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# Acuity Series AC3070

## Ultra-low Pressure Sensor Die

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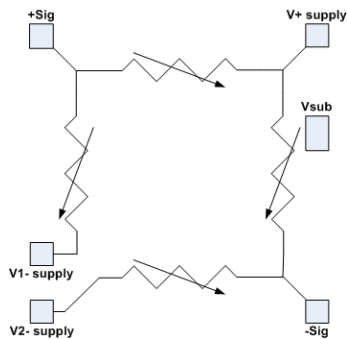
**2 mbar, 0.8 inches H<sub>2</sub>O, 200 pA**  
Also available in a 1 mbar version

The AC3070 series of very low pressure die is an extension of the AC3050 low pressure series, but with 4X more sensitivity. It comes in both a 2 mbar and a 1 mbar version

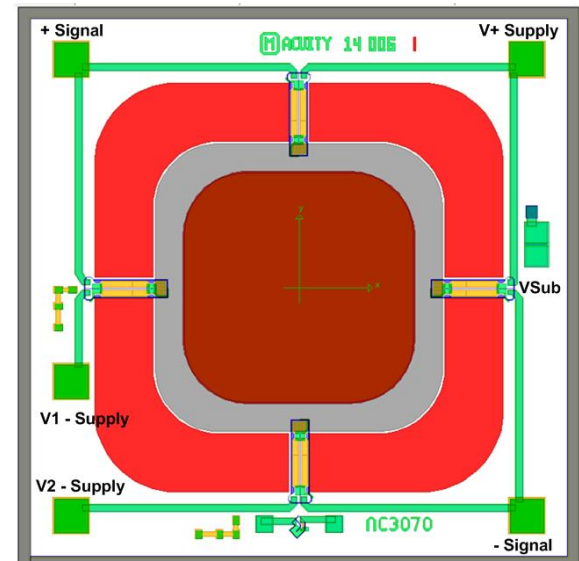
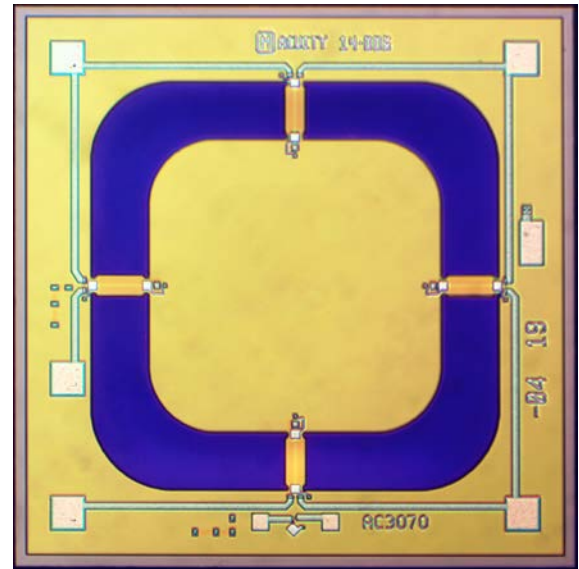
The AC3070 is based on the same structure and sensing element of the AC3055 but optimized for improved performance in the 1 to 2 mbar full-scale range. With 5-volt excitation, the sensor provides 20 mV at full-scale pressure. The increased sensitivity is achieved with a larger diaphragm size and a larger die. The die is 2.4 mm on a side and is 0.40 mm thick.

The Acuity design and process achieve very stable zero offsets. This allows the pressure range to be extended with further amplification to realize even lower full-scale pressure ranges with good performance.

Suitable for a wide range of packages, it is particularly designed for low-pressure differential sensing where the die may be used in an uncompensated package or in a passively compensated design where no correction can be made for linearity errors. The AC3070 finds uses in such applications as HVAC, and air-flow applications.



**Equivalent Circuit Diagram**



**Pin-out of Acuity AC3070  
Ultra-Low-Pressure Die**

+ Sig increases and -Sig decreases  
when pressure is applied to the top of the die.

Acuity recommends tying Vsub to V+ Supply in most applications.



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Preliminary Specifications		Ultra Low Pressure Sensor - AC3070				Note
Mechanical		Min	Nominal	Max	Unit	
Stepping size	X	2.399	2.4	2.401	mm	
	Y	2.399	2.4	2.401	mm	
Unconstrained wafer thickness	Z	0.401	0.406	0.411	mm	
Electrical						
Resistance						
Bridge resistance		3.25	3.6	4.25	kohms	1
TCR		2300	2800	3100	ppm/degree C	2
Offset						
Offset - No Pressure		-120	0	25	mV	1
Offset Ratiometricity		-0.2	0	0.2	mV/V	3
TCO		-30	5	30	microV/V/degree C	2
Position Sensitivity		0	0.076	0.2	mv/g	4
Leakage						
Current Leakage		0.1	2.1	20	nA	5
Sensitivity						
<b>Sensitivity</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>mV</b>	6
TCS		-2100	-1800	-1400	ppm/degree C	2
Pressure Nonlinearity		-0.5	0.08	0.5	% FS at 2.5 mbar	7
Mechanical Pressure						
Overpressure - Burst		>100			mbar	9

**Note**

- 1 Measured at 5.0 volts
- 2 Measured at +25 and +75 °C, normalized by reading at 25 °C
- 3 Measured at -2.5 and 5.0 Volts, normalized by reading at 5.0 volts
- 4 One Half the Delta Offset between the sensor facing up and the sensor facing down.
- 5 Measured from VSub substrate contact to any Resistor Pad at 10 V; Acuity recommends tying Vsub to the V+ Supply in normal use.
- 6 Full scale output at 5 Volt drive
- 7 1/2 TBNL (Terminal Base Nonlinearity at 0, 50%, and 100% FS) with topside pressure
- 8 For custom pressure ranges, consult Acuity.
- 9 Burst Pressure – Pressure over which sensor may have catastrophic failure

**Ordering Information:**

**AC3070-XXX**

where XXX = 2P0 for 2 mbar  
= 1P0 for 1 mbar

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