

Magnetic rotary angle and position sensor-control.

Contactless sensor. MTS-360



The MTS-360 provides a true breakthrough in contactless sensor technology by combining a through-shaft design with 360° absolute position feedback in an ultra miniature size. The result is the smallest fully featured rotary sensor on the market with reliability up to 50 million cycles.

With its tiny size of only 6mm x 17mm x 18mm (HxWxL), engineers can now integrate a fully featured rotary sensor directly on their PCB without the packaging issues that typically accompany encoders or other absolute position devices. The exceptionally low profile fits easily in places that were previously too small for pre-packaged rotary sensors.

This ultra-miniature MTS-360 Rotary Position Sensor is ideal in optical imaging stabilization and precision biomedical devices, optical zoom devices, consumer electronics, instrumentation, HVAC systems, automotive control systems, marine controls, fork lift trucks, farm equipment, cranes, low speed motor feedback, valve position sensors and robotic and automation feedback system.

Mechanical specifications

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| Rotational life (depends on application and mounting) | up to 50.000.000 cycles. |
| Operating temperature ¹ | up to -40°C to +125°C |
| Sealing ¹ | IP50 |

Electrical specifications

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| Linearity ^{1,2} | ±1% absolute (±0.5% check availability). |
| Angular range | Programmable from 15 to 360 degrees (without dead band). |
| Output | Analog (Ratiometric), PWM, Serial Protocol. |
| Switch output | Yes, programmable. |
| Angular Resolution (depends on electrical angle and rotational speed) | Analog & PWM: up to 12 bits. Serial Protocol (SPI): up to 14 bits. |
| Supply voltage ¹ | 5V ±10% |
| Supply current | Typ 8.5mA for single version Typ 17mA for redundant version |

¹ Others check availability.

² Ferromagnetic materials close to the sensor (i.e. shaft, mounting surface) may affect the sensor's linearity. Please contact Piher for advise.

Key features

- Simple & Robust magnetic design.
- Endless rotation.
- Programmable switch output.
- Programmable Linear Transfer Characteristic:
(some positive slopes & one negative slope can be programmed in the same transfer characteristic; up to 4 programmable points; see last page)
- Self-diagnostic features
- Over voltage protection and reverse voltage protection.

Also upon request:

- True full redundant version.

Applications

- Non-Contacting long life angle/position sensor.
- Absolute rotary position sensor
- Pedal position Sensor.
- Turn counter.
- Throttle/EGR valve and gear position sensor.
- Height & suspension sensor.
- Non-contacting potentiometer.
- Float-level sensor.
- Motor-shaft position sensor.
- Precision robotics, material handling, industrial equipment, HVAC monitoring & control, etc.

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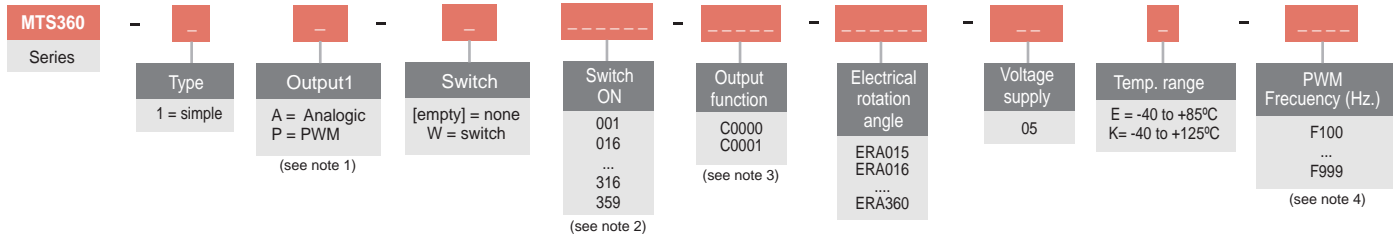
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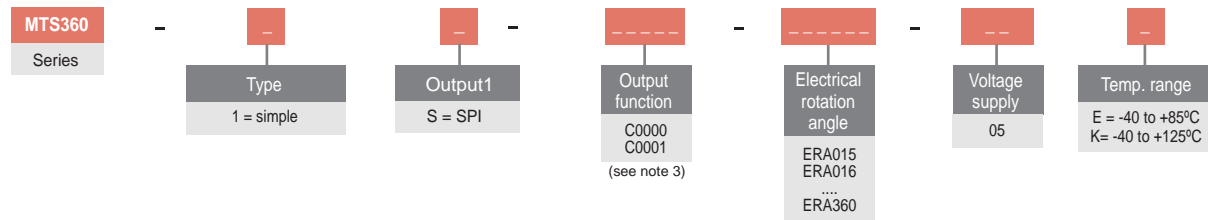
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How to order.

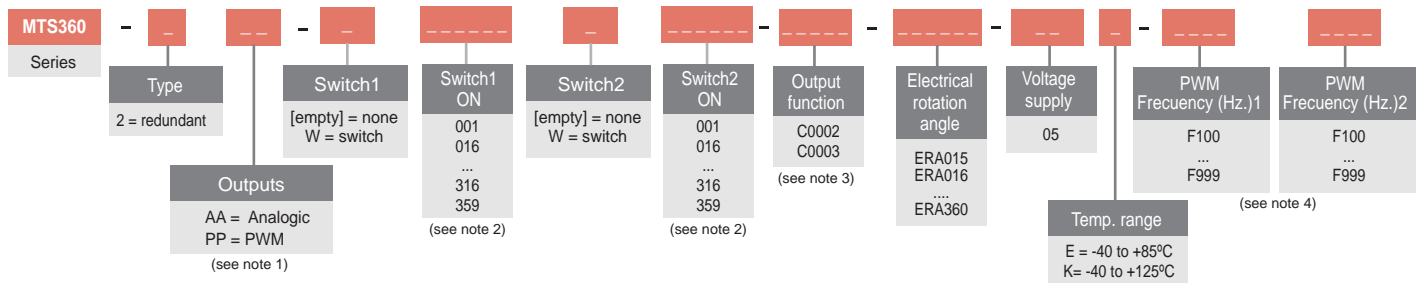
Simple output (analogic / PWM)



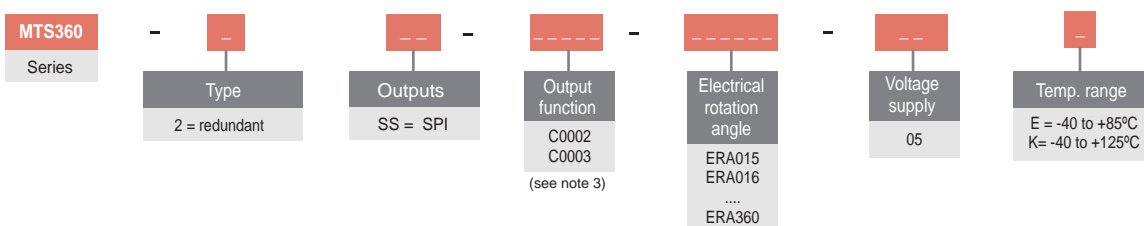
Simple output (SPI)



Redundant output (analogic / PWM)



Redundant output (SPI)



Other product configurations will be studied case by case.

(1) The analog output is a ratiometric output, proportional to input supply voltage.

(2) Leave empty if no applicable.

Switch function diagram:



(3) Other output functions available check availability. In the How To Order reference, enter CXXXX meanwhile the new output function reference is not defined.

(4) Leave empty if no applicable. Default frequency is 200 Hz

Notes

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