (object with 90% remission factor (corresponds to standard white according to DIN 5033))
Adjustment	Potentiometer	For setting the sensing range, 5 rotations
	Operating mode switch	For inverting the switching function (light/dark switching)
Display	LED green	Operating indicator Static on: power on
	LED yellow	Status of received light beam Static on: object present Static off: object not present

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SAFETY-RELATED PARAMETERS

MTTF _D	662 years
DC _{avg}	0 %
T _M (mission time)	10 years

ELECTRONICS

Supply voltage U _B	10 V DC ... 30 V DC ¹⁾
Ripple	< 5 V _{pp}
Usage category	DC-13 (According to EN 60947-5-2)
Current consumption	≤ 20 mA, without load. At U _B = 24 V
Protection class	III
Digital output	
Number	1
Type	PNP
Switching mode	Light/dark switching
Signal voltage PNP HIGH/LOW	Approx. U _B -3 V / 0 V
Output current I _{max.}	≤ 100 mA ²⁾
Circuit protection outputs	Reverse polarity protected Overcurrent protected Short-circuit protected
Response time	≤ 625 μs
Switching frequency	1,000 Hz ³⁾
Pin/Wire assignment	
Function of pin 4/black (BK)	Digital output, light switching, object present → output Q HIGH
Function of pin 4/black (BK) – detail	The pin 4 function of the sensor can be switched Additional possible settings via operating mode switch

¹⁾ Limit values.

²⁾ At U_B > 24 V, I_{max.} = 50 mA.

³⁾ With light/dark ratio 1:1.

MECHANICS

Housing	Rectangular
Dimensions (W x H x D)	12 mm x 31.5 mm x 21 mm
Connection	Male connector M8, 4-pin
Material	
Housing	Plastic, ABS
Front screen	Plastic, PMMA
Cable	Plastic, PVC
Male connector	Metal, copper alloy (C3604 CUZN39PB3)
Weight	Approx. 60 g

AMBIENT DATA

Enclosure rating	IP67 (EN 60529)
Ambient operating temperature	-20 °C ... +50 °C ^{1, 2)}
Ambient temperature, storage	-40 °C ... +70 °C
Typ. Ambient light immunity	Sunlight: ≤ 13,000 lx
Shock resistance	30 g, 11 ms (3 positive and 3 negative shocks along X, Y, Z axes, 18 total shocks (EN60068-2-27))
Vibration resistance	10 Hz ... 55 Hz (Amplitude 0.5 mm, 3 x 30 min (EN60068-2-6))
Air humidity	35 % ... 95 %, relative humidity (no condensation)
Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC)	EN 60947-5-2
UL File No.	NRKH.E348498 & NRKH7.E348498

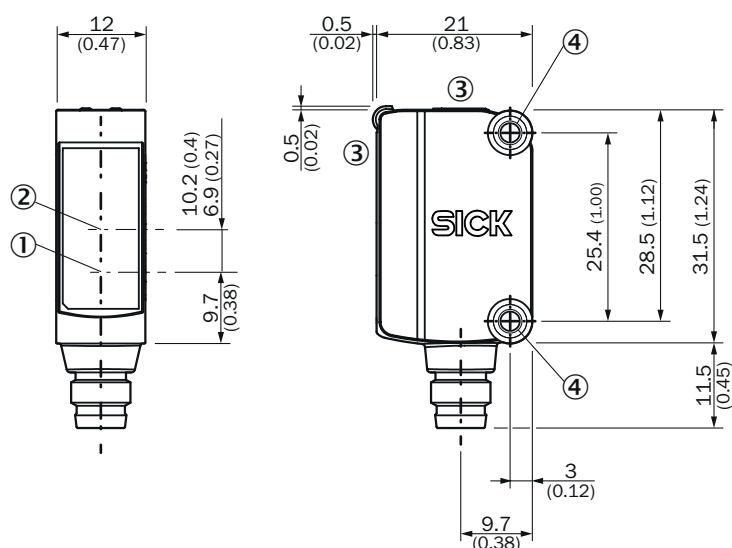
¹⁾ As of T_a => 45 °C, a max. supply voltage U_B = 24 V and a max. load current I_{max} = 50 mA is permitted.

²⁾ Below T_v = -20 °C, a warm-up time of 3 seconds is required.

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	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Laser safety (IEC 60825-1) declaration of manufacturer	✓

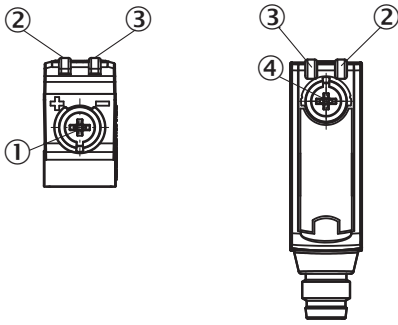
DIMENSIONAL DRAWING



Dimensions in mm (inch)

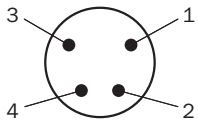
- ① Center of optical axis, sender
- ② Center of optical axis, receiver
- ③ display and adjustment elements
- ④ Mounting holes M3

DISPLAY AND ADJUSTMENT ELEMENTS

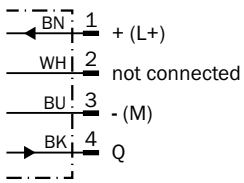


- ① Potentiometer
- ② LED yellow
- ③ LED green
- ④ operating mode switch

CONNECTION TYPE MALE CONNECTOR M8, 4-PIN



CONNECTION DIAGRAM CD-066



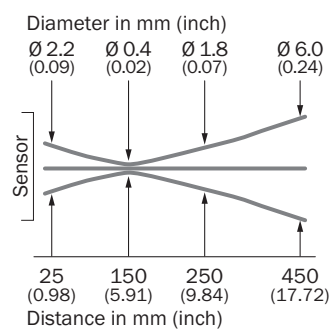
TRUTH TABLE PNP - LIGHT SWITCHING

	Light switching Q (normally open)	
	Object not present → Output LOW	Object present → Output HIGH
Light receive	✗	✔
Light receive indicator	✗	☀
Load resistance	✗	⚡

TRUTH TABLE PNP - DARK SWITCHING

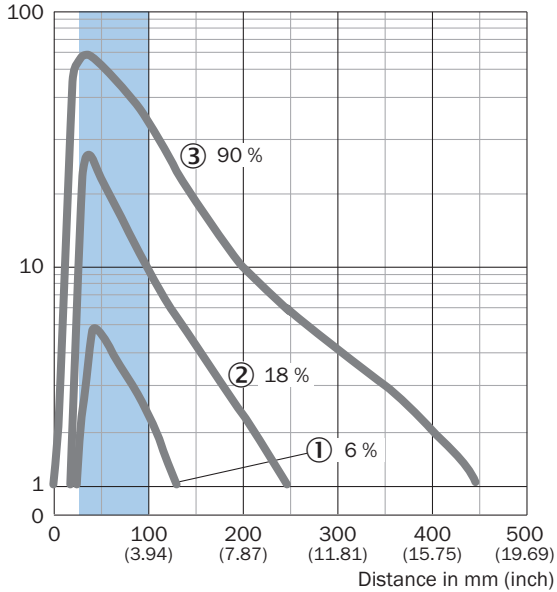
	Dark switching \bar{Q} (normally closed)	
	Object not present → Output HIGH	Object present → Output LOW
Light receive	✗	✓
Light receive indicator	✗	☀
Load resistance	⚡	✗

CHARACTERISTIC CURVE



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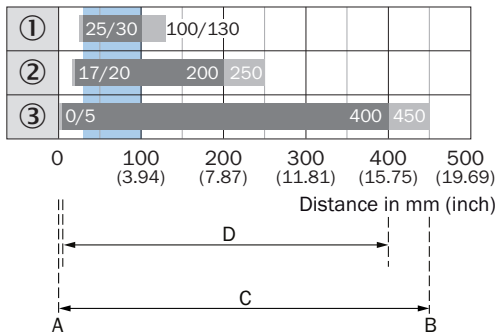
Operating reserve



Recommended sensing range for the best performance

- ① Black object, 6% remission factor
- ② Gray object, 18% remission factor
- ③ White object, 90% remission factor

SENSING RANGE DIAGRAM



- A = Sensing range min. in mm
- B = Sensing range max. in mm
- C = Viewing range
- D = Adjustable switching threshold

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- ③ White object, 90% remission factor

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