



# IMB18-12NN0VC0S

IMB

INDUCTIVE PROXIMITY SENSORS

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## Ordering information

Type	Part no.
IMB18-12NNOVCOS	1072812

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## Detailed technical data

### Features

<b>Housing</b>	Cylindrical thread design
<b>Housing</b>	Standard
<b>Thread size</b>	M18 1
<b>Diameter</b>	Ø 18 mm
<b>Sensing range S<sub>n</sub></b>	12 mm
<b>Safe sensing range S<sub>a</sub></b>	9.72 mm
<b>Installation type</b>	Non-flush
<b>Switching frequency</b>	1,000 Hz
<b>Connection type</b>	Male connector M12, 4-pin <sup>1)</sup>
<b>Switching output</b>	NPN
<b>Output function</b>	NC
<b>Electrical wiring</b>	DC 3-wire
<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP68 <sup>2)</sup> IP69K <sup>3)</sup>
<b>Special features</b>	Resistant against coolant lubricants, Optical adjustment indicator

<sup>1)</sup> With gold plated contact pins.

<sup>2)</sup> According to EN 60529.

<sup>3)</sup> According to ISO 20653:2013-03.

### Mechanics/electronics

<b>Supply voltage</b>	10 V DC ... 30 V DC
<b>Ripple</b>	≤ 10 %
<b>Voltage drop</b>	≤ 2 V <sup>1)</sup>

<sup>1)</sup> At I<sub>a</sub> max.

<sup>2)</sup> Without load.

<sup>3)</sup> U<sub>b</sub> and T<sub>a</sub> constant.

<sup>4)</sup> Of S<sub>r</sub>.

<sup>5)</sup> Valid if toothed side of nut is used.

<sup>6)</sup> Reference voltage DC 50 V.

<b>Current consumption</b>	≤ 10 mA <sup>2)</sup>
<b>Hysteresis</b>	3 % ... 20 %
<b>Reproducibility</b>	≤ 2 % <sup>3) 4)</sup>
<b>Temperature drift (of S<sub>r</sub>)</b>	± 10 %
<b>EMC</b>	According to EN 60947-5-2
<b>Continuous current I<sub>a</sub></b>	≤ 200 mA
<b>Short-circuit protection</b>	✓
<b>Reverse polarity protection</b>	✓
<b>Power-up pulse protection</b>	✓
<b>Shock and vibration resistance</b>	100 g / 2 ms / 500 cycles; 150 g / 1 Mio cycles; 10 Hz ... 55 Hz / 1 mm; 55 Hz ... 500 Hz / 60 g
<b>Ambient operating temperature</b>	-40 °C ... +100 °C
<b>Housing material</b>	Stainless steel, V2A (1.4305)
<b>Sensing face material</b>	Plastic, LCP
<b>Housing length</b>	65 mm
<b>Thread length</b>	39 mm
<b>Tightening torque, max.</b>	Typ. 90 Nm <sup>5)</sup>
<b>Protection class</b>	II <sup>6)</sup>
<b>UL File No.</b>	E181493

1) At I<sub>a</sub> max.

2) Without load.

3) U<sub>b</sub> and T<sub>a</sub> constant.

4) Of S<sub>r</sub>.

5) Valid if toothed side of nut is used.

6) Reference voltage DC 50 V.

### Reduction factors

<b>Note</b>	The values are reference values which may vary
<b>Stainless steel (V2A, 304)</b>	Approx. 0.7
<b>Aluminum (Al)</b>	Approx. 0.43
<b>Copper (Cu)</b>	Approx. 0.37
<b>Brass (Br)</b>	Approx. 0.43

### Installation note

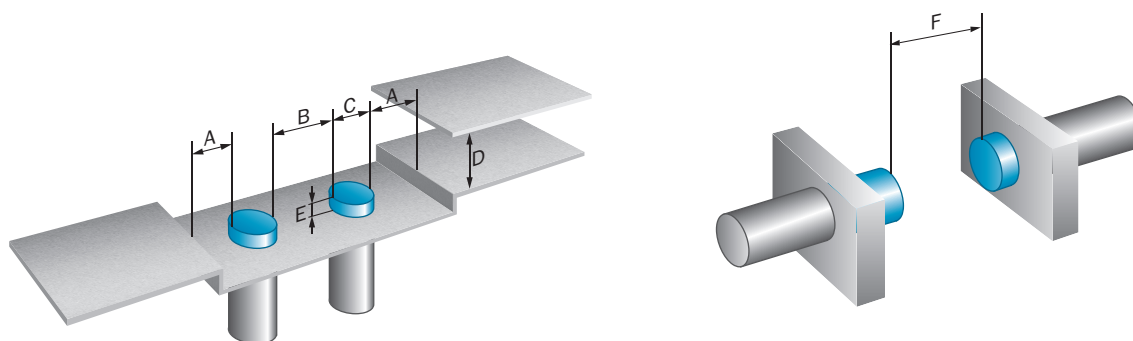
<b>Remark</b>	Associated graphic see "Installation"
<b>A</b>	18 mm
<b>B</b>	45 mm
<b>C</b>	18 mm
<b>D</b>	36 mm
<b>E</b>	12 mm
<b>F</b>	96 mm

### Classifications

<b>ECl@ss 5.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECl@ss 5.1.4</b>	27270101

<b>ECl@ss 6.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECl@ss 6.2</b>	27270101
<b>ECl@ss 7.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECl@ss 8.0</b>	27270101
<b>ECl@ss 8.1</b>	27270101
<b>ECl@ss 9.0</b>	27270101
<b>ETIM 5.0</b>	EC002714
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<b>UNSPSC 16.0901</b>	39122230

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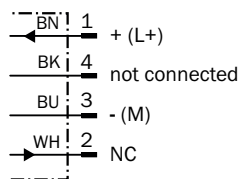
Adjustments possible

Normally closed



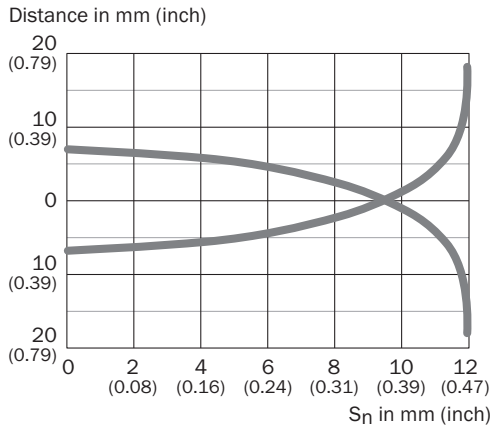
Connection diagram

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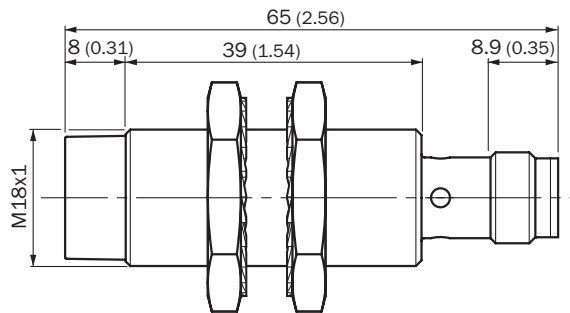
### Characteristic curve

Non-flush installation






### Dimensional drawing (Dimensions in mm (inch))

IMB18 Standard, connector M12, non-flush




### Recommended accessories

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	Brief description	Type	Part no.
<b>Universal bar clamp systems</b>			
	Plate N06N for universal clamp bracket, M18, Stainless steel 1.4571 (sheet), Stainless steel 1.4408 (clamp), Universal clamp (5322627), mounting hardware	BEF-KHS-N06N	2051622
	Plate N11N for universal clamp bracket, Stainless steel 1.4571 (sheet), Stainless steel 1.4408 (clamp), Universal clamp (5322626), mounting hardware	BEF-KHS-N11N	2071081
<b>Mounting brackets and plates</b>			
	Mounting plate for M18 sensors, stainless steel, without mounting hardware	BEF-WG-M18N	5320948

	<b>Brief description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Part no.</b>
	Mounting bracket for M18 sensors, stainless steel, without mounting hardware	BEF-WN-M18N	5320947
<b>Plug connectors and cables</b>			
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: Flying leads Cable: PP, unshielded, 2 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-G02MRN	6058291
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: Flying leads Cable: PP, unshielded, 5 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-G05MRN	6058476
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled with LED Head B: Flying leads Cable: PP, unshielded, 2 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-L02MRN	6058482
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled with LED Head B: Flying leads Cable: PP, unshielded, 5 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-L05MRN	6058483
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled Head B: Flying leads Cable: PP, unshielded, 2 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-W02MRN	6058474
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled Head B: Flying leads Cable: PP, unshielded, 5 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DOL-1204-W05MRN	6058477
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 2 m	YF2A14-020UB3XLEAX	2095607
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 5 m	YF2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2095608
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 5 m	YG2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2095767

	<b>Brief description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Part no.</b>
	Head A: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 2 m	YM2A14-020UB3XLEAX	2095867
	Head A: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 5 m	YM2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2095858
   	Head A: male connector, M12, 4-pin, angled, A-coded Head B: Flying leads Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 5 m	YN2A14-050UB3XLEAX	2096628
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled Head B: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Cable: PP, unshielded, 2 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DSL-1204-B02MRN	6058502
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, angled Head B: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Cable: PP, unshielded, 5 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DSL-1204-B05MRN	6058503
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Cable: PP, unshielded, 2 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DSL-1204-G02MRN	6058499
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Head B: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight Cable: PP, unshielded, 5 m This product is generally resistant to chemical cleaning agents (see ECOLAB) and other chemical compounds such as H2O2 and CH2O2. Before permanent installation is carried out, the material's resistance to the cleaning agent being used must be checked., Resistant against lactic acid & hydrogen peroxide (H2O2)	DSL-1204-G05MRN	6058500
	Head A: female connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Head B: male connector, M12, 4-pin, straight, A-coded Cable: Sensor/actuator cable, PUR, halogen-free, unshielded, 5 m	YF2A14-050UB3M2A14	2096001

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