

EDGE GUIDE SENSOR PH 16 AND PH 21

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DANGER

Read this manual carefully before installation and operation.

Follow Nexen's instructions and integrate this unit into your system with care.

This unit should be installed, operated and maintained by qualified personnel ONLY.

Improper installation can damage your system or cause injury or death.

Comply with all applicable codes.

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THEORY OF OPERATION

Nexen's PH-16 and PH-21 are photo electric edge position sensors, used as the sensing element of an Edge Position Control (EPC) System. The sensor may be applied to either side of the web, or two sensors may be used (one on each side of the web), for Center Position Control (CPC).

Sensing is accomplished by a light emitting diode (LED), which transmits light across a gap to a light sensing array. The sensing array produces an electrical voltage directly proportional to the amount of light received from the LED. As an opaque web of material moves in and out of the gap, the sensor output varies.

Excitation for the LED is provided by a Web Guide Amplifier. The sensor's output return signal is fed back to the same amplifier for closed loop control.

A mounting bracket, provided with the sensor, includes a micro adjustment screw and lock nut. The adjustment screw allows up to 0.79 In. [20 mm] of sensor movement without moving the bracket.

INSTALLATION

1. Provide a 1 In. [25 mm] square bar which will span the web (See Figure 1).

NOTE: This bar is used to support the mounting bracket.

2. Install the Mounting Bracket on the bar (See Figure 2).
3. Mount the bar to the machine (See Figure 1).

NOTE: Make sure the bar is rigidly mounted; any movement of the bar will affect sensor position.

4. Install a sensor on the Adjusting Screw Projection and secure it with the Sensor Locking Nut (See Figure 2).
5. Loosen the Adjusting Screw Locking Knob and position the Adjustment Screw to the midpoint of its travel (approximately 0.6 In. [15 mm]) (See Figure 2).

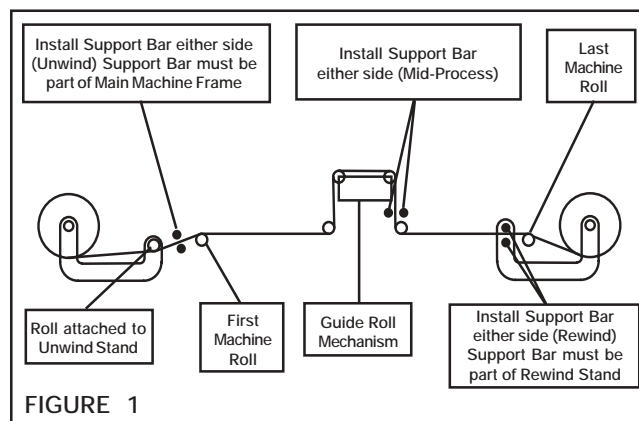


FIGURE 1

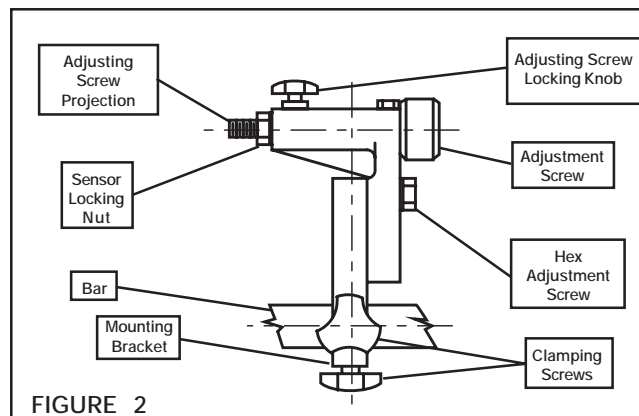


FIGURE 2

DIMENSIONS

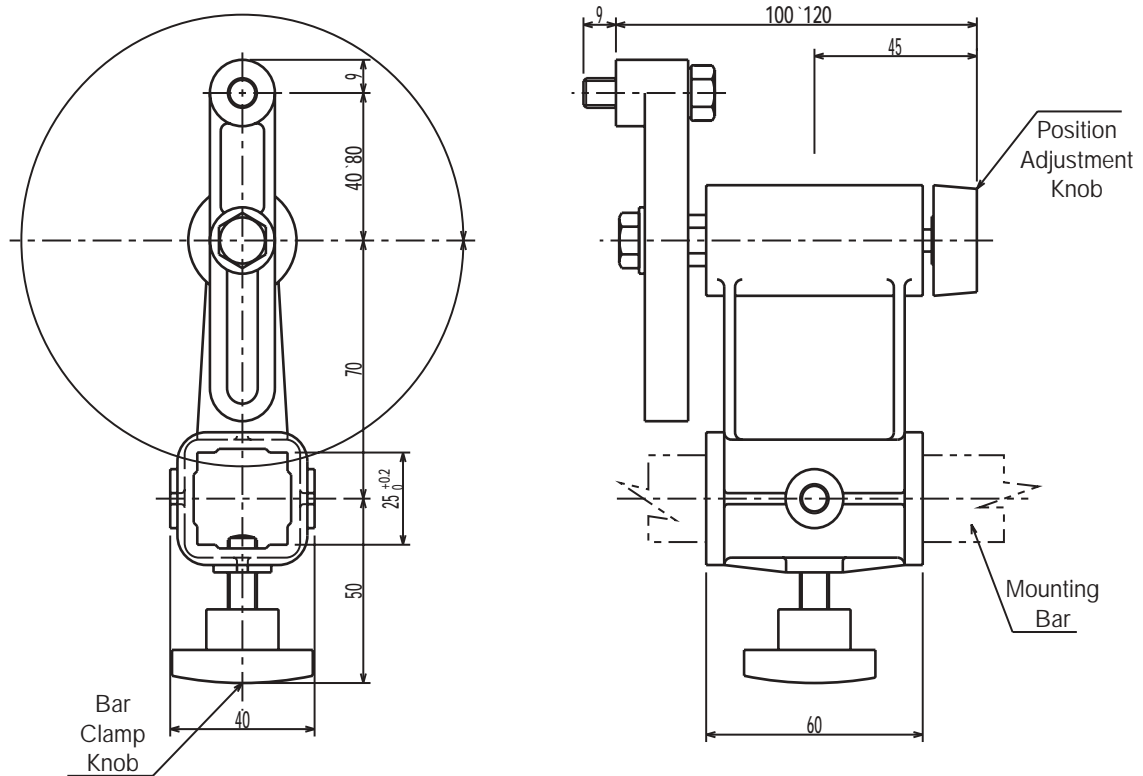


FIGURE 3 SCREW GUIDER

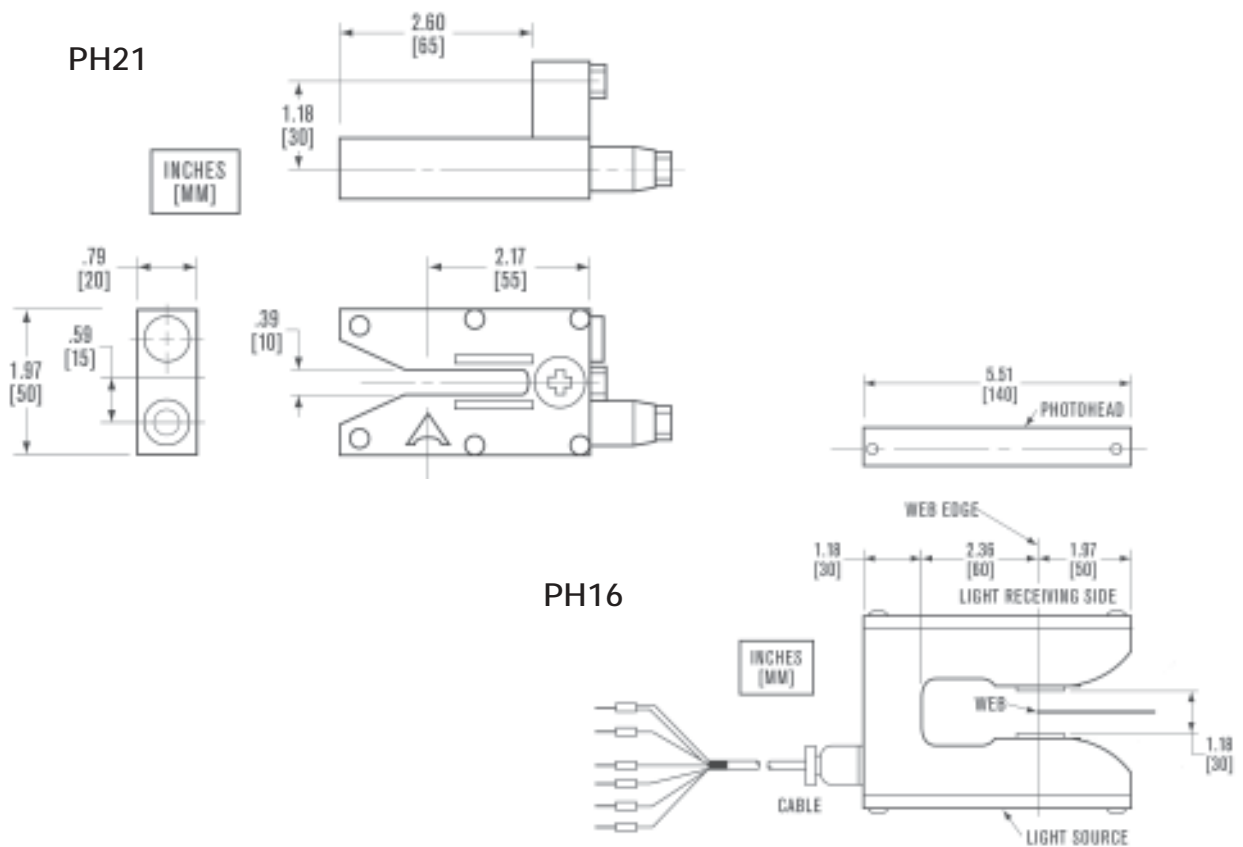


FIGURE 4

ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

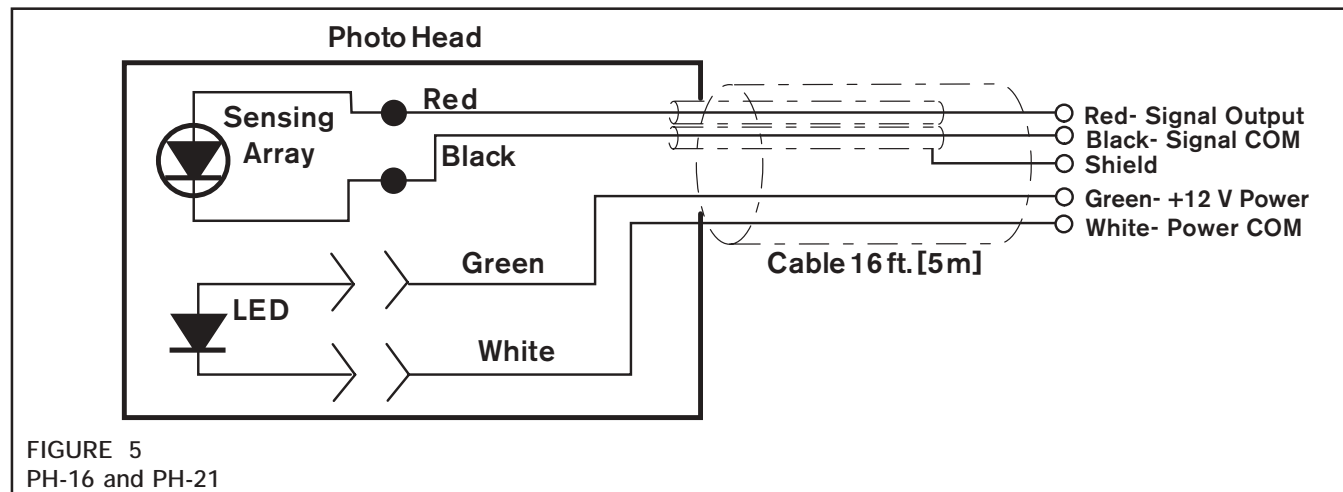
The PH 16 and PH 21 come with a 16 Ft. [5 m], 4 conductor shielded cable.

Make the electrical connections to the Web Guide Controller according to the instructions provided with the controller (See Figure 5).

NOTE: The cable may be extended up to 500 Ft. [156.25 m], using four conductor 18 AWG [0.9 mm] shielded cable.

CAUTION

Wire continuity and shielding integrity must be maintained when extending the cable.



MAINTENANCE

System accuracy can be affected by dust or dirt on the glass surfaces of the light emitter and receiver. Periodically wipe these surfaces with a soft, clean, dry cloth.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If the sensor fails to provide a signal to the Web Guide Amplifier, check the following.

1. Determine if the amplifier is providing a 12 VDC excitation signal to the Sensor.
2. If an excitation signal is present, check the LED for proper operation.

3. If the LED is operating correctly, check the output voltage of the sensor (See SPECIFICATIONS).



WARNING

Do not disassemble the Edge Guide Sensor. Attempting to disassemble the Edge Guide Sensor will void the warranty. Contact Nexen if replacement parts or service is required. There are no customer replaceable parts.

SPECIFICATIONS

PH-16

Excitation ----- 12 VDC
 Output ----- OPEN, 350 mV
 ----- BLOCKED, 0 V
 Measuring Width ----- ± 0.20 In. (± 5.08 mm)
 Sensitivity ----- 0.004 In. [0.1 mm]
 Weight ----- 2.5 Lbs. [1.1 kg]
 Temperature Range ----- 32°–122° F [0°–50° C]

PH-21

Excitation ----- 12 VDC
 Output ----- OPEN, 350 mV
 ----- BLOCKED, 0 V
 Measuring Width ----- ± 0.20 In. (± 5.08 mm)
 Sensitivity ----- 0.004 In. [0.1 mm]
 Weight ----- 1.3 Lbs. [0.6 kg]
 Temperature Range ----- 32°–122° F [0°–50° C]

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