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Absolute encoders
AFS/AFM60 SSI

AFM60E-S4AA004096

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Model Name > AFM60E-S4AA004096
Part No. > 1037435



At a glance

- High-resolution absolute encoders with up to 30 bits (AFM60) or up to 18 bits (AFS60)
- Face mount flange, servo flange, blind or through hollow shaft
- SSI, SSI + Incremental or SSI + Sin/Cos interface
- Programmable resolution and offset (dependent on type)
- Connection system: M12, M23 connector or cable outlet
- Enclosure rating: IP 67 (housing), IP 65 (shaft)
- Operating temperature: -30 °C to +100 °C (depends on type)

Your benefits

- Programmability of the encoders means less storage, greater machine availability and easy installation
- Precise positioning due to high resolutions
- Large selection of mechanical interfaces and electrical contacting possibilities: Suitable for all applications
- Suitable for applications with limited space requirements (extremely short installation depth of 30 mm)
- Very good rotation accuracy due to increased bearing distance
- One programming tool and software with automatic encoder detection for AFS60/AFM60/DFS60

Performance

Max. number of steps per revolution:	4,096
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Resolution power:	4,096 x 4,096
Resolution:	12 bit x 12 bit
Error limits:	± 0.2 °
Repeatability (Ta not constant):	0.002 °
Measuring step deviation:	± 0.2 °
Measuring step:	0.09 ° 360 °/number of steps
Initialization time:	50 ms [1]

[1] Valid positional data can be read once this time has elapsed

Mechanical data

Mechanical interface:	Solid shaft with flat, Face mount flange
Shaft diameter:	10 mm

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Mass:	0.26 kg
Start up torque:	0.5 Ncm (+20 °C)
Operating torque:	0.3 Ncm (+20 °C)
Permissible Load capacity of shaft:	40 N (axial), 80 N (radial)
Maximum operating speed:	9,000 /min [1]
Moment of inertia of the rotor:	6.2 gcm²
Bearing lifetime:	3.0 x 10^9 revolutions
Max. angular acceleration:	500,000 rad/s²

[1] Self warming of 3.3 K per 1000 revolutions/min when applying note working temperature range

Electrical data

Power consumption:	0.5 W (without load)
Operating voltage range:	4.5 V DC ... 32 V DC
MTTFd: mean time to dangerous failure:	250 a (EN ISO 13849-1) [1]
Connection type:	Connector M23, 12-pin, radial
Code type:	Gray
Code sequence:	CW/CCW, parameter adjustable
Reverse polarity protection:	1

[1] This product is a standard product and does not constitute a safety component as defined in the Machinery Directive. Calculation based on nominal load of components, average ambient temperature 40°C, frequency of use 8760 h/a. All electronic failures are considered hazardous. For more information, see document no. 8015532.

Interfaces

Electrical interface:	SSI/Gray
Interface signals:	Clock +, Clock -, Data +, Data-
Clock frequency:	1 MHz [1]
SET (electronic adjustment):	H-active (L ≡ 0 - 1,5 V, H ≡ 2,0 - Us V)
CW/CCW (counting sequence when turning):	L-active (L ≡ 0 - 1,5 V, H ≡ 2,0 - Us V)

[1]

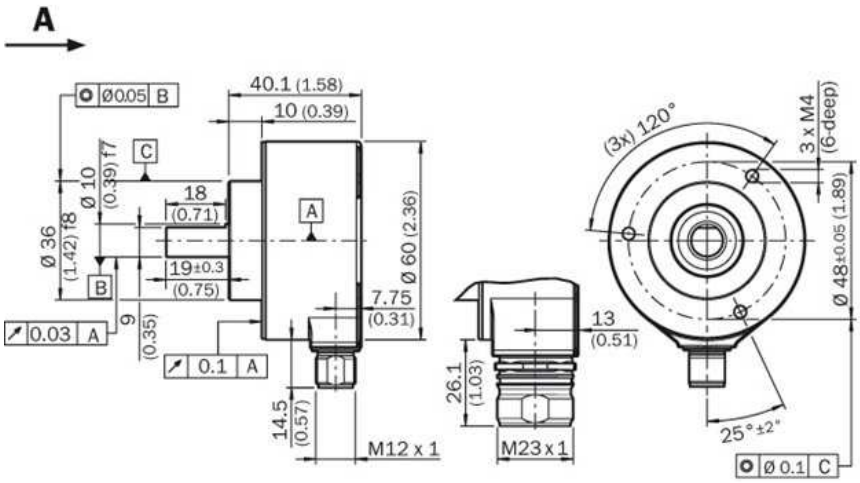
Ambient data

EMC:	(according to EN 61000-6-2 and EN 61000-6-3) [1]
Enclosure rating:	IP 65 (according to IEC 60529), shaft side, IP 67 (according to IEC 60529), housing side [2]
Permissible relative humidity:	90 % (condensation of the optical scanning not permitted)
Working temperature range:	0 °C ... +85 °C
Storage temperature range:	-40 °C ... +100 °C, without package
Resistance to shocks:	50 g, 6 ms (according to EN 60068-2-27)
Resistance to vibration:	20 g, 10 Hz ... 2,000 Hz (according to EN 60068-2-6)

[1] [2] With mating connector fitted

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Dimensional drawing



PIN assignment

Connector M23, 12-pin
SSI/Gray

Pin	Signal	Explanation
1	GND	Ground connection
2	Data+	Interface signals
3	Clock+	Interface signals
4	N. C.	Not connected
5	N. C.	Not connected
6	N. C.	Not connected
7	N. C.	Not connected
8	U_V	Supply voltage
9	SET	Electronic adjustment
10	Data-	Interface signals
11	Clock-	Interface signals
12	CW/CCW	Counting sequence when turning
	Screen	Screen on the encoder side connected to the housing. On the control side connected to earth.

Connector M23, 12-pin and cable outlet, cable 12-core
SSI/Gray + Incremental

Pin	Color wires	Signal	Explanation
1	Red	$+U_V$	Supply voltage
2	Blue	GND	Ground connection
3	Yellow	Clock+	Interface signal
4	White	Data+	Interface signal
5	Orange	SET	Electronic adjustment
6	Brown	Data-	Interface signal
7	Violet	Clock-	Interface signal
8	Black	$\overline{B}$	Signal line
9	Orange/black	CW/CCW	Counting sequence when turning
10	Green	$\overline{A}$	Signal line
11	Gray	A	Signal line
12	Pink	B	Signal line
		Screen	Screen on the encoder side connected to the housing. On the control side connected to earth.

Connector M23, 12-pin and cable outlet, cable 12-core
SSI/Gray + Sin/Cos

Pin	Color wires	Signal	Explanation
1	Red	$+U_V$	Supply voltage
2	Blue	GND	Ground connection
3	Yellow	Clock+	Interface signal
4	White	Data+	Interface signal
5	Orange	SET	Electronic adjustment
6	Brown	Data-	Interface signal
7	Violet	Clock-	Interface signal
8	Black	Sin-	Signal line
9	Orange/black	CW/CCW	Counting sequence when turning
10	Green	Cos-	Signal line
11	Gray	Cos+	Signal line
12	Pink	Sin+	Signal line
		Screen	Screen on the encoder side connected to the housing. On the control side connected to earth.

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Signalausgänge

SSI data format singleturn



Bit 1–18: Position Bits

- LSB: Least significant Bit
- MSB: Most significant Bit

Bit 19–21: Error Bits

- ERRDIG: Failure message about speed. If this failure occurs during the position building procedure it will be indicated by the ERRDIG-Bit.
- ERRSI: Light source monitoring failure.
- ERRSYNC: Contamination of the disc or scanning system. During the determination of the position, an error has occurred since the last SSI transmission. The error bit will be deleted during the next data transmission.

The evaluation of the error bits has to be realized in the PLC.

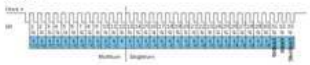
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Example

If the resolution of the absolute encoder is set on 13 bits, 16 bits are provided by the encoder: 13 data bits and 3 error bits.
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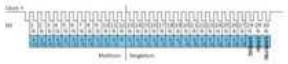
SSI data format multiturn

30 Bits



Bit 1–12: Position Bits multiturn
Bit 13–30: Position Bits singleturn
Bit 31–33: Error Bits

27 Bits



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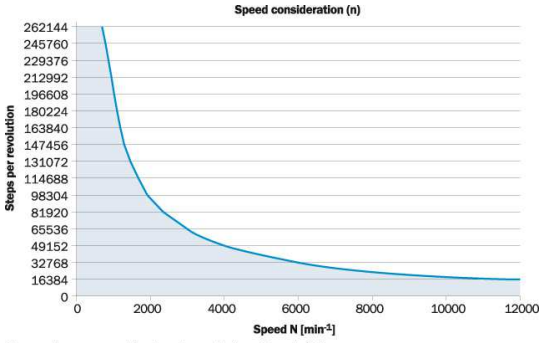
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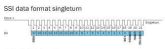
Drehzahlbetrachtung



The maximum speed is also dependent on the shaft type.

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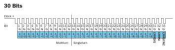
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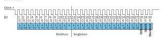
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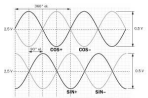
Interfaces

Electrical interfaces sine 0.5 V_{pp}

Power supply	Output
4.5 ... 5.5 V	Sine 0.5 V_{pp}

Signal before differential generation at load 120 Ω at U_V = 5 V

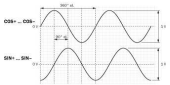
Signal diagram for clockwise rotation of the shaft looking in direction "A" (shaft)



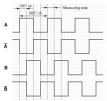
Interface signals Sin, $\overline{Sin}$, Cos, $\overline{Cos}$	Signal before differential generation at load 120 Ω	Signal offset
Analog differential	0.5 V_{pp} ± 20 %	2.5 V ± 10 %

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Incremental pulse diagram for clockwise rotation of the shaft looking in direction "A", see dimensional drawing



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