

Model RC25



Features

- Reflectance Compensated Output
- 0.8 mm Operating Range (0.03")
- 0.6 mm x 3.1 mm Fiberoptic Bundle



FEATURE	DIMENSION	INCH	MM
Fiber Bundle Area Width x Length		0.025 x 0.125	0.64 x 3.175
Tip Outer Diameter	D	0.281	7.137
Tip Length	C	1.0	25.4
Collar Length	B	0.5	12.7
Collar Diameter	B Dia.	0.281	7.137
Cable Length	A	36	91.44
Cable Diameter	A Dia.	0.235	5.969
Cable Minimum Bend Radius		0.875	22.2

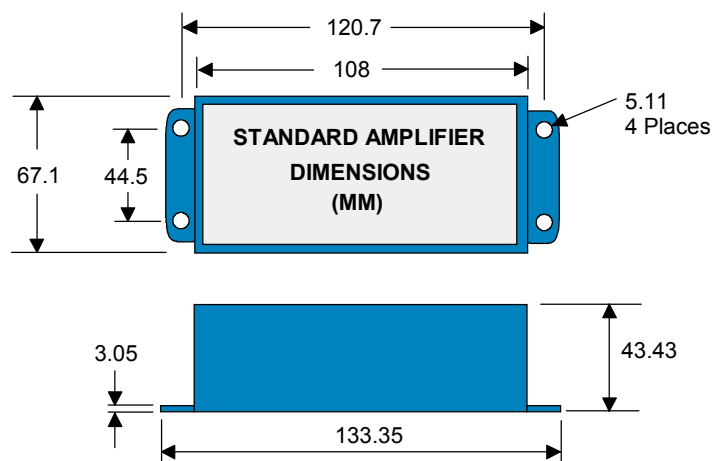
Standard off-the-shelf hardware is provided with dimensioning shown.

Custom hardware is encouraged to suit an application's requirements. Many variations are possible.

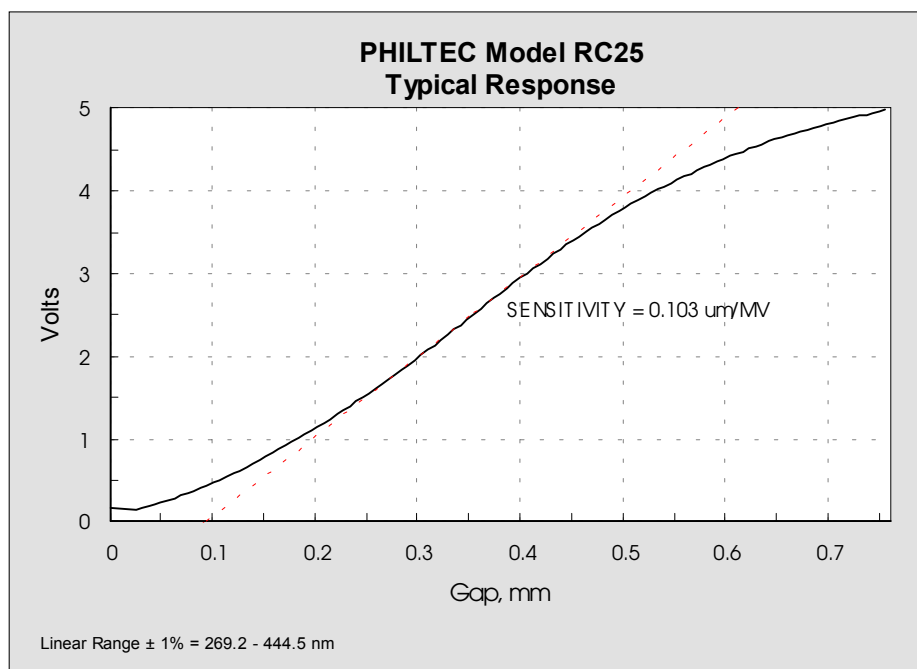
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Note: Target Spot Size = Fiber Bundle Area

DESCRIPTION. Bundled glass fibers transmit and receive light reflected from target surfaces. The intensity of the reflected light is processed to provide a reflectance compensated voltage output. Standard units include the fiberoptic cable, sensor tip and amplifier providing 0 - 5 volt analog outputs with DC - 20 KHz bandwidth. The amplifier requires user supplied DC power. The electronics and fiberoptic cable are set into the amplifier housing with an epoxy potting compound to provide a rugged and inert device.



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Conversions: 1 mil = .001 inch = 25.4 microns = .0254 mm 1 mm = 39.4 mils 1 micron = 39.4 microinch

Standard Specifications						
Amplifier		Fiber Optics		Sensor		
Light Source	LED, 880 nm	Tip Light Beam Spread	66 degrees	Total Range	30 mils	0.76 mm
Input Voltage	+12 to +30 VDC unregulated	Cable Sheathing Material	PVC Over Steel Monocoil Wrap	Linear Range	8 mils	0.20 mm
Input Current	125 ma maximum	Tip Housing Material	300 series stls stl	Distance To Middle of Linear Range	14 mils	0.36 mm
Analog Output Voltage	0 to + 5 VDC	Tip Epoxy Outgas	0.3% @ 200°C 1 hr; 2.4% @ 300°C	Sensitivity	4 μ n/MV	0.1 μ m/MV
Analog Output Current	5 ma max	Tip Operating Pressure	500 psig	Resolution, DC - 100 Hz	1 μ n	0.03 μ m
Frequency Response	DC - 20 KHz (3 db down)	Tip Operating Temperature	-55 to 175°C Continuous to 350°C intermittent 1-2 hrs	Resolution, DC - 20 KHz (Standard Bandwidth)	10 μ n	0.25 μ m
Electronic Drift	<0.1% FS (5 mv)	Cable Operating Temperature	10 to 107°C	Resolution, DC - 200 KHz	40 μ n	1.0 μ m
Operating Temperature	0 to 70°C			Noise Ripple @ 2.0 VDC In Passband DC - 20 KHz	2.0 mv pk-pk	
Weight	0.60 kg (1.3 lbs)					

RESOLUTION

- Sensitivity** is measured in units of micron/millivolt.
- Noise Ripple** is defined as the pk-pk amplitude (millivolts) of sensor noise, in the time domain, over the sensor frequency passband; i.e., from DC - 20 KHz (standard).
- Resolution (microns) = Sensitivity x Noise Ripple**

Noise Ripple is proportional to the square root of the sensor DC Output Voltage. For RC model sensors, Noise Ripple is measured at 2.0 VDC. Noise ripple can be minimized in any application by operating the sensor at as low a DC voltage level as possible.