

MEMS Capacitive Accelerometers

Preliminary Data sheet

RS9003.A

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Features

Unparalleled repeatability
Excellent composite bias repeatability
Excellent vibration rectification coefficient
Very low intrinsic temperature sensitivity
Extra small packaging (LCC20, 8.9mm x 8.9mm)
Harsh environment (shock, vibration, temperature)

Applications

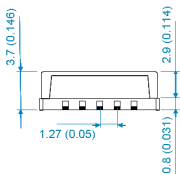
Tilt sensing
Dedicated to various drilling applications;
 Measurement while drilling (MWD)
 Borehole survey
 Directional drilling
Platform stabilization;
 Radar, antenna, turret, camera...

Description

Colibrys RS9003.A is the latest accelerometer product from the new IRIS™ family of MEMS capacitive accelerometer. This product, functional even at 25% range overload, is a major breakthrough toward advanced tilt sensing and high stability measurements with unparalleled degree of measurement repeatability down to <800µg for a ±3g sensor over full operating temperature range.
 This generation of products comes either on a PCB board with all associated electronics components or in a LCC20 (8.9mm x 8.9mm) ceramic package

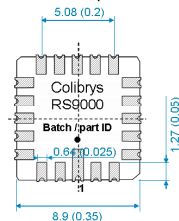
The RS9003.A is an accelerometer based on a new MEMS element, realized with the latest Colibrys technology and designed exclusively for high bias and scale factor stability, improved vibration rectification performance and enhanced temperature behaviour. RS9000 is interfaced with open-loop electronics, specifically designed for long term stability. This integrated electronics provide an acceleration-proportional output voltage as well as a temperature-proportional output voltage for further temperature compensations.

RS9000 side View

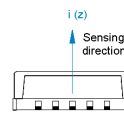


Typ. values mm (inch)

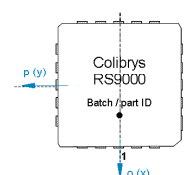
RS9000 top view



RS9000 side View



RS9000 top view



Preliminary specifications

All values are specified between -55°C (-67°F) to +95°C (203°F) and at 5.0 VDC supply voltage, unless otherwise stated

	Units	RS9003.A
Input range	g	± 3g
Packaging		PCB board or LCC20 (8.9mm x 8.9mm)
Bias @ 20°C	mg	< 20
One year composite repeatability*	µg (1σ)	< 800
In run bias stability (48h) @ 20°C*	µg	< 133
Scale factor @ 20°C	mV/g	< 500 ± 4
One year composite repeatability*	ppm (1σ)	< 300
Input axis misalignment (Kp, Ko)	µrad	< 10'000
One year composite repeatability*	µrad (1σ)	< 1000
Vibration rectification @ 20°C	µg/g ² rms (1σ)	< 200 [50-500Hz]
	µg/g ² rms (1σ)	< 200 [500-2000Hz]
Bandwidth @ 20°C	Hz	200
Noise spectral density in band @ 20°C	µg/√Hz	60

* Preliminary value, extended validation work in progress.

Environmental

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Operating temperature range	-55°C to +95°C (-67°F to 203°F)
Storage temperature	-55°C to +125°C (-67°F to 255°F)
Reliability	Results based on MIL-HDBK-217, available on request.
Shock	Specifications are valid up to 1'000 g (0.15ms half-sine period, shocks in each direction o, p, i) Survivability of the product up to 4'000g (0.15ms half-sine period); no repeated shocks
Recovery time	< 1ms (1000g, half-sine period 1ms, shocks in direction i)
Vibration*	20 g rms, 20-2000 Hz (random noise, 30 minutes in each direction o, p, i)
LCC packaging	The product has been qualified according to MIL-STD-883-E Hermetic sealing is qualified at 5·10 ⁻⁸ atm·cm ³ /s
ESD sensitivity	Class 2 (requirements MIL-STD-883-E, 1 Method 3015.7), HBM 2kV
Proximity effect	The sensor is sensitive to external parasitic capacitance. Proximity of large metallic mass (typ accelerometer size in mm ranges) must be avoided to insure best performances.
Note: LCC must be tightly fixed to the PCB, using the bottom of the housing as reference plane for axis alignment.	

Electrical

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Input voltage (VDD – VSS)	2.5 to 5.5 VDC. The standard voltage for calibration is 5.0 VDC.
Output voltage range	From 0.5 to 4.5 VDC @ 5.0 VDC input voltage (2.5 V ± 10 mV at 0 g)
Operating current consumption	< 700 µA @ 5.0 VDC
Initialization & reset current consumption	Typ. 1800 µA @ 5.0 VDC during the initialization phase (less than 35 ms at room temperature)
Reset	The sensor is Brown out protected. A reset occurs when the power supply jumps more than +0.46 V with a slope >380V/s or if the power supply drops below 2.2V. The recovery time is typ. 25 ms (max 35 ms)
Output impedance / load	Min. 50 kΩ at Vout (pin 8) and VAGND (pin 5) Max. 50 pF at Vout (pin 8) and Max. 100 µF at VAGND (pin 5)

Physical

Hermetically sealed LCC, 20 pins housing

Weight	< 0.6 grams
Size	Typ. 8.9 x 8.9 x 3.70 mm (0.35 x 0.35 x 0.146 inch) Max. 9.2 x 9.2 x 3.98 mm (0.354 x 0.354 x 0.157 inch)

Temperature sensor:

Output Voltage at 20°C	Typically: 1.632 V
Sensitivity	Typically: -11.77 mV/°C
Long term stability	Max -0.03°C to +0.09°C (1000h @ 150°C)
Accuracy	± 5°C (From -55°C to 125°C)

Block diagram and electrical connections

It is mandatory to implement two very high precision matched resistors [R] of 10 kΩ each outside the LCC package, as close as possible to the accelerometer between VDD and VAGND and between VSS and VAGND. This ultra-high precision resistive divider is used as internal reference voltage by the interface circuit. More precise information is available on the dedicated application note "VAGND Reference on RS9000" (30VAGND.MS9X.x.xx.xx)

It is also necessary to use decoupling capacitors [C] of 1µF each between VDD and VAGND and between VAGND and VSS, placed also as close as possible from the accelerometer. COG or X7R @ 5% capacitor types are recommended.

Pin	Description	Remarks
4	VDD	Power supply
5	VAGND	Accelerometer output reference voltage
6	VSS	Ground
7	V0	Temperature sensor output
8	Vout on	