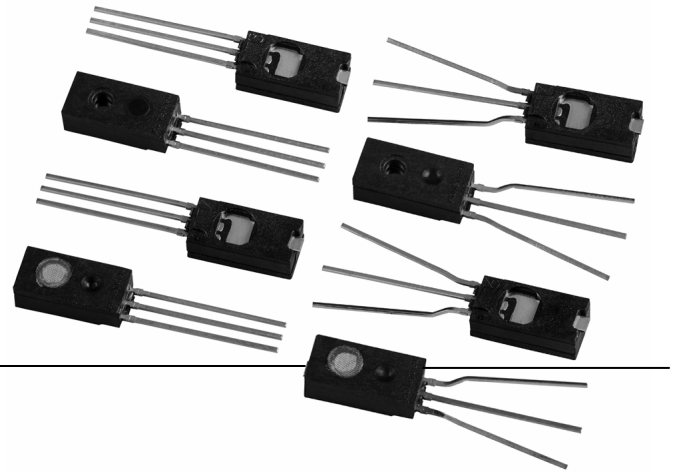
Honeywell

HIH-4010/4020/4021 Series

Humidity Sensors



DESCRIPTION

The HIH-40104020/4021 Series Humidity Sensors are designed specifically for high volume OEM (Original Equipment Manufacturer) users.

Direct input to a controller or other device is made possible by this sensor's near linear voltage output. With a typical current draw of only 200 µA, the HIH-4010/4020/4021 Series is often ideally suited for low drain, battery operated systems.

Tight sensor interchangeability reduces or eliminates OEM production calibration costs. Individual sensor calibration data is available.

The HIH-4010/4020/4021 Series delivers instrumentation-quality RH (Relative Humidity) sensing performance in a competitively priced, solderable SIP (Single In-line Package).

The HIH-4010 is an uncovered integrated humidity sensor, the HIH-4020 is a covered integrated circuit humidity sensor, and the HIH-4021 is a covered, condensation-resistant, integrated circuit humidity sensor. All three products are available in two lead space configurations.

The RH sensor is a laser trimmed, thermoset polymer capacitive sensing element with on-chip integrated signal conditioning.

The sensing element's multilayer construction provides excellent resistance to most application hazards such as wetting, dust, dirt, oils and common environmental chemicals. Both products are available in two lead spacing configurations, as well as with or without calibration and data printouts.

FEATURES

- Molded thermoset plastic housing
- Near linear voltage output vs %RH
- Laser trimmed interchangeability
- Low power design
- Enhanced accuracy
- Fast response time
- Stable, low drift performance
- Chemically resistant

POTENTIAL APPLICATIONS

- Refrigeration equipment
- HVAC (Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning) equipment
- Medical equipment
- Drying
- Metrology
- Battery-powered systems
- OEM assemblies

TABLE 1. PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS (At 5 Vdc supply and 25 ºC [77 ºF] unless otherwise noted.)

Parameter	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit	Specific Note
Interchangeability (first order curve)	–	–	–	–	–
0% RH to 59% RH	-5	–	5	% RH	–
60% RH to 100% RH	-8	–	8	% RH	–
Accuracy (best fit straight line)	-3.5	–	+3.5	% RH	1
Hysterisis	–	3	–	% RH	–
Repeatability	–	±0.5	–	% RH	–
Settling time	–	–	70	ms	–
Response time (1/e in slow moving air)	–	5	–	s	–
Stability (at 50 %RH in 1 year)	–	±1.2	–	% RH	2
Stability (at 50 %RH in 1 year)	–	±0.5	–	% RH	3
Voltage supply	4	–	5.8	Vdc	4
Current supply	–	200	500	µA	–
Voltage output (1st order curve fit)	$V_{OUT}=(V_{SUPPLY})(0.0062(\text{sensor RH}) + 0.16)$, typical at 25 ºC				
Temperature compensation	True RH = (Sensor RH)/(1.0546 – 0.00216T), T in ºC				
Output voltage temp. coefficient at 50% RH, 5 V	–	-4	–	mV/ºC	–
Operating temperature	-40[-40]	See Figure 1.	85[185]	ºC[ºF]	–
Operating humidity (HIH-4010)	0	See Figure 1.	100	% RH	5
Operating humidity (HIH-4020)	0	See Figure 1.	100	% RH	5
Operating humidity (HIH-4021)	0	See Figure 1.	100	% RH	–
Storage temperature	-50[-58]	–	125[257]	ºC[ºF]	–
Storage humidity	See Figure 2.			% RH	5

Specific Notes:

1. For HIH-4010/20/21-003/004 catalog listings only.
2. Includes testing outside of recommended operating zone.
3. Includes testing for recommended operating zone only.
4. Device is calibrated at 5 Vdc and 25 ºC.
5. Non-condensing environment. When liquid water falls on the humidity sensor die, output goes to a low rail condition indicating no humidity.

General Notes:

- Sensor is ratiometric to supply voltage.
- Extended exposure to >90% RH causes a reversible shift of 3% RH.
- Sensor is light sensitive. For best performance, shield sensor from bright light.

FACTORY CALIBRATION DATA

HIH-4010/4020/4021 Sensors may be ordered with a calibration and data printout. See Table 2 and the order guide on the back page.

TABLE 2. EXAMPLE DATA PRINTOUT

Model	HIH-4010-003
Channel	92
Wafer	030996M
MRP	337313
Calculated values at 5 V V_{OUT} at 0% RH V_{OUT} at 75.3% RH	 0.958 V 3.268 V
Linear output for 3.5% RH accuracy at 25 °C Zero offset Slope Sensor RH	 0.958 V 30.680 mV/%RH (V_{OUT} - zero offset)/slope (V_{OUT} - 0.958)/0.0307
Ratiometric response for 0% RH to 100% RH V_{OUT}	 V_{SUPPLY} (0.1915 to 0.8130)

For HIH-4010-001/002/003/004 catalog listings only.

For HIH-4020-001/002/003/004 and HIH-4021-001/002/003/004 catalog listings only.

FIGURE 1. OPERATING ENVIRONMENT (Non-condensing environment for HIH-4010 and HIH-4020 catalog listings only.)

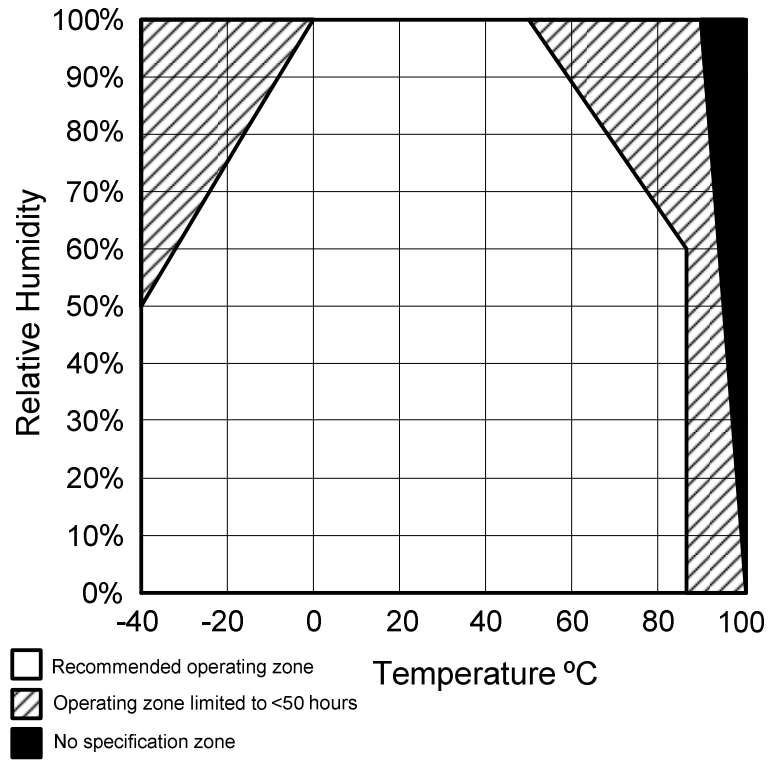


FIGURE 2. STORAGE ENVIRONMENT (Non-condensing environment for HIH-4010 and HIH-4020 catalog listings only.)