

New Product Announcement

Get Sensitive with Honeywell's Nanopower Magnetoresistive Sensor ICs Available from Mouser Electronics

May 19, 2014 – <u>Mouser Electronics</u>, Inc. is now shipping the new <u>Magnetoresistive Sensor ICs</u> from <u>Honeywell</u>. These miniature sensors are capable of detecting weak magnetic fields regardless of polarity. These sensor ICs are part of Honeywell's Nanopower Series and consume very little power.

The new <u>Honeywell Nanopower Series of Magnetoresistive Sensor ICs</u>, available from Mouser Electronics, are sensitive enough to detect magnetic fields as weak as 7 Gauss while drawing only 360 nA with a 1.8V supply voltage. This makes these sensor ICs the highest sensitivity and lowest power sensors in their class. Pinout for these 3-pin sensors are power, ground, and output. The supply voltage is flexible and can handle from 1.65 VDC to 5.5 VDC. In the presence of a magnetic field that trips the sensor, the output pin is near the supply voltage. In the absence of a magnetic field, the output pin is close to ground. The push-pull output stage does not require an external pull-up resistor. These Magnetoresistive Sensors are available in the SOT-23 subminiature surface mount package and are only 1.6x2.9mm in size.

These <u>low power</u> sensors are appropriate for door switches and position detection situations where the sensor is mounted opposite a magnet. Opening a door would remove the magnetic field from the sensor, changing the state of the sensor and possibly triggering an alert in the system. Target systems for these sensors include <u>industrial applications</u> such as water, electric, and gas <u>utility meters</u>; reed switch replacement for building access control; and industrial smoke detectors. These Nanopower Magnetoresistive Sensor ICs are also appropriate for <u>medical applications</u> such as hospital beds, medical cabinets, and <u>infusion pumps</u>.

To learn more about Honeywell's Nanopower Series of Magnetoresistive Sensors, visit: http://www.mouser.com/new/Honeywell/honeywell-nanopower-MR-sensor-ICs/.

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