WORLD-BEAM® QS18 Series Sensor



Quick Start Guide

Miniature Self-Contained Photoelectric Sensors In Universal-Mount Housing

This guide is designed to help you set up and install the WORLD-BEAM® QS18. For complete information on programming, performance, troubleshooting, dimensions, and accessories, please refer to the Instruction Manual at www.bannerengineering.com. Search for p/n 197052 to view the Instruction Manual. Use of this document assumes familiarity with pertinent industry standards and practices.



WARNING: Not To Be Used for Personnel Protection

Never use this device as a sensing device for personnel protection. Doing so could lead to serious injury or death. This device does not include the self-checking redundant circuitry necessary to allow its use in personnel safety applications. A sensor failure or malfunction can cause either an energized or de-energized sensor output condition.

Models

Model ¹	Sensing Mode		Output Type
QS186E	20 m (66 ft) Opposed	OPPOSED OPPOSED	Emitter
QS186EV			
QS18VN6R			NPN
QS18VP6R			PNP
QS186EB	3 m (10 ft) Opposed	OPPOSED	Emitter
QS18VN6RB			NPN
QS18VP6RB			PNP
QS18VN6LP	3.5 m (12 ft) Polarized Retro	POLAR RETRO	NPN
QS18VP6LP			PNP
QS18VN6LV	6.5 m (21 ft) Non-Polarized Retro	RETRO	NPN
QS18VP6LV			PNP
QS18VN6CV15	16 mm (0.63 in) Convergent	CONVERGENT VISIBLE RED	NPN
QS18VP6CV15			PNP
QS18VN6CV45		CONVERGENT VISIBLE RED	NPN
QS18VP6CV45	43 mm (1.7 in) Convergent		PNP
QS18VN6D	450 mm (18 in) Diffuse	DIFFUSE	NPN
QS18VP6D			PNP

Model ¹	Sensing Mode		Output Type
QS18VN6DB	450 mm (18 in) Diffuse	DIFFUSE	NPN
QS18VP6DB			PNP
QS18VN6DL	600 mm (23.6 in) Diffuse		NPN
QS18VP6DL			PNP
QS18VN6DVS	250 mm (10 in) Diffuse Visible red	DIFFUSE	NPN
QS18VP6DVS			PNP
QS18VN6W	100 mm (4 in) Divergent Diffuse	DIVERGENT	NPN
QS18VP6W			PNP
QS18VN6FF50	50 mm (2 in) Fixed-Field	FIXED-FIELD	NPN
QS18VP6FF50			PNP
QS18VN6FF100	100 mm (4 in)		NPN
QS18VP6FF100	Fixed-Field		PNP
QS18VN6FF150	150 mm (6 in)		NPN
QS18VP6FF150	Fixed-Field		PNP
QS18VN6FP	220 mm (8.7 in) Individual (Opposed)	PLASTIC FIBER	NPN
QS18VP6FP	60 mm (2.4 in) Bifurcated (Diffuse) Range specified using 1.5 mm plastic fiber optics		PNP
QS18VN6F	500 mm (20 in) Individual (Opposed)	GLASS FIBER	NPN
QS18VP6F	38 mm (1.5 in) Bifurcated (Diffuse) Range specified using 3.2 mm plastic fiber optics		PNP

[•] To order the 150 mm (6 in) PVC cable model with a 4-pin M8/Pico-style quick disconnect, add the suffix "Q" to the model number. For example, QS186EQ.



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¹ Integral 2 m (6.5 ft) unterminated cable models are listed.

[•] To order the 9 m (30 ft) PVC cable model, add the suffix "W/30" to the cabled model number. For example, QS186E W/30.

[•] To order the 4-pin M12/Euro-style integral quick disconnect model, add the suffix "Q8" to the model number. For example, QS186EQ8.

To order the 150 mm (6 in) PVC cable model with a 4-pin M12/Euro-style quick disconnect, add the suffix "Q5" to the model number. For example, QS186EQ5.

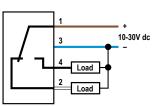
[•] To order the 4-pin M8/Pico-style integral quick disconnect model, add the suffix "Q7" to the model number. For example, QS186EQ7.

Wiring Diagrams

QS18 with NPN Outputs

10-30V dc

QS18 with PNP Outputs



QS18 Emitters

Key 1 = Brown2 = White

10-30V dc

3 = Blue

4 = Black

Quick disconnect wiring diagrams are functionally identical.

Specifications

Supply Voltage

10 V to 30 V dc (10% maximum ripple) at less than 25 mA, exclusive of load Protected against reverse polarity and transient voltages

Glass Fiber Optic, Opposed and Diffuse mode models: Infrared, 940 nm Plastic Fiber Optic, Retroreflective, Convergent models: Visible red, 660 nm Fixed-Field and DVS models: Visible red, 630 nm

Adjustments

Glass Fiber Optic, Plastic Fiber Optic, Convergent, Diffuse, and Retroreflective mode models (only): Single-turn sensitivity (Gain) adjustment potentiometer

Indicators

2 LED indicators on sensor top:

Green solid: Power on Amber solid: Light sensed

Amber flashing: Marginal excess gain (1 to 1.5 times excess gain)

Required Overcurrent Protection



WARNING: Electrical connections must be made by qualified personnel in accordance with local and national electrical codes and

Overcurrent protection is required to be provided by end product application per the supplied table.

Overcurrent protection may be provided with external fusing or via Current Limiting, Class 2 Power Supply.

Supply wiring leads < 24 AWG shall not be spliced.

For additional product support, go to www.bannerengineering.com.

Supply Wiring (AWG)	Required Overcurrent Protection (Amps)	
20	5.0	
22	3.0	
24	2.0	
26	1.0	
28	0.8	
30	0.5	

Repeatability

Opposed Mode: 100 microseconds DVS, DL and FF Modes: 90 microseconds All Other Modes: 150 microseconds

Output Configuration

Solid-state complementary (SPDT): NPN or PNP (current sinking or sourcing), depending on model; Rating: 100 mA maximum each output at 25 °C

DVS, DL and FF Modes ON-state Saturation Voltage: less than 1.5 V at 10 mA; less than 3 V at 100 mA

All Other Modes: ON-state Saturation Voltage: less than 1 V at 10 mA; less than 1.5 V at 100 mA

Protected against false pulse on power-up and continuous overload or short circuit of outputs

Output Response

Opposed Mode: 750 microseconds ON; 375 microseconds OFF

DVS, FF and DL Modes: 850 microseconds ON/OFF

All Other Modes: 600 microseconds ON/OFF

Note: 100 millisecond delay on power-up; outputs do not conduct during this time

Construction

ABS housing

3 mm mounting hardware included

Connections

2 m (6.5 ft) 4-wire PVC cable, 9 m (30 ft) 4-wire PVC cable, 4-pin Pico-style or Euro-style QD, 4-pin Pico-style or Euro-style 150 mm (6 in) QD, depending on model

Environmental

IEC IP67; NEMA 6

Operating Conditions

Temperature: -20 °C to +70 °C (-4 °F to +158 °F) 95% at +50 °C maximum relative humidity (non-condensing)

Certifications



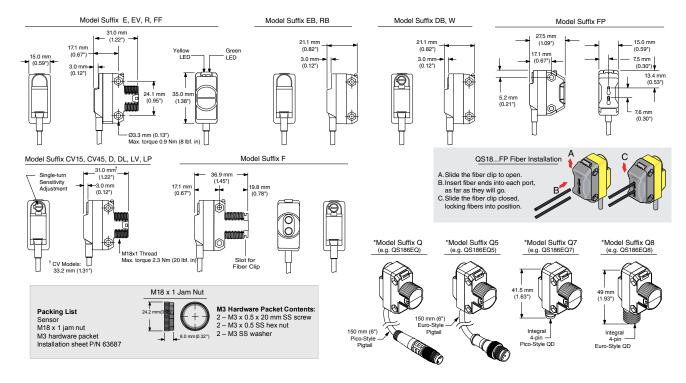




Note: For performance specifications of the FF50 and FF100 models built prior to date code 17090, refer to document p/n 63908.

Dimensions

All measurements are listed in millimeters [inches], unless noted otherwise.



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