# **ToughSonic<sup>®</sup> Distance Sensors**

# Waterproof, Two Outputs and Push-Button "Teachable"

## **TS-21S Series**

Non-Contact Ultrasonic Air Distance Measurement

S-21S ultrasonic distance sensors contain a rugged transducer in a stainless steel case for long service life in tough environments. Typical applications include roll diameter, liquid level, motion control, positioning and dimensioning. They are excellent in tanks, drums and level applications.

Two outputs are available in many combinations, including analog 0-10/0-5 VDC, 4-20 ma. current loop, PNP (sourcing) switches, NPN (sinking) switches and RS-232/485 serial data. All outputs are relative to measured distance and adjustable anywhere in the sensor's range.

#### Features

- Sealed for ingress protection rating IP68 for washdown or outdoor applications like food processing or car washes
- Long 50-ft (15.2 m) measurement range
- Short 12-in (30.5 cm) deadband
- Simple pushbutton "teachable" setup of many features, and calibration using actual targets
- · Analog outputs are distanceproportional and reversable, anywhere in sensor's range
- Switch outputs have adjustable distance and polarity
- Output response filter for stability with poor targets
- Sync connection for several sensors in close proximity
- Security "Lock" prevents accidental mis-adjustment
- Status indicator for each output

# 50-ft (15.2 meter) range **IP68** housing **Push-button** "Teachable"

#### **Reliable Operation**

- Unaffected by optical factors like color and transparency
- Stable output if target is lost
- · Overload and short circuit protected switch & analog outputs
- Heavy duty 303 stainless case, potted, waterproof IP68 rating

#### Easy Installation

- Temperature compensated
- · Body clamp or optional Senix UA-MB-SS bracket
- Permanently attached cable
- 3 rear LED's display target, fault and output status
- Simple push-button setup no potentiometers!

### **Output Options**

Here are 3 common TS-21S output configurations. Eight other output combinations are available (see next page).

#### DUAL ANALOG





4-20 ma. current loop (sourcing) outputs with teachable endpoints

#### **DUAL SINKING SWITCH**



Two solid state "NPN" type outputs with independent teachable switch distances and ON/OFF polarities

#### **DUAL SOURCING SWITCH**



Two solid state "PNP" type outputs with independent teachable switch distances and ON/OFF polarities

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# TS-21S Two Output Teachable Distance Sensors

## Target Performance

Color/Transparency

Unaffected by target's color, transparency or optical characteristics.

#### Orientation

Detects flat or curved objects. Surface must reflect back to sensor. Flat surfaces are best when perpendicular to beam axis, and may not be detected at high angles of incidence.

Typical Distance

Object Max Range (ft.)

Liquid surface

(Performance may be reduced at input voltages less than 18 VDC)

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### Specifications

Range	12 inches - 50 feet	Input Power	10-30 VDC @ 50-70 ma. nominal					
Range	305 mm - 15.2 meters	input Power	15-30 VDC if using analog output					
Case Material	303 stainless steel	Transducer	Ruggedized piezoelectric					
Temperature	-40 to 70 C (-40 to 158 F)	0 to 70 C (-40 to 158 F) Adjustments Push-button, permanently stor						
Protection	NEMA-4X, NEMA-6P, IP68	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,						
Resolution	0.014 in. (.34 mm) max.; Analog 12 bits (4095 steps) over spanned distance							
Repeatability	Nominal 0.1% of range @ constant temp. Affected by target, distance, environment							
Compensation	Temperature compensated, internal temperature sensor							
Update Rate*	5 (default), 8, 12.5 or 50 per second, selectable* output response time filter							
Voltage Output*	0-10 and 0-5 VDC (user selectable), 10 ma. max., reversable teachable endpoints							
Current Loop*	4-20 ma. (sourcing), 500Ω max. @ >15 VDC, reversable teachable endpoints							
Switch Outputs	150 ma. max, sinking 40 VDC n	nax., teachable se	tpoint and polarity, fault indication					
RS-232, RS-485	6 bytes, 9600 baud, 8 data bits, 1 stop bit, no parity, transmitted at update rate							
SYNC feature	Permits up to 32 sensors to be	wired together for	operation in the same area					

Asterisk (\*) indicates user teachable using pushbutton.

odels & Outputs	4-20 ma. 0-10 VDC Sourcing Switch Solid State Outputs are combined in the solid Solid	Sinking RS-232 RS-485 Solid State various models (see below)	Wiring (6-wire cable)BrownDC+ INBlueGNDGraySYNC out or belowYellowSYNC in or belowBlacksee belowWhitesee below
	MODEL NUMBER	Output #1 (BLACK wire)	Output #2 (WHITE wire)
	TS-21S-IV	4-20 ma. current loop	0-10 / 0-5 VDC
	TS-21S-ISK	4-20 ma current loop	Sinking Switch
	TS-21S-ISR	4-20 ma. current loop	Sourcing Switch
	TS-21S-SKV	Sinking Switch	0-10 / 0-5 VDC *
	TS-21S-SRV	Sourcing Switch	0-10 / 0-5 VDC *
	TS-21S-SKSK	Sinking Switch	Sinking Switch
	TS-21S-SRSR	Sourcing Switch	Sourcing Switch
	TS-21S-SKSR	Sinking Switch	Sourcing Switch
	TS-21S-SK232	Sinking Switch	RS-232 Output (Gray wire)
Asterisk (*) indicates user	TS-21S-SR232	Sourcing Switch	RS-232 Output (Gray wire)
teachable using pushbutton.	TS-21S-485	RS-485+ Output (Yellow wire)	RS-485- Output (Gray wire)
	Each sensor ships with ins	stallation instructions and a plastic Cli	k bracket. Options available.
	Inches (mm)	<b>4.75</b> (121) ►	Mechanical
imensions			Mounting: Senix UA-MB-SS bracket or other body clamp
		2.375 (60)	Attached Cable: 6-ft (2 m) Total Weight: 25.9 oz (0.73 kg)

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# **ToughSonic® Distance Sensors**

# Waterproof, Dual Outputs and Push-Button "Teachable"

## TS-30S Series

Non-Contact Ultrasonic Air Distance Measurement

S-30S ultrasonic distance sensors contain a rugged transducer in a stainless steel case for long service life in tough environments. Typical applications include roll diameter, liquid level, motion control, positioning and dimensioning. They are excellent in tanks, drums and level applications.

Two outputs are available in many combinations, including analog 0-10/0-5 VDC, 4-20 ma. current loop, PNP (sourcing) switches, NPN (sinking) switches and RS-232/485 serial data. All outputs are relative to measured distance and adjustable anywhere in the sensor's range.

#### Features

- Sealed for ingress protection rating IP68 for washdown or outdoor applications like food processing or car washes
- Narrow ultrasonic beam to avoid unwanted obstacles
- Simple pushbutton "teachable" setup of many features, and calibration using actual targets
- · Analog outputs are distanceproportional and adjustable anywhere in sensor's range
- Several standard analog output ranges, reversable slope
- Switch outputs have adjustable distance and polarity
- Output response filter for stability with poor targets
- Sync connection for several sensors in close proximity
- Security "Lock" prevents accidental mis-adjustment
- All in one small package!



## **Reliable Operation**

- like color, transparency, reflectivity or opaqueness
- Stable output if target is lost
- · Industrially rated interfaces
- Heavy duty 303 stainless case, 30x1.5 mm threaded, waterproof with IP68 rating

#### Easy Installation



- · Quick bolt-in mounting
- Permanently attached cable
- · Rear indicator displays output status and fault conditions
- Simple push-button setup no potentiometers!







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# • Detects solid or liquids Unaffected by optical factors

in two ranges. The shorter range model is useful when a small deadband is required due to space limitations.



Two Ranges

The TS-30S series is available



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# TS-30S Dual Output Teachable Distance Sensors



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# **ToughSonic® Distance Sensors**

# Waterproof, Two Outputs and Push-Button "Teachable"

## TS-15S Series

Non-Contact Ultrasonic Air Distance Measurement

S-15S ultrasonic distance sensors contain a rugged transducer in a stainless steel case for long service life in tough environments. Typical applications include roll diameter, liquid level, motion control, positioning and dimensioning. They are excellent in tanks, drums and level applications.

Two outputs are available in many combinations, including analog 0-10/0-5 VDC, 4-20 ma. current loop, PNP (sourcing) switches, NPN (sinking) switches and RS-232/485 serial data. All outputs are relative to measured distance and adjustable anywhere in the sensor's range.

#### Features

- Sealed for ingress protection rating IP68 for washdown or outdoor applications like food processing or car washes
- Narrow ultrasonic beam to avoid unwanted obstacles
- Long 30-ft (9 m) measurement range
- Short 10-in (25 cm) deadband
- Simple pushbutton "teachable" setup of many features, and calibration using actual targets
- · Analog outputs are distanceproportional and reversible, anywhere in sensor's range
- Switch outputs have adjustable distance and polarity
- Output response filter for stability with poor targets
- Sync connection for several sensors in close proximity
- Security "Lock" prevents accidental mis-adjustment
- · Status indicator for each output



#### **Reliable Operation**

- Unaffected by optical factors like color and transparency
- Stable output if target is lost
- · Overload and short circuit protected switch & analog outputs
- Heavy duty 303 stainless case, 1.5 in. NPT threaded, potted, waterproof with IP68 rating
- Temperature compensated

### Easy Installation

- Standard 1.5 inch NPT threads
- Dual threaded for top or bottom mounting
- Thread into flange or nipple, or use external clamp bracket
- Permanently attached cable
- 3 rear LED's display target, fault and output status
- Simple push-button setup no potentiometers!



#### **Output Options**

Here are 3 common TS-15S output configurations. Eight other output combinations are available (see next page).

#### ANALOG V and I



Voltage & two 4-20 ma. current loop (source and sink) outputs with teachable endpoints

#### **DUAL SINKING SWITCH**



Two solid state "NPN" type outputs with independent teachable switch distances and ON/OFF polarities

#### DUAL SOURCING SWITCH



Two solid state "PNP" type outputs with independent teachable switch distances and ON/OFF polarities



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# TS-15S Two Output Teachable Distance Sensors

#### **Target Performance**

Color/Transparency

Unaffected by target's color, transparency or optical characteristics.

Orientation

Detects flat or curved objects. Surface must reflect back to sensor. Flat surfaces are best when perpendicular to beam axis, and may not be detected at high angles of incidence.

#### **Typical Distance**

Object Max Range (ft.)

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Liquid surface

(Performance may be reduced at input voltages less than 18 VDC)

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ifications	Range*	10 inches - 30 feet 254 mm - 9.1 meters	Input Power	10-30 VDC @ 50-70 ma. nominal 15-30 VDC if using analog output
	Case Material	303 or 304 stainless steel	Transducer	Ruggedized piezoelectric
	Temperature	-40 to 70 C (-40 to 158 F)	Adjustments	Push-button, permanently stored
	Protection	NEMA-4X, NEMA-6P, IP68	Humidity	0 to 100% operating
	Resolution	0.0068 in. (.172 mm) max.; Analo	og 12 bits (4095 s	steps) over spanned distance
	Repeatability	Nominal 0.1% of range @ consta	nt temp. Affected	d by target, distance, environment
	Compensation	Temperature compensated		
	Update Rate*	+10 (default), 16, 25 or 100 per s	econd, selectabl	e* output response time filter
	Voltage Output *	0-10 and 0-5 VDC (user selectab	le), 10 ma. max.,	reversable teachable endpoints
	Current Loop*	4-20 ma. (sourcing), 500 $\Omega$ max.	@ >15 VDC, reve	ersable teachable endpoints
	Switch Outputs	150 ma. max, sinking 40 VDC ma	ax., teachable se	tpoint and polarity, fault indication
Asterisk (*) indicates user	RS-232, RS-485	6 bytes, 9600 baud, 8 data bits, 1	1 stop bit, no pari	ity, transmitted at update rate
teachable using pushbutton.	SYNC feature	Permits up to 32 sensors to be w	ired together for	operation in the same area
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Models & Outputs



Wiring (9-wire cable) DC+ IN GND Brown Blue SYNC(-) or below SYNC(+) or below Gray Yellow Black, White, Violet, Green, Orange wires - see below

Outputs are combined in various models (see below)

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MODEL NUMBER	Output #1 (wire color)	Output #2 (wire color)
TS-15S-IV	4-20 ma. current loop (green, org)	0-10 / 0-5 VDC (Violet)
TS-15S-ISK	4-20 ma current loop (green, org)	Sinking Switch (White)
TS-15S-ISR	4-20 ma. current loop (green, org)	Sourcing Switch (White)
TS-15S-SKV	Sinking Switch (Black)	0-10 / 0-5 VDC * (Violet)
TS-15S-SRV	Sourcing Switch (Black)	0-10 / 0-5 VDC * (Violet)
TS-15S-SKSK	Sinking Switch (Black)	Sinking Switch (White)
TS-15S-SRSR	Sourcing Switch (Black)	Sourcing Switch (White)
TS-15S-SKSR	Sinking Switch (Black)	Sourcing Switch (White)
TS-15S-SK232	Sinking Switch (Black)	RS-232 Output (Gray wire,
TS-15S-SR232	Sourcing Switch (Black)	RS-232 Output (Gray wire,
TS-15S-485	RS-485+ Output (Yellow)	RS-485- Output (Gray)

Asterisk (\*) indicates user teachable using pushbutton.

Each sensor ships with installation instructions and one UA-CLIC-15 plastic bracket.

**Dimensions** 



Mechanical

Mount: 1.5 in. NPT thread into flange or nipple, top or bottom, or external clamp style bracket

Attached Cable: 6-ft (2 m) Total Weight: 19.8 oz (0.56 kg)

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# **Ultrasensor**<sup>TM</sup> **Configurable Material Sensor**

Tltrasensor's<sup>™</sup> intelligent design makes it ideal for material sensing needs. One sensor gives you precise distance measurement and a variety of outputs. Connect with alarms, PLC's, motor drives, proportional air valves, computers, etc.

## Multiple Outputs

All common outputs are included-proportional voltage 0-10 VDC and two 4-20 ma. current loops, two transistor switches and serial data. Use what you need. All outputs are affected by the sensor's measured distance, and you can adjust the outputs either by push-button or computer.

## Button Configured

Install the sensor, attach your equipment via the rear connector and adjust the analog scaling and/or switch distances using only the rear SET pushbutton and simulated or actual targets. View material detection and setpoints on the rear indicators (see drawing below).

Ultrasensor automatically spans and polarizes the outputs without potentiometers, screwdrivers or test equipment!





Non-Contact

Ultrasonic

Air Distance

Measurement



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## PC Configured

For ultimate flexibility, connect Ultrasensor to any IBM-PC or compatible with our powerful SoftSpan<sup>™</sup> program and gain control over sensor operational parameters. Using a menu, set output values and conditions, setpoints, security options and much more. Adjust distance characteristics in metric or English units. You can do this with or without the sensor installed. The sensor permanently retains the new configuration!

### Instant Duplication

Setups can also be stored to the PC's disk for future use. Quickly recall a setup from a previous application and create a duplicate in seconds. Now you can stock one part for many applications and configure it quickly!



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## Models



**ULTRA-U** HIPS plastic wt: 6 oz. (shown with UA-CLIC bracket)



ULTRA-U-SS Stainless steel wt: 24 oz. (shown with ÙA-MB-SS bracket)



ULTRA-U-SS2 SS w/2" NPT male thread wt: 26 oz. (shown with ÙA-FM-SS)

All sensors ship with a snap bracket (UA-CLIC) and field cable. Other options are available for mounting, configuration and displays.





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# Ultrasensor<sup>™</sup> Configurable Material Sensor

#### **Target Performance**

Color/Transparency Unaffected by object color, transparency or optical characteristics.

Orientation Detects flat or curved objects. Surface should reflect back to sensor. Flat surfaces are best when perpendicular to reference axis, and may not be detected at higher angles of incidence.

Density Low density materials including some foams, cloths and powders may exhibit reduced detection range in some applications. Testing is recommended.

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#### **Typical Distances** Object Max Range (ft.) 14 ga. solid wire 10 baseball 16 1 sq. in. plate 20 basketball 22 30 1 sq. ft. plate Large surfaces or 37 Liquid in standpipe

More distant objects should typically be larger. Consult Senix for assistance with special considerations or applications.



\* The factory configured minimum range is 6.5 in. (165 mm). This can be reduced to 2 in. (51 mm) using SoftSpan.

#### Specifications

Interfaces

Range*	2 in. to 37 feet (5 cm - 11.3 m)	Beam Angle	15 degrees (nom) @ -3db, conical	
Temperature	0 to 70 C (32 to 158 F)	Transducer	High sensitivity electrostatic	
Case Material	HIPS Plastic or Stainless Steel	Humidity	5 to 95% operating	
Compliance	CE Compliant for EU	Adjustments	Permanently stored	
Sensitivity	Adjustable 3/4 turn potentiometer	(rear accessible	using screwdriver)	
Repeatability	Nominal 0.1% of range @ constant temp. Affected by target, distance, environment			
Update Rate	Adjustable, 120 Hz maximum, 20 Hz (nominal), adjust to distance & application			
Resolution	0.003384 in. (.086 mm) max.; Analog 8 bits over spanned distance			
Dimensions	ULTRA-U, ULTRA-U-SS2: 2.375	in. (60.33 mm) d	iam. X 5.5 in. (139.7 mm) long	
Dimensions	ULTRA-U-SS: 2.31 in. (58.7 mm)	diameter x 5.5 ir	n. (139.7 mm) long	

Рои	ver Input	10-30 VDC @ 180 ma. (nominal), polarity protected Powered via rear connector (DB9F) or 3.5 mm rear jack Min 13.5 v in for 10 VDC out, min 15 v in for current sourcing (#1)
	Current (2)	<ul> <li>#1: 4-20 ma. current loop, current sourcing</li> <li>#2: 4-20 ma. current loop, current sinking, externally sourced</li> <li>Custom output currents (endpoints) in the range of 0 to 20 ma.</li> <li>Endpoint distances pushbutton or SoftSpan adjustable</li> </ul>
T R A	Voltage	Standard output voltages 0-10, 0-5 or 1-5 VDC selectable Custom output voltages (endpoints) in the range of 0 to 10 VDC Endpoint distances pushbutton or SoftSpan adjustable
S E N S	Switches (2)	Two (2) switch outputs, each with rear status LED indicator Open collector NPN transistor, 40 VDC max, 200 ma. continuous Push-button or SoftSpan adjustable switching distances (setpoints) Switch polarity can be set for each switch to simplify interface
O R	Serial RS-232	Serial data communications to any receiving or controlling device 9600 baud, 8 data bits, 2 stop bits, no parity, 3-wire (Tx, Rx, Gnd) Free running or polled (externally requested) data outputs

Functional
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Tar	get Window	Targets can be range discriminated to ignore unwanted objects or increase focus
al Out	tput Modes	All Outputs: Free running or polled (RS-232 request by external controller)
PC	Configuration	Connects to COM port using SoftSpan™ software kit
Ou	tput Polarity	Analogs can increase or decrease with distance. Switches on or off @ setpoints
Out	tput Filtering	All outputs can be averaged from 2 to 255 measurements
Sta	tus Indicators	Four (4) rear LED's indicate target echo, switch 1, switch 2 and power status

Each sensor is shipped with a 6-ft. cable with tinned leads, UA-CLIC bracket and instructions

Components

- SoftSpan™ kit available for configuration using IBM-PC includes power supply and computer cable
- Other options are available. Contact Senix to discuss your specific needs or for application assistance

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