

LET271: Elektriska mätsystem och mätmetoder

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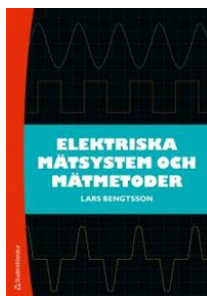
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Administrative information

- Lecturer: Giuseppe Durisi
- Teaching assistant: Jesper Pedersen, Sven Jacobsson
- English used for lectures but...
- ...book as well as some course material and exercise sessions in Swedish

Book



Also available as ibook in English

Administrative information

- **Organization:** lectures, exercises, 4 lab sessions
- Solving the lab assignments **is required** to pass the course
- **Compulsory** report to hand in after Lab 4.
- 4 **extra** points available by solving extra tasks in Lab 3 and Lab 4
- All course material in [pingpong](#)

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- Tried to harmonize the notation in the statistical part of the course with the one used in the parallel course *mathematical statistics*

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What is a measurement system?

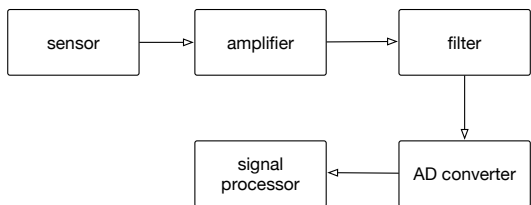
- A measurement system provides info about the magnitude of a physical quantity that needs to be measured.



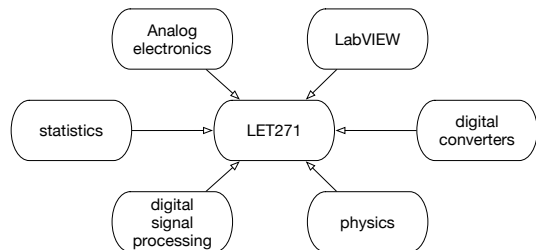
Modern measurement systems



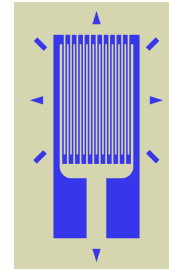
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Will touch many different fields



Strain gauges



Source: wikipedia

Piezo-electric sensors

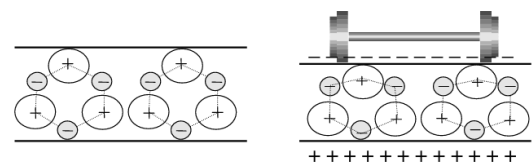
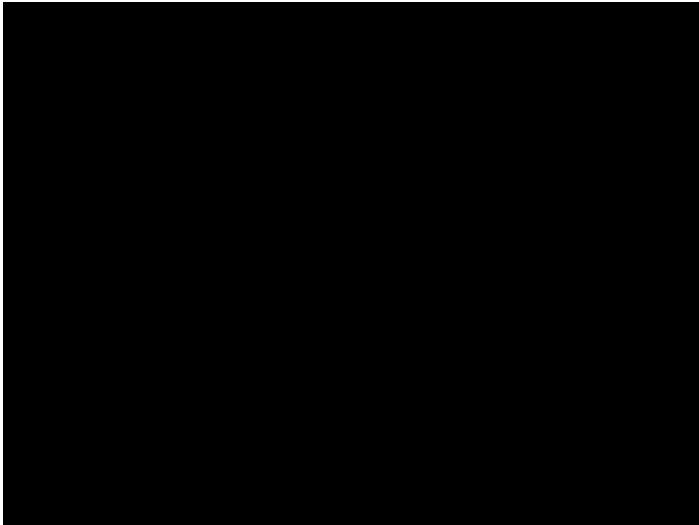


Fig 2.10 When the crystal lattice is deformed, a charge displacement occurs in the crystal



Position sensors—strain gauges

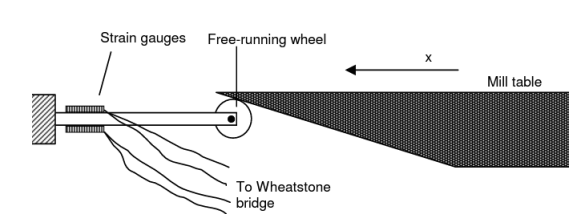


Fig 2.26 Position sensor based on the strain gauge principal

Position sensors—potentiometer

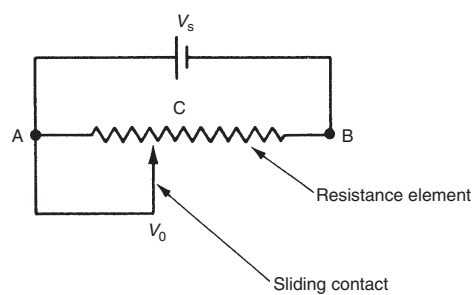


Figure 19.1
Resistive potentiometer.

Position sensors—variable inductance

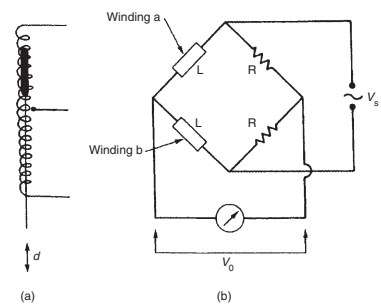


Figure 19.4
(a) Variable inductance transducers; (b) connection in a bridge circuit.

Position sensor—differential transformer

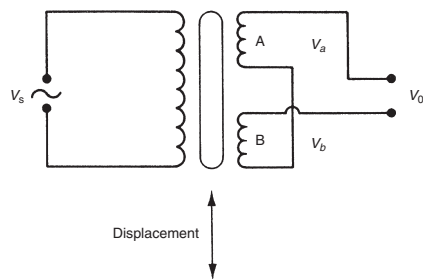


Figure 19.2
Linear variable differential transformer.

Accelerometer

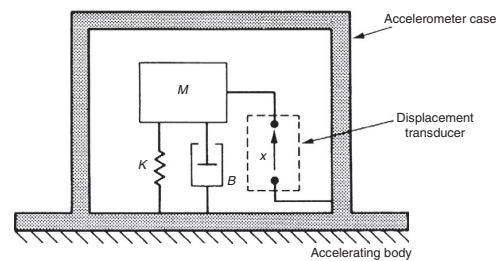


Figure 19.14
Structure of an accelerometer.

Accelerometer—piezoelectric sensor

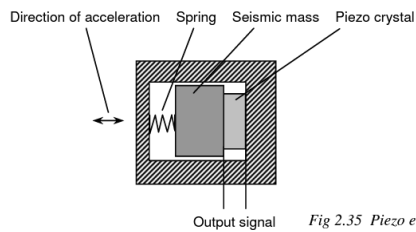
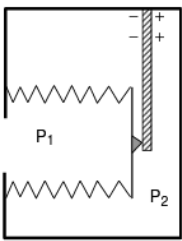
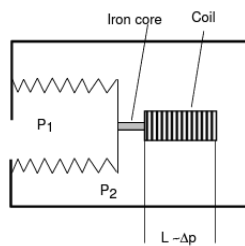


Fig 2.35 Piezo electric accelerometer

Pressure sensors



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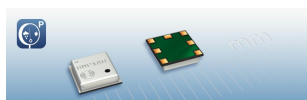


Bosch BMP180 pressure sensor



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- Piezo-resistive material (semiconductor) \Rightarrow photo-currents

Level sensors

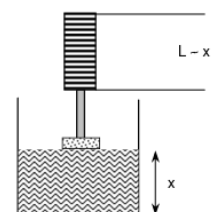


Fig 2.65 Inductance proportional to liquid level

Level sensors

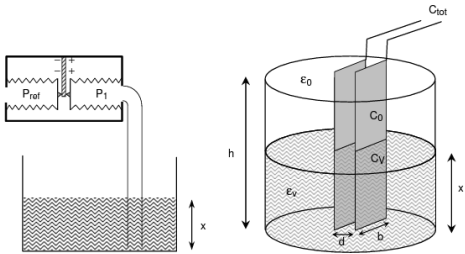
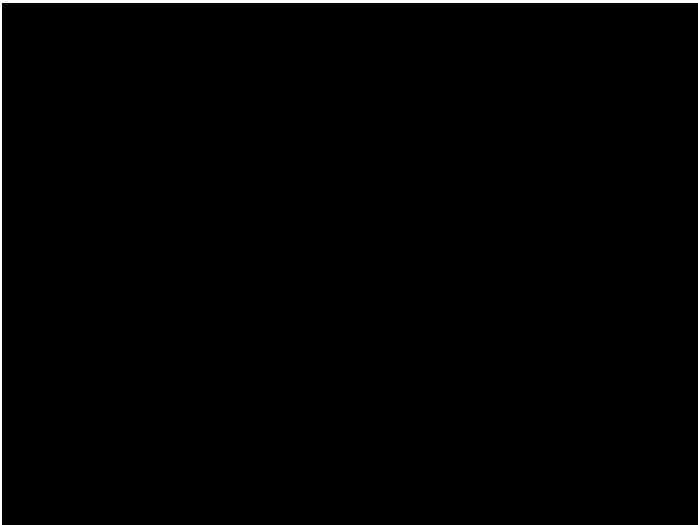
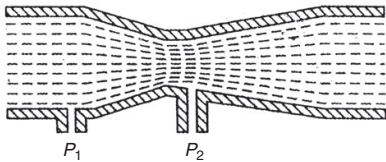
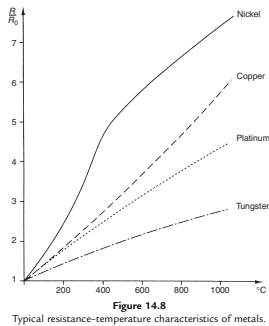


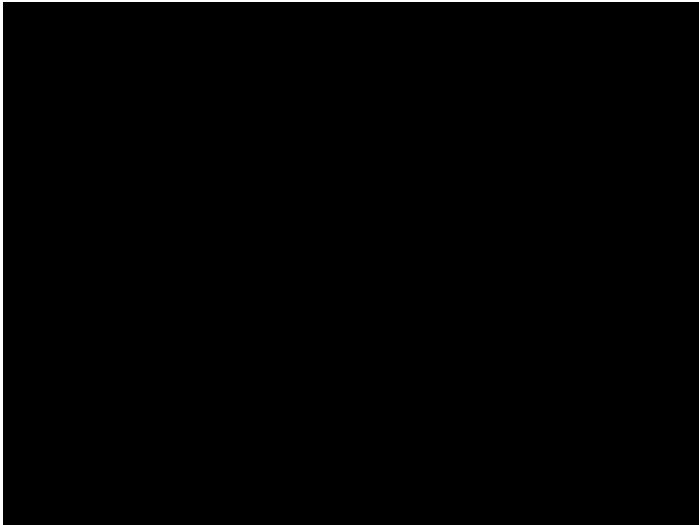
Fig 2.67 Level sensor using pressure sensors Fig 2.68 Capacitive level sensor

Flow sensors—Venturi tube



Resistance thermometers





Block diagram of measurement systems

