

INSTALLATION GUIDE

Draw wire sensor series LX

For further information please see the data sheet at www.waycon.biz/products/draw-wire-sensors/

FIRST STEPS

WayCon Positionsmesstechnik GmbH would like to thank you for the trust you have placed in us and our products. This manual will make you familiar with the installation and operation of our draw wire sensors. Please read this manual carefully before initial operation!

Unpacking and checking:

Carefully lift the device out of the box by grabbing the housing. Do not pull the rope. After unpacking the device, check it for any visible damage as a result of rough handling during the shipment. Check the delivery for completeness.

If necessary consult the transportation company, or contact WayCon directly for further assistance.

MOUNTING OF THE SENSOR

Mount the sensor at the designated place before extracting the rope and before attaching the rope to the measuring target.

1. The sensor can be mounted by using the two bore holes in the housing. Use two M3.5 screws and flat washers. A maximum torque of 0.56 Nm is recommended.
2. LX-Mount (two axis swivel base): With a capability of 360° rotation about the vertical axis and 245° rotation about the horizontal axis, the LX-Mount allows easy setup of the LX-PA or the LX-EP transducer. The axes may be locked in place after the transducer is oriented.

After mounting the LX sensor in its place, carefully tear the wire rope out of the sensor (do not let the wire rope snap back!) and attach it to the target. The eyelet at the end of the wire rope can be pulled onto a hook or be fixed to the target using a screw. Do not bend the wire rope leaving the eyelet.

HANDLING THE WIRE ROPE

- When installing or operating the sensor, take care not to let the rope snap back by mistake or extract the rope over the specified measurement range, as this might destroy the sensor.
- The rope must be extracted from the sensor vertically. The maximum variation from the vertical is 2°. Avoid extracting the rope at an inclination, since the durability of the instrument would shorten considerably. If it is not possible to keep the limit of 2°, a deflection pulley has to be used.
- Guide the rope preferably in corners or guarded in channels to prevent pollution or accidental touch.
- Avoid guiding the rope over edges or corners. Use a deflection pulley instead.
- Do not operate the sensor if the rope is buckled or damaged. A ripping of the rope may lead to injuries or a damaging of the sensor.

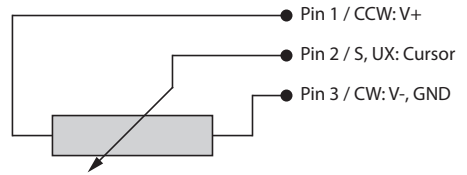
ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

LX-PA general information

Power supply: max. 25 V

Output signal: 0...1 k Ω

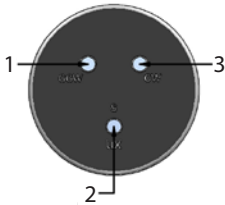
Inverted signal: reverse Pin 1 and Pin 3



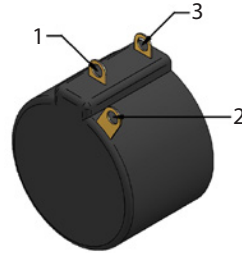
It is generally recommended that shielded, twisted pair cabling be used between transducer and electrical interface. The shield should remain open at the transducer and be tied to ground at the electrical interface.

Units with ranges 120 mm and less employ a single turn potentiometer which has no stops. On these units the wire rope will extend to a total length of approximately 200 to 250 mm. When extension beyond the specified measurement range occurs, the cursor of the potentiometer traverses a deadband after which the electrical output begins again.

LX-PA with solder terminals

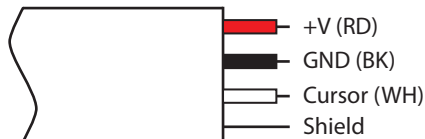


measurement ranges ≤ 120 mm



measurement ranges ≥ 250 mm

LX-PA with cable output

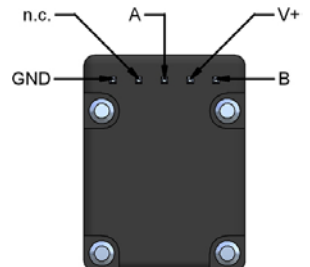
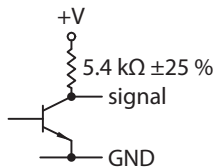
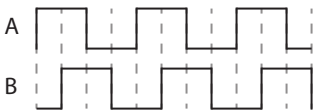


Note: cable shield is open at sensor.

LX-EP

Power supply: 5 VDC ± 0.25 VDC

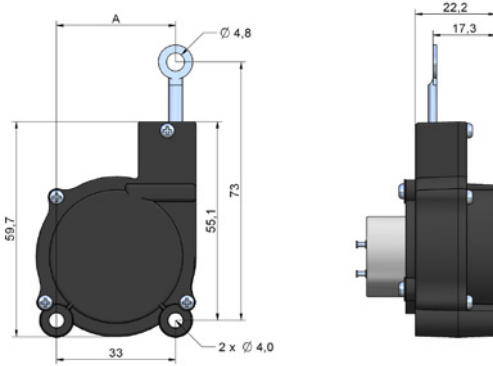
Excitation current: max. 30 mA



TECHNICAL DRAWING

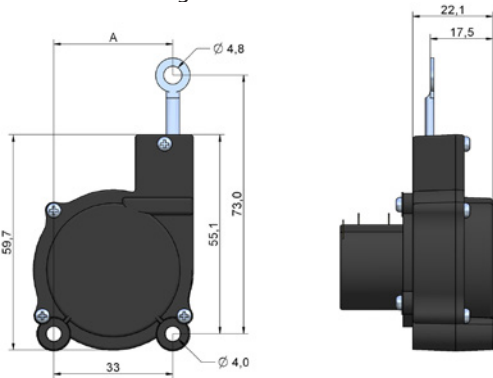
LX-PA

Measurement ranges ≤ 120 mm



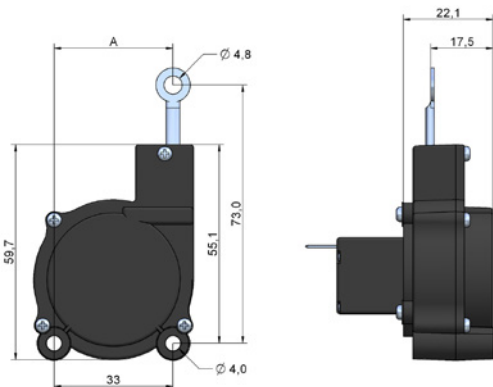
Measurement range [mm]	A [mm]
50	25.7
70	29
96	33
120	37.1

Measurement ranges ≥ 250 mm



Measurement range [mm]	A [mm]
250	25.7
380 / 750	29
500 / 1000	33
625 / 1250	37.1

LX-EP

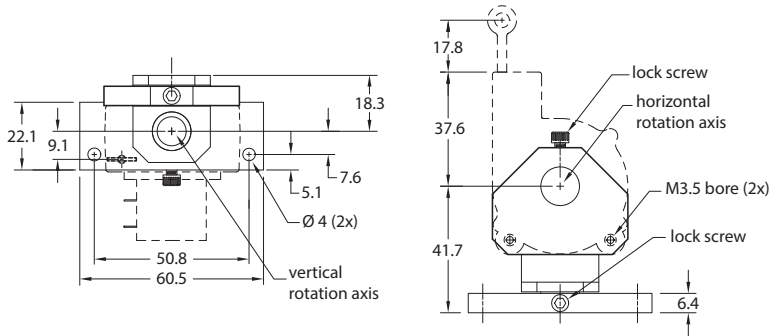


Measurement range [mm]	A [mm]
250	25.7
380 / 750	29
500 / 1000	33
625 / 1250	37.1



ACCESSORIES

LX-Mount



DECLARATION OF EU-CONFORMITY

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This is to certify that the products

Classification
 Product series

draw wire sensors
 LX
 fulfill the current request of the following EU-directives:
 EMC-directive 2004/108/EC (until April 19th, 2016)
 2014/30/EU (from April 20th, 2016)
 applied harmonized standards:
 IEC 61326-1:2013

The declaration of conformity loses its validity if the product is misused or modified without proper authorisation.

Taufkirchen, 24.02.2016

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