

STRUCTURAL HEALTH SENSORS



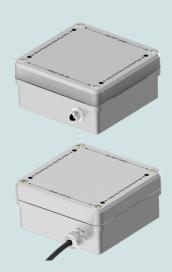
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SENSORS SPECIFICALLY MADE FOR PERMANENT OUTDOOR STRUCTURAL MONITORING

The Structural Health Sensors combine a 2-axis accelerometer with a temperature sensor.

Their enhanced internal surge protection and electromagnetic interference immunity makes them particularly suitable for the permanent monitoring of tall outdoor structures.

The Structural Health Sensors can perform measurements in extreme conditions ranging from -40°C to +85°C. They are of course dust and watertight to IP66. We have a proven track record of several thousands of such sensors operating reliably around the world..





FIELD OF APPLICATIONS

Monitoring of Slender Structures

Slender structures, such as telecommunication towers, chimneys and elevated water reservoirs can be very sensitive to dynamic wind loading. Indeed, wind-induced forces can cause significant dynamic response which may lead to structural damages. In the case of telecommunication towers, they can also lead to signal transmission distortion. Therefore, design criteria for slender structures must include dynamic stiffness which depends on the main resonances frequencies and inherent structural damping. These characteristics must be measured when the structure is first erected and compared with the design data. It is also recommended that they are measured during maintenance activities.

In addition, in harsh/windy environments, the permanent monitoring of structural vibrations is recommended. Indeed, the natural frequencies of a structure can be obtained from acceleration measurements and the shifts of these natural frequencies values can be a good criterion for the evaluation of the structure's integrity, allowing for preventive action.

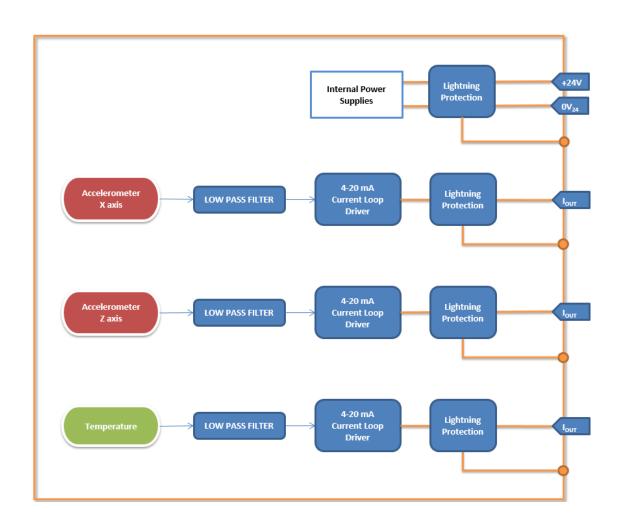
KEY FEATURES

- 4-20 mA current loops for signal immunity and potentially long cable runs
- Enhanced surge protection
- Measurements down to DC for the monitoring of very low frequency structural modes

KEY BENEFITS

- Robustness to environmental conditions
- Short-term or permanent long-term monitoring
- Monitoring of remote areas

BLOCK DIAGRAM



CHARACTERISTICS

Acceleration Channel Characteristics - High Resolution

Parameter	Test Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Acceleration range			±5		g
Sensitivity ⁽¹⁾	T°=25°C	1.554	1.586	1.617	mA/g
Sensitivity change with Temperature	Delta from +25°C		-100	-200	ppm/°C
Zero-g level	T9-2F9C	-125	0	+125	mg
	T°=25°C	11.8	12.0	12.2	mA
Zero-g level change with Temperature	Delta from +25°C		±0.5	±2	mg/°C
remperature			±0.8		μΑ/°C
Non-linearity			±0.5		% FS
Acceleration noise density	@ 40Hz		8		µg/√Hz
Cross Axis Sensitivity			2	3	%
2 nd order low-pass filter cutoff frequency	@ -3dB		100		Hz

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Acceleration Channel Characteristics - Standard Resolution

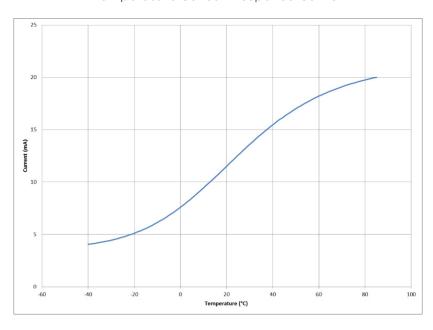
Parameter	Test Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Acceleration range		±5.4	±6		g
Sensitivity ⁽¹⁾	T°=25°C	1.205	1.339	1.473	mA/g
Sensitivity change with Temperature	Delta from +25°C		±100		ppm/°C
Zero-g level	T°=25°C	-450	0	+450	mg
		11.4	12.0	12.6	mA
Zero-g level change with	Delta from +25°C		±0.5		mg/°C
Temperature			±0.7		µA/°C
Non-linearity			±0.5		% FS
Acceleration noise density	@ 40Hz		50		µg/√Hz
Cross Axis Sensitivity			2	3	%
2 nd order low-pass filter cutoff frequency	@ -3dB		100		Hz

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Temperature Channel Characteristics

Parameter	Test Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Measurement range		-40		+85	°C
Accuracy	From 0 to 70°C	-0.15		+0.15	°C
	Outside the 0 to 70°C range	-0.50		+0.50	°C
Temperature noise density				0.01	°C/√Hz
2 nd order Butterworth low-pass filter cutoff frequency			1		Hz

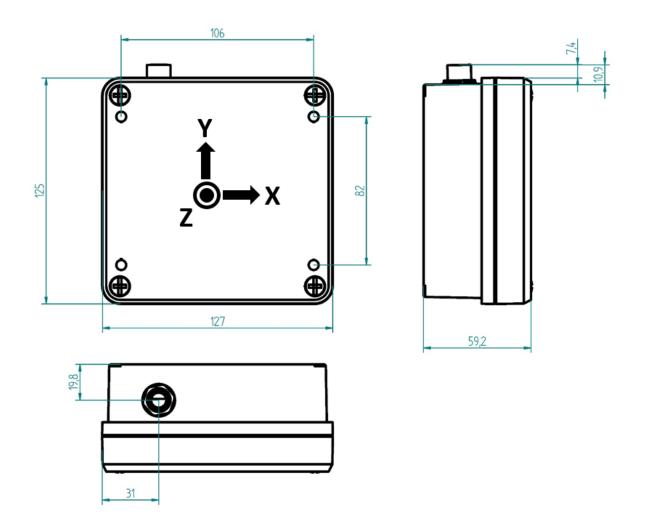
Temperature Sensor Response Curve



Power Supply

Parameter	Test Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Voltage		20	24	28	VDC
Current		20		80	mA

DIMENSIONS



REFERENCE DIRECTIONS



CERTIFICATIONS

Electromagnetic Compatibility

Standard	Limit / Level		
Emission			
EN 55011	30 MHz - 1 GHz		
Radiated Emission	Group 1 - Class A		
FCC 47 Part 15	30 MHz - 1 GHz		
Radiated Emission	Class A		
Immu	nity		
EN 61000-4-2	4kV / contact		
Electrostatic Immunity	2, 4 & 8kV /air		
	Criterion B		
EN 61000-4-3	80MHz - 1 GHz @ 10V/m		
Radiated, radio frequency, electromagnetic	1.4 - 2GHz @ 3V/m		
field immunity	2 - 2.7GHz @ 1V/m		
	@ 80% AM 1kHz		
EN 61000-4-4	2kV - 100kHz on signal lines		
Electrical fast transient / burst immunity	Criterion B		
EN 61000-4-6	10V (150kHz-80MHz)		
Immunity to conducted disturbances, induced by radio-frequency fields	Criterion A		
EN 61000-4-8	Continuous field 30A/m		
Power frequency magnetic field immunity	Short duration field 100A/m		
	50 & 60Hz		
	Criterion A		

Operating Temperature

Standard	Limit / Level
IIEC 60068-2-14	Cycling between -40°C and +85°C
Change of Temperature	
IEC 60068-2-1	Operation at -40°C (including cold start)
Cold	
IEC 60068-2-2	Operation at 85°C
Dry Heat	

ORDERING REFERENCE



EXAMPLE SHS - HR - CBL

NOTE

When ordering with cable connections, the cable is mounted at the factory. Please specify required length. Standard cable gauge is 0.25 mm² (AWG24). Higher cable gauge might be required for long cable runs.

ENGINEERING SERVICES

- Other resolutions and/or measurement ranges
- Special coatings
- Special cables
- Integration with monitoring systems and cloud platform
- Adaptations for underwater use

