



Description

Bulletin 875C and 875CP capacitive proximity sensors are self-contained solid-state devices designed for noncontact sensing of a wide range of materials.

Unlike inductive proximity sensors, the 875C and 875CP can detect nonmetal solids and liquids in addition to standard metal targets. They can even sense the presence of some targets through certain other materials, making them an ideal choice in some applications where inductive proximity and photoelectric sensors cannot be used.

Each unit has an adjustable sensing distance and is equipped with two LEDs to indicate power and output. They are housed in either a nickel-plated brass barrel (shielded models) or a plastic barrel (unshielded models) which meets NEMA 12 and IP65 (IEC 529) enclosure standards. Connection options include PVC cable as well as micro and pico quick-disconnect.

Features

- Metal, nonmetal solid and liquid sensing capability
- Adjustable sensing distance
- Cable or quick-disconnect styles
- Short circuit^❶, overload^❶, reverse polarity^❶, and transient noise protection.
- CE marked for all applicable directives

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875C 3-Wire DC

Plastic Face/Threaded Nickel-Plated Brass Barrel



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**Features**

- Metal, nonmetal solid and liquid sensing capability
- Adjustable sensing distance
- 3-wire operation
- 3-conductor, 3-pin or 4-pin connection
- Normally open or normally closed output
- Short circuit, overload, reverse polarity, and transient noise protection
- CE marked for all applicable directives

Specifications

	12mm	18mm	30mm
Load Current	≤ 200mA	≤ 200mA	≤ 400mA
Leakage Current	0.3mA	0.1mA	0.1mA
Operating Voltage	10–36V DC	10–60V DC	10–60V DC
Voltage Drop	≤ 2V	≤ 2V	≤ 3V
Repeatability	≤ 10%		
Hysteresis	≤ 20%		
Transient Noise Protection	Incorporated		
Reverse Polarity Protection	Incorporated		
Short Circuit Protection	Incorporated		
Overload Protection	Incorporated		
Approval	CE marked for all applicable directives		
Enclosure	NEMA 12, IP65 (IEC 529) Nickel-plated brass barrel		
Connections	Cable: 2-meter length 3-conductor PVC Quick-Disconnect: 4-pin micro 3-pin pico		
LEDs	Green: Power Yellow: Output		
Operating Temperature	–25°C to +70°C (–13°F to +158°F)		

Correction Factors

Target Material	Correction Factor
Acetone	0.75
Acrylic Resin	0.10 – 0.25
Air	0.0
Alcohol	0.85
Ammonia	0.70 – 0.85
Aniline	0.40
Aqueous Solutions	0.98 – 1.0
Bakelite	0.20
Benzene	0.10
Carbon Dioxide	0.0
Carbon Tetrachloride	0.10
Celluloid	0.15
Cement Powder	0.25
Cereal	0.15 – 0.30
Chlorine Liquid	0.10
Ebonite	0.15
Epoxy Resin	0.15 – 0.35
Ethanol	0.85
Ethylene Glycol	0.93
Fired Ash	0.05
Flour	0.05
Freon R22 & 502 (liquid)	0.35
Gasoline	0.10
Glass	0.20 – 0.55
Glycerine	0.98
Marble	0.50
Melamine Resin	0.25 – 0.55
Mica	0.35
Nitrobenzine	0.93
Nylon	0.20 – 0.30
Oil Saturated Paper	0.25
Paraffin	0.10
Paper	0.10

Correction Factors

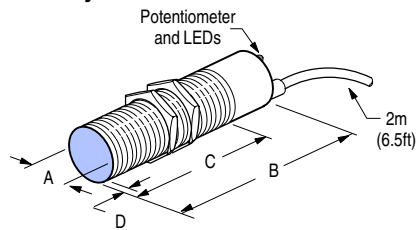
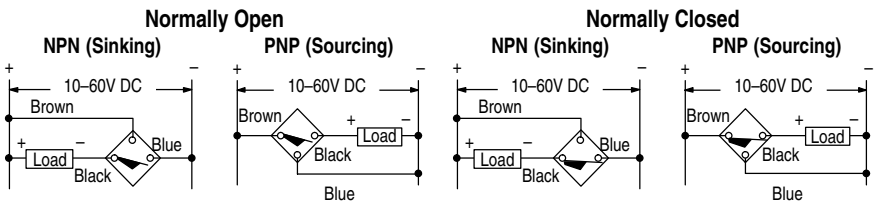
Target Material	Correction Factor
Perspex	0.15
Petroleum	0.05
Phenol Resin	0.20 – 0.60
Polyacetal	0.20
Polyamide	0.30
Polyester Resin	0.15 – 0.50
Polyethylene	0.10
Polypropylene	0.10
Polystyrene	0.15
Polyvinyl Chloride Resin	0.15
Porcelain	0.25 – 0.40
Powdered Milk	0.20
Press Board	0.10 – 0.30
Quartz Glass	0.20
Rubber	0.15 – 0.90
Salt	0.35
Sand	0.15 – 0.30
Shellac	0.15 – 0.25
Shell Lime	<0.05
Silicon Varnish	0.15
Soybean Oil	0.15
Styrene Resin	0.15
Sugar	0.15
Sulphur	0.15
Teflon	0.10
Toluene	0.10
Transformer Oil	0.10
Turpentine Oil	0.10
Urea Resin	0.30 – 0.45
Vaseline	0.10
Water	1.0
Wood, Dry	0.10 – 0.40
Wood, Wet	0.60 – 0.85

Selection Guide

Barrel Dia. & Type	Nominal Sensing Distance mm(inches)	Shielded	Output Configuration		Switching Frequency (Hz)	Catalog Number		
						Cable Style	Micro QD Style	Pico QD Style
12mm Threaded	0.04 (0.02) to 2 (0.08)	Y	N.O.	PNP	25	875C-D2NP12-A2	—	—
	2 (0.08)					—	—	875C-D2NP12-P3
18mm Threaded	1 (0.04) to 5 (0.20)			NPN		875C-D5NP18-A2	—	875C-D5NP18-P3
						875C-D5NN18-A2	—	875C-D5NN18-P3
			N.C.	PNP		875C-D5CP18-A2	—	875C-D5CP18-P3
				NPN		875C-D5CN18-A2	—	875C-D5CN18-P3
30mm Threaded	2 (0.08) to 10 (0.39)		N.O.	PNP		875C-D10NP30-A2	875C-D10NP30-D4	—
				NPN		875C-D10NN30-A2	875C-D10NN30-D4	—
			N.C.	PNP		875C-D10CP30-A2	875C-D10CP30-D4	—
				NPN		875C-D10CN30-A2	875C-D10CN30-D4	—
Recommended Standard QD Cordset (–2 = 2m (6.5ft))							889D-F4AC-2	889P-F3AB-2

QD Cordsets and Accessories

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Dimensions—mm (inches)**Cable Style****Wiring Diagram**

Thread Size	mm (inches)			
	A	B	C	D
M12 x 1	12.0 (0.47)	61.5 (2.42)	40.5 (1.59)	1.0 (0.04)
M18 x 1	18.0 (0.71)	82.0 (3.23)	61.0 (2.40)	1.0 (0.04)
M30 x 1.5	30.0 (1.18)	82.0 (3.23)	61.0 (2.40)	1.0 (0.04)

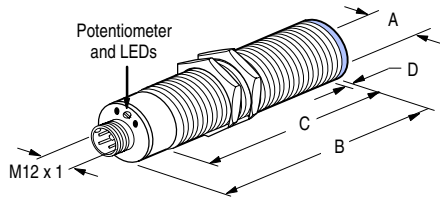
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875C 3-Wire DC

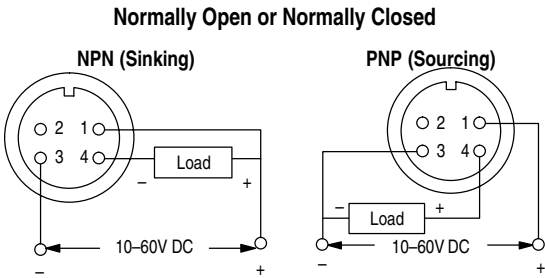
Plastic Face/Threaded Nickel-Plated Brass Barrel

Dimensions—mm (inches)

Micro QD Style

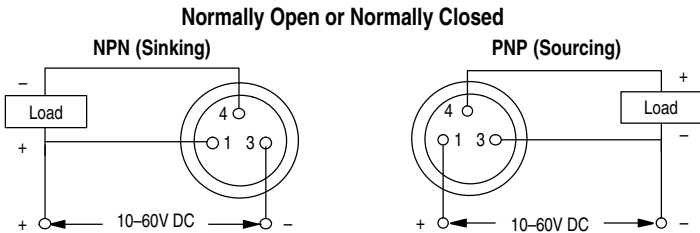
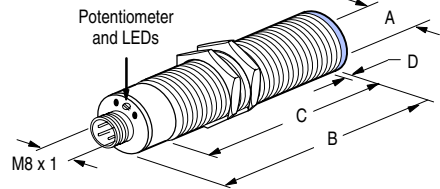


Wiring Diagram



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Pico QD Style



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	A	B	C	D
M12 x 1	12.0 (0.47)	63.5 (2.50)	40.5 (1.59)	1.0 (0.04)
M18 x 1	18.0 (0.71)	82.0 (3.23)	61.0 (2.40)	1.0 (0.04)



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875CP DC Micro
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875CP DC Pico
Quick-Disconnect Style
Threaded Barrel 18mm
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Features

- Metal, nonmetal solid and liquid sensing capability
- Adjustable sensing distance
- 3-wire operation
- 3-conductor, 3-pin or 4-pin connection
- 10–60V DC
- Normally open or normally closed output
- Short circuit, overload, reverse polarity and transient noise protection
- CE marked for all applicable directives

Specifications

	18mm	30, 34mm
Load Current	≤ 200mA	≤ 400mA
Leakage Current	0.1mA	
Operating Voltage	10–60V	
Voltage Drop	<2V	<3V
Repeatability	≤ 10%	
Hysteresis	≤ 20%	
Transient Noise Protection	Incorporated	
Reverse Polarity Protection	Incorporated	
Short Circuit Protection	Incorporated	
Overload Protection	Incorporated	
Approval	CE marked for all applicable directives	
Enclosure	NEMA 12, IP65 (IEC 529) Plastic barrel	
Connections	Cable: 2-meter length 3-conductor PVC Quick-Disconnect: 4-pin micro 3-pin pico	
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Acrylic Resin	0.10 – 0.25
Air	0.0
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Ammonia	0.70 – 0.85
Aniline	0.40
Aqueous Solutions	0.98 – 1.0
Bakelite	0.20
Benzene	0.10
Carbon Dioxide	0.0
Carbon Tetrachloride	0.10
Celluloid	0.15
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Cereal	0.15 – 0.30
Chlorine Liquid	0.10
Ebonite	0.15
Epoxy Resin	0.15 – 0.35
Ethanol	0.85
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Phenol Resin	0.20 – 0.60
Polyacetal	0.20
Polyamide	0.30
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Polyethylene	0.10
Polypropylene	0.10
Polystyrene	0.15
Polyvinyl Chloride Resin	0.15
Porcelain	0.25 – 0.40
Powdered Milk	0.20
Press Board	0.10 – 0.30
Quartz Glass	0.20
Rubber	0.15 – 0.90
Salt	0.35
Sand	0.15 – 0.30
Shellac	0.15 – 0.25
Shell Lime	<0.05
Silicon Varnish	0.15
Soybean Oil	0.15
Styrene Resin	0.15
Sugar	0.15
Sulphur	0.15
Teflon	0.10
Toluene	0.10
Transformer Oil	0.10
Turpentine Oil	0.10
Urea Resin	0.30 – 0.45
Vaseline	0.10
Water	1.0
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875CP 3-Wire DC

Plastic Face/Threaded or Smooth Plastic Barrel

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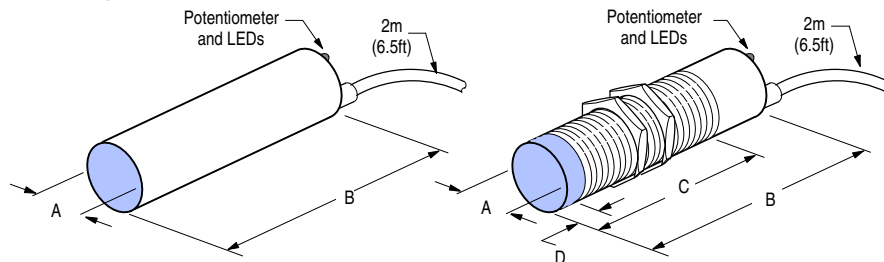
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						Cable Style	Micro QD Style	Pico QD Style
18mm Threaded	2 (0.08) to 8 (0.31)	N	N.O.	PNP	25	875CP–D8NP18–A2	—	875CP–D8NP18–P3
				NPN		875CP–D8NN18–A2	—	875CP–D8NN18–P3
			N.C.	PNP		875CP–D8CP18–A2	—	875CP–D8CP18–P3
				NPN		875CP–D8CN18–A2	—	875CP–D8CN18–P3
30mm Threaded	5 (0.20) to 20 (0.79)		N.O.	PNP		875CP–D20NP30–A2	875CP–D20NP30–D4	—
				NPN		875CP–D20NN30–A2	875CP–D20NN30–D4	—
			N.C.	PNP		875CP–D20CP30–A2	875CP–D20CP30–D4	—
				NPN		875CP–D20CN30–A2	875CP–D20CN30–D4	—
34mm Smooth	7 (0.28) to 30 (1.18)		N.O.	PNP		875CP–DM30NP34–A2	875CP–DM30NP34–D4	—
				NPN		875CP–DM30NN34–A2	875CP–DM30NN34–D4	—
			N.C.	PNP		875CP–DM30CP34–A2	875CP–DM30CP34–D4	—
				NPN		875CP–DM30CN34–A2	875CP–DM30CN34–D4	—
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QD Cordsets and Accessories

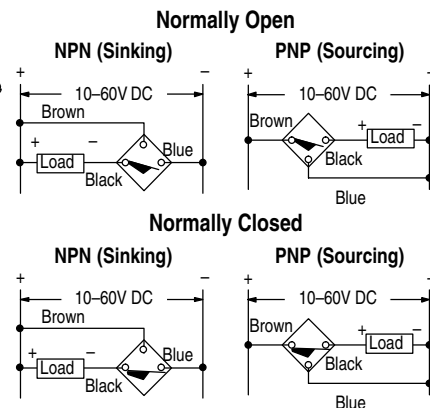
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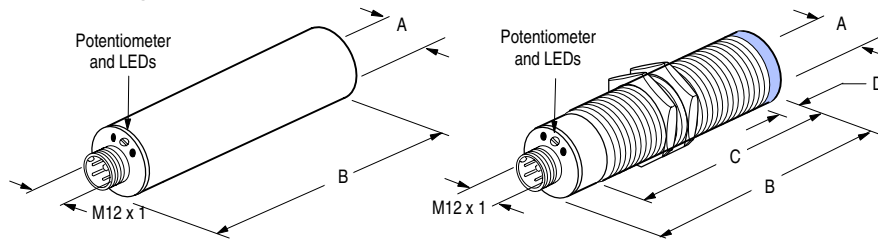
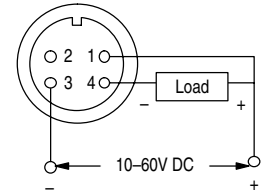
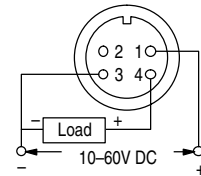
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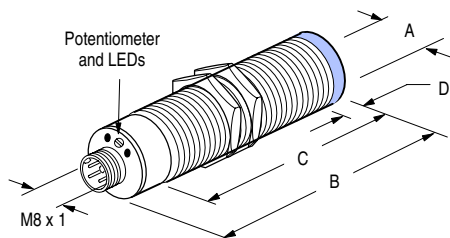
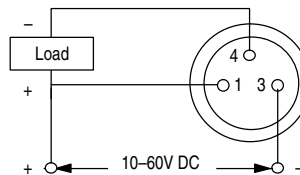
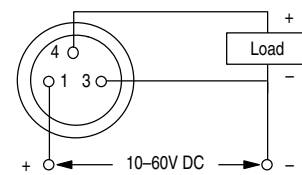
Wiring Diagram



Diameter or Thread Size	mm (inches)			
	A	B	C	D
M18 x 1	18.0 (0.71)	81.0 (3.19)	60.0 (2.36)	20.0 (0.79)
M30 x 1.5	30.0 (1.18)	81.0 (3.19)	60.0 (2.36)	20.0 (0.79)
Ø34	34.0 (1.34)	82.0 (3.23)	N/A	N/A

Dimensions—mm (inches)**Micro QD Style****Wiring Diagram****Normally Open or Normally Closed
NPN (Sinking)****PNP (Sourcing)**

Diameter or Thread Size	mm (inches)			
	A	B	C	D
M30 x 1.5	30.0 (1.18)	81.0 (3.19)	60.0 (2.36)	20.0 (0.79)
Ø34	34.0 (1.34)	82.0 (3.23)	N/A	N/A

Pico QD Style**Normally Open or Normally Closed****NPN (Sinking)****PNP (Sourcing)**

Diameter or Thread Size	mm (inches)			
	A	B	C	D
M18 x 1	18.0 (0.71)	81.0 (3.19)	60.0 (2.36)	20.0 (0.79)

875CP 2-Wire AC

Plastic Face/Threaded or Smooth Plastic Barrel



875CP AC Cable Style
Smooth Barrel
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875CP AC Cable Style
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875CP AC Micro Quick-Disconnect Style
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875CP AC Micro Quick-Disconnect Style
Threaded Barrel
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**Specifications**

Load Current	≤ 300mA
Inrush Current	2A
Leakage Current	3.0mA at 132V AC 3.5mA at 250V AC
Operating Voltage	20–250V
Voltage Drop	<10V
Repeatability	≤ 10%
Hysteresis	≤ 20%
Transient Noise Protection	Incorporated
Enclosure	NEMA 12, IP65 (IEC 529) Plastic barrel
Approval	CE marked for all applicable directives
Connections	Cable: 2-meter length 2-conductor PVC Quick-Disconnect: 3-pin micro
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Correction Factors

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Acetone	0.75
Acrylic Resin	0.10 – 0.25
Air	0.0
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Aniline	0.40
Aqueous Solutions	0.98 – 1.0
Bakelite	0.20
Benzene	0.10
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Powdered Milk	0.20
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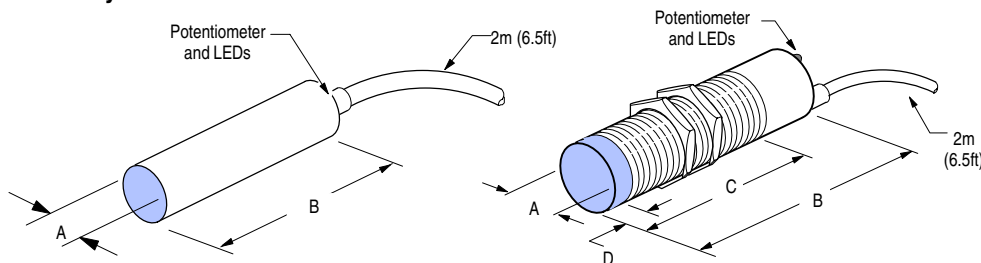
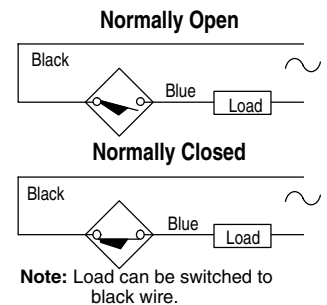
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			N.C.		875CP-A8C18-A2	—	
30mm Threaded	5 (0.20) to 20 (0.79)		N.O.		875CP-A20N30-A2	875CP-A20N30-R3	
			N.C.		875CP-A20C30-A2	875CP-A20C30-R3	
34mm Smooth	7 (0.28) to 30 (1.18)		N.O.		875CP-AM30N34-A2	875CP-AM30N34-R3	
			N.C.		875CP-AM30C34-A2	875CP-AM30C34-R3	
Recommended Standard QD Cordset (–2 = 2m (6.5ft))						889R-F3ACA-2	

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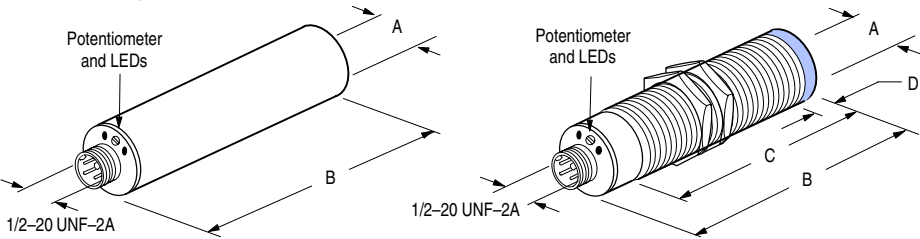
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875CP 2-Wire AC

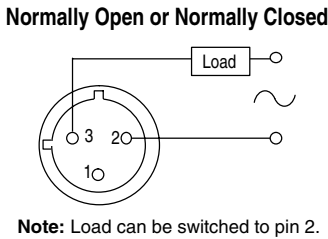
Plastic Face/Threaded or Smooth Plastic Barrel

Dimensions—mm (inches)

Micro QD Style



Wiring Diagram



Diameter or Thread Size	mm (inches)			
	A	B	C	D
M30 x 1.5	30.0 (1.18)	81.0 (3.19)	60.0 (2.36)	20.0 (0.79)
Ø34	34.0 (1.34)	82.0 (3.23)	N/A	N/A