

# High Temperature Microbalance Resonator

- ✓ Excellent frequency stability from 300°C up to 800°C
- → High temperature stability up to 850°C
- ✓ Electrode design compatible with industry standard
- ✓ High Q-factor of 70000

R-30 sensor crystals are optimised for use in thin film deposition systems at highest temperatures as required in PVD, CVD, ALD and OLED. The excellent temperature stability of gallium phosphate crystals in combination with a temperature compensation at 500°C allows precise measurements in a wide temperature range from 300°C to 850°C. The electrode design is compatible with the industrial standard (Inficon, Maxtec, Sycon and Sigma).

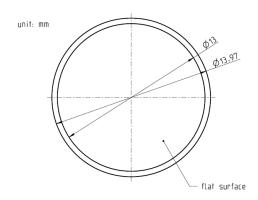
Operating principle	Piezoelectric, resonance frequency
Sensing element	GaPO <sub>4</sub> (gallium phosphate)
Resonance frequency	5.6 ± 0.1 MHz
Diameter	13.97 mm (0.550 inch)
Thickness	0.2 mm (0.008 inch)
Sensitivity	0.3 Hz/ng
Operating temperature	up to 850°C (1562°F)
Frequency temperature dependence f <sub>s</sub> (T) <sup>1</sup>	a = 0.00831 ppm/°C b = -0.00186 ppm/°C² c = 8.5·10 <sup>-6</sup> ppm/°C³
Front side	fully metalized, flat
Back side	double anchor, curvature = 2 dioptre (R = 265 mm)
Electrode material (T < 900°C)	1000 nm platinum (no adhesion layer)
Surface	fine lapped (#4000)
Dynamic resistance R <sub>1</sub>	< 10 Ω
Dynamic capacitance C <sub>1</sub>	0.08 pF
Static capacitance C <sub>0</sub>	32 pF

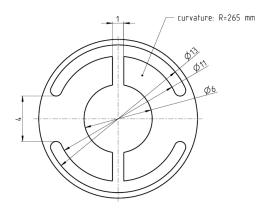
 $<sup>^{1}</sup>f_{s}(T) = f_{s}(T_{0})[1 + a(T - T_{0}) + b(T - T_{0})^{2} + c(T - T_{0})^{3}]$  with  $T_{0} = 505^{\circ}C$ 



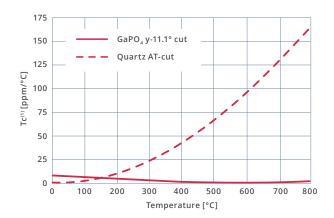


#### **Resonator Dimensions**

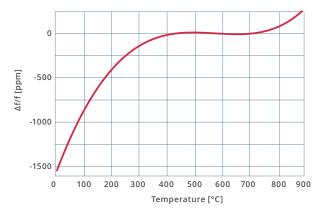




### Frequency Temperature Dependence



First temperature coefficient of resonant frequency  $Tc^{(1)}$ 



Relative frequency deviation of resonant frequency  $\Delta f/f$  of  $\mbox{GaPO}_4$  y-11.1° cut

## Modifications (on request)

Electrode design	wrapped around design, both contacts at back side
Temperature compensation	from 400°C up to 700°C (752°F to 1292°F)
Electrode material	Palladium, Platinum, Gold
Resonator shape	plano-convex, beveled, plano-plano, biconvex

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