SDG500 Quartz MEMS Angular Rate Sensor

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Applications

- Attitude Control for Small Business & **Regional Aircraft**
- Antenna, Optical Platform Stabilization & Pointing
- Instrumentation
- Motion Control
- **Robotics & Robotic Vehicles**

Key Performance Features

- Outstanding Vibration & Noise Performance
- Exceptional Bias Stability
- Compact Size, No Wear-Out Mechanisms
- High Reliability & Long Life
- DC Voltage Input/High-Level Analog DC Voltage Output
- Adaptable No Software Required

Ideal for High Performance Commercial Applications

The SDG500 single-axis angular rate sensor provides exceptional performance versus similar sensors in its class, with a lower noise capability superior to silicon-based gyros. The SDG500 utilizes our proven Quartz MEMS sensing technology and fully-contained electronics in a durable, compact size.



By applying design techniques found only in more expensive rate sensors, excellent bias stability, temperature performance, noise, and vibration performance levels have been achieved.

Performance Highlights

Parameter	SDG500-00100-100		
Standard Range Full Scale	± 100°/sec		
Full Scale Output (Nominal)	± 5.0 Vdc		
Scale Factor (at 25°C, Typical)	0.050 ± 0.001 Vdc/°/sec		
Scale Factor Over Temperature	≤ 0.1%/°C		
Bias Calibration (at 25°C)	≤ 1.5°/sec		
Bias Variation over Temperature (Dev. from 25°C)	≤ 5°/sec		
Bias Stability (In-Run at Constant Temp., Std. Dev.)	< 6°/hr. typical		
Bandwidth (-90°, incl. temp. effect)	50 ± 15 Hz		

SDG500 Allan Variance Plot





Performance Specifications

Parameter	SDG500-00100-100				
Power Requirements					
Input Voltage	+ and – 10 to 15 Vdc				
Input Current	< 20 mA (each supply, typical)				
Performance					
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G Sensitivity	< 0.06°/sec/g				
Start-Up Time	< 1.0 sec				
Bandwidth (-90°, incl. temp. effect)	60 ± 15 Hz				
Damping Ratio	0.7 ± 0.3				
Non-Linearity, (% Full Range)	≤ 0.05%				
Resolution/Threshold	< 0.004°/sec				
Output Noise	\leq 0.005°/sec/ \sqrt{Hz} (DC to 100 Hz)				
Environments					
Operating Temperature	-40°C to +85°C				
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +95°C				
Vibration Operating* (20 – 2000 Hz, Flat Profile)	5 grms , 36°/hr/grms				
Vibration Survival* (5.83 grms)	D0160E, Curve C1				
Shock Survival (20g 11ms)	D0160E, Category B				
Weight	≤ 25 grams				

* Please see user's guide for more information regarding vibration tolerance and sensitivity

Dimensions/Scale



SDG500 Sine Sweep Vibration @ 1.5G input



SDG500 PIN ASSIGNMENT

1.	+Vdc input	6.	Rate Output
2.	Power Ground	7.	No Connection
3.	Vdc Input	8.	Self Test Input
4.	Temp Output	9.	Case Ground

5.

Signal Return 10. Built-In Test

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