


# E6C3-C

## Rugged Rotary Encoder

- Incremental model
- External diameter of 50 mm.
- Resolution of up to 3,600 ppr.
- IP65 (improved oil-proof construction with sealed bearings)
- Superior shaft loading performance (radial: 80 N, thrust: 50 N)



 Be sure to read *Safety Precautions* on page 4.

## Ordering Information

**Encoders** [Refer to *Dimensions* on page 4.]

Power supply voltage	Output configuration	Resolution (pulses/rotation)	Connection method	Model
12 to 24 VDC	Complementary output	100, 200,	Pre-wired (1 m) (See note.)	<b>E6C3-CWZ5GH (resolution) 1M</b> Example: E6C3-CWZ5GH 100P/R 1M
		300, 360, 500		
		600, 720, 800		
		1,000, 1,024, 1,200		
		1,500, 1,800, 2,000		
		2,048, 2,500, 3,600		
5 to 12 VDC	Voltage output	100, 200		<b>E6C3-CWZ3EH (resolution) 1M</b> Example: E6C3-CWZ3EH 100P/R 1M
		300, 360, 500		
		600, 720, 800		
		1,000, 1,024, 1,200		
		1,500, 1,800, 2,000		
		2,048, 2,500, 3,600		
5 to 12 VDC	Line-driver output	100, 200,		<b>E6C3-CWZ3XH (resolution) 1M</b> Example: E6C3-CWZ3XH 100P/R 1M
		300, 360, 500		
		600, 720, 800		
		1,000, 1,024, 1,200		
		1,500, 1,800, 2,000		
		2,048, 2,500, 3,600		

Note: Models with 2-m cable are also available. When ordering, specify the cable length at the end of the model number (example: E6C3-CWZ5GH 300P/R 2M).

## Accessories (Order Separately) [Refer to *Dimensions on Rotary Encoder Accessories.*]

Name	Model	Remarks
Couplings	<b>E69-C08B</b>	---
	<b>E69-C68B</b>	Different end diameter (6 to 8 mm)
Flanges	<b>E69-FCA03</b>	---
	<b>E69-FCA04</b>	E69-2 Servo Mounting Bracket provided.
Servo Mounting Bracket	<b>E69-2</b>	Provided with E69-FCA04 Flange.

Refer to *Accessories* for details.

## Ratings and Specifications

Item	Model	E6C3-CWZ5GH	E6C3-CWZ3EH	E6C3-CWZ3XH
Power supply voltage		12 VDC -10% to 24 VDC +15%, ripple (p-p): 5% max.	5 VDC -5% to 12 VDC +10%, ripple (p-p): 5% max.	
Current consumption*1		100 mA max.		
Resolution (pulses/rotation)		100, 200, 300, 360, 500, 600, 720, 800, 1,000, 1,024, 1,200, 1,500, 1,800, 2,000, 2,048, 2,500, 3,600		
Output phases		Phases A, B, and Z*5		Phases A, $\bar{A}$ , B, $\bar{B}$ , Z, and $\bar{Z}$
Output configuration		Complementary outputs*2	Voltage output (NPN output)	Line driver output*3
Output capacity		Output voltage: $V_H = V_{CC} - 3 \text{ V min.}$ ( $I_O = 30 \text{ mA}$ ) $V_L = 2 \text{ V max.}$ ( $I_O = -30 \text{ mA}$ ) Output current: $\pm 30 \text{ mA}$	Output resistance: 2 k $\Omega$ Output current: 35 mA max. Residual voltage: 0.7 V max.	AM26LS31 equivalent Output current: High level: $I_O = -10 \text{ mA}$ Low level: $I_S = 10 \text{ mA}$ Output voltage: $V_O = 2.5 \text{ V min.}$ $V_S = 0.5 \text{ V max.}$
Maximum response frequency*4		125 kHz (65 kHz when using phase Z reset)		
Phase difference between outputs		$90^\circ \pm 45^\circ$ between A and B ( $1/4 T \pm 1/8 T$ )		
Rise and fall times of output		1 $\mu\text{s}$ max. (Cable length: 2 m, Output current: 30 mA)	1 $\mu\text{s}$ max. (Cable length: 2 m, Output current: 35 mA)	1 $\mu\text{s}$ max. (Cable length: 2 m, $I_O = -10 \text{ mA}$ , $I_S = 10 \text{ mA}$ )
Starting torque		10 mN·m max. at room temperature, 30 mN·m max. at low temperature		
Moment of inertia		$2.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^2$ max.; $1.9 \times 10^{-6} \text{ kg}\cdot\text{m}^2$ max. at 500 P/R max.		
Shaft loading	Radial	80 N		
	Thrust	50 N		
Maximum permissible speed		5,000 r/min		
Protection circuits		Power supply reverse polarity protection, Output load short-circuit protection		---
Ambient temperature range		Operating: $-10$ to $70^\circ\text{C}$ (with no icing), Storage: $-25$ to $85^\circ\text{C}$ (with no icing)		
Ambient humidity range		Operating/Storage: 35% to 85% (with no condensation)		
Insulation resistance		20 M $\Omega$ min. (at 500 VDC) between current-carrying parts and case		
Dielectric strength		500 VAC, 50/60 Hz for 1 min between current-carrying parts and case		
Vibration resistance		Destruction: 10 to 500 Hz, 150 m/s <sup>2</sup> or 2-mm double amplitude for 11 min 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions		
Shock resistance		Destruction: 1,000 m/s <sup>2</sup> 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions		
Degree of protection		IEC 60529 IP65, in-house standards: oilproof		
Connection method		Pre-wired Models (Standard cable length: 1 m)		
Material		Case: Aluminum, Main unit: Aluminum, Shaft: SUS303		
Weight (packed state)		Approx. 300 g		
Accessories		Instruction manual Note: Coupling, mounting bracket and hex-head spanner are sold separately.		

\*1. An inrush current of approximately 9 A will flow for approximately 0.1 ms when the power is turned ON.

\*2. Complementary Output

The complementary output has two output transistors (NPN and PNP) as shown below. These two output transistors alternately turn ON and OFF depending on the high or low output signal. When using them, pull up to the positive power supply voltage level or pull down to 0 V. The complementary output allows flow-in or flow-out of the output current and thus the rising and falling speeds of signals are fast. This allows a long cable distance. They can be connected to open-collector input devices (NPN, PNP).



\*3. The line driver output is a data transmission circuit compatible with RS-422A and long-distance transmission is possible with a twisted-pair cable. (AM26LS31 equivalent)

\*4. The maximum electrical response speed is determined by the resolution and maximum response frequency as follows:

$$\text{Maximum electrical response speed (rpm)} = \frac{\text{Maximum response frequency}}{\text{Resolution}} \times 60$$

This means that the Rotary Encoder will not operate electrically if its speed exceeds the maximum electrical response speed.

\*5. The phase Z signal is output when cut face D on the shaft and the cable connection direction are as shown in the following diagram (output position range:  $\pm 15^\circ$ ).



## I/O Circuit Diagrams

Model/Output Circuits	Output mode	Connection																		
<p><b>E6C3-CWZ5GH</b></p> <p>12 VDC -10% to 24 VDC +15%</p> <p>Output signal (Black: phase A, White: phase B, Orange: phase Z)</p> <p>0 V</p> <p>GND</p>	<p><b>E6C3-CWZ3EH Voltage Output Model</b>  <b>E6C3-CWZ5GH Complementary Output Model</b></p> <p>Direction of rotation: CW (as viewed from end of shaft)      Direction of rotation: CCW (as viewed from end of shaft)</p> <p>Note: Phase A is <math>1/4 T \pm 1/8 T</math> faster than phase B.      Note: Phase A is <math>1/4 T \pm 1/8 T</math> slower than phase B.</p> <p>“H” and “L” in the diagrams are the output voltage levels of phases A, B, and Z.</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Color</th> <th>Terminal</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brown</td> <td>Power supply (+Vcc)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Black</td> <td>Output phase A</td> </tr> <tr> <td>White</td> <td>Output phase B</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Orange</td> <td>Output phase Z</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Blue</td> <td>0 V (common)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Color	Terminal	Brown	Power supply (+Vcc)	Black	Output phase A	White	Output phase B	Orange	Output phase Z	Blue	0 V (common)						
Color	Terminal																			
Brown	Power supply (+Vcc)																			
Black	Output phase A																			
White	Output phase B																			
Orange	Output phase Z																			
Blue	0 V (common)																			
<p><b>E6C3-CWZ3EH</b></p> <p>5 VDC -5% to 12 VDC +10%</p> <p>Output signal (Black: phase A, White: phase B, Orange: phase Z)</p> <p>0 V</p> <p>GND</p>	<p>Note: Phase A is <math>1/4 T \pm 1/8 T</math> faster than phase B.      Note: Phase A is <math>1/4 T \pm 1/8 T</math> slower than phase B.</p> <p>“H” and “L” in the diagrams are the output voltage levels of phases A, B, and Z.</p>																			
<p><b>E6C3-CWZ3XH</b></p> <p>5 VDC -5% to 12 VDC +10%</p> <p>Non-reversed output (Black: phase A, White: phase B, Orange: phase Z)</p> <p>Reversed output (with red stripes) (Black/red: phase <math>\bar{A}</math>, White/red: phase <math>\bar{B}</math>, orange/red: phase <math>\bar{Z}</math>)</p> <p>0 V</p> <p>GND</p>	<p><b>E6C3-CWZ3XH Line Driver Output Model</b></p> <p>Direction of rotation: CW (as viewed from end of shaft)      Direction of rotation: CCW (as viewed from end of shaft)</p> <p>Note: Phase A is <math>1/4 T \pm 1/8 T</math> faster than phase B.      Note: Phase A is <math>1/4 T \pm 1/8 T</math> slower than phase B.</p> <p>“H” and “L” in the diagrams are the output voltage levels of phases A, B, and Z.</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Color</th> <th>Terminal</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brown</td> <td>Power supply (+Vcc)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Black</td> <td>Output phase A</td> </tr> <tr> <td>White</td> <td>Output phase B</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Orange</td> <td>Output phase Z</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Black/red stripes</td> <td>Output phase <math>\bar{A}</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td>White/red stripes</td> <td>Output phase <math>\bar{B}</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Orange/red stripes</td> <td>Output phase <math>\bar{Z}</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Blue</td> <td>0 V (common)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Note: Receiver: AM26LS32 equivalent</p>	Color	Terminal	Brown	Power supply (+Vcc)	Black	Output phase A	White	Output phase B	Orange	Output phase Z	Black/red stripes	Output phase $\bar{A}$	White/red stripes	Output phase $\bar{B}$	Orange/red stripes	Output phase $\bar{Z}$	Blue	0 V (common)
Color	Terminal																			
Brown	Power supply (+Vcc)																			
Black	Output phase A																			
White	Output phase B																			
Orange	Output phase Z																			
Black/red stripes	Output phase $\bar{A}$																			
White/red stripes	Output phase $\bar{B}$																			
Orange/red stripes	Output phase $\bar{Z}$																			
Blue	0 V (common)																			

- Note: 1. The shielded cable outer core (shield) is not connected to the inner area or to the case.  
 2. The phase A, phase B, and phase Z circuits are all identical.  
 3. Normally, connect GND to 0 V or to an external ground.

## Safety Precautions

Refer to *Warranty and Limitations of Liability*.

**⚠ WARNING**

This product is not designed or rated for ensuring safety of persons either directly or indirectly. Do not use it for such purposes.



**Precautions for Correct Use**

Do not use the Encoder under ambient conditions that exceed the ratings.

● **Wiring**

**Connections**

Cable Extension Characteristics

- When the cable length is extended, the output waveform startup time is lengthened and it affects the phase difference characteristics of phases A and B. Conditions will change according to frequency, noise, and other factors. As a guideline, use a cable length of 10 m\* or less. If the cable must be more than 10 m, use a Model with a Line-driver Output or Complementary Output.

(max. length for line-driver output: 100 m,  
max. length for complementary output: 30 m)

- \* Recommended Cable  
Conductor cross section: 0.2 mm<sup>2</sup>  
Spiral shield  
Conductor resistance: 92 Ω/km max. (20°C)  
Insulation resistance: 5 Ω/km min. (20°C)

- The output waveform startup time changes not only according to the length of the cable, but also according to the load resistance and the cable type.
- Extending the cable length not only changes the startup time, but also increases the output residual voltage.

● **Connection**

Spurious pulses may be generated when power is turned ON and OFF. Wait at least 0.1 s after turning ON the power to the Encoder before using the connected device, and stop using the connected device at least 0.1 s before turning OFF the power to the Encoder. Also, turn ON the power to the load only after turning ON the power to the Encoder.

(Unit: mm)

## Dimensions

Tolerance class IT16 applies to dimensions in this datasheet unless otherwise specified.

## Encoder

E6C3-CWZ□□H



The E69-C08B Coupling is sold separately.

5-dia. oil-resistant PVC-insulated shielded cable with 5 conductors (line driver: 8 conductors) (Conductor cross section: 0.2 mm<sup>2</sup>, Insulator diameter: 1.1 mm), Standard length: 1 m

## Accessories (Order Separately)

**Couplings**

- E69-C08B
- E69-C68B

**Flanges**

- E69-FCA03
- E69-FCA04

**Servo Mounting Bracket**

E69-2

Refer to *Accessories* for details.

# Terms and Conditions of Sale

1. **Offer; Acceptance.** These terms and conditions (these "**Terms**") are deemed part of all quotes, agreements, purchase orders, acknowledgments, price lists, catalogs, manuals, brochures and other documents, whether electronic or in writing, relating to the sale of products or services (collectively, the "**Products**") by Omron Electronics LLC and its subsidiary companies ("**Omron**"). Omron objects to any terms or conditions proposed in Buyer's purchase order or other documents which are inconsistent with, or in addition to, these Terms.
2. **Prices; Payment Terms.** All prices stated are current, subject to change without notice by Omron. Omron reserves the right to increase or decrease prices on any unshipped portions of outstanding orders. Payments for Products are due net 30 days unless otherwise stated in the invoice.
3. **Discounts.** Cash discounts, if any, will apply only on the net amount of invoices sent to Buyer after deducting transportation charges, taxes and duties, and will be allowed only if (i) the invoice is paid according to Omron's payment terms and (ii) Buyer has no past due amounts.
4. **Interest.** Omron, at its option, may charge Buyer 1-1/2% interest per month or the maximum legal rate, whichever is less, on any balance not paid within the stated terms.
5. **Orders.** Omron will accept no order less than \$200 net billing.
6. **Governmental Approvals.** Buyer shall be responsible for, and shall bear all costs involved in, obtaining any government approvals required for the importation or sale of the Products.
7. **Taxes.** All taxes, duties and other governmental charges (other than general real property and income taxes), including any interest or penalties thereon, imposed directly or indirectly on Omron or required to be collected directly or indirectly by Omron for the manufacture, production, sale, delivery, importation, consumption or use of the Products sold hereunder (including customs duties and sales, excise, use, turnover and license taxes) shall be charged to and remitted by Buyer to Omron.
8. **Financial.** If the financial position of Buyer at any time becomes unsatisfactory to Omron, Omron reserves the right to stop shipments or require satisfactory security or payment in advance. If Buyer fails to make payment or otherwise comply with these Terms or any related agreement, Omron may (without liability and in addition to other remedies) cancel any unshipped portion of Products sold hereunder and stop any Products in transit until Buyer pays all amounts, including amounts payable hereunder, whether or not then due, which are owing to it by Buyer. Buyer shall in any event remain liable for all unpaid accounts.
9. **Cancellation; Etc.** Orders are not subject to rescheduling or cancellation unless Buyer indemnifies Omron against all related costs or expenses.
10. **Force Majeure.** Omron shall not be liable for any delay or failure in delivery resulting from causes beyond its control, including earthquakes, fires, floods, strikes or other labor disputes, shortage of labor or materials, accidents to machinery, acts of sabotage, riots, delay in or lack of transportation or the requirements of any government authority.
11. **Shipping; Delivery.** Unless otherwise expressly agreed in writing by Omron:
  - a. Shipments shall be by a carrier selected by Omron; Omron will not drop ship except in "break down" situations.
  - b. Such carrier shall act as the agent of Buyer and delivery to such carrier shall constitute delivery to Buyer;
  - c. All sales and shipments of Products shall be FOB shipping point (unless otherwise stated in writing by Omron), at which point title and risk of loss shall pass from Omron to Buyer; provided that Omron shall retain a security interest in the Products until the full purchase price is paid;
  - d. Delivery and shipping dates are estimates only; and
  - e. Omron will package Products as it deems proper for protection against normal handling and extra charges apply to special conditions.
12. **Claims.** Any claim by Buyer against Omron for shortage or damage to the Products occurring before delivery to the carrier must be presented in writing to Omron within 30 days of receipt of shipment and include the original transportation bill signed by the carrier noting that the carrier received the Products from Omron in the condition claimed.
13. **Warranties.** (a) **Exclusive Warranty.** Omron's exclusive warranty is that the Products will be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of twelve months from the date of sale by Omron (or such other period expressed in writing by Omron). Omron disclaims all other warranties, express or implied. (b) **Limitations.** OMRON MAKES NO WARRANTY OR REPRESENTATION, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, ABOUT NON-INFRINGEMENT, MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OF THE PRODUCTS. BUYER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT IT ALONE HAS DETERMINED THAT THE PRODUCTS WILL SUITABLY MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THEIR INTENDED USE. Omron further disclaims all warranties and responsibility of any type for claims or expenses based on infringement by the Products or otherwise of any intellectual property right. (c) **Buyer Remedy.** Omron's sole obligation hereunder shall be, at Omron's election, to (i) replace (in the form originally shipped with Buyer responsible for labor charges for removal or replacement thereof) the non-complying Product, (ii) repair the non-complying Product, or (iii) repay or credit Buyer an amount equal to the purchase price of the non-complying Product; provided that in no event shall Omron be responsible for warranty, repair, indemnity or any other claims or expenses regarding the Products unless Omron's analysis confirms that the Products were properly handled, stored, installed and maintained and not subject to contamination, abuse, misuse or inappropriate modification. Return of any Products by Buyer must be approved in writing by Omron before shipment. Omron Companies shall not be liable for the suitability or unsuitability or the results from the use of Products in combination with any electrical or electronic components, circuits, system assemblies or any other materials or substances or environments. Any advice, recommendations or information given orally or in writing, are not to be construed as an amendment or addition to the above warranty. See <http://www.omron247.com> or contact your Omron representative for published information.
14. **Limitation on Liability; Etc.** OMRON COMPANIES SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR SPECIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, LOSS OF PROFITS OR PRODUCTION OR COMMERCIAL LOSS IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH THE PRODUCTS, WHETHER SUCH CLAIM IS BASED IN CONTRACT, WARRANTY, NEGLIGENCE OR STRICT LIABILITY. Further, in no event shall liability of Omron Companies exceed the individual price of the Product on which liability is asserted.
15. **Indemnities.** Buyer shall indemnify and hold harmless Omron Companies and their employees from and against all liabilities, losses, claims, costs and expenses (including attorney's fees and expenses) related to any claim, investigation, litigation or proceeding (whether or not Omron is a party) which arises or is alleged to arise from Buyer's acts or omissions under these Terms or in any way with respect to the Products. Without limiting the foregoing, Buyer (at its own expense) shall indemnify and hold harmless Omron and defend or settle any action brought against such Companies to the extent based on a claim that any Product made to Buyer specifications infringed intellectual property rights of another party.
16. **Property; Confidentiality.** Any intellectual property in the Products is the exclusive property of Omron Companies and Buyer shall not attempt to duplicate it in any way without the written permission of Omron. Notwithstanding any charges to Buyer for engineering or tooling, all engineering and tooling shall remain the exclusive property of Omron. All information and materials supplied by Omron to Buyer relating to the Products are confidential and proprietary, and Buyer shall limit distribution thereof to its trusted employees and strictly prevent disclosure to any third party.
17. **Export Controls.** Buyer shall comply with all applicable laws, regulations and licenses regarding (i) export of products or information; (ii) sale of products to "forbidden" or other proscribed persons; and (iii) disclosure to non-citizens of regulated technology or information.
18. **Miscellaneous.** (a) **Waiver.** No failure or delay by Omron in exercising any right and no course of dealing between Buyer and Omron shall operate as a waiver of rights by Omron. (b) **Assignment.** Buyer may not assign its rights hereunder without Omron's written consent. (c) **Law.** These Terms are governed by the law of the jurisdiction of the home office of the Omron company from which Buyer is purchasing the Products (without regard to conflict of law principles). (d) **Amendment.** These Terms constitute the entire agreement between Buyer and Omron relating to the Products, and no provision may be changed or waived unless in writing signed by the parties. (e) **Severability.** If any provision hereof is rendered ineffective or invalid, such provision shall not invalidate any other provision. (f) **Setoff.** Buyer shall have no right to set off any amounts against the amount owing in respect of this invoice. (g) **Definitions.** As used herein, "including" means "including without limitation"; and "Omron Companies" (or similar words) mean Omron Corporation and any direct or indirect subsidiary or affiliate thereof.

## Certain Precautions on Specifications and Use

1. **Suitability of Use.** Omron Companies shall not be responsible for conformity with any standards, codes or regulations which apply to the combination of the Product in the Buyer's application or use of the Product. At Buyer's request, Omron will provide applicable third party certification documents identifying ratings and limitations of use which apply to the Product. This information by itself is not sufficient for a complete determination of the suitability of the Product in combination with the end product, machine, system, or other application or use. Buyer shall be solely responsible for determining appropriateness of the particular Product with respect to Buyer's application, product or system. Buyer shall take application responsibility in all cases but the following is a non-exhaustive list of applications for which particular attention must be given: (i) Outdoor use, uses involving potential chemical contamination or electrical interference, or conditions or uses not described in this document. (ii) Use in consumer products or any use in significant quantities. (iii) Energy control systems, combustion systems, railroad systems, aviation systems, medical equipment, amusement machines, vehicles, safety equipment, and installations subject to separate industry or government regulations. (iv) Systems, machines and equipment that could present a risk to life or property. Please know and observe all prohibitions of use applicable to this Product. NEVER USE THE PRODUCT FOR AN APPLICATION INVOLVING SERIOUS RISK TO LIFE OR PROPERTY OR IN LARGE QUANTITIES WITHOUT ENSURING THAT THE SYSTEM AS A WHOLE HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO ADDRESS THE RISKS, AND THAT THE OMRON'S PRODUCT IS PROPERLY RATED AND INSTALLED FOR THE INTENDED USE WITHIN THE OVERALL EQUIPMENT OR SYSTEM.
2. **Programmable Products.** Omron Companies shall not be responsible for the user's programming of a programmable Product, or any consequence thereof.
3. **Performance Data.** Data presented in Omron Company websites, catalogs and other materials is provided as a guide for the user in determining suitability and does not constitute a warranty. It may represent the result of Omron's test conditions, and the user must correlate it to actual application requirements. Actual performance is subject to the Omron's Warranty and Limitations of Liability.
4. **Change in Specifications.** Product specifications and accessories may be changed at any time based on improvements and other reasons. It is our practice to change part numbers when published ratings or features are changed, or when significant construction changes are made. However, some specifications of the Product may be changed without any notice. When in doubt, special part numbers may be assigned to fix or establish key specifications for your application. Please consult with your Omron's representative at any time to confirm actual specifications of purchased Product.
5. **Errors and Omissions.** Information presented by Omron Companies has been checked and is believed to be accurate; however, no responsibility is assumed for clerical, typographical or proofreading errors or omissions.