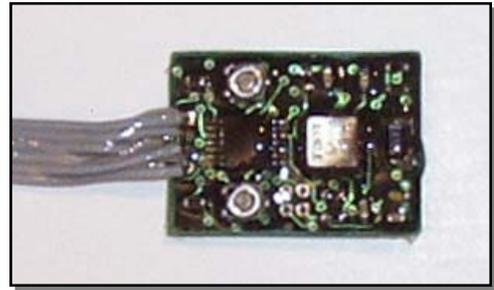


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## Two-Axis Tilt Sensor Board

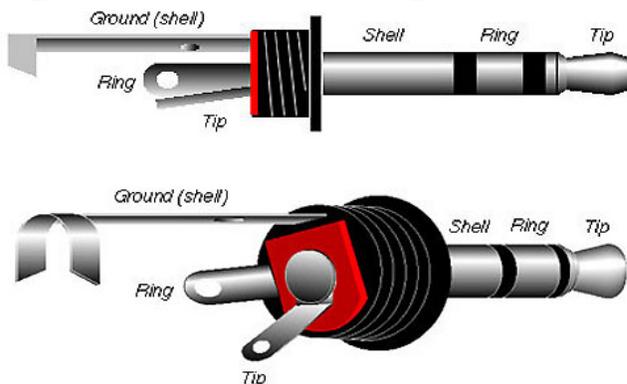
The Two-Axis Tilt Sensor was designed for human interface applications with TNG interfaces. It measures acceleration (tilt when the board is normal to Earth's gravity). The board utilizes Analog Devices' ADXL202E 2-axis MEMS accelerometer IC ([http://www.analog.com/Analog\\_Root/productPage/productHome/0%2C%2CADXL202%2C00.html](http://www.analog.com/Analog_Root/productPage/productHome/0%2C%2CADXL202%2C00.html)) to provide two  $\pm \sim 1g$  (tilt) outputs. The two axes are in the plane of the PCB and are orthogonal to each other. The outputs are linearly proportional to acceleration (tilt).



The ADXL202E has a  $\pm 2g$  range. The Two-axis Tilt Sensor uses an on-board amplifier to provide some gain so that a  $\pm 1g$  signal produces nearly a 0 to 5 volt output. At 0g the outputs are approximately 2.5 volts. There are two small single-turn potentiometers that are used to set the center level.

The board normally comes with an attached 6-conductor ribbon cable. The cable length is nominally 4.5 feet (1.4 m). The ribbon cable is terminated in one of two styles: dual 3.5 mm stereo plugs (TNG-3b compatible), or RJ-12 modular connector (TNG-4 compatible). When outfitted with stereo plugs, the tips should be connected to +5 VDC and the shells to ground. The outputs are on the rings. When outfitted with an RJ-12 modular plug, the center two conductors carry the outputs, +5 VDC and ground occupy the outer four conductors in pairs (+5 to the left with the retention prong up).

Components of the 1/8" Stereo Plug



| RJ-12 Pin |          |
|-----------|----------|
| 1         | +5 VDC   |
| 2         | Ground   |
| 3         | X output |
| 4         | Y output |
| 5         | +5 VDC   |
| 6         | Ground   |

The boards do not come in an enclosure, but are now shipped encapsulated with a two part urethane coating.

**Technical Specifications Summary:**

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| Board Size         | 0.93" long axis by 0.684" wide. (23.6 x 17.4 mm)    |
| Board Thickness    | 0.125" (3.175 mm)                                   |
| Operating Voltage  | 5 VDC   |
| Operating Current  | 2 mA maximum  |
| Output Range       | 0 to 5 V; $\pm 1g$ minimum                          |
| 0g Output Voltage  | $\sim 2.5$ VDC (set with single-turn potentiometer) |
| Connectors         | 2 3.5mm Stereo Plugs or a single RJ-12 modular plug |
| RMS Noise          | $<5$ mg   |
| Temperature Effect | $\pm 0.5\%$ of output over 0-70°C range             |
| Frequency Response | -3dB: 3.2 Hz  |

