


EE-SPX301/401

Light Modulation Effectively Reduces External Light Interference

- Easy adjustment and optical axis monitoring with a Light-ON indicator
- Wide operating voltage range: 5 to 24 VDC
- Amplifier output can be directly connected to a programmable controller (PLC)
- Easy-to-wire connector type
- Convert to PNP output with EE-2001 conversion connector



Ordering Information

| Appearance | Sensing method | Slot width | Slot depth | Output configuration | Weight | Part number |
|--|----------------|------------|------------|----------------------|---------------|-------------|
|  | Slot | 3.6 mm | 9 mm | Dark-ON | Approx. 2.6 g | EE-SPX301 |
| | | | | Light -ON | | EE-SPX401 |

■ ACCESSORIES

| Name | Part number |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Solder connector | EE-1002 |
| Connector with 1 m cable | EE-1003 |
| Connector holder for EE-1003 | EE-1003A |

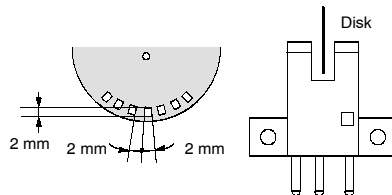
Specifications

■ RATINGS

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| Model | | Transmissive type | |
| | | EE-SPX301 | EE-SPX401 |
| Supply voltage | | 5 to 24 VDC \pm 10%, ripple (p-p): 5% max. | |
| Current consumption | | Average: 15 mA max.; Peak: 50 mA max. | |
| Standard reference object | | Opaque, 0.5 x 1 mm min. | |
| Differential distance | | 0.05 mm max. | |
| Control output | | At 5 to 24 VDC: 80 mA load current (I_C) with a residual voltage of 1.0 V max. When driving TTL: 10 mA load current (I_C) with a residual voltage of 0.4 V max. | |
| Output configuration | Transistor on output stage without detecting object | OFF | ON |
| | Transistor on output stage with detecting object | ON | OFF |
| Indicator (See note 1.) | Without detecting object | ON | |
| | With detecting object | OFF | |
| Response frequency (See note 2.) | | 500 Hz | |
| Light source | | GaAs infrared LED (pulse modulated) with a wavelength of 940 nm | |
| Receiver | | Si photo-diode with a sensing wavelength of 850 nm max. | |
| Connecting method | | EE-1002/1003 Connectors; solder terminals/cordset | |

Note: 1. The indicator is a GaP red LED (peak emission wavelength: 700 nm).

2. The response frequency was measured by detecting the following disks rotating.



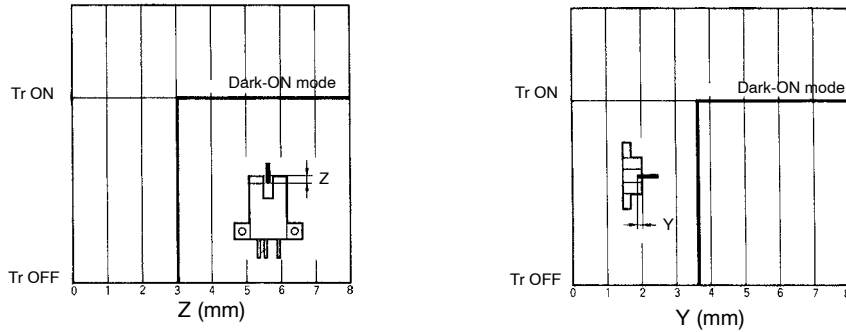
■ CHARACTERISTICS

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| Ambient illumination | | Sensing face: fluorescent light/incandescent light: 3,000 lx max. |
| Enclosure ratings | | IP50 |
| Ambient temperature | Operating | -10°C to 55°C (14°F to 131°F) |
| | Storage | -25°C to 65°C (-13°F to 149°F) |
| Ambient humidity | Operating | 35% to 85% |
| | Storage | 35% to 95% |
| Vibration resistance | | Destruction: 10 to 55 Hz, 1.5-mm double amplitude for 2 hrs each in X, Y, and Z directions |
| Shock resistance | | Destruction: 500 m/s ² (approx. 50G's) for 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions |
| Cable length | | 2 m max. by AWG22 |

Engineering Data

SENSING POSITION CHARACTERISTICS

EE-SPX301 (Typical)

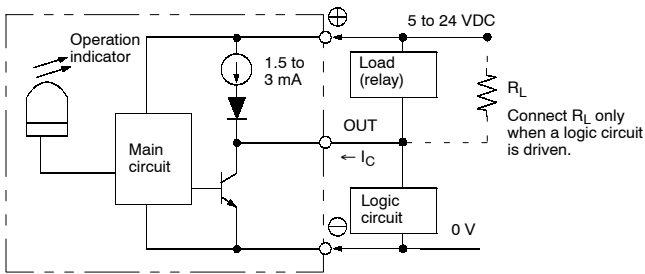


Note: The sensing position characteristics of the EE-SPX401 are opposite those of the EE-SPX301.

Operation

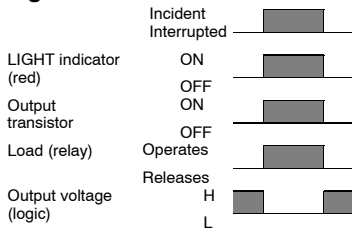
INTERNAL/EXTERNAL CIRCUIT DIAGRAM

Light-ON/Dark-ON

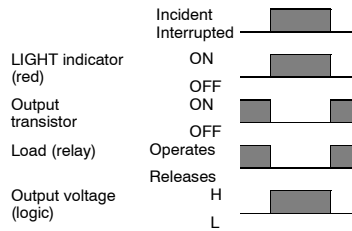


TIMING CHART

Light-ON



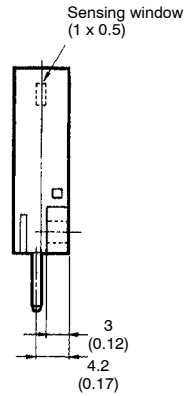
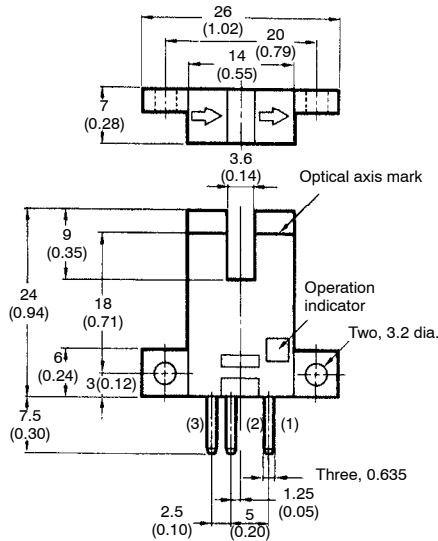
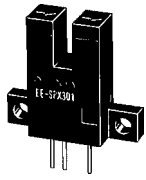
Dark-ON



Dimensions

Unit: mm (inch)

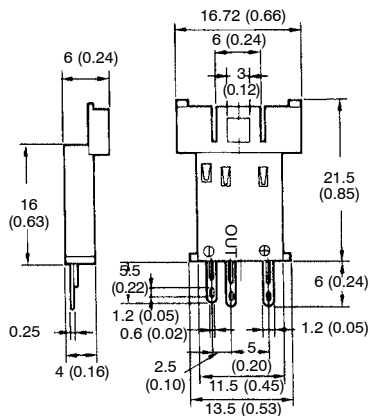
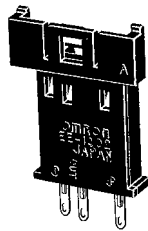
EE-SPX301, EE-SPX401



Terminal Arrangement

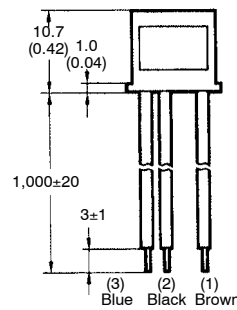
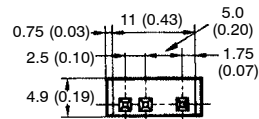
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| (1) | ⊕ | V _{CC} |
| (2) | OUT | OUTPUT |
| (3) | ⊖ | GND (0 V) |

EE-1002 SOLDER CONNECTOR



EE-1003 CONNECTOR WITH CABLE

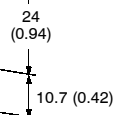
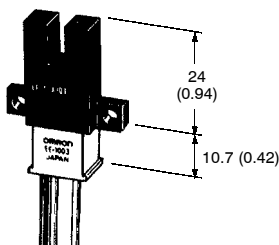
The connector comes with a 1-m cable.



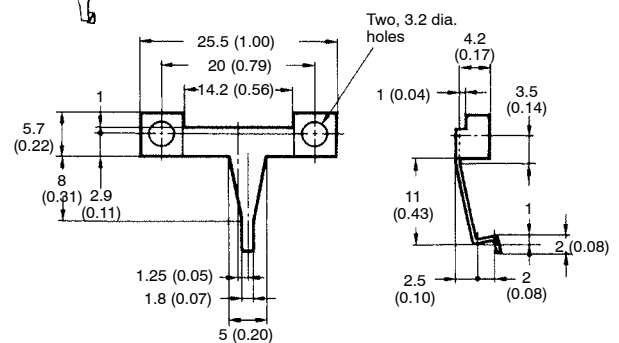
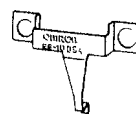
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EE-1003A CONNECTOR HOLDER



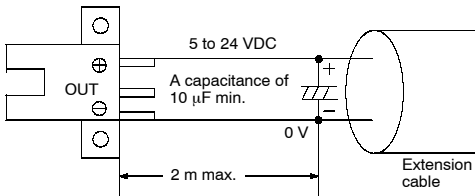
Precautions

Refer to the Technical Information Section for general precautions.

■ WIRING

A cable with a thickness of 0.3 mm² min. or AWG22 and a length of 2 m max. must be connected to the output terminals.

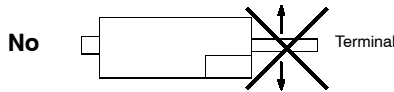
To use a cable longer than 2 m, attach a capacitor with a capacitance of approximately 10 µF to the wires, as shown below. The distance between the terminal and the capacitor must be 2 m or less:



Do not solder the cable to the connectors. Use the EE-1002 Connector or EE-1003 Connector (with a 1-m cable attached) to connect the cable to the output terminals.

Use the EE1003A Connector Holder to prevent accidental disconnection of the EE-1003 Connector from the EE-SPX301/401 Photomicrosensor.

Do not impose excessive force on the terminals (refer to the diagram below). Excess force will damage the terminals.

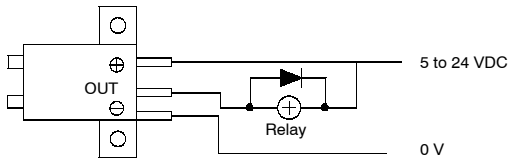


Do not disconnect the EE-1002 or EE-1003 Connector from the photomicrosensor when power is supplied to the photomicrosensor, or the photomicrosensor could be damaged.

If the metal mounting base is subjected to inductive electrical noise, the photomicrosensor can be activated accidentally. If noise is a problem, take the following precautions:

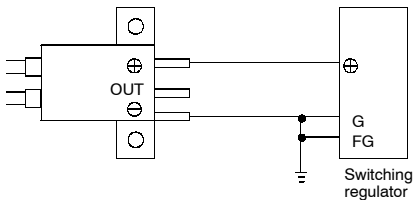
- Connect the negative terminal to the mounting base, so there will be no difference in electric potential between the photomicrosensor and mounting base.
- Connect the negative terminal to the mounting base through a 0.47-µF capacitor.
- 3. Insert a plastic insulating plate with a thickness of approximately 10 mm between the photomicrosensor and mounting base.

Wire as shown by the following illustration to connect a small inductive load (a relay for example) to the photomicrosensor. A diode must be connected parallel to the relay to absorb the reverse voltage.



■ POWER SUPPLY

When using a standard switching regulator, ground the FG and G terminal, so the photomicrosensor will be in a stable operating condition.



NOTE: DIMENSIONS SHOWN ARE IN MILLIMETERS. To convert millimeters to inches divide by 25.4.

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