



## Model Number

NCB4-12GM40-N0

## Features

- 4 mm flush
- Usable up to SIL2 acc. to IEC 61508

## Accessories

### BF 12

Mounting flange, 12 mm

## Technical Data

### General specifications

Switching element function	NAMUR, NC
Rated operating distance	$s_n$ 4 mm
Installation	flush
Output polarity	NAMUR
Assured operating distance	$s_a$ 0 ... 3.24 mm
Reduction factor $r_{Al}$	0.41
Reduction factor $r_{Cu}$	0.39
Reduction factor $r_{304}$	0.78

### Nominal ratings

Nominal voltage	$U_o$ 8.2 V ( $R_i$ approx. 1 k $\Omega$ )
Switching frequency	$f$ 0 ... 1500 Hz
Hysteresis	$H$ 1 ... 15 typ. 5 %
Reverse polarity protection	reverse polarity protected
Short-circuit protection	yes
Suitable for 2:1 technology	yes, Reverse polarity protection diode not required
Current consumption	
Measuring plate not detected	$\geq 2.2$ mA
Measuring plate detected	$\leq 1$ mA
Switching state indication	all direction LED, yellow

### Functional safety related parameters

MTTF <sub>d</sub>	3010 a
Mission Time ( $T_M$ )	20 a
Diagnostic Coverage (DC)	0 %

### Ambient conditions

Ambient temperature	-25 ... 100 °C (-13 ... 212 °F)
Storage temperature	-40 ... 100 °C (-40 ... 212 °F)

### Mechanical specifications

Connection type	cable PVC, 2 m
Core cross-section	0.34 mm <sup>2</sup>
Housing material	Stainless steel 1.4305 / AISI 303
Sensing face	PBT
Protection degree	IP67

### General information

Scope of delivery	2 self locking nuts in scope of delivery
Use in the hazardous area	see instruction manuals
Category	1G; 2G; 3G

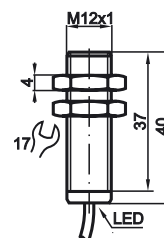
### Compliance with standards and directives

Standard conformity	
NAMUR	EN 60947-5-6:2000 IEC 60947-5-6:1999
Electromagnetic compatibility	NE 21:2007
Standards	EN 60947-5-2:2007 IEC 60947-5-2:2007

### Approvals and certificates

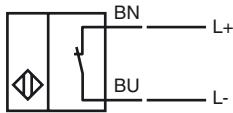
FM approval	
Control drawing	116-0165F
UL approval	cULus Listed, General Purpose
CSA approval	cCSAus Listed, General Purpose
CCC approval	CCC approval / marking not required for products rated $\leq 36$ V

## Dimensions





## Electrical Connection



**ATEX 1G**

Instruction

Device category 1G

EC-Type Examination Certificate

CE marking

ATEX marking

Directive conformity

Standards

Appropriate type

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$ Effective internal inductance  $L_i$ 

Cable length

Explosion group IIA

Explosion group IIB

Explosion group IIC

General

Ambient temperature

Installation, Commissioning

Maintenance

**Specific conditions**

Protection from mechanical danger

Electrostatic charging

**Manual electrical apparatus for hazardous areas**

for use in hazardous areas with gas, vapour and mist

PTB 00 ATEX 2048 X

CE 0102

Ex II 1G Ex ia IIC T6 Ga

94/9/EG

EN 60079-0:2009, EN 60079-11:2007, EN 60079-26:2007

Ignition protection "Intrinsic safety"

Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

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 $\leq 120 \text{ nF}$  ; a cable length of 10 m is considered. $\leq 50 \text{ }\mu\text{H}$  ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

Dangerous electrostatic charges on the fixed connection cable must be taken into account for lengths equal to and exceeding the following values:

100 cm

50 cm

8 cm

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual.

The EC-Type Examination Certificate has to be observed. The special conditions must be adhered to!

Directive 94/9/EG and hence also EC-Type Examination Certificates apply in general only to the use of electrical apparatus under atmospheric conditions.

The use in ambient temperatures of  $> 60 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  was tested with regard to hot surfaces by the mentioned certification authority.

If the equipment is not used under atmospheric conditions, a reduction of the permissible minimum ignition energies may have to be taken into consideration.

The temperature ranges, according to temperature class, are given in the EC-Type Examination Certificate. Note: Use the temperature table for category 1 !!! The 20 % reduction in accordance with EN 1127-1:2007 has already been accounted for in the temperature table for category 1.

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed.

The intrinsic safety is only assured in connection with an appropriate related apparatus and according to the proof of intrinsic safety.

The associated apparatus must satisfy the requirements of category ia.

Due to the possible danger of ignition, which can arise due to faults and/or transient currents in the equipotential bonding system, galvanic isolation of the power supply and signal circuit is preferable. Associated apparatus without electrical isolation must only be used if the appropriate requirements of IEC 60079-14 are met.

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas. Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

When used in the temperature range below  $-20 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$  the sensor should be protected from knocks by the provision of an additional housing.

Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.

## ATEX 2G

Instruction

### Device category 2G

EC-Type Examination Certificate

CE marking

ATEX marking

Directive conformity

Standards

Appropriate type

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$

Effective internal inductance  $L_i$

General

Ambient temperature

Installation, Commissioning

Maintenance

### Specific conditions

Protection from mechanical danger

Electrostatic charging

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EN 60079-0:2009, EN 60079-11:2007

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Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

NCB4-12GM...-N0...

$\leq 120$  nF ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

$\leq 50$   $\mu$ H ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual. The EC-Type Examination Certificate has to be observed. The special conditions must be adhered to!

Directive 94/9/EG and hence also EC-Type Examination Certificates apply in general only to the use of electrical apparatus under atmospheric conditions.

The use in ambient temperatures of  $> 60$  °C was tested with regard to hot surfaces by the mentioned certification authority.

If the equipment is not used under atmospheric conditions, a reduction of the permissible minimum ignition energies may have to be taken into consideration.

The temperature ranges, according to temperature class, are given in the EC-Type Examination Certificate.

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed. The intrinsic safety is only assured in connection with an appropriate related apparatus and according to the proof of intrinsic safety.

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas.

Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

When used in the temperature range below  $-20$  °C the sensor should be protected from knocks by the provision of an additional housing.

Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.

**ATEX 3G (nL)**

## Note

This instruction is only valid for products according to EN 60079-15:2003, valid until 31-May-2008

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for use in hazardous areas with gas, vapour and mist

## CE marking

CE 0102

## ATEX marking

II 3G EEx nL IIC T6 X

## Directive conformity

94/9/EG

## Standard conformity

EN 60079-15:2003 Ignition protection category "n"  
Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$ 

$\leq 120 \text{ nF}$  ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

Effective internal inductance  $L_i$ 

$\leq 50 \text{ }\mu\text{H}$  ; A cable length of 10 m is considered.

## General

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual. The data stated in the data sheet are restricted by this operating instruction!  
The special conditions must be observed!

## Installation, Commissioning

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed. The sensor must only be operated with an energy-limited circuit, which satisfies the requirements of IEC 60079-15. The explosion group complies with the connected, supplying, power limiting circuit.

## Maintenance

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas. Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

**Specific conditions**

Maximum permissible ambient temperature  $T_{Umax}$  at  $U_i = 20 \text{ V}$

for  $P_i=34 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=25 \text{ mA}$ , T6

74 °C (165.2 °F)

for  $P_i=34 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=25 \text{ mA}$ , T5

89 °C (192.2 °F)

for  $P_i=34 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=25 \text{ mA}$ , T4-T1

100 °C (212 °F)

for  $P_i=64 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=25 \text{ mA}$ , T6

69 °C (156.2 °F)

for  $P_i=64 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=25 \text{ mA}$ , T5

84 °C (183.2 °F)

for  $P_i=64 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=25 \text{ mA}$ , T4-T1

100 °C (212 °F)

for  $P_i=169 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=52 \text{ mA}$ , T6

51 °C (123.8 °F)

for  $P_i=169 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=52 \text{ mA}$ , T5

66 °C (150.8 °F)

for  $P_i=169 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=52 \text{ mA}$ , T4-T1

74 °C (165.2 °F)

for  $P_i=242 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=76 \text{ mA}$ , T6

39 °C (102.2 °F)

for  $P_i=242 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=76 \text{ mA}$ , T5

52 °C (125.6 °F)

for  $P_i=242 \text{ mW}$ ,  $I_i=76 \text{ mA}$ , T4-T1

52 °C (125.6 °F)

## Protection from mechanical danger

The sensor must not be mechanically damaged.  
When used in the temperature range below -20 °C the sensor should be protected from knocks by the provision of an additional housing.

## Electrostatic charging

Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.

## Connection parts

The connection parts are to be installed, such that a minimum protection class of IP20 is achieved, in accordance with IEC 60529.

**ATEX 3G (ic)**

Instruction

**Device category 3G (ic)**

CE marking

ATEX marking

Directive conformity

Standards

Effective internal capacitance  $C_i$

Effective internal inductance  $L_i$

General

Installation, Commissioning

Maintenance

**Specific conditions**

Maximum permissible ambient temperature  $T_{Umax}$  at  $U_i = 20 V$

for  $P_i=34 mW$ ,  $I_i=25 mA$ , T6

for  $P_i=34 mW$ ,  $I_i=25 mA$ , T5

for  $P_i=34 mW$ ,  $I_i=25 mA$ , T4-T1

for  $P_i=64 mW$ ,  $I_i=25 mA$ , T6

for  $P_i=64 mW$ ,  $I_i=25 mA$ , T5

for  $P_i=64 mW$ ,  $I_i=25 mA$ , T4-T1

for  $P_i=169 mW$ ,  $I_i=52 mA$ , T6

for  $P_i=169 mW$ ,  $I_i=52 mA$ , T5

for  $P_i=169 mW$ ,  $I_i=52 mA$ , T4-T1

for  $P_i=242 mW$ ,  $I_i=76 mA$ , T6

for  $P_i=242 mW$ ,  $I_i=76 mA$ , T5

for  $P_i=242 mW$ ,  $I_i=76 mA$ , T4-T1

Protection from mechanical danger

Electrostatic charging

Connection parts

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for use in hazardous areas with gas, vapour and mist

CE 0102

Ex II 3G Ex ic IIC T6 Gc X

94/9/EG

EN 60079-0:2009, EN 60079-11:2007 Ignition protection category "ic"

Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

$\leq 120 nF$  ; a cable length of 10 m is considered.

$\leq 50 \mu H$  ; A cable length of 10 m is considered.

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual. The data stated in the data sheet are restricted by this operating instruction!

The special conditions must be observed!

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed. The sensor must only be operated with energy-limited circuits, which satisfy the requirements of IEC 60079-11. The explosion group complies with the connected, supplying, power limiting circuit.

No changes can be made to apparatus, which are operated in hazardous areas.

Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

74 °C (165.2 °F)

89 °C (192.2 °F)

100 °C (212 °F)

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The sensor must not be mechanically damaged.

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Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.

The connection parts are to be installed, such that a minimum protection class of IP20 is achieved, in accordance with IEC 60529.

**ATEX 3D**

## Note

**This instruction is only valid for products according to EN 50281-1-1, valid until 30-September-2008**

Note the ex-marking on the sensor or on the enclosed adhesive label

**Instruction**

**Manual electrical apparatus for hazardous areas**

**Device category 3D**

for use in hazardous areas with non-conducting combustible dust

## CE marking

CE 0102

## ATEX marking

Ex II 3D IP67 T 111 °C (231.8 °F) X

## Directive conformity

94/9/EG

## Standards

EN 50281-1-1

Protection via housing

Use is restricted to the following stated conditions

## General

The apparatus has to be operated according to the appropriate data in the data sheet and in this instruction manual.

The data stated in the data sheet are restricted by this operating instruction! The special conditions must be adhered to!

## Installation, Commissioning

Laws and/or regulations and standards governing the use or intended usage goal must be observed.

## Maintenance

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Repairs to these apparatus are not possible.

**Specific conditions**

Minimum series resistance  $R_V$

A minimum series resistance  $R_V$  is to be provided between the power supply voltage and the proximity switch in accordance with the following list. This can also be assured by using a switch amplifier.

Maximum operating voltage  $U_{Bmax}$

The maximum permissible operating voltage  $U_{Bmax}$  must be restricted to the values given in the following list. Tolerances are not permitted.

Maximum heating (Temperature rise)

Values can be obtained from the following list, depending on the max. operating voltage  $U_{Bmax}$  and the minimum series resistance  $R_V$ .

at  $U_{Bmax}=9\text{ V}$ ,  $R_V=562\ \Omega$

11 K

using an amplifier in accordance with

11 K

EN 60947-5-6

Protection from mechanical danger

The sensor must not be mechanically damaged.

Protection of the connection cable

The connection cable must be prevented from being subjected to tension and torsional loading.

Electrostatic charging

Electrostatic charges must be avoided on the mechanical housing components. Dangerous electrostatic charges on the mechanical housing components can be avoided by incorporating these in the equipotential bonding.