

# SLE3 Slot Sensor



## Datasheet

Slot sensor for adhesive labels



- Optimized to sense adhesive labels adhered to a roll of backing paper
- High intensity infrared LED reduces sensitivity to web flutter
- A response time of 35 microseconds allows the SLE3 sensor to keep up with even the fastest high speed rewinders
- 10 mm width allows installation in small spaces
- Quick setup with the one-press **(Set)(+)** button
- Oversize indicator allows you to know the sensor's performance, even from a few feet away



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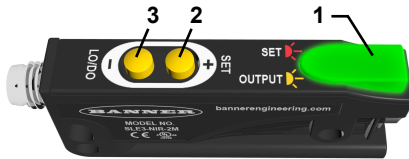
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## Models

| Models      | Supply Voltage       | Output | Connections                                       |
|-------------|----------------------|--------|---|
| SLE3-PIR-Q7 | 4.75 V DC to 30 V DC | PNP    | Integral 4-pin M8 male quick-disconnect connector |
| SLE3-PIR-2M |                      |        | 1.8 m (6 ft) unterminated 4-wire cable            |
| SLE3-NIR-Q7 |                      | NPN    | Integral 4-pin M8 male quick-disconnect connector |
| SLE3-NIR-2M |                      |        | 1.8 m (6 ft) unterminated 4-wire cable            |

## Features and Indicators

Figure 1. Features

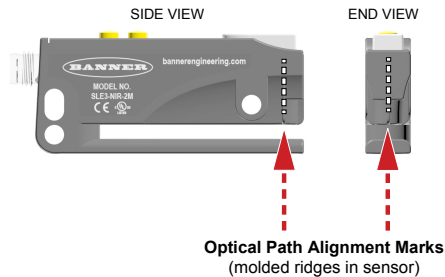


1. Three-color output indicator
2. (SET)(+) button
3. (LO/DO)(-) button

### Output Indicator

- Green LED indicates power ON and output OFF
- Amber LED indicates output ON
- Red LED indicates SET process

Figure 2. Optical Path Alignment Marks



### (SET)(+) Button

- Press and hold for 1seconds for TEACH
- Tap to adjust the threshold (+)

### (LO/DO)(-) Button

- Press and hold to toggle between light operate and dark operate
- Tap to adjust the threshold (-)



## Installation Instructions

The SLE3 sensor was designed for standard mounting using the clearance holes.

### Wiring

Figure 3. NPN

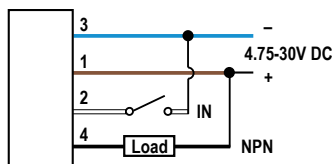


Figure 4. PNP

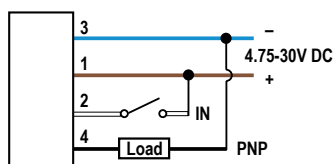
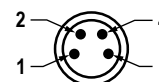


Figure 5. M8 Male



1 = Brown  
2 = White  
3 = Blue  
4 = Black

## Configuring the Sensor

Use the following steps to configure the sensor.

1. Power on the sensor.  
The indicator illuminates green.
2. Place the gap between labels in the sensor's view using the optical path alignment guides. See [Figure 2](#) on page 1.



**Tip:** If the gap is difficult to work with, try removing a label.

3. With the gap in view, press and hold **(SET)(+)** or activate the remote input wire for > 1 second, then release the button or deactivate the remote input wire.  
The indicator turns red, then back to green or amber. The indicator flashes red/green when the signal is insufficient.
4. If necessary, use the **(SET)(+)** and **(LO/DO)(-)** buttons to adjust the threshold.
5. Press and hold **(LO/DO)(-)** to toggle between light operate (LO) and dark operate (DO).  
The sensor configuration is complete.

## Specifications

### Supply Voltage and Current

4.75 V DC to 30 V DC  
Protected against reverse polarity  
18 milliamps (exclusive of load)

### Output

NPN or PNP (depending on model)  
Outputs sink or source up to 120 milliamps (current limit)  
Protected against output short-circuit

### Remote SET Input

Active high (PNP) or active low (NPN), depending on model (1ma)  
Protected against transient overvoltages

### Response Time

35 µs

### Hysteresis

5%

### Construction

Top lid: polycarbonate  
Output window: ABS  
Case: 50% glass filled nylon  
Buttons: silicon rubber

### Slot

3 mm

### Sensing Beam

High intensity infrared LED

### Light Immunity

Responds to the pulsed modulated light source of the sensor, resulting in high immunity to most ambient light

### Connection

Integral 4-pin M8 male quick-disconnect connector  
1.8 m (6 ft) unterminated 4-wire cable

### Ambient Temperature

-40 °C to +70 °C (-40 °F to +158 °F)

### Environmental Rating

IP65  
RoHS Compliant



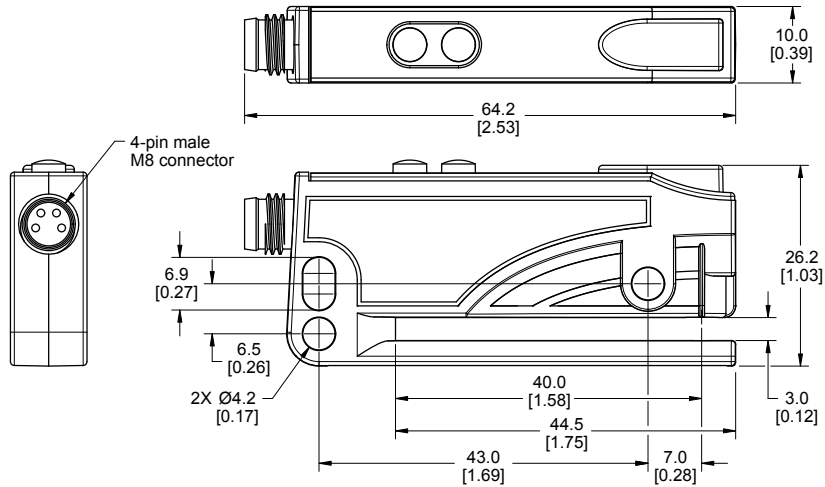
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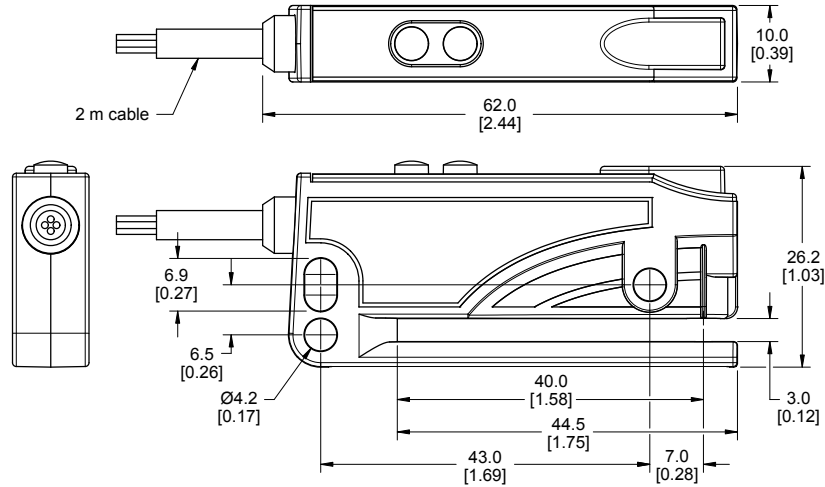
## Dimensions

All measurements are listed in millimeters [inches], unless noted otherwise.

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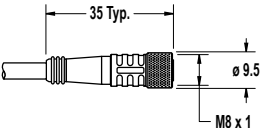

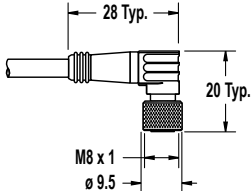
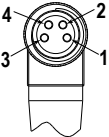


### Cable Models



## Accessories

### Cordsets

| 4-Pin Threaded M8 Cordsets—Single Ended |                  |             |   |   |   |
|---|------------------|-------------|---|---|---|
| Model                                   | Length           | Style       | Dimensions  | Pinout (Female)   |   |
| PKG4M-2                                 | 2.04 m (6.68 ft) | Straight    |  |  | 1 = Brown<br>2 = White<br>3 = Blue<br>4 = Black |
| PKG4M-5                                 | 5 m (16.4 ft)    |             |   |   |   |
| PKG4M-9                                 | 9.04 m (29.6 ft) |             |   |   |   |
| PKW4M-2                                 | 2 m (6.56 ft)    | Right Angle |  |  |   |
| PKW4M-5                                 | 5 m (16.4 ft)    |             |   |   |   |
| PKW4M-9                                 | 9 m (29.5 ft)    |             |   |   |   |

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# SLU4 Slot Sensor



## Quick Start Guide

Ultrasonic Label Sensors for Detection of Clear Labels

This guide is designed to help you set up and install the SLU4 Slot Sensor. For complete information on programming, performance, troubleshooting, dimensions, and accessories, please refer to the Instruction Manual at [www.bannerengineering.com](http://www.bannerengineering.com). Search for p/n 230091 to view the Instruction Manual. Use of this document assumes familiarity with pertinent industry standards and practices.



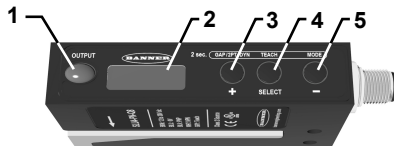
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## Models

| Model      | Supply Voltage     | Output Type           | Connection   |
|------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|
| SLU4-PN-2M | 12 V DC to 30 V DC | Bipolar NPN/PNP       | 1.8 m (6 ft) unterminated 5-wire PVC cable         |
| SLU4-PN-Q8 |                    |                       | Integral 5-pin M12 male quick-disconnect connector |
| SLU4-PN-Q7 |                    | Selectable NPN or PNP | Integral 4-pin M8 male quick-disconnect connector  |
| SLU4-BM-Q7 |                    |                       |  |

## Features and Indicators



1. Output indicator
2. Display
3. (GAP/2PT/DYN)(+)
4. (TEACH)(SELECT)
5. (MODE)(-)

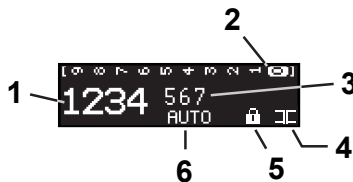
### Output Indicator

- Amber LED illuminates when outputs are ON
- Flashes when short circuit or overload detected

### Display

Use the display to view menu options and other information.

Figure 1. Display in Run Mode



1. Signal strength
2. Contrast indicator (0 to 9)
3. Threshold number
4. Output in gap or on label
5. Button lock or unlock
6. Auto adjust on/off (AUTO)

### Buttons

Use the sensor buttons to program the sensor.

#### (GAP/2PT/DYN)(+)

- Press and hold for 2 seconds to access and select different TEACH methods
- Press to increase the contrast threshold value
- Scroll through settings in the menu
- Manually adjust the threshold number while in Run mode

#### (TEACH)(SELECT)

- Press and hold for 2 seconds to initiate the TEACH process
- Select settings in MENU options

#### (MODE)(-)

- Press and hold for 2 seconds to access the menu
- Scroll through settings in the menu
- Manually adjust the threshold number while in Run mode



## Installation

### Mount the Sensor

Mount the SLU4 directly and securely using the clearance holes on the side of the sensor (bolts not included).

To lessen the effects of web flutter, position the bottom fork of the sensor slightly above the path of the web so that the web can glide over the bottom of the fork with slight tension.

### Wiring

Figure 2. M8 Models—bimodal with remote input

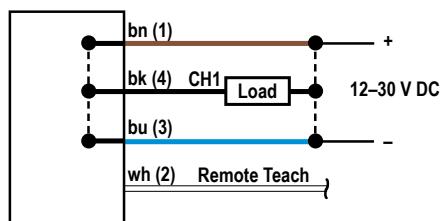


Figure 3. M8 model, bipolar

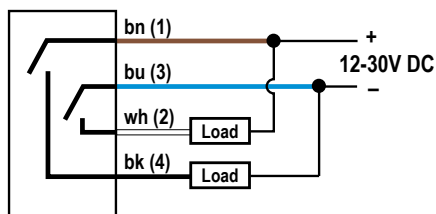
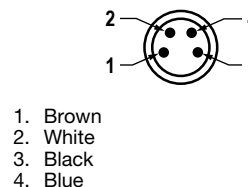


Figure 4. M8 Male Connector



The black wire is selectable NPN or PNP via the menu. This selection causes the remote input to be active low or active high.

Figure 5. M12 and cabled models—bipolar with remote input

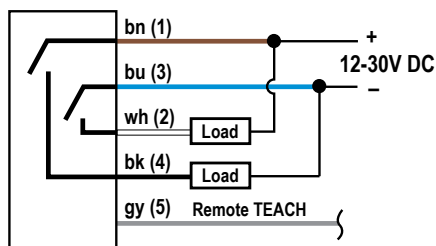
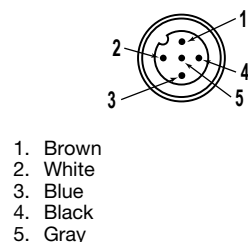


Figure 6. M12 Male Connector



## Sensor Setup

Use the following images and instructions to program the sensor for use.

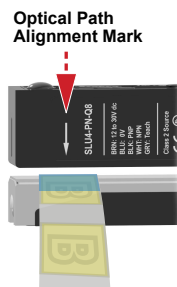
The default TEACH mode is Gap TEACH.

### Gap TEACH

The sensor sets a threshold based on the gap between two labels.

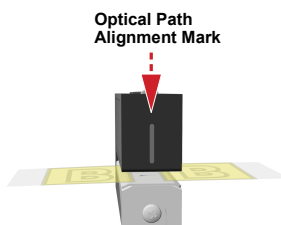
1. Place the label web so that it is centered on the arrow.

Figure 7. Align Label to Arrow



2. Position the gap between the labels in the center of the sensor using the alignment line as shown. When viewing from the top of the sensor, use the output LED to center the gap between the labels.

Figure 8. Align Gap to Line





**Note:** For a simpler TEACH, remove one label to create a larger gap.

- Place label webbing so that it slides along the bottom of the sensor gap plate. This ensures a more consistent setup and performance.
- Press and hold the **TEACH** button for 2 seconds. The display shows "Gap Set", then returns to Run mode.

The + and - buttons can be used to manually fine tune the sensor to the application.

## Sensor Menu

Access the menu from run mode by pressing and holding **MODE** for 2 seconds.

Use + and - buttons to navigate through the menu. Press **SELECT** to select a menu option and access the submenus. Use + and - to navigate through the submenus. Press **SELECT** to select a submenu option and return to the top menu or press and hold **SELECT** for longer than 2 seconds to select a submenu option and return immediately to run mode.



To exit Setup mode and return to Run mode, navigate to End and press **SELECT**.


The following are menu options:


### Adaptive Tracking

Evaluates signal levels and makes automatic adjustments to keep the sensor in optimum response levels.

### Output Mode

Change from GAP (  ) to LABEL (  ). GAP means the output will be on when the label is not present under the transducer. LABEL means the output will be on when the label is under the transducer.

 = Outputs on the Label

 = Outputs in the Gap

### Display Orientation

Toggles the orientation of the display.

### Timer Mode

Selects the output timing delay to be set:

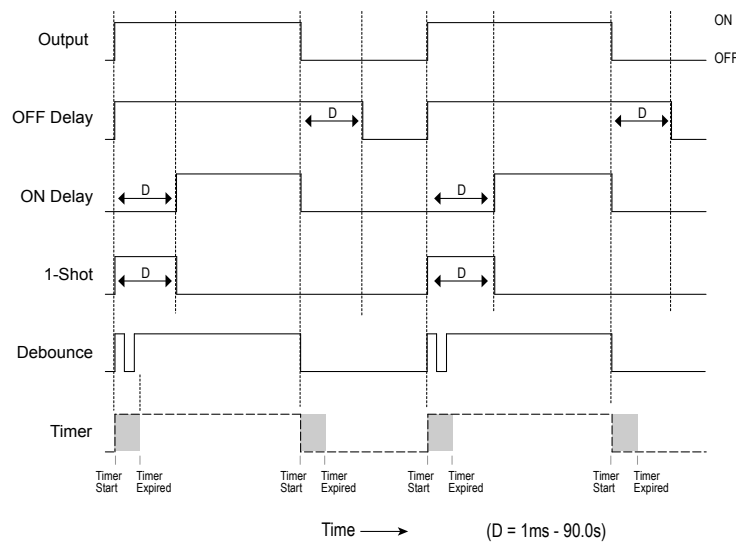
Off Delay—Outputs stay on for set time after duration of input.

On Delay—Outputs turn on when input exceeds set time.

One Shot—Outputs turn on for set time when triggered by input.

Debounce—Output changes immediately when a change in detect state occurs. Then, a timer prevents the output from switching again until the timer expires. This behavior occurs on both the leading and trailing edges of the object.

Figure 9. Output Timing Delays




### Timer Value

Sets the delay timer. This menu item is available only if a Timer Mode has been selected. The range is 1 ms to 9999 ms.

### Button Lockout

Locks the sensor for tamper-free operation.

The sensor can be taught if it is locked. To unlock the sensor, toggle from Lock (  ) to Unlock (no symbol).

### Scope

Allows the operator to visually inspect the current setup for repeatability. The sensor scope also reveals any nominal setup issues or sensitivities to label or gap thickness changes. To shorten the time between signals, press +. To lengthen the time between signals, press -.

### Input Active (SLU4-PN-2M and SLU4-PN-Q8 models only)

Sets the remote input to either Active High or Active Low to dictate the type of signal needed to program the sensor remotely. For more details, see [Remote Input](#) on page 4.

### Input/Output (SLU4-BM-Q7 model only)

Sets the output to either NPN or PNP. Also sets the remote input to either Active High or Active Low to dictate the type of signal needed to program the sensor remotely. For more details, see [Remote Input](#) on page 4.

### End

Returns to run mode.

**Factory Reset**

Resets the sensor to factory defaults.

**Remote Input**

Use the remote input to program the sensor remotely.

The remote input provides limited programming options. The remote input is either Active High (PNP) or Active Low (NPN) depending on the Input Active setting. For Active High (PNP), connect the white wire to 24 V DC with a remote switch connected between the wire and 24 V DC. For Active Low, connect the white wire to ground (0 V DC) with a remote switch connected between the wire and ground. Pulse the remote input according to the diagram and the instructions provided in this manual.

The length of the individual programming pulses is equal to the value **T: 0.04 seconds ≤ T ≤ 0.4 seconds**.

**Remote Input Signals**

**Note:** Waveforms shown correspond to PNP input mode.

Figure 10. Gap Set



Pulse once, 40 ms to 400 ms.

Figure 11. Label Set



Pulse twice, 40 ms to 400 ms, with 40 ms to 400 ms idle time between pulses.

Figure 12. Dynamic Set



Hold the remote input on for more than 750 ms, while pulling the labels and gaps through the sensor, then release the remote input line. The sensor returns to Run mode.

**Specifications****Supply Voltage and Current**

12 V DC to 30 V DC  
Polarity Protected



**Note:** For use in Class 2 circuits

95 mA at 12 V DC, 45 mA at 30 V DC

**Digital Outputs**

(1) NPN and (1) PNP open collector output 150mA maximum; <2 V residual voltage  
On SLU4-BM-Q7, NPN & PNP are user-selectable  
Protected against output short-circuit

**Remote TEACH Input**

Momentary sinking or sourcing input; 1.2 mA maximum; software selectable

**Hysteresis**

Dynamic, adjusted by TEACH

**Response Time**

200 μs

**Repeatability**

125 μs

**Threshold Set**

1-Point, 2-Point, or Dynamic TEACH; manually or remotely

**Threshold Adjust**

Manual or AUTO adjust

**Output Timers**

On Delay, Off Delay, One Shot, or Debounce

**Slot Width**

4 mm

**Indicators**

Display: Includes contrast indicator, numerical display, set point and trigger point, and all sensor options and modes  
Amber LED output indicator: Illuminates when the sensor's output transistors are ON



**Note:** Note: If output LED flashes on power up, a short circuit condition exists.

**Construction**

Chemical resistant, high impact aluminum housing  
Conforms to heavy industry grade CE requirements

**Connection**

Integral 5-pin M12 male quick-disconnect connector, Integral 4-pin M8 male quick-disconnect connector, or 1.8 m (6 ft) unterminated 5-wire PVC cable, depending on model

**Environmental Rating**

NEMA 4X, NEMA 6P, and IP65

**Ambient Temperature**

+4 °C to +50 °C (+39 °F to +122 °F)

**Certifications**

RoHS compliant



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