# Capacitive Level Detector For Plastic & Rubber Thermoplastic Polyester Housing Types CA, M30, M32, DC, Self-Teach TRIPLESHIELDTM





- Designed for plastic and rubber applications
- For dry bulk material detection
- Featuring TRIPLESHIELD™ Sensor Protection
- Self-Teach of sensing distance or remotely by means of wire
- Withstands up to 120°C on the sensing surface
- Automatic detection of NPN or PNP load
- Selectable make or break switching by means of remote function
- · Protection: Short-circuit, transients and reverse polarity
- · Humidity compensation
- 5 years of warranty

# **Product Description**

Capacitive level detector with specialized and optimized features for level detection in plastic and rubber applications.

The sensor will adapt automatically to the application when power-on for the first time. The adjustment is easy to change by means of the

remote teach-in function. The sensor front can withstand temperatures up to 120°C.

3-wire DC output with selectable make (NO) or break (NC) switching. Grey polyester housing with 2 m PVC cable or M12 plug (Only M30).

# Ordering Key CA3

CA30CLN25BPM1

Capacitive proximity switch Housing diameter (mm) Housing material Housing length Detection principle Rated operating dist. (mm)
Output type —
Output configuration ————————————————————————————————————

# **Type Selection**

Housing diameter	Ordering no. Cable	Ordering no. Plug
M30 M32	CA30CLN25BP CA32CLN25BP	CA30CLN25BPM1

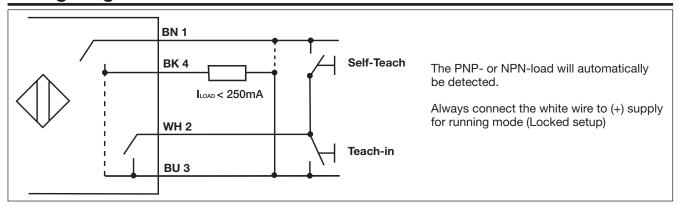
# **Specifications**

Sensitivity	Adjustable (Self-Teach)
Repeat accuracy (R)	≤ 5%
Hysteresis (H)	5 - 10%
Rated operational volt. (U <sub>B</sub> )	10 to 40 VDC (ripple incl.)
Ripple	≤ 10%
Rated operational current (l <sub>e</sub> )	≤ 250 mA (continuous)
No-load supply current (I <sub>o</sub> )	≤ 12 mA
Voltage drop (U <sub>d</sub> )	≤ 2.5 VDC @ max. load
Protection	Short-circuit, reverse polarity, transients
TRIPLESHIELD™ protection-EMC IEC 1000-4-2/EN 61000-4-2 IEC 1000-4-3/EN 61000-4-3 IEC 1000-4-4/EN 61000-4-4 IEC 1000-4-6/EN 61000-4-6	30 kV > 15 V/m 4 kV > 10 V <sub>rms</sub>
Frequency of operating cycles (f) Indication For output ON For calibration	5 Hz LED, yellow LED, red

Environment  Degree of protection Operating temperature Max. temperature on sensing face Storage temperature	IP 68 -20° to +85°C ( -4° to +185°F) 120°C (248°F) -40° to +85°C (-40° to +185°F)
Housing material Body Cable end Nuts	Grey, thermoplastic polyester Polyester, softened Black, PA12 Grilamid
Connection Cable M30 M32  Plug (M1) Cable for plug (M1)	Grey, 2 m, 4 x 0.34 mm <sup>2</sup> Grey, 2 m, 4 x 0.75 mm <sup>2</sup> Oil proof, PVC M12 x 1 CON.1A-series
Weight Cable version - M30 / M32 Plug version - M 30	150 g/230 g 70 g
Approvals	UL, CSA
CE-marking	Yes



# **Wiring Diagram**



# Installation

#### First time calibration

Install and wire the sensor according to the above wiring diagram. Remember to connect the white wire, the 4th wire, to (+) supply

The very first time the sensor is powered up, the sensor will

automatically adapt to the surroundings and calculate an optimal sensitivity by itself – no matter what kind of plastic material to be detected.

As long as the white wire is connected to (+) supply, the sensor will be locked and be in running mode.

New	Action	Description of sensor setup
First time calibration	New sensor	Factory settings
	Install the sensor in the application	-
	Connect the sensor electrical. White wire to (+) supply	-
	Power ON	Self-Teach: Red LED blinking The sensor is now in running mode

#### Locked sensor set-up

No other adjustment is needed. As long as the white wire is connected to (+) supply, the set-up of the sensor is locked, and will not change during another power down/up.

Locked	Action	Description of sensor setup
	Sensor running	Last setup
	Power OFF	-
	Power ON (Startup delay 600ms)	No Self-Teach. The sensor is now in running mode

#### Re-calibration of the sensor

If needed, a new Self-Teach can be activated by disconnecting the white wire from (+) supply, and then connect it again to (+) supply.

You have now activated a new Self-Teach and the sensor will now re-calibrate and calculate a new sensitivity according to the application. Be sure that the application is empty – no object to detect.

Self-Teach	Action	Description of sensor setup
Force new Self-	Disconnect white wire	-
Teach	Connect white wire to (+) supply	Self-Teach: Red LED blinking The sensor is now in running mode
	Power OFF	-
	Power ON (Startup delay 600 ms)	The sensor is still in running mode



Every time the white wire is being disconnected from (+) supply, the Self-Teach function will be initiated and take place when connecting it again to (+) supply

Self-Teach	Action	Description of sensor setup
Force new Self-	Power OFF	-
Teach	Disconnect white wire	-
	Power ON (Startup delay 600 ms)	-
	Connect white wire to (+) supply	Self-Teach: Red LED blinking The sensor is now in running mode

#### Remote teach-in

It is possible to teach-in either background or object, like the CAxxCLL sensors with normal teach-in function.

**Teach-in Background** 

Teach-in	Action	Description of sensor setup
in background	Disconnect white wire	-
	Be sure that the application is empty Connect the white wire to (-) supply > 3 sec. Remove the wire during the next 3 seconds.	The red LED will flash once per second Remote teach-in of background
	Connect white wire to (+) supply	Self-Teach: Red LED blinking The sensor is now in running mode

## **Teach-in Object**

Teach-in	Action	Description of sensor setup
	Disconnect white wire	-
in object	Be sure that the application is <u>with</u> object. Connect the white wire to (-) supply > 6 sec. Remove the wire during the next 3 seconds.	The red LED will flash twice per second Remote teach-in of object
	Connect white wire to (+) supply	The sensor is now in running mode

# Teach-in Background and Object

Teach-in	Action	Description of sensor setup
Remote Teach-	Disconnect white wire	-
in of back- ground and object	Background: Be sure that the application is empty. Connect the white wire to (-) supply > 3 sec. Remove the wire during the next 3 seconds.	The red LED will flash once per second Remote teach-in of background
	Object: Be sure that the application is <b>with</b> object. Connect the white wire to (-) supply > 6 sec. Remove the wire during the next 3 seconds.	The red LED will flash twice per second Remote Teach-in of object
	Connect white wire to (+) supply	The sensor is now in running mode

## Toggle between normally open and normally closed

It is possible to toggle between normally open and normally closed by means of the teach-in function.

Teach-in	Action	Description of sensor setup
Normally open	Disconnect white wire	-
<> Normally closed	Connect the white wire to (-) supply > 9 sec.  Remove the wire during the next 3 seconds.	The red LED will flash three times per second Toggle between NO and NC
	Connect white wire to (+) supply	The sensor is now in running mode