

### Miniature Sensors with Separate Amplifiers Fit Tight Spaces

- Fast, 1 ms response time
- Light incident indicator on sensor
- Dust-resistant flat lens surface
- New, thin side view model
- Prewired sensors have 2 m (6.56 ft) cable
- Amplifier with built-in ON-, OFF- and one-shot delays available
- New prewired DC amplifier designed for track mounting has alarm output to signal unstable sensing conditions



## Ordering Information

### ■ SENSORS





#### Through-beam Type

Shape							
Sensing distance	10 cm (3.94 in)	20 cm (7.87 in)	30 cm (11.81 in)		50 cm (19.69 in)	1 m (3.28 ft)	2 m (6.56 ft)
Part number	E3C-S10	E3C-S20W	E3C-S30W	E3C-S30T	E3C-S50	E3C-1	E3C-2

#### Diffuse Reflective Type

Shape		
Sensing distance	5 cm (1.97 in)	10 cm (3.94 in)
Part number	E3C-DS5W	E3C-DS10

### ■ AMPLIFIERS

Shape	 Fits 1/16 DIN panel cutout		 For S3D8 controller	 Miniature		 Slim, prewired	
Supply voltage	100 to 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz		12 to 24 VDC				
Output	Relay and NPN solid-state		NPN and PNP solid-state	NPN solid-state	PNP solid-state	NPN	PNP
Timer functions	—	ON-delay OFF-delay One-shot	—	—		40 ms OFF-delay	
Mounting style	Socket (included)		Track	Socket Track (order separately)			
Part number	E3C-A	E3C-C	E3C-WH4F	E3C-GE4	E3C-GF4	E3C-JC4P	E3C-JB4P

## ■ ACCESSORIES

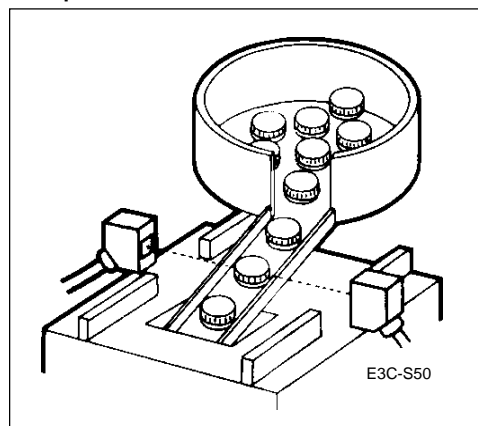
Description	Part number
Mounting brackets	U-shaped, for E3C-S10, with 10 mm (0.394 in) sensing distance gap
	U-shaped, for E3C-S10, with 20 mm (0.787 in) sensing distance gap
	U-shaped, for E3C-S10, with 30 mm (1.181 in) sensing distance gap
	L-shaped, for E3C-DS10
	L-shaped, for E3C-S50
Sockets required for E3C-G□4 amplifier	Bottom surface mount socket
	Combination bottom surface and track-mount socket
Mounting track	DIN rail, 50 cm (1.64 ft) length
	DIN rail, 1 m (3.28 ft) length
	End plate
	Spacer

## ■ REPLACEMENT PARTS

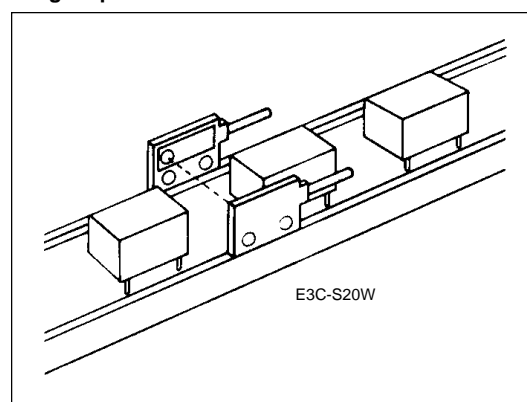
Description	Part number
Track-mount socket for E3C-A and E3C-C amplifiers	PF113A-E
Mounting bracket for E3C-1	E39-L41
Mounting bracket for E3C-2	E39-L42
Mounting bracket for E3C-J□4P	E39-L48

## ■ TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

Detect parts coming from a bowl feeder in a space-confined location



Space-saving flat sensors can detect small parts in tight spaces



# Specifications

## ■ THROUGH-BEAM TYPE

Part number	E3C-S10	E3C-S20W	E3C-S30□	E3C-S50	E3C-1	E3C-2
Sensing distance	10 cm (3.94 in)	20 cm (7.87 in)	50 cm (1.64 ft)		1 m (3.28 ft)	2 m (3.28 ft)
Light source	Pulse modulated infrared LED					
Detectable object	Type	Opaque materials				
	Size	2 mm (0.08 in) min. dimension	2 mm (0.09 in) min. dimension	3 mm (1.18 in) min. dimension	4 mm (0.16 in) min. dimension	8 mm (0.32 in) min. dimension
Required amplifier	E3C-A, E3C-C, E3C-GE4, E3C-GF4, E3C-JC4P, E3C-JB4P, E3C-WH4F					
Indicators	Emitter	Light Incident (red LED)				
	Receiver	None				
Materials	Lens	Plastic, polycarbonate				
	Case	Plastic, polycarbonate				Zinc die-cast
	Cable sheath	Plastic, polyethylene				
Mounting		Side surface with two through holes. Brackets OAC-T1, OAC-T2, OAC-T3 optional, see Accessories	Side surface with two through holes.	Side surface with two through holes. Bracket E39-L31 optional, see Accessories	Side surface with two through holes. Bracket E39-L41 and hardware included.	Side surface with two through holes. Bracket E39-L42 and hardware included.
Connections	Prewired	Emitter: 2-conductor cable, 2 m (6.56 ft) length Receiver: 2-conductor cable, 2 m (6.56 ft) length				
Weight	Emitter	25 g (0.9 oz.)			30 g (1.1 oz.)	60 g (2.2 oz.)
	Receiver	25 g (0.9 oz.)			30 g (1.1 oz.)	60 g (2.2 oz.)
Enclosure ratings	UL	—				
	NEMA	1, 2, 12	1	1	1, 2, 12	1, 2, 4, 4X, 12
	IEC 144	IP64	IP50	IP60	IP64	IP66
Approvals	UL	—				
	CSA	—				
Ambient temperature	Operating	-25° to 70°C (-13° to 158°F)				
	Storage	-25° to 70°C (-13° to 158°F)				

## ■ DIFFUSE REFLECTIVE TYPE

Part number	E3C-DS5W	E3C-DS10
Sensing distance	5 cm (1.97 in) with 10 X 10 cm (3.94 in) 90% reflectance white mat paper	10 cm (3.94 in) with 5 X 5 cm (1.97 in) 90% reflectance white mat paper
Detectable object type	Opaque and transparent materials	
Required amplifier	E3C-A, E3C-C, E3C-GE4, E3C-GF4, E3C-JC4P, E3C-JB4P, E3C-WH4F	
Indicators	Light Incident (red LED)	
Materials	Lens	Plastic, polycarbonate
	Case	Plastic, polycarbonate
	Cable sheath	Plastic, polyethylene
Mounting	Side surface with two through holes.	Side surface with two through holes. Bracket E39-L42 optional, see Accessories.
Connections	Prewired	4-conductor cable, 2 m (6.56 ft) length
Weight	50 g (1.8 oz.)	
Enclosure ratings	UL	—
	NEMA	1, 2, 12
	IEC 144	IP50, IP64
Approvals	UL	—
	CSA	—
Ambient temperature	Operating	-25° to 70°C (-13° to 158°F)
	Storage	-25° to 70°C (-13° to 158°F)

## ■ AMPLIFIERS

### AC Powered

Part number			E3C-A	E3C-C
Supply voltage			100 to 240 VAC, 50/60 Hz	
Power consumption			3 VA max.	
Operation mode			Light-ON/Dark-ON, switch selectable	
Sensitivity			Adjustable	
Control output	Relay	Type	SPDT	
		Max. load	1 A, 240 VAC (p.f. = 1)	
		Min. load	1 mA, 5 VDC	
	DC solid-state	Type	NPN-SPST with constant current source	
		Max. load	Load (relay, sink) logic, 80 mA, 24 VDC Voltage logic (source): 1.5 to 4 mA	
		Max. on-state voltage drop	1.0 VDC	
Response time	ON	Solid-state	1 ms or 2 ms max., switch selectable	
		Contact	20 ms max.	
	OFF	Solid-state	1 ms or 2 ms max., switch selectable	
		Contact	20 ms max.	
Timer functions		Type	—	ON-delay, OFF-delay, one-shot, switch selectable
		Range	—	0.1 to 1 second or 1 to 10 seconds, switch selectable
Circuit protection		Output short-circuit	Not available	
Indicators			Light Incident (red LED), Output Stability (green LED), Output Operation (red LED)	
Materials		Case	Plastic	
Mounting			Requires PF113A-E socket (included); socket mount to DIN rail track	
Connections			Terminal screws on socket	
Weight			220 g (7.8 oz.), including socket	
Enclosure ratings	UL		—	
	NEMA		1	
	IEC144		IP20	
Approvals	UL		—	
	CSA		—	
Ambient temperature	Operating		-10° to 55°C (14° to 131°F)	
	Storage		-25° to 70°C (-13° to 158°F)	

### DC Powered

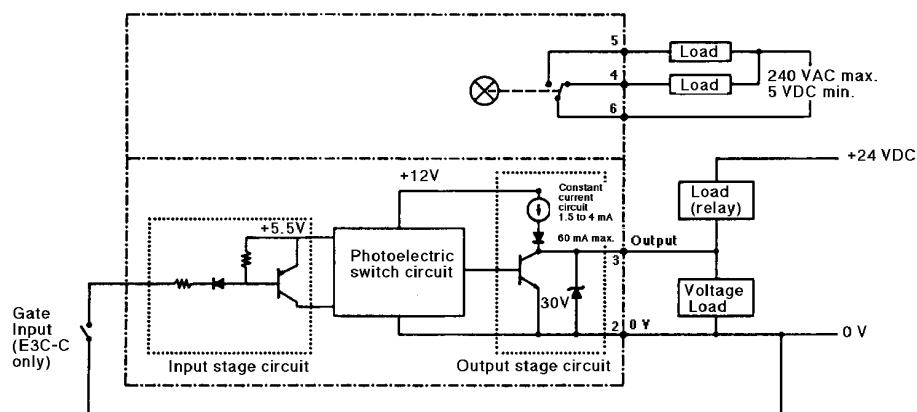
Part number			E3C-JB4P	E3C-JC4P	E3C-GE4	E3C-GF4	E3C-WH4F	
Supply voltage			12 to 24 VDC ±10%; 1 V max. permissible ripple peak-to-peak					
Current consumption			50 mA					
Operation mode			Light-ON/Dark-ON switch selectable		Light-ON/Dark-ON, jumper selectable		Light-ON/Dark-ON switch selectable	
Sensitivity			Adjustable					
Control output	DC solid-state	Type	PNP output	NPN output	NPN output with constant current source	PNP output	NPN and PNP open collector outputs	
		Max. load	100 mA max. 24 VDC	100 mA max. 24 VDC	Load (relay, sink) logic: 80 mA, 24 VDC Voltage logic (source): 1.5 to 4 mA	100 mA max. 24 VDC	100 mA, 40 VDC (each output)	
		Max. on-state voltage drop	0.7 VDC	0.7 VDC	1.2 VDC		0.7 VDC	
Alarm output		Type	PNP	NPN	—			
		Max. load	50 mA, 24 VDC	50 mA, 24 VDC	—			
Response time		ON	1 ms			1 ms or 2 ms max., selectable		1 ms or 2 ms max. switch selectable
		OFF	1 ms or 40 ms, selectable			1 ms or 2 ms max., selectable		1 ms or 2 ms max. switch selectable
Circuit protection		Output short-circuit	Yes			Yes		Yes
		DC power supply reverse polarity	Yes			Yes		Yes

## DC Amplifiers, continued

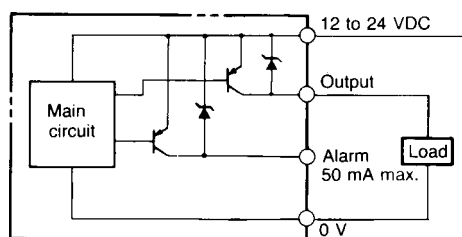
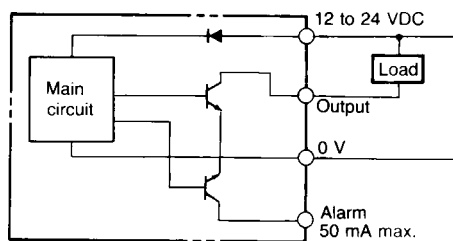
Part number		E3C-JB4P	E3C-JC4P	E3C-GE4	E3C-GF4	E3C-WH4F
Indicators		Light Incident (red LED), Output Stability (green LED)				
Materials	Case	Plastic				
Mounting		DIN rail track or mounting bracket E39-L48 (included) or side surface with two through holes		Requires PYF08A-E or PYF08M socket (not included). Order separately from Accessories.		DIN rail track or bottom surface with two through holes.
Connections		Prewired with 5 conductor cable, 2 m (6.56 ft) length		Terminal screws on socket		Terminal screws or direct connection to S3D8 Sensor Controller with E99-C connector (included).
Weight		80 g (2.8 oz.)		15 g (0.5 oz.)		100 g (3.5 oz.)
Enclosure	UL	—		—		
	NEMA	1, 2		1		
	IEC 144	IP50		IP20		
Approvals	UL	—				
	CSA	—				
Ambient temperature	Operating	-10° to 55°C (14° to 131°F)				
	Storage	-25° to 70°C (-13° to 158°F)				

## ■ OUTPUT CIRCUIT DIAGRAMS

## Amplifiers E3C-A, E3C-C

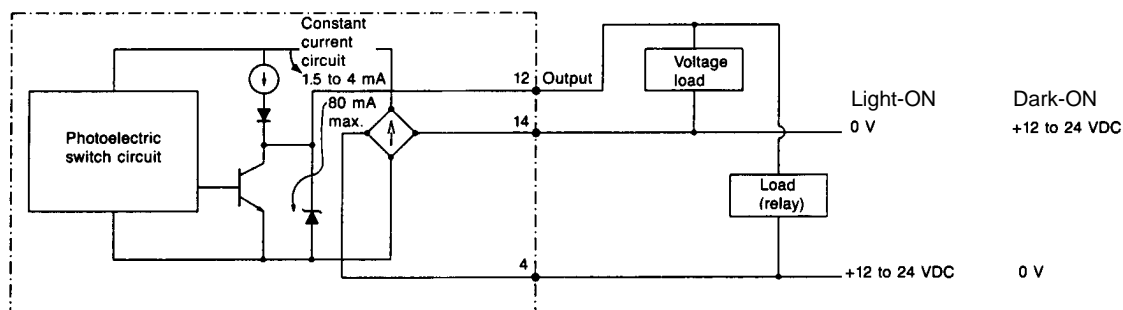


## Amplifiers E3C-J□4P

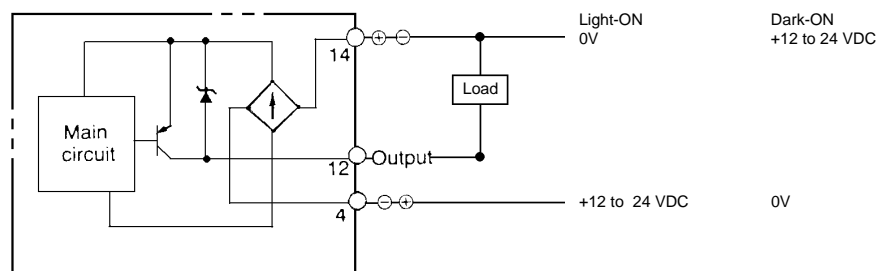
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E3C-JC4P

## OUTPUT CIRCUIT DIAGRAMS, continued

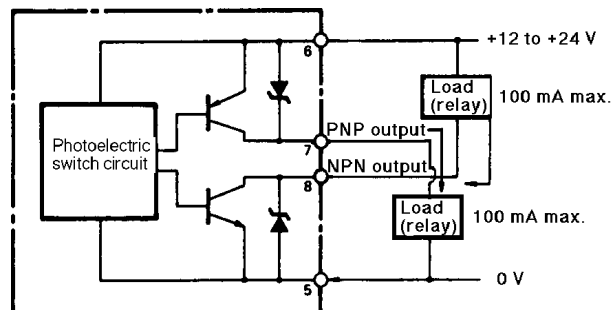
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### PNP Output E3C-GF4



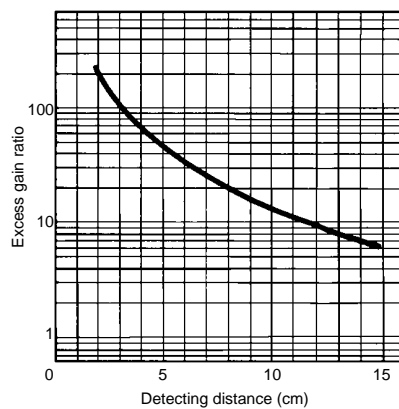
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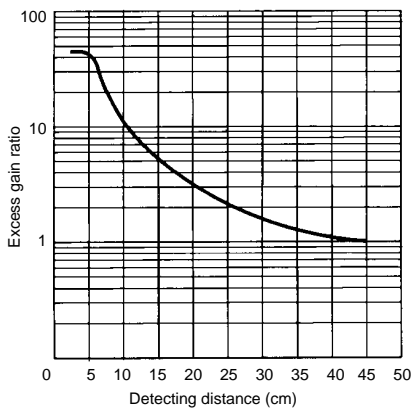
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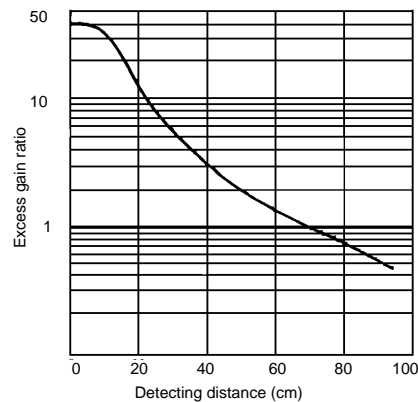
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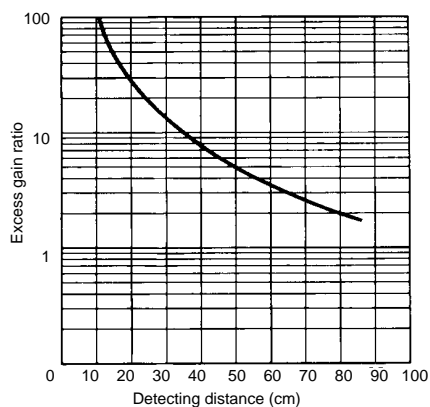


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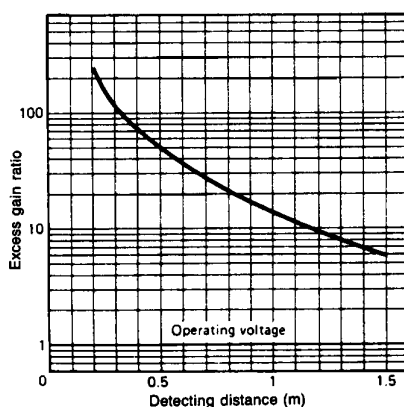


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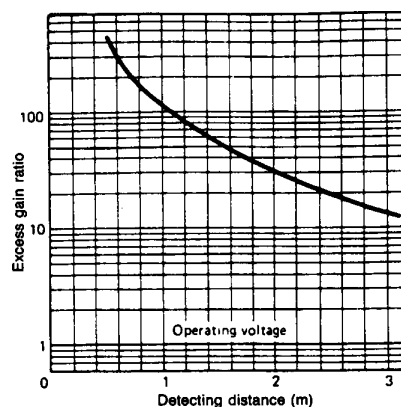
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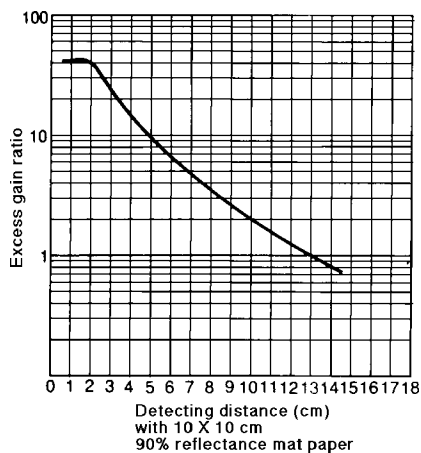
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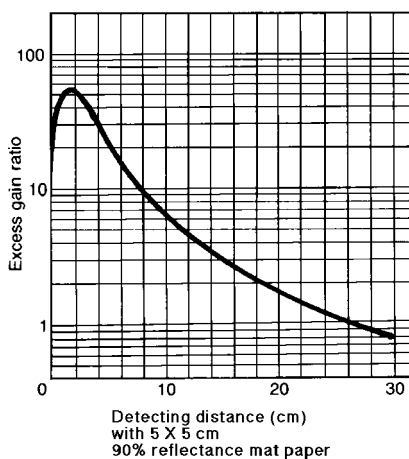
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E3C-DS5W



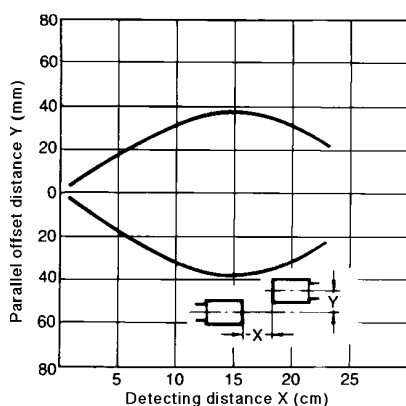
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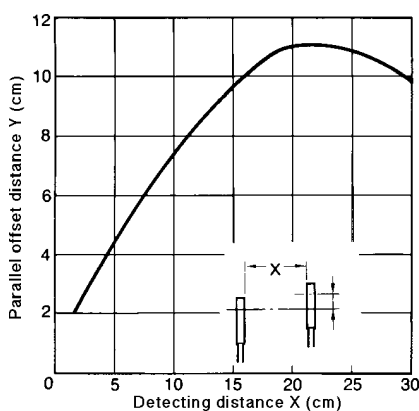
## ■ LIGHT SOURCE/RECEIVER SETTING RANGE

## Separate type

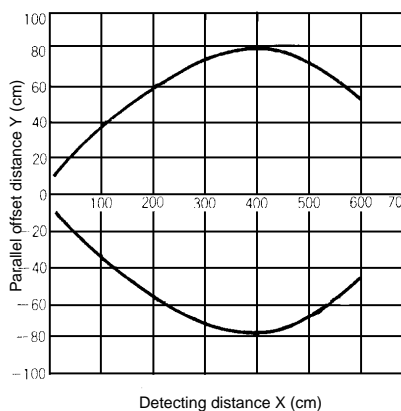
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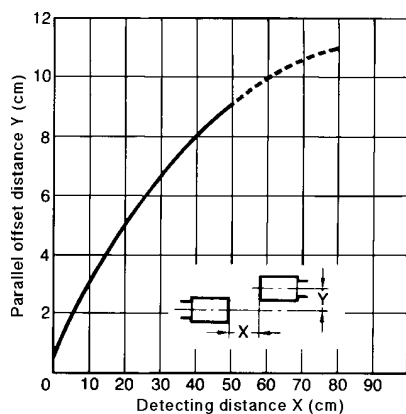


E3C-S30T, E3C-S30W

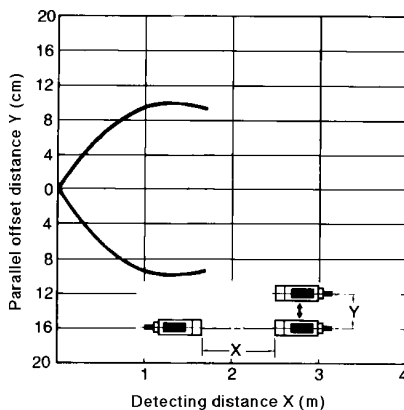


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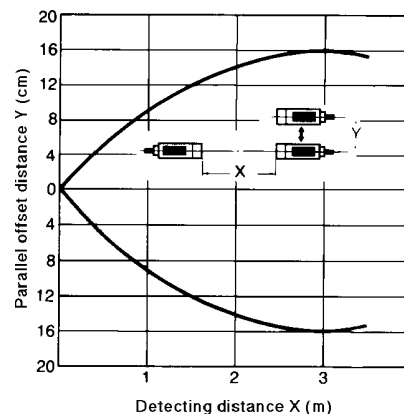
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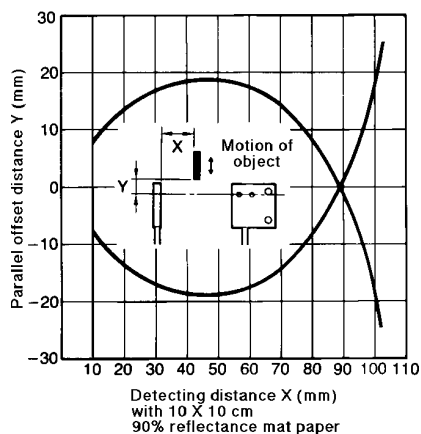
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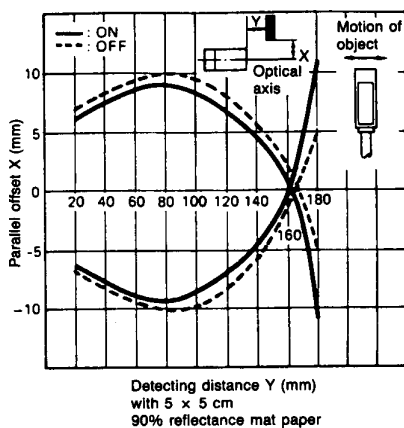
## ■ OPERATING RANGE

## Diffuse Reflective Type

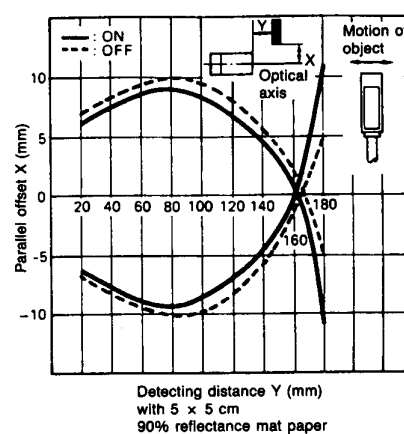
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E3C-DS10 (Example 1)



E3C-DS10 (Example 2)

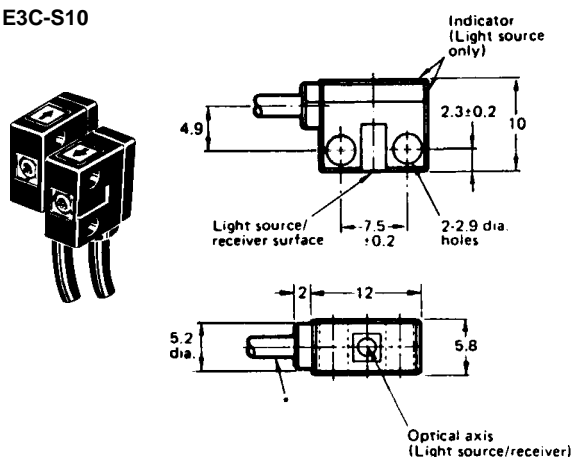


## Dimensions

Unit: mm

## ■ SENSORS

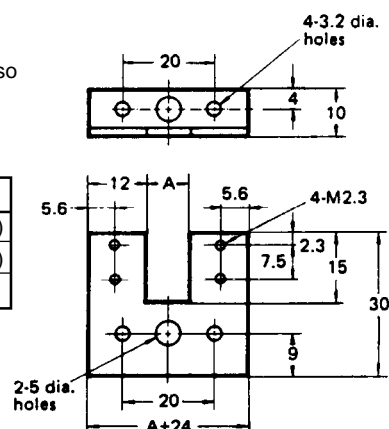
E3C-S10



## Mounting Brackets for E3C-S10

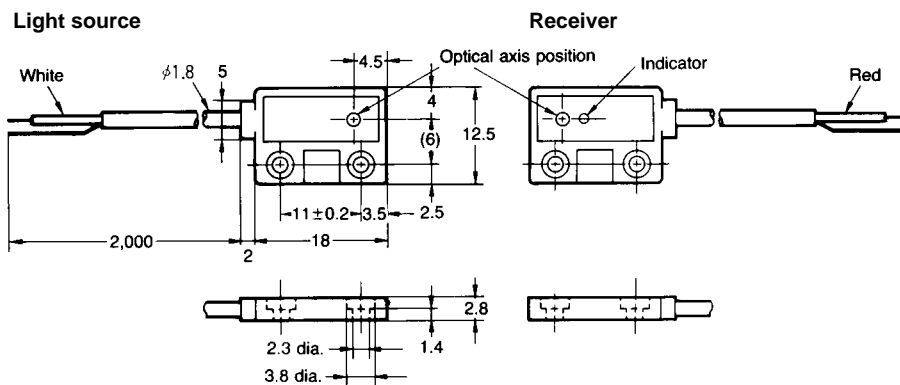
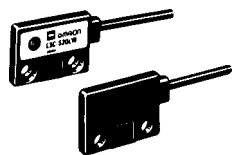
Mount the emitter and receiver on the legs of the U-shaped bracket so they face each other. Dimension "A" shows the fixed sensing distance.

Part number	Dimension A
OAC-T1	10 mm (0.394 in)
OAC-T1	20 mm (0.787 in)
OAC-T3	30 mm (1.81 in)

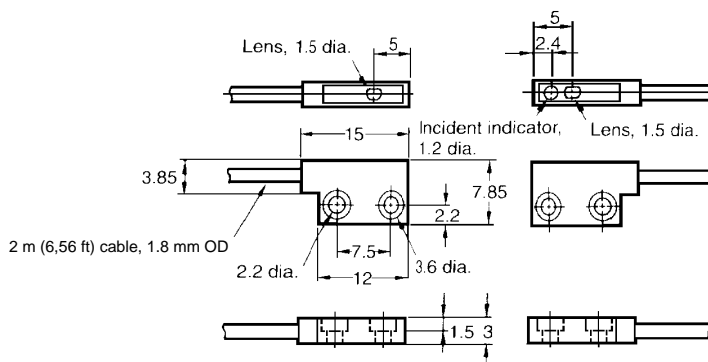
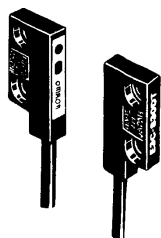




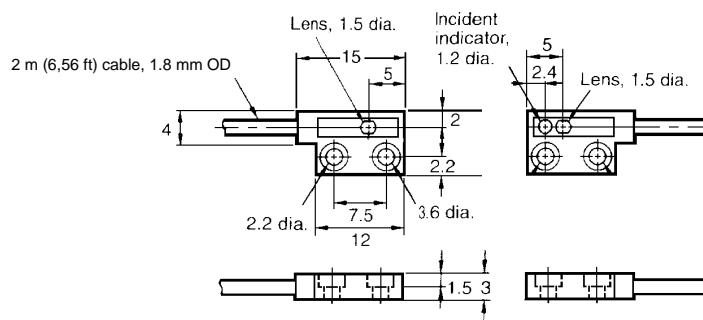
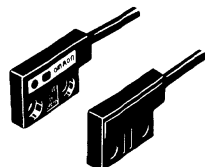
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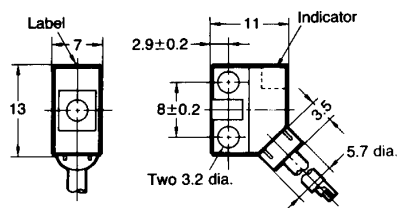
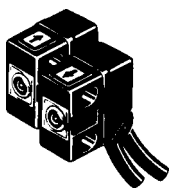
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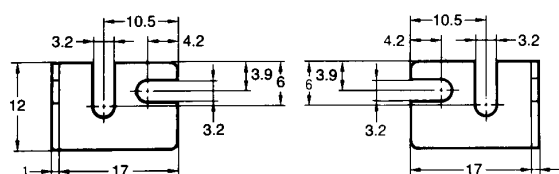
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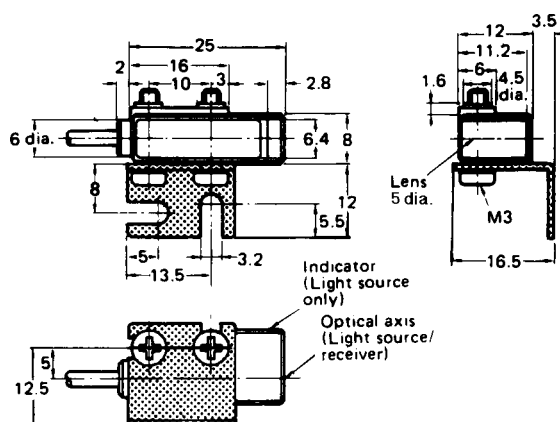
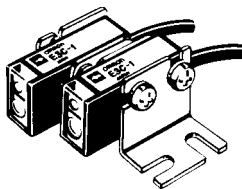
**E3C-S50**



### E39-L31 Optional Mounting Bracket

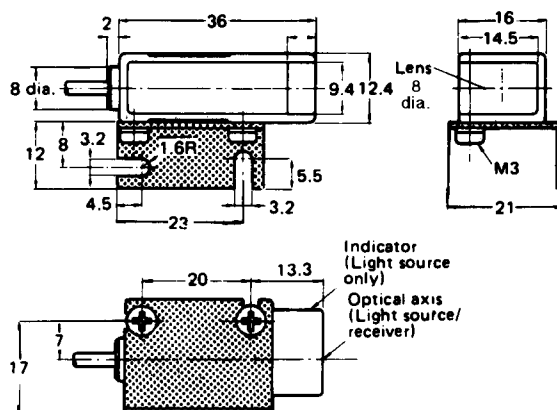
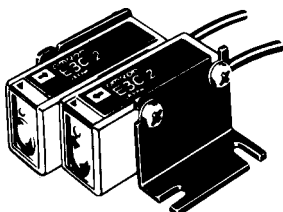


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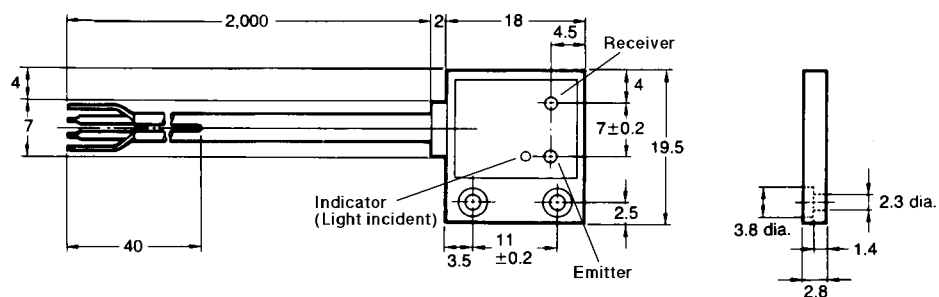
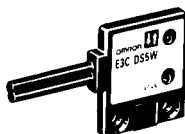
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bracket supplied with  
each sensor.

**E3C-2**

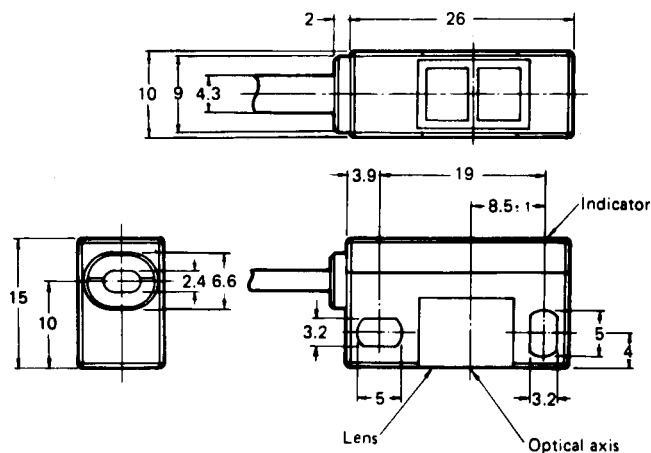
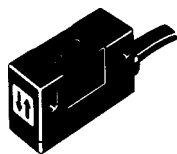


**NOTE:**  
E3C-2 is shown mounted  
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sensor.

**E3C-DS5W**



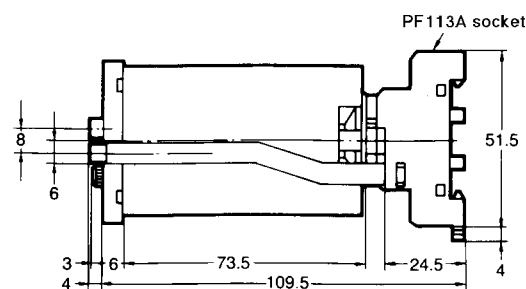
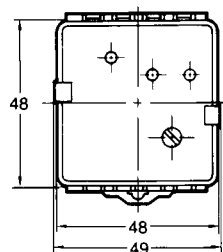
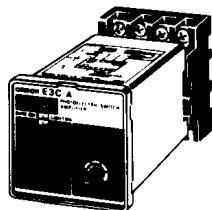
## E3C-DS10



NOTE:  
Use mounting bracket  
E39-L42, shown on  
E3C-2; order separately  
from Accessories.

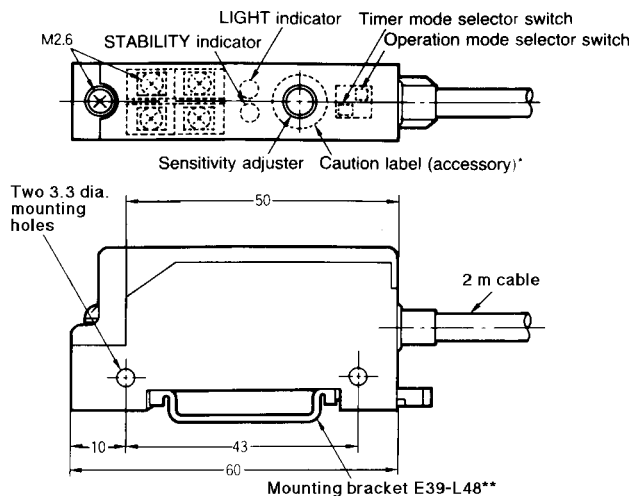
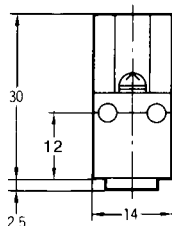
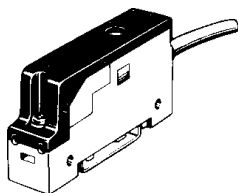
## ■ AMPLIFIERS

## E3C-A, E3C-C



NOTE: Socket PF113A-E and two hold-down clips are included with these amplifiers.

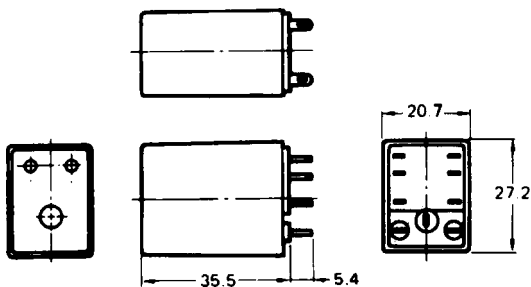
## E3C-JB4P, E3C-JC4P



\* Attach the caution label after adjusting the sensitivity adjuster.

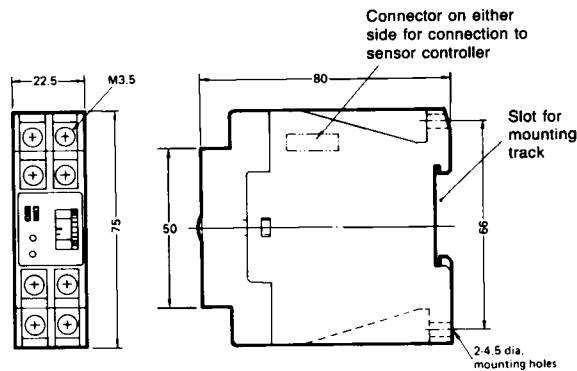
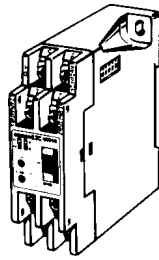
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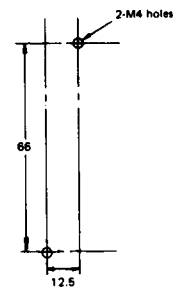


NOTE:  
Order required socket  
PYF08A-E or PYF08M from  
Accessories section.

## E3C-WH4F



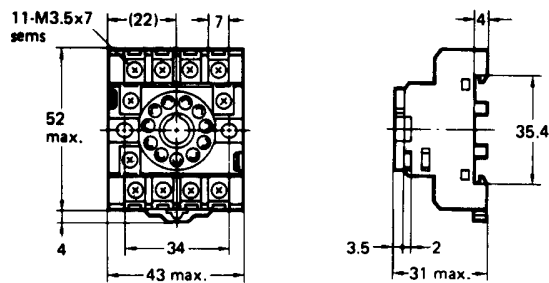
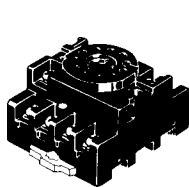
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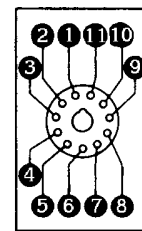
## ■ SOCKETS

## PF113A-E Track-Mount Socket

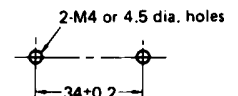
Socket PF113A-E and two hold-down clips are supplied with E3C-A and E3C-C amplifiers.



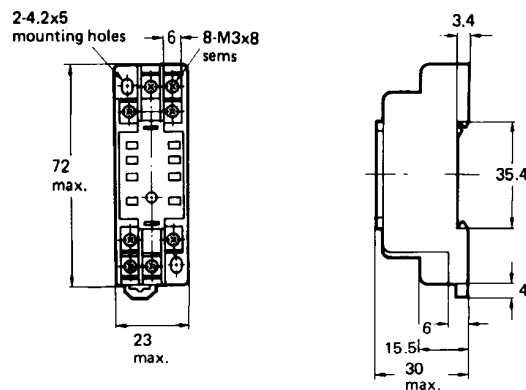
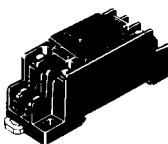
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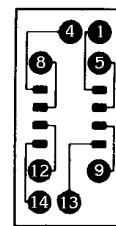
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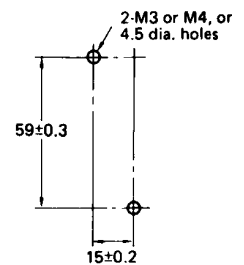
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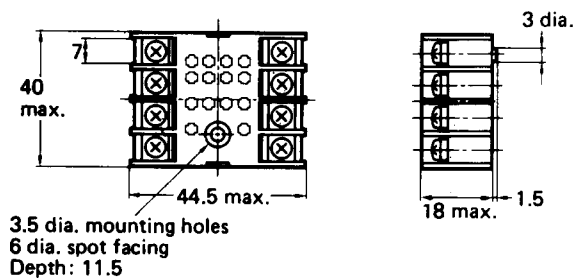
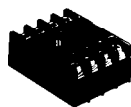
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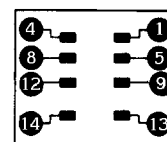
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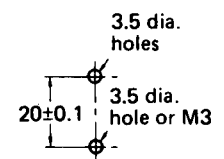
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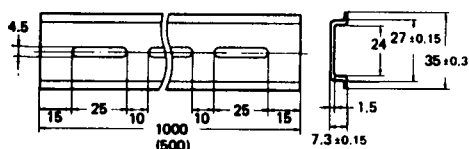


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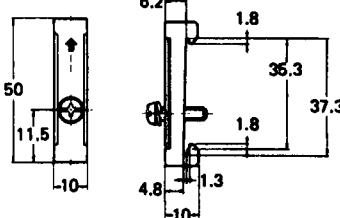


## ■ MOUNTING TRACK AND ACCESSORIES

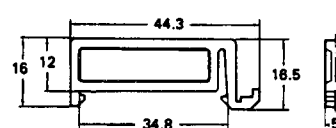
PFP-100N/PFP-50N DIN Rail



PFP-M End Plate



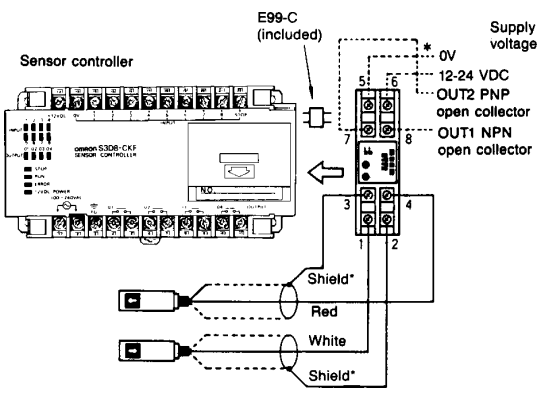
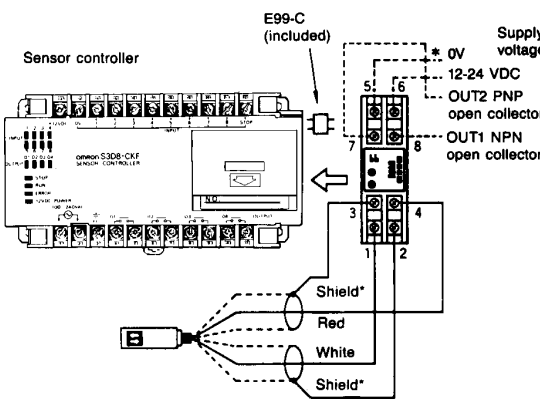
PFP-S Spacer



## Connections

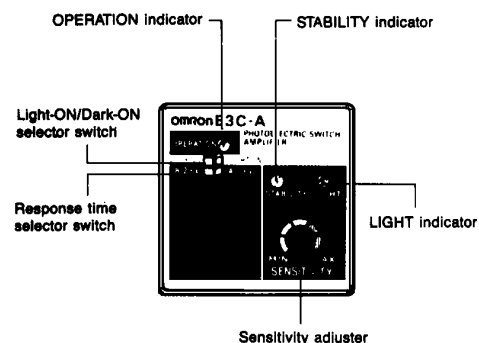
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E3C-A, E3C-C		
E3C-JB4P and E3C-JC4P		
E3C-GE4		
Notes	<p>*Shielded wires must not be peeled in excess of 2 cm (0.787 in) for receiver (white lead) and 5 cm (1.969 in) for the light source (red lead).</p> <p>**Response time is 1 ms when terminal 8 is left open and 2 ms when terminal 8 is short-circuited with the 0 V terminal of the power supply (negative side).</p>	

## Connections, continued

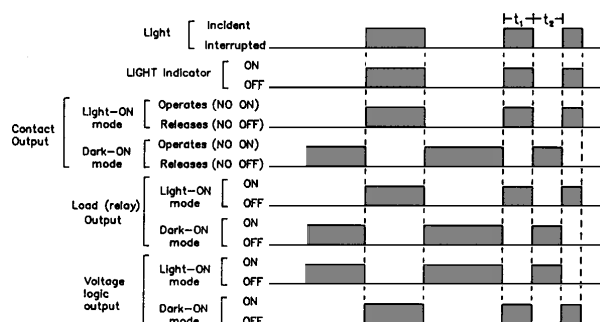
Amplifier model	Sensors	
	Through-beam type	Diffuse reflective type
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E3C-WH4F	 <p>NOTE: Terminals 5, 6, 7, and 8 are not used when connected to S3D8 or S3D-F sensor controllers.</p>	 <p>NOTE: Terminals 5, 6, 7, and 8 are not used when connected to S3D8 or S3D-F sensor controllers.</p>
Notes	*Shielded wires must not be peeled in excess of 2 cm (0.787 in) for the receiver (white lead) and 5 cm (1.969 in) for the light source (red lead).	*Shielded wires must not be peeled in excess of 2 cm (0.787 in).

## Operation

## ■ E3C-A Amplifier



## ■ E3C-A Timing Chart



## Selection of operation mode

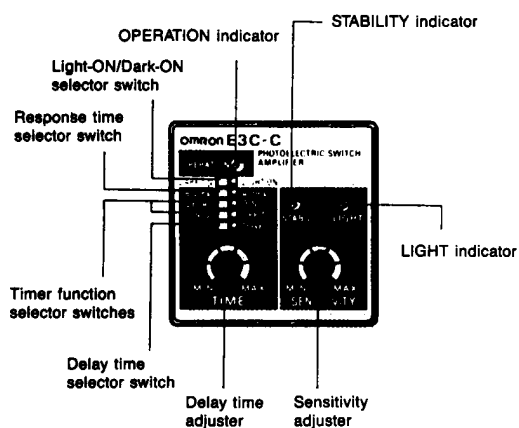
- DARK ON** ☐ **LIGHT ON** When light is incident, the output relay operates and solid-state output becomes high (H).
- DARK ON** ☐ **LIGHT ON** When light is interrupted, the output relay operates and the solid-state output becomes high (H).

NOTE: 1. Control output is produced only during the input time.  
2. When  $t$  exceeds 1 ms or 2 ms, solid-state output is produced. To produce relay contact output,  $t$  must be longer than 20 ms.

## Selection of response time

- 2 msec (B) ☐ 1 msec (A) The response time is set to 2 ms.
- 2 msec (B) ☐ 1 msec (A) The response time is set to 1 ms.

## ■ E3C-C AMPLIFIER



### Gate input operation

When the gate input terminal 9 is opened at HIGH level (6 to 30 VDC), the output relay performs the timer operation according to the input signal (light incident or light interrupted).

When the gate input terminal 9 is short-circuited with the 0 V terminal 2 at LOW level (0 to 2 VDC), the output relay releases without regard to the input signal or output state. The terminal generates an inhibit signal.

### Selection of operation mode

DARK ON ☐ LIGHT ON ☐ When light is incident, the output relay operates and solid-state output becomes high (H).

DARK ON ☐ LIGHT ON ☐ When light is interrupted, the output relay operates the solid-state output becomes high (H).

### Selection of response time

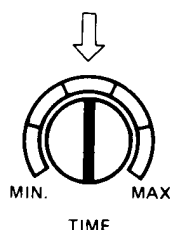
2msec (B) ☐ 1msec (A) ☐ The response time is set to 2 ms.

2msec (B) ☐ 1msec (A) ☐ The response time is set to 1 ms.

### Setting the delay time

1sec ☐ 10sec ☐ The delay time can be set within a range of 0.1 to 1 second.

1sec ☐ 10sec ☐ The delay time can be set within a range of 1 to 10 seconds.

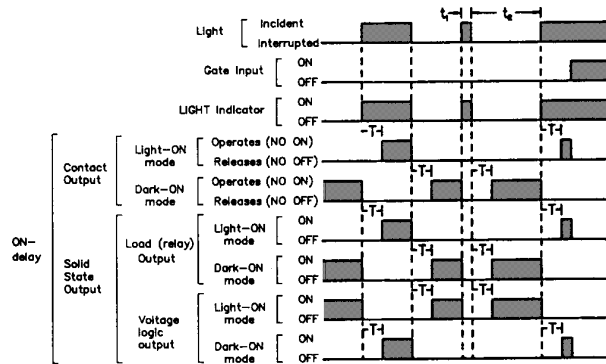


After selecting the delay time range by slide switch, set the delay time adjuster to the specific value. Turn the adjuster clockwise to increase the delay time.

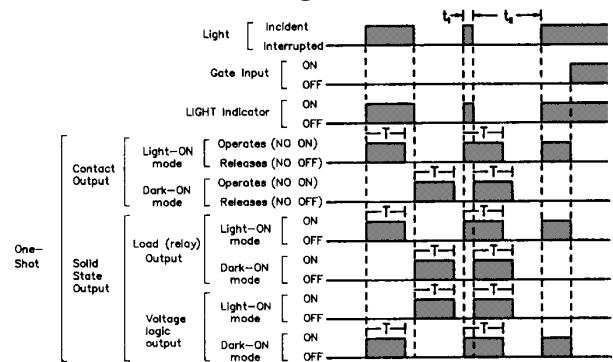
### Selecting timer function

ON D. (ON-delay) operation	<div> DARK ON <input type="checkbox"/> LIGHT ON <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired.  2ms (B) <input type="checkbox"/> 1ms (A) <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired.  DELAY <input type="checkbox"/> O.S.D. <input type="checkbox"/>  ON D <input type="checkbox"/> OFF D <input type="checkbox"/>  1sec <input type="checkbox"/> 10sec <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired. </div>
OFF D. (OFF-delay) operation	<div> DARK ON <input type="checkbox"/> LIGHT ON <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired.  2ms (B) <input type="checkbox"/> 1ms (A) <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired.  DELAY <input type="checkbox"/> O.S.D. <input type="checkbox"/>  ON D <input type="checkbox"/> OFF D <input type="checkbox"/>  1sec <input type="checkbox"/> 10sec <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired. </div>
O.S.D. (One-shot delay) operation	<div> DARK ON <input type="checkbox"/> LIGHT ON <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired.  2ms (B) <input type="checkbox"/> 1ms (A) <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired.  DELAY <input type="checkbox"/> O.S.D. <input type="checkbox"/>  ON D <input type="checkbox"/> OFF D <input type="checkbox"/> → Position of this switch is independent of this operation.  1sec <input type="checkbox"/> 10sec <input type="checkbox"/> → Set to either position as desired. </div>

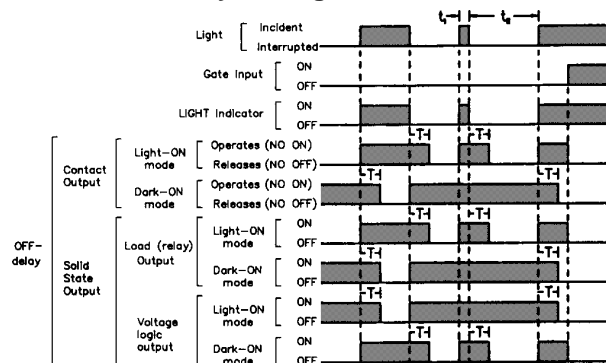
## E3C-C ON-Delay Timing Chart



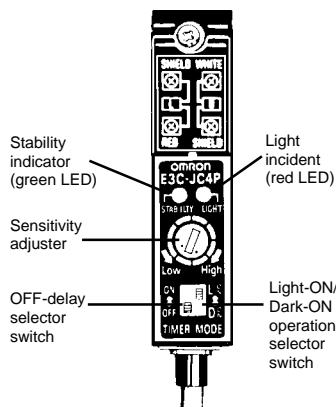
## E3C-C One-Shot Timing Chart



## E3C-C OFF-Delay Timing Chart

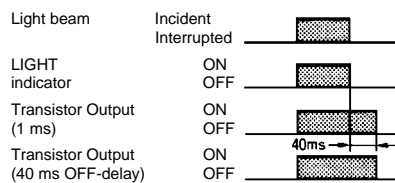


## ■ E3C-JB4P, E3C-JC4P AMPLIFIERS

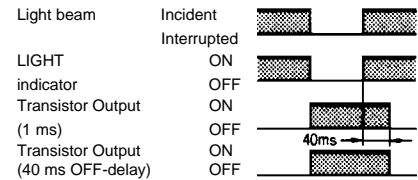


## Timing Charts

## Light-ON



## Dark-ON

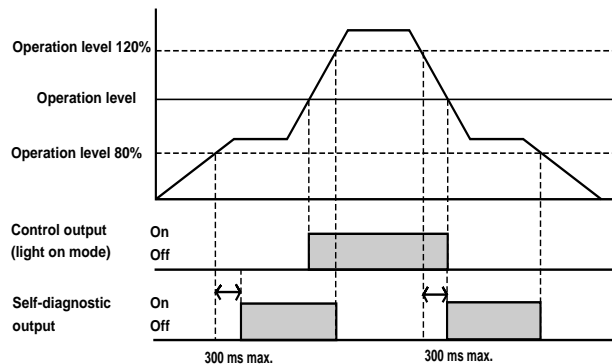


## Alarm Output Timing Chart

The alarm output operates when the control output approaches critical OFF or ON state for more than 300 ms. An unstable state occurs when the amount of light incident upon the receiving element is within 20% of the amount of light needed to change the control output state.

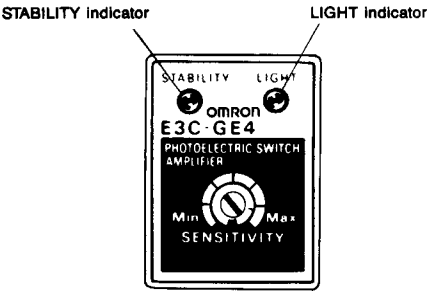
The alarm output feature is designed to indicate gradual changes in sensor/reflector position, atmosphere, temperature or ambient light which result in an unstable control output. A change occurring less than 300 ms will not cause the alarm output to operate.

A 300 ms time delay is built into the alarm output circuit. This prevents false triggering of the alarm output as the leading and trailing edges of the object to be detected are sensed. The time can be extended by using an ON-delay timer in the circuit.





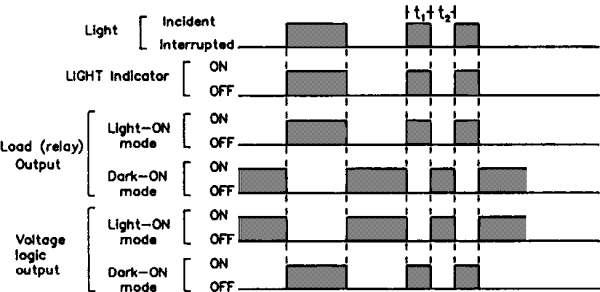
E3C-GE4 , E3C-GF4 AMPLIFIER



Selection of response time

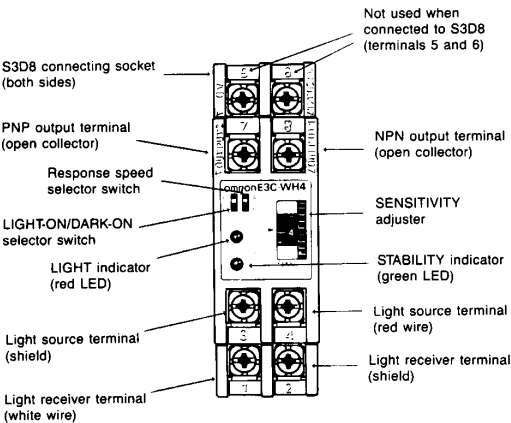
Response	Wiring
1 ms	Terminal 8 open
2 ms	Terminal 8 shorted with terminal 4 (0 V)

E3C-GF4 Timing Chart

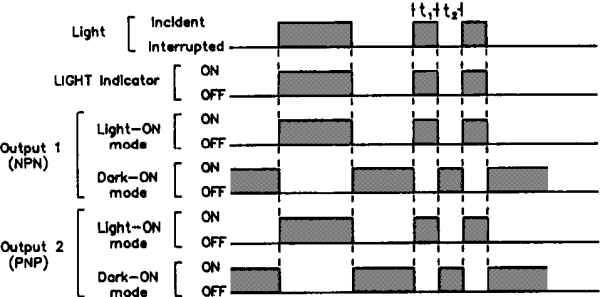


NOTE:  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  must exceed selected response time (1 or 2 ms) before solid-state output states will change.

E3C-WH4F AMPLIFIER

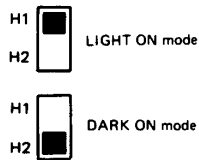


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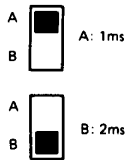


NOTE:  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  must exceed selected response time (1 or 2 ms) before solid-state output states will change.

Selection of operation mode



Selection of response time





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