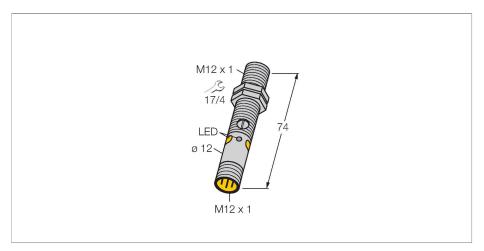
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# M12NDQ8 Photoelectric Sensor – Diffuse Mode Sensor



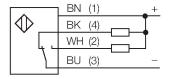
### Technical data

Туре	M12NDQ8		
ID no.	3077181		
Optical data			
Function	Proximity switch		
Operating mode	Diffuse		
Light type	Red		
Wavelength	660 nm		
Range	0400 mm		
Electrical data			
Operating voltage	1030 VDC		
Residual ripple	< 10 % U <sub>ss</sub>		
DC rated operational current	≤ 100 mA		
No-load current	≤ 20 mA		
Short-circuit protection	yes		
Reverse polarity protection	yes		
Output function	Complementary contact, NPN		
Switching frequency	≤ 1000 Hz		
Readiness delay	≤ 100 ms		
Response time typical	< 0.5 ms		
Setting option	Potentiometer		
Mechanical data			
Design	Threaded barrel, M12		
Dimensions	Ø 12 x 74 mm		
Housing material	Metal, Nickel-plated brass, Nickel-plated		
Lens	plastic, PMMA		
Electrical connection	Connectors, M12 × 1, PVC		
Number of cores	4		

### **Features**

- Male M12 × 1, 4-pin
- Protection classes IP67 / IP68
- Metal housing
- ■LED all-round visible
- ■Indication of insufficient excess gain
- Sensitivity adjustable via potentiometer
- Operating voltage: 10...30 VDC
- ■NPN switching output, changeover

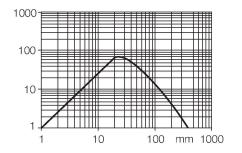
### Wiring diagram



### Functional principle

Identical to retro-reflective sensors, emitter and receiver circuitry are incorporated in the same housing of the diffuse mode sensors. However, diffuse mode sensors do not detect the interruption of the light beam but the reflection of the target. A target is detected if it reflects a sufficient amount of light back to the receiver. The switching distance of diffuse mode sensors thus largely depends on the reflectivity of the target.

### **Excess Gain Curve**



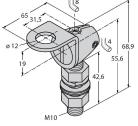


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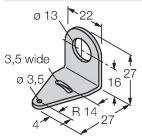
Ambient temperature	-20+60 °C	
Protection class	IP67 IP68	
Special features	Encapsulated Wash down	
Power-on indication	LED, Green	
Switching state	LED, Yellow	
Error indication	LED, green, Flashing	
Excess gain indication	LED, yellow, flashing	
Tests/approvals		
MTTF	46 years acc. to SN 29500 (Ed. 99) 40 °C	
Approvals	CE	

### Accessories

SMB12FAM10 3011221 SMB12MM 3027635 Mounting bracket, stainless steel, for M12, M10 x 1.5 thread Mounting bracket, stainless steel, for



SMBQS12PD 3059606



Mounting bracket; material VA 1.4401, for Q12 & M12 series



## Accessories

Dimension drawing	Туре	ID no.	
M12×1 0 15 55 14	RKC4.4T-2/TEL	6625013	Connection cable, female M12, straight, 4-pin, cable length: 2 m, sheath material: PVC, black; cULus approval; other cable lengths and qualities available, see www.turck.com
0 15 M12x 1	WKC4.4T-2/TEL	6625025	Connection cable, female M12, angled, 4-pin, cable length: 2 m, sheath material: PVC, black; cULus approval; other cable lengths and qualities available, see www.turck.com