





Model Number

ULB-18GM50-255-2E3

Features

- Ultrasonic system for detection of labels and carrier materials.
- **Short version**
- Insensitive to printing, colors, and shining surfaces
- Automatic compensation of the operating point with slowly changing ambient condition
- Very high processing speeds are possible.

Diagrams

Suggestions:

Mounting/Adjustment

a = 5 mm ... 15 mm b ≥ 10 mm d = 40 mm ... 45 mm $\beta = 20^{\circ} ... 40^{\circ}$

Technical data

| General | specifications |
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20 ... 60 mm, optimal distance: 45 mm Sensing range Transducer frequency 255 kHz

Indicators/operating means

LED green Display: readiness LED yellow indication: label detected LED red Display: error

Electrical specifications

18 ... 30 V DC , ripple 10 $\%_{\mbox{\footnotesize SS}}$ Operating voltage U_B < 60 mA

No-load supply current I₀ Time delay before availability tv < 500 ms Input

Teach-In input Input type

0-level: -U_B ... -U_B + 1V 1-level: +U_B - 1 V ... +U_B

Pulse length ≥ 500 ms Impedance $> 10 \text{ k}\Omega$

Output Output type 2 switch outputs PNP, NC

Rated operating current I_e 2 x 100 mA, short-circuit/overload protected

Voltage drop U_d < 3 V Switch-on delay ton ≤ 600 μs Switch-off delay toff ≤ 600 μs

Ambient conditions

Ambient temperature 0 ... 60 °C (32 ... 140 °F) Storage temperature -40 ... 70 °C (-40 ... 158 °F)

Mechanical specifications

Connection type cable PVC, 2 m Core cross-section 0.14 mm^2 IP67

Degree of protection Material

nickel plated brass; plastic components: PBT Housing Transducer epoxy resin/hollow glass sphere mixture; polyurethane foam

Compliance with standards and directives

Standard conformity

Mass

Standards EN 60947-5-2:2007+A1:2012

IEC 60947-5-2:2007 + A1:2012

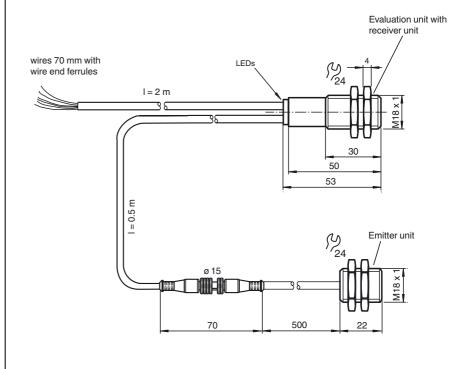
Approvals and certificates

UL approval C-UL listed: 57M3, IND CONT. EQ., "Powered by Class 2

Power Source

CCC approval CCC approval / marking not required for products rated ≤36 V

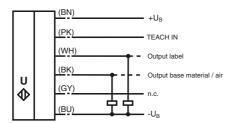
Dimensions





Electrical Connection

Standard symbol/Connection:



Additional Information

Angular misalignment



Sensor offset s < +/- 1 mm



Accessories

Mounting bracket for double sheet monitor

Operation in applications with increased ESD requirements

Using the included metal screw caps, the sensor can be used in applications with increased ESD requirements up to 30 kV (ESD = electrostatic discharge). The metal coupling nuts are screwed on the front of the transmitter and receiver. The installation of the transmitter and receiver must ensure a large area electrical connection to the machine earth.

Description of sensor functions

The ultrasonic double sheet monitor for label detection can be used in all applications, where an automatic detection of labels is required, to automatise labelling of goods. Even transparent or metalised labels can be detected without problem. The double-sheet monitor is based on the ultrasonic through-beam principle. The following can be detected:

- No base material, i.e. air,
- Labels

A microprocessor system evaluates the signals. The appropriate switch outputs are set as a result of the evaluation. Changes in ambient conditions such as temperature and humidity are compensated for automatically. The interface electronics is integrated into a compact M18 metal housing together with a sensor head.

Electrical connection

The sensor is equipped with 6 connecting wires. The functionality of the connections is described in the following table. The teach input (PK) is used to teach the sensor.

| Colour | Switching on | Comments |
|--------|--|--------------------------------------|
| BN | +U _B | |
| WH | Switch output for labels | Pulse width corresponds to the event |
| ВК | Switch output for base material / air | Pulse width corresponds to the event |
| GY | not connected | |
| PK | -U _B / n.c. / +U _B | Normal operation / TEACH-IN |
| BU | -UB | |

Normal mode

The sensor is working in normal mode if the function input (PK) is applied to -UB or not connected.

Displays:

LED yellow: Detection of labels

LED green: Power on LED red: Error

Switch outputs:

The switch outputs are only active in normal operation!

White: WH Label output

Black: BK Base material / air output Date of issue: 2017-09-07

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TEACH-IN mode

Connecting the teach input (PK) with $+U_B$ for at least 500 ms causes the sensor to change into TEACH-IN mode. The TEACH-IN procedure takes place by the transition from label to base material. We suggest to accomplish the TEACH-IN procedure with activated material feeding and multiple label/base material transitions.

During the TEACH-IN procedure flashes the yellow LED; the green LED is off.

After returning to the normal operation mode (teach input (PK) detached from +U_B) the sensor indicates whether the TEACH-IN procedure was successful or not.

TEACH-IN procedure successful: green LED flashes 3 times

TEACH-IN procedure not successful: red LED flashes 3 times

Notes:

A complete device consists of an ultrasonic emitter and an evaluation unit with an ultrasonic emitter. The sensor heads are optimally adjusted to each other when they leave the factory. Therefore, they must not be used separately or exchanged with other devices of the same type. The plug connector on the emitter/receiver connection cable is only intended to be used for easier mounting, not to replace units.

If two or more double sheet controls are used in the immediate vicinity of each other, there may be mutual interference between them, which can result in improper functionality of the devices. Mutual interference can be prevented by introducing suitable countermeasures when planning systems. Suitable measures can be:

- Mounting of sound absorbers (foam material)
- mounting of sound separators (sheet metal)
- insallation of the sensors with different directions of sound transmission.