# **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.

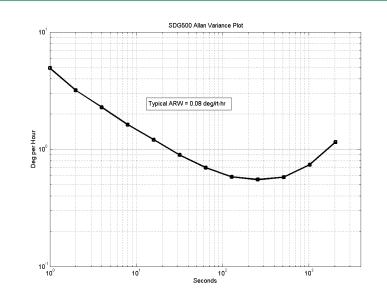


By applying design techniques found only in more expensive rate sensors, excellent bias stability, temperature performance, noise, and vibration performance levels have been achieved.

## **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**



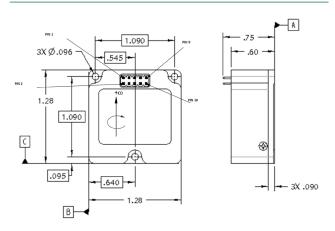


### **Performance Specifications**

| 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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