# Photoelectrics Retro-reflective Type PA18C.R..., DC





- Miniature sensor range
- Range: 6.5 m (Axial), 5 m (Radial)
- Sensitivity adjustment by potentiometer
- Modulated, infrared light 850 nm
- Supply voltage: 10 to 30 VDC
- Output: 100 mA, NPN or PNP, N.O & N.C.
- Degree of protection IP67, IP69K
- . LED indication for output, stability and power ON
- Protection: reverse polarity, short circuit and transients
- Cable and plug versions
- Excellent EMC performance



# **Product Description**

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

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

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

# Ordering Key PA18CAR65PAM1SA

#### **Type Selection**

Housing style	Range S <sub>n</sub>	Connection	Ordering no. NPN Make & break switching	Ordering no. PNP Make & break switching
M18 Axial type	6.5 m	Cable	PA 18 CAR 65 NASA	PA 18 CAR 65 PASA
M18 Axial type	6.5 m	Plug	PA 18 CAR 65 NAM1SA	PA 18 CAR 65 PAM1SA
M18 Radial type	5.0 m	Cable	PA 18 CRR 50 NASA	PA 18 CRR 50 PASA
M18 Radial type	5.0 m	Plug	PA 18 CRR 50 NAM1SA	PA 18 CRR 50 PAM1SA

# **Specifications** according to EN60947-5-2

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Rated operating distance (S <sub>n</sub> )	
Axial type (A)	Up to 6.5 m,
Radial type (R)	Up to 5.0 m
	reference target ER4
	reflector ø 80 mm
Blind zone	100 mm
Sensitivity control	Adjustable by potentiometer
	270°
Adjustable distance to target	
Axial types	50-650 cm
Radial types	50-500 cm
Temperature drift	≤ 0.2%/°C
Hysteresis (H)	
(differential travel)	≤ 20%
Rated operational volt. (U <sub>B</sub> )	10 to 30 VDC
. ,	(ripple included)
Ripple (U <sub>rpp</sub> )	≤ 10%
Output current	
Continuous (I <sub>e</sub> )	≤ 100 mA
Short-time (I)	≤ 100 mA
.,	(max. load capacity 100 nF)
No load supply current (l <sub>o</sub> )	≤ 20 mA @ 24 VDC
Minimum operational current (I <sub>m</sub> )	0.5 mA

OFF-state current (I <sub>r</sub> )	≤ 100 µA
Voltage drop (U <sub>d</sub> )	≤ 2.0 VDC @ 100 mA
Protection	Short-circuit, reverse polarity and transients
Light source	LED, 850 nm
Light type	Infrared, modulated
Sensing angle	± 2°
Ambient light	30.000 lux Incandescent lamp
Light spot Diameter	Ø 164 mm @ 3.25 m
Operating frequency	500 Hz
Response time OFF-ON (t <sub>ON</sub> ) ON-OFF (t <sub>OFF</sub> )	≤ 1.0 ms ≤ 1.0 ms
Power ON delay (t <sub>v</sub> )	≤ 300 ms
Output function Type Switching function	NPN or PNP NO and NC
Indication Output ON Signal stability and power ON	LED, yellow LED, green



# **Specifications (cont.)**

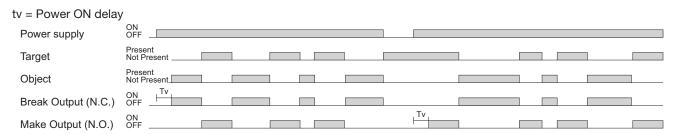
Environment	
Installation category	III (IEC 60664/60664A; 60947-1)
Pollution degree	3 (IEC 60664/60664A; 60947-1)
Degree of protection	IP 67, IP 69K*
Ambient temperature	
Operating	-25° to +60°C (-13° to +140°F)
Storage	-40° to +70°C (-40° to +158°F)
Vibration	10 to 55 Hz, 0.5 mm/7.5 g (IEC 60068-2-6)
Shock	30 g / 11ms, 3 pos, 3 neg per axis (IEC 60068-2-6, 60068-2-32)
Rated insulation voltage	500 VAC (rms) IEC protection class III

<b>Housing material</b> Body Front material	ABS, grey PMMA, red
Connection Cable Plug	PVC, grey, 2 m 4 x 0.25 mm <sup>2</sup> , Ø = 4.5 mm M12, 4-pin (CON. 54-series)
Weight	With cable: 40 g With plug: 10 g
CE-marking	Yes
Approvals	cULus (UL508) supply class 2

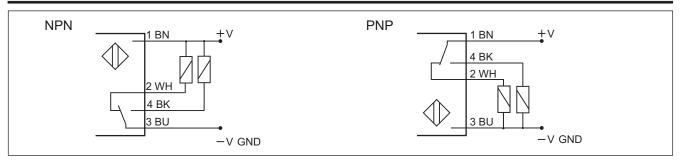
<sup>\*</sup> The IP69K test according to DIN 40050-9 for high-pressure, high-temperature wash-down applications. The sensor must not only be dust tight (IP6X), but also able to withstand high-pressure and steam cleaning. The sensor is exposed to high pressure water from a spray nozzle that is fed with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



#### **Operation Diagram**

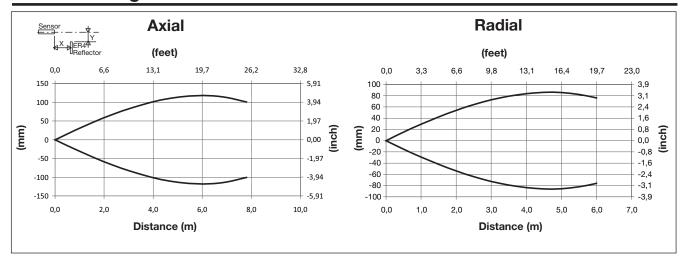


# **Wiring Diagrams**

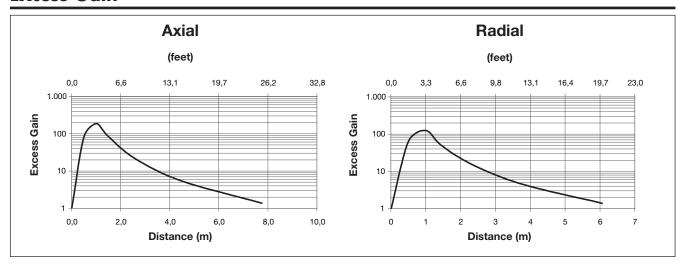




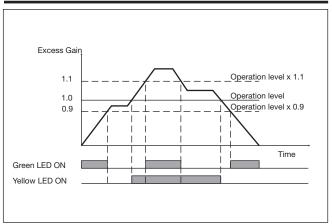
# **Detection Diagram**



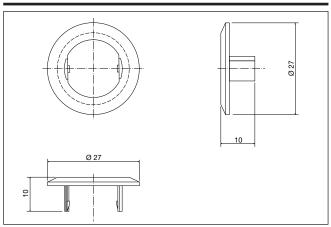
#### **Excess Gain**



# **Signal Stability Indication**

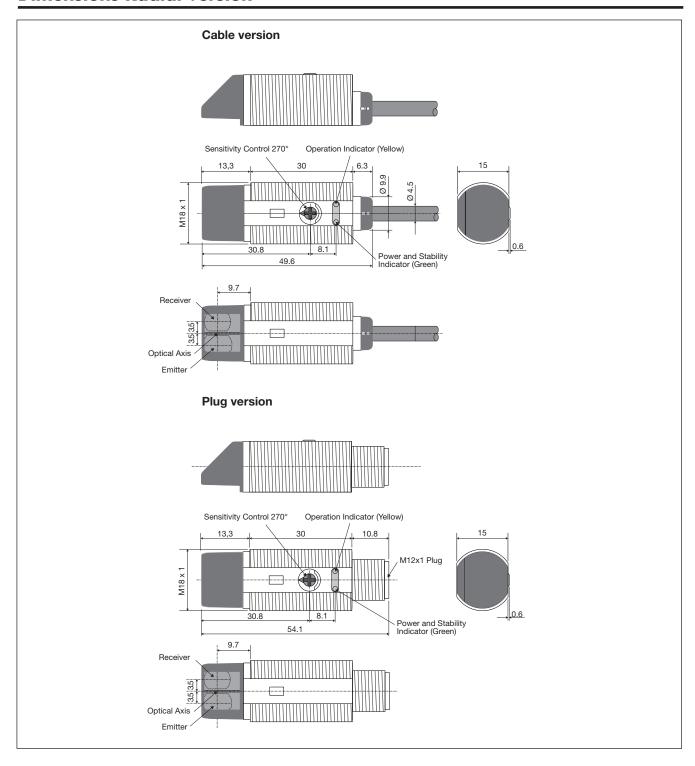


#### APA18-MB1



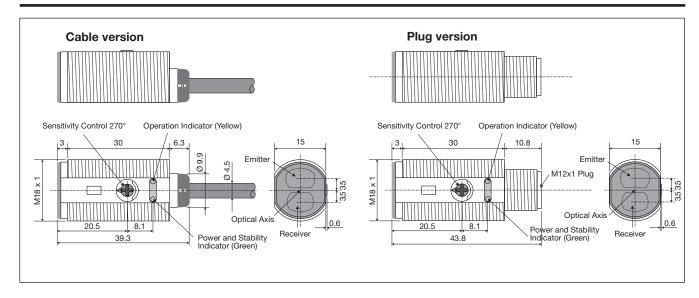


# **Dimensions Radial version**

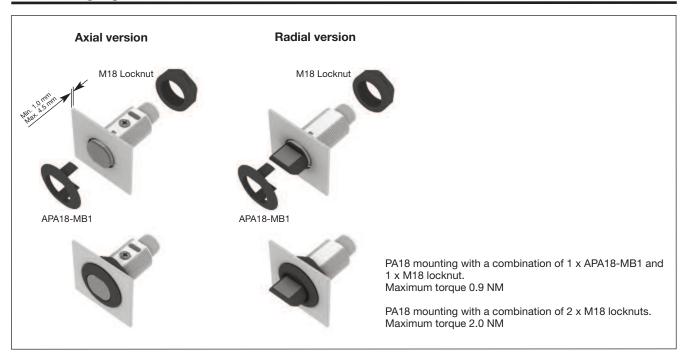




#### **Dimensions Axial version**

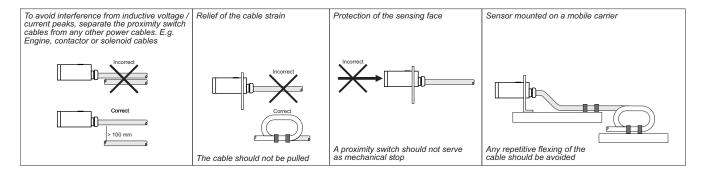


#### **Mounting Systems**





#### **Installation Hints**



# **Delivery Contents**

- Photoelectric switch: PA 18 C.R...
- Installation instruction on plastic bag
- Screwdriver
- Mounting bracket APA18-MB1
- 2 M18 locknuts
- Packaging: Plastic bag

#### **Accessories**

- Connector type CONG1A.. / CONM14NF.. series
- Reflector type ER.. to be purchased separately