

Safety Limit Switches Selection Guide



Series	HLM Series	HLM-SS Series	LSPS Series
Prices start at			
Description	Die-cast metal body safety limit switch	Stainless steel body safety limit switch	Plastic body safety limit switch
Material of Construction	Die-cast zinc aluminum casing	Stainless steel 316 casing	Plastic casing
Degree of Protection (IEC529)	IEC IP67	IEC IP67/IP69	IEC IP67
Maximum Switching Frequency	6,000 operations/day	6,000 operations/day	6,000 operations/day
Mechanical Service Life	2,500,000 cycles	2,500,000 cycles	2,500,000 cycles
Contact Configuration	Each model available with: 2 N.C. / 2 N.O. slow action break before make contacts, or 1 N.O. / 1 N.C. snap action contacts	Each model available with: 2 N.C. / 2 N.O. slow action break before make contacts, or 1 N.O. / 1 N.C. snap action contacts	Each model available with: 2 N.C. / 2 N.O. slow action break before make contacts, or 1 N.O. / 1 N.C. snap action contacts
Conduit Opening	One cable hole	One cable hole	One cable hole
Connection	1/2 inch female NPT conduit	1/2 inch female NPT conduit	1/2 inch female NPT conduit
Agency Approvals	CE, UL (file E258676)	CE, UL (file E258676)	CE, UL (file E258676)




Series	LSMM Series	LSPM Series	AP2 Series
Prices start at			
Description	Panel mount die-cast metal body safety limit switch	Panel mount plastic body safety limit switch	30 mm limit switches with pull button reset
Material of Construction	Die-cast zinc aluminum casing	Plastic casing	Plastic casing, double insulated
Degree of Protection (IEC529)	IEC IP67	IEC IP67	IEC IP65
Maximum Switching Frequency	6,000 operations/day	6,000 operations/day	Contact blocks: 1 cycle per second (all)
Mechanical Service Life	2,500,000 cycles	2,500,000 cycles	1,000,000 operations interlock and limit switches
Contact Configuration	Each model available with: 2 N.C. / 1 N.O. slow action break before make contacts, or 1 N.O. / 1 N.C. snap action contacts	Each model available with: 2 N.C. / 1 N.O. slow action break before make contacts, or 1 N.O. / 1 N.C. snap action contacts	X11 - Slow action break before make, positive opening, 1 N.O. + 1 N.C. W02 - Simultaneous, slow action, positive opening, 2 N.C.
Conduit Opening	One cable hole	One cable hole	One cable hole, 1/2" NPT adapter
Connection	Pigtail; 2m / 6.5 ft cable length	Pigtail; 2m / 6.5 ft cable length	2x2.5mm ² (AWG14) to 2x0.5mm ² (AWG 18)
Agency Approvals	CE, UL (file E258676)	CE, UL (file E258676)	CE, UL file E189258, CSA 176294, RoHS

IDEM Type LSPS (Plastic Body) Safety Limit Switches

IDEM limit switches are designed to be mounted for position sensing applications, such as guard doors, conveyors, machine beds, elevators, etc.

They are available with a range of actuator heads and either slow or snap action contacts.

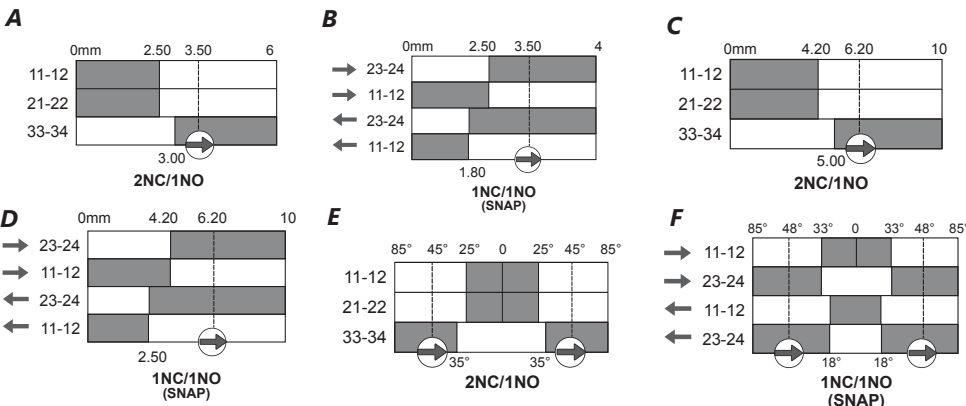
Features

- Standard duty plastic bodies (red color)
- Enclosure protection to IP67 (suitable for washdown)
- Direct opening NC safety contact(s) to EN60947-5-1 
- High mechanical life: Over 10 million cycles
- Head position adjustment to any of 4 positions



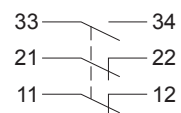
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Part Number	Price	Type	Contacts	Action	Bar Chart	Connection
LSPS-171002		Polyester plunger	2 N.C. safety contacts / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Slow action break before make	A	1/2 inch female NPT conduit
LSPS-171008			1 N.C. safety contact / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Snap action	B	
LSPS-171011		Plunger with polyester roller	2 N.C. safety contacts / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Slow action break before make	A	
LSPS-171017			1 N.C. safety contact / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Snap action	B	
LSPS-171020		Hinge lever with polyester roller	2 N.C. safety contacts / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Slow action break before make	C	
LSPS-171026			1 N.C. safety contact / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Snap action	D	
LSPS-171047		Side rotary adjustable lever with large rubber roller	2 N.C. safety contacts / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Slow action break before make	E	
LSPS-171053			1 N.C. safety contact / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Snap action	F	
LSPS-171056		Side rotary adjustable lever with polyester roller	2 N.C. safety contacts / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Slow action break before make	E	
LSPS-171062			1 N.C. safety contact / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Snap action	F	
LSPS-171065		Side rotary adjustable brass rod	2 N.C. safety contacts / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Slow action break before make	E	
LSPS-171071			1 N.C. safety contact / 1 N.O. monitoring contact	Snap action	F	

Bar Charts

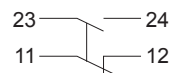


Contacts Configuration Charts

Slow Action 2NC 1NO



Snap Action 1NC 1NO

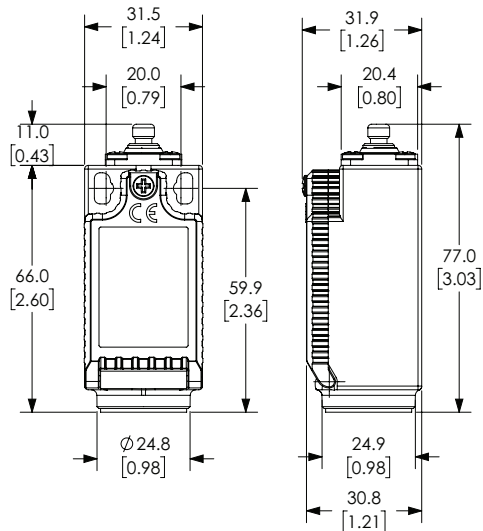


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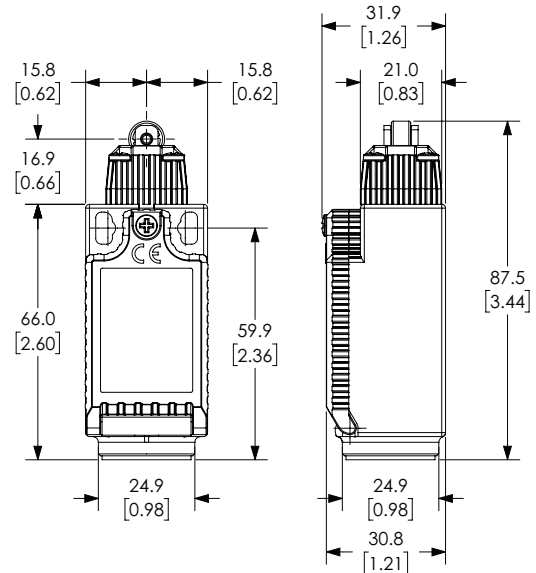
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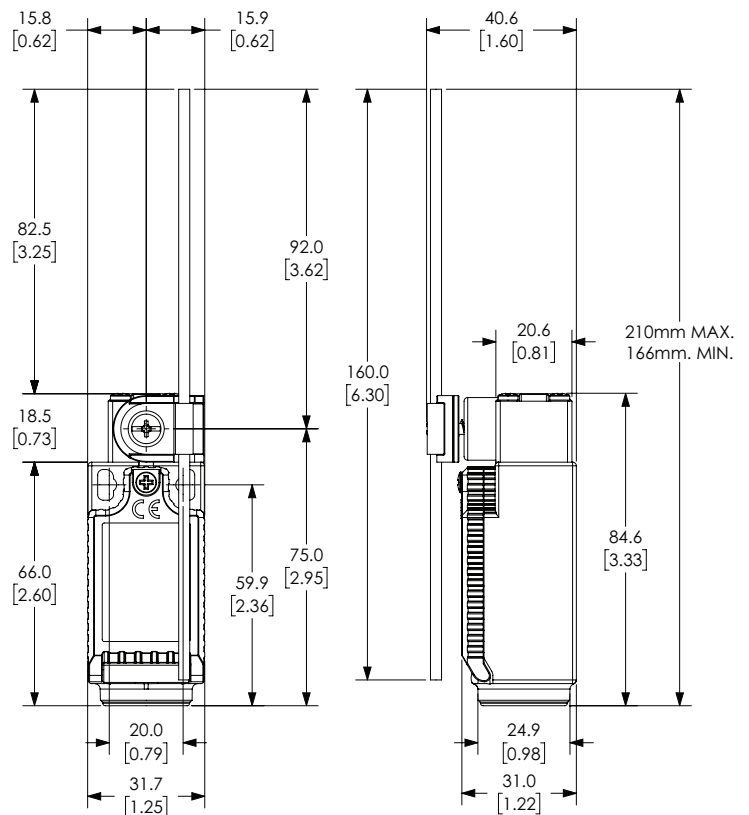
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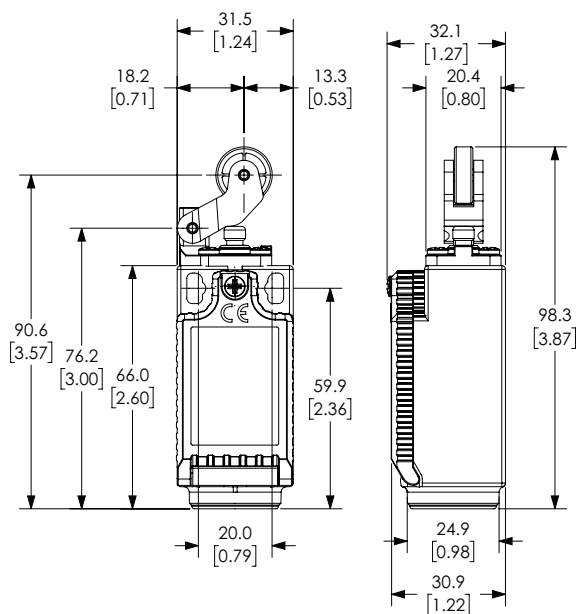
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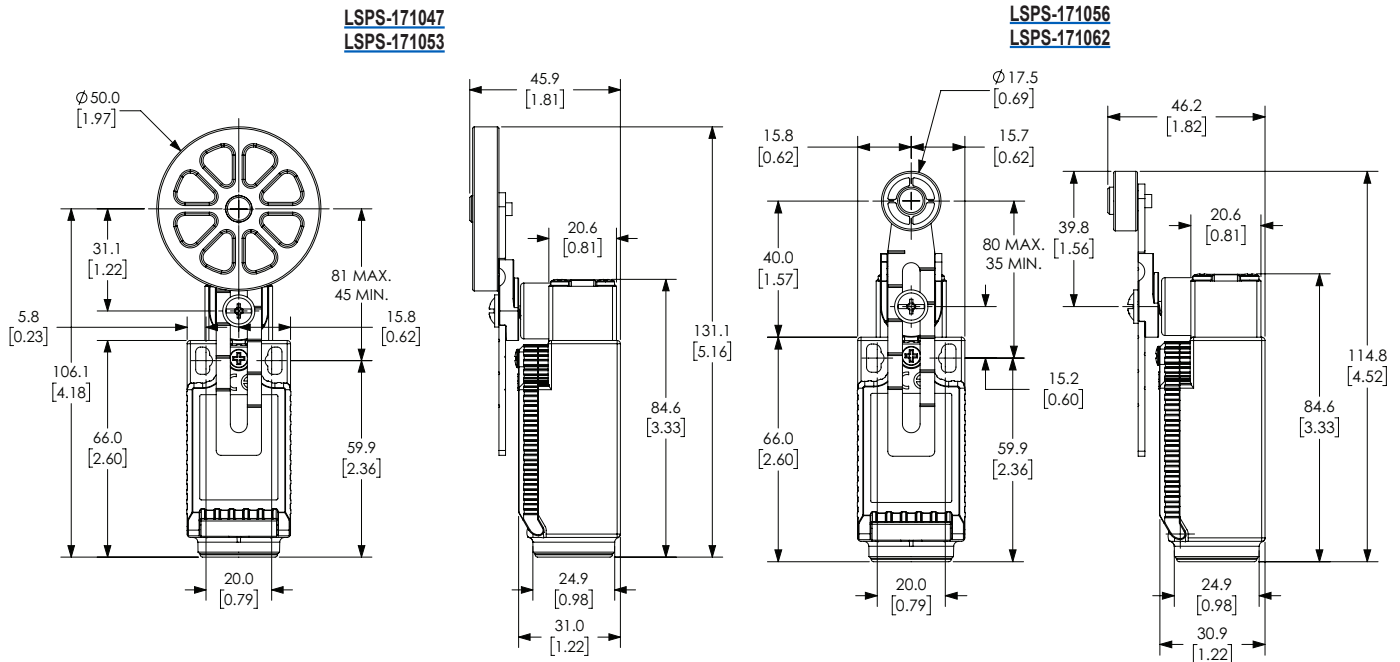
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LSPS-171020
LSPS-171026



IDEM Type LSPS (Plastic Body) Safety Limit Switches



IDEM Type LSPS (Plastic Body) Safety Limit Switches Specifications	
Safety Characteristic Data	
Performance level	Up to PLe depending on the system architecture
Category	Up to Cat 4 depending on the system architecture
Safety Integrity Level	Up to SIL3 depending on the system architecture
B10d	2.5×10^6 operations
Safety Data - Annual Usage	8 cycles per hour / 24 hours per day / 365 days
MTTFd	356 years
PFHd (1/h)	3.44×10^{-8}
Proof Test Interval T1	35 years
Electrical and General Specifications	
Utilization Category	AC15 A300 240V, 3A
Minimum Switched Current	5mA, 5VDC
Thermal Current	10A
Rated Insulation Voltage	300VAC
Max. Switching Speed	250 mm/sec
Max. Switching Frequency	6,000 operations/day
Case Material	Plastic
Operating Temperature	-25° to +80°C [-13° to +176°F]
Mechanical Life Expectancy	2,500,000 cycles
Enclosure Protection	IP67
Vibration	IEC 68-2-6
Conductor Size	1.5 mm ²
Head Screws/Torque	1Nm
Lid Screws/Torque	1Nm
Recommended Mounting Bolt Torque	2Nm
Recommended Mounting Screws	M4
Agency Approvals	CE, UL (file E258676)

Note: When the product is used differently from the assumptions shown (different load, operating frequency, etc.) the values must be adjusted accordingly.

IDEM Safety Limit Switches - Operation, Installation and Maintenance



Note: These guidelines apply to all IDEM Safety Limit Switches

Operation:

Operation of the switches is achieved when a moving object causes deflection of the switch plungers or levers.

For safety applications it is important that the moving object does not pass completely over the switch actuators so as to cause the actuator to return to its original position.

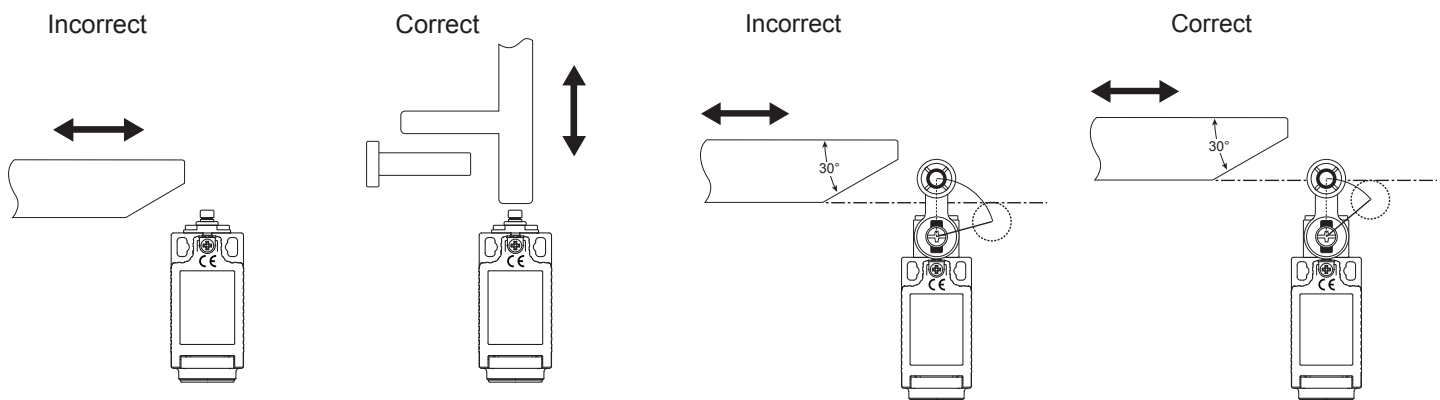
Installation Guide:

Correct mounting of limit switches is critical to obtain optimum performance and ensure safety reliability.

Installation of all switches must be in accordance with a risk assessment for the individual application.

Installation must only be carried out by competent personnel and in accordance with these instructions.

1. Never use the switch as a mechanical stop. Ensure that the actuator is protected from mechanical shock.
2. For switches with linear actuators the actuating direction and force from the moving object should be applied in line with the axis of the plunger.
3. For switches with rotary actuators or rollers the operating cam from the moving object should be designed such that the switch is never operated beyond its over travel position. Always use a 30 degree tapered actuating cam.



4. Always ensure that when running electrical conductors that they are routed correctly and no damage can occur to the cable insulation.
5. Always use correct mounting bolts (M4 or M5 depending on the switch model) and ensure 2Nm tightening torque for secure fitting.
6. Ensure 1Nm tightening torque for conduit plugs and cable glands to achieve IP rating.
7. The safety functions and mechanics must be tested regularly. For applications where infrequent guard access is foreseeable, the system must have a manual function test to detect a possible accumulation of faults. Do this at least once per month for PLe Cat3/4 or once per year for PLd Cat3 (ISO13849-1). Where possible, it is recommended that the control system of the machine demands and monitors these tests, and stops or prevents the machine from starting if the test is not done. (See ISO14119).

Maintenance:

Every Month: Check switch actuator and body for signs of mechanical damage and wear. Replace any switch showing damage.

Every 6 Months: Isolate power and remove cover. Check screw terminal tightness and check for signs of moisture ingress. Never attempt to repair any switch.

Safety Products



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