

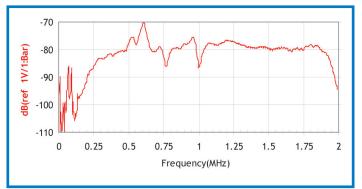
PICO HF-1.2 Sensor 600 kHz Frequency, Micro-Miniature Acoustic Emission Sensor

Description and Features

The **PICO HF-1.2** is a micro-miniature sensor with a wideband and relatively flat frequency response over the range of 500 - 1850 kHz. Its small size makes the sensor an ideal candidate for computer hard disk examination and other applications requiring very small size, low weight and wideband AE sensor response. A small diameter, integral coax cable exits from the side of the sensor with a BNC connector on the other end.

Applications

Due to its extremely small size, this sensor is ideal for applications such as hard disk monitoring, where small size and low mass sensors are required. Additionally, the PICO HF-1.2 can be used in research applications or other applications where a small aperature, high fidelity AE response is required. The sensor is useful in research applications, where frequency analysis of the AE signal is needed and in helping determine the predominant frequency band of AE sources for noise discrimination and selection of suitable lower cost, general purpose AE sensors.



Frequency response of the PICO HF-1.2. Calibration based on ASTM E976.

Operating Specifications

Dynamic

Peak Sensitivity, Ref V/µbar72 dB
Operating Frequency Range500 - 1850 kHz
Resonant Frequency 550 kHz
Directionality+/-1.5

Environmental

Temperature Range65 to 7	177°C
Shock Limit	500 g
Completely enclosed for RFI/EMI immunity	

Physical

Dimensions0.2" diameter x .15" h (5 x 4 mm)		
Weight 1 gram (7 grams with cable and connector)		
Case Material Stainless Steel		
Face MaterialCeramic		
Connector Integral cable with BNC Connector		
Connector LocationsIntegral Side Cable		
Seal Epoxy		
Sensor to Preamp Cable Integral, 0.033" diameter x 24" length		

Ordering Information and Accessories

PICO HF-1.2	PICO HF-1.2
Preamplifier	0/2/4, 2/4/6
Preamp to System Cable (specify length in	n meters) 1234 - X
Amplifier Subsystems	AE2A / AE5A

Sensors include NIST Calibration Certificate & Warranty



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