

# Cable-Extension Position Transducer

0/4...20 mA Output

Ranges: 0-10 to 0-250 inches

Industrial Grade



# PT5MA

## Specification Summary:

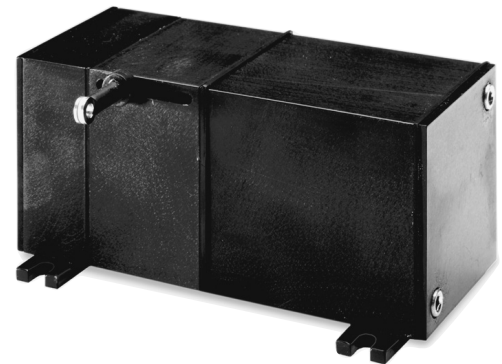
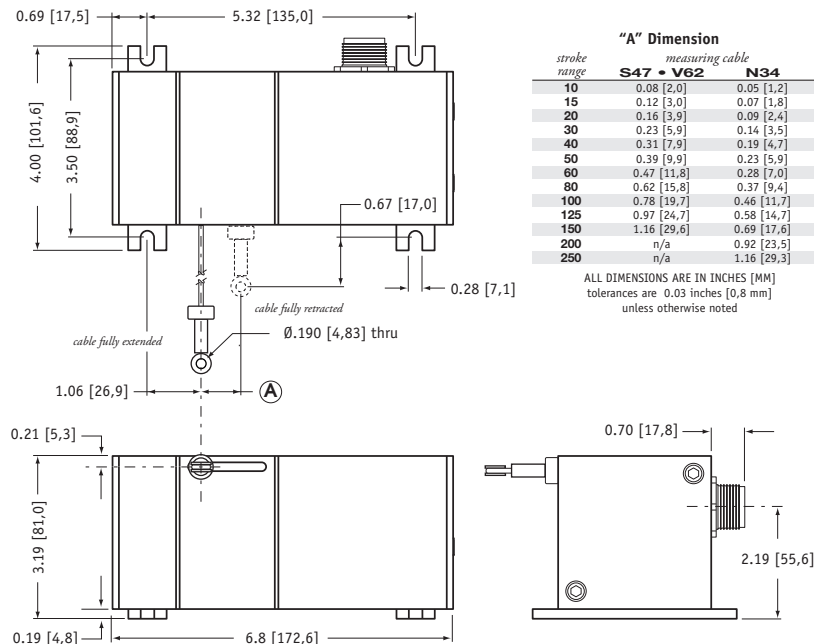
**GENERAL**  
 Full Stroke Range Options ..... 0-10 to 0-250 inches  
 Output Signal Options ..... 4...20 mA (2-wire) and 0...20 mA (3-wire)  
 Accuracy .....  $\pm 0.75\%$  to  $\pm 0.18\%$  full stroke *see ordering information*  
 Repeatability ..... *see ordering information*  
 Resolution ..... essentially infinite  
 Measuring Cable Options ..... stainless steel or thermoplastic  
 Enclosure Material ..... hard anodized aluminum  
 Sensor ..... plastic-hybrid precision potentiometer  
 Potentiometer Cycle Life ..... *see ordering information*  
 Maximum Measuring Cable Velocity ..... *see ordering information*  
 Maximum Retraction Acceleration ..... *see ordering information*  
 Weight ..... 5 lbs. max.

**ELECTRICAL**  
 Input Voltage ..... *see ordering information*  
 Input Current ..... 20 mA max.  
 Maximum Loop Resistance (Load) ..... (loop supply voltage – 8)/0.020  
 Circuit Protection ..... 38 mA max.  
 Impedance ..... 100 M ohms @ 100 VDC, min.  
 Output Signal Adjustment  
 Zero Adjustment ..... from factory set zero to 50% of full stroke range  
 Span Adjustment ..... to 50% of factory set span

**ENVIRONMENTAL**  
 Enclosure ..... NEMA 4/6, IP 65/67  
 Operating Temperature ..... -40° to 200°F (-40° to 90°C)  
 Vibration ..... up to 10 G's to 2000 Hz maximum

**EMC COMPLIANCE PER DIRECTIVE 89/336/EEC**  
 Emission / Immunity ..... EN50081-2 / EN50082-2

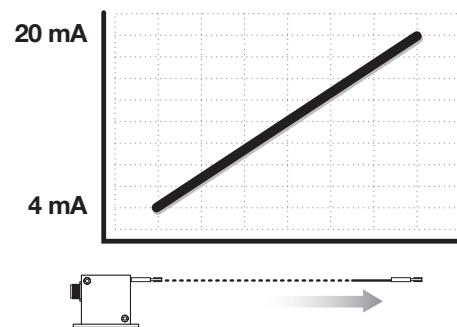
### Outline Drawing



The PT5MA potentiometric cable-extension transducer uses a unique thermoplastic cable that has virtually an infinite fatigue life. This cable, known as V62, has properties that are superior for high cycle and rugged applications.

Like Celesco's other transducers, the PT5MA installs in minutes, functions properly without perfectly parallel alignment, and fits easily into small areas. The PT5MA offers additional installation flexibility since its cable exit can be rotated relative to the mounting surface, providing four different cable exit orientations.

### Output Signal



**Ordering Information:**

**Model Number:**

**PT5MA** - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
*order code:*                      **R**                      **A**                      **B**                      **C**                      **D**

Sample Model Number:

**PT5MA - 100 - N34 - FR - 420E - M6**

- R** range: 100 inches
- A** measuring cable: .034 nylon-coated stainless front
- B** cable exit: front
- C** output signal: 4...20 mA
- D** electrical connection: 6-pin plastic connector

**Full Stroke Range:**

<b>R</b> order code:	10	15	20	25	30	40	50	60	80	100	125	150	200	250
full stroke range, min:	10 in.	15 in.	20 in.	25 in.	30 in.	40 in.	50 in.	60 in.	80 in.	100 in.	125 in.	150 in.	200 in.	250 in.
accuracy (±% of f.s.):	.75%	.6%	.5%	.5%	.5%	.3%	.3%	.25%	.25%	.25%	.25%	.18%	.18%	.18%
repeatability (±% of f.s.):	.1%	.1%	.05%	.05%	.05%	.05%	.05%	.02%	.02%	.02%	.02%	.02%	.02%	.02%
potentiometer cycle life:	2,500,000 cycles						500,000 cycles						250,000 cycles	
cable tension (20%):	41 ounces												21 ounces	
max. cable velocity/acceleration:	300 in./sec • 5 G's												120 in./sec • 2 G's	

**Measuring Cable:**

**A** order code:

<b>N34</b>	<b>S47</b>	<b>V62</b>
.034 nylon-coated stainless steel <i>available in all ranges</i>	.047 stainless steel <i>all ranges up to 150 inches</i>	.062 thermoplastic <i>all ranges up to 150 inches</i>

**Cable Exit:**

**B** order code:

<b>UP</b> up	<b>DN</b> down	<b>FR</b> front	<b>BK</b> back
inches [mm]			

**Output Signals:**

**C** order code:

	<b>420E</b>	<b>420R</b>	<b>020E</b>	<b>020R</b>
output signal options:	4...20 mA 	20...4 mA 	0...20 mA 	20...0 mA 
sensitivity:	16 mA/full stroke ±0.25%		20 mA/full stroke ±0.25%	
wiring configuration:	2 - wire		3 - wire	
input voltage:	8 - 34 vdc		14 - 29 vdc	

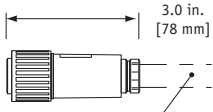
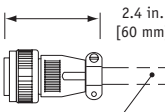
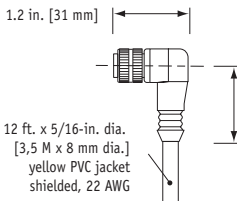

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
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 4 mA =   
 20 mA =

**Ordering Information (cont.)**

**Electrical Connection:**

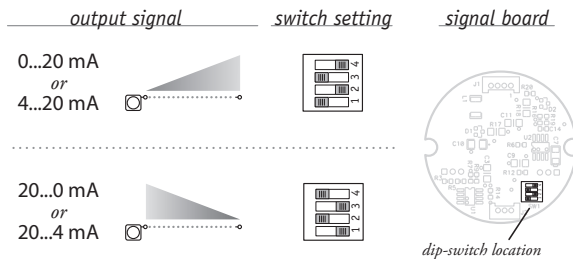
① *order code:*

M6	M6M	MC4	C25
6-pin plastic connector with mating plug IP 67, NEMA 6	6-pin metal connector with mating plug IP 65, NEMA 4	4-pin micro-connector with 12 ft [3.5 M] cordset IP 67, NEMA 6	25-ft. instrumentation cable 24 AWG, shielded IP 67, NEMA 6
			
.30 - .39 in. [8 - 10 mm] cable dia. 16 AWG max conductor size connector: MS3102E-14S-6P mating plug: MS3106E-14S-6S	.375 in. [9 mm] max cable dia. 16 AWG max conductor size connector: MS3102E-14S-6P mating plug: MS3106E-14S-6S	12 ft. x 5/16-in. dia. [3.5 M x 8 mm dia.] yellow PVC jacket shielded, 22 AWG	25 ft. x 0.2-in. dia. [7.5 M x 5 mm dia.] 24 AWG, shielded

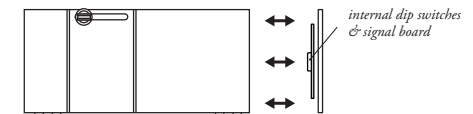
6-pin mating plug:		4-pin mating plug and cordset:				25-ft. cable:				
	pin	2-wire	3-wire	pin	color code	2-wire	3-wire	color code	2-wire	3-wire
	A	8...34 vdc	14...29 vdc	1	RED-BLK TR.	8...34 vdc	14...29 vdc	RED	8...34 vdc	14...29 vdc
	B	4...20 mA	common	2	RED-WHT TR.	4...20 mA	0...20 mA	BLACK	4...20 mA	common
	C	-	0...20 mA	3	RED	-	common	WHITE	-	-
	D	earth ground	-	4	GREEN	earth ground	-	GREEN	earth ground	0...20 mA

**Output Signal Selection:**

The output signal direction can be reversed at any time by simply changing the dip-switch settings found on the internal signal board. After the settings have been changed, adjustment of the Zero and Span trimpots will be required to precisely match signal values to the beginning and end points of the stroke.



To gain access to the signal board, remove four Allen-Head Screws and remove end cover bracket.



**Caution! Do Not Remove Spring-Side End Cover**  
Removing spring-side end cover could cause spring to become unseated and permanently damaged.

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