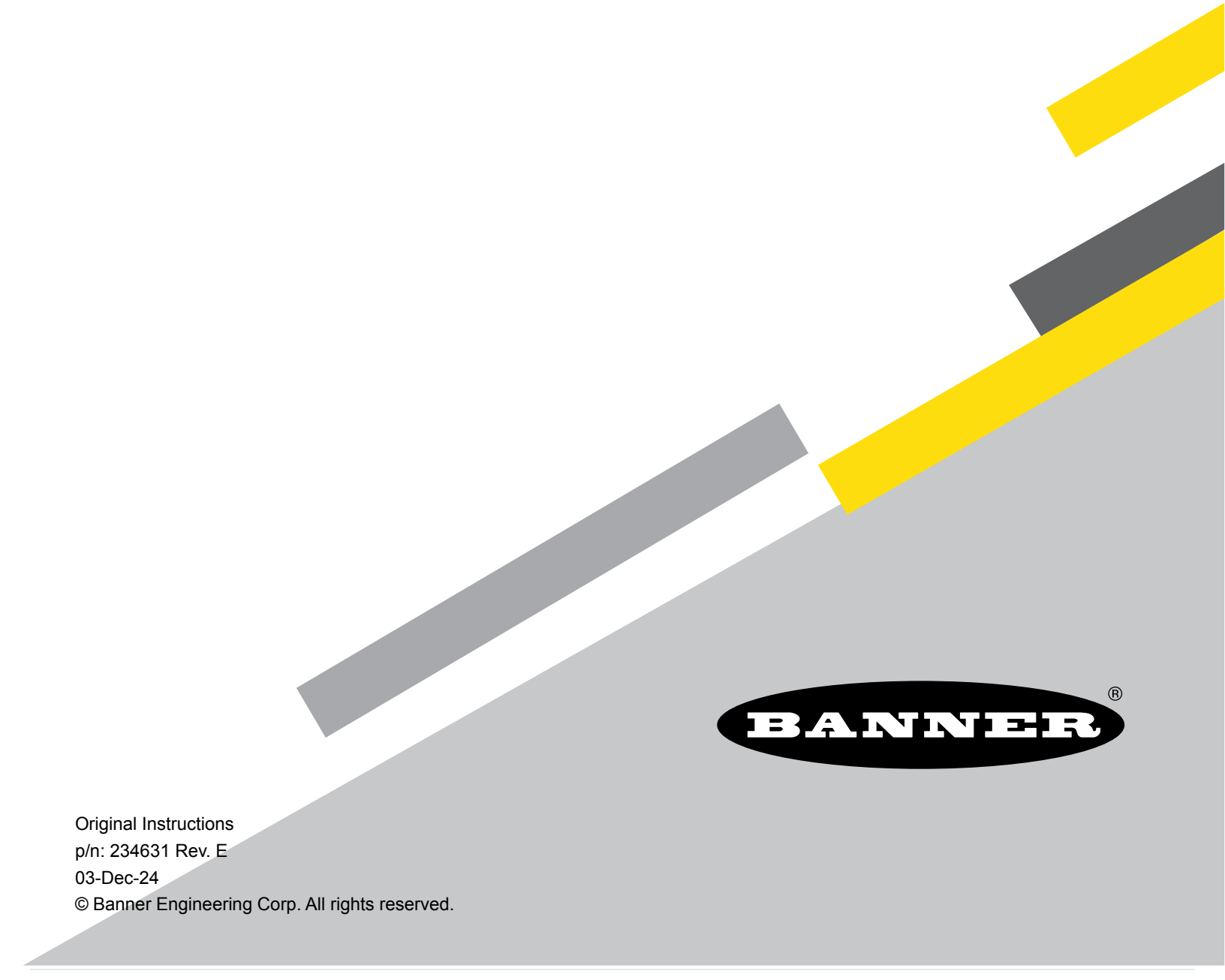
# WLF12 Pro Flexible Multicolor Strip Light Product Manual



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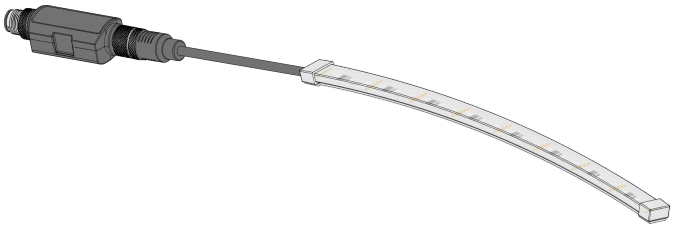
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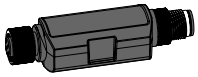
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# Chapter 1 Features

Banner’s WLF12 Pro Flexible Multicolor Strip Light has been engineered to integrate easily into a broad range of industrial applications and environments. Its rugged yet flexible housing can be cut to length, allowing users to customize the light to their ideal shape. The light installs easily with integral high-strength adhesive tape, for creative use on an AGV, machine, or assembly station. The programmable RGB LEDs offer proven durability, a wide range of colors, and animations to fit any indication needs.

- Industrial light with RGB LEDs that provides flexible and bright status indication
- Programmable using Banner's LC25 LED Controller, and controllable using the LC25 LED Controller with IO-Link or LC25 LED Controller with Modbus
- Pro Editor software configuration and LC25 LED Controller gives access to color, flashing, intensity, and animation settings, as well as advanced operating modes for displaying distance, count, time, and position
- All models have an M12 connector for plug-and-play indication
- Low-profile, space-saving design
- Rugged, water-resistant design, suitable for damp location use
- Available in sixth lengths from 300 mm to 3000 mm
- Very high-bonding strength tape pre-applied to the back of the light to mount the WLF12 without mounting brackets
- Optional brackets are available for an even more secure installation and positioning
- Both straight and curved installation possible





To connect the light to Banner's Pro Editor Software, use with the LC25C-WLF12-RGB7Q controller.
To connect the light to an IO-Link master, use with the LC25C-WLF12-KQ controller.
To connect the light to a Modbus master, use with the LC25-WLF12-SQ controller.
For more information, refer to the LC25 LED Controller datasheet, p/n 234627.

**IMPORTANT:** Read the following instructions before operating the light. Please download the complete WLF12 Pro Flexible Multicolor Strip Light technical documentation, available in multiple languages, from www.bannerengineering.com for details on the proper use, applications, Warnings, and installation instructions of this device.


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# Pro Editor




Use Banner's Pro Editor software and Pro Converter Cable to create custom configurations by selecting different colors, flash patterns, and animations.
For more information visit www.bannerengineering.com/proeditor.

**IMPORTANT:** The WLF12 needs an LC25C-WLF12-RGB7Q to connect to the Pro Editor software.

# Models

*Model Key*

| Family | Style | Cascade | Color | Lighted Length (mm) | Construction | Connector[1] |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **WLF12** | **P** | **X** | **RGB** | **300** | **S** | **QP** |
| WLF12 | P = Pro | X = Non-cascadable | RGB = RGB Multicolor | 300 = 300 mm | S = Sealed (IP66, IP67, IP69K per ISO 20653) | QP = 150 mm (6 in) PVC-jacketed cable with a 4-pin M12 male quick-disconnect connector |
| | | | | 600 = 600 mm | | |
| | | | | 900 = 900 mm | | |
| | | | | 1200 = 1200 mm | | |
| | | | | 2000 = 2000 mm | | |
| | | | | 3000 = 3000 mm | | |

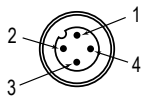
[1] Models with a quick-disconnect connector require a mating cordset.


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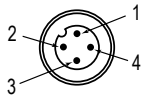
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## WLF12 Wiring

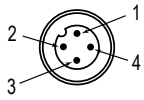
| 4-pin Male M12 Pinout | Pinout Key and Wiring |
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|  | 1. Brown - 12 V DC<br>2. White - BI<br>3. Blue - DC Common<br>4. Black - DI |

## LC25 with WLF12 Wiring[1]

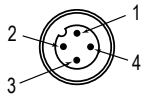
*LED Controller Wiring*

| 4-pin Male M12 Pinout | Pinout Key and Wiring [2] |
|---|---|
|  | 1. Brown - Input 1: 12 V DC to 30 V DC<br>2. White - Input 3: 12 V DC to 30 V DC<br>3. Blue - DC Common<br>4. Black - Input 2: 12 V DC to 30 V DC |

*LED Controller with IO-Link Wiring*

| 4-pin Male M12 Pinout | Pinout Key and Wiring |
|---|---|
|  | 1. Brown - 18 V DC to 30 V DC<br>2. White - Not used<br>3. Blue - DC Common<br>4. Black - IO-Link Communication |

*LED Controller with Modbus Wiring*

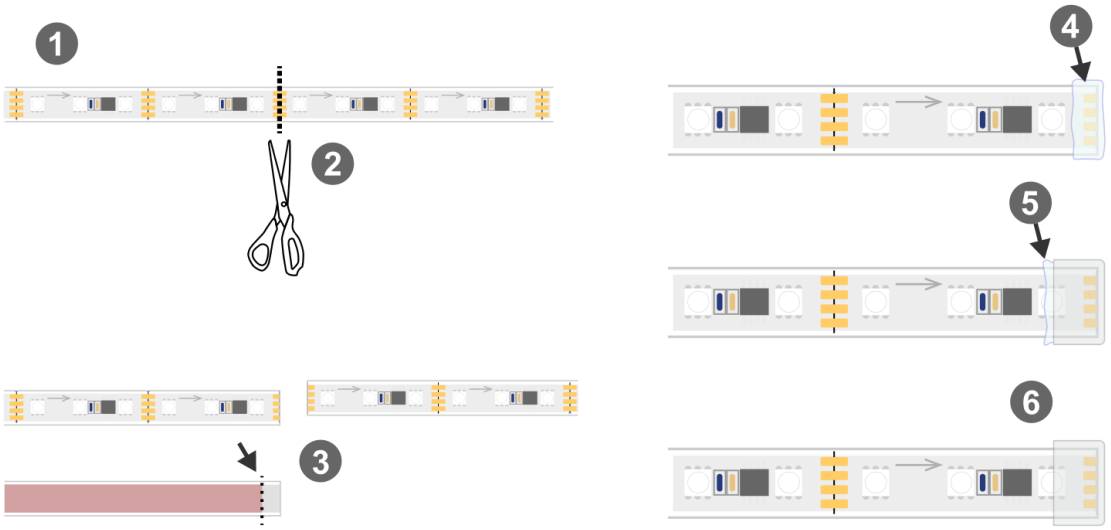
| 4-pin Male M12 Pinout | Pinout Key and Wiring |
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|  | 1. Brown - 12 V DC to 30 V DC<br>2. White - RS-485 (+)<br>3. Blue - DC Common<br>4. Black - RS-485 (-) |

[1] Contact the factory for instructions on how to use a WLF12 without an LC25.
[2] Input functionality can change depending on the configuration created with Pro Editor. Refer to wiring diagrams in the selected mode in Pro Editor.


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# Chapter 3 Cutting Instructions




1. Prepare the flexible LED strip light and remove power.
2. Cut along one of the cutting lines located between each section of three LEDs that are spaced every 50 mm.
3. Peel back part of the tape on the back, and trim it off.
4. Cover the cut end of the light with silicone glue.
5. Take the extra supplied silicone end cap, and put it on the end of the light. Press out excess glue.
6. Clean the light of the excess glue.
7. Allow twenty-four hours for the glue to dry.
8. Perform a remote teach operation, if applicable, or set the new number of sections of light through software using the LC25 LED Controller.

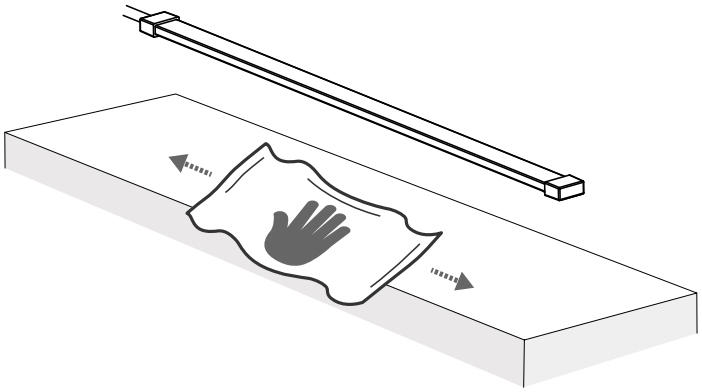

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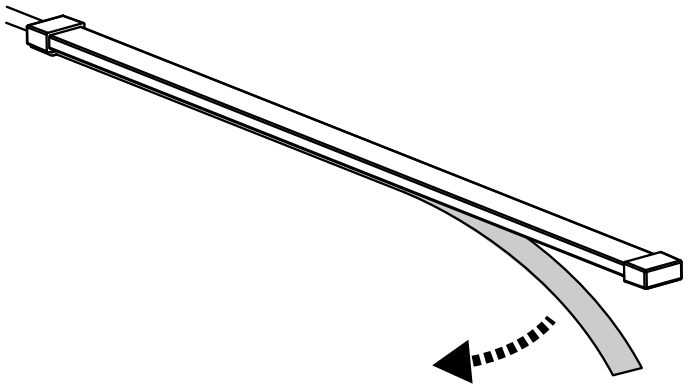
# Chapter 4 Mounting Instructions

Before installation: gather all supporting parts and accessories and remove power from the light.

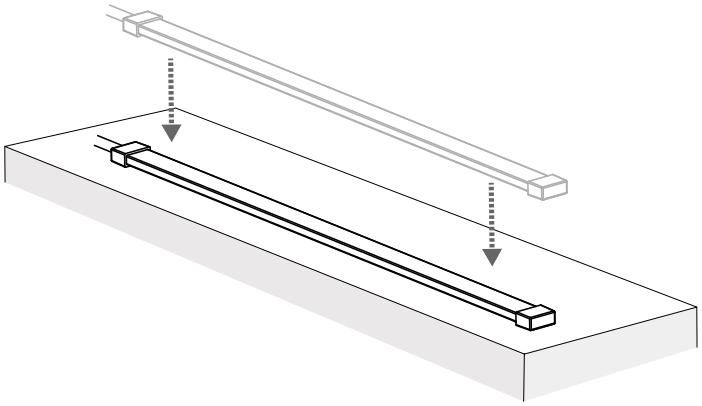
1. Clean the mounting surface. Ensure that the mounting surface and all other mounting installation parts are dry.



2. Remove the protective liner from the tape on the back of the light strip.



3. Align the light strip in the desired installation position, and press the light strip firmly onto the mounting surface.
   After installing the light strip, wait twenty-four hours for the tape to adhere completely to the mounting surface. Do not touch or move the light strip during this time period.



4. Connect the light strip to the controller.
5. Connect the controller to the control device.


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6. Confirm that the installation is fastened, the wiring is correct, and that the waterproof connecting wire for docking is tightened.
7. Apply power to the light and the controller.


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# Chapter 5 Specifications

**Supply Voltage**

Input voltage without a controller: 12 V DC (±10%)

Input voltage with LC25 LED Controller: 12 V DC to 30 V DC

Input voltage with LC25 LED Controller with Modbus: 12 V DC to 30 V DC

Input voltage with LC25 LED Controller with IO-Link: 18 V DC to 30 V DC

Use only with a suitable Class 2 power supply (UL) or SELV power supply (CE)

**NOTICE:** The WLF12 is designed to be used with an LC25 and must be no more than 3.05 m (10 ft) apart. Contact the factory for instructions on how to use a WLF12 without an LC25.

**WARNING:** The WLF12 will be permanently damaged if a supply voltage of greater than 12 V DC is applied directly to the light.

**Supply Current**

| Light Length | WLF12 Only Typical Current (A) | WLF12 + LC25 Typical (A) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 12 V DC | 12 V DC | 18 V DC | 24 V DC | 30 V DC |
| 300 mm | 0.195 | 0.225 | 0.17 | 0.135 | 0.115 |
| 600 mm | 0.39 | 0.42 | 0.31 | 0.24 | 0.2 |
| 900 mm | 0.585 | 0.615 | 0.45 | 0.345 | 0.285 |
| 1200 mm | 0.78 | 0.81 | 0.59 | 0.45 | 0.37 |
| 2000 mm | 1.3 | 1.33 | 0.965 | 0.73 | 0.6 |
| 3000 mm | 1.95 | 1 | 0.8 | 0.65 | 0.5 |

**NOTE:** The supply current values are reduced for the 3000 mm model with an LC25. See the Application Notes specification.

**Supply Protection Circuitry**

When a WLF12 is paired with an LC25, it is protected against reverse polarity and transient voltages

See electrical characteristics on product label

**Connections**

150 mm (6 in) PVC-jacketed cable with a 4-pin M12 male quick-disconnect connector

Models with a quick-disconnect require a mating cordset

Do not spray cable with high-pressure sprayer or cable damage will result.

**Operating Temperature**

–20 °C to +45 °C (–4 °F to +113 °F)

**Storage Temperature**

–35 °C to +70 °C (–31 °F to +158 °F)

**Environmental Rating**

Rated IP66, IP67, IP69K per ISO 20653

Suitable for damp locations per UL 2108

Do not spray cable with a high-pressure sprayer or cable damage will result.

**Vibration and Mechanical Shock**

Vibration: 10 Hz to 55 Hz, 1.0 mm peak-to-peak amplitude per IEC 60068-2-6

Shock: 15G 11 ms duration, half sine wave per IEC 60068-2-27

**Construction**

Clear silicone outer housing and end caps

Internally silicone-encapsulated LEDs

Very high-bonding strength tape and protective liner pre-applied to the back of the light

**Application Notes**

When cutting the WLF12, it is important to use the extra end cap supplied along with silicone glue. See "Cutting Instructions" on page 6. Cutting the WLF12 voids the Limited Warranty.

Multiple WLF12s can be connected with a splitter cable to a single LC25. Note that each WLF12 displays the same color and animation settings. Do not connect more than 2000 mm (78.74 in) in total length to an LC25.

For applications with a single 3000 mm (118.11 in) light connected to an LC25, the LED intensity is lower. See the table in the Light Characteristics specification.

For indoor or outdoor use, if exposure to direct sunlight is avoided.

Do not use in application with repeated flexing.

**Minimum Bend Radius**

15 mm


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### Required Overcurrent Protection

**WARNING:** Electrical connections must be made by qualified personnel in accordance with local and national electrical codes and regulations.

Overcurrent protection is required to be provided by end product application per the supplied table.

Overcurrent protection may be provided with external fusing or via Current Limiting, Class 2 Power Supply.

Supply wiring leads < 24 AWG shall not be spliced.

For additional product support, go to www.bannerengineering.com.

| Supply Wiring (AWG) | Required Overcurrent Protection (A) | Supply Wiring (AWG) | Required Overcurrent Protection (A) |
|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | 5.0 | 26 | 1.0 |
| 22 | 3.0 | 28 | 0.8 |

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| Supply Wiring (AWG) | Required Overcurrent Protection (A) | Supply Wiring (AWG) | Required Overcurrent Protection (A) |
|---|---|---|---|
| 24 | 1.0 | 30 | 0.5 |

### Mounting

Use pre-applied, very high-bonding strength tape to mount the WLF12 without mounting brackets, see "Mounting Instructions" on page 7

If needed, use mounting bracket LMBWLF12C, see "Mounting Accessories" on page 13

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### Light Characteristics

Sections of three LEDs can be individually controlled at a time
LED Pitch: 16.67 mm
Beam Angle: 120°
RGB LED PWM Frequency: 2 kHz

| Color | Dominant Wavelength (nm) or Color Temperature (CCT) | Color Coordinates[1] | | Lumens at Specified Length (Typical at 25 °C) | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | X | Y | 300 mm | 600 mm | 900 mm | 1200 mm | 2000 mm | 3000 mm[2] |
| Daylight White | 5000K | 0.345 | 0.352 | 85 | 170 | 255 | 340 | 565 | 400 |
| Incandescent White | 2700K | 0.46 | 0.411 | 70 | 140 | 210 | 280 | 465 | 400 |
| Warm White | 3000K | 0.44 | 0.404 | 75 | 150 | 225 | 300 | 500 | 400 |
| Fluorescent Light | 4100K | 0.376 | 0.374 | 90 | 180 | 270 | 360 | 600 | 400 |
| Neutral White | 5700K | 0.328 | 0.337 | 85 | 170 | 255 | 340 | 565 | 400 |
| Cool White | 6500K | 0.314 | 0.324 | 85 | 170 | 255 | 340 | 565 | 400 |
| Green | 520 | 0.144 | 0.703 | 55 | 110 | 165 | 220 | 365 | 550 |
| Red | 618 | 0.686 | 0.312 | 30 | 60 | 90 | 120 | 200 | 300 |
| Yellow | 575 | 0.45 | 0.482 | 80 | 160 | 240 | 320 | 530 | 450 |
| Blue | 464 | 0.142 | 0.044 | 10 | 20 | 30 | 40 | 65 | 100 |
| Magenta | - | 0.363 | 0.162 | 35 | 70 | 105 | 140 | 230 | 250 |
| Cyan | 494 | 0.143 | 0.365 | 60 | 120 | 180 | 240 | 400 | 450 |
| Amber | 590 | 0.543 | 0.415 | 55 | 110 | 165 | 220 | 365 | 400 |
| Rose | - | 0.529 | 0.234 | 30 | 60 | 90 | 120 | 200 | 300 |
| Lime Green | 561 | 0.367 | 0.542 | 75 | 150 | 225 | 300 | 500 | 500 |
| Orange | 603 | 0.62 | 0.36 | 40 | 80 | 120 | 160 | 265 | 350 |
| Sky Blue | 487 | 0.143 | 0.26 | 65 | 130 | 195 | 260 | 430 | 400 |
| Violet | - | 0.18 | 0.076 | 20 | 40 | 60 | 80 | 130 | 150 |
| Spring Green | 509 | 0.144 | 0.66 | 60 | 120 | 180 | 240 | 400 | 600 |

# FCC Part 15 Class A for Unintentional Radiators

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

(Part 15.21) Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

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[1] Refer to the CIE 1931 (x,y) Chromaticity Diagram to show equivalent color with indicated color coordinates. Actual coordinates may differ ± 5%.
[2] The lumen values are reduced for the 3000 model with an LC25. See the Application Notes specification.

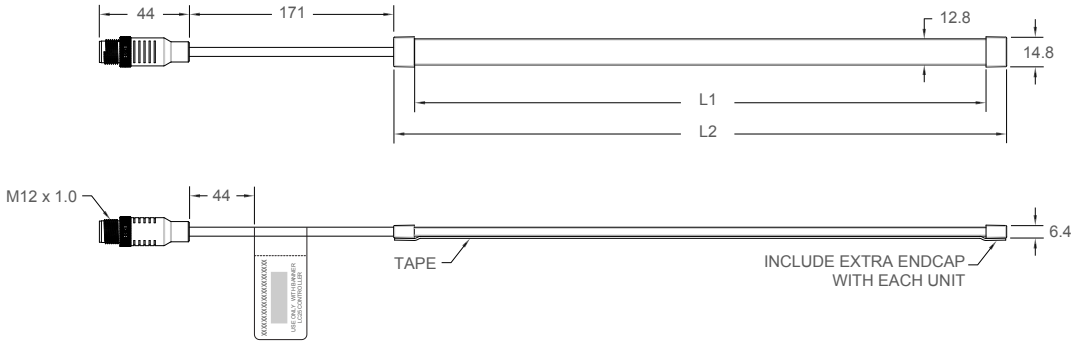

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# Industry Canada ICES-003(A)

This device complies with CAN ICES-3 (A)/NMB-3(A). Operation is subject to the following two conditions: 1) This device may not cause harmful interference; and 2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Cet appareil est conforme à la norme NMB-3(A). Le fonctionnement est soumis aux deux conditions suivantes : (1) ce dispositif ne peut pas occasionner d'interférences, et (2) il doit tolérer toute interférence, y compris celles susceptibles de provoquer un fonctionnement non souhaité du dispositif.

# Dimensions




| Models | L1 | L2 |
|---|---|---|
| WLF12..300.. | 300 mm (11.81 in) | 325 mm (12.8 in) |
| WLF12..600.. | 600 mm (23.6 in) | 625 mm (24.61 in) |
| WLF12..900.. | 900 mm (35.43 in) | 925 mm (36.42 in) |
| WLF12..1200.. | 1200 mm (47.24 in) | 1225 mm (48.23 in) |
| WLF12..2000.. | 2000 mm (78.74 in) | 2025 mm (79.72 in) |
| WLF12..3000.. | 3000 mm (118.11 in) | 3025 mm (119.09 in) |


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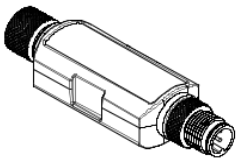
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## LC25 LED Controllers

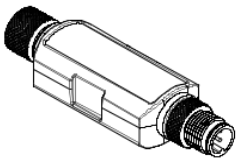
**LC25C-WLF12-RGB7Q**

- In-line LC25 LED Controller with M12 connectors
- Pro Editor software configuration and three discrete inputs gives access to color, flashing, intensity, and animation settings, as well as advanced operating modes for displaying distance, count, time and position



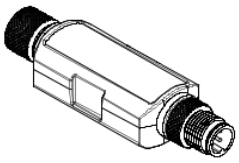
**LC25C-WLF12-KQ**

- In-line LC25 LED Controller with IO-Link and M12 connectors
- IO-Link gives full access to LED control, color, flashing, intensity, and animation settings, as well as advanced level, gauge, and segment operating modes



**LC25C-WLF12-SQ**

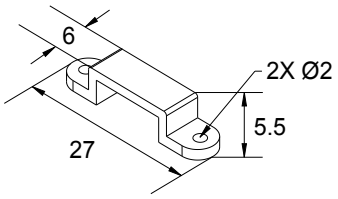
- In-line LC25 LED Controller with Modbus and M12 connectors
- Modbus gives full access to LED control, color, flashing, intensity, and animation settings, as well as advanced level, gauge, and segment operating modes



## Mounting Accessories

**LMBWLF12C**

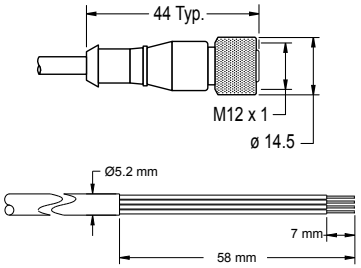
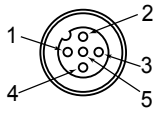
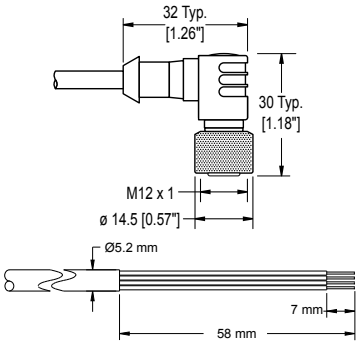
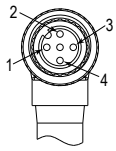
- Set of 10 clamp brackets
- Translucent silicone
- Designed for M3 or No. 4 mounting hardware

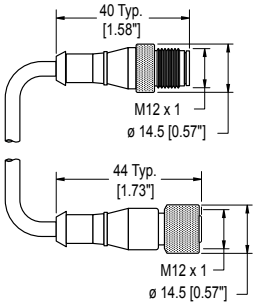
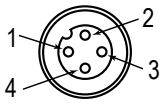
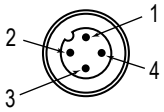




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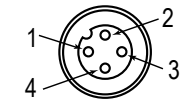
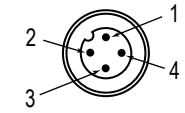
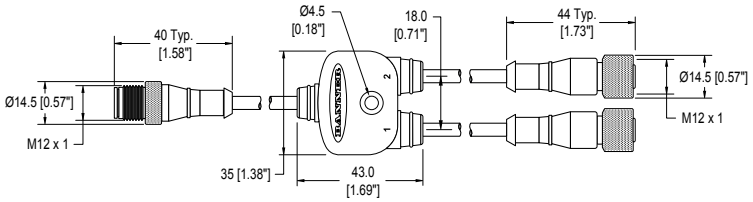
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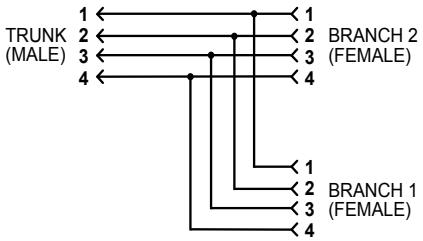
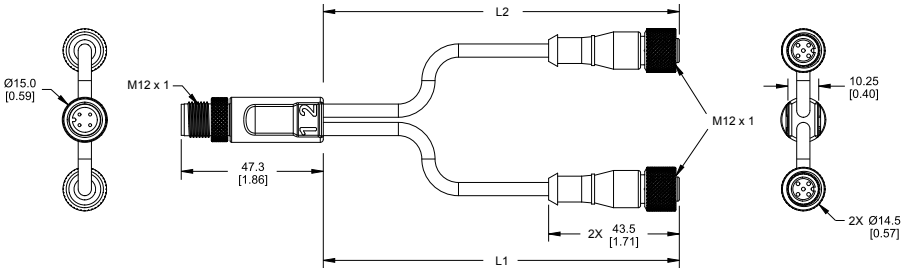
| 4-Pin Threaded M12 Cordsets—Single Ended | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Model** | **Length** | **Style** | **Dimensions** | **Pinout (Female)** | |
| **MQDC-403** | 1 m (3.28 ft) | Straight |  |  | 1 = Brown<br>2 = White<br>3 = Blue<br>4 = Black<br>5 = Unused |
| **MQDC-406** | 2 m (6.56 ft) | | | | |
| **MQDC-410** | 3 m (9.8 ft) | | | | |
| **MQDC-406RA** | 2 m (6.56 ft) | Right-Angle |  |  | |

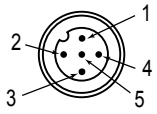
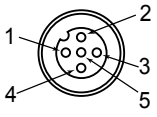
| 4-Pin Threaded M12 Cordsets—Double Ended | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Model** | **Length** | **Style** | **Dimensions** | **Pinout** |
| **MQDEC-401SS** | 0.31 m (1 ft) | Male Straight/<br>Female Straight |  | Female<br><br>Male<br><br>1 = Brown<br>2 = White<br>3 = Blue<br>4 = Black |
| **MQDC-402SS** | 0.6 m (1.97 ft) | | | |
| **MQDC-403SS** | 0.91 m (2.99 ft) | | | |
| **MQDC-406SS** | 1.83 m (6 ft) | | | |
| **MQDEC-410SS** | 3 m (9.4 ft) | | | |


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# Splitter Cordsets

| 4-Pin Threaded M12 Splitter Cordsets—Flat Junction | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Model** | **Branches (Female)** | **Trunk (Male)** | **Pinout** |
| **CSB-M1240M1240** | No branch | No trunk | Female   Male   1 = Brown<br>2 = White<br>3 = Blue<br>4 = Black |
| **CSB-M1240M1241** | 2 × 0.3 m (1 ft) | No trunk | |
| **CSB-M1241M1241** | | 0.30 m (1 ft) | |
| **CSB-M1243M12413** | 2 × 1 m (3.28 ft) | 1 m (3.28 ft) | |
| **CSB-M1248M1241** | 2 × 0.3 m (1 ft) | 2.44 m (8 ft) | |
|   | | | |

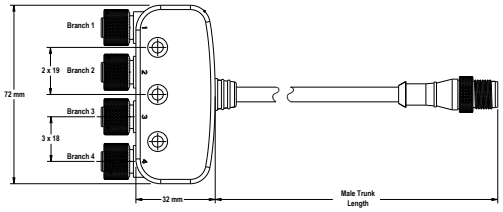
| 4-Pin M12 Male to 5-Pin M12 Female Splitter Cordset | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Model** | **Branches (Female)** | **Wiring** |
| **S15YB-M124-M124-0.2M** | **L1, L2**<br>2 × 0.2 m (7.9 in) |   |
|   | | |

| 5-Pin Double-Ended M12 Female to M12 Male Flat Junction Splitter Cordsets | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Model** | **Description** | **Pinout (Male)** | **Pinout (Female)** |
| **CSB4-M1251M1250** | Four (no cable) 5-pin M12 female quick-disconnect connectors<br><br>One 0.3 m (0.98 ft) cable with a 5-pin M12 male quick-disconnect connector<br><br>Parallel wiring |   |   |

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| 5-Pin Double-Ended M12 Female to M12 Male Flat Junction Splitter Cordsets | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Model** | **Description** | **Pinout (Male)** | **Pinout (Female)** |
| |  | 1 = Brown<br>2 = White<br>3 = Blue<br>4 = Black<br>5 = Gray | 1 = Brown<br>2 = White<br>3 = Blue<br>4 = Black<br>5 = Gray |


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