

MODEL RPGC - SINGLE CHANNEL OUTPUT ROTARY PULSE GENERATOR MODEL LSC - SINGLE CHANNEL OUTPUT LENGTH SENSOR

- VARIOUS PULSE PER REVOLUTION (PPR) RATES
 Up to 200 PPR for fine, high-resolution counting or precision speed measurement from slow shaft speeds.
- UP TO 10 KHz OUTPUT FREQUENCY
- CURRENT SINK OUTPUT
- MODEL LSC AVAILABLE WITH: Single or Dual Ended Shaft
- SEALED PRECISION BALL BEARINGS
- RUGGED CAST ALUMINUM HOUSING



- 3/8" DIA. STAINLESS STEEL SHAFT
- WIDE INPUT SUPPLY VOLTAGE RANGE & LOW CURRENT OPERATION
- EASY INSTALLATION Eliminates air-gap, sensing distance, and beam alignment procedures of other types of sensing.
- IDEAL FOR DUSTY, DIRTY ENVIRONMENTS Where "Non Contact" sensing means are impractical.

DESCRIPTION

The RPGC and LSC are rugged, incremental encoders that convert shaft rotation into a current sinking pulse train.

Internally, a single L.E.D. light source and a photologic sensor in conjunction with a shaft-mounted, durable, metal-etched encoder disc, provides signal accuracy and reliability to 10 KHz. The DC input power supply requirement is a versatile +8 to +35 VDC, and is reverse polarity protected. The NPN Open Collector Transistor Output is current limited to 40 mA and is compatible with most RLC counters, rate indicators, controllers and accessories.

All units are packaged in a rugged cast aluminum housing with a gasketed, rear aluminum cover. The 3/8" (9.53 mm) diameter heavy duty stainless steel shaft and sealed, lifetime-lubricated precision ball bearings are preloaded for minimum end play and rated for continuous use up to 6000 RPM. The RPGC and LSCS are designed to meet NEMA 13/IP54 environmental requirements. All units are supplied with 10 feet (3M) of PVC jacketed 3-wire, 22 AWG cable with stranded shield wire and 100% foil shield coverage. Operating Temperature range is -18°C to +60°C.

MODEL RPGC

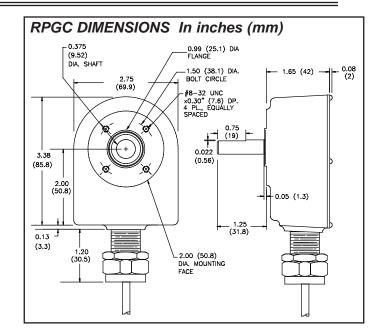
The RPGC can be direct-coupled to a machine shaft by means of a flexible bellows, spring or rubber sleeve type coupler, etc., that allows for axial and radial misalignment. They can also be coupled with instrument timing belts and pulleys or gears. The housing may be rigidly face-mounted with the 4, #8-32 threaded holes. The RPGC's 3-wire shielded cable exits through a cord connector.

MODEL LSC

The LSC is available in both Single Ended Shaft (*LSCS*) and Double Ended Shaft (*LSCD*) versions, both of which include a Stainless Steel Handle Tube for mounting and 10 feet (3.05 M) of 3-wire shielded cable. When mounted to a Length Sensor Hinge Clamp Assembly (*See Model LSAHC001*) and coupled with one or two Measuring Wheels (*See Measuring Wheels*), a low cost, versatile and highly accurate length measurement system can be configured.

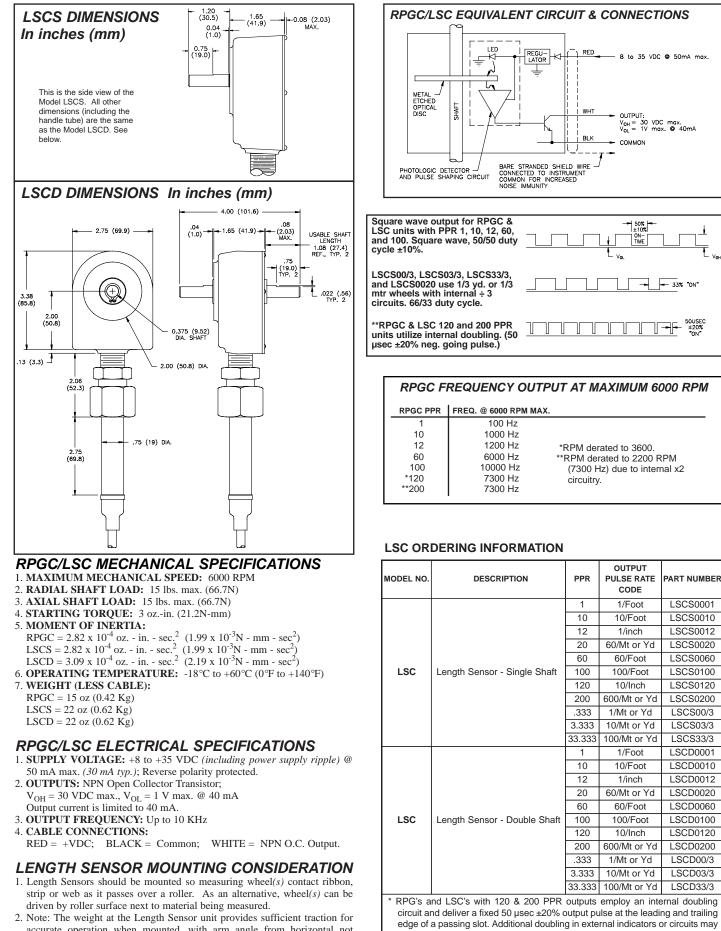
RPGC ORDERING INFORMATION

MODEL NO.	DESCRIPTION	PPR	PART NUMBER	
RPGC	Rotary Pulse Generator	1	RPGC0001	
		10	RPGC0010	
		12	RPGC0012	
		60	RPGC0060	
		100	RPGC0100	
		*120	RPGC0120	
		*200	RPGC0200	
RPGFC	Flexible Coupling (1" Length) 0.250" - 0.375"		RPGFC002	
	Flexible Coupling (1" Length) 0.375" - 0.375"		RPGFC003	
* RPG's and LSC's with 120 and 200 PPR outputs employ an internal doubling circuit and deliver a fixed 50 µsec ±20% output pulse at the leading and trailing edge of a passing slot. Additional doubling in external indicators or circuits may not be applicable. These outputs derated to 7300 Hz due to internal x2 circuitry.				



LENGTH SENSOR MEASUREMENT ACCURACY

Factors which affect measurement accuracy include Measuring Wheel accuracy and wear, and material conditions. Ideally, materials which are hard, thin and strong provide good readings. Conversely, soft, thick and elastic materials can present problems in obtaining true readings. The great majority of these situations, where this effect is consistent, can be compensated for by applying a multiplier to the output pulse train so as to obtain a corrected measurement. Count or Rate Indicators with "*input scaling*" can compensate for Measuring Wheel wear and material elasticity and compliance errors. In addition, English/Metric conversions may also be accomplished (*See RLC catalog for more information*).



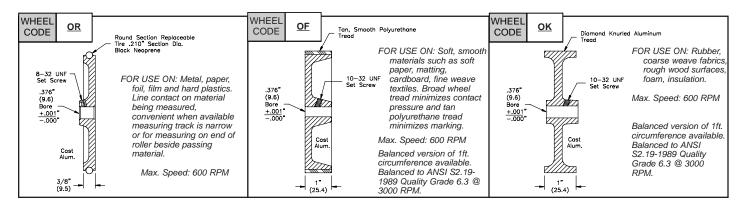
- 2. Note: The weight at the beingth sensor that provides sufficient radiation for accurate operation when mounted, with arm angle from horizontal not exceeding $\pm 30^{\circ}$.
- 3. Tension on signal cable can cause wheel(*s*) to lift. Make sure cable is clamped to machine frame near LSC and allow slack.

Accessories.

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Note: Wheels and mounting brackets sold separately, see Length Sensor

LENGTH SENSOR ACCESSORIES SEPARATE LENGTH MEASURING WHEELS - DIMENSIONS In Inches (mm)



SELECTING APPROPRIATE WHEEL SIZE & PPR (Pulses Per Rev.) OF ROTARY PULSE GENERATOR

When the desired output of an RPG and wheel combination is either in feet or inch units, selection of the proper combination is relatively straight forward. For example, with a 1-foot wheel circumference, a 1 PPR Rotary Pulse Generator will deliver 1 pulse/ft, 12 PPR would deliver 12 pulses/ft (*1 pulse/inch*); 100 PPR would yield 100 pulses/ft; and 120 PPR would permit measuring to 1/10th of an *inch* (1/120th of a foot).

Measuring in yards or meters, however, is a bit more involved since a 1-yard or 1-meter circumference wheel would be prohibitively large. Instead, 4/10 yard and 4/10 meter wheels can be used in conjunction with RPGB.

WHEELS & REPLACEMENT TIRES FOR CODE OR WHEELS

ORDERING INFORMATION

WHEEL CODE	CIRCUMFERENCE	TOLERANCE	PART NUMBER
	1 foot (1/3 yd)	±0.40%	WF1000OR
OR	1/3 meter	±0.40%	WM0333OR
	4/10ths yard	±0.40%	WY0400OR
	4/10ths meter	±0.40%	WM0400OR
	1 foot (1/3 yd)	±0.35%	WF1000OF
OF	1/3 meter	±0.30%	WM0333OF
<u>UI</u>	4/10ths yard	±0.30%	WY04000F
	4/10ths meter	±0.30%	WM04000F
BF (Balanced)	1 foot (1/3 yd)	±0.40%	WF1000BF

WHEEL CODE	CIRCUMFERENCE	TOLERANCE	PART NUMBER
	1 foot (1/3 yd)	±0.35%	WF1000OK
ок	1/3 meter	±0.30%	WM0333OK
	4/10ths yard	±0.30%	WY04000K
	4/10ths meter	±0.30%	WM0400OK
BK (Balanced)	1 foot (1/3 yd)	±0.35%	WF1000BK
	1 foot (1/3 yd)		TORF1000
Replacement Tires	1/3 meter		TORM0333
for OR Wheels	4/10ths yard		TORY0400
	4/10ths meter		TORM0400

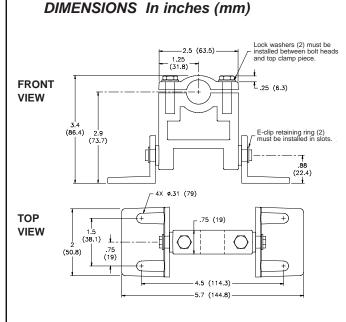
Note: After installation of measuring wheels, ensure guards, shields or other devices are in place to protect personnel from rotating equipment.

MODEL LSAHC - LENGTH SENSOR HINGE CLAMP ASSEMBLY

The Length Sensor Hinge Clamp Assembly provides an easy method for attachment and mounting of Model LSC and LSQ Length Sensors and LSCB1 Conversion Bracket. The removable top on the solid zinc LSAHC mounting block allows quick installation of the Length Sensor handle tube and provides secure clamping retention. The mounting block pivots freely in zinc right angle brackets to allow mounting the assembly via clearance holes for 1/4" dia. bolts.

The lock washers must be used as indicated (between the bolt head and the top clamp piece). Assemble the top clamp piece as follows.

- 1. Tighten both bolts so that the top clamp half draws down evenly on the sensor tube.
- 2. Tighten the bolts until both lock washers are flat.
- 3. Then turn each bolt an additional $^{1\!/}_{2}$ to $^{3\!/}_{4}$ turn.



ORDERING INFORMATION

MODEL NO.	DESCRIPTION	PART NUMBER
LSAHC	Length Sensor Hinge Clamp Assembly for Model LSC, LSQ, and LSCB1	LSAHC001

CAUTION: Downward tension on signal cable can cause ſЫ wheel(s) to lift. Make sure cable is clamped to \mathbf{O} Œ machine frame near encoder and allow slack. dH I THIS WHEEL AND SHAFT OMITTED ON SINGLE SHAFT UNITS SHAFT Q Ø NOTE: The weight at the Length Sensor unit provides sufficient traction for accurate operation when mounted as shown. with arm angle from horizontal not exceeding - SINGLE WHEEL 2.93 (74.4) .85 ±30°, and with hinge clamp toward the far extreme of - DUAL WHEEL 4 (101.6) the extension arm. 6.9 ^(175.3) 3 $\langle \mathcal{R} \rangle$.88 (22.4) Length Sensors should be mounted so measuring wheel(s) contact ribbon, strip or web as it passes over a roller. As an alternative, wheel(s) can be driven by roller surface next to material being measured.

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