Photoelectrics Through-beam Type PA18C.T..., DC



PA18CAT20PAM1SA



Product Description

The PA18C.T... is part of a family of inexpensive general purpose through-beam sensors in industrial standard 18 mm cylindrical ABS housing. The sensors are useful in applications where high-accuracy detection as well as small size is required.

Compact housing and high power LED for excellent performance-size ratio.

The potentiometer used for adjustment of the sensitivity makes the sensors highly flexible. The output type is NPN or PNP and the output switching function is NO and NC.

- Miniature sensor range
- Range: 20 m (Axial), 16 m (Radial)
- Sensitivity adjustment by potentiometer
- Modulated, infrared light 850 nm
- Supply voltage: 10 to 30 VDC
- Output: 100 mA, NPN or PNP, N.O + N.C.
- Degree of protection IP67, IP69K
- LED indication for output, stability and power ON
- Protection: reverse polarity, short circuit and transients
- Cable and plug versionsExcellent EMC performance



Ordering Key

Type Housing style Housing size Housing material Housing type axial Detection principle Sensing distance Output type Output configuration Connection type Sensitive adjustment

Type Selection

Housing type	Range Sn	Connec- tion	Ordering no. Emitter	Ordering no. Receiver NPN Make or break switching	Ordering no. Receiver PNP Make or break switching
M18 Axial type	20 m	Cable	PA 18 CAT 20	PA 18 CAT 20 NASA	PA 18 CAT 20 PASA
M18 Axial type	20 m	Plug	PA 18 CAT 20M1	PA 18 CAT 20 NAM1SA	PA 18 CAT 20 PAM1SA
M18 Radial type	16 m	Cable	PA 18 CRT 16	PA 18 CRT 16 NASA	PA 18 CRT 16 PASA
M18 Radial type	16 m	Plug	PA 18 CRT 16M1	PA 18 CRT 16 NAM1SA	PA 18 CRT 16 PAM1SA

Specifications Receiver according to EN60947-5-2

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Rated operating distance (S _n) Axial type (A) Radial type (R)	Up to 20 m, Up to 16 m	
Blind zone	0 mm	
Sensitivity control Electrical adjustment Mecanical adjustment Adjustable distance to target Axial types Radial types	Adjustable by potentiometer 210° 240° 1 - 20 m 1 - 16 m	
Temperature drift	≤ 0.2%/°C	
Hysteresis (H) (differential travel)	≤ 20%	
Rated operational volt. (U_B)	10 to 30 VDC (ripple included)	
Ripple (U _{rpp})	≤ 10%	
Output current Continuous (I _e) Short-time (I)	≤ 100 mA ≤ 100 mA (max. load capacity 100 nF)	
No load supply current (I_o)	≤ 15 mA @ 24 VDC	

Minimum operational current (Im)	0.5 mA	
OFF-state current (I _r)	≤ 100 µA	
Voltage drop (U _d)	≤ 2.0 VDC @ 100 mA	
Protection	Short-circuit, reverse polarity and transients	
Sensing angle		
Axial	± 4°	
Radial	± 3°	
Ambient light	30.000 lux	
	Incandescent lamp	
Operating frequency	500 Hz	
Response time		
OFF-ON (ton)	≤ 1.0 ms	
ON-OFF (t _{off})	≤ 1.0 ms	
Power ON delay (t _v)	≤ 200 ms	
Output function		
Туре	NPN or PNP	
Switching function	NO and NC	
Indication		
Output ON	LED, yellow	
Signal stability and power ON	LED, green	

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Specifications Emitter according to EN60947-5-2

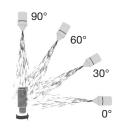
Rated operational volt. $(U_{\scriptscriptstyle B})$	10 to 30 VDC (ripple included)
Ripple (U _{rpp})	≤ 10%
Supply current (I _o)	≤ 25 mA
Light source	LED, 850 nm
Light type	Infrared, modulated
Sensing angle Axial Radial	± 4° ± 3°

Light spot Diameter	Ø 1500 mm @ 10 m
Protection	Reverse polarity and transients
Indication function Power supply ON	LED, green
Signal stability and power ON Power on delay	LED, green < 200 ms

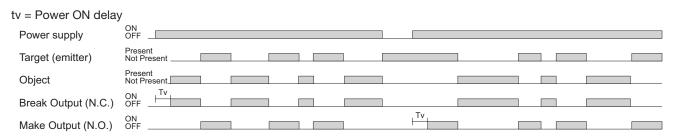
Specifications Common according to EN60947-5-2

Environment Installation category	III (IEC 60664/60664A; 60947-1)	Housing material Body Front material	ABS, grey PMMA, red
Pollution degree Degree of protection	3 (IEC 60664/60664A; 60947-1) IP 67, IP 69K*	Cable gland Trimmer shaft Locknuts	POM, Black POM, Dark Grey PBTB, black
Ambient temperature		Mounting bracket	PPA, black
Operating Storage	-25° to +60°C (-13° to +140°F) -40° to +70°C (-40° to +158°F)	Connection Cable	PVC, grey, 2 m
Vibration	10 to 150 Hz, 1 mm/15 G (IEC 60068-2-6)	Receiver Emitter Plug	$4 \times 0.25 \text{ mm}^2$, $\emptyset = 4.5 \text{ mm}^2$ $2 \times 0.25 \text{ mm}^2$, $\emptyset = 4.5 \text{ mm}^2$
Shock	30 g / 11ms, 3 pos, 3 neg per axis (IEC 60068-2-6, 60068-2-32)		M12, 4-pin (CONM14NF-series)
		Weight	With cable: 85 g With plug: 25 g
Rated insulation voltage	500 VAC (rms) IEC protection class III	CE-marking	Yes
		Approvals	cULus (UL508) supply class 2

* The IP69K test according to DIN 40050-9 for high-pressure, high-temperature wash-down applications. The sensor must not only be dust tight (IP6X), but also able to withstand high-pressure and steam cleaning. The sensor is exposed to high pressure water from a spray nozzle that is fed with 80°C water at 8'000–10'000 KPa (80–100bar) and a flow rate of 14–6L/min. The nozzle is held 100–150 mm from the sensor at angles of 0°, 30°, 60° and 90° for 30s each. The test device sits on a turntable that rotates with a speed of 5 times per minute. The sensor must not suffer any damaging effects from the high pressure water in appearance and function.

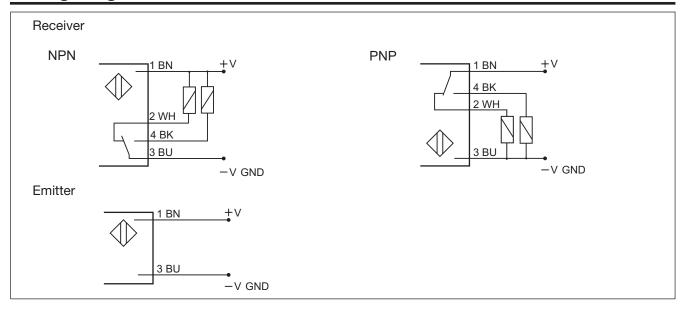


Operation Diagram

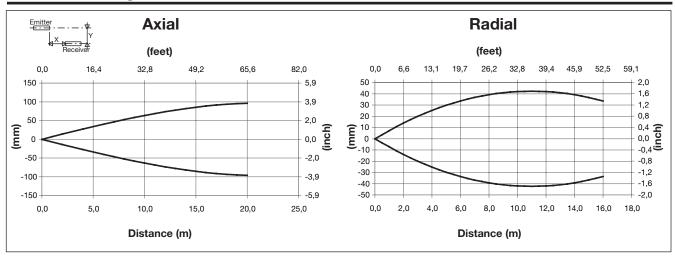




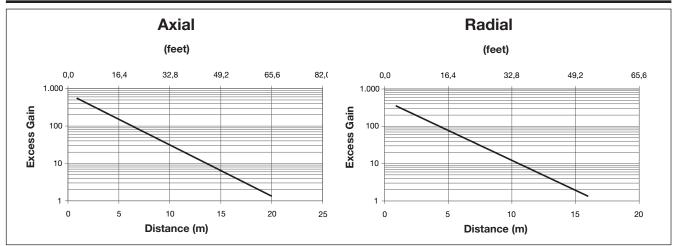
Wiring Diagrams



Detection Diagram

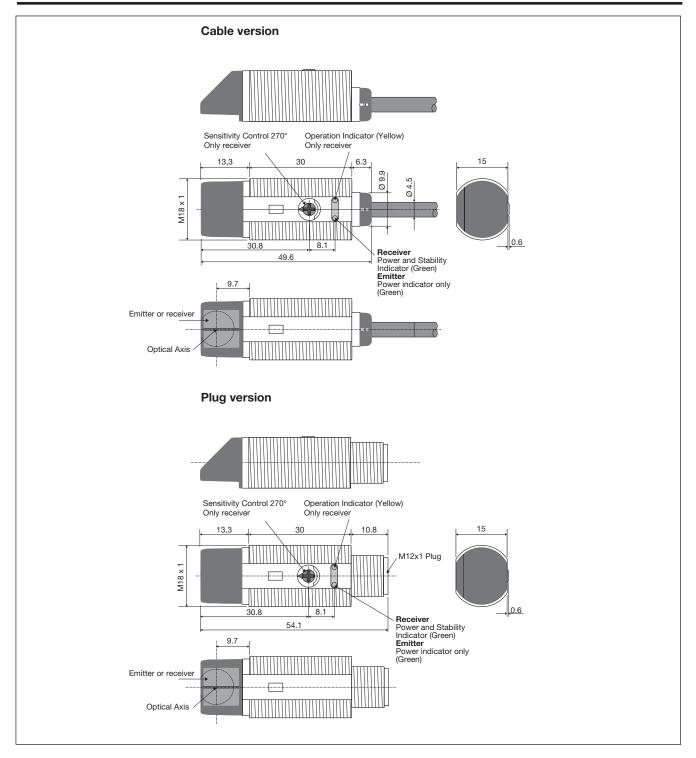


Excess Gain



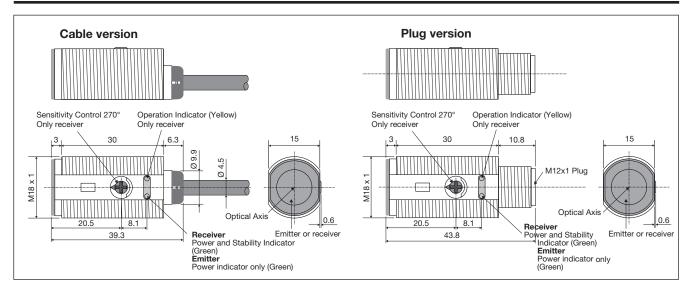


Dimensions Radial version

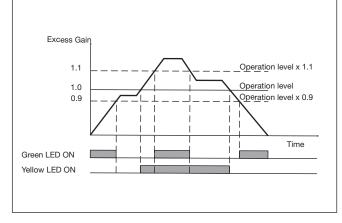


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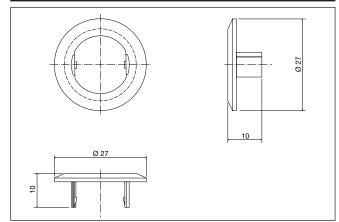
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Signal Stability Indication

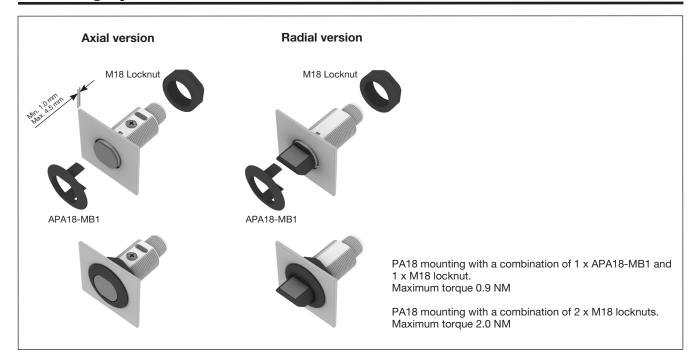


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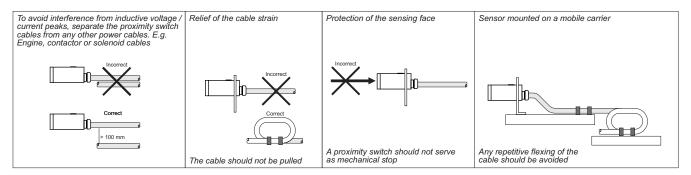


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Mounting Systems



Installation Hints



Delivery Contents

- Photoelectric switch: PA 18 C.T...
- Installation instruction on plastic bag
- Screwdriver
- Mounting bracket APA18-MB1
- 2 M18 locknuts
- Packaging: Plastic bag
- Emitter and receiver is packed separately

Accessories

• Connector type CONG1A.. / CONM14NF.. series

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