



PRODUCTS IN USE

NASA JPL space/flight qualified cryogenic dualbridge donut load cell and a space/flight qualified cryogenic 3-component multiaxial sensor.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

FUTEK developed two cryogenic sensors to operate aboard the rover. The donut load cell directly operates within Curiosity's drilling arm. It stands responsible to monitor the drill bit's force as it pierces into the Martian ground. The multi-axial load and torque sensor is responsible for the maneuvers of the robotic arm. Both of these sensors were specifically designed for the Mars Rover Curiosity mission.

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DTM Actuator

Cryogenic Load Cell

Gimbal Assembly

Ball Screw





