

## **INSTRUCTION SHEET**

Thank you for selecting an OMRON product. This sheet primarily describes precautions required in installing and operating the product.

- A specialist who has the knowledge of electricity must treat the product.
- Please read this manual carefully, and use it correctly after thoroughly understanding the product.
- Please keep this manual properly for future reference
- whenever it is necessary.



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#### PRECAUTIONS ON SAFETY

#### Meanings of Signal Words

/ CAUTION

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury or in property damage.

Warning Indications

# /I\ PRECAUTIONS

Do not use the product with voltage in excess of the rated voltage. Excess voltage may result in malfunction or fire.

Never use the product with an AC power supply. Otherwise, explosion may result.



#### PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE USE

The following precautions must be observed to ensure safe operation of the product. Doing so may cause damage or fire

- Installation Enviro
- Do not use the product in environments subject to flammable or explosive gases.

  To secure the safety of operation and maintenance, do not install the product close to high-voltage devices and

- power devices.

  Do not use the product in any atmosphere or environment that exceeds the ratings.

  Do not use the product in environments subject to exposure to water, oil, chemicals, etc.

  Burn injury may occur. The product surface temperature rises depending on application conditions, such as
- the ambient temperature and the power supply voltage. Use caution when operating or cleaning the product. Power Supply and Wiring
  Do not apply voltages or currents that exceed the rated ranges.
  When supplying power to the product, make sure that the polarity of the power is correct, and do not
- connect to an AC power supply.

  Do not miswire such as the polarity of the power supply.

  Do not apply any load exceeding the ratings.
- Connect the load correctly

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  Do not short both ends of the load.

   High-Voltage lines and power lines must be wired separately from this product. Wiring them together or placing them in the same duct may cause induction, resulting in malfunction or damage
- o not install the product in locations subjected to strong magnetic field or electric field.
- Do not attempt to disassemble, repair, or modify the product in any way
- Do not use the product if the case is damaged.

  When disposing of the product, treat it as industrial waste.

  When setting the sensor, be sure to check safety such as by stopping the equipment.

#### PRECAUTIONS FOR CORRECT USE

- Installation Location

   Do not install the product in the following locations (1) Locations subject to direct sunlight
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   (2) Locations subject to condensation due to high humidity
   (3) Locations subject to corrosive gas
   (4) Locations subject to vibration or mechanical shocks exceeding the rated values
- Power Supply and Wiring
- The product may require some time after it is turned ON to ensure a stable light reception intensity, depending on the operational environment. Output pulses may occur when the power supply is turned OFF. Turn OFF the power supply to the load

- or load line first.

  The product is ready to operate 200 ms after the power supply is turned ON. If the Sensor and load are connected to power supplies separately, turn ON the power supply to the product first.

  Make sure that the power supply is turned OFF before connecting, separating or adding Amplifier Units.

  Use an extension cable with a minimum thickness of 0.3 mm² and less than 100 m long.
- Do not apply the forces on the cord exceeding the following limits:
- Pull: 40N; torque: 0.1N-m; pressure: 20N; bending: 3 kg

  Do not pull or apply excessive pressure or force (exceeding 9.8N) on the Fiber Unit when it is mounted on the Amplifier Unit.
- The Mobile Console E3X-MC11, E3X-MC11-SV2 and E3X-MC11-S cannot be connected.
- The E3C, E2C, E3X-NA and E3X-SD cannot be connected.
  The E3X-DA-N, E3X-HD and E3X-DA-S/MDA cannot be connected
- The Communication Unit E3X-DRT21-S, E3X-CRT, E3X-ECT, E3NW-ECT and E3NW-DS cannot be connected. When using a connector type product, place a protective label (provided with the E3X-CN22, E3X-CN21) on the power supply connecting terminals that are not used, to prevent electric shock or short circuit.



Power Supply Connecting Terminal

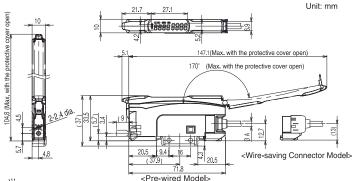
Always keep the protective cover in place when using the product. Not doing so may cause malfunction. nner, benzine, acetone, and lamp oil for cleaning

#### **Checking the Package Content**

• Amplifier Unit: 1 • Instruction Sheet (this sheet): 1 (Japanese, English and Chinese)

# Installation

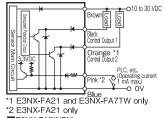
### 1-1 Dimensions

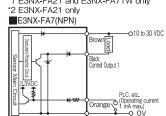


Dimensions in parentheses () indicates the ones with related components. The cover could come off if it is tilted by 170 degrees or more.

### 1-2 Input/Output Circuit Diagram

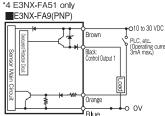
■E3NX-FA11, E3NX-FA21, E3NX-FA6, E3NX-FA7TW(NPN)





E3NX-FA41, E3NX-FA51. E3NX-FA8, E3NX-FA9TW(PNP)

\*3 E3NX-FA51 and E3NX-FA9TW only 4 E3NX-FA51 only

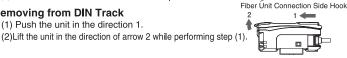


# 1-3 Mounting the Amplifier Unit

#### ■Mounting on DIN Track

(1)Let the hook on the Amplifier Unit's Fiber Unit connection side catch the track. (2) Push the unit until the hook clicks into place.

■Removing from DIN Track (1) Push the unit in the direction 1



# ■ Joining Amplifier Units(Connector Type Models)

(1) Mount the Amplifier Units one at a time onto the DIN track. Insert the connector until it clicks. Slide the amplifier unit.(Arrow 3)

(2) Use End Plates (PFP-M: separately sold) at the both ends of the grouped Amplifier Units to prevent them from separating due to vibration or other cause (Arrow 4) (3) Tighten the screw on the End Plates using a driver.(Arrow 5)

Up to 30 Amplifier Units can be joined. Tighten the screw while pressing the End Plate.

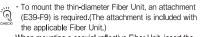
# 1-4 Mounting Fiber Unit

#### **■**Use Fiber Cutter

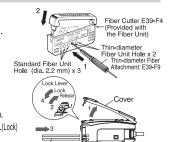
- (1) Insert a Fiber Unit into a fiber cutter hole.
- (2) Press down the blade at a single stroke to cut the Fiber Unit.

### **■**Mount Fiber Unit

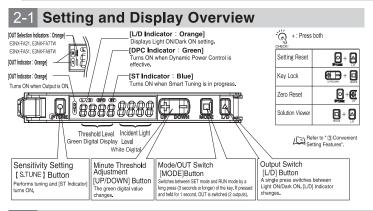
- (1) Open the cover
- (2) Raise the lock lever.(Release)
- (3) Insert the Fiber Unit in the fiber unit hole to the bottom.
- (4) Return the lock lever to the original position and fix the Fiber Unit.(Lock)



When mounting a coaxial reflective Fiber Unit, insert the single-core Fiber Unit to the upper hole (Emitter side) and Multi Core the multi-core Fiber Unit to the lower hole (Receiver side).



# Settings



# 2-2 Switching Control Output



Through-beam: Set to "Dark ON" to turn the output ON with a workpiece in the detection area.



Reflective: Set to "Light ON" to turn the output ON with a workpiece in the detection area.

[L/D Indicator] turns (L/ON.

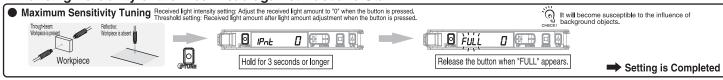


# 2-3 Smart Tuning [Easy Sensitivity Setting]

#### **Basic Setting**



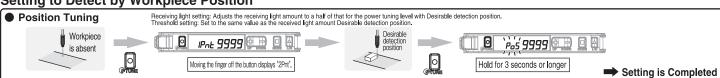
#### **Enhancing Durability of the Fiber Head against Dust and Stain**



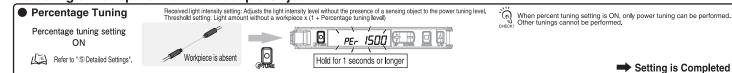
### **Setting for a Moving Workpiece**



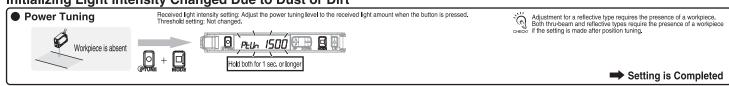
#### **Setting to Detect by Workpiece Position**



#### **Detecting a Transparent or Microscopic Object**



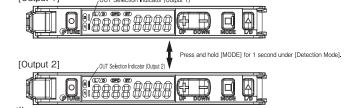
#### Initializing Light Intensity Changed Due to Dust or Dirt



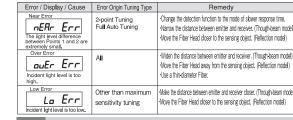
#### 2-4 Output switching (2-output type: E3NX-FA21, E3NX-FA51, E3NX-FA7TW, and E3NX-FA9TW)

- ■OUT Selection Indicator switches to switch the settings.
- 1. Hold the [MODE] button for 1 second in [Measurement Mode].
- 2. OUT Selection Indicators (Output 1/Output 2) switch. [Output 1] OUT Selection Indicator (Output 1)

Light-ON/Dark-ON can be switched with output 2.



#### Smart Tuning Error



# 2-5 Minute Adjustment of Threshold Level

Press button to adjust the threshold level.

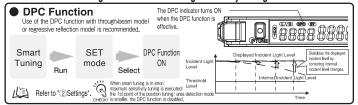
Hold the key for high-speed level adjustment.

The threshold level The threshold level becomes higher. <u>,000 2 130 🕮 🖳 🖟</u>

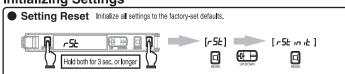


# 3 Convenient Setting Features

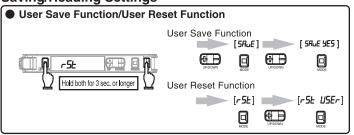
#### For Stable Detection Regardless of Received Light Intensity Changed due to Dust or Dirt



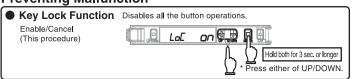
### Initializing Settings



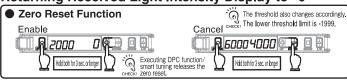
#### Saving/Reading Settings



### **Preventing Malfunction**



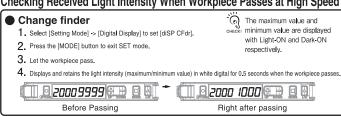
### Returning Received Light Intensity Display to "0"



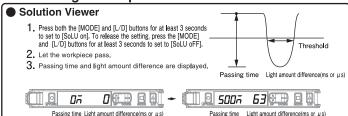
#### For Output When Received Light Intensity is Within the Area



#### Checking Received Light Intensity When Workpiece Passes at High Speed



#### **Determining If Workpiece is Detectable**



NPN output E3NX-FA11 E3NX-FA6 E3NX-FA21 E3NX-FA7 E3NX-FA7TW

PNP output E3NX-FA41 E3NX-FA8 E3NX-FA51 E3NX-FA9 E3NX-FA9TW

# Maintenance

# 4-1 Troubleshooting

#### Troubleshooting

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Problem	Cause	Remedy		
Nothing is shown on the indication.	No power supplied or the cable broken	Check the wiring, connector connection, power supply voltage and power supply capacity again.  Light Refer to "1-2 Input/Output Circuit Diagram"		
Nothing is shown on the digital indication.	Eco mode is ON.	Turn OFF Eco mode. Refer to "5. Detailed Settings".  Refer to "5 Detailed Settings".		
Sensing/Detection not possible despite the minimum threshold level	Detection set to a small light level mode Dust or dirt influences	and light intensity		
The OUT indicator blinking	Mutual interference or other reason	Check the Amplifier Units mounted in a group and turn ON the power again.    Compared to "1-3 Mounting Amplifier Unit"		
Incident light level displayed in a negative value	The zero reset function is enabled.	Cancel the zero reset function.  Lack Refer to "3" Convenient Setting Features"		
Lost tracking of the settings made	_	Reset the settings.  Refer to "③ Convenient Setting Features"		

#### Error Display

Error Name / Display	Cause	Remedy		
PPC Error*	The incident light level has deteriorated due to dust or dirt.	Wipe the dust off the Fiber Unit detection surface or other relevant areas and recover the original incident light level. Then, perform Smart Tuning.  Refer to "2-3 Smart Tuning"		
EPROM time-out error	Failed internal data read/out	Turn ON the power again. Reset the settings if the error is not corrected.  Lack Refer to " 3 Convenient Setting Features"		
EEPROM checksum error	Failed internal data read/out	Turn ON the power again. Reset the settings if the error is not corrected.  Refer to " ③Convenient Setting Features"		
Lock ON	The key lock	Cancel the key lock function.		
LoC On	function enabled	Refer to " ③Convenient Setting Features"		
Load short circuit detection error	Over current flowing	Check wiring and connector connection again.		
E-5Ł	to the control output	Refer to "1-2 Input/Output Circuit Diagram" and "4-2 Ratings and Specifications"		

<sup>\*</sup> The DPC indicator blinks

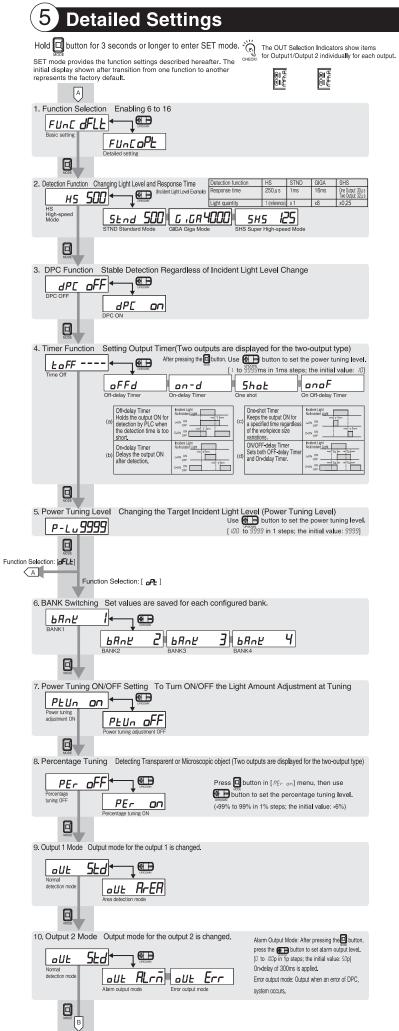
# 4-2 Ratings and Specifications

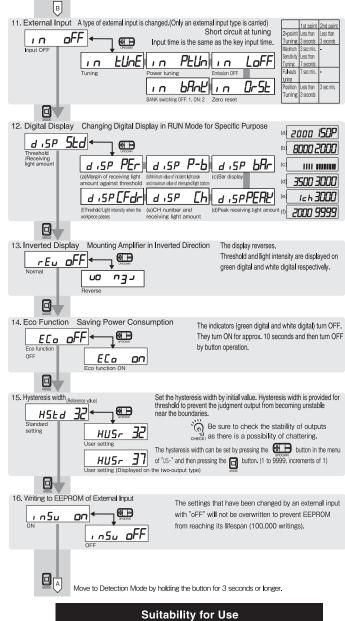
Model

Control out	tput	1	1	2	1	2		
External in	put *1	-	-	1	1	-		
Connection	n method	Pre-wired type	Wire-saving connector	type Pre-wired type	Wire-saving connector type	Wire-saving connector type		
Light source	(Wave <b>l</b> ength)	Red 4-element LED (625nm)						
Power sup	ply voltage	10 to 30 VDC, including ripple (p-p) 10%						
Power consumption*2		Power supply voltage 24V:		Power supply voltage 2	Power supply voltage 24V:			
		Normal mode: 960mW max.(Power consumption 40mA max.)		Normal mode: 1080mW max.(Power consumption 45mA max.)				
		Power saving ECO: 840ml// max.(Power consumption 35m4 max.) Power saving ECO: 930mW max.(Power consumption 40mA max.)						
Control out	tput	Load power supply voltage: 30 VDC, open collector output type (depends on the NPN/PNP output format)						
		Load current: 100 mA max. for 1 to 3 units use, 20 mA max. for 4 units use						
		Residual voltage: 2 V max. for NPN output, 2 V max. for PNP output						
		Off-state current: 0.1 mA max.						
Protection	circuit	Power supply reverse polarity protection, output short-circuit protection and output incorrect connection protection						
Maximum con	nectable Units	30 units						
Number of	Super-high-speed mode (SHS)	0 Note: The communication and mutual interference prevention functions are disabled if the SHS mode is selected for detection function.						
units for mutual	High-speed mode (HS)	10						
interference	Standard mode (Stnd)	10						
prevention *3	Giga mode (GIGA)	10						
Number of	banks	4						
Auto Power C	ontrol (APC)	Provided (Alway	s effective)					
Ambient i <b>ll</b>	umination	Incandescent la	mp: 20,000 <b>l</b> x	max. / Sunlight: 30	0,000 lx max.			
Ambient tempe	erature range	Operating: 1 to 2 amplifiers connected: -25° C to 55° C, 3 to 10 amplifiers connected: -25° C to 50° C,						
		11 to 16 amplifiers connected: -25° C to 45° C, 17 to 30 amplifiers connected: -25° C to 40° C						
		Storage: -30° C to 70° C (with no icing or condensation)						
Ambient hur	midity range	Operating and s	Operating and storage: 35% to 85% RH (with no condensation)					
Insulation r	esistance	20 MΩ min. (at 500 VDC)						
Dielectric s	strength	1,000 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 1 minute						
Vibration re	esistance			ouble amplitude for		and Y directions		
Shock resi	stance	500 m/s <sup>2</sup> , for 3 times each in X, Y and Z directions						
Weight (packe	d state/sensor)	Арргох. 115 g/Approx. 75 g   Арргох. 60 g/Approx. 20 g   Арргох. 115 g/Approx. 75 g   Арргох. 60 g/Approx. 20 g   Арргох. 60 g/Approx. 20 g						
Materia <b>l</b> s		Case and cover: Polycarbonate (PC), Cable: PVC						
<ol> <li>Details on</li> </ol>	inputs are as							
NPN output	Contact ON: Short o	input (Relay or swite ircuit to 0V (Outflow curre	ch) No	n-contact input (Trans I: 1.5 V max. (Outflow curr	istor)	Input time		
	OFF: Oper	n or short circuit to Vcc OFF: Vcc-1.5 V to Vcc (Leakage current: 0.1 mA max.) ON: 2 ms min.						
PNP output		ircuit to Vcc (Sink current: n or short circuit to OV		l: Voc 1.5 V to Vcc (Sink o F: 1.5 V max. (Leakage cu		OFF: 30 ms min.		
2. Power con	sumption							
E3NX-FA11 E3NX-FA41		E3NX-FA6 E3NX-FA8		E3NX-FA21 E3NX-FA51	E3NX-FA7 E3NX-FA9	E3NX-FA7TW E3NX-FA9TW		
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"3. The tuning will not change the number of units.

The minimum number of units in the specifications is applied to the mutual interference between different amplifiers such as between fiber and laser.





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NEVER USE THE PRODUCTS FOR AN APPLICATION INVOLVING NEVER USE THE PHODUCTS FOR AN APPLICATION INVOLVING SERIOUS RISK TO LIFE OR PROPERTY WITHOUT ENSURING THAT THE SYSTEM AS A WHOLE HAS BEEN DESIGNED TO ADDRESS THE RISKS, AND THAT THE OMRON PRODUCT IS PROPERLY RATED AND INSTALLED FOR THE INTENDED USE WITHIN THE OVERALL EQUIPMENT OR SYSTEM.

See also Product catalog for Warranty and Limitation of Liability.

