Optical Distance Sensors

rotoScan ROD4 plus

A Leuze electronic



- Measurement data transmission via Fast Ethernet 100MBit/s
- Measurement data transmission via RS 232/422 serial interface
- Measurement data reduction, measurement data processing, measurement data filtering and determination of extreme values in the interface box
- 2 device versions ROD4-5... plus: scanning rate of 50Hz, for object measurement ROD4(-08) plus: scanning rate of 25Hz, for object detection and object measurement
- Service interface for configuration
- ROD4(-08) plus: 7 storable and reversible detection fields for object detection
- ROD4-...8 plus with heating, dustinsensitive version.
- Software

RODplussoft: Configuring measurement applications

RODsoft: Configuring detection fields



Accessories:

(available separately)

- Mounting system
- Configuration software RODplussoft and RODsoft (free download from www.leuze.de)

Various connection cables

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Dimensioned drawing







Measurement principle



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Notices

Approved purpose:

The distance sensors are optical electronic sensors for optical, contactless detection of objects.

This product may only be used by qualified personnel and must only be used for the approved purpose. This sensor is not a safety sensor and is not to be used for the protection of persons.

"RODplussoft" configuration software

The configuration software runs under Windows 2000/ XP and offers the following features:

- Configuration of Ethernet and serial interface
- Configuration of up to 12 measurement segments
- Visualization of measurement values



- A Configuration of the data transmission in the "Configuration" tab
- B Definition of measurement segments in the "Toolbox"
- Graphical display of the measurement values of the measurement segments in various colors
- Transfer of measurement values in XY coordinates or polar coordinates.

Configuration software "RODsoft"

(for ROD4(-08) plus only)

- Definition of the detection fields
- Configuration of the scanner parameters
- Visualization of the detection fields and measurement values
- Display of status/ diagnostic information
- Support of various languages

Specifications Optical data Measurement range ROD4(-50) plus: 0 ... 65m ROD4-...8 plus: 0 ... 25m Radius of detection field¹⁾ Angular range Angular resolution 0.36° ROD4-5... plus: 50 scans/s or 20ms/scan ROD4(-08) plus: 25 scans/s or 40ms/scan Scanning rate infrared laser diode, wavelength = 905 nm, P_{max} = pulse duration: 3ns, average output power: $12\,\mu W$ Transmitter = 15W, Object measurement - ROD4(-08) plus and ROD4-5... plus from min. 1.8% (matte black) ROD4-...8 plus from 6% (dark grey) Reflectivity > 20mm at distance of 4m Object size > 100mm at distance of 15m ROD4-5... plus: at least 20ms (corresponds to 1 scan) ROD4(-08) plus: at least 40ms (corresponds to 1 scan) 4x +24VDC Response time Switching inputs (FPS1 ... 4 at Y1 for switching between detection fields) additional restart input at Y1 and interface box Switching outputs 4x PNP transistor outputs 24V/250mA (Alarm, Warn, Near field 1, Near field 2) Measurement value resolution per 5mm sector Repeatability²⁾ ROD4(-50) plus: ± 15mm ROD4-...8 plus: ± 20mm **Object detection - ROD4(-08) plus** from min. 1.8% (matte black) Reflectivity ROD4-08 plus from 6 % (dark grey) Object size > 20mm at distance of 4m 100mm at distance of 15m Response time at least 40ms (corresponds to 1 scan) Number of detection field pairs 7 (selectable via switching inputs) $4\dot{x} + 24VDC$ Switching inputs (FPS1 ... 4 at Y1 for switching between detection fields) additional restart input at Y1 and interface box Switching outputs 4x PNP transistor outputs 24V/250mA (Alarm, Warn, Near field 1, Near field 2) **Electrical data** Voltage supply 3) +24VDC +20% / -30% Overcurrent protection fuse 2.5A (4A with heating) semi time-lag in the switch cabinet Current consumption approx. 1A (use power supply with 2.5A), approx. 4A with heating < 75W at 24V including the outputs overvoltage protection with protected limit stop Power consumption Overvoltage protection Mechanical data Housing diecast aluminum, plastic 2.3kg Weiaht 4 connectors (can be plugged from above) Connection type **Environmental data** -0°C ... +50°C/-20°C ... +50°C -20°C ... +50°C/-20°C ... +50°C (ROD4-...8 plus) III, protective extra-low voltage IP 65 Ambient temp. (operation/storage) VDE safety class Protection class Laser class 1 (acc. to EN 60825-1 and 21 CFR 1040.10 with Laser Notice No. 50) IEC 60947-5-2, UL 508 Standards applied only applies for ROD4(-08) plus 1) 10 ... 90% diffuse reflection, at operating range of 4m 2) Protective Extra Low Voltage (PELV) - protective extra-low voltage with reliable disconnection. 3) For UL applications: only for use in class 2 circuits according to NEC.

Order guide

-	Designation	Part No.				
For object detection / object measurement, scanning rate 25 scans/s						
	ROD4 plus	50106481				
With heating/dust-insensitive	ROD4-08 plus	50106480				
For object measurement, scanning rate 50 scans/s						
	ROD4-50 plus	50113226				
With heating/dust-insensitive	ROD4-58 plus	50113225				
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Electrical connection - Assignment connector









Installing the software RODplussoft

The **RODplussoft** configuration software is used for configuring the interfaces and the measurement functions of the ROD4... plus.

The **RODplussoft** configuration software can be found on the supplied CD. To install, follow the instructions in the respective readme files, which can likewise be found on the supplied CD.

You can also download the respective, latest version of RODplussoft from www.leuze.com:

Download -> Detect -> Measuring sensors.

Unzip the ZIP file supplied into a suitable folder on your hard disk.

Start the installation by double-clicking on the setup.exe file.

♦ Follow the instructions of the installation routine.

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Before installing RODplussoft, ensure that Microsoft® .NET Framework 2.0 SP1 or later is installed on your computer.

Install the RODsoft software (for ROD4 plus and ROD4-08 plus only)

You have to install the **RODsoft** software only if you wish to create detection fields for optical distance sensors of type ROD4 plus or ROD4-08 plus.

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With ROD4-5... plus sensors, status and diagnostic information can be called up using RODsoft.

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Establish connection to PC

The ROD4... plus is configured via a PC using the RODplussoft program, before it is integrated into the process control.

In order to be able to establish a TCP communication with the PC, the IP address of your PC and the IP address of the ROD4... plus must lie in the same address range. The ROD4... plus has no built-in DHCP client, so that you need to set the address manually. This is done the easiest way via the PC.

The ROD4... plus is set ex works as follows:

IP address: 192.168.060.003

Subnet mask: 255.255.255.0

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If you are using a desktop firewall, please ensure that the control can communicate with the ROD4... plus via the Ethernet interface on ports 9008 and using TCP. Furthermore, the firewall must allow ICMP echo messages to pass through for the connection test (ping).

If the PC is usually connected to a network using DHCP address allocation, the easiest way to access the ROD4... plus is by applying an alternative configuration in the TCP/IP settings of the PC and connecting the ROD4... plus directly to the PC.

According to the default setting of 255.255.255.0 for the subnet mask, the IP address of the PC must lie then in the range 192.168.060.0 to 192.168.060.255 (e.g., 192.168.060.110, but not 192.168.060.003!), so that ROD4... plus and PC can communicate with each other. If ROD4... plus and PC have the same IP address, they cannot communicate with each other.

Configuring the IP address for a PC

- ♦ Log in to your PC as an administrator.
- & Using Start->System control go to the Network connections (Windows XP) menu or to the Network center and release center (Windows Vista) menu.
- Solution State Connection and bring up the associated Features page by right clicking with the mouse.
- Select the Internet Protocol (TCP/IP) (by scrolling down, if necessary) and click on Properties.
- % In the Internet protocol (TCP/IP) Properties window select the Alternate configuration tab.
- Set the IP address of the PC in the address range of the ROD4... plus.

Attention: Not the same as for the ROD4... plus!

- ♦ Set the Subnet_mask of the PC to the same value as the one for the ROD4... plus.
- Sclose the configuration dialog by confirming all windows using OK.
- Connect the Y2 interface of the ROD4... plus directly to the LAN port of your PC. Use a KB ET-...-SA-RJ45 cable for the connection.



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Commissioning

Switch on the supply voltage of the ROD4... plus.

Start the software **RODplussoft**.

The PC first tries to establish via Ethernet a network connection via the automatic configuration. This takes a few seconds, after which the alternate configuration, which you just set, is activated. The PC can then communicate via Ethernet with the ROD4... plus.

Further information about configuring the ROD4... plus using **RODplussoft** software can be found in the Technical Description and Software and Protocol Description.

For the commissioning and integration of the sensor in the process control the following steps are necessary:

- 1. Configure the ROD4... plus see chapter 6 of the Technical Description.
- 2. Configure, if necessary, detection fields with the RODsoft configuration software (Configuration -> Start RODsoft... menu item) (for ROD4 plus and ROD4-08 plus only!). See Configuring detection fields section.
- 3. Program process control.
- 4. Connect the switching inputs and outputs accordingly see chapter 5 of the Technical Description.
- 5. Adapt the IP configuration of the ROD4... plus such that it can communicate with the process control. This occurs in **ROD-plussoft** in the Communication tab. Here you can change the network address and the corresponding net mask, via which the ROD4... plus communicates with the process control.

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Interface for Proce	ss Data: V2			
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Subnet Mask:				
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6.Save the changed settings in the ROD4... plus using the Configuration -> Transmit to ROD4plus menu item. 7.Connect ROD4... plus to process control via the Ethernet interface Y2.

Configure the detection fields (for ROD4 plus and ROD4-08 plus only)

Commissioning procedure:

Sconnect the PC via the KB-ROD4plus... cable at the connection Y3 - Service to the ROD4(-08) plus.

SFrom RODplussoft start the RODsoft configuration software via the Start RODsoft... menu item.

Senter the password "ROD4LE" in the level "Authorized User".

The detection field can be displayed under "Display measurement contour". Under "ROD4 configuration" the response times, the detection field switches and other parameters are defined. To configure the detection fields, select the "Define detection areas" field. Error codes and other information are contained in the ROD4 system data.

A detailed description can be found in the user manual for the RODsoft configuration software.

