

Type 8690C5 ... 8690C50

8690C PiezoBEAM® TRIAXIAL ACCELEROMETERS

The 8690C series of accelerometers simultaneously measure vibration in three, mutually perpendicular axes (x, y and z). They feature high sensitivity and low impedance voltage output.

The lightweight units reduce mass loading in multichannel data acquisition or modal applications. This series of triaxial sensors, with an integral four-pin connector, is designed for simplified installation in confined areas. Each unit may be mounted on three surfaces.

The 8690C triaxial PiezoBEAMs offer outstanding phase response, thermal stability, as well as wide frequency range. They are constructed of hard, anodized aluminum and are environmentally sealed. The low impedance output allows for use of low-cost, standard cables.

The accelerometers will operate directly from the internal power source found in most FFT analyzers (Piezotron®, IEPE compatible, etc.) or from several Kistler power supply couplers available.

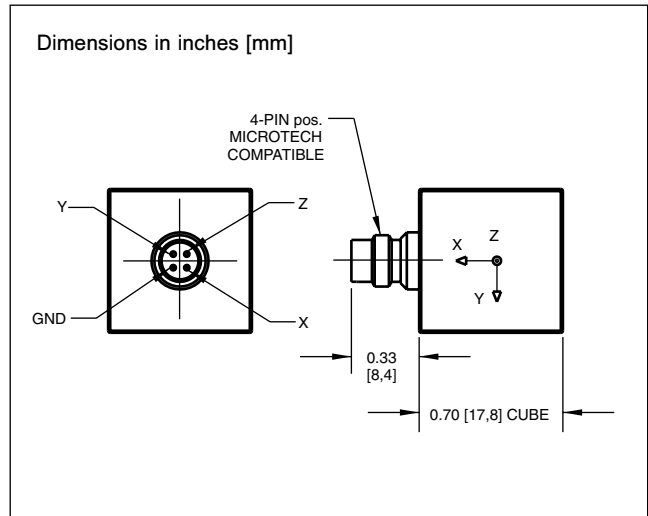
- Low impedance, voltage mode
- High sensitivity
- Low cost, lightweight triaxial design
- High accuracy and stability
- Choice of ranges and sensitivities
- Excellent thermal stability
- Conforming to CE



| Technical Data | Units | 8690C5 | 8690C10 | 8690C50 |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------|----------|
| Acceleration Range | <i>g</i> | ±5 | ±10 | ±50 |
| Acceleration Limit | <i>g</i> _{pk} | ±8 | ±16 | ±80 |
| Threshold nom. | μV _{rms} | 120 | 140 | 100 |
| | μ <i>g</i> _{rms} | 120 | 280 | 1000 |
| Sensitivity ±5 % (at 100Hz, 3 <i>g</i> _{rms}) | mV/ <i>g</i> | 1000 | 500 | 100 |
| Resonant Frequency mounted, nom. | kHz | 9 | 22 | 22 |
| Frequency Response ±5% | Hz | 1... 3000 | 1... 5000 | 1...6000 |
| Phase Shift , < 5° | Hz | 4...2000 | 4...2000 | 4...4000 |
| Amplitude Non-linearity | %FSO | ±1 | ±1 | ±1 |
| Time Constant nom. | s | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Transverse Sensitivity | % | <1 | <1 | <1 |
| Long Term Stability | % | ±1 | ±1 | ±1 |
| Environmental: | | | | |
| Base Strain Sensitivity @ 250 με | <i>g</i> /με | <0.001 | <0.001 | <0.001 |
| Shock Limit (0.2ms pulse width) | <i>g</i> _{pk} | 5000 | 10000 | 10000 |
| Temperature Coefficient of Sensitivity | %/°F | - 0.02 | +0.04 | +0.04 |
| | %/°C | - 0.04 | +0.08 | +0.08 |
| Temperature Range Operating (4 mA supply current) | °F | | 32 ... 150 | |
| | °C | | 0 ... 65 | |
| Storage | °F | | - 10 ... 200 | |
| | °C | | - 23 ... 94 | |

1 *g* = 9.80665 m/s², 1 inch = 25.4 mm, 1 gram = 0.03527 oz, 1 lbf-in = 0.1129 Nm

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| Output | | |
| Bias | VDC | 11 |
| Impedance | Ω | <500 |
| Current, (4mA supply) | mA | 2 |
| Voltage full scale | V | ± 5 |
| Source | | |
| Constant Current | mA | 2 ... 20 |
| Voltage | VDC | 20 ... 30 |
| Construction | | |
| Sensing Element | type | ceramic bimorph/ bender |
| Housing | material | Al, hard anodized |
| Sealing housing/connector | type | Epoxy |
| Connector | type | 4-pin pos. Microtech Equivalent |
| Ground Isolation | M Ω | 10 |
| Weight | gra,s | 11.2 |
| Mounting | type | adhesive/wax |



Supplied Accessory

8432 mounting wax

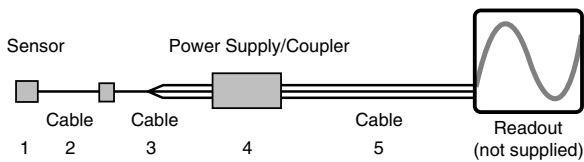
Related Products

- 8630C... single axis accelerometer series; adhesive mount
- 8636C... single axis accelerometer series; stud mount
- 8632C... single axis accelerometer series; cube configuration, adhesive mount
- 8692C... triaxial accelerometer series; magnetic or stud mount

Optional Accessories

For a complete list of accessories, request data sheet K9.012.

Ordering Information



- Specify:
- 1 - 8690C... triaxial accelerometer or
 - 2 - 1578... extension cable, 4-pin Microtech pos. to 4-pin Microtech neg., specify length in meters
 - 3 - 1756B(x) cable, 4-pin Microtech neg., to 3x BNC pos., length x = 0.5, 3, 10 meters
 - 4 - 5100 coupler series, or 5134 four-channel coupler
 - 5 - 1511... output cable BNC pos. to BNC pos., specify length in meters

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