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Advanced Industrial Automation

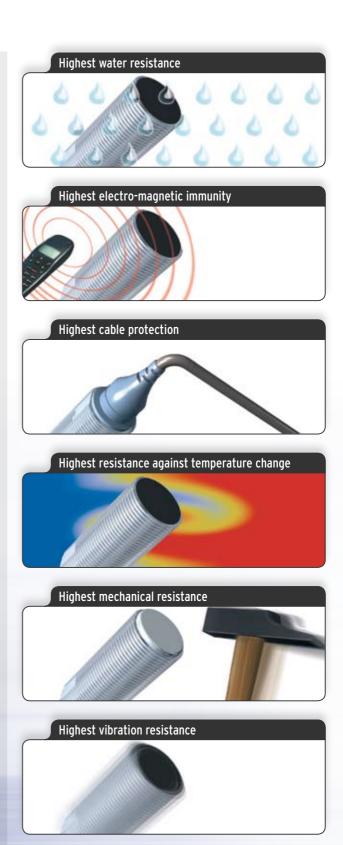


Zero tolerance on failure

Small things sometimes have a big impact.

Proximity sensors may be small and relatively inexpensive, but malfunctions can create big problems for you and your operation – in machine downtime, expensive delays and lost business.

That's why you can't take chances even with the small things. And neither do we! With our E2 Inductive Proximity Sensor series, we take a zero-tolerance approach to failure. Which means we leave nothing to chance. We design the sensors to withstand the toughest conditions they're ever likely to experience in operation. We manufacture them using the most tightly-controlled production processes – with stringent checks at every stage to guarantee unsurpassed quality and reliability. And we subject them to the most demanding tests available to the industry today. Providing objective proof that the E2 series is indeed what we claim – the natural choice when failure is not an option.

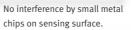




Ordinary product.









Cable resistant to welding sputter.

E2FM sensors Sensors

Extra thick E2FM surface.

Stainless steel for machine-tool toughness

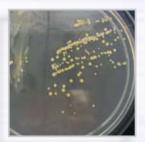
For demanding environments in, for example, machine tool equipment, E2FM Stainless Steel sensors are the perfect choice. Their tough all stainless steel housing is highly resistant to impact, abrasion and aggressive chemicals and oils.

They also feature a sensing surface 0.8 mm thick - 4 times thicker than that of ordinary stainless steel proximity sensors making them over 20 times tougher. We've proved this in continuous-impact tests in which ordinary stainless steel sensors are penetrated after just 10,000 impacts, while the sensing surfaces of E2FM sensors are still intact even after

250,000 impacts. The sensors also feature a special ruggedized cable that's resistant to welding sputter. So they will continue operating in the toughest workshop conditions long after other stainless steel sensors have been consigned to the recycle bin.

E2FM sensors also require less frequent cleaning than ordinary sensors thanks to the use of optimised low-frequency pulsemodulation circuitry that ignores the small metal chips that build up on the sensing surface during milling and cutting. So your process can continue running, interrupted only by your normal cleaning and maintenance cycles.





Bacteria growing on the sensor after touching with finger.



Bacteria on ordinary sensor after 12 hours.



Active bacteria reduction on E2F-D housing after 12 hours.

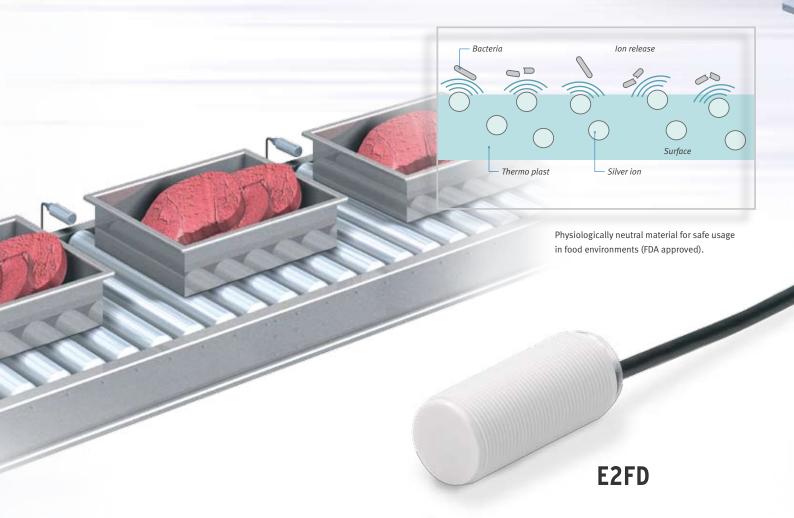
E2F-D sensors Sensors

Unique bacteria-inhibiting housing

An exciting new development for the food processing industry, E2F-D sensors feature a sealed hard plastic housing with a special FDA-approved anti-microbial additive that keeps the surface clear of bacteria. The additive contains bacteria-killing silver ions that are continuously released and diffuse to the housing surface. The effect is long lasting, the slow release of ions effectively being capable of keeping the sensor surface free of bacteria and other organisms over the typical lifetime of a machine which may be many years.

The benefits, of course, include improved overall hygiene and significantly reduced risk of food contamination. And food manufacturers are freed from the continuous spiral of having to use increasingly concentrated and aggressive cleaning agents to destroy bacteria that are themselves becoming ever more resistant to these agents.

Please note: the anti-microbial material is also available for other plastic machine parts and conveyor elements.





E2AU sensors Sensors

Keeping moving machinery on the move

E2AU sensors are based on our proven E2A proximity sensor family, and offer the same exceptional quality and reliability for which this family has long been renowned.

Intended specifically for demanding applications in moving machinery such as refuse-disposal trucks, earth-moving equipment and construction and agricultural vehicles, the sensors meet and even exceed today's most severe regulatory standards for moving vehicles. These include e1 type approval (eMark) according to the European Automotive Directive 95/54/EC and electro-magnetic noise immunity up to 100 V/m according to ISO 11452-2.

Their exceptionally rugged construction, including a tough cable connection, sealing against water and dust to IP69K, and their resistance to vibration, mechanical shock and temperature extremes, means these sensors are well able to share the tough working life and conditions of today's utility vehicles.



Resistant to mechanical abuse.



Resistant to electromagnetic disturbances.



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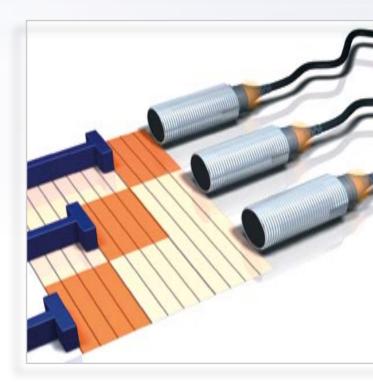




E2A3 sensors SENSORS

Triple sensing distance for enhanced reliability

Our E2A3 sensors offer sensing distances up to 3 times the standard distance defined by CENELEC, greatly reducing the likelihood of the sensing surface being struck and perhaps damaged by moving machine parts. Thanks to the use of optimised sensing circuitry and new sensor geometry, the sensor is able to send a stop signal to the machine much earlier than standard- or double-distance sensors without any compromise to sensor performance.



E2AX sensors SENSOIS

Explosion protection in dusty environments

Intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres using substances from sawdust to flour, E2AX sensors meet demanding regulatory requirements governing explosion protection - including ATEX certification Group II category 3D (94/9/EG Appendix VIII).

To minimise the possibility of ignition from exposed circuitry, their robust, hermetic housings are designed to withstand mechanical shock without fracture, and the sensors also feature a special retaining bracket to prevent the cable being detached during operation.



The Ball Drop Test is part of the ATEX approval ensuring high mechanical protection of electronic parts.

ATEX certification, which is done by an independent notified body, relates not just to the products but also to the production facility which must provide a regime of full traceability in the event that a malfunction occurs leading to an explosion.









• Sensing distances: single, double, triple

• Frequencies: standard, alternative, high

Choose the housing fitting your environment...

• Materials: plastic, brass, stainless steel, anti-microbial,

• Sizes: from 3 mm diameter to M30, short & long body style

Choose the output fitting your machine concept...

• Electrical: DC 2-wire, DC 3-wire, AC 2-wire

• Functionality: normally open, normally closed, antivalent (NO+NC)

Choose the connection fitting your wiring concept...

M8, M12, industry special connectors

M8, M12

PVC, PUR,

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