Model Number

MLV41-55/40a/92/102/126b

Retroreflective sensor
with 4-pin, M12 x 1 connector

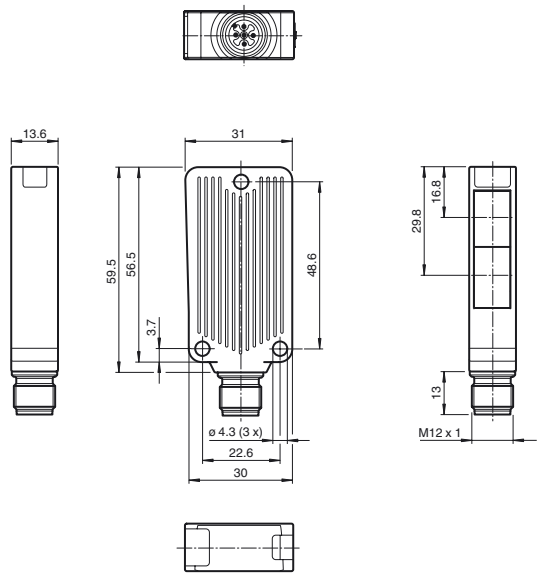
Features

- Rugged series in corrosion-resistant metal housing
- Extremely high switching frequency
- Clear and functional display concept for the operating modes
- Resistant against noise: reliable operation under all conditions
- Aluminum housing with high quality Delta-Seal coated

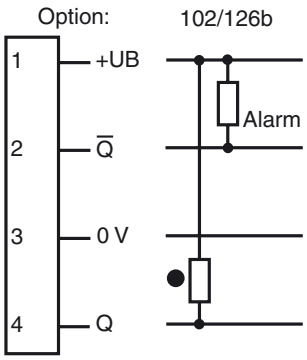
Product information

The unique and extremely popular design of the MLV41 series enables it be mounted correctly in confined areas and offers all the functions that are normally only found on larger photoelectric sensors. The MLV41 series comes with a range of functions. For example, highly visible status LEDs on the front and back, resistance to ambient light, crosstalk protection and universally applicable output stages that permit every possible switching logic and polarity to be realized. The enhanced resistance to ambient light ensures reliable operation even where modern energy-saving lamps with electronic ballasts are in use. The same applies where multiple devices are present, i.e. the use of a number of sensors in the same vicinity causes no problems.

Dimensions

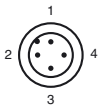


Electrical connection



○ = Light on
● = Dark on

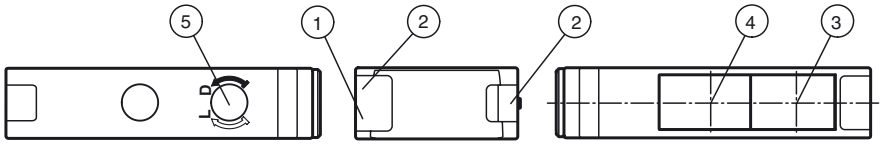
Pinout



Wire colors in accordance with EN 60947-5-2

1	BN	(brown)
2	WH	(white)
3	BU	(blue)
4	BK	(black)

Indicators/operating means



1	Operating display green	3	Optical axis transmitter	5	Light/dark switch
2	Function display yellow	4	Optical axis receiver		

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Technical data

General specifications		
Effective detection range		0 ... 8 m
Reflector distance		0.1 ... 8 m
Threshold detection range		10 m
Reference target		H85-2 reflector
Light source		LED
Light type		modulated visible red light , 625 nm
Polarization filter		yes
Angle deviation		max. ± 1.5 °
Diameter of the light spot		approx. 300 mm at detection range 8.5 m
Angle of divergence		1.5 °
Optical face		frontal
Ambient light limit		20000 Lux
Functional safety related parameters		
$MTTF_d$		844 a
Mission Time (T_M)		20 a
Diagnostic Coverage (DC)		0 %
Indicators/operating means		
Operation indicator		LED green, statically lit Power on , Undervoltage indicator: Green LED, pulsing (approx. 0.8 Hz) , short-circuit : LED green flashing (approx. 4 Hz)
Function indicator		LED yellow, lights up when light beam is free, flashes when falling short of the stability control
Control elements		rotary switch for light/dark
Electrical specifications		
Operating voltage	U_B	10 ... 30 V DC
Ripple		max. 10 %
No-load supply current	I_0	max. 30 mA
Output		
Pre-fault indication output		1 NPN function reserve output (alarm), short-circuit protected, reverse polarity protected, open collector
Switching type		light/dark on switchable
Signal output		1 NPN output, short-circuit protected, reverse polarity protected, open collector
Switching voltage		max. 30 V DC
Switching current		max. 100 mA
Voltage drop	U_d	≤ 2.5 V DC
Switching frequency	f	1000 Hz
Response time		0.5 ms
Conformity		
Product standard		EN 60947-5-2
Ambient conditions		
Ambient temperature		-40 ... 60 °C (-40 ... 140 °F)
Storage temperature		-40 ... 75 °C (-40 ... 167 °F)
Mechanical specifications		
Housing width		31 mm
Housing height		56.5 mm
Housing depth		13.6 mm
Degree of protection		IP67
Connection		4-pin, M12 x 1 connector
Material		
Housing		Aluminum , Delta-Seal coated
Optical face		glass pane
Connector		metal
Mass		50 g
Approvals and certificates		
UL approval		cULus Listed 57M3 (Only in association with UL Class 2 power supply; Type 1 enclosure)
CCC approval		CCC approval / marking not required for products rated ≤36 V

Accessories

OMH-09
Mounting bracket for Sensors series MLV41 for M12 rod mounting

OMH-40
Mounting bracket

V1-G-2M-PUR
Female cordset, M12, 4-pin, PUR cable

V1-W-2M-PUR
Female cordset, M12, 4-pin, PUR cable

Other suitable accessories can be found at www.pepperl-fuchs.com

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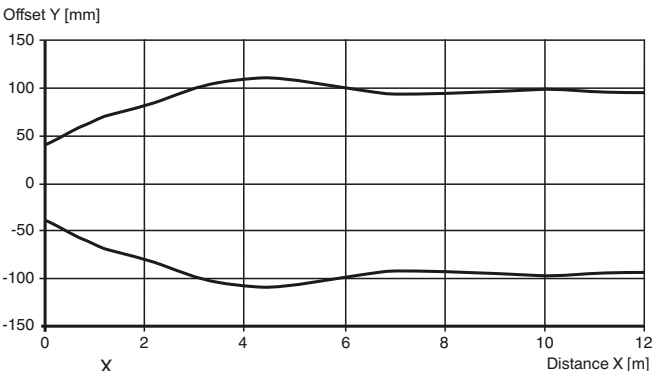
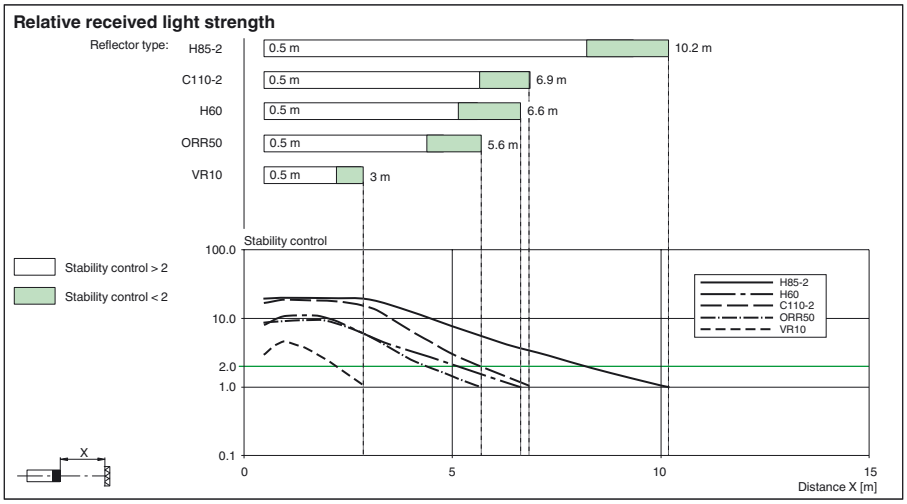
Curves/Diagrams

Characteristic response curve



Relative received light strength



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