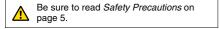
Photomicrosensor with Built-in Amplifier (with Light Modulation)

# **EE-SPZ301/401**

### Use standard optical fiber.

- · Photomicrosensor with light modulation for reduced external light interference.
- · Easy adjustment and operation validation with an operation indicator (lights when light is incident).
- Wide operating voltage range: 5 to 24 VDC
- Supports connection with Programmable Controllers (PLCs).
- Easy-to-wire connectors assure easy maintenance.





#### **Ordering Information**

			Infrared light
Appearance	Application	Output configuration	Model
	Fiber connection	Dark-ON	EE-SPZ301
EESP2301		Light-ON	EE-SPZ401

#### Fiber Unit and Attachment Combinations

Model	Fiber Unit	Attachment	Sensing distance	Sensing object	Directional angle
(Fiber connection) EE-SPZ301 EE-SPZ401	(Through-beam) E32-TC200		20 mm	Opaque: 1 mm dia.	5 to 40°
		(Lens) E39-F1	150 mm	Opaque: 4 mm dia. min.	5 10 40
		(Side-view) E39-F2	10 mm	Opaque: 3 mm dia. min.	20 to 60°
	(Reflective) E32-DC200		1 to 6 mm	White paper: 15×15 mm	

Note 1. The sensing distance given is a reference value applicable only when the fiber length is 60 cm. (Refer to the engineering data for the relationship between fiber length and sensing distance.)

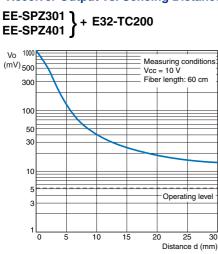
2. Ambient operating temperature of Fiber section: -40 to 70°C, Attachment: -40 to 200°C, Retroreflector: -40 to 70°C

3. Ambient humidity: 5% to 85%

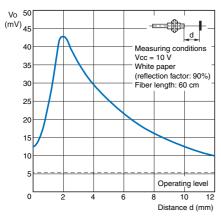
## **Ratings and Specifications**

Item Models	EE-SPZ301, EE-SPZ401		
Power supply voltage	5 to 24 VDC $\pm$ 10%, ripple (p-p): 5% max.		
Current consumption	Average: 15 mA max., Peak: 50 mA max.		
Response frequency	100 Hz		
Control output	5 to 24 VDC 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.		
Light source	GaAs infrared LED (pulse lighting) with a peak wavelength of 940 nm		
Indicator	Light indicator (red)		
Light-receiving element	Si photodiode (Maximum sensitivity wavelength: 850 mm)		
Ambient illumination	3,000 lx max. with incandescent light or sunlight on the surface of the receiver		
Degree of protection	IEC Standard IP50 (excluding terminal section.)		
Ambient temperature	Operating: -10 to +55°C Storage: -25 to +65°C		
Ambient humidity	Operating: 5% to 85% Storage: 5% to 95%		
Permissible bending radius of Fiber Unit	25 mm		
Maximum fiber length	th Through-beam: 180 cm Reflective: 100 cm		
Vibration resistance	Destruction: 10 to 55 Hz, 1.5-mm double amplitude for 2 h each in X, Y, and Z directions		
Shock resistance	Destruction: 500 m/s <sup>2</sup> for 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions		
Cable	2 m max. (Thickness: AWG24 min.)		
Weight	Approx. 3.0 g		

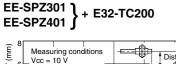
#### **Receiver Output vs. Sensing Distance Characteristics**

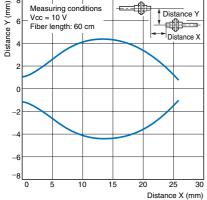


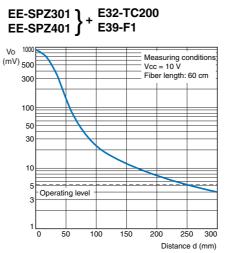
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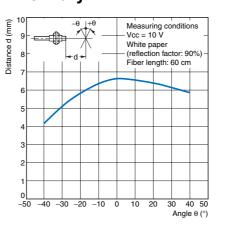


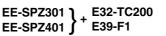


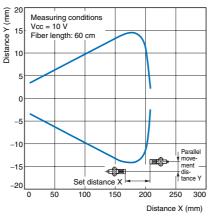




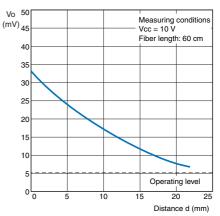
#### Sensing Angle Characteristics EE-SPZ301 EE-SPZ401 }+ E32-DC200



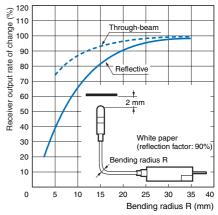




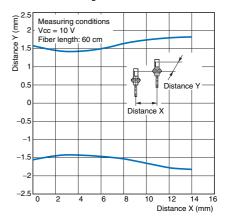
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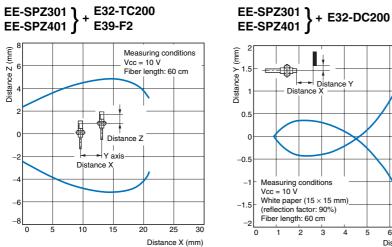


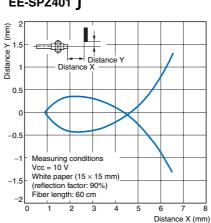
Receiver Output vs. Bending Radius EE-SPZ301Y-01 EE-SPZ401Y-01



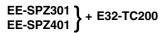
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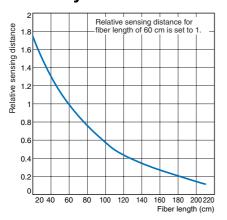


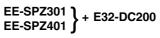


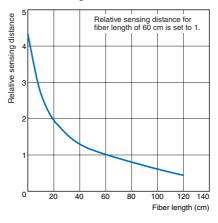


Fiber Length vs. Relative Sensing Distance Characteristics









#### I/O Circuit Diagrams

Model	Output configuration	Timing charts	Output circuit
EE-SPZ401	Light-ON	Incident Interrupted Light indicator ON (red) OFF Output ON transistor OFF Load 1 Operates (relay) Releases	Light indicator Light indicator
EE-SPZ301	Dark-ON	Incident Interrupted Light indicator ON (red) OFF Output Transistor OFF Load 1 Operates (relay) Releases Load 2 H	* Voltage output (when the sensor is connected to a transistor circuit)

#### **Safety Precautions**

Refer to Warranty and Limitations of Liability.

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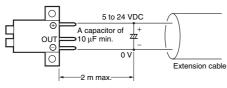
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#### **Precautions for Correct Use**

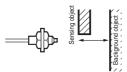
Make sure that this product is used within the rated ambient environment conditions.

#### Wiring

- A fiber that has been connected once cannot be disconnected.
- Use a cable with a wire size of at least AWG22 (crosssectional area: 0.3 mm<sup>2</sup>). The total cable length must be of 2 m maximum.
- To use a cable length longer than 2 m, attach a capacitor with a capacitance of approximately 10  $\mu F$  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.)



- The sensing distance of the EE-SPZ301/401 with the E32-DC200 are based on sensing a sheet of white paper with a reflection factor of 90%.
- When using the EE-SPZ301/401 with the E32-DC200 to detect a piece of white paper with a reflection factor of 90%, the sensing distance varies from 6 to 10 mm depending on the product.
- When using the EE-SPZ301/401 with the E32-DC200 to detect an object, the objects in the background should not be glossy.



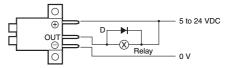
Decrease reflection from the background object, e.g., by providing a sufficient distance to the background or by using a black sponge or similar material as the background.

• Connection is made using a connector. Do not solder to the pins (leads). Use EE-1002 a connector or a EE-1003 (with a 1-m cable) connector. A EE-1003A Hold-down clip is available to prevent the EE-1003 connector from becoming disconnected.

• Make sure that the terminals are not subjected to stress (external force). Stress will cause damage to the terminals.

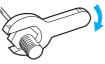


- If a metal mounting base causes inductive noise, the Photomicrosensor falsely detect incident light. If necessary, implement the following countermeasures.
- (1) Connect the Sensor's negative terminal and mounting frame so that they have the same electric potential.
- (2) Connect the Sensor's negative terminal and mounting frame through a 0.47-μF capacitor.
- (3) Insert a 10-mm-thick plastic insulation plate between the Sensor and the mounting frame.
- When driving a small inductive load, such as a relay, wire as shown below. (Be sure to connect a diode to absorb the reverse voltage.)



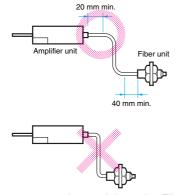
#### **Tightening the Fiber Unit**

- Use a tightening force of 0.78 N·m max.
- Use a tool appropriate for the nut.

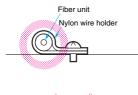


#### **Mounting the Fiber Unit**

- Do not pull, press, or otherwise apply excessive force to the Fiber Unit.
- The bending radius of the Fiber Unit must be as large as possible (radius: 25 mm min.).
- As shown in the following figure, any bends must be made at least 40 mm from the base of the Unit.



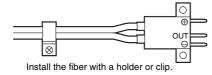
• Do not compress or apply a weight to the Fiber Unit.





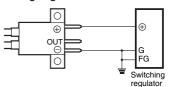
#### Installation

- When three or four Through-beam Sensors must be installed side-by-side, place the emitters and receivers on alternating sides.
- When using a Reflective Sensor to detect slow moving objects, incorrect operation may occur even if two Sensors are installed side-by-side.
- Be sure to keep the Amplifier Unit under 55°C even when using the fiber ends in high temperature environments.
- The connection force of the fiber and the Photomicrosensor will decrease when the ambient temperature is high. If high ambient temperatures can be expected, install the fiber with a holder or clip, and do not pull on the fiber.



#### **Power Supply**

• For increased operation stability, install a FG (frame ground terminal) or G (ground terminal) when using a commercially available switching regulator



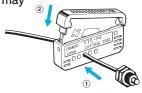
#### **Mounting the Fiber Unit**

1. Set at Fiber Unit at the specified length and cut it with the Fiber Cutting Tool.

#### **Fiber Cutting Tool**

- Insert the fiber into one of the insertion holes of the E39-F4 Cutting Tool to cut the fiber to the desired length.
- Press down the blade of the Cutting Tool to cut the fiber in a single stroke. Do not stop the Cutting Tool midway.
- Each insertion hole can be used only once. Do not

use it again, otherwise the fiber may not be cut properly and the sensing distance may decrease.



#### 2. Set the Fiber Unit in the EE-SPZ301/401.

(Do not remove the Fiber Unit once it has been installed. Doing so may prevent the stopper in the Sensor from working properly, causing the Fiber Unit to become disconnected.)

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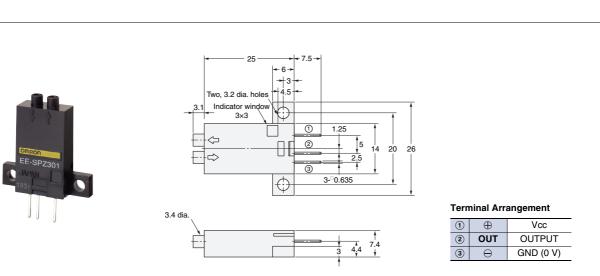
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#### **Dimensions**

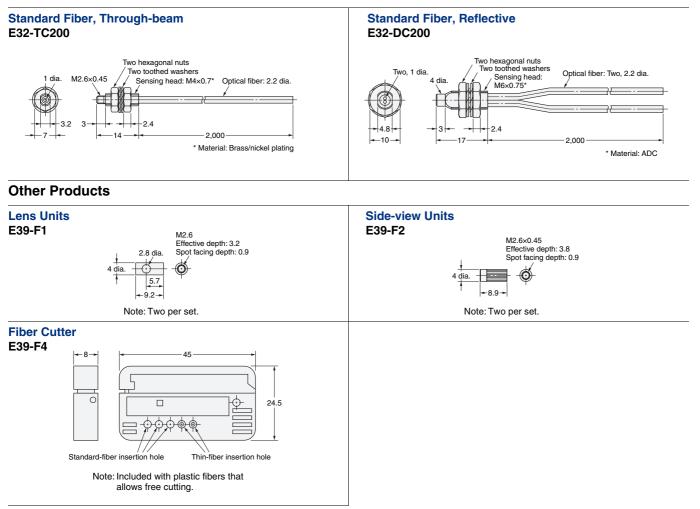
Unless otherwise specified, the tolerance class IT16 is used for dimensions in this data sheet.

#### Sensors

EE-SPZ301 EE-SPZ401



#### **Fiber Units**



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