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**Introducing the  
RBR *quartz*<sup>3</sup> Q|plus pressure  
logger**

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# The RBR*quartz*<sup>3</sup> family



RBRquartz<sup>3</sup> APT



RBRquartz<sup>3</sup> BPR



RBRquartz<sup>3</sup> BPR|zero

Deep BPRs



RBRquartz<sup>3</sup> Q



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Shallow

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## Impetus to develop the RBR *quartz*<sup>3</sup> Q|plus



Long-term high accuracy and resolution measurements for sea-level, wave, and tide observations



Q|plus key features

Quartz pressure sensor

Measurement specs

Physical specs

Long-term deployment

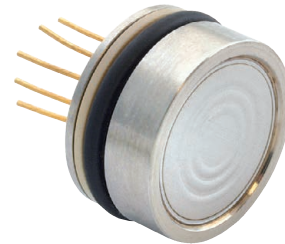
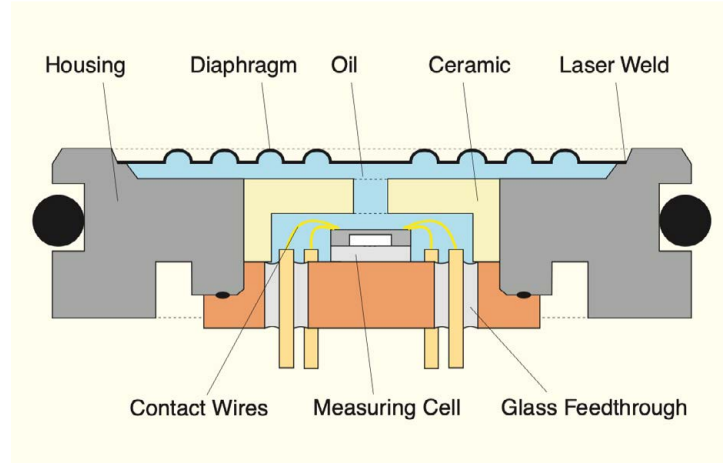
Ease of use



**Quartz pressure sensor**

# Compare: standard piezo-resistive pressure gauges

- **Economical**
- **Moderate accuracy**
- **Moderate resolution**



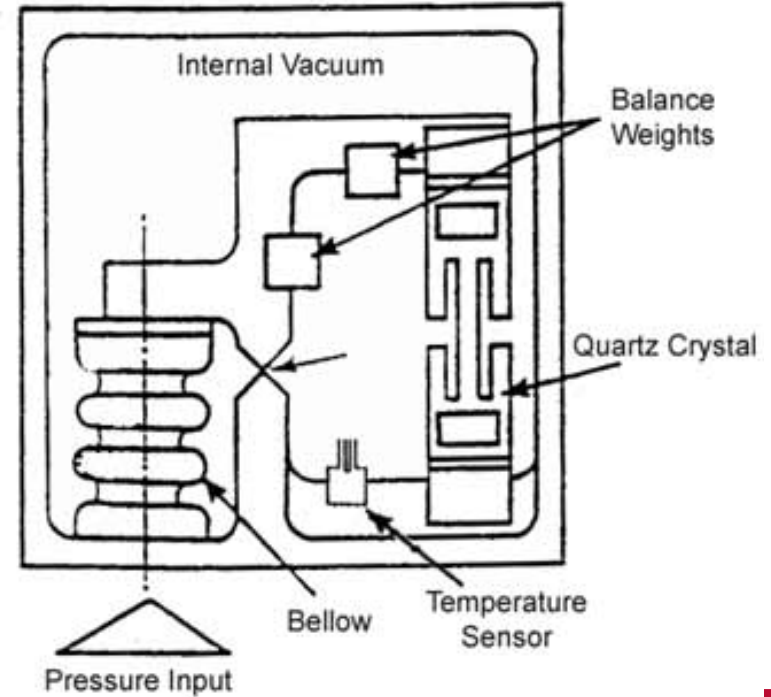
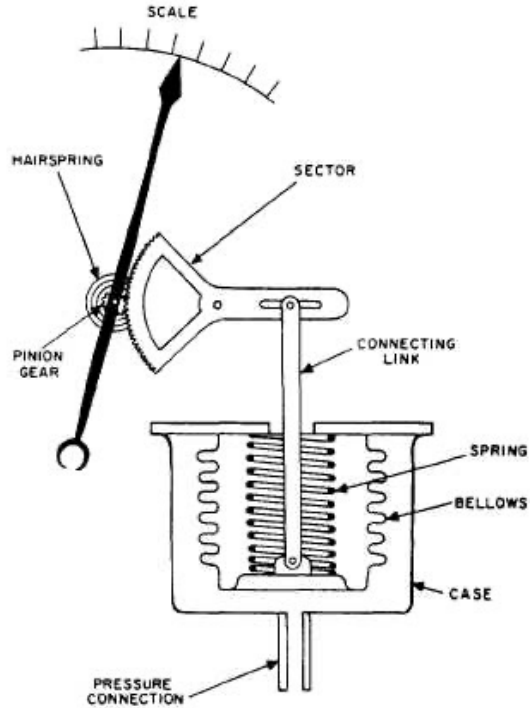
# Compare: quartz pressure gauges

- Less economical
- High accuracy
- Resolution a function of integration time

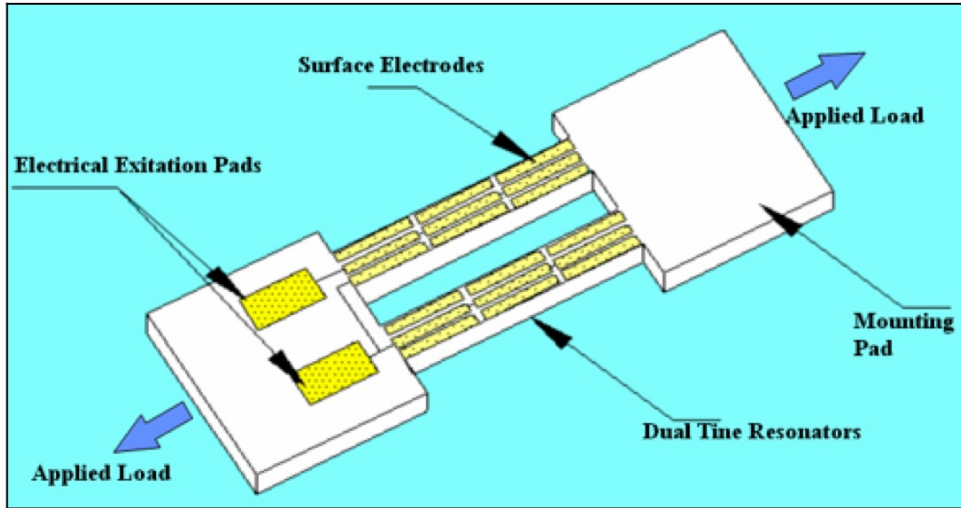


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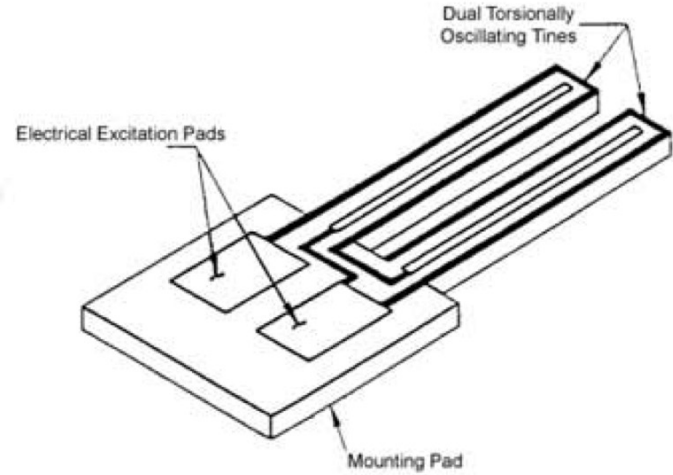
# Bellows quartz transducer – accurate high-pressure measurements



# Quartz crystal sensors



**Force-Sensing Quartz Crystal**



**Temperature-Sensing Quartz Crystal**





## Measurement specifications

# RBR *quartz*<sup>3</sup> Q|plus measurement specifications

## Depth

Range: 10 / 20 / 55 / 125 / 190 / 260 dbar

Initial accuracy:  $\pm 0.01\%$  FS (full scale)

Resolution: 100ppb (at 16Hz sampling rate)

## Marine temperature

Range: -5 to 35°C

Accuracy:  $\pm 0.002^\circ\text{C}$

Time constant: 30s (embedded)

Typical stability:  $\pm 0.002^\circ\text{C}/\text{year}$



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## Physical specifications

# RBR *quartz*<sup>3</sup> Q|plus physical specifications

## Physical

Internal power:	24 D cells
External power:	4.5-30 VDC
Communication:	USB-C or RS-232/485
Size:	563mm x Ø140mm
Weight (with batteries):	11.7kg in air; 2.8kg in water



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**Long term deployments**

# RBR *quartz*<sup>3</sup> deployment endurance

Speed	Burst samples	Interval	Battery	Deployment time	Samples
4Hz	4096	120 min	Lithium thionyl chloride	~ 5 years	88M
			Alkaline	~ 5 years	88M
1s	512	30 min	Lithium thionyl chloride	~ 10 years	88M
			Alkaline	~ 4 years	33M
1s	-	Continuous	Lithium thionyl chloride	~ 3 years	88M
			Alkaline	~ 1 year	33M



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Ease of use

## RBR *quartz*<sup>3</sup> ease of use



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