

Technical data sheet Safety light curtain transmitter

Part no.: 68010218

MLC500T20-1800H



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Technical data



Basic data

Series	MLC 500
Device type	Transmitter
Cascading	Host
Contains	2x BT-NC sliding block
Application	Hand protection

Functions

Functions	Range reduction
	Transmission channel changeover

Characteristic parameters

Type	4, IEC/EN 61496
SIL	3, IEC 61508
SILCL	3, IEC/EN 62061
Mission time T _M	20 years, EN ISO 13849-1

Protective field data

Resolution	20 mm
Protective field height	1,800 mm
Operating range	0 15 m

Optical data

Number of beams	144 Piece(s)
Synchronization	Optical between transmitter and receiver
Light source	LED, Infrared
LED light wavelength	940 nm
Transmitted-signal shape	Pulsed
LED risk group	Exempt group (in acc. with EN 62471:2008)

Electrical data

Protective circuit	Overvoltage protection
	Short circuit protected

Performance data

Supply voltage U _B	24 V, DC, -20 20 %
Current consumption, max.	50 mA
Fuse	2 A semi time-lag

Inputs

Number of digital switching inputs 1 Piece(s)

Switching	inputs
Туре	

Type	Digital switching input
Switching voltage high, min.	18 V
Switching voltage low, max.	2.5 V
Switching voltage, typ.	22.5 V
Voltage type	DC

2 Piece(s)

5 -pin

Connection

No. of pins

Number of connections

Connection 1		
Function	Machine interface	
Type of connection	Connector	
Thread size	M12	
Material	Metal	

Connection 2

Connection 2	
Function	Cascade, Guest Out
	Cascade, Middle Guest Out
Type of connection	Cable with connector
Cable length	330 mm
Sheathing material	PUR
Thread size	M12
Material	Plastic
No. of pins	8 -pin

Cable properties

Permissible conductor cross section, typ.	0.25 mm ²
Length of connection cable, max.	100 m
Permissible cable resistance to load, max.	200 Ω

Mechanical data

Dimension (W x H x L)	29 mm x 1,866 mm x 53 mm
Housing material	Metal, Aluminum
Lens cover material	Plastic / PMMA
Material of end caps	Diecast zinc
Net weight	2,025 g
Housing color	Yellow, RAL 1021
Type of fastening	Groove mounting
	Mounting bracket
	Swivel mount

Operation and display

Type of display	LED
Number of LEDs	2 Piece(s)

Environmental data

Ambient temperature, operation	0 55 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-30 70 °C
Relative humidity (non-condensing)	0 95 %

Certifications

Degree of protection	IP 65
Protection class	III
Certifications	c CSA US
	c TÜV NRTL US
	TÜV Süd
Vibration resistance	50 m/s ²
Shock resistance	100 m/s ²
US patents	US 6,418,546 B

Classification

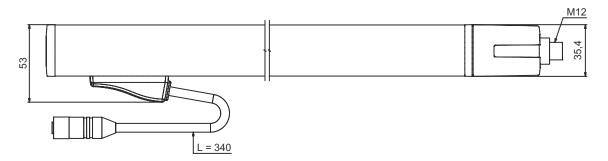
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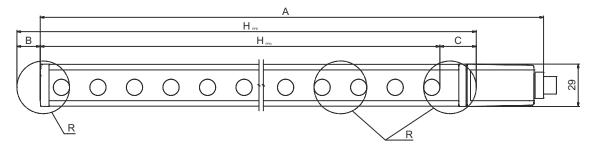
Dimensioned drawings



All dimensions in millimeters

Calculation of the effective protective field height H_{PFE} = H_{PFN} + B + C





 ${\rm H_{PFE}}$ Effective protective field height = 1817 mm

 H_{PFN} Nominal protective field height = 1800 mm

Total height = 1866 mm

7 mm

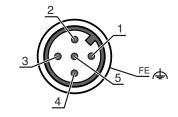
- С 10 mm
- Effective protective field height H_{PFE} goes beyond the dimensions of the optics area to the outer borders of the circles labeled with R.

Electrical connection

Connection 1

Function	Machine interface
Type of connection	Connector
Thread size	M12
Туре	Male
Material	Metal
No. of pins	5 -pin
Encoding	A-coded
Connector housing	FE/SHIELD

Pin	Pin assignment	Conductor color
1	VIN1	Brown
2	n.c.	White
3	VIN2	Blue
4	RNG	Black
5	FE/SHIELD	Gray



Connection 2

Function	Cascade, Guest Out
	Cascade, Middle Guest Out
Type of connection	Cable with connector
Cable length	330 mm
Sheathing material	PUR

Electrical connection

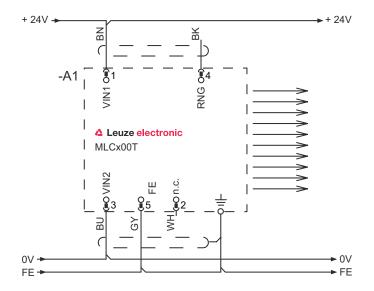


Connection 2

Cable color	
Wire cross section	0.14 mm ²
Type of stranding	Pair stranding (twisted pair)
Thread size	M12
Туре	Female
Material	Plastic
No. of pins	8 -pin
Encoding	A-coded

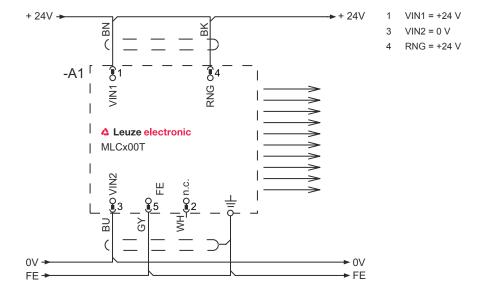
Circuit diagrams

Transmission channel C1, reduced range



- 1 VIN1 = +24 V
- 3 VIN2 = 0 V
- 4 RNG = 0 V or open

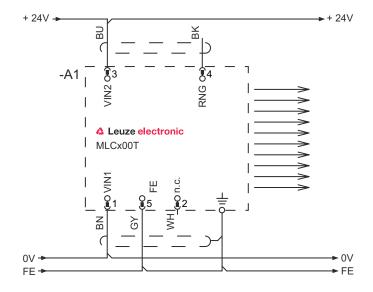
Transmission channel C1, standard range



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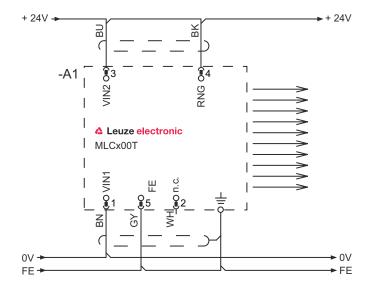


Transmission channel C2, reduced range



- 1 VIN1 = 0 V
- 3 VIN2 = +24 V
- 4 RNG = 0 V or open

Transmission channel C2, standard range



- 1 VIN1 = 0 V
- 3 VIN2 = +24 V
- 4 RNG = +24 V

Operation and display

LED	Display	Meaning
1	Off	Device switched off
	Red, continuous light	Device error
Green, continuous light		Normal operation
2	Green, flashing, 10 s long after switching on	Reduced range selected by the wiring of pin 4
	Off	Transmission channel C1
	Green, continuous light	Transmission channel C2

Suitable receivers



Pa	art no.	Designation	Article	Description
680	012218		receiver	Resolution: 20 mm Protective field height: 1,800 mm Response time: 31 ms Connection: Connector, M12, Metal, 8 -pin Function package: Standard

Part number code

Part designation: MLCxyy-za-hhhhei-ooo

MLC	Safety light curtain
х	Series 3: MLC 300 5: MLC 500
уу	Function classes 00: transmitter 01: transmitter (AIDA) 02: transmitter with test input 10: basic receiver - automatic restart 11: basic receiver - automatic restart (AIDA) 20: standard receiver - EDM/RES selectable 30: extended receiver - blanking/muting
z	Device type T: transmitter R: receiver
a	Resolution 14: 14 mm 20: 20 mm 30: 30 mm 40: 40 mm 90: 90 mm
hhhh	Protective field height 150 3000: from 150 mm to 3000 mm
е	Host/Guest (optional) H: Host MG: Middle Guest G: Guest
i	Interface (optional) /A: AS-i
000	Option /V: high Vibration-proof EX2: explosion protection (zones 2 + 22) SPG: Smart Process Gating

Note



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Notes



Observe intended use!



Accessories



Connection technology - Connection cables

	Part no.	Designation	Article	Description
•	50133860	KD S-M12-5A-P1-050	Connection cable	Connection 1: Connector, M12, Axial, Female, A-coded, 5 -pin Connection 2: Open end Shielded: Yes
				Cable length: 5,000 mm Sheathing material: PUR

Mounting technology - Swivel mounts

	Part no.	Designation	Article	Description
Paga	429393	BT-2HF	Mounting bracket set	Fastening, at system: Through-hole mounting Mounting bracket, at device: Clampable Type of mounting device: Turning, 360° Material: Metal, Plastic

Alignment aids

	Part no.	Designation	Article	Description
1	520101	AC-ALM-M	Alignment aid	Housing material: Plastic

Services

Part no.	Designation	Article	Description
S981050	CS40-I-140	Safety inspection "Safety light barriers"	Details: Checking of a safety light barrier application in accordance with current standards and guidelines. Inclusion of the device and machine data in a database, production of a test log per application. Conditions: It must be possible to stop the machine, support provided by customer's employees and access to the machine for Leuze employees must be ensured. Restrictions: Travel costs and accommodation expenses charged separately and according to expenditure.
S981046	CS40-S-140	Start-up support	Details: For safety devices including stopping time measurement and initial inspection. Conditions: Devices and connection cables are already mounted, price not including travel costs and, if applicable, accommodation expenses. Restrictions: Max. 2 h., no mechanical (mounting) and electrical (wiring) work performed, no changes (attachments, wiring, programming) to third-party components in the nearby environment.

Note



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