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# OMRON

# **Fine Tuning Fiber Photoelectric Sensor**

E3X-NH

# High-precision Sensing with Auto- and Manual-tuning

#### Solves All the Problems of Conventional Models

- Suitable for high-precision positioning using the fine sensitivity adjustment function.
- Manual-tuning allows threshold adjustments while sensing objects are moving.
- Operation conditions can be seen at a glance through the incident level indicators and threshold indicators.
- Auto-tuning feature incorporates an automatic sensitivity compensation function ensuring an optimum margin for changes in sensing objects or ambient environments.
- Offers the longest sensing distance.
- Newly added mark-sensing models (blue LED).

# Ordering Information

### Amplifier Units

ltem		General-purpose models		Timer-func	Mark-sensing models			
Output		NPN	PNP	NPN	PNP	NPN		
Model		E3X-NH11	E3X-NH41	E3X-NH21	E3X-NH51	E3X-NHB11		
Appearance			325					
Light source (Wave length)		Red LED (680 nm)	Blue LED (470 mm)					
Power supply voltage		12 to 24 VDC ±10%, ripple (p-p) 10% max.						
Current co	onsumption	75 mA max.						
Output	Control output	NPN open collector, load current:	PNP open collector, load current:	NPN open collector, load current:	PNP open collector, load current:	NPN open collector, load current: 50 mA max.,		
	Alarm output	50 mA max., residual voltage: 1 V max.	50 mA max., residual voltage: 1 V max.	50 mA max., residual voltage: 1 V max.	50 mA max., residual voltage: 1 V max.	residual voltage: 1 V max.		
Circuit pro	otection	Output short-circuit, reverse polarity, mutual interference prevention						
Response	time	1 ms max. for operation	ation and reset resp	ectively				
Sensitivity	/ setting	Teaching method	Teaching method					
Fine sensi	itivity adjustment	Automatic or manua	al fine threshold adju	ustment (13 levels)				
Timer fund	ction			OFF-delay timer se				



### Fiber Units

### Through-beam/Slot Sensors

H Indicates models that allow free cutting. Models without this mark do not allow free cutting.

Application	Features	Appearance	Sensing distance (mm) * (Values in parentheses: when using the E39-F1 Lens Unit)	Standard object (min. sensing object: opaque)	Model		Permis- sible bending radius
Long distance	M4	—————————————————————————————————————	90 (250) <sup>700</sup> (2,000)	1.4-mm dia. (0.06-mm dia.)	E32-T11L	đ	25 mm
	3 dia.		90		E32-T12L	ł	
	M3	 M3 screw	200	0.9-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-T21L	ł	
	2 dia.; small diameter	+ → 2-mm dia.	200		E32-T22L	đ	
	M14; with lens; ideal for explosion-proof applications	H4 screw		10-mm dia. (0.2-mm dia.)	E32-T17L	đ	
General-pur- pose	M4		55 (420) 400 (3,000)	1.0-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-TC200	ł	25 mm
	M3; possible to mount the reflective side-view conversion attachment E39-F5	c⊕ ⊕o M3 screw	<b>360</b>		E32-TC200A	ł	
	M3; for detecting minute sensing objects	∰ ∰ M3 screw	100	0.5-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-TC200E	ł	
Thin fiber	2 dia.; for detecting minute sensing objects	2-mm dia.	100	0.5-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-T22	ł	25 mm
	1.2 dia.; with sleeve	90 mm (40 mm) 1.2 dia. M4 screw (): E32-TC200B4	400 55	1.0-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-TC200B E32-TC200B4	ł	
	0.9 dia.; with sleeve	90 mm (40 mm) 0.9 dia. → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → → →	100	0.5-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-TC200F E32-TC200F4	ł	
Flexible (resists breaking) (R1)	Possible to bend like electric wires (R1);	M4 screw	280 (2,100)	1-mm dia. (0.1-mm dia.)	E32-T11R	ł	1 mm
			60	0.5-mm dia. (0.1-mm dia.)	E32-T21R	ł	
Flexible (resists breaking) (R4);	Ideal for mounting on moving sections (R4)	∰⊐ → ⊄∰	<b>5</b> 0 <b>360</b>	1.0-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-T11	H	4 mm
		∰ → ∰ M3 screw	100	0.5-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-T21	ł	
Side-view	Long distance; space-saving	3-mm dia	240 30	1.0-mm dia. (0.08-mm dia.)	E32-T14L	ł	25 mm
	Suitable for detecting minute sensing objects	1-mm dia. → →	90	0.5-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-T24	ł	
	Screw-mounting type		1,800	4.0-mm dia. (0.08-mm dia.)	E32-T14	đ	

Note:

For common specifications of the Fiber Unit, refer to page 6.
The size of standard sensing object is the same as the fiber core diameter (lens diameter for models with lens).
The sensing distance of the minimum sensing object indicates the rated sensing distance unless otherwise specified.
Curled-cord models are also available for through-beam and reflective models.
\* Sensing distance indicates values for white paper.

Indicates models that allow free cutting. Models without this mark do not allow free cutting.

E3X-NH

E3X-NHB

Applicatio n	Features	Appearance	Sensing distance (mm) *1 (Values in parentheses: when using the E39-F1 Lens Unit)	Standard object (min. sensing object: opaque)	Model	Permis- sible bending radius
Chemical- resistant	Teflon-covered*4; withstands chemicals and harsh environments (operating ambient temperature: -30 C to 70 C)	↓ → 5-mm dia.	1,600	4.0-mm dia. (0.12-mm dia.)	E32-T12F	40 mm
	Teflon covered*4 ; side-view; withstands chemicals and harsh environments (operating ambient temperature: -30_C to 70_C)	5-mm dia. → 🗖	200	3.0-mm dia. (0.12-mm dia.)	E32-T14F	
Heat-resis tant	Resists 150°C* <sup>3</sup> ; fiber sheath material: fluororesin (operating ambient temperature: -40 <sup>C</sup> C to 150 <sup>C</sup> C)	c∰ → c∰> M4 screw	35	1.5-mm dia. (0.4-mm dia.)	E32-T51	35 mm
	Side-view; resists 150°C*3; suitable for detecting minute sensing objects; fiber sheath material: fluororesin (operating ambient temperature: -40_C to 150_C)	2-mm dia	130	1.0-mm dia. (0.16-mm dia.)	E32-T54	
	Resists 300°C <sup>+5</sup> , with spiral tube; high mechanical strength; fiber sheath material: stainless steel (operating ambient temperature: -40℃C to 300℃C)	₩₩₽₩₽₩₽₩₽₩ M4 screw	<b>300</b> (3,000)	1.0-mm dia. (0.12-mm dia.)	E32-T61	25 mm
	Resists 200°C <sup>+5</sup> ; L-shaped; fiber sheath material: stainless steel		700	1.7-mm dia. (0.12-mm dia.)	E32-T84S	
Slot	Suitable for film sheet detection; no optical axis adjustment required; easy to mount		10	4.0-mm dia. (0.16-mm dia.)	E32-G14	25 mm
Narrow vision field	Suitable for detecting wafers;	3-mm dia.	1,000	1.7-mm dia. (0.08-mm dia.)	E32-T22S	10 mm
	Side-view; suitable for detecting wafers;	3.5 x 3 mm dia. →	700	2-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-T24S	
Area sensing through-b eam	Multi-point sensing (4-head)	M3 screw	300	2.0-mm dia. (0.04-mm dia.)	E32-M21	25 mm
	Stable for detecting minute sensing objects in a wide area; degree of protection: IEC60529 IP50	t i 1 mm	600	(0.4-mm dia.)* <sup>6</sup>	E32-T16P	10 mm
	Suitable for detecting over a 10-mm area; long distance	10 mm	1,500	(2.0-mm dia.)* <sup>6</sup>	E32-T16	25 mm

Note:

For common specifications of the Fiber Unit, refer to page 6.
The size of standard sensing object is the same as the fiber core diameter (lens diameter for models with lens).
The sensing distance of the minimum sensing object indicates the rated sensing distance unless otherwise specified.
Sensing distance indicates values for white paper.
For continuous operation, use the products within the temperature ranging from -40 □C to 130 □C.
Teflon is a registered trademark of the Dupont Company and the Mitsui Dupont Chemical Company for their fluoride resin.
Indicates the heat-resistant temperature at the fiber tip. For further details, refer to page 26.
Indicates values for the sensing distance of 100 mm.

#### **Reflective Sensors**

Indicates models that allow free cutting. Models without this mark do not allow free cutting.

E3X-NH . E3X-NHB

Application	Features	Appearance	Sensing distance (mm) *	Min. sensing object (Copper strand)	Model	Permis- sible bending radius
Long distance	M6	M6 screw	200	0.012-mm dia.	E32-D11L	25 mm
	3 dia.; small diameter		120		E32-D12	
	M4	M4 screw	50		E32-D21L	
	3 dia.; small diameter	3-mm dia.	50		E32-D22L	
General-pur- pose	M6	M6 screw	20	0.012-mm dia.	E32-DC200	25 mm
	M3; small diameter	M3 screw	36		E32-DC200E	
Thin fiber	2.5 dia.; with sleeve	90 mm (40 mm) M6 screw 2.5 dia. (): E32-DC200B4	150	0.012-mm dia.	E32-DC200B E32-DC200B4	25 mm
	1.2 dia.; with sleeve	90 mm (40 mm) M3 screw 1.2 dia. (): E32-DC200F4	36		E32-DC200F E32-DC200F4	
	Minute object sensing (0.8 mm dia.)	3-mm dia. 0.8-mm dia.	10		E32-D33	
Flexible (R1)	Possible to bend like electric wires (R1);	M6 screw	90	0.02-mm dia.	E32-D11R	1 mm
		M3 screw	14		E32-D21R	
Flexible (resists breaking) (R4)	Ideal for mounting on moving sections (R4)	∎ M6 screw	90	0.012-mm dia.	E32-D11	4 mm
		M3 screw	14		E32-D21	
Coaxial reflective	M6 Coaxial; positioning accuracy	M6 screw	150 20	0.012-mm dia.	E32-CC200	25 mm
	3-dia. Coaxial; positioning accuracy	3-mm dia.	80 10		E32-D32L	
	2-dia. Coaxial; high-precision positioning possible; possible to mount small-spot (0.5-mm dia) lens (E39-F3A)	2-mm dia.	40		E32-D32	

Note:

For common specifications of the Fiber Unit, refer to page 6.
The size of standard sensing object is the same as the fiber core diameter (lens diameter for models with lens).
The sensing distance of the minimum sensing object indicates the rated sensing distance unless otherwise specified. In case of the reflective Fiber Units, however, the sensing distance indicates the distance where the smallest object can be sensed.
\* Sensing distance indicates values for white paper.

Indicates models that allow free cutting. Models without this mark do not allow free cutting.

E3X-NHB : E3X-NH

Application	Features	Appearance	Sensing distance (mm) *1	Min. sensing object	Model	Permis- sible bending radius
Side-view reflective	6 dia.; long distance	6-mm dia	40	0.015-mm dia.	E32-D14L	25 mm
	2 dia.; small diameter space-saving		15	0.012-mm dia.	E32-D24	
Heat-resisting reflective	Teflon-covered*3; withstands chemicals and harsh environ- ments (operating ambient temperature: -30 C to 70 C)	6-mm dia.	50 10	0.012-mm dia.	E32-D12F	40 mm
	Resists 150°C*2; fiber sheath material: fluororesin (operating ambient temperature: -40 C to 150 C)	M6 screw	120		E32-D51	35 mm
	Resists 300°C*4; fiber sheath material: stainless steel (operating ambient temperature: -40 C to 300 C)	<i>ໝໝ</i> ∰⊒ M6 screw	45		E32-D61	25 mm
	Resists 400°C*4; fiber sheath material: stainless steel (operating ambient tempera- ture: -40 C to 400 C)	M4 screw 1.25-mm dia.	30		E32-D73	
Retroreflective	Transparent object detection	M6 screw Reflector E39-R3	10 to 250	0.3-mm dia.	E32-R21 +E39-R3	25 mm
	Transparent object detection (operating ambient tempera- ture: -25_C to 55_C); degree of protection: IEC60529 IP66	Reflector E39-R1	<b>D D</b> 150 to 1,500	0.5-mm dia.	E32-R16 +E39-R1	
Limited reflective	Detects wafers and small differences in height; (operating ambient temperature: -40°C to 105°C); degree of protection: IEC60529		7.2±0.8	0.012-mm dia.	E32-L25L	10 mm
	IP50		4±2		E32-L24L	
	Detects wafers and small differences in height; degree of protection: IEC60529 IP50		3.3		E32-L25	25 mm
Fluid-level detection	Fluid contact type: unbendable section L 150 mm, 350 mm (two types)			Pure water at 25 C	E32-D82F1 E32-D82F2	40 mm
	Tube-mounting type			Fluid	E32-L25T	10 mm

Note:

For common specifications of the Fiber Unit, refer to page 6.
The size of standard sensing object is the same as the fiber core diameter (lens diameter for models with lens).
The sensing distance of the minimum sensing object indicates the rated sensing distance unless otherwise specified. In case of the reflective Fiber Units, however, the sensing distance indicates the distance where the smallest object can be sensed.
\*1 Sensing distance indicates values for white paper.
\*2 For continous operation, use the products within the temperature ranging from -40°C to 130°C.
\*3 Teflon is a registered trademark of the Dupont Company and the Mitsui Dupont Chemical Company for their fluoride resin.
\*4 Indicates the heat-resistant temperature at the fiber tip. For further details, refer to page 26.

# Specifications —

Item	General-purpo	se models	Timer-function models		Mark-sens-ing models
Output	NPN	PNP	NPN	PNP	NPN
Model	E3X-NH11	E3X-NH41	E3X-NH21	E3X-NH51	E3X-NHB11
Indicator	Operation indicator indicator (red LED)	(orange LED),	8-level incident le	vel indicator (gree	en LED), 13-level threshold
Ambient illumination	Incandescent lamp	: 3,000 ℓx max.	; Sunlight: 10,000	ℓx max.	
Ambient temperature	Operating:–25°C to 55°C (with no icing) Storage: -40°C to 70°C (with no icing)				
Ambient humidity	Operating: 35% to	85% (with no co	ondensation)		
Insulation resistance	20 M $\Omega$ min. (at 500	VDC)			
Dielectric strength	1,000 VAC at 50/60	) Hz for 1 minut	e		
Vibration resistance	10 to 55 Hz, 1.5-m directions	n double amplit	tude or 300 m/s <sup>2</sup> (	approx. 30G) for	2 hrs each in X, Y, and Z
Shock resistance	500 m/s <sup>2</sup> (approx. §	50G) for 3 times	s each in X, Y, and	Z directions	
Degree of protection	IEC60529 IP50				
Connection method	Prewired (standard	cord length: 2	m)		
Weight (packed state)	Approx. 100 g				
Material	Case: PBT; Cover: Polycarbonate				
Accessory	Mounting Brackets				

#### **Fiber Sheath Materials**

E32-T11R, -T21R, -T22S, -T24S, -D11R, -D21R	Copolymer vinyl chloride
E32-T11, -T21, -T16P, -D11, -D21	Vinyl chloride
E32-L25L, -L24L	Reinforced polyethylene
Other than the above	Black polyethylene

# Specifications of Models Other than those in the Left Table

Operating ambient temperature	–40°C to 70°C
Operating ambient humidity	35% to 85% (with no icing)
Differential travel (Reflective models)	20% max. of sensing distance
Degree of protection	IEC 60529 IP67

#### Attachments

Name			Long Distance Lens Unit					
Applications			Increasing sensing distance					
Model		E39-F1	E39-F1					
Appearance			Through-beam (separate)					
Applicable fibers		E32-T11L	E32-TC200 E32-T61	E32-T11R	E32-T11			
With	Sensing distance	2,000 mm	3,000 mm	2,100 mm	2,000 mm			
E3X-NH11/41	Standard object	Opaque objects:	Opaque objects: 4-mm dia. min.					
Directivity		$5^{\circ}$ to $40^{\circ}$	5° to 40°					
Differential trav	vel							
Ambient tempe	erature	E32-T61: -40°C	E32-T61: -40°C to 200°C (Do not exceed the operating temperature of the fiber. )					
Material Shaft		Brass	Brass					
Lens		Optical glass	Optical glass					
	Base							
Reflector								

Name			Side-view Unit					
Applications			Changing the sensing direction at °90					
Model		E39-F2						
Appearance			Through-beam (separate)					
Applicable fibe	rs	E32-T11L	E32-TC200	E32-T11R	E32-T61/11			
With	/ith Sensing distance		500 mm	350 mm	400 mm			
E3X-NH11/41	Standard object	Opaque objects	Opaque objects: 3-mm dia. min.					
Directivity		20° to 60°	20° to 60°					
Differential trav	vel							
Ambient tempe	erature	E32-T61: -40°C	E32-T61: –40°C to 200°C (Do not exceed the operating temperature of the fiber.)					
Material	Shaft	Brass						
Lens		Optical glass	Optical glass					
	Base							
	Reflector							

Name			Lens-equipped Reflective Unit				Small Spot Lens Unit	
Applications			Converting through-beam sensors to reflective sensors				Detection over 0.5-mm-dia. spots	
Model			E39-F3					E39-F3A
Appearance	ppearance Reflective					Reflective ►►ে⊐ ↔		
Applicable fib	ers		E32-T11L	E32-TC200	E32-T61	E32-T11R	E32-T11	E32-D32
With E3X-NH11/41	Sensing distance (standard object)	White paper	10 to 300 mm*1 (20 x 20 cm)	35 to 180 mm* <sup>1</sup> (20 x 20 cm)		25 to 120 mm (20 x 20 cm)	35 to 180 mm*1 (20 x 20 cm)	20 mm
		Black paper		5 to 120 mm <sup>*1</sup> (200 x 200 cm)	5 to 80 mm*1 (200 x 200 cm)	25 to 120 mm	5 to 70 mm*1 (200 x 200 cm)	White paper 25 x 25 mm
Directivity								
Differential tra	ivel		20% of sensing distance					20% of sensing distance
Ambient temperature			E32-T61: -40°C to 200°C (Do not exceed the operating temperature of the fiber.)					Operating: -40°C to 70°C
Material Shaft			Brass					Aluminum
Lens			Optical glass					Optical glass
	Base		Aluminum					
	Reflector							

 $^{\ast 1} These values are possible when the angle of the E39-F3 is smallest (parallel).$ 



Name			Side-view Reflective Unit		
Applications			Converting through-beam to reflective sensor		
Model			E39-F5		
Appearance			Reflective		
Applicable	fibers		E32-TC200A		
With E3X-	Sensing distance	White paper	60 mm (10 x 10 cm)		
NH11/41	(standard object)	Black paper	5 to 20 mm (10 x 10 cm)		
Directivity					
Differentia	l travel		20% of sensing distance		
Ambient te	emperature		Operating: -40°C to 70°C		
Material	Shaft				
	Lens				
	Base		Brass		
	Reflector		Stainless		

#### Beam Spot Characteristics E39-F3A with E32-D32



#### **Spiral Tubes**

Model	E39-F32A5	E39-F32A	E39-F32B5	E39-F32B	E39-F32C5	E39-F32C	E39-F32D5	E39-F32D		
Appearance	Head connector C Tube End cap									
Length (L)	500 mm	1,000 mm	500 mm	1,000 mm	500 mm	1,000 mm	500 mm	1,000 mm		
Head outer diameter (A)	6 dia.				7 dia.		8.5 dia.			
Head inner diameter (B)	M3 x 0.5, dep	oth: 4			M4 x 0.7, de	oth: 4	M6 x 0.75, depth: 4			
Tube outer diameter (C)	4.6 dia.				5.6 dia.		7 dia.			
Applicable fiber	E32-DC200E E32-DC200F E32-D21	(4)	E32-TC200E E32-TC200F(4) E32-T21 E32-T21L		E32-TC200 E32-TC200B(4) E32-T11 E32-T51 E32-T11L		E32-DC200 E32-DC200B(4) E32-CC200 E32-D11 E32-D51 E32-D11L			
Ambient temperature	Operating: -4	Operating: -40°C to 150°C (Do not exceed the operating temperature of the fiber)								
Ambient humidity	Operating: 35% to 85%									
Permissible bending radius	30 mm min.									
Tensile strength	Between hea Tube: 2 N • n	Between head connector and end cap with tube: 1.5 N • m (15 kgf • cm ) Tube: 2 N • m (20 kgf • cm)								
Compression load	Tube: 29.4 N (3 kgf)									

#### Accessories

Name	Fiber Cutter	Fine-fiber Attachment	Fiber Connector	Sleeve Bender			
Model	E39-F4 E39-F9		E39-F10	E39-F11			
Appearance	24.5 24.5 8 45	3.6 dia	3 dia. 26 3.8 dia.	Õ			
Features	Used to cut fibers to desired lengths	Used when inserting fine fibers into the amp	Used to connect additional fibers for extension	Used to bend fiber sleeves			
Applicable fiber	All models equipped with fibers that can be trimmed.	E32-DC200E, -TC200E E32-DC200F(4), -TC200F(4) E32-D21, -D21L, -D22L E32-T21, -T21L, -T22L E32-D32, -T22 E32-D24, -T24 E32-D33 E32-R21, E32-D21R	E32-DC200, -TC200 E32-DC200B(4), -TC200B(4) E32-TC200A E32-T14, -G14 E32-D11L, -T11L, -T12L E32-D14L, -T14L E32-T17L	E32-TC200B(4) E32-DC200F(4), -TC200F(4) E32-DC9G(4)			
	Provided with Fiber Units		Sold Separately				

# Engineering Data -

- Excess Gain Ratio (Typical) With standard sensing object.
- E3X-NH 1



# Excess Gain Ratio (Typical)

With standard sensing object





#### • E3X-NHB11



### Operating Range (Typical)

With standard sensing object at max. sensitivity.

#### • E3X-NH 1



## Operating Range (Typical)

With standard sensing object at max. sensitivity.









#### • E3X-NHB11







### Parallel Operating Range (Typical)

At max. sensitivity.

#### • E3X-NH 1





#### E32-TC200 with E39-F2 operating range Y (mm) Set distance X (mm) 1 4 Ŧ Parallel o

E32-T21L

⊃arallel operating range Y (mm)



# E32-T11L 2.000 2,500 Set distance X (mm) ₽ ₽

E32-T22

Parallel operating range Y (mm

20

- 30



#### E32-T11L with E39-F1



E32-T11R







# Nomenclature

E3X-NH11 (NPN)	E3X-NH41 (PNP)
E3X-NH21 (NPN)	E3X-NH51 (PNP)
E3X-NHB11 (NPN)	



Note: Used for making fine-sensitivity adjustments.

# Operation —

# Output Circuits

Output	Model	Mode selector	State of output transistor	Output circuit	Timing chart
NPN	E3X-NH11 E3X-NHB11	LIGHT ON (L/ON)	Light ON	B-level in- iddent threshold cators (green) (red) Photo- electric main circuit the sensor main circuit the sensor main circuit the sensor main circuit the sensor main circuit the sensor Black Load the sensor the sensor Black Load the sensor the sensor t	Light received Light not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) Operate Release (Between brown and black)
		DARK ON (D/ON)	Dark ON	L	Light received Light not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) Operate Release (Between brown and black)
	E3X-NH21	LIGHT ON (L/ON)	Light ON	B-level in: 13-level cident threshold cators (green) (red) Photo- electric sensor circuit Devel indicators (green) Control Co	Light received Light not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) Release T: OFF-delay timer set to 40 ms
		DARK ON (D/ON)	Dark ON		Light received Light not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) OFF-delay timer set to 40 ms
PNP	E3X-NH41	LIGHT ON (L/ON)	Light ON	Blevel In: 13-level cident indicator (orange) (green) (green) (red) Photo- electric sensor (ricuit (cident (control output (control output (contro	Light received Light not received Operation indicator (orange) Output transistor Load (relay) Operate Release (Between blue and black)
		DARK ON (D/ON)	Dark ON	Elue	Light received Light not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) Operate Release (Between blue and black)
	E3X-NH51	LIGHT ON (L/ON)	Light ON	B-level in: 13-level Operation indicator (orange) level indicators (green) (red) Photo- level indicators (green) (red) Photo- sensor main output 12 to 24 VDC Black Alarm output J output J	Light received Light not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) Operate Release T: OFF-delay timer set to 40 ms
		DARK ON (D/ON)	Dark ON	U Crange Load Blue Blue	Light received Ught not received Operation indicator ON (orange) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load (relay) Release T: OFF-delay timer set to 40 ms

### Sensitivity Setting and Adjustment

Refer to the following to select the most suitable sensitivity setting method. It is recommended that with/without-object teaching and manualtuning be tried first.



### Sensitivity Setting (Teaching)

Note: The sensitivity of the E3X-NH/NHB is factory-set to maximum. When resetting the sensitivity of the E3X-NH to maximum after with/ without-object teaching or positioning/no-object teaching, follow the steps described below.

#### 1. Maximum Sensitivity Setting

 Set the mode selector to TEACH. Press the SET button for three seconds minimum. Be sure that all the threshold indicators (red) are ON. The built-in buzzer beeps once when the threshold indicators are ON.



2. The sensitivity will be set when the built-in buzzer beeps continuously and all the incident level indicators (green) are ON.



3. Set the mode selector to RUN. Be sure that only the bottom threshold indicator is ON.



#### 2. With/Without-object Teaching

1. Set the mode selector to TEACH. Locate the sensing object in the sensing area and press the SET button once. Be sure that all the threshold indicators (red) are ON. The built-in buzzer beeps once when the threshold indicators are ON.



**Through-beam Model** 





**Reflective Model** 

**Reflective Model** 

2. Move the object and press the SET button.

If teaching is OK: All the incident level indicators (green) are ON. The built-in buzzer beeps once.



If teaching is NG:

The threshold indicator (red) flashes. The built-in buzzer beeps 3 times.

Change the position of the object and the sensing distance that have been set and repeat from the beginning.



## Through-beam Model

Light is received.



**Reflective Model** 

#### **Reflective Model**



 Set the mode selector to RUN. Be sure that the middle threshold indicator is ON, which means the threshold will be set to the middle between the values obtained with and without the sensing object.



#### 3. Positioning/No-object Teaching

- 1. Set the mode selector to TEACH.
  - Press the SET button once without a sensing object in the sensing area. Be sure that all the threshold indicators (red) are ON. The built-in buzzer beeps once when the threshold indicators are ON.



2. Set the mode selector to RUN. The threshold is set automatically.

Use the manual tuning function for making fine adjustments.



### Sensitivity Adjustment (Tuning)

#### A. Manual-tuning (Fine Sensitivity Adjustment)

- **Note:** The auto-tuning function will be disabled if manual-tuning is executed.
  - After setting the sensitivity of the E3X-NH, select the adjustment direction with the UP/DOWN selector in the ADJ mode.



 Press the SET button in ADJ mode. Be sure that the threshold changes whenever the SET button is pressed. If two threshold indicators are ON, the threshold will be set to the middle value between the values corresponding to these indicators.



3. Set the mode selector to RUN.



# B. Auto-tuning (Automatic Sensitivity Compensation)

- 1. Set the mode selector to TEACH.
  - Press the SET button once without a sensing object in the sensing area. Be sure that all the threshold indicators (red) are ON. The built-in buzzer beeps once when the threshold indicators are ON.



2. Set the mode selector to ADJ and press the SET button for three seconds minimum. Be sure that the threshold indicator (red) flashes. The built-in buzzer beeps continuously.



Set the mode selector to RUN. The threshold indicator (red) will continue to flash while the the auto-tuning function is enabled.



### Threshold Setting and Indicators at Sensitivity Setting

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Level	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

#### **Maximum Sensitivity Setting**

- Use the Through-beam Sensor for detection of opaque objects.
- Use the Reflective Sensor for detection of objects with no background objects.

The threshold will be set to a level slightly higher than the no-light received by the E3X-NH if the sensitivity is set to maximum for the detection of objects that completely interrupt light or the incident of the Sensor is very low.

#### **Reflective Sensor**

The number of lit indicators of the incident level indicators will depend on the incident. The bottom indicator of the threshold indicators is ON.



#### With/Without-object Teaching

- Ideal for the detection of object surface irregularities or minute objects.
- Ideal for the detection of objects with background objects reflecting light irregularly.
- 1. With/Without-object Teaching Reflective Sensor:





Press the SET button with the sensing object in the sensing area.

Press the SET button without sensing object in the sensing area.



Set the threshold to the middle value between the values obtained with and without the sensing object.

2. RUN/ADJ Mode

Reflective Sensor:

The number of lit indicators of the incident level indicators depends on the incident. At the time of manual-tuning, it is possible to adjust the threshold in six levels. The default threshold is set to 7.



#### Positioning/No-object Teaching

- Ideal if it is impossible to perform teaching with the sensing object stationary in the sensing area.
- Ideal for high-precision positioning.
- Ideal for teaching with only background objects for the detection of bright or dark objects.

#### **Reflective (Light-ON) Fiber Unit**

1. Press the SET button without sensing object in the sensing area.

Tentatively set the threshold to the value that is  $\pm 6\%$  of the incident level.



- Note: If the incident is low at the time of teaching and the threshold cannot be set to the position corresponding to -6% of the incident level, the sensitivity will be set to maximum automatically when the E3X-NH is in RUN mode.
  - 2. Detecting the first object in RUN/ADJ mode.



#### Through-beam (Dark-ON) Fiber Unit

1. Press the SET button without sensing object in the sensing area.

Tentatively set the threshold to the value that is  $\pm 6\%$  of the incident level.



- **Note:** If the incident is low at the time of teaching and the threshold cannot be set to the position corresponding to -6% of the incident level, the sensitivity will be set to maximum automatically when the E3X-NH is in RUN mode.
  - 2. Detecting the first object in RUN/ADJ mode.



#### Threshold vs. Indicators after Auto-tuning Setting

- 1. Set the initial threshold by performing positioning/no-object teaching in TEACH mode.
- 2. Press the SET button for three seconds minimum in ADJ mode.



Taking into consideration the vibration of the sensing objects on the in-line operation, sample the incident with the first five sensing objects after setting the threshold and set the threshold again to the middle value between the highest and lowest incident values obtained with the sensing objects. The E3X-NH will then perform auto-tuning within a range of  $\pm 18\%$  of this value.

- 3. With sensing objects passing.
  - The threshold is automatically compensated within the tuning area that has been preset. When the threshold is automatically compensated, the threshold indicator will be flash according to the adjusted value.



- Note: 1. The alarm signal is output if the threshold compensation range is not within the tuning range.
  - 2. Perform sensitivity setting again if the alarm signal is output.

# Dimensions

Note: All units are in millimeters unless otherwise indicated.

#### Amplifier



Weight: Approx. 100 g

#### ■ Fiber Units Through-beam (Sold in Pairs)

Indicates models that allow free cutting. Models without this mark do not allow free cutting.







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