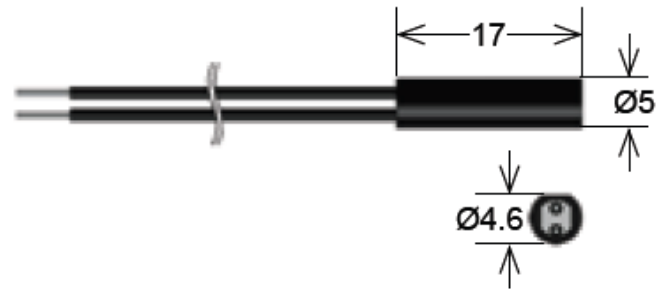


# MK18 Series Reed Sensors



- Features: Cylindrical Reed Sensor, Choice of Cable Termination & Lengths available, Various Case Sizes
- Applications: Door & Window Contacts, With Magnetic Floats for Water Level Detection, Position Sensing
- Markets: Appliance, Industrial, Security & Others

Part Description: **MK 18-0X00X-000X**

Contact QTY	Contact Form	Switch Model	Magnetic Sensitivity	Cable Length (mm)	Termination
1	A	87	B, C, D, E	100, 200, 300, 500, 1,000, 1,500	w

Customer Options	Switch Model	Unit
<b>Contact Data</b>	<b>87</b>	
<b>Rated Power (max.)</b> Any DC combination of V&A not to exceed their individual max.'s	10	W
<b>Switching Voltage (max.)</b> DC or peak AC	200	V
<b>Switching Current (max.)</b> DC or peak AC	0.4	A
<b>Carry Current (max.)</b> DC or peak AC	0.5	A
<b>Contact Resistance (max.)</b> @ 0.5V & 50mA	150	mOhm
<b>Breakdown Voltage (min.)</b> According to EN60255-5	0.23	kVDC
<b>Operating Time (max.)</b> Incl. Bounce; Measured with w/ Nominal Voltage	0.6	ms
<b>Release Time (max.)</b> Measured with no Coil Excitation	0.05	ms
<b>Insulation Resistance (typ.)</b> Rh<45%, 100V Test Voltage	10 <sup>9</sup>	Ohm
<b>Capacitance (typ.)</b> @ 10kHz across open Switch	0.2	pF

Housing and Cable Specifications	
Housing Material	PBT Glass Fiber Reinforced
Case Color	Black
Sealing Compound	Polyurethan
Cable Typ	Flat Cable
Cable Material	PVC
Cross Section (mm <sup>2</sup> )	2 x 0.14

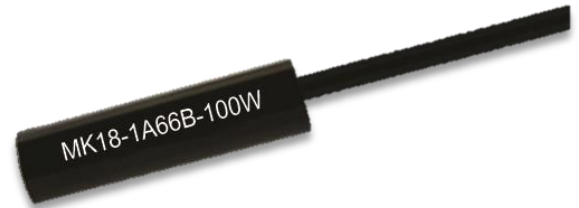
Environmental Data		Unit
Shock Resistance (max.) 1/2 sine wave duration 11ms	50	g
Vibration Resistance (max.)	20	g
Operating Temperature Cable not moved	-30 to 70	°C
Operating Temperature Cable moved	-5 to 70	°C
Storage Temperature	-30 to 70	°C

Glossary Contact Form		
Form A	NO = Normally Open Contacts SPST = Single Pole Single Throw	
Form B	NC = Normally Closed Contacts SPST = Single Pole Single Throw	
Form C	Changeover SPDT = Single Pole Double Throw	

Glossary Magnetic Sensitivity							
Sens.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
AT	05-10	10-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30-35	35-40



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### Handling & Assembly Instructions

- Max torque on housing is 1Nm
- Cable bending-radius is diameter x 15
- Min. bending distance to housing is 5mm
- Drag mark out of the mounting area forbidden
- Decrease switching distance by mounting on iron
- Do not use magnetically inductive screws
- Series resistor recommended for > 5m cable length

### Life Test Data

\*Load increase reduces life expectancy of Reed Switches

