



Operating Instructions optoNCDT 1320

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Intelligent laser optical displacement measurement

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1. Safety

Sensor operation assumes knowledge of the operating instructions.

1.1 Symbols Used

The following symbols are used in this operating instructions:

▲ CAUTION

Indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in minor or moderate injury

NOTICE

Indicates a situation that may result in property damage if not avoided.

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Indicates a user action.

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Indicates a tip for users.

Measure

Indicates hardware or a software button/menu.

1.2 Warnings



Avoid unnecessary laser radiation to be exposed to the human body.

Switch off the sensor for cleaning and maintenance.

Switch off the sensor for system maintenance and repair if the sensor is integrated into a system.

Caution - use of controls or adjustments or performance of procedures other than those specified may cause harm.

Connect the power supply and the display/output device according to the safety regulations for electrical equipment.

- > Risk of injury
- > Damage to or destruction of the sensor

NOTICE

Avoid shocks and impacts to the sensor.

> Damage to or destruction of the sensor

Mount the sensor only to the existing holes on a flat surface. Clamps of any kind are not permitted

> Damage to or destruction of the sensor

The supply voltage must not exceed the specified limits.

> Damage to or destruction of the sensor

Protect the sensor cable against damage. Attach the cable load-free, hold the cable after appr. 25 cm e.g. zip tie.

- > Destruction of the sensor
- > Failure of the measuring device

Avoid constant exposure of sensor to splashes of water.

> Damage to or destruction of the sensor

Avoid exposure of sensor to aggressive media (detergents, cooling emulsions).

> Damage to or destruction of the sensor

1.3 Notes on CE Marking

The following apply to the optoNCDT 1320:

- EU directive 2014/30/EU
- EU directive 2011/65/EU, "RoHS" category 9

Products which carry the CE mark satisfy the requirements of the EU directives cited and the relevant applicable harmonized European standards (EN). The measuring system is designed for use in industrial environments.

The EU Declaration of Conformity is available to the responsible authorities according to EU Directive, article 10.

1.4 Intended Use

- The optoNCDT 1320 system is designed for use in industrial and laboratory applications.
- It is used
 - for measuring displacement, distance, position and thickness
 - for in-process quality control and dimensional testing
- The sensor must only be operated within the limits specified in the technical data, see Chap. 3.3.
- The sensor must be used in such a way that no persons are endangered or machines and other material goods are damaged in the event of malfunction or total failure of the controller.
- Take additional precautions for safety and damage prevention in case of safety-related applications.

1.5 Proper Environment

- Protection class: IP65 (applies only when the sensor cable is plugged in)

Lenses are excluded from protection class. Contamination of the lenses leads to impairment or failure of the function.

- Temperature range:

■ Operation: 0 °C ... +50 °C (+32 ... +104 °F)
■ Storage: -20 °C ... +70 °C (-4 ... +158 °F)
- Humidity: 5 - 95 % (non-condensing)
- Ambient pressure: Atmospheric pressure

The protection class is limited to water (no penetrating liquids, detergents or similar aggressive media).

2. Laser Safety

The ILD1320 sensors operate with a semiconductor laser with a wavelength of 670 nm (visible/red). The sensors fall within Laser Class 2 (II). The laser is operated on a pulsed mode, the maximum optical power is ≤ 1 mW. The pulse frequency depends on the adjusted measuring rate (0.25 ... 2 kHz). The pulse duration of the peaks is regulated depending on the measuring rate and reflectivity of the target and can be 0.3 ... 3999.6 μ s.

Observe the laser protection regulations!



Laser radiation.
Irritation or injury of the eyes possible. Close your eyes or immediately turn away if the laser beam hits the eye.

Although the laser output is low, directly looking into the laser beam must be avoided.

Close your eyes or immediately turn away if the laser beam hits the eye. The housing of the optical sensors may only be opened by the manufacturer, see Chap. 11. For repair and service purposes the sensors must always be sent to the manufacturer.

Lasers of Class 2 (II) are not subject to notification and a laser protection officer is not required.

The following warning labels are attached to the sensor cable.

LASER RADIATION

DO NOT STARE INTO BEAM

CLASS 2 LASER PRODUCT

IEC 60825-1: 2014

P≤1mW; λ=670nm

COMPLIES WITH 21 CFR 1040.10 AND 1040.11

EXCEPT FOR CONFORMANCE WITH IEC 60825-1

ED. 3., AS DESCRIBED IN

LASER NOTICE NO. 56, DATED MAY 8, 2019.

LASERSTRAHLUNG NICHT IN DEN STRAHL BLICKEN LASER KLASSE 2 nach DIN EN 60825-1: 2015-07 P≤1mW; λ=670nm

Fig. 1 Laser labels on the sensor cable



Fig. 2 Laser warning sign on the sensor housing

During operation of the sensor, the pertinent regulations according to IEC 60825-1 on "Safety of laser products" must be fully observed at all times. The sensor complies with all applicable laws for the manufacturer of laser devices.

Laser operation is indicated by LED, see Chap. 5.3.

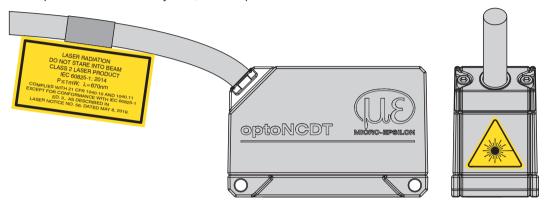


Fig. 3 Sensor cable and sensor with laser sign, ILD1320

If both warning labels are covered over when the unit is installed, the user must ensure that supplementary labels are applied.

3. Functional Principle, Technical Data

3.1 Short Description

The optoNCDT 1320 uses the principle of optical triangulation, that is, a visible, modulated point of light is projected onto the target surface.

The diffuse part of the reflection of this point of light is displayed depending on distance on a position-resolving element (CMOS) by an receiver optic which is arranged to the optical axis of the laser beam in a defined angle.

A signal processor in the sensor calculates the distance of the point of light on the measuring object to the sensor by means of the output signal of the CMOS elements. The distance value is linearized and output by means of the analog or RS422 interface.

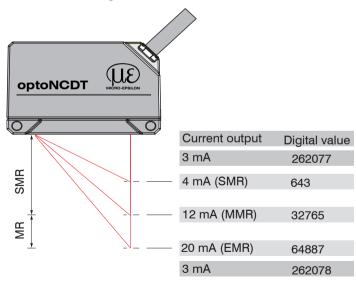


Fig. 4 Definition of terms

MR = Measuring range

SMR = Start of measuring range

MMR = Mid of measuring range

EMR = End of measuring range

3.2 Auto Target Compensation (ATC)

The Auto Target Compensation (ATC) enables stable compensation independent of color and brightness of the measuring object. Also small objects can be detected reliably thanks to the small measuring spot.

3.3 Technical Data

| | | | | | | Available for OEM series | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Model | | ILD1320-10 | ILD1320-25 | ILD1320-50 | ILD1320-100 | ILD1320-200 | |
| Measruing range | | 10 mm | 25 mm | 50 mm | 100 mm | 200 mm | |
| Start of measuring ra | ange | 20 mm | 25 mm | 35 mm | 50 mm | 60 mm | |
| Mid of measuring rai | nge | 25 mm | 37.5 mm | 60 mm | 100 mm | 160 mm | |
| End of measuring ra | nge | 30 mm | 50 mm | 85 mm | 150 mm | 260 mm | |
| Measuring rate 1 | | | 4 adjustable | stages: 2 kHz / 1 k | Hz / 0.5 kHz / 0.2 | 5 kHz | |
| Linearity | | $< \pm 10 \mu \mathrm{m}$ | <±25 µm | <±50 μm | <±100 µm | <±200 μm | |
| Linearity | | | | < ±0.10 % | FSO | | |
| Repeatability ² | | 1 μ m | 2.5 μm | 5 μm | 10 μm | 20 μm | |
| Temperature stability | , | ±0.015 % FSO / K | | | ±0 | ±0.01 % FSO / K | |
| | SMR | 90 x 120 μm | 100 x 140 μm | 90 x 120 μm | | | |
| Light spot diameter | MMR | 45 x 40 μm | 120 x 130 μm | 230 x 240 μm | 75 | 50 x 1100 μm | |
| (±10 %) | EMR | 140 x 160 μm | 390 x 500 μm | 630 x 820 μm | | | |
| | smallest ø | 45 x 40 μ m with 24 mm | 55 x 50 μm with 31 mm | 70 x 65 μm with 42 mm | - | | |
| Light source | | Semiconductor laser <1 mW, 670 nm (red) | | | | | |
| Laser safety class | | Class 2 in accordance with IEC 60825-1: 2014 | | | | | |
| Permissible ambient | light ³ | 30,000 lx 20,000 lx | | | 20,000 lx | 7,500 lx | |
| Supply voltage | | 11 30 VDC | | | | | |
| Power consumption | | < 2 W (24 V) | | | | | |
| Signal input | | 1 x HTL laser on/off; 1 x HTL multifunction input: trigger in, zero setting, mastering, teach | | | | | |
| Digital interface | | RS422 (16 bit) / PROFINET 4 / EtherNet/IP 4 | | | | | |

| Analog output | | 4 20 mA (12 bit; freely scalable within the measuring range) ⁵ | | |
|------------------------------|------------|---|--|--|
| Switching output | | 1 x error output: npn, pnp, push pull | | |
| Connection | | integrated cable 3 m, open ends, minimum bending radius 30 mm (fixed installation) | | |
| Mounting | | Screw connection via two mounting holes | | |
| T | Operation | 0 +50 °C (non-condensing) | | |
| Temperature range - | Storage | -20 +70 °C (non-condensing) | | |
| Shock (DIN-EN 60068-2-29) | | 15 g / 6 ms in 3 axes, 1000 shocks each | | |
| Vibration (DIN-EN 600 | 068-2-6) | 20 g / 20 500 Hz in 3 axes, 2 directions and 10 cycles each | | |
| Protection class (DIN- | -EN 60529) | IP65 | | |
| Material | | Aluminium housing | | |
| Weight | | approx. 30 g (without cable), approx. 145 g (incl. cable) | | |
| Control and display elements | | Select button: zero, teach, factory setting; Web interface for setup with defined presets ⁶ ; 2 x color LEDs for power / status | | |

FSO = Full Scale Output

SMR = Start of measuring range, MMR = Mid of measuring range, EMR = End of measuring range The specified data apply to white, diffuse reflecting surfaces (Micro-Epsilon reference ceramic for ILD sensors)

- 1) Factory setting 1 kHz, modifying the factory settings requires the IF2001/USB converter (see accessories)
- 2) Measuring rate 1 kHz, median 9
- 3) Illuminant: light bulb
- 4) Connection via interface module (see accessories)
- 5) The D/A conversion is executed at 12 bits
- 6) Connection to PC via IF2001/USB (see accessories)

4. Delivery

4.1 Unpacking, Included in Delivery

- 1 Sensor ILD 1320
- 1 Assembly instruction
- 1 CD with program <ILD1320 DAQ Tool.exe> and operating instructions
- 1 Calibration protocol
- Accessories (2 pieces screw M2 and 2 pieces washer)
- Carefully remove the components of the measuring system from the packaging and ensure that the goods are forwarded in such a way that no damage can occur.
- Check the delivery for completeness and shipping damage immediately after unpacking.
- If there is damage or parts are missing, immediately contact the manufacturer or supplier.

Optional accessories are available in the appendix, see Chap. A 1.

4.2 Storage

Temperature range storage: $-20 \dots +70 \,^{\circ}\text{C} \, (-4 \dots +158 \,^{\circ}\text{F})$ Humidity: $5 - 95 \,^{\circ}\text{M} \, (\text{non-condensing})$

5. Installation

5.1 Notes for Operation

5.1.1 Reflection Factor of the Target Surface

In principle the sensor evaluates the diffuse part of the reflected laser light.

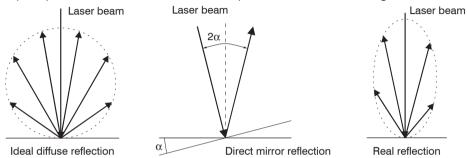


Fig. 5 Reflection factor of the target surface

A statement concerning a minimum reflectance is difficult to make because even a small diffuse fraction can be evaluated from highly reflecting surfaces. This is done by determining the intensity of the diffuse reflection from the CMOS signal in real time and subsequent compensation, see Chap. 3.2. Dark or shiny objects being measured, e.g. black rubber, may require longer exposure times. The exposure time is dependent on the measuring rate and can only be increased by reducing the sensor's measuring rate.

5.1.2 Error Influences

5.1.2.1 Light from other Sources

Thanks to their integrated optical interference filters the optoNCDT 1320 sensors offer outstanding performance in suppressing light from other sources. However, this does not preclude the possibility of interference from other light sources if the objects being measured are shiny and if lower measuring rates are selected. Should this be the case it is recommended to use suitable shields to screen the other light sources. This applies in particular to measurement work performed in close proximity to welding equipment.

5.1.2.2 Color Differences

Because of intensity compensation, color difference of targets affect the measuring result only slightly. However, such color differences are often combined with different penetration depths of the laser light into the material. Different penetration depths then result in apparent changes of the measuring spot size. Therefore color differences in combination with changes of penetration depth may lead to measuring errors.

5.1.2.3 Temperature Influences

When the sensor is commissioned a warm-up time of at least 20 minutes is required to achieve uniform temperature distribution in the sensor. If measurement is performed in the micron accuracy range, the effect of temperature fluctuations on the sensor holder must be considered. Due to the damping effect of the heat capacity of the sensor, sudden temperature changes are only measured with delay.

5.1.2.4 Mechanical Vibration

If the sensor is to be used for resolutions in the µm to sub-µm range, special care must be taken to ensure stable and vibration-free mounting of sensor and target.

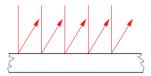
5.1.2.5 Movement Blurs

If the objects being measured are fast moving and the measuring rate is low, it is possible that movement blurs may result. Always select a high measuring rate for high-speed operations, therefore, in order to prevent errors.

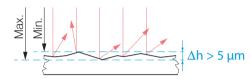
5.1.2.6 Surface Roughness

Laser-optical sensors detect the surface using an extremely small laser spot. They also track slight surface unevenness. In contrast, a tactile, mechanical measurement, e.g. using a caliper, detects a much larger area of the measurement object. In case of traversing measurements, surface roughnesses of 5 μ m and more lead to an apparent distance change.

Suitable parameters for the averaging number may improve the comparability of optical and mechanical measurements.



Ceramic reference surface



Structured surface

Recommendation for parameter choice:

- The averaging number should be selected in such a way that a surface area the size of which is comparable to those with mechanical measurements is averaged.

5.1.2.7 Angle Influences

Tilt angles of the target in diffuse reflection both around the X and the Y axis of less than 5 ° only have a disturbing effect with surfaces which are highly reflecting.

These influences have to be explicitly considered when scanning profiled surfaces. Basically the angle behavior of triangulation is liable to the reflectivity of the measuring object surface.

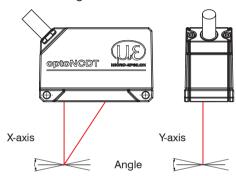
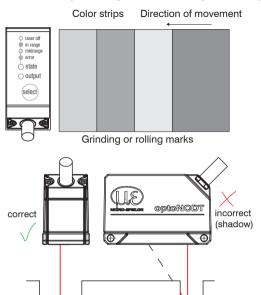


Fig. 6 Measurement errors through tilting with diffuse reflection

5.1.3 Optimizing the Measuring Accuracy



In case of rolled or polished metals that are moved past the sensor the sensor plane must be arranged in the direction of the rolling or grinding marks. The same arrangement must be used for color strips.

Fig. 7 Sensor arrangement in case of ground or striped surfaces

In case of bore holes, blind holes and edges in the surface of moving targets the sensor must be arranged in such a way that the edges do not obscure the laser spot.

Fig. 8 Sensor arrangement for holes and ridges

5.2 Mounting, Dimensions

The optoNCDT 1320 sensor is an optical system for measurements with micrometer accuracy. The laser beam must be directed perpendicularly onto the surface of the target. In case of misalignment it is possible that the measurement results will not always be accurate.

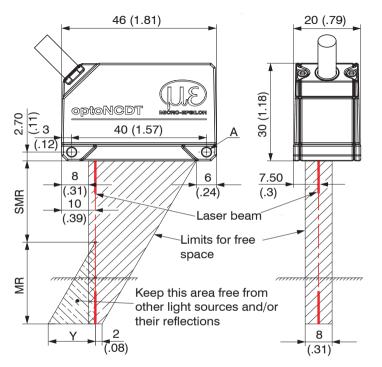
- Make sure it is handled carefully when installing and operating.
- Mount the sensor by means of 2 screws type M3 or by means of through bores for M2 with the screws from the accessories.

| Bolt connection | | | | | |
|---|-------------|--------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|
| Through length | Screw depth | Amount | Screw | Washer | Torque |
| 20 mm | min 5 mm | 2 | M2 x 25 ISO 4762-A2 | A2.2 ISO 7089-A2 | $0.5 \text{ Nm } (\mu = 0.2)$ |
| min 4.8 mm, max 20 mm 2 M3 ISO 4762-A2 1 Nm (μ = 0.12) | | | | | |
| Direct fastening | | | | | |

Fig. 9 Mounting conditions

The bearing surfaces surrounding the fastening holes (through-holes) are slightly raised.

Mount the sensor only to the existing holes on a flat surface. Clamps of any kind are not permitted. Do not exceed torques.



| ILD 1320- | | 10 | 25 | 50 | 100 |
|-----------|----|----|----|----|-----|
| MR | mm | 10 | 25 | 50 | 100 |
| SMR | mm | 20 | 25 | 35 | 50 |
| EMR | mm | 30 | 50 | 85 | 150 |
| Υ | mm | 10 | 21 | 28 | 46 |

The indicated free space in the reception area, see Fig. 10, has to be kept clear from foreign objects and extraneous light of other laser sensors at least until the end of measuring range.

MR = Measuring range

SMR = Start of measuring range

 $\mathsf{MMR} = \mathsf{Mid} \; \mathsf{of} \; \mathsf{measuring} \; \mathsf{range}$

EMR = End of measuring range

FSO = Full scale output

Fig. 10 Dimensional drawing and free space for optics and optical free space

A: 2x M3 for direct fastening or 2x M2 for bolt connection

5.3 Indicator Elements at Sensor

| LED State | Meaning | |
|--|--|--|
| green Measuring object within sensor range | | |
| yellow | Mid range | |
| red | Error - e.g. Poor target or out of range | |
| off | Laser off | |

| LED Output | Meaning |
|------------|--|
| green | RS422 measurement value output |
| yellow | RS422 and current output are switched off. The RS422 and the current output can be switched on. Web interface can also be switched on. |
| red | Current 4 20 mA measurement value output |
| off | Sensor off, no supply |



The programmable touch key select calls up the functions Masters and Teaching. By factory default this key is only active for the first 5 minutes after power up. After that it will be automatically locked. The keylock can be programmed via internal websites or ASCII commands.

5.4 Electrical Connections

5.4.1 Connection Possibilities

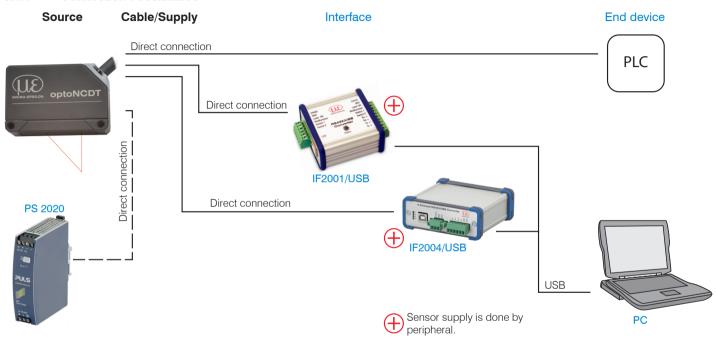


Fig. 11 Connection examples on ILD 1320

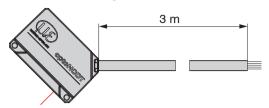
The different periphery devices can be connected to the sensor by the illustrated connections, see Fig. 11.

The converters IF2001/USB and IF2004/USB also supply the operating voltage (24 V DC) of the sensor. Power to the converters is supplied e. g. by the optional power supply PS 2020.

| Peripheral | Sensor channels | Interface | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|--|
| IF2001/USB, RS422 USB converter | one | RS422 | |
| IF2004/USB | one | NS422 | |
| SPS, ILD 1320 or the like | | Functional input: trigger | |
| Switch, key, PLC or the like | | Switching input laser On/Off | |

Fig. 12 Max. sensor channels on the peripheral devices

5.4.2 Pin Assignment



The shielding of the cable is connected to the sensor housing. The sensor cable is not cable carriers suitable. One end is molded on the sensor, the other end has free leads with ferrules.

ILD1320 with open ends

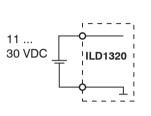
| Signal | Color sensor cable | Description | Specification |
|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--|
| RS422 Rx+ | green | O - vial in a - A | latera alle terre in the desire to the desir |
| RS422 Rx- | yellow | Serial input | Internally terminated with 120 Ohm |
| RS422 Tx+ | gray | O-vi-l-v-t-v-t | Townsianate and are allowed to 400 Oleve |
| RS422 Tx- | pink | Serial output | Terminate externally with 120 Ohm |
| +U _B | red | Supply voltage | 11 30 VDC, typ. 24 VDC, P < 2 W |
| Laser on/off black | | Outlieb insent | Laser is active, if input is connected with GND |
| Functional input | violet | Switch input | Trigger, Zero/Master, Teaching |
| Error | brown | Digital output | I _{max} = 100 mA, U _{max} = 30 VDC, Programmable switching characteristic: (NPN, PNP, Push-Pull) |
| I _{out} | white | 4 20 mA | $R_{Load} = 250 \text{ Ohm: } U_{OUT} 1 \dots 5 \text{ V with } U_{B} > 11 \text{ V}$ $R_{Load} = 500 \text{ Ohm: } U_{OUT} 2 \dots 10 \text{ V with } U_{B} > 17 \text{ V}$ |
| GND | blue | Ground potential | Supply and signal ground |
| Connector housing | Shield | Sensor housing | Connect with potential equalization |

5.4.3 Supply Voltage

Nominal value: 24 V DC (11 ... 30 V, P < 2 W).

Switch on the power supply unit once wiring is completed.

Connect the inputs "red" and "blue" at the sensor with a 24 V voltage supply.



| Wire color | Supply |
|------------|-----------------|
| red | +U _B |
| blue | Ground |

Use the supply voltage for measurement instruments only and not for drive units or similar sources of pulse interference at the same time.

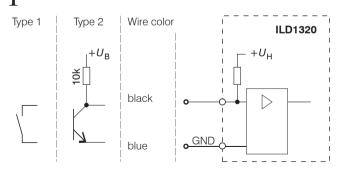
MICRO-EPSILON recommends using an optional available power supply unit PS2020 for the sensor.

Fig. 13 Connection of supply voltage

5.4.4 Laser on

The measuring laser on the sensor is activated via an HTL switch input. This is advantageous if the sensor has to be switched off for maintenance or similar. Switching can be done with a transistor (for example open collector in an optocoupler) or a relay contact.

If the black and blue wire are not connected, the laser is off.



There is no external resistor for current limiting required. Connect the black wire with the blue wire for permanent "Laser on".

Reaction Time for Laser-On: Correct measuring data are sent by the sensor approximately 1 ms after the laser was switched on.

Fig. 14 Electrical wiring for laser off

5.4.5 RS422 Connection with USB Converter IF2001/USB

Cross the lines for connections between sensor and PC.

f 1 Disconnect or connect the D-sub connection between RS422 and USB converter when the sensor is disconnected from power supply only.

| Sensor | | End device (converter) | |
|--------|--------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Signal | Sensor cable | Type IF2001/USB from MICRO-EPSILON | |
| Tx + | grey | Rx + (Pin 3) | |
| Tx - | pink | Rx -(Pin 4) | |
| Rx + | green | Tx + (Pin 1) | |
| Rx - | yellow | Tx -(Pin 2) | |
| GND | blue | GND (Pin 9) | |



Symmetric differential signals according to EIA-422, not galvanically isolated from supply voltage.

Use a shielded cable with twisted cores.

Fig. 15 Pin assignment IF2001/USB

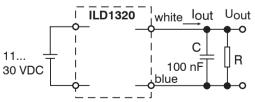
5.4.6 Analog Output

The sensor provides a current output 4 ... 20 mA.

The output may not be continuously operated in short circuit operation without load resistor. The short circuit operation leads to durable thermal overload and thus for automatic overload shutdown of the output.

Connect the white wire and the blue wire on the sensor to a measuring device.

| Sensor | |
|------------------|--------------|
| Signal | Sensor cable |
| I _{OUT} | white |
| GND | blue |



With the adjacent circuit you will get an analog voltage output in the range of 1 ... 5 V.

R = 250 Ohm:

 $U_{OUT} 1 ... 5 V at U_{B} > 11 V$

R = 500 Ohm:

U $_{\text{OUT}}$ 2 ... 10 V at U $_{\text{B}} >$ 17 V

Fig. 16 Wiring for voltage output

5.4.7 Multifunctional Input

The multifunctional input enables the functions Triggering, Zeroing/Mastering, Teaching. The function is dependent on the programing of the input and of the time behavior of the input signal.

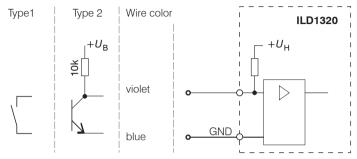


Fig. 17 Electrical wiring for multifunctional input

Input is not galvanically isolated.

24V logics (HTL):

Low level≤ 2 V

High level≥ 8 V (max 30 V),

Internal pull up resistance, an open input is noticed as High.

Connect the input with GND to trigger the function.

5.4.8 Digital Output

The switching characteristic (NPN, PNP, Push-Pull, Push-Pull negated) of the digital output (Error) depends on the programing.

The NPN output is e.g. suitable for adjustment to TTL logics with an auxiliary voltage $U_H = +5$ V. The digital output is protected against reverse polarity, overloading (< 100 mA) and over temperature.

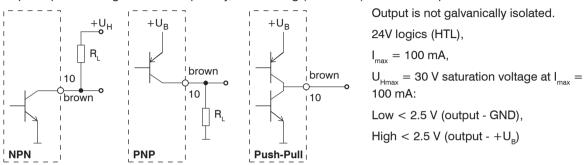


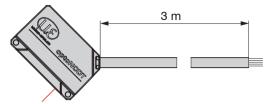
Fig. 18 Electrical wiring digital output

| Switching characteristic | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Description | Output active (error) | Output passive (no error) | |
| NPN (Low side) | GND | appr. +U _H | |
| PNP (High side) | + U _B | appr. GND | |
| Push-Pull | + U _B | GND | |
| Push-Pull, negated | GND | + U _B | |

Fig. 19 Switching characteristic digital output

The digital output is activated when measuring object is missing, measuring object too close/too far or when no valid measurement value can be determined.

5.4.9 Sensor Cable



ILD 1320 with open ends

- Never fall below the bending radius for the sensor cable of 30 mm (fixed) or 60 mm (dynamic).
- The fixed connected sensor cables are not cable carriers suitable.
- 1 Unused open cable ends must be insulated to protect against short circuits or malfunction of the sensor.
- Avoid excessive pulling to the cables. Provide strain relieves near the connectors when cables > 5 m are vertically free hanging.
- Connect the cable shield to the potential equalization (PE, protective earth conductor) on the evaluator (control cabinet, PC housing) and avoid ground loops.
- Never lay signal leads next to or together with power cables or pulse-loaded cables (e.g. for drive units and solenoid valves) in a bundle or in cable ducts. Always use separate ducts.

Recommended strand cross-section for self-made connection cables: ≥ 0.14 mm² (AWG 25).

6. Operation

6.1 Getting Ready for Operation

Install and assemble the optoNCDT 1320 in accordance with the instructions set out, see Chap. 5.

Connect the sensor with the indicator or monitoring unit and the power supply.

The laser diode in the sensor can only be activated if at the input Laser on/off Pin 8 is connected with Pin 12, see Chap. 5.4.4.

Once the operating voltage has been switched on the sensor runs through an initialization sequence. This is indicated by the momentary activation of all the LEDs. Once initialization has been completed, the sensor transmits a "->" via the RS422 interface. The initialization takes up to 10 seconds. Within this period, the sensor executes the Reset or the Bootloader command through the key select only.

To be able to produce reproducible measurements the sensor typically requires a start-up time of 20 minutes. If the LED output is off, this means that there is no supply voltage.

If the LED state is off, this means that the laser light source has been switched off.

6.2 Operation via Web Interface

6.2.1 Requirements

In the sensor, dynamic Web pages are created that contain the current settings of the sensor and the periphery. The operation is only possible as long as an RS422 connection to the sensor exists.

The sensor is connected to a PC/notebook via a RS422 converter, supply voltage persists.

Start the program ILD1320 DAQ Tool Vx.x.x.

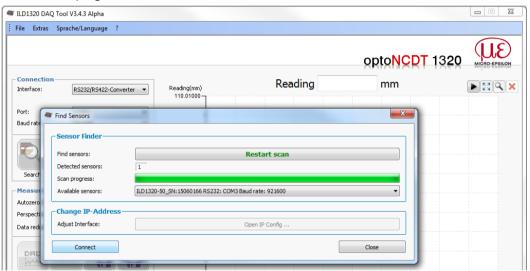


Fig. 20 Auxiliary program for sensor search and to start web interface

The ILD 1320 DAQ tool searches for connected ILD 1320 sensors by means of an internal auxiliary program on available interfaces.

You need a web browser (e.g. Mozilla Firefox or Internet Explorer) on a PC/notebook.

- Choose the desired sensor. Click on the button Connect.
- Choose Configuration in the menu Extras.
- Choose the browser type in dialog Configuration and click on the button



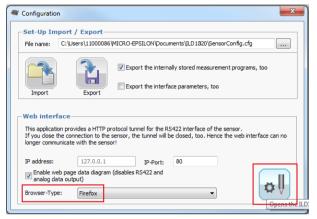
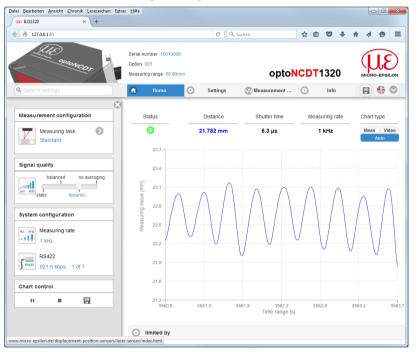


Fig. 21 Dialog configuration web interface

6.2.2 Access via Web Interface

Start the web interface of the sensor, see Chap. 6.2.1.

Interactive websites for programming the sensor now appear in the web browser.



In the top navigation bar other functions (settings, measurement chart etc.) are available.

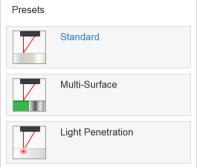
The appearance of the websites can change dependent of the functions. Each page contains descriptions of parameters and so tips for filling the website.

Fig. 22 First interactive website after selection of the web interface

The sensor is active and supplies measurement values. The ongoing measurement can be operated by means of function buttons in the area Chart control.

By clicking the button in the area Measurement configuration, the change between the saved configurations (presets) for different measuring object surfaces (targets) is done. Choosing a target causes a predefined configuration of the settings which achieves the best results for the chosen material.





Signal quality balanced no averaging dynamic

Standard

Ceramics, metal

Multi-Surface 1

Printed circuit boards (PCB), hybrid

material

Light Penetration 1

Plastics (Teflon, POM), materials with large penetration depth of the laser

Averaging

static moving, 128 values balanced moving, 64 values dynamic Median, 9 values no averaging

Description

In the area Signal quality you can switch between four given basic settings (static, balanced, dynamic and no averaging). You can instantly see the reaction in the diagram and system configuration.

The area System configuration displays the current settings for measuring rate and RS422 in blue lettering. Changes to the settings are possible by means of the slide Signal quality or by means of the tab Settinas.

The area Diagram type enables the change between graphical display of the measurement value or the video signal, each as value time diagram.

- After programming all the settings are to be stored permanently in a set of parameters. The next time you turn on the sensor they are available again. Therefore use the button Save settings.
- If the sensor starts with user defined measurement setting (setup), see Chap. 7.6.4, changing the signal quality is not possible.

1) Available for the sensor models ILD1320-10/25/50.

6.2.3 Measurement Presentation via Web Browser

Start the measurement value display (Measurement chart) in the horizontal navigation bar.

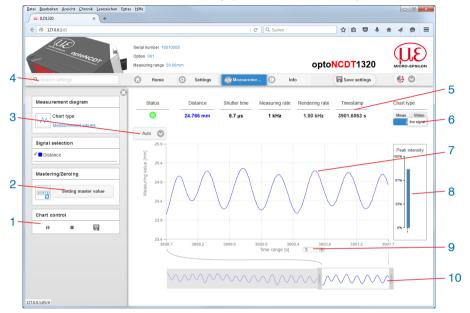


Fig. 23 Website measurement (distance measurement)

- 1 Stop stops the diagram; data selection and zoom function are still possible.

 Pause interrupts recording. Save opens the Windows selection dialog for file name and storage location to save the last 10,000 values in a CSV file (separation with semicolon).
- 2 This function starts or stops a relative measurement. The master value can also be defined in a submenu here.

- 3 For scaling the measurement value axis (y-axis) of the graphics you can either choose Auto (= autoscaling) or Manual (= manual setting).
- 4 The search function enables time-saving access to functions and parameters.
- 5 In the text boxes above the graphics current values for distance, exposure time, current measuring and display rate and timestamp are displayed.
- 6 Choice of a diagram type. In the setting Auto the diagram type matching the setting is chosen automatically.
- Mouse over function. When moving the mouse over the graphic in stopped state curve points are marked with a circle symbol and the related values are displayed in text boxes above the graphic. Peak intensity is also updated.
- 8 The peak intensity is displayed as bar chart.
- 9 Scaling of the x-axis can be defined by means of a input field below the time axis.
- 10 Scaling of the x-axis: you can enlarge (zoom) the overall signal by means of the left slider during ongoing measurement. If the diagram is stopped, you can also use the right slider. The zoom window can also be moved by means of the mouse in the middle of the zoom window (arrow cross).
- 1 If you leave the diagram display in a separate tab or window of the browser running, you do not have to restart the description each time.
- Click the button Start, for starting the display of the measurement results.

6.2.4 Video Signal via Web Browser

Start the video signal display with the function Video in the area Diagram type.

The diagram in the big graphic window on the right displays the video signal of the recipient filed. The video signal in the graphic window displays the intensity distribution above the pixels of the recipient field. 0 % (distance small) on the left and 100 % (distance big) on the right. The related measurement value is marked by means of a vertical line (peak marking).

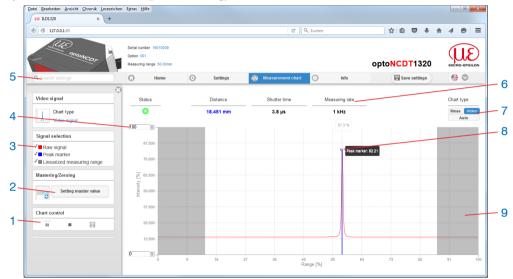


Fig. 24 Display of video signals

- 1 Stop stops the diagram; data selection and zoom function are still possible.

 Pause interrupts recording. Save opens the Windows selection dialog for file name and storage location to save the last 10,000 values in a CSV file (separation with semicolon).
- 2 This function starts or stops a relative measurement. The master value can also be defined in a submenu here.

- The video curves to be displayed while or after measurement can be switched on or off in addition in the left window. Non active curves are highlighted in gray and can be added by clicking the hook. If you only want to see a single signal, then click on its name.
 - Raw signal (uncorrected CMOS signal, red)
 - Peak marking (vertical blue line), corresponds to the calculated measurement value
 - Linearized measuring range (limited by means of gray shading), cannot be changed
- 4 For scaling the measurement value axis (y-axis) of the graphics you can either choose Auto (= auto scaling) or Manual (= manual setting).
- 5 The search function enables time-saving access to functions and parameters.
 - ASCII commands to the sensor can also be sent via the search function.
- 6 In the text boxes above the graphics current values for distance, exposure time, current measuring and display rate and timestamp are displayed.
- 7 Choice of a diagram type. In the setting Auto the diagram type matching the setting is chosen automatically.
- 8 Mouse over function. When moving the mouse over the graphic in stopped state curve points are marked with a circle symbol and the related intensity is displayed. The related x position in % appears above the graphic filed.
- 9 The linearized range is between the gray shading in the diagram and cannot be changed. Only peaks which centers are within this range can be calculated as measurement value. The masked range can be limited on request and is additionally limited by means of a light blue shading on the right and on the left. The remaining peaks in the resulting range are used for evaluation.

By displaying the video signal, you can detect effect of the adjustable measurement task (target material), choice of peak and possible interfering signals by means of reflections.

There is no linear relationship between the position of the peaks in the video signal and the output measurement value.

6.3 Programming via ASCII Commands

As an added feature you can program the sensor via an ASCII interface, physically the RS422.

This requires, that the sensor must be connected to a serial RS422 interface via a suitable interface converter, see Chap. A 1, to a PC / PLC.

Pay attention in the programs used to the correct RS422 default setting.

Once connected, you can transmit the commands from the appendix, see Chap. A 3, via the terminal to the sensor.

6.4 Timing, Measurement Value Flux

The sensor requires three cycles for measurement and calculation without triggering:

Each cycle takes 500 μ s at a measuring rate of 2 kHz. The measured value N is available at the output after three cycles. The delay between acquisition and output is therefore 1500 μ s. As the processing in the cycles occurs parallel, after another 500 μ s, the next measured value (N+1) is output.

7. Set Sensor Parameter

7.1 Preliminary Remarks to the Adjustments

You can program the optoNCDT 1320 simultaneously in two different ways:

- using a web browser via the ILD 1320 DAQ Tool and the Web interface
- ASCII command set and a terminal program via RS422.
- If you do not save the programming permanently in the sensor, you lost the settings after turning off the sensor.

7.2 Overview Parameter

The following parameters can be set or changed in the optoNCDT 1320, see tab Settings.

| Inputs | Laser on/off, Multifunctional input, Key function |
|-------------------|---|
| Signal processing | Measurement task, Measuring rate, Reset counter, Triggering (Data recording, Data output), Evaluation range (ROI), Peak selection, Error handling, Averaging, Zeroing/Mastering, Data reduction |
| Outputs | RS422, Analog output, Switching output |
| System settings | Unit on website, Keylock, Load & Store, Import & Export, Access authorization, Reset controller (factory settings) |

7.3 Inputs

Go to the menu Inputs in the menu Settings.

| Laser on/off | On / Off | | Laser on/off is only effective when pin 8 is connected to GND. |
|-----------------|---------------------|------------|--|
| Multifunctional | Zeroing (Mastering) | High / Low | Sets the function of the switching input. The Trigger |
| input | Trigger In | High / Low | influences capture and export of a measurement value. Zeroing/Mastering sets the current measurement value |
| | Teaching | | to the entered master value. Teaching scales the analog output. HTL is defined as active input level. |
| | Inactive | | |
| Key function | Zeroing (Mastering) | | Sets the function of the sensor key. Inactive means |
| | Teaching | | keylock. |
| | Inactive | | |

7.4 Signal Processing

7.4.1 Preliminary Remark

Go to the menu Signal processing in the tab Settings.

A diagram appears according to the prior settings in the area Diagram type in the right part of the display. The diagram is active and various settings can be seen immediately. You can find references to the chosen setting below.

The menus for the area Signal processing are located in the left part.

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

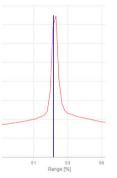
Value Darkfields to sp

Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

7.4.2 Measurement Task

The measurement task contains choice of the measuring object (target). The choice of a target loads a predefined sensor configuration which achieves the best results for the chosen material.

| Measurement | Standard | Suitable for materials made of ceramics, metal or filled plastics |
|-------------|--|---|
| task | Changing surfaces 1 | Suitable e.g. for Printed circuit boards (PCB) or hybrid materials |
| | Material with penetration ¹ | Suitable for plastics (POM, Teflon), materials with large penetration depth of the lase |





The choice of measuring object preferences can be observed in the diagram Video signal on the right by means of the position of the blue peak marking in relation to the video signal (raw signal). It should preferably hit in the area of the highest point (peak) of the video signal.

Setting: Standard

Material with penetration

Fig. 25 Example: Video signals (extract) with measuring object material POM

In the setting Standard the peak marking (measurement value) of the plastics example POM does not hit the focus of the real peak as its base is distorted asymmetrically by means of penetration of the laser light. This is possible only if the measurement task was set to Material with penetration.

In the setting Changing surfaces a compromise between penetration and standard finish is chosen which achieves optimum results for both materials. This can also be seen in the diagram distance values (Meas) by means of the different distance values for the respective measurement tasks.

1) Available for the sensor models ILD1320-10/25/50.

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Value Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

7.4.3 Measuring Rate

The measuring rate indicates the amount of measurements per second.

Choose the desired measuring rate.

| Measuring rate | 250 Hz 500 Hz 1 kHz 2 kHz | Use a high measuring rate with light and matt measuring objects. Use a low measuring rate with dark and shiny |
|----------------|---------------------------------|---|
| | | measuring objects (e.g. black lacquered surfaces) to |
| | | improve the measuring result. |

With a maximum measuring rate of 2 kHz the CMOS element is exposed 2,000 times per second.

The lower the measuring rate, the higher maximum exposure time.

Measuring rate is set to 1 kHz ex works.

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Value

Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

7.4.4 Triggering

7.4.4.1 General

The optoNCDT 1320 measurement output is controllable through an external trigger signal or a command. Triggering affects the analog and digital output. The measurement value at the time of triggering is output delayed, see Chap. 6.4.

- Triggering does not influence the timing so that between the trigger event (level change) and the start of output always lie 3 cycles + 1 cycle (Jitter).
- The multifunctional input is used as external trigger input, see Chap. 5.4.7.
- Factory setting: no triggering, the sensor starts data transmission right after start-up.
- Pulse duration of the "Trigger in" signal must be at least 50 µs.

| Output trigger | , | | | A continuous measurement task is following as long as the chosen level remains the same. Choice of level, see Chap. 7.3. Pulse duration must be at least a cycle time. The following pause must be at least a cycle time. | |
|-------------------|----------|--------------|--------|--|---|
| | Edge | infinite | | | Edge selection, see Chap. 7.3. "0" end trigger, |
| | | manual | Number | Value | "1 16382" values per trigger, "16383" endless trigger |
| | Software | are infinite | | | A software triggering is started by clicking the button Release trigger. "0" end trigger, "1 16382" values |
| | | manual | Number | Value | per trigger, "16383" endless trigger |
| | Inactive | | | No triggering | |

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Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Value

Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value. Valid with triggering:

 $f_T < f_M$

Trigger frequency

 f_{M}

Measuring rate

Implemented trigger conditions:

Level triggering with high level / low level.

Continuous measurement input or output, as long as the selected level is applied. Then stops the data output.

The pulse duration must be at least one cycle time. The subsequent break must also be at least one cycle time.

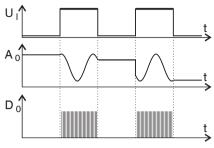


Fig. 26 High trigger level (above) with analog output A and digital output signal D (below)

Edge triggering with rising or falling edge.

Starts measured value acquisition or output as soon as the chosen edge is applied to the trigger input. The sensor outputs a fixed number of measurement values when trigger conditions have been met. Value range from 1 ... 16383. After termination of data output the analog output sticks to the last value (sample & hold).

Pulse duration must be at least 50 µs.

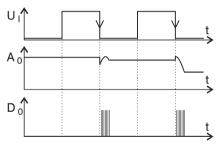


Fig. 27 Trigger edge HL (above) with analog output A and digital output signal D (below)

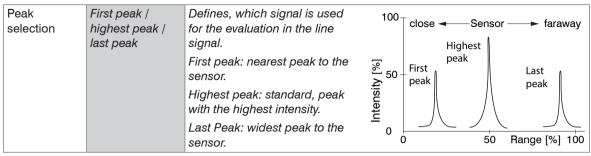
Software triggering. Starts the measurement value output, when a software command comes. The trigger time is defined more inaccurately. After the trigger event the sensor outputs the preset number of measurement values or starts a continuous measurement value output. If "0" is selected for the number of measurement values, the sensor stops the triggering and the continuous value output.

Measurement output can also be stopped by means of a command.

7.4.4.2 Signal Processing - Value Output Trigger

Measurement values are calculated continuously and independently of the trigger event. A trigger event simply triggers the value output via a digital interface. Therefore, any values measured immediately before the trigger event are included in calculating mean values (averages).

7.4.5 Peak Selection



A correct measuring result can be determined only for the first peak when a measuring object which consists of several transparent layers.

7.4.6 Error Handling

Error handling adjusts the behavior of the analog output and the RS422 interface in the event of an error.

| Error handling | Error output, no value | Analog output supplies 3 mA instead of the measurement value. The RS422 interface outputs an error value. | |
|----------------|------------------------------|---|-------|
| | Retain last value infinitely | Analog output and R to the latest valid val | |
| | Retain last value | 1 1024 | Value |

If no valid measurement value can be detected, an error is output. If this disrupts further processing, you can alternatively hold the last valid value over a specific period of time i.e. it can be output again. After expiry of the chosen number an error value is output.

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Value Dark field to sp

Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

7.4.7 Zeroing and Mastering

By zeroing and mastering you can set the measurement value to a set point in the measuring range. The output range is moved thereby. This function makes sense, for example, for several adjacent measuring sensors or in the case of the thickness and planarity measurement.

| Zeroing/ | Inactive | | Normal measurement value or Zeroing/Mastering is undone. |
|-----------|--------------|--|--|
| Mastering | Active Value | | Indication, e. g. of thickness of a master part. |
| | | | Value range max. 0 up to +2 x measuring range |

Setting masters is used to compensate mechanical tolerances in the measurement setup of the sensors or to adjust the temporal (thermal) changes in the measurement system. The masters measurement, also a known as the calibration measurement, is given a set point.

The value which is given during measurement on the sensor output of the "mastering object" is the master value. The zero-setting is a characteristic of the mastering, because here the master value is 0.

When mastering the sensor's characteristic is parallel displaced. The displacement of the characteristic curve reduces the usable measurement range of the sensor the further the master value is away from the master position.

Sequence for Mastering / Zeroing:

Bring target and sensor in the desired position together.

Send the master command.

The master command waits for 2 seconds on the next measurement value and masters it. If no measurement value is received within this time, for example by external triggering, the command returns with the error E220 Timeout back.

After the mastering, the sensor gives new measurement values, related to the master value. The non-mastered condition applies by means of a reset with the button Inactive.

 $\overset{\bullet}{l}$ Zeroing/Mastering requires that a target is within the measurement range. Zeroing/Mastering has an influence on the digital and the analog output.

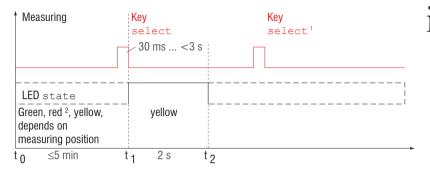
An invalid master value, e. g. no peak available, will be acknowledged with the E602 Master value is out of range error.

Grey shaded fields require a selection.



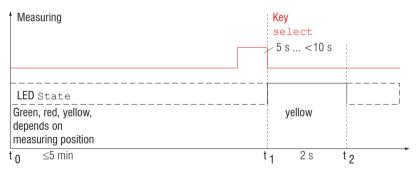
Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

7.4.7.1 Zeroing, Mastering with Select Key



The key Select is locked according to factory settings after expiry of 5 min. You can unlock the keylock e.g. via the web interface, see Chap. 7.6.3.

Fig. 28 Flow chart for zeroing, mastering (key select)

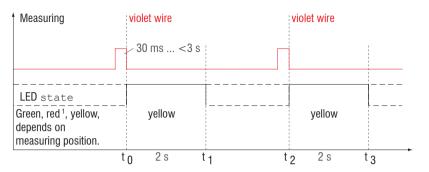


The function Zeroing/Mastering can be used several times in succession. Between repetition of the function Zeroing/Mastering a brake of 1 s is necessary. The function Zeroing/Mastering can also be combined with the multifunctional input.

Fig. 29 Flow chart for the return of zero setting and mastering

- 1) The key Select remains without effect since key lock is active.
- 2) The master value is not applied when LED State is red, flash frequency 8 Hz for 2 s.

7.4.7.2 Zeroing, Mastering with Hardware Input



A pulse can be made via the functional input (violet wire sensor cable).

Details of the hardware input can be found in the electrical connections, see Chap. 5.4.7.

Fig. 30 Flow chart for zeroing, mastering (hardware input)

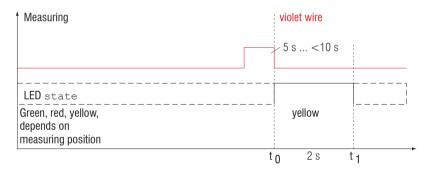


Fig. 31 Flow chart for the return of zero setting and mastering

The function zeroing/mastering can be applied successive in several times. Between repeating the zeroing/mastering function a pause of 1 s is required. The zeroing/mastering function can also be combined with the select key.

1) With red State LED, the master value is not accepted, flashes with 8 Hz for 2 s.

7.5 Outputs

7.5.1 Overview

| RS422 | Baud rate | 9.6 19.2 56.0 1 1000 kBps | 15.2 / 230.4 / | Transmission rate with binary data format. |
|------------------|------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| | Output data | Distance / Shutter to Sensor state / Mea Non-linearized foca Time stamp / Video | surement counter / al point / | The data which are provided for the transmission are to activate with the checkbox. |
| Analog output | Standard scale | | | Start of measuring range 4 mA, end of measuring range 20 mA |
| | Two-point scale | Minimum value | Value | Always 2 points which mark the start and end of a new measuring range are taught. Reversal of the |
| | | Maximum value | Value | output signal is possible with two- point scaling. |
| Error output | Inactive | | | Adjusts the switching characteris- |
| | Full scale error | NPN / PNP / PushF | Pull / PushPullNeg | tic of the error output (error), see Chap. 5.4.8. |
| Output Interface | Web interface / | Analog RS422 | | Decides via the used interface for measurement output. A parallel measurement output via multiple channels is not possible. When choosing web interface measurement values are not output via RS422 or current output. |

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Dark-bordered fields require you Value to specify a value.

7.5.2 Digital Output, RS422

7.5.2.1 Values, Ranges

The digital measuring values are being output as unsigned digital values (raw values). 16 or 18 bits per value are being transmitted. Subsequently you can find a compilation of output values and the conversion of the digital value.

| Value | Length | Variables | Value range | Formula |
|--------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| Distance (without Mas- tering) | 16 bits | x = digital value | [0; <643] SMR reserve [643; 64887] measuring range [>64887; 65520] EMR reserve | $d [mm] = \frac{1}{100} \left(\frac{102}{65520} \times -1 \right) * MR [mm]$ |
| | | MR = measuring range [mm] | {10/25/50/100} | 100 (65520 ^) |
| | | d = distance [mm] | [-0,01MR; 1,01MR] | |
| Distance | 18 bits | x = digital value | [0; 229320] | The section to the control of the co |
| (with Mastering) | | MR = measuring range [mm] | {10/25/50/100} | The output range is also coded with 64235 values at 18 bit and shifted with the master |
| | | MP = master position [mm] | [0; MR] | value, see Fig. 33. The reserves at SMR and EMR are coded with 643 values each. |
| | | MV = master value [mm] | [0; 2MR] | and Elvin are coded with 643 values each. |
| | | d = distance [mm] | | |
| | | MV < MP - 0.5MR: | [-0.5MR + MV; MR - MP+ MV] | $d [mm] = \frac{1}{100} \left(\frac{102}{65520} \times -51 \right) * MR [mm]$ |
| | | MV ≥ MP - 0.5MR: | [-MP + MV; MR - MP + MV] | , |
| Exposure time | 18 bits | x = digital value | [1; 262143] | $ET [\mu s] = \frac{1}{10} x$ |
| | | ET = exposure time [μ s] | [0.1; 26214.3] | $[\mu s] = \frac{1}{10} x$ |
| Intensity | 16 bits | x = digital value | [0; 65472] | 25 1 [9/] — V |
| | | I = intensity [%] | [0; 100] | $I [\%] = \frac{25}{16368} \times$ |

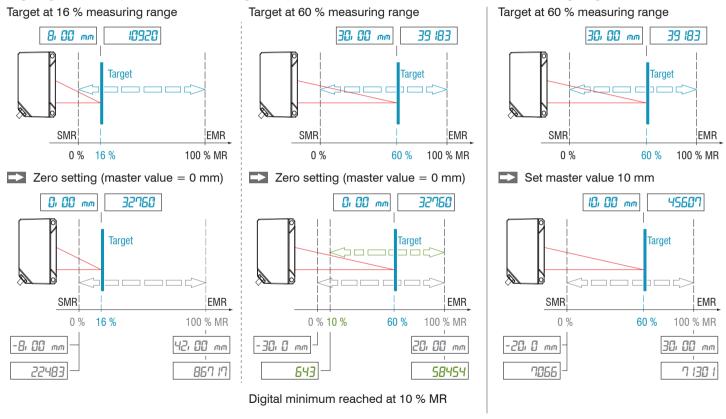
| Sensor status | 18 bits | x = digital value | [0; 242143] | Bit 0 (LSB): peak starts before ROI |
|---------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | | Bit encoding | [0; 1] | Bit 1: peak ends after ROI |
| | | | | Bit 2: no peak found |
| | | SMR = Start of measuring ra | nge | Bit 5: distance before SMR (extended) |
| | | EMR = End of measuring rar | nge | Bit 6: distance after EMR (extended) |
| | | | | Bit 15: measuring value is triggered |
| | | | | Bit 16, 17: status LED; |
| | | | | - 00 – off 10 – red |
| | | | | - 01 – green 11 – yellow |
| Measurement counter | 18 bits | x = digital value | [0; 262143] | |
| Time stamp | 2 words, | x = digital value Lo | [0; 65535] | 4 |
| | at 16 bit | y = digital value Hi | [0; 65535] | $t [ms] = \frac{1}{100} (65536y + x)$ |
| | | t = time stamp [ms] | [0; 11h55m49.67s] | 100 \ |
| Non-linearized | 18 bits | x = digital value | [0; 262143] | 100 |
| focus | | NF = focus | [0; 100] | NF [%] = $\frac{100}{262143}$ x |
| Video raw signal | 16 bits | 512 pixel | [0; 65535] | |

Additional information transmitted in the distance value

| Distance value | Description |
|----------------|---|
| 262075 | data amount to big for selected baud rate |
| 262076 | no peak available |
| 262077 | peak before the measurement range (MR) |
| 262078 | peak behind the measurement range (MR) |
| 262080 | measurement value can not be calculated |
| 262081 | peak is to large |
| 262082 | Laser is off |
| | |

7.5.2.2 Characteristics Digital Output

Measurements are coded with 18 bit, if the based on zero setting or mastering. The master value itself can accept the double measuring range. The examples below show the digital output behavior of an ILD1320-50 with 50 mm measuring range.



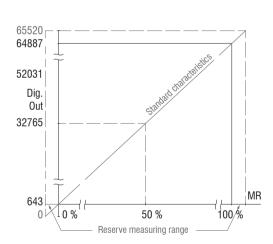


Fig. 32 Digital values without zero setting or mastering

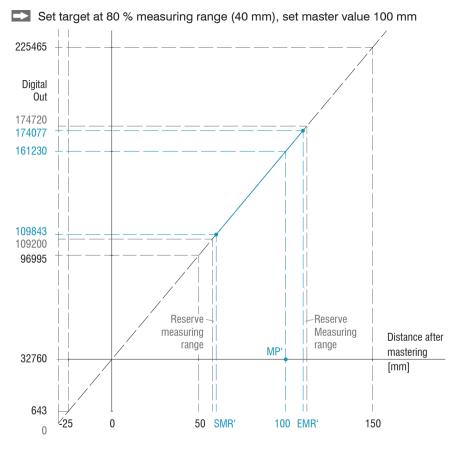


Fig. 33 Digital values of an ILD1320-50 with mastering, master value 100 mm $\,$

7.5.3 Analog Output Scaling

7.5.3.1 Output Scaling

- Max. output range: 4 mA ... 20 mA
- Output gain Δ I OUT: 16 mA = 100 % MR
- Error value: 3.0 mA (\pm 10 μ A)

The teaching scales the analog output (4 to 20 mA) for a part of the measuring range. This allows you to optimize the resolution for the analog measurement range. Only the current and switching output will be affected by the 2 point calibration. Therefore you define a new start and end for the measurement range. This teaching procedure can be performed live via the select key, the multifunctional input or via the webinterface.

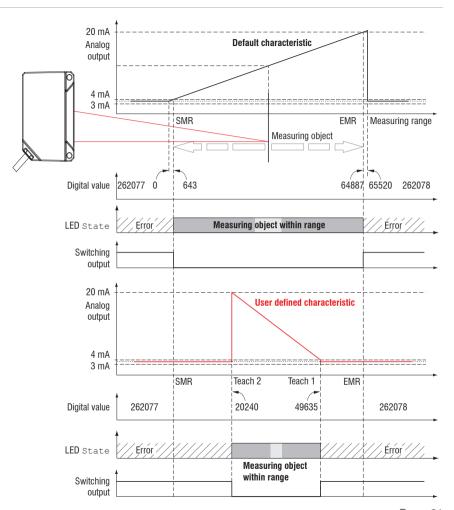
With a user defined output scaling you can use the error output, see Chap. 5.4.8, as a programmable limit switch.

The measurement object positions for Teach 1 and Teach 2 have to differ from each other.

The teaching process requires a valid measuring signal. The teaching process is terminated at

- no target,
- target not evaluated,
- to close to the sensor beyond SMR or
- to far from the sensor beyond EMR.

Fig. 34 Default characteristic (black), reverse, user defined characteristic (red)



7.5.3.2 Output Scaling with Key Select

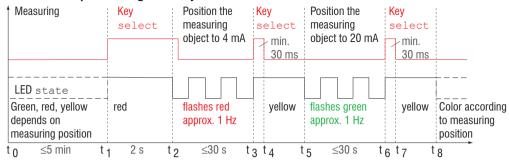


Fig. 35 Flow chart for output scaling

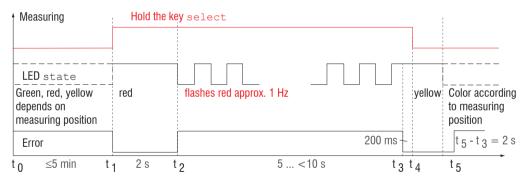


Fig. 36 Flow chart for the return of output scaling

If the key Select is pressed longer than 10 s or not within the timeframe while doing the return of the output scaling, an error is shown via State LED. In this case the State LED is blinking red with 8 Hz for 2 s.

7.5.3.3 Output Scaling via Hardware Input

Scaling of the analog output can be made via an impulse at the functional input, the violet wire on the sensor cable.

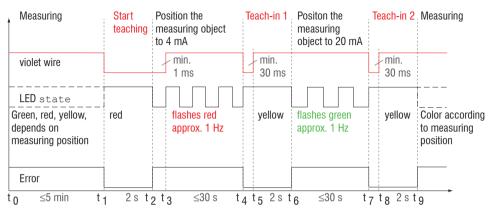


Fig. 37 Flow chart for output scaling

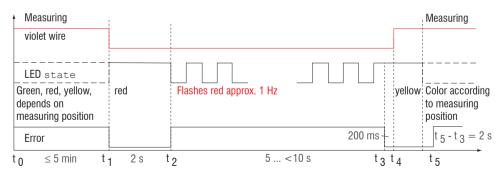


Fig. 38 Flow chart for the return of output scaling

7.5.3.4 Calculation of Measuring Value using Analog Current

Current output (without mastering, without teaching)

| Variables | Value range | Formula |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| I _{OUT} = current [mA] | [3,8; <4] SMR reserve [4; 20] measuring range [>20; 20,2] EMR reserve | $d [mm] = \frac{(I_{OUT} [mA] - 4)}{} * MR [mm]$ |
| MR = measuring range [mm] | {10/25/50/100} | 16 |
| d = distance [mm] | [-0,01MR; 1,01MR] | |

Current output (with mastering), reference value is midrange

| Variables | Value range | Formula | |
|---------------------------------|---|---|--|
| I _{OUT} = current [mA] | [3,8; <4] SMR reserve [4; 20] measuring range [>20; 20,2] EMR reserve | d [mm] = $\frac{(I_{OUT} [mA] - 12)}{16} * MR [mm]$ | |
| MR = measuring range [mm] | {10/25/50/100} | 16 | |
| MP = master position [mm] | [0; MR] | | |
| d = distance [mm] | for MP ≤ 0.5MR: [-MP; 0.5MR] | | |
| u – uistance [IIIIII] | for MP > 0.5MR: [-0.5MR; MR - MP] | | |

Current output (with teaching)

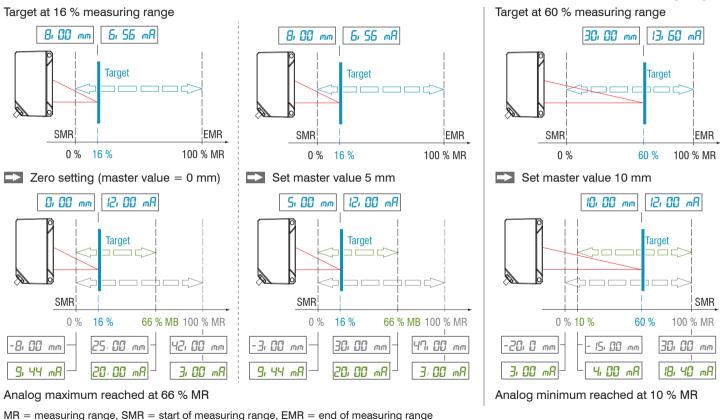
| Variables | Value range | Formula |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| I _{OUT} = current [mA] | [3,8; <4] SMR reserve [4; 20] measuring range [>20; 20,2] EMR reserve | d [mm] = (I _{OUT} [mA] - 4) * n [mm] - m [mm] |
| MR = measuring range [mm] | {10/25/50/100} | $d [mm] = \frac{(6011 - 3)^{2}}{16} * [n [mm] - m [mm]]$ |
| m, n = teachig area [mm] | [0; MR] | |
| d = distance [mm] | [m; n] | |

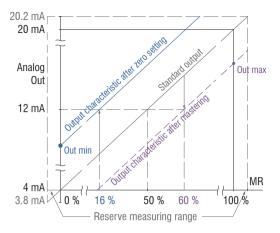
Current output (with mastering and teaching)

| Varia | bles | Value range | Formula | |
|---------------------------|------------------------|---|---|--|
| I _{OUT} | = current [mA] | [3,8; <4] SMR reserve [4; 20] measuring range [>20; 20,2] EMR reserve | d [mm] = $\frac{(I_{OUT} [mA] - 12)}{16} * n [mm] - m [mm] $ | |
| MR | = measuring range [mm] | {10/25/50/100} | 16 | |
| MP | = position object [mm] | [0; MR] | | |
| m, n = teaching area [mm] | | for MP ≤ 0.5MR: [-MP; 0.5MR] | | |
| | | for MP > 0.5MR: [-0,5MR; MR - MP] | | |
| d | = distance [mm] | [m; n] | | |

7.5.3.5 Characteristics Distance Value and Analog Output

The mastering and zero setting function set the analog output on half of the output range independent on the master value, thus 12 mA. The examples below show the current output and the distance value behavior of an ILD1320-50 with 50 mm measuring range.





| E! 00 A! | | | · | |
|----------------|-------------|------------|--------|-----------|
| Fig. 39 Analog | output with | zero setti | ıng or | mastering |

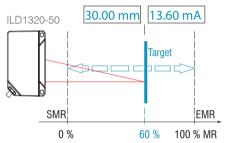
| Master point | Master value | Out min | Out max |
|--------------|--------------|----------|----------|
| 16 % | 0 mm | 9.44 mA | 20.0 mA |
| (8 mm) | O IIIIII | (-8 mm) | (33 mm) |
| 60 % | 10 mm | 4.00 mA | 18.40 mA |
| (30 mm) | | (-15 mm) | (30 mm) |

7.5.3.6 Mastering and Teaching Analog Output

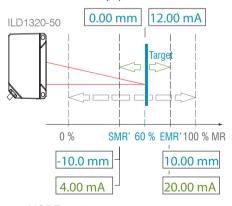
Proceed as follows:

- 1. Mastering or zero setting, menu signal processing
- 2. Teach putput, menu Outputs

The mastering and zero setting function set the analog output on half of the output range, see Chap. 7.5.3.5.



- Target at 60 %, set master value 0 mm
- Set minimum (m) 20 mm and maximum (n) 40 mm



With n < m generates an inverse characteristic.

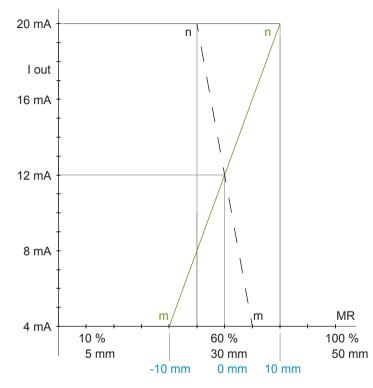


Fig. 40 Analog output characteristic after mastering and scaling with an ILD1320-50

7.6 System Settings

7.6.1 General

After programming all the settings are to be stored permanently in a set of parameters. The next time you turn on the sensor they are available again.

7.6.2 Unit, Language

The web interface promotes the units millimeter (mm) and inch when displaying measuring results.

You can choose German, English or Chinese in the web interface. You can change language in the menu bar.

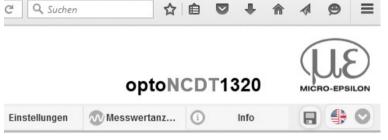


Fig. 41 Language selection in the menu bar

7.6.3 Keylock

The function keylock for the key Select, see Chap. 5.3 prevents unauthorized / unintended performing of the key functions. Keylock is always activated when user level User is chosen. Keylock can only be deactivated in user level Expert. If an expert logs in the system, keylock on the sensor is automatically unlocked.

| Key lock | Automatic | Range from 1 60 [min] | | Keylock starts after expiry of defined time. Clicking the button Refresh prolongs the timeframe until keylock starts. |
|----------|-----------|-----------------------|--|---|
| | Active | | The key Select is deactivated independent of the user level. | |
| | Inactive | | | The key Select is active independent of the user level. |

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Value

Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

7.6.4 Load, Save

All settings to the sensor can be saved permanently in one application program, a so called setup.

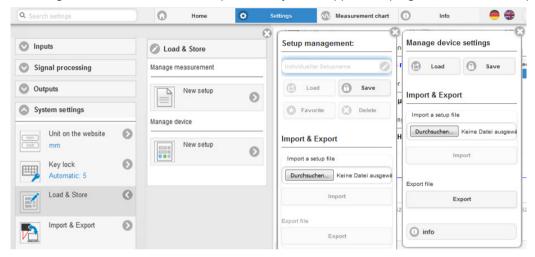


Fig. 42 Administration of application programs

| Administer setups in the sensor, possibilities and procedure | | | |
|---|---|------------------------------------|--|
| Save settings | Activate existing setup | Save changes in active setup | Define setup after booting |
| Menu New setup | Menu Load & Save | Menu bar | Menu Load & Save |
| Enter the name for the setup into the field , e.g. rubber 1.05 and click the button Save. | Click on the setup with the left mouse button. The dialog Setup management opens. Click on the button Load. | Click on the button Save settings | Click on the setup with the left mouse button. The dialog Setup management opens. Click on the button Favorite. |

| Exchange setup with PC/notebook, possibilities | | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| Save setup on PC | Load setup from PC | | |
| Menu Load & Save | Menu Load & Save | | |
| Click on the setup with the left mouse button, area A. | Click on Create setup with the left mouse button. | | |
| The dialog Setup management opens. | The dialog Setup management opens. | | |
| Click on the button Export. | Click on the button Search. | | |
| | A Windows dialog for file selections opens. | | |
| | Choose the desired file and click on the button Open. | | |
| | Click the button Import in the setup management. | | |

7.6.5 Import, Export

A set of parameters covers current settings, setup(s) and the initial setup when booting the sensor. The menu ${\tt Import}$ & ${\tt Export}$ enables easy exchange of sets of parameters with a PC/notebook.

| Exchange set of parameters with PC/noteboo | | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| Save set of parameters on PC | Load set of parameters from PC | Select measurement and device | |
| Menu Import & Export | Menu Import & Export | settings for export: | |
| Click on the button New set of parameters with the left mouse button. The dialog Choose setups for export opens. You arrange a set of parameters by selecting/deselecting the check boxes. Click on the button Transmit file. A Windows dialog for file transmission opens. Confirm the dialog with OK. The operating system stores the set of parameters in the area Download. File name for the following example is <\ Downloads\ILD1320_50BASICSETTINGS_MEASSETTINGS_SCHALE T1SETTING | Click on the button Search. A Windows dialog for file selection opens. Choose the desired file and click on the button Open. The dialog Choose setups for export opens. You define actions to be made by selecting/deselecting the check boxes. Click on the button Transmit file. | Measurement settings: Rubber 1.05 Boot setup: Rubber 1.05 Device settings: Device settings Transmit file | |

A security query, see adjacent figure, helps to avoid that an existing setup is inadvertently overwritten during import.



7.6.6 Access Authorization

The assignment of a password prevents unauthorized changing of settings on the sensor.

When delivered, the password protection is not enabled.

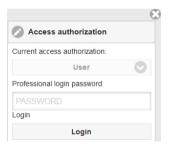
The sensor operates in the user level Professional. The password protection should be enabled after configuration of the sensor. The default password for the expert level is 000.

The default password or a user-defined password is not changed by a software update. The professional password is independent of the setup and is therefore not together loaded or saved with the setup.

The following functions are available for the user:

| | User | Professional |
|--|------|--------------|
| Password required | no | yes |
| Viewing settings, signal processing, outputs, system settings | yes | yes |
| Changing settings, signal processing, outputs, system settings | no | yes |
| Changing password | no | yes |
| Changing between the measurement and video signal chart types | no | yes |
| Scaling diagrams | yes | yes |
| Setting factory setting | no | yes |

Fig. 43 Rights in the user hierarchy



Type in the default password 000 or a user-defined password in the Password field and confirm with Login.

Change with a click on the Logout button in the mode user.

Fig. 44 Change in the professional user level

The user management allows you to assign a custom password in the Professional mode.

| Password | | Case-sensitive rules are observed for all passwords. Numbers are allowed. Special characters are not allowed. Maximum length is set to 31 characters. | |
|----------------------------|------------------------|---|--|
| User level when restarting | User / Professional | Specifies the user level, with which the sensor starts after the restarting. For this purpose, MICRO-EPSILON recommends the selec- | |
| | | tion user. | |

After configuration of the sensor the password protection is to be activated. Please note the password for later reference.

7.6.7 Sensor Reset

| Sensor reset | Sensor settings | Button | Settings for baud rate, language, unit, keylock and echo mode are deleted and the default parameters are loaded. |
|--------------|----------------------|--------|---|
| | Measurement settings | Button | Settings for measuring rate, trigger, evaluation range, peak selection, error handling, averaging, zeroing/mastering, data reduction and the setups are deleted. The 1 st preset will be loaded. |
| | Reset all | Button | When clicking this button settings for sensor, measuring preferences, access authorization, password and the setups are deleted. The 1st preset will be loaded. |
| | Restart sensor | Button | When clicking this button the sensor is rebooted with the settings from the setup Favorite, see Chap. 7.6.4. |

Grey shaded fields require a selection.

Value

Dark-bordered fields require you to specify a value.

8. Digital Interfaces RS422

8.1 Preliminary Remarks

The interface RS422 has a maximum baud rate of 1 MBaud. The factory-set baud rate is 921.6 kBaud. The maximum measuring rate is 2 kHz.

Data format: Measurement values in binary format, commands as an ASCII string.

Interface parameter: 8 Data bits, no parity, one stop bit (8N1).

f 1 Disconnect or connect the D-sub connection between RS422 and USB converter when the sensor is disconnected from power supply only.

8.2 Measurement Data Format

16 ¹ or 18 bits are transmitted per output value, see Chap. 7.5.2. An output value is divided into three bytes that differ in the two most significant bits. The transmission of additional output values is optional.

Output value 1 / additional:

| L-Byte | 0 | 0 | D5 | D4 | D3 | D2 | D1 | D0 |
|--------|---|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| M-Byte | 0 | 1 | D11 | D10 | D9 | D8 | D7 | D6 |
| H-Byte | 1 | 02 | О3 | О3 | D15 | D14 | D13 | D12 |

Output sequence: L-Byte, M-Byte, H-Byte.

1, 3) Error values are coded with 18 Bit.

2) Bit 7 in the H byte is set to 0 for the last output value. This simultaneously represents the identifier of a new block. With all previous output values in the same block, the 7th is in the H byte 1. Depending on the measuring rate, baud rate and output data rate output all data can be output in one block. If data output is not possible, a run-time error will be output. Use the command GETOUTINFO_RS422 to query for data selection and output sequence.

8.3 Conversion of the Binary Data Format

For conversion purposes the H-Byte, M-Byte and L-Byte must be identified on the basis of the two first bits (flag bits), the flag bits deleted and the remaining bits compiled into a 16 or 18 bit data word.

Result of conversion:



Conversion must be done in the application program. D16 and D17 are among others used for interpretation of error codes or e.g. for the measurement counter.

 ${f 1}$ The sensor continues to deliver measurement values to the RS422 output even while communicating with the sensor.

For the data transmission with a PC the MICRO-EPSILON IF2001/USB is suitable. The IF2001/USB combines the three bytes for the data word and saves them in the FIFO. The 18 bits are used for measurement values and error values. For further information, please refer to the descriptions of the IF2001/USB interface card and associated MEDAQlib driver program.

You will find the latest program routine at: www.micro-epsilon.com/link/software/medaglip.

9. Cleaning

Cleaning of the protective screens is recommended periodically.

Dry Cleaning

Therefore an optics anti-static brush is suitable or bleeding the screen with dehumidified, clean and oil-free compressed air.

Wet Cleaning

For cleaning the protective screen use a clean, soft, lint-free cloth or lens cleaning paper with pure alcohol (isopropyl).

Never use standard glass cleaner or other cleaning agents.

10. Software Support with MEDAQLib

MEDAQLib offers you a documented driver DLL. Therewith you embed optoNCDT laser sensors, in combination with a RS422/USB converter, e. g. IF2001/USB, into an existing or a customized PC software.

MEDAQLib

- contains a DLL, which can be imported into C, C++, VB, Delphi and many additional programs,
- makes data conversion for you,
- works independent of the used interface type,
- features by identical functions for the communication (commands),
- provides a consistent transmission format for all MICRO-EPSILON sensors.

For C/C++ programmers MEDAQLib contains an additional header file and a library file. You will find the latest driver / program routine at:

www.micro-epsilon.de/download/ www.micro-epsilon.de/link/software/medaglib/

11. Liability for Material Defects

All components of the device have been checked and tested for functionality at the factory. However, if defects occur despite our careful quality control, MICRO-EPSILON or your dealer must be notified immediately.

The liability for material defects is 12 months from delivery. Within this period, defective parts, except for wearing parts, will be repaired or replaced free of charge, if the device is returned to MICRO-EPSILON with shipping costs prepaid. Any damage that is caused by improper handling, the use of force or by repairs or modifications by third parties is not covered by the liability for material defects. Repairs are carried out exclusively by MICRO-EPSILON.

Further claims can not be made. Claims arising from the purchase contract remain unaffected. In particular, MICRO-EPSILON shall not be liable for any consequential, special, indirect or incidental damage. In the interest of further development, MICRO-EPSILON reserves the right to make design changes without notification.

For translations into other languages, the German version shall prevail.

12. Decommissioning, Disposal

Remove the power supply and output cable from the sensor.

Incorrect disposal may cause harm to the environment.

Dispose of the device, its components and accessories, as well as the packaging materials in compliance with the applicable country-specific waste treatment and disposal regulations of the region of use.

13. Service, Repair

If the sensor or sensor cable is defective:

- If possible, save the current sensor settings in a parameter set, see Chap. 7.6.4, to reload them into the sensor after the repair.
- Please send us the effected parts for repair or exchange.

If the cause of a fault cannot be clearly identified, please send the entire measuring system to: MICRO-EPSILON Optronic GmbH Lessingstraße 14 01465 Langebrück / Germany Tel. +49 (0) 35201 / 729-0 Fax +49 (0) 35201 / 729-90 optronic@micro-epsilon.de www.micro-epsilon.com

Appendix

A 1 Optional Accessories



1) One channel with ILD 1320 possible only.

A 2 Factory Settings

| Password | "000" |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Measuring rate | 1 kHz |
| Magazzina zanga | 100 % FSO: I = 20 mA , digital 64887 |
| Measuring range | 0 % FSO: I = 4 mA, digital 643 |
| Peak selection | Highest peak |
| Error handling | Error output, no measurement |

| Measurement averaging | Median 9 |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Output | Analog current |
| RS422 | 921.6 kBaud |
| Trigger mode | No trigger |
| Language | German |

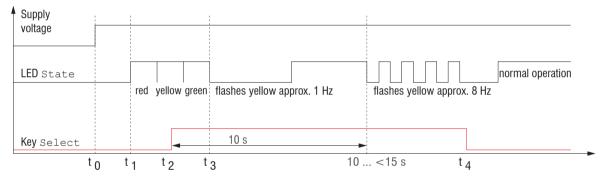


Fig. 45 Flow chart to start a sensor with factory setting

t_o: power supply is on

 $t_1 \dots t_3$: both LEDs signalize the start sequence (red-yellow-green for 1 sec. each)

t₃: key is pressed during start sequence (t₁ ... t₃)

 t_{4} : key is released while the LED State is flashing yellow

 $\Delta t = t_4 - t_2$; Δt (key press period) must be at least 10 sec., max. 15 sec.

A 3 ASCII Communication with Sensor

A 3.1 General

The ASCII commands can be sent to the sensor via the RS422 interface. All commands, inputs and error messages are effected in English.

One command always consists of a command name and zero or several parameters, which are separated by blanks and are completed with LF. If blanks are used in parameters, the parameter must be set in quotation marks.

Example: Switch on the output via RS422

OUTPUT RS422

Advice: unust include LF, but may also be CR LF.

Declaration: LF Line feed (line feed, hex 0A)

CR Carriage return (carriage return, hex 0D)

The currently set parameter value is returned, if a command is activated without parameters.

The input formats are:

```
<Command name> <Parameter1> [<Parameter2> [...]]
<Command name> <Parameter1> <Parameter2> ... <Parameter...>
```

or a combination thereof.

Parameters in []-brackets are optional and require the input of the parameter standing in front. Sequent parameters without []-brackets are to input compulsory, that is, it must not be omitted a parameter.

Alternative inputs of parameter values are displayed separately by "|", for example the values "a", "b" or "c" can be set for "a|b|c". Parameter values in <> brackets are selectable from a value range.

Declarations on format:

| "a b" | Value of the parameter can be set to the value "a" or "b". | |
|-----------------|---|--|
| " P1 P2" | It requires that both parameters "P1" and "P2" are set. | |
| " P1 [P2 [P3]]" | The parameters "P1", "P2" and "P3" can be set, whereby "P2" may only be set, if "P1" is set and "P3" only if "P1" and "P2" are set. | |

| | " <a>" | The value of the parameter lies in a value range of " to", see parameter description. | |
|--|------------|---|--|
|--|------------|---|--|

Parameter values without peak brackets can only assume discrete values, see parameter description.

Parantheses are to be understood as a grouping, that is, for a better articulation "P1 P2 | P3" is written as "(P1 P2) | P3".

Example without []:

"PASSWD <Old password> <New password> <New password>"

- To change the password, all three parameters are to be input.

The output format is:

<Command name> <Parameter1> [<Parameter2> [...]]

The reply can be used again as command for the parameter setting without changes. Optional parameters are only returned, if the returning is necessary. For example, the activated output values are returned by command Data selection additional values. After processing a command always a return and a prompt ("->") is returned. In the case of an error an error message is before the prompt, that begins with "Exxx", where xxx is a unique error number. Also warnings ("Wxxx") can be output instead of error messages.

These are analogous to the error messages. In case of warnings the command is executed.

The replies to the commands GETINFO and PRINT are useful for support requests to the sensor, because they contain sensor settings.

A 3.2 Overview Commands

| Group | Chapter | Command | Short description |
|------------|-----------------|--------------|--|
| General | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.3.1 | HELP | Help on commands |
| | Chap. A 3.3.2 | GETINFO | Request sensor information |
| | Chap. A 3.3.3 | LANGUAGE | Determine language of website |
| | Chap. A 3.3.4 | RESET | Reboot sensor |
| | Chap. A 3.3.5 | RESETCNT | Reset counter |
| | Chap. A 3.3.6 | ECHO | Switching the command reply, ASCII interface |
| | Chap. A 3.3.7 | PRINT | Output of all sensor settings |
| User level | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.3.8.1 | LOGIN | Change of user level |
| | Chap. A 3.3.8.2 | LOGOUT | Change to user in the user level |
| | Chap. A 3.3.8.3 | GETUSERLEVEL | User level request |
| | Chap. A 3.3.8.4 | STDUSER | Setting the standard user |
| | Chap. A 3.3.8.5 | PASSWD | Change password |
| Triggering | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.3.9.1 | TRIGGER | Selection of trigger mode |
| | Chap. A 3.3.9.2 | MFILEVEL | Selection of level for multifunctional input |
| | Chap. A 3.3.9.3 | TRIGGERCOUNT | Number of measurement values displayed |
| | Chap. A 3.3.9.4 | TRIGGERSW | Software - trigger pulse |

| Interfaces | 5 | | |
|------------|------------------|-----------------|---|
| | Chap. A 3.3.10.1 | BAUDRATE | RS422 setting |
| | Chap. A 3.3.10.2 | UNIT | Selection of measuring unit web interface |
| | Chap. A 3.3.10.3 | MFIFUNC | Selection of function multifunctional input |
| | Chap. A 3.3.10.4 | ERROROUT1 | Activate digital output |
| | Chap. A 3.3.10.5 | ERRORLEVELOUT1 | Output level digital output |
| | Kap. A 3.3.10.6 | ERRORLIMIT | Limit to activate digital output |
| | Kap. A 3.3.10.7 | ERRORHYSTERESIS | Stable digital output |
| | Kap. A 3.3.10.8 | ERROROUTHOLD | Minimum duration active digital output |
| Handling | of setups | | |
| | Chap. A 3.3.11.1 | IMPORT | Load parameter |
| | Chap. A 3.3.11.2 | EXPORT | Export sensor settings |
| | Chap. A 3.3.11.3 | MEASSETTINGS | Load/save measurement settings |
| | Chap. A 3.3.11.4 | BASICSETTINGS | Load/save device settings |
| | Chap. A 3.3.11.5 | SETDEFAULT | Factory settings |
| Scaling o | f analog output | | |
| | Chap. A 3.3.12 | ANALOGSCALE | Scaling analog output |
| Key funct | ion | | |
| | Chap. A 3.3.13.1 | KEYFUNC | Selection of key function |
| | Chap. A 3.3.13.2 | KEYLOC | Selection of keylock |
| | | | |

| Measurement | | | | | |
|-------------|--|-------------------|--|--|--|
| | General | | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.4.1 | MEASPEAK | Choice of the peak in the video signal | | |
| | Chap. A 3.4.2 | MEASRATE | Selection of measuring rate | | |
| | Chap. A 3.4.3 | LASERPOW | Selection of laser power | | |
| | Measurement Val | ue Processing | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.4.4.1 | MASTERMV | Mastering / Zeroing | | |
| Data Outp | ut | | | | |
| | General | | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.5.1 | OUTPUT | Selection measuring value output | | |
| | Chap. A 3.5.2 | OUTHOLD | Setting of error processing | | |
| | Select measurement values to be output | | | | |
| | Chap. A 3.5.3.1 | GETOIUTINFO_RS422 | Request data selection | | |
| | Chap. A 3.5.3.2 | OUTADD_RS422 | Selection of additional values | | |

A 3.3 General Commands

A 3.3.1 HELP

HELP [<Command>]

Issues a help for every command. If no command is specified, a general help is output.

A 3.3.2 GETINFO, Sensor Information

GETINFO

Request of sensor information. Output see example below:

| ->GETINFO | |
|------------------|------------|
| Name: | ILD1320-10 |
| Serial: | 15030002 |
| Option: | 000 |
| Article: | 4120209 |
| Cable head: | Wire |
| Measuring range: | 10.00mm |
| Version: | 001.010 |
| Hardware-rev: | 00 |
| Boot-version: | 001.000 |
| -> | |

//Model name sensor, sensor series //Serial number //Option number of sensor //Article number of sensor

//Measuring range of sensor //Version of software

A 3.3.3 LANGUAGE, Website

LANGUAGE DE | EN

Determines the language for the web interface.

- DE: set language to German
- EN: set language to English
- CN: set language to Chinese

The chosen language setting applies to the website.

A 3.3.4 RESET, Boot Sensor

RESET

The sensor is rebooted.

A 3.3.5 RESETCNT, Reset Counter

RESETCHT [TIMESTAMP] [MEASCHT]

Sets back internal counters in the sensor.

- TIMESTAMP: sets back timestamp
- MEASCNT: sets back measurement counter

A 3.3.6 ECHO, Switching the Command Reply, ASCII Interface

ECHO ON | OFF

Setting the command reply with a ASCII command:

- ON: command reply on, for example <Kdo> ok (or notice of error)
- OFF: command reply off, for example ->

A 3.3.7 PRINT, Sensor Settings

PRINT

Print serves the output of all sensor settings.

Example of an answer:

GETUSERLEVEL PROFESSIONAL OUTPUT ANALOG

STDUSER PROFESSIONAL OUTADD_RS422 NONE

BAUDRATE 921600 GETOUTINFO RS422 DIST1

UNIT MM OUTHOLD NONE

LANGUAGE DE ERROROUT1 DIST

MFIFUNC NONE ERRORLEVELOUT1 NPN

MFILEVEL HTL HIGH ANALOGSCALE STANDARD

KEYFUNC NONE

KEYLOCK AUTO 5 (IS ACTIVE)

MEASRATE 1.000

MEASPEAK DISTA

TRIGGER NONE

TRIGGERCOUNT INFINITE

LASERPOW FULL

MASTERMV NONE

A 3.3.8 User Level

A 3.3.8.1 LOGIN, Change of the User Level

LOGIN <Password>

Enter the password to change user level. The following user levels are available:

- USER (standard user): "read-only" access to all elements and graphical display of output values of web surface
- PROFESSIONAL (expert): "read-only" and "write" access to all elements

A 3.3.8.2 LOGOUT, Change into User Level

LOGOUT

Set user level to USER.

A 3.3.8.3 GETUSERLEVEL, User Level Request

GETUSERLEVEL

Request current user level

A 3.3.8.4 STDUSER, Set Standard User

STDUSER USER | PROFESSIONAL

Set standard user who is automatically logged in after system start. Standard user does not change with LOGOUT which means login as standard user is done automatically after the command RESET or power supply of sensor is switched on.

A 3.3.8.5 PASSWD, Change Password

PASSWD <Old Password> <New password> <New password>

Change password for user level PROFESSIONAL.

Type in the old password followed by the new password (2x). In case the new password is not typed in correctly, an error message is will be displayed. Password may only contain letters from A to Z, no numbers 0 to 9. Watch upper and lower case lettering. The maximum length is limited to 31 characters.

A 3.3.9 **Triggering**

The multifunctional input also serves as trigger input for measurement output.

A 3.3.9.1 TRIGGER, Selection

TRIGGER NONE | EDGE | PULSE | SOFTWARE

- NONE: no triggering - PULSE: level triggering - EDGE: edge triggering
- SOFTWARE: software triggering

A 3.3.9.2 MFILEVEL, Input Pulse Multifunctional Input

```
MFILEVEL HTL HIGH|HTL LOW
```

Selection of switching or trigger level for the multifunctional input.

- HTL HIGH: high active (edge triggering: rising edge, pulse triggering: high active)
- HTL LOW: low active (edge triggering: falling edge, pulse triggering: low active)

A 3.3.9.3 TRIGGERCOUNT, Number of Displayed Measurement Values

```
TRIGGERCOUNT NONE | INFINITE | <n>
<1...16382>
```

Number of displayed measurement values while triggering

- NONE: stop triggering and start continuous output
- INFINITE: start continuous output after first trigger impulse
- <n>: number of displayed measurement values after each trigger impulse n = 1 ... 16382

A 3.3.9.4 TRIGGERSW, Software Trigger Pulse

TRIGGERSW

Creats a trigger pulse. Error message is displayed if "SOFTWARE" is not selected in trigger selection.

A 3.3.10 Interfaces

A 3.3.10.1 BAUDRATE, RS422

BAUDRATE 9600|19200|56000|115200|128000|230400|256000|460800|691200|921600| 1000000

Set the baud rate for the RS422 interface.

A 3.3.10.2 UNIT, Web Interface

UNIT MM | INCH

Change the measurement display on the websites. The command has no effect on the ASCII interface.

- MM representation in mm
- INCH representation in customs

A 3.3.10.3 MFIFUNC, Function Selection Multifunctional Input

MFIFUNC NONE | MASTER | TEACH | TRIGGER

Choose function of the multifunctional input.

- NONE: multifunctional input has no function
- MASTER: multifunctional input is master impulse input
- TEACH: multifunctional input is teach input for analog output
- TRIGGER: multifunctional input is trigger input

A 3.3.10.4 ERROROUT1, Activate Error Output

ERROROUT1 NONE | DIST | TEACH | LI1

Choose error signal of the digital output ERROR.

- NONE: digital ourput deactivated
- DIST: no peak found or beyond measuring range (out of range)
- TEACH: Distance is out of scaled analog range
- LI1: Distance is greater than the limit value (ERRORLIMIT)

A 3.3.10.5 ERRORLEVELOUT1, Output Level Digital Output

ERRORLEVELOUT1 NPN|PNP|PUSHPULL|PUSHPULLNEG

Choice of output level for ERROROUT1.

- NPN: digital output is active in case of an error
- PNP: digital output is active in case of an error
- PUSHPULL: digital output with high level in case of an error
- PUSHPULLNEG: digital output with low level in case of an error

Wiring of digital output ERROR1, see Chap. 5.4.8.

A 3.3.10.6 ERRORLIMIT

ERRORLIMIT DIST1 <upper threshold>

Digital output is activated, if the defined value for a measurement is exceeded.

Range: 0 ... 2 * measuring range [mm].

A 3.3.10.7 ERRORHYSTERESIS

ERRORHYSTERESIS <hysteresis>

Digital output is deactivated, if the defined value for a measurement falls below the limit value.

Range: 0 ... 2 * measuring range [mm].

A 3.3.10.8 ERROROUTHOLD

ERROROUTHOLD <hold period>

Indicates in ms how long the digital output must be active at least when the limit value is exceeded. This time period starts when the limit value is exceeded. Range: 0 ... 1000 [ms].

A 3.3.11 Handling of Setups

A 3.3.11.1 IMPORT

```
IMPORT [FORCE] [APPLY] <Data>
```

Import of data in JSON format 1 to the sensor.

First, the import command returns a prompt (->). Afterwards, data can be sent.

After importing a prompt (->) is returned.

- FORCE: overwriting of measurement settings (= MEASSETTINGS) with the same name (otherwise an error message is returned when using the same name). When importing all measurement settings or device settings (= BASICSETTINGS) FORCE must always be stated.
- APPLY: applying the settings after importing / reading of initial settings.
- 1) JSON format, see https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/JavaScript Object Notation

A 3.3.11.2 EXPORT

```
EXPORT ALL | MEASSETTINGS ALL | (MEASSETTINGS <SetupName>) | BASICSETTINGS
```

Exporting sensor settings. As a response data is transmitted in JSON format. Finally a prompt occurs.

A 3.3.11.3 MEASSETTINGS, Load / Save Measurement Settings

```
MEASSETTINGS <Subcommands> [Name]
```

Settings of the measurement task.

Loads proprietary presets and one user-specific setting from the sensor or stores one user-specific setup in the sensor.

Subcommands:

- CURRENT: Output of the name of current measurement setting
- PRESETLIST: Listing of all existing presets (names): "Standard", "Multi-Surface", "Light Penetration".
- LIST: Listing of all saved measurement settings (names) "Name1" "Name2" "...".
- READ <Name>: Loads a preset or a measurement setting from the sensor.
- STORE <Name>: Saves the current measurement setting in the sensor.
- DELETE <Name>: Deletes a measurement setting
- RENAME <NameOld> <NameNew> [FORCE]: Renaming a measurement setting. An existing measurement setting can be overwritten with FORCE.

- INITIAL <name> | AUTO: Loads a named or last saved measurement setting at the start of the sensor.
 Presets can not be specified.
- PRESETMODE: Returns the set signal quality
- PRESETMODE < Mode>: Setting the signal quality. Setting the signal quality is possible only, if a preset
 was loaded.
 - <mode> = STATIC|BALANCED|DYNAMIC|NOAVERAGING|NONE

A 3.3.11.4 BASICSETTINGS, Load / Save Device Settings

BASICSETTINGS READ | STORE

- READ: Loads the stored device settings from the senosr.
- STORE: Saves the current device settings in the sensor.

A 3.3.11.5 SETDEFAULT, Default Settings

```
SETDEFAULT ALL | MEASSETTINGS | BASICSETTINGS
```

Sets sensor back to default settings.

- ALL: Measurement and device settings are being deleted. The standard preset for the measurement setting or the the default parameter for the device settings are being loaded.
- MEASSETTINGS: Measurement settings are being deleted and the standard preset is being loaded.
- BASICSETTINGS: Device settings are being deleted and the default parameters are being loaded.

A 3.3.12 ANALOGSCALE, Scaling the Analog Output

```
ANALOGSCALE STANDARD| (TWOPOINT <Minimum value> <Maximum value>)
```

Setting the two point scaling of the analog outpt.

- STANDARD: using the measuring range of the sensor
- TWOPOINT: two point scaling within the analog range (4 20 mA)
 - Minimum value: measurement value in mm which is matched to the lower analog value (4 mA)
 - Maximum value: measurement value in mm which is matched to the upper analog value (20 mA)
- The minimum value (in mm) can be higher than the maximum value (in mm), see Chap. 7.5.3.

A 3.3.13 Key Function

A 3.3.13.1 KEYFUNC, Choose Key Function

KEYFUNC NONE | MASTER | TEACH

Choice of key function.

- NONE: key has no function
- MASTER: key is used for mastering
- TEACH: key is used for teaching

A 3.3.13.2 KEYLOCK, Set Keylock

KEYLOCK NONE | ACTIVE | AUTO < time>

Choice of keylock.

- NONE: key works permanently, no keylock
- ACTIVE: keylock is activated right after reboot
- AUTO: keylock is only activated <time> minutes after reboot

A 3.4 Measurement

A 3.4.1 MEASPEAK, Choice of the Peak in the Video Signal

MEASPEAK DISTA|DIST1|DISTL

- DISTA: output of peak with highest amplitude (standard)
- DIST1: output of first peak
- DISTL: output of last peak

A 3.4.2 MEASRATE, Measuring Rate

MEASRATE 0.25|0.5|1|2

Choice of measuring rate in kHz.

A 3.4.3 LASERPOW, Laser Power

LASERPOW FULL | OFF

- FULL: laser power is set to 100 %
- OFF: laser is switched off

A 3.4.4 Measurement Value Processing

A 3.4.4.1 MASTERMV, Mastering / Zeroing

MASTERMV NONE | MASTER < MV>

- NONE: completes mastering
- MASTER: sets the current measurement value as a master value
- MV: master value in millimeters; MV = (0 ... 2) * measuring range, i.e. master value must be within measuring range

In case of master value is 0, the mastering has the same functionality as the zeroing. The parameter MV always operates independently from an input as zeroing during mastering the analog output.

The master command awaits the next measurement value, a maximum of 2 seconds, and masters it. If no measurement value is received within this time, for example, by external triggering, the command returns with the error "E220 Timeout".

The master value is processed with six decimal places.

Note that the output value is limited to 18 bits.

A 3.5 Data Output

A 3.5.1 OUTPUT, Selection of Measurement Value Output

OUTPUT NONE | RS422 | ANALOG

- NONE: no measurement value
- RS422: output of measurement value via RS422
- ANALOG: analog output of measurement values

A 3.5.2 OUTHOLD, Error Processing

OUTHOLD NONE | INFINITE | < n >

Setting the behavior of the measurement value output in case of error.

- NONE: no holding of the last measurement value, output of error value
- INFINITE: infinite holding of the last measurement value
- <n>: holding of the last measurement value on the number of measurement cycles; then an error value is output, n = $(1 \dots 1024)$

A 3.5.3 Selection of Measurement Values to be Output

A 3.5.3.1 GETOUTINFO RS422, Request Data Selection

```
GETOUTINFO RS422
```

The command lists all selected output data for the RS422 interface. The sequence shown corresponds to the output sequence.

A 3.5.3.2 OUTADD RS422, Selection of Data Additional Values

```
OUTADD_RS422 NONE| ([SHUTTER] [COUNTER] [TIMESTAMP] [INTENSITY] [STATE] [DIST RAW])
```

Selection of additional values to be transmitted.

- NONE: no output of additional values
- SHUTTER: output of exposure time
- COUNTER: output of measurement value counter
- TIMESTAMP: output of timestamp
- INTENSITY: output of intensity parallel to each distance value
- STATE: output of status word
- DIST RAW: output of uncalibrated distance value (raw value)

A 3.6 Example Command Sequence During Selection of Measurement Value

| Command | Content |
|--------------|---|
| MEASPEAK | Peak selection for displacement measurement |
| MEASRATE | Measuring rate (under consideration of reflectivity and movement of the target) |
| OUTPUT | Selection of the output channel |
| OUTHOLD | Output characteristic during measurement errors |
| OUTADD_RS422 | Selection of the additional values to be output for RS422 interface |
| BAUDRATE | Baud rate settings RS422 interface |

A 3.7 Error Messages

If an error occurs with a command, the error message is listed.

| Error message | Description |
|---|---|
| E100 Internal error | Internal error code |
| E104 Timeout | Timeout while mastering. |
| E200 I/O operation failed | Cannot write data to the output channel. |
| E202 Access denied | Access denied: Login as expert is necessary. |
| E204 Received unsupported character | An unsupported character was received |
| E210 Unknown command | Unknown command rights to small to read). |
| E214 Entered command is too long to be processed | The entered command with the parameters is too long (greater than 255 bytes). |
| E220 Timeout, command aborted | Timeout during mastering. |
| E232 Wrong parameter count | Too high or too small number of parameters. |
| E234 Wrong or unknown parameter type | A transmitted parameter has a wrong type or a wrong number of parameters were transmitted. |
| E236 Value is out of range or the format is invalid | The parameter value is out of range of the value range. |
| E262 Active signal transmission, please stop before | A measurement value transmission is active. Stop the data transmission in order to execute the command. |
| E320 Wrong info-data of the update | For update only: the header of update data contains an error. |
| E321 Update file is too large | For update only: update data is too large. |
| E322 Error during data transmission of the update | For update only: error during update data transmission. |
| E323 Timeout during the update | For update only: Timeout during the transmission of update data. |
| E331 Validation of import file failed | The import file is not valid. |

| E332 Error during import | Error during processing the import data |
|--|---|
| E333 No overwrite during import allowed | No overwrite of measurement and device settings allowed through import, set the checkbox. |
| E350 The new passwords are not identical | Password and verification password do not match. |
| E360 Name already exists or not allowed | The measurement setting name already exists or is not allowed. |
| E361 Name begins or ends with spaces or is empty | Name for the measurement setting begins or ends with spaces or is empty. |
| E362 Storage region is full | Number of storable measurement settings is reached. |
| E363 Setting name not found | Name of the measurement setting to be loaded not found |
| E364 Setting is invalid | Measurement or device setting is invalid |
| E602 Master value is out of range | Master value is out of valid range |
| E616 Software triggering is not active | Software triggering is not active. |
| | |

| Warning | Description |
|---|--|
| W320 The measuring output has been adapted automatically. | The measuring output has been adapted automatically. |

A 4 Control Menu

A 4.1 Tab Home

| Measurement task | Presets | Standard | Suitable for materials made of ceramics, metal or filled plastics |
|------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|--|
| | | Multi surface 1 | Suitable for e.g. PCB or hybrid materials |
| | | Light penetration ¹ | Suitable for plastics (POM, Teflon), materials with strong penetration of the laser |
| | Setup | Setup 1 | A setup contains user-specific measurement settings. Unlike the presets it can be changed anytime. |
| Signal quality | | Static / balanced / dynamic / off | The signal quality affects averaging of measurement values. |

A 4.2 Tab Settings

A 4.2.1 Inputs

| Laser on/off | On / Off | | Laser on/off is only effective when pin 8 is connected to GND. |
|-----------------------|--|--------------------------|---|
| Multifunctional input | Zeroing (Mastering) Trigger In Teaching Inactive | High / Low High / Low | Sets the function of the switching input. The trigger affects recording and output of a measurement value. Zeroing/Mastering sets the current measurement value to the entered master value. Teaching scales the analog output. HTL is defined as active input level. |
| Key function | Zeroing (Mastering) Teaching Inactive | | Sets the function of the sensor key. Inactive means keylock. |

¹⁾ Available for the sensor models ILD1320-10/25/50.

A 4.2.2 Signal Processing

| Measurement task | Standard | | | | Suitable for materials made of ceramics, metal or filled plastics | | |
|------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| | Changing surface 1 | | | | Suitable for e.g. Printed circuit boards (PCB) or hybrid materials | | |
| | Material w | vith penetra | ation ¹ | | Suitable for plastics (POM, Teflon), materials with strong penetration of the laser | | |
| Measuring rates | 250 Hz / 500 Hz / 1 kHz / 2 kHz | | | | For light and matt measuring objects a high measuring rate may be required. For dark or bright measuring objects a slower measuring rate may be required (e.g. black lacquered surface) to improve the measuring result. | | |
| Output trigger | Level | | | | Continuous measurement output takes place as long as the selected level is applied. Level selection, see Chap. 7.3. Pulse duration must at least be one cycle time. The subsequent break must also be at least one cycle time. | | |
| | Edge | Edge infinite | | | Edge selection. "0" end trigger, "1 16382" values per trigger, "1638 | | |
| | | manual | Number | Value | infinite trigger | | |
| | Software | oftware infinite | | | Software triggering is started by clicking the button Release trigger. | | |
| | | manual | Number | Value | "0" end trigger, "1 16382" values per trigger, "16383" infinite trigger | | |
| | Inactive | | | | No triggering | | |

¹⁾ Available for the sensor models ILD1320-10/25/50.

| Selection of peak | First peak / Highe Last peak | est peak / | Defines which signal is used for the evaluation in the line signal. 100 close 	← Sensor 	→ faraway | | | | | | |
|-------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|--|-----------------|--------|--------------|-------------------------------|----|--|
| | | | First peak: Nearest pe Highest peak: standar the highest intensity. Last peak: widest pea | Intensity [%] | | Highest peak | Last peak Range [%] 100 | | |
| Error handling | Error output, no r | measurement | The analog output sup The RS422 interface of | | | measure | ement value | э. | |
| | Hold last value in | finite | Analog output and RS | | | ne last va | alid value. | | |
| | Hold last value | | 1 1024 | Value | | | | | |
| Zeroing/ | Inactive | | Normal measurement | value or 7eroin | a/Mast | erina is | undone. | | |
| Mastering | Active | Value | Normal measurement value or Zeroing/Mastering is undone. Indication e.g. of thickness of a master part. Value range 0 up to max. + 2 x measuring range | | | | | | |

A 4.2.3 Outputs

| RS422 | Baud rate | 9.6 19.2 56.0 115.2 230.4 1000 kBps | | | Transmission speed, binary data format | |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|----------|---|--|
| | Output data | Distance / Exposure tin Sensor status / Measur non-inearized focus / Timestamp | | | Date to be transmitted are to be activated via the checkbox. | |
| Analog output | Standard scaling | | | | Start of measuring range 4 mA, at end of measuring range 20 mA | |
| | Two point scaling | Start of range | | Value | Always 2 points are taught which mark start and end of new measuring range. With two point | |
| | | End of range | | Value | scaling reversal of the output signal is possible. | |
| Digital output | Inactive | | Regulates the switching performance of the | | | |
| | Analog range / Measuring range | NPN / PNP / PushPull / | Pus | hPullNeg | digital output (Error), see Chap. 5.4.8. Analog range: digital output switches when the scaled analog range is exceeded. | |
| | Limit monitoring | NPN / PNP / PushPull / PushPullNeg | | | Measuring range: The digital output is switched | |
| | | Limit | Value sis Value | | when the peak is not (entirely) in evaluation range (ROI). Limit monitoring: digital output switches when | |
| | | Hysteresis | | | | |
| | | Minimum holding period | ding Value | | the limit is exceeded. | |
| Data output | Web interface / An | alog / RS422 | • | | Decides on the used interface for measurement value output. A parallel physical measurement value output via RS422 and analog is not possible. If web interface was selected, no measurement values are output via RS422 or current output. | |

| | | LED Output | | interface | RS422 | Current output |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------|----------------|
| | | LED Output | Parametrization | Measurement chart | N3422 | |
| | Web inteface | yellow | • | • | | |
| Selected output interface | RS422 | green | • | | • | |
| Interrace | Analog | red | • | • | | • |

A 4.2.4 System Settings

| Linit on website | mm linah | | | | Unit in management value display |
|------------------|---------------|--------------------------|------|-------|--|
| Unit on website | mm / inch | | | | Unit in measurement value display |
| Keylock | Automatically | Range 1 60 [min] Refresh | | Value | The keylock starts after expiry of the defined time. Clicking the button Refresh extends the interval until keylock starts. |
| | Active | | | | The key Select does not respond to entries, independent of user level. |
| | Inactive | | | | The key Select is active, independent of user level. |
| Load & Save | Measurement | | Load | d | Activates a saved measurement setting setup. |
| | settings | Setup | Save | 9 | Saves changed measurement settings to an existing setup. |
| | | | Favo | orite | Selects a setup which is used after reboot of the sensor. |
| | | | Dele | ete | Deletes a setup. |
| | | | Sea | rch | You load an existing setup from a PC or the like to the |
| | | | Imp | ort | ILD 1320 with both buttons. |
| | | | Ехр | ort | Saves the setup on a connected PC or the like. |
| | Device | S | Loa | d | Activates the saved device settings. |
| | settings | | Save | 9 | Saves changed device settings. |
| | | | Seal | rch | You load the device settings from a PC or the like to the |
| | | | Imp | ort | ILD 1320 with both buttons. |
| | | | Ехро | ort | Saves the device settings on a connected PC or the like. |

| Import & Export | Create file | Measurement settings | | The measurement setting setups, the file with device settings and the boot file can be combined in one parameter set and exchanged with a PC or the like. |
|-------------------|---------------------------|--|-------|--|
| | | Boot setup | | |
| | | Device settings | | |
| | Search | | | Button starts file manager to select a parameter set. |
| | Check file | Overwrite existing setups (with the same name) | | Dialog prevents inadvertent overwriting of existing settings. |
| | | Apply settings of the imported boot setup | | |
| | | Transmit data | | |
| Access permission | Current access permission | Value | | Read only |
| | Logout / Login | | | Button starts change of access permission. |
| | User level reboot | Professional / User | | Sets the user level the sensor starts with after re- boot. In this case MICRO-EPSILON recommends the selection user. |
| | Change password | Old password | Value | Case-sensitive rules are observed for all passwords. Numbers are allowed. Special characters are not allowed. Maximum length is limited to 31 characters. |
| | | New password | Value | |
| | | Repeat new password | Value | |
| | | Change password | | Button causes change of password. |

| Reset sensor | Measurement settings | The settings for measuring rate, trigger, evaluation range, selection of peak, error handling, averaging, Zeroing/Mastering, reduction of data and setups are deleted. The 1st preset is loaded. | |
|--------------|----------------------|--|--|
| | Device settings | The settings baud rate, language, unit, keylock and echo mode are deleted and the default parameters are loaded. | |
| | Reset all | By clicking the button the settings for the sensor, measurement settings, access permission, password and setups are deleted. The 1st preset is loaded. | |
| | Restart sensor | By clicking the button the sensor is rebooted with the settings made in the favorite setup, see Chap. 7.6.4. | |

Selection required or checkbox

Value | Specification of a value required

The settings will be effective, if you click on the button Apply. After the programming all settings must be permanently stored under a parameter set so that they are available again when the sensor is switched on the next time.



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