#### Typical Connection to Contactor



Installing the snubber filter extends the lifespan of the

sensor's electrical contact.

The sensors work in all voltage and current ranges displayed in the table bellow:					
<b>Operating Voltage</b>	Max. Switching Power	Max. Switching Current	Peak Current		

110Vac	20VA	0.2A	0.5A @20ms
220Vac	20VA	0.1A	0.5A @20ms
5Vdc	2.5W	0.5A	1A @20ms
12Vdc	5W	0.5A	1A @20ms
24Vdc	10W	0.5A	1A @20ms

24Vac: Use with Schneider relay coupler model RSLZVA1 or equivalent.

• Relay coupler (110Vac-220Vac): Use 4K7 10W resistor in series.

### Term of Warranty

For installations according to this guide:

02 (two) years warranty. INCORRECT INSTALLATION CANCELS THE WARRANTY. All sensors have been tested and approved during the manufacture process.

Liquids with solid particles and/or fouling require prior testing. Use filter before the sensor to prevent the internal piston from locking. Not recommended for industrial water waste

Liquids with ferrous and/or magnetic particles require technical analysis: the sensor contains magnetic components inside. Use a magnetic filter before the sensor to avoid deposition/settling that will prejudice its operation.

On datasheets.eicos.us available technical specifications

## **Electrical Contact of Sensors** - Attention to Install

## Reed Switch 20W/VA: Protect the Electrical Contact of your Sensor



Reed Switches are hermetically sealed contacts actuated by a magnetic field.

The life expectancy of a reed switch refers to a kind of load to be used. Reed Switches of the highest reliability are applied in our sensors, and their life expectancy can reach above two million operations. However, when they are switching lamps, inductive or capacitive loads, this number may decrease.

## **Switching Power**

It is important to consider that the power specified by an electrical load is often referred to the permanent working state.

For higher power, use an auxiliary relay or contactor as recommended below, or similar.

> Siemens 3RT1015 Contactor Initial: 31.7VA Rated: 5.1VA

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### Follow the instructions below to protect and extend the shelf life of the sensor:

• AUXILIARY CONTACTOR (mini contactor) mind the distance:



SOLENOID VALVE or POWER CONTACTOR: Use mini contactor or auxiliary relay

ELECTRONIC EOUIPMENT:

> Interface relay/relay coupler: Use 4K7 10W resistor. > Timing relay and frequency inverter: Use 220R 5W\* resistor.

AC Current: Use K8\* Filter in parallel with the coil (A1 A2) of a contactor or relay. DC Current: Use KD\* Filter in parallel with the coil (A1 A2) of a contactor or relay.

\*For sale on accessories.eicos.us

### PROTECTION PROCEDURES BELOW DESCRIBED CAN IMPROVE THE REED SWITCH PERFORMANCE

· Switching inductive loads



? Risk of failure (welding of the Reed Switch Contact) due to CAPACITANCE, which can occur depending on the distance and cable used in the connection to the contactor.

· Connecting the sensor to a contactor in long distances, use resistor:



Important: For distances greater than 40m, use 24Vdc voltage.

· Connecting the sensor to an electronic equipment:

220R 5W	
P	🖵 •Timing relay
ĸ	• Frequency inverter

Mimportant: For installation with relay coupler, use 4K7 10W resistor.

Note: Reed Switches have reached over one million operations in tests with contactor and K8\* snubber filter.

# **Suitable for Detection of Medium Flows**

Fluid flow through the sensor triggers precise displacement of a magnetic piston acting on an electrical contact (Reed Switch).

## **Technical Specifications**



Internal clearance 380mm<sup>2</sup> Maximum operating pressure Operating temperature range 0°C to 100°C | 140°C @1h

Body PPA (Polyphthalamide) Spring AISI 302 stainless steel 25bar Inlet/outlet port G 1" female (BSP - Parallel) Sealing NBR (nitrilic rubber) O'Ring Output connection M12 male connector (2 pins) M12 female connector NOT included

Enclosure rating IP66 Electrical contact Reed Switch 20W/VA (NA SPST) Weight 353g

# Installation

- · In applications without excessive vibration;
- Minimum distance of 20mm from any ferrous surface;
- Mounting with parallel port connection and O'Ring.

### Sealing



The sealing is made on the **ring.** It's not necessary sealant tape or over tightening

## Flow Rate Sensitivity Adjustment



### Maintenance

- 1. Open the plug, remove the spring and clean using a brush if there is encrustation;
- 2. Mount the sensor again as illustrated beside;
- 3. Test the electrical contact using an ohmmeter, moving the magnetic piston.

## **Adjustable Actuation Ranges**

### FC10B02-M12

	WATER @ 25°C (LPM)			
		min.	50%*	
TACT	ON _	4.0	35.0	
CON		2.0	30.0	

OIL 68 cSt @ 40°C (LPM)				
			min.	50%*
гаст	ON .	$\mathcal{I}$		-
CON	OFF			-

### FC10B04-M12

	WATER @ 25°C (LPM)			
		min.	50%*	
таст	ON _	7.0	50.0	
CON		3.0	40.0	

OIL 68 cSt @ 40°C (LPM)			
		min.	50%*
TACT	ON _	6.0	35.0
CON <sup>-</sup>	OFF 🔨	1.0	25.0

\* Half-scale reference

