# High Temperature $140^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Three Channel Optical Incremental Encoder Modules 

## Technical Data

## Features

$-\mathbf{- 4 0}^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $140^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ Operating Temperature

- Two Channel Quadrature Output with Index Pulse
- Suitable for Automotive Applications
- Resolution up to 1024 Counts per Revolution
- Low Cost
- Easy to Mount
- No Signal Adjustment Required
- Small Size


## Package Dimensions

## Description

The HEDT-9040 and HEDT-9140 are high temperature three channel optical incremental encoder modules. When used with a codewheel, these low cost modules detect rotary position. Each module consists of a lensed LED source and a detector IC enclosed in a small plastic package. Due to a highly collimated light source and a unique photodetector array, these modules provide the same high performance found in the HEDS9040/9140 three channel encoders.

HEDT-9040
HEDT-9140



SIDE $B$

The HEDT-9040 and 9140 have two channel quadrature outputs plus a third channel index output. This index output is a 90 electrical degree high true index pulse.

The HEDT-9040 is designed for codewheels which have an optical radius of 23.36 mm ( 0.920 in .). The HEDT-9140 is designed for codewheels which have an optical radius of 11.00 mm (0.433 in.).

The quadrature signals and the index pulse are accessed through five 0.025 inch square pins located on 0.1 inch centers.

Resolutions between 360 and 1024 counts per revolution are available. Consult local Agilent sales representatives for other resolutions.

## Applications

The HEDT-9040 and 9140 provide high temperature motion control detection at a low cost, making them suitable for automotive and industrial applications.

## Theory of Operation

The HEDT-9040 and 9104 are emitter/detector modules. Coupled with a codewheel, these modules translate the rotary motion of a shaft into a threechannel digital output.

As seen in the block diagram, the module contains a single Light Emitting Diode (LED) as its light source. The light is collimated into a parallel beam by means of a

## Block Diagram


single lens located directly over the LED. Opposite the emitter is the integrated detector circuit. This IC consists of multiple sets of photodetectors and the signal processing circuitry necessary to produce the digital waveforms.

The codewheel rotates between the emitter and detector, causing the light beam to be interrupted by the pattern of spaces and bars on the codewheel. The photodiodes which detect these interruptions are arranged in a pattern that corresponds to the radius and design of the codewheel. These detectors are also spaced such that a light period on one pair of detectors corresponds to a dark period on the adjacent pair of detectors. The photodiode outputs are then fed through the signal processing
circuitry resulting in $\mathrm{A}, \overline{\mathrm{A}}, \mathrm{B}, \overline{\mathrm{B}}, \mathrm{I}$ and $\overline{\mathrm{I}}$. Comparators receive these signals and produce the final outputs for channels A and B. Due to this integrated phasing technique, the digital output of channel A is in quadrature with that of channel B (90 degrees out of phase).

The output of the comparator for I and $\bar{I}$ is sent to the index processing circuitry along with the outputs of channels A and B. The final output of channel $I$ is an index pulse Po which is a one state width (nominally 90 electrical degrees), high true index pulse. This pulse is coincident with the low states of channels A and B.

## Output Waveforms



## Definitions

Count ( $N$ ): The number of bar and window pairs or counts per revolution (CPR) of the codewheel.

One Cycle (C): 360 electrical degrees ( $\left.{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{e}\right), 1$ bar and window pair.

One Shaft Rotation: 360 mechanical degrees, N cycles.

Position Error $(\Delta \Theta)$ : The normalized angular difference between the actual shaft position and the position indicated by the encoder cycle count.

Cycle Error ( $\Delta C$ ): An indication of cycle uniformity. The difference between an observed shaft angle which gives rise to one electrical cycle, and the nominal angular increment of $1 / \mathrm{N}$ of a revolution .

Pulse Width (P): The number of electrical degrees that an output is high during 1 cycle. This value is nominally $180^{\circ} \mathrm{e}$ or $1 / 2$ cycle.

Pulse Width Error ( $\Delta P$ ): The deviation, in electrical degrees, of the pulse width from its ideal value of $180^{\circ} e$.

## Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Storage Temper | ${ }^{\text {C }}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Operating Temperature, $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $140^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Supply Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\text {CC }}$ | -0.5 V to 7 V |
| Output Voltage, $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{O}}$ | . 0.5 V to $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ |
| Output Current per Channel, $\mathrm{I}_{\text {OU }}$ | 0 mA to 5 mA |
| Shaft Axial Play | \pm 0.25 mm ( $\pm 0.010 \mathrm{in}$. |
| Shaft Eccentricity Plus Radial Pla | 0.1 mm (0 004 in .) TIR |
| Velocity. | ............ 30,000 RPM ${ }^{[1]}$ |
| Acceleration | ... $250,000 \mathrm{rad} / \mathrm{sec}^{2[1]}$ |

## Note:

1. Absolute maximums for HEDS-5140 codewheel only.

## Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units | Notes |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| Temperature | $\mathrm{T}_{\mathrm{A}}$ | -40 |  | 140 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Supply Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | 4.5 | 5.0 | 5.5 | Volts | Ripple $<100 \mathrm{mV} \mathrm{p}_{\mathrm{p}-\mathrm{p}}$ |
| Load Capacitance | $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}$ |  |  | 100 | pF | $2.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up |
| Count Frequency | f |  |  | 50 | kHz | Velocity (rpm) x N/60 |
| Shaft Perpendicularity <br> Plus Axial Play |  |  |  | $\pm 0.25$ <br> $( \pm 0.010)$ | mm <br> (in.) | $6.9 \mathrm{~mm}(0.27 \mathrm{in}$.$) from$ <br> mounting surface |
| Shaft Eccentricity Plus <br> Radial Play |  |  |  | 0.04 <br> $(0.0015)$ | mm (in.) <br> TIR | 6.9 mm (0.27 in.) from <br> mounting surface |

Note: The module performance is guaranteed to 50 kHz but can operate at higher frequencies.

## Encoding Characteristics

Encoding Characteristics over Recommended Operating Range and Recommended Mounting Tolerances unless otherwise specified. Values are for the worst error over the full rotation of HEDS-514X and HEDS6145 codewheels.

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Units |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cycle Error | $\Delta \mathrm{C}$ |  | 5 | 10 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{e}$ |
| Pulse Width Error | $\Delta \mathrm{P}$ |  | 7 | 30 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{e}$ |
| Logic State Width Error | $\Delta \mathrm{S}$ |  | 5 | 30 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{e}$ |
| Phase Error | $\Delta \phi$ |  | 2 | 15 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{e}$ |
| Position Error | $\Delta \Theta$ |  | 10 | 40 | min. of arc |
| Index Pulse Width | $\mathrm{P}_{\mathrm{O}}$ | 60 | 90 | 120 | ${ }^{\circ} \mathrm{e}$ |
| CH. I rise after CH. B or CH. A fall | $\mathrm{t}_{1}$ | 20 | 430 | 1490 | ns |
| CH. I fall after CH. A or CH. B rise | $\mathrm{t}_{2}$ | 40 | 250 | 620 | ns |

Note: Module mounted on tolerance circle of $\pm 0.13 \mathrm{~mm}( \pm 0.005 \mathrm{in}$.) radius referenced from module Side A aligning recess centers. 2.7 $\mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up resistors used on all encoder module outputs.

## Electrical Characteristics

Electrical Characteristics over Recommended Operating Range.

| Parameter | Symbol | Min. | Typ.* | Max. | Units | Notes |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Supply Current | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{CC}}$ | 30 | 57 | 85 | mA |  |
| High Level Output Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OH}}$ | 2.4 |  |  | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OH}}=-100 \mu \mathrm{~A}$ min. |
| Low Level Output Voltage | $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{OL}}$ |  |  | 0.4 | V | $\mathrm{I}_{\mathrm{OL}}=3.86 \mathrm{~mA}$ max. |
| Rise Time | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{r}}$ |  | 90 |  | ns | $\mathrm{C}_{\mathrm{L}}=25 \mathrm{pF}$ |
| Fall Time | $\mathrm{t}_{\mathrm{f}}$ |  | 80 |  | ns | $\mathrm{R}_{\mathrm{L}}=2.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega$ pull-up |

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## Mechanical Characteristics

| Part No. | Parameter | Dimension | Tolerance | Units |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HEDS-5140 <br> 11.00 mm optical radius codewheel | Codewheel Available to Fit These Standard Shaft Diameters | $\begin{array}{lll} 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 & 8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} +0.000 \\ -0.015 \end{gathered}$ | mm |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{ll} 5 / 32 & 1 / 8 \\ 3 / 16 & 1 / 4 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} +0.000 \\ -0.0007 \end{gathered}$ | in. |
|  | Moment of Inertia | $0.6\left(8.0 \times 10^{-6}\right)$ |  | $\mathrm{g}-\mathrm{cm}^{2}\left(\mathrm{oz-in}-\mathrm{s}^{2}\right)$ |

Note: The tolerance requirements are on the mating shaft, not on the codewheel.

## Electrical Interface

To insure reliable encoding performance, the HEDT-9040 and 9140 three channel encoder modules require $2.7 \mathrm{k} \Omega( \pm 10 \%)$ pull-up resistors on output pins 2 , 3, and 5 (Channels I, A, and B) as shown in Figure 1. These pull-up resistors should be located in close proximity of the encoder module (within 4 feet). Each of the three encoder module outputs can drive a single TTL load in this configuration.

## Mounting Considerations

Figure 2 shows a mounting tolerance requirement for proper operation of the HEDT-9040 and HEDT-9140. The Aligning Recess Centers must be located within a tolerance circle of 0.13 mm ( 0.005 in .) radius from the nominal locations. This tolerance must be maintained whether the module is mounted with Side A as the mounting plane using aligning pins (see Figure 5), or mounted with Side B as the mounting plane using an alignment tool (see Figures 3 and 4).


Figure 1. Pull-up Resistors on HEDT-9X40 Encoder Module Outputs.


Figure 2. HEDT-9X40 Mounting Tolerance.

## Mounting the HEDT-9140 with an Alignment Tool

The HEDS-8905 alignment tool is recommended for mounting the HEDT-9140 module with Side B as the mounting plane. This tool can only be used when the HEDT9140 module is mounted with the HEDS-5140 (codewheel with hub). The HEDS-8905 tool fixes the module position using the codewheel hub as a reference. It will not work if Side A is used as the mounting plane.

The following assembly procedure uses the HEDS-8905 alignment tool to mount an HEDT-9140 module and an HEDS-5140 codewheel:

## Instructions:

1. Place codewheel on shaft.
2. Set codewheel height: (a) place alignment tool on motor base (pins facing up) flush up against
the motor shaft as shown in Figure 3. (b) Push codewheel down against alignment tool. The codewheel is now at the proper height. (c) Tighten codewheel setscrew and remove alignment tool.

Some motors have a boss around the shaft that extends above the mounting plane. In this case, the alignment tool cannot be used as a gage block to set the codewheel height as described in 2(a), (b), and (c). If boss is above mounting plane: Slide module onto motor base, adjusting height of codewheel so that it sits approximately in the middle of module slot. Lightly tighten setscrew. The codewheel height will be more precisely set in step 5 .
3. Insert mounting screws through module and thread into the motor base. Do not tighten screws.
4. Slide alignment tool over codewheel hub and onto module as shown in Figure 4. The pins of the alignment tool should fit snugly inside the alignment recesses of the module.

If boss is above mounting plane: The pins of the tool may not mate properly because the codewheel is too high on the shaft. Loosen codewheel setscrew and lower codewheel slightly. Retighten setscrew lightly and attempt this step again.
5. While holding alignment tool in place, tighten screws down to secure module.

If boss is above mounting plane: Push codewheel up flush against alignment tool to set codewheel height. Tighten codewheel setscrew.
6. Remove alignment tool.


Figure 3. Alignment Tool is Used to Set Height of Codewheel.


NOTE 1: THIS DIMENSION IS FROM THE MOUNTING PLANE TO THE NON-HUB SIDE OF THE CODEWHEEL.

Figure 4. Alignment Tool is Placed over Shaft and onto Codewheel Hub. Alignment Tool Pins Mate with Aligning Recesses on Module.

Mounting with Aligning Pins The HEDT-9040 and HEDT-9140 can also be mounted using aligning pins on the mounting surface.
(Agilent does not provide aligning pins.) For this configuration, Side A must be used as the mounting plane. The aligning recess centers must be located within the 0.13 mm ( 0.005 in .)

Radius Tolerance Circle as explained in "Mounting
Considerations." Figure 5 shows the necessary dimensions.


Figure 5. Mounting Plane Side A.


Figure 6. HEDS-5140 Codewheel Used with HEDT-9140.

## Ordering Information

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Three Channel Encoder Modules and Codewheels, $\mathbf{1 1 . 0 0} \mathbf{m m}$ Optical Radius


## Accessories

## HEDS-8905

Alignment Tool for mounting the HEDT-9140.

## Using Multiple Index Pulses

The third channel index (Channel I) is not limited to occurring just once per revolution. Index pulses may be placed arbitrarily over a full codewheel rotation. This is done by altering only the pattern of the codewheel with no modifications necessary to the HEDT-9X40 module. The only restriction is that, depending on
the CPR of the codewheel, consecutive index pulses may have to be separated by at least 10 full cycles.

Multiple index pulses can provide more precise absolute position information. By strategically placing the index pulses, a unique index series can be created for a particular angular position. This leads to the idea of the "quasiabsolute" encoder in which only a
partial turning of the codewheel is required to determine the absolute position.

A special codewheel is required to accomplish a multiple index pattern. The standard HEDS5140,5145 , and 6145 codewheels have one index pulse per full revolution. Please consult a local Agilent sales representative for further information.

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[^0]:    *Typical values specified at $\mathrm{V}_{\mathrm{CC}}=5.0 \mathrm{~V}$ and $25^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.

