

# BaMoS – The Battery Monitoring Solution by InnovationLab A novel way to understand your battery



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## The Importance of Data



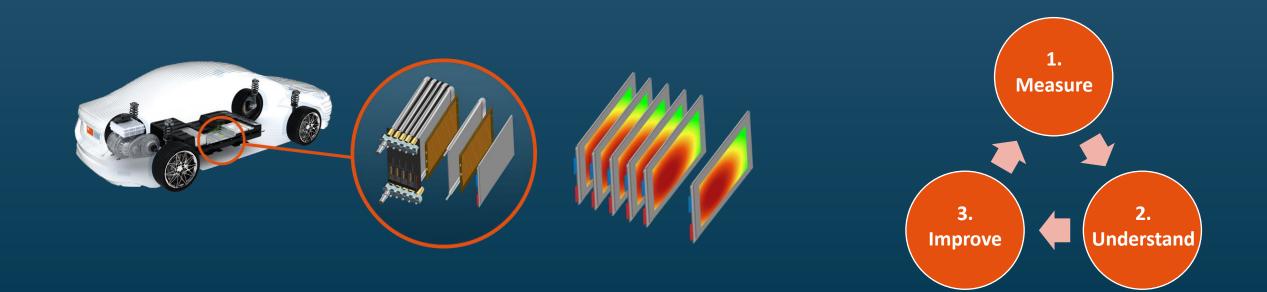


Being able to capture significant data is the first step for improvement. However, often it is not possible to get data from exactly where you want.



This is the case for rechargeable batteries. No one really knows yet what is happening within a battery system during the charging cycle and stress tests in terms of temperature and pressure.

How can a measure for improvement be defined without properly understanding the system?



## How to Measure Inside a Battery System

### **Foil Sensors**

Thin foil sensors can be placed between the cells and thus solve this issue.

#### An example:

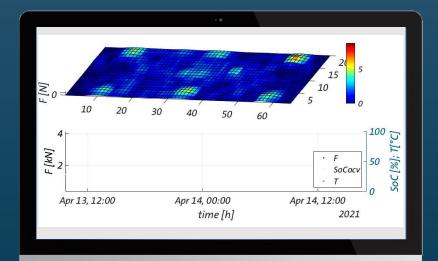
During the charge/discharge cycle, batteries undergo continuous volume changes. These volume changes translate into changes of pressure, which can be captured by foil sensors.

#### This allows to...

- ✓ measure the state of charge (SoC) directly,
- ✓ implement preload and cell balancing measures,
- ✓ detect irregular behavior,
- ✓ prevent overcharging,
- ✓ and gain information on state of health (SoH).

Foil sensors enable getting data from inside of the battery system. Both spatially & temporally resolved.







#### Overview

#### **1.** Sensor Foils:

- a. Pressure distribution
- b. Temperature distribution



#### **2. Read-out Electronics:**

- State-of-the-art with reduced cross-talk
- 12-bit resolution
- Low noise
- Several communication interfaces

#### 3. Software:

- Live visualization, storage and analysis of the data
- Data filtering
- Real-time streaming via API



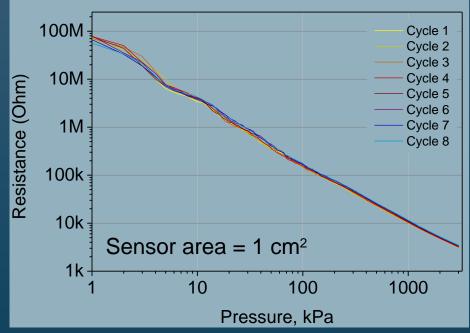
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Sensor foils for measuring the pressure distribution



Matrix of printed piezoresistive pixels on extremely thin substrate.

#### Typical performance:



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#### Strong performance:

- ✓ Huge measurement range:
- ✓ High repeatability:
- ✓ High durability:
- ✓ Overall thickness:

< 120 µm

< 7 %

 $0.5 - 500 \text{ N/cm}^2$ 

< 5 % loss after 1 Mio. Cycles of 150 N/cm<sup>2</sup> load

✓ Operating Temperature:  $-20^{\circ}C - 100^{\circ}C$ 

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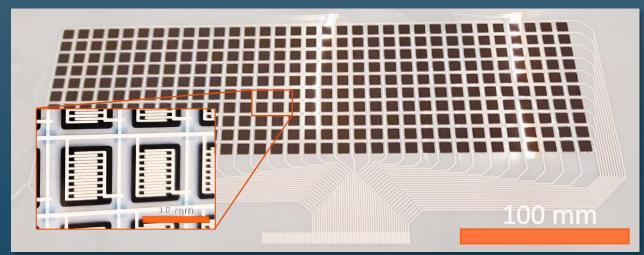
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### **Portfolio:**

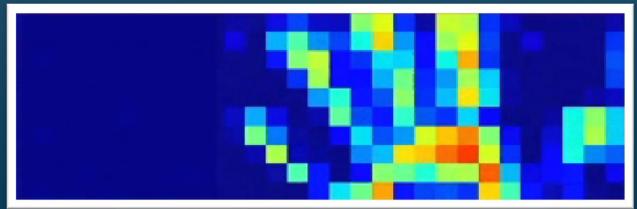
	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3	Type 4	Custom
Measurement Mode	Thru	Thru	Thru	Shunt	
<b>Resolution</b> (# of pixels)	29 x 17	65 x 20	65 x 20	32 x 10	up to 96 × 96
Active area (cm <sup>2</sup> )	15 x 9	33 x 10	53 x 11	32 x 10	up to 40 × 60
<b>Pixel size</b> (cm²)	0.32 × 0.32	0.30 × 0.30	0.50 x 0.32	0.62 x 0.57	down to 0.01 (Thru) down to 0.2 (Shunt)
Foil material	PI (2 x 50 μm)	PI (2 x 50 μm)	PI (2 x 50 μm)	PEN (2 x 125 μm)	PI, PET, PEN,
Suitability for <ul> <li>low pressure</li> </ul>	+	+/-	+	++	
high pressure	+	+ / ++	+	-	

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Sensor foils for measuring the temperature distribution



Temperature-sensitive resistors printed on interdigitated electrode structures enable **spatially resolved temperature measurements** on very thin foils (<  $80 \mu m$ ).



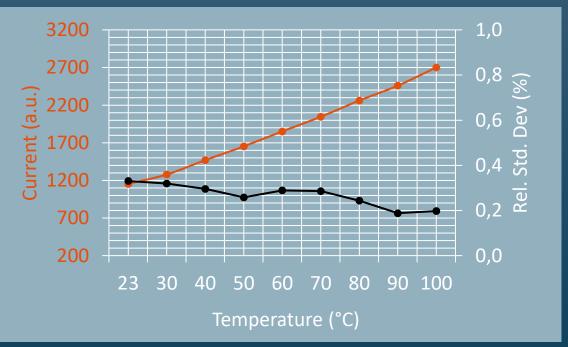
**Color-coded image** of the temperature distribution induced by a hand.



### Sensor foils for measuring the temperature distribution

#### **Portfolio:**

	Standard	Custom
<b>Resolution</b> (# of pixels)	32 x 10	up to 96 x 96
Active Area (cm²)	32 x 10	up to 35 x 55
Pixel size (cm²)	0.6 x 0.6	down to 0.2
Foil material	PEN	PI, PET, PEN



#### **Typical performance:**

Highly linear behavior

- ✓ Accuracy: < 1 °C<sup>-1</sup>
- ✓ Range: 10 100 °C and beyond
- ✓ Pressure independent

Dependency of the measured current on the temperature. A clear linear behavior is observed.

### Read-out electronics

High-resolution for matrices with up to 96x96 sensor pixels

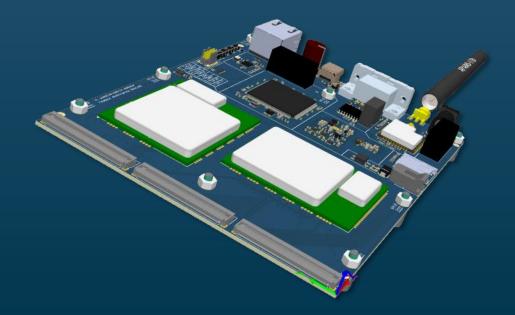
Low noise 12-bit ADC signal

Strongly reduced crosstalk between pixels

Typical read-out frequencies of 14 fps.

Usable for force- and/or temperature-sensitive matrices

Communication via serial USB or Ethernet





Data recording

and replaying

Supports different

communication Interfaces

Support of customized

printed sensor matrixes

Advanced signal

processing

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### Software: SensorMatrixLAB v4.0

SensorMatrixLAB				-	- " ×		Advanced data visualization
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#### More information at: <a href="http://www.innovationlab.de/en/products/sensormatrixlab/">www.innovationlab.de/en/products/sensormatrixlab/</a>



### Pricing

Product	Configuration	Low volumes	High volumes	
Pressure-sensitive foil	standardized customized	389 € (1-9) upon re	154 € (100+) quest	
Temperature-sensitive foil	standardized customized	299 € (1-9) upon re	127 € (100+) quest	100 mm
Read-out electronics	pressure or/and temperature	upon request		
Software		from 900 € per license		
Support		219 €/h	1 600 €/8h	



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### Summary

Our Battery Monitoring solution in your R&D test stands supports you to...

- ✓ harvest **spatially resolved** live data on **cell level**
- ✓ adjust charge-discharge cycles and increase battery health
- ✓ drive the battery **at the optimum conditions**
- ✓ make your battery research **more effective**
- ✓ and finally get **the most out of your battery**.

The solution is **customizable** to your specific requirements and **approved by OEM**!

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