

# QUANSER MECHATRONIC SENSORS BOARD

# Introduce Students to Sensors and their Applications

A critical component of any mechatronics course or program is an understanding of the theory and application of sensors used in mechatronic systems. The Quanser Mechatronic Sensors Board introduces students to various sensors that measure pressure, strain, temperature, contact, distance, angular displacement, and dynamics. Included curriculum covers basic measurement techniques, theoretical performance, specifications, and common design considerations. Designed exclusively for the NI ELVIS III platform and LabVIEW™, the board also exposes students to industry-grade measurement and calibration fundamentals.

#### **Features**



NI Part No. 786518-01 NI ELVIS III sold separately



#### 11 Sensors

Including temperature, strain, pressure, distance, rotation, proximity, touch, and inertia



## Ready to Use

Includes comprehensive ABET-aligned course resources and LabVIEW files



#### **Easy Operation**

Measure using pre-installed sensors



#### Accelerate Discovery

Learn the fundamentals of measurement, calibration, and sensor applications

#### Courseware

- Sensor behavior
- Filtering and statistical analysis of raw sensor data
- Deflection and natural frequency measurement using strain gage
- Pressure transducer calibration
- Angular displacement measurement
- Encoder decoding

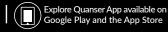
- Long and mid-range distance measurement
- Proximity detection
- Switch debouncing
- Temperature calibration and measurement
- Capacitive touch sensing
- Roll, pitch, and yaw measurements using an IMU











#### **Product Details**



### **Device Specifications**

- Pressure transducer
- Thermistor
- Ultrasonic distance
- Potentiometer
- Time-of-Flight sensor
- Infrared proximity sensor
- Snap-action switch

- Strain gage
- IMU: 3-axis gyro, 3-axis accelerometer, 3-axis magnetometer
- Capacitive touch sensors: 9 segment scroll pad, 2 single-touch buttons
- Encoder: Quadrature (A and B signals)

# ACCELERATE DISCOVERY WITH THE NI ELVIS III PLATFORM

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