

Fiber optic pressure sensor



Article Overview

Fiber optic pressure sensors measure pressure by detecting changes in light within optical fibers, offering high sensitivity, EMI immunity, and suitability for harsh environments.

Working Principle

Fiber optic pressure sensors operate by modulating light in response to pressure changes. When pressure is applied to the sensing element, it alters the optical properties of the fiber, such as light intensity, phase, or wavelength. These changes are then converted into measurable signals representing the applied pressure. There are two main types:

- Intensity-based sensors: Pressure changes a diaphragm or reflective membrane, which alters the light intensity received by a detector. The change in light intensity is proportional to the applied pressure.
- Interferometric sensors: These use interference patterns, such as in Fabry-Pérot interferometers or Fiber Bragg Gratings (FBG), where pressure changes the spacing or strain in the fiber, shifting the interference pattern or reflected wavelength.

Advantages

Fiber optic pressure sensors offer several benefits over traditional sensors:

- Immunity to electromagnetic interference (EMI), making them ideal for high-voltage or RF environments

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