



Company Introduction

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Churod Electronics Profile

- ◆ **Founded in 2009**, a leading **Relay, Contactor, and Sensor solution** provider for global customers.
- ◆ Our mission is to provide global customers a full range of **high-quality products and value-add services**.
- ◆ Own **5 production sites** in China, **branch offices** in the U.S. and Germany, and **research institutes** in Tokyo.
- ◆ Continuously **invest on innovation** and spend **>8%** of annual turnover on R&D.
- ◆ Equipped with **world-class internal lab** test capabilities, products are certified by CQC, CE, TUV, VDE, and cUL, etc.
- ◆ **IPD (Integrated Project Development) process** ensured development quality and quick response to customer.
- ◆ Deliver **300+million products** each year, Keep leading position in 5G, Automotive and new energy industry globally.



1200+

Global Employees



10

Institutes



5

Plants

Business Unit

Relay



- ◆ 30% sale revenue increase in 2021
- ◆ Top 3 relay brand in China in New Energy space

Sensor



- ◆ Churod Sensing starts in 2019, Founded in 2021
- ◆ SOP in 2022

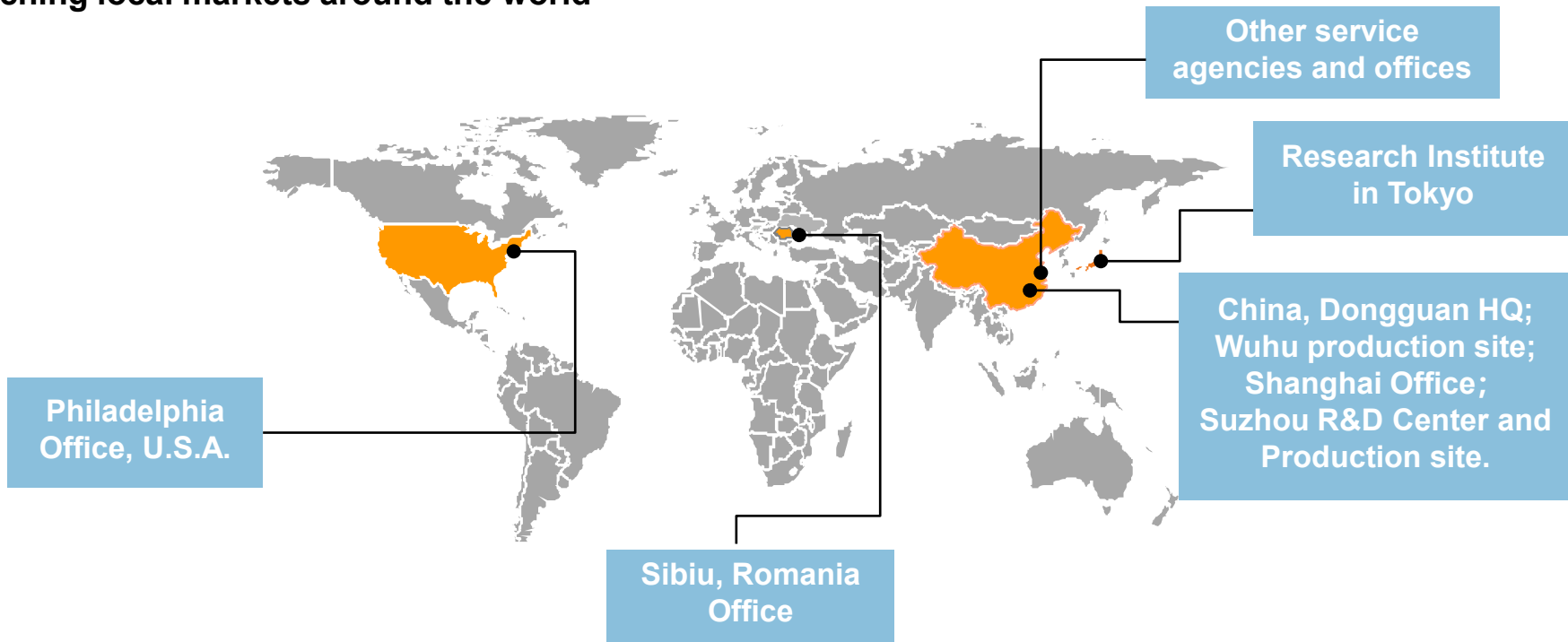
Contactora



- ◆ Joint Venture with Sensata founded in July 2021
- ◆ Supply Automotive OEM in 2021

Global Footprint

Reaching local markets around the world



Honor & Capabilities



Honor & Qualification

- CHUROD Lab has UL & TUV Witness Test Certification
- Part of our Patent Certificate, CNAS Certification

Test Capability

- Reliability Test for new developed products
 - Regular Tests for massive production products
 - Special tests requested by customers
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- Able to replicate most customer load tests involving resistive, inductive, capacitive, motor, and lighting loads etc.
 - Our environmental testing includes heat, humidity, thermal shock, salt spray, shock, vibration etc.
 - IEC testing for glow wire, ball pressure, explosion-proof seal etc.

部分专利证书



Churod实验室已获得UL及TUV试验室资格证书



体系证书ISO9001



体系证书ISO14001



体系证书IATF16949



Automation Strategy

CHUROD is a leader in overall level of automation



Fully automatic injection molding

Fully automatic steel stamping

Fully automatic coil winding

Fully automatic semi-finished products assembly

Fully automatic WIP products quality check

Fully automatic workshop



Major Industry Application



Photovoltaic



**Communication
Power**



Energy Storage



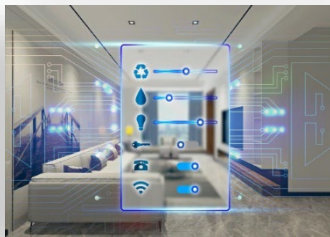
Safety



Electricity Meter



**Home
Appliance**



**Smart
Home**



**Industrial
Vehicles**



**Charging
Piles**



Automotive

Business Partners

Auto



5G Indu.



Home App.



photovoltaic



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Churod Sensing History

■ 2006-2009
OEM Manufacturer

2006

■ Jan. 2010
CHUROD'S **First Plant**
started production

2010



■ Jun. 2016
CHUROD's **Third Plant**
started production

2016



■ 2021
CHUROD SENSING TECHNOLOGIES
is founded

2021



■ Oct. 2009
CHUROD launched
the brand

2009



2014



■ Jun. 2014
CHUROD's **Second Plant**
started production

2020



■ Oct. 2021
CHUROD's **Fourth Plant**
started construction

2021



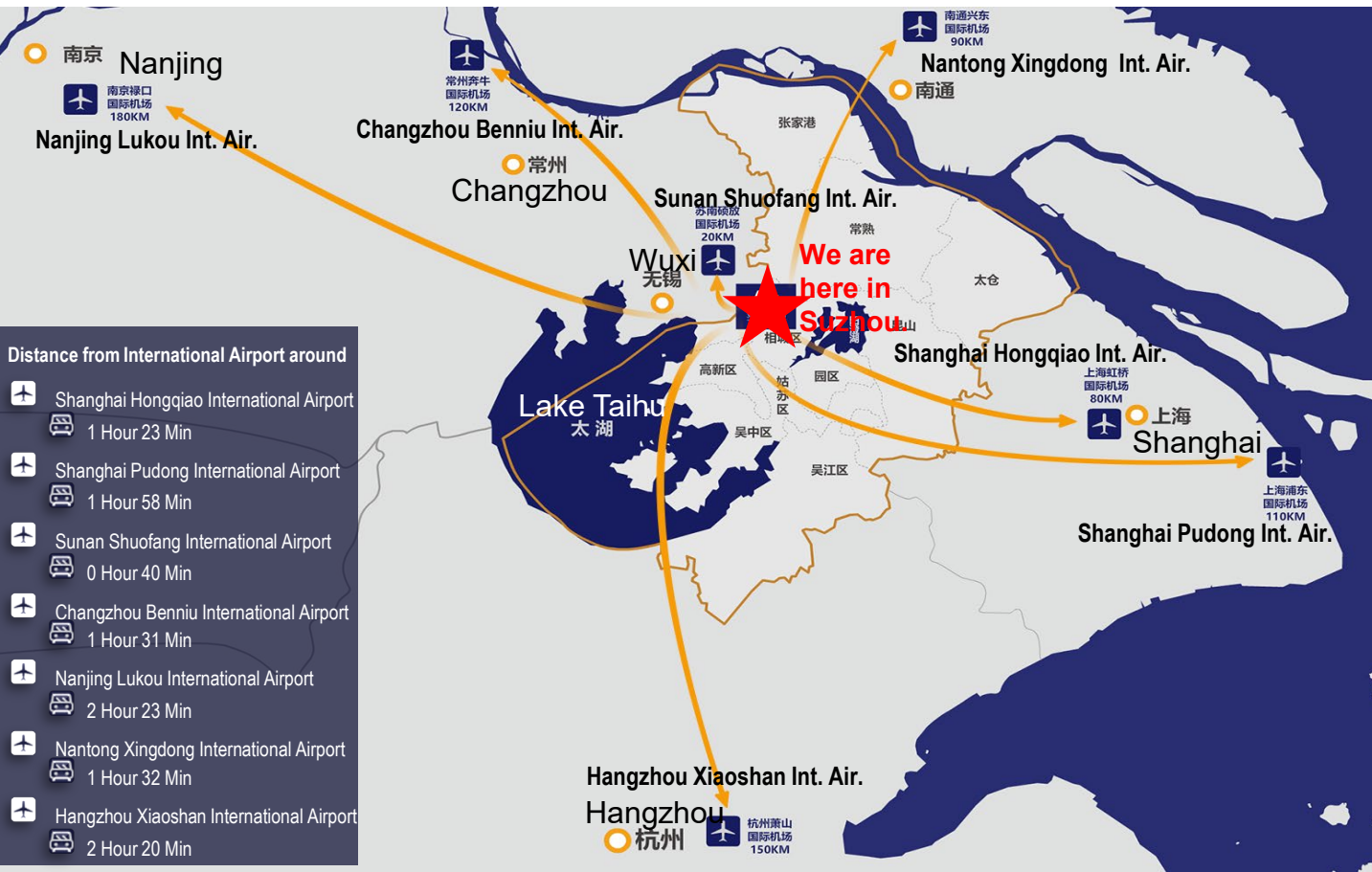
■ 2021
CHUROD SENSING
acquired **Sensata BPS**
business

R&D Center and Manufacturing Site

Churod Sensing Technologies located in Suzhou city, JiangSu Province.



Where Are We Located?



Distance from International Airport around

✈️ Shanghai Hongqiao International Airport	1 Hour 23 Min
✈️ Shanghai Pudong International Airport	1 Hour 58 Min
✈️ Sunan Shuofang International Airport	0 Hour 40 Min
✈️ Changzhou Benniu International Airport	1 Hour 31 Min
✈️ Nanjing Lukou International Airport	2 Hour 23 Min
✈️ Nantong Xingdong International Airport	1 Hour 32 Min
✈️ Hangzhou Xiaoshan International Airport	2 Hour 20 Min



Our Vision

A world leading sensing solution provider to make the world smarter!

传感科技的引领者，让世界更智能！

Our Values

Respect
Responsibility
Innovation
Excellence

尊重
负责任
创新
卓越

Technical Platform and Application

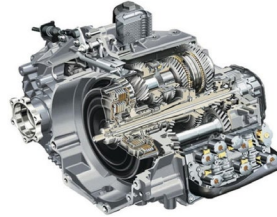
Battery Pack Thermal Runaway Detection



Engine



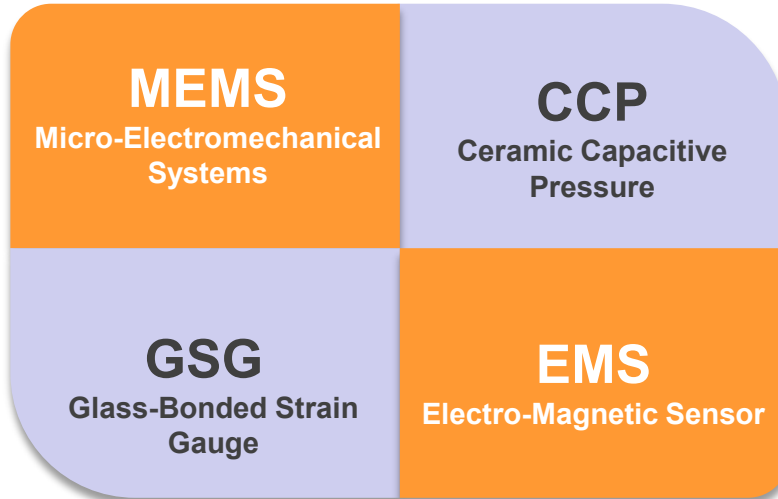
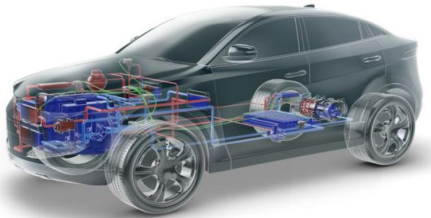
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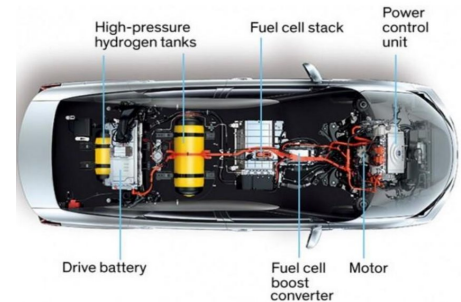
HVAC



Thermal Management



Fuel Cell



Product Development Experience – on Passenger Cars

Engine System

- ✓ GDI rail pressure sensor
- ✓ Common rail pressure sensor
- ✓ Fuel pressure sensor
- ✓ Crankcase pressure sensor
- ✓ Oil pressure + Temperature
- ✓ Air intake manifold pressure + Temperature
- ✓ Fuel evaporation pressure sensor

Transmission System

- ✓ DCT pressure sensor
- ✓ AT pressure sensor
- ✓ CVT pressure sensor
- ✓ Transmission Speed and position sensor
- ✓ Accelerator pedal

Cabin Comfort

- ✓ AC pressure + temperature
- CO2 concentration



Chasis System

- ✓ Air suspension pressure sensor

Active Safety / ADAS

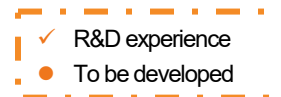
- ✓ ESC pressure sensor
- ✓ Vacuum booster pressure sensor

Exhaust Treatment System

- ✓ DPF differential pressure sensor
- ✓ GPF differential pressure sensor
- ✓ Exhaust back pressure sensor

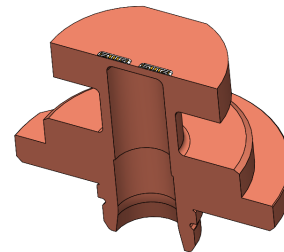
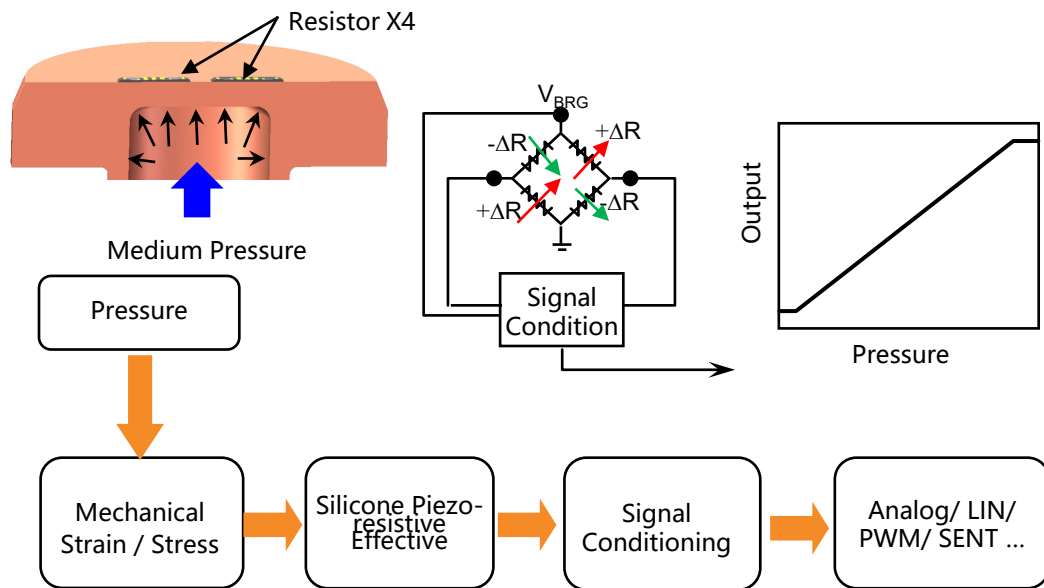
For EV

- ✓ Battery thermal runaway detection
- ✓ Current sensor
- ✓ Contactor



Churod GSG Pressure Sensor

GSG (Glass-Bonded Strain Gage) : Based on piezoresistive effect. Strain gages are bonded onto the metal membrane through micro-fused glass. The pressure changes in the port will result in resistive changes which can be conditioned to gage the pressure.



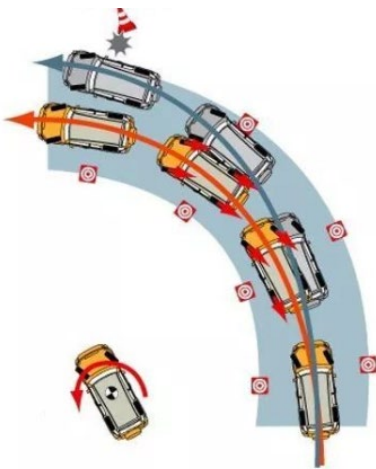
- Pressure applied onto the stainless steel port, used to measure high pressure up to 4000Bar.
- True hermetic design.
- Good Medium compatibility and good corrosion resistance.
- High accuracy by linearity + temperature compensation.
- **Typical Application: Common Rail, GDI, ESC, Braking Force etc.**

Typical Application – ESC/One box

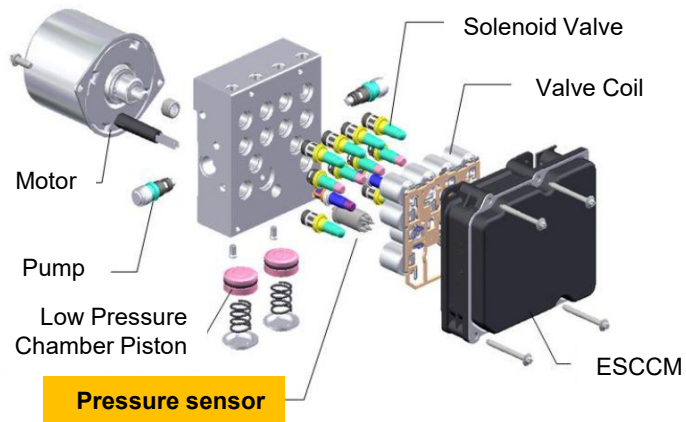
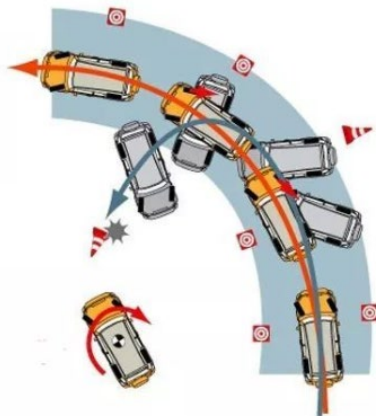


Keep vehicle stable by braking one or multiple wheels.

Under steering



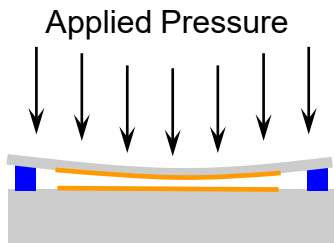
Over steering



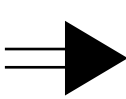
High performance requirements on ESC sensor. Because it is impact passenger safety.

- High reliability
- Meet Functional Safety (ASIL C)
- Performance stability
- Small form factor

Churod CCP Pressure Sensor

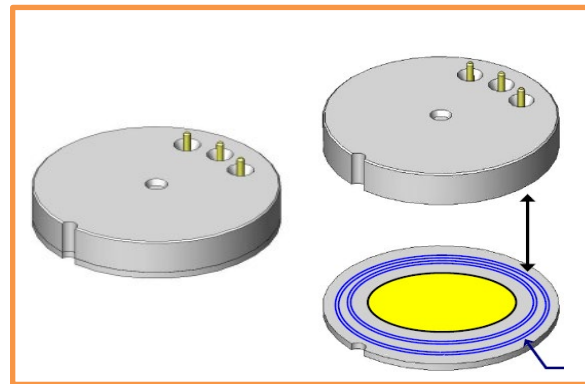


$$C = \frac{\epsilon A}{d}$$



 Signal Conditioning

Analog/LIN/
PWM/ SENT ...



Pressure



Ceramic
Diaphragm
deformation



Distance change
results in capacitive
change



Signal
Conditioning

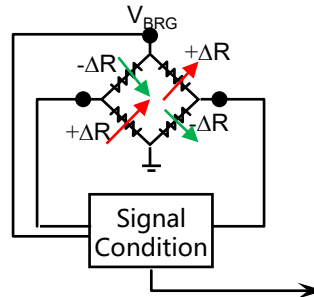
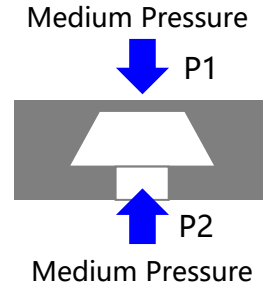
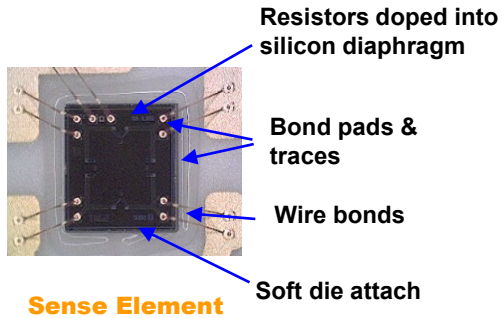


Analog/LIN/ PWM/
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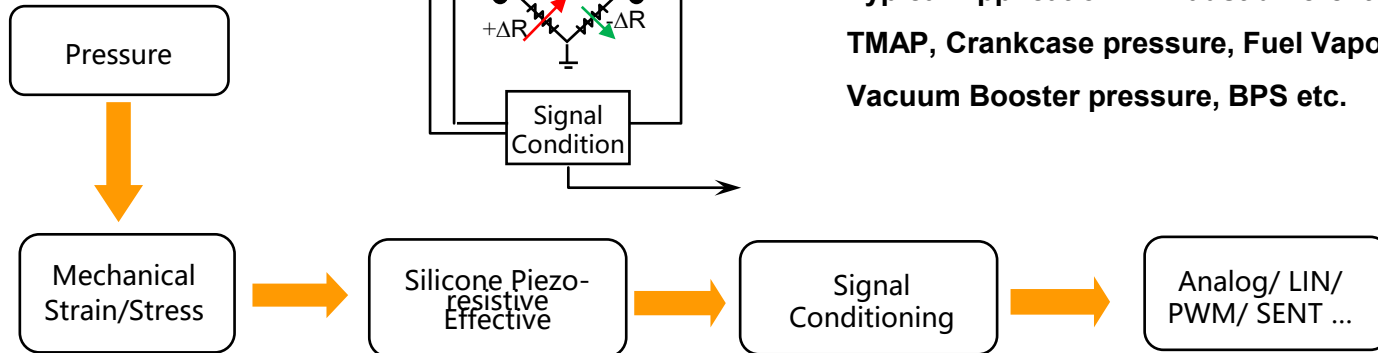
C = Capacitive
 ϵ = Permittivity
 A = Area
 d = Distance

- Based on mature CCP technology, can achieve high reliability and high accuracy;
- Excellent medium compatibility;
- **Typical Application: Exhaust Back pressure, AC, FCV, Oil pressure, Transmission pressure etc.**

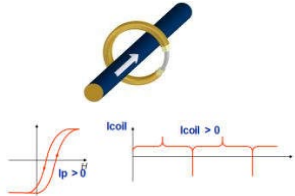

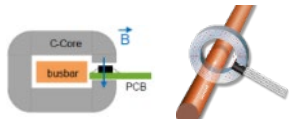

Churod MEMS Pressure Sensor



- Pressure across diaphragm results in tensile stress in center, compressive stress at edge.
- Strain-sensitive piezo resistors are implanted in silicon substrate and connected in a full bridge configuration.
- Applied pressure results in a bridge imbalance that is amplified and compensated in signal conditioning electronics.
- **Typical Application: Exhaust differential pressure sensor, TMAP, Crankcase pressure, Fuel Vapor pressure, Vacuum Booster pressure, BPS etc.**

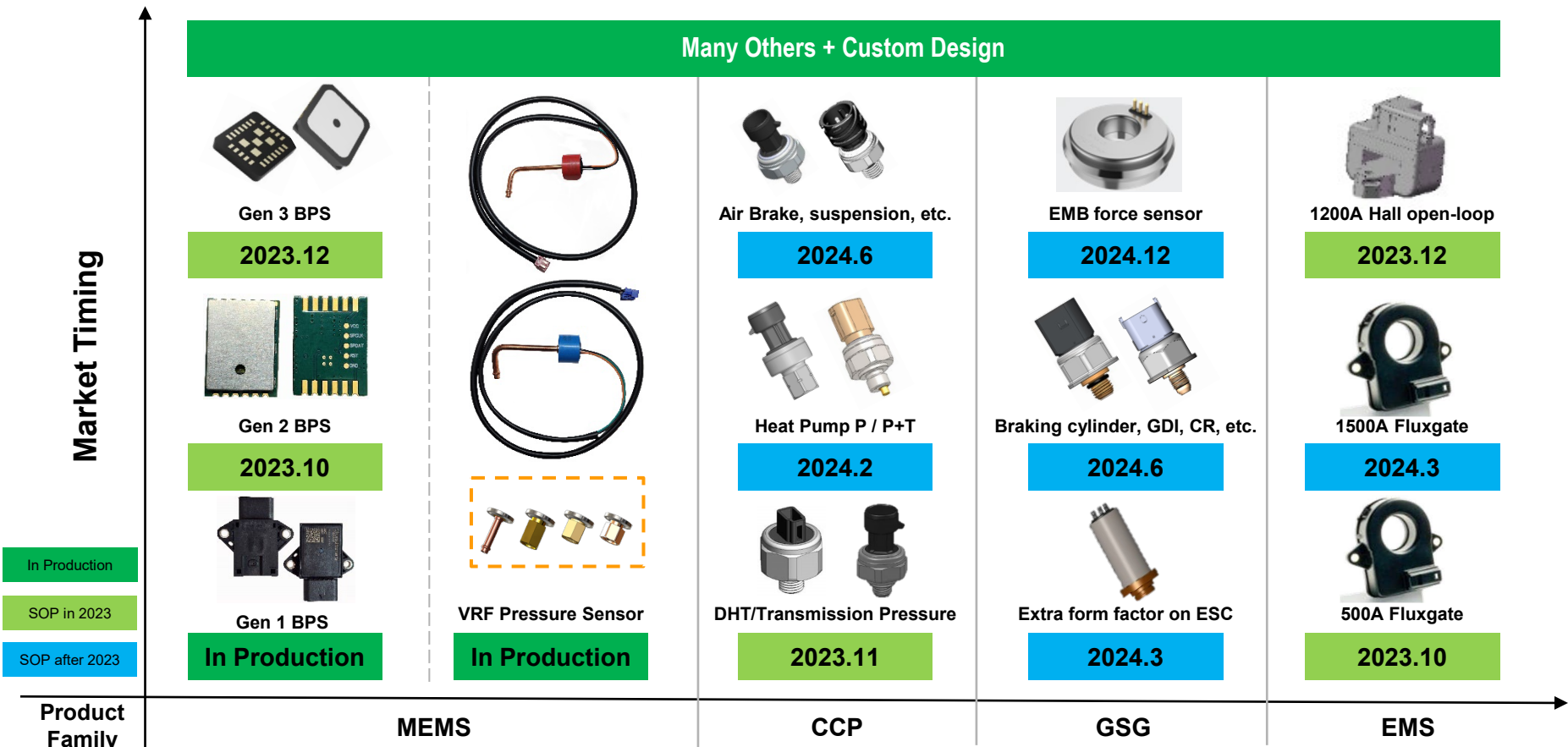


Churod EMS Sensor

<u>Current Sensor Technologies</u>	<u>Sensor Product</u>	<u>Current Range</u>	<u>Accuracy</u>
<p><i>Fluxgate</i></p>  <p>The diagram shows a fluxgate core with a coil and a magnet. Below it, a waveform shows the coil current i_{coil} and the resulting signal $i_p > 0$.</p>	 <p>Three different physical models of fluxgate sensors are shown.</p>	<p>$\pm 500A$ $\pm 1500A$</p>	<p>$<0.3\%@RT$ $<0.5\%@All T$</p>
<p><i>Open-loop Hall</i></p>  <p>The diagram shows a C-Core with a busbar and a PCB. A magnetic field B is indicated. Below it, a physical model of the sensor is shown.</p>	 <p>Two different physical models of open-loop Hall sensors are shown.</p>	<p>$\pm 600A$ $\pm 900A$ $\pm 1000A$ $\pm 1200A$</p>	<p>$<1.25\%@RT$ $<2.75\%@All T$</p>

- Based on mature technology, can achieve high reliability and high accuracy;
- Small zero offset;
- **Typical Application: Battery pack main current, Motor control etc.**

Market Timing



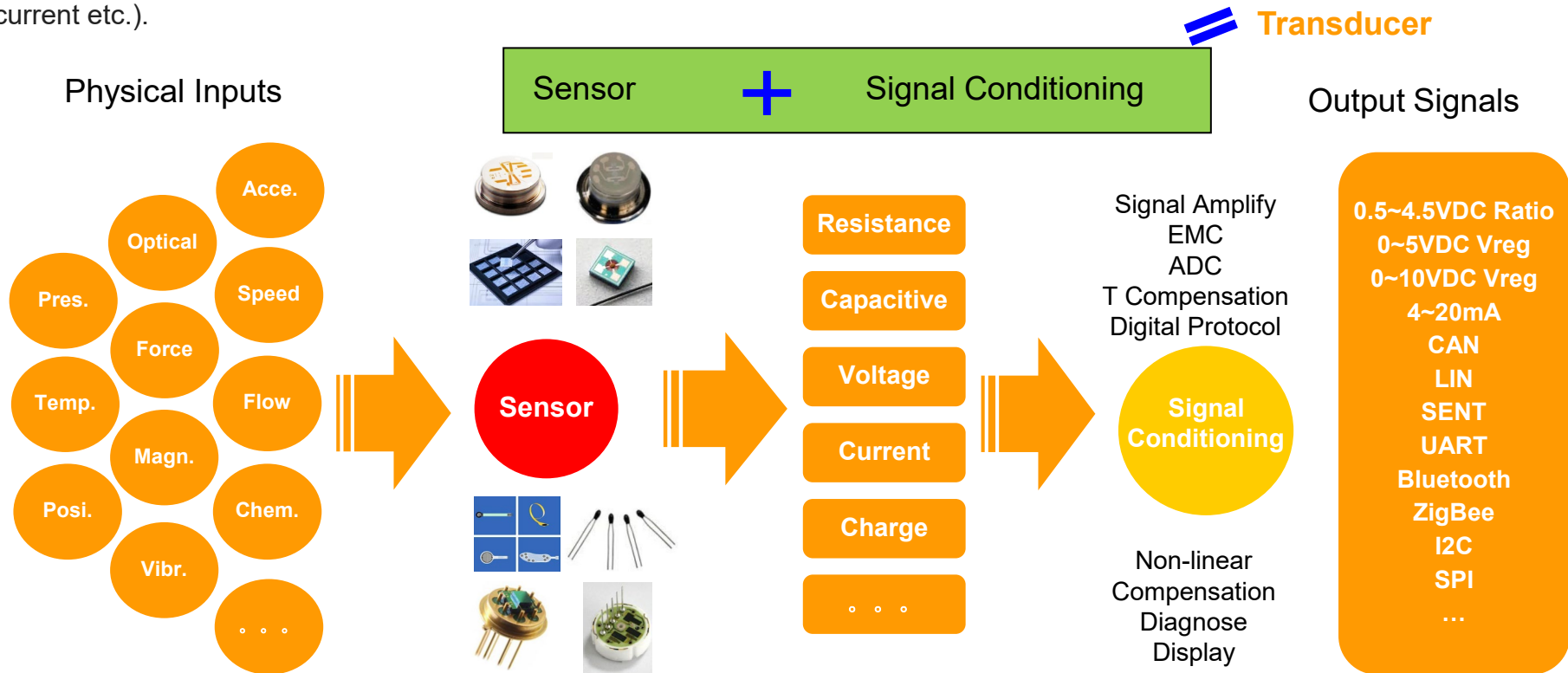


Smart BPS Introduction

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What Is a Sensor or a Transducer?

- The **sensor** is a device that measures the physical quantity (i.e. Heat, light, sound, etc.) into an easily readable signal (voltage, current etc.).



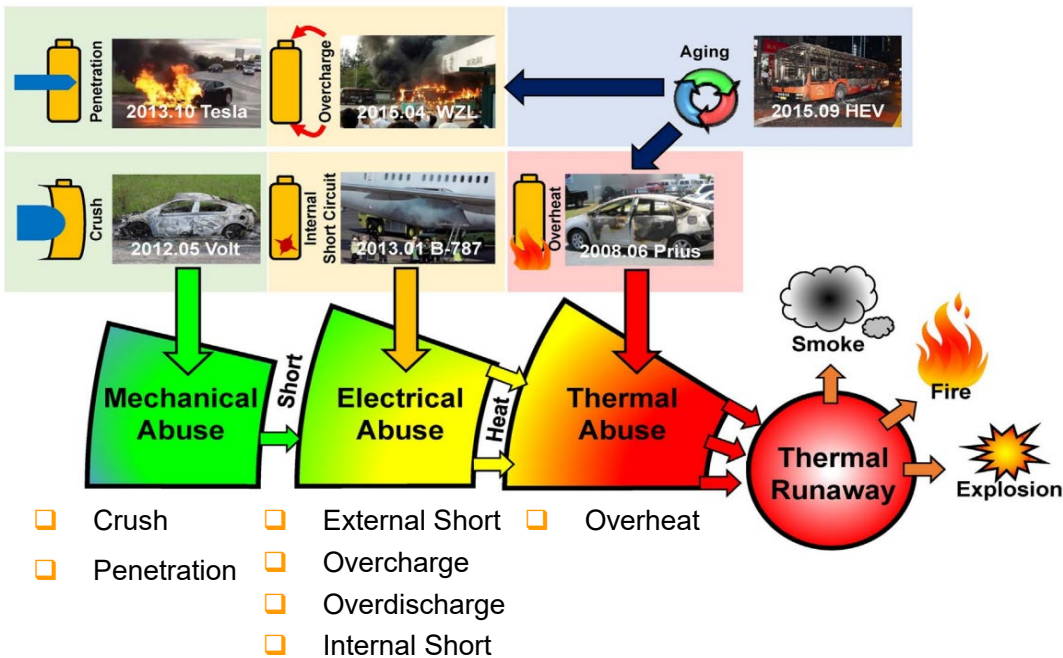
Where Are the Sensor Used?



Sensors are everywhere.

Battery Thermal Runaway Event

- Thermal runaway is an uncontrolled chain reaction caused by mechanical, electrical, thermal abuses or a combination of abuse.
- Thermal runaway leads to battery uncontrolled self-heating up to 400-1000°C and easily propagates to other cells which could end with a destructive result like fire or explosion.



Though the battery technology is kept on optimizing, the thermal runaway events are still unavoidable nowadays!

Safety Legislations for Thermal Runaway

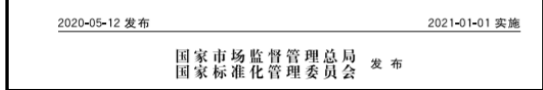
**CN MIIT legislation of
‘Electric vehicles traction battery safety requirements’
Effective on Jan 1st 2021.**



Purpose 6

“An alert signal of thermal event should be provided 5min earlier before any danger to cabin due to a battery cell thermal runaway leads to thermal propagation (for vehicle thermal event alert of passenger evacuation). If thermal propagation wouldn't lead to any danger to cabin, the requirement is met.”

- Implemented from Jan. 1st 2021 for vehicle model needs new type approval.
- Implemented from Jan. 1st 2022 for vehicle model acquired type approval.



NEV Global Safety Technical Specification / EVS-GT unanimously approved at the 174th conference of WP.29 in Mar.2018.

❑ **EVS - GTR Phase 1**

- Scheduled for adoption March 2018
- Amended ECE R 100 adopted end of 2020

❑ **EVS - GTR Phase. 2 / mandatory**

- No ext. fire / explosion / smoke in cabin within 5 minutes after warning
- Implementation 2020 and beyond
- China earlier (2020)
- Status:
 - Adoption end 2021
 - Amended ECE R 100 adopted 2023

What's Hidden Behind the Thermal Runaway Events?



2021/12/22 driving



2022/3/22 Driving



2020/8/20 Charging



2022/4/21 Charging



2020/10/5 Parking



2022/5/15 Parking

Vehicle status of thermal runaway event

Status	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Driving/%	36	41	38	40	40
Charging/%	43	19	19	35	22
Parking/%	21	40	43	25	38
<i>*Source</i>	China EV Battery Safety Summit, August 2018	https://www.d1ev.com/news/jshu/97394	https://zhuantian.zhihu.com/p/363323648	2022 World Power Battery Conference -- Jinhua Sun	http://www.360doc.com/content/22/12/06/02/33818803_1059111103.shtml

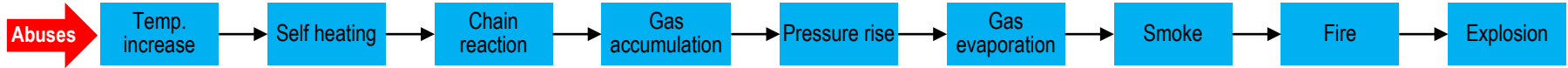
* The statistics are based on some reported thermal runaway events
Accident caused events are classified in Driving mode

Possible causes of thermal events during parking

1. When the vehicle is parked, thermal management system stops working but hot battery's heat may not be completely dissipated yet;
2. Environmental temperature can reach over 65°C in summer, which exceeds the operating temperature range of NCM battery;
3. High humidity/water cause short of electrical components.

Thermal runaway detection during **parking** is essential for safety & legislation compliance

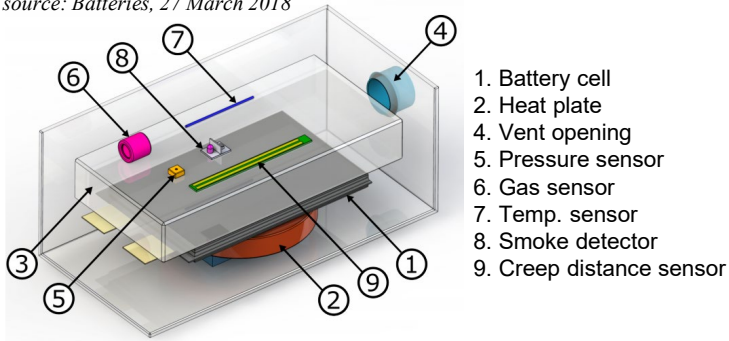
Thermal Runaway Process & Detection



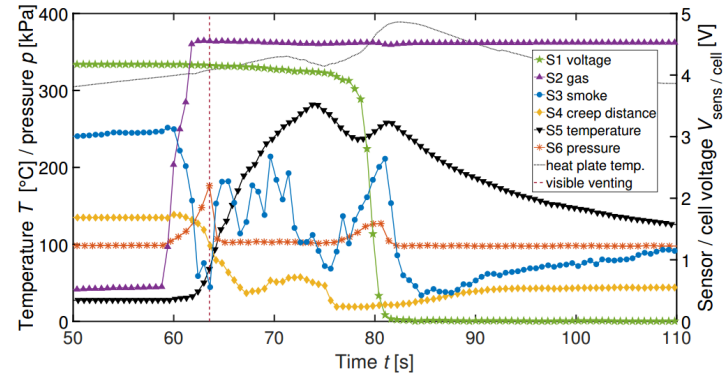
Temperature, Pressure, Gas .etc Can Be Measured as Signal to Indicate Thermal Runaway
Which One is the best (Fast, Most Reliable and Low Cost)?

Thermal runaway Detection solutions

Data source: Batteries, 27 March 2018



Sensor	Detection Speed	Signal Clarity	Sensor Feasibility
S1 voltage	-	+	+
S2 gas	+	+	-
S3 smoke	-	0	0
S4 creep distance	-	-	+
S5 temperature	0	0	0
S6 pressure	+	-	+
S7 force	+	-	0



Conclusions:

- Gas, Pressure, Smoke, and force have shown to react the fastest. And pressure sensing is the one with highest feasibility.
- Signal clarity can be addressed by software algorithm.
- Pressure measurement does not depend on position within battery, because pressure travels with the speed of sound.

Detection methods Comparison

Why current BMS (voltage, current & temperature) is not sufficient for thermal runaway detection?

- ✓ BMS with low confidence level to detect thermal runaway if no additional sensing
- ✓ High probability of cell signal lost since CMU or harness be damaged in early stage due to high temperature venting
- ✓ BMS can't achieve 24/7 operation especially in parking due to power consumption

Sensing technologies comparison

Sensor type	Qualified Auto grade	Detecting speed	Reliability	Signal clarity	Power consumption	Diagnostics	Flexibility ²	System cost
Pressure	+	+	+	0	+	+	+	+
Gas	-	+	-	+	-	0	0	0
Smoke	-	-	-	0	0	0	0	0
T (point)	+	0 ¹	+	0	+	+	-	0
T (cable)	-	+	0	+	+	0	-	-

Note1: T(point) is position sensitive

Note2: Including flexibility for mounting location/position and the flexibility to adapt different cells, modules and packs

Pack pressure is the best add-on signal for thermal runaway detection (well recognized by most OEMs)
Pressure (coupled with V/T from BMS) is the most reliable, easy-to-use and cost-effective system solution

Churod Smart Solution – More than a Pressure Sensor

- Churod Smart BPS enables parking mode with BMS wakeup function and low power consumption.

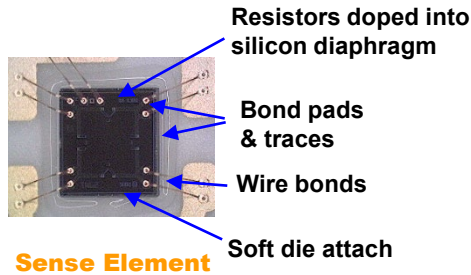
Churod Sensing Smart Battery Pressure Sensor Solution (BPS)



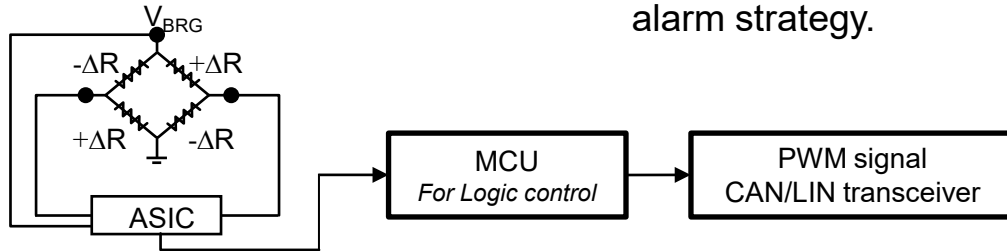
Churod Smart BPS's Value

- Proven algorithm to eliminate false warning and miss warning for thermal runaway with **high reliability**
- Extremely **low power consumption** during parking (<0.2mA)
- 24/7 operation, and offer **wakeup BMU** function during parking
- **Automotive Grade** Design
- **Easy to mount**, and independent from mounting position
- **Quick response** & warning to thermal propagation within 10s
- Help Customer to **reduce system cost**

Sensing Technology - Working Principle



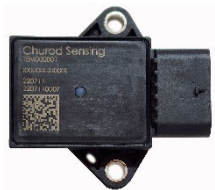
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- Strain-sensitive piezo resistors are implanted in silicon substrate and connected in a full bridge configuration
- Applied pressure results in a bridge imbalance that is amplified and compensated in signal conditioning electronics
- MCU is used for logic control for different working mode and alarm strategy.



BPS Roadmap

Gen 1 BPS

- ❑ Protocol: **CAN/PWM/LIN**
- ❑ Power supply: 6~18V, 12V typ.
- ❑ Power consumption:
 - <35mA @ high power operating
 - <0.2mA @ BMS sleep mode
- ❑ Working temperature: -40~125degC
- ❑ Pressure range:
 - 50~165KPaA
 - Providing customization
- ❑ Accuracy:
 - ±1% FS @ 0 ~ 100degC
 - ±2% FS @ -40 & 125degC
- ❑ Automotive grade electronics w/ MCU
- ❑ BMS Wakeup & Sensor status warning

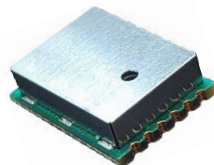


Schedule

- ❑ In Production

Gen 2 BPS

- ❑ Protocol: **UART/IIC**
- ❑ Power supply: 3~5.5V
- ❑ Power consumption:
 - <7mA @ high power operating
 - <0.06mA @ BMS sleep mode
- ❑ Pressure range:
 - 50~165KpaA
 - Providing customization
- ❑ Accuracy:
 - ±1% FS @ 0 ~ 100degC
 - ±2% FS @ -40 & 125degC
- ❑ **State machine and software algorithm can be transferred directly from Gen 1 product**
- ❑ **Low cost**



Schedule

- ❑ 2022. 10 → B Sample
- ❑ 2023. 6 → C Sample
- ❑ 2023. 10 → SOP

Gen 3 BPS

- ❑ Protocol: **UART**
- ❑ Power supply: 3.3V
- ❑ Power consumption:
 - <7mA @ high power operating
 - <0.06mA @ BMS sleep mode
- ❑ ASIL C (TBD)
- ❑ **State machine and software algorithm can be transferred directly from Gen 1 & Gen 2 product**
- ❑ **Low cost**



Schedule

- ❑ 2023. 6 → B Sample
- ❑ 2023. 9 → C Sample
- ❑ 2023. 12 → SOP

Target Customers

Battery Pack Suppliers:



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Key OEMs Globally:



Das Auto.



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Power Storage Companies:



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Thanks !