



IME18-12BPSZW2K

IME

INDUCTIVE PROXIMITY SENSORS

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Ordering information

Type	Part no.
IME18-12BPSZW2K	1071246

Included in delivery: BEF-MU-M18 (1)

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Detailed technical data

Features

Housing	Cylindrical thread design
Housing	Short-body
Thread size	M18 x 1
Diameter	Ø 18 mm
Sensing range S_n	12 mm
Safe sensing range S_a	9.72 mm
Installation type	Quasi-flush
Switching frequency	500 Hz
Connection type	Cable, 3-wire, 2 m
Switching output	PNP
Output function	NO
Electrical wiring	DC 3-wire
Enclosure rating	IP67 ¹⁾
Special features	Triple sensing range
Items supplied	Mounting nut, brass, nickel-plated (2x)

¹⁾ According to EN 60529.

Mechanics/electronics

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC
Ripple	≤ 10 %
Voltage drop	≤ 2 V ¹⁾
Time delay before availability	≤ 50 ms

¹⁾ At I_a max.

²⁾ Supply voltage U_b and constant ambient temperature T_a .

³⁾ Of S_r .

Hysteresis	1 % ... 15 %
Reproducibility	≤ 5 % ^{2) 3)}
Temperature drift (of S_r)	± 10 %
EMC	According to EN 60947-5-2
Continuous current I_a	≤ 200 mA
No load current	≤ 10 mA
Cable material	PVC
Conductor size	0.25 mm ²
Cable diameter	Ø 3.9 mm
Short-circuit protection	✓
Reverse polarity protection	✓
Power-up pulse protection	✓
Shock and vibration resistance	30 g, 11 ms/10 Hz ... 55 Hz, 1 mm
Ambient operating temperature	-25 °C ... +75 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-25 °C ... +75 °C
Housing material	Brass, nickel-plated
Sensing face material	Plastic, PA 66
Housing length	48 mm
Thread length	33 mm
Tightening torque, max.	≤ 30 Nm
UL File No.	NRKH.E181493

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³⁾ Of S_r.

Safety-related parameters

MTTF_D	1,735 years
DC_{avg}	0 %

Reduction factors

Note	The values are reference values which may vary
St37 steel (Fe)	1
Stainless steel (V2A, 304)	Approx. 0.78
Aluminum (Al)	Approx. 0.43
Copper (Cu)	Approx. 0.35
Brass (Br)	Approx. 0.47

Installation note

Remark	Associated graphic see "Installation"
A	13.5 mm
B	35 mm
C	18 mm
D	36 mm
E	4 mm

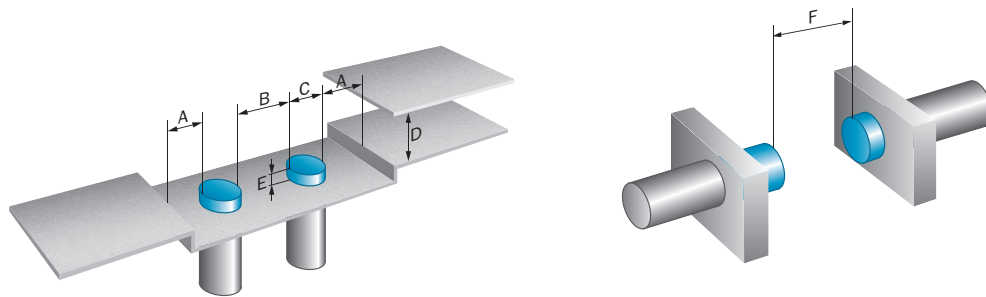
F	120 mm
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Classifications

ECLASS 5.0	27270101
ECLASS 5.1.4	27270101
ECLASS 6.0	27270101
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ECLASS 7.0	27270101
ECLASS 8.0	27270101
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ECLASS 11.0	27270101
ECLASS 12.0	27274001
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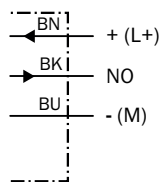
Installation note

Quasi-flush installation



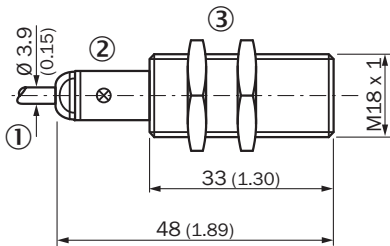
Connection diagram

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Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))

IME18 Short-body housing, cable, flush



- ① Connection
- ② Display LED
- ③ Fastening nuts (2x); width across 24, metal

Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
Mounting brackets and plates			
	Mounting plate for M18 sensors, steel, zinc coated, without mounting hardware	BEF-WG-M18	5321870
	Mounting bracket for M18 sensors, steel, zinc coated, without mounting hardware	BEF-WN-M18	5308446
Terminal and alignment brackets			
	Clamping block for round sensors M18, without fixed stop, plastic (PA12), glass-fiber reinforced, mounting hardware included	BEF-KH-M18	2051481
	Clamping block for round sensors M18, with fixed stop, plastic (PA12), glass-fiber reinforced, mounting hardware included	BEF-KHF-M18	2051482

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