DC3-Wire Cylindrical Proximity Switches

FL7M Series Extensive lineup includes M8 to M30 sizes, with NPN and PNP output models



- Compact size saves space
- Indicator lamp can be checked even from the rear

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- Sealed to IP67
- Numerous variations
- Enhanced circuit protection (surge absorption, load short circuit and reverse connection countermeasures)

ORDER GUIDE

Main unit

| Exterior | | Sensing | 0 | | Ostala a listia a |
|-------------------|-------------------------|----------|-----------------------|------|-------------------|
| Appearance | 0.D. | distance | Output operation mode | | Catalog listing |
| Firefly indicator | | | NPN | N.O. | FL7M-1P5A6 |
| | M8 | 1.5mm | INFIN | N.C. | FL7M-1P5B6 |
| | 1010 | 1.5000 | PNP | N.O. | FL7M-1P5D6 |
| | | | FINE | N.C. | FL7M-1P5E6 |
| | | | NPN | N.O. | FL7M-2A6 |
| | M12 | | INFIN | N.C. | FL7M-2B6 |
| | 1112 | - 2 mm | PNP | N.O. | FL7M-2D6 |
| | | | | N.C. | FL7M-2E6 |
| | M12 (long-body type) | | NPN | N.O. | FL7M-2A6G |
| | | | | N.C. | FL7M-2B6G |
| | | | PNP | N.O. | FL7M-2D6G |
| - | | | 1 111 | N.C. | FL7M-2E6G |
| | M18 | 5 mm | NPN | N.O. | FL7M-5A6 |
| | | | | N.C. | FL7M-5B6 |
| | IVI10 | 5 mm | PNP | N.O. | FL7M-5D6 |
| | | | FINE | N.C. | FL7M-5E6 |
| | | | NPN | N.O. | FL7M-10A6 |
| | M20 | 10 mm | INFIN | N.C. | FL7M-10B6 |
| | M30 | 10 IIIII | PNP | N.O. | FL7M-10D6 |
| | | | rNP | N.C. | FL7M-10E6 |

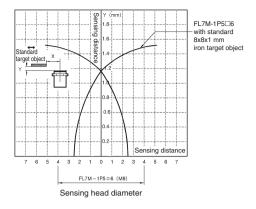
• Accessories (sold separately)

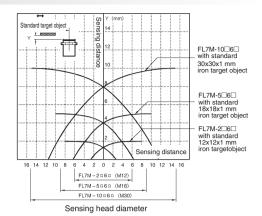
| Name | Appearance | 0.D. | Catalog listing | | |
|------------------|------------|------------|-----------------|---------|----------|
| | | For M12 | FL-PA112 | | |
| Mounting bracket | | For M18 | FL-PA118 | | |
| - | | For M30 | FL-PA130 | | |
| | | For M12 | FL-PA12 | | |
| Protective cover | | For M18 | FL-PA18 | | |
| | | For M30 | FL-PA30 | | |
| | | For M8 | FL-PA08W | | |
| Spatter-guarded | \bigcirc | \bigcirc | \bigcirc | For M12 | FL-PA12W |
| protective cover | | For M18 | FL-PA18W | | |
| | | For M30 | FL-PA30W | | |

SPECIFICATIONS

| Catalog li | sting | | FL7M-1P506 | FL7M-2□6 | FL7M-5□6 | FL7M-10□6 | |
|--|------------|-------------------|---|---------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Actuation | method | | High-frequency oscillation(shielded) | | | | |
| Rated ser | nsing dist | ance | 1.5 ±0.15 mm | 10 ±1 mm | | | |
| Usable se | ensing dis | stance | 0 to 1.05 mm | 0 to 1.4 mm | 0 to 3.5 mm | 0 to 7 mm | |
| Standard | target ob | ject | 8 x 8 x 1 mm iron | 12 x 12 x 1 mm iron | 18 x 18 x 1 mm iron | 30 x 30 x 1 mm iron | |
| Differenti | al travel | | | 10% max. of s | ensing distance | • | |
| Rated sup | pply volta | ige | | 12/2 | 4 Vdc | | |
| Operating | g voltage | range | | 10 to 3 | 30 Vdc | | |
| Current c | onsumpt | ion | | 13 m/ | A max. | | |
| Control | Switchin | ig current | | 100 m | A max. | | |
| Control output | Voltage | drop | : | 2V max. (at 100 mA switch | ning current with 2 m cable | .) | |
| • | Output di | electric strength | | 30 | Vdc. | | |
| Operating | g frequen | су | 2 kHz | 1.5 kHz | 600 kHz | 400 kHz | |
| Temperature drift | | | ±10% max. of sens taking +25°C as sta | −10 to +60°C | | | |
| Supply voltage drift | | | ±1% max. of sensing distance with ±15% voltage fluctuation, taking rated supply voltage as standard voltage | | | | |
| Indicator | lamp | | | Lights up red | l at output ON | | |
| Operating | g tempera | ture | | -25 to +70°C | | -10 to +60°C | |
| Insulation | n resistan | се | | 50 MΩ min. (b | y 500V megger) | | |
| Dielectric | strength | | 1000 Vac, | 50/60 Hz for 1 minute be | tween case and electrically | / live metal | |
| Vibration | resistand | e | 10 to 55 Hz, 1 | .5 mm peak-to-peak ampl | itude, 2 hrs each in X, Y ai | nd Z directions | |
| Shock res | sistance | | 980 m/s ² 10 times each in X, Y and Z directions | | | | |
| Protective structure | | | IP67 (IEC standard), IP67G (JEM standard) | | | | |
| Weight (main unit + 2 m preleaded cable) | | | Approx. 55 g | Approx. 65 g | Approx. 140 g | Approx. 190 g | |
| Circuit pr | otection | | Surge absorption, load short-circuit protection, reverse connection protection | | | | |
| Wiring me | ethod | | Preleaded (2 m cable is standard) | | | | |
| Material | Switch | Case | SUS Ni-plated brass | | | | |
| wateriar 3 | Switch | Sensing face | PBT resin | | | | |

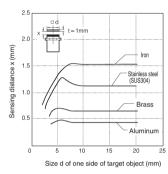
SENSING AREA (typical)



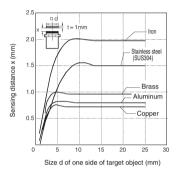


SENSING DISTANCE ACCORDING TO MATERIAL AND SIZE OF OBJECT (typical)

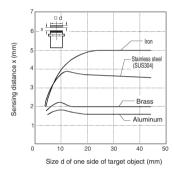
●FL7M-1P5□6



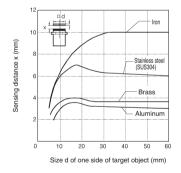




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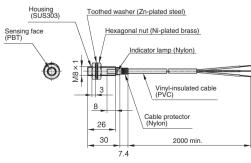


●FL7M-10□6



EXTERNAL DIMENSIONS

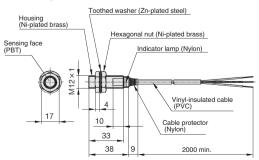
FL7M-1P506



Vinyl-insulated cable (oil-resistant: 0.3 $\rm mm^2,\,60/0.08$ dia., 3-core), dia. 4. Cap color: blue.

FL7M-2□6





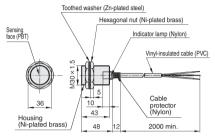
Vinyl-insulated cable (oil-resistant: 0.3 mm², 60/0.08 dia., 3-core), dia. 4. Cap color: blue.

FL7M-206G ····· long body type

Toothed washer (Zn-plated steel) Housing (Ni-plated brass) Hexagonal nut (Ni-plated brass) Sensing face (PBT) Indicator lamp (Nylon) \bigcirc 112 4 Vinyl-insulated cable (PVC) 17 10 Cable protector (Nylon) 55 2000 min 60

Vinyl-insulated cable (oil-resistant: 0.3 mm², 60/0.08 dia., 3-core), dia. 4. Cap color: blue.

FL7M-1006

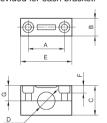


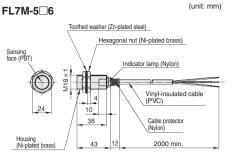
Vinyl-insulated cable (oil-resistant: 0.5 mm², 45/0.12 dia., 3-core), dia. 6. Cap color: blue.

MOUNTING BRACKET (sold separately)

Mounting brackets are made of polyacetal resin. Two screws and two washers are provided for each bracket.







Vinyl-insulated cable (oil-resistant: 0.5 mm², 45/0.12 dia., 3-core), dia. 6. Cap color: blue.

FL-PA118 and FL-PA130 screw holes are oblong.

| Catalog | | Dimensions (mm) | | | | | | Screw size | |
|----------|-------|-----------------|----|--------|----|-----|------|------------|------|
| listing | Α | В | С | D | Е | F | G | Dia. | Neck |
| FL-PA112 | 25 | 12 | 20 | 12dia | 36 | 6 | 9.5 | M4 | 25 |
| FL-PA118 | 30/32 | 15 | 30 | 18dia. | 45 | 7.5 | 14.5 | M5 | 35 |
| FL-PA130 | 40/45 | 15 | 50 | 30dia. | 60 | 10 | 24.5 | M5 | 55 |

Allowable tightening torque of bracket screws

| | <u> </u> | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|--|--|
| Catalog listing | Max. torque (N·m) | | |
| FL-PA112 | 0.98 | | |
| FL-PA118 | 1.5 | | |
| FL-PA130 | 1.5 | | |

PROTECTIVE COVER (sold separately)

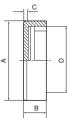
Protective covers made of polyacetal resin are available for shielded models. Select a model according to the switch's external dimensions



| Catalog | Dimensions (mm) | | | | |
|---------|-----------------|---|-----|---------|--|
| listing | Α | В | С | D | |
| FL-PA12 | 14dia | 5 | 0.5 | M12x1 | |
| FL-PA18 | 21dia. | 6 | 0.5 | M18x1 | |
| FL-PA30 | 33dia. | 8 | 1.5 | M30x1.5 | |
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SPATTER-GUARDED PROTECTIVE COVER (sold separately)

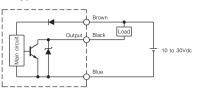
Spatter-guarded protective covers made of fluorine resin and designed especially for shielded switches are available. Select a model according to the switch's external dimensions.



| | Catalog | Dimensions (mm) | | | | |
|---|----------|-----------------|---|-----|---------|--|
| t | listing | Α | В | С | D | |
| | FL-PA08W | 10dia. | 5 | 0.5 | M8x1 | |
| | FL-PA12W | 15dia. | 5 | 0.7 | M12x1 | |
| | FL-PA18W | 22dia. | 6 | 0.7 | M18x1 | |
| | FL-PA30W | 34dia. | 8 | 1.5 | M30x1.5 | |

WIRING DIAGRAMS

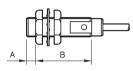
NPN type



PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

1. Mounting

The allowable tightening torque varies according to the distance from the sensing surface.



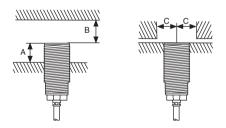
| | Length of A | Max. tightening torque (N·m) | | |
|-----------------|-------------|------------------------------|-----|--|
| Catalog listing | (mm) | Α | В | |
| FL7M-1P5_6 | 9 | 9 | 12 | |
| FL7M-2_6_ | 0 | - | 20 | |
| FL7M-5_6_ | 0 | _ | 70 | |
| FL7M-10_6_ | 0 | - | 180 | |

Note: The table shows the allowable tightening torque when toothed washers (provided) are used.

The allowable tightening torque varies depending on the materials and surface conditions of the mounting plates, mounting housings, nuts, washers and other parts used for the switch. Check that the torque is appropriate for the actual combination of parts used before putting the switch into operation.

2. Influence of surrounding metal

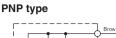
Metal other than the target object surrounding the switch may influence operating characteristics. Leave space between the switch and surrounding metal as shown below.

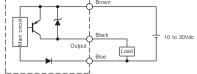


Shaded areas indicate surrounding metal other than the target object.

- A: Distance from sensing face of proximity switch to mounting surface
- B: Distance from surface of iron plate to sensing face of proximity switch. C: Distance from surface of iron plate to center of proximity switch
- when A=0 Catalog listing

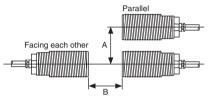
| Catalog listing | A (mm) | B (mm) | C (mm) |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|
| FL7M-1P5_6 | 0 | 4.5 | 6 |
| FL7M-2_6_ | 0 | 8 | 9 |
| FL7M-5_6_ | 0 | 20 | 13.5 |
| FL7M-10_6_ | 0 | 40 | 22.5 |





3. Mutual interference prevention

When mounting proximity switches either parallel to or facing each other, mutual interference may cause the switch to malfunction. Maintain at least the distances indicated in the figures below.



| Catalog listing | A (mm) | B (mm) |
|-----------------|--------|--------|
| FL7M-1P5_6 | 15 | 20 |
| FL7M-2_6_ | 20 | 30 |
| FL7M-5_6_ | 35 | 50 |
| FL7M-10_6 | 70 | 100 |

4. Minimum cable bend radius (R)

The minimum bend radius (R) of the cable is 3 times the cable diameter. Take care not to bend the cable beyond this radius. Also, do not excessively bend the cable within 30 mm of the cable lead-in port.

Before use, thoroughly read the "Precautions for use" and "Precautions for handling" in the Technical Guide on pages C-107 to C-113 as well as the instruction manual and product specification for this switch.