


# EE-SPY31/41

## Accurately detects objects placed in front of shiny Background.



- A shiny background can be used as long as the distance between the sensor and the background is 20 mm or more.
- Detects minute objects such as a 0.05-mm-dia. pure copper wire.
- Small dispersion in sensing distance.
- Light modulation effectively reduces external light interference.
- Wide operating voltage range: 5 to 24 VDC






 Be sure to read *Safety Precautions* on page 4.

For the most recent information on models that have been certified for safety standards, refer to your OMRON website.

## Ordering Information

### Sensors

 Infrared light

Appearance	Sensing method	Sensing distance		Output type	Output configuration	Model
Horizontal type 	Convergent reflective type		2 to 5 mm	NPN output	Dark-ON	EE-SPY311
Vertical type 					Light-ON	EE-SPY411
					Dark-ON	EE-SPY312
					Light-ON	EE-SPY412

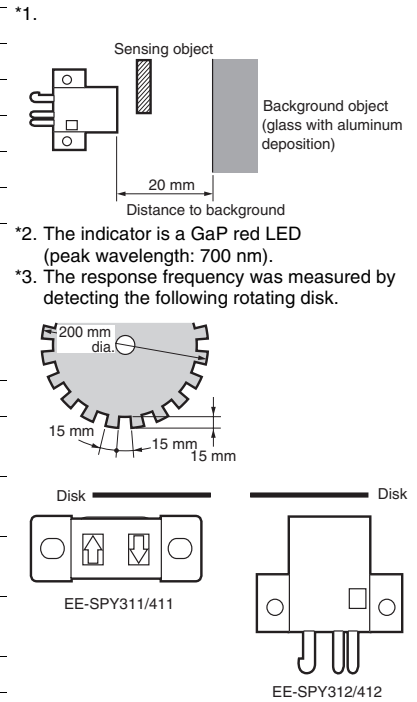
### Accessories (Order Separately)

Type	Cable length	Model	
Connector		EE-1001	
		EE-1009	
	Connector with Cable	1 m	EE-1006 1M
			EE-1010 1M
	Connector with Robot Cable	1 m	EE-1010-R 1M
		2 m	EE-1010-R 2M
NPN/PNP Conversion Connector	0.46 m (total length)	EE-2002	

\* Refer to *Accessories* for details.

Ratings and Specifications

Item	Models	EE-SPY311, EE-SPY411, EE-SPY312, EE-SPY412
Sensing distance		2 to 5 mm (Reflection factor: 90%; white paper 15 × 15 mm)
Minimum sensing object		Pure copper wire (0.05 mm dia.)
Distance to background *1		20 mm max. (glass with aluminum deposition)
Differential distance		0.2 mm (with a sensing distance of 3 mm, horizontally)
Light source		GaAs infrared LED with a peak wavelength of 940 nm
Indicator *2		Light indicator (red)
Supply voltage		5 to 24 VDC ±10%, ripple (p-p): 5% max.
Current consumption		Average: 15 mA max., Peak: 50 mA max.
Control output		NPN voltage output: Load power supply voltage: 5 to 24 VDC Load current: 80 mA max. OFF current: 0.5 mA max. 80 mA load current with a residual voltage of 1.0 V max. 10 mA load current with a residual voltage of 0.4 V max.
Response frequency *3		100 Hz min.
Ambient illumination		3,000 lx max. with incandescent light or sunlight on the surface of the receiver
Ambient temperature range		Operating: -10 to +55°C Storage: -25 to +65°C
Ambient humidity range		Operating: 5% to 85% Storage: 5% to 95%
Vibration resistance		Destruction: 10 to 50 Hz, 1.5-mm double amplitude for 2 h each in X, Y, and Z directions
Shock resistance		Destruction: 500m/s <sup>2</sup> for 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions
Degree of protection		IEC IP50
Connecting method		Special connector (soldering not possible)
Weight		Approx. 2.6 g
Material	Case	Polycarbonate
	Holder	Polybutylene phthalate (PBT)



I/O Circuit Diagrams

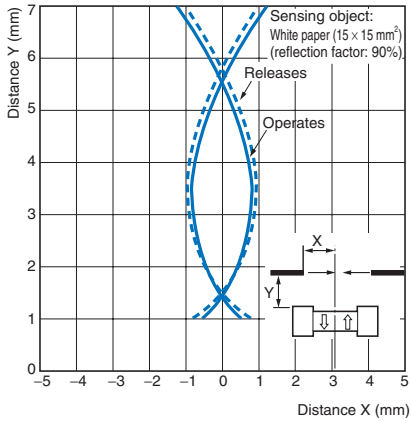
NPN Output

Model	Output configuration	Timing charts	Output circuit
EE-SPY411 EE-SPY412	Light-ON	<p>Incident Interrupted</p> <p>Light indicator (red) ON OFF</p> <p>Output transistor ON OFF</p> <p>Load 1 (relay) Operates Releases</p> <p>Load 2 H L</p>	<p>* Voltage output (when the sensor is connected to a transistor circuit)</p>
EE-SPY311 EE-SPY312	Dark-ON	<p>Incident Interrupted</p> <p>Light indicator (red) ON OFF</p> <p>Output transistor ON OFF</p> <p>Load 1 (relay) Operates Releases</p> <p>Load 2 H L</p>	

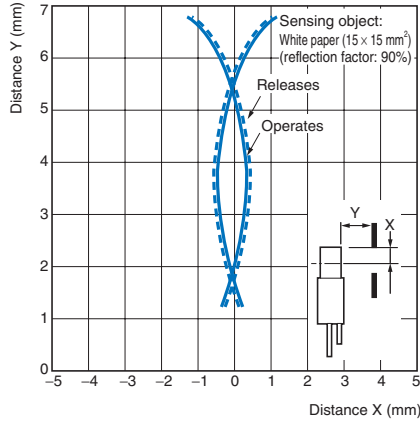
Engineering Data (Reference Value)

Operating Range Characteristics

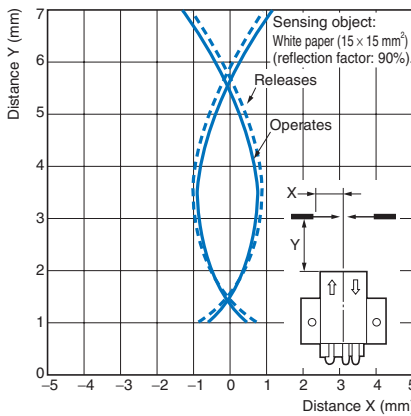
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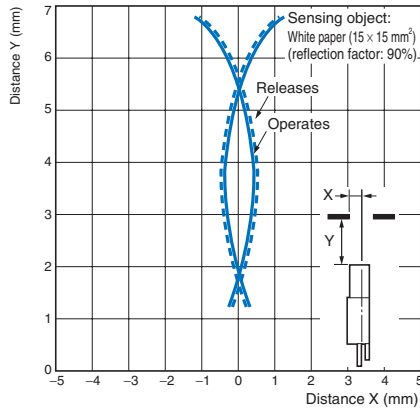
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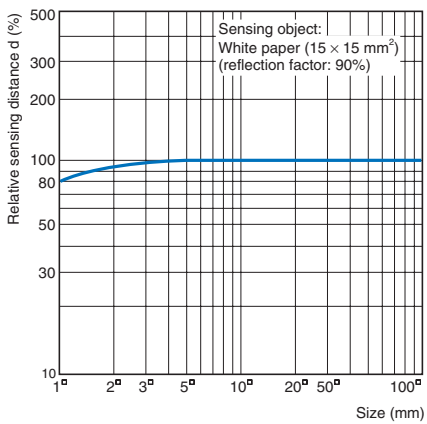


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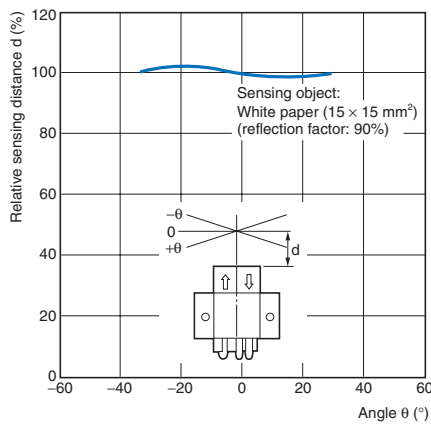
Sensing Distance vs. Object Area Characteristics

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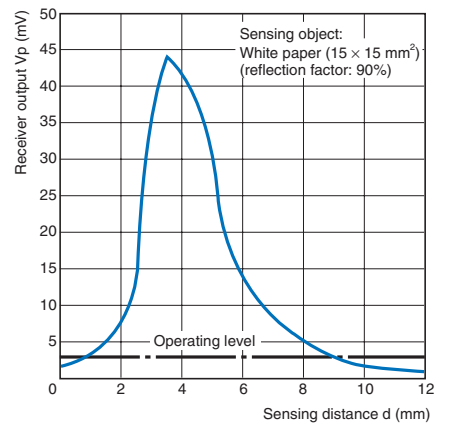
Sensing Angle vs. Sensing Distance Characteristics

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Receiver Output vs. Sensing Distance Characteristics

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**Safety Precautions**

Refer to *Warranty and Limitations of Liability*.

**WARNING**

This product is not designed or rated for ensuring safety of persons either directly or indirectly. Do not use it for such purposes.

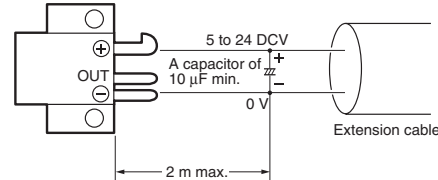
**Precautions for Correct Use**

Make sure that this product is used within the rated ambient environment conditions.

**Wiring**

- Connection is made using a connector. Do not solder to the pins (leads).

- When extending the cable, use an extension cable with conductors having a total cross-section area of 0.3 mm<sup>2</sup>. The total cable length must be 2 m maximum.
- To use a cable length longer than 2 m, attach a capacitor with a capacitance of approximately 10 μF to the wires as shown below. The distance between the terminal and the capacitor must be within 2 m. (Use a capacitor with a dielectric strength that is at least twice the Sensor's power supply voltage.)



- Make sure the total length of the power cable connected to the product is less than 10 m even if a capacitor is inserted.

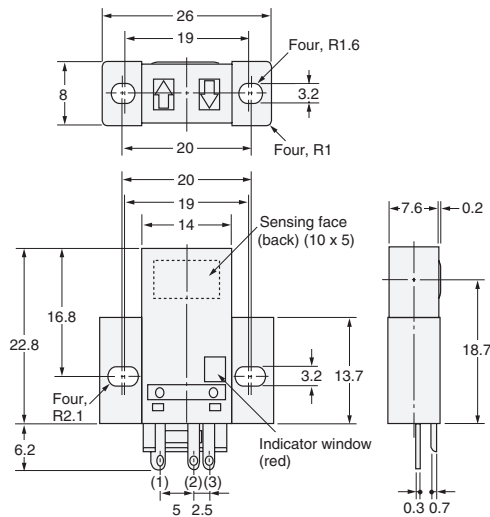
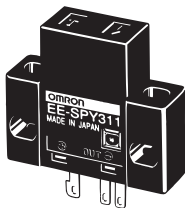
(Unit: mm)

**Dimensions**

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**Sensors**

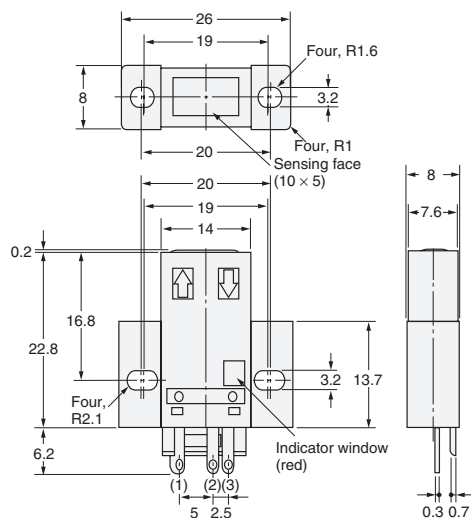
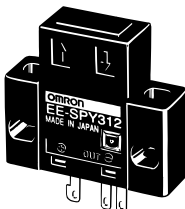
EE-SPY311  
EE-SPY411



**Terminal Arrangement**

(1)	+	V <sub>CC</sub>
(2)	OUT	OUTPUT
(3)	-	GND (0 V)

EE-SPY312  
EE-SPY412



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(2)	OUT	OUTPUT
(3)	-	GND (0 V)

**Accessories (Order Separately)**

\* Refer to *Accessories* for details.

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