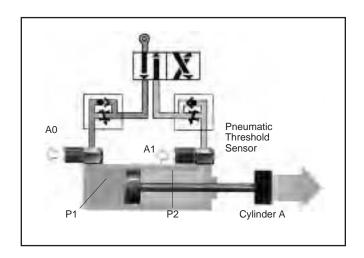
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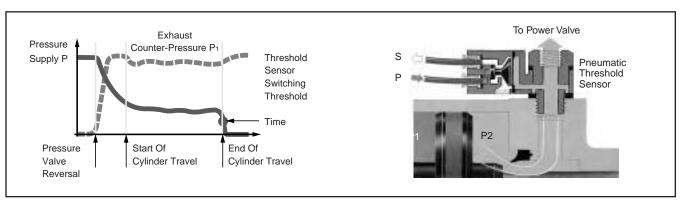
General Description

Threshold Sensors - PWS

The plug-in threshold sensors provide feedback information on pneumatic cylinder status in one of three possible outputs ... pneumatic, electric, or electronic. Mounted into the cylinder port, these devices monitor the back pressure of the cylinder's exhaust. When the cylinder's piston stops, the back pressure rapidly drops and the threshold sensor provides the desired output. Ideal for variable stroke applications such as robotics where other sensor type devices such as limit switches are impractical, these devices provide a signal whenever the cylinder stops motion.

The threshold sensor consists of two complementary sub assemblies (1) the banjo fitting and (2) the plug-in sensor element. In all cases, the sensor is easily plugged into the banjo fitting and locked in place with a spring clip. The banjo fitting is designed to accept (piggy backed) other functional fittings such as flow controls or blocking valves. Simply select the sensor based on the type feedback signal that best fits the application.





PWS General Characteristics

Operating Pressure	0 to 150 PSI		
Permissible Fluids	Air or neutral gas, 50 µm filtration, lubricated or not		
Operating Temperature	5° to 140°F (-15° to 60°C)		
Storage Temperature	-40° to 160°F (-40° to 70°C)		
Flow	N/A		
Mechanical Life	10 Million		
Maximum Operating Frequency	10Hz		
Material: Body	Thermoplastic		
Mounting Screw	Brass		
Maximum Mounting Torque: 10-32 UNF and M5	88 inch pounds		
1/8"	70 inch pounds		
1/4"	105 inch pounds		
3/8"	265 inch pounds		
1/2"	310 inch pounds		
Adjustment	N/A		
Adjustment Locking	N/A		

Piloting and De-Piloting Pressure

Threshold Sensors	Pilot with Operating Pressure of 90 PSI	Depilot with Operating Pressure of 90 PSI	
PWSP111	64 PSI	6 PSI	
PWSM1012	15 PSI	9 PSI	
PWSE101 and PWSE111	10 PSI	7 PSI	



Threshold Sensors



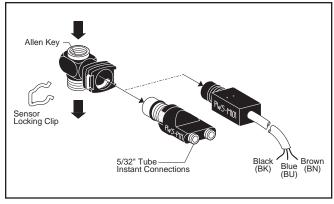
Model Selection

Banjo Sockets (with Sensor Clip)							
Port Size Model Number Wrench							
10-32	PWSB1557	5/16" Hex					
1/8"	PWSB1887	3/16" Allen					
1/4"	PWSB1997	5/16" Allen					
3/8"	PWSB1337	3/8" Allen					
1/2"	PWSB1227	1/2" Allen					

Plug-in Sensors						
Output Model Number Connection						
Pneumatic	PWSP111	5/32" push-in				
Electrical	PWSM1012	3-wire cable (6 ft)				

Application

The threshold sensor provides electrical or pneumatic feedback information on pneumatic (air) cylinder status. These devices monitor the back pressure of the cylinder's exhausting chamber. When the cylinder stops, the back pressure drops and the threshold sensor provides the desired output. Ideal for variable stroke applications. The banjo fitting and the feedback element are two separate subassemblies, giving the user flexibility between electrical and pneumatic outputs as feedback.

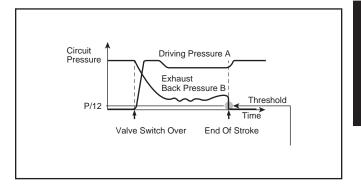


Mounting

Banjo fittings in 10-32 to 1/2" pipe sizes are designed to be installed directly into actuator ports (up to 5" bore cylinders). The banjo fitting can accommodate other functional fittings and components such as right angle flow control valves or blocking valves. Banjo fittings screw into actuators using an Allen wrench or 5/16" hex head wrench for 10-32 size. Electrical or pneumatic feedback element snaps into place using a locking clip.

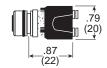
Operation

Pneumatic sensors have a continuous pressure signal applied to the sensor device. Electrical sensors have a continuous electrical signal applied to the sensor device. The threshold sensor assembly mounted directly into the cylinder Port provides an output signal S, which can be pneumatic or electrical, when the falling back pressure in the exhausting chamber of the cylinder reaches the operating threshold (approximately 6-9 PSIG). (The device is a normally passing device. The output is only on when there is nearly zero pressure at the cylinder.)

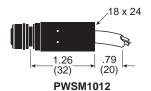








PWSP111



Specifications

Operating Pressure	0 to 150 PSIG (0 to 10 bar)
Temperature Range	5°F to 140°F (-15°C to 60°C)

A CAUTION: If it is possible that the ambient temperature may fall below freezing, the medium must be moisture free to prevent internal damage or unpredictable behavior.

Maximum Operating Frequency .	10 Hz
Pilot Pressure (PWSP111)	>64 PSIG (4.4 bar)
Threshold Pressure	6 to 9 PSIG (.4 to .6 bar)
Output Flow Rate (PWSP111)	3 SCFM at 90 PSIG

Current Rating (PWSM1012) -

5 VA, 250 VAC 5W, 48 VAC

Materials -

Body	Thermoplastic
Mounting Screw & Threads	Brass

Life Expectancy -

10 million cycles with dry air at 90 PSIG, 68°F, and 1 Hz operating frequency

Voltage Range (PWSM1012) -

12 - 240 VAC

12 - 48 VDC

Model	Α	ВС		Н	K	L
PWSB1557	.98 (25)	.43 (11)	1 5/16" Hex I		.40 (10)	.67 (17)
PWSB1887	.98" (25)	.63 3/16" (16) Allen		.71 (18)	.40 (10)	.79 (20)
PWSB1997	.98 (25)	.83 5/16" (21) Allen		.71 (18)	.40 (10)	.87 (22)
PWSB1337	.98 (25)	1.10 (28)	3/8" Allen	.79 (20)	.47 (12)	.98 (25)
PWSB1227	.98 (25)	1.30 (33)	1/2" Allen	.93 (24)	.55 (14)	1.02 (26)

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Universal Description	Electrical		Fluid Power		
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Normally Non-Passing (NNP)	Normally Open (N.O.)	→ ~	Normally Closed (N.C.)	2-Way	3-Way
Normally Passing (NP)	Normally Closed (N.C.)		Normally Open (N.O.)		

