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Digital Hall-effect Sensor ICs  
**SL353 Series**



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Micropower Omnipolar Digital Hall-effect Sensor ICs, SL353 Series, are small, and versatile, digital Hall-effect devices operated by the magnetic field from a permanent magnet or an electromagnet. These sensitive devices are designed to meet a wide range of potential applications with low power requirements including battery-operated equipment.

The SL353 Series devices respond to either a North or South Pole, meaning that they do not require the magnet polarity to be identified, providing an easier installation and potentially reducing system cost.

These low-power sensing devices use BiCMOS (Bipolar Complementary Metal Oxide Semiconductor) technology and a timing circuit that turns the power on for only a short time – it is off for the rest of the period (duty cycle) – significantly reducing the average current consumption.

Micropower omnipolar digital Hall-effect sensor ICs can operate from a supply voltage as low as 2.2 V, promoting energy efficiency.

The push-pull output does not require a pull-up resistor and can operate with very low current levels, potentially helping to reduce cost and minimizing the total current consumption.

The SL353 Series is available in two duty cycle configurations to accommodate a variety of application needs:

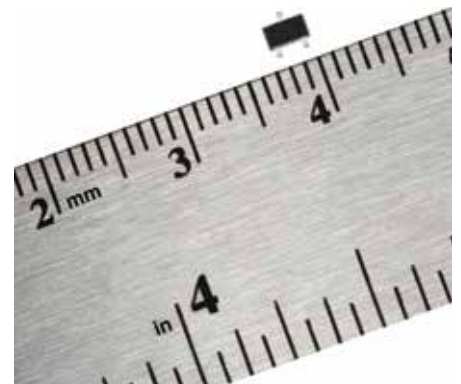
- SL353HT: High duty cycle (13 % typ.) for applications requiring high switching speed and a lower current (0.33 mA typ.) than standard Hall-effect sensor ICs.
- SL353LT: Very low duty cycle (0.013 % typ.) resulting in extended battery life in applications requiring extremely low current drain (1.8  $\mu$ A typ.) and not requiring a high switching speed.

The SL353 Series has a typical operating point of  $\pm 60$  Gauss at 25 °C [77 °F].

These sensors are available in a subminiature SOT-23 surface mount package on tape and reel (3000 units per reel), for use in automated pick-and-place component installation.

## *What makes our sensors better?*

- **Energy efficient**  
Supply voltage as low as 2.2 Vdc, combined with very low average current (1.8  $\mu$ A typ. for SL353LT the lowest in its class), reduces power consumption, provides extended battery life, and promotes energy efficiency.
- **Push-pull output does not require external pull-up resistor**  
Simplifies interface with common electrical circuits and likely reducing PCB (Printed Circuit Board) space and costs to the customer.
- **Non-chopper stabilized design**  
Does not utilize chopper stabilization, eliminating the noise generated by products using this technique. Customers do not need filters to eliminate the chopper noise, helping to reduce PCB (Printed Circuit Board) space, part counts, and costs for the application.



ENERGY EFFICIENT • NON-CHOPPER STABILIZATION

## Features and Benefits

### VERSATILE

Omnipolar capability with high-duty and low-duty cycle options allows for use in a variety of potential applications with low power requirements and/or battery operations.

### STABLE

Thermally balanced integrated circuit provides for stable operation over a wide temperature range, from -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F].

*Offers value-priced solution*

### PRICE COMPETITIVE

By using BiCMOS technology, Honeywell has been able to design a full-featured integrated circuit with reduced size, saving on manufacturing costs, and resulting in more economical pricing to customers.

### HELPS REDUCE TOTAL SYSTEM COST

SL353 Series Hall-effect sensor ICs can be operated by a North Pole or a South Pole. They do not require the magnet polarity to be identified, thus making the installation easier and potentially reducing the system cost.

### REDUCES MANUFACTURING COSTS

SL353 Series is supplied on tape and reel, allowing for automated, pick-and-place assembly which can help the customer reduce manufacturing costs.

### DOES NOT REQUIRE EXTERNAL COMPONENTS

The push-pull output does not require a pull-up resistor, potentially helping to reduce component and PCB (Printed Circuit Board) cost.

### ROHS-COMPLIANT MATERIALS MEET DIRECTIVE 2002/95/EC

## Potential Applications



### BATTERY-OPERATED, MOBILE EQUIPMENT

- Door or lid closure detection in computer notebooks, scanners, hand-held industrial computers and instrumentation
- Mobile printer head position sensing
- Small, hand-held medical and dental equipment
- Trigger switch for battery-operated hand tools (e.g. drills, drivers)
- Reed switch replacement in battery-operated security systems
- Magnetic encoder for building access (array)
- Power switch or open-close detection in small battery-operated appliances (e.g. vacuum cleaners, fans)
- Gas or water consumption measurement in remote, battery-operated utility meters

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**Table 1. Electrical and Environmental Characteristics for SL353 Series**

(At 2.2 V ≤ Vs ≤ 5.5 V, -40 °C ≤ Ta ≤ 85 °C [185 °F] and Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C unless otherwise specified.)

Characteristic	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage (Vs)	Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	2.2	2.8	5.5	V
Active mode current	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	—	2.5	4	mA
	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	—	2.5	9	
Sleep mode current	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	—	1.5	2.5	μA
	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	—	1.5	8	
Average current:					
SL353HT	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	—	0.33	0.64	mA
SL353HT	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	—	0.33	2.3	mA
SL353LT	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	—	1.8	3	μA
SL353LT	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	—	1.8	9	μA
Active mode time	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	3	6	9	μs
	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	3	6	30	
Period:					
SL353HT	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	30	45	80	μs
SL353HT	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	20	45	150	μs
SL353LT	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	30	45	80	ms
SL353LT	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	20	45	150	ms
Duty cycle:					
SL353HT	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	10	13	16	%
SL353HT	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	5	13	25	
SL353LT	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F]	0.01	0.013	0.016	
SL353LT	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	0.005	0.013	0.025	
Vout:					
high	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F], load current = 100 μA	Vs - 0.15	Vs - 0.11	—	V
high	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F], load current = 100 μA	Vs - 0.25	Vs - 0.11	—	
low	Vs = 2.8 V, Ta = 25 °C [77 °F], load current = 100 μA	—	0.11	0.15	
low	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F], load current = 100 μA	—	0.11	0.25	
Operating temperature	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	-40 [-40]	—	85 [185]	°C [°F]
Storage temperature	—	-40 [-40]	—	150 [302]	°C [°F]

## NOTICE

- These Hall-effect sensors ICs may have an initial output in either the on or off state if powered up with an applied magnetic field in the differential zone (applied magnetic field > Brp and < Bop). Honeywell recommends that the application circuit designer allow 10 μs after apply voltage has reached its rated value for the output voltage to stabilize.
- The sensor will turn LOW when the magnetic field is present and switch to HIGH when the field is removed. The sensor will latch and hold the state during the sleep “mode”.

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Table 2. Magnetic Characteristics for SL353 Series (2.2 V ≤ Vs ≤ 5.5 V, -40 °C [-40 °F] ≤ Ta ≤ 85 °C [185 °F])

Characteristic	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Operate point (positive)	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	20	60	110	Gauss
Operate point (negative)	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	-110	-60	-20	Gauss
Release point (positive)	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	5	45	95	Gauss
Release point (negative)	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	-95	-45	-5	Gauss
Hysteresis	Vs = 2.2 V to 5.5 V, Ta = -40 °C to 85 °C [-40 °F to 185 °F]	3	15	60	Gauss

### NOTICE

The magnetic field strength (Gauss) required to cause the switch to change state (operate and release) will be as specified in the magnetic characteristics. To test the switch against the specified magnetic characteristics, the switch must be placed in a uniform magnetic field.

Table 3. Absolute Maximum Ratings

Characteristic	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Supply voltage	—	-0.5	—	6	V
Operating temperature	ambient	-40 [-40]	—	150 [302]	°C [°F]
Soldering temperature	applied for <10 s	—	—	265 [509]	°C [°F]
Load current	—	—	—	5	mA

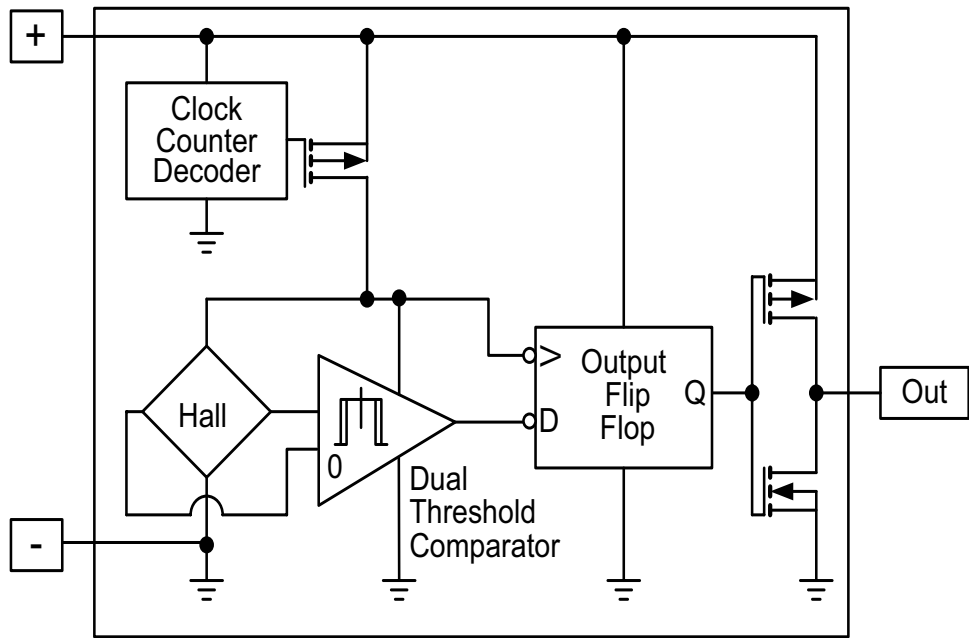
### NOTICE

These absolute maximum ratings are the extreme limits that the device will withstand without damage to the device. However, the electrical and mechanical characteristics are not guaranteed as the maximum limits (above recommended operating conditions) are approached, nor will the device necessarily operate at absolute maximum ratings.

**CAUTION**  
ELECTROSTATIC SENSITIVE DEVICES  
DO NOT OPEN OR HANDLE EXCEPT AT A STATIC FREE WORKSTATION

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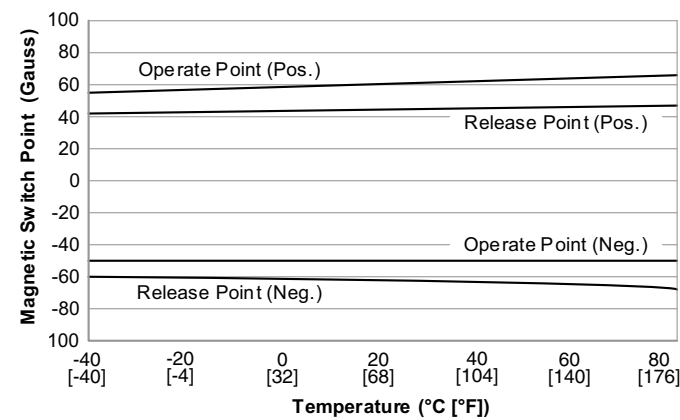
Figure 1. Block/Electrical Diagram



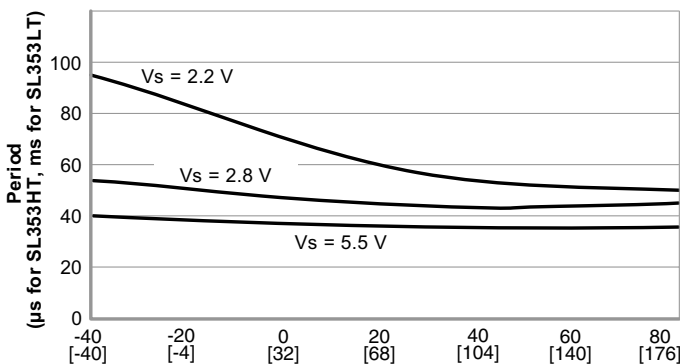
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Figure 2. Typical Performance Characteristics

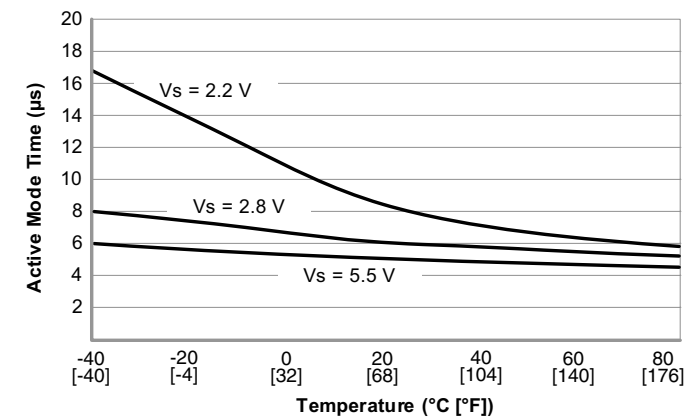
SL353HT and SL353LT Magnetic performance vs temperature



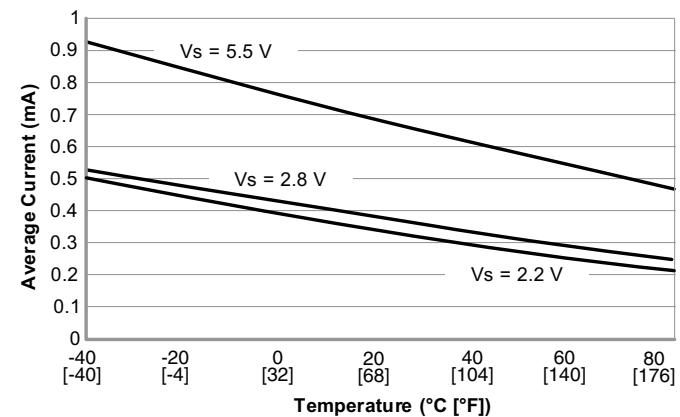
SL353HT and SL353LT Period vs temperature



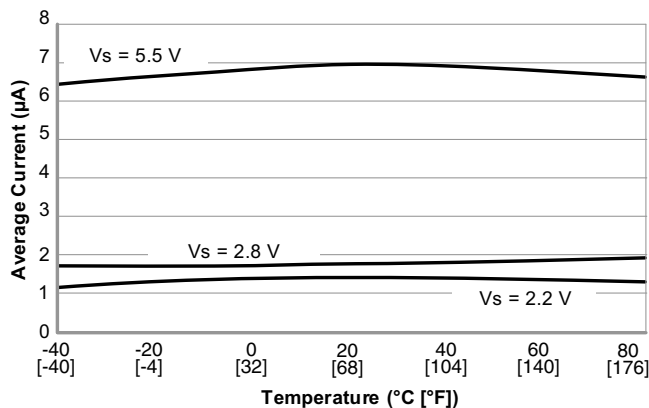
SL353HT and SL353LT Active mode time vs temperature



SL353HT Average current vs temperature



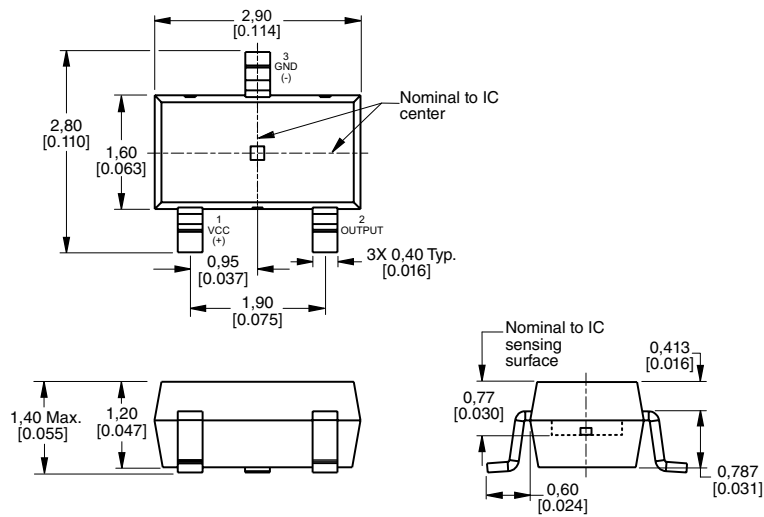
SL353LT Average current vs temperature



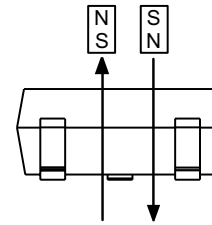
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Figure 3. Package, Mounting and Tape/Reel Dimensions (For reference only. mm/[in].)

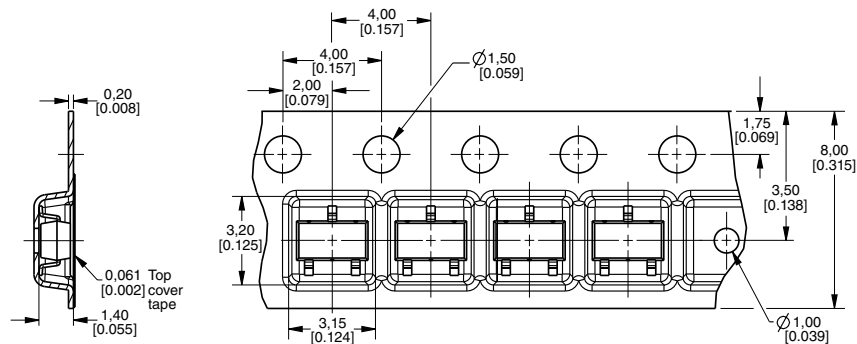
## Sensor



## Sensor Showing Polarity



## Tape



## Reel

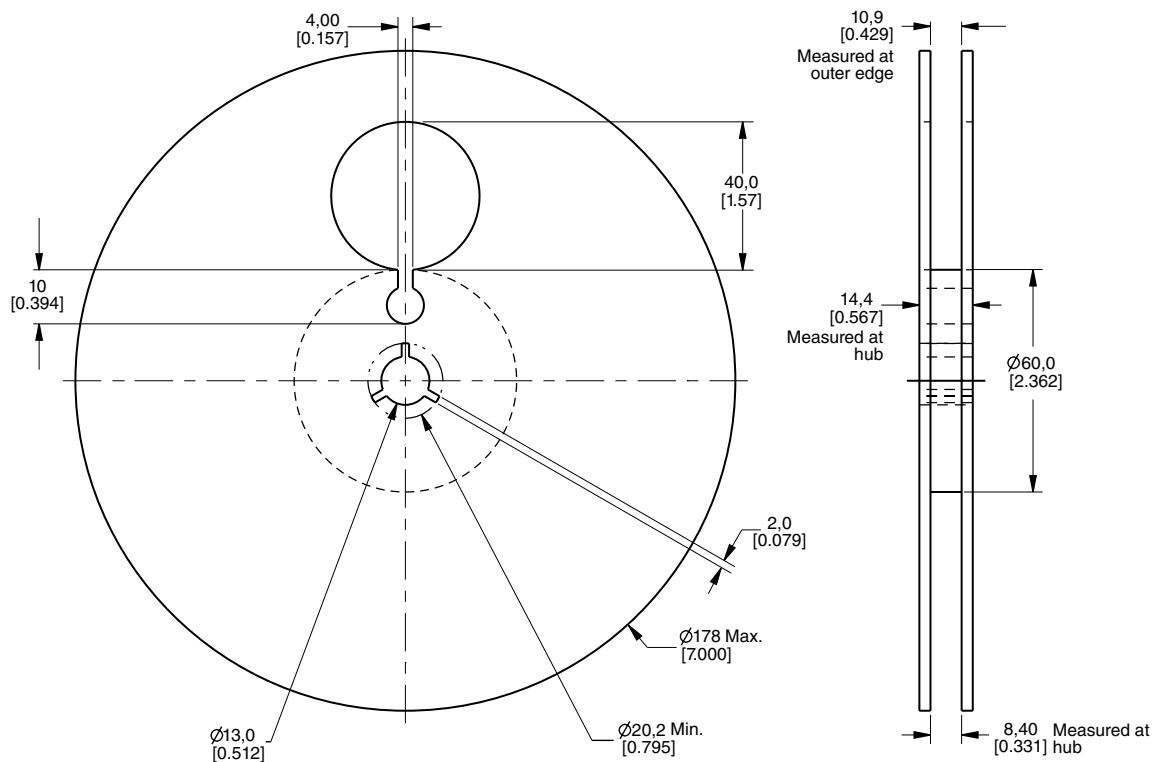






Table 4. Order Guide

Catalog Listing	Description	
SL353HT	SL353 Series micropower omnipolar digital Hall-effect sensor IC, high-duty cycle, low power (0.33 mA, 2.8 Vdc), SOT-23 package, tape-and-reel packaging (3000 units per reel)	
SL353LT	SL353 Series micropower omnipolar digital Hall-effect sensor IC, low-duty cycle, ultra low power (1.8 µA, 2.8 Vdc), SOT-23 package, tape-and-reel packaging (3000 units per reel)	

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The following associated literature is available on the Honeywell website at [sensing.honeywell.com](http://sensing.honeywell.com):

- Product line guide
- Product range guide
- Sensors and switches for potential medical applications
- Product installation instructions
- Application note: Shaft Encoding - Tachometer

### ⚠ WARNING

#### PERSONAL INJURY

DO NOT USE these products as safety or emergency stop devices or in any other application where failure of the product could result in personal injury.

**Failure to comply with these instructions could result in death or serious injury.**

### ⚠ WARNING

#### MISUSE OF DOCUMENTATION

- The information presented in this datasheet is for reference only. Do not use this document as a product installation guide.
- Complete installation, operation, and maintenance information is provided in the instructions supplied with each product.

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