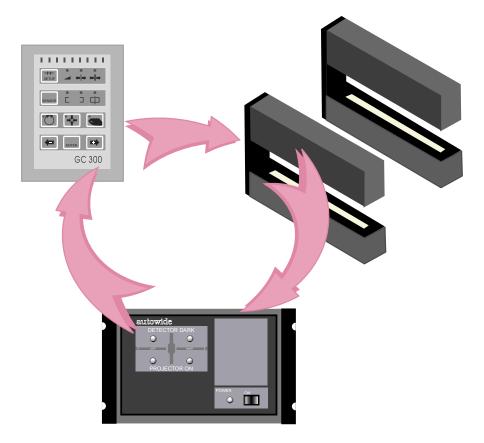


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# WEB GUIDE SENSOR SYSTEM with GC300 Web Guide Controller AWL280 Sensors AS10-D Amplifier

INSTALLATION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE GUIDE



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# **CAUTION**

Read this manual carefully before installation and operation.

Follow Nexen's instructions and integrate this unit into your system with care.

This unit should be installed, operated and maintained by qualified personnel ONLY.

Improper installation can cause an interruption in service.

Comply with all applicable codes.

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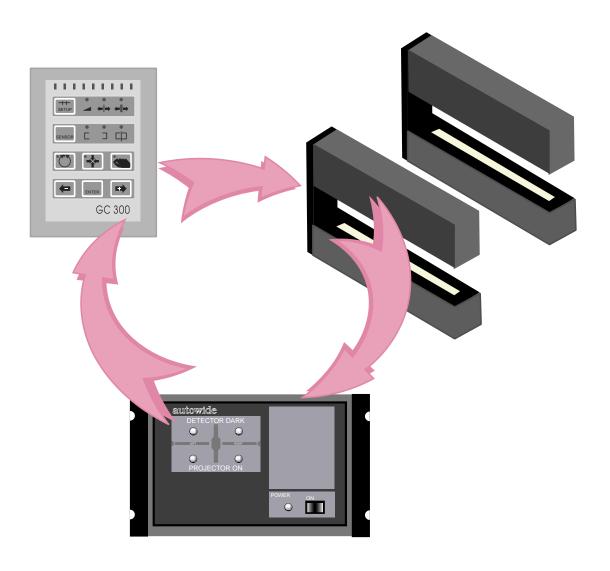
# INTRODUCTION

Nexen's Web Guide Sensor System is used for web control applications. The Web Guide Sensor System consists of two AWL280 Sensors, an AS10-D Amplifier and a GC300 Web Controller.

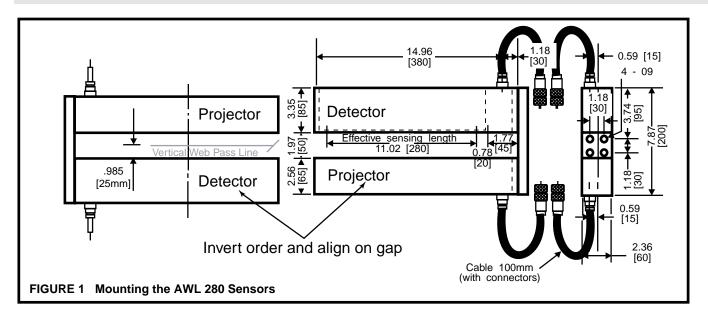
The AWL280 Sensors are placed at opposite edges of the web and work in tandem to track the position of the web. The AWL280 Sensors send an infrared light from the projector housing across a gap to the detector housing. A web passing through the gap blocks the light. The electrical output signal from the sensor to the AS10-D Amplifier will change in response to the changes in the infrared light.

The ASD10-D Amplifier is the excitation signal for the sensors. The ASD10-D Amplifier also conditions the sensor output for transmission to the GC300 Web Guide Controller. The sensors transmit data to the GC300 Web Guide Controller which in turn, generates a control output signal. This control output signal moves a mechanical element (e.g., roll stand, guide roll steering mechanism) which keeps the center of the web at the center line of the machine. This type of closed-loop web guiding is called "Center Guiding" or "Center Position Control" (CPC).

NOTE: The AS10-D amplifier's output voltage is designed specifically to match the inputs to Nexen's GC300 Web Guide Controller. If you use a controller other than the GC300 Web Guide Controller, please verify that your controller matches the AS10-D Amplifier's output voltage range of 0-200mVDC.

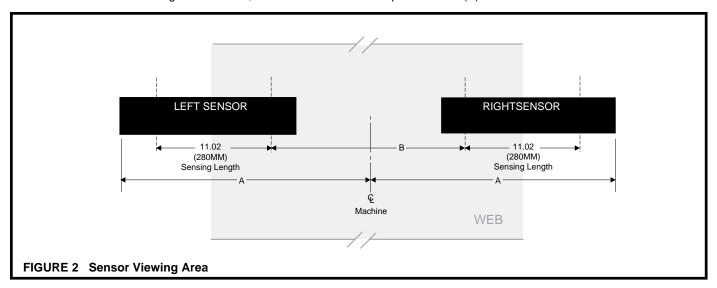


# SENSOR INSTALLATION

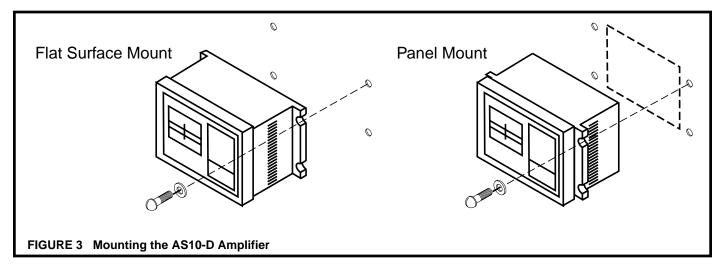


NOTE: Refer to Figures 1 and 2.

- Install the two AWL280 Sensors in inverted order to each other; one sensor with the projector side up and one sensor with the detector side up. Because the detector housing is larger (3.35 inches / 85 mm) than the projector housing (2.56 inches/ 65 mm), the sensor with the detector side up will sit higher than the sensor with the projector side up.
- 2. The web must be centered on both the vertical and horizontal plane. Center the web on the vertical plane at the vertical web pass line between the projector and detector (.985 inch [25 mm]). Center the web on the horizontal plane between the left and right sensor.
- 3. The projector and detector housings may be removed from the steel bar and mounted separately if your application requires a gap that is wider than 1.978 [50] or if the sides must be open. The housings must be aligned both vertically and horizontally when mounted separately. The gap from the projector lens to the detector lens must not exceed 10 inches [250 mm].
- 4. The sensing length in the sensor window measures 11.02 inches [280 mm]. This sensing length is indicated by arrows that are located on either side of the sensor window. However, for the most effective use of this sensing area, the web should not extend to the full outer edge of the sensing length. The optimum width of the web is 1/2 of the total sensing area of 22.04 inches plus "B" (which is 11.02 inches [280 mm] plus "B"). The web width should not exceed 22.04 inches plus "B" nor should the web width fall below the width of "B". Mount the sensors so that the maximum and minimum web widths fall within this range. In addition, mount each sensor an equal distance (A) from the center line of the machine.



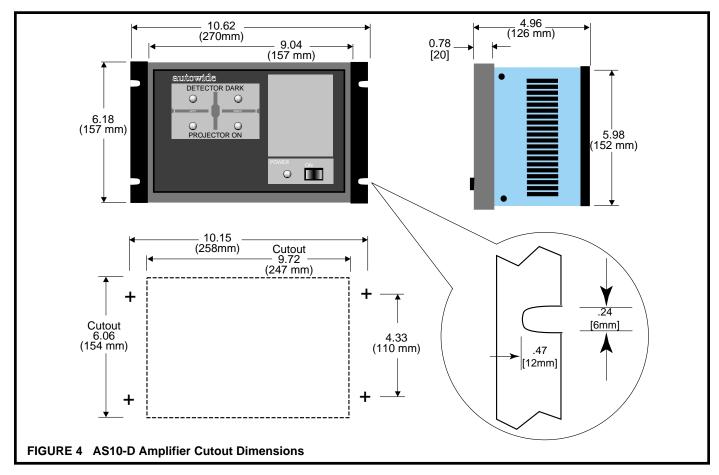
# **AMPLIFIER INSTALLATION**



1. Mount the AS10-D Amplifier on either a flat surface or in a panel. To mount the AS10-D Amplifier in a panel, position the mounting brackets to the front of the amplifier. To mount the AS10-D Amplifier on a flat surface, position the mounting brackets to the rear of the amplifier (default).

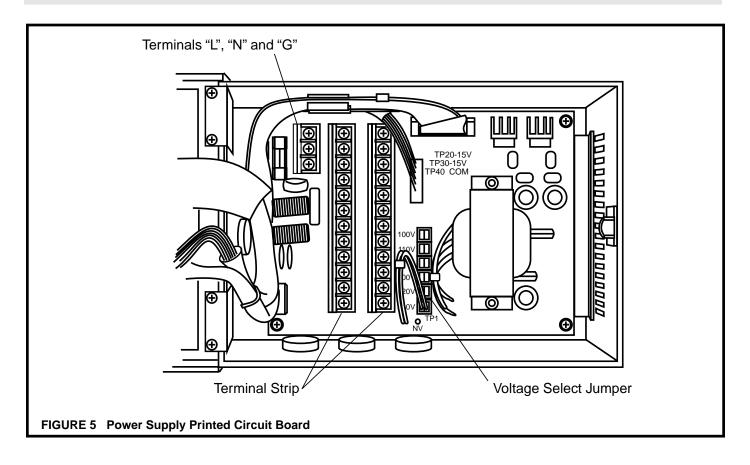
# **CAUTION**

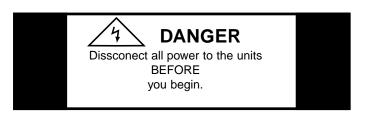
Mount the AS10-D Amplifier in a dry, dust free, shock and vibration free area with an ambient temperature greater than 32° F [0° C] but less than  $122^{\circ}$  F [50° C].



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# **ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS**





# **CAUTION**

Verify that the voltage select jumper on the power supply is set to match the voltage supplied to Terminals "L" and "N".

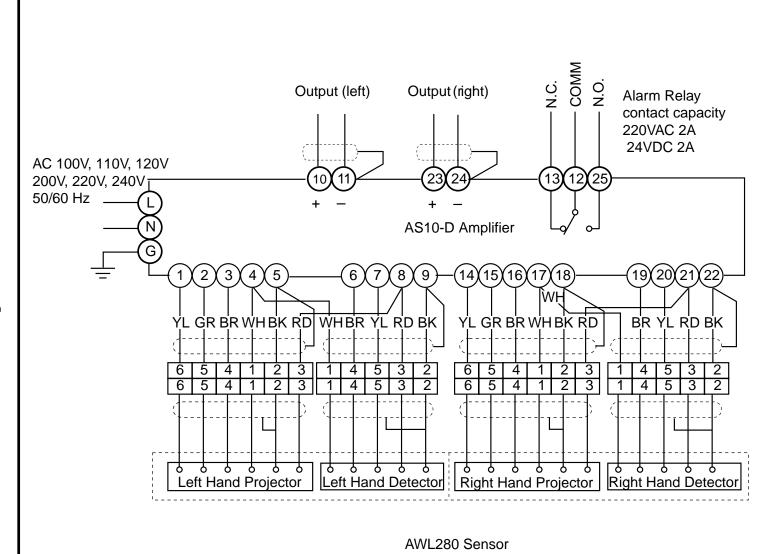
# Disconnect all power to the units BEFORE you begin.

NOTE: Refer to Figures 5 and 6.

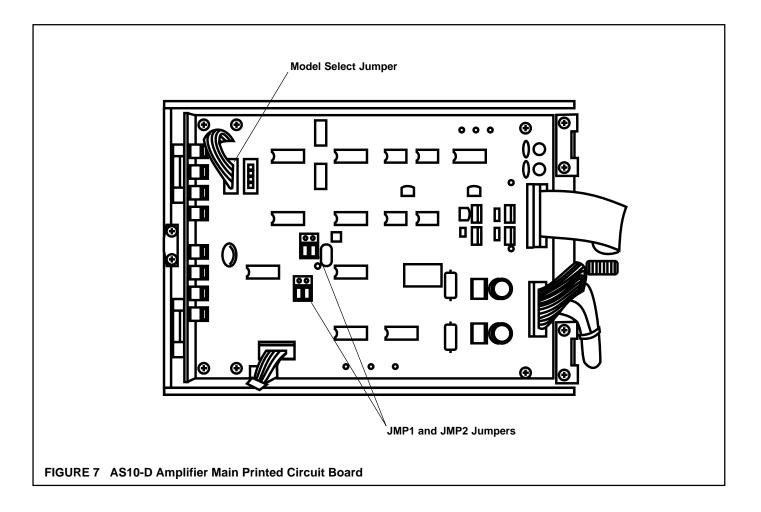
Use the 16 foot (5 meter) cables that are shipped with the sensors to connect the AWL 280 Sensors to the AS10-D
Amplifier. The quick disconnect plugs on the AWL Sensor's Projector and Detector have different connectors. The terminal
end of the Projector cable has a six pin connector. The Detector cable has a five pin connector.

NOTE: To avoid overlapping or mixing up the left and right cables, Nexen recommends that you connect one side (left or right) at a time.

- 2. Connect your 50/60 Hz / Single Phase 100, 110 or 120 volt power source to terminals "L" and "N". A power source that is 50/60 Hz / Single Phase with either 200, 220 or 240 volt will have "L1" and "L2" lines which will connect to terminals "L" and "N". Find the voltage select jumper that is located on the power supply printed circuit board and set the voltage select jumper to match the voltage of your power source. Connect a low resistance earth ground to terminal "G"
- 3. Connect the AS10-D amplifier terminals "10", "11", "23" and "24" (See Fig. 6) to the GC300 Web Guide Controller (refer to the GC300 Web Guide Controller manual, # 20331).
- 4. The alarm relay changes state when the sensor lens becomes dirty and needs to be cleaned. Wire the alarm relay terminal "25" for Normally Open (N.O.) and terminal "13" for Normally Closed (N.C.). The contacts are rated at 2 amp at 240 VAC or 2 amp at 24 VDC. Refer to the *Calibration* section to calibrate the sensitivity level of the alarm relay.



# **CONFIGURATION**



NOTE: Refer to Figure 7

1. Set the model select jumper to left postion for the AWL280 sensors.

2. Set jumpers "JMP1" and "JMP2" to the lower position for the AWL280 sensors.

Refer to figures 8, 9, 10 and 11.

### Left Hand Calibration

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### LEFT HAND SENSOR CALIBRATION.

Use an opaque sheet of material to completely block light projection from the projector to the detector of the left sensor (see Fig 8).

Connect the negative lead of a DMM to the "COM" test pin on the main printed circuit board. Connect the positive lead to the "OUT-L" test pin on the main printed circuit board (See Fig. 9).



Adjust the "BIAS-L" trim pot until the DMM indicates +200 ± 5mV (See Fig. 11).

Remove opaque material.



Adjust the "GAIN-L" trim pot until the DMM indicates  $0 \pm 5$ mV (See Fig. 11).

If you can not achieve  $0 \pm 5 \text{mV}$  DC, then increase the intensity of the projector LEDs by adjusting the LED-L trim pot  $\bigcirc$  clockwise until  $0 \pm 5 \text{mV}$  is achieved and then recheck the sensor calibration.

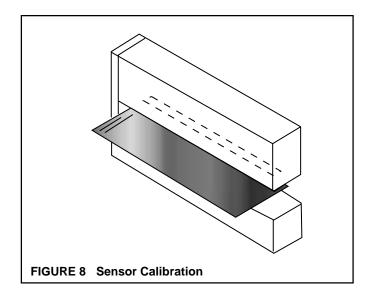
NOTE: If your web application has required that you increase the gap beyond the standard 1.95 [50 mm], then you may need to increase the intensity of the projector LEDs in order to achieve  $0 \pm 5$ mV DC.

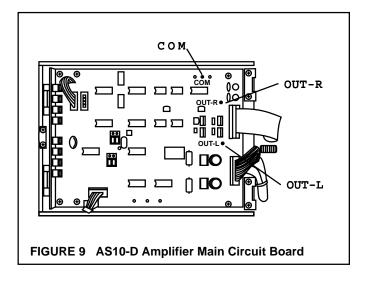
# LEFT HAND SENSOR ALARM CIRCUIT ADJUSTMENT.

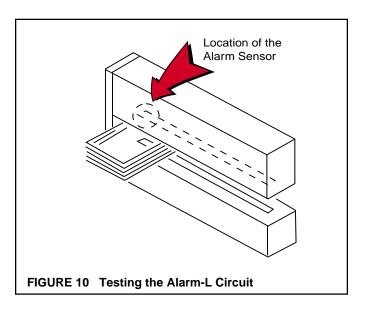
- Turn the "ALARM-L" trim pot fully counter clockwise. The left LED on AS10-D front panel that is labeled "Detector Dark" will turn "Off"
- Turn the "ALARM-L" trim pot clockwise until the LED comes "ON".
- Turn the "ALARM-L" trim pot counter clockwise slowly and stop when the LED goes out.

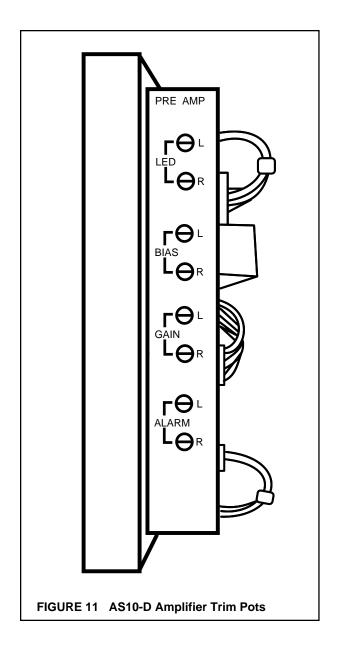
To test the circuit, insert four or five sheets of clear film about 2 inches [50 mm] wide into the alarm sensor's light path (See Fig. 10). The left LED on AS10-D front panel that is labeled "Detector Dark" will turn "ON".

# **CALIBRATION** (continued)









Refer to figures 8, 9, 10 and 11.

# **Right Hand Calibration**

### RIGHT HAND SENSOR CALIBRATION.

Use an opaque sheet of material to completely block light projection from the projector to the detector of the right sensor (see Fig 8).

Connect the negative lead of a DMM to the "COM" test pin on the main printed circuit board. Connect the positive lead to the "OUT-R" test pin on the main printed circuit board (See Fig. 9).



Adjust the "BIAS-R" trim pot until the DMM indicates  $+200 \pm 5$ mV (See Fig. 11).

Remove opaque material.



Adjust the "GAIN-R" trim pot until the DMM indicates  $0 \pm 5$ mV (See Fig. 11).

If you can not achieve  $0 \pm 5 \text{mV}$  DC, then increase the intensity of the projector LEDs by adjusting the LED-R trim pot  $\bigcirc$  clockwise until  $0 \pm 5 \text{mV}$  is achieved and then recheck the sensor calibration.

NOTE: If your web application has required that you increase the gap beyond the standard 1.95 [50 mm], then you may need to increase the intensity of the projector LEDs in order to achieve  $0 \pm 5$ mV DC.

# Right HAND SENSOR ALARM CIRCUIT ADJUSTMENT.

- Turn the "ALARM-R" trim pot fully counter clockwise. The right LED on AS10-D front panel that is labeled "Detector Dark" will turn "Off"
- Turn the "ALARM-R" trim pot clockwise until the LED comes "ON".
- **O** Turn the "ALARM-R" trim pot counter clockwise slowly and stop when the LED goes out.

To test the circuit, insert four or five sheets of clear film about 2 inches [50 mm] wide into the alarm sensor's light path (See Fig. 10). The right LED on AS10-D front panel that is labeled "Detector Dark" will turn "ON".

# **MAINTENANCE**

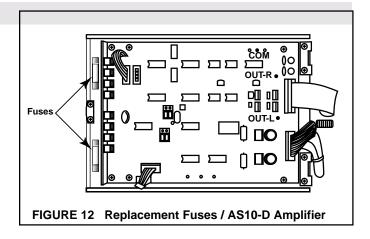
# AS10-D Amplifier

The AS10-D Amplifier is shipped with two replacement AGC1, fast blowing, 250V, 1A fuses. The replacement fuses are located to the left of the main printed circut board (See Fig.12).

## AWL280 Sensors

The sensor's detection sensitivity is reduced when paper dust or other material gathers on the lens of the AWL280 Sensor. The sensor alarm relay changes state and the LED on AS10-D front panel that is labeled "Detector Dark" will turn "ON". Gently wipe the dust from the surface of the lens and take care not to scratch the lens surface. See Figure 6 for wiring information. Refer to the *Calibration* section for setup.

GC300 Web Guide Controller Refer to the *GC300 Web Guide Controller* guide.



# REPLACMENT PARTS

Detector Cable (AWL280)	9
Projector Cable (AWL280)	0
AWL280 Sensor	2
AS10-D Amplifier	1

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

Effective Sensing Length	11.02 in. [280 mm]
(Each Side)	
Sensor Gap	1.87 in. [50 mm]
Light Sourse	Pulsed LED
Wave Length	800 nm
Frequency Response	15 Hz
Linearity	± 1.5% F.S.
AS10-D Output Voltage	200m VDC ± 5mV
Power Supply	100,110, 120, 200, 220, 240 VAC 50/60 Hz
Power Consumption	
AWL 280 Sensor weight	
AS10-D Amplifier weight	1 01
Warning Relay	

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