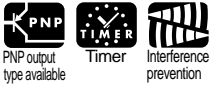


FX-311 SERIES

New

Manually Set Fiber Sensor



Fiber Selection

FX-301

FX-302
Digital Setting

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Highly sensitive manual tuning made easy

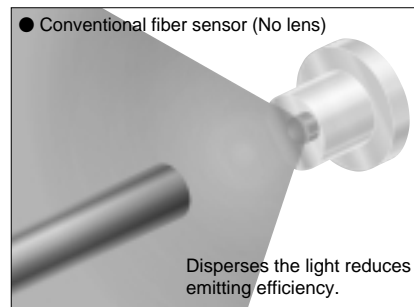
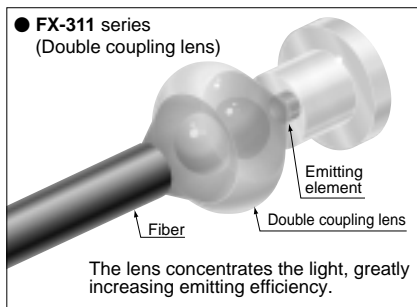
* Passed the UL 991 Environment Test



* UL 61010C-1 compatible, Passed the UL 991 Environment Test based on SEMI S2-0200.
[Category applicable for semiconductor manufacturing: TWW2, Process Equipment]
[Applicable standards: UL 61010C-1]
[Additional test / evaluation standards as per intended use: UL991, SEMI S2-0200]

Long-range sensing made possible with built-in optical lens

For the first time in the industry, an optical 'double coupling lens' has been incorporated directly into the fiber sensor itself. This lens maximizes the light emission efficiency, resulting in a tremendous improvement in the sensing range. Sensing ranges with small diameter fibers and ultra-small diameter fibers, which have become very popular in recent years due to the miniaturization of chip components, have been increased by 50 % over previous values achieved with other amplifiers.



Three light source types are made available for expanding applications

In addition to the red LED (four-chemical emitting element) type, the blue LED and green LED types are also available to conform to an even wider array of applications.

Color combinations that can be discerned during mark sensing

Mark color / Back ground color	White	Yellow	Orange	Red	Green	Blue	Black
White		■	■	■▲	●■▲	●■▲	●▲
Yellow	■		▲	▲	●■▲	●■▲	●▲
Orange	■	▲		■▲	●■▲	●■▲	●▲
Red	■▲	▲	■▲		●	●■	●■
Green	●■▲	●■▲	●■▲	●		■	■
Blue	●■▲	●■▲	●■▲	●■	■		■
Black	●■▲	●■▲	●■▲	●■	■	■	

●: Red LED ■: Blue LED ▲: Green LED

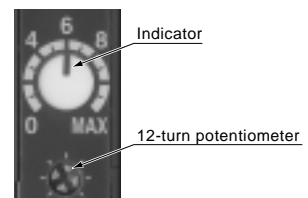
Stable long-term sensing

The newly developed four-chemical emitting element that uses the FX-311 (red LED type) suppresses changes over long periods of time as much as possible, so that a stable light emitting level is maintained. There is very little element deterioration so that stable and accurate sensing can be maintained over long periods.

12-turn potentiometer with visible indicator

12-turn potentiometer has been incorporated for fine adjustments. It enables very fine differences to be detected.

Moreover, since the pointer of indicator has a red backlight, you can confirm the position at a glance, even in a dark area.

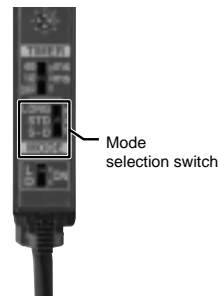


Mode can be selected in three steps to suit the application

The mode select switch can change the mode to one of three modes to suit a variety of sensing applications.

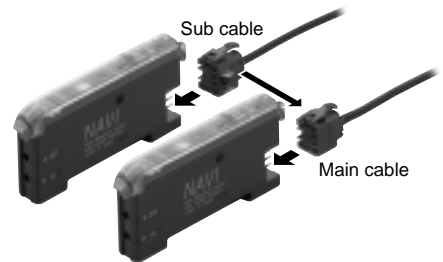
Long-range mode (LONG)	Ideal for cases where long-distance sensing is required (Response time: 2 ms)
Standard mode (STD)	Used for general sensing (Response time: 250 μ s)
High-speed mode (FAST) (Note)	Ideal for cases where fast sensing is required (Response time: 150 μ s)
Reduced intensity mode (S-D) (Note)	Effective for fine detection (Response time: 250 μ s)

Note: High-speed mode is only available for the **FX-311B(P)** and **FX-311G(P)**. S-D (reduced intensity) mode is only available with the **FX-311(P)**.



Maintenance made easy with quick-connection cables

Both main and sub units utilize the same amplifier body. This feature allows for easy mounting in side-by-side configuration. The main and sub unit functions are distinguished only by the proper use of the 3-core main cable and the 1-core sub cable. Moreover, by utilizing the same body for both main and sub units, inventory management and maintenance is simplified.



Rapid blinking 'assist function' eases adjustment for optimum sensitivity

The **FX-311** series has a convenient built-in 'assist function' which indicates the optimum sensitivity position by blinking rapidly when optimum sensitivity is reached. This enables easy and reliable sensitivity adjustment, which is convenient for a narrow sensing range requiring fine tuning.

※In order enable the 'assist function', switch the operation selection switch from **L-ON→D-ON→L-ON**.

1 Find the point (A) where the sensor is switched ON in the sensing condition.

Sensing method Sensing (beam received) condition

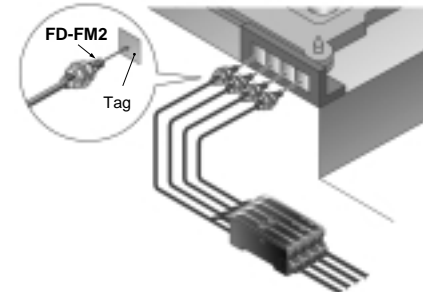
In the non-sensing condition, turn the adjuster until ON state again, turn the adjuster counterclockwise and find the point (B) where it is switched OFF.

Sensing method Non-sensing (beam not received) condition

3 Optimum sensitivity point located.

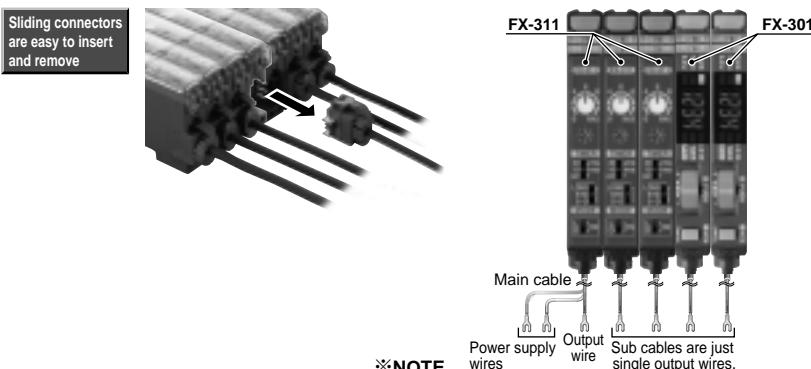
Close mounting is possible for up to four fiber heads

If amplifiers are mounted side-by-side in cascade, the optical communication function automatically sets different emission timing for the amplifiers, when the power supply is switched on. Up to four fiber heads can be mounted close together, without mutual interference. The **FX-301** series / **FX-302(P)** units can also be used in these configurations.



Side-by-side connection with the FX-301 series / FX-302(P) is also possible for wire-saving and quick installation

Each sub cable is a single output wire, reducing wiring and simplifying installation. Quick-connection cables are the same type as used on the **FX-301** series / **FX-302(P)**, facilitating side-by-side connection. Furthermore, the connectors are sliding type, which allows them to be removed without shifting amplifier positions. This eliminates the need to provide extra maintenance space around the amplifiers.



※NOTE
Only the interference prevention settings can be transmitted between this product and digital fiber sensor **FX-301** series and **FX-302(P)**. Therefore, if both models of amplifiers are mounted in cascade, make sure to mount identical models together.

OFF-delay timer with selectable timer period

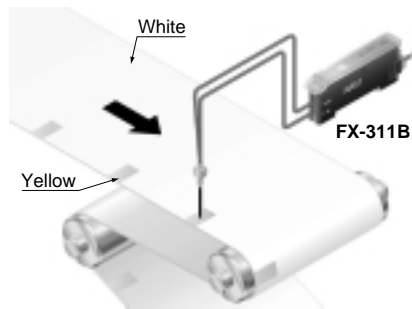
The **FX-311** series incorporates an OFF-delay timer. It is useful when the connected device has a slow response time or when small objects are being sensed and the output signal width is small. You can select the timer period not only 40 ms but also 10 ms. It is also suitable for increased PLC speeds.

Fiber Selection	FX-301	FX-302	FX-303	FX-CH	FX-311
Digital Setting					
Bank Selection Unit					
Manually Set					
Analog Output					
Color Detection					

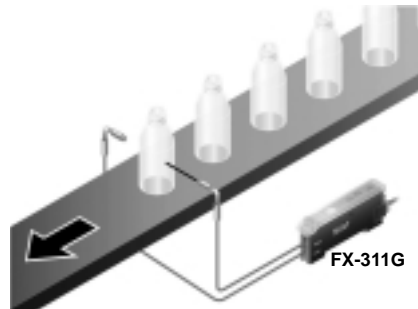
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APPLICATIONS

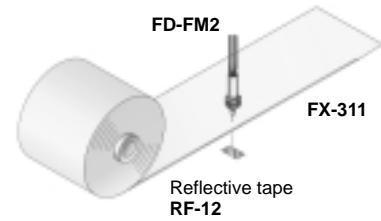
Detecting register marks



Detecting transparent bottles




Sensing the presence of a translucent sheet



ORDER GUIDE

Amplifiers Quick-connection cable is not supplied with the amplifier. Please order it separately.

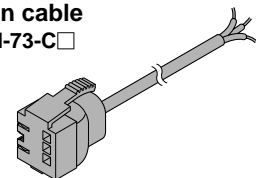
Type	Appearance	Model No.	Emitting element	Output
Manually set PNP output		FX-311	Red LED	NPN open-collector transistor
		FX-311B	Blue LED	
		FX-311G	Green LED	
		FX-311P	Red LED	PNP open-collector transistor
		FX-311BP	Blue LED	
		FX-311GP	Green LED	

Quick-connection cables Quick-connection cable is not supplied with the amplifier. Please order it separately.

Type	Model No.	Description
Main cable	CN-73-C1	Length: 1 m 3.281 ft
	CN-73-C2	Length: 2 m 6.562 ft
	CN-73-C5	Length: 5 m 16.404 ft
Sub cable	CN-71-C1	Length: 1 m 3.281 ft
	CN-71-C2	Length: 2 m 6.562 ft
	CN-71-C5	Length: 5 m 16.404 ft

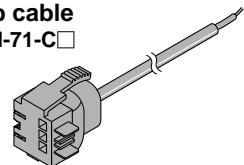
Main cable

• **CN-73-C□**

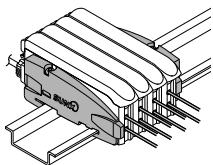


Sub cable

• **CN-71-C□**



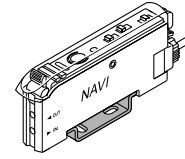
End plates End plates are not supplied with the amplifier. Please order it separately when the amplifiers are mounted in cascade.

Appearance	Model No.	Description
	MS-DIN-E	When cascading multiple amplifiers, or when it moves depending on the way it is installed on a DIN rail, these end plates ensure that all amplifiers are mounted together in a secure and fully connected manner. Two pcs. per set

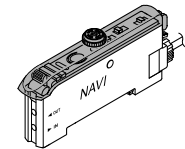
OPTIONS

Designation	Model No.	Description
Amplifier mounting bracket	MS-DIN-2	Mounting bracket for amplifier
Hand-turned knob attached cover	FX-AJ1	Hand-turned knob allows easy adjustment of sensor sensitivity.
Fiber sensor amplifier protection seal	FX-MB1	10 sets of 2 communication window seals and 1 connector seal Communication window seal: It prevents malfunction due to transmission signal from another amplifier, as well as, prevents effect on another amplifier. Connector seal: It prevents contact of any metal, etc., with the pins of the quick-connection cable.

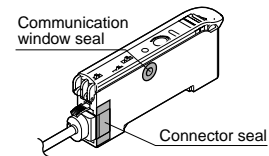
Amplifier mounting bracket • MS-DIN-2



Hand-turned knob attached cover • FX-AJ1



Fiber sensor amplifier protection seal • FX-MB1



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Digital Setting

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Bank Selection Unit

FX-CH

Manually Set

FX-311

Analog Output

FX-11A

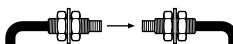
Color Detection

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General purpose fibers [Thru-beam type (one pair set)]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1)			Min. sensing object (under the optimum condition (Note 2))	Fiber cable length ☒ : Free-cut	Allowable bending radius	Model No.	
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED					
Long sensing range	 With lens Not equipped with FAST mode	19,500 767.715 14,000 551.180 3,800 149.606	5,400 212.598 2,700 106.299 1,900 74.803	2,800 110.236 1,400 55.118 1,000 39.370	φ 0.4 mm φ 0.016 in opaque object	 10 m 32.808 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FT-FM10L	
		 With lens Not equipped with FAST mode	1,600 62.992 800 31.496 280 11.024	400 15.748 200 7.874 130 5.118	200 7.874 100 3.937 65 2.559	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object		 2 m 6.562 ft	FT-SFM2L
			 Lens mountable Not equipped with FAST mode	1,100 43.307 530 20.866 180 7.087	220 8.661 110 4.331 75 2.953	110 4.331 55 2.165 40 1.575		φ 0.04 mm φ 0.0016 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft
	 Lens mountable Not equipped with FAST mode	1,000 39.37 480 18.898 168 6.614		200 7.874 100 3.937 70 2.756	100 3.937 50 1.969 35 1.378	φ 0.03 mm φ 0.0012 in opaque object		 2 m 6.562 ft (Note 3)	FT-NB8
		Standard	 Lens mountable 	780 30.709 400 15.748 130 5.118	150 5.906 75 2.953 40 1.575	70 2.756 35 1.378 24 0.945	φ 0.03 mm φ 0.0012 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in
	 Lens mountable 			700 27.559 360 14.173 126 4.961	140 5.512 70 2.756 40 1.575	66 2.598 33 1.299 22 0.866	φ 0.03 mm φ 0.0012 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft (Note 3)	R25 mm R0.984 in
			 Sleeve 90 mm 3.543 in 	270 10.630 140 5.512 49 1.929	50 1.969 25 0.984 16 0.630	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315	φ 0.025 mm φ 0.0010 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in
	 Sleeve 40 mm 1.575 in 			530 20.866 230 9.055 80 3.150	85 3.346 42 1.654 28 1.102	44 1.732 22 0.866 16 0.630	φ 0.04 mm φ 0.0016 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in
			 Lens mountable 	2,000 78.740 1,000 39.370 350 13.780	400 15.748 200 7.874 130 5.118	200 7.874 100 3.937 65 2.559	φ 0.05 mm φ 0.0020 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in
	 Sleeve 90 mm 3.543 in 			400 15.748 200 7.874 70 2.756	80 3.150 40 1.575 28 1.102	40 1.575 20 0.787 14 0.551	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	 2 m 6.562 ft	
				 Sleeve 40 mm 1.575 in 	390 15.354 180 7.087 63 2.480	50 1.969 25 0.984 16 0.630	26 1.024 13 0.512 8 0.315	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	
	 Sleeve 40 mm 1.575 in 				175 6.890 80 3.150 27 1.063	28 1.102 14 0.551 10 0.394	14 0.551 7 0.276 5 0.197	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	

Notes: 1) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 2) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
 The optimum condition is the condition when the sensitivity is set so that the output just changes to light incident operation in the object absent condition.
 3) The fiber cutter is not attached with FT-NB8 and FT-N8. Please order it separately.

LIST OF FIBERS

Sharp bending fibers / Flexible fibers [Thru-beam type (one pair set)]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1)			Min. sensing object (under the optimum condition (Note 2))	Fiber cable length ☒ : Free-cut	Allowable bending radius	Model No.	
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED					
Sharp bending	Wide beam 	3,500 137.795	2,400 94.488	1,200 47.244	φ 0.3 mm φ 0.012 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WA30 <i>New</i>	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	1,200 47.244	600 23.622					
		3,500 137.795 (Note 3)	700 27.559	350 13.780					
	Wide beam 	3,500 137.795	600 23.622	300 1.811	φ 0.25 mm φ 0.010 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WA8 <i>New</i>	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	1,500 59.055	150 5.906					
		750 29.528	220 8.661	110 4.331					
	Rectangular head	Easy mounting · Top sensing W3 X H8 X D12 W0.118 X H0.315 X D0.472	2,500 98.425	400 15.748	200 7.874	φ 0.08 mm φ 0.003 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WZ8H <i>New</i>
			Not equipped with FAST mode	1,200 47.244	100 3.937				
			410 16.142	140 5.512	70 2.756				
		Easy mounting · Side sensing W3 X H12 X D8 W0.118 X H0.472 X D0.315	1,500 59.055	240 9.449	120 4.724	φ 0.05 mm φ 0.0020 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WZ8E <i>New</i>
			Not equipped with FAST mode	700 27.559	60 2.362				
			210 8.268	80 3.150	40 1.575				
Easy mounting · Front sensing W8.5 X H12 X D3 W0.335 X H0.472 X D0.118	700 27.559	80 3.150	40 1.575	φ 0.04 mm φ 0.0016 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WZ8 <i>New</i>		
	Not equipped with FAST mode	330 12.992	20 0.787						
	120 4.724	25 0.984	13 0.512						
Narrow beam 	1,700 66.929	300 11.811	160 6.299	φ 0.06 mm φ 0.0024 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WKV8 <i>New</i>		
	Not equipped with FAST mode	700 27.559	80 3.150						
	300 11.811	100 3.937	60 2.362						
Long sensing range	Long sensing range · With lens φ3 φ0.118	1,200 47.244	240 9.449	120 4.724	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WS8L	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	600 23.622	60 2.362					
		210 8.268	90 3.543	40 1.575					
Standard	Lens mountable M4 φ3 φ0.118	570 22.441	90 3.543	56 2.205	φ 0.03 mm φ 0.0012 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-W8	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	290 11.417	28 1.102					
		100 3.937	30 1.181	20 0.787					
		φ 2.5 φ 0.098	—	—					
Small diameter	M3 φ1.5 φ0.059	160 6.299	16 0.630	10 0.394	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-W4	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	80 3.15	5 0.197					
		28 1.102	5 0.197	3 0.118					
		φ 1.5 φ 0.059	—	—					
Side-view	φ1 φ0.039 φ2 φ0.079	90 3.543	—	—	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FT-WV42 <i>New</i>	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	40 1.575	—					
		15 0.591	—	—					
Flexible	Rectangular head	Easy mounting · Top sensing W3 X H8 X D12 W0.118 X H0.315 X D0.472	2,700 106.299	560 22.047	200 7.874	φ 0.03 mm φ 0.0012 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R4 mm R0.157 in	FT-Z8H
			Not equipped with FAST mode	1,400 55.118	280 11.024				
			490 19.291	200 7.874	65 2.559				
		Easy mounting · Side sensing W3 X H12 X D8 W0.118 X H0.472 X D0.315	1,600 62.992	400 15.748	200 7.874				
			Not equipped with FAST mode	800 31.496	100 3.937				
			280 11.024	140 5.512	65 2.559				
	Easy mounting · Front sensing W8.5 X H12 X D3 W0.335 X H0.472 X D0.118	800 31.496	120 4.724	60 2.362					
		Not equipped with FAST mode	400 15.748	30 1.181					
		140 5.512	40 1.575	22 0.866					
	Standard	Lens mountable M4	650 25.591	130 5.118	70 2.756	φ 0.04 mm φ 0.0016 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R4 mm R0.157 in	FT-P80
			Not equipped with FAST mode	320 12.598	35 1.378				
			110 4.331	45 1.772	25 0.984				
400 15.748			50 1.969	26 1.024					
Small diameter	M3 φ1.5 φ0.059	250 9.843	32 1.260	18 0.709	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	1 m 3.281 ft	R4 mm R0.157 in	FT-P40	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	100 3.937	9 0.354					
		35 1.378	12 0.472	7 0.276					
		280 11.024	36 1.417	20 0.787					
Small diameter	φ1 φ0.039	120 4.724	18 0.709	10 0.394	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	500 mm 19.685 in	R4 mm R0.157 in	FT-P2	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	40 1.575	6 0.236					
		42 1.654	14 0.551	8 0.315					
		80 3.15	14 0.551	3 0.118					
Small diameter	φ1 φ0.039	Not equipped with FAST mode	7 0.276	6 0.236	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	500 mm 19.685 in	R4 mm R0.157 in	FT-PS1 <i>New</i>	
		17 0.669	4 0.157	2 0.079					

Notes: 1) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 2) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
 The optimum condition is the condition when the sensitivity is set so that the sensing output just changes to light incident operation in the object absent condition.
 3) The fiber cable length practically limits the sensing range to 3,500 mm 137.795 in long.

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Special use fibers [Thru-beam type (one pair set)]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1)			Min. sensing object (under the optimum condition (Note 2))	Fiber cable length ☒: Free-cut	Allowable bending radius	Model No.
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED				
Wide beam	Wide area sensing Sensing width 32 mm 1.260 in W5 X H69 X D20 W0.197 X H2.717 X D0.787	3,500 137.795 3,500 137.795 Not equipped with FAST mode 3,500 137.795 (Note 3)	2,400 94.488 1,200 47.244 700 27.559	1,200 47.244 600 23.622 350 13.780	φ 0.3 mm φ 0.012 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FT-A30 <i>New</i>
	Wide area sensing Sensing width 11 mm 0.433 in W4.2 X H31 X D13.5 W0.165 X H1.22 X D0.531	3,500 137.795 1,500 59.055 Not equipped with FAST mode 750 29.528	600 23.622 300 11.811 220 8.661	300 11.811 150 5.906 110 4.331	φ 0.25 mm φ 0.010 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FT-A8
Array	Top sensing W5 X H15 X D15 W0.197 X H0.591 X D0.591	650 25.591 330 12.992 Not equipped with FAST mode 115 4.528	120 4.724 60 2.362 40 1.575	60 2.362 30 1.181 20 0.787	Horizontal: φ 0.025 mm φ 0.001 in opaque object Vertical: φ 0.45 mm φ 0.018 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FT-AFM2
	Side sensing W5 X H15 X D15 W0.197 X H0.591 X D0.591	590 23.228 290 11.417 Not equipped with FAST mode 100 3.937	120 4.724 60 2.362 40 1.575	60 2.362 30 1.181 20 0.787				FT-AFM2E
Narrow beam	φ 3.5 φ 0.138 φ 3.7 φ 0.146	2,000 78.740 1,000 39.370 Not equipped with FAST mode 350 13.780	400 15.748 200 7.874 130 5.118	200 7.874 100 3.937 65 2.559	φ 0.06 mm φ 0.0024 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FT-K8
	Side-view φ 4 φ 0.157	500 19.685 250 9.843 Not equipped with FAST mode 100 3.937	80 3.150 35 1.378 10 0.394	— — —				FT-KV8
	Side-view W2 X H1.5 X D20 W0.079 X H0.059 X D0.787	500 19.685 250 9.843 Not equipped with FAST mode 100 3.937	80 3.150 35 1.378 10 0.394	— — —				φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object
Small diameter	Beam diameter: φ 0.125 mm φ 0.005 in φ 0.25 φ 3 φ 0.010 φ 0.118	18 0.709 10 0.394 Not equipped with FAST mode 3 0.118	3 0.118 2 0.079 1 0.039	1 0.039	φ 0.02 mm φ 0.0008 in opaque object	500 mm 19.685 in	R5 mm R0.197 in	FT-E12
	Sleeve part cannot be bent.	80 3.150 50 1.969 Not equipped with FAST mode 15 0.591	14 0.551 7 0.276 4 0.157	6 0.236 3 0.118 2 0.079				1 m 3.281 ft
Ultra-small diameter	Beam diameter: φ 0.25 mm φ 0.010 in φ 0.4 φ 3 φ 0.016 φ 0.118	650 25.591 320 12.598 Not equipped with FAST mode 110 4.331	130 5.118 64 2.520 45 1.772	64 2.520 32 1.206 22 0.866	φ 0.05 mm φ 0.0020 in opaque object	1 m 3.281 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FT-P81X <i>New</i>
Tough flexible	Lens mountable M4	650 25.591 320 12.598 Not equipped with FAST mode 110 4.331	130 5.118 64 2.520 45 1.772	64 2.520 32 1.206 22 0.866	φ 0.05 mm φ 0.0020 in opaque object	1 m 3.281 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FT-P81X <i>New</i>

- Notes: 1) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 2) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
 The optimum condition is the condition when the sensitivity is set so that the sensing output just changes to light incident operation in the object absent condition.
 3) The fiber cable length practically limits the sensing range to 3,500 mm 137.795 in long.

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FX-303

FX-CH

FX-311

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Digital Setting

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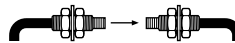
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Analog Output

Color Detection

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Environment resistant fibers [Thru-beam type (one pair set)]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1)			Min. sensing object (under the optimum condition (Note 2))	Fiber cable length (Free-cut)	Allowable bending radius	Model No.	
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED					
Environment resistant	350 °C 662 °F Lens mountable 	550 21.654 280 11.024	100 3.937 50 1.969 35 1.378	50 1.969 25 0.984 18 0.709	φ0.04 mm φ0.0016 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FT-H35-M2	
	350 °C 662 °F Sleeve 60 mm 2.362 in M4 φ2.1 φ0.083 	Not equipped with FAST mode 90 3.543	—	—			Fiber R25 mm R0.984 in Sleeve R10 mm R0.394 in		FT-H35-M2S6
	Heat-resistant	Allows flexible wiring 200 °C 392 °F Lens mountable 	310 12.205 140 5.512	44 1.732 22 0.866 14 0.551	22 0.866 11 0.433 7 0.276	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in opaque object	1 m 3.281 ft 2 m 6.562 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FT-H20W-M1
		200 °C 392 °F Lens mountable 	Not equipped with FAST mode 50 1.969	—	—			FT-H20W-M2	
	Heat-resistant	200 °C 392 °F Lens mountable 	550 21.654 280 11.024 90 3.543	100 3.937 50 1.969 35 1.378	50 1.969 25 0.984 18 0.709	φ0.04 mm φ0.0016 in opaque object	1 m 3.281 ft	R25 mm	FT-H20-M1
		130 °C 266 °F Lens mountable 	880 34.646 440 17.323 155 6.102	72 2.835 36 1.417 26 1.024	32 1.260 16 0.630 10 0.394			φ0.06 mm φ0.0024 in opaque object	
		Chemical-resistant	Easy mounting · Rectangular head SEMI S2 compliant W7 X H15 X D13 W0.276 X H0.591 X D0.512 	3500 137.795 1500 59.055 530 20.866	320 12.598 160 6.299 120 4.724	160 6.299 80 3.150 60 2.362	φ4 mm φ0.157 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in
			3500 137.795 1500 59.055 530 20.866	160 6.299 80 3.150 50 1.969	160 6.299 80 3.150 50 1.969	φ0.08 mm φ0.003 in opaque object			2 m 6.562 ft (Note 3)
	Side-view φ5.5 φ0.217 		800 31.496 400 15.748 140 5.512	120 4.724 60 2.362 35 1.378	80 3.150 40 1.575 25 0.984	φ0.08 mm φ0.003 in opaque object	2 m 6.562 ft (Note 3)	R30 mm R1.181 in	FT-V8Y
	Vacuum	Lens mountable 	470 18.504 230 9.055 80 3.150	100 3.937 50 1.969 30 1.181	46 1.811 23 0.906 16 0.630	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in opaque object	1 m 3.281 ft	R200 mm R7.874 in	FT-6V
		220 8.661 100 3.937 35 1.378	36 1.417 18 0.709 12 0.472	18 0.709 9 0.354 6 0.236	R30 mm R1.181 in			FT-60V	

Notes: 1) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 2) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
 The optimum condition is the condition when the sensitivity is set so that the sensing output just changes to light incident operation in the object absent condition.
 3) The allowable cutting range is 500 mm 19.685 in from the end that the amplifier inserted.

The vacuum type fiber must be used with the following products as a set.

- FT-J6: Fiber at atmospheric side (one pair set)
- FV-BR1: Photo-terminal (one pair set)

Semi-standard fibers (Custom made per order)

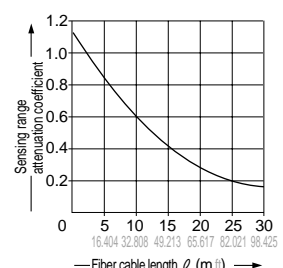
The fiber cable length or sleeve length of the standard fibers can be modified at your request. Select the fiber cable length (symbol ☒) or the sleeve length (symbol ☐) from the table below.

Type	Basic model No.	☒ Fiber cable length (Unit: m ft)	☐ Sleeve length (Unit: cm in)
Standard threaded head (free-cut)	FT-FM ☒	3 9.843, 4 13.123, 5 16.404, 10 32.808, 15 49.213, 20 65.617, 25 82.021, 30 98.425	—
	With sleeve FT-FM ☒ -S ☐	2 6.562 (Note), 3 9.843, 4 13.123, 5 16.404, 10 32.808, 15 49.213, 20 65.617, 25 82.021, 30 98.425	1 0.394, 2 0.787, 3 1.181, 4 1.575, 5 1.969, 6 2.362, 7 2.756, 8 3.15, 9 3.543, 10 3.937, 11 4.331, 12 4.724
With large diameter lens	FT-FM ☒ L	20 65.617, 30 98.425	—
Small diameter threaded head with sleeve (free-cut)	FT-NFM2-S ☐	—	1 0.394, 2 0.787, 3 1.181, 4 1.575, 5 1.969, 6 2.362, 7 2.756, 8 3.15, 9 3.543, 10 3.937, 11 4.331, 12 4.724
Wide beam	FT-WA30- ☒	5 16.404	—
	FT-A30- ☒		—
	FT-WA8- ☒		—
	FT-A8- ☒		—
200°C 392°F heat-resistant	FT-H20-M ☒	2 0.079, 3 0.118	—
350°C 662°F heat-resistant	FT-H35-M ☒	3 0.118	—
Chemical-resistant	FT-Z80 ☒ Y	5 0.197, 7 0.276	—

Note: The standard fiber has a 2 m 6.562 ft fiber cable length and a 4 cm 1.575 in or 9 cm 3.543 in sleeve length.

Correlation between sensing range attenuation coefficient and fiber cable length

The longer the fiber cable, the shorter the sensing range.



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General purpose fibers [Reflective type]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1, 2)			Min. sensing object (at the maximum sensitivity (Note 3))	Fiber cable length ☒ : Free-cut	Allowable bending radius	Model No.	
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED					
Standard	 M6 Long sensing range	 480 18.898 220 8.661 Not equipped with FAST mode 75 2.953	80 3.150 40 1.575 26 1.024 —	42 1.654 21 0.827 14 0.551 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-B8	
		 Coaxial M6	310 12.205 140 5.512 Not equipped with FAST mode 47 1.850	46 1.811 23 0.906 15 0.591 —	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	500 mm 19.685 ft ☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-5
		 Sleeve 90 mm 3.543 in M6 φ2.5 φ0.098	270 10.630 110 4.331 Not equipped with FAST mode 39 1.535	46 1.811 23 0.906 15 0.591 —	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	Fiber R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-FM2S
	 Sleeve 40 mm 1.575 in M6 φ2.5 φ0.098	Not equipped with FAST mode 39 1.535	46 1.811 23 0.906 15 0.591 —	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	Sleeve R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-FM2S4	
	 M4	270 10.630 110 4.331 Not equipped with FAST mode 39 1.535	46 1.811 23 0.906 15 0.591 —	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-T80	
	 Small diameter M3	90 3.543 45 1.772 Not equipped with FAST mode 16 0.630	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	8 0.315 4 0.157 2 0.079 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-T40	
	 φ3 φ0.118	270 10.630 110 4.331 Not equipped with FAST mode 39 1.535	46 1.811 23 0.906 15 0.591 —	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-S80	
	 M6	260 10.236 120 4.724 Not equipped with FAST mode 42 1.654	46 1.811 23 0.906 15 0.591 —	24 0.945 12 0.472 8 0.315 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft (Note 4)	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-N8	
	 M4	75 2.953 38 1.496 Not equipped with FAST mode 13 0.512	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	8 0.315 4 0.157 2 0.079 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft (Note 4)	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-N4	
	 M4	90 3.543 45 1.772 Not equipped with FAST mode 16 0.630	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	8 0.315 4 0.157 2 0.079 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-NFM2	
	 Sleeve 90 mm 3.543 in M4 φ1.48 φ0.058	90 3.543 45 1.772 Not equipped with FAST mode 16 0.630	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	8 0.315 4 0.157 2 0.079 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	Fiber R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-NFM2S	
	 Sleeve 40 mm 1.575 in M4 φ1.48 φ0.058	Not equipped with FAST mode 16 0.630	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	8 0.315 4 0.157 2 0.079 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	Sleeve R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-NFM2S4	
	 φ2.5 φ0.098	9 0.354	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	8 0.315 4 0.157 2 0.079 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-SNFM2	
	Elbow	 M6	185 7.283 85 3.346 Not equipped with FAST mode 30 1.181	32 1.260 16 0.630 10 0.394 —	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197 —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-R80
 φ2 φ0.079 φ5 φ0.197 Sleeve part cannot be bent.		100 3.937 45 1.772 Not equipped with FAST mode 16 0.630	14 0.551 7 0.276 4 0.157 —	7 0.276 3.5 0.138 — —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-SFM2SV2	
Side-view	 Small diameter φ1.5 φ0.059 φ3 φ0.118 Sleeve part cannot be bent.	55 2.165 25 0.984 Not equipped with FAST mode 9 0.354	6 0.236 3 0.118 — —	3 0.118 — — —	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-V41	

- Notes: 1) The sensing range is specified for white non-glossy paper (FD-B8, FD-5, FD-FM2, FD-FM2S, FD-FM2S4, FD-N8, FD-T80, FD-S80 and FD-R80: 400 × 400 mm 15.748 × 15.748 in, FD-T40, FD-N4, FD-NFM2, FD-NFM2S, FD-NFM2S4, FD-SNFM2, FD-SFM2SV2 and FD-V41: 200 × 200 mm 7.874 × 7.874 in) as the object.
- 2) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
- 3) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type at maximum sensitivity. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
Also, note that the corresponding setting distance is different from the rated sensing distance.
- 4) The fiber cutter is not attached with FD-N8 and FD-N4. Please order it separately.

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Sharp bending fibers / Flexible fibers [Reflective type]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1, 2)			Min. sensing object (at the maximum sensitivity (Note 3))	Fiber cable length ☒ : Free-cut	Allowable bending radius	Model No.																			
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED																							
Sharp bending	Rectangular head W52×H9.5×D15 (W0.205×H0.374×D0.591)	20 to 480 0.787 to 18.898 20 to 230 0.787 to 9.055 Not equipped with FAST mode 25 to 100 0.984 to 3.937	—	—	φ0.3 mm φ0.012 in copper wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FD-WKZ1 <i>New</i>																			
		23 0.906 11 0.433 8 0.315	14 0.551 7 0.276 4 0.157	■ : LONG ■ : STD □ : S-D					□ : FAST □ : S-D																		
	Standard	M6 190 7.480 90 3.543 Not equipped with FAST mode 32 1.260	23 0.906 11 0.433 8 0.315		14 0.551 7 0.276 4 0.157	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in		FD-W8																	
		Sleeve 40 mm 1.575 in M4 30 1.181 15 0.591 Not equipped with FAST mode 5 0.197	5 0.197 2.5 0.098 1.5 0.059		3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039						Fiber R1 mm R0.039 in Sleeve R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-W44															
		M4 190 7.480 90 3.543 Not equipped with FAST mode 32 1.260	23 0.906 11 0.433 8 0.315		14 0.551 7 0.276 4 0.157								φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FD-WT8											
		φ3 30 1.181 15 0.591 Not equipped with FAST mode 5 0.197	5 0.197 2.5 0.098 1.5 0.059		3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039												φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FD-WS8							
		M3 30 1.181 15 0.591 Not equipped with FAST mode 5 0.197	5 0.197 2.5 0.098 1.5 0.059		3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039																φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FD-WT4			
		Small spot for sensing minute objects Coaxial · Lens mountable M4 65 2.559 32 1.260 Not equipped with FAST mode 11 0.433	11 0.433 5 0.197 3 0.118		6 0.236 3 0.118 2 0.079																				φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R2 mm R0.079 in
	For sensing minute objects Coaxial φ3 φ0.118 11 0.433	11 0.433	2 0.079		φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R2 mm R0.079 in	FD-WSG4																			
	Fixed-focus reflective	Glass substrate detection W24×H21×D4 (W0.945×H0.827×D0.157)	6.5 to 14 0.256 to 0.551 (Convergent point 8 0.315) 7 to 12 0.276 to 0.472 (Convergent point 8 0.315) Not equipped with FAST mode Cannot use							—	—	φ1.9 mm φ0.075 in metal pipe (gray)															
		Specular object detection W15×H19×D3 (W0.591×H0.749×D0.118)	0.6 to 3.5 0.024 to 0.138 (Convergent point 2 0.079) 0.9 to 2.7 0.035 to 0.106 (Convergent point 2 0.079) Not equipped with FAST mode Cannot use							—	—		φ0.08 mm φ0.003 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R1 mm R0.039 in	FD-WL42 <i>New</i>											
	Side view	φ2 φ0.079 φ3 15 0.591 7 0.276 Not equipped with FAST mode Cannot use	—							—	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft					R1 mm R0.039 in	FD-WV42 <i>New</i>									
		φ0.118 Sleeve part cannot be bent.	—							—																	
	Flexible	Standard	M6 220 8.661 100 3.937 Not equipped with FAST mode 35 1.378							40 1.575 20 0.787 13 0.512	20 0.787 10 0.394 7 0.276	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R4 mm R0.157 in	FD-P80												
			M4 90 3.543 45 1.772 Not equipped with FAST mode 16 0.630		20 0.787 10 0.394 6 0.236	10 0.394 5 0.197 3 0.118	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft		R4 mm R0.157 in	FD-P60																
φ3 36 1.417 18 0.709 Not equipped with FAST mode 6 0.236			5 0.197 2.5 0.098 1.5 0.059		3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire										2 m 6.562 ft	R4 mm R0.157 in	FD-P50									
Small diameter		M3 50 1.969 25 0.984 Not equipped with FAST mode 9 0.354	8 0.315 4 0.157 2.5 0.098	4 0.157 2 0.079 1.5 0.059	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire				1 m 3.281 ft										R4 mm R0.157 in	FD-P40							
		φ1.5 50 1.969 25 0.984 Not equipped with FAST mode 9 0.354	8 0.315 4 0.157 2.5 0.098	4 0.157 2 0.079 1.5 0.059																	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R4 mm R0.157 in	FD-P2			
		φ0.059	8 0.315 4 0.157 2.5 0.098	4 0.157 2 0.079 1.5 0.059																							

Notes: 1) The sensing range is specified for white non-glossy paper [100×100 mm 3.937×3.937 in (FD-WKZ1, FD-W8, FD-WT8, FD-WS8, and FD-P80: 400×400 mm 15.748×15.748 in, FD-WG4, FD-WSG4, FD-P60, and FD-P50: 200×200 mm 7.874×7.874 in, FD-WL41: glass substrate 100×100×2 mm 3.937×3.937×0.079 in)] as the object.
 2) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 3) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type at maximum sensitivity. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
 Also, note that the corresponding setting distance is different from the rated sensing distance. However, with the fixed-focus reflective type, when the sensitivity is at MAX., it is only possible to detect the minimum size of the sensing object at a distance corresponding to the convergent point.

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Special use fibers [Reflective type]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1, 2)			Min. sensing object (at the maximum sensitivity (Note 3))	Fiber cable length ☒ : Free-cut	Allowable bending radius	Model No.	
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED					
Special use	Wide beam 	W7 X H15 X D30 W0.276 X H0.591 X D1.181	200 7.874 150 5.906	25 0.984 15 0.591	—	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-A15 <i>New</i>
		Not equipped with FAST mode	50 1.969	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Array 	Top sensing W5 X H20 X D20 W0.197 X H0.787 X D0.787	220 8.661 110 4.331	40 1.575 20 0.787 13 0.512	18 0.709 9 0.197 5 0.354	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-AFM2
		Side sensing W5 X H20 X D20 W0.197 X H0.787 X D0.787	39 1.535	—	—	—	—	—	FD-AFM2E
	High precision	Coaxial · Lens mountable M4 	55 2.165 110 4.331	22 0.866 11 0.433 8 0.315	12 0.472 6 0.236 4 0.157	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-G4
			Not equipped with FAST mode	19 0.748	—				—
		Coaxial · Lens mountable M3 	38 1.496 18 0.709	6 0.236 3 0.118 2 0.079	3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	500 mm 19.685 in	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-EG1
			Not equipped with FAST mode	6 0.236	—				—
		Coaxial · Lens mountable M3 	25 0.984 12 0.472	5 0.197 2 0.079 1 0.039	2 0.079 1 0.039	φ0.04 mm φ0.0016 in gold wire	500 mm 19.685 in	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-EG2 <i>New</i>
			Not equipped with FAST mode	5 0.197	—				—
	Coaxial · Lens mountable M3 	15 0.591 8 0.315	2 0.079 1 0.039	1 0.039	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	500 mm 19.685 in	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-EG3 <i>New</i>	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	3 0.118	—				—	—
Ultra-small diameter	φ0.5 φ0.020 	11 0.433 6 0.236	2 0.079 1 0.039	1 0.039	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-E12	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	1 0.039	—				—	—
	Coaxial φ0.65 φ0.026 	45 1.772 23 0.906	6 0.236 3 0.118 2 0.079	3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	500 mm 19.685 in	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-E22	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	7 0.276	—				—	—
	Sleeve part cannot be bent. M3 φ0.5 φ0.020 	5 0.197 3 0.118	—	—	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	500 mm 19.685 in	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-EN500S1	
		Not equipped with FAST mode Cannot use	—	—				—	—
	Coaxial M3 φ0.8 φ0.031 	38 1.496 18 0.709	6 0.236 3 0.118 2 0.079	3 0.118 1.5 0.059 1 0.039	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-ENM1S1	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	6 0.236	—				—	—
	Fixed-focus reflective	Glass substrate detection SEMI S2 compliant W17 X H29 X D3.8 W0.669 X H1.142 X D0.153	0 to 20 0 to 0.787	—	—	(LCD glass)	—	R4 mm R0.157 in	FD-L43
			2.5 to 18 0.098 to 0.709 (Convergent point 8 0.315) 3 to 16 0.118 to 0.630 (Convergent point 8 0.315)	—	—	φ0.06 mm φ0.0024 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-L41
		Not equipped with FAST mode Cannot use	—	—	—	—			FD-L42
		Specular object detection W15 X H19 X D3 W0.591 X H0.748 X D0.118	0.5 to 4 0.020 to 0.157 (Convergent point 2 0.079) 1 to 3.8 0.039 to 0.150 (Convergent point 2 0.079)	—	—	—	φ0.03 mm φ0.0012 in gold wire	—	—
Not equipped with FAST mode Cannot use	—		—	—	—	—	—		
W6 X H18 X D14 W0.236 X H0.709 X D0.551	2.5 to 18 0.098 to 0.709 (Convergent point 6 0.236) 4 to 12 0.157 to 0.472 (Convergent point 6 0.236)	4.5 to 9.5 0.177 to 0.374 5.5 to 9 0.197 to 0.354 5.5 to 8 0.217 to 0.315	—	—	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	—	—		
	Not equipped with FAST mode	4.8 to 9.5 0.189 to 0.374 (Convergent point 6 0.236)	—	—	—	—	—		
Liquid level sensing	Contact type φ6 φ0.236 	—	—	—	(Liquid)	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft (Note 4)	Protective tube R40 mm R1.575 in Fiber R15 mm R0.591 in	FD-F8Y	
	Mountable on pipe Standard W25 X H13 X D20 W0.984 X H0.512 X D0.787	Applicable pipe diameter: Outer dia. φ6 to φ26 mm φ0.236 to φ1.024 in transparent pipe [PVC, fluorine resin, Polycarbonate, acrylic, glass, wall thickness 1 to 3 mm 0.039 to 0.118 in]	—	—	—	(Liquid)	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft ☒ 5 m 16.404 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-F41
		Applicable pipe diameter: Outer dia. φ6 to φ26 mm φ0.236 to φ1.024 in transparent pipe [PFA (fluorine resin) or equivalently transparent pipe, wall thickness 1 mm 0.039 in]	—	—	—	—	☒ 2 m 6.562 ft ☒ 5 m 16.404 ft	—	FD-F91
	Mountable on pipe for 1 mm 0.039 in thick PFA pipe W25 X H13 X D20 W0.984 X H0.512 X D0.787	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	FD-F4
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	FD-F9	
Tough flexible	M6 	185 7.283 80 3.150	32 1.260 16 0.630 10 0.394	16 0.630 8 0.315 5 0.197	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-P81X <i>New</i>	
		Not equipped with FAST mode	35 1.378	—				—	—
	Small spot for sensing minute objects M3 	90 3.543 45 1.772	22 0.866 11 0.433 6 0.236	12 0.472 6 0.236 4 0.157	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft (Note 4)	R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-G6X <i>New</i>	
Coaxial · Lens mountable	20 0.787	—	—	—					

Notes: 1) The sensing range is specified for white non-glossy paper [100 X 100 mm 3.937 X 3.937 in (FD-G4, FD-G6X and FD-A15: 200 X 200 mm 7.874 X 7.874 in, FD-AFM2, FD-AFM2E and FD-P81X: 400 X 400 mm 15.748 X 15.748 in, FD-L43: glass substrate 76 X 52 X t 1.1 mm 2.992 X 2.047 X t 0.043 in, FD-L41: glass substrate 100 X 100 X t 2 mm 3.937 X 3.937 X t 0.079 in)] as the object.
 2) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 3) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type at maximum sensitivity. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type.
 Also, note that the corresponding setting distance is different from the rated sensing distance. However, with the fixed-focus reflective type, when the sensitivity is at MAX., it is only possible to detect the minimum size of the sensing object at a distance corresponding to the convergent point.
 4) Following is the allowable cutting range from the end that the amplifier is inserted FD-F8Y: 1,000 mm 39.370 in, FD-G6X: 700 mm 27.559 in.

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Environment resistant fibers [Reflective type]



Type	Shape of fiber head (mm in)	Sensing range (mm in) (Note 1, 2)			Min. sensing object (at the maximum sensitivity (Note 3))	Fiber cable length (Free-cut)	Allowable bending radius	Model No.	
		Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED					
Environment resistant	Heat-resistant	350 °C 662 °F · Coaxial M6 				2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-H35-M2	
	350 °C 662 °F Sleeve 60 mm 2.362 in M6 φ2.8 φ0.110 in 	270 10.630 140 5.512 Not equipped with FAST mode 47 1.850	36 1.417 18 0.709 12 0.472	20 0.787 10 0.394 7 0.276	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire		R25 R0.984 Sleeve R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-H35-M2S6	
	200 °C 392 °F · Coaxial M6 					1 m 3.281 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-H20-M1	
	350 °C 662 °F Sleeve 90 mm 3.543 in M4 φ2.1 φ0.083 in 	160 6.299 80 3.150 Not equipped with FAST mode 26 1.024	22 0.866 11 0.433 7 0.276	12 0.472 6 0.236 4 0.157	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R25 R0.984 Sleeve R10 mm R0.394 in	FD-H35-20S <i>New</i>	
	200 °C 392 °F · Coaxial M4 	270 10.630 140 5.512 Not equipped with FAST mode 47 1.850	36 1.417 18 0.709 12 0.472	20 0.787 10 0.394 7 0.276	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-H20-21 <i>New</i>	
	300 °C 572 °F · Glass substrate detection Fixed-focus reflective W19 X H27 X D5 W0.748 X H1.063 X D0.197 	0 to 15 0 to 0.591 0 to 10 0 to 0.394 Not equipped with FAST mode	—	—	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-H30-L32 <i>New</i>	
	180 °C 356 °F · Glass substrate detection Fixed-focus reflective W19 X H27 X D5 W0.748 X H1.063 X D0.197 	2 to 6 0.079 to 0.236 Not equipped with FAST mode	—	—	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft		FD-H18-L31 <i>New</i>	
	130 °C 266 °F M6 	310 12.205 140 5.512 Not equipped with FAST mode 47 1.850	20 0.787 11 0.433 7 0.276	20 0.787 11 0.433 7 0.276	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	2 m 6.562 ft	R25 mm R0.984 in	FD-H13-FM2	
	Vacuum	M6 	165 6.496 75 2.953 Not equipped with FAST mode 26 1.024	26 1.024 13 0.512 9 0.354	14 0.551 7 0.276 4 0.157	φ0.02 mm φ0.0008 in gold wire	1 m 3.281 ft	R200 mm R7.874 in	FD-6V

Notes: 1) The sensing range is specified for white non-glossy paper [400 × 400 mm 15.748 × 15.748 in (FD-H30-L32, FD-H18-L31: glass substrate 50 × 50 mm 1.969 × 1.969 in)] as the object.
 2) Please take care that the sensing range of the free-cut type fiber may be reduced by 20 % max. depending upon how the fiber is cut.
 3) The minimum sensing object size is the value for red LED type at maximum sensitivity. Please contact our office for information on the minimum sensing object size if using amplifiers other than red LED type. Also, note that the corresponding setting distance is different from the rated sensing distance.

The vacuum type fiber must be used with the following products as a set.

- FT-J6: Fiber at atmospheric side (one pair set)
- FV-BR1: Photo-terminal (one pair set)

Semi-standard fibers (Custom made per order)

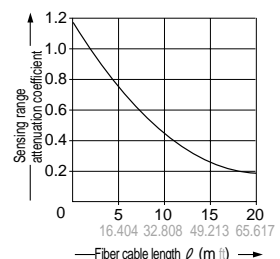
The fiber cable length or sleeve length of the standard fibers can be modified at your request. Select the fiber cable length (symbol ☒) or the sleeve length (symbol ☐) from the table below.

Type	Basic model No.	☒ Fiber cable length (Unit: m ft)	☐ Sleeve length (Unit: cm in)
Standard threaded head (free-cut)	FD-FM ☒	3 9.843, 4 13.123, 5 16.404, 10 32.808, 15 49.213, 20 65.617	—
	With sleeve FD-FM ☒-S ☐	2 6.562 (Note), 3 9.843, 4 13.123, 5 16.404, 10 32.808, 15 49.213, 20 65.617	1 0.394, 2 0.787, 3 1.181, 4 1.575, 5 1.969, 6 2.362, 7 2.756, 8 3.15, 9 3.543, 10 3.937, 11 4.331, 12 4.724
Small diameter threaded head with sleeve (free-cut)	FD-NFM2-S ☐	—	1 0.394, 2 0.787, 3 1.181, 4 1.575, 5 1.969, 6 2.362, 7 2.756, 8 3.15, 9 3.543, 10 3.937, 11 4.331, 12 4.724
200°C 392°F heat-resistant	FD-H20-M ☒	2 6.562, 3 9.843	—
350°C 662°F heat-resistant	FD-H35-M ☒	3 9.843	—

Note: The standard fiber has a 2 m 6.562 ft fiber cable length and a 4 cm 1.575 in or 9 cm 3.543 in sleeve length.

Correlation between sensing range attenuation coefficient and fiber cable length

The longer the fiber cable, the shorter the sensing range.



Accessories (attached with fibers)

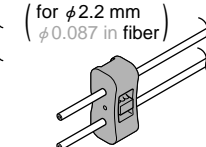
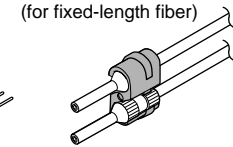
Fiber cutter

- FX-CT1
- FX-CT2



Fiber attachment

- FX-AT2 (for fixed-length fiber)
- FX-AT3 (for φ2.2 mm φ0.087 in fiber)
- FX-AT4 (for φ1 mm φ0.039 in fiber)
- FX-AT5 (for φ1.3 mm φ0.051 in fiber)
- FX-AT6 (for φ1 mm φ0.039 in and φ1.3 mm φ0.051 in mixed fiber)



Notes: 1) Fiber cutter is not supplied as accessory along with FT-NB8, FT-N8, FD-N8 and FD-N4. Please order it separately.

2) The fiber attachment is not attached with FT-N8/NB8, FT/FD-P80 and FD-N8. The previous FX-AT10 attachment is included with FD-N4.

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FIBER OPTIONS

Lens (For thru-beam type fiber)

Designation	Model No.	Description								
For thru-beam type fiber	Expansion lens (Note 1) FX-LE1		Increases the sensing range by 5 times or more. • Ambient temperature: - 60 to + 350 °C - 76 to + 662 °F	Sensing range (mm in) [Lens on both sides] (Note 2)						
				Fiber	Mode	LONG	STD	S-D		
				FT-B8	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	2,500	98.425	1,000	39.370
				FT-FM2	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	1,300	51.181
	Super-expansion lens (Note 1) FX-LE2		Tremendously increases the sensing range with large diameter lenses. • Ambient temperature: - 60 to + 350 °C - 76 to + 662 °F	Sensing range (mm in) [Lens on both sides] (Note 2)						
				Fiber	Mode	LONG	STD	S-D		
				FT-B8	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)
				FT-FM2	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)
	Side-view lens FX-SV1		Beam axis is bent by 90 °. • Ambient temperature: - 60 to + 300 °C - 76 to + 572 °F	Sensing range (mm in) [Lens on both sides] (Note 2)						
				Fiber	Mode	LONG	STD	S-D		
				FT-B8	1,100	43.307	530	20.866	186	7.323
				FT-FM2	1,200	47.244	600	23.622	210	8.268
	Expansion lens for vacuum fiber (Note 1) FX-LE1		Sensing range increases by 15 times or more. • Ambient temperature: - 40 to + 120 °C - 40 to + 248 °F	Sensing range (mm in) [Lens on both sides] (Note 2)						
				Fiber	Mode	LONG	STD	S-D		
				FT-6V	3,500	137.759 (Note 3)	2,700	106.299	940	37.008
				FT-60V	2,800	110.236	1,450	57.087	490	19.291

Notes: 1) Be careful when installing the thru-beam type fiber equipped with the expansion lens, as the beam envelope becomes narrow and alignment is difficult. Especially when installing a fiber with many cores (sharp bending fibers and heat-resistant glass fiber) please be sure to use it only after you have adjusted it sufficiently.
2) The sensing ranges are the values for red LED type amplifier. Please contact our office for details on sensing ranges for other types of amplifiers.
3) The fiber cable length practically limits the sensing range to 3,500 mm 137.795 in long (FT-H20W-M1 and FT-H20-M1: 1,600 mm 62.992 in).

Lens (For reflective type fiber)

Designation	Model No.	Description		
For reflective type fiber	Pinpoint spot lens FX-MR1		Pinpoint spot of $\phi 0.5$ mm $\phi 0.020$ in. Enables detection of minute objects or small marks. • Distance to focal point: 6 ± 1 mm 0.236 ± 0.039 in • Applicable fibers: FD-WG4, FD-G4 • Ambient temperature: - 40 to + 70 °C - 40 to + 158 °F	
	Zoom lens FX-MR2			The spot diameter is adjustable from $\phi 0.7$ to $\phi 2$ mm $\phi 0.028$ to 0.079 in according to how much the fiber is screwed in. • Applicable fibers: FD-WG4, FD-G4 • Ambient temperature: - 40 to + 70 °C - 40 to + 158 °F • Accessory: MS-EX3 (Mounting bracket)
	Finest spot lens FX-MR3			Extremely fine spot of $\phi 0.3$ mm $\phi 0.012$ in approx. achieved. • Applicable fibers: FD-WG4, FD-G4, FD-EG1, FD-EG2, FD-EG3, FD-G6X, FD-G6 • Ambient temperature: - 40 to + 70 °C - 40 to + 158 °F
	Finest spot lens FX-MR6			Extremely fine spot of $\phi 0.1$ mm $\phi 0.040$ in approx. achieved. • Applicable fibers: FD-WG4, FD-G4, FD-EG1, FD-EG2, FD-EG3, FD-G6X, FD-G6 • Ambient temperature: - 20 to + 60 °C - 4 to + 140 °F
	Zoom lens (Side-view type) FX-MR5			FX-MR2 is converted into a side-view type and can be mounted in a very small space. • Applicable fibers: FD-WG4, FD-G4 • Ambient temperature: - 40 to + 70 °C - 40 to + 158 °F

Note: The sensing ranges are the values when used in combination with red LED type amplifier. Please contact our office for details on sensing distances for other types of amplifier.

FIBER OPTIONS

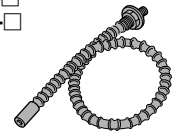
Others

Designation	Model No.	Description	
Protective tube (For thru-beam type fiber)	FTP-500 (0.5 m 1.640 ft)	For M4 thread	FT-B8 FT-FM2 FT-FM2S4 FT-P80
	FTP-1000 (1 m 3.281 ft)		FT-P60 FT-H13-FM2
	FTP-1500 (1.5 m 4.921 ft)		
	FTP-N500 (0.5 m 1.640 ft)	For M3 thread	FT-T80 FT-NFM2 FT-NFM2S FT-NFM2S4
	FTP-N1000 (1 m 3.281 ft)		FT-P40 FD-T40 FD-P40
	FTP-N1500 (1.5 m 4.921 ft)		
Protective tube (For reflective type fiber)	FDP-500 (0.5 m 1.640 ft)	For M6 thread	FD-B8 FD-FM2 FD-FM2S4 FD-P80
	FDP-1000 (1 m 3.281 ft)		FD-H13-FM2
	FDP-1500 (1.5 m 4.921 ft)		
	FDP-N500 (0.5 m 1.640 ft)	For M4 thread	FD-T80 FD-N4 FD-NFM2 FD-NFM2S FD-NFM2S4
	FDP-N1000 (1 m 3.281 ft)		
	FDP-N1500 (1.5 m 4.921 ft)		
Fiber bender	FB-1	The fiber bender bends the sleeve part of the fiber head at the proper radius. (Note 1)	
Universal sensor mounting stand (Note 3)	MS-AJ1-F	Horizontal mounting type	Fiber assemblies (For M3, M4 or M6 threaded head fiber)
	MS-AJ2-F	Vertical mounting type	
Fiber cutter	FX-CT1	The free-cut type fiber can be easily cut. (Accessory for FT/FD-P80 only)	
	FX-CT2	The free-cut type fiber can be easily cut. (Accessory for the free-cut type fiber. Not attached with the FT-N8/NB8/P80 and FD-N8/N4/P80)	
Fixed-length fiber attachment	FX-AT2	Fixed-length fiber attachment (Attached with fiber)	
$\phi 2.2$ mm $\phi 0.087$ in fiber attachment	FX-AT3	$\phi 2.2$ mm $\phi 0.087$ in fiber attachment (Accessory for the fiber. Not attached with the FT-N8/NB8/P80 and FD-N8/P80)	
$\phi 1$ mm $\phi 0.039$ in fiber attachment	FX-AT4	$\phi 1$ mm $\phi 0.039$ in fiber attachment (Accessory for the fiber. Not attached with the FT-N4) (Note 2)	
$\phi 1.3$ mm $\phi 0.051$ in fiber attachment	FX-AT5	$\phi 1.3$ mm $\phi 0.051$ in fiber attachment (Accessory for the fiber)	
$\phi 1$ mm $\phi 0.039$ in and $\phi 1.3$ mm $\phi 0.051$ in mixed fiber attachment	FX-AT6	$\phi 1$ mm $\phi 0.039$ in and $\phi 1.3$ mm $\phi 0.051$ in mixed fiber attachment (Accessory for the fiber)	

Notes: 1) The end sleeve of the side-view and ultra-small diameter head fibers cannot be bent.
 2) The conventional FX-AT10 fiber attachment is attached with the FD-N4.
 3) Refer to p.332~ for details of the universal sensor mounting stand.

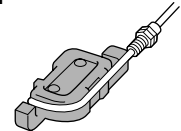
Protective tube

- FTP-□
- FDP-□



Fiber bender

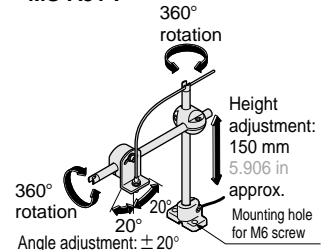
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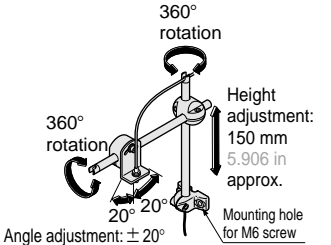
Universal sensor mounting stand

Using the arm which enables adjustment in the horizontal direction, sensing can also be done from above an assembly line.

- MS-AJ1-F



- MS-AJ2-F

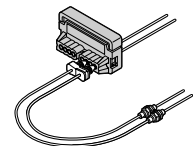


Fiber cutter

- FX-CT1

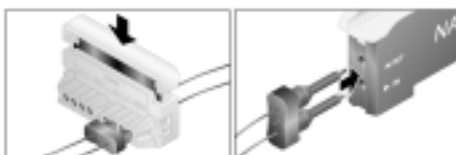


- FX-CT2

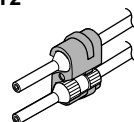


Fiber attachment

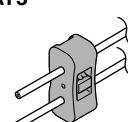
Now it's possible to simultaneously cut two fibers to the same length. Each fiber (with some exceptions) has a newly developed two-in-one fiber attachment (FX-AT3/AT4/AT5/AT6) which enables two fibers to be cut simultaneously to the same length with the new fiber cutter (FX-CT2). Also, since the fibers can be attached to the amplifier while being fixed in position in the two-in-one fiber attachment, sensitivity changes resulting from variation in the amount of fiber insertion do not occur.



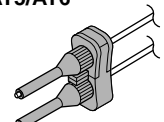
FX-AT2



FX-AT3



FX-AT4/AT5/AT6



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SPECIFICATIONS

Refer to p.78 ~ for fiber specifications.

Amplifiers

Item	Type Model No.	NPN output			PNP output		
		Red LED FX-311	Blue LED FX-311B	Green LED FX-311G	Red LED FX-311P	Blue LED FX-311BP	Green LED FX-311GP
Supply voltage	12 to 24 V DC ± 10 % Ripple P-P 10 % or less						
Power consumption	840 mW or less (Current consumption 35 mA or less at 24 V supply voltage)						
Output	NPN open-collector transistor • Maximum sink current: 100 mA (50 mA, if five, or more, amplifiers are connected in cascade) • Applied voltage: 30 V DC or less (between output and 0 V) • Residual voltage: 1.5 V or less (at 100 mA sink current (50 mA, if five, or more, amplifiers are connected in cascade))			PNP open-collector transistor • Maximum source current: 100 mA (50 mA, if five, or more, amplifiers are connected in cascade) • Applied voltage: 30 V DC or less (between output and + V) • Residual voltage: 1.5 V or less (at 100 mA source current (50 mA, if five, or more, amplifiers are connected in cascade))			
Utilization category	DC-12 or DC-13						
Output operation	Selectable either Light-ON or Dark-ON, with selection switch						
Short-circuit protection	Incorporated						
Response time	<Red LED type> 250 μs or less (STD / S-D), 2 ms or less (LONG) selectable with selection switch			<Blue LED type / Green LED type> 150 μs or less (FAST), 250 μs or less (STD), 2 ms or less (LONG) selectable with selection switch			
Operation indicator	Orange LED (lights up when the output is ON)						
Stability indicator	Green LED (lights up under stable light received condition or stable dark condition)						
Sensitivity adjuster	12-turn potentiometer with indicator (Pointer part: red backlight) (Note 1)						
Timer function	Incorporated with OFF-delay timer, selectable either effective (approx. 10 ms or 40 ms) or ineffective						
Automatic interference prevention function	Incorporated (Up to 4 sets of fiber heads can be mounted close together.) (Note 2)						
Environmental resistance	Pollution degree	3 (Industrial environment)					
	Ambient temperature	- 10 to + 55 °C - 14 to + 131 °F (If 4 to 7 units are connected in cascade: - 10 to + 50 °C + 14 to + 122 °F,) (if 8 to 16 units are connected in cascade: - 10 to + 45 °C + 14 to + 113 °F) (No dew condensation or icing allowed), Storage: - 20 to + 70 °C - 4 to + 158 °F					
	Ambient humidity	35 to 85 % RH, Storage: 35 to 85 % RH					
	Ambient illuminance	Sunlight: 10,000 lx at the light-receiving face, Incandescent light: 3,000 lx at the light-receiving face					
	EMC	EN 50081-2, EN 50082-2, EN 60947-5-2					
	Voltage withstandability	1,000 V AC for one min. between all supply terminals connected together and enclosure (Note 3)					
	Insulation resistance	20 MΩ, or more, with 250 V DC megger between all supply terminals connected together and enclosure (Note 3)					
	Vibration resistance	10 to 150 Hz frequency, 0.75 mm 0.03 in amplitude in X, Y and Z directions for two hours each					
Shock resistance	98 m/s ² acceleration (10 G approx.) in X, Y and Z directions for five times each						
Emitting element (modulated)	Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED	Red LED	Blue LED	Green LED	
Material	Enclosure: Heat-resistant ABS, Case cover: Polycarbonate						
Connecting method	Connector (Note 4)						
Cable extension	Extension up to total 100 m 328.084 ft is possible with 0.3 mm ² , or more, cable						
Weight	15 g approx.						

- Notes: 1) The red backlight of the pointer part lights up more brightly when the power is turned ON and when the sensitivity is adjusted.
 2) When the power supply is switched on, the emission timing are automatically set for interference prevention.
 3) The voltage withstandability and the insulation resistance values given in the above table are for the amplifier only.
 4) The cable for amplifier connection is not supplied as an accessory. Make sure to use the optional quick-connection cable given below.
 Main cable (3-core): **CN-73-C1** (cable length 1 m 3.281 ft), **CN-73-C2** (cable length 2 m 6.562 ft), **CN-73-C5** (cable length 5 m 16.404 ft)
 Sub cable (1-core): **CN-71-C1** (cable length 1 m 3.281 ft), **CN-71-C2** (cable length 2 m 6.562 ft), **CN-71-C5** (cable length 5 m 16.404 ft)

Fiber Selection

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FX-302
Digital Setting

FX-303

FX-CH
Bank Selection Unit

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Manually Set

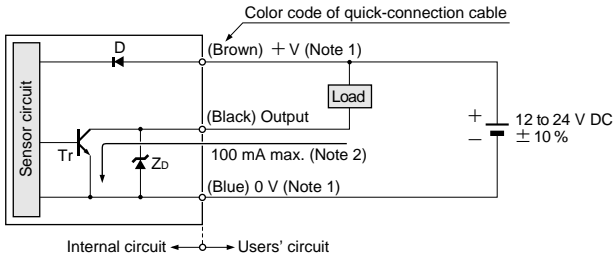
FX-11A
Analog Output

FZ-10
Color Detection

I/O CIRCUIT AND WIRING DIAGRAMS

NPN output type

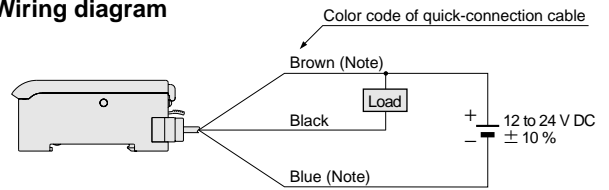
I/O circuit diagram



Notes: 1) The quick-connection sub cable does not have + V (brown) and 0 V (blue).
2) 50 mA max., if five amplifiers, or more, are connected together.

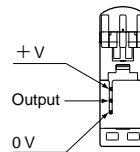
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Tr : NPN output transistor

Wiring diagram



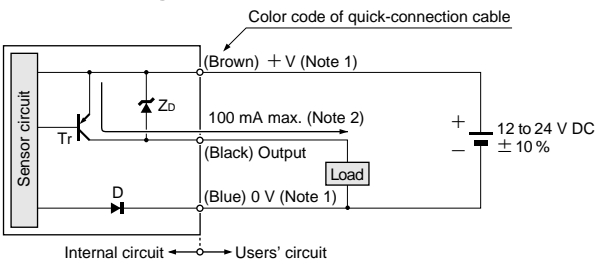
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Terminal arrangement diagram



PNP output type

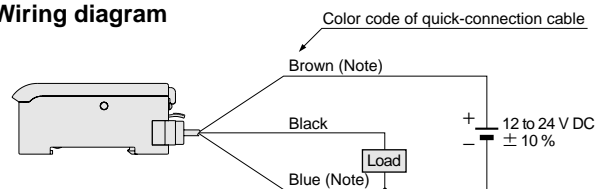
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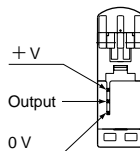
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Terminal arrangement diagram



SENSING CHARACTERISTICS (TYPICAL)

Refer to [p.81](#) ~ for sensing characteristics.

PRECAUTIONS FOR PROPER USE

Refer to [p.1135](#)~ for general precautions and [p.94](#)~ for fiber precautions.

Amplifier

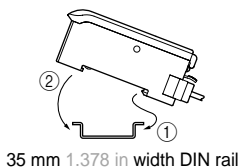


This product is not a safety sensor. Its use is not intended or designed to protect life and prevent body injury or property damage from dangerous parts of machinery. It is a normal object detection sensor.

Mounting

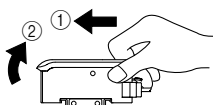
How to mount the amplifier

- Fit the rear part of the mounting section of the amplifier on a 35 mm 1.378 in width DIN rail.
- Press down the front part of the mounting section of the amplifier on the 35 mm 1.378 in width DIN rail.



How to remove the amplifier

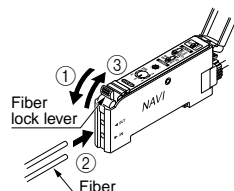
- Push the amplifier forward.
- Lift up the front part of the amplifier to remove it.



Note: Take care that if the front part is lifted up without pushing the amplifier forward, the hook on the rear portion of the mounting section is likely to break.

How to connect the fiber cables

- Snap the fiber lock lever down.
- Insert the fiber cables slowly into the inlets until they stop. (Note 1)
- Return the fiber lock lever to the original position, till it stops.



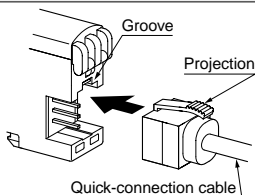
Notes: 1) In case the fiber cables are not inserted to a position where they stop, the sensing range reduces.
2) With the coaxial reflective type fiber, such as **FD-G4** or **FD-FM2**, insert the single-core fiber cable into the beam-emitting inlet and the multi-core fiber cable into the beam-receiving inlet. If they are inserted in reverse, the sensing accuracy will deteriorate.

Connection

- Make sure that the power supply is off while connecting or disconnecting the quick-connection cable.

Connection method

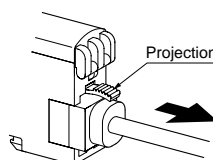
- Holding the connector of the quick-connection cable, align its projection with the groove at the top portion of the amplifier connector.
- Insert the connector till a click is felt.



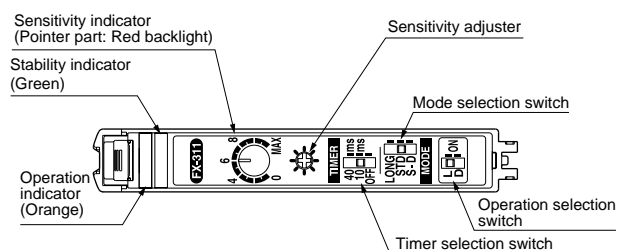
Disconnection method

- Pressing the projection at the top of the quick-connection cable connector, pull out the connector.

Note: Take care that if the connector is pulled out without pressing the projection, the projection may break. Do not use a quick-connection cable whose projection has broken.
Further, do not pull by holding the cable, as this can cause a cable-break.



Part description

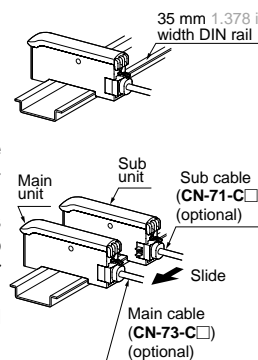


Cascading amplifiers

- Make sure that the power supply is off while cascading or removing the amplifiers.
- Make sure to check the allowable ambient temperature, as it depends on the number of amplifiers connected in cascade.
- In case two, or more, amplifiers are connected in cascade, make sure to mount them on a DIN rail.
- When connecting in cascade, mount the amplifiers close to each other, fitting them between the optional end plates (**MS-DIN-E**) mounted at the two ends.
- When the amplifiers move on the DIN rail depending on the attaching condition, fitting them between the optional end plates (**MS-DIN-E**) mounted at the two ends.
- Up to maximum 15 amplifiers can be added (total 16 amplifiers connected in cascade.)
- When connecting more than two amplifiers in cascade, use the sub cable (**CN-71-C**) as the quick-connection cable for the second amplifier onwards.

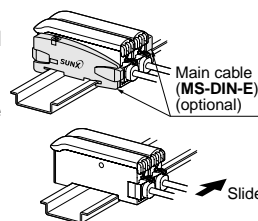
Cascading method

- Mount the amplifiers, one by one, on the 35 mm 1.378 in width DIN rail. (For details, refer to 'Mounting'.)
- Slide the sub units next to the main unit, and connect the quick-connection cables.
- Mount the optional end plates (**MS-DIN-E**) at both the ends to hold the amplifiers between their flat sides.
- Tighten the screws to fix the end plates (**MS-DIN-E**).



Dismantling

- Loosen the screws of the end plates (**MS-DIN-E**).
- Remove the end plates (**MS-DIN-E**).
- Slide the sub units and remove them one by one. (For details, refer to 'Mounting'.)



Operation method

- The most suitable sensing mode can be selected according to the application from LONG (long-range), STD (standard), FAST (high-speed) or S-D (reduced intensity).

Mode selection switch		Application	Response time
Red LED type	Blue LED type / Green LED type		
LONG STD S-D	LONG STD FAST	Used in case long distance sensing is required. (However, the response time is longer than in STD mode.)	2 ms
LONG STD S-D	LONG STD FAST	Used for general sensing application.	250 μs
—	LONG STD FAST	Used in case high-speed sensing is required.	150 μs
LONG STD S-D	—	Since the emitted light amount is restricted in this mode, it is suitable for delicate sensing, such as when the received light is saturated due to too short a sensing distance or when detecting translucent objects, etc.	250 μs

Note: Make sure to carry out sensitivity adjustment after mode setting.

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Refer to p.1135~ for general precautions and p.94~ for fiber precautions.

Amplifiers

Sensitivity adjustment

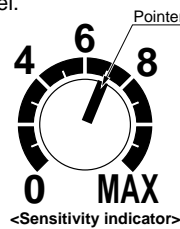
Adjust the sensitivity, observing the operation indicator (orange). However, since the condition for lighting up of the indicator depends on the combination of the sensing condition and selected operation for L/D-ON, verify it from the table on the right.

Sensing condition	Operation	Operation indicator
		☉ : Lights up ● : Lights off
Light	L-ON (Light-ON)	☉
	D-ON (Dark-ON)	●
Dark	L-ON (Light-ON)	●
	D-ON (Dark-ON)	☉

- The sensitivity adjuster is a 12-turn potentiometer. The maximum sensitivity is obtained by turning it fully clockwise.
- The pointer shows the present sensitivity level.

Assist function

This product incorporates an 'assist function', which helps to easily search the optimum sensitivity position by blinking of the pointer. In order to make 'assist function' effective, switch the operation selection switch in the order L-ON (Light-ON) → D-ON (Dark-ON) → L-ON (Light-ON).



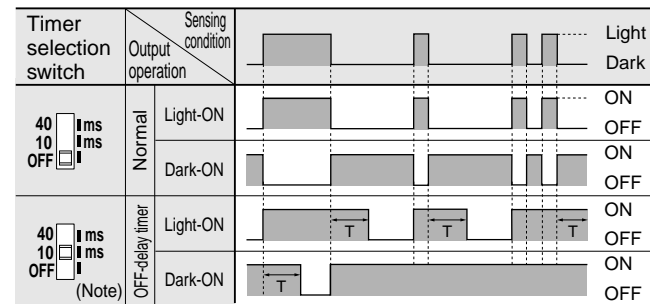
- Notes: 1) 'Assist function' cannot be used when adjusting sensitivity for moving objects.
 2) 'Assist function' turns off automatically once the sensitivity adjustment has been completed.
 3) In case 'assist function' is not to be used, set the operation selection switch to D-ON (Dark-ON) and wait for 2 sec., or more, to make 'assist function' ineffective.

Step	Sensing method		Operation	Sensitivity indicator
	Reflective type	Thru-beam type		
①	★ Make sure that the operation mode switch is set to L-ON (Light-ON). In case 'assist function' is to be used, switch the operation mode switch in the order of L-ON (Light-ON) → D-ON (Dark-ON) → L-ON (Light-ON).		Turn the sensitivity adjuster fully counterclockwise. (Minimum sensitivity)	
②			In the beam received condition, slowly turn the adjuster clockwise and find the point ① where the sensor is switched ON. The pointer blinks once at the point ①. (Note 1)	
③			In the beam not received condition, slowly turn the adjuster further clockwise until the sensor goes into the ON state again. Once it is switched on, turn the adjuster counterclockwise a little and find the point ② where it is switched OFF. The pointer blinks twice at the point ②. (Note 2) (If the sensor does not go into the ON state, MAX is the point ②.)	
④			Turn the adjuster towards the point ① from the point ② slowly. The pointer starts blinking when it approaches the optimum sensitivity point and blinks faster at the optimum sensitivity point for 3 sec. This point is the optimum sensitivity point. (Note 2)	
⑤	Select either L-ON (Light-ON) or D-ON (Dark-ON) according to your application.			

- Notes: 1) When 'assist function' is not used, the pointer does not blink.
 2) When 'assist function' is not used, the middle point of ① and ② is regarded as the optimum sensitivity position.
 3) In order to protect the mechanism, the sensitivity adjuster idles when over turned, which may result in a backlash of 1 to 2 divisions.
 4) Depending upon the sensing conditions, stable sensing may be possible at a position which is slightly shifted from the optimum sensitivity position.
 5) Do not move or bend the fiber cable after the sensitivity adjustment. Detection may become unstable.

Timer function

This product incorporates OFF-delay timer function. The timer period can be selected as either 10 ms approx. or 40 ms approx. with the timer selection switch. Since the output is extended by a fixed period, it is useful when the connected device has a slow response time or when small objects are being sensed and the output signal width is small.



Timer period T: 10 ms approx. (when set to 10 ms)
 40 ms approx. (when set to 40 ms)

Note: The diagram shows the case when 10 ms time period is selected.

Interference prevention function

This product incorporates an automatic interference prevention function. If the amplifiers are mounted in cascade, since a different emission timing is automatically set for up to 4 amplifiers, up to 4 sets of fiber heads can be mounted close together. Further, even if the amplifiers are mounted close together along with digital fiber sensor FX-301 series, FX-302(P), the interference prevention function works. However, in case both models of amplifiers are mounted in cascade, mount identical models together.

Wiring

- Make sure that the power supply is off while wiring and cascading work.
- Verify that the supply voltage variation is within the rating.
- Take care that if a voltage exceeding the rated range is applied, or if an AC power supply is directly connected, the sensor may get burnt or damaged.
- If power is supplied from a commercial switching regulator, ensure that the frame ground (F.G.) terminal of the power supply is connected to an actual ground.
- In case noise generating equipment (switching regulator, inverter motor, etc.) is used in the vicinity of this product, connect the frame ground (F.G.) terminal of the equipment to an actual ground.
- Take care that short-circuit or wrong wiring of the load may burn or damage the sensor.
- Do not run the wires together with high-voltage lines or power lines or put them in the same raceway. This can cause malfunction due to induction.
- Ensure that an isolation transformer is utilized for the DC power supply. If an autotransformer is utilized, the main amplifier or power supply may be damaged.
- Make sure to use the optional quick-connection cable for the connection of the amplifier. Extension up to total 100 m (328.084 ft) is possible with 0.3 mm², or more, cable. However, in order to reduce noise, make the wiring as short as possible.

Others

- Do not use during the initial transient time (0.5 sec. approx.) after the power supply is switched on.
- Take care that the sensor is not directly exposed to fluorescent light from a rapid-starter lamp or a high frequency lighting device, as it may affect the sensing performance.
- This sensor is suitable for indoor use only.
- Avoid dust, dirt, and steam.
- Take care that the product does not come in direct contact with water, oil, grease, or organic solvents, such as, thinner, etc.
- This sensor cannot be used in an environment containing inflammable or explosive gases.
- Never disassemble or modify the sensor.

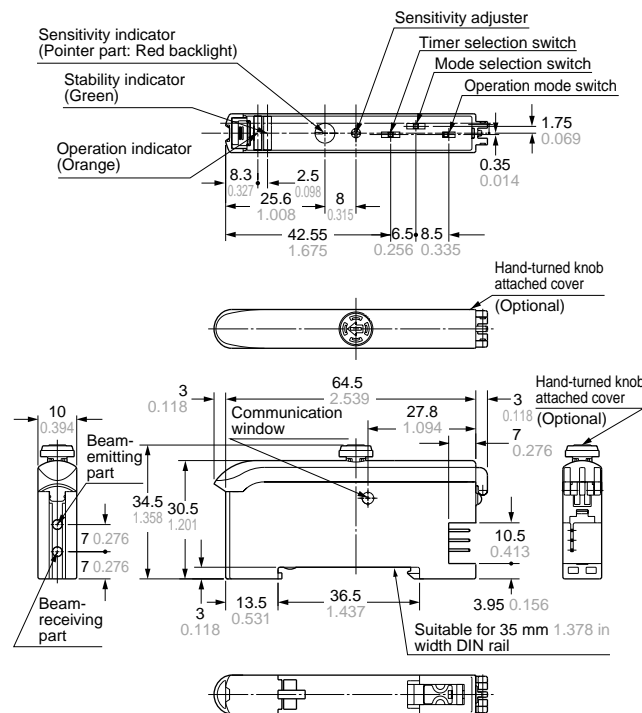
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DIMENSIONS (Unit: mm in)

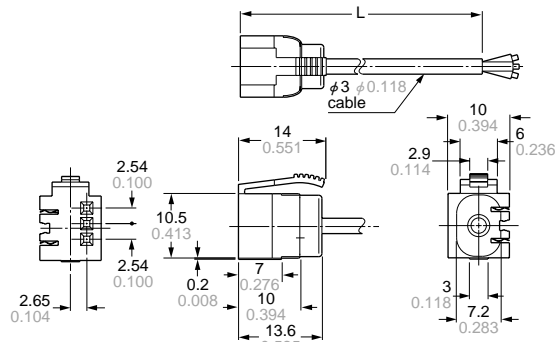
The CAD data in the dimensions can be downloaded from the 'SUNX fiber sensor home page': <http://www.fiber-sensor.com/>
Refer to p.103~ for dimensions other than those given below.

FX-311 P
FX-311 P Amplifier

Mounting drawing with a hand-turned knob attached cover
FX-AJ1 (Optional)



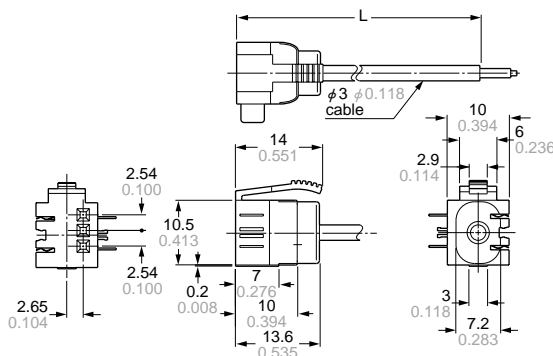
CN-73-C1 CN-73-C2
CN-73-C5 Main cable (Optional)



• Length (L)

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CN-73-C2	2,000 78.740
CN-73-C5	5,000 196.850

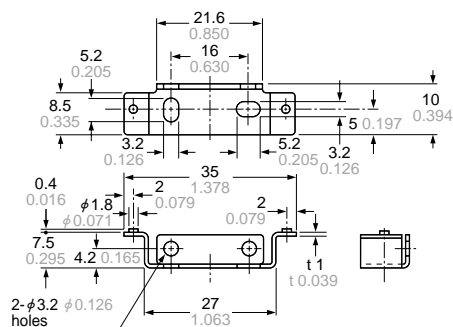
CN-71-C1 CN-71-C2
CN-71-C5 Sub cable (Optional)



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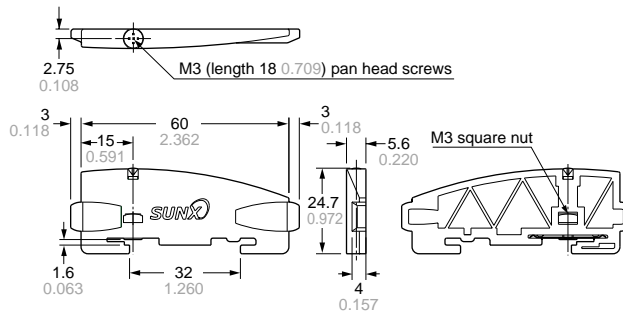
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MS-DIN-2 Amplifier mounting bracket (Optional)



Material: Cold rolled carbon steel (SPCC)
(Uni-chrome plated)

MS-DIN-E End plate (Optional)



Material: Polycarbonate