

GR18 Inox

Round, strong, rugged – M18 stainless steel sensor for wash-down applications

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Technical data overview

Dimensions (W x H x D)	18 mm x 18 mm x 73.5 mm 18 mm x 18 mm x 55.9 mm
Sensing range max.	3 mm 300 mm ¹⁾ 3 mm 100 mm ¹⁾ 3 mm 115 mm ¹⁾ 5 mm 550 mm ¹⁾ 5 mm 1,000 mm ¹⁾ 0.03 m 7.2 m ²⁾ 0 m 15 m 3 mm 250 mm ¹⁾ 3 mm 200 mm ¹⁾
Light source	PinPoint LED / LED (depending on type)
Type of light	Visible red light / Infrared light (depending on type)
Enclosure rating	IP67 IP68 ³⁾ IP69K ⁴⁾
Housing material	Stainless steel Stainless steel V4A (1.4404, 316L)
Adjustment	Potentiometer, 270° / none (depending on type)

¹⁾ Object with 90 % reflectance (referred to standard white, DIN 5033).

Product description

The cylindrical photoelectric sensors of the GR18 lnox product family are characterized by a corrosion-resistant V4A (316L) stainless-steel housing. Due to its M18 housing design in short and standard housing lengths, they can be used universally in many applications. The special sealing concept, based on the chemical-resistant O-ring seals, prevents liquids from entering the sensor. Various male connector and connection variants round out the product portfolio.

At a glance

- High mechanical ruggedness due to stainless-steel housing 1.4404 / 316L
- Ecolab-certified resistant to acidic and alkaline cleaning and disinfecting agents
- IP67, IP68 and IP69K enclosure rating for washdown applications
- M18 thread
- M12 male connector and 2 m cable variants

Your benefits

- Simple M18 thread design ensures quick and space-saving mounting
- · 3 mm flat, chemically-resistant material of the front screen offers a long service life, reducing maintenance time and costs
- Reduction in false detections and increased throughput due to reliable object detection, even in harsh ambient conditions
- Ecolab certifies the use of the GR18 Inox in the field of food processing and in other areas with chemical cleaning processes
- Innovative stainless steel accessories provide fast and low-cost installation
- · Simple electrical integration due to complementary outputs on the sensor

Fields of application

- Consumer goods industry, food and beverage industry (breweries, dairies, slaughterhouses, food processing and packaging lines), pharmaceutical industry
- Mechanical construction (machine tools, timber industry, handling and assembly)
- Automotive and parts suppliers (OEMs, automobile manufacturers)
- · New fields of application, e.g. car washes, amusement parts, building automation, doors and gateways, outdoor applications

²⁾ Reflector PL80A.

 $^{^{\}rm 3)}$ According to EN 60529 (10 m water depth / 24 h).

⁴⁾ According to ISO 20653:2013-03.

Ordering information

Other models and accessories → www.sick.com/GR18_Inox

Sensor principle: Photoelectric proximity sensor
 Detection principle: Background suppression

• Light source: PinPoint LED

• Voltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Light/dark switching

• Type of light: visible red light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
3 mm 100 mm	NPN	None	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTB18-N1131V	1085938
				GRTB18S-N1131V	1085820
			Male connec-	GRTB18-N2431V	1085824
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRTB18S-N2431V	1085748
	PNP	None	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m 1)	GRTB18-P1131V	1085937
				GRTB18S-P1131V	1085747
			Cable, 4-wire, 6 m ¹⁾	GRTB18S- P1031VS20	1111239
			Male connec-	GRTB18-P2431V	1085823
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRTB18S-P2431V	1085746
3 mm 200 mm	PNP	None	Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTB18S-P2421V	1085745
3 mm 250 mm	PNP	None	Cable, 4-wire, 5 m ¹⁾	GRTB18S- P1201VS23	1122447
3 mm 300 mm	NPN	Potentiometer	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTB18-N1112V	1085936
				GRTB18S-N1112V	1085744
			Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTB18-N2412V	1085750
				GRTB18S-N2412V	1085743
	PNP	Potentiometer	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTB18-P1112V	1085822
				GRTB18S-P1112V	1085819
			Cable, 4-wire, 6 m 1)	GRTB18-P1012VS21	1113801
		Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTB18-P2412V	1085749	
			GRTB18S-P2412V	1085742	
				GRTB18S- P2412VS01	1098275

 $^{^{1)}}$ Do not bend below 0 °C.

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• Sensor principle: Photoelectric proximity sensor

Detection principle: Energetic
Light source: PinPoint LED

• Voltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Light/dark switching

• Type of light: visible red light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
3 mm 115 mm	NPN Potentiometer	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTE18-N1112V	1085864	
				GRTE18S-N1112V	1085796
			Male connec-	GRTE18-N2412V	1085821
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRTE18S-N2412V	1085795
	PNP	Potentiometer	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTE18-P1112V	1085686
				GRTE18S-P1112V	1085678
			Male connec-	GRTE18-P2412V	1085683
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRTE18S-P2412V	1085676
5 mm 550 mm	NPN	Potentiometer	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTE18-N1142V	1085933
				GRTE18S-N1142V	1085861
			Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTE18-N2442V	1085932
				GRTE18S-N2442V	1085817
				GRTE18S- N2442VS16	1102422
	PNP	PNP Potentiometer	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTE18-P1142V	1085689
				GRTE18S-P1142V	1085818
			Male connec-	GRTE18-P2442V	1085688
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRTE18S-P2442V	1085679

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• Sensor principle: Photoelectric proximity sensor

• Detection principle: Energetic

Light source: LEDVoltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Light/dark switching

• Type of light: visible red light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
5 mm 1,000 mm	NPN	Potentiometer Cal	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTE18-N1162V	1085935
				GRTE18S-N1162V	1085862
		Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTE18-N2462V	1085934	
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRTE18S-N2462V	1085681
PNP	PNP	PNP Potentiometer	neter Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRTE18-P1162V	1085705
				GRTE18S-P1162V	1085682
			Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTE18-P2462V	1085704
				GRTE18S-P2462V	1085680

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• Sensor principle: Photoelectric retro-reflective sensor

Detection principle: Dual lens
 Light source: PinPoint LED

• Voltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Light/dark switching

• Type of light: visible red light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
0.03 m 7.2 m	NPN	NPN None	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m 1)	GRL18-N1131V	1085965
				GRL18S-N1131V	1085863
			Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRL18-N2431V	1085826
				GRL18S-N2431V	1085715
	PNP	None Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾ Male connector M12, 4-pin	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m 1)	GRL18-P1131V	1085825
				GRL18S-P1131V	1085707
				GRL18-P2431V	1085716
				GRL18S-P2431V	1085706

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• Sensor principle: Through-beam photoelectric sensor

Light source: LEDVoltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Light/dark switching

• Type of light: Infrared light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
0 m 15 m	NPN	NPN None	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m 1)	GRSE18-N1121V	1085939
				GRSE18S-N1121V	1085783
			Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRSE18-N2421V	1085787
				GRSE18S-N2421V	1085766
	PNP	None	Cable, 4-wire, 2 m ¹⁾	GRSE18-P1121V	1085785
				GRSE18S-P1121V	1085767
			Male connec-	GRSE18-P2421V	1085784
			tor M12, 4-pin	GRSE18S-P2421V	1085765

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• Sensor principle: Photoelectric proximity sensor

• Detection principle: Energetic

Light source: LED
 Voltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Light/dark switching

• Type of light: Infrared light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
5 mm 550 mm	PNP	Potentiometer	Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRTE18S-P2452V	1097227

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Detection principle: Dual lens
 Light source: PinPoint LED

• Voltage type: DC

• Switching mode: Dark/light switching

• Type of light: visible red light

Sensing range max.	Switching output	Adjustment	Connection type	Туре	Part no.
0.03 m 7.2 m	PNP	None	Male connector M12, 4-pin	GRL18S-K2431V	1106933

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