Miniature Pilot Lights

ø12 A2 Series
ø10 A1 Series
ø8 A8 Series

A2 Series   A1 Series   A8 Series

Bright illumination face and snap-action switching.

• See website for details on approvals and standards.

Hole Size		Model	Function	Degree of Protection
ø12		AL2	Illuminated Pushbuttons Momentary Maintained Pilot Light	IP65 IP40 (IEC60529)
		AB2	Pushbuttons Momentary Maintained	
ø10		AL1	Illuminated Pushbuttons Momentary Maintained Pilot Light	IP40 (IEC60529)
		AB1	Pushbuttons Momentary Maintained	
ø8		AL8	Illuminated Pushbuttons Momentary Maintained Pilot Light	IP40 (IEC60529)
		AB8	Pushbuttons Momentary Maintained	

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ø12 A2 / ø10 A1 / ø8 A8 Series Miniature Pilot Lights

Bright illumination face and snap-action switching. 22 mm short body.

Contact Ratings (Contact Block)

Rated Insulation Voltage	250V		
Rated Thermal Current	3A		
Operating Voltage (AC/DC)	24V	110V	220V
AC 50/60 Hz	Resistive Load	—	1.0A	0.5A
	Inductive Load	—	0.7A	0.5A
DC	Resistive Load	1.0A	0.2A	—
	Inductive Load	0.7A	0.1A	—
Contact Material	Silver		

- Minimum applicable load: 5V AC/DC, 3 mA
  (applicable range may vary with operating conditions and load types)

Weight (Example)

Weight (approx.)	A2 Series	4g (AL2M-M11, AL2M-P1, AB2M-M1)
	A1 Series	3g (AL1M-M11, AL1M-P1, AB1M-M1)
	A8 Series	2g (AL8M-M11, AL8M-P1, AB8M-M1)

Specifications

Operating Temperature	−25 to +55°C (no freezing)	
Storage Temperature	−30 to +80°C (no freezing)	
Operating Humidity	45 to 85% RH (no condensation)	
Contact Resistance	50 mΩ maximum (initial value)	
Insulation Resistance	100 MΩ minimum (500V DC megger)	
Dielectric Strength	Switch Unit	Between live and dead metal parts: 2,000V AC, 1 minute Between terminals of different poles: 2,000V AC, 1 minute Between terminals of the same pole: 1,000V AC, 1 minute Between contact and lamp terminals: 1,500V AC, 1 minute
	Illumination Unit	Between live part and ground: 2,000V AC, 1 minute
Vibration Resistance	Damage limits, Operating extremes: 5 to 55 Hz, amplitude 0.75 mm	
Shock Resistance	Damage limits: 500 m/s^2 (50G) Operating extremes: 200 m/s^2 (20G)	
Mechanical Durability (minimum operations)	Momentary: 200,000 operations Maintained: 100,000 operations	
Electrical Durability (minimum operations)	Momentary: 100,000 operations Maintained: 50,000 operations (Switching frequency 1200 operations/h)	
Degree of Protection (*1)	IP40, IP65 (IEC 60529)	

*1) IP65: A2 series only

LED Lamp Ratings (LAD-S)

Built-in LED Part No.	LAD-SA	LAD-SG	LAD-SR	LAD-SY
Lamp Base	Exclusive for A series			
Forward Current (If)	20 mA			
Forward Voltage (Vf) (nominal)	2.2V	2.1V	1.7V	2.2V
Reverse Voltage (Vr)	4V			
Illumination Color	A	G	R	Y
LED Lamp Color	Amber Clear	Yellow Diffused	Red Clear	Yellow Clear
Applicable Lens Color	Amber	Green	Red	Yellow and White
Base Plastic Color	Red			
LED Lamp Life (reference value)	Approx. 50,000 hours (The illuminance reduces to 50% of the initial intensity when used on complete DC.)			
Operating Voltage & External Current-limiting Resistor (recommended value) (Note)	5V DC: 150Ω, 1/2W 6V DC: 200Ω, 1/2W 12V DC: 510Ω, 1W 24V DC: 1.1 kΩ, 1W			
Internal Circuit	(+) ○——▷|——○ (−)			

Note: When LED lamps are used on voltages other than the above, external resistor value R is determined by the following formula:
R = (operating voltage − Vf) / If

- LED lamps do not have a current-limiting resistor, and external resistors of recommended values for each voltage must be provided. Connect a current-limiting resistor in series, otherwise LED lamps will be damaged. Because no protection diode is contained, ensure the correct polarity is observed.

- The base plastic color for all LEDs are red.

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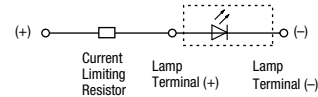
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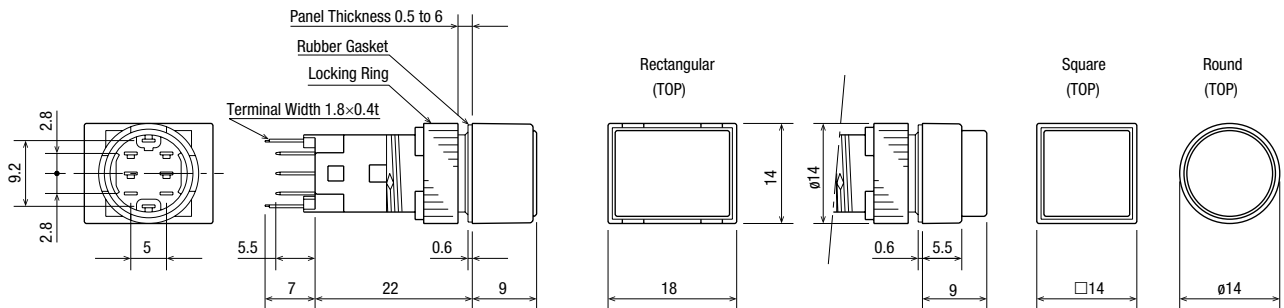
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ø12 A2 Series Illuminated Pushbuttons & Pilot Lights

Package Quantity: 1

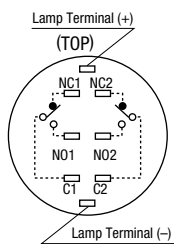| Shape | Operation | Contact | Part No. | | ② Lens Color Code | LED Lamp |
			IP40	IP65		Part No., Rated Current (External Resistor Recommended Value)
Round AL2M	Momentary	SPDT	AL2M-M11②	AL2M-M11P②	Specify a color code in place of ② in the Part No. A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow	A: LAD-SA G: LAD-SG R: LAD-SR W/Y: LAD-SY Rated Current: 20 mA 5V DC: 150Ω, 1/2W 6V DC: 200Ω, 1/2W 12V DC: 510Ω, 1W 24V DC: 1.1 kΩ, 1W
		DPDT	AL2M-M21②	AL2M-M21P②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL2M-A11②	AL2M-A11P②		
		DPDT	AL2M-A21②	AL2M-A21P②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL2M-P1②	AL2M-P1P②		
Square AL2Q	Momentary	SPDT	AL2Q-M11②	AL2Q-M11P②		
		DPDT	AL2Q-M21②	AL2Q-M21P②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL2Q-A11②	AL2Q-A11P②		
		DPDT	AL2Q-A21②	AL2Q-A21P②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL2Q-P1②	AL2Q-P1P②		
Rectangular AL2H	Momentary	SPDT	AL2H-M11②	AL2H-M11P②		
		DPDT	AL2H-M21②	AL2H-M21P②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL2H-A11②	AL2H-A11P②		
		DPDT	AL2H-A21②	AL2H-A21P②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL2H-P1②	AL2H-P1P②		

- LED lamps do not have a current-limiting resistor. Connect a current-limiting resistor in series, otherwise LED lamps will be damaged.
- External current-limiting resistor is not necessary when an optional socket with built-in resistor is used (see B-383).
- AP2M series pilot lights (round bezel only) with built-in current-limiting resistors are also available.
- Pilot lights are not CCC certifed.

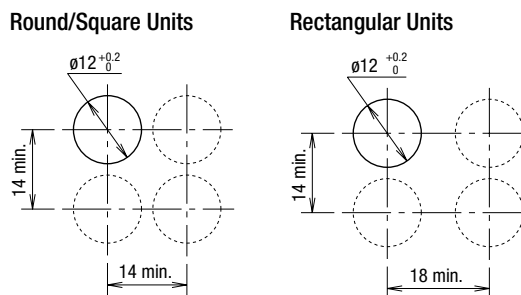(+) ○———[Current Limiting Resistor]———[Lamp Terminal (+)]——▷|——[Lamp Terminal (−)]———○ (−)

Dimensions

Panel Thickness 0.5 to 6
Rubber Gasket
Locking Ring
Terminal Width 1.8×0.4t

2.8
9.2
2.8
5
5.5
0.6
7
22
9

Rectangular (TOP)
18
14

0.6 5.5
9
ø14

Square (TOP)
□14

Round (TOP)
ø14

Terminal Arrangement

Lamp Terminal (+)
(TOP)
NC1 NC2
NO1 NO2
C1 C2
Lamp Terminal (−)

SPDT has NC1, NO1, and C1 only.

Mounting Hole Layout

Round/Square Units

ø12 $^{+0.2}_{0}$
14 min.
14 min.

Rectangular Units

ø12 $^{+0.2}_{0}$
14 min.
18 min.

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.
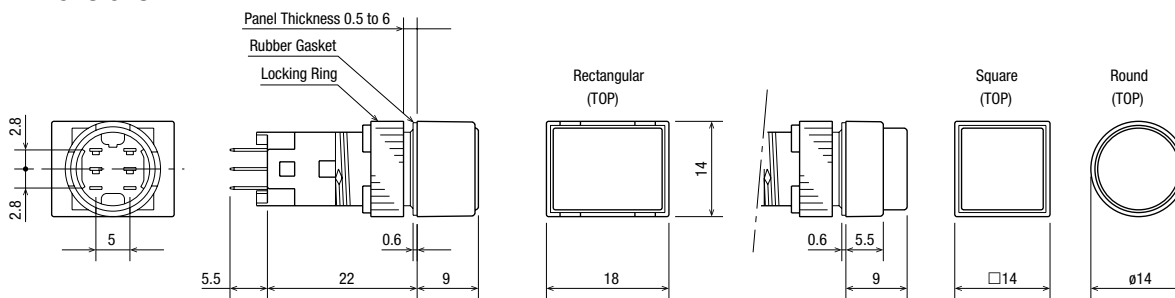
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ø12 A2 Series Pushbuttons

Package Quantity: 1

Shape	Button Style	Operation	Contact	Part No. IP40	Part No. IP65	Color Code ①②
Round AB2M	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB2M-M1①	AB2M-M1P①	B: black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
			DPDT	AB2M-M2①	AB2M-M2P①	
		Maintained	SPDT	AB2M-A1①	AB2M-A1P①	
			DPDT	AB2M-A2①	AB2M-A2P①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB2M-M1L②	AB2M-M1PL②	A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
			DPDT	AB2M-M2L②	AB2M-M2PL②	
		Maintained	SPDT	AB2M-A1L②	AB2M-A1PL②	
			DPDT	AB2M-A2L②	AB2M-A2PL②	
Square AB2Q	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB2Q-M1①	AB2Q-M1P①	B: black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
			DPDT	AB2Q-M2①	AB2Q-M2P①	
		Maintained	SPDT	AB2Q-A1①	AB2Q-A1P①	
			DPDT	AB2Q-A2①	AB2Q-A2P①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB2Q-M1L②	AB2Q-M1PL②	A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
			DPDT	AB2Q-M2L②	AB2Q-M2PL②	
		Maintained	SPDT	AB2Q-A1L②	AB2Q-A1PL②	
			DPDT	AB2Q-A2L②	AB2Q-A2PL②	
Rectangular AB2H	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB2H-M1①	AB2H-M1P①	B: black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
			DPDT	AB2H-M2①	AB2H-M2P①	
		Maintained	SPDT	AB2H-A1①	AB2H-A1P①	
			DPDT	AB2H-A2①	AB2H-A2P①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB2H-M1L②	AB2H-M1PL②	A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
			DPDT	AB2H-M2L②	AB2H-M2PL②	
		Maintained	SPDT	AB2H-A1L②	AB2H-A1PL②	
			DPDT	AB2H-A2L②	AB2H-A2PL②	

• Specify a color code in place of ① or ② in the Part No.

Dimensions

Panel Thickness 0.5 to 6
Rubber Gasket
Locking Ring

2.8
2.8
5

5.5   22   9

0.6

Rectangular (TOP)
18
14

0.6 5.5
9

Square (TOP)
□14

Round (TOP)
ø14

Terminal Arrangement

(TOP)

NC1 NC2
NO1 NO2
C1   C2

SPDT has NC1, NO1, and C1 only.

Mounting Hole Layout

Round/Square Units
ø12 $^{+0.2}_{0}$
14 min.
14 min.

Rectangular Units
ø12 $^{+0.2}_{0}$
14 min.
18 min.

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.

All dimensions in mm.

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ø12 A2 Series Accessories

All dimensions in mm.

Shape	Material		Part No.	Ordering Part No.	Package Quantity	Remarks
Locking Ring Wrench ø14 60	Metal (nickel-plated brass)		MT-002	MT-002	1	• Used to tighten the locking ring when installing the A2 series into a panel.
Switch Guard	90° open	For round/ square unit	AL-K2	AL-K2	1	• Degree of protection: IP40 • Used to protect pushbuttons from inadvertent operation. • See B-384 for dimensions. (remains 90° open)
		For rectangular unit	AL-KH2	AL-KH2	1	
Socket	Solder Terminal		AL-C2	AL-C2	1	• Snaps on the rear of the A2 series. (see B-384 for dimensions)
	PC Board Terminal		AL-C2V	AL-C2V	1	
Socket with Built-in Resistor	Solder Terminal	5V DC	AL-C21	AL-C21	1	Blue — Socket Bottom Color: • A current limiting resistor is contained, eliminating the need for external resistors. • When using the socket with a built-in resistor, make sure that the continuous current is 1A maximum and the operating temperature is −25 to +40°C. In collective mounting, keep center-to center-spacing of 20 mm or more between adjacent units in consideration of built-in resistor heating. • See B-384 for dimensions.
		6V DC	AL-C22	AL-C22	1	Green
		12V DC	AL-C23	AL-C23	1	Yellow
		24V DC	AL-C24	AL-C24	1	Red
	PC Board Terminal	5V DC	AL-C21V	AL-C21V	1	Blue
		6V DC	AL-C22V	AL-C22V	1	Green
		12V DC	AL-C23V	AL-C23V	1	Yellow
		24V DC	AL-C24V	AL-C24V	1	Red
Terminal Cover	Nylon		AL-V2	AL-V2PN10	10	• When wiring the terminals, insert the lead wires into the terminal cover holes before soldering. • Terminal cover is not attached and must be ordered separately.
Dust Cover ① ② ③	① For round units		AL-D2	AL-D2	1	• When mounting the units with the dust covers installed, refer to mounting hole layout on B-384. • Operating temperature: −10 to +55°C • Material Front part: Elastomer (transparent) Rear part: Polypropylene (black) • See B-384 for dimensions and mounting hole layout.
	② For square units		AL-DQ2	AL-DQ2	1	
	③ For rectangular units		AL-DH2	AL-DH2	1	
Mounting Hole Plug	Nitryl rubber (black)		AL-B2	AL-B2PN05	5	• Degree of protection: IP65

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ø12 A2 Series Dimensions

All dimensions in mm.

Switch Guard

For Round/Square Units (AL-K2)

14
19.5
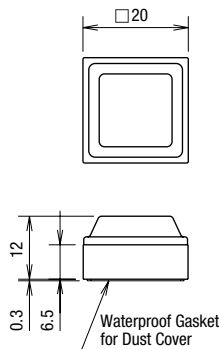11
8.5
22.5 min.
15 min.

26.5
Panel Thickness 0.5 to 5
12.5
Rubber Gasket

For Rectangular Units (AL-KH2)

18
19.5
11
8.5
22.5 min.
19 min.

26.5
Panel Thickness 0.5 to 5
12.5
Rubber Gasket

Socket

(AL-C2, AL-C2V, AL-C2□)

33
1
17
6.5
10.5
6
2.8
2.8
13
2.8

Solder Terminal (AL-C2)

Terminal 0.8 × 0.3t
33
1
17
4.5
10.5
6
2.8
2.8

8-1.0 $^{+0.2}_{0}$ Holes

PC Board Terminal (AL-C2V)

Panel Cut-out Bottom View

Terminal Arrangement

Lamp Terminal (+)
(TOP)

NC1   NC2
NO1   NO2
C1   C2

Lamp Terminal (–)

36
1
7.3
6.5
5.5
7
20
10.5
6
2.8
2.8
13
2.8

Solder Terminal with Built-in Resistor (AL-C2□)

36
1
7.3
6.5
3.5
5
20
10.2
5.3 4.9
6
2.8
2.8

8-1.0 $^{+0.2}_{0}$ Holes

PC Board Terminal with Built-in Resistor (AL-C2□V)

Panel Cut-out Bottom View

Terminal Cover

(AL-V2)

17.3
ø12.8
33.5

Note: When wiring the terminals, insert the lead wires into the terminal cover holes before soldering.

Dust Cover

For Round Units (AL-D2)

ø20

12
0.3
6.5
Waterproof Gasket for Dust Cover

For Square Units (AL-DQ2)

□20

12
0.3
6.5
Waterproof Gasket for Dust Cover

For Rectangular Units (AL-DH2)

24
20

12
0.3
6.5
Waterproof Gasket for Dust Cover

Mounting Hole Centers (Round Units, Square Units)
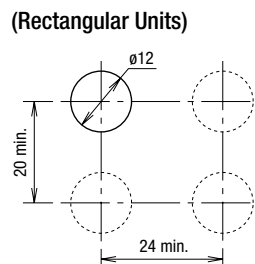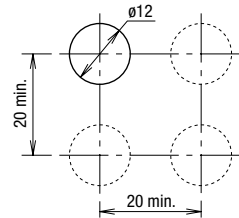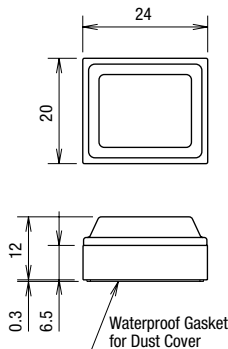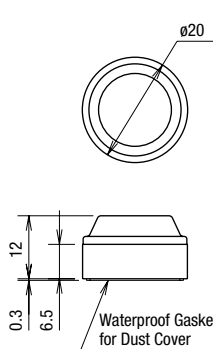
ø12
20 min.
20 min.

(Rectangular Units)

ø12
20 min.
24 min.

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.

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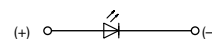
ø12 A2 Series Maintenance Parts

All dimensions in mm.

Shape	Specification		Part No.	Ordering Part No.	Package Quantity	Color Code ①②
Marking Plate	Round		AL2M-W	AL2M-WPN05	5	White
	Square		AL2Q-W	AL2Q-WPN05		
	Rectangular		AL2H-W	AL2H-WPN05		
Lens Unit	For IP40 units	Round	AL2M-LK1-②	AL2M-LK1-②PN02	2	• Specify a color code in place of ② in the Part No. A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
		Square	AL2Q-LK1-②	AL2Q-LK1-②PN02		
		Rectangular	AL2H-LK1-②	AL2H-LK1-②PN02		
	For IP65 illuminated pushbuttons	Round	AL2M-LK2-②	AL2M-LK2-②	1	
		Square	AL2Q-LK2-②	AL2Q-LK2-②		
		Rectangular	AL2H-LK2-②	AL2H-LK2-②		
	For IP65 pilot lights	Round	AL2M-LK3-②	AL2M-LK3-②		
		Square	AL2Q-LK3-②	AL2Q-LK3-②		
		Rectangular	AL2H-LK3-②	AL2H-LK3-②		
Button Unit	For IP40 pushbuttons	Round	AB2M-BK1-①	AB2M-BK1-①PN02	2	• Specify a color code in place of ① in the Part No. B: black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
		Square	AB2Q-BK1-①	AB2Q-BK1-①PN02		
		Rectangular	AB2H-BK1-①	AB2H-BK1-①PN02		
	For IP65 pushbuttons	Round	AB2M-BK2-①	AB2M-BK2-①	1	
		Square	AB2Q-BK2-①	AB2Q-BK2-①		
		Rectangular	AB2H-BK2-①	AB2H-BK2-①		

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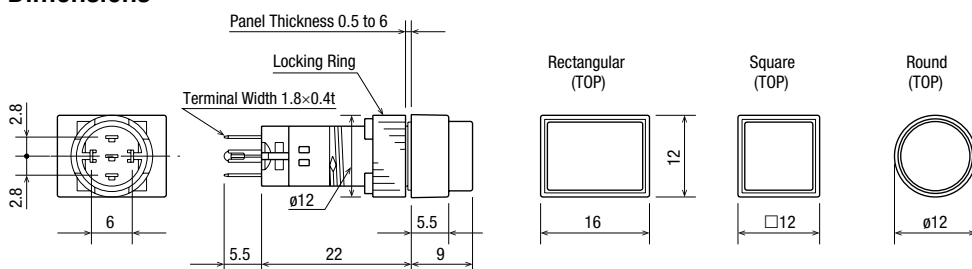## ø10 A1 Series Illuminated Pushbuttons & Pilot Lights

Package Quantity: 1

Shape	Operation	Contact	Part No. IP40	② Lens Color Code	LED Lamp Part No., Rated Current (External Resistor Recommended Value)
Round AL1M	Momentary	SPDT	AL1M-M11②	Specify a color code in place of ② in the Part No. A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow	A: LAD-SA G: LAD-SG R: LAD-SR W/Y: LAD-SY Rated Current: 20 mA 5V DC: 150Ω, 1/2W 6V DC: 200Ω, 1/2W 12V DC: 510Ω, 1W 24V DC: 1.1 kΩ, 1W
	Maintained	SPDT	AL1M-A11②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL1M-P1②		
Square AL1Q	Momentary	SPDT	AL1Q-M11②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL1Q-A11②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL1Q-P1②		
Rectangular AL1H	Momentary	SPDT	AL1H-M11②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL1H-A11②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL1H-P1②		

- LED lamps do not have a current-limiting resistor. Connect a current-limiting resistor in series, otherwise LED lamps will be damaged.
- AP1M series pilot lights (round bezel only) with built-in current-limiting resistor are also available.
- Pilot lights are not CCC certifed.

(+) ○ ——▷|—— ○ (–)

Dimensions

Panel Thickness 0.5 to 6

Locking Ring

Terminal Width 1.8×0.4t

2.8
2.8

6
5.5
ø12
5.5
22
9
5.5

Rectangular (TOP)
16
12

Square (TOP)
□12

Round (TOP)
ø12

Terminal Arrangement (bottom view)

(TOP)
NC
NO
COM
Lamp Terminal (+)
Lamp Terminal (–)

Mounting Hole Layout

Round/Square Units

ø10 +0.2 / 0

12 min.
12 min.

Rectangular Units

ø10 +0.2 / 0

12 min.
16 min.

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.

All dimensions in mm.

⬇ Download catalogs and CAD from http://eu.idec.com/downloads

ø10 A1 Series Pushbuttons

Package Quantity: 1

Shape	Button Style	Operation	Contact	Part No. IP40	Color Code ①②
Round AB1M	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB1M-M1①	B black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB1M-A1①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB1M-M1L②	A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB1M-A1L②	
Square AB1Q	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB1Q-M1①	B black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB1Q-A1①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB1Q-M1L②	A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB1Q-A1L②	
Rectangular AB1H	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB1H-M1①	B black G: green R: red S: blue W: white Y: yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB1H-A1①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB1H-M1L②	A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB1H-A1L②	

• Specify a color code in place of ① or ② in the Part No.

Dimensions

Panel Thickness 0.5 to 6
Locking Ring
Terminal Width 1.8×0.4t

2.8

2.8

6

5.5

5.5   22   9

Rectangular (TOP)   16

Square (TOP)   □12

Round (TOP)   ø12

12

Terminal Arrangement (bottom view)

(TOP)

NC

NO

COM

Mounting Hole Layout

Round/Square Units

ø10 $^{+0.2}_{0}$

12 min.

12 min.

Rectangular Units

ø10 $^{+0.2}_{0}$

12 min.

16 min.

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.
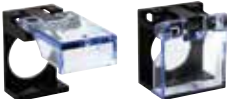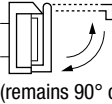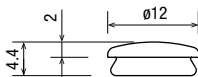
All dimensions in mm.

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ø10 A1 Series Accessories

All dimensions in mm.

Shape	Material		Part No.	Ordering No.	Package Quantity	Remarks
Locking Ring Wrench ø12 60	Metal (nickel-plated brass)		MT-003	MT-003	1	• Used to tighten the locking ring when installing the A1 series into a panel.
Switch Guard	90° open	For round/ square unit	AL-K1	AL-K1	1	• Used to protect pushbuttons from inadvertent operation. • See B-389 for dimensions. (remains 90° open)
		For rectangular unit	AL-KH1	AL-KH1	1	
Socket	Solder Terminal		AL-C1	AL-C1	1	• Snaps on the rear of the A1 series. (see B-389 for dimensions)
	PC Board Terminal		AL-C1V	AL-C1V	1	
Terminal Cover	Nylon		AL-V1	AL-V1PN10	10	• When wiring the terminals, insert the lead wires into the terminal cover holes before soldering. • Terminal cover is not attached and must be ordered separately.
Mounting Hole Plug	Nitryl rubber (black)		AL-B1	AL-B1PN05	5	• Degree of protection: IP65 2 ø12 4.4

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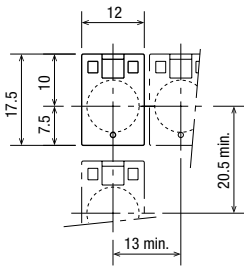
ø12 A2 / ø10 A1 / ø8 A8 Series Miniature Pilot Lights
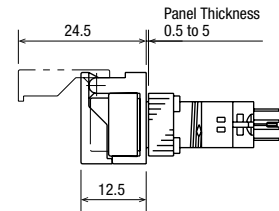
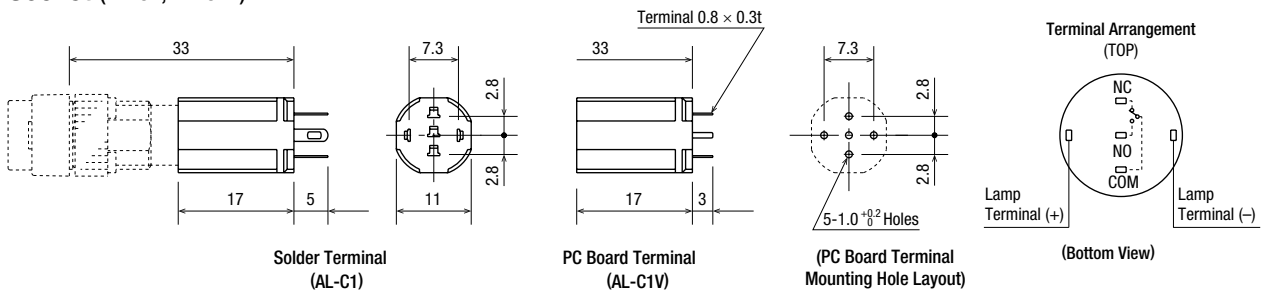## ø10 A1 Series Dimensions

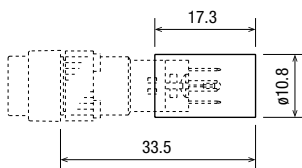All dimensions in mm.

Switch Guard

For Round/Square Units (AL-K1)

For Rectangular Units (AL-KH1)

Panel Thickness 0.5 to 5

24.5

12.5
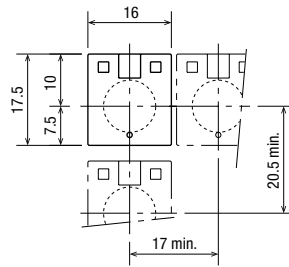
Socket (AL-C1, AL-C1V)

Terminal 0.8 × 0.3t

5-1.0 $^{+0.2}_{0}$ Holes

Solder Terminal (AL-C1)

PC Board Terminal (AL-C1V)

(PC Board Terminal Mounting Hole Layout)

Terminal Arrangement (TOP)

NC

NO

COM

Lamp Terminal (+)

Lamp Terminal (–)

(Bottom View)

Terminal Cover

Note: When wiring the terminals, insert the lead wires into the terminal cover holes before soldering.

ø10 A1 Series Maintenance Parts

All dimensions in mm.

Shape		Part No.	Ordering No.	Package Quantity	Color Code ①②
Marking Plate	Round	AL1M-W	AL1M-WPN05	5	• White
	Square	AL1Q-W	AL1Q-WPN05		
	Rectangular	AL1H-W	AL1H-WPN05		
Lens Unit	Round	AL1M-LK1-②	AL1M-LK1-②PN02	2	Specify a color code in place of ② in the Part No. A (amber), G (green), R (red) W (white), Y (yellow)
	Square	AL1Q-LK1-②	AL1Q-LK1-②PN02		
	Rectangular	AL1H-LK1-②	AL1H-LK1-②PN02		
Button Unit	Round	AB1M-BK1-①	AB1M-BK1-①PN02		Specify a color code in place of ① in the Part No. B (black), G (green), R (red) S (blue), W (white), Y (yellow)
	Square	AB1Q-BK1-①	AB1Q-BK1-①PN02		
	Rectangular	AB1H-BK1-①	AB1H-BK1-①PN02		

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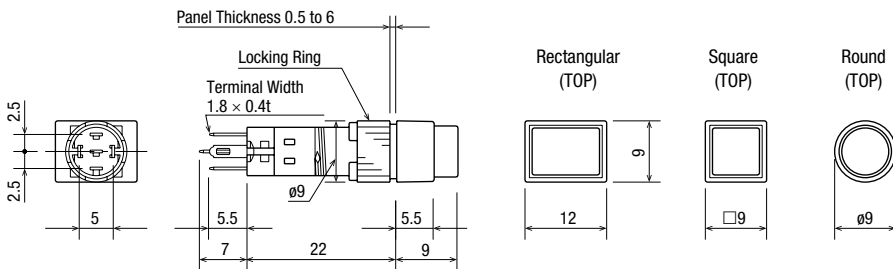## ø8 A8 Series Illuminated Pushbuttons & Pilot Lights

Package Quantity: 1

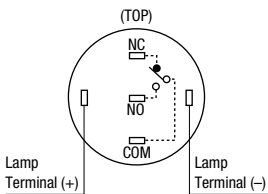| Shape	Operation	Contact	Part No. IP40	② Lens Color Code	LED Lamp Part No., Rated Current (External Resistor Recommended Value)
Round AL8M	Momentary	SPDT	AL8M-M11②	Specify a color code in place of ② in the Part No. A: amber G: green R: red W: white Y: yellow	A: LAD-SA G: LAD-SG R: LAD-SR W/Y: LAD-SY Rated Current: 20 mA 5V DC: 150Ω, 1/2W 6V DC: 200Ω, 1/2W 12V DC: 510Ω, 1W 24V DC: 1.1 kΩ, 1W
	Maintained	SPDT	AL8M-A11②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL8M-P1②		
Square AL8Q	Momentary	SPDT	AL8Q-M11②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL8Q-A11②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL8Q-P1②		
Rectangular AL8H	Momentary	SPDT	AL8H-M11②		
	Maintained	SPDT	AL8H-A11②		
	Pilot Light	—	AL8H-P1②		

• LED lamps do not have a current-limiting resistor. Connect a current-limiting resistor in series, otherwise LED lamps will be damaged.

(+) ○—▷|—○ (−)

• AP8M series pilot lights (round bezel only) with built-in current-limiting resistor are also available.

• Pilot lights are not CCC certified.

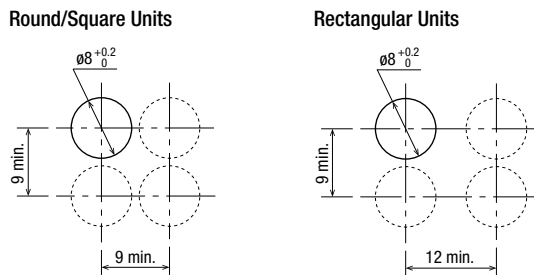## Dimensions

Panel Thickness 0.5 to 6
Locking Ring
Terminal Width 1.8 × 0.4t

2.5
2.5
5

5.5   5.5
7   22   9
ø9

Rectangular (TOP) 12 × 9
Square (TOP) □9
Round (TOP) ø9

Terminal Arrangement

(TOP)
NC
NO
COM
Lamp Terminal (+)   Lamp Terminal (−)

Mounting Hole Layout

Round/Square Units

ø8 +0.2 0
9 min.
9 min.

Rectangular Units

ø8 +0.2 0
9 min.
12 min.

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.

All dimensions in mm.

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ø8 A8 Series Pushbuttons

Package Quantity: 1

Shape	Button Style	Operation	Contact	Part No. IP40	Color Code ①②
Round AB8M	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB8M-M1①	B black, G green, R red, S blue, W white, Y yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB8M-A1①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB8M-M1L②	A amber, G green, R red, W white, Y yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB8M-A1L②	
Square AB8Q	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB8Q-M1①	B black, G green, R red, S blue, W white, Y yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB8Q-A1①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB8Q-M1L②	A amber, G green, R red, W white, Y yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB8Q-A1L②	
Rectangular AB8H	Button	Momentary	SPDT	AB8H-M1①	B black, G green, R red, S blue, W white, Y yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB8H-A1①	
	Lens	Momentary	SPDT	AB8H-M1L②	A amber, G green, R red, W white, Y yellow
		Maintained	SPDT	AB8H-A1L②	

• Specify a color code in place of ① or ② in the Part No.
• Lens style buttons can be used with marking plate and film.
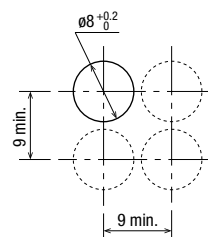
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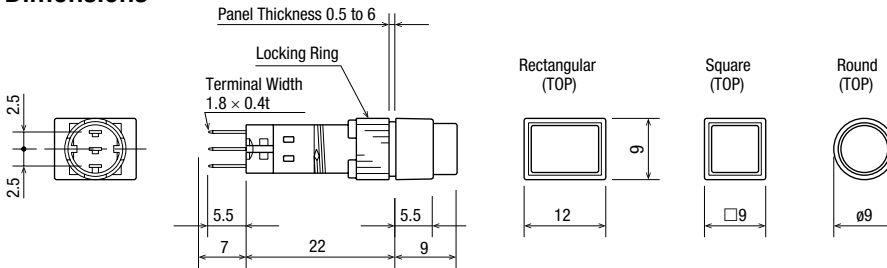
Terminal Arrangement (bottom view)
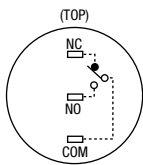
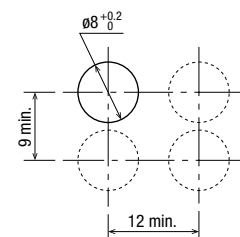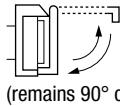## Mounting Hole Layout

Round/Square Units | Rectangular Units

Note: Determine mounting centers to ensure easy operation.

All dimensions in mm.

ø8 A8 Series Accessories

All dimensions in mm.

Shape	Material		Part No.	Ordering Part No.	Package Quantity	Remarks
Locking Ring Wrench ø9.5 55	Metal (nickel-plated brass)		MT-004	MT-004	1	• Used to tighten the locking ring when installing the A8 series into a panel.
Switch Guard	90° open	For round/square Unit	AL-K8	AL-K8	1	• Used to protect pushbuttons from inadvertent operation. • See B-393 for dimensions. (remains 90° open)
		For rectangular unit	AL-KH8	AL-KH8	1	
Socket	Solder Terminal		AL-C8	AL-C8	1	• Snaps on the rear of the A8 series. (see B-393 for dimensions)
	PC Board Terminal		AL-C8V	AL-C8V	1	
Terminal Cover	Nylon		AL-V8	AL-V8PN10	10	• When wiring the terminals, insert the lead wires into the terminal cover holes before soldering. • Terminal cover is not attached and must be ordered separately.
Mounting Hole Plug	Nitryl rubber (black)		AL-B8	AL-B8PN05	5	• Degree of protection: IP65

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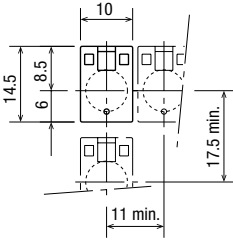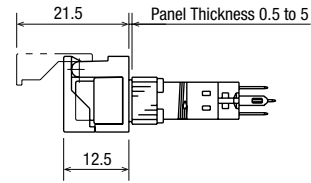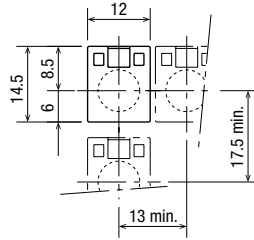# ø12 A2 / ø10 A1 / ø8 A8 Series Miniature Pilot Lights

ø8 A8 Series Dimensions

All dimensions in mm.

Switch Guard

For Round/Square Units (AL-K8)

10 · 14.5 · 8.5 · 6 · 17.5 min. · 11 min.

For Rectangular Units (AL-KH8)

12 · 14.5 · 8.5 · 6 · 17.5 min. · 13 min.

21.5 · Panel Thickness 0.5 to 5 · 12.5

Socket
(AL-C8, AL-C8V)

33 · 6.3 · 2.5 · 2.5 · 17 · 5 · 8.8

**Solder Terminal
(AL-C8)**

Terminal 0.8 × 0.3t

33 · 6.3 · 2.5 · 2.5 · 17 · 3

**PC Board Terminal
(AL-C8V)**

5-1.0 $^{+0.2}_{0}$ Holes

**(PC Board Terminal
Mounting Hole Layout)**

**Terminal Arrangement
(TOP)**

NC · NO · COM

Lamp
Terminal (+) · Lamp
Terminal (−)

(Bottom View)
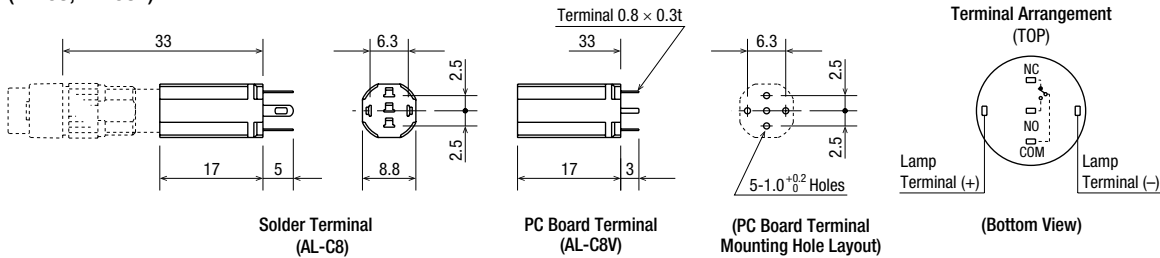
Terminal Cover
(AL-V8)

17.3 · ø9.1 · 33.5

Note: When wiring the terminals, insert the lead wires into the terminal cover holes before soldering.

ø8 A8 Series Maintenance Parts

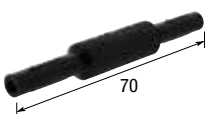All dimensions in mm.

Shape		Part No.	Ordering Part No.	Package Quantity	Color Code ①②
Marking Plate	Round	AL8M-W	AL8M-WPN05	5	• White
	Square	AL8Q-W	AL8Q-WPN05		
	Rectangular	AL8H-W	AL8H-WPN05		
Lens Unit	Round	AL8M-LK1-②	AL8M-LK1-②PN02	2	Specify a color code in place of ② in the Part No. A (amber), G (green), R (red) W (white), Y (yellow)
	Square	AL8Q-LK1-②	AL8Q-LK1-②PN02		
	Rectangular	AL8H-LK1-②	AL8H-LK1-②PN02		
Button Unit	Round	AB8M-BK1-①	AB8M-BK1-①PN02		Specify a color code in place of ① in the Part No. B (black), G (green), R (red) S (blue), W (white), Y (yellow)
	Square	AB8Q-BK1-①	AB8Q-BK1-①PN02		
	Rectangular	AB8H-BK1-①	AB8H-BK1-①PN02		

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A2 / A1 / A8 Series Accessories

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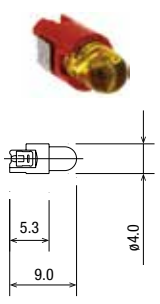
When ordering, specify the Ordering No.

Shape	Material	Part No.	Ordering Part No.	Package Quantity	Remarks
Lens Removal Tool 60.0	Stainless Steel	**MT-101**	MT-101	1	• Used to remove the lens and button.
Lamp Holder Tool 70	Rubber	**OR-66**	OR-66	1	• Used to remove and install the LED lamps.

A2 / A1 / A8 Series Maintenance Parts

All dimensions in mm.

When ordering, specify the Ordering No.

Shape		Part No.	Ordering Part No.	Package Quantity	Remarks		
LED Lamp 5.3 9.0 ø4.0 Current-limiting resistor is not contained.	Illumination color: red	**LAD-SR**	LAD-SR	1	Lens color	Red	LED color: clear red
			LAD-SRPN10	10			
	Illumination color: green	**LAD-SG**	LAD-SG	1		Green	LED color: yellow diffused
			LAD-SGPN10	10			
	Illumination color: amber	**LAD-SA**	LAD-SA	1		Amber	LED color: amber clear
			LAD-SAPN10	10			
	Illumination color: yellow	**LAD-SY**	LAD-SY	1		White/Yellow	LED color: yellow clear
			LAD-SYPN10	10			

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⚠ Safety Precautions

- Turn off the power to A series before starting installation, removal, wiring, maintenance, and inspection of the units. Failure to turn power off may cause electrical shocks or fire hazard.
- To avoid burning your hand, use the lamp holder tool when replacing lamps.

- For wiring, use wires of a proper gauge to meet the voltage and current requirements. Failure to tighten terminal screws may cause overheating and create a fire hazard.
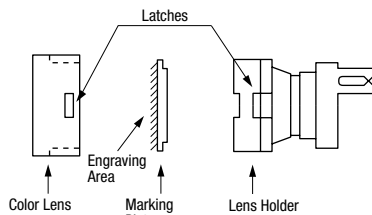
Operating Instructions

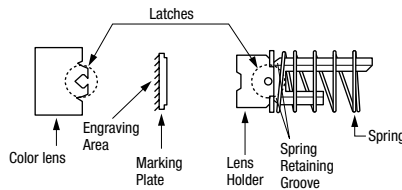### Replacement of Lens and Marking Plate

Removal

Remove the lens assembly (color lens, marking plate, lens holder, and spring) by holding the color lens recesses with the Lens Removal Tool (MT-101) and pulling it out. Remove the marking plate by disengaging the latches between the color lens and lens holder.
The marking plate must be engraved on the front side as shown below.

- A2 Series

Latches

Color Lens   Engraving Area   Marking Plate   Lens Holder

- A8, A1 Series

Latches

Color lens   Engraving Area   Marking Plate   Lens Holder   Spring Retaining Groove   Spring

Note: Make sure that the spring is inserted in the correct direction. The base of spring must fit the groove in the holder.

Installation

Place the marking plate on the lens holder in the correct direction, and press the color lens onto the lens holder to engage the latches.
Put the spring on the lens holder and insert the lens holder into the housing in the correct direction.

Installing Non-illuminated Button

Non-illuminated pushbuttons contain the same marking plate as illuminated units. Be sure to install the marking plate when replacing the button.
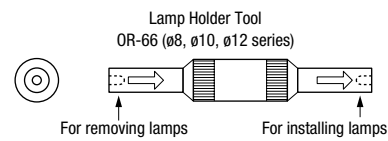
Replacing the LED Lamp

Removal

Use the lamp holder tool (OR-66) to remove lamps. Do not use pliers.

Installation

Use the lamp holder tool (OR-66) to install lamps. Note the correct side of the tool for removal or installation.

Lamp Holder Tool
OR-66 (ø8, ø10, ø12 series)

For removing lamps   For installing lamps

Panel Mounting

When mounting the units into a panel, use the optional locking ring wrench (MT-002/-003/-004) to tighten the locking ring. Do not use pliers. Tightening torque must not exceed 0.78 N·m (A8, A1 series : 0.29 N·m). Excessive tightening will damage the locking ring.

Wiring

Solder the terminal at 350°C within 3 seconds using a 60W soldering iron. Sn-Ag-Cu is recommended when using lead-free solder. When soldering, do not touch the unit with the soldering iron. Also ensure that no tensile force is applied to the terminal. Do not bend the terminal or apply excessive force to the terminal.
Use non-corrosive rosin flux.

Installing the Socket

Install the socket on the unit with the TOP markings on the unit and the socket placed in the same direction.

Operating Voltage of LED Lamps

The operating voltage is measured at complete DC. When using a pulsating voltage such as a full-wave rectification voltage, keep peak currents within the forward current If. Peak currents exceeding the If may shorten the LED lamp life.
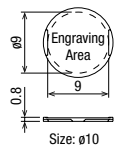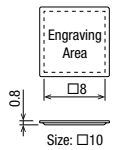
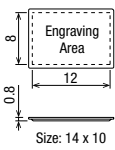**For more information, visit http://eu.idec.com**
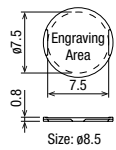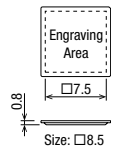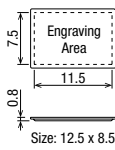
Operating Instructions

Marking

For A series illuminated pushbuttons, legends and symbols can be engraved on the built-in marking plates, or printed film can be inserted under the lens.
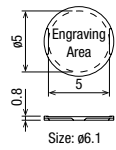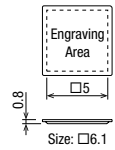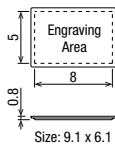
Marking Plate & Engraving Area

A2 Series

Lens	Round	Square	Rectangular
Built-in Marking Plate	ø9 / 9 / 0.8 / Engraving Area / Size: ø10	Engraving Area / □8 / 0.8 / Size: □10	Engraving Area / 12 / 8 / 0.8 / Size: 14 x 10

• Engraving must be made on the engraving area less than 0.5mm deep.
• The marking plate is made of white acrylic resin.

A1 Series

Lens	Round	Square	Rectangular
Built-in Marking Plate	ø7.5 / 7.5 / 0.8 / Engraving Area / Size: ø8.5	Engraving Area / □7.5 / 0.8 / Size: □8.5	Engraving Area / 11.5 / 7.5 / 0.8 / Size: 12.5 x 8.5

• Engraving must be made on the engraving area less than 0.5mm deep.
• The marking plate is made of white acrylic resin.

A8 Series

Lens	Round	Square	Rectangular
Built-in Marking Plate	ø5 / 5 / 0.8 / Engraving Area / Size: ø6.1	Engraving Area / □5 / 0.8 / Size: □6.1	Engraving Area / 8 / 5 / 0.8 / Size: 9.1 x 6.1

• Engraving must be made on the engraving area less than 0.5mm deep.
• The marking plate is made of white acrylic resin.

Other Notes

Close Proximity Mounting

When mounting pilot lights or illuminated pushbuttons collectively or lighting them continuously, heat may cause the ambient temperature to rise above the rated operating temperature. When the mounting panel is not made of metal or when the units are mounted in an enclosed panel, provide for ventilation or lower the operating voltage.

Replacement of Buttons (Illuminated/Non-illuminated)

Do not replace buttons of maintained action units while the button is in the locked position. Replacing the button in the locked position may damage the internal mechanism. Be sure to release the button before replacing.

Operating and Storage Environment

1. Make sure that the operating/storage temperature and humidity are within the ratings.
2. Do not use enclosed type units in an environment subject to oil, water or dust accumulation.

Microswitch Contacts

Do not connect NO and NC contacts of the microswitch to different voltages or different power sources to prevent a dead short-circuit.

IP65 Units (A2 series only)

IP65 units are evaluated by conventional cutting and cooling oils, and can not be used with some special oils. Contact IDEC for resistance against special oils.