What is the working principle of the magnetic Singapore module



Overview

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Key Takeaways

The magnetic Singapore module operates by detecting magnetic fields using a magnetoresistive sensor, converting changes in magnetic flux into electrical signals, and processing them to determine orientation or position.Core Working Principle

The module typically uses a magnetoresistive sensor, such as the HMC5883L, which contains a nickel-iron (Ni-Fe) magnetic film arranged in a bridge circuit. When exposed to a magnetic field, the electrical resistance of the Ni-Fe material changes proportionally to the field strength. This resistance variation produces a voltage difference across the bridge, which is then measured and processed to determine the direction and magnitude of the magnetic field in three axes (X, Y, Z) (ElectronicWings) .

Signal Processing and Output

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The module integrates an amplifier, automatic demagnetization driver, deviation calibration, and a 12-bit A/D converter to maintain high precision, typically within 1°–2° for compass applications (SunFounder) . The X and Y components of the Earth's magnetic field are primarily used to calculate the azimuth angle, which represents the compass direction relative to magnetic north. The module outputs this information digitally via interfaces such as I2C, allowing integration with microcontrollers and navigation systems.

Sensor Technologies

Magnetic modules may employ different sensor types:

• Hall Effect sensors: Low-cost, reliable, moderate accuracy, sensitive to temperature drift.

• AMR (Anisotropic Magnetoresistance): Higher sensitivity and better noise immunity.

• GMR/TMR (Giant/Tunneling Magnetoresistance): Highest sensitivity, low noise, and capable of high-resolution measurements (Encoder Wiki) . These sensors detect changes in the magnetic field caused by the Earth's magnetism or nearby magnets and convert them into electrical signals for further processing.

Applications

Magnetic modules are widely used in:

• Electronic compasses for smartphones, laptops, and navigation systems.

• Robotics and industrial automation for position and motion sensing.

• Automotive systems for orientation and navigation.

• Consumer electronics requiring low-cost, reliable magnetic field detection (SunFounder) . By combining magnetoresistive sensing, signal conditioning, and digital output, the magnetic Singapore module provides accurate, compact, and robust magnetic field measurements suitable for a variety of applications.

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