# **Proximity Sensor with Separate Amplifier Unit for Detection of Non-ferrous Metals with Simple Sensitivity Adjustment**

- Detects aluminum, copper, and other non-ferrous metals.
- Product lineup includes compact, flat Sensor Heads (E2CY-V3A) and models with fluororesin (E2CY-C2AF) for resistance to
- Simple teaching function to easily adjust sensitivity.
- Check sensing excess gain level at a glance on the level indicators.





Be sure to read Safety Precautions on page 5.

# Ordering Information

# Sensors [Refer to *Dimensions* on page 6.]

Appearance		Stable sensing distance		e Model
	M5	1.5		E2CY-X1R5A 3M
Shielded	5.4 dia.		mm	E2CY-C1R5A-1 3M
Silleided	8 dia.	2 n	nm	E2CY-C2A 3M
	Flat	3	mm	E2CY-V3A 3M
	8 dia.	2 m	nm	E2CY-C2AF 3M

# **Amplifier Units**

Output configuration	Model
DC 3-wire NPN open collector	E2CY-T11 2M

Note: The E2CY-C2AF is also available with a 5-m cable. Specify the cable length at the end of the model number (e.g., E2CY-C2AF 5M).

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# **Ratings and Specifications**

#### **Sensors**

Sensor						
Item	Model	E2CY-X1R5A E2CY-C1R5A-1	E2CY-C2A(F)	E2CY-V3A		
Stable sensing distance		0 to 1.5 mm	0 to 2 mm	0 to 3 mm		
Differential travel		10% max. of sensing distance with Amplifier Unit in FINE mode 15% max. of sensing distance with Amplifier Unit in NORM mode				
Detectable object		Non-ferrous metal				
Standard sensing object		Aluminum: 8 × 8	Aluminum: 12 × 12 × 1 mm			
Response frequency *1		40 Hz min. with Amplifier Unit in FINE mode 100 Hz min. with Amplifier Unit in NORM mode				
Ambient tem- perature range		Operating: -10 to 55°C, Storage: -25 to 70°C, (with no icing or condensation)				
Ambient humidity range		Operating/Storage: 35% to 95% (with no condensation)				
Temper- ature influ- ence	–10 to 55°C	±15% max. of sensing dis- tance at 23°C	±10% max. of sensing distance at 23°C	±15% max. of sensing dis- tance at 23°C		
	0 to 40°C	±10% max. of sensing dis- tance at 23°C*2		±10% max. of sensing dis- tance at 23°C		
Vibration resistance		Destruction: 10 to 500 Hz, 2-mm double amplitude or 150 m/s² for 2 hours each in X, Y, and Z directions				
Shock resistance		Destruction: 500 m/s <sup>2</sup> 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions				
Degree of protection		IEC 60529 IP67				
Connection method		Pre-wired Models (High-frequency coaxial cable, Standard cable length: 3 m)				
Cable length compensation		0.5 to 5 m*3				
Weight (packed state)		Approx. 35 g				
	Case	Stainless steel		Zinc die-cast		
Mata	Sens- ing surface	Heat-resistant ABS (E2CY-C2AF: Fluororesin)				
Mate- rials	Cable	Soft PVC (E2CY-C2AF: Fluororesin)				
	Clamp- ing nut	Nickel-plated brass (E2CY-X1R5A only)				
	Toothed washer	Zinc-plated iron (E2CY-X1R5A only)				

<sup>\*1.</sup> The average value when using the DC-switching control output on the

# **Amplifier Units**

Item Model		E2CY-T11		
		2201111		
Power supply voltage (operating voltage range)		12 to 24 VDC (10 to 30 VDC), ripple (p-p): 10% max.		
Current consumption		40 mA max.		
Sensing tance a ment ra	djust-	10% max. of stable sensing distance		
Adjustn		Teaching		
Load cur- rent		NPN open collector, 100 mA max. (30 VDC max.)		
trol output	Resid- ual volt- age	1 V max. (Load current: 100 mA, Cable length: 2 m)		
Self-dia tic outp		NPN open collector, 100 mA max. (30 VDC max.)		
Operati mode	on	Changed with NO/NC switch.		
Protecti circuits	-	Reverse polarity protection, Load short-circuit protection, Surge suppressor (control and diagnostic outputs)		
Teachir tion mo		Orange and green indicators (Also used for operation and excess gain level indicators.)		
Indicators		Operation indicator: Orange Excess gain level indicators: Green with sensing object approaching Orange with sensing object not approaching Fine-tuning indicator: Green		
Ambient tem- perature range		Operating: -10 to 55°C, Storage: -25 to 70°C, (with no icing or condensation)		
Ambient humidity range		Operating/Storage: 35% to 85% (with no condensation)		
Temperature influence		±10% max. of sensing distance at 23°C in the temperature range of -10 to 55°C		
Voltage influence		$\pm 1\%$ max. of sensing distance in the rated voltage range $\pm 10\%$		
Insulati resistar		$50~\text{M}\Omega$ min. (at 500 VDC) between current-carrying parts and case		
Dielectr strengtl		1,000 VAC, 50/60 Hz for 1 min between current- carrying parts and case		
Vibration resistance		Destruction: 10 to 150 Hz, 1.5-mm double amplitude or 100 m/s² for 2 hours each in X, Y, and Z directions		
Shock resistance		Destruction: 300 m/s <sup>2</sup> 3 times each in X, Y, and Z directions		
Degree of protection		IEC 60529 IP50 (with Sensor cable connected and protective cover attached)		
Connection method		Pre-wired Models (Standard cable length: 2 m)		
Cable length compensation		0.5 to 5 m for cable extension of free-cut length		
Weight (packed	l state)	Approx. 75 g		
Mate-	Case	РВТ		
rials	Cover	Polycarbonate		
Access	ories	Mounting Bracket, instruction manual		

Amplifier Unit.

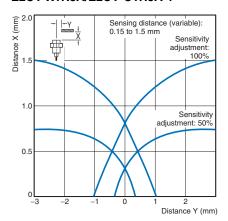
Measurement conditions are as follows: standard sensing object, a distance of twice the standard sensing object, and a set distance of half the stable

sensing distance. \*2. E2CY-C1R5A-1:  $\pm$ 15% max. of sensing distance at 23°C \*3. When extending the cable, use a 1.5D-2V (equivalent to JIS C 3501) cable with characteristic impedance of 50  $\Omega$ .

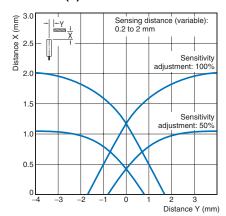
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# Sensing area

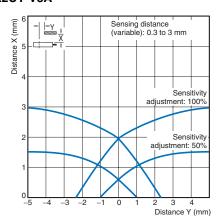
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# E2CY-C2A(F)

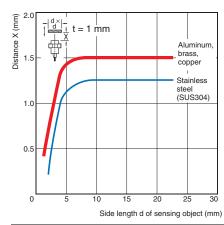


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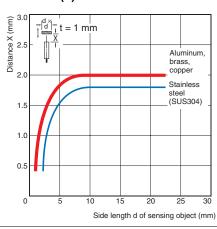


### **Influence of Sensing Object Size and Material**

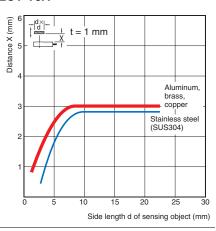
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E2CY-C2A(F)

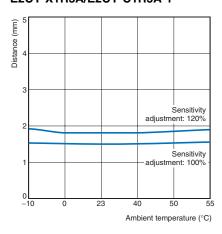


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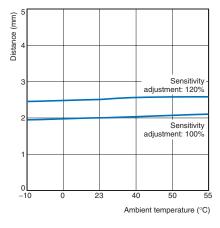


#### **Temperature influence**

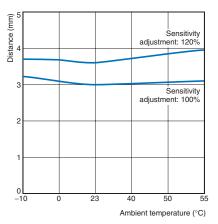
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E2CY-C2A(F)

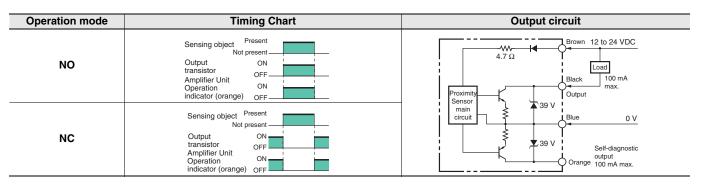


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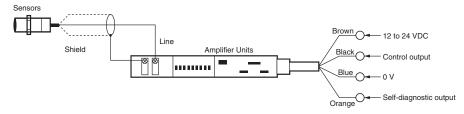


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# I/O Circuit Diagrams

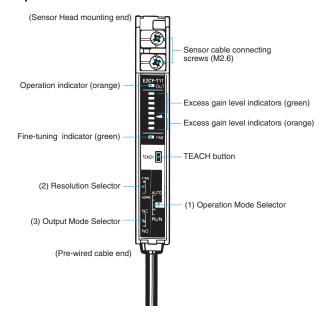


# Connection



# **Nomenclature**

#### **Amplifier Units**



#### (1) Operation Mode Selector

AUTO Mode: The sensitivity is automatically adjusted within a range

of approximately 80% to 110% of the rated sensing distance. Except for the E2CY-C1R5A-1, which is adjusted within approximately 60% to 110% of the

rated sensing distance.

T Mode: This mode is used when adjusting the sensitivity of the

Sensor

(The output transistor does not operate in this mode.)

RUN Mode: This mode is used for the normal operation of the

Sensor.

# (2) Resolution Selector

If the E2CY often has a teaching error when detecting fine differences, set the resolution selector to FINE. The response speed will drop but improvement in the sensing precision of the E2CY can be expected.

# (3) Output Mode Selector

Used to select the transistor mode of the NPN open-collector output. NO: Normally open output (Output transistor will turn ON if a sensing object is present.)

NC: Normally closed output (Output transistor will turn ON if a sensing object is not present.)

# **Indicators**

### Operation Indicator (Orange)

The operating indicator will turn ON when the control output is ON. Excess Gain Level Indicators (Green and Orange)

The excess gain level indicators will be ON according to the distance of the sensing object as shown at the right.

### **Excess Gain Level Indicators**



- \*1. All indicators will be ON if the sensing object is at a position of approximately 80% of the preset sensing distance.
- \*2. All indicators will be OFF if the sensing object is at a position of approximately 110% of the reset distance.

# **Safety Precautions**

# Refer to Warranty and Limitations of Liability.



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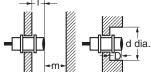
### **Precautions for Correct Use**

Do not use the Encoder under ambient conditions that exceed the ratings.

# Design

#### **Influence of Surrounding Metal**

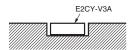
When mounting the Sensor within a metal panel, ensure that the clearances given in the following table are maintained. Failure to maintain these distances may cause deterioration in the performance of the Sensor.



#### Influence of Surrounding Metal (Unit: mm)

Model Item	n I	d	D	m
E2CY-X1R5A		5	0	9
E2CY-C1R5A-1		5.4		
E2CY-C2A(F)		8		15
E2CY-V3A		12		18

The E2CY-V3A can be embedded in metal with the sensing surface at the same level as the metal surface.

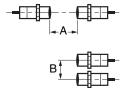


#### **Mutual Interference**

When installing Sensors face-to-face or side-by-side, ensure that the minimum distances given in the following table are maintained.

#### Mutual Interference (Unit: mm)

Model	Item	Α	В
E2CY-X1R5A E2CY-C1R5A-1		20	15
E2CY-C2A(F)			
E2CY-V3A		30	12



# Effects of a High-frequency Electromagnetic Field

If the Sensor is located near a device that generates high frequencies or a transceiver, it may be affected by such a device and malfunctions may occur.

#### Mounting

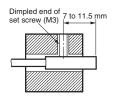
Do not use excessive force when tightening the nuts on the E2CY A toothed washer must be used with the nut.



Model	Torque
E2CY-X1R5A	1 N·m

Note: The above leeways in tighten torque assume that a toothed washer is being

Mounting Unthreaded Cylindrical Models
 When using a set screw, tighten it to a torque of 0.2 N·m max.



#### Adjustment

#### **Power ON**

The Sensor is ready to sense an object within 50 ms after turning the power ON.

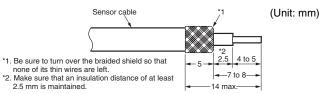
If the load and Sensor are connected to different power supplies, always turn ON the Sensor power first.

#### **Teaching**

Make sure that the Sensor is in operating condition before making sensitivity adjustments.

#### **Processing the Sensor Cable Ends**

When cutting or extending the cable, the end of the Sensor cable connected to the E2CY- $\square$  must be processed as shown in the following illustration.



# Self-diagnostic Function

The self-diagnostic output transistor will turn ON in the following cases.

# (1)Sensor Open Circuit:

Output will turn ON 105 ms after the Sensor circuit opens.

# (2)Sensor Short Circuit:

Output will turn ON 105 ms after the Sensor circuit shorts.

#### (3)Control Output Short Circuit:

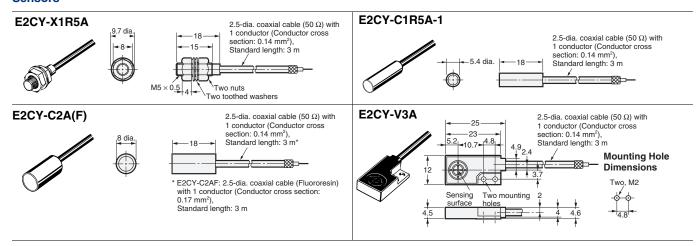
Output will turn ON when both ends of the control output (load) are shorted and an overcurrent flows.

# (4)Internal Memory Error:

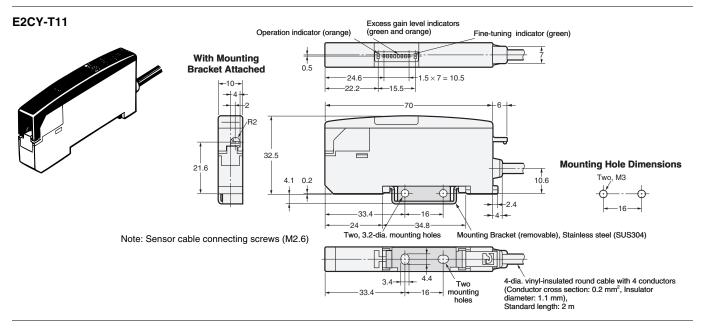
Output will turn ON when the teaching conditions cannot be recorded in internal memory when power is turned ON in RUN or TEACH mode.

# **Dimensions**

#### **Sensors**



### **Amplifier Units**



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