The MLX90247 Thermopile Infrared Sensor uses a thermopile to sense the temperature difference between object and detector, and a thermistor for measurement of the detector’s own temperature. Calculation of the absolute object temperature is possible through the combination of both outputs. The MLX90247 is supplied uncalibrated.

Features and Benefits

- Contact-less temperature measurement based on infrared emission by the object.
- High reliability fully CMOS-compatible process.
- Thermistor integrated in the thermopile sensor chip for optimal tracking of sensor temperature.
- Nitrogen-filled hermetic TO-39 package.
- Coated silicon window for >75% infrared transmission in the wavelength interval 5.5 µm to 14.5 µm.
- The silicon window blocks visible light and short-wavelength infrared light emitted by infrared communication devices.
- Automotive qualified.
- ESD sensitivity: up 8 kV

Applications

- Automotive climate control and windshield anti-fog sensing
- Residential / Industrial climate control
- Medical and bio-instrumentation
- Industrial process control
- Consumer applications: microwave oven, hair dryer
- Detection of occupancy or movement
- High speed temperature change detection
Block Diagram

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