

Collision Warning and Reverse Assist for Front End Loaders and Dozers



# MINESIC100 WPS Wheel Loader Protection System

Protection of mine site equipment, infrastructure and personnel is a highly sophisticated task and presents great demands on collision awareness solutions. Building on experience with the development of advanced driver assistance systems, SICK's MINESIC100 WPS is a turn-key proximity detection operator assist and collision awareness system for front end loaders and dozers used in the mining industry.

# Challenges in Collision Awareness and Proximity Detection

Heavy mining vehicle operators have to accomplish a difficult task. The increase in mine productivity has led to a proportional increase in the size of the equipment used. Wheel loaders and dozers have considerable operator blind spots. Despite the best efforts of mine management and plant operators, accidents on mine sites remain an industry wide problem.

The avoidance of mine site accidents demands a combination of technologies to assist operators and reduce risk. Collision awareness and assistance technology applied must be able to also warn of these risks ie. close proximity crush or incidents during loading or unloading.

The effective combination of proven technologies used in the MINESIC100 WPS gives the mine and its operators the right system to maximize productivity while reducing downtime due to operator injury or wheel loader and dozer damage.

# SICK's solution MINESIC100 WPS – Wheel loader Protection System

The MINESIC100 WPS is a high performance operator assistance and guidance system, detecting possible collisions with other vehicles, mine site equipment and infrastructure. This robust system actively assists front end loader operators to maneuver safely and efficiently around the mine site.

The MINESIC100 WPS uses advanced laser scanners (Class 1 Eye Safe) combined with GPS. Qualified obstacle information from these sensors is utilized in a sophisticated warning strategy, which alerts an operator, via a simple user interface to take evasive action.

The system allows for cost effective retrofitting into a variety of wheel loaders and dozers. The system offers further integration into fleet management systems. Digital outputs are included and can be used for external signal lighting warning of the close proximity of the vehicle.



#### Advanced system funtionality

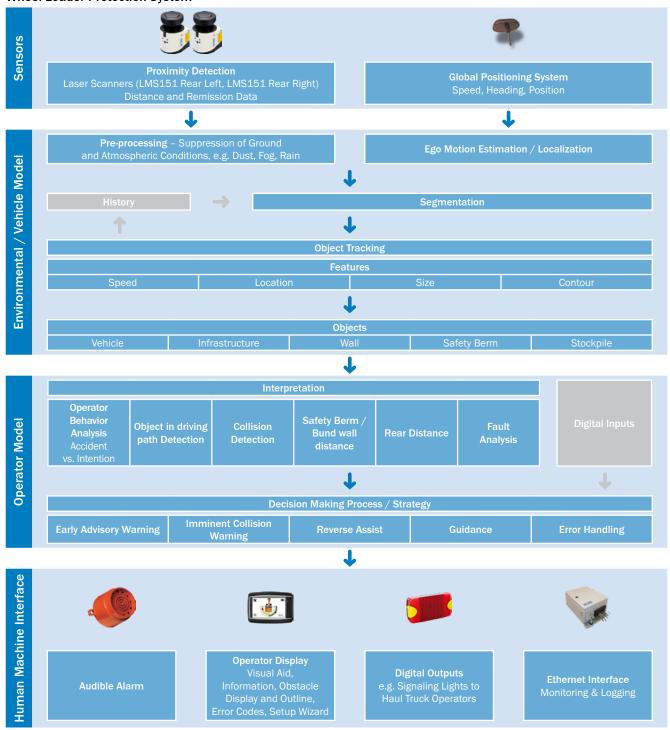
Reversing incidents are prevented with the system alerting the operator, displaying only relevant information and if necessary alarming audibly. Active assistance is provided for maneuvering in confined spaces, displaying all obstacles behind the vehicle (other vehicles, infrastructure and personnel) in scale and distance in real time. The MINESIC100 WPS has been developed to be an aid to the operator, not a hindrance. No nuisance alarms to distract normal driver operation. It has an inbuilt recognition of intentional driving behavior, i.e. travelling forward and reversing.

#### SICK LifeTime Services option

To ensure reliable, repeatable and safe operation the MINESIC100 WPS requires a maintenance program which includes a number of system checks. SICK Service Engineers are qualified to perform this service maintenance.

Installation, service and maintenance training can be provided by SICK.

#### **Wheel Loader Protection System**







# **Product description**

The MINESIC100 WPS is a high performance collision awareness and protection system ideally suited for wheel loader operations in open-cut (surface) mining. This robust system utilizing advanced laser scanners and specialized

sensors, provides operator assistance by allowing for safe and efficient maneuvering of large front end loaders on mine sites. The system is easily installed on a variety of front end wheel loaders.

# At a glance

- Full coverage rear-end collision warning
- Visual feedback (touch screen operator display) and audible alarm
- Open interface to fleet management / dispatch systems & event logging
- Full functional operation across speed range (0...V<sub>max</sub>)
- Active reverse assist for maneuvering in confined spaces
- Displays accurately all obstacles behind the vehicle (windrows, vehicles, personnel) in real time

# Your benefits

- Reduction of incidents, downtime and repair costs
- Detection and tracking of moving and stationary obstacles without the need for RFID tags
- Active situation dependant warning with low false alarm rates
- · Simple installation, easy to operate
- Easy to maintain Integrated test function and reporting
- Configurable to mine site operational requirements
- Full service package provided by SICK LifeTime Services
- Sound system knowledge thanks to comprehensive user training

# **Application**

- Wheel loader in surface mines
- · Wheel dozer in surface mines

### **Additional information**

#### → www.mysick.com/en/MINESIC100\_WPS

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# **Detailed technical data**

# System

Application speed range	0 60 km/h
Supply voltage	DC, 24 V, ± 10% (24 V nominal)
Power consumption	40 W 165 W (Peak power consumption with internal sensor heating)
Ambient operating temperature	-20 +50 °C <sup>1)</sup> -30 +70 °C <sup>2)</sup>
Storage temperature	-40 +85 °C
Interfaces	Ethernet (SICK application event protocol, customised object data protocol)  Digital I/O (e.g. audible alarm, signalling lights)
Weight	Approx. 20 kg

<sup>1)</sup> Components outside cabin (ambient)

#### Laser scanner

	LMS151 "WPS Rear/Right"	LMS151 "WPS Rear/Left"
Operating range	$0.2 \dots 50 \ \text{m}$ (up to 18 m at 10% remission)	
Operating conditions	Outdoor (dust, rain, snow, fog)	
Scanning angle	270° (total horizontal)	
Angular resolution	0.25° / 0.5°	
Scanning frequency	25 Hz / 50 Hz	
Number of measurement pulses (Multi-Echo)	2	
Dimensions (W x H x D)	102 mm x 162 mm x 105 mm	
Weight	1,100 g	
Error / Distance Accuracy	12 mm	
MTBF	≥ 50,000 h (at 25 °C)	
Protection class	III (EN 50178 (1997;10))	
EMC	EN 61000-6-3 (2007-01), Interference emission EN 61000-6-2 (2005-08), Interference immunit	

# Operator Panel PC

Dimensions (W x H x D)	130 mm x 95 mm x 55 mm (landscape or portrait)
Weight	< 1 kg
Screen	Touch Screen, TFT, transmissive
Enclosure rating	IP 67
Repeated bump / shock Immunity	ISO 15003-5.5.2, IEC 60068-2-27, EN 60068-2-29: 1993-04
Vibration, broadband random and guidance	ISO 15003-5.6, IEC 60086-2-6, -2-47, -2-64
EMC	ISO 16750-2 – electrical loads ISO 15003 EN 61000-6-3, 6-4 EN 61000-6-2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> Components inside cabin (ambient)

# **Control Cabinet**

Enclosure rating	IP 66
Weight	8 kg
Fuse	7.5 A (2x, one in each V+ and GND)
Signal ground	Single GND (vehicle GND) for all supply, input and output signals
Repeated bump / shock Immunity	25 g, 11 ms, 3+3 per axis, all three axis (total 18h) (EN 60068-2-29 (1993-04))
Vibration, broadband random and guidance	5 2,000 Hz, all 3 axis, 8h per axis (total 24h), 3g rms, EN 60086-2-6:1994-06

# **Ancillary Items**

Components	GPS Receiver Set
	Mounting Operator Panel PC
	Cables - Plugin Electrical Connection
	Siren – Audible Warning
	Vibration Mounts

# Options

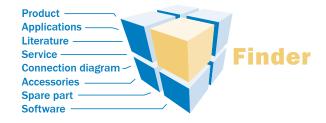
Software package	Reverse Assist
	Black Spot Warning

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