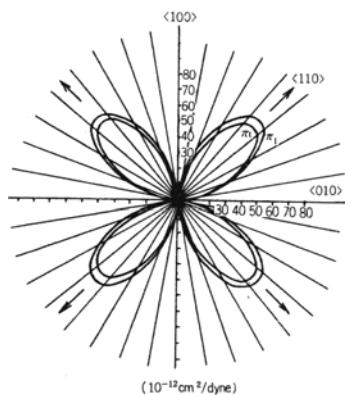


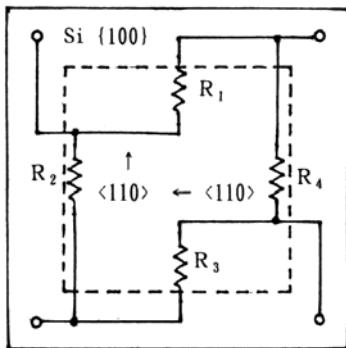
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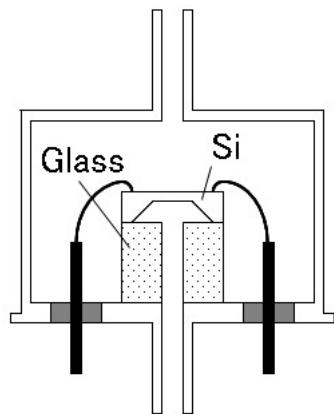
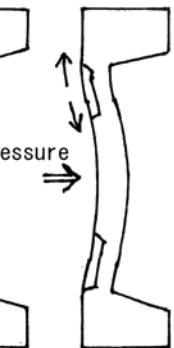
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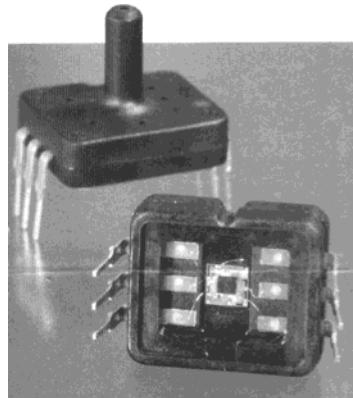
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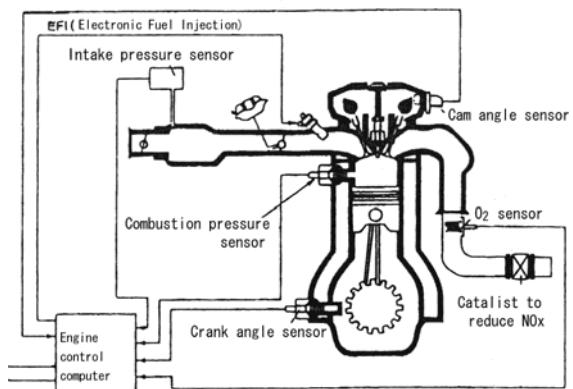
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Packaging of pressure sensor



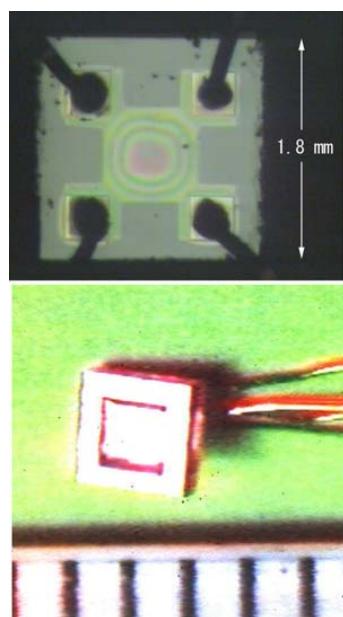
Pressure by Fujikura Ltd. (Sample)



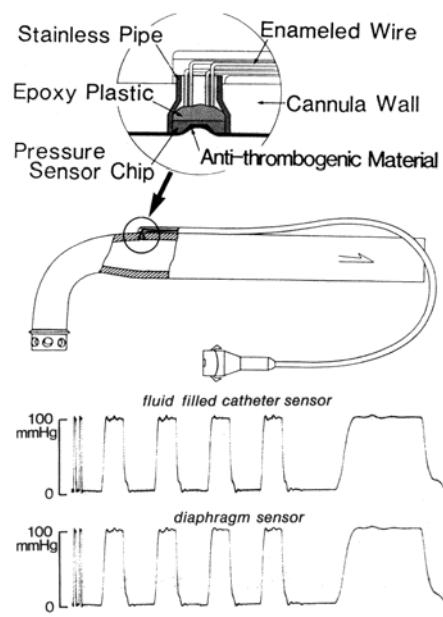
Pressure sensor applied for engine control

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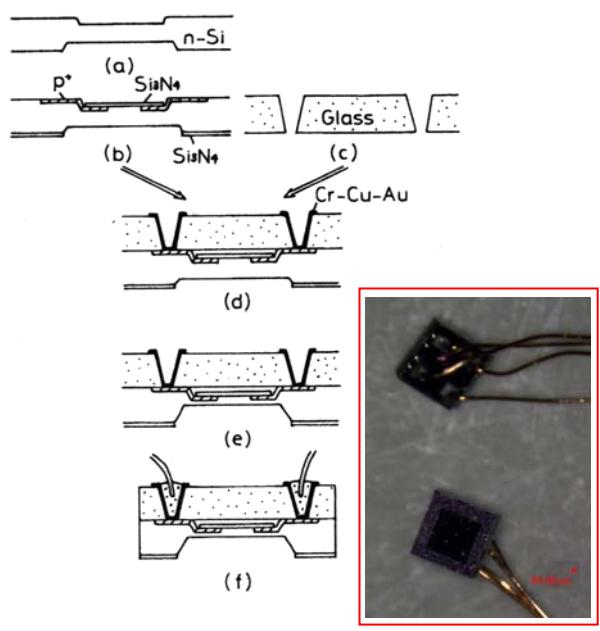
Piezoresistive Absolute Pressure Sensor



Photograph



Blood pressure monitor in ventricular assist device



Fabrication process

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