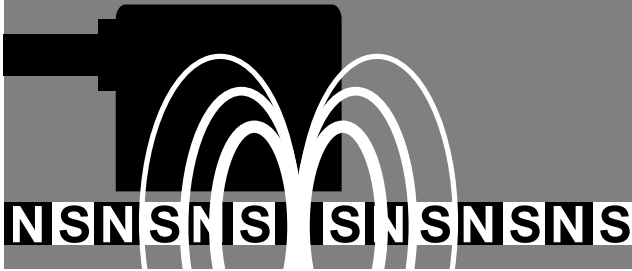


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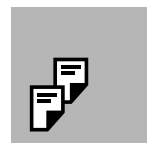
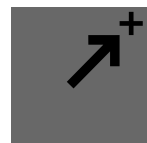
A large range of position and angle measurement tasks or the dynamic, accurate detection of speed and rotational speeds of rotating shafts are solved in a wide variety of industries with magnetically coded systems.

A magnetic tape system consists of the sensor head, a tape for linear or rotary use, and accessories such as a counter display or guide system. The operating principle is non-contact and therefore wear-free. The measured value is available as an incremental or absolute output signal.

The tapes, magnetized using the Permagnet process specially developed by Balluff, enable the highest accuracy. High flexibility is offered by rolls of magnetic tape, with lengths available up to 48 m. Customized, fabricated solutions as well as special codings achieve optimum results.

The real-time-capable BML position measurement systems make the position information available within microseconds and therefore are optimum feedback systems in electric drive shafts.

By means of its extremely small dimensions and contactless measurement technology, BML allows for integration even in tight spaces or extreme ambient conditions. Expensive downtimes and service work are prevented from the outset by means of the wear-free operating principle; service-intensive encapsulation becomes unnecessary. Moreover, the contactless technology enables extremely high measurement speeds.



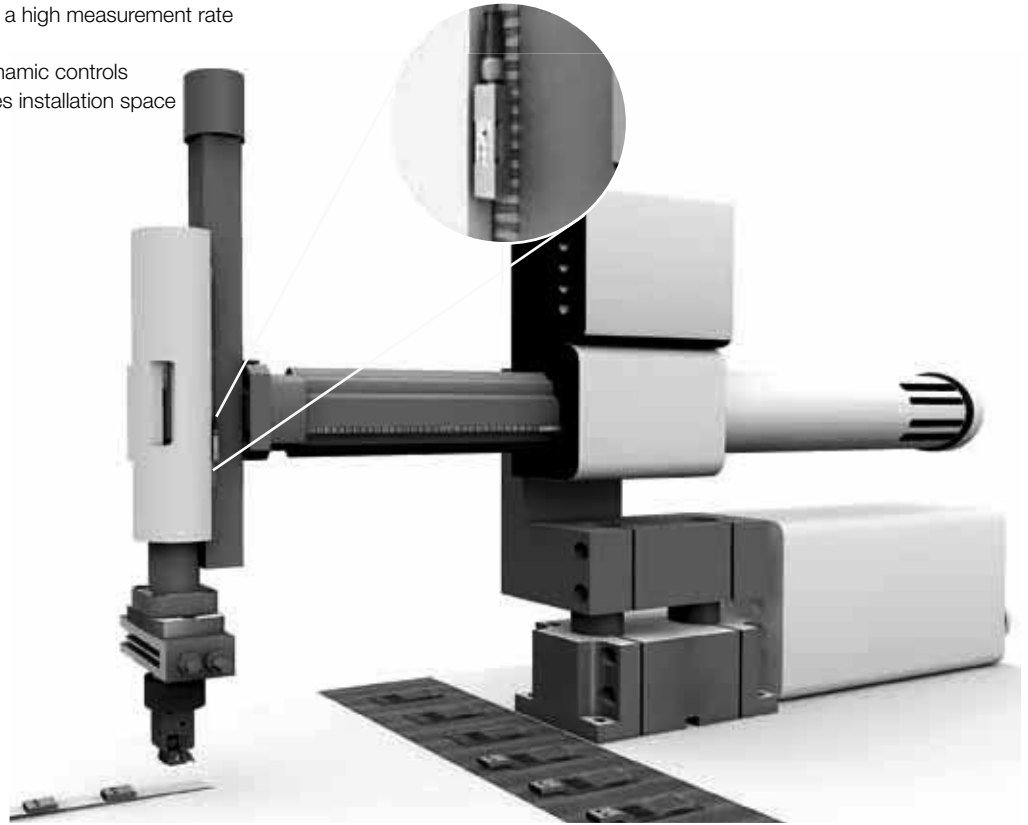
# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## Applications

### Feedback system for pick and place

With the smallest design of an absolute magnetic position measurement sensor and the option of measuring perpendicular to the tape, the magnetically coded position and angle measurement system BML provides position feedback in highly dynamic applications even in extremely tight spaces.

- Optimum control quality by means of a high measurement rate and linearity
- Additional analog signal for highly dynamic controls
- Unrivaled small metal housing reduces installation space

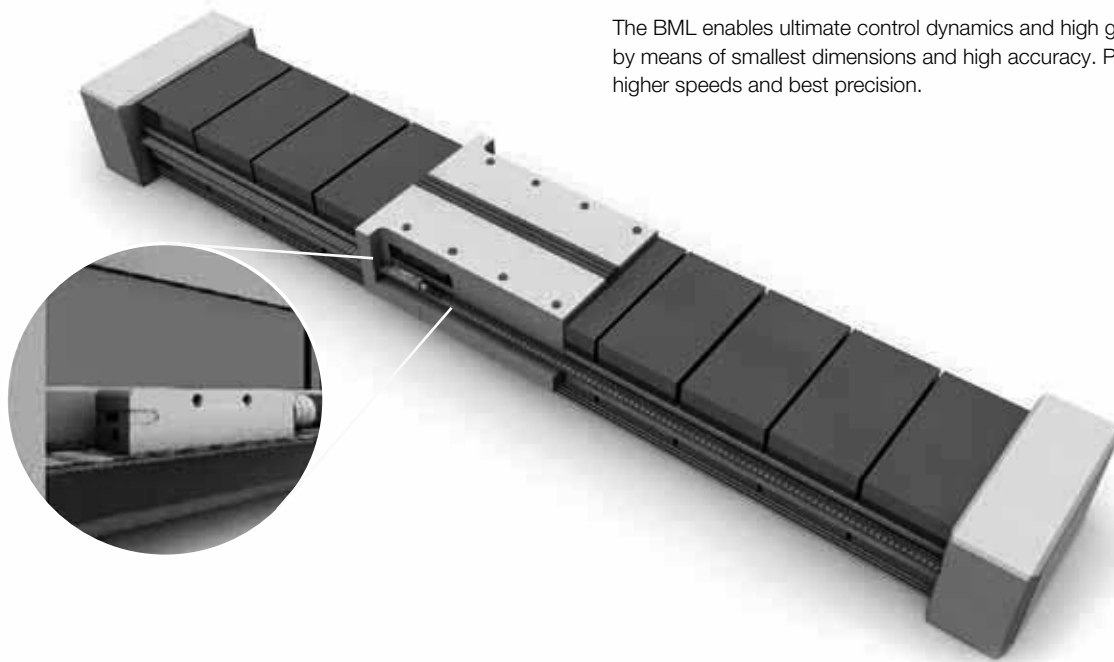


Fastest positioning with a high measurement rate and linearity. Small design reduces installation space.

# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## Applications

The BML enables ultimate control dynamics and high gain factors by means of smallest dimensions and high accuracy. Position with higher speeds and best precision.



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**Applications**  
Product Overview  
Function Principle

S1H Series

S1G Series

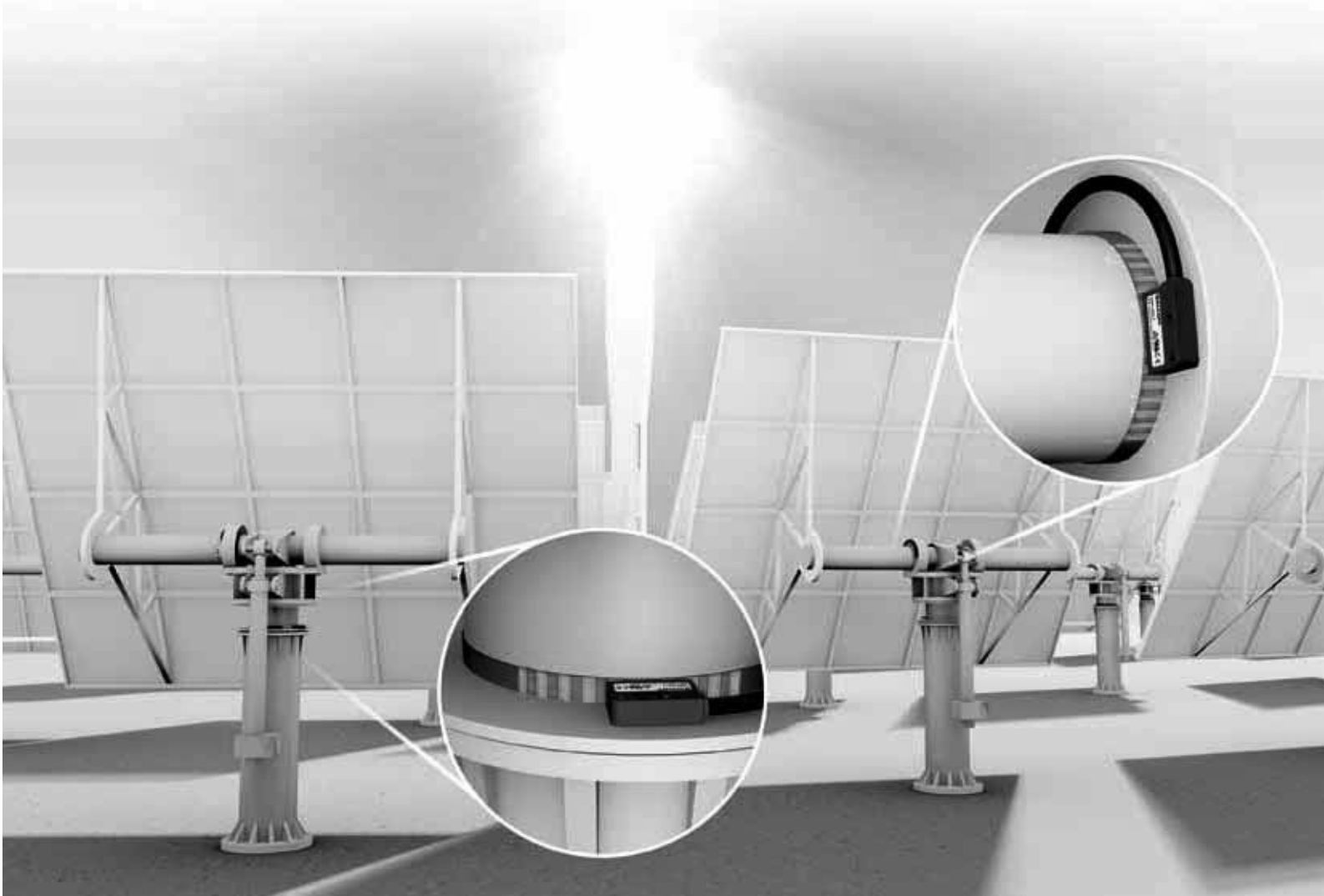
S1F Series

S2B/S2E/S1C Series

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Basic Information and Definitions

Successfully used for years to point mirrors towards the sun with high accuracy. With BML you achieve the best energy efficiency in concentrated solar power plants and parabolic trough power plants.



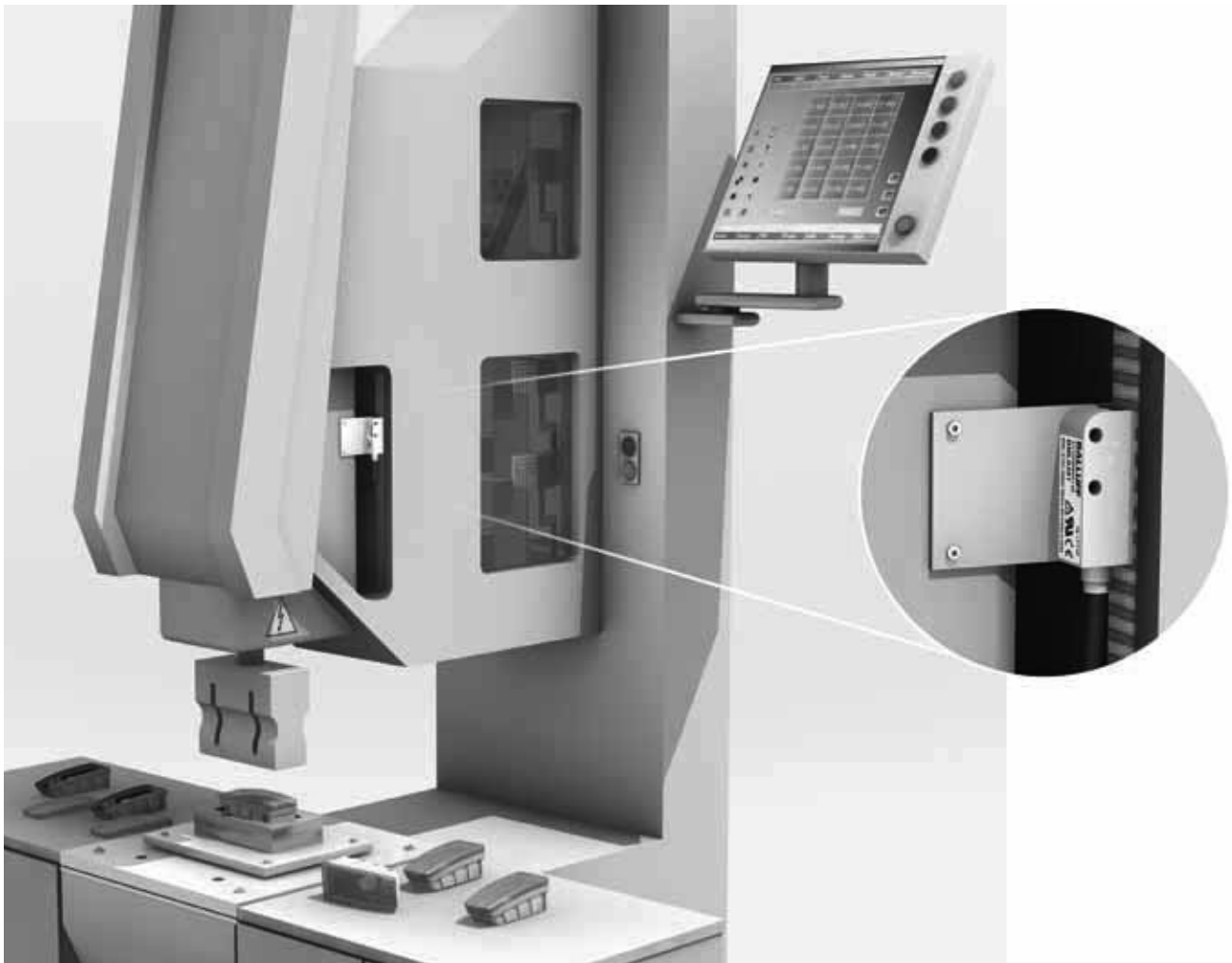
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## Applications

### Ultrasonic welding

Exact position feedback for perfect results. By means of direct absolute measurement on the load, inaccuracies and tolerance shifts are reliably eliminated.

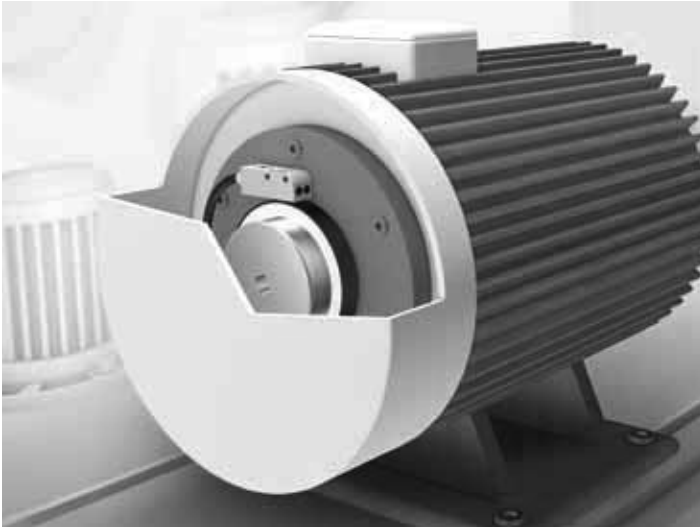
- Exact results by means of position detection right on the load support
- Compact design
- Ideal for short strokes
- Long-term reliability
- Wear-free due to non-contact measuring



Quickly holds the welding tool on point and with millimeter precision.

# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## Applications



The BML measurement system with sensor head and toroidal tape for highly accurate speed monitoring including detection of direction in the drive train.



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S1G Series

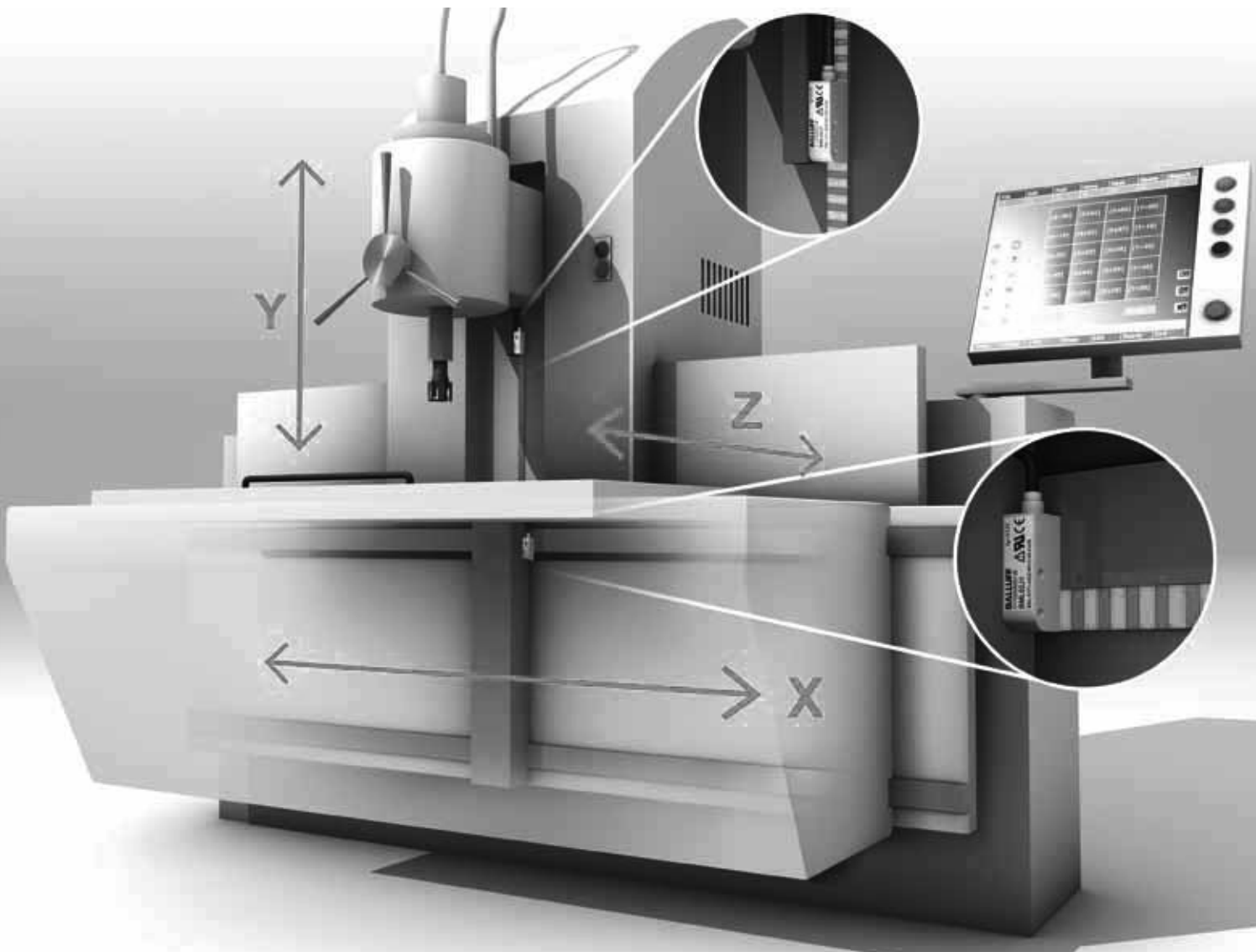
S1F Series

S2B/S2E/S1C Series

Accessories

Basic Information and Definitions

In universal milling machines, magnetically coded position and angle measurement systems BML are used for accurate positioning of the x, y, and z axes.





| Series   | BML-S1H_-M3AA... | BML-S1H_-M3CA... | BML-S1G0...  |  |  |
|--|------------------|------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Resolution   | < 1 µm           | < 1 µm           | 1...10 µm    |  |  |
| System accuracy  | ±7 µm            | ±7 µm            | ±20 µm       |  |  |
| Distance to tape   | 0.1...0.35 mm    | 0.1...0.35 mm    | 0.1...0.8 mm |  |  |
| Linear tape  | 0...64 mm        | 0...256 mm       | 0...48 m     |  |  |
| Rotary tape (magnet ring)<br>Ø 30...300 mm               |                  |                  |              |  |  |
| Angle measurement with magnetic tape<br>< 360°           | ■                | ■                |              |  |  |
| <b>Interfaces</b>  |                  |                  |              |  |  |
| Absolute SSI   | ■                | ■                | ■            |  |  |
| Absolute BiSS C  | ■                | ■                | ■            |  |  |
| Incremental digital RS422 (TTL)                          |                  |                  | ■            |  |  |
| Incremental digital HTL<br>(as supply voltage 10...30 V) |                  |                  |              |  |  |
| Incremental analog sin/cos (1 V <sub>pp</sub> )          | ■                | ■                | ■            |  |  |



| Magnetic tape                         | BML-M02-A...-M0009-A | BML-M02-A...-M0028-C | BML-M02-A...-E |  |  |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------|--|--|
| Pole pitch (fine interpolation track) | 1 mm                 | 1 mm                 | 2 mm           |  |  |
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## Product overview

  
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|  | BML-S1F-Q...  | BML-S1F-A...   | BML-S2B0-Q... | BML-S2E0-Q... | BML-S1C0-Q... |                                   |
|--|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
|  | 1...10 µm     | up to 0.25 µm* | 5...50 µm     | 5...50 µm     | 100...2000 µm | S1H Series                        |
|  | ±10 µm        | ±10 µm         | ±50 µm        | ±100 µm       | ±100 µm       | S1G Series                        |
|  | 0.1...0.35 mm | 0.1...0.35 mm  | 0.1...2 mm    | 0.1...2 mm    | 0.1...2 mm    | S1F Series                        |
|  | 0...48 m      | 0...48 m       | 0...48 m      | 0...48 m      | 0...48 m      | S2B/S2E/S1C Series                |
|  | ■             | ■              | ■             | ■             | ■             | Accessories                       |
|  | ■             | ■              | ■             | ■             | ■             | Basic Information and Definitions |
|  |               |                |               |               |               |                                   |
|  |               |                |               |               |               |                                   |
|  | ■             |                | ■             | ■             |               |                                   |
|  |               | ■              | ■             | ■             | ■             |                                   |
|  |               |                |               |               |               |                                   |



|  | BML-M02-I3... | BML-M02-I3... | BML-M02-I4... | BML-M02-I4... | BML-M02-I4... |  |
|--|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|
|  | 1 mm          | 1 mm          | 5 mm          | 5 mm          | 5 mm          |  |
|  | 38            | 38            | 46            | 46            | 46            |  |

\* Depending on the customer's electronics



# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## Function principle

The high-precision magnetic position and angle measurement system BML consists of a sensor head and a magnetically encoded tape. The sensor head glides over the tape, which is encoded with magnetic poles, with a gap of up to 2 mm.

Incremental systems make available the period changes of the tape encoded with alternating polarity as square- or sine-wave signals at the sensor output. The signals are processed using standard incremental inputs or sine-wave counter inputs of the electronic processor unit.

With the absolute systems, the absolute position is processed as an SSI or BiSS signal at the standard interface of the electronic processor unit. Additionally, the absolute BML makes a real-time incremental signal available for evaluation for fast control applications with high sample rates.

### Magnetically coded systems are highly accurate and real-time-capable

Displacement sensors with a magnetically encoded tape are very robust and operate highly accurately and particularly fast as a measurement system. Resolution is down to 1  $\mu\text{m}$ . Accuracy degrees of  $\pm 7 \mu\text{m}$  can be achieved. The BML has no trouble with absolute measurement of travel speeds up to 10 m/s and incremental measurement up to 20 m/s. The absolute position values can be clocked with up to 10 MHz. The measured position value is available in fractions of microseconds. The controller receives the incremental position signal in real time.

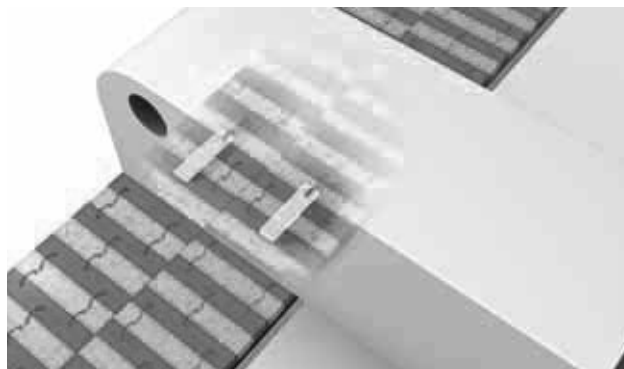
### Non-contact and highly robust, even for applications in rough conditions

In addition to the high accuracy and real-time capability, the BiSS interface allows for bidirectional communication including signal error detection. Since the measurement system operates magnetically, unlike optical systems it is highly tolerant of contamination such as oil, swarf, or dust and does not require encapsulation. Unlike with inductive systems, with the BML, metal swarf merely causes attenuation and does not register as a measurement variable. These properties make it excellently suited for use in harsh or dusty industrial environments.

### System features of absolute systems

- Non-contact operating principle
- Resolution down to 1  $\mu\text{m}$
- System accuracy to  $\pm 7 \mu\text{m}$
- Absolute signal SSI and BiSS C
- Additional real-time signal
- Gap between sensor and tape up to 0.8 mm

### Operating principle of absolutely coded position and angle measurement system BML



Perpendicular magnetic tape

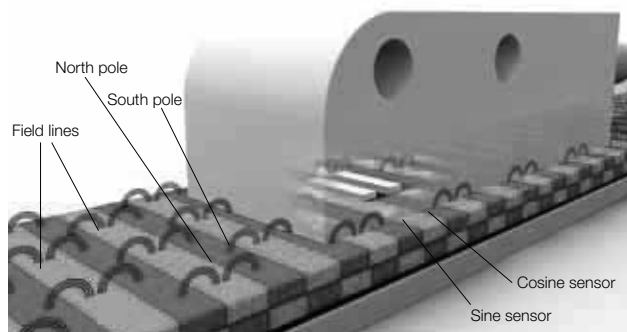
# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## Function principle

### System features of incremental systems

- Non-contact operating principle
- Resolution down to 1  $\mu\text{m}$
- Digital square-wave signals RS422 (TTL) or 10...30 V (HTL)
- Sinusoidal output signals 1 V<sub>pp</sub>
- Gap between sensor and tape up to 2 mm
- Reference and limit switch function

### Operating principle of incremental position and angle measurement system BML



Perpendicular magnetic tape

### Customizing

Do you have a very specific application? Simply contact us! We offer you not just the standard product line, but also customized solutions. Some examples:

- Higher resolutions
- Other interpolation factors
- Higher travel speeds
- Larger read distances
- Special cables/plugs
- Special tape encodings
- Special designs/hubs

### System overview

#### Sensor head



#### Tape



#### Accessories



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Applications

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S1H Series

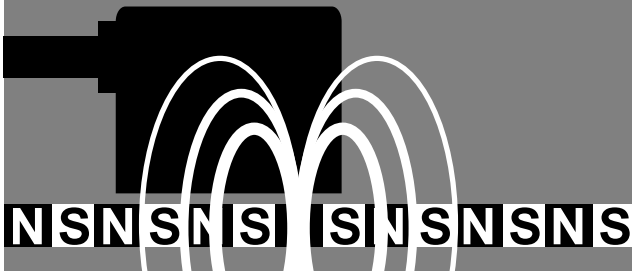
S1G Series

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# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## S1H Series, 1 $\mu\text{m}$ Absolute

With the S1H sensor series, the magnetically coded position and angle measurement system BML provides high-resolution systems in robust metal housings.

By means of the absolute position detection, the position is immediately output even if the supply voltage fails and the system is switched on again, without a reference run. The particularly compact design and parallel or perpendicular use to the tape enables integration even under very tight installation conditions.





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## S1H, 1 $\mu$ m Absolute

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#### Features

- Absolute measurement system
- Additional sin/cos analog signal for fast control applications
- $\pm 7 \mu\text{m}$  system accuracy
- 1  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution
- Smallest design
- Rugged metal housing
- Mounted parallel or perpendicular to tape
- Signal period 1 mm

#### Caution!

Before design, installation and startup please familiarize yourself with the user's guide to be found at [www.balluff.com](http://www.balluff.com).

# S1H Series, Absolute

## SSI interface, BiSS-C interface



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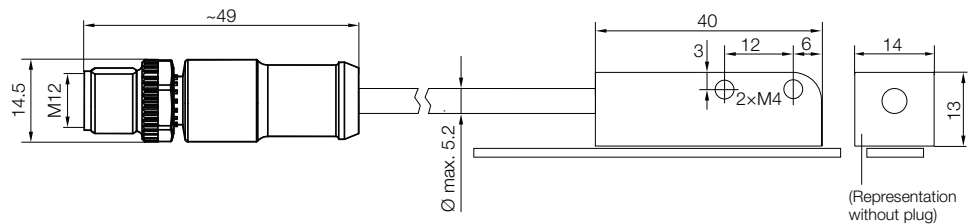
S2B/S2E/S1C Series

Accessories

Basic Information and Definitions

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Series                                    | <b>BML-S1H...</b>   |
| Output signal                             | Absolute: SSI or BiSS C, additional analog signal sin/cos 1 V <sub>PP</sub> |
| Data format                               | 16-bit (BML-S1H...-M3AA-...) or 18-bit (BML-S1H...-M3CA-...)                |
| Resolution                                | < 1 μm (= 1000/1024 μm per LSB)   |
| Part number                               | BML-S1H_ _6_C-M3_A-DO-KA00.3-S284   |
| Repeat accuracy                           | ±1 increment  |
| Overall system accuracy                   | ±7 μm   |
| Supply voltage                            | 5 V ±5%   |
| Current consumption at 5 V supply voltage | < 50 mA + Controller current consumption, at 120 Ω load resistance          |
| Max. read distance sensor/tape            | 0.35 mm (without cover strip)   |
| Max. measuring length                     | 64 mm (...-M3AA-...) or 256 mm (...-M3CA-...)                               |
| Pole pitch, analog track                  | 1 mm  |
| Max. travel speed                         | 5 m/s (absolute)  |
| Measurement rate                          | f <sub>STANDARD</sub> = 50 kHz (SSI), 10 MHz (BiSS C)                       |
| Operating temperature                     | -20...+80 °C  |
| Storage temperature                       | -30...+85 °C  |
| Housing material                          | Aluminum  |
| Degree of protection                      | IP 67   |

All data applies in conjunction with tape BML-M02-A33... (see page 27)



### Ordering example: sensor head

**BML-S1H - 6 C-M3 A-DO-KA00.3-S284**

| Approach direction | Interface                                   | Coding                | Length coding | Connection                             |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------|--|
| 1 Parallel         | B BiSS (bidirectional, serial, synchronous) | Q Binary code, rising | A 64          | KA00.3-S284                            |
| 2 Perpendicular    | S SSI (serial, synchronous)                 | R Gray code, rising   | C 256         | 0.3 m cable with M12 connector, 12-pin |

### Preferred models

#### ■ BML-S1H1-S6QC-M3CA-D0-KA00.3-S284 (BML0393)

Approach direction parallel to the tape, SSI interface, rising binary code, 256 series length coding, pigtail 0.3 m with M12 connector

#### ■ BML-S1H2-S6QC-M3CA-D0-KA00.3-S284 (BML0394)

Approach direction perpendicular to the tape, SSI interface, rising binary code, 256 series length coding, pigtail 0.3 m with M12 connector

**SSI interface**

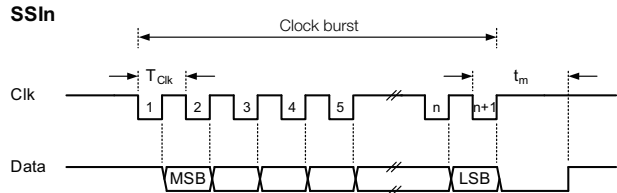
The SSI interface provides synchronous serial data transmission and is suitable for controllers from different manufacturers.

Reliable signal transmission, even with cable lengths of up to 400 m between controller and transducer. This is guaranteed by the especially interference-free RS485/422 differential drivers and receivers.

Any interference signals are effectively suppressed.

The standard BML is factory-configured with the following settings for the position output, which cannot be modified later:

- BML-S1H\_-S6\_C-M3A...: 16-bit
- BML-S1H\_-S6\_C-M3C...: 18-bit
- Binary or Gray-coded



**BiSS-C interface**

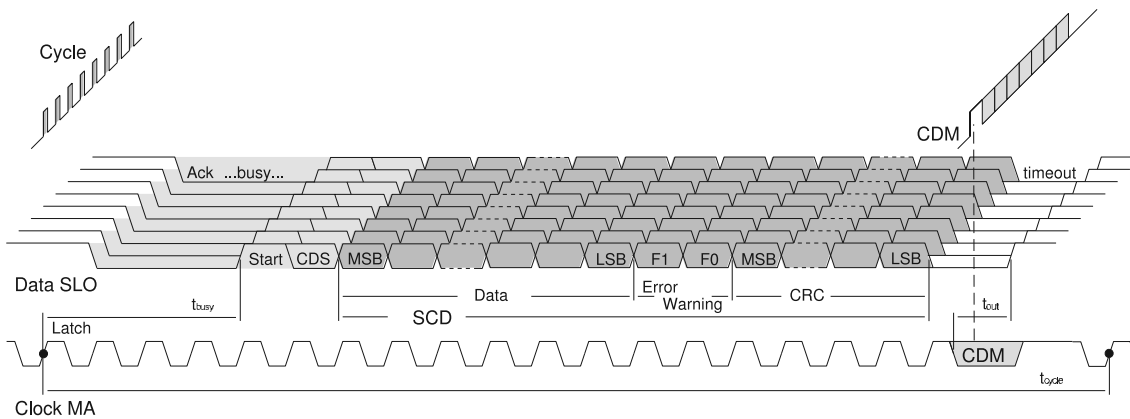
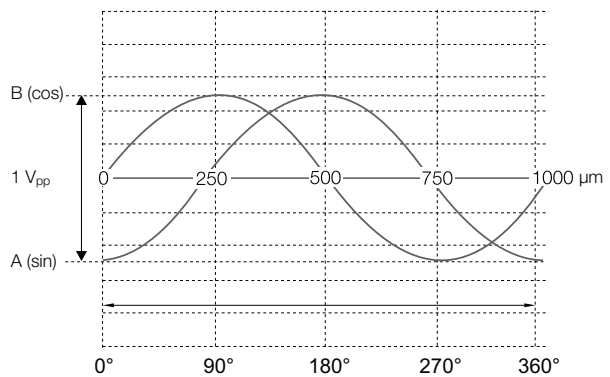
BiSS C stands for the synchronous serial data transmitter and is suitable for controllers from different manufacturers.

Unlike SSI, the data transmission is bidirectional. In BiSS-C mode, settings can be (continuously) configured on the sensor head without interrupting the sensor data.

BiSS C supports CRC, warnings and error messages.

In addition to the SSI or BiSS signal, an analog real-time signal sin/cos  $1 V_{pp}$  is output for highly dynamic control applications.

Additional analog real-time signal sin/cos  $1 V_{pp}$



# S1H Series, Absolute Magnetic tape



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S1F Series

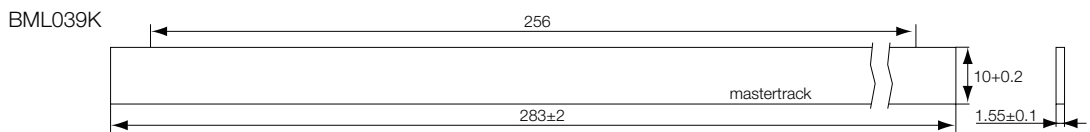
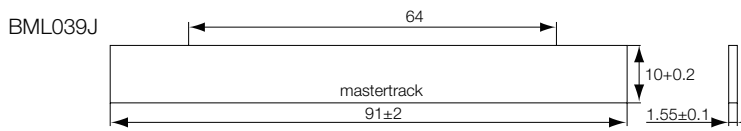
S2B/S2E/S1C Series

Accessories

Basic Information and Definitions



| Series                 | Magnetic tape                           | Magnetic tape                            |
|------------------------|---|--|
| Output signal          | for BML-S1H with 64 mm measuring length | for BML-S1H with 256 mm measuring length |
| <b>Ordering code</b>   | <b>BML039J</b>                          | <b>BML039K</b>                           |
| Part number            | BML-M02-A33-A3-M0009-A                  | BML-M02-A33-A3-M0028-C                   |
| Length                 | 91 mm                                   | 283 mm                                   |
| Measuring length       | 64 mm                                   | 256 mm                                   |
| Magnetic tape material | Rubber ferrite, stainless steel carrier | Rubber ferrite, stainless steel carrier  |
| Cover strip material   | Stainless steel                         | Stainless steel                          |



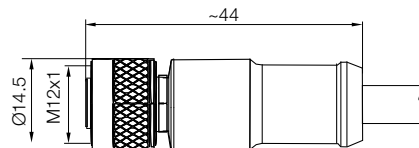


# S1H Series, Absolute

## Connection cables



|                             |                      |   |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---|--|
| Accessories                 |                      | <b>M12 connection cable</b>   |  |
| Series                      |                      | 12-pin, female straight   |  |
|                             |                      | BML-S1H...-S284   |  |
| Length 2 m                  | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09MW</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PS0C08-020-C009  |  |
| Length 5 m                  | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09MY</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PS0C08-050-C009  |  |
| Length 10 m                 | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09MZ</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PS0C08-100-C009  |  |
| Length 15 m                 | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09N0</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PS0C08-150-C009  |  |
| Length 20 m                 | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09N1</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PS0C08-200-C009  |  |
| Material                    |                      | PUR, with plug, molded, black   |  |
| Description/additional data |                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Cable: Ø 4.9 mm, 12×0.08 mm<sup>2</sup></li> <li>■ Bending radius:<br/>15×D (dynamic), 7.5×D (static)</li> <li>■ Temperature range: -25 °C...+70 °C</li> </ul> |  |



# S1H Series, Absolute Digital display, CAM controller



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SSI Interface, BiSS-C Interface  
Magnetic Tape

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S1G Series

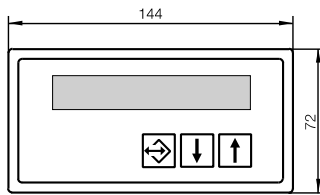
S1F Series

S2B/S2E/S1C Series

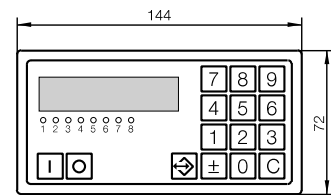
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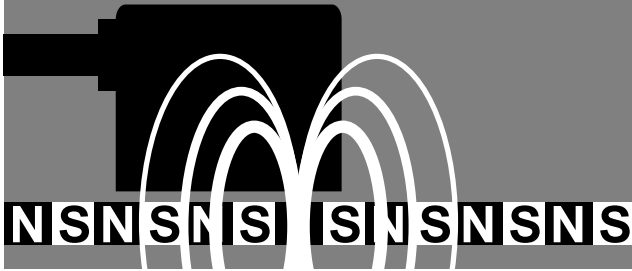
|                      |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|
| Series               | BDD-AM 10-1-SSD   | BDD-CC 08-1-SSD   |
|                      | Digital display   | CAM controller  |
|                      | SSI Interface   | SSI Interface   |
| <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BAE0069</b>  | <b>BAE006F</b>  |
| Part number          | BDD-AM 10-1-SSD   | BDD-CC 08-1-SSD   |
| Features             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ 7 1/2-digit display with leading sign</li> <li>■ LED display, 14 mm-high red 7-segment digits</li> <li>■ Scalable measured values</li> <li>■ Variable decimal place setting</li> <li>■ Adjustable zero point</li> <li>■ Supply voltage 10...32 V</li> <li>■ 2 programmable relay outputs, each as limit switch/comparator</li> <li>■ Cam</li> <li>■ 2-point controller</li> <li>■ 1 configurable input</li> <li>■ External zeroing</li> <li>■ Retention of the display value</li> <li>■ Integrated transducer supply voltage 300 mA, 5 V or 24 V</li> <li>■ Insulated DIN housing for mounting in front panel (clamp included in the scope of delivery)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ 8 programmable outputs</li> <li>■ 8 directional switching points possible</li> <li>■ LED display, six 14-mm high red 7-segment digits</li> <li>■ Switching points can be monitored using LEDs on the front panel</li> <li>■ 300 switching points can be distributed over up to 15 programs</li> <li>■ Adjustable top dead center/zero point shift</li> <li>■ Dynamic dead-time compensation for each individual switching point</li> <li>■ Multiple BDD-CC 08 units can be wired in parallel</li> <li>■ Integrated transducer supply voltage 300 mA, 5 V or 24 V</li> <li>■ Insulated DIN housing for mounting in front panel (clamp included in the scope of delivery)</li> </ul> |



Housing depth 110 mm



Housing depth 110 mm

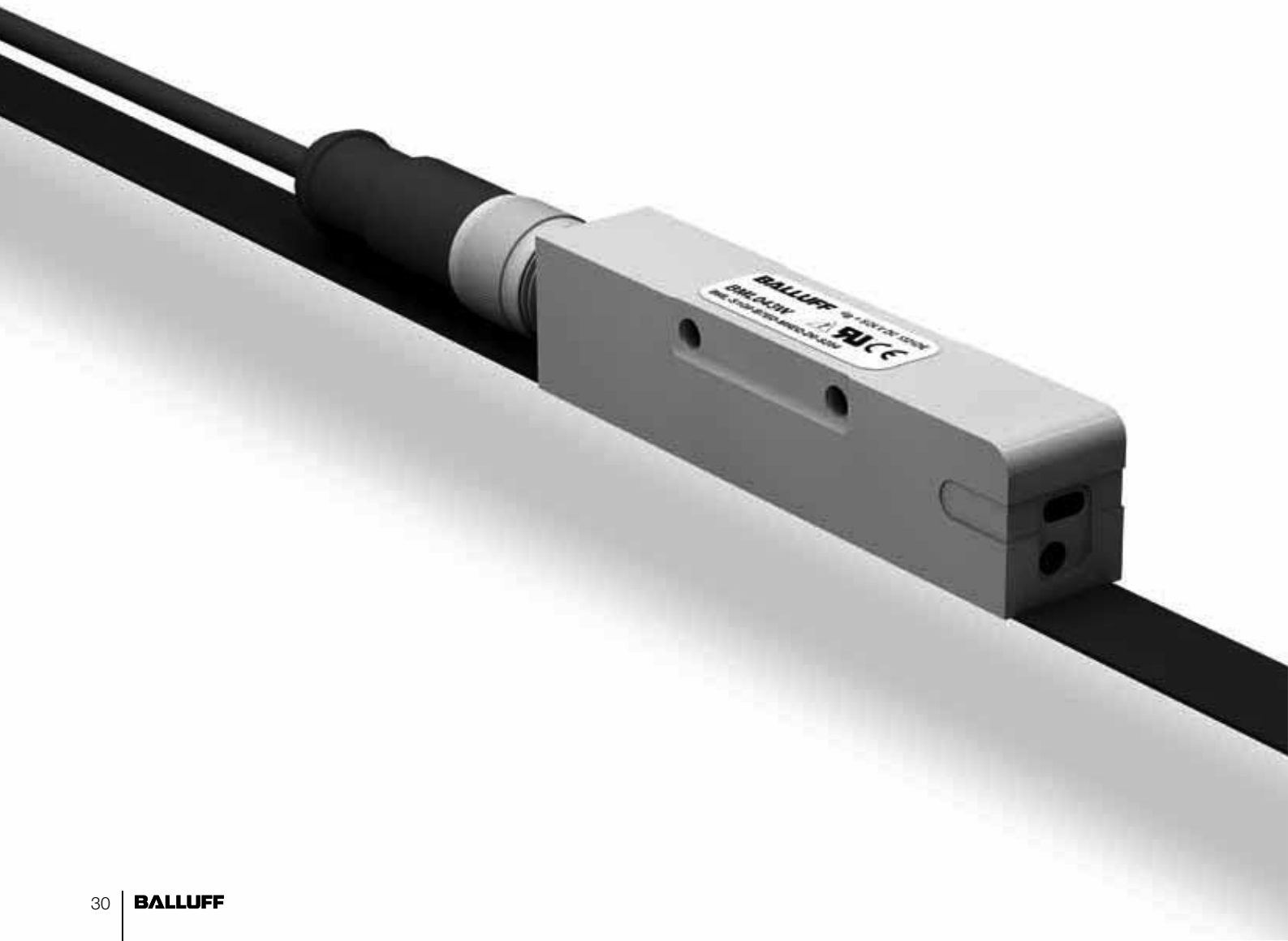


# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## S1G Series, 1 $\mu\text{m}$ Absolute

The absolutely coded position measurement system BML-S1G offers high resolutions at large measuring lengths.

The rugged metal housing with stainless steel-encapsulated floor protects against electromagnetic influences and allows for reliable operation even in heavily contaminated environments. With the absolute coding, the position value is available immediately after the system is switched on. The installation tolerances and the LED feedback make it really easy to set up and install the system. The diagnostic function enables fast error detection and thus provides for short downtimes during setup and when errors arise.





# S1G Series, Absolute Contents

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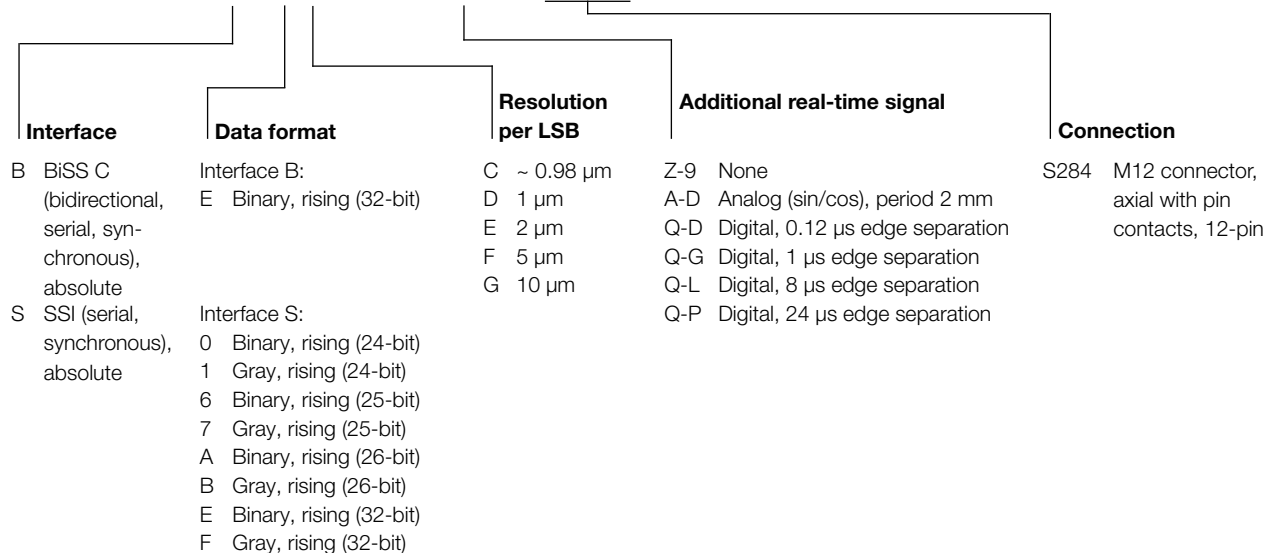
- Absolute measurement system
- Additional real-time signals for fast control applications (sin/cos or RS422)
- $\pm 20 \mu\text{m}$  system accuracy
- 1  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution
- Rugged metal housing
- Very easy installation with multicolored LED
- Large installation tolerances
- Signal period 2 mm
- Large length up to 48 m



**Connection cables**  
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**Ordering example: sensor head**

**BML-S1G0-7-M5E-0-S284**



**Preferred models**

- **BML-S1G0-S7ED-M5EA-D0-S284 (BML041H)**  
SSI interface, 1  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution, additional real-time signal sin/cos, M12 connector, 12-pin
- **BML-S1G0-B7ED-M5EZ-90-S284 (BML042T)**  
BiSS-C interface, 1  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution, without real-time signal, M12 connector, 12-pin

# For large lengths

## S1G Series, Absolute SSI Interface, BiSS-C interface



|                                      |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| Series                               | <b>BML-S1G...</b>  |
| Output signal                        | Absolute: SSI or BiSS C, additional real-time signal sin/cos, 1 V <sub>pp</sub> or RS422 |
| Data format                          | 24, 25, 26 or 32 bit   |
| Resolution                           | ~0.98, 1, 2, 5 or 10 μm  |
| Part number                          | BML-S1G0-B/S7_ _-M5E_ _0-S284  |
| Repeat accuracy                      | ±1 increment   |
| Overall system accuracy              | ±20 μm   |
| Supply voltage                       | 5 V ±5 % and 10...28 V DC  |
| Current consumption                  | 70 mA at 24 V DC supply voltage  |
| Max. read distance sensor/tape       | 0.8 mm (without cover strip)   |
| Max. measuring length                | 48 m   |
| Pole pitch, fine interpolation track | 2 mm   |
| Max. travel speed                    | 10 m/s   |
| Measurement rate                     | f <sub>STANDARD</sub> = 50 kHz (SSI), f <sub>STANDARD</sub> = 10 MHz (BiSS C)            |
| Operating temperature                | -20...+70 °C   |
| Storage temperature                  | -25...+85 °C   |
| Housing material                     | Zinc, surface coated   |
| Degree of protection                 | IP 67  |

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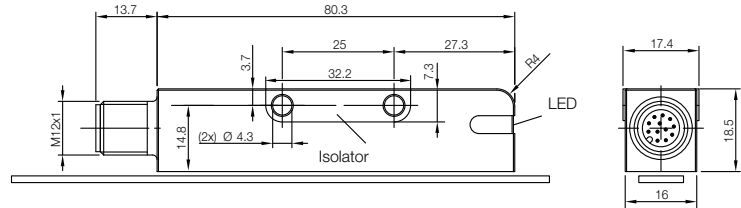
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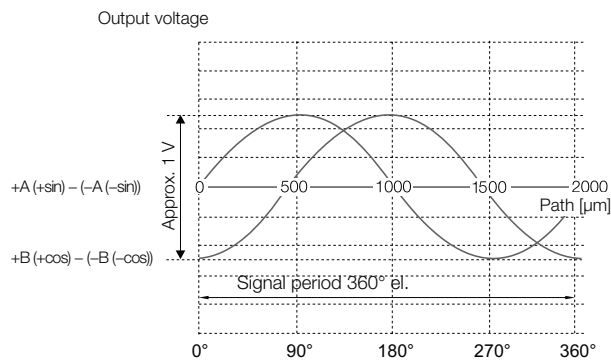
All data applies in conjunction with tape BML-M02-A33... (see page 35)



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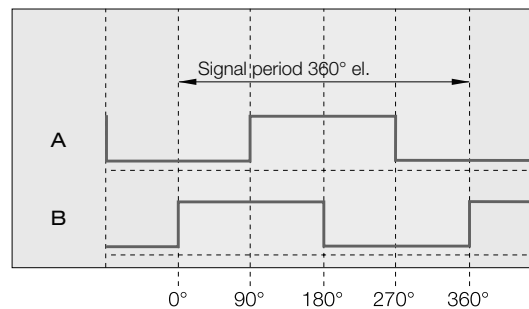
### Additional analog, incremental real-time signal (BML-S1G0- \_ \_ \_ \_-M5EA\_ \_0-...)

In addition to the SSI or BiSS signal, an analog real-time signal sin/cos 1 V<sub>pp</sub> is output for highly dynamic control applications.



### Additional digital, incremental real-time signal (BML-S1G0- \_ \_ \_ \_-M5EQ\_ \_0-...)

In addition to the SSI or BiSS signal, a digital differential voltage signal is output to the controller (RS422).



**SSI Interface**

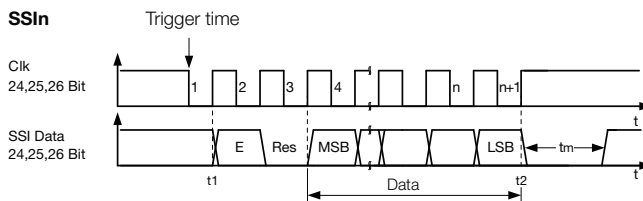
The SSI interface provides synchronous serial data transmission and is suitable for controllers from different manufacturers.

Reliable signal transmission, even with cable lengths of up to 400 m between controller and transducer. This is guaranteed by the especially interference-free RS485/422 differential drivers and receivers. Any interference signals are effectively suppressed.

The standard BML is factory-configured with the following settings for the position output, which cannot be modified later:

- optionally 24, 25, 26 or 32-bit
- Binary or Gray-coded

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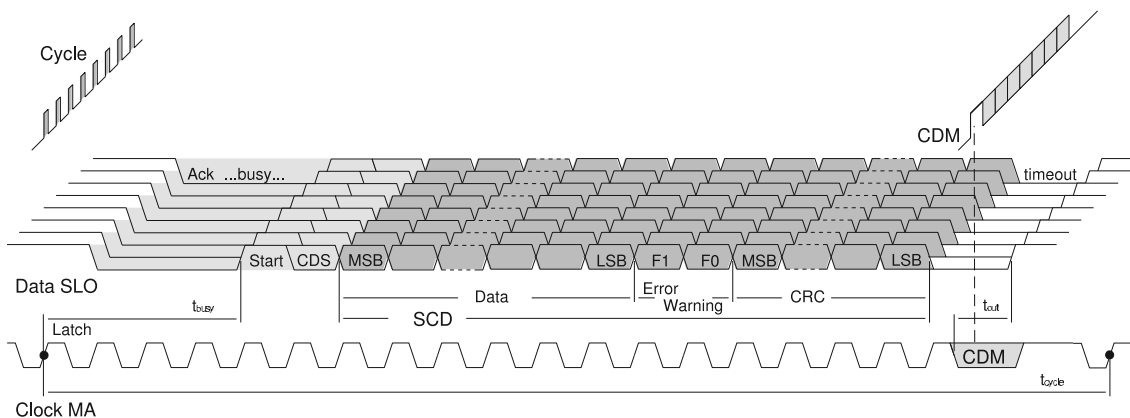


**BiSS-C interface**

BiSS C stands for the synchronous serial data transmitter and is suitable for controllers from different manufacturers.

Unlike SSI, the data transmission is bidirectional. In BiSS-C mode, settings can be (continuously) configured on the sensor head without interrupting the sensor data.

BiSS-C supports CRC, warnings and error messages.



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# S1G Series, Absolute Magnetic tape



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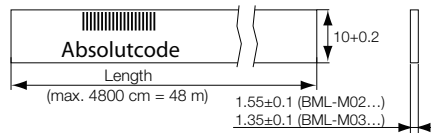
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Accessories

Basic Information and Definitions

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Series                 | <b>Magnetic tape</b>                    |
| Output signal          | for BML-S1G                             |
| <b>Ordering code</b>   |   |
| Part number            | BML-M02-A55-A3-M0100-E                  |
| Length                 | e.g. 100 cm                             |
| Magnetic tape material | Rubber ferrite, stainless steel carrier |
| Cover strip material   | Stainless steel                         |



## Ordering example: magnetic tape

**BML - M0**  - **A55 - A**  - **M**  - **E**

### Thickness

- 2 1.55 mm  
Has an adhesive strip for fastening (with protective foil)
- 3 1.35 mm  
Without adhesive strip

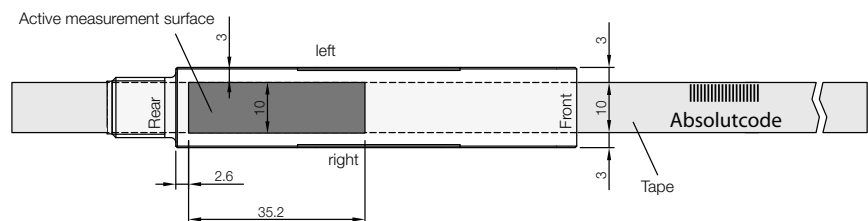
### Cover strip

- 0 No cover strip
- 3 With cover strip

### Length in cm

Order length, max. 4800 = 48 m

## Positioning



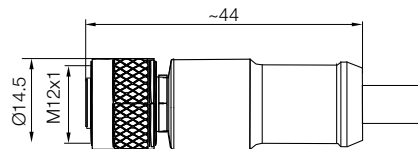


# S1G Series, Absolute

## Connection cables



|                             |                      |   |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---|--|
| Accessories                 |                      | <b>M12 connection cable</b>   |  |
|                             |                      | 12-pin, female straight   |  |
| Series                      |                      | BML-S1H...-S284   |  |
| Length 2 m                  | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09MW</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PSOC08-020-C009  |  |
| Length 5 m                  | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09MY</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PSOC08-050-C009  |  |
| Length 10 m                 | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09MZ</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PSOC08-100-C009  |  |
| Length 15 m                 | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09N0</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PSOC08-150-C009  |  |
| Length 20 m                 | <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BCC09N1</b>  |  |
|                             | Part number          | BCC M41C-0000-1A-169-PSOC08-200-C009  |  |
| Material                    |                      | PUR, with plug, molded, black   |  |
| Description/additional data |                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Cable: Ø 4.9 mm, 12×0.08 mm<sup>2</sup></li> <li>■ Bending radius:<br/>15×D (dynamic), 7.5×D (static)</li> <li>■ Temperature range: -25 °C...+70 °C</li> </ul> |  |



# S1G Series, Absolute Digital display, CAM controller



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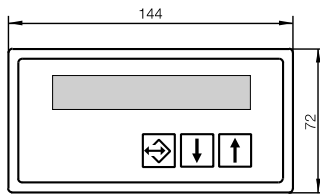
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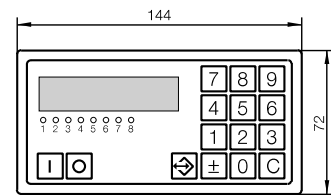
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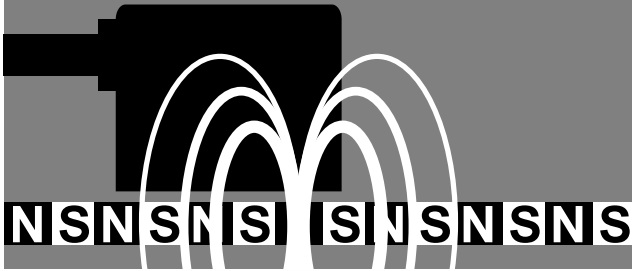
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|---------------|---|---|
| Series        | BDD-AM 10-1-SSD<br>Digital display<br>SSI Interface   | BDD-CC 08-1-SSD<br>CAM controller<br>SSI Interface  |
| Ordering code | <b>BAE0069</b>  | <b>BAE006F</b>  |
| Part number   | BDD-AM 10-1-SSD   | BDD-CC 08-1-SSD   |
| Features      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ 7 1/2-digit display with leading sign</li> <li>■ LED display, 14 mm-high red 7-segment digits</li> <li>■ Scalable measured values</li> <li>■ Variable decimal place setting</li> <li>■ Adjustable zero point</li> <li>■ Supply voltage 10...32 V</li> <li>■ 2 programmable relay outputs, each as limit switch/comparator</li> <li>■ Cam</li> <li>■ 2-point controller</li> <li>■ 1 configurable input</li> <li>■ External zeroing</li> <li>■ Retention of the display value</li> <li>■ Integrated transducer supply voltage 300 mA, 5 V or 24 V</li> <li>■ Insulated DIN housing for mounting in front panel (clamp included in the scope of delivery)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ 8 programmable outputs</li> <li>■ 8 directional switching points possible</li> <li>■ LED display, six 14-mm high red 7-segment digits</li> <li>■ Switching points can be monitored using LEDs on the front panel</li> <li>■ 300 switching points can be distributed over up to 15 programs</li> <li>■ Adjustable top dead center/zero point shift</li> <li>■ Dynamic dead-time compensation for each individual switching point</li> <li>■ Multiple BDD-CC 08 units can be wired in parallel</li> <li>■ Integrated transducer supply voltage 300 mA, 5 V or 24 V</li> <li>■ Insulated DIN housing for mounting in front panel (clamp included in the scope of delivery)</li> </ul> |



Housing depth 110 mm



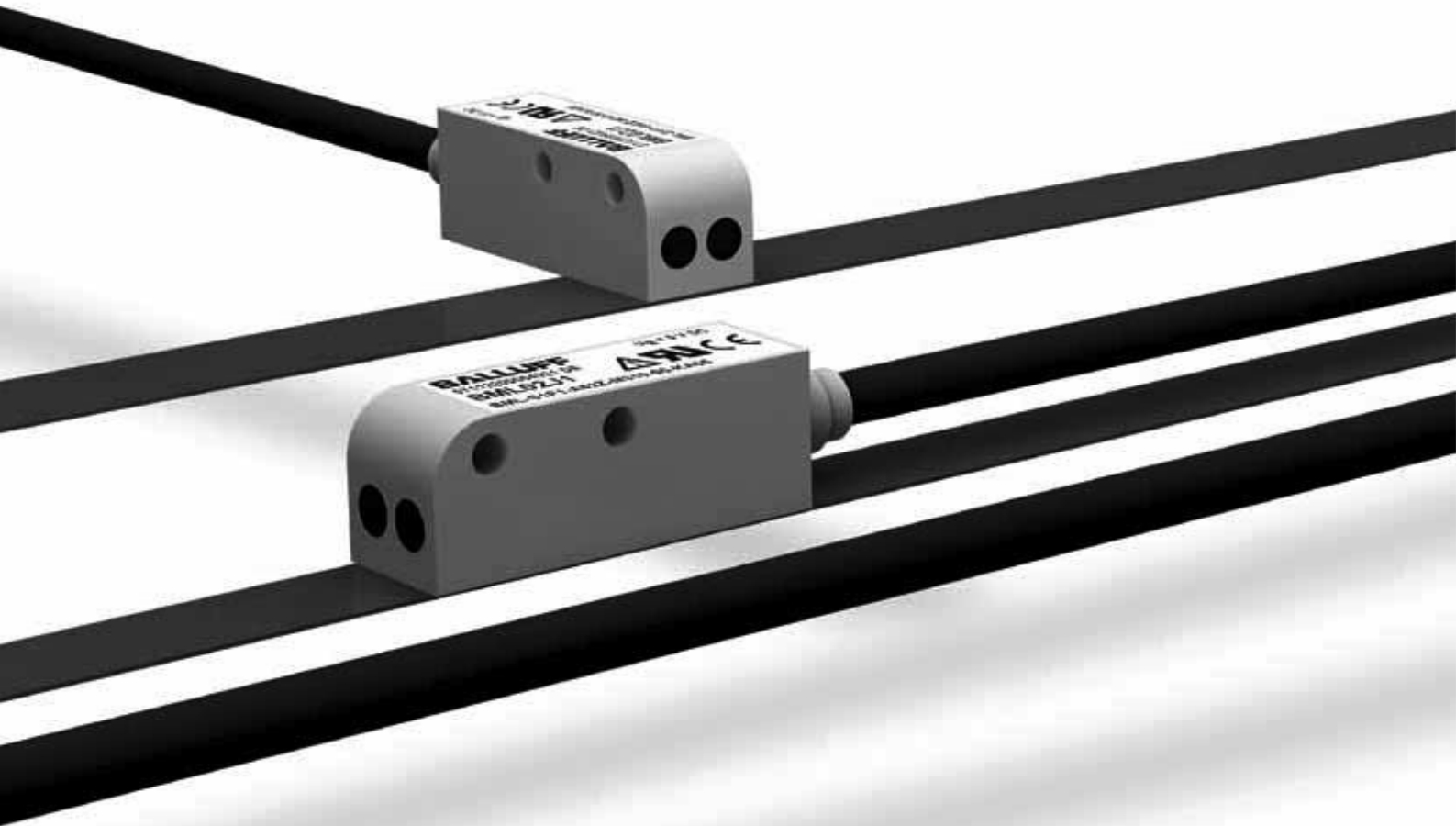
Housing depth 110 mm



# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## S1F Series, Incremental

With the S1F sensor heads, the magnetically coded position and angle measurement system BML provides high-resolution designs in robust metal housings. They also detect reference points on the tape. The S1F series can be used either parallel or perpendicular. The S1F series has an extremely compact design and is therefore easy to integrate in systems with restricted installation space.



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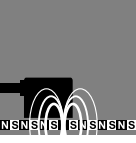
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# S1F Series, Incremental

## General data



### Features

- 1  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution (digital)
- $\pm 10 \mu\text{m}$  system accuracy permits high gain factors
- High repeat accuracy  $\pm 1$  increment
- Reference signal
- Smallest design
- Rugged metal housing
- Mounted parallel or perpendicular to tape
- Pole pitch 1 mm

Ordering example: sensor head, pole width 1 mm

**BML-S1F - A62Z - M3 0-90 -** (with analog output signal sin/cos)  
**BML-S1F - Q61 - M3 0-0 -** (with digital square-wave signal RS422)

| Approach direction | Resolution         | Reference signal                 | Min. Edge separation*                                    | Connection          |                     |
|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 Parallel         | D 1 $\mu\text{m}$  | 0 None                           | D 0.12 $\mu\text{s}$                                     | KA02 PUR cable 2 m  |                     |
| 2 Perpendicular    | E 2 $\mu\text{m}$  | 1 Individually or fixed-periodic | E 0.29 $\mu\text{s}$                                     | KA05 PUR cable 5 m  |                     |
|                    | F 5 $\mu\text{m}$  |                                  | F 0.48 $\mu\text{s}$                                     | KA10 PUR cable 10 m |                     |
|                    | G 10 $\mu\text{m}$ |                                  | 2 Pole-periodic, only with digital design<br>...-Q61_... | G 1 $\mu\text{s}$   | KA15 PUR cable 15 m |
|                    |                    |                                  |  | H 2 $\mu\text{s}$   | KA20 PUR cable 20 m |
|                    |                    |                                  | K 4 $\mu\text{s}$  |                     |                     |
|                    |                    |                                  | L 8 $\mu\text{s}$  |                     |                     |
|                    |                    |                                  | N 16 $\mu\text{s}$                                       |                     |                     |
|                    |                    |                                  | P 24 $\mu\text{s}$                                       |                     |                     |

Sensor connectors (e.g. SUB-D) are available on request.  
 Better resolution and accuracy available on request.

**\* For selection guide, see page 42:**  
 Resolution – speed – edge separation

### Preferred models

■ **BML-S1F1-A62Z-M310-90-KA05 (BML02J1):**

Installed parallel to tape, analog output sin/cos, with reference signal, 5 m cable

■ **BML-S1F1-Q61D-M310-F0-KA05 (BML001A):**

Installed parallel to tape, RS422 digital signal, with reference signal, 5-m cable, resolution 1  $\mu\text{m}$ , edge separation 0.48  $\mu\text{s}$ , max. travel speed 1 m/s

# Compact and high-resolution

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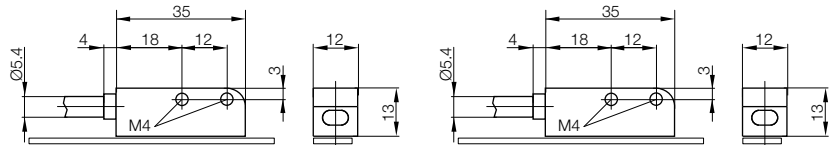
S2B/S2E/S1C Series

Accessories

Basic Information and Definitions

| Series                                    | BML-S1F_-Q...  | BML-S1F_-A...  |
|---|--|--|
| Output signal                             | Digital square-wave signals RS422<br>A, /A, B, /B, Z, /Z                           | Sinusoidal analog signals sin/cos<br>A, /A, B, /B, Z, /Z                           |
| Resolution                                | 1 μm, 2 μm, 5 μm or 10 μm  | Depends on evaluation, up to 0.25 μm   |
| Pole pitch signal periods                 | 1 mm   | 1 mm   |
| Part number                               | BML-S1F_-Q61_-M3_0-_0-_-_-_-   | BML-S1F_-A62Z-M3_0-90-_-_-_-   |
| Output voltage (A/B/Z)                    | RS422 to DIN 66259   | 1 V <sub>pp</sub>  |
| Overall system accuracy                   | ±10 μm   | ±10 μm   |
| Supply voltage                            | 5 V ±5%  | 5 V ±5%  |
| Current consumption at 5 V supply voltage | < 50 mA + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) | < 50 mA + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) |
| Max. read distance sensor/tape            | 0.35 mm  | 0.35 mm  |
| Max. travel speed                         | 20 m/s   | 20 m/s   |
| Operating temperature                     | -20...+80 °C   | -20...+80 °C   |
| Housing material                          | Aluminum   | Aluminum   |
| Degree of protection                      | IP 67  | IP 67  |

All specifications in conjunction with tape BML-...-I34... (see page 44).

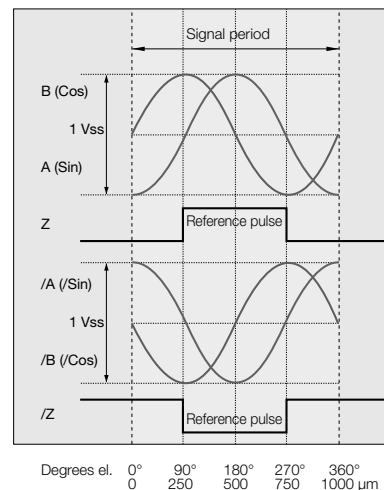
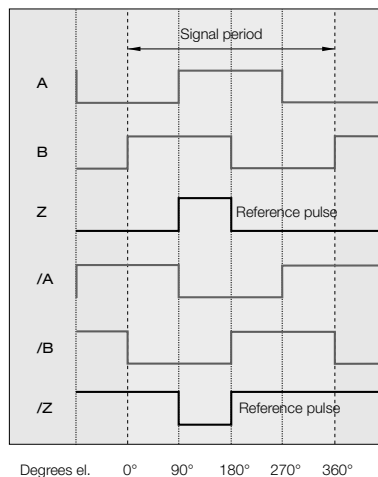


### Digital square-wave signals RS422

- RS422 square-wave signals in acc. with DIN 66259
- Direction information = 90° phase-shifted
- Resolution = edge separation A/B
- Differential signals
- Reference pulse (optional)
- Terminating resistor ≥ 120 ohms (usually integrated in the processor unit)
- Forward movement: A before B

### Sinusoidal analog signals 1 V<sub>pp</sub>

- Sinusoidal voltage signals
- Direction information = 90° phase-shifted
- Signal period = 1000 μm
- Differential signals
- Reference pulse (optional)
- Terminating resistor ≥ 120 ohms (usually integrated in the processor unit)
- Forward movement: A before B



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# S1F Series, Incremental

## Technical selection guide

The position measurement system BML must be exactly matched to the respective application. Use the technical selection guide. For additional examples, see Basic Information and Definitions on page 68

### Compatibility of the counting frequency of the controller and BML

Each sensor with a digital output signal has a characteristic minimum edge separation gap that the higher-level controller must reliably detect. We therefore recommend selecting a controller with a counting frequency that is higher than the theoretically calculated counting frequency.

### Maximum travel speed, resolution and edge separation

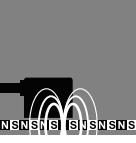
The following table shows the relationship between the selected resolution of the sensor head, the minimum edge separation and the potential travel speed:

| Min. edge separation        | Counting frequency (signal periods) | $V_{\max}$ in accordance with edge separation and resolution |                   |                   |                    |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
|                             |                                     | Mechanical resolution  |                   |                   |                    |
|                             |                                     | D 1 $\mu\text{m}$  | E 2 $\mu\text{m}$ | F 5 $\mu\text{m}$ | G 10 $\mu\text{m}$ |
| <b>D</b> 0.12 $\mu\text{s}$ | 2083.33 kHz                         | 5 m/s  | 10 m/s            | 20 m/s            | 20 m/s             |
| <b>E</b> 0.29 $\mu\text{s}$ | 862.07 kHz                          | 2 m/s  | 4 m/s             | 10 m/s            | 10 m/s             |
| <b>F</b> 0.48 $\mu\text{s}$ | 520.83 kHz                          | 1 m/s  | 2 m/s             | 5.41 m/s          | 5.41 m/s           |
| <b>G</b> 1 $\mu\text{s}$    | 250.00 kHz                          | 0.65 m/s   | 1.3 m/s           | 2.95 m/s          | 2.95 m/s           |
| <b>H</b> 2 $\mu\text{s}$    | 125.00 kHz                          | 0.3 m/s  | 0.6 m/s           | 1.54 m/s          | 1.54 m/s           |
| <b>K</b> 4 $\mu\text{s}$    | 62.50 kHz                           | 0.15 m/s   | 0.3 m/s           | 0.79 m/s          | 0.79 m/s           |
| <b>L</b> 8 $\mu\text{s}$    | 31.25 kHz                           | 0.075 m/s  | 0.15 m/s          | 0.34 m/s          | 0.34 m/s           |
| <b>N</b> 16 $\mu\text{s}$   | 15.63 kHz                           | 0.039 m/s  | 0.079 m/s         | 0.19 m/s          | 0.19 m/s           |
| <b>P</b> 24 $\mu\text{s}$   | 10.42 kHz                           | 0.026 m/s  | 0.052 m/s         | 0.13 m/s          | 0.13 m/s           |

Table 1: Selection guide for maximum travel speed of the S1F series

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Accessories can be found on page 62.

### Rotary applications

The position measurement system BML enables the detection of rotary movements. The rotary tapes can be matched to the respective application. Use the technical selection guide for rotary systems.

### Determining the pulses per rotation

The number of required pulses per rotation varies depending on the application. It determines the resolution of the sensor head and the diameter of the magnet ring.

| Sensor head resolution | Pulses/revolution with 4-fold evaluation |                |                |
|------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|
|                        | Ø of magnet ring, outside                |                |                |
|                        | 72 mm                                    | 75 mm          | 122 mm         |
| <b>Ordering code</b>   | <b>BML002K</b>                           | <b>BML01KM</b> | <b>BML01EW</b> |
| <b>D</b> = 1 µm        | 228000                                   | 238000         | 384000         |
| <b>E</b> = 2 µm        | 114000                                   | 119000         | 192000         |
| <b>F</b> = 5 µm        | 45600                                    | 47600          | 76800          |
| <b>G</b> = 10 µm       | 22800                                    | 23800          | 38400          |

Table 2: Selection guide for magnet rings from the S1F series

### Maximum speed

The speed and the diameter of the magnet ring determine the speed of the ring on the sensor head.

The maximum travel speed that the sensor can still identify depends on the resolution and the edge separation of the sensor head. Resolution and edge separation can be selected. A maximum speed is then calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Max. speed (rpm)} = \frac{60 \times \text{max. travel speed (m/s)}}{\pi \times \text{magnet ring diameter (m)}}$$

Refer to Table 1 for the maximum travel speed. When selecting a maximum speed for the application, we recommend using a value 10% lower than this value.

Example:

You are using a BML-S1F sensor with a resolution of 5 µm (F) and a minimum edge separation of 1 µs (G). For this sensor, Table 1 gives a maximum travel speed of 2.95 m/s.

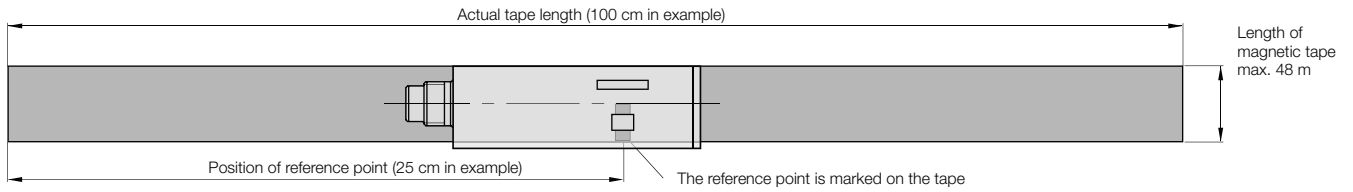
If the magnet ring diameter is 72 mm = 0.072 m, a speed of 783 rpm can be achieved according to the formula. The maximum speed of 705 rpm should not be exceeded.

Look-up table for max. RPM, see Table 2, page 77.

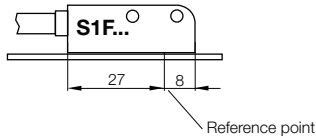


# S1F Series, Incremental Magnetic tape

## Position of single reference point using example of BML-M02-I34-A3-M0100-R0025/0000



## Typical position of reference points in sensor head



## Ordering example: fabricated magnetic tape, pole width 1 mm

**BML - M - - - - I3 - - A - - M - - - - - - - - - -**

| Design                                | Accuracy class                                  | Cover strip   | Length in cm                   | Reference point positions   |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------|---|
| 02 1.55 mm thick, with adhesive strip | 4 $\pm 8 \mu\text{m}$<br>5 $\pm 18 \mu\text{m}$ | 0 Without cover strip<br>3 With cover strip (thickness 0.15 mm) | Order length, max. 4800 = 48 m | R0000 None or pole-periodic<br>Rxxxx/0000 Position of 1 reference point in cm<br>Rxxxx/yyyy Position of no more than 2 reference points in cm<br>C0006/yyyy Fixed-periodic* all yyyy cm, 0002, 0005, 0010, 0020 |

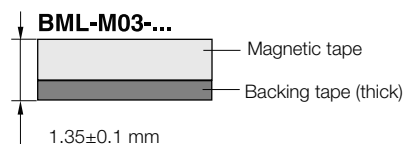
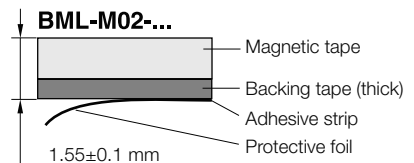
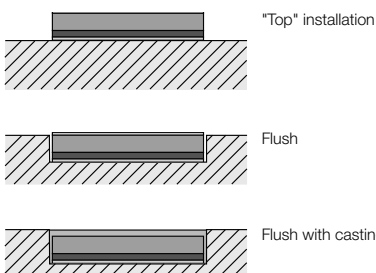
\* Fixed-periodic reference point only for BML-M02-I34...

## Ordering example: Magnetic tape by the roll, pole width 1 mm

**BML - M02 - I3 - - - - A0 - T - - - - - - - - - - R0000**

| Accuracy class                                  | Length    |
|---|-----------|
| 4 $\pm 8 \mu\text{m}$                           | 0500 5 m  |
| 5 $\pm 18 \mu\text{m}$                          | 1000 10 m |
| (Better accuracy classes available on request.) | 2400 24 m |
|   | 4800 48 m |

## Magnetic tape mounting options



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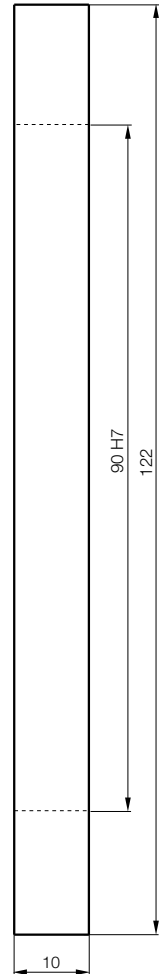
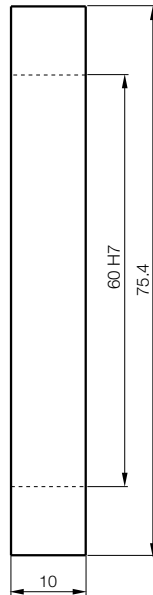
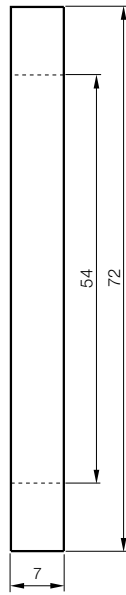
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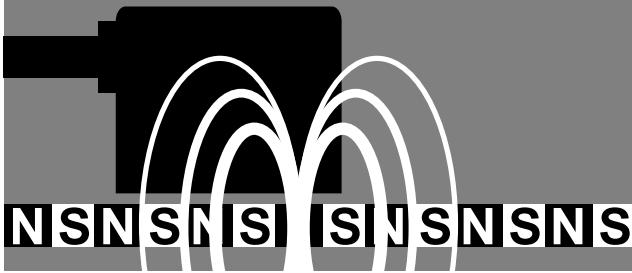
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| Series               | Sensor family F            | Sensor family F                     | Sensor family F                     |
|----------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BML002K</b>             | <b>BML01KM</b>                      | <b>BML01EW</b>                      |
| Part number          | BML-M20-I30-A0-M072/054-R0 | BML-M31-I30-A0-M075/060-R0          | BML-M30-I30-A0-M122/090-R0          |
| Number of poles      | 228                        | 238                                 | 384                                 |
| Pole width           | 1 mm                       | 1 mm                                | 1 mm                                |
| With reference mark  | No                         | No                                  | No                                  |
| Material             | Hard ferrite               | Elastomer on steel ring with fit H7 | Elastomer on steel ring with fit H7 |





# Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System

## S2B/S2E/S1C Series, Incremental

With the S2B/S2E/S1C sensor heads, the magnetically coded position and angle measurement system BML provides three systems for optimum adaptation to your measuring task. Resolution and accuracy can be appropriately selected depending on the application. Integration of reference points is also possible. All three systems have a compact design and the same dimensions throughout the series, making them extremely versatile to integrate.



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### Features

- 5 µm resolution
- System accuracy to ±50 µm
- High repeat accuracy ±1 increment
- 20 m/s maximum travel speed
- Digital square-wave signals RS422 or 10...30 V
- Two freely positionable limit switches
- Reference signal
- LED display for reference signal
- Pole width 5 mm

Ordering example: sensor head, pole width 5 mm

**BML-S2E0-Q** [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] **-M4** [ ] [ ] **-0-** [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]  
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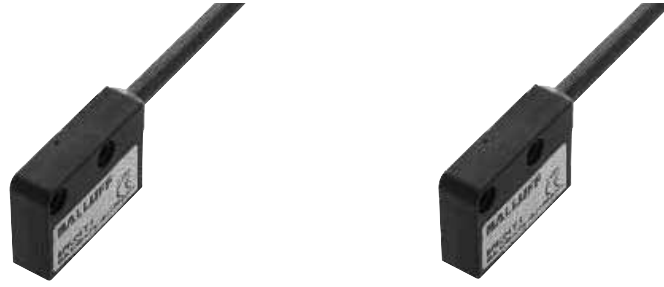
| Operating voltage | Output voltage                                      | Resolution | Reference signal                 | Limit switch                                      | Min. edge separation* | Connection          |
|-------------------|---|------------|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 5                 | 1 Digital   | F 5 µm     | 0 None                           | 0 No  | D 0.12 µs             | KA02 PUR cable 2 m  |
| 10...30 V         | 3 Level same as supply voltage (only for 10...30 V) | G 10 µm    | 1 Individually or fixed-periodic | 3 Two limit switches (including 1 set of magnets) | E 0.29 µs             | KA05 PUR cable 5 m  |
|                   |   | H 25 µm    |                                  |   | F 0.48 µs             | KA10 PUR cable 10 m |
|                   |   | K 50 µm    | 2 Pole-periodic                  | G 1 µs  | KA15 PUR cable 15 m   |                     |
|                   |   | L 8 µs     |                                  | H 2 µs  | KA20 PUR cable 20 m   |                     |
| 6                 | 5 V   |            |                                  |   | K 4 µs                |                     |
|                   |   |            |                                  |   | L 8 µs                |                     |
|                   |   |            |                                  |   | N 16 µs               |                     |
|                   |   |            |                                  |   | P 24 µs               |                     |

Sensor connectors (e.g. SUB-D or M12 connectors) are available on request.

**\* Selection guide, page 50:**  
Resolution – speed – edge separation

### Preferred models

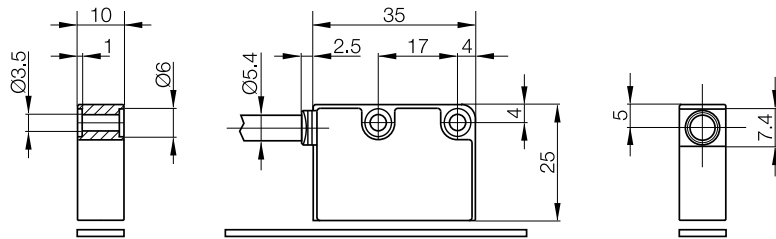
- **BML-S2B0-Q53F-M410-D0-KA05 (BML0211)**  
Digital signal, 10...30 V, with reference signal, 5 m cable, resolution 5 µm, edge separation 0.12 µs, max. travel speed 20 m/s
- **BML-S2E0-Q53G-M410-P0-KA05 (BML00JC)**  
Digital signal, 10...30 V, with reference signal, 5 m cable, resolution 10 µm, edge separation 24 µs, max. travel speed 26 cm/s
- **BML-S2E0-Q61F-M410-G0-KA05 (BML001E)**  
Digital signal, 5 V, with reference signal, 5 m cable, resolution 5 µm, edge separation 1 µs, max. travel speed 3.25 m/s



| Series  | BML-S2B0-...   | BML-S2E0-...   |
|---|--|--|
| Output signal                                   | Digital square-wave signals<br>A, /A, B, /B, Z, /Z (RS422) or A, B, Z (HTL)        | Digital square-wave signals<br>A, /A, B, /B, Z, /Z (RS422) or A, B, Z (HTL)        |
| Resolution                                      | 5 µm, 10 µm, 25 µm or 50 µm  | 5 µm, 10 µm, 25 µm or 50 µm  |
| Pole pitch, signal periods                      | 5 mm   | 5 mm   |
| Part number                                     | BML-S2B0-Q__-M4_-0-__  | BML-S2E0-Q__-M4_-0-__  |
| Output voltage (A/B/Z)                          | RS422 as per DIN 66259<br>or as supply voltage 10...30 V                           | RS422 as per DIN 66259<br>or as supply voltage 10...30 V                           |
| Overall system accuracy                         | ±50 µm   | ±100 µm  |
| Supply voltage                                  | 10...30 V or 5 V ±5%   | 10...30 V or 5 V ±5%   |
| Current consumption at 5 V supply voltage       | < 50 mA + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) | < 50 mA + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) |
| Current consumption at 10...30 V supply voltage | < 40 mA + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) | < 40 mA + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) |
| Max. read distance sensor/tape                  | 2 mm   | 2 mm   |
| Max. travel speed                               | 20 m/s   | 20 m/s   |
| Operating temperature                           | -20...+80 °C   | -20...+80 °C   |
| Housing material                                | PBT  | PBT  |
| Degree of protection                            | IP 67  | IP 67  |

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All specifications in conjunction with tape BML-...-I45-... (BML-S2B0...) or BML-...-I46-... (BML-S2E0...) at a read distance of 1 mm (see page 52).



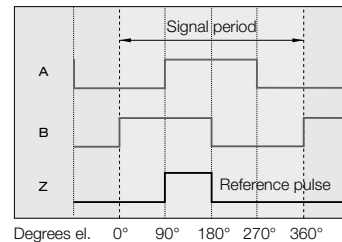
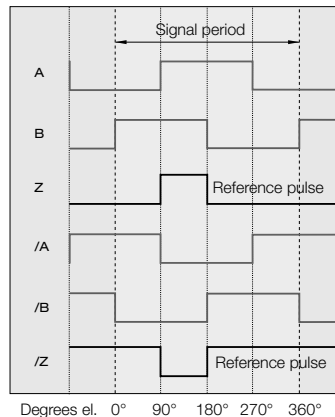
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**Digital square-wave signals RS422**

- RS422 square-wave signals in acc. with DIN 66259
- Direction information = 90° phase-shifted
- Resolution = edge separation A/B
- Differential signals
- Reference pulse (optional)
- Terminating resistor ≥ 120 ohms (usually integrated in the processor unit)
- Forward movement: A before B

**Digital square-wave signals HTL**

- Square-wave signals HTL = Level same as supply voltage
- Direction information = 90° phase-shifted
- Resolution = edge separation A/B
- Reference pulse (optional)
- Terminating resistor > 5 kOhms (usually integrated in the processor unit)
- Forward movement: A before B



**Caution!**  
Before design, installation and startup please familiarize yourself with the user's guide to be found at [www.balluff.com](http://www.balluff.com).

# S2B/S2E Series, Incremental

## Technical selection guide

The position measurement system BML must be exactly matched to the respective application. Use the technical selection guide. For additional examples, see Basic Information and Definitions on page 68.

### Compatibility of the counting frequency of the controller and BML

Each sensor with a digital output signal has a characteristic minimum edge separation gap, that the higher-level controller must reliably detect. We therefore recommend selecting a controller with a counting frequency that is higher than the theoretically calculated counting frequency.

### Maximum travel speed, resolution and edge separation

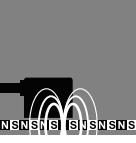
The following tables show the relationship between the selected resolution of the sensor head, the minimum edge separation and the potential travel speed:

| Min. edge separation        | Counting frequency (signal periods) | $V_{max}$ in accordance with edge separation and resolution |                    |                    |                    |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
|                             |                                     | Mechanical resolution                                       |                    |                    |                    |
|                             |                                     | F 5 $\mu\text{m}$   | G 10 $\mu\text{m}$ | H 25 $\mu\text{m}$ | K 50 $\mu\text{m}$ |
| <b>D</b> 0.12 $\mu\text{s}$ | 2083.33 kHz                         | 20 m/s  | 20 m/s             | 20 m/s             | 20 m/s             |
| <b>E</b> 0.29 $\mu\text{s}$ | 862.07 kHz                          | 10 m/s  | 20 m/s             | 20 m/s             | 20 m/s             |
| <b>F</b> 0.48 $\mu\text{s}$ | 520.83 kHz                          | 5 m/s   | 10 m/s             | 20 m/s             | 20 m/s             |
| <b>G</b> 1 $\mu\text{s}$    | 250.00 kHz                          | 3.25 m/s  | 6.5 m/s            | 14.75 m/s          | 14.75 m/s          |
| <b>H</b> 2 $\mu\text{s}$    | 125.00 kHz                          | 1.5 m/s   | 3 m/s              | 7.7 m/s            | 7.7 m/s            |
| <b>K</b> 4 $\mu\text{s}$    | 62.50 kHz                           | 0.75 m/s  | 1.5 m/s            | 3.95 m/s           | 3.95 m/s           |
| <b>L</b> 8 $\mu\text{s}$    | 31.25 kHz                           | 0.375 m/s   | 0.75 m/s           | 1.7 m/s            | 1.7 m/s            |
| <b>N</b> 16 $\mu\text{s}$   | 15.63 kHz                           | 0.195 m/s   | 0.395 m/s          | 0.95 m/s           | 0.95 m/s           |
| <b>P</b> 24 $\mu\text{s}$   | 10.42 kHz                           | 0.13 m/s  | 0.26 m/s           | 0.65 m/s           | 0.65 m/s           |

Table 1: Selection guide for maximum travel speed of the S2B/S2E series

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### Rotary applications

The position measurement system BML enables the detection of rotary movements. The rotary tapes can be matched to the respective application. Use the technical selection guide for rotary systems.

### Determining the pulses per rotation

The number of required pulses per rotation varies depending on the application. It determines the resolution of the sensor head and the diameter of the magnet ring.

| Sensor head resolution | Pulses/revolution with 4-fold evaluation |                                  |                                  |
|------------------------|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                        | Ø of magnet ring, outside                |                                  |                                  |
| Ordering code          | 31 mm                                    | 49 mm                            | 72 mm                            |
| <b>F</b> = 5 µm        | <b>BML002T</b><br><b>BML002L</b>         | <b>BML002R</b><br><b>BML002M</b> | <b>BML002P</b><br><b>BML002N</b> |
| <b>G</b> = 10 µm       | 20000                                    | 32000                            | 46000                            |
| <b>H</b> = 25 µm       | 10000                                    | 16000                            | 23000                            |
| <b>K</b> = 50 µm       | 4000                                     | 6400                             | 9200                             |
|                        | 2000                                     | 3200                             | 4600                             |

Table 2: Selection guide for magnet rings from the S2B/S2E series

### Maximum speed

The speed and the diameter of the magnet ring determine the speed of the ring on the sensor head.

The maximum travel speed that the sensor can still identify depends on the resolution and the edge separation of the sensor head. Resolution and edge separation can be selected. A maximum speed is then calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Max. speed (rpm)} = \frac{60 \times \text{max. travel speed (m/s)}}{\pi \times \text{magnet ring diameter (m)}}$$

Refer to Table 1 for the maximum travel speed. When selecting a maximum speed for the application, we recommend using a value 10% lower than this value.

Example:

You are using a BML-S2B sensor with a resolution of 5 µm (F) and a minimum edge separation of 1 µs (G). For this sensor, Table 1 gives a maximum travel speed of 3.25 m/s.

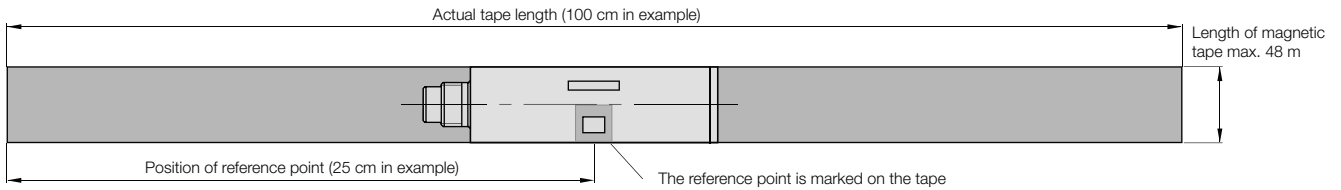
If the magnet ring diameter is 48 mm = 0.048 m, a speed of 1293 rpm can be achieved using the formula. The maximum speed of 1164 rpm should not be exceeded.

Look-up table for max. RPM, see Table 2, page 77.

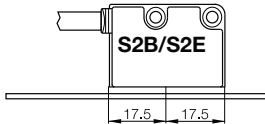


# S2B/S2E Series, Incremental Magnetic tape

## Position of single reference point using example of BML-M02-I45-A0-M0100-R0025/0000



## Typical position of reference points in sensor head



## Ordering example: fabricated magnetic tape, pole width 5 mm

**BML - M**  **- I4**  **- A**  **- M**  **-**

| Design                                   | Accuracy class                                   | Cover strip                            | Length in cm                   | Reference point positions                                     |
|--|--|--|--------------------------------|---|
| 02 1.55 mm thick, with adhesive strip    | 5 $\pm 18 \mu\text{m}$<br>6 $\pm 50 \mu\text{m}$ | 0 Without cover strip                  | Order length, max. 4800 = 48 m | R0000 None or pole-periodic                                   |
| 03 1.35 mm thick, without adhesive strip |  | 3 With cover strip (thickness 0.15 mm) |                                | Rxxxx/ 0000 Position of 1 reference point in cm               |
|  |  |  |                                | Rxxxx/ yyyy Position of no more than 2 reference points in cm |
|  |  |  |                                | C0006/ yyyy Fixed-periodic* all yyyy cm, 0005, 0010           |

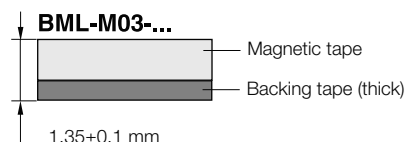
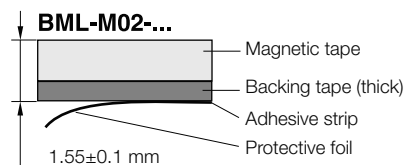
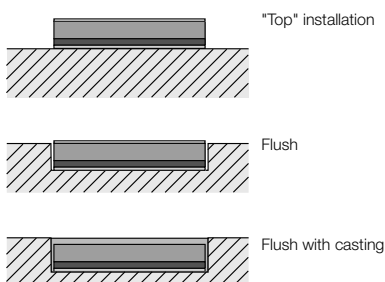
\* Fixed-periodic reference point only for type BML-M02-I45-...

## Ordering example: Magnetic tape by the roll, pole width 5 mm

**BML - M02 - I4**  **- A0 - T**  **- R0000**

| Accuracy class                                 | Length    |
|--|-----------|
| 5 $\pm 18 \mu\text{m}$                         | 0500 5 m  |
| 6 $\pm 50 \mu\text{m}$                         | 1000 10 m |
| (Better accuracy classes available on request) | 2400 24 m |
|  | 4800 48 m |

## Magnetic tape mounting options



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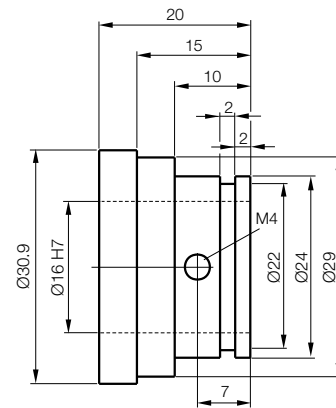
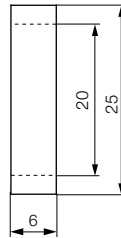
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| Series               | Sensor family B/E          | Sensor family B/E          |
|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BML04E2</b>             | <b>BML002T</b>             |
| Part number          | BML-M33-I40-A0-M025/020-R0 | BML-M22-I40-A0-M031/016-R0 |
| Number of poles      | 16                         | 20                         |
| Pole width           | 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       |
| With reference mark  | no                         | no                         |
| Material             | Plastic                    | Hard ferrite/aluminum      |



### Special solutions for a range of applications

Magnet rings are suitable for all types of application where the monitoring of rotary movements is required. Due to the high resolution, synchronous run monitoring is just as easy to implement as precision angle positioning.

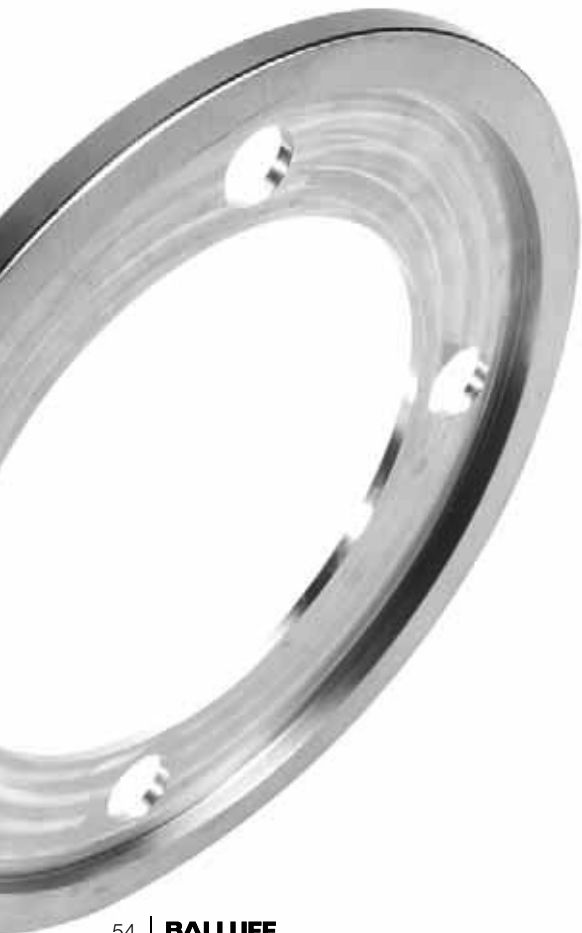
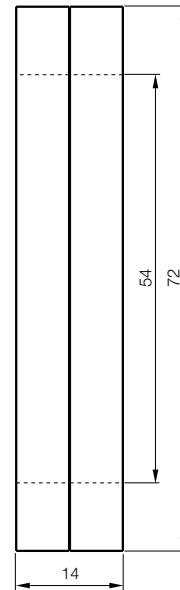
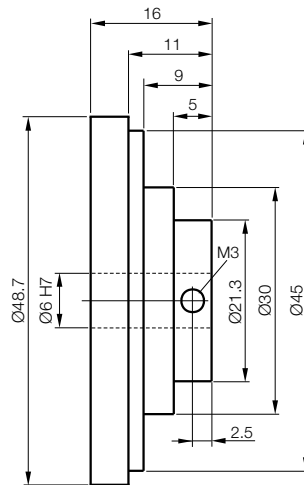
Balluff offers a range of standard rotary tapes that are suitable for most types of application. Due to the wide variety of different machine applications, special dimensions and magnetic configurations are available on request.

Even linear tapes can be used successfully in rotary applications. For example, the magnetic tape can simply be stuck to the shaft of a solar panel unit to monitor whether the panel is optimally aligned. Balluff also offers prefabricated magnetic tapes with holes for convenient, simplified installation.

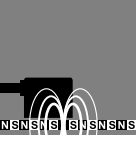
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|                      |                            |                            |  |
|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| Series               | Sensor family B/E          | Sensor family B/E          |  |
| <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BML002R</b>             | <b>BML002P</b>             |  |
| Part number          | BML-M21-I40-A0-M048/006-R0 | BML-M20-I40-A0-M072/054-R1 |  |
| Number of poles      | 32                         | 46                         |  |
| Pole width           | 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       |  |
| With reference mark  | No                         | Yes                        |  |
| Material             | Hard ferrite/aluminum      | Hard ferrite               |  |



# S2B/S2E Series, Incremental Magnet rings



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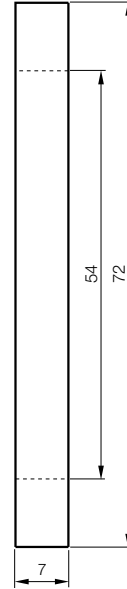
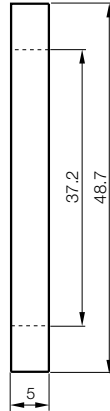
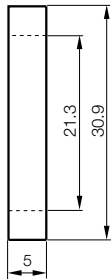
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| Sensor family B/E          | Sensor family B/E          | Sensor family B/E          |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>BML002L</b>             | <b>BML002M</b>             | <b>BML002N</b>             |
| BML-M20-I40-A0-M031/021-R0 | BML-M20-I40-A0-M048/037-R0 | BML-M20-I40-A0-M072/054-R0 |
| 20                         | 32                         | 46                         |
| 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       |
| No                         | No                         | No                         |
| Hard ferrite               | Hard ferrite               | Hard ferrite               |



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**Features**

- 0.1 mm resolution
- High repeat accuracy  $\pm 1$  increment
- 10 m/s maximum travel speed
- Gap between sensor and tape up to 2 mm
- Digital square-wave signals, output voltage 10...30 V (HTL)
- Cable connection
- 10...30 V DC supply voltage
- Pole width 5 mm

Ordering example: sensor head, pole width 5 mm

**BML - S1C0 - Q53 - M400 - 0 -**

| Resolution           | Max. edge separation* | Connection          |
|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| L 100 $\mu\text{m}$  | M 10 $\mu\text{s}$    | KA02 PUR cable 2 m  |
| M 200 $\mu\text{m}$  | R 100 $\mu\text{s}$   | KA05 PUR cable 5 m  |
| N 500 $\mu\text{m}$  |                       | KA10 PUR cable 10 m |
| P 1000 $\mu\text{m}$ |                       | KA15 PUR cable 15 m |
| R 2000 $\mu\text{m}$ |                       | KA20 PUR cable 20 m |

Sensor connectors (e.g. SUB-D or M12 connectors) are available on request.

**\* For selection guide, see page 58:**  
Resolution – speed – edge separation

**Preferred type**

■ **BML-S1C0-Q53L-M400-M0-KA05 (BML003U)**

Digital signal, 10...30 V, 5 m cable, resolution 0.1 mm, edge separation 10  $\mu\text{s}$ , max. travel speed up to 8 m/s

# S1C Series, Incremental

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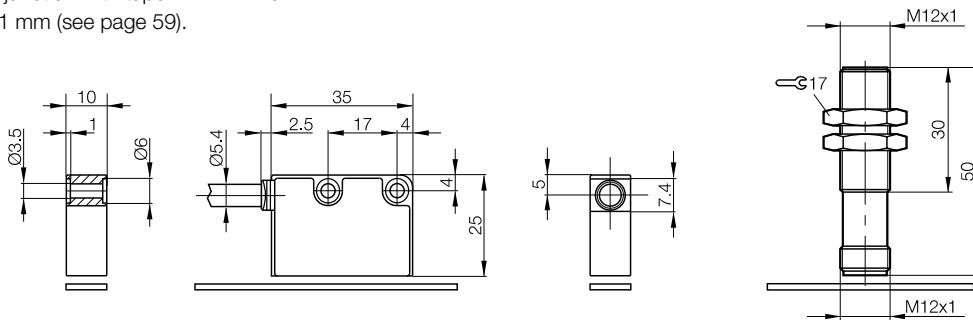
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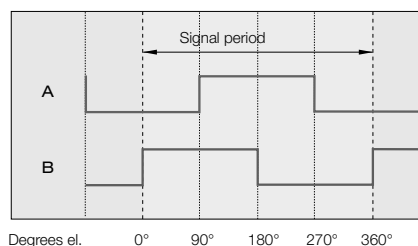
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|---|--|---|
| Series  | <b>BML-S1C0-...</b>  | <b>BMF 12M-...</b>                                      |
| Output signal                                   | Digital square-wave signals  | PNP/NPN normally open<br>1 switching operation per pole |
| Resolution                                      | 0.1 mm, 0.2 mm, 0.5 mm, 1 mm, 2 mm   |   |
| Pole pitch, signal periods                      | 5 mm   | 5 mm  |
| <b>Ordering code</b>                            |  | <b>BMF0022</b>  |
| Part number                                     | BML-S1C0-Q53_-M400-_0-KA_ _  | BMF 12M-PS-D-2-S4 (PNP normally open)                   |
| <b>Ordering code</b>                            |  | <b>BMF0021</b>  |
| Part number                                     |  | BMF 12M-NS-D-2-S4 (NPN normally open)                   |
| Output voltage (A/B)                            | Same as supply voltage 10...30 V   | Supply voltage $-U_d$                                   |
| Overall system accuracy                         | $\pm 100 \mu\text{m}$  | $> \pm 5 \text{ mm}$                                    |
| Supply voltage                                  | 10...30 V  | 10...30 V DC  |
| Voltage drop $U_d$                              |  | $\leq 3.15 \text{ V}$                                   |
| Current consumption at 10...30 V supply voltage | $< 40 \text{ mA}$ + current consumption of the controller (depending on internal resistance) | 200 mA  |
| Max. read distance sensor/tape                  | 2 mm   | 2 mm  |
| Max. travel speed                               | 10 m/s   | 7 kHz   |
| Operating temperature                           | $-20...+80 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$   | $-25...+85 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$                      |
| Housing material                                | PBT  | Brass-coated  |
| Degree of protection                            | IP 67  | IP 67   |

All data applies in conjunction with tape BML-...-I46-...  
at a read distance of 1 mm (see page 59).



### Digital square-wave signals HTL

- Square-wave signals HTL = Level same as supply voltage
- Direction information =  $90^\circ$  phase-shifted
- Resolution = edge separation A/B
- Terminating resistor  $\geq 120 \text{ ohms}$   
(integrated in the processor unit)



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## Technical selection guide

The position measurement system BML must be exactly matched to the respective application. Use the technical selection guide. For additional examples, see Basic Information and Definitions on page 68.

### Compatibility of the counting frequency of the controller and BML

Each sensor with a digital output signal has a characteristic minimum edge separation gap, that the higher-level controller must reliably detect. We therefore recommend selecting a controller with a counting frequency that is higher than the theoretically calculated counting frequency.

### Maximum travel speed, resolution and edge separation

The following tables show the relationship between the selected resolution of the sensor head, the minimum edge separation and the potential travel speed:

| Min. edge separation | Counting frequency (signal periods) | $V_{max}$ in accordance with edge separation and resolution |               |               |                |                |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
|                      |                                     | Mechanical resolution                                       |               |               |                |                |
|                      |                                     | L 100 $\mu$ m   | M 200 $\mu$ m | N 500 $\mu$ m | P 1000 $\mu$ m | R 2000 $\mu$ m |
| <b>M</b> 10 $\mu$ s  | 25.00 kHz                           | 8 m/s   | 10 m/s        | 10 m/s        | 10 m/s         | 10 m/s         |
| <b>R</b> 100 $\mu$ s | 2.50 kHz                            | 0.9 m/s   | 1.8 m/s       | 4.2 m/s       | 8.8 m/s        | 10 m/s         |

Table 1: Selection guide for maximum travel speed of the S1C series

### Rotary applications

The position measurement system BML enables the detection of rotary movements. The rotary tapes can be matched to the respective application. Use the technical selection guide for rotary systems.

### Determining the pulses per rotation

The number of required pulses per rotation varies depending on the application. It determines the resolution of the sensor head and the diameter of the magnet ring.

| Sensor head resolution  | Pulses/revolution with 4-fold evaluation |                |                |
|-------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|
|                         | $\varnothing$ of magnet ring, outside    |                |                |
|                         | 31 mm                                    | 49 mm          | 72 mm          |
| Ordering code           | <b>BML002T</b>                           | <b>BML002R</b> | <b>BML002N</b> |
|                         | <b>BML002L</b>                           | <b>BML002M</b> |                |
| <b>L</b> = 100 $\mu$ m  | 1000                                     | 1600           | 2300           |
| <b>M</b> = 200 $\mu$ m  | 500                                      | 800            | 1150           |
| <b>N</b> = 500 $\mu$ m  | 200                                      | 320            | 460            |
| <b>P</b> = 1000 $\mu$ m | 100                                      | 160            | 230            |
| <b>R</b> = 2000 $\mu$ m | 50                                       | 80             | 115            |

Table 2: Selection guide for magnet rings from the S1C series

### Maximum speed

The speed and the diameter of the magnet ring determine the speed of the ring on the sensor head.

The maximum travel speed that the sensor can still identify depends on the resolution and the edge separation of the sensor head. Resolution and edge separation can be selected. A maximum speed is then calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Max. speed (rpm)} = \frac{60 \times \text{max. travel speed (m/s)}}{\pi \times \text{magnet ring diameter (m)}}$$

Refer to Table 1 for the maximum travel speed. When selecting a maximum speed for the application, we recommend using a value 10% lower than this value.

Example:

You are using a BML-S1C sensor with a resolution of 100  $\mu$ m (L) and a minimum edge separation of 10  $\mu$ s (M). For this sensor, Table 1 gives a maximum travel speed of 8 m/s.

If the magnet ring diameter is 48 mm = 0.048 m, a speed of 3183 rpm can be achieved according to the formula.

The maximum speed of 2865 rpm should not be exceeded.

Look-up table for max. RPM, see Table 2, page 77.

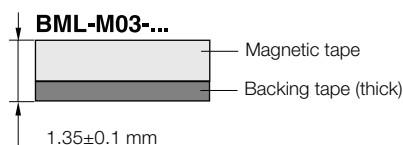
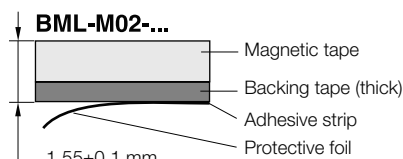
# S1C Series, Incremental Magnetic tape

## Ordering example:

Fabricated magnetic tape, pole width 5 mm

**BML - M \_\_\_ - I4 \_\_\_ - A \_\_\_ - M \_\_\_ - R 0000**

| Design                                   | Accuracy class | Cover strip                            | Length in cm                   |
|--|----------------|--|--------------------------------|
| 02 1.55 mm thick, with adhesive strip    | 6 ±50 µm       | 0 Without cover strip                  | Order length, max. 4800 = 48 m |
| 03 1.35 mm thick, without adhesive strip |                | 3 With cover strip (thickness 0.15 mm) |                                |



## Ordering example:

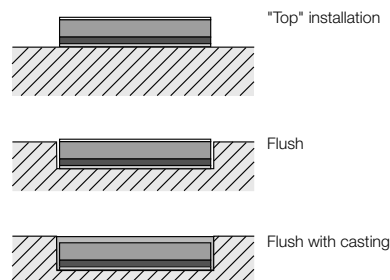
Magnetic tape by the roll, pole width 5 mm

**BML - M02 - I46 - A0 - T \_\_\_ - R 0000**

| Length    |
|-----------|
| 0500 5 m  |
| 1000 10 m |
| 2400 24 m |
| 4800 48 m |

## Magnetic tape mounting options

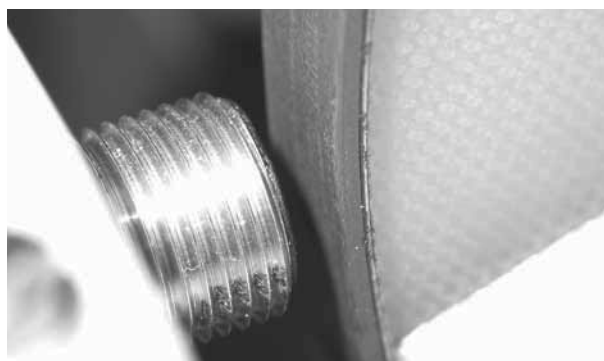
(also in magnetizable material)



## BMF 12M-PS-D-2-S4

**Speed monitoring in rotary applications:  
Simply more cost-effective.**

Designed for the B/C/E sensor family, the magnet rings and magnetic tapes shown here allow you to measure speed by means of switching magnetic sensors from the BMF series. With its standard M12 thread, the BMF 12M-PS-D-2-S4 sensor can be installed in a wide range of applications. It can be installed as close as 2 mm from the magnet. A pulse signal that reflects the rotary speed is present at the switching output. The sensor can detect frequencies up to 7 kHz, therefore speeds of up to about 20,000 rpm are possible, depending on the selected tape.



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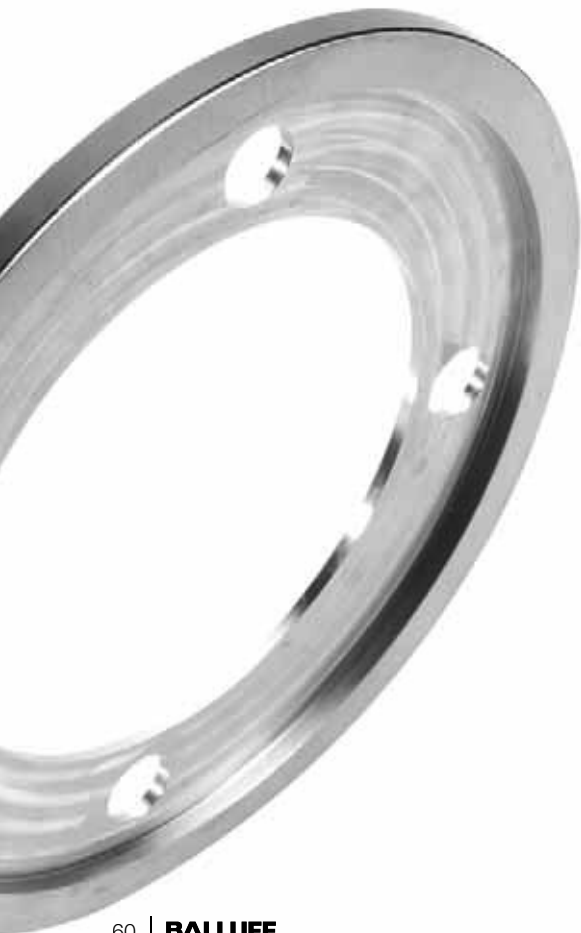
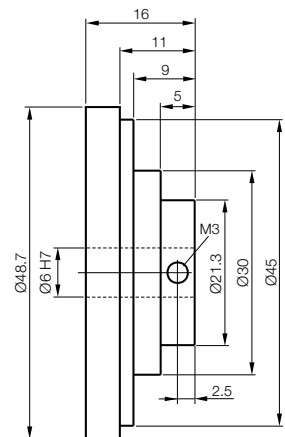
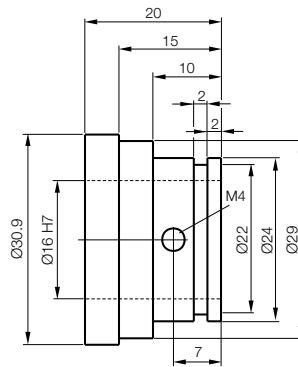
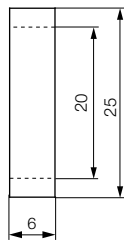
Accessories can be found on page 62.



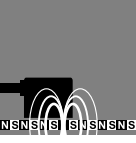
# S1C Series, Incremental Magnet Rings



| Series               | Sensor family C            | Sensor family C            | Sensor family C            |
|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Ordering code</b> | <b>BML04E2</b>             | <b>BML002T</b>             | <b>BML002R</b>             |
| Part number          | BML-M33-I40-A0-M025/020-R0 | BML-M22-I40-A0-M031/016-R0 | BML-M21-I40-A0-M048/006-R0 |
| Number of poles      | 16                         | 20                         | 32                         |
| Pole width           | 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       |
| With reference mark  | No                         | No                         | No                         |
| Material             | Plastic                    | Hard ferrite/aluminum      | Hard ferrite/aluminum      |



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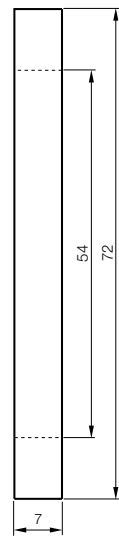
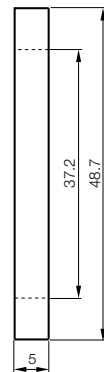
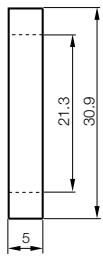
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|                            |                            |                            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Sensor family C            | Sensor family C            | Sensor family C            |
| <b>BML002L</b>             | <b>BML002M</b>             | <b>BML002N</b>             |
| BML-M20-I40-A0-M031/021-R0 | BML-M20-I40-A0-M048/037-R0 | BML-M20-I40-A0-M072/054-R0 |
| 20                         | 32                         | 46                         |
| 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       | 5 mm                       |
| No                         | No                         | No                         |
| Hard ferrite               | Hard ferrite               | Hard ferrite               |



### Special solutions for a range of applications

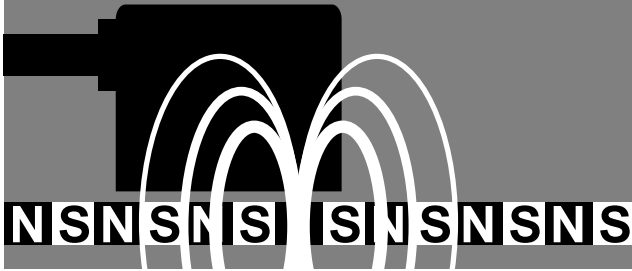
Magnet rings are suitable for all types of application where the monitoring of rotary movements is required. Due to the high resolution, synchronous run monitoring is just as easy to implement as precision angle positioning.

Balluff offers a range of standard rotary tapes that are suitable for most types of application. Due to the wide variety of different machine applications, special dimensions and magnetic configurations are available on request.

Even linear tapes can be used successfully in rotary applications. For example, the magnetic tape can simply be stuck to the shaft of a solar panel unit to monitor whether the panel is optimally aligned. Balluff also offers prefabricated magnetic tapes with holes for convenient, simplified installation.

We offer custom solutions.  
Contact us.





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## Accessories

Counters and displays are available for all series to integrate the sensor systems perfectly into your application.

The range of sensor guides enables you to integrate robust, high-precision measurement systems even where there is no optimum guide.



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# S1F, S2B, S2E, S1C Accessories

## Counter display

### Magnetically Coded Position and Angle Measurement System: Measuring and displaying speeds

Speed detection of shafts and spindles as well as simple rotary encoder tasks can be optimally implemented with the combination of BML, BDD, and the magnet ring tapes.



|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Series               |  |
| Interface            |  |
| <b>Ordering code</b> |  |
| Part number          |  |
| <b>Ordering code</b> |  |
| Part number          |  |
| <b>Ordering code</b> |  |
| Part number          |  |
| Functions            |  |
| Features             |  |
| Use                  |  |

\* Power adapter for connecting to 115 V/230 V, for example, BAE0001 or BAE00EN, on page 403.

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**BDD 610**  
Single-axis counter  
for BML-S2B..., BML-S1C...  
and BML-S2E...

**BAE004J**  
BDD 610-R3Q3-0-53-N-00 (2 dig. outputs)

**BAE004H**  
BDD 610-R3Q3-0-51-N-00 (2 dig. inputs)

- Set value
- Actual value memory
- Factor calculation
- Count direction reversal
- Up to 3 decimal places
- Assignable key functions
- Reset and set logic
- Logic for inputs and outputs
- Security code

- Power supply 24 V DC\*
- 1×6-decade LED display
- Digit height 14 mm
- Incremental measurement system with tracks A, B
- max. 25 kHz
- 2 digital inputs (-51-)
- 2 digital outputs (-53-)

for BML-S2B0..., BML-S2E0...  
and BML-S1C0-...-Q53...  
min. edge separation Code M, N, P, R

**BDD 611/BDD 622/BDD 632**  
Single-axis, two-axis, three-axis counter  
for BML-S1F, BML-S2B, BML-S2E, BML-S1C

**BAE004K**  
BDD 611-R3Q4-0-52-N-00 (1 axis)

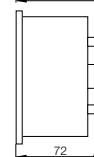
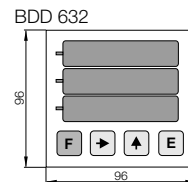
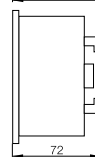
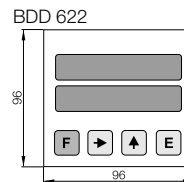
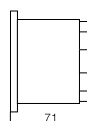
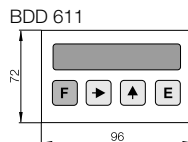
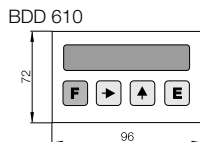
**BAE004M**  
BDD 622-R3Q4-0-52-N-00 (2 axes)

**BAE004P**  
BDD 632-R3Q4-0-52-N-00 (3 axes)

- Set value
- Actual value memory
- Factor calculation
- Edge evaluation
- Count direction reversal
- Up to 3 decimal places
- Assignable key functions
- Reset and set logic
- Absolute and incremental measurement
- Offset logic
- Sawtooth correction
- Logic for inputs and outputs
- Security code
- Reference pulse

- Power supply 24 V DC\*
- 1×6/2×6/3×6-decade LED display
- Incremental measurement system with tracks A, /A, B, /B, Z, /Z or A, B, Z
- Digit height 14 mm
- 4 digital inputs
- 2 digital outputs
- Min. edge separation with 4-fold evaluation: 250 μs
- BDD 611: max. input frequency: Signal A or B: 1 MHz

For BML with supply voltage 5 V/10...30 V, output voltage RS422/HTL,  
min. edge separation Code E, F, G, H, K, L, M, N, P, R



The sensor guide consists of an aluminum rail that retains the magnetic tape and a carriage with runners that guides the sensor head accurately. A standard joint rod is used for the mechanical connection.

### Features

- Customized lengths
- Easily attached by directly screwing on or using mounting elements
- Rails can be mounted side by side and elements disassembled
- Connection of drag chains possible
- Flat design, minimal space requirements
- Low costs
- Runners need no lubrication, thus no maintenance costs
- Minimum stock-keeping, since the universal concept works for various sensor heads
- Mounting aid for easy installation of the magnetic tape

You may cover the magnetic tape with a stainless steel cover strip to protect it from damage caused by swarf or chemicals.

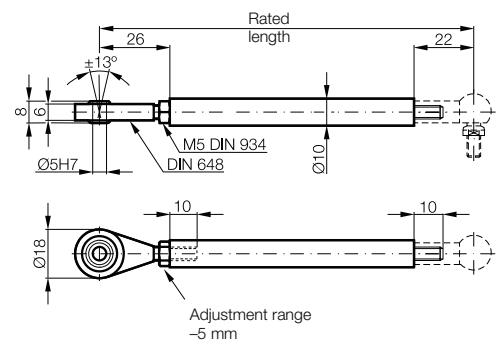
Note that the permissible air gap between the sensor head and tape is reduced by the thickness of the cover strip with adhesive film (0.15 mm).

- Cover strip and magnetic tape can be ordered together in matching lengths (see tapes on page 44, 52, or 59).
- The cover strip is available in 4 different lengths.

|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Sensor guide         |  |
| <b>Ordering code</b> |  |
| Part number          |  |
| Features             |  |



|                      |  |
|----------------------|--|
| Accessories          | Joint rod for BML-C01, BML-C02                     |
| <b>Ordering code</b> | e.g. <b>BAM000P</b> (100 mm)                       |
| Part number          | BTL2-GS10-____-A                                   |
| Use                  | For connecting the sliding carriage to the machine |



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## Sensor guide



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Guide rail  
for sliding carriage BML-C01, BML-C02  
e.g. **BAM01N4** (3 m)  
BML-R01-M\_\_ (order length in cm)

- Anodized aluminum
- Mounting holes
- Lateral groove for alternate mounting using brackets
- Mountable side by side
- Maintenance-free dry operation
- Lubricant-free
- Suitable for all linear tapes\*

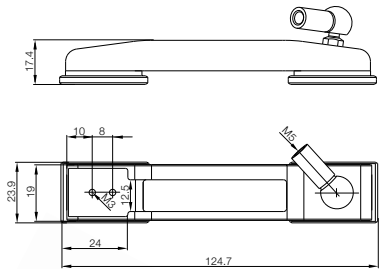
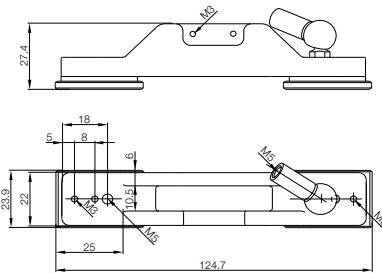
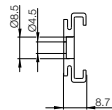
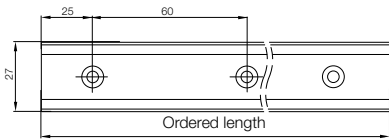
Sliding carriage  
for sensors BML-S2B, BML-S2E, BML-S1C  
**BAM01MF**  
BML-C01

- Aluminum
- Fully mounted with runners
- Connection for joint rod
- Connection for drag chains
- Maintenance-free dry operation
- Lubricant-free

Sliding carriage  
for sensors BML-S1F  
**BAM01MH**  
BML-C02

- Aluminum
- Fully mounted with runners
- Connection for joint rod
- Connection for drag chains
- Maintenance-free dry operation
- Lubricant-free

\* Use the same length tape and rail and mechanically affix the tape at the ends.



Mounting guide

**BAM01L9**  
BML-Z0010

Installing the magnetic tape on BML-R01

Brackets (2 pieces)  
for BML-R01

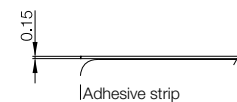
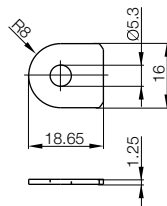
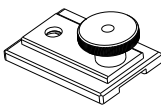
**BAM01JL**  
BML-Z0008

For lateral mounting of the rail and at transition points

Cover strip from the roll  
for BML-M02, BML-M03

e.g. **BML001K** (10 m)  
BML-A013-T\_\_\_\_\_

|      |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|------|
| 0500 | 1000 | 2400 | 4800 |
| 5 m  | 10 m | 24 m | 48 m |







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### System accuracy

The accuracy of the sensor head depends largely on mechanical manufacturing tolerances and component tolerances; the accuracy of the tape is determined by the material quality and the magnetization grade.

The overall system accuracy or linearity class describes the deviations of the measured value from the real actual value. It contains the position deviations within any meter of the measurement section (or, when rotary: a rotation).

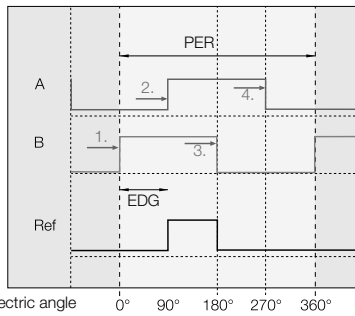
### 4x evaluation

With 4-fold evaluation, the controller counts every 4 edge changes within a signal period. A signal period = 4x selected resolution.

Example:  
Sensor head 1 µm resolution, magnet ring with 384 poles (1 mm).

4 edges (each 1 µm) per signal period  
= 4 µm period length  
= 250 periods per pin  
= 96,000 periods per 360°  
(384,000 pulses per 360°)

During installation, make sure the sensor is correctly aligned over the



PER = a signal period  
EDG = Edge separation

Accuracy of the tape  
BML-M02-I34



±8 µm



Accuracy of the sensor head  
BML-S1F...



±2 µm

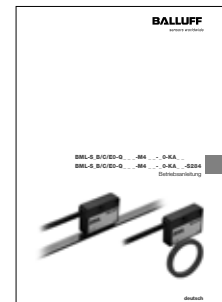
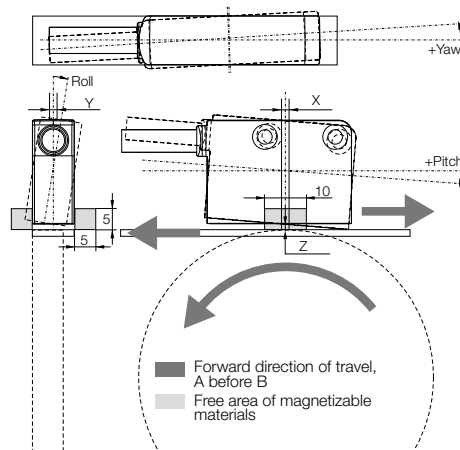


±10 µm

### Installation tolerance


tape. To ensure the correct function and linearity class of the system, the distances and tolerances must be adhered to. We recommend an air gap of 0.1 mm (about paper thickness)

For detailed **installation instructions**, refer to our operating manual at [www.balluff.de](http://www.balluff.de)



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### Edge separation

With 4-fold evaluation, the following applies (each edge is counted):

$$\text{Period length} = \frac{\text{Counting frequency}}{4}$$

$$\text{Counting frequency} \geq \frac{1}{\text{Min. edge separation}}$$

Example:

Edge separation = 1  $\mu$ s

Counting frequency = 1 MHz

Period length = 250 kHz

#### Important!

The controller/display must be able to count the minimum time-based edge separations shown in the tables (note the counting frequency of your controller).

The minimum edge separation may occur even when the system is at rest due to the internal interpolation procedure.

Always select the next higher travel speed or the next faster minimum edge separation; otherwise, during the evaluation by the controller, errors can arise in the position determination.

### Repeat accuracy

Repeat accuracy is the value resulting when moving to the same position from the same direction under unchanging ambient conditions.

### Incremental

After the system is switched on, the measured value currently available is not defined. A reference run to a defined point, a reference point, is necessary in order to obtain a position value. The position value is calculated by adding or subtracting individual, equal increments from the reference point.

### Absolute

The measured value for the current position is available immediately after the system is switched on. Each position, e.g. a measurement section, is assigned an absolute, coded digital signal or an analog value. A reference run is not required.

### Temperature coefficient

The temperature coefficient indicates the relative change in length as temperature changes. This means that temperature factors change the measured value by the indicated amount.

### Measurement rate

The measurement rate is the frequency at which the output position information is updated. It can be the same as the number of measurements per second. A high measurement rate for rapidly changing positions is important if a process is time-critical.



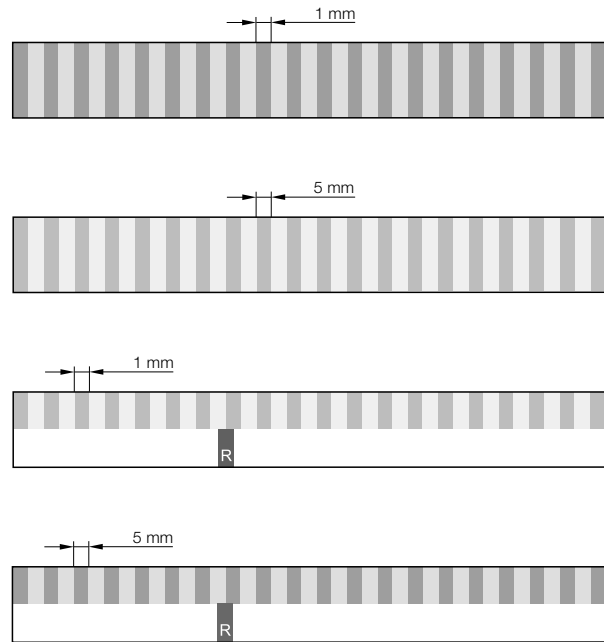
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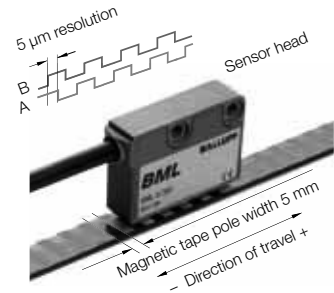
### Tape, pole width

On the magnetic tape, there is a track with alternating magnetic north and south poles. In some variants, a second track with reference points is available.

The magnetic tapes exist in 1 mm (BML-M...-I3\_...) and 5 mm (BML-M...-I4\_...) pole width.



The magnetic tapes are available in various versions. Make sure the magnetic tape and sensor head fit together.

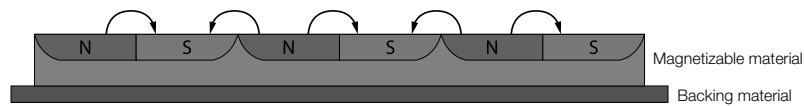


### Interpolation

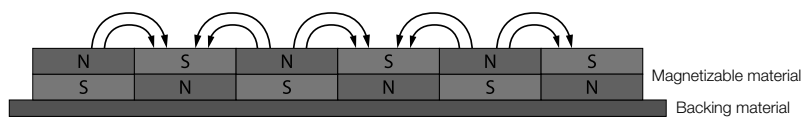
The magnetic period of the tape is interpolated by the sensor head with integrated interpolator with up to 10-bit (factor 1000).

### Permagnet perpendicular magnetic tape

Standard magnetic tape



Permagnet perpendicular magnetic tape



- + larger field strength
- + better accuracy

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### Reference point function

For each incremental position measurement system, the reference position is essential as a starting point for the counting. How the reference position is determined depends on the sensor head, the magnetic tape and the controller itself. Advantages of the pole-periodic and fixed-periodic tapes: The tape can be bought in great lengths and cut to size by the customer. The reference point functions are possible with linear and with round tapes (rings, only with sensor head BML-S2B/E, BML-S1F..).

### Relationship between resolution, speed and edge separation (examples)

Sensor head design for controller with 4-fold evaluation:

Example 1: Resolution needed:  $F = 5 \mu\text{m}$

- In table 1 on page 51: Select column 1.  
Max. travel speed = 7 m/s
- Select line 2 = 10 m/s.  
→ Edge separation  $E = 0.29 \mu\text{s}$

Example 2: Resolution needed:  $G = 10 \mu\text{m}$

- In table 1 on page 51: Select column 2.  
Max. counting frequency of the controller = 0.5 m/s  
edge separation  $H = 2 \mu\text{s}$
- Select line 5.  
→ Maximum possible travel speed: 3 m/s

Example 3: Max. travel speed = 2 m/s

Controller detects min. edge separation  $M = 10 \mu\text{s}$

- In table 1 on page 58: Select line 1.
- Select column 1.  
→ Maximum possible resolution  $L = 100 \mu\text{m}$  (BML-S1C)

| Edge separation (= pulse width) min. edge separation [ $\mu\text{s}$ ] | Controller identifies at least Max. counting frequency [kHz] <sup>1)</sup> | Counting frequency (Signal period) |
|--|--|------------------------------------|
| <b>D</b> 0.12  | 8,333  | 2,083.33                           |
| <b>E</b> 0.29  | 3,448  | 862.07                             |
| <b>F</b> 0.48  | 2,083  | 520.83                             |
| <b>G</b> 1   | 1,000  | 250.00                             |
| <b>H</b> 2   | 500  | 125.00                             |
| <b>K</b> 4   | 250  | 62.50                              |
| <b>L</b> 8   | 125  | 31.25                              |
| <b>M</b> 10  | 100  | 25.00                              |
| <b>N</b> 16  | 63   | 15.63                              |
| <b>P</b> 24  | 42   | 10.42                              |
| <b>R</b> 100   | 10   | 2.50                               |

Table 1: Relationship of edge separation – counting frequency

<sup>1)</sup> Signal period =  $1/4 \times$  counting frequency



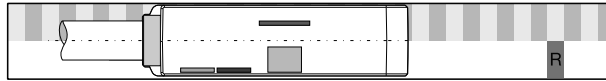
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### Single or double reference signal

System consisting of:

- BML-S\_B/E...-M41\_...  
or BML-S1F...-M31...
- Tape BML-M...-L\_...-R\_.../0000 (single signal) or  
BML-M...-L\_...-R\_.../... (double signal)



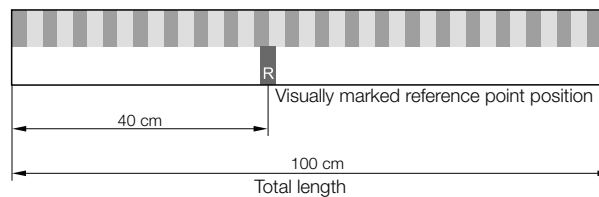
A sensor head with an additional reference point sensor can output a reference point signal as soon as it reaches the magnetically encoded reference point on the second track of the tape. No external reference switch is necessary.

### Single reference point magnetic tape type BML-M...-R\_.../0000

For the magnetic tape with single reference point, the reference point may be integrated as desired at any location. To determine the exact absolute position, the reference run must cover the entire length of the tape up to the reference point.

Ordering example for the tape shown below:

BML-M02-I45-A0-M0100-R0040/0000

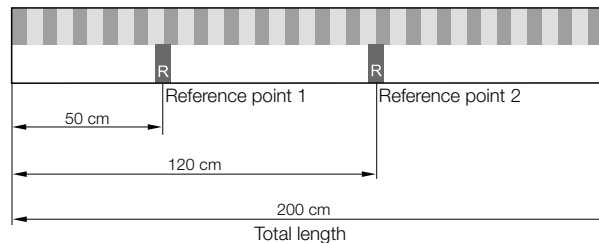


### Magnetic tape with two reference points, type BML-M...-R\_.../...\_...

For the magnetic tape with two reference points, the reference point may be integrated as desired at any location. To determine the exact position, the reference run must cover the entire length of the tape up to the external selection switch. The external selection switch decides on the use of Z signals.

Ordering example for the tape shown below:

BML-M02-I46-A0-M0200-R0050/0120



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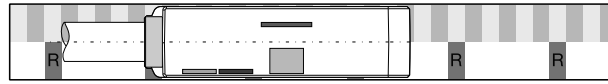
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### Fixed-periodic reference signals

System consisting of:

- BML-S\_B/E...-M41\_...  
or BML-S1F...-M31...
- Tape BML-M...-L\_...-C0006/\_ \_ \_ \_



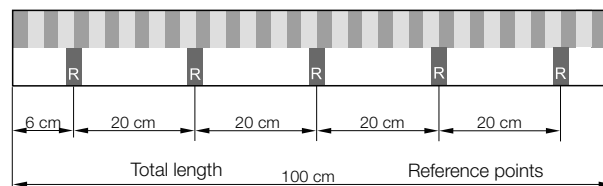
The sensor head with an additional reference point sensor can also be combined with a magnetic tape with fixed-periodic reference points. Here, the reference points are integrated across the entire length of the tape at certain constant intervals, such as every 10 cm. To determine the exact position, the reference run must go to the external selection switch.

### Magnetic tape with fixed-periodic reference points, type BML-M...-C0006/\_ \_ \_ \_

For magnetic tape with fixed-periodic reference points, the reference points are integrated across the entire length of the tape at certain constant intervals, such as every 20 cm. To determine the exact position, the reference run must extend to the external selection switch, which decides on the use of the Z signals.

Ordering example for the tape shown below:

BML-M02-I34-A0-M0100-C0006/0020





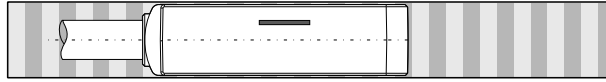
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### No or pole-periodic reference signal

System consisting of:

- BML-S\_B/C/E...-M40\_... (none)  
or BML-S\_B/E...-M42\_... (pole-periodic)  
or BML-S1F...-M30...  
or BML-S1F...-M32...
- Tape BML-M...-I\_ \_-...-R0000



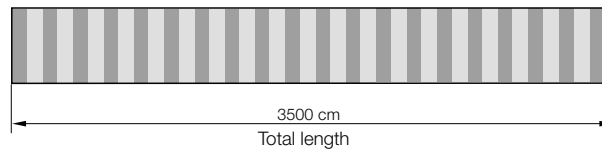
In the simplest position measurement system, the sensor head scans the magnetic periods with the incremental sensors. On the tape, there is a track with magnetic north and south poles. The position is determined by the controller by adding up the counted increments.

For the pole-periodic reference point signal, a reference point signal is output with each magnetic pole. In this case, an external reference switch has to be set on the selected reference point signal. The controller precisely evaluates the reference position when the switch and the reference point signal of the sensor head are active.

### Pole-periodic magnetic tape, type BML-M...-R0000


The pole-periodic magnetic tape has alternating magnetic north and south poles, but no integrated reference point.

Ordering example for the tape shown below:  
BML-M02-I34-A0-M3500-R0000



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### Maximum speed

The measurement system BML enables the detection of rotary movements. The speed and the diameter of the magnet ring determine the speed of the ring on the sensor head. The maximum travel speed that the sensor can still identify depends on the resolution and the edge separation of the sensor head. Resolution and edge separation can be selected. A maximum speed is then calculated using the following formula:

$$\text{Max. speed [rpm]} = \frac{60 \times \text{max. travel speed [m/s]}}{\pi \times \text{Magnet ring diameter [m]}}$$

For the maximum travel speed and minimum edge separation, see table 1 on page 51. Recommendation: max. speed 10 % less than determined speed value.

| Max. travel speed | RPM            |                          |       |         |        |
|-------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------|---------|--------|
|                   | Outer diameter |                          |       |         |        |
|                   | 31 mm          | 49 mm                    | 72 mm | 75.4 mm | 122 mm |
| 20 m/s            | 12322          | 7795                     | 5305  | 5066    | 3131   |
| 14.75 m/s         | 9087           | 5749                     | 3913  | 3736    | 2309   |
| 10 m/s            | 6161           | 3898                     | 2653  | 2533    | 1565   |
| 8.8 m/s           | 5422           | 3430                     | 2334  | 2229    | 1378   |
| 8 m/s             | 4929           | 3118                     | 2122  | 2026    | 1252   |
| 7.7 m/s           | 4744           | 3001                     | 2042  | 1950    | 1205   |
| 6.5 m/s           | 4005           | 2533                     | 1724  | 1646    | 1018   |
| 5 m/s             | 3080           | 1949                     | 1326  | 1266    | 783    |
| 4.2 m/s           | 2588           | 1637                     | 1114  | 1064    | 657    |
| 3.95 m/s          | 2434           | 1540                     | 1048  | 1001    | 618    |
| 3.25 m/s          | 2002           | <b>1267<sup>1)</sup></b> | 862   | 823     | 509    |
| 3 m/s             | 1848           | 1169                     | 796   | 760     | 470    |
| 1.8 m/s           | 1109           | 702                      | 477   | 456     | 282    |
| 1.7 m/s           | 1047           | 663                      | 451   | 431     | 266    |
| 1.5 m/s           | 924            | 585                      | 398   | 380     | 235    |
| 0.95 m/s          | 585            | 370                      | 252   | 241     | 149    |
| 0.9 m/s           | 554            | 351                      | 239   | 228     | 141    |
| 0.75 m/s          | 462            | 292                      | 199   | 190     | 117    |
| 0.65 m/s          | 400            | 253                      | 172   | 165     | 102    |
| 0.395 m/s         | 243            | 154                      | 105   | 100     | 62     |
| 0.375 m/s         | 231            | 146                      | 99    | 95      | 59     |
| 0.26 m/s          | 160            | 101                      | 69    | 66      | 41     |
| 0.195 m/s         | 120            | 76                       | 52    | 49      | 31     |
| 0.13 m/s          | 80             | 51                       | 34    | 33      | 20     |

<sup>1)</sup> see example below

Table 2: Maximum speed of rotary tape (magnet ring)

### Example

Sensor head BML-S2B... with a resolution of 5 μm (F) and a min. edge separation of 1 μs (G). From table 1 on page 51, for this sensor head, there is a max. travel speed of 3.25 m/s.

With a magnet ring diameter of 49 mm = 0.049 m, according to the formula, a speed of 1,267 rpm can be reached (the value can also be read out in table 2 (column 49 mm/line 3.25 m/s)). Under consideration of the recommendation to stay 10 % below this, a speed of 1,140 rpm is not to be exceeded.