

Fiber Optic Sensor Amplifier Type FA1

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- Distance range is fiber dependent
Please see the FUR, FUT datasheet
- Easy set-up using 3-ways adjustment switch
- 2 X 4 digits display to show signal level and threshold
- Display direction can be inverted to suit different mounting
- Output 100mA NPN or PNP
- Light on and dark on switching selectable
- Operational voltage 12 to 24 VDC
- On, off, on one shot, off one shot delay timer
- Response time 200, 500, 1000, 5000μs



Product Description

FA1 series amplifier is a fiber optic amplifier most suitable to be used with FUR/FUT fibers to achieve various detection distance.

FA1 has a 2 x 4 digits LED display to show the signal level and threshold respectively. Display direction can be inverted to suit different installation needs.

FA1 is also equipped with a 3-ways adjuster switch to adjust sensitivity and different response time.

The sensor output is either NPN or PNP and is selectable to be light on or dark on. There is also a timer for the output which can be selected to be on delay, off delay, on one shot and off one shot to suit most applications' needs.

Ordering Key

FA 1-N

Type

Series

Output

Type Selection

Housing
W x H x D

10 x 33 x 80 mm

Ordering no.
NPN
Light on or dark on switching

FA1-N

Ordering no.
PNP
Light on or dark on switching

FA1-P

Specifications

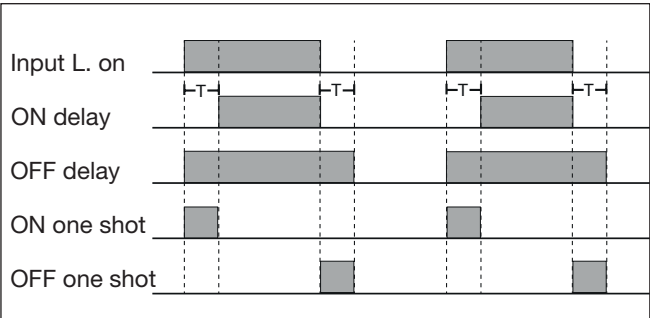
Rated operating distance (S_n)	Fiber dependant Please see FUR, FUT datasheet	Output function Light on or dark on	NPN or PNP Selected via switch
Sensitivity	Increase or decrease by 3-ways adjuster switch. Switch left/right to +/- and press down to confirm	Timer Type	On, off, on one shot, off one shot
Sensitivity Range	Depends on selected response time 27-3991 @200μs 27-3982 @500μs 27-9988 @1000μs 27-9990 @5000μs	Range	0-9999 ms
Temperature drift	< 0.2%/C°	Current consumption (I_o)	< 40 mA @ 24 VDC
Hysteresis (H)	≤ 20% of sensing distance	Voltage drop (U_d) FA1-N FA1-P	≤1V (100 mA Load) ≤1.5V (100 mA Load)
Rated operational volt. (U_B)	12 to 24 VDC	Protection	Short-circuit, reverse polarity, transients
Ripple (U_{rip})	≤ 10%	Light source	Red LED 660 nm
Output current Continuous (I _a)	100 mA	Ambient light Incandescent light Sunlight	10'000 Lux 20'000 Lux
		Operating frequency	Max. 2.5 kHz
		Response time	Selectable 200, 500, 1000, 5000μs



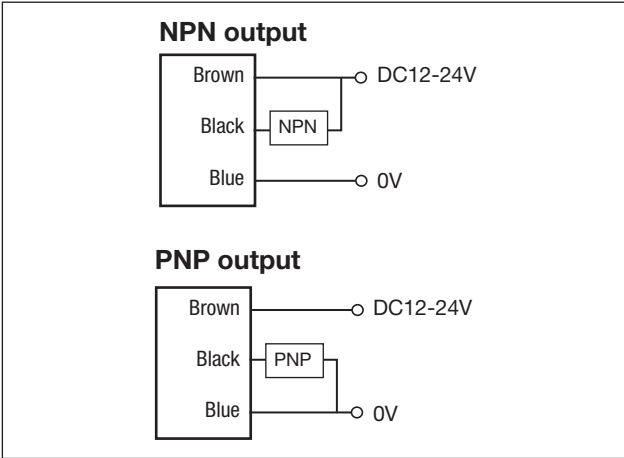
Specifications (cont.)

Power ON delay (t _v)	< 150 ms	Housing material	Body	ABS
Indication	Red LED	Connection	Cable	PVC, black, 2m, 3 wires
Output	2 X 4 digits display	Weight		Approx. 65g
Sensitivity	Red – signal level Green - threshold	Approvals		CE, cULus (UL508)
Temperature		Environment	Degree of protection	IP40
Operating	0° to +60°C (32° to +140°F)			

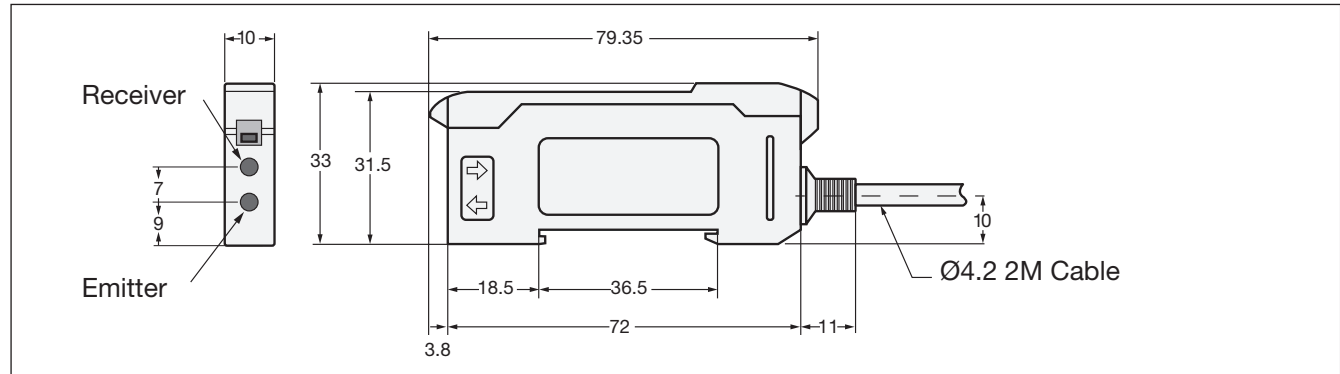
Operation Diagram



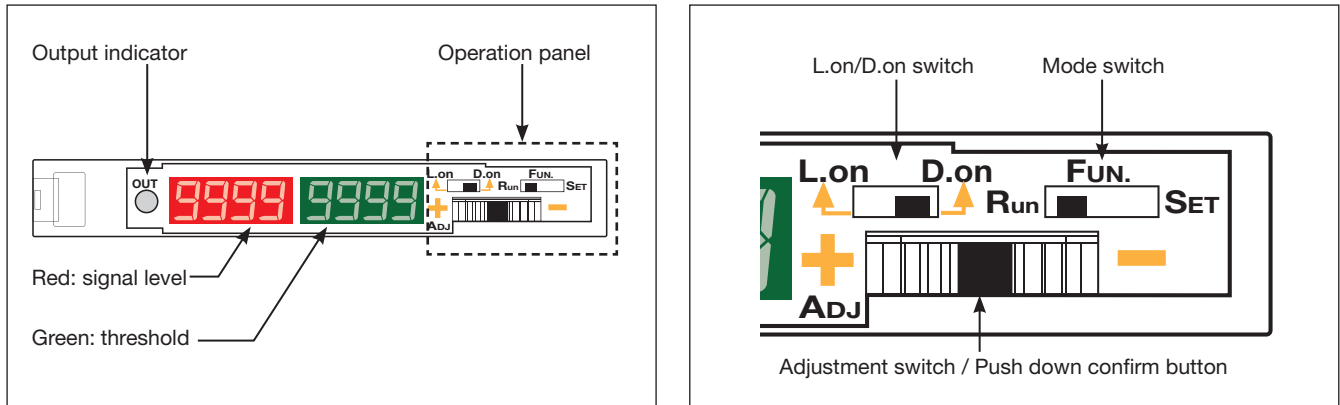
Wiring Diagram



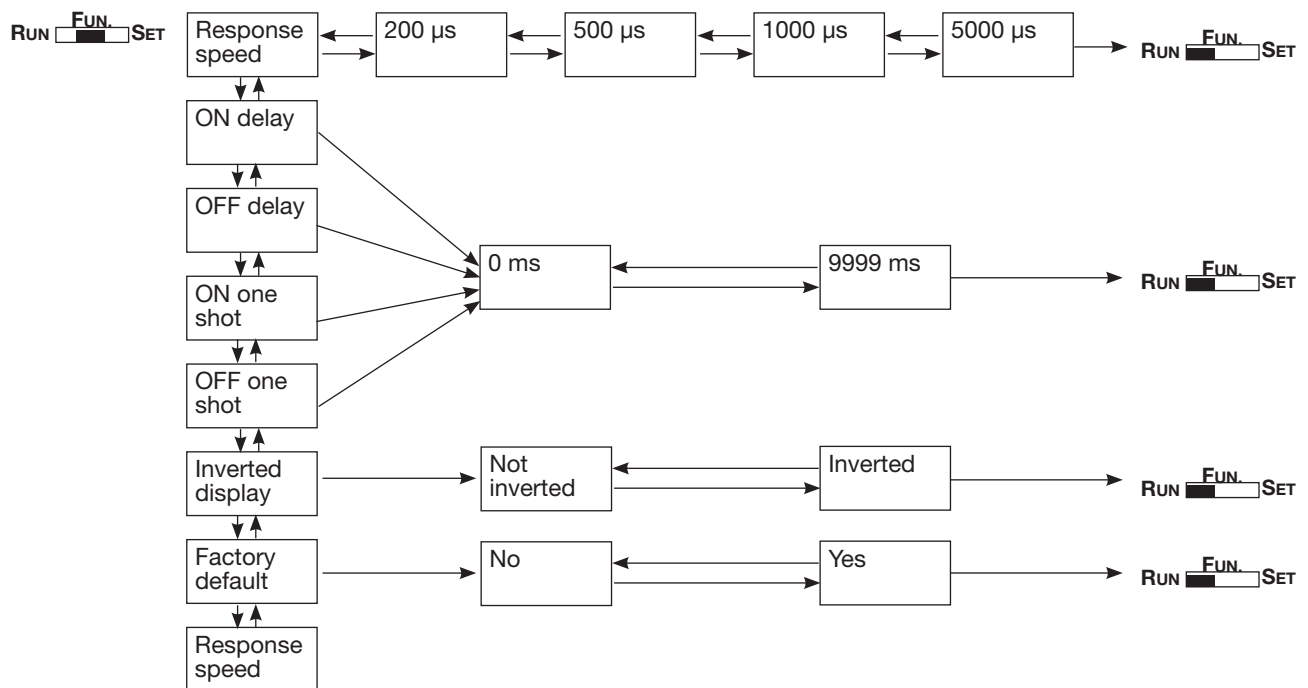
Dimensions



LED and Operation Panel



Block Diagram - Programming Settings



Programming Functions

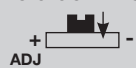
Settings		Inverted display	
Mode switch: Select FUN. RUN FUN SET		dISP rERd Press ADJ for 2 sec. Turn to '+' to increase or '-' to change between displays dISP 1234 hEL dS'P Press ADJ for 2 sec. Return to RUN RUN FUN SET	
Response speed	rESP 5Pd Press ADJ for 2 sec. Turn to '+' to increase or '-' to decrease response time 200 uS 500 uS 1000 uS 5000 uS Press ADJ for 2 sec. Return to RUN RUN FUN SET	Factory default FctY dEF Press ADJ for 2 sec. Turn to '+' to increase or '-' to change between options (Yes/No) no YES Press ADJ for 2 sec. Return to RUN RUN FUN SET	
Higher response time: shorter sensing distance. Lower response time: longer sensing distance.	Setting delay time: 0-9999 ms On dEL OFF dEL On iShT OFF iShT Turn to '+' to increase or '-' to decrease delay time 0 9999 Press ADJ for 2 sec. Return to RUN RUN FUN SET		

Programming Functions - Example

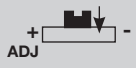
Setting example

Set OFF delay to 2 sec.

1. Select FUN.

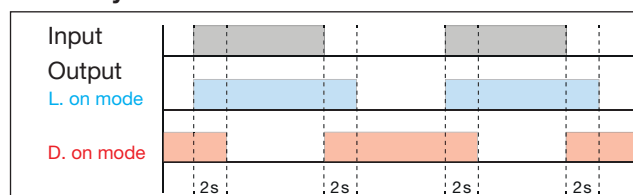
 RUN  SET
2. Turn to '+' to or '-' to go to OFF delay mode
 
3. Hold down for two sec.

 The display shows '0'

4. Turn to '+' to set to 2000

5. Hold down for two sec. to confirm setting (OFF delay)

 
6. Return to RUN

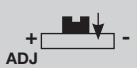
 RUN  SET
 Working position is now:


OFF delay 2 sec.



Diffuse model settings

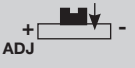
1. Set to L.on
 
2. Select SET

 RUN  SET
3. With target: hold down ADJ for 2 sec. Auto-teach-in function is performed when the blinking stops. (see fig. 1, p. 5)

4. Return to RUN

 RUN  SET
5. If reversed operation detection is required, change to D.on
 

Through-beam model settings

1. Set to D.on
 
2. Select SET

 RUN  SET
3. Without target; hold down ADJ for 2 sec. Auto-teach function is performed when the blinking stops. (see fig. 3, p. 5)

4. Return to RUN

 RUN  SET
5. If reversed operation detection is required, change to L.on
 

Diffuse model settings

Fig. 1

With target

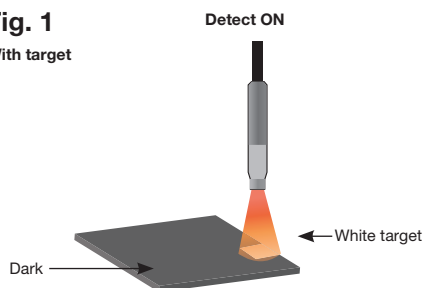
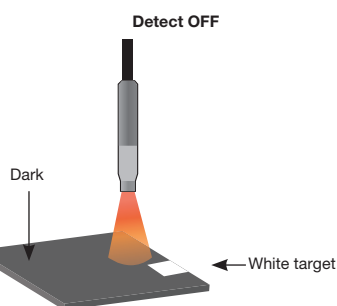


Fig. 2

Without target



Through-beam model settings

Fig. 3

Without target

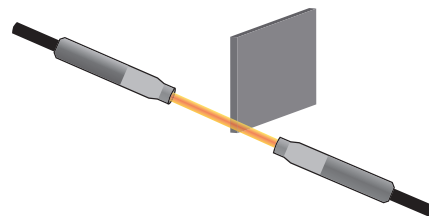
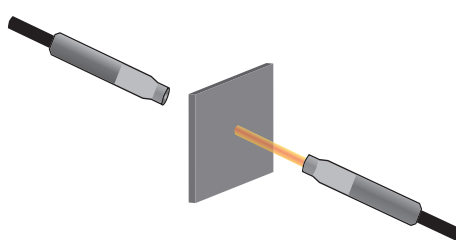


Fig. 4

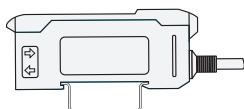
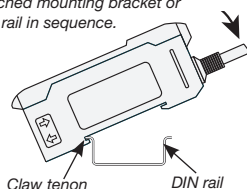
With target



Installation Hints

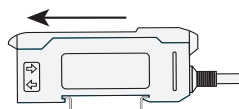
Mounting the amplifier

Mount each amplifier to the attached mounting bracket or DIN rail in sequence.

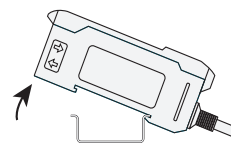


Detaching the amplifier

Detach the amplifiers in sequence by sliding the amplifier bodies.



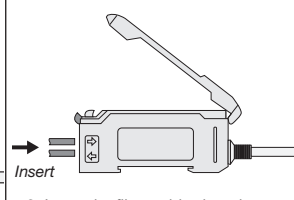
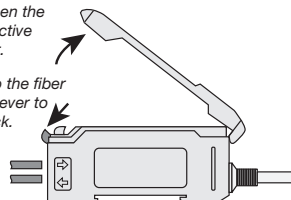
Detach the amplifier,



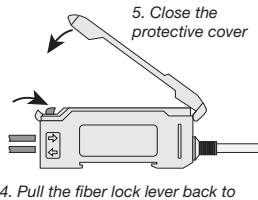
NB: Do not detach two amplifiers at a time.

Insert the fiber cables

1. Open the protective cover.
2. Tip the fiber lock lever to unlock.

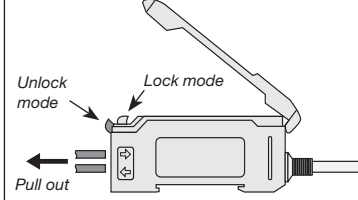


5. Close the protective cover.
4. Pull the fiber lock lever back to lock the cables.



Remove the fiber cables

- Unlock mode
 - Lock mode
 - Pull out
- Open the protective cover and tip the fiber lock lever to unlock. Remove the cables by pulling them straight out of the mounting holes.



Delivery Contents

- Amplifier: FA1...
- Installation manual
- **Packaging:** Cardboard box

Accessories

- Fiber optic plastic type FUR, FUT

For further information refer to Fiber Optic Plastic Type FUR, FUT datasheets.