# Piezo Film Sensors

# Product Guide and Price List

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# TYPICAL APPLICATIONS FOR PIEZO FILM SENSORS

## Accelerometer

ACH-01 (General Purpose)
- Car Alarm
- Shipping Damage
- Machinery Monitoring
- Motional Feedback for Speakers
- Security Sensing
- Appliance Monitoring

ACH04-08 (Multi-Axis)
- Disc Drive Shock Sensing
- Impact Switching
- Biomedical Monitoring

Shockwriter 3000
- Shipping Damage
- Materials Handling
- Machinery Monitoring

## Vibration/Motion Film Sensor

DT Series (Unlaminated, Unshielded)
- Dynamic Strain Gages
- Acoustic Pickups
- Musical Instrument Triggers
- Tamper Detection

LDT Series (Laminated, Unshielded)
- Antitheft Alarm
- Vending
  . Dispensing Verification
  . Coin Drop Counters
  . Antitamper
  . Penetration Panels
- Fan Failure
- Appliance Monitoring
  - Washer Imbalance
  . Microwave - Sound Pickup
  . Dishwasher Spray Arm
  - Water Flow Sensor
  . Vacuum Soil Sensing

SDT Series (Unlaminated, Shielded)
- Musical Instrument Triggers
- Contact Microphones

Custom Sensors
- Textile Sensors
  . Thread Break/Tension
- Medical Monitoring
  . Patient Bed Monitor
  . Pulse Counter
  . Fetal Heart Monitor
  . Apnea Monitoring
  . Anesthesia Monitor (Sleep Disorder)
  . Respiratory Air Flow
  . Sleep Disorder (REM)
  . Pacemaker Activity Monitor
- Earthquake Alarm

## Switch

SW100 Series
- Pinball Impact Switches
- Gaming Machine Switches
- Utility Meter Counters

Custom Switches
- Vector Switch/Joystick
- CMOS Circuit Wake-up Switch
- Pacinko Game
- Electronic Piano Keys
- Impact Printer Timing Switch
- Sports Scoring
  . Karate Boxing Force
  . Dartboard Scoring
- Snap Action Switches
- Beam Switch

## Ultrasound

- Air-Ranging Proximity
- Medical Imaging Catheters
- Phased Array
- Non Destructive Testing
- Acoustic Emission
- Shockwave Sensors
- Level Sensors (Inkjet, toner)
- Robotic Tactile Sensors
- Variable Force Sensors

## Audio/Acoustic

- Microphones
  . Dive Helmets
  . Gas Mask
  . Contact
- Acoustic Pickups
- Flow Sensors
- Speakers
  . Novelty Consumer
  . Tweeters
  . Pagers
- Hydrophones
  . Navy SONAR
  . Geophysical SONAR
- Active Vibration Damping/Noise

## Traffic Sensors

Series BL
- Vehicle Classification
- Weight-in-Motion
- Speed/Red Light Enforcement
- Airport Taxiway
- Security/Safety

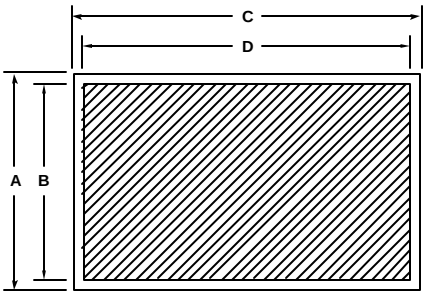
## Piezo Cable

- Step Switches
- Pedestrian Mats
- Perimeter Security
- Antitamper

## Power Supply

- Alternate Energy

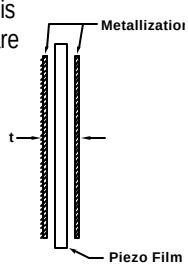
# Metallized Piezo Film Sheets




Piezo film is available in a variety of different film sizes and thicknesses. These can be fabricated into simple transducers, or for use as full size sheets for applications such as speakers.

Metallization options include a compliant silver ink as well as sputtered metallization. The silver ink is best for applications where mechanical stress is being applied to the film. Thin sputtered metallization is brittle, and used where signal to noise requirements dictate very low mass loading by the electrodes. These are only general rules, and a discussion with our applications engineers will help you to make the best choice for your specific application.

Silver ink lends itself to custom metallization patterns for easy lead attachment. Our standard sputtered metallization is a nickel copper alloy, which has good conductivity and is resistant to oxidation. Other metallizations such as gold are available on a custom basis with a set up fee.



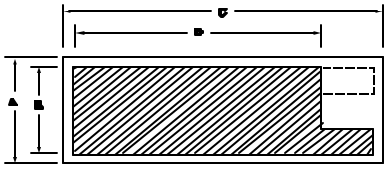

Piezo Film is available in different thicknesses. Thinner films (28 and 52 µm) are the most common, due to their higher capacitance and good mechanical qualities. Thicker film (110 µm) is used where maximum robustness is needed, or if the sensor is being used in a thickness mode ($d_{33}$) application.

| DIMENSIONS in INCHES [mm] | | | | | | | | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Description | A Film | B Electrode | C Film | D Electrode | t (µm) | Metallization | Part # | |
| 28 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 5.50 [140] | 5.00 [127] | 28 | NiCu Alloy | 1-1003703-4 | $55.00 |
| 28 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 11.00 [280] | 10.50 [267] | 28 | NiCu Alloy | 1-1003702-4 | $110.00 |
| 28 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 5.50 [140] | 5.00 [127] | 40 | Silver Ink | 1-1004347-0 | $55.00 |
| 28 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 11.00 [280] | 10.50 [267] | 40 | Silver Ink | 1-1004346-0 | $110.00 |
| 52 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 5.50 [140] | 5.00 [127] | 52 | NiCu Alloy | 2-1003703-4 | $65.00 |
| 52 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 11.00 [280] | 10.50 [267] | 52 | NiCu Alloy | 2-1003702-4 | $130.00 |
| 52 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 5.50 [140] | 5.00 [127] | 64 | Silver Ink | 2-1004347-0 | $65.00 |
| 52 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 11.00 [280] | 10.50 [267] | 64 | Silver Ink | 2-1004346-0 | $130.00 |
| 110 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 5.50 [140] | 5.00 [127] | 110 | NiCu Alloy | 3-1003703-4 | $75.00 |
| 110 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 11.00 [280] | 10.50 [267] | 110 | NiCu Alloy | 3-1003702-4 | $150.00 |
| 110 µm piezo film | 8.00 [203] | 7.50 [190] | 5.50 [140] | 5.00 [127] | 122 | Silver Ink | 3-1004347-0 | $75.00 |
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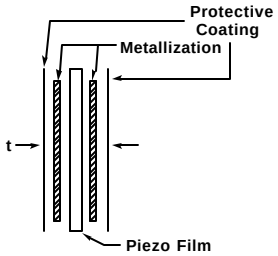
# DT Series Elements




The DT series of piezo film sensors elements are rectangular elements of piezo film with silver ink screen printed electrodes. They are available in a variety of different sizes and thicknesses.

The DT film element produces more than 10 millivolts per microstrain, about 60 dB higher than the voltage output of a foil strain gage. The capacitance is proportional to the area and inversely proportional to the thickness of the element.

The DT series sensors are the simplest form of piezo film sensors, used primarily as dynamic strain gages and contact microphones for vibration or impact detection. These are available without any leads for those applications where the customer wants to make his own lead attachment. They can be readily adhered to a surface with double-sided tape or epoxy. Lead attachment can be achieved by compressive clamping, crimps, eyelets, conductive epoxy or low temperature solders.




DT elements are supplied with a thin urethane coating over the active sensor area; the lead attachment legs are free of the insulating urethane coating.

| Dimensions in INCHES [mm] | | | | | | | | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Description (No Leads) | A Film | B Electrode | C Film | D Electrode | t (µm) | Cap (nF) | Part # | |
| DT1-028K | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 1.63 [41] | 1.19 [30] | 40 | 1.38 | 1-1002608-0 | $1.00 |
| DT1-052K | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 1.63 [41] | 1.19 [30] | 70 | .740 | 2-1002608-0 | $1.25 |
| DT2-028K | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 2.86 [73] | 2.42 [62] | 40 | 2.78 | 1-1002145-0 | $2.00 |
| DT2-052K | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 2.86 [73] | 2.42 [62] | 70 | 1.44 | 2-1002145-0 | $2.50 |
| DT4-028K | .86 [22] | .740 [19] | 6.72 [171] | 6.13 [156] | 40 | 11.00 | 1-1002149-0 | $4.00 |
| DT4-052K | .86 [22] | .740 [19] | 6.72 [171] | 6.13 [156] | 70 | 5.70 | 2-1002149-0 | $4.80 |

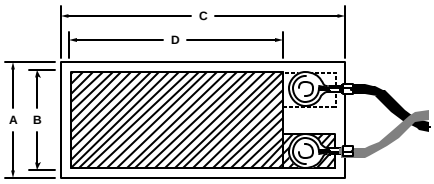
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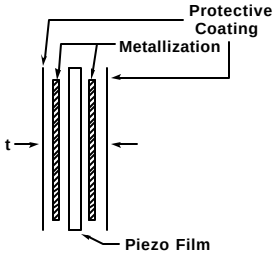
# DT Series Elements with Lead Attachment

The DT series of piezo film sensors elements are rectangular elements of piezo film with silver ink screen printed electrodes. They are available in a variety of different sizes and thicknesses.

Piezo film sensor elements are available with two lead attachment options. These include wires riveted to the film or wires attached to the film with eyelets. The eyelets offer holes at the lead attachment location to facilitate mounting.

The capacitance is proportional to the area and inversely proportional to the thickness of the element.



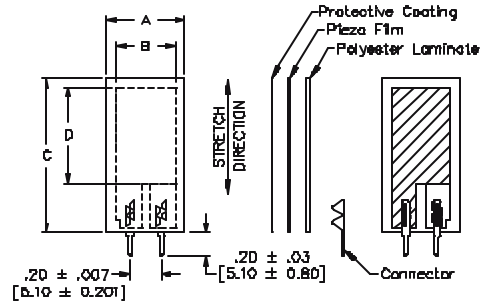

| Dimensions in INCHES [mm] | | | | | | | | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Description | A Film | B Electrode | C Film | D Electrode | t (µm) | Cap (nF) | Part # | |
| DT1-028K/L w/rivets | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 1.63 [41] | 1.19 [30] | 40 | 1.38 | 1-1002908-0 | $3.00 |
| DT1-052K/L w/rivets | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 1.63 [41] | 1.19 [30] | 70 | .740 | 2-1002908-0 | $3.25 |
| DT2-028K/L w/rivets | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 2.86 [73] | 2.42 [62] | 40 | 2.78 | 1-1003744-0 | $4.00 |
| DT2-052K/L w/rivets | .64 [16] | .484 [12] | 2.86 [73] | 2.42 [62] | 70 | 1.44 | 2-1003744-0 | $4.50 |
| DT4-028K/L w/rivets | .86 [22] | .740 [19] | 6.72 [171] | 6.13 [156] | 40 | 11.00 | 1-1002150-0 | $6.00 |
| DT4-052K/L w/rivets | .86 [22] | .740 [19] | 6.72 [171] | 6.13 [156] | 70 | 5.70 | 2-1002150-0 | $6.80 |

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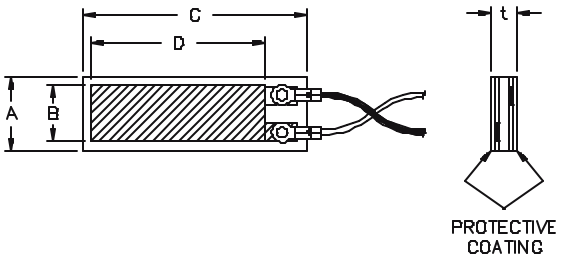

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# LDT Series Elements with Lead Attachment and Lamination

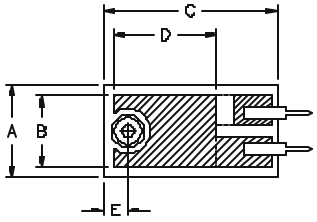
The 'L' in LDT stands for 'laminated' sensor. Typically, a 0.005" (125 µm) polyester layer is laminated to a 28 µm or 52 µm piezo film element. When used in a 'bending' mode, laminated film elements develop much higher voltage output when flexed than non-laminated (i.e., DT series) elements. The piezo film is off the neutral axis in the laminate, and is strained more when flexed. Applications for this include beam-type vibration sensors for vehicle alarms and solid state switches for counters and momentary contact closure type switches. Piezo film sensor LDT elements are available in a variety of lead attachment options. The LDT0-028K has crimped-on pins, 0.200" on center, suitable for soldering. For significantly increased sensitivity, the LDTM-028K (M-Mass) combines an LDT0-028K form factor with the addition of a .72 gram round mass (located E (.14") from the edge on the opposite side of the crimps in the center of the A (.26") dimension.) The LDT1, 2 and 4 have 12" of 26 gauge twisted pair wire. The capacitance is proportional to the area and inversely proportional to the thickness of the element.




**LDT0-028K (with crimped-on solder tabs)**




**LDT Series with rivets and wire leads**




**LDTM**

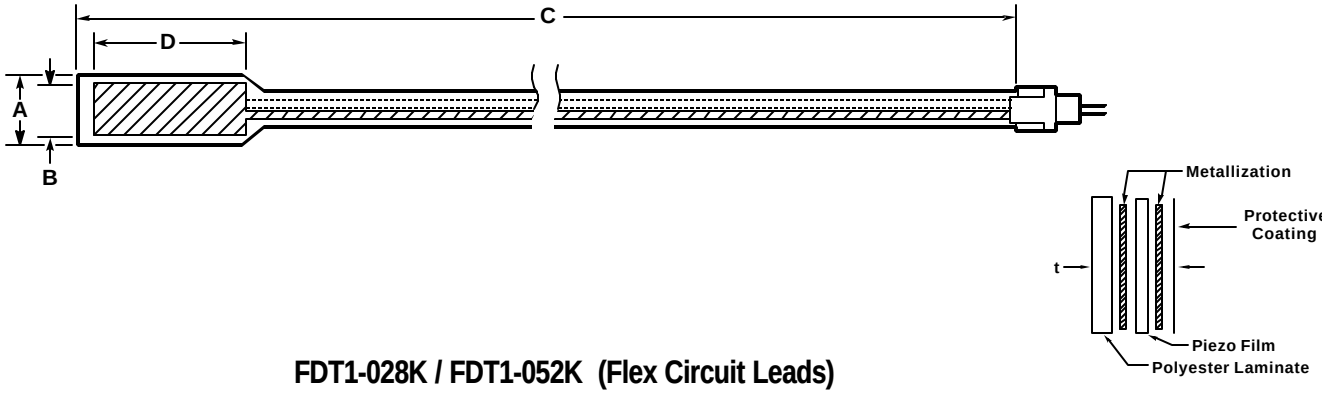
The LDT0-028K and LDTM-028K with solder tabs can be soldered directly to a PCB with a reasonable level of care. Piezo film cannot withstand high temperatures (> 80?C), and therefore soldering of the pins to a PCB must be done quickly. A heatsink clamped to the interface area between the film and the crimps will take the heat away from the film. Pre-tin the PCB and then quickly solder the sensor to the board. Do not allow the soldering iron to touch the film, and do not use a dwell time of over 5 seconds on the pins. Low temperature solders can also be used. For tightly toleranced sensitivity requirements, please consult MSI Sensors for techniques used to control variations of boundary conditions in production. Detailed specification sheets are available from our website.

| Dimensions in INCHES [mm] | | | | | | | | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Description | A Film | B Electrode | C Film | D Electrode | t (µm) | Cap (nF) | Part # | |
| LDT0-028K/L w/crimps | .520 [13] | .400 [10] | .980 [25] | .580 [15] | 205 | .500 | 0-1002794-0 | $.75 |
| LDT1-028K/L w/rivets | .640 [16] | .484 [12] | 1.63 [41] | 1.19 [30] | 205 | 1.38 | 1-1002910-0 | $2.50 |
| LDT2-028K/L w/rivets | .640 [16] | .484 [12] | 2.86 [73] | 2.42 [62] | 205 | 2.78 | 1-1003745-0 | $4.50 |
| LDT4-028K/L w/rivets | .860 [22] | .740 [19] | 6.72 [171] | 6.13 [156] | 205 | 11.0 | 1-1002405-0 | $7.50 |
| LDTM-028K w/crimps | .520 [13] | .400 [10] | .980 [25] | .580 [15] | 205 | .420 | 0-1005447-1 | $1.00 |

# FDT Series Elements with Lead Attachment

The 'F' in FDT Series stands for 'Flexible Leads'. These are rectangular elements of piezo film with silver ink screen printed electrodes. Rather than making the lead attachment near the sensor, the piezo polymer tail extends from the active sensor area as flex circuit material with offset traces. This gives a very flat, flexible lead, with a connector at the end.

The FDT elements are available in a variety of different sizes and thicknesses. They are available without a laminate (FDT), with a laminate (0.005" mylar) on one side (FLDT) or with tape release layer adhesive (FDT with adh) in the sensor area.




**FDT1-028K / FDT1-052K (Flex Circuit Leads)**

The connector pins on the FDT sensors can be directly soldered to a PCB with a reasonable level of care. This component cannot withstand high temperatures (>80?C), and therefore soldering of the pins to a PCB must be done quickly. A heatsink clamped to the interface area between the film and the crimps will take the heat away from the film. Pre-tin the pins and then quickly solder them to the board. Do not allow the soldering iron to touch the film, and do not use a dwell time of over 5 seconds on the pins. Low temperature solder can also be used. The FDT is also available with a connector for insertion onto standard .025" square pins.

| Dimensions in INCHES [mm] | | | | | | | | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Description | A Film | B Electrode | C Film | D Electrode | t (µm) | Cap (nF) | Part # | |
| FDT1-028K | .620 [16] | .485 [12] | 9.25 [235] | 1.16 [30] | 55 | 1.37 | 1-1002785-1 | $4.50 |
| FDT1-052K | .620 [16] | .485 [12] | 9.25 [235] | 1.16 [30] | 85 | .740 | 2-1002785-1 | $5.00 |
| FLDT1-028K | .620 [16] | .485 [12] | 9.25 [235] | 1.16 [30] | 205 | 1.37 | 1-1002786-1 | $4.50 |
| FLDT1-052K | .620 [16] | .485 [12] | 9.25 [235] | 1.16 [30] | 230 | .740 | 2-1002786-1 | $5.00 |
| FDT1-028K w/adh-F | .650 [17] | .485 [12] | 5.51 [140] | 1.18 [30] | 125 | 1.37 | 0-1001777-0 | $4.50 |

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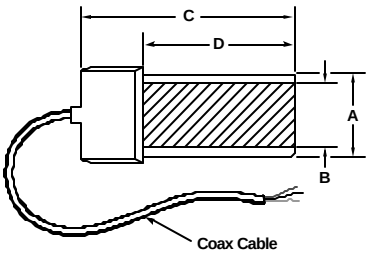

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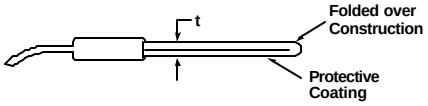
# SDT Shielded Piezo Film Sensors Element with Shielded Cable

The 'S' in SDT Series stands for 'Shielded Sensor'. SDT1 piezo film sensors consist of rectangular elements of piezo film together with a molded plastic housing and 18" of coaxial cable. The sensor area, screen printed with silver ink, is folded over on itself, giving a self-shielding of the transducer area. This is important in applications where 60 Hz EMI cannot be properly filtered, or in applications in a high EMI environment.

The SDT1 can be adhered to other surfaces using double sided adhesives, epoxy or cyanoacrylate (super-glue). Care should be taken if the sensor is to be removed, as the double-side adhesive can peel the metallization from the film.

When adhered to a surface in this manner, the SDT1 is an excellent contact microphone or dynamic strain gage. The output from the SDT1 can input directly to an oscilloscope or a signal analyzer. The low frequency roll off for the sensor is determined by the input impedance of the electronics. Typical impedances to be used would be at least 1 M O for most applications, and may need to be as high as 100 M O if 1-10 Hz frequencies are being monitored. Detailed specification sheets are available from our website.




| Dimensions in INCHES (mm) | | | | | | | | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Description | A Film | B Electrode | C Film | D Electrode | t (µm) | Cap (nF) | Part # | |
| SDT1-028K | .644 (16) | .520 (13) | 1.641 (41) | 1.18 (30) | 75 | 2.78 | 1-1000288-0 | $25.00 |

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# Piezo Polymer Thick Film Elements

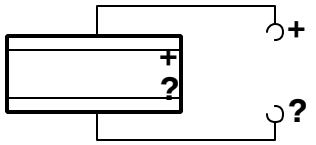
Piezo film has typically been available in thin film (9 – 110 µm) formats. These are useful thicknesses for most applications. Over the past few years, extensive research has been done to produce thicker films and non-standard shapes for those specialized applications where very high sensitivity is needed in the thickness mode ($d_{33}$)or for hydrostatic ($d_h$) measurements, like sonar.

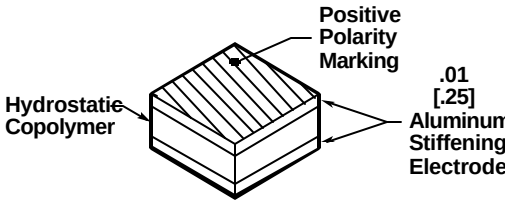
MSI has developed thick film elements of piezo polymer. The standard building block for this is 500 µm material, which can be multi-layer stacked for increased sensitivity. As the thickness of the series stacked sensor increases, the sensitivity increases, but the capacitance decreases proportionately.

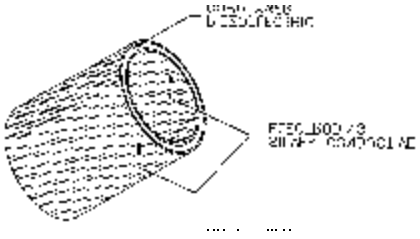
Additional stacking options are available on a custom basis for parallel wired configurations, where elements of film are laminated and wired to give a higher capacitance per unit of surface area. This option can also be used in order to create a shielded transducer, or an acceleration canceling device. The piezo polymer thick film elements can be provided with aluminum electrodes which clamp the in-plane piezo coefficients and therefore increase the hydrostatic sensitivity. These elements can be fabricated to customer specification, and can be made in sizes up to 12" x 18".

Thick piezo polymer can also be supplied in a cylinder format, with a wall thickness of 1.07 mm. The inner and outer walls are metallized with silver ink for electrodes. Wires can be affixed to these electrodes with conductive epoxy. Please specify the length dimension of the cylinder sensor when ordering.

**Schematic:**



| Description | Dimensions | | Capacitance pF/in$_2$ [pF/cm$_2$] | Sensitivity (dB, re1 V/µPa) | Part No. | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Polymer Thickness | Overall Thickness | | | | |
| 500S Tile | .020 [.51] | .040 [1] | 88.90 [14] | -198.0 | 0-1001160-0 | $25.00/in $^2$ |
| 1000S Tile | .040 [1] | .059 [2] | 44.40 [7] | -192.0 | 0-1001155-0 | $50.00/in $^2$ |
| 1500S Tile | .060 [2] | .079 [2] | 29.60 [5] | -188.5 | 0-1001172-0 | $75.00/in $^2$ |
| Cylinder | .047 [1] | Diameter .440 [11] | 41 pF/in [16 pF/cm] | -195.0 | 0-1001911-1 (+) 0-1001911-2 (-) | $25.00 each |

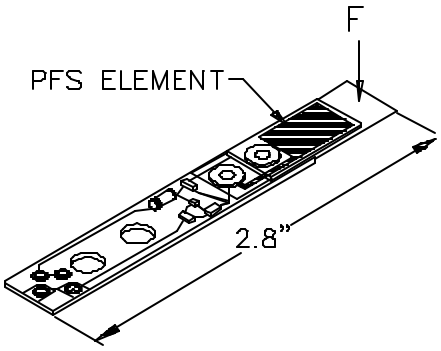
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# Piezo Film Solid State Switches

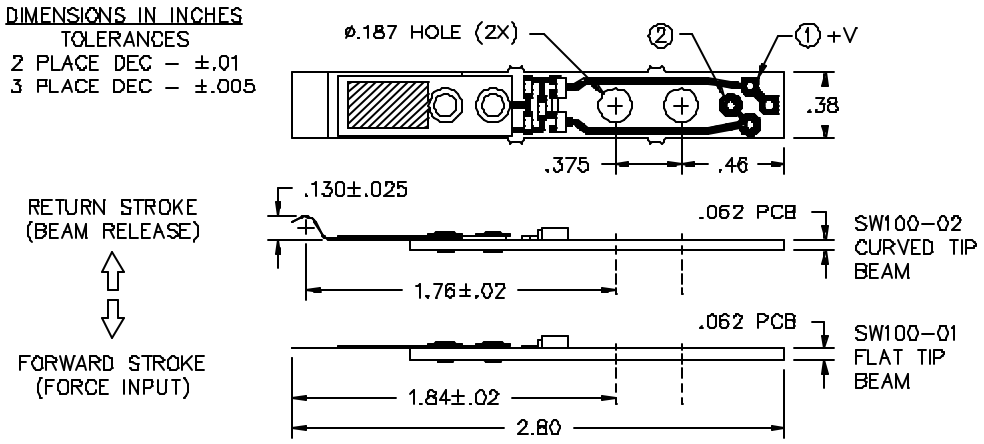
Piezo film's capability to generate a high voltage output under bending strain, combined with its rugged form factor, make it an ideal candidate for solid state impact switches. Rather than using a switch contact closure, the piezo film generates a pulse which is detected by electronics. Although many of the DT's, LDT's and FLDT's supplied by MSI are used for switch applications, it is sometimes convenient to have a switch with integrated electronics.




**Smart Switch SW100**

The SW100 is an ideal configuration for impact detection and momentary switch applications. A direct contact force on the tip of the stainless steel cantilever beam of the SW100 induces strain on the laminated Piezo Film Sensor (PFS) element. With dynamic strain, the PFS element generates an output that activates a built-in, normally-open circuit. Once activated, the circuit resembles the closure of a contact switch, but without the inherent discontinuity that contact points exhibit because of corrosion, pitting and bouncing. Thus the SW100 provides a single digital pulse that is ideal for triggering digital circuits and signal processing. The imperviousness, elasticity and reliability of the PFS element, along with the noise rejection characteristics of the circuit, combine to provide the SW100 with features that suit applications demanding consistent, reliable performance throughout tens of millions of switching cycles.

Custom options are available to fit specific customer applications. For more information on the SW100, please call one of our applications engineers .Detailed specification sheets are available from our website.




| Description | Beam Tip | Stroke Direction to Trigger Switch | Part # | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| SW100-01-R | Flat | Reversed | 0-1002393-1 | $5.00 |
| SW100-01-F | Flat | Forward | 0-1002393-2 | $5.00 |
| SW100-02-R | Curved | Reversed | 0-1002132-1 | $5.00 |
| SW100-02-F | Curved | Forward | 0-1002132-2 | $5.00 |

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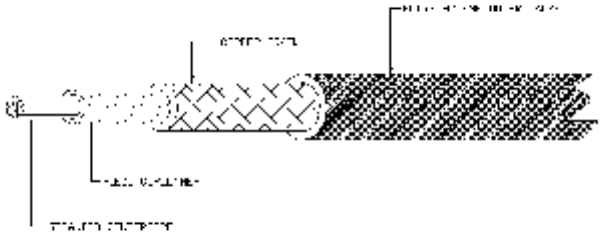
# Piezo Polymer Coaxial Cable

Piezo cable is an alternative form of piezo polymer sensor. Designed as a coax cable, the piezo polymer is the"dielectric" between the center core and the outer braid. When the cable is compressed or stretched, a charge or voltage is generated proportional to the stress.

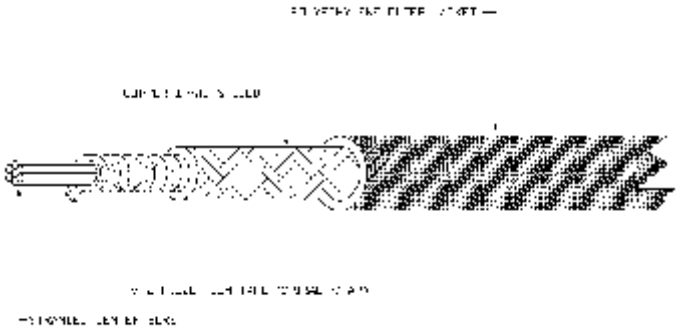
Piezo cable has a number of advantages in certain applications. Due to its coaxial design, the cable is self-shielded, allowing its use in a high EMI environment. The piezo cable can be spliced to passive coax, using standard coax splice techniques. It is extremely rugged, and will withstand repeated impacts. Its linear format makes it ideal for monitoring large areas which would be difficult and more expensive to do with piezo film.

Continuous lengths of piezo cable is available in a variety of different gages and construction formats. As a standard product, it is offered as a 20 AWG center core with a polyethylene outer jacket

We offer two versions of the piezo cable: copolymer and spiral wrap. Detailed specification sheets are available from our website.



**20 AWG CABLE - COPOLYMER**



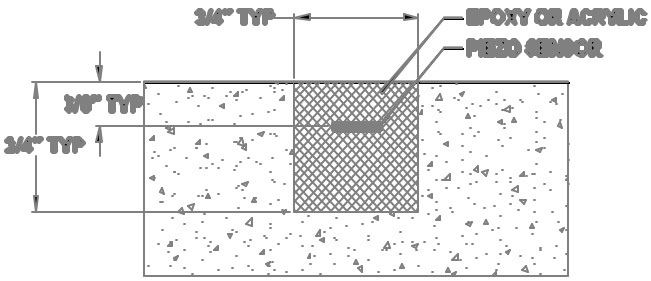
**20 AWG CABLE - SPIRAL WRAP**

| Description | Dimensions (Nom) | | Capacitance pF/Foot (Nom) [pF/Meter] | Part No. | Price per meter (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Center Core | Outside Dia. | | | |
| 20 AWG Piezo Cable | **.040** [1] | **.107** [3] | **200** [655] | 0-1005646-1 | $16.50 (**1-500 meters)*** |
| 20 AWG Piezo Cable - spiral wrap construction | **.040** [1] | .**105** [3] | **279** [980] | 0-1005801-1 | $12.50 (**1-500 meters)*** |

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# Traffic Sensors

The **Roadtrax** BL Traffic Sensor is designed for Permanent or Temporary installation into or onto the road surface for the collection of traffic data. The unique construction of the sensor allows it to be installed directly into the road in a flexible format so that it can conform to the profile of the road. The flat construction of the sensor gives an inherent rejection of road noise due to road bending, adjacent lanes, and bow waves for approaching vehicles. The small cut in the road minimizes the damage that is done to the road, speeds up the installation and reduces the amount of epoxy that is used for the installation. The Roadtrax BL sensor is available both as a Class I sensor for the highest level of uniformity needed for Weigh in Motion applications and as a Class II sensor which is more cost effective for Counting, Classifying, High speed Toll Booths, Speed Detection, and Red Light Cameras.




**Permanent In-The-Road Installation**

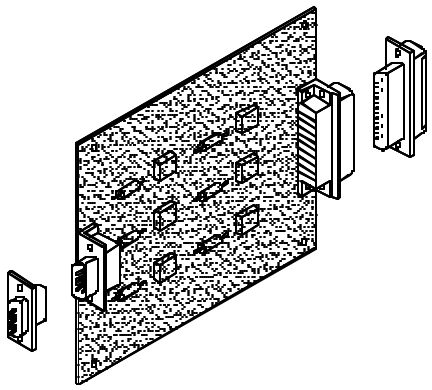
- Uniform, **high amplitude** piezoelectric output **compatible with existing** counters and classifiers on the market.
- Excellent Signal to Noise Ratio which has an inherent **10:1 rejection** of road noise due to road bending, adjacent lanes and bow waves of approaching vehicles.
- Easy installation in a 3/4" x 3/4" slot, which minimizes the disturbance of the road, decreases the depth of the road cut, and minimizes the amount of epoxy needed.
- Flexible sensor - conforms to any road profile while maintaining a uniform distance to the road surface.
- The **final installation is flush** with the road surface - snowplows will not do damage to the sensor.
- Durable enough to withstand normal installation handling and **hundreds of millions ESAL's.**
- All sensors are **100% tested and certified** for performance as a complete sensor prior to shipment.
- Custom Passive Signal Cable with **High Density Polyethylene Jacket** which is rated for direct burial and resists nicks and cuts.
- Class II sensors are tested to ±20% uniformity; Class I (WIM) are tested to ±7% uniformity.

| Description | Part # | Price (US $) (Qty 1-49) |
|---|---|---|
| 6' BL Class II w/100' | 0-1005333-1 | $299.00 |
| 8' BL Class II w/100' | 1-1005333-1 | $359.00 |
| 10' BL Class II w/100' | 3-1005333-1 | $419.00 |
| 11' BL Class II w/100' | 4-1005333-1 | $449.00 |
| 12' BL Class II w/100' | 5-1005333-1 | $479.00 |
| 6' BL WIM | 1-1005438-1 | $568.00 |
| 8' BL WIM | 2-1005438-1 | $682.00 |
| 10' BL WIM | 4-1005438-1 | $796.00 |
| 11' BL WIM | 5-1005438-1 | $853.00 |
| 12' BL WIM | 6-1005438-1 | $910.00 |
| Extra Cable (50' increments only) | 0-1004552-0 | $.50/ft |

For additional information, request the BL Sensor Package, also available on our website.

# Interface Circuit Board
# for Piezoelectric Traffic Sensor

The Traffic Sensor Interface Board is designed to condition signals from MSI's piezoelectric traffic sensors to interface with a wide variety of industry standard traffic data collection modules. The Traffic Sensor Interface Board contains six channel sensor signal conditioning circuitry, user adjustable comparator, digital pulse output, and internal power regulation. The Interface Board can be powered from a single supply voltage between +8VDC and +28 VDC.



## SPECIFICATIONS

| | |
|---|---|
| Number of input/output channels | 6 |
| Input (Analog) | 9 Pin D type Male Connector |
| Output (Digital) | 25 Pin D type Male Connector |
| Circuit Board Size | 220mm x 128mm |
| Front Panel | 50mm x 128mm |
| Storage Temperature | -40?C ~ +85?C |
| Operating Temperature | -40?C ~ +70?C |

| **Output Connector Pin Assignment** | |
|---|---|
| **Pin #** | **Assignment** |
| 1 | GND |
| 2 | Power Supply |
| 3 | Not Used |
| 4 | Digital Output (CH1) |
| 5 | Digital Output (CH2) |
| 6 | Digital Output (CH3) |
| 7 | Digital Output (CH4) |
| 8 | Digital Output (CH5) |
| 9 | Digital Output (CH6) |
| 10-25 | Not Used |

| **Input Connector Pin Assignment** | |
|---|---|
| **Pin #** | **Assignment** |
| 1 | CH6 |
| 2 | CH5 |
| 3 | CH4 |
| 4 | CH3 |
| 5 | CH2 |
| 6 | CH1 |
| 7 | GND |
| 8-9 | Not Used |

| **Description** | **Part #** | **Low Volume Price (US $)** |
|---|---|---|
| Interface Circuit Board for Piezoelectric Traffic Sensor | 0-1005766-0 | $300.00 |

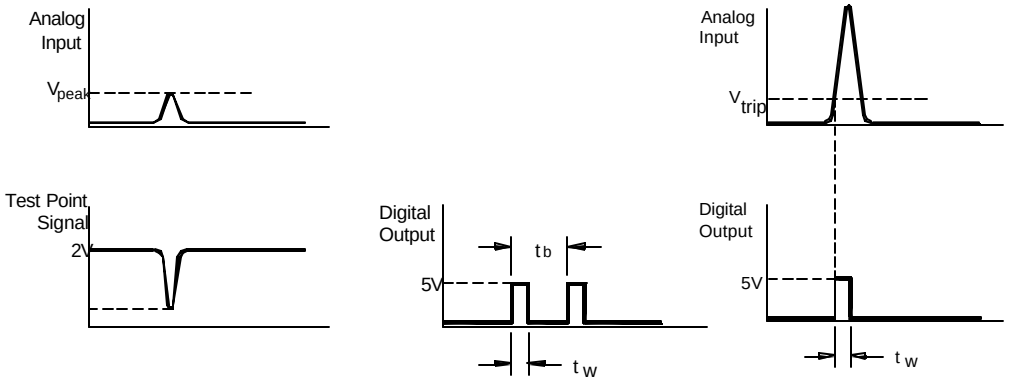
# Interface Circuit Board for Piezoelectric Traffic Sensor (cont'd)

## SPECIFICATIONS (cont'd)

| Analog Circuit | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **Min** | **Typ** | **Max** | **Unit** |
| Dynamic range | 25 | | 3V | mV |
| Gain | | 2 | | |
| Lower cutoff frequency (-3dB) | | 0.5 | | Hz |
| Upper cutoff frequency (-3dB) | | 1,200 | | Hz |
| Power Supply | +8 | | +28 | VDC |

| Digital Output | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **Min** | **Typ** | **Max** | **Unit** |
| Output Impedance | | | 10k | ohms |
| Pulse output | 4.5 | 5 | 5.5 | V |
| Pulse width, $t_w$ | 2.8 | 3.3 | 3.8 | ms |
| Black-out time, $t_b$ | 8.5 | 10.0 | 11.5 | ms |

| Trip Level | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Dip Switch Position** | **$V_{triup}$** | **Unit** |
| All Off | 0.05 | V |
| 1 On | 0.1 | V |
| 2 On | 0.2 | V |
| 3 On | 0.4 | V |
| 4 On | 0.8 | V |




NOTE: $V_{trip}$ indicates the sensor voltage output to trigger digital output.

NOTE: Test point signal has -2X gain and +2V DC offset.

# Accelerometers

The MSI family of accelerometers addresses a wide range of application needs. The ACH-01 is a general purpose, low cost, linear single axis accelerometer for a variety of monitoring applications. The ACH-04-08-05 is a multi-axis accelerometer, and the ACH-04-08-09 is a single-axis accelerometer, both with integrated buffer electronics designed for PCB mounting applications.

The MSI family of accelerometers have opened new doors to the design engineer who needs to continuously monitor vibration, shock and acceleration. Detailed specification sheets are available from our website.

| MSI Accelerometers | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **Applications** | **Features** | **Benefits** |
| **ACH-01-XX** | ? Car alarms<br>? Motional feedback for speakers<br>? Integrated motor vibration monitor<br>? Appliance vibration monitoring<br>? Shipping damage recorder<br>? Musical instrument pickups | ? Low cost<br>? Very low power<br>? Single axis<br>? Wide frequency response<br>? Large dynamic range<br>? Small, lightweight<br>? Buffered electronic output | ? High performance/price ratio<br>? Low impedance output for simplified user interface<br>? Very rugged to reduce failures<br>? Ability to easily measure high frequency events<br>? Low noise - High output |
| **ACH-04-08-05** | ? Disk drive shock sensor<br>? Appliance vibration monitoring<br>? Automotive applications<br>? Security sensors | ? Very low cost<br>? Very low power<br>? Multiple axis response, each as an independent channel<br>? Small size - PCB mountable<br>? Integrated buffer electronics<br>? Low corner frequency | ? Exceptional performance at a very low cost<br>? Buffered output lowers noise, reduces user interface electronics<br>? Measures acceleration in multiple axes with only one sensor |
| **ACH-04-08-09** | ? Car alarms<br>? Appliance vibration monitoring<br>? Security sensors<br>? Low cost embedded applications | ? Very low cost<br>? Very low power<br>? Single axis<br>? Integrated buffer electronics<br>? Small size - PCB mountable<br>? Low frequency response | ? Excellent performance at very low cost<br>? Buffered output lowers noise, reduces user interface electronics<br>? High sensitivity with very low power |

# Accelerometers

| Production Qualified Accelerometers | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | **ACH-01-XX** | **ACH-04-08-05** | **ACH-04-08-09** |
| Key Features | | -Wide Frequency Range<br>-Wide Dynamic Range<br>-High Sensitivity<br>-Low Noise<br>-JFET Buffer | -Low Frequency Operation<br>-3 Simultaneous Analog Outputs<br>-Low current generation<br>- JFET Buffer | -Low Frequency Operation<br>-Low Current Operation<br>- JFET Buffer |
| Sensitive Axes | X-Axis | --- | X | -- |
| | Y-Axis | --- | X | X |
| | Z-Axis | X | X | -- |
| Sensitivity (Nominal) | | 10 mV/g | 1.8 mV/g | 6mV/g |
| Frequency Range (±3 dB) | | 1.0 Hz-20 kHz | 0.5 Hz to 4 kHz | 0.2 to 1500 Hz |
| Dynamic Range | | ±250 g | ±250 g | ±40 g |
| Resolution (@ 100 Hz) | | 40µg/√Hz | 200 µg/√Hz | 40 µg/√Hz |
| Resonant Frequency | | >35 kHz | 9.2 kHz | 3.4 kHz |
| Resonant Q (Hz/Hz) | | 30 | 10 | 10 |
| Transverse Sensitivity | | 5% | 15% | <20% |
| Linearity | | 0.1% | 0.1% | 0.1% |
| Operating Temperature | | -40 °C to +85 °C | -40 °C to +85 °C | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| Storage Temperature | | -40 °C to +85 °C | -40 °C to +85 °C | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| Maximum Shock | | 1000 g | 1000 g | 1000 g |
| Supply Voltage | | 3 V to 40 V | 3 V to 40 V | 3 V to 28 V |
| Supply Current | | 2 µA Typical | 6 µA Typical | 2 µA Typical |
| Weight | | 3 grams | 0.35 grams | 0.35 grams |
| Size (mm) | | 13 x 19 x 6 | 11 x 10 x 1.8 | 11 x 10 x 1.8 |
| Mounting Method | | Adhesive | Hand Solder to PCB | Hand Solder to PCB |

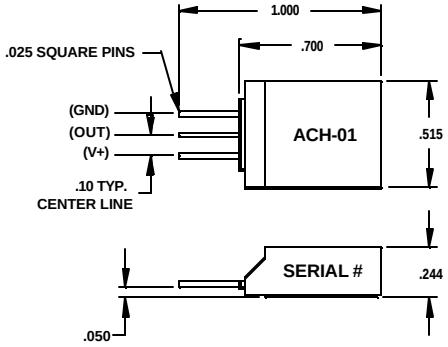
# ACH-01 (General Purpose)

The ACH-01 is an inexpensive, very robust, general purpose accelerometer with outstanding performance characteristics. The use of KYNAR Piezo Film in the ACH-01 provides many cost/performance advantages that allow it to be used in a wide range of applications where the use of traditional accelerometer technology is impractical. It is specifically designed for high volume applications which require the permanent installation of an accelerometer, such as machine health monitoring, modal analysis, automotive sensors, appliances, and feedback control systems.

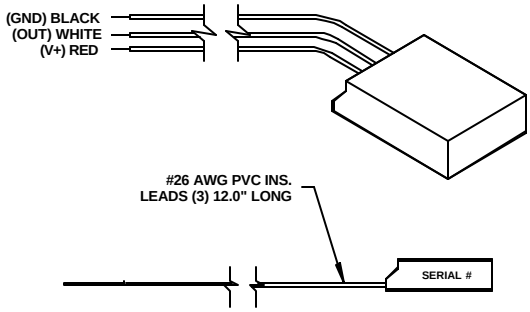
**FEATURES**

? Wide Frequency Response
? Excellent Phase Response
? Wide Temperature Range
? Wide Dynamic Range
? Small Temperature Dependence
? Low Cost
? Large Supply Voltage Range
? Excellent Linearity
? Low Impedance Output
? Very High Resonance
? Electrically Isolated Base
? Low Mechanical Q
• Low transverse sensitivity

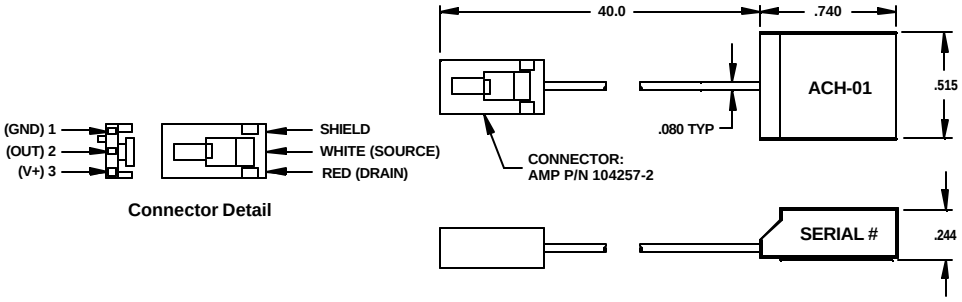
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**ACH-01-02 with Pins**




**ACH-01-04 with Wires**




**Connector Detail**

**ACH-01-03 with Shielded Cable**

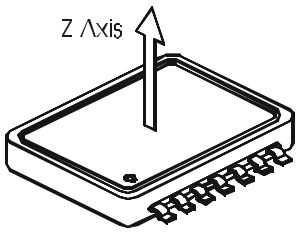
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| Description | Cable Configuration | Part # | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|---|
| ACH01-02/10 | 3 Pins, .25" square | 0-1000985-0 | $19.95 |
| ACH-01-03/10 | 40" coax cable with female connector | 1-1001220-0 | $19.95 |
| ACH-01-04/10 | Wires | 1-1001497-0 | $19.95 |


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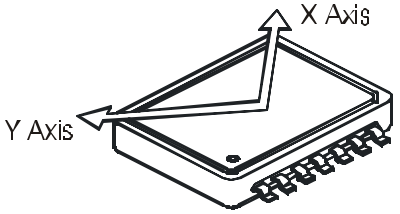
# ACH-04-08-05 (Multi-Axis)

**Sensitivity Axes**




The ACH-04-08-05 accelerometer contains three piezoelectric sensing elements oriented to simultaneously measure acceleration in three orthogonal, linear axes. Internal JFET's provide for a low impedance, buffered output with a wide variety of possible, application specific, signal conditioning circuitry. The sensor responds over a broad frequency range, from below 0.5Hz to above 5kHz, as a result of the integrated electronics and the damped sensing elements.

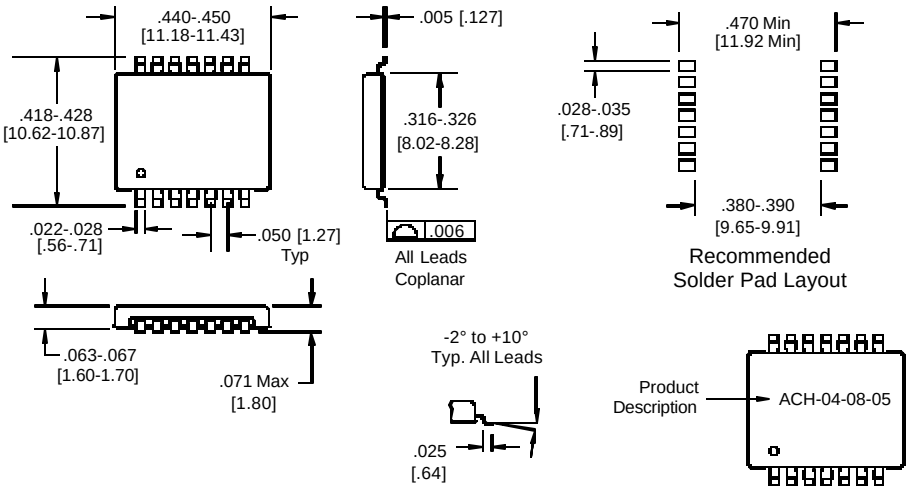
The ACH-04-08-05 accelerometer can be used in a wide range of applications including motional measurement and control systems, speaker feedback systems, vibration switches, shipment monitor and material handling systems, security systems, computer input/output devices, and data loggers. The device is not IR reflow solderable.




**FEATURES:**

? Fully Contained 3-Axis Accelerometer
? Low Frequency Response
? High Resonant Frequency & Low Q
? Excellent Linearity
? Three Simultaneous Analog Outputs
? Low-Impedance Output
? Ultra-Low Power
? Low Cost

ACH-04-08-05 Dimensions, PCB Layout and Marking




| Description | Part # | Low Volume price (US $) |
|---|---|---|
| ACH-04-08-05 | 0-1003800-5 | $25.00 |

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# ACH-04-08-09 (Single Axis)

The ACH-04-08-09 accelerometer contains a single mass loaded piezoelectric sensing element oriented to measure acceleration in the plane of the device. An internal JFET provides for a low impedance, buffered output allowing a wide variety of off chip application specific signal conditioning circuitry. The sensor responds over a broad frequency range, from below 0.5Hz to above 2kHz, as a result of the integrated electronics and the damped sensing elements.

The ACH-04-08-09 accelerometer can be used in a wide range of applications including motion measurement and control systems, speaker feedback systems, vibration switches, shipment monitor and material handling systems, security systems, computer input/output devices, and data loggers.

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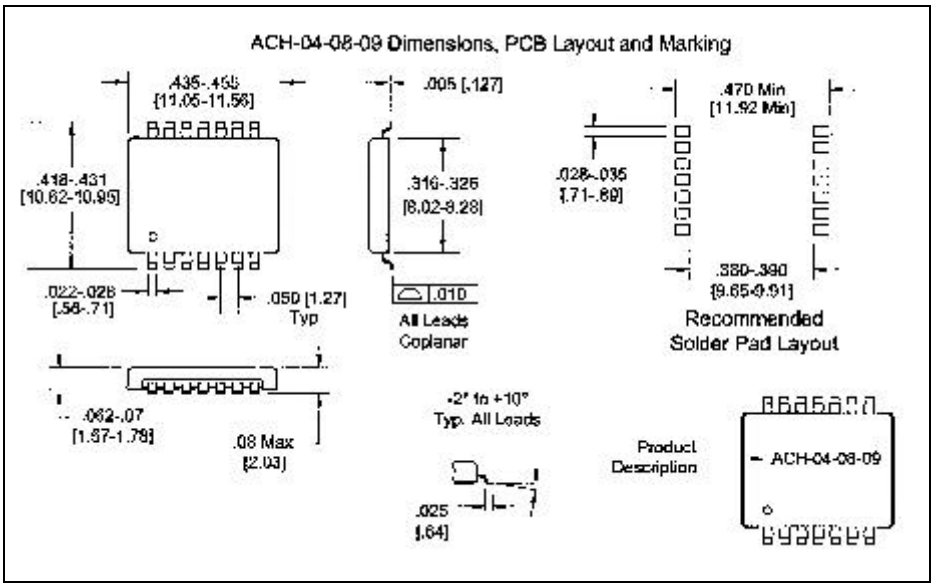



Sensitivity Axis




**FEATURES:**

- Fully Contained Single Axis Accelerometer
- Low Frequency Response
- Single Buffered Analog Output
- Low-Impedance Output
- Low Q at Resonance
- Excellent Linearity
- Ultra-Low Power (Typical $I_Q$ of 4mA)
- Low Cost




| Description | Part # | Low Volume price (US $) |
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| ACH-04-08-09 | 0-1005755-1 | $25.00 |

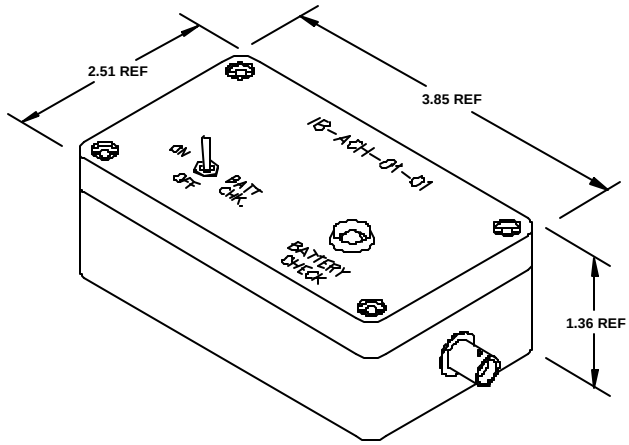
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# IB-ACH01 (Amplifier Box)

MSI has developed this low cost interface amplifier specifically for use with the ACH-01. It is designed to mate directly to the connector supplied with the ACH-01-03 assembly. For use with either the ACH-01-02 or ACH-01-04, an adapter is required to interface the two components.

| Characteristics | IB-ACH-01 |
|---|---|
| Gain | 10 X |
| Low Frequency Filter | -3dB @ 2 Hz, fixed |
| High Frequency Filter | -3dB @ 30 kHz, fixed |
| Power Supply | One 9 Volt Battery |
| Input Interface | FET for ACH-01 |
| Supply Current | 4.0 mA |
| Battery Life | 80 Hours |
| Low Battery Cutoff | 7.2 V |
| Output Impedance | 100 O |
| Output Connector | BNC |




| Description | Part # | Low Volume Price (US $) |
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| IB-ACH-01 | 0-1003058-0 | $100.00 |

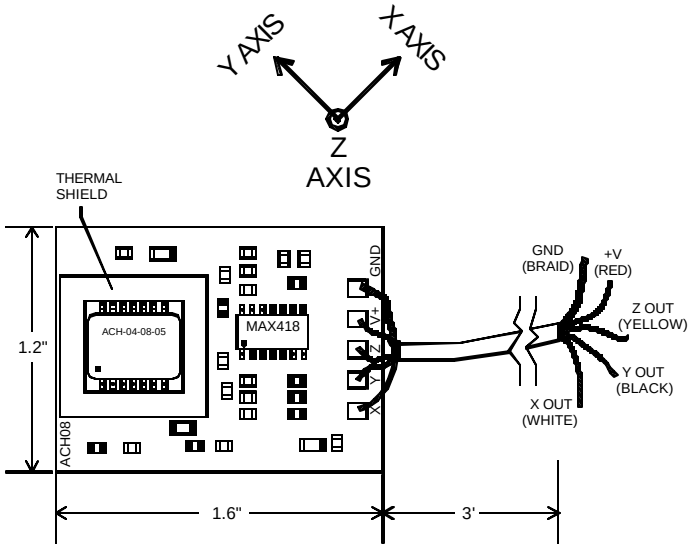
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# ACH-04-08-05 Analog Test PCB

The ACH04-08-05 Accelerometer Analog Test PCB provides a simple way to evaluate the ACH-04-08-05 three-axis accelerometer. The unit consists of the ACH-04-08-05 accelerometer, a low-power operational amplifier, along with passive resistors and capacitors to provide signal conditioning. The sensor and circuit are preassembled on a double-sided, printed circuit board with three feet of flexible cable for easy user interface. The system demonstrates the basic capabilities of the ACH-04-08-05 accelerometer. Detailed specification sheets are available from our website.

**FEATURES:**

? Signal Conditioned 3-Axis Accelerometer
? High-Pass Filter @ 0.34Hz
? Low-Pass Filter @ 185Hz
? Requires Only Single +5V Power Supply
? Three Simultaneous Analog Outputs
? Low-Impedance Output
? Integrated Thermal Shield
? Ultra-Low Power (13µA @ 5V)

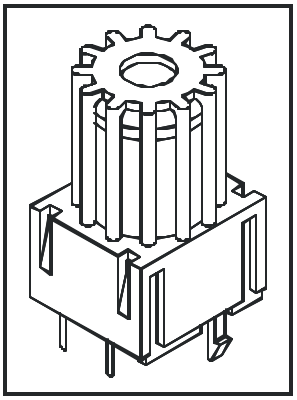



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| ACH-04-08-05 Analog Test PCB | 0-1005685-1 | $50.00 |

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# 40kHz Omni Directional Ultrasound Transmitters
# 40kHz Wide Angle Ultrasound Receivers



Piezoelectric film (PVDF) ultrasound transmitters and receivers offer unique advantages for air ranging applications. Cylindrical 40kHz PVDF transmitters exhibit omni-directional horizontal beam directivity and broad band characteristics.

Cylindrical 40kHz PVDF receivers exhibit very wide horizontal beam directivity and broad band characteristics. These characteristics lend unique solutions in many applications such as two-dimensional positioning, digitizer, object detection, and distance measurement.

Depending on the applications, resonance frequency and vertical beam directivity of the transmitter and receiver can easily be customized by changing the diameter and length of the PVDF cylinder. The receiver has a very wide horizontal beam angle and it can be reduced by changing the housing design if necessary.

PVDF transmitters and receivers also have very low resonance Q value. Typically, PVDF transmitters have a Q value of 5 and PVDF receivers have a Q value of 4 This means that the rising time and the signal decay time are much faster than the conventional ceramic transmitters. This characteristic is suitable for high speed data acquisition or high speed digitizer applications.

A test board, consisting of snap-in mounting holes and test pins, is available for easy evaluation of the 40kHz transmitters. A preamplifier is available for easy evaluation of the 40kHz receivers.

**FEATURES:**

- Omni-directional horizontal beam directivity
- Broad band
- Low resonance Q
- Excellent impact resistance
- Low cost
- Light weight

| Description | Part # | Low Volume Price (1 - 9) (US $) |
|---|---|---|
| 40 kHz Transmitter | 1005853-1 | $10.00 |
| Test Board (for Transmitter) | 1005854-1 | $10.00 |
| Drive Electronics (for Transmitter) | 1005855-1 | $100.00 |
| 40kHz Receiver | 1005856-1 | $10.00 |
| Preamplifier Board (for Receiver) | 1005857-1 | $25.00 |

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# Shockwriter 3000®




The Shockwriter 3000 is a portable event recorder which monitors the environmental conditions during transportation and records specific events which exceed user defined standards. The combination of a triaxial accelerometer and thermistor provide the capability to accurately record vibration (shock) in any axes simultaneously as well as temperature. All recorded information is stored with the commensurate date including hour and minutes for easy possession tracking.

The unit is designed with a great deal of flexibility such that the end user can program the specific operating conditions based upon their specific application. The unit is easily programmed by a simple menu driven setup screen through an RS-232 serial interface port and a host computer (portable PC). In addition, the unit can be reprogrammed at any time in the future if the application or environmental conditions merit different monitoring thresholds.

Some of the specific operating parameters programmed by the end user include: temperature monitoring thresholds and intervals; acceleration thresholds and duration of event; sleep mode power conservation; data storage priority sorting and arming method. The most significant vibration events will contain additional information that will allow the user to graph the information (all three axes) or save it for further processing including signature analysis or statistical process control.

**FEATURES**

? Measures shock in three axes simultaneously, as well as temperature extremes, with commensurate date and time
? Password protected memory and setup configuration
? Permanent memory of data (even with loss or interruption of power)
? User friendly menu driven software programmed via RS232 port, DOS compatible or Windows95
? Lightweight (2.5lbs); slim profile
? Battery powered with long life power saving options
? Over 700 separate total events can be recorded
? Significant events can be easily graphed or transferred to more familiar software packages
? Fast software prevents Shockwriter from missing events
? Reusable for many different applications
? Affordable

For additional information, request the Shockwriter Catalog.

**APPLICATIONS**

? Continuation of ISO 9000 practices throughout transit
? Detection of events that may cause hidden damage (before installation begins)
? In-house materials handling / production monitoring
? Military hardware - certificate of transportation
? Aerospace hardware - certificate of transportation
? Insurance claim assistance
? Machinery monitoring
? Packaging optimization
? Air cargo quality
? International ocean transportation
? Railroad car coupling events

| Description | Part # | Low Volume Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|
| Shockwriter Kit (contains Shockwriter, software, power pack, data cable) | 0-1005204-1 | $1,350.00 |
| Data Cable (additional) | 0-1005118-1 | $80.00 |
| Power Pack (additional) | 0-1005117-1 | $70.00 |

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# KITS:

A good way to learn more about piezo film sensors is to purchase one of our design kits. These kits illustrate the use of piezo film in different configurations, and are a good starting point to learn more about piezo film sensors and their applications.

**Basic Design Kit:** This kit demonstrates the use of MSI piezo film sensors as microphones, speakers, switches and acoustic pickups. All the components and film samples in the kit can be used for experimentation.

***Contents of the Basic Design Kit:***

- Technical Manual
- Speaker Element
- Piezo Cable
- Flicker
- SW100-01-F
- ACH04-08-05
- SDT1-028K
- DT0-028K
- LDT1-028K
- DT1-028K
- Test PCB ACH-04-08 (w/o Analog circuit)
- Application Notes
- Application Specs
- Instruction Sheets

**Piezo Cable Kit:** This kit features MSI piezo polymer in coaxial cable format. Piezo cable is especially useful for large area sensing applications such as physical security and safety mat sensors, proximity sensors, traffic sensors and security fence transducers.

***Contents of the Piezo Cable Kit:***

- Technical Manual
- Application Specs
- 20 AWG Piezo Cable spliced to RG-174/U with BNC Connector

**Vibration and Acceleration Kit:** This kit demonstrates the capabilities of piezo film as a vibration sensor and accelerometer component. The kit includes shielded and unshielded thin film sensors and an ACH-01 accelerometer component with an interface amplifier.

***Contents of the Vibration and Acceleration Kit:***

- Technical Manual
- SDT1-028K
- ACH-01 MSI Box
- ACH01-03/10
- LDT1-028K
- LDT0-028K
- DT1-028K
- 9 Volt Battery
- Application Specs
- Instruction Sheets

**Ultrasound Design Kit (40KHz):** This kit demonstrates the basic design concept of ultrasonic digitizers and distance measurements. Since piezo film ultrasound transducers have low Q values and very wide beam directivities, it is perfect for high resolution position detection applications. The kit includes transmitters, receivers, and interface electronics.

***Contents of the Ultrasound Design Kit:***

- Four 40KHz transmitters
- Four 40KHz receivers
- One drive electronic circuit board
- Two preamplifiers
- Two test boards
- Cable assemblies
- Product data sheets and an instruction sheet

| Description | Part # | Price (US $) |
|---|---|---|
| Basic Design Kit | 0-1004308-0 | $135.00 |
| Piezo Cable Kit | 0-1003726-0 | $75.00 |
| Vibration/Acceleration Kit | 0-1003460-0 | $189.00 |
| Ultrasound Design Kit | 0-1005870-1 | $200.00 |

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