

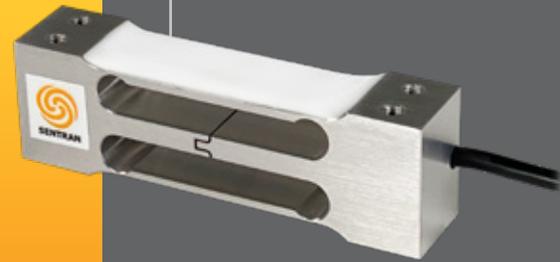


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Single Point Load Cell

YP6 Series

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APPLICATIONS

- Tension and Compression Measurements
- Ultra Low Force Measurements
- High Accuracy and Repeatability
- Medical and Life Science Weighing
- Moment/Off-Center Load Applications
- OEM and VAR Solutions

FEATURES

- 300 G to 5 KG Capacities
- 0.03% Accuracy Class
- 2 mV/V Full Scale Output
- 5 FT PVC Cable
- Miniature Compact Size
- IP67 Environmental Sealing
- Anodized Aluminum Construction
- Dual Guided Beam - Over Load Protected
- Universal - Tension and Compression
- Moment Compensated

YP6 Series Specifications

Innovative Measurement Solutions



PERFORMANCE

Rated Capacities (KG)	0.3, 0.6, 1.2, 2.5, 5.0
Rated Output (FSO)	2 mV/V
Output Tolerance	±10 % R.O
Combined Error Band	≤ 0.03 % FSO
Non-Linearity	≤ 0.03 % FSO
Hysteresis	≤ 0.03 % FSO
Non-Repeatability	≤ 0.02 % FSO
Zero Balance	≤ 3 % FSO
Creep (30 Minutes)	≤ 0.03 % of load*
Moment Sensitivity	≤ 0.015 % Applied Load per Inch
Maximum Moment	5 Inch x Capacity
Ultimate Moment	175 % of Maximum Moment

*0.3 kg: ≤ 0.08 % of load

MECHANICAL

Load Cell Material	Aluminum
Load Cell Finish	Anodized
Safe Overload	Tension/Compression 500% FSO Side Load 50% FSO
Ultimate Overload	Tension/Compression 1000% FSO Side Load: 100% FSO
Deflection	See Dimensions Page
Weight	See Dimensions Page
Mounting Bolt Torque (Recommended)	See Dimensions Page

ELECTRICAL

Input Impedance	400 ±15 ohms
Output Impedance	350 ± 3 ohms
Insulation Resistance	>5000 Megohms
Max Excitation Voltage	10 V AC/DC (15 V maximum)
Cable Color Code	+ Excitation (red) - Excitation (black) + Signal (green) - Signal (white) Shield (natural)
Cable Type	4-conductor, 28 AWG, PVC jacket, foil shield, Diameter: 0.120"
Cable Length	See Dimensions Table
Cable Termination	Finished Conductors
Cable Seal	Epoxy; Conformal

ENVIRONMENTAL

Temperature, Operating	-4 to +140°F (-20 to +60°C)
Temperature, Compensated	14 to +104 °F (-10 to +40°C)
Temperature, Storage	-4 to +140°F (-20 to +60°C)
Temperature Effects	Zero < 0.0015% FSO/°F < 0.0026% FSO/°C
Temperature Effects	Output < 0.0008% of Rdg./°F < 0.0014% Rdg./°C
Sealing	IP67, Multi-redundant; Limited Immersion Tolerance

YP6 Typical System Configuration

SENSING LOAD CELL(S)

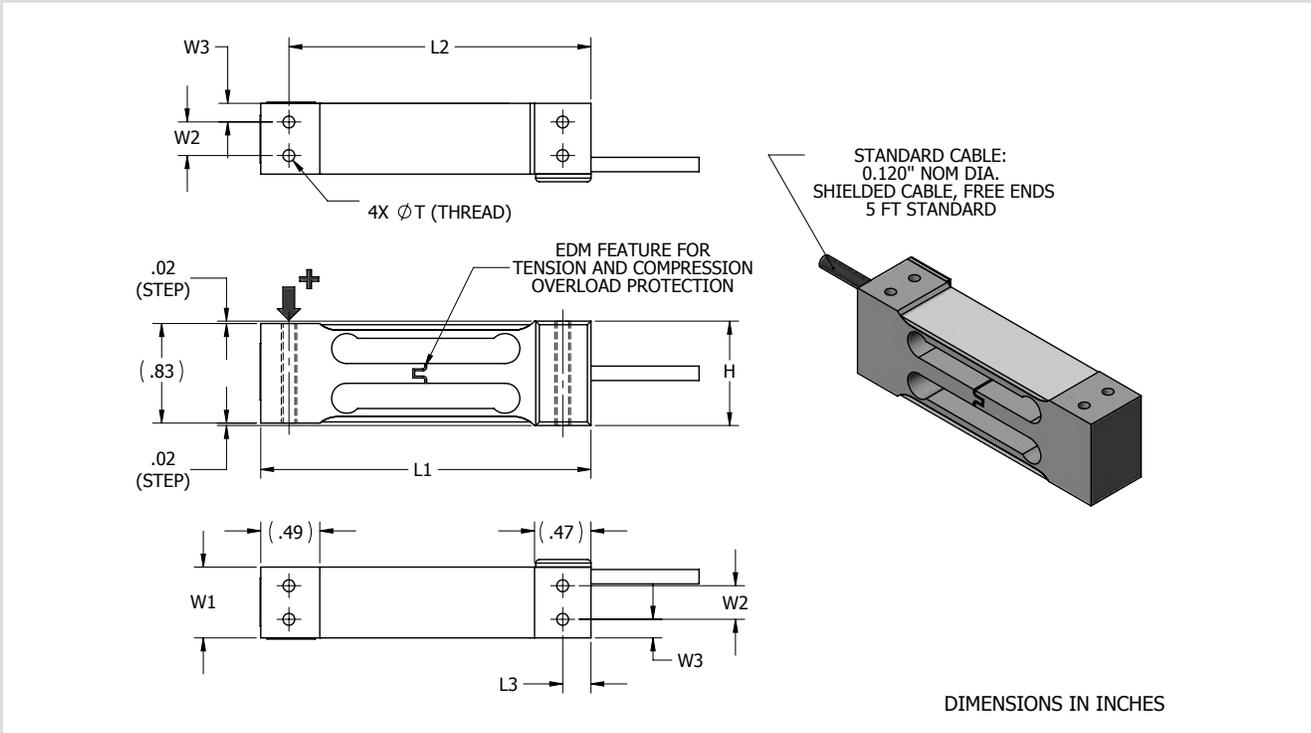


SIGNAL CONDITIONING

- Amplifier/Transmitter
JF Series 
- Amplifier/Transmitter
JA Series 
- Digital Indicator
250 Series 
- Digital Indicator
250SS Series 
- Digital Indicator/Controller
KD3 Series 
- Digital Indicator/Controller
KD4 Series 

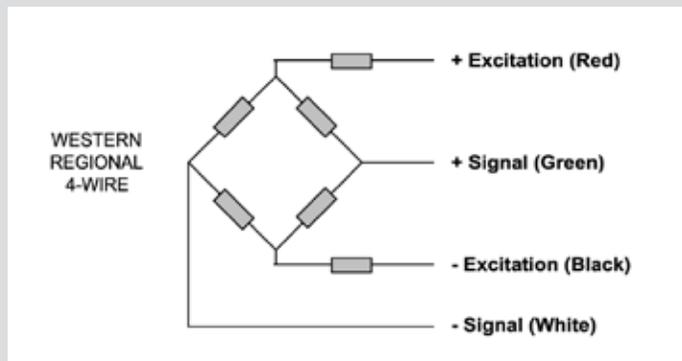
OUTPUT OPTIONS

- 0-5 VDC
- 0-10VDC
- ±5 VDC
- ±10 VDC
- 4-20 mA
- 0-20 mA
- RS-232
- RS-422
- RS-485
- 20 mA Serial Loop
- Ethernet
- Profibus DP
- DeviceNet
- CANOpen
- ControlNet
- Modbus RTU
- Wireless



Capacity (KG)	H	L1	L2	L3	W1	W2	W3	T(THREAD)	Recommended Bolt Torque	Deflect	Weight
0.3, 0.6, 1.2, 2.5, 5.0	0.87	2.75	2.52	0.24	0.59	0.28	0.16	M3 X 0.5 - 6H (THRU)	15 IN-LB	0.012	0.5 LB

YP6 Wiring Diagram



Medical Bag Weighing



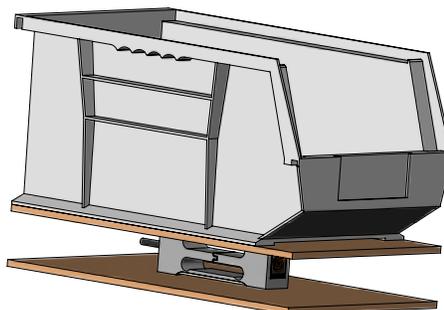
Hopper Weighing



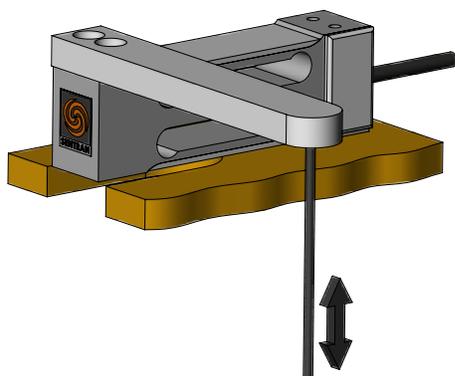
Medical Scale Weighing



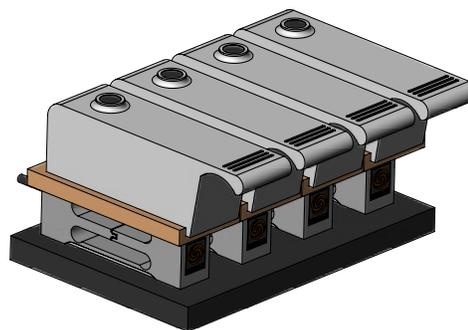
Bin Weighing - Inventory Management



Eccentric and Moment Loading



Life Science - Reservoir Weighing





- In-Line Analog or Serial Transmitter
- Display/Control Instrumentation
- Wireless Operation
- High Temperature Operation (to 400° F)
- Special Cable Lengths
- M Series Connectors
- OEM and Custom Configurations
- Use and Installation Guides

Application Recommendations / Suggestions

- The Y Series Load Cells are designed for compression force measurement applications. These load cells were developed specifically to tolerate unusually high moments resulting from off-center loading in single load cell platform applications. Subsequently, the unique characteristics of this design lend to its adaptation to small hopper applications, monorail scales, belt conveyor scales and packaging machine applications, to name a few. The Y Series unique element geometry delivers exceptional performance and readily tolerates moments induced by angular, eccentric and off-center loading, with minimal sensitivity to these anomalies.
- Y Series load cells are cantilever beams, meaning they are rigidly fixed on a suitable mounting surface on one end and the load is introduced to the opposite end of the beam. The most common loading methods are via a bolt-on platform or bracket.
- For optimum performance the load cell should be securely mounted to a flat, rigid surface. Some Y Series load cells have built-in mounting bosses, while others require spacers that serve to define the beam reaction point and provide clearance for the load cell to deflect freely. Similar provisions are required for the loading end as well.
- Y Series load cells are generally available in relatively low capacity ranges. The advantage is their ability to resolve very low forces. This excellent sensitivity also makes the load cell more susceptible to unintended overloads, often caused by mishandling. Therefore care must be taken when handling, installing and using these load cells to guard against overloading, which in many cases can render the load cell unusable. Some versions incorporate integral overload protection for compression, tension, or both. Commonly, overload protection is incorporated in a given application to protect the load cell from excessive deflection due to static or dynamic force inputs.
- Moment compensated load cells have specific maximums for moment sensitivity and moment tolerance. These published specifications should never be exceeded. Maintaining a center of gravity as close to centerline as possible is always preferable.
- These load cells are designed to be used over the complete range of “no load” (0) up to the rated capacity. For example, 10 lbs. rated capacity Y Series load cells are designed to be used for measurements within the range of 0 to 10 lbs. These load cells can be safely loaded to 150% of rated capacity without affecting the load cell performance within the capacity range.
- The reason for the variety of capacities and configurations is to allow the user to select the most ideal capacity, geometry and sealing level for a given application. The most ideal capacity is one in which at least 80% of the capacity range is utilized at some point in the measurement process, without exceeding the rated capacity. This allows the load cell to deliver the highest signal to load ratio, and therefore the highest resolution and most stable measurement. There are other factors to consider, such as excitation voltage, but correct “sizing” of the load cell is the first step. Both the dead load and the live load need to be considered in determining the gross load and the load cell capacity.
- Contact Sentrant’s expert Applications Specialists for additional professional guidance and technical support documentation.

Commercial Information & Precautions

- Do not exceed specified Maximum Load Limits.
- The Safe Load Limit is the point to which normal loading will not cause the load cell to experience an excessive zero shift or a degradation in performance.
- Use reasonable care when applying load to any load cell. Load limits can be exceeded due to shock loading (i.e. dropping a load onto a load cell), off axis loading, side loading and similar loading conditions that are beyond design capabilities.
- The structural integrity of all load bearing components in any load cell system should be designed with safety redundant load paths. (Overload stops, overhead load arrestors, etc.)
- The surfaces to which the load cell(s) is attached and/or is reacting against must be of sufficient structural integrity to carry loads up to and exceeding the ultimate ratings of the load cell(s) being used, while also taking into account any companion hardware being used in conjunction with the load cell.
- To ensure optimum performance, all measuring system cabling should be run through dedicated conduit when available. Avoid proximity to electrical noise sources and use of “dirty” power sources.
- The load cell cable shield should be connected to a dedicated instrument ground point only.
- Force measurement and weighing applications have numerous application-specific considerations to be addressed both mechanically and electrically. Therefore, installation of all system components are the responsibility of the user and should always be approved by a qualified, professional engineer. Any information provided by Sentran, LLC is intended only as informational and does not constitute a formal recommendation for the use of any product for any application.
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