E-Series EP2 IO-Link
Magnetostrictive Linear Position Sensors

- Flexible mounting
- Position and velocity measurements with multiple magnets
- Flat & compact
**MEASURING TECHNOLOGY**

The absolute, linear position sensors provided by Temposonics rely on the company’s proprietary magnetostrictive technology, which can determine position with a high level of precision and robustness. Each Temposonics position sensor consists of a ferromagnetic waveguide, a position magnet, a strain pulse converter and a supporting electronics. The magnet, connected to the object in motion in the application, generates a magnetic field at its location on the waveguide. A short current pulse is applied to the waveguide. This creates a momentary radial magnetic field and torsional strain on the waveguide. The momentary interaction of the magnetic fields releases a torsional strain pulse that propagates the length of the waveguide. When the ultrasonic wave reaches the beginning of the waveguide it is converted into an electrical signal. Since the speed of the ultrasonic wave in the waveguide is precisely known, the time required to receive the return signal can be converted into a linear position measurement with both high accuracy and repeatability.

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**E-SERIES EP2 IO-LINK**

The Temposonics® E-Series offers you a compact solution for linear position measurement. It is ideally suited for different applications in the industrial environment. The main advantages of the E-Series EP2 are:

- **Direct measurement of the axis movement**
  The flat profile version EP2 is designed for installation on a machine. This allows you to easily measure the movement of a machine axis directly.

- **Compact design**
  The E-Series sensors are designed to take up very little space. This means that you can also use the sensors well in limited spaces.

- **Reliable performance**
  With their performance, the sensors of the E-Series ensure reliable position measurement. Therefore, the sensors are very well suited for many different applications.

- **Robust and proven**
  The E-Series sensors are designed to be robust. The E-Series has proven in the industrial environment for many years.

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**IO-LINK**

IO-Link is a standardized IO technology (IEC 61131-9) for serial and bidirectional communication between sensor and controller. The E-Series IO-Link is characterized by:

- **IO-Link certified**
  The E-Series with IO-Link V1.1 and COM3 fulfills the IO-Link specification. This is the prerequisite that the sensor works on any IO-Link master.

- **8 positions simultaneously**
  The E-Series IO-Link can detect and report the positions of up to 8 magnets simultaneously.

- **Customize to your requirements**
  You can adjust important parameters at the sensor for the position measurement such as resolution, measuring direction and measuring range according to your requirements.

- **Position, velocity and switch state**
  With up to 4 magnets, the sensor reports not only the position but also the velocity. In addition, a switch state can be transmitted in parallel via the digital output. You can parameterize the switch points and the switch logic.
## TECHNICAL DATA

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<th><strong>Output</strong></th>
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<tr>
<td>Interface</td>
<td>Digital</td>
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<td>Transmission protocol</td>
<td>IO-Link V1.1</td>
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| Data format | Standard single-position measurement: 32 bit signed (position in μm)  
Advanced single-position measurement and multi-position measurement: 8 × 32 bit signed (position in μm, velocity in μm/s) |
| Data transmission rate | COM3 (230.4 kbaud) |
| Process data device – master | Standard single-position measurement: 4 bytes  
Advanced single-position measurement and multi-position measurement: 32 bytes |
| Process data master – device | 0 bytes |
| Measured value | Standard single-position measurement: Position  
Advanced single-position measurement and multi-position measurement: Position and velocity |

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<th><strong>Measurement parameters</strong></th>
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<td>Resolution</td>
<td>5 μm, 10 μm, 20 μm, 50 μm or 100 μm</td>
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| Cycle time | Standard single-position measurement:  
Sensors with stroke length ≤ 1000 mm (≤ 39 in.): 1 ms  
Sensors with stroke length ≥ 1000 mm (≥ 39 in.): 2 ms  
Advanced single-position measurement and multi-position measurement: 4 ms |
| Linearity | Block magnet: ±0.02 % F.S. (minimum ±90 μm) |
| Repeatability | ±0.005 % F.S. (minimum ±20 μm) |

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<td>Operating temperature</td>
<td>−40…+75 °C (−40…+167 °F)</td>
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<td>Humidity</td>
<td>90 % relative humidity, no condensation</td>
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<td>Ingress protection</td>
<td>IP67 (connector correctly fitted)</td>
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<td>Shock test</td>
<td>100 g (single shock), IEC standard 60068-2-27</td>
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<td>Vibration test</td>
<td>8 g/10…2000 Hz, IEC standard 60068-2-6 (resonance frequencies excluded)</td>
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| EMC test | Electromagnetic emission according to EN 61000-6-3  
Electromagnetic immunity according to EN 61000-6-2 |
| Magnet movement velocity | Any |

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<td>Sensor profile</td>
<td>Aluminum</td>
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<td>50…2540 mm (2…100 in.)</td>
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<td>Please consult the technical drawings on page 4 and the operation manual (document number: 551845).</td>
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<td>M12 male connector (4 pin)</td>
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<td>Operating voltage</td>
<td>+24 VDC (±25 %)</td>
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<td>Ripple</td>
<td>≤ 0.28 V&lt;sub&gt;pp&lt;/sub&gt;</td>
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<td>Current consumption</td>
<td>&lt; 50 mA</td>
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<td>Dielectric strength</td>
<td>500 VDC (DC ground to machine ground)</td>
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<td>Up to −30 VDC</td>
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<td>Overvoltage protection</td>
<td>Up to 36 VDC</td>
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1/ Selectable via IO-Link master  
2/ The IP rating IP67 is only valid for the sensors electronics housing, as water and dust can get inside the profile.
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Data Sheet

TECHNICAL DRAWING

EP2

Fig. 2: E-Series EP2 with block magnet

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CONNECTOR WIRING

D44

Signal + power supply

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<th>M12 male connector</th>
<th>Pin</th>
<th>Function</th>
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<td>1</td>
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<td>+24 VDC (-15/+20 %)</td>
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<td>DC Ground (0 V)</td>
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Fig. 3: Connector wiring D44
## FREQUENTLY ORDERED ACCESSORIES

- **Position magnet**
  - Part no. 403 448
  - **Material:** Plastic carrier with hard ferrite magnet
  - **Weight:** Approx. 20 g
  - **Fastening torque for M4 screws:** 1 Nm
  - **Operating temperature:** −40...+75 °C (−40...+167 °F)
  - **Distance to sensor element:** 33 (1.3) mm

- **Cables**
  - **Cable with M12 A-coded female connector (5 pin), straight – pigtail**
    - Part no. 370 673
    - **Material:** PUR jacket; black
    - **Features:** Shielded
    - **Cable length:** 5 m (16.4 ft)
    - **Ingress protection:** IP67 (correctly fitted)
    - **Operating temperature:** −25...+80 °C (−13...+176 °F)

- **Cable with M12 A-coded female connector (5 pin), angled – pigtail**
  - Part no. 370 675
  - **Material:** PUR jacket; black
  - **Features:** Shielded
  - **Cable length:** 5 m (16.4 ft)
  - **Ingress protection:** IP67 (correctly fitted)
  - **Operating temperature:** −25...+80 °C (−13...+176 °F)

- **Mounting clamp**
  - Part no. 403 508
  - **Material:** Stainless steel 1.4301/1.4305 (AISI 304/303)

### NOTICE

- The wiring of the cables is available in the accessories brochure (document no. 551444)

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Controlling design dimensions are in millimeters and measurements in ( ) are in inches
Color of connectors and cable jacket may change. Colors of the cores and technical properties remain unchanged.
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**a** Sensor model
- **E P 2** Smooth profile

**b** Stroke length
- **X X X M** 0050…2540 mm
  - Standard stroke length (mm) Ordering steps
    - 50… 500 mm 25 mm
    - 500…2540 mm 50 mm
  - **X X X X U** 001.0…128.0 in.
    - Standard stroke length (in.) Ordering steps
      - 2… 20 in. 1.0 in.
      - 20…100 in. 2.0 in.

Non-standard stroke lengths are available; must be encoded in 5 mm/0.1 in. increments.

**c** Connection type
- **D 4 4** M12 (4 pin) male connector

**d** Operating voltage
- **1** +24 VDC (±25 %)

**e** Output
- **K** IO-Link

**f** Advanced single-position measurement or multi-position measurement (optional)
- **1 Z 0 X** Number of magnets
  - 01…04 position and velocity (1…4 magnet(s))
  - 01…08 position (1…8 magnet(s))

**NOTICE**
- The number of magnets is limited by the stroke length.
- The minimum allowed distance between magnets (i.e. front face of one to the front face of the next one) is 75 mm (3 in.).
- Use magnets of the same type for multi-position measurement.

**DELRIVERY**
- **Sensor**
- **2 × mounting clamps** up to 1250 mm (50 in.) stroke length +
- **1 × mounting clamps for each 500 mm (20 in.) additional stroke length**
- Accessories have to be ordered separately.

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Manuals, Software & 3D Models available at:
[www.temposonics.com](http://www.temposonics.com)