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Linear and Distance Position Sensors Line Guide



Precision, down the line. Honeywell Sensing and Control (S&C) Linear and Distance Position Sensors consist of Linear Potentiometric and Ultrasonic products.

Potentiometer Sensors measure linear, rotary position or displacement using technology developed for potential military applications, then adapted to industrial segments. Our proprietary conductive plastic delivers extensive temperature range and infinite resolution, and provides precision position measurement.

Ultrasonic Sensors measure time delays between emitted and echo pulses, often accurately determining the sensor-to-target distance. These non-contact-based products solve the toughest sensing problems by detecting targets made of virtually any material — regardless of color, transparency, shine or opacity.

FEATURES

LINEAR POTENTIOMETRIC SENSORS AQLT Series.

Features: 1/2 inch body diameter
Multiple finger-wiper design • Extruded wiper block guides • MystR[®] plastic element • Anodized extruded aluminum housing • Sealed construction • Precious metal contact • Absolute continuous measurement • Infinite resolution
Tolerates clamping loads • Tested up to one billion operations • Intrinsically safe for Class I, II and III Division I, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G for hazardous (indoor/ outdoor) NEMA 4 locations

Benefits: Fits in tight spaces and clamps easily to cylinders. Improves shock and vibration performance. Smooth quiet motion; extends operating life. Enhanced performance in hostile environments. Low noise level often. Accurate position at power up. Magnetic actuator replaces the shaft found in traditional linear transducers and often eliminates need for additional stroke length mounting space. Enhanced life and often reliable operation in potential applications including in-tank level sensing, robotic motion control, woodworking guides, seismology, packaging and processing equipment, animated characters, marine steering systems, off-road vehicles, semiconductor process equipment, and medical equipment.

AQMLT Series.

Features: 3/8 inch body diameter • Multiple finger-wiper design • Extruded wiper block guides • MystR® plastic element • Anodized extruded aluminum housing • Sealed construction • Precious metal contact • Absolute continuous measurement • Infinite resolution

• Tolerates clamping loads • Tested up to one billion operations • Intrinsically safe

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Reliable. Quiet. Flexible.

Our linear and distance sensors offer every benefit you demand, from resisting extensive vibration to delivering enhanced product life. That's why Honeywell S&C is trusted the world over.

Linear Potentiometric

Sensors: These units feature rugged extruded aluminum housings to withstand harsh chemicals and immersion in oils or water. Potential applications include robotic motion control, marine steering, in-tank level sensing, injection molding machine, printing presses, and paper-folding machines. Construction features include: extended life PTFE bearings, precious-metal multi-finger contact wipers, and MYSTR[®] conductive plastic thick film elements.

Ultrasonic: We offer

analog or digital units, plus programmable versions for tailored applications — as well as a selection of plastic or stainless-steel housings, and diameters and termination styles. Particularly effective detecting clear or shiny objects, or in particle-laden air and splashing liquid environments. Potential applications include level measurement, height and thickness sensing, and diameter control. Other benefits include easy installation, improved scanning ranges, brand performance, one-stop convenience, and global service and sourcing.

Linear Potentiometric	/-	
Sensors	AQLT Series	AQMLT Series
Description	shaftless, waterproof linear position transducer	shaftless, waterproof linear position transducer
Operating temperature range	-40 °C to 80 °C [-40 °F to 176 °F]	-40 °C to 80 °C [-40 °F to 176 °F]
Supply voltage	30 Vdc max.	30 Vdc max.
Linearity	±1%	±1%
Starting force (max.)	56,7 g max. [2 oz max.]	28,35 g max. [1 oz max.]
Backlash	NA	NA
Total resistance	6K to 38K Ohms	750 - 18K Ohm
Measurement range	127 mm to 965 mm [5 in to 38 in]	12,7 mm to 304,8 mm [.5 in to 12 in]
Shaft	NA	NA
Total mechanical travel	154,94 mm to 967,74 mm [6.1 in to 38.1 in]	15,24 mm to 307,34 mm [0.6 in to 12.1 in]
Electrical travel	152,4 mm to 965,2 mm [6 in to 38 in]	12,7 mm to 304,8 mm [0.5 in to 12 in]
Housing length	electrical travel + 54,87 mm [2.16 in]	electrical travel + 38,1 mm [1.5 in]
Vibration	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz
Shock	50 g 11 ms half sine	50 g 11 ms half sine
Expected operating life	one billion dither operations	one billion dither operations
Resistance tolerance	± 20 %	± 20 %
Insulation resistance	500 m0hm @ 500 Vdc	500 m0hm @ 500 Vdc
Dielectric strength	250 V rms	250 V rms
Termination	cable	cable

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	LFII Series	SLF Series	LT Series
Description	vibration-resistant, plunger-driven linear transducer	short stroke version of the LFII	plunger-driven linear transducer
Operating temperature range	-65 °C to 105 °C [-85 °F to 221 °F]	-65 °C to 105 °C [-85 °F to 221 °F]	-40 °C to 80 °C [-40 °F to 176 °F]
Supply voltage	30 Vdc max.	40 Vdc max.	30 Vdc max.
Linearity	±1%	$\pm \ 1 \ \% \ or \ \pm \ 0.1 \ \%$	±1%
Starting force (max.)	0,45 kg [1 lb] (standard); LFIIW: 2,27 kg [5 lb] (water resistant)	1 lb (standard) 5 lb (water resistant)	28,35 g max. [1 oz max.]
Backlash	0,025 mm [0.001 in] max.	0,025 mm [0.001 in] max.	0,00508 mm [0.0002 in] max.
Total resistance	5000 Ohm	1500 Ohm to 9000 Ohm	1000 Ohm to 10000 Ohm
Measurement range	152 mm to 1219 mm [6 in to 48 in]	25 mm to 152 mm [1 in to 6 in]	25 mm to 254 mm [1 in to 10 in]
Shaft	Ø 6,35 mm [Ø 0.25 in]	Ø 6,35 mm [Ø 0.25 in]	Ø 3,18 mm [Ø 0.125]
Total mechanical travel	154,6 mm to 1221,4 mm [6.09 in to 48.09 in]	30,5 mm to 166,2 mm [1.2 in to 6.15 in]	26.7 mm to 255.3 mm [1.05 in to 10.05 in]
Electrical travel	152,4 mm to 1219,2 mm [6 in to 48 in]	25,4 mm to 152,4 mm [1 in to 6 in]	25.4 mm to 254 mm [1 in to 10 in]
Housing length	electrical travel + 81,02 mm [3.19 in]	electrical travel + 77,5 mm [3.05 in]	electrical travel + 38,10 mm [1.50 in]
Vibration	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz (for vibration levels up to 50 g rms and higher, additional housing clamps are required)	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz
Shock	50 g 11 ms half sine	50 g 11 ms half sine	50 g 11 ms half sine
Expected operating life	one billion dither operations	one billion dither operations	one billion dither operations
Resistance tolerance	± 20 %	± 20 %	± 20 %
Insulation resistance	1000 mOhm @ 500 Vdc	NA	500 mOhm @ 500 Vdc
Dielectric strength	1000 V rms	NA	1000 V rms
Termination	connector, binder series 681	connector, binder series 681	cable

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	MLT Series	DR Series
Description	plunger-driven linear transducer	Durastar rodless, space-saving side actuator
Operating temperature range	-40 °C to 80 °C [-40 °F to 176 °F]	-65 °C to 105 °C [-85 °F to 221 °F]
Supply voltage	30 Vdc max.	75 Vdc max.
Linearity	±1%	0.1 % from 1 to 100 % of theoretical electrical travel
Starting force (max.)	28,35 g max. [1 oz max.]	0,45 kg [1.0 lb]
Backlash	0,0127 mm [0.0005 in] max.	0,025 mm [0.001 in] max.
Total resistance	750 Ohm to 9000 Ohm	2000 Ohms to 10000 Ohm
Measurement range	13 mm to 152 mm [0.5 in to 6 in]	102 mm to 1270 mm [4 in to 50 in]
Shaft	Ø 3,18 mm [Ø 0.125]	M5 x 0.8 metric thread
Total mechanical travel	13,97 mm to 153,67 mm [0.55 in to 6.05 in]	106 mm to 1275 mm [4.2 in to 50.2 in]
Electrical travel	12,7 mm to 152,4 mm [0.5 in to 6 in]	101.6 mm to 1270 mm [4 in to 50 in]
Housing length	electrical travel + 30,48 mm [1.2 in]	250 mm to 1418 mm [9.84 in to 55.83 in]
Vibration	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz	20 g / 0,75 mm (rms) 5 hz to 2 khz
Shock	50 g 11 ms half sine	50 g 11 ms half sine
Expected operating life	one billion dither operations	one billion dither operations
Resistance tolerance	± 20 %	± 20 %
Insulation resistance	500 mOhm @ 500 Vdc	1000 mOhm @ 500 Vd
Dielectric strength	1000 V rms	1000 V rms
Termination	cable	Hirschmann GDM

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Ultrasonic Sensors



	940-F/947 Series	941-D Series
Range type	from 0.6 to 3 m [2 ft to 10 ft]	from 0.4 to 3.5 m [1.3.0 ft to 11.5 ft]
Output type	analog or switching	analog or switching
Supply voltage	19 Vdc to 30 Vdc	15 Vdc to 30 Vdc
Housing style	plastic M18 and M30	plastic square housing
Termination type	cable or connector	connector
Beam angle	8°	10°
Response time	50 ms, 90 ms	150 ms
Switching frequency	100 ms, 1 Hz, 8 Hz, 25 Hz	10 Hz
Repeatability	0,3 % or ±1 mm; 0,2 % or ±2 mm	±1 mm
Software programmable	NO	no
Teach in	NO	yes
Remote teach in	NO	NO
Synchronization output	yes	yes



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Ultrasonic Sensors		0	Honeywell Honeywell
	944 Series	946 Series	948 Series
Range type	from 0.4 m to 3.5 m [1.2 ft to 11.5 ft]	from 0,3 m to 6 m [0.93 ft to 19.69 ft]	0.3 m [1 ft]
Output type	analog and switching	analog and switching	switching
Supply voltage	19 Vdc to 30 Vdc	10 V to 30 V	18 Vdc to 30 Vdc
Housing style	plastic M18 and M30	stainless steel M30	2 pieces square plastic
Termination type	connector	M12 connector	cable
Beam angle	8°	5°	8°
Response time	-	21 ms, 65 ms, 145 ms, 195 ms, 285 ms, 850 ms	-
Switching frequency	0,8 Hz, 1 Hz, 8 Hz	-	-
Repeatability	0,4 % or ±2 mm	< 0,1 %	-
Software programmable	no	no	no
Teach in	yes	yes	no
Remote teach in	no	NO	no
Synchronization output	no	no	no

LFII Series.

Features: Vibration-damped element

• Spring-loaded ball wiper assembly

Extruded wiper carrier guides • Precious metal wipers • MystR[®] plastic elements
Stainless-steel shaft • Enhanced dc level output • Enhanced performance bearings
Infinite resolution • Absolute continuous measurement • Shaft seals • Water-resistant option available • Metric Series available • Tested up to one billion operations • Intrinsically safe for Class I, II and III Division I, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G for hazardous (indoor/outdoor) NEMA 4 locations

Benefits: No wiper bounce in high vibration environments. Smooth, easy operation under high side loads and large misalignment. Provides enhanced performance, low noise, no oxidation. Works with simple controllers. Enhanced life even under side load conditions. Often accurate position at power-up. Protects internal components from harsh environments. Potential applications include injection molding machines, printing presses, meat packing equipment, drill presses, woodworking machines, cranes, front-end loaders, and scales.

SLF Series.

Features: Precious metal wipers • .081 in thick housing with 6 mm [0.25 in] shaft • MystR® plastic elements • High level dc output • Enhanced performance bearings • Absolute continuous measurement • Shaft seals • Infinite resolution • Waterresistant option available • Tested up to one billion operations • Intrinsically safe for Class I, II and III Division I, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G for hazardous (indoor/ outdoor) NEMA 4 locations

Benefits: Provides enhanced performance, low noise. Rugged construction for manufacturing environment. Enhanced life even with side load conditions. Protects internal components from factory environment. Often accurate position at power-up. Works with simple controls. Provides a high resolution, often absolute position measurement without external signal conditioners. Potential applications include injection molding machines, printing presses, meat packing equipment, drill presses, woodworking machines, cranes, and front-end loaders.

LT Series.

Features: 1/2 in diameter • Dual-wiper design • Extruded wiper-block guides
MystR[®] plastic element • Stainless-steel shaft • Anodized extruded aluminum housing • Precious metal contact

- Absolute continuous measurement
- Shaft seals for spray-or-hose-down
- environments Infinite resolution

 Enhanced reliability
 Tested up to one billion operations
 Intrinsically safe for Class I, II and III Division I, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G for hazardous (indoor/ outdoor) NEMA 4 locations

Benefits: Fits into tight spaces, clamps easily to cylinders. Improves shock and vibration performance. Smooth, guiet motion; enhances operating life. Tolerates clamping loads. Rugged construction to withstand hostile environments. Often accurate position at power up. Provides usable output at high vibration levels for long periods. Diameter is among the smallest available and can replace displacement transducers in many applications. Potential applications include animated characters, gauging, fluid flow meters, seismology, semiconductor processing, linear actuators, hospital beds, and other medical equipment.

MLT Series.

Features: 3/8 in diameter • Dual-wiper design • Extruded wiper-block guides
MystR[®] plastic element • Stainless-steel shaft • Internal spring-loaded ball joint

- Anodized extruded aluminum housing
- Precious metal contact Absolute continuous measurement • Infinite resolution • Enhanced reliability • Tested up to one billion operations • Intrinsically safe for Class I, II and III Division I, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G for hazardous (indoor/outdoor) NEMA 4 locations

Benefits: Fits into tight spaces, clamps easily to cylinders. Improves shock and vibration performance. Smooth, quiet motion; extends operating life. Tolerates clamping loads. Rugged construction to withstand hostile environments. Often Often accurate position at power up. Provides usable output at high vibration levels for long periods. Reduces error from shaft misalignment. Diameter is among the smallest available and can replace displacement transducers in many applications. Potential applications include animated characters, gauging, fluid flow meters, seismology, semiconductor processing, linear actuators, hospital beds, and other medical equipment.

DR Series.

Features: Vibration-damped element

- Extended side bearing Extruded wipercarrier guides • Rugged ribbed housing
- Precious metal wipers MystR[®] plastic elements High dc level output
- Enhanced performance bearings
- Absolute continuous measurement
- Infinite resolution NEMA 4 sealing
- Tested up to one billion operations
- Intrinsically safe for Class I, II and III

Division I, Groups A, B, C, D, E, F, and G for hazardous (indoor/outdoor) NEMA 4 locations

Benefits: No wiper bounce in high vibration environments. Improved life under high misalignment. Smooth, whisper-quiet operation under large misalignment. Rugged construction to withstand hostile environments. Provides enhanced performance, low noise, no oxidation. Works with simple controllers. Enhanced life even under side load conditions. Often accurate position at power-up. This long lasting, rodless, sidesealed transducer may be used to replace rodded potentiometers in contaminated applications. Potential applications include injection molding machines, printing presses, meat packing equipment, drill presses, woodworking machines, cranes, front-end loaders, and scales.

ULTRASONIC SENSORS 940-F/947 Series.

Features: Maximum scan ranges from 0,6 m to 3,0 m [1.96 ft to 19.68 ft] • Plastic housing M18 (for 0,6 [1.96 ft] and 1,5 m [4.92 ft] models), M30 (for 3,5 m [11.48 ft] models) • Chemical-resistant epoxy heads • High sealing IP67 • Pre-leaded 2,0 m [78.75 in] or M12 connector models • Synchronizing/hold input • Adjustment by potentiometer • Micro-processor controlled • Temperature compensation

Benefits: Easy to use. Provide unprecedented ultrasonic power in a very small package. Provide one switching output (PNP or NPN open collector). Powerful ultrasonic beam detects even targets with bad ultrasonic characteristics (angled, soft, absorbent, and pulverulent). M18 or M30 package allows mounting in narrow places. Adjustment is simply performed by a potentiometer. The highsealing IP67, plastic housing, and the epoxy head provide enhanced resistance in aggressive environments like food and beverage or raw materials processing factories. Other potential applications include bottle counting, food processing machinery, filling machinery, crop handling machinery, and ground flatness detection for vehicles.

941-D Series.

Features: Limit switch-style sensor
Maximum scan range is 3,5 m [11.48 ft] • Plastic housing • Teach in • Sealing to IP67 • M12 connector, 5 pin • Visual indication • Four output options; analog (0 Vdc to 10 Vdc and 4 mA to 20 mA) and 2 PNP or 2 NPN switching outputs
Synchronizing/hold input • Two switch point adjustment via teach-in sequence
Temperature compensation • Easy installation • Competitively priced • Not affected by dust, light, and color • CE and UL/CSA approved

Benefits: Provides all high-end sensor features in a limit switch-style housing. Longer scanning distanced than inductive technology. Up to 3500 mm scanning distance with significantly reduced dead zones. Hysteresis adjustment and Microsoft® Windows® function are available, making this sensor an excellent replacement for more expensive devices. 32 mm thickness allows installation even if the space in potential application is reduced. Meets demanding application requirements including presence detection, applications with restricted space, slitter and rewinder machines, cranes, and loop control.

942 Series.

Features: Four models with scan ranges from 0.9 m to 3,0 m [2.95 ft to 9.84 ft] Stainless steel M30 heads, IP65 control box with screw terminals, IP40 • Synchronizing/hold input • Ultrasonic beam power (sensitivity) adjustable by switch • Four switching outputs, open collector PNP: set points 1 and 2, adjustable by coded wheels; underrange (target close), overrange (target far or absent) • NO/NC adjustable by switch • Two analog outputs (4 mA to 20 mA and 0 Vdc to 10 Vdc) • Temperature compensation • Most versatile sensors of all the product range • May be mounted in remote or difficult places (top of tanks, inside of machinery, hot places, etc.)

Benefits: Control box is mountable on DIN rail and houses all the adjustments. Adjustment can be performed in a matter of seconds via the coding wheels and switches on the front panel of the control box. Advanced programming is done on a PC, connected with the RS-232 link. The software (under Microsoft® Windows®) provides a very easy manmachine interface with extended possibilities: Digital Signal Processing parameters, cycle time, slope, etc. Potential applications include loop control, tank level measurement (liquids, crops, etc.), reel diameter measurement, and tire manufacturing.

943 Series.

Features: Remote teach-in/auto-tuning Windows and hysteresis mode • Scanning distances with minimized dead zone and extended maximum ranges from 60 mm to 3500 mm [2.4 in to 137.7 in] • Two switching outputs (each can be either NO or NC) or analog outputs (either voltage, 0 Vdc to 10 Vdc or current 4 mA to 20 mA) are available • Temperature compensation • Connector (M12, 5 pin) or cable version available • Plastic M18 or M30 (depending on the scanning ranges) with IP67

Benefits: Remote teach-in/auto-tuning of the switching or analog outputs. High power, small package, high sealing and chemical resistance. Can be located where space is at a premium. Ideal for potential industrial applications including reel diameter measurement, tank level measurement, presence absence of a person or object, loop control, product height measurement, and tire manufacturing.

944 Series.

Features: Eight models with scan ranges from 0,35 m to 3,5 m [1.14 ft to 11.48 ft] • Auto-tuning by one switch • Slope direction selection • NO/NC selection • Two switching outputs (open collector PNPs) • Analog output (4 mA to 20 mA or 0 Vdc to 10 Vdc) • Temperature compensation • M12 five-pin connector • M12 female connector included • Plastic M30 housing, IP67

Benefits: Provides the fullest range of functions in a complete package. Solves an even wider range of applications due to its very simple programming by auto-tuning. High power, small package, high sealing, chemical resistance. Potential applications include loop control, product height measurement, tank level measurement (liquids, crops, etc.), reel diameter measurement, and tire manufacturing.

946 Series.

Features: Scan ranges from 0,3 m to 6,0 m [0.93 ft to 19.68 ft] • Auto-tuning by four positions plug • Independent/Windows[®] output choice (switching output models)

- Stainless steel M30 housing, IP65 Two switching outputs, open collector PNP
- Temperature compensation M12 fourpin connector • Connector cable 2,0 m [78.75 in] included

Benefits: Provides a compromise between easy usage and advanced features. Adjustment is easily done by auto-tuning. By inserting a plug with four positions, one can program the sensor in a matter of seconds; the parameters are stored in a non-volatile memory (EEPROM). Potential applications include loop control, product height measurement, tank level measurement (liquids, crops, etc.), reel diameter measurement, and tire manufacturing.

948 Series.

Features: Sensing distance up to 300 mm [12 in] • Available in four output configurations: NO PNP, NO NPN, NC PNP, NC NPN • Switching frequency of 150 Hz • 2m [78.75 in] cable • IP67 sealing • Compact size

Benefits: Easy to install in limited space applications. Thru-scan detection regardless of the object material for enhanced detection. Non-contact distance sensing for use in non-invasive measurement. Reduced sensitivity to light intensity/reflectivity/opacity of target for enhanced flexibility and certainty of measurement. Detects over a much longer distance than other detection methods reducing the need for close proximity to the target. Presence absence, tank-fill level and diameter measurement provides a robust and flexible measurement method. Potential applications include food and beverage, rapid presence/ absence detection, bottle counting, and loop control.

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Failure to comply with these instructions could result in death or serious injury.

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