



DATA SHEET

# KT8L-P3656

KT8  
Contrast sensors

## CONTRAST SENSORS

# KT8L-P3656

### ORDERING INFORMATION

Type	part no.
KT8L-P3656	1041262

Further device versions and accessories at [www.sick.com/KT8](http://www.sick.com/KT8)



Illustration may differ



## DETAILED TECHNICAL DATA

### FEATURES

Housing design	Large
Dimensions (W x H x D)	30.4 mm x 53 mm x 80 mm
Light source	Laser, visible red light <sup>1)</sup>
Light emission	Long side of housing
Light spot size	Ø 0.3 mm <sup>2)</sup>
Light spot direction	Round
Wave length	655 nm
Laser class	II (EN 60825-1:2014), IEC 60825-1:2014 <sup>3)</sup>
Operating distance	30 mm ... 800 mm <sup>4)</sup>
Sensing distance	≤ 150 mm <sup>5)</sup>
Sensing distance tolerance	- 120 mm / + 650 mm
Adjustment	Teach-in button
Teach-in mode	Static 2-point teach-in Dynamic teach-in (min/max)
Function	Automatic drift correction

<sup>1)</sup> Average service life: 50,000 h at T<sub>v</sub> = +25 °C.

<sup>2)</sup> At focal point = sensing distance 150 mm.

<sup>3)</sup> Do not intentionally look into the laser beam. Never point the laser beam at people's eyes.

<sup>4)</sup> With respect to black-white contrast 6 % / 90 %.

<sup>5)</sup> From leading edge of lens.

**ELECTRONICS**

Supply voltage	10 V DC ... 30 V DC <sup>1)</sup>
Ripple	$\leq 5 \text{ V}_{\text{pp}}$ <sup>2)</sup>
Current consumption	$< 80 \text{ mA}$ <sup>3)</sup>
Switching frequency	17 kHz <sup>4)</sup>
Response time	30 $\mu\text{s}$
Jitter	$< 15 \mu\text{s}$
Switching output	PNP
Switching output (voltage)	PNP: HIGH = $U_v \leq 2 \text{ V}$ / LOW approx. 0 V
Analog output	0.3 mA ... 20 mA
Output current $I_{\text{max}}$	100 mA
Input, teach-in (ET)	PNP Teach: $U = 10 \text{ V} \dots < U_v$ Run: $U < 2 \text{ V}$
Retention time (ET)	25 ms, non-volatile memory
Time delay	Deactivation delay 20 ms, shiftable
Protection class	II <sup>5)</sup>
Circuit protection	$U_v$ connections, reverse polarity protected Output Q short-circuit protected Interference pulse suppression
Connection type	Plug, M12, 5-pin

<sup>1)</sup> Limit values when operated in short-circuit protected network: max. 8 A.

<sup>2)</sup> May not fall below or exceed  $U_v$  tolerances.

<sup>3)</sup> Without load.

<sup>4)</sup> With light/dark ratio 1:1.

<sup>5)</sup> Reference voltage DC 50 V.

**MECHANICS**

Housing material	Zinc diecast
Optics material	Glass
Weight	+ 400 g

**AMBIENT DATA**

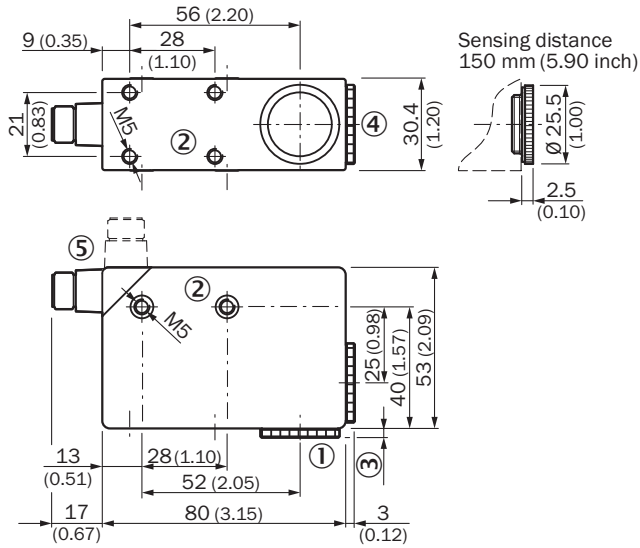
Ambient operating temperature	-10 °C ... +45 °C
Ambient temperature, storage	-10 °C ... +75 °C
Shock load	According to IEC 60068
Enclosure rating	IP67
UL File No.	242368, CDRH-conform

**CERTIFICATES**

EU declaration of conformity	✓
UK declaration of conformity	✓
ACMA declaration of conformity	✓
Moroccan declaration of conformity	✓
China RoHS	✓

China Compulsory Product Certification (CCC) exempt	✓
cULus certificate	✓
Laser safety (IEC 60825-1) declaration of manufacturer	✓

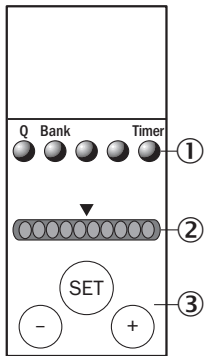
**DIMENSIONAL DRAWING KT8L LASER**



Dimensions in mm (inch)

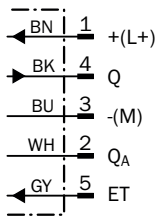
- ① Lens (light transmission), cannot be exchanged for pos. 4
- ② M5 threaded mounting hole, 5.5 mm deep
- ③ See dimensional drawing of lens
- ④ Blind screw cannot be replaced by pos. 1
- ⑤ Connector M12 (rotatable up to 90°)

**ADJUSTMENTS KT8L LASER**



- ① Function signal indicators (yellow)
- ② Bar graph (green)
- ③ teach-in pushbutton / +/- pushbutton

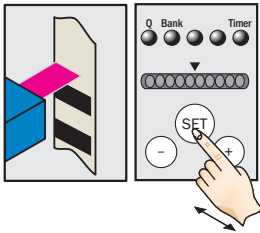
**CONNECTION DIAGRAM CD-329**



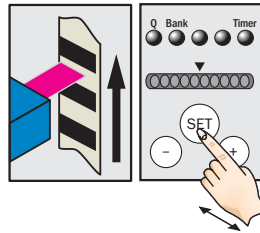
**CONNECTION TYPE AND DIAGRAM**

**1. Position background**

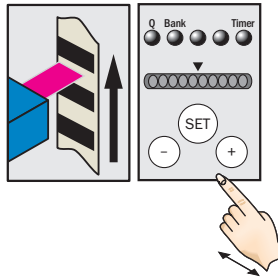
**2. Move at least one repeat length using the light spot**



Press and hold SET button.  
Emitted light turns white.



Hold down SET button.

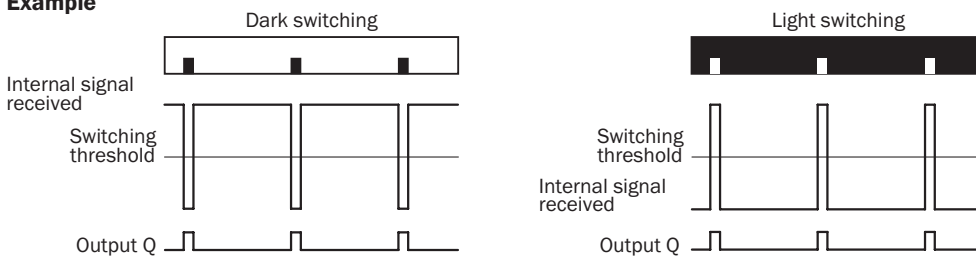


Release SET button.

**Note**

The bar display visualizes the detection reliability during teach-in. The more LEDs that illuminate, the better the teach-in:  
 1 LED illuminates = operation not reliable – contrast difference too low  
 ≤ 4 LEDs illuminate = operation OK – sufficient contrast difference  
 > 4 LEDs illuminate = reliable operation – high contrast difference

**Example**

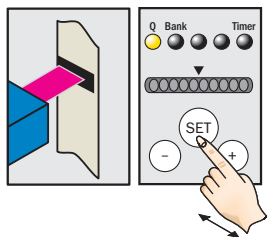


**Switching characteristics**

Light/dark setting is defined using teach-in sequence or menu, cf. operating instructions.  
 The switching threshold is set in the center between the background and the mark.  
 Teach-in and the light/dark setting can also be configured using an external control signal.  
 Configuration only possible via CAN (see operating instruction).

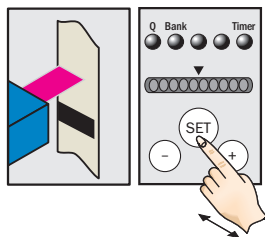
**CONNECTION TYPE AND DIAGRAM**

**1. Marke positionieren**



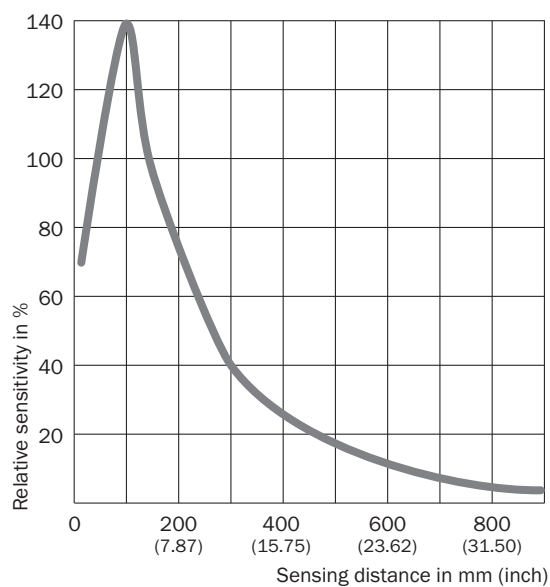
SET-Taste > 1 s drücken.  
Gelbe LED blinkt.

**2. Untergrund positionieren**



SET-Taste > 1 s drücken.  
Gelbe LED erlischt.

**SENSING DISTANCE**



Further information as well as suitable accessories, example applications and downloads such as CAD dimensional models, operating instructions and software can be found at [www.sick.com/1041262](http://www.sick.com/1041262)



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