# **BPE-50**

Photo Beam with battery powered Transmitter





Not UL325 compliant

This product is an accessory or part of a system. Always read and follow the manufacturer's instructions for the equipment you are connecting this product to. Comply with all applicable codes and safety regulations. Failure to do so may result in damage, injury or death!

#### **Product Overview**

The BPE-50 photo beam system uses 12 -24 VDC/AC on the transmitter and receiver with the transmitter offering the option of using the two 3.6 Volt batteries for power (included). Recommended battery replacement is the Varta ERAA 3V6 2400.

WARNING ... Not to be used for Personnel Protection

Never use product as sensing devices for personnel protection.

Doing so could cause serious injury or death.

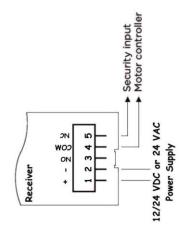
These sensors do NOT include the self-checking redundant circuitry necessary to allow their use in personnel safety applications. A sensor failure or malfunction can cause either an energized or deenergized sensor output condition. UL 325 Non-compliant

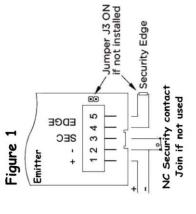
## **Technical Specifications**

Power Supply	12-24 VDC 24 VAC (2-3.6 Volt Lithium		
	Batteries for transmitter optional /included)		
	Expected battery life up to 2 years approx.		
Current Draw	RX = <50mA standby 100mA activated, TX = < 500uA		
Relay Type	2 Form C DPST contact rating .5A @ 24VDC / 120VAC		
Temperature	-20C – 55C		
Wavelength	880 nm		
Frequency	High 90 Hz Low 48 Hz (Ext power 787 Hz)		
Environmental	IP 65		
Detect Indicator	Red LED		
Connector	Terminal block		
Relay contact	0.5Amp		
Housing Material	PA6 30% FG		
Size	H 4.4in (112mm) x W 2.05in (52mm) x D		
	1.3in (33mm)		
Range	Up to 50 feet (if TX on 12/24 V 90 feet)		
Detection Angle	+/- 5%		
Sensitivity	Jumper J1 on receiver		
Detection delay	< 30 ms		
Reset delay	< 120 ms		

### Connections (Fig 1)

	Transmitter	Receiver		
1	Power Positive (+)	Power Positive (+)		
2	Power Negative (-)	Power Negative (-)		
3	NC Security Contact	Internal Relay		
	(join if not used)	Normally Open		
4	Security edge	Internal Relay		
	(join if not used)	Common		
5	Security edge	Internal Relay		
	(join if not used)	Normally Closed Output		
Terminal connection as viewed from the front, left to right				

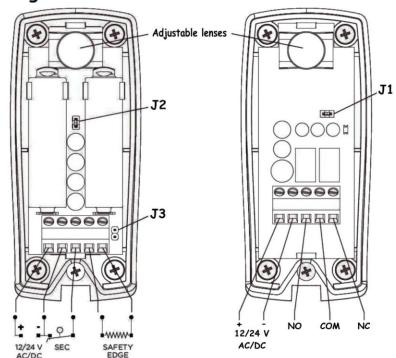




### **Jumper Configuration** (Fig 2)

Jumper	ON	OFF		
Receiver J1 (Gain)	Normal	High		
Transmitter J2	Fast	Slow		
(frequency)				
Transmitter J3 (Security	Not	Connected		
edge)	connected			
Jumper Settings for figure 2				

Figure 2



When transmitter frequency is set to low battery life will be increased. The range will be reduced at this setting. However when the transmitter is powered by 12/24 VDC or 24 VAC the range will be maximum regardless of the jumper setting.

## Lens Alignment (Fig 3)

Both the transmitter and receiver lenses may be aligned left, right or straight ahead. To align gently pull the lens stem straight out from mounting position and snap back into place pointing in the desired direction.

Figure 3







Units should be placed a minimum of 12 – 16 inches from the floor. Across from and lenses facing each other. The receiver red detect LED will be on when the beam is broken or not aligned.



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#### **Installation** (Fig 4)

Place the BPE-50 away from heat and electromagnetic sources for best operation. Mount units a minimum of 12 inches 30 cm from the floor.

Apply power to the units and set jumpers per instruction on see figures 1 and 2.

Test installation to insure desired and proper operation. All local and operator manufacturer installation instructions should be followed.

The BPE-50 transmitter may be hooked up to an edge sensor for alternative activation operation.

The BPE-50 does not require any special care, but it is necessary to check condition occasionally to insure they are operating correctly. (Batteries are still operational if on battery power.)

