

# **AVID** K-SWITCH POSITION MONITOR FLAMEPROOF

The K-Switch is a flameproof quarter turn position indicator approved for use in hazardous areas



# **GENERAL APPLICATION**

Provides a 'flameproof' enclosure for position indication and circuit switching in hazardous areas.

The aluminum enclosure and corrosion resistant coatings make the K-Switch an ideal choice to be used in arduous environments.

# TECHNICAL DATA

Temperature range:
-25°C to 85°C / -13°F to 185°F
-20°C to 40°C / -4°F to 104°F (certified)

Agency approvals
Area classification (ATEX/IEC)
EX II 2 G D
EX d IIC T6 Gb
EX tD A21 IP6X
EX tb III CT 85°C Db
Enclosure protection
IEC: IP66/67
ANSI/NEMA 250: Type 4, 4X

Enclosure: Aluminum

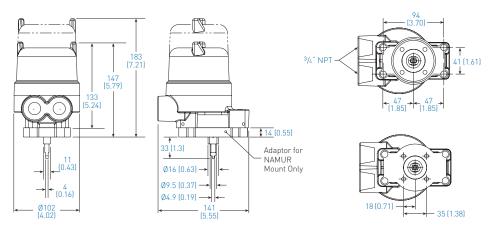
## **FEATURES**

- The position indicator features a high integrity, easily removable enclosure cover.
   The threaded aluminium cover and housing are iridited and coated with a black polyester to provide maximum protection against severe environments.
- Vibration resistant EasiFix Cams provide for easy switch adjustments.
- The enclosed mechanical or proximity switches are prewired to the terminal strip for ease of field wiring connection.
- Dual ¾" NPT conduit entries.
- ModMount mounting pattern is suitable for direct mounting on Keystone or Premiair/ MRP actuators.
- The K-Switch design incorporates an adjustable easy to read, reflective indicator which provides positive visual position indication at distances up to 30 m (100ft).
- Easily adaptable to other quarter-turn actuators utilizing the Namur standards.

#### **SWITCHES**

- 2 or 4 SPDT V3 mechanical switches
- 2 or 4 inductive proximity sensors (NAMUR)
- Two 3-wire DC inductive sensors with LEDs (PNP or NPN)

## **ENCLOSURE DIMENSIONS**



## NOTE

Dimension in mm, imperial dimensions (inches) in parenthesis

Technical specifications	
Enclosure material:	Powder coated aluminium
Conduit entries:	Two conduit entries 3/4" NPT
Terminal strip	10/12 points
Temperature range:	-25°C to +85°C / -13°F to +185°F
	-20°C to +40°C / -4°F to +104°F (certified)
Switch options	Two SPDT V3 mechanical switches
	Two Inductive proximity sensors NAMUR
	Two 3-wire DC inductive sensors with LEDS (PNP or NPN)
Switch/Sensor ratings	SPDT V3 mechanical switches
Electrical version	SPDT Form C normally closed
Electrical rating	15 A @ 125 or 250 V AC
	0.5 A @ 125 V DC
	0.25 A @ 250 V DC
Inductive proximity sensors (Na	AMUR)
Nominal voltage	8 V DC
Output load current	≤ 1 mA (cam trigger present)
	≥ 3 mA (cam trigger absent)
	15 mA maximum
3-Wire DC inductive proximity	sensors with LEDS (PNP/NPN)
Supply voltage	10 - 60 V DC
Output load current	200 mA max
Leakage current	< 10uA
Voltage drop	≤ 2 V DC
Current consumption	15 mA



## **SELECTION GUIDE**

