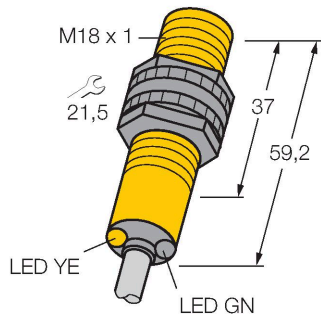


# S18SN6RE

## Photoelectric Sensor – Opposed Mode Sensor (Receiver)



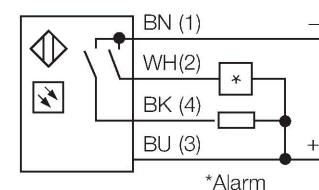
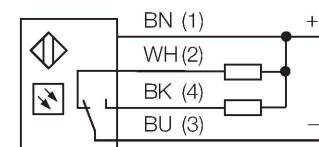
### Technical data

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| Type                        | S18SN6RE                        |
| ID                          | 3037076                         |
| <b>Optical data</b>         |                                 |
| Function                    | Opposed mode sensor             |
| Operating mode              | Emitter/receiver pair           |
| Range                       | 0...20000 mm                    |
| <b>Electrical data</b>      |                                 |
| Operating voltage           | 10...30 VDC                     |
| No-load current             | ≤ 25 mA                         |
| Short-circuit protection    | yes / Cyclic                    |
| Reverse polarity protection | yes                             |
| Output function             | Connection programmable, NPN    |
| Switching frequency         | ≤ 160 Hz                        |
| Readiness delay             | ≤ 100 ms                        |
| Response time typical       | < 3 ms                          |
| Overcurrent release         | > 220 mA                        |
| <b>Mechanical data</b>      |                                 |
| Design                      | Tube, S18                       |
| Dimensions                  | Ø 18 mm                         |
| Housing material            | Plastic, Thermoplastic material |
| Lens                        | plastic, Polycarbonate          |
| Electrical connection       | Cable, 2 m, PVC                 |
| Number of cores             | 4                               |
| Core cross-section          | 0.5 mm <sup>2</sup>             |
| Ambient temperature         | -40...+70 °C                    |
| Protection class            | IP67<br>IP69                    |

### Features

- Cable, 2 m
- Protection class IP67
- Ambient temperature: -40...+70 °C
- Selectable light/dark operation or light operation with alarm function
- Operating voltage: 10...30 VDC
- NPN switching output, changeover

### Wiring diagram

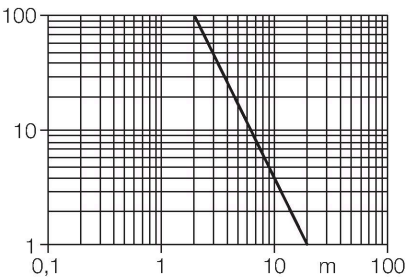


### Functional principle

Opposed mode sensors consist of an emitter and receiver. They are installed opposite each other so that the light from the emitter is aimed directly at the receiver. When an object interrupts or weakens the light beam, the sensor switches. Opposed mode sensors are the most reliable photoelectric sensors for detection of opaque targets. An excellent contrast between light and dark conditions and an extremely high excess gain are typical of this sensing mode, thus allowing operation over larger distances and under difficult conditions. Excess gain curve  
Excess gain in relation to the distance

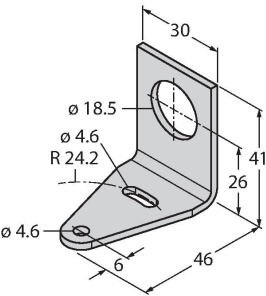
Technical data

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| Special features       | Encapsulated<br>Wash down |
| Power-on indication    | LED, Green                |
| Switching state        | LED, Yellow               |
| Error indication       | LED, green, Flashing      |
| Excess gain indication | LED                       |
| Alarm display          | LED yellow Flashing       |
| Tests/approvals        |                           |
| Approvals              | CE, UL, CSA               |



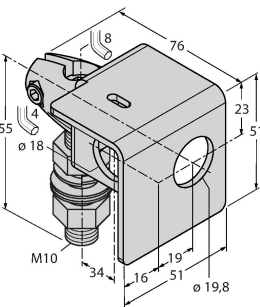
Accessories

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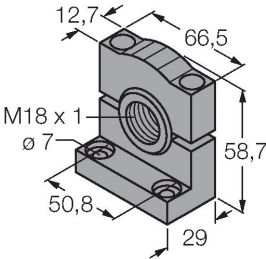
Mounting bracket, rectangular, stainless steel, for sensors with 18 mm thread

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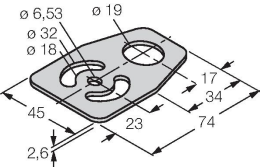
Mounting bracket, material VA 1.4401, for M10 x 1.5 thread, thread length 18 mm

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Mounting bracket, PTB black, for sensors with 18 mm thread

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Mounting bracket, stainless steel, for sensors with 18 mm thread