

Graphene magnetic field sensor for extreme temperatures

6H-SiC technology

Features:

Type: classical Hall effect

Operating temperatures: 80 – 770 K

Current-mode sensitivity: see graph

Structure:

Material: Quasi-free-standing monolayer* graphene on vanadium-compensated semiinsulating 6H-SiC(0001)

Technology: Epitaxial CVD

Passivation: Aluminum oxide

P-type active layer:

Hole concentration: $4 \times 10^{12} \text{ cm}^{-2}$

Hole mobility: $< 3000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$

Sheet resistance: $< 1000 \text{ } \Omega/\text{sq}$

Power supply:

Feed current: $< 10 \text{ mA}$

Package:

Surface mount alumina package: 3.8 mm / 3.8 mm / 1.4 mm

4H-SiC technology

Features:

Type: classical Hall effect

Operating temperatures: 80 – 770 K

Current-mode sensitivity: see graph

Structure:

Material: Quasi-free-standing monolayer* graphene on high-purity semiinsulating 4H-SiC(0001)

Technology: Epitaxial CVD

Passivation: Aluminum oxide

P-type active layer:

Hole concentration: $8 \times 10^{12} \text{ cm}^{-2}$

Hole mobility: $< 3000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{Vs}$

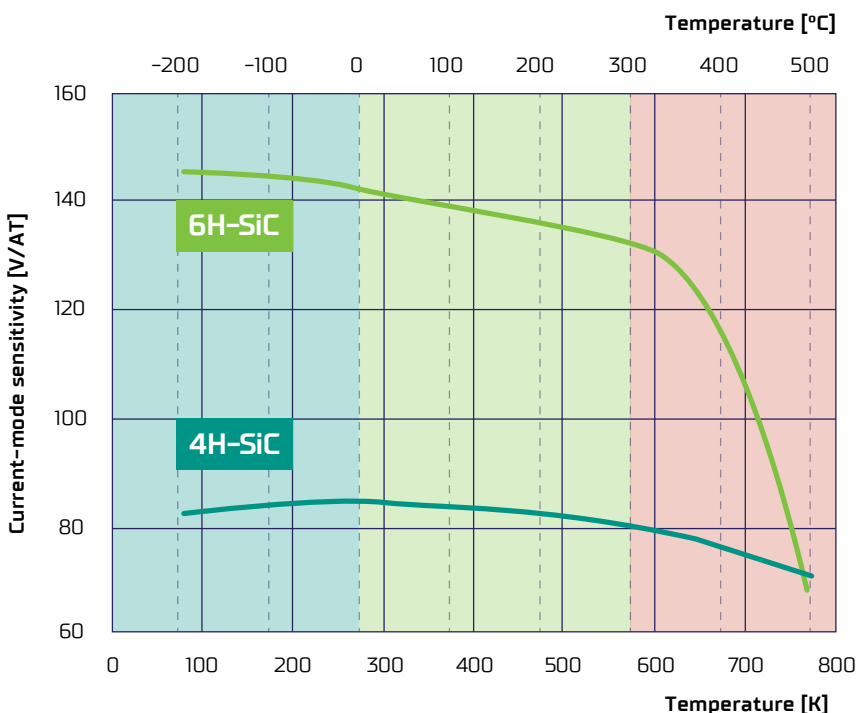
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- Potential application in: brushless direct current electric motors (BLDC), permanent magnet synchronous motors (PMSM), electric current sensors, magnetic field detectors operating under high temperatures and neutron irradiation
- Potential areas of competitive advantage: electric vehicles, smart metering, magnetic field confinement fusion reactors

