Rectangular Proximity Sensor

A Variety of Models Available for a Wide Range of Applications



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Ordering Information

■ TL-N□□MD DC 2-wire Models

Shield	Sensing distance	Operation mode	Model
Non-shielded		NO	TL-N7MD1
	7 mm	NC	TL-N7MD2
	10 mm	NO	TL-N12MD1
		NC	TL-N12MD2
	20 mm	NO	TL-N20MD1
		NC	TL-N20MD2

Note: Models with a different frequency are available to prevent mutual interference. The model numbers are TL-N MD 5 (e.g., TL-N7MD 15).

DC 3-wire and AC 2-wire Models

Shield	Operation	mode	_	Model	
Non-shielded		DC 3-wire Models	NPN	NO	TL-N5ME1 (See notes 2 and 3.)
			NPN	NC	TL-N5ME2 (See notes 2.)
	5 mm	AC 2-wire Models	AC 2-wire Models		TL-N5MY1
				NC	TL-N5MY2
		DC 3-wire Models	NPN	NO	TL-N10ME1 (See notes 2 and 3.)
			NPN	NC	TL-N10ME2 (See notes 2.)
	10 mm	AC 2-wire Models	AC 2-wire Models		TL-N10MY1
					TL-N10MY2
		DC 3-wire Models	NPN	NO	TL-N20ME1 (See notes 2 and 3.)
			NPN	NC	TL-N20ME2
	20 mm	AC 2-wire Models	AC 2-wire Models		TL-N20MY1
				NC	TL-N20MY2

Note 1. Models with a different frequency are available to prevent mutual interference. The model numbers are TL-N□ME□5 (e.g., TL-N5ME15).
2. Each of these models has a cable with a standard length of 5 m.

3. Each of these models with a robot cable is available and classified with the suffix "R" added to the model number (e.g., TL-N5ME1-R).

Ratings/Characteristics

TL-N_MD DC 2-wire Models

Item		TL-N7MD	TL-N12MD	TL-N20MD			
Power supply ve voltage range)	oltage (operating	12 to 24 VDC (10 to 30 VDC), ripple (p-p): 10% max.					
Leakage curren	t	0.8 mA max.					
Sensing object		Ferrous metal (Refer to Engineering	g Data for non-ferrous metal)				
Sensing distant	e	7 mm ±10%	12 mm ±10%	20 mm ±10%			
Set distance (st object)	andard sensing	0 to 5.6 mm (iron, 30 x 30 x 1 mm)	0 to 9.6 mm (iron, 40 x 40 x 1 mm)	0 to 16 mm (iron, 50 x 50 x 1 mm)			
Differential trav	el	10% max. of sensing distance					
Response spee (See note.)	d	0.5 kHz		0.3 kHz			
Operation mode object approach	e (with sensing hing)	D1 Models: NO D2 Models: NC					
Control output	Load current	3 to 100 mA DC					
	Residual voltage	3.3 V max. (Load current: 100 mA , Cable length: 2 m)					
Protection circu	iits	Short-circuit protection and surge suppressor					
Indicator		D1 Models: Operation indicator (red LED) and setting indicator (green LED) D2 Models: Operation indicator (red LED)					
Ambient temper	rature	Operating/storage: -25°C to 70°C (with no icing or condensation)					
Ambient humid	ity	Operating/storage: 35% to 95%					
Temperature int	luence	\pm 10% max. of sensing distance at 23°C in the temperature range of –25°C to 70°C					
Voltage influence	e	$\pm 2.5\%$ max. of sensing distance in \pm	the rated voltage range $\pm 15\%$				
Insulation resis	tance	e 50 MΩ min. (at 500 VDC) between current-carrying parts and case					
Dielectric streng	gth	1,000 VAC for 1 min between current-carrying parts and case					
Vibration resist	ance	10 to 55 Hz, 1.5-mm double amplitude for 2 hours each in X, Y, and Z directions					
Shock resistand	e	1,000 m/s ² 10 times each in X, Y, a	nd Z directions				
Degree of prote	ction	IEC 60529 IP67					
Weight (with 2-m cable)		Approx. 145 g	Approx. 170 g Approx. 240 g				
Material	Case	Heat-resistant ABS resin					
	Sensing surface	Heat-resistant ABS resin					

Note: The response speed is an average value. Measurement conditions are as follows: standard sensing object, a distance of twice the standard sensing objects, and a set distance of half the sensing distance.

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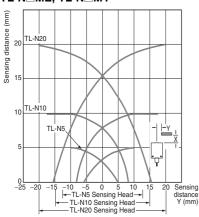
DC 3-wire and AC 2-wire Models

	Item	TL-N5ME , TL-N5MY	TL-N10ME , TL-N10MY	TL-N20ME , TL-N20MY			
Power supply v voltage range) (oltage (operating See note 1.)	E Models: 12 to 24 VDC (10 to 30 VDC), ripple (p-p): 10% max. Y Models: 100 to 220 VAC (90 to 250 VAC), 50/60 Hz					
Current consum	nption	E Models: 8 mA at 12 V, 15 mA a	t 24 V				
Leakage curren	t	Y Models: Refer to Engineering D	Pata.				
Sensing object		Ferrous metal (Refer to Engineering Data for non-ferrous metal)					
Sensing distand	e	5 mm ±10%	10 mm ±10%	20 mm ±10%			
Set distance (st object)	andard sensing	0 to 4 mm (iron, 30 x 30 x 1 mm)	0 to 8 mm (iron, 40 x 40 x 1 mm)	0 to 16 mm (iron, 50 x 50 x 1 mm)			
Differential trav	el	15% max. of sensing distance		•			
Response spee (See note 2.)	d	E Models: 500 Hz Y Models: 10 Hz		E Models: 40 Hz Y Models: 10 Hz			
Operation mode (with sensing o	e bject approaching)	E1 Models: NO E2 Models: NC Y1 Models: NO Y2 Models: NC					
Control output	Load current	E Models: 100 mA max. at 12 VDC, 200 mA max. at 24 VDC Y Models: 10 to 200 mA					
	Residual voltage	E Models: 1 V max. (Load current: 200 mA) Y Models: Refer to <i>Engineering Data.</i>					
Protection circu	lits	E Models: Reverse polarity protection and surge suppressor Y Models: Surge suppressor					
Ambient temperature Operating/storage: -25°C to 70°C (with no icing or condensatio			(with no icing or condensation)				
Ambient humid	ity	Operating/storage: 35% to 95%					
Temperature inf	fluence	\pm 10% max. of sensing distance at 23°C in the temperature range of –25°C to 70°C					
Voltage influend	ce	E Models: $\pm 2.5\%$ max. of sensing distance in the rated voltage range $\pm 10\%$ Y Models: $\pm 1\%$ max. of sensing distance in the rated voltage range $\pm 10\%$					
Insulation resis	tance	50 M Ω min. (at 500 VDC) between current-carrying parts and case					
Dielectric stren	gth	DC Models: 1,000 VAC, 50/60 Hz for 1 min between current-carrying parts and case AC Models: 2,000 VAC, 50/60 Hz for 1 min between current-carrying parts and case					
Vibration resist	ance	10 to 55 Hz, 1.5-mm double amplitude for 2 hours each in X, Y, and Z directions					
Shock resistand	ce	500 m/s ² 10 times each in X, Y, and Z directions					
Degree of prote	ction	IEC 60529: IP67					
Weight (with 2-r	n cable)	Approx. 145 g	Approx. 170 g Approx. 240 g				
Material	Case	Heat-resistant ABS resin					
	Sensing surface	Heat-resistant ABS resin					

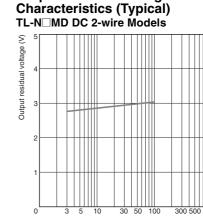
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Engineering Data

Operating Range (Typical) TL-N ME, TL-N MY



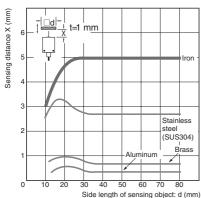
TL-NCIMD DC 2-wire Models



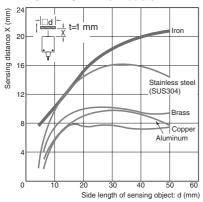
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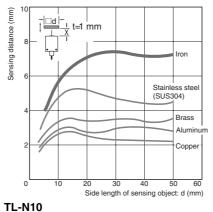
100 300 500 1,000 Load current (mA)

Sensing Object Size and Material vs. Sensing Distance (Typical) TL-N5 TL-N7MD DC 2-wire Models



TL-N20MD DC 2-wire Models





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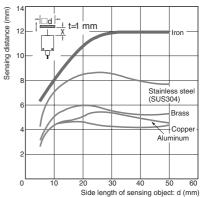
Brass

Aluminum

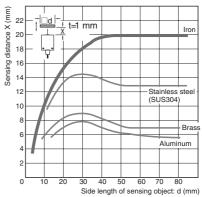
60 70 80

Side length of sensing object: d (mm)

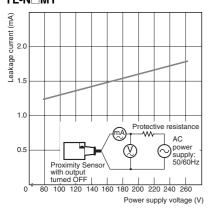
TL-N12MD DC 2-wire Models



TL-N20



Leakage Current Characteristics (Typical) TL-NDMY



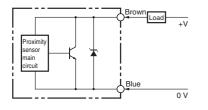
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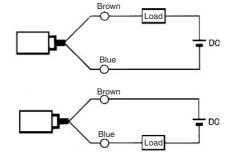
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Operation

■ Output Circuits

DC 2-wire Models

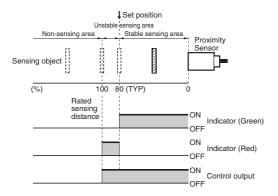




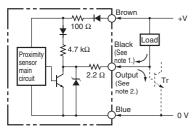
Note: The load can be connected in two ways as shown in the above diagrams.

Timing Charts

Normally Open Model



DC 3-wire Models



 NO
 NC

 Sensing object
 Yes

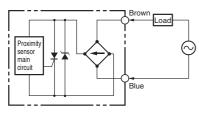
 Load (between brown and black leads)
 Operate Release

 Output voltage (between black and blue leads)
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 ON
 OFF

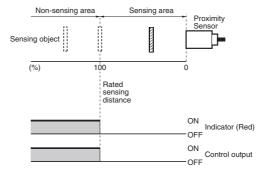
Note 1. 200 mA max. (load current) 2. When a transistor is connected.

AC 2-wire Models



		NO	NC
Consing object	Yes		
Sensing object	No —		
Load	Operate		
LUau	Release -		
0	ON		
Operation indicator	OFF —		

Normally Closed Model



Precautions

Do not use this Sensor in applications related to human safety.

This product is not designed or rated for ensuring safety of persons. Do not use it for such purposes.

Do not short-circuit the load, otherwise the TL-N may be damaged. Do not supply power to the TL-N with no load, otherwise the TL-N may be damaged.

Applicable Models: AC 2-wire Models

Precautions for Correct Use

Influence of Surrounding Metals

When the TL-N is surrounded by metal, keep at least the following distances between the TL-N and the metal.



(Unit: mm)

Distance	TL-N7MD	TL-N12MD	TL-N20MD	TL-N5ME TL-N5MY	TL-N10ME TL-N10MY	TL-N20ME□ TL-N20MY□
A (See note.)	40	50	70	20	40	80
B (See note.)	35	40	60	23	30	45

Note: The figures are applicable for one metal object, otherwise the figure must be multiplied by the number of metal objects.

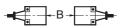
Mutual Interference

When two or more Sensors are mounted face-to-face or side-byside, keep them separated at the following distances or greater.

Side-by side



Face-to-face



(Unit: mm)

Distance	TL-N7MD	TL-N12MD	TL-N20MD	TL-N5ME	TL-N5MY	TL-N10ME TL-N10MY	TL-N20ME TL-N20MY
A	100 (50)	120 (60)	200 (100)	80 (40)	80 (40)	120 (60)	200 (100)
В	120 (60)	200 (100)	200 (100)	80 (40)	90 (40)	120 (60)	120 (60)

Note: Figures in parentheses will apply if the Sensors in use are different to each other in response speed.

Mounting

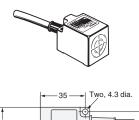
Make sure that each screw is tightened with a torque within a range of 0.9 to 1.5 $\text{N}{\cdot}\text{m}{\cdot}$

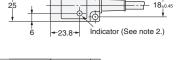
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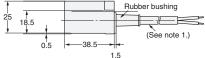
Dimensions

Note: All units are in millimeters unless otherwise indicated.

TL-N7MD



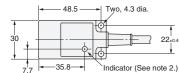


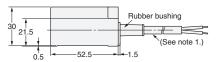


- Note 1. 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 2 Note 1. 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 2 conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.), Standard length: 2 m
 - 2. D1 Models: Operation indicator (red) and setting indicator (green) D2 Models: Operation indicator (red)
 - 3. The Y92E-C5 Mounting Bracket is provided with the TL-N7MD.



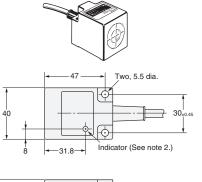
TL-N12MD





- conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.), Standard length: 2 m
- 2. D1 Models: Operation indicator (red) and setting indicator (green) D2 Models: Operation indicator (red)
- 3. The Y92E-C10 Mounting Bracket is provided with the TL-N12MD.

TL-N5ME

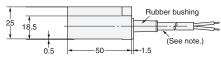


TL-N20MD

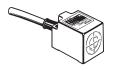


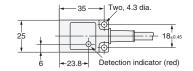
- Note 1. 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 2 conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.) Standard length: 2 m
 - 2. D1 Models: Operation indicator (red) and setting indicator (green) D2 Models: Operation indicator (red)
 - 3. The Y92E-C20 Mounting Bracket is provided with the TL-N20MD.

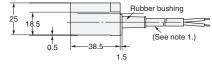
46.3 Two, 4.3 dia 25 Operation indicator (red) 6.2 -34.1



Note 1. 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 2 conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.), Standard length: 2 m







- Note 1. 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 3 conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.), Standard length: 2 m
 - 2. The Y92E-C5 Mounting Bracket is provided with the TL-N5ME.

TL-N5MY

TL-N10ME/N10MY

TL-N20ME/N20MY

Two, 5.5 dia.

Indicator (See note 2.)

Note 1. E Models: 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 3

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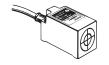
Rubber bushing

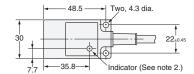
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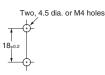


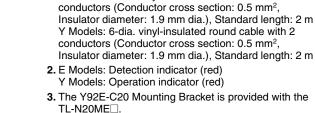




- Note 1. E Models: 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 3 conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.), Standard length: 2 m Y Models: 6-dia. vinyl-insulated round cable with 2 conductors (Conductor cross section: 0.5 mm², Insulator diameter: 1.9 mm dia.), Standard length: 2 m
 - 2. E Models: Detection indicator (red) Y Models: Operation indicator (red)
 - 3. The Y92E-C10 Mounting Bracket is provided with the TL-N10ME□.

Mounting Holes



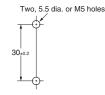


TL-N10ME/N10MY/N12MD

Two, 4.5 dia. or M4 holes

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TL-N20ME/N20MY/N20MD



Mounting Brackets

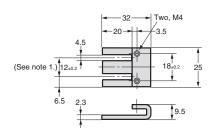
The Mounting Bracket is provided with TLN-ME/D DC models. The Mounting Bracket as an optional accessory is available to all models.

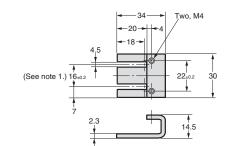
Y92E-C5

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Y92E-C10

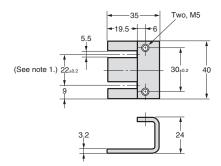
Applicable Models: TL-N10ME, TL-N10MY, and TL-N12MD





Y92E-C20

Applicable Models: TL-N20ME, TL-N20MY, and TL-N20MD



Note: These are the mounting dimensions of the base of the Mounting Bracket.

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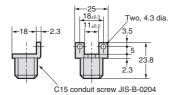
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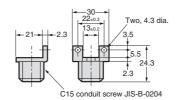
Y92E-N5C15

Applicable Models: TL-N5ME, TL-N5MY, and TL-N7MD

Y92E-N10C15

Applicable Models: TTL-N10ME, TL-N10MY, and TL-N12MD





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