

## LX-PA ow-Cost Ratiometric Voltage Output



The UniMeasure LX-PA Series linear position transducer with analog output is a low cost, compact alternative for use in light to moderate duty applications in dry environments. The plastic bodied device is ideal for high volume OEM situations where cost is a major consideration and in applications where small size or low weight are of paramount importance. Model LX-PA is available in eleven different measurement ranges with a maximum range of 50" (1250 mm). The output is voltage from a potentiometric voltage divider circuit. In the basic configuration, the electrical connections are made directly to the contacts on the potentiometer of the unit. Electrical cable and a cover for the potentiometer are optionally available. Standard potentiometer value is 1K ohm with optional values of 5K and 10K ohm available.

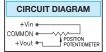


### **SPECIFICATIONS**

GENERAL	
Measurement Ranges	See Table 1
Sensing Device	Precision Potentiometer
Resolution	Essentially Infinite
Linearity	•
2", 2.8", 3.8" 4.7" ranges	±1.0% Full Scale
10" to 25" ranges	±0.5% Full Scale
30" to 50" ranges	±0.25% Full Scale
Repeatability	±0.03% Full Scale
Construction	Thermoplastic Body
Cable	Ø.018 (0.46 mm) Jacketed Stainless Steel
Wire Rope Tension	See Table 1
Weight	3 oz. (85 gm)
Connections	Solder terminals
Dimensional Information	See Supplemental Data[1]
Life	
Ranges to 4.7"	1,000,000 full stroke cycles
Ranges 10" to 25"	250,000 full stroke cycles
Ranges 30" to 50"	125,000 full stroke cycles
ENVIRONMENTAL	
Operating Temperature	
Storage Temperature	50°C to 80°C
Operating Humidity	95 R.H. max. non-condensing
Vibration	15 G's 0.1 ms max.
Shock	50 G's 0.1 ms max.
Ingress Protection	IP-40 (NEMA 1)

#### **ELECTRICAL**

Input Impedance	1000 Ω ±15%
Output Impedance	0 to 1000 Ω
Excitation Voltage	30 Volts max AC or DC



#### TABLE 1

MODEL	RANGE		NOMINAL OUTPUT[2] AT 1 VDC INPUT VOLTAGE		NOMINAL WIRE ROPE TENSION	
	(inch)	(mm)	(mV/in)	(mV/mm)	(oz)	(N)
LX-PA-2	2	50	469	18.5	16	4.4
LX-PA-2.8	2.8	70	341	13.4	10	2.8
LX-PA-3.8	3.8	96	258	10.1	8	2.2
LX-PA-4.7	4.7	120	207	8.1	6	1.7
LX-PA-10	10	250	88	3.5	16	4.4
LX-PA-15	15	380	64	2.5	10	2.8
LX-PA-20	20	500	49	1.9	8	2.2
LX-PA-25	25	625	39	1.5	6	1.7
LX-PA-30	30	750	32	1.3	10	2.8
LX-PA-40	40	1000	24	1.0	8	2.2
LX-PA-50	50	1250	20	0.8	6	1.7

- FOOTNOTES TO SPECIFICATIONS

  1. Supplemental Data section located at end of LX Series pages.

  2. To Calculate nominal output in application, multiply nominal output shown by
- excitation voltage of application

#### MODEL NUMBER CONFIGURATION











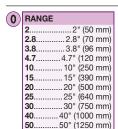


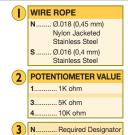


**BASIC CONFIGURATION** 

(FOR ALL RANGES)

LX-PA-50-N1N-NNN





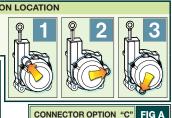


.150 mm (6") pigtail .. 1 m (3') ....2 m (6.5') .3 m (10') 4 m (13.5' ..5 m (16.5')

6 CONNECTOR .No Connector .. Cable to Cable Connector w/ Mating Connector, See FIG A ..Cable to Cable Connector w/ NO Mating Connector, See FIG B For option "K", electrical cable with mating connector may be ordered separately as item number 10248-xM, where "x" is the required length in meters. 1. "C" and "K" options only apply when electrical

cable is selected. Cable to cable connector does not connect

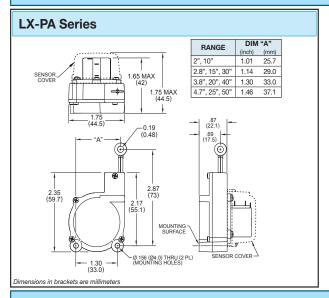
cable shield/drain wire.







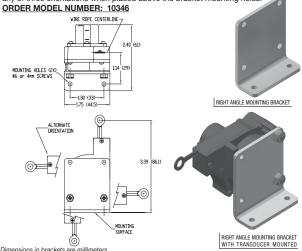
#### DIMENSIONAL INFORMATION



### **ACCESSORIES**

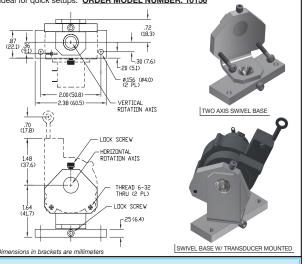
#### 10346 - RIGHT ANGLE MOUNTING BRACKET

The Right Angle Mounting Bracket serves as a base for mounting the LX transducer perpendicular to a surface. The transducer may be mounted in any of four different wire rope exit orientations when mounted on the outside of the bracket (see figure) or any of three orientations when placed above the bracket mounting holes.



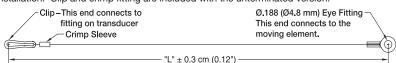
#### 10156 - TWO AXIS SWIVEL BASE

With a capability of 360° rotation about the vertical axis and 245° rotation about the horizontal axis, the 10156 Two Axis Swivel Base allows easy setup of the LX-PA or the LX-EP transducer. The axes may be locked in place after the transducer is oriented. Ideal for quick setups. **ORDER MODEL NUMBER: 10156** 



#### 10067 - AUXILIARY WIRE ROPE EXTENSION KIT

The auxiliary wire rope extension may be used to facilitate mounting the transducer remotely from the measurement point. The clip on the extension attaches to the eye fitting on the transducer. The eye fitting on the opposite end, which is identical to the fitting on the transducer, mounts to the moving element. The extension kit is also available with the clip end unterminated for situations where it is more convenient to size the wire rope length during installation. Clip and crimp fitting are included with the unterminated version.





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## LX-EP ow-Cost Digital Output - High Accuracy



The UniMeasure LX-EP Series linear position transducer with digital output is a low cost, compact device for use in light to moderate duty applications in dry environments. The plastic bodied device is ideal for high volume OEM situations where cost is a major consideration and in applications where small size or low weight are of paramount importance. The sensing element in the LX-EP is an optical incremental encoder with electrical outputs consisting of two square wave, TTL level output channels in quadrature. Each output channel is open collector, current sinking with an internal  $5.4K\Omega$  pullup resistor. The electrical connection to the LX-EP is a common configuration with five pins of .025" (.64 mm) square shape on .100" (2.54 mm) centers. An accessory electrical cable offered in various lengths is available.



#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Measurement Ranges ...... See Table 2 Sensing Device.....Incremental Optical Encoder Resolution ...... See Table 2 .....±0.10% of Full Scale Repeatability.....±0.015% of Full Scale Construction.....Thermoplastic Body Wire Rope......Ø.018 (0.46 mm) Jacketed Stainless Steel Wire Rope Tension ......See Table 2 Weight ......3 oz. (85 gm) Dimensional Information......See Supplemental Data[1]

Ranges 10" to 25" ......2,000,000 full stroke cycles Ranges 30" to 50" ......1,000,000 full stroke cycles

#### ENVIRONMENTAL

Operating Temperature	40°C to 75°C			
Storage Temperature40°C to 85°C				
Operating Humidity	.95% R.H. max. non-condensing			
Vibration	.5G			
Shock	.50G			

- Ingress Protection ......IP-40 (NEMA 1)
- FOOTNOTES TO SPECIFICATIONS

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  2. Resolution shown is for times one counting mode. Resolution may be increased by a factor of four with interface electronics capable of quadrature times 4 counting mode.

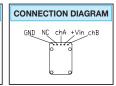
  3. Resolution shown is a calculation based upon the capstan diameter, wire rope diameter and
- line count of the encoding device. Tolerance on resolution accounts for resolutional differences from unit to unit due to manufacturing tolerances on the capstan and wire rope. In practice, the output count in a given unit of travel is an integer.

#### **ELECTRICAL**

5.00 ± 0.25 VDC
30 mA max.
Two channel square wave in quadrature,
TTL level current sinking with 5.4KΩ pullups







### TABLE 2

MODEL	RA	NGE	RESOLUTION[2]		RESOLUTION TOLERANCE[3]	NOMINAL WIRE ROPE TENSION	
	(inch)	(mm)	counts/inch	counts/mm	TOLENANCE	(oz)	(N)
LX-EP-10	10	250	113.5	4.46	±.50%	16	4.4
LX-EP-15	15	380	82.5	3.25	±.35%	10	2.8
LX-EP-20	20	500	62.3	2.45	±.35%	8	2.2
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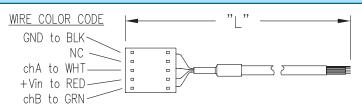
Basic Configuration (FOR ALL RANGES) LX-EP-50



50" (1250 mm) Note: For mating connector with electrical cable see Accessory 10172.

## ACCESSORY-10172 ELECTRICAL CABLE (LX-EP ONLY)

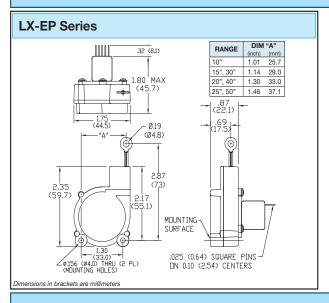
Part No.	Dim "L"
10172-1M	1 m (3 ft)
10172-2M	2 m (6.5 ft)
10172-3M	3 m (10 ft)
10172-4M	4 m (13.5 ft)
10172-5M	5 m (16.5 ft)



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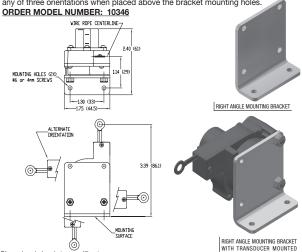
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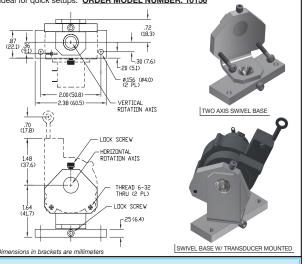
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# Featuring:

- Low Cost
- Lightweight
- Thermoplastic Case
- Analog or Digital Output
- Non-Critical Alignment

- Infinite Resolution
- Easy Installation
- Compact Size
- 50" (1250 mm) Max. Range
- 11 Measurement Ranges











