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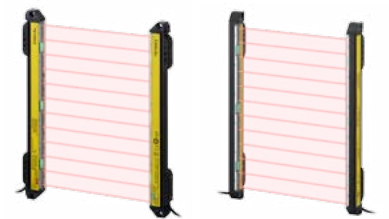
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Ultra Fine

Ultra Thin

Two types to select from

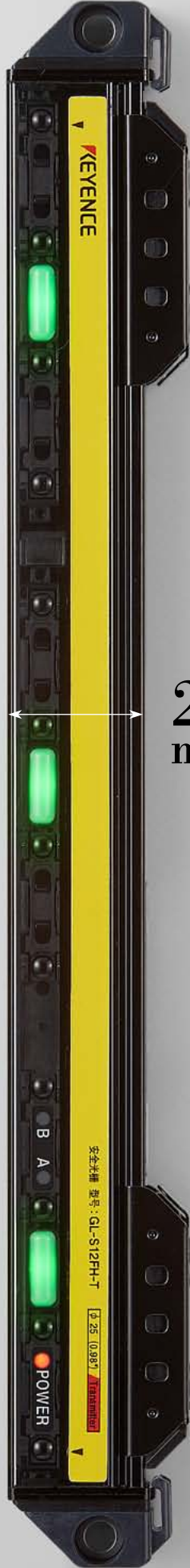


Slim type GL-SS

Flat type GL-SF

SLIM

FLAT



15 mm

23 mm

Approximately

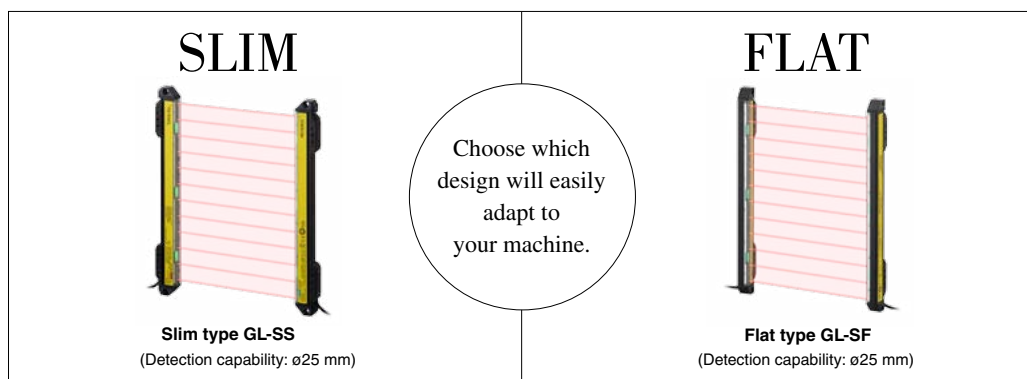
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the size of conventional light curtains\*

Actual size

# With two innovative designs, the GL-S Series provides unique solutions for applications with space and wiring constraints!

In the past, compact applications made it difficult to integrate light curtains due to the size of the light curtains. This is why KEYENCE developed the GL-S Series of compact safety light curtains. Featuring two unique designs and simplified wiring options, the GL-S Series offers ideal solutions for countless safety needs.



## Seamless Integration Into Equipment

Compact design featuring two different mounting configurations

## Quick and Easy Installation

Built-in mounting brackets and simplified wiring

## Easily Identify Operation Status

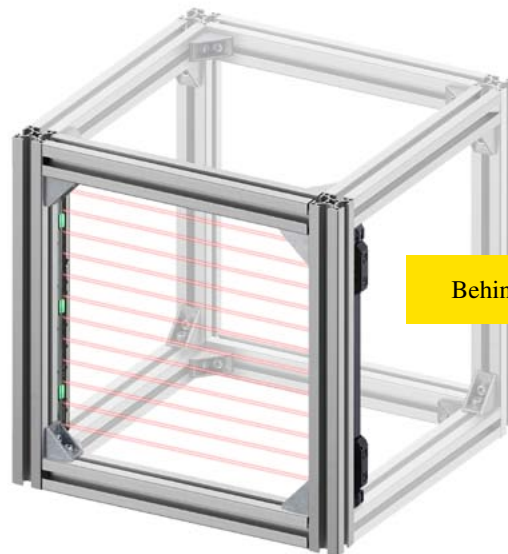
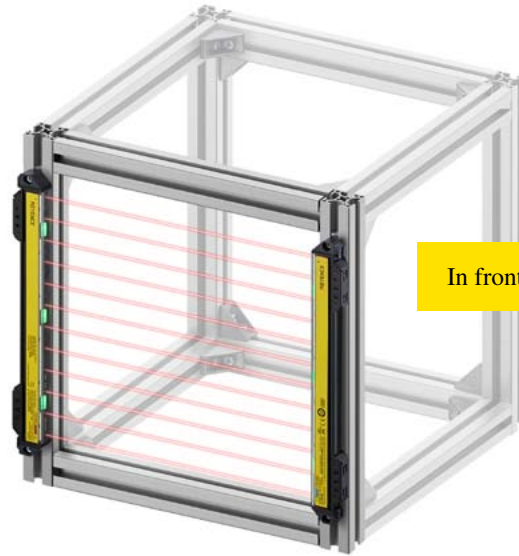
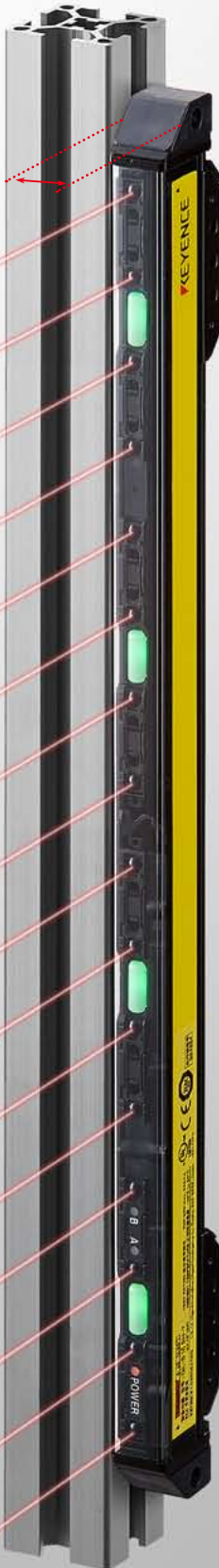
Highly visible indicators display in three colours

# Seamless Integration Into Equipment

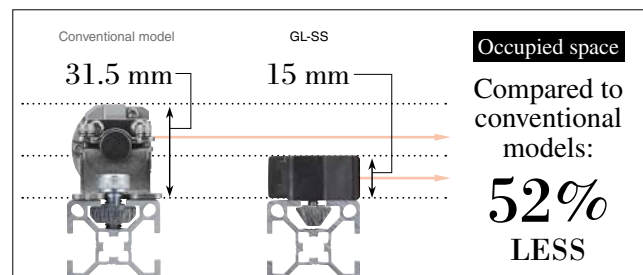
**SLIM**

The slim type GL-SS models are designed to be installed in front of or behind a machine opening.

Ultra thin  
**15 mm**



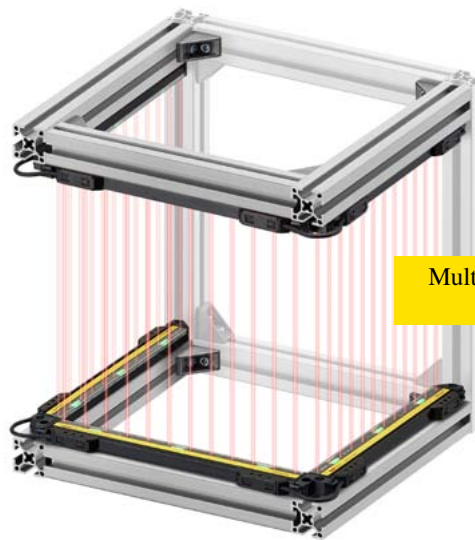
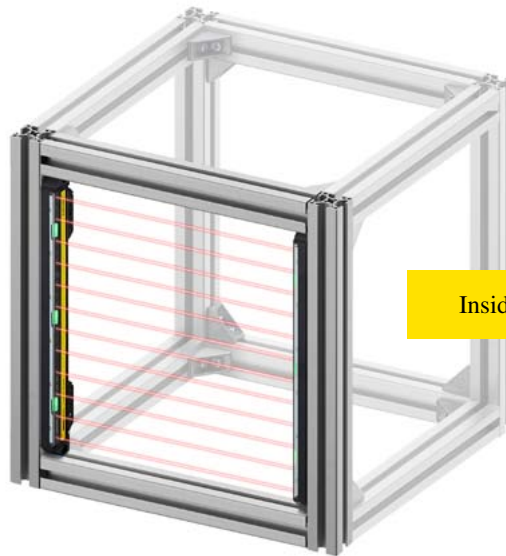
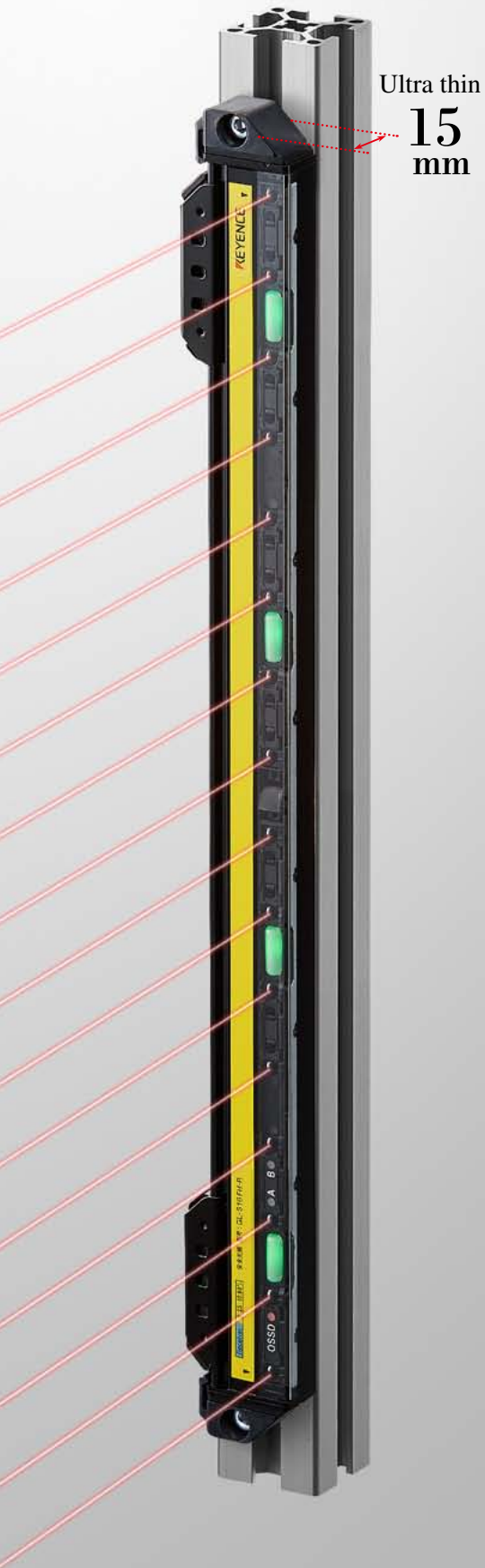
The slim type models occupy minimum space; while maintaining full functionality.



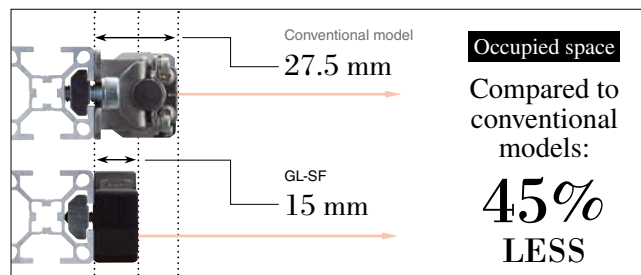
If the light curtain is mounted on a frame using the above method, the depth is a mere 15 mm compared to the 31.5 mm of the conventional model.

# FLAT

The flat type GL-SF models are designed to be installed inside a machine opening.



The flat type models allow unobtrusive mounting without obstructing the machine opening.



When this type is installed inside a machine opening, the full width of the opening can still be used!

# Quick and Easy Installation

Pre-installed mounting brackets greatly reduce the time required for light curtain mounting

**Direct Mounting Brackets are supplied pre-attached to all GL-S models**

When the Direct Mounting Brackets are used, the light curtain can be mounted to an aluminium frame quickly and easily. This eliminates the time spent assembling mounting brackets, and greatly reduces that overall time required to mount light curtains.



## Protect multiple sides of a hazard with no dead zones

**Standard beam spacing is maintained between adjacent units**

Since the beam axes start at a position 8.3 mm from the edge of the light curtain, L-shape and U-shape installations can be used without generating an unprotected area or dead zone. Because the beam axis spacing of 20 mm is maintained, the need for additional protective measures is eliminated.

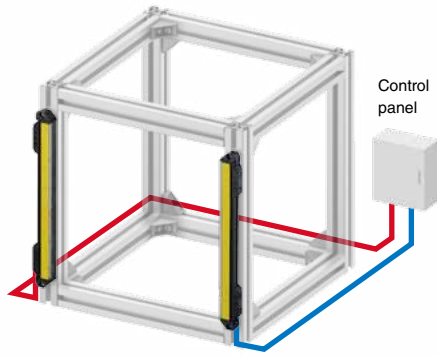


# Selectable wiring systems

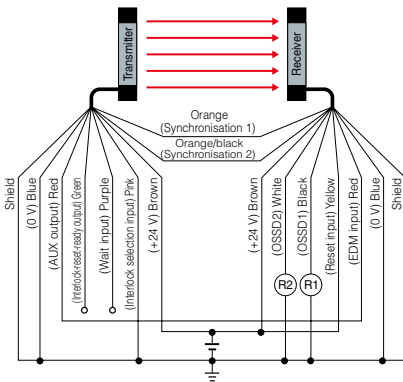
## One-line, wire synchronisation, and optical synchronisation systems

The GL-S Series supports three wiring systems, which can be selected to best fit your equipment layout. Compared to conventional light curtains, the number of wires has been greatly reduced, to minimise installation time and potential wiring mistakes, making the GL-S one of easiest light curtains to interface with.

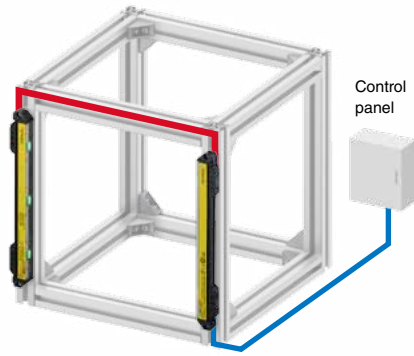
Conventional wiring



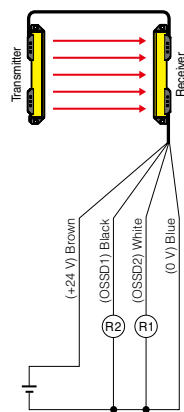
18 wires



One-line system



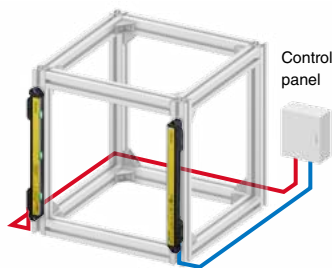
4 wires\*



A connector cable is used between the transmitter and receiver. Wiring is reduced to only 4 connections.

\* When an M12 connector cable is used. There will be six wires when a standard cable is used.

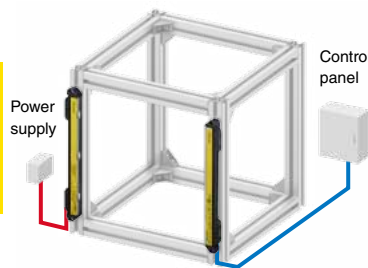
Wire synchronisation system



12 wires

This multi-function system provides the EDM, interlock, and muting functions for added capabilities.

Optical synchronisation system



6 wires

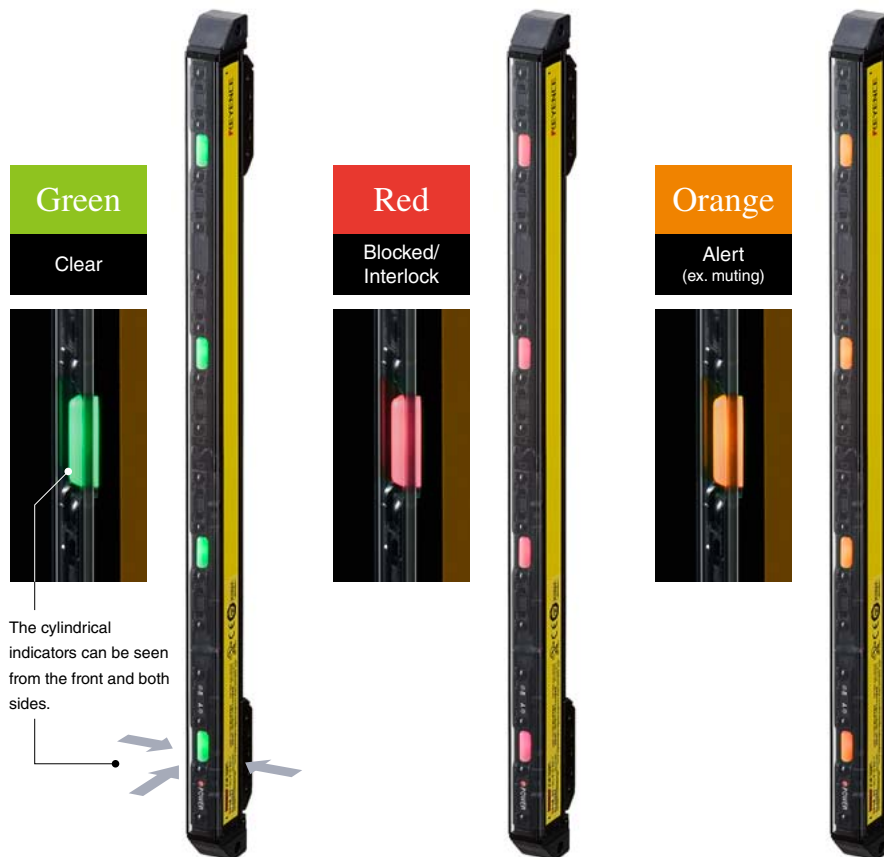
This simplified wiring system reduces the time required to route cables throughout the machine by allowing the transmitter and receiver to be powered with separate power supplies.



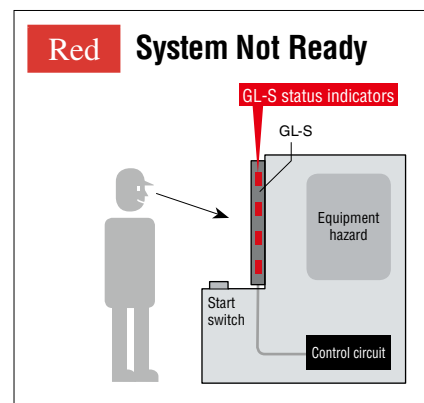
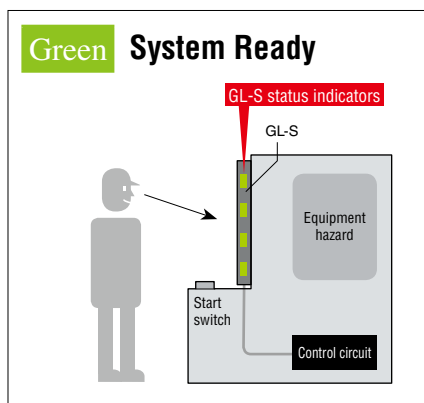
# Easily Identify Operation Status

**Highly visible, three colour status indicators**

The status indicators can be illuminated in three colours — green, red, and orange — by activating an external input, making it possible to use them as work instruction lights.\* Additionally, the indicators are visible at a wide viewing angle, allowing for easy recognition of the curtain's status.



Using the GL-S Series as a work instruction light reduces the amount of equipment required and improves work efficiency.

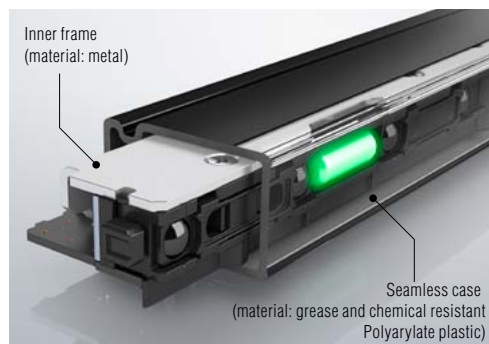


\* The three colours are only available when using the one-line or wire synchronisation systems. In "fixed mode", the indicators turn ON according to the state of the GL-S (e.g. turning ON in green when the beam axes are clear and turning ON in red when a beam axis is blocked). In "external control mode", the indicators are controlled by external inputs.

# Built-in Durability and Functionality

## Environmentally resistant, durable housing

The GL-S Series utilises a seamless construction. By eliminating surface joints where materials can enter into the unit, the GL-S Series light curtains are able to maintain an IP67 enclosure rating while the metal inner frame adds structural stability.



## Built-in series connection and interference prevention

Up to three GL-S Series light curtains can be connected together in-line without the concern of interference between each curtain. When not using series connection, interference prevention is available for up to two units with no additional wiring\*.

This makes it possible to mount light curtains based on equipment needs and not on light curtain restrictions.

\* By switching the channels, the GL-S Series supports nearby systems without interference.



Multi-sided protection using series connection



## Built-in safety functions

The GL-S Series provides added safety functionality without the need for additional components.

■ **Interlock function**

■ **External device monitoring (EDM function)**

■ **Muting function\***

\* When the muting function is selected, the interlock and EDM functions cannot be used. For details on the safety functions, see the "GL-S Series User's Manual."

# Selecting a GL-S Series Light Curtain

Use the following steps to select the optimal GL-S Series components for your application.

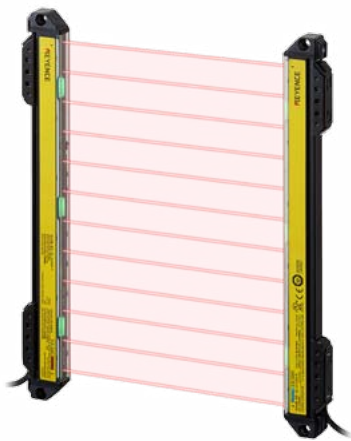
- STEP 1 Select the light curtain type   ▶   
 STEP 2 Select the light curtain length   ▶   
 STEP 3 Select the cables   ▶   
 STEP 4 Select the optional accessories\*

\* Optional accessories are not required for normal operation.

## STEP 1 Select the light curtain type.

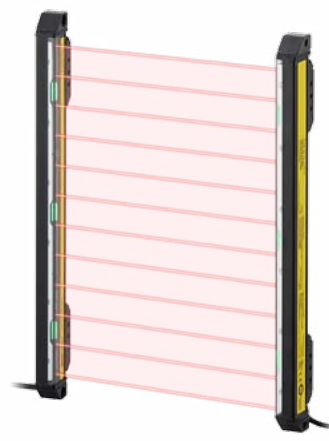
### ▶ Slim type

(Detection capability:  $\varnothing 25$  mm)



### ▶ Flat type

(Detection capability:  $\varnothing 25$  mm)



## STEP 2 Select the light curtain length.

▼ Select the length based on the equipment to be guarded.

Select the model according to the type selected in STEP 1.

Total length (mm)	No. of beam axes	Detection height (mm)	Protection height (mm)	Detection capability (Beam axis spacing)	Operating distance	Slim type	Flat type
						Model	Model
179.5	8	140	186	$\varnothing 25$ mm (20 mm spacing)	0.1 to 2 m	GL-S08SH	GL-S08FH
259.5	12	220	266			GL-S12SH	GL-S12FH
339.5	16	300	346			GL-S16SH	GL-S16FH
419.5	20	380	426			GL-S20SH	GL-S20FH
499.5	24	460	506			GL-S24SH	GL-S24FH
579.5	28	540	586			GL-S28SH	GL-S28FH
659.5	32	620	666			GL-S32SH	GL-S32FH
739.5	36	700	746			GL-S36SH	GL-S36FH
819.5	40	780	826			GL-S40SH	GL-S40FH

**STEP 3**

# Select cables according to the required functions

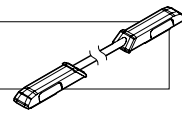
Wiring system	a One-line system	b Optical synchronisation system	c Wire synchronisation system
Diagram			
List of functions			
Light interference prevention	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Series connection	Up to 3 units and 120 beam axes	Up to 3 units and 120 beam axes	Up to 3 units and 120 beam axes
Muting	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/> *1
Interlock	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>
EDM	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>
Centre indicator	<input type="checkbox"/>	-*3	<input type="checkbox"/>
External control of centre indicator	<input type="checkbox"/>	-	<input type="checkbox"/> *2

\*1 When the muting function is in use, the interlock and EDM functions cannot be used.

\*2 When the centre indicator is used in "external control mode", the muting, interlock, and EDM functions cannot be used.

\*3 When using the optical synchronisation system, the centre indicator only operates on the receiver.

For series connection, two series connection cables are required.

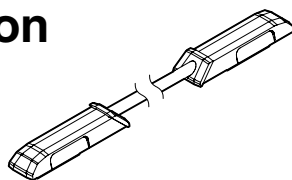


## a One-line system

1. Select the length of the series connection cable for use between the transmitter and receiver

### Series connection cable

(This cable is also used for series connections.)

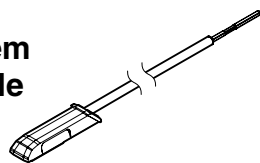


Length	Model
0.07 m	GL-SS007
0.15 m	GL-SS015
0.5 m	GL-SS05
1 m	GL-SS1
2 m	GL-SS2
3 m	GL-SS3
5 m	GL-SS5

2. Select the unit connection cable

### Standard cable

#### One-line system dedicated cable



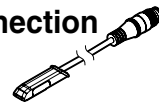
Output type	Length	Model
PNP	2 m	GL-SP2P1
	5 m	GL-SP5P1
	10 m	GL-SP10P1
NPN	2 m	GL-SP2N1
	5 m	GL-SP5N1
	10 m	GL-SP10N1

### M12 connector cable

(For details on the length that cables can be extended to, see page 18.)

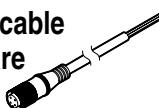
#### Unit connection cable

Centre indicator cannot be controlled externally when using the M12 connector cable.



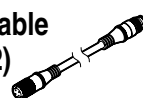
Output type	Length	Model
PNP	0.3 m	GL-SPC03P
NPN		GL-SPC03N

#### Extension cable (M12 to bare leads)



Length	Model
2 m	OP-75721
5 m	OP-87272
10 m	OP-85502

#### Extension cable (M12 to M12)

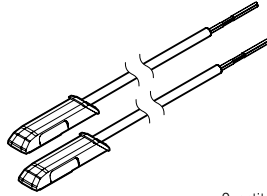


Length	Model
2 m	OP-85503
5 m	OP-85504

## b Optical synchronisation system

Select the unit connection cable

### Standard cable



Quantity: 1  
(set includes transmitter and receiver)

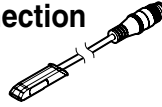
Output type	Length	Model
PNP	2 m	GL-SP2P
	5 m	GL-SP5P
	10 m	GL-SP10P
NPN	2 m	GL-SP2N
	5 m	GL-SP5N
	10 m	GL-SP10N

### M12 connector cable

(For details on the distance that cables can be extended to, see page 18.)

#### Unit connection cable

Two cables required



Quantity: 1

Output type	Length	Model
PNP	0.3 m	GL-SPC03P
NPN		GL-SPC03N

#### Extension cable (M12 to bare leads)

Two cables required

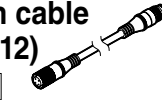


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Length	Model
2 m	OP-75721
5 m	OP-87272
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#### Extension cable (M12 to M12)

Two cables required



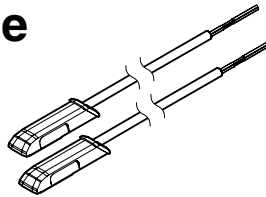
Quantity: 1

Length	Model
2 m	OP-85503
5 m	OP-85504

## c Wire synchronisation system

Select the unit connection cable

### Standard cable

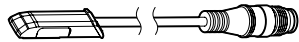


Quantity: 1  
(set includes transmitter and receiver)

Output type	Length	Model
PNP	2 m	GL-SP2P
	5 m	GL-SP5P
	10 m	GL-SP10P
NPN	2 m	GL-SP2N
	5 m	GL-SP5N
	10 m	GL-SP10N

When connected to the GL-T11R\*

### M14 connector cable



Quantity: 1  
(set includes transmitter and receiver)

Output type	Length	Model
PNP	3 m	GL-SPT3P
	5 m	GL-SPT5P
	10 m	GL-SPT10P

To extend the cable, the following is a required additional part  
(For details on the distance that cables can be extended to, see page 18.)

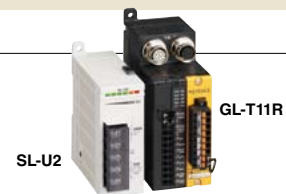
### Extension cable



Quantity: 1  
(set includes transmitter and receiver)

Output type	Length	Model
PNP	10 m	GL-RCT10PM

### Dedicated Safety Relay for the GL Series



#### GL-T11R Safety Relay

Type	Safety input Light curtain	Safety output (relay)	Other I/O
Standalone type	1 channel (2 OSSD inputs)	1 channel (2 relay outputs)	EDM input

#### SL-U2 Dedicated Light Curtain Power Supply

Type	Input power supply voltage	Output voltage	Output capacity	Power consumption
Switching type power supply	100 to 240 VAC ±10% (50/60 Hz)	24 VDC ±10% Class 2	1.8 A	135 VA

\* When using the GL-T11R, the wire synchronisation system is applied.

**STEP 4**

**Select the optional accessories\***

\* Optional accessories are not required for normal operation.

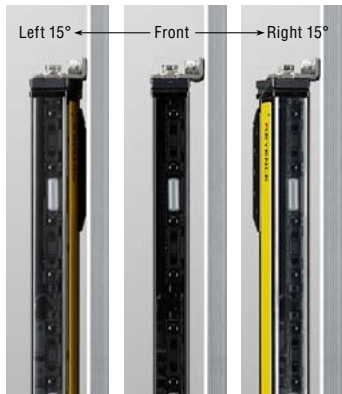
**When angle adjustment is required ( $\pm 15^\circ$ )**

**Adjustable angle mounting bracket**



Quantity: 2 pairs

Model
GL-SB04



**When no angle adjustment is required**

**Direct mounting bracket**

Included with all GL-S models

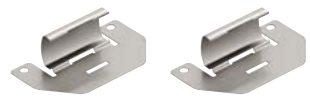


Quantity: 1 pair

Model
GL-SB01

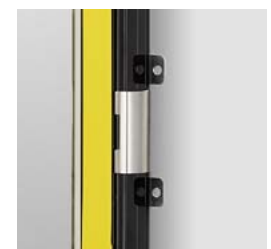
**When using a GL-S Series unit with 32 beam axes or more in an environment subject to vibration**

**▶ Intermediate support brackets for mounting to a flat surface**

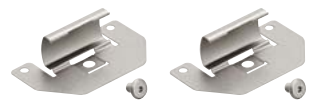


Quantity: 2

Model
GL-SB02



**▶ Intermediate support brackets for mounting to an extruded aluminium frame\***



Quantity: 2

Model
GL-SB03

\* There are limits to the extruded aluminium to which the brackets can be mounted. For details, see page 23.



**▶ Adjustable angle intermediate support brackets**



Quantity: 2

Model
GL-SB05



## Impact protection for the GL-S Series

### GL-S protection cover

For use with  
the slim type



Quantity: 1

Corresponding light curtain model	Model
GL-S08SH	GL-SA08S
GL-S12SH	GL-SA12S
GL-S16SH	GL-SA16S
GL-S20SH	GL-SA20S
GL-S24SH	GL-SA24S
GL-S28SH	GL-SA28S
GL-S32SH	GL-SA32S
GL-S36SH	GL-SA36S
GL-S40SH	GL-SA40S



For use with  
the flat type



Quantity: 1

Corresponding light curtain model	Model
GL-S08FH	GL-SA08F
GL-S12FH	GL-SA12F
GL-S16FH	GL-SA16F
GL-S20FH	GL-SA20F
GL-S24FH	GL-SA24F
GL-S28FH	GL-SA28F
GL-S32FH	GL-SA32F
GL-S36FH	GL-SA36F
GL-S40FH	GL-SA40F



Common specifications

<b>Model</b>		<b>GL-SxH</b>	
<b>Beam axis spacing</b>		20 mm	
<b>Detection capability</b>		ø25 mm	
<b>Operating distance</b>		0.1 to 2 m	
<b>Effective aperture angle</b>		Max. ±3.75° (when the operating distance is 2 m)	
<b>Light source</b>		Infrared LED (870 nm)	
<b>Response time</b>		Optical synchronisation (Channel 0), One-line, Wire synchronisation: 6.6 to 8.7 ms Optical synchronisation (Channel A or B): 6.9 to 12.3 ms	
<b>OSSD operation</b>		Turns on when no interruptions are present in the detection zone	
<b>Synchronisation between the transmitter and receiver</b>		Optical synchronisation or wire synchronisation (determined by the wiring)	
<b>Light interference prevention function</b>		Prevents mutual interference in up to two GL-S systems. Optical synchronisation: prevented by Channel A and B with setting switch Wire synchronisation: prevented automatically	
<b>Control output (OSSD output)</b>	<b>Output type</b>	2 transistor outputs (PNP or NPN output is determined by the cable type.)	
	<b>Max. load current</b>	300 mA	
	<b>Residual voltage (when ON)</b>	Max. 2.5 V (with a cable length of 5 m)	
	<b>OFF state voltage</b>	Max. 2.0 V (with a cable length of 5 m)	
	<b>Leakage current</b>	Max. 200 µA	
	<b>Max. load capacitance</b>	2.2 µF	
<b>Inputs 1 and 2</b>		Short-circuit current: approx. 1 mA	
<b>Power supply</b>	<b>Power supply voltage</b>	24 VDC ±20%, ripple (P-P) 10% or less, Class 2	
	<b>Current consumption</b>	Transmitter: 31 to 50 mA Receiver: 52 to 76 mA	
<b>Protection circuit</b>		Reverse current protection, short-circuit protection and surge protection for each output	
<b>Environmental resistance</b>	<b>Enclosure rating</b>	IP65/IP67 (IEC60529)	
	<b>Overvoltage category</b>	II	
	<b>Ambient temperature</b>	-10 to +50°C (no freezing)	
	<b>Storage ambient temperature</b>	-25 to +60°C (no freezing)	
	<b>Relative humidity</b>	15 to 85% RH (no condensation)	
	<b>Storage relative humidity</b>	15 to 95% RH	
	<b>Ambient light</b>	Incandescent lamp: 3000 lux or less Sunlight: 20000 lux or less	
	<b>Vibration</b>	10 to 55 Hz, 0.7 mm compound amplitude, 20 sweeps each in X, Y and Z directions	
<b>Shock</b>	100 m/s <sup>2</sup> (Approx. 10 G), 16 ms pulse in X, Y and Z directions 1000 times each axis		
<b>Material</b>	<b>Main unit case</b>	Polyarylate	
<b>Approved standards</b>	<b>EMC</b>	<b>EMS</b>	IEC61496-1, EN61496-1, UL61496-1
		<b>EMI</b>	EN55011 Class A, FCC Part 15B Class A, ICES-003 Class A
	<b>Safety</b>		IEC61496-1, EN61496-1, UL61496-1 (Type 4 ESPE)
			IEC61496-2, EN61496-2, UL61496-2 (Type 4 AOPD)
			IEC61508, EN61508 (SIL3), IEC62061, EN62061 (SIL CL3)
			EN ISO 13849-1:2008 (Category 4, PL <sub>e</sub> )
	UL508, UL1998		
	GB4584		

Response time

Model		OSSD Response time (ms)					
		Wire synchronisation, one-line, or optical synchronisation system (channel 0)			Optical synchronisation system (channel A or B)		
Slim type	Flat type	ON → OFF	OFF → ON*1	All blocked → ON*2	ON → OFF	OFF → ON*1	All blocked → ON*2
GL-S08SH	GL-S08FH	6.6	48.7	63.1	6.9	49.1	64.2
GL-S12SH	GL-S12FH	6.6	48.7	63.1	7.4	49.9	66.3
GL-S16SH	GL-S16FH	6.6	48.7	63.1	8.1	50.9	69.1
GL-S20SH	GL-S20FH	6.6	48.7	63.1	8.8	52.0	71.9
GL-S24SH	GL-S24FH	7.0	49.3	64.9	9.5	53.0	74.7
GL-S28SH	GL-S28FH	7.4	50.0	66.6	10.2	54.0	77.5
GL-S32SH	GL-S32FH	7.9	50.6	68.3	10.9	55.1	80.2
GL-S36SH	GL-S36FH	8.3	51.3	70.0	11.6	56.1	83.0
GL-S40SH	GL-S40FH	8.7	51.9	71.8	12.3	57.2	85.8

\*1 If the interruption is present in the detection zone for less than 80 ms, the response time (OFF to ON) will be 80 ms or more to ensure that the OSSD maintains the OFF state for more than 80 ms.  
\*2 "All blocked" means the situation where the GL-S operates in optical synchronisation system and the transmitter and receiver is not synchronised (top and bottom beam axes are both blocked). In this situation, the response time is longer because the GL-S synchronises the transmitter and receiver first and then determines the clear or blocked.

\* If the response time (ON to OFF) exceeds 20 ms, this unit cannot be used as a certified product based on the Chinese standard GB 4584 "压力机用光电保护装置技术条件".

\* When the GL-S units are connected in series, the response time is calculated according to the following steps;

1. Sum up the response time of all unit.
2. Subtract the following time from the result of previous step.

■ ON → OFF

One sub unit connected: 2 ms  
Two sub units connected: 4.2 ms  
(When using Optical synchronisation system and Channel A or B)  
One sub unit connected: 2.7 ms  
Two sub units connected: 5.7 ms

■ OFF → ON

One sub unit connected: 42 ms  
Two sub units connected: 84 ms



## Current consumption

Model		Current consumption (mA)			
		When the centre indicator is ON		When the centre indicator is OFF	
Slim type	Flat type	Transmitter	Receiver	Transmitter	Receiver
GL-S08SH	GL-S08FH	31	52	26	47
GL-S12SH	GL-S12FH	34	56	27	48
GL-S16SH	GL-S16FH	36	59	27	49
GL-S20SH	GL-S20FH	39	62	28	50
GL-S24SH	GL-S24FH	41	64	28	51
GL-S28SH	GL-S28FH	44	67	29	52
GL-S32SH	GL-S32FH	45	70	29	53
GL-S36SH	GL-S36FH	48	73	30	54
GL-S40SH	GL-S40FH	50	76	30	55

\* The control output (OSSD) current is not included.

\* When inputs are turned ON, the current consumption increases by 1 mA per input.

## Weight

### ■ GL-S (slim type)

Unit: g

Model	Weight	
	Transmitter	Receiver
GL-S08SH	90	90
GL-S12SH	110	115
GL-S16SH	135	140
GL-S20SH	160	165
GL-S24SH	185	190
GL-S28SH	215	220
GL-S32SH	245	250
GL-S36SH	275	280
GL-S40SH	305	310

### ■ GL-S (flat type)

Unit: g

Model	Weight	
	Transmitter	Receiver
GL-S08FH	95	95
GL-S12FH	125	130
GL-S16FH	155	160
GL-S20FH	185	190
GL-S24FH	220	225
GL-S28FH	255	260
GL-S32FH	290	295
GL-S36FH	325	330
GL-S40FH	360	365

### ■ Mounting bracket

Unit: g

Model	Weight
GL-SB01	10
GL-SB02	15
GL-SB03	15
GL-SB04	40
GL-SB05	45

### ■ Protection cover

Unit: g

Model		Weight
GL-SA08S	GL-SA08F	60
GL-SA12S	GL-SA12F	90
GL-SA16S	GL-SA16F	110
GL-SA20S	GL-SA20F	140
GL-SA24S	GL-SA24F	160
GL-SA28S	GL-SA28F	190
GL-SA32S	GL-SA32F	210
GL-SA36S	GL-SA36F	230
GL-SA40S	GL-SA40F	260

### ■ Unit connection cable

Unit: g

Model	Weight
GL-SP2N	120
GL-SP5N	260
GL-SP10N	500
GL-SP2P	120
GL-SP5P	260
GL-SP10P	500
GL-SP2N1	60
GL-SP5N1	130
GL-SP10N1	250
GL-SP2P1	60
GL-SP5P1	130
GL-SP10P1	250
GL-SPC03N	30
GL-SPC03P	30

### ■ Extension cable

Unit: g

Model	Weight
OP-75721	60
OP-85502	130
OP-85503	230
OP-85504	70
OP-87272	130

### ■ Series connection cable

Unit: g

Model	Weight
GL-SS007	20
GL-SS015	20
GL-SS05	30
GL-SS1	50
GL-SS2	70
GL-SS3	100
GL-SS5	150

### ■ Dedicated Safety Relay

Unit: g

Model	Weight
GL-T11R	310

### ■ Cable for connecting to the GL-T11R

Unit: g

Model	Weight
GL-SPT3P	190
GL-SPT5P	290
GL-SPT10P	540

### ■ Extension cable for connecting to the GL-T11R

Unit: g

Model	Weight
GL-RCT10PM	1000

### ■ Dedicated light curtain power supply

Unit: g

Model	Weight
SL-U2	240

Wiring

Cable specifications

(1) Cable length

1. Optical synchronisation system, wire synchronisation system

The sum of the length for the unit connection cable, extension cable, and series connection cable must be 20 m or less. This limitation applies separately to the entire transmitter cable setup and the entire receiver cable setup.

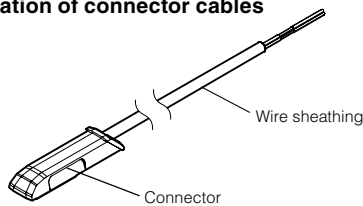
2. One-line system

The sum of the length for all of the unit connection cables, extension cables, and series cables must be 30 m or less.

- Cables must be within the lengths specified. Failure to follow this specification may cause improper operation of safety functions, and may create a dangerous situation.
- The series connection cable cannot be cut or extended. If the cable is cut or extended, safety functions may not operate properly. Do not allow this to happen as it is extremely dangerous.

(2) Minimum cable bending radius: 5 mm

(3) Identification of connector cables



■ Connector colour

PNP output cables or series connection cables: Black connectors

NPN output type cables: Grey connectors

■ Wire sheathing colour (standard cable)

For use with the transmitter: Grey

For use with the receiver: Black

\* Other than the standard cable, all cables are black.

**PNP output type cables and NPN output type cables cannot be used at the same time (mixed wiring is not possible). One type of cable must be chosen based on the application.**

Cable colours and pin positions

- When the synchronisation wires are not connected, the GL-S Series operates as an optical synchronisation system.
- For the optical synchronisation system and one-line system, input functions on the transmitter side cannot be used.

Pin assignments

■ Standard cable (optical synchronisation system and wire synchronisation system)

Transmitter		Receiver	
Wire colour	Name	Wire colour	Name
Brown	+24 V	Brown	+24 V
Blue	0 V	Blue	0 V
Red/white	Input 1*1	Black	OSSD1
Green/white	Input 2*1	White	OSSD2
Orange	Synchronisation 1 (RS-485+)	Orange	Synchronisation 1 (RS-485+)
Orange/black	Synchronisation 2 (RS-485-)	Orange/black	Synchronisation 2 (RS-485-)

\*1 For wire synchronisation systems, the roles of input 1 and input 2 vary depending on the position of the setting switch.

■ Cable dedicated for use with one-line systems

Receiver	
Wire colour	Name
Brown	+24 V
Blue	0 V
Black	OSSD1
White	OSSD2
Green/white	Green lighting input
Red/white	Red lighting input

■ M12 connector cable (optical synchronisation system and one-line system)

Transmitter			Receiver		
Pin number	Wire colour	Name	Pin number	Wire Colour	Name
1	Brown	+24 V	1	Brown	+24 V
2	White	Not used	2	White	OSSD2
3	Blue	0 V	3	Blue	0 V
4	Black	Not used	4	Black	OSSD1

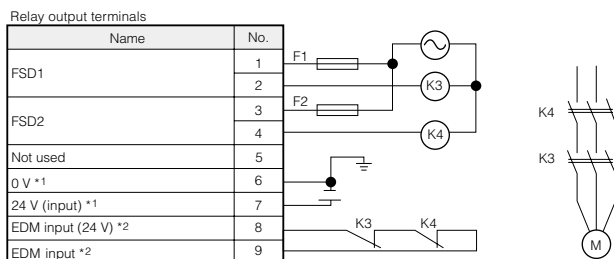
■ Reference

M12 connector male pin assignments

M12 connector female pin assignments

■ Reference When using the optical synchronisation system, the receiver's centre indicator operates in fixed mode.

GL-T11R wiring diagram



■ Meanings of symbols

- F1, F2: Fuse
- K3, K4: External device (magnetic contactor, etc.)
- M3: 3-phase motor

\*1 Numbers 6 and 7 do not need to be wired when an SL-U2 is connected.  
 \*2 If it is not necessary to perform error detection for K3 and K4 when the EDM input is not used, use the shorting bar between numbers 8 and 9.

GL-T11R/SL-U2

**GL-T11R specifications**

Model		GL-T11R	
Applicable model		GL-R Series, GL-S Series	
Relay output	FSD1, FSD2	250 VAC, 6 A; 30 VDC, 6 A (resistive load) 240 VAC, 2 A (cosφ = 0.3; inductive load) 240 VDC, 1 A (cosφ = 0.3; inductive load)	
Response time	ON → OFF OFF → ON	GL + 10 ms GL + 32 ms	
Service life	Electrical life	100000 cycles or more with a 250 VAC, 6 A resistive load (open/close frequency: 20 times/minute)	
		100000 cycles or more with a 30 VDC, 6 A resistive load (open/close frequency: 20 times/minute)	
		500000 cycles or more with a 250 VAC, 1 A resistive load (open/close frequency: 30 times/minute)	
		500000 cycles or more with a 30 VDC, 1 A resistive load (open/close frequency: 30 times/minute)	
		AC15: 100000 cycles or more with a 240 VAC, 2A inductive load (open/close frequency: 20 times/minute, cosφ = 0.3) DC13: 100000 cycles or more with a 24 VDC, 1A inductive load (open/close frequency: 20 times/minute, L/R = 48 ms)	
Non-safety output	AUX output*1 Error output*1 Muting lamp output*1	Transistor output (PNP/NPN input devices can be connected)*2 50 mA or less, residual voltage: 2.5 V or less (when the length of the cable between the GL-R and the GL-T11R is 5 m) Incandescent lamp (24 VDC, 1 to 5.5 W) or LED lamp (load current: 10 to 230 mA) can be connected	
External input EDM input, wait input*1, reset input*1, muting inputs 1 and 2*1, override input*1		GL-R Series: ON voltage: (power supply voltage - 5 V) to power supply voltage, OFF voltage: open or 0 to 3 V, short-circuit current: approx. 2.5 mA (approx. 10 mA with EDM input only) GL-S Series: short-circuit current (EDM input): approx. 1 mA	
Power supply	Power supply voltage	24 VDC ±10%, ripple (P-P) 10% or less, Class 2	
	Current consumption	100 mA or less (24 VDC, when only the GL-T11R is used)	
Environmental resistance	Enclosure rating	IP20 (IEC60529), must be installed within a control panel rated at IP54 or higher	
	Pollution degree	2	
	Overvoltage category	III	
	Ambient temperature	-10 to +55°C (no freezing)	
	Storage ambient temperature	-25 to +60°C (no freezing)	
	Relative humidity	15 to 85% RH (no condensation)	
	Storage relative humidity	15 to 95% RH	
	Altitude	2000 m or less	
	Vibration	10 to 55 Hz, 0.7 mm compound amplitude, 20 sweeps each in X, Y and Z directions	
Shock	100 m/s <sup>2</sup> (Approx. 10 G), 16 ms pulse in X, Y and Z directions 1000 times each axis		
Material	Main unit case	Polycarbonate	
Weight		Approx. 310 g	
Approved standards	EMC	EMS	EN61496-1, UL61496-1, IEC61496-1
		EMI	EN55011 Class A, FCC Part 15 B Class A, ICES-003 Class A
	Safety		EN61496-1, UL61496-1, IEC61496-1 (Type 4 ESPE)
			EN ISO 13849-1:2008 (Category 4, PLe) UL508, EN50178

\* For the operations and detailed specifications of each function, see the "GL-R User's Manual" or the "GL-S User's Manual."

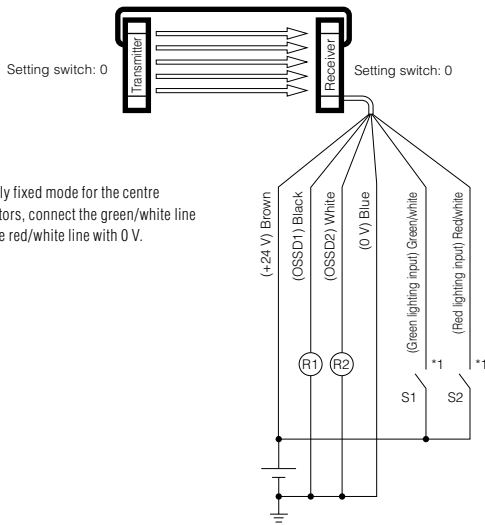
\*1 When connected to the GL-S Series, this function cannot be used. \*2 The output operation is the same as using the PNP output type cable.

**SL-U2 specifications**

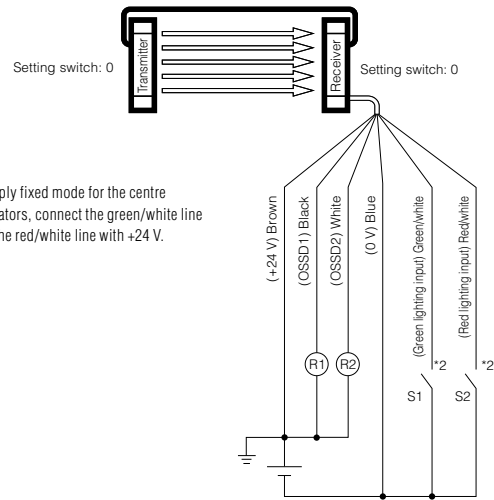
Model		SL-U2
Type		Switching type
Input power supply voltage		100 to 240 VAC ±10% (50/60 Hz)
Overvoltage category		II
Output voltage		24 VDC ±10%, Class 2
Ripple/noise		240 mVp-p or less
Output capacity		1.8 A
Environmental resistance	Ambient temperature	-10°C to +55°C (no freezing)
	Relative humidity	35 to 85% RH (no condensation)
	Pollution degree	2
	Withstand voltage	1500 VAC for 1 minute (between all external terminals and case)
	Vibration	10 to 55 Hz, 0.7 mm compound amplitude, 20 sweeps each in X, Y and Z directions
	Shock	100 m/s <sup>2</sup> (Approx. 10 G), 16 ms pulse in X, Y and Z directions 1000 times each axis
Insulation resistance		50 MΩ or more (with 500 VDC megohmmeter between all external terminals and case)
Power consumption		135 VA
Momentary interruption		10 ms or less
Weight		Approx. 240 g
Approved standards	EMC	EN61000-6-2, EN55011 Class A, FCC Part 15 Class A, ICES-003 Class A
	Safety	EN60950-1, EN50178, UL60950-1, UL508

## When using the one-line system

(1) PNP output cable

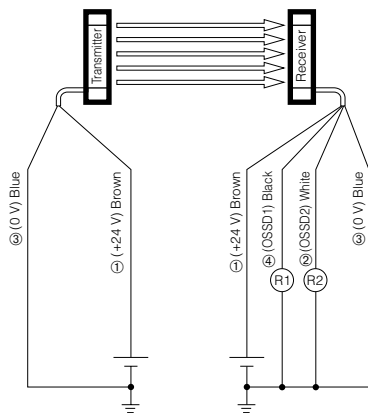


(2) NPN output cable

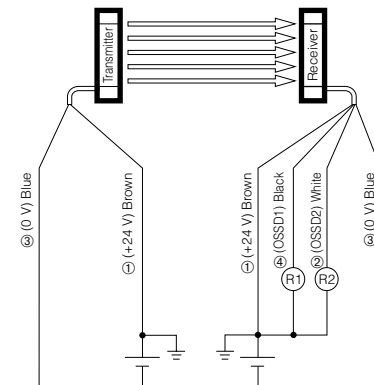


## When using the optical synchronisation system

(1) PNP output cable



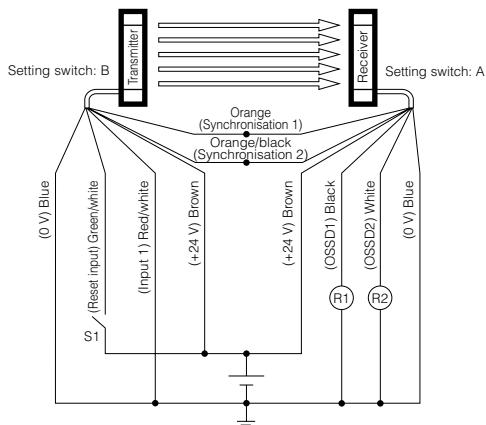
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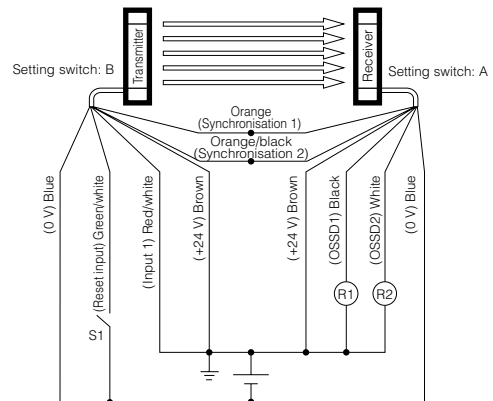
## When using the wire synchronisation system

### ■ When the interlock function is used

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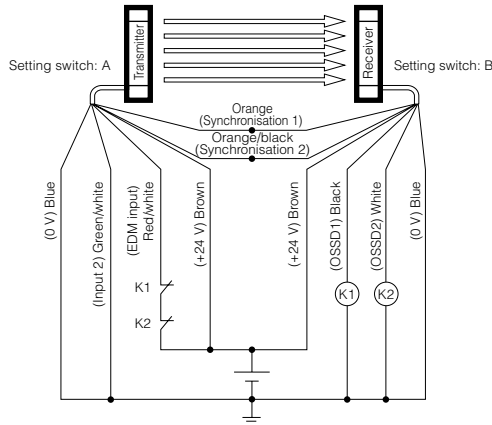


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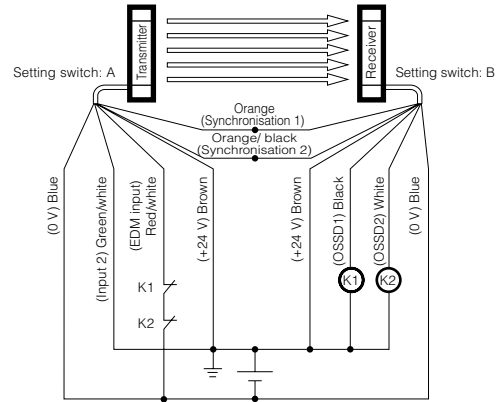


### ■ When the EDM function is used

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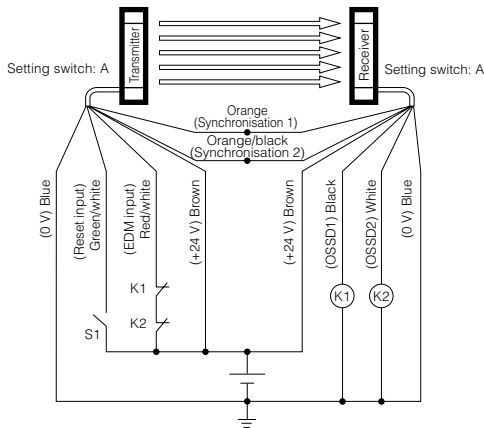


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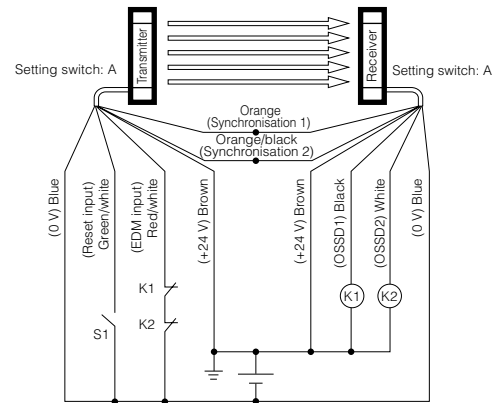


### ■ When the interlock and EDM functions are used at the same time

(1) PNP output cable

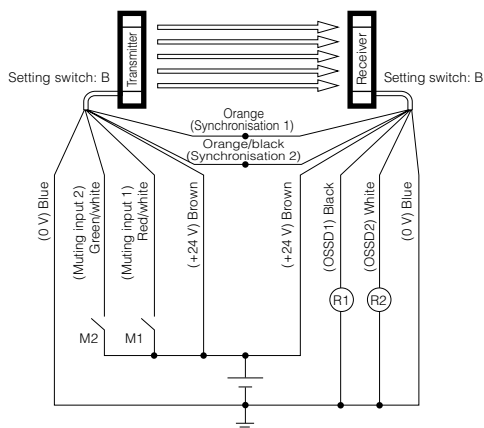


(2) NPN output cable

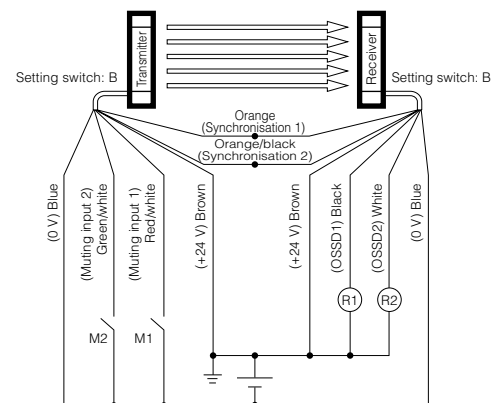


### ■ When the muting function is used

(1) PNP output cable



(2) NPN output cable



#### Symbol Meaning

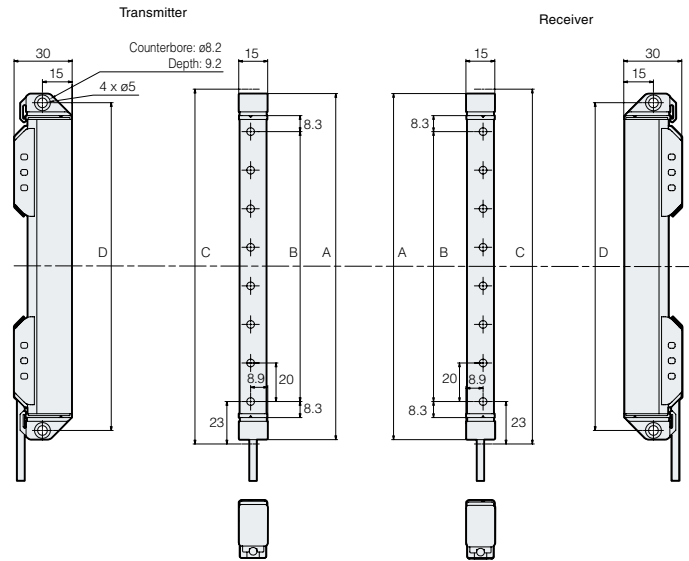
**R1, R2:** External device (safety PLC, safety relay unit, etc.)  
**K1, K2:** External device (force guided relay, etc.)

**S1:** Switch 1  
**S2:** Switch 2

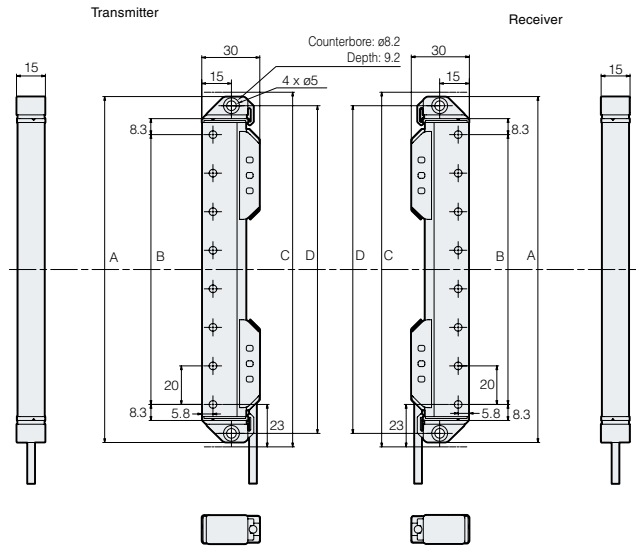
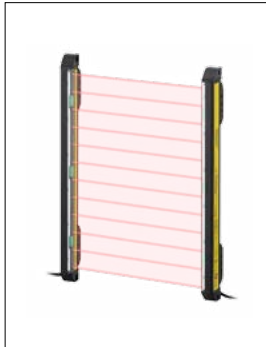
**M1:** Muting device 1  
**M2:** Muting device 2

■ GL-S main unit

Slim type



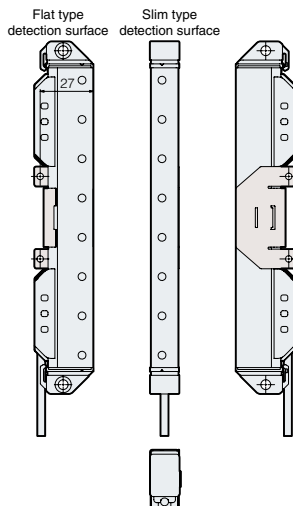
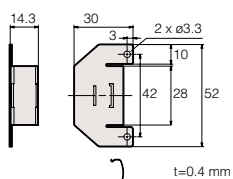
Flat type



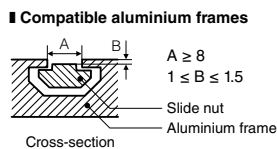
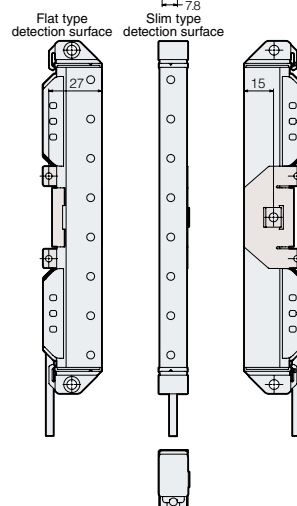
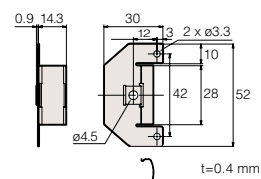
Model		No. of beam axes	A: Total length	B: Detection height	C: Protection height	D: Mounting hole spacing
Slim type	Flat type					
GL-S08SH	GL-S08FH	8	179.5	140	186	170
GL-S12SH	GL-S12FH	12	259.5	220	266	250
GL-S16SH	GL-S16FH	16	339.5	300	346	330
GL-S20SH	GL-S20FH	20	419.5	380	426	410
GL-S24SH	GL-S24FH	24	499.5	460	506	490
GL-S28SH	GL-S28FH	28	579.5	540	586	570
GL-S32SH	GL-S32FH	32	659.5	620	666	650
GL-S36SH	GL-S36FH	36	739.5	700	746	730
GL-S40SH	GL-S40FH	40	819.5	780	826	810

**Note** When using a GL-S Series unit with 32 or more beam axes in an environment subject to vibration, attach optional intermediate support brackets near the centre of the GL-S Series unit.

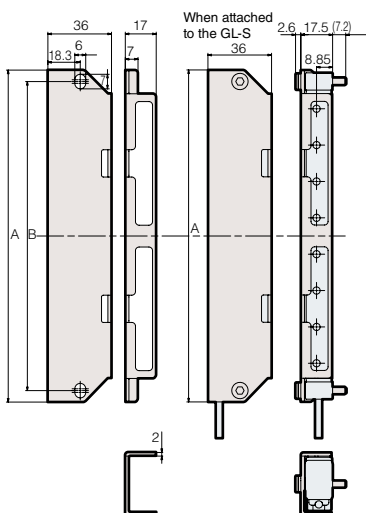
**GL-SB02**  
Intermediate support bracket



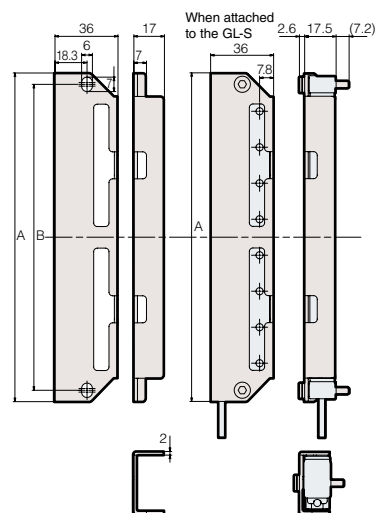
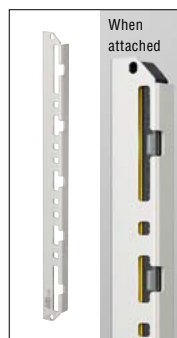
**GL-SB03**  
Intermediate support bracket  
(for aluminium frame mounting)



**Protection cover (slim type)**



**Protection cover (flat type)**



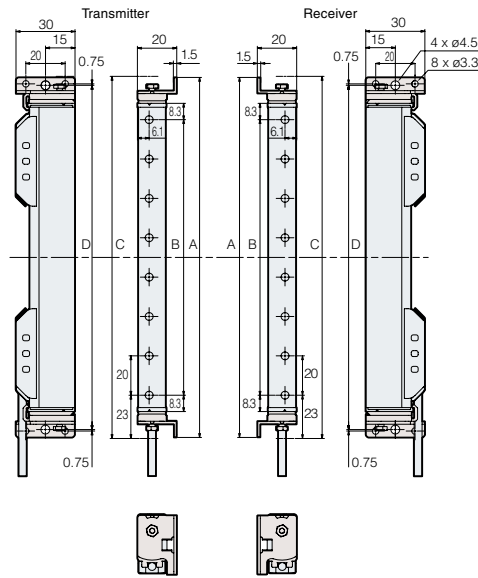
Model		No. of beam axes	A: Total length	B: Mounting hole spacing
Slim type	Flat type			
GL-S08SH	GL-S08FH	8	182.6	170
GL-S12SH	GL-S12FH	12	262.6	250
GL-S16SH	GL-S16FH	16	342.6	330
GL-S20SH	GL-S20FH	20	422.6	410
GL-S24SH	GL-S24FH	24	502.6	490
GL-S28SH	GL-S28FH	28	582.6	570
GL-S32SH	GL-S32FH	32	662.6	650
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GL-S40SH	GL-S40FH	40	822.6	810

**GL-SB04**

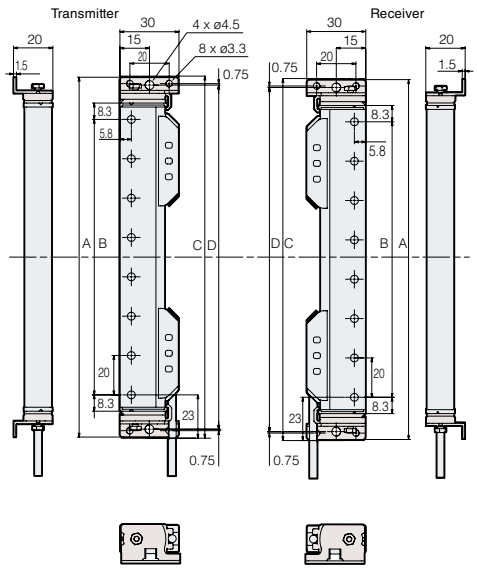
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(when attached to the light curtain)



**Slim type**



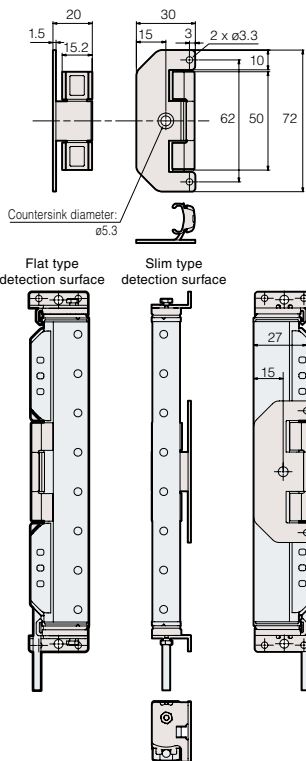
**Flat type**



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Slim type	Flat type					
GL-S08SH	GL-S08FH	8	183	140	186	175
GL-S12SH	GL-S12FH	12	263	220	266	255
GL-S16SH	GL-S16FH	16	343	300	346	335
GL-S20SH	GL-S20FH	20	423	380	426	415
GL-S24SH	GL-S24FH	24	503	460	506	495
GL-S28SH	GL-S28FH	28	583	540	586	575
GL-S32SH	GL-S32FH	32	663	620	666	655
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GL-S40SH	GL-S40FH	40	823	780	826	815

**GL-SB05**

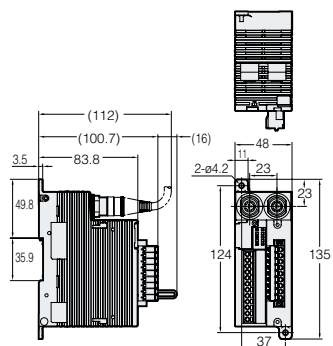
Adjustable angle intermediate support brackets



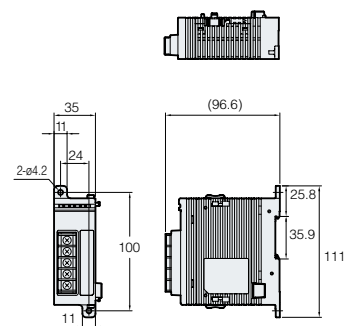


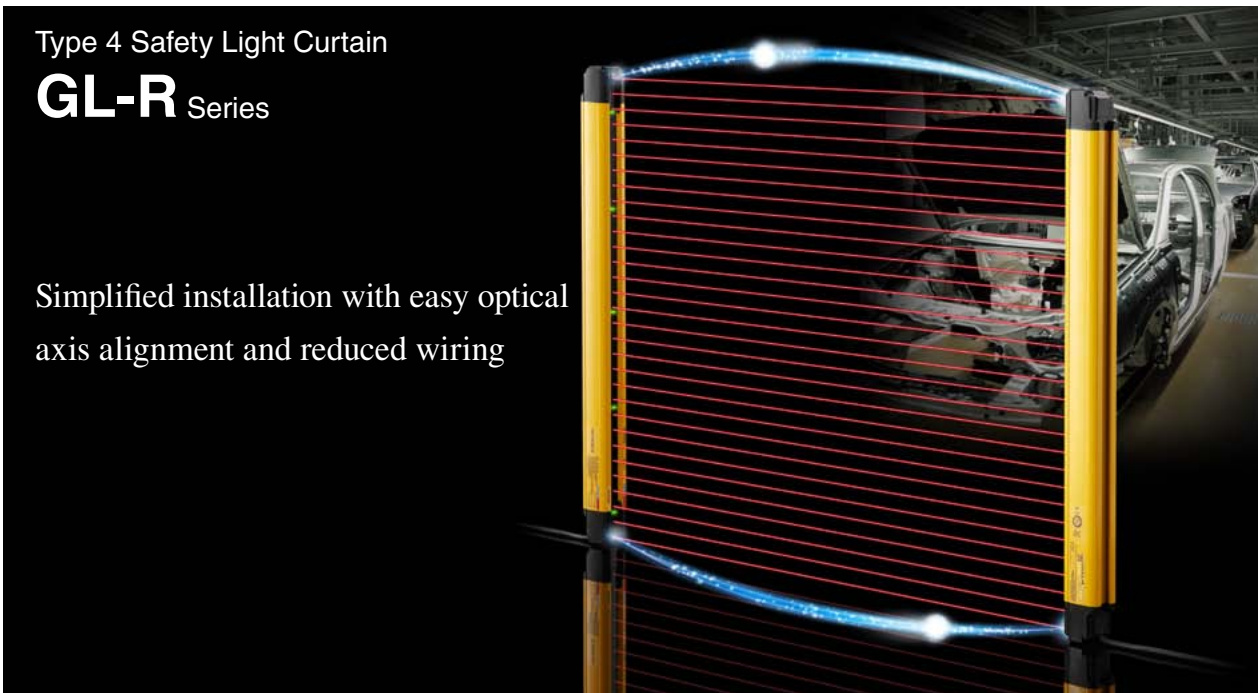
■ GL-T11R dedicated safety relay and SL-U2 dedicated light curtain power supply (class 2 output)

GL-T11R



SL-U2



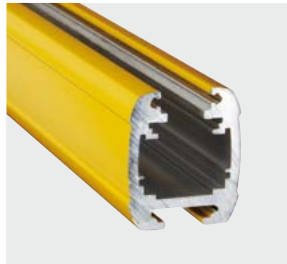


Type 4 Safety Light Curtain  
**GL-R Series**

Simplified installation with easy optical axis alignment and reduced wiring

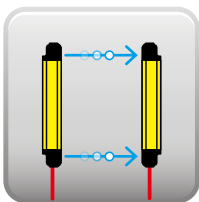
**Easy optical-axis alignment**

The light curtain incorporates a 3 mm metal housing, which greatly reduces the distortion that occurs when light curtains are mounted to equipment. This rigid design, paired with high powered LEDs, decreases the time required to align the GL-R Series when compared to conventional light curtains.



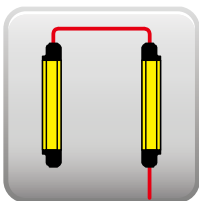
**Reduced wiring systems**

The GL-R Series supports two types of reduced wiring systems to decrease the work that goes into installation. Select the system to use according to the equipment layout.



**Optical synchronisation system**

This system uses optical communication in place of wired communication, thus allowing the transmitter and receiver to be connected to separate power sources and simplify wire management on large equipment.



**One-line system**

This system replaces the transmitter cable altogether, which reduces the wiring time to 1/3 of that required for conventional light curtains. The one-line system is ideal for small equipment.

**Lineup**

Select from three different detection capabilities according to the distance to the equipment hazard.

**GL-RF Series**

[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 14$  mm]



**GL-RH Series**

[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 25$  mm]



**GL-RL Series**

[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 45$  mm]

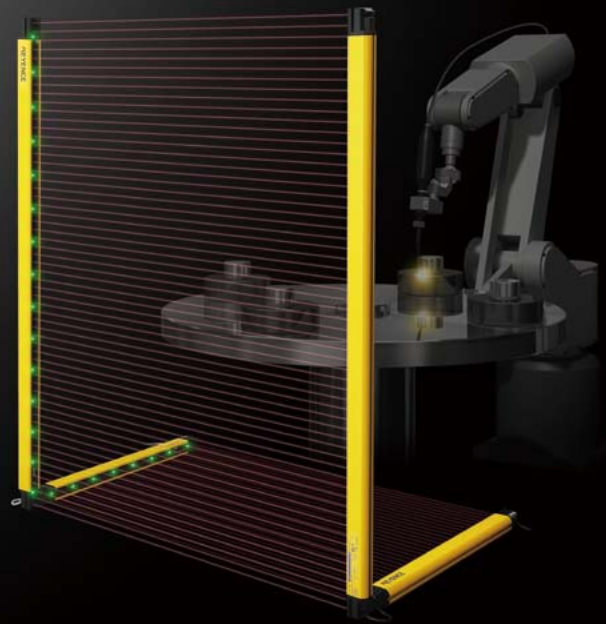


## Type 4 Safety Light Curtain

# SL-V Series

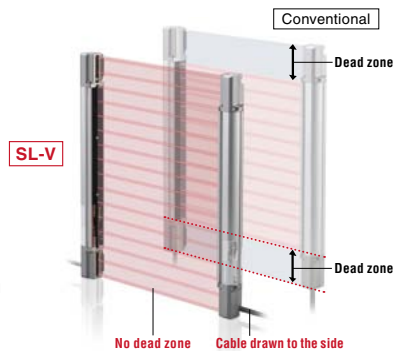
Industry first

Edge-to-edge detection zone



### No dead zone

With the first beam axis placed right along the edge and cables drawn to the side, detection can be performed along the entire area. The light curtain can fit snugly into the setup because there is no need to install the light curtain outside of the sensing area in order to cover the dead zone.



### Lineup

Select a type according to the installation environment and the distance from the equipment hazard.

#### Standard type

##### SL-VF Series

[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 14$  mm]



##### SL-VH Series

[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 25$  mm]



#### Heavy duty type

##### SL-VFM Series

[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 14$  mm]



##### SL-VHM Series

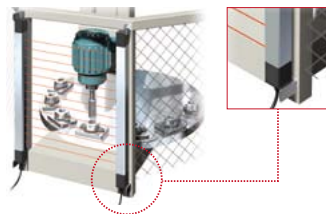
[Detection capability:  $\varnothing 25$  mm]



### Conventional

#### Outside mounting

Externally mounted light curtains are an obstruction.



### SL-V

#### Space saving

The SL-V Series fits easily into equipment, eliminating dead zones.



## GL-S Series Safety Light Curtains

■ GL-S

■ GL-S with metal protection covers



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