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Never disable the range detector electrically or mechanically to be ON or OFF for any crane motion. If the unit is for any reason disengaged or turned off, notify the crane operating personnel immediately, and take proper alternate precautions.



Check the crane collision avoidance unit and limit switches, if any, at the beginning of each shift or when a new operator takes control of the crane. When checking the collision avoidance unit and limit switches, ensure that the hoist is centered over an area that is free of personnel and equipment.



Never use the collision avoidance unit and limit switches as a regular stopping device. They are intended to be protective devices.

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## 1 LaserGuard Mini System Information

#### 1.1 Collision Avoidance Model Numbers

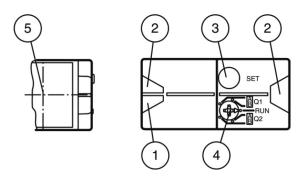
LaserGuard Mini: Crane to Crane or Crane to Wall	Catalog Numbers
LaserGuard Mini System integrated inside bridge controls	Configured on demand
Reflector assembly	CRANE REFLECTOR
Laser cable assembly	LGM-CRANE LASER
LaserGuard Mini System standalone (for use on existing cranes)	LGM-CRANE LSU
LaserGuard Mini: Trolley to Trolley	Catalog Numbers
LaserGuard Mini System integrated inside hoist controls	Configured on demand
Reflector assembly for monorail hoist frames A - C	REFLECTOR M1
Reflector assembly for monorail hoist frames D - E	REFLECTOR M2
Laser cable assembly for monorail hoist frames A - C	LGM-M1 LASER
Laser cable assembly for monorail hoist frames D - E	LGM-M2 LASER
Reflector assembly for top running hoist frames A - D	REFLECTOR TR1
Reflector assembly for top running hoist frames E	REFLECTOR TR2
Laser cable assembly for top running hoist frames A - D	LGM-TR1 LASER
Laser cable assembly for top running hoist frames E	LGM-TR2 LASER

## 1.2 Class 1 Laser Sensor

Magnetek's LaserGuard Mini Collision Avoidance System contains a Class 1 laser with a 660 nm wavelength. Although the laser is safe for eyes, do not look directly into the laser. Do not open the laser sensor enclosure. There are no serviceable parts inside.

## 1.3 System Description

Magnetek's LaserGuard Mini Collision Avoidance System measures the distance between the laser sensor's lens and its companion retro-reflective target by means of pulse-ranging technology. This allows for very accurate measurements and energy efficiency. The laser used in the LaserGuard Mini system measures distances from 8 in. to 164 ft (0.2-50 m). The laser has a visible red light beam, which makes system alignment very easy. Two LEDs (balloon 1 and balloon 2) on the front and top of the laser indicate power and alignment. A steady green light indicates power to the laser. In the event of a laser short circuit, the green LED will flash at 4Hz. A yellow light indicates the target is acquired and reading a signal.



1	Operating display	green	
2	Signal display	yellow	
3	TEACH-IN button		
4	Mode rotary switch		
5	Laser output		

Figure 1-1: Laser Optical Unit

The system includes an adjustable mounting bracket and a reflective target. The reflective target is mounted on the wall or other crane that is going to be protected by the collision avoidance system.

The two laser distance set points are adjustable to trip the relays from approximately 8 in. to 164 ft (0.2-50 m). The first distance set point (typically a Slowdown point) signals for the crane to start decelerating. The second distance set point (typically a Stop point) will signal the crane to apply its brakes.

The relationship between these points are as follows:

164 ft (50 m)  $\geq$  Slowdown > Stop  $\geq$  8 in. (0.2 m)

# 1.4 System Specifications

0		LaserGuard Mini Models		
Specification	Laser Sensor	LGM-OPEN-x-x	LGM-4X	
Operating Ambient -20° to 122°F Temperature (-30° to 50°C)		-4° to 141°F -4° to 122°F (-20° to 60°C) (-20° to 50°C		
Detection Range	8 in164 ft (0.2-50 m)	-		
Input Voltage	-	85-264VAC or 120-370VDC		
Accuracy	1 in. (25.4 mm)	-		
Hysteresis	Approx. 12 in. (0.3 m)	-		
Control Outputs	-	Two form C relays rated at 6A, 270VAC and 24VDC		
Laser Class	1	-		
Laser Wavelength	660 nm	-		
Ambient Light Limit	50000 Lux	-		
Enclosure (Standard)	Plastic IP65	Open Chassis	Fiberglass NEMA 4X	
Dimensions H x W x D	3.5 x 1.0 x 2.2 in. (88 x 26 x 55 mm)	8.75 x 6.75 x 4.25 in. (222 x 171 x 108 mm)	10.5 x 8.5 x 6.25 in. (267 x 216 x 159 mm)	
Weight 0.2 lb (0.09 kg)		2.0 lb (0.91 kg)	5.6 lb (2.54 kg)	
Reflector Dimensions	-	2 x 2 (0.61 x 0	—··-	
Laser Cable Length -		32.8 ft (10 m), 82 ft (25 m), 13	1.2 ft (40 m), or 246 ft (75 m)	

# 1.5 Laser Support Unit Assemblies

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	
1	PERFORATED DIN RAIL, HIGH	1
2	WASHER, FLAT, #8, ZINC PLT	2
3	SCREW TAPPING 8-32 x 1/2	2
4	POWER SUPPLY, 24V, 1.25A	1
5	RELAY, 115 VAC	2
6	TB, PUSH-IN, 32A GND	1
7	CLIP ON END-STOP	2

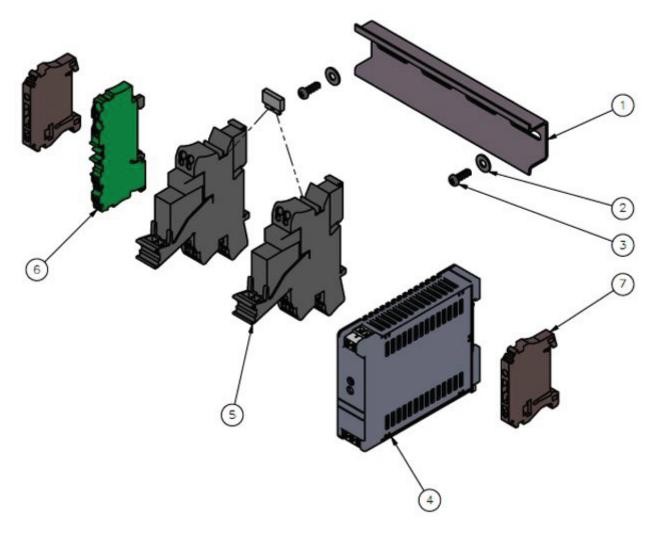


Figure 1-2: Laser Support Unit, When Integrated in Crane Controls

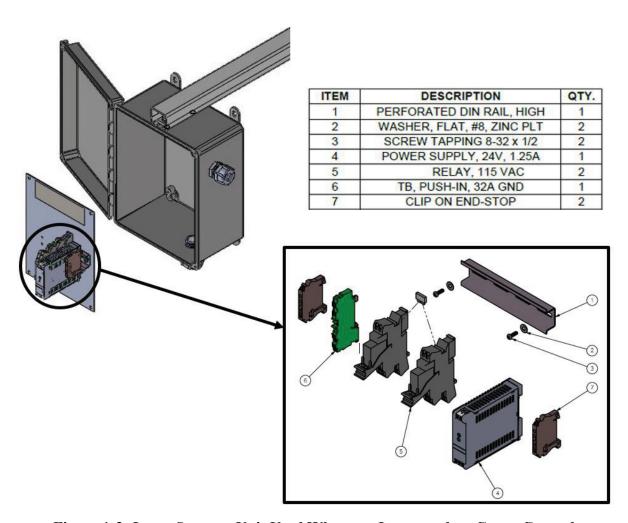


Figure 1-3: Laser Support Unit Used When not Integrated on Crane Controls

### 2 Electrical Installation

### 2.1 Voltage Considerations

Check the specification table or system drawings for proper line input voltage and supported relay voltages. If there are any questions, contact Magnetek before applying power to the system.



The unit must be wired to the correct voltage. Failure to do so may damage the system.

**NOTE:** The collision avoidance system should not be connected to lines containing excessive power-up transients or continuous commutator noise. A line conditioner may be necessary in some installations.

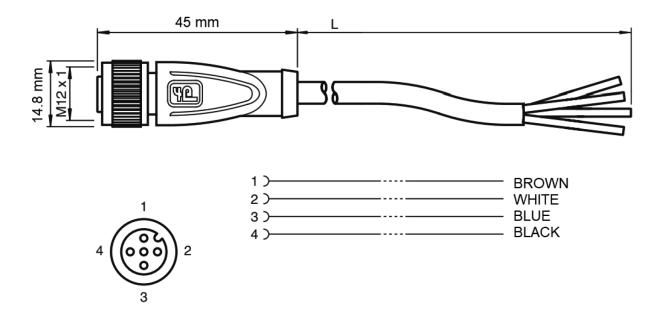
### 2.2 Wiring Considerations

- 1. Do not connect or disconnect wiring or perform circuit checks while the power is turned on.
- 2. Keep power supply wiring in a metal conduit and separate from any motor wiring.
- 3. Keep control wiring in separate conduit and as short as possible.
- 4. Observe National Electric Code (NEC) when wiring electrical devices.
- 5. When cutting holes in the cabinet, take care to prevent metal filings from shorting the circuitry. Remove any metal screws, metal filings, and wire clippings from inside of the unit.
- 6. Inspect to make sure no exposed wire has contact with any other wiring or terminals.
- 7. If possible, use suppressors on all contactors.

### 2.3 Wiring Instructions

- 1. Connect power to the power supply (85-264 VAC or 120-370 VDC) terminals "+" and "-."
- 2. Wire both relays according to *Figure 2-1* and *Figure 2-2 on page 15*. The acceptable wire size is 24 to 14 AWG.
  - Please observe National Electrical Code (NEC) guidelines when wiring electrical devices.
- 3. Connect a ground wire to the dedicated ground terminal block.
- 4. Turn on the power and verify that the green LED on the laser sensor is on continuously after a few seconds. If that does not occur, turn the power off and recheck all wiring.

## 2.4 Laser Cable and Relay Wiring



Pin No.	Wire Color	Connection Point on Laser Support Unit
1	Brown	"+" Terminal of Power Supply
2	White	"A1+" Terminal of Relay 2
3	Blue	"-" Terminal of Power Supply
4	Black	"A1+" Terminal of Relay 1

Figure 2-1: Laser Cable Wiring Diagram

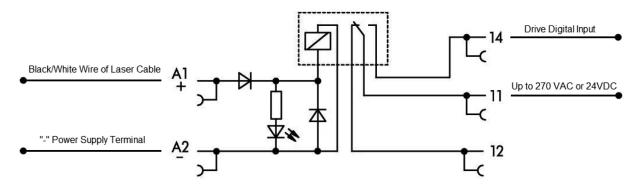


Figure 2-2: Relay Wiring Diagram

### 2.5 Wiring

The LaserGuard Mini is integrated inside the crane controls when ordered from the factory. In the case where an existing crane requires a collision avoidance system, field integration and wiring will be necessary. **See Section 2.5.2 on page 17**.

# 2.5.1 Crane to Crane Wiring When Integrated to Crane Controls at Factory

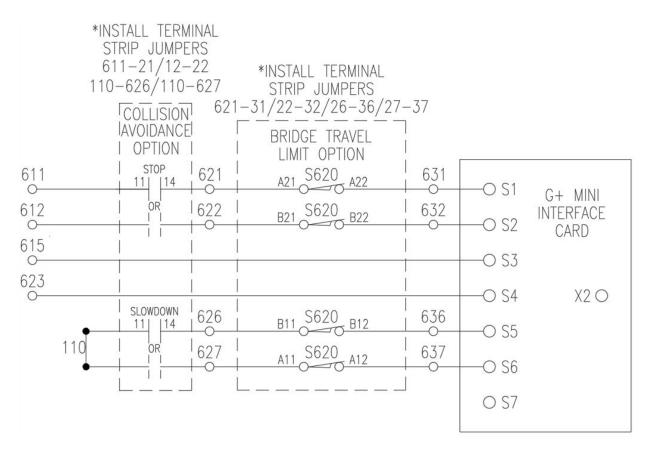


Figure 2-3: Crane to Crane; Bridge Control Wiring from Factory

# 2.5.2 Crane to Crane Wiring Example, Field Integration and Wiring Will Be Necessary

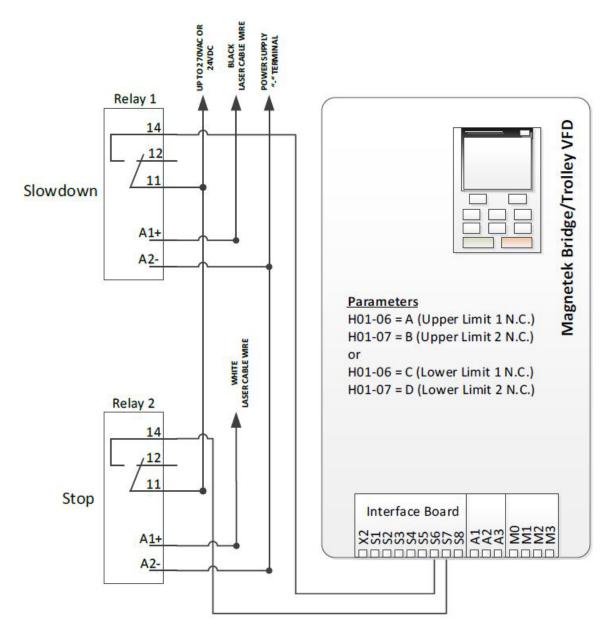


Figure 2-4: Crane to Crane; Bridge Controls Example Wiring

# 2.5.3 Trolley to Trolley Wiring When Integrated to Crane Controls at the Factory

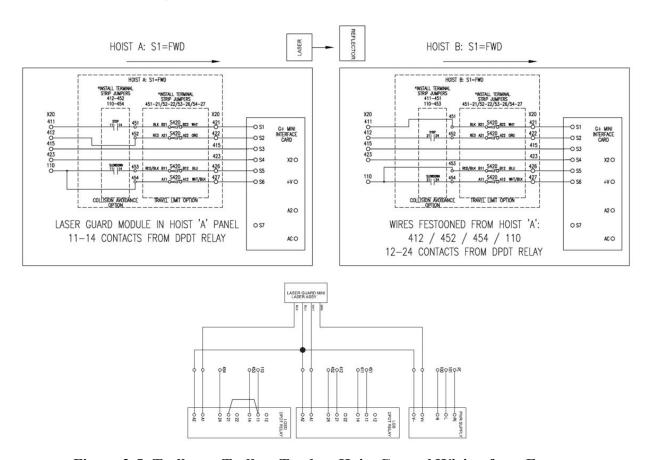


Figure 2-5: Trolley to Trolley; Tandem Hoist Control Wiring from Factory

#### 3 Mechanical Installation



The LaserGuard Mini Systems are not rated as explosion-proof. Never install the unit in explosive environments unless taking appropriate secondary enclosure measures.

## 3.1 Mounting Location Considerations

Ensure the mounting location is as far as possible from exposed trolley wires and sources of electromagnetic or radiated noise.

If possible, avoid installation on a surface where high vibration or shock exists. If avoiding high vibration or shock is not possible, use appropriate shock mounts.

#### 3.2 Laser Dimensions

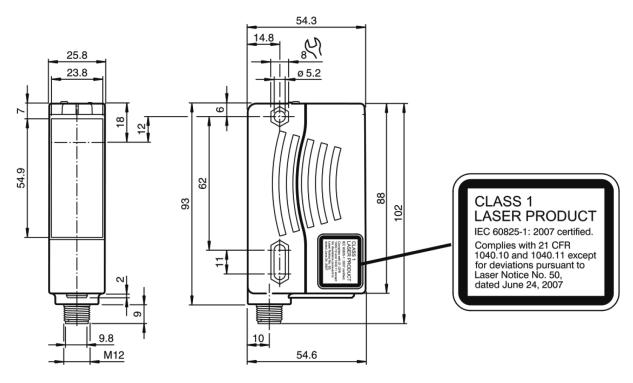


Figure 3-1: Laser Sensor (P/N: LGM-HEAD) Dimensions (mm)

### 3.3 Mechanical Installation and Alignment

The LaserGuard Mini Collision Avoidance System measures the distance between the laser sensor's lens and the reflective target surface.

Make sure the laser is mounted so that no obstructions can come between the laser sensor and the reflective target.

Determine the mounting position for the laser and the reflective target so that the visual laser point is centered on the reflective target. Align the laser beam and reflector as perpendicular as possible. This alignment is the most important part of a successful installation since the laser beam must stay on the target for the entire range of 8 in.-164 ft (0.2-50 m).

Refer to the figures in this section for mounting information.

#### 3.3.1 Crane to Crane Collision Avoidance

Use the factory-supplied brackets on the festoon side of the crane or on the non-festoon side, depending on your needs. **See Figure 3-2 on page 20** and **Figure 3-3 on page 21** for mounting arrangements.

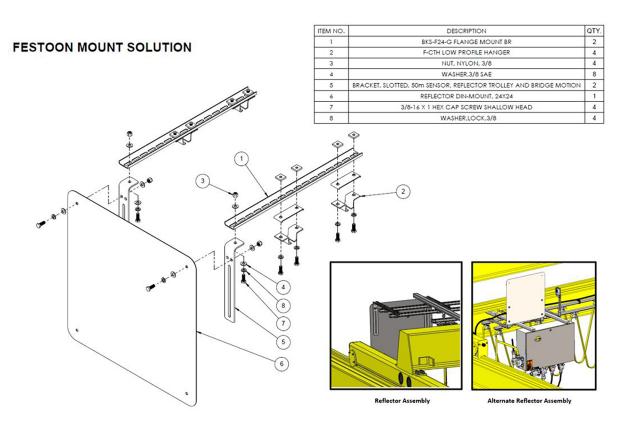
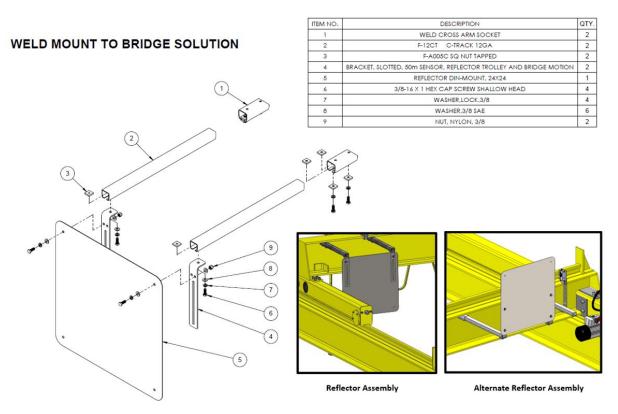


Figure 3-2: Reflector Mounting Festoon Side



**Figure 3-3: Reflector Mounting Non-Festoon Side** 

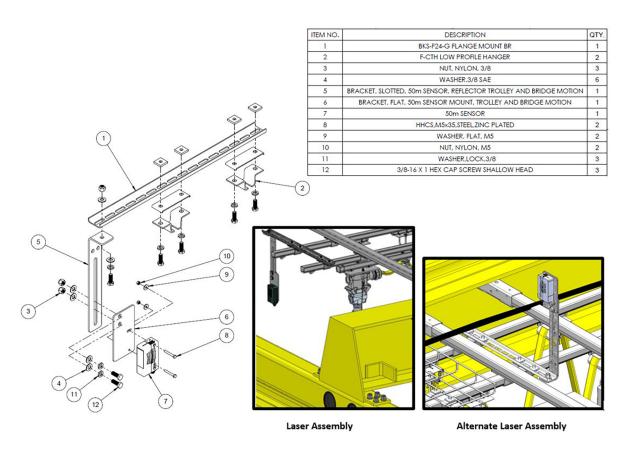
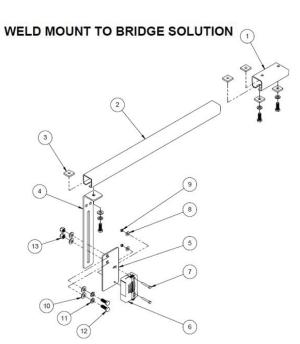


Figure 3-4: Laser Mounting Festoon Side



ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION	QTY
1	WELD CROSS ARM SOCKET	1
2	F-12C1 C-TRACK 12GA	1
3	F-A005C SQ NUT TAPPED	1
4	BRACKET, SLOTTED, 50m SENSOR, REFLECTOR TROLLEY AND BRIDGE MOTION	1
5	BRACKET, FLAT, 50m SENSOR MOUNT, TROLLEY AND BRIDGE MOTION	1
6	50m SENSOR	1
7	HHCS,M5x35,STEEL,ZINC PLATED	2
8	WASHER, FLAT, M5	2
9	NUT, NYLON, M5	2
10	WASHER,3/8 SAE	5
11	WASHER,LOCK,3/8	3
12	3/8-16 X 1 HEX CAP SCREW SHALLOW HEAD	3
13	NUT, NYLON, 3/8	2

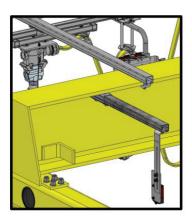
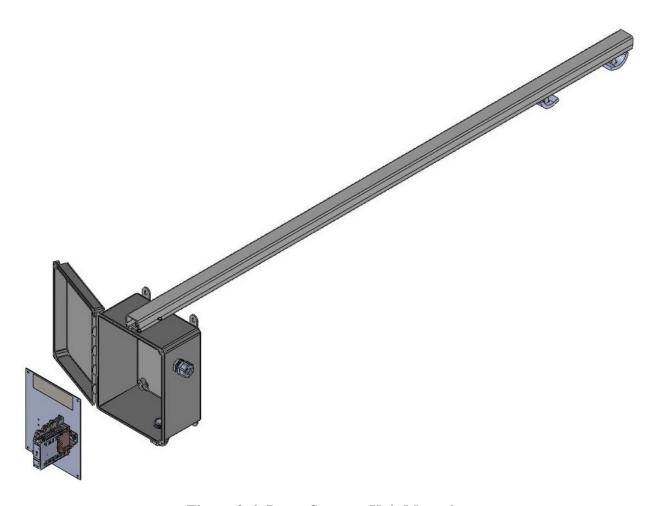


Figure 3-5: Laser Mounting Non-Festoon Side



**Figure 3-6: Laser Support Unit Mounting** 

#### 3.3.2 Trolley to Trolley Collision Avoidance

Tandem hoist cranes where both trolleys share the same girder will only require one of the trolleys to carry the laser and the other to carry the reflector. The communication between each trolley will occur either through the festoons and bridge controls when trolley drives are separated (most single girder cranes), or directly in the cases where both trolley drives are designed in the same panel. The mechanical mounting of the reflector and lasers depends on the hoist frame size. **See Figure 3-7 on page 25** through **Figure 3-11 on page 29** for mounting arrangements.

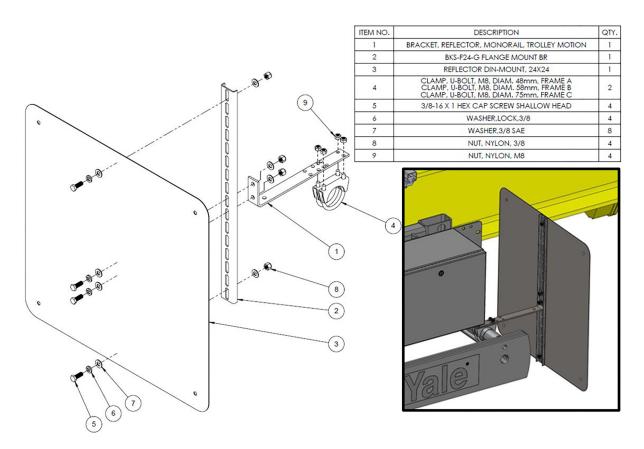
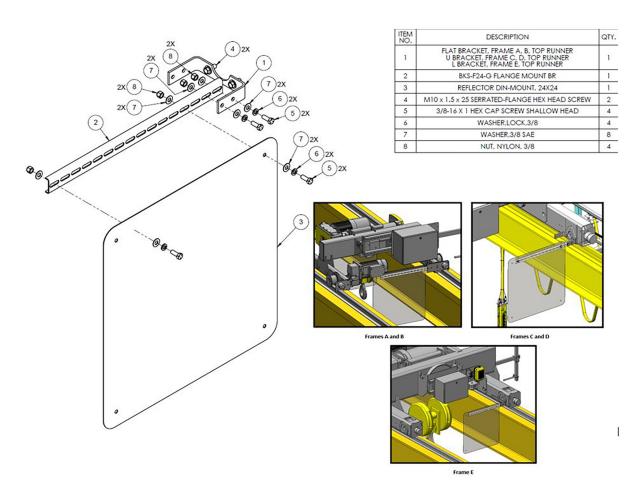


Figure 3-7: Single Girder Hoist Reflector Mounting



**Figure 3-8: Double Girder Hoist Reflector Mounting** 

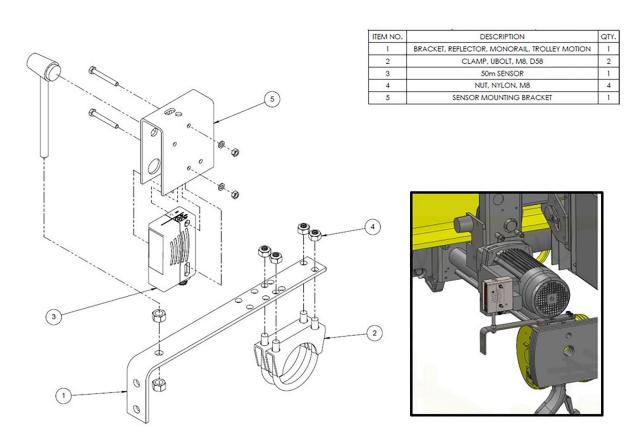
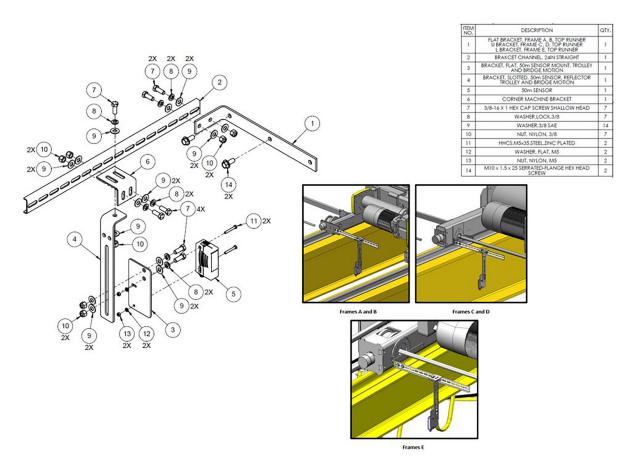


Figure 3-9: Single Girder Hoist Laser Mounting



**Figure 3-10: Double Girder Hoist Laser Mounting** 

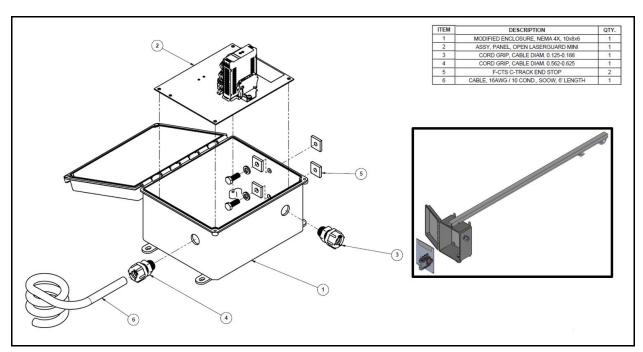
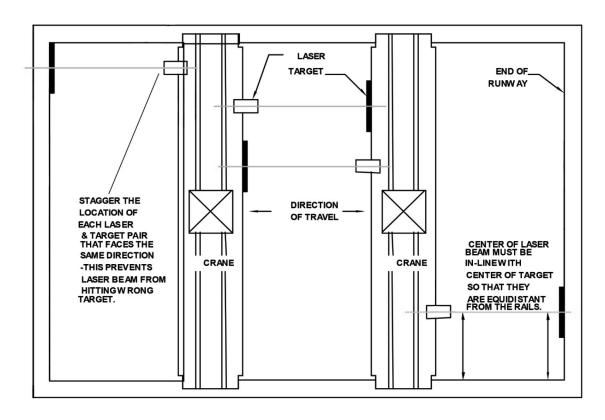


Figure 3-11: Crane to Crane Enclosure Mounting When not Integrated

Install the sensor laser and reflective target as shown in *Figure 3-12 on page 30* and *Figure 3-13 on page 31*. Mount the laser sensor securely to a solid surface to minimize vibration so that the crane's load or movement will not affect the laser's alignment. Also mount the laser and laser support unit as close to the control panel as possible to minimize long cable runs.



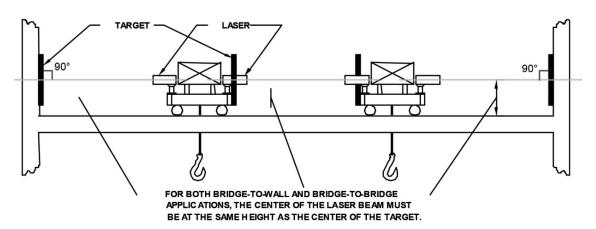


Figure 3-12: Laser and Target Installation

For the best reflectivity/laser signal, mount the reflector in the same orientation as the laser so the laser beam is perpendicular to the reflective target. The arrow on the back of the reflector should be the same direction as the laser. **See Figure 3-13 on page 31**.

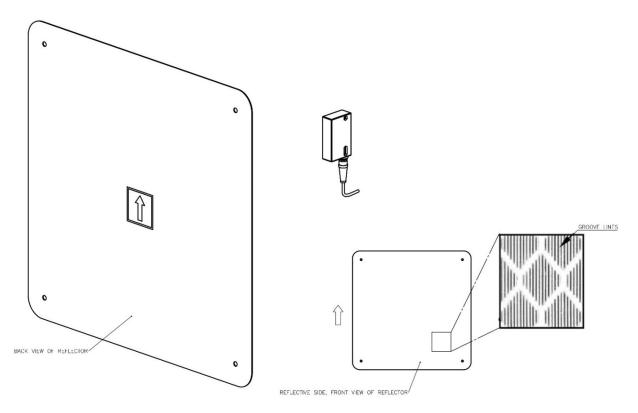
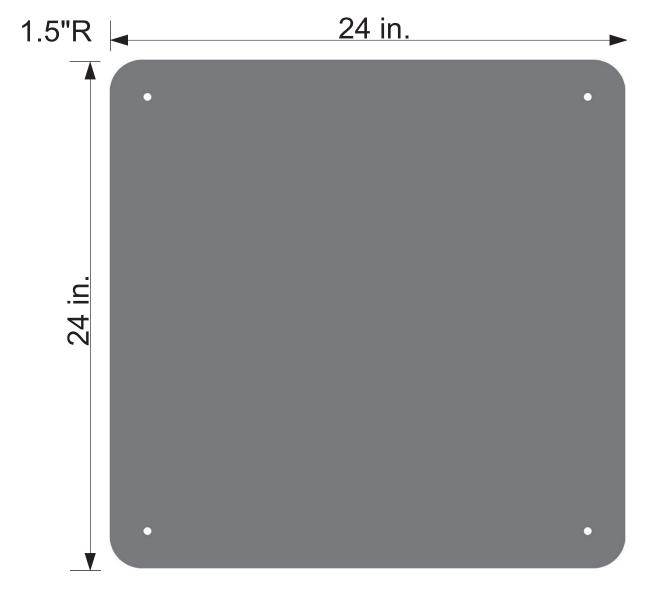


Figure 3-13: Laser and Reflective Target Orientation



24" Square 0.063 - 0.08 gauge, 1.5" Rad w/ (4) 3/8" holes 1.75" in on corners

Figure 3-14: Reflector Target Dimensions (P/N: REFLX-REFLECTOR-DIN)

#### 3.4 Electrical Conduit Installation

The laser sensor cable and all other wiring should be run in separate 1/2 in. or 3/4 in. conduit. Do not run any other cables in the same conduit as the laser sensor cable.

The installer should provide a suitable disconnect to allow a controlled power-down.

Run conduit between the laser sensor and the crane's control panel. Putting a slight downward bend in the conduit at the laser transceiver will help keep dirt and water out. Place a protective end piece on the open end of the conduit to protect the laser cable from sharp edges.

Locate the supplied laser cable by the end that does not have a connector on it. Pull the cable through the conduit, starting from the opened laser sensor end. Leave enough cable on the laser end so that it is twice as long as the distance between the end of the conduit and the laser unit (about 2 ft to 3 ft [0.6 m to 0.9 m]). This will produce a service loop, which will also help keep dirt and water out of the open end of the conduit. **See Figure 3-15** and **Figure 3-16 on page 33**.

This laser cable consists of four wires. **See Figure 2-1 on page 15** for wiring information for this cable. Plug the connector into the laser sensor. The connector is keyed; do not force it.

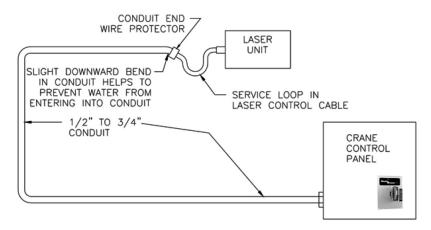


Figure 3-15: Conduit Installation (Open Chassis Models)

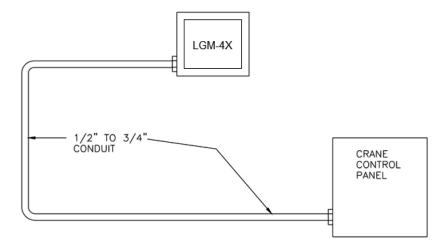


Figure 3-16: Conduit Installation (NEMA 4X Model)

#### 4 Functional Installation

## 4.1 Laser Distance Set-Point Adjustment

The laser distance set points are defaulted at:

Set Point 1 (Slowdown): 4 ft (1219 mm)
 Set Point 2 (Stop): 2 ft (609 mm)

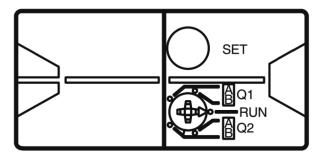


Figure 4-1: Laser Sensor Button and Switch Layout

**NOTE:** Setting the detection points will require movement of the crane to the desired distances.

To set (teach-in) new laser distance set points:

- 1. Move the crane to the desired **slowdown** point.
- 2. Set the rotary switch to Q1 A.
- Press and hold the SET button on the laser sensor for 1-2 seconds. When the yellow and green LEDs turn on, release the SET button to set the distance. Verify that the LEDs alternatively blink at 2.5 Hz. This blinking indicates that the teach-in was successful.
- 4. Move the crane to the desired **stop** point.
- 5. Set the rotary switch to **Q2 A**.
- Press and hold the SET button on the laser sensor for 1-2 seconds. When the yellow and green LEDs turn on, release the SET button to set the distance. Verify that the LEDs alternatively blink at 2.5 Hz. This blinking indicates that the teach-in was successful.
- 7. Return the rotary switch to the **RUN** position.
- 8. Move the crane away from the target and then back again to verify that the relays are triggered at the correct distances.

## 4.2 Troubleshooting

LED	Color	Function
Laser Head	Green	Monitors voltage to the laser head
Operating Display		Normally ON
	Yellow	Monitors target acquisition.
		Normally ON when target is acquired. It turns off when the laser is off the target, out of range, or has a dirty lens.
Laser Head Signal		Random or rapid flashing of this LED could indicate a weak signal caused by too much of a reflector angle. Make sure the reflector is not bent, and that its orientation is per <i>Figure 3-13 on page 31</i> . Groove lines visible on the reflective material should be in the same direction as the laser sensor orientation.
Laser Distance Teach-In Not Successful	Green & Yellow	The yellow and green signal LEDs flash quickly in alternation (8 Hz).  After an unsuccessful teach-in, the sensor continues to operate with the previous valid setting after the relevant visual fault signal is issued.

**Table 1: Laser Diagnostic LED Functions** 

NOTE: See Figure 1-1 on page 10 for LED locations.

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