

Learning from our bodies How SoftPulse[®] electrodes can augment user devices with bio-potential detection

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Wearables

Where do we stand?







Ref: IDTechX Research "Wearable Sensors 2023-2033"





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Electrodes

Types & Requirements

Electrodes for biopotential sensing are sensors that detect and measure electrical signals generated by biological activity by creating an interface between the body and electronic equipment.



Ref: https://blackrockneurotech.com/products/neuroport-array/



Ref: https://www.cadwell.com/electrodes-accessories/



Ref: https://www.neuroelectrics.com/solutions



Ref: https://imotions.com/blog/learning/best-practice/eeg/





SoftPulse[®] electrodes – best-in-class solution for comfortable and dry bio-signal acquisition



- Latex-free elastomer based
- Soft feeling
- High electrical conductivity
- No skin preparation required

- No need of gel for signal acquisition
- Biocompatible
- Customized designs possible
- Production from prototype to serial volumes











- Low electrode-skin impedance (ETI)
- ETI comparable to alternative technologies
- Short equilibration time
- Low modulus for highest comfort











- Extreme design flexibility
- Specific physical behaviours for special designs
- Combination of multiple materials
- Integration of electrical components







- Access to automotive production facilities
- Certified quality system
- Flexible production concept from idea to serial volumes
- In-house tool shop







SoftPulse[®] have been successfully validate for the most common protocols for bio-signal acquisition





Brainhero

Be your own hero

"The Crown helps you boost your brain's concentration by measuring your brain waves and playing music that increases your focus."

Standard SoftPulse[®] electrodes to easily access serial volumes.





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"Earphones powered by neural interface offering full hands-free and voice-free control of any XR device."

SoftPulse® In-ear electrodes for best contact in the ear canal.

"technology platform that

play."

transforms inconspicuous micro-

of commands to control all the

devices where we work, live, or

Customised, multi-components SoftPulse® In-ear electrodes for biopotential detection.

gestures into a nearly limitless set



"The Bambi Belt - skin-friendly wireless vital signs monitoring for neonates,"

Customized SoftPulse® design to achieve maximum comfort.





"Axon is a cutting-edge neurofeedback device designed for home use, providing a drug-free and side-effect-free solution for chronic pain relief."

Standard SoftPulse[®] electrodes for performances and fast set-up time.





"Nurochek is an FDA-cleared medical device that provides an objective concussion assessment in just 2 minutes."

Standard SoftPulse[®] electrodes for best performances and scalability.





"Device provider of diagnosis and treatment of neurological diseases using digital biomarkers, brain imaging and neuromodulation technologies."

Customized SoftPulse® electrodes for detection and stimulation.



"Treat symptoms of autism or ADHD. From home." Standard SoftDuke® decign for

Standard SoftPulse[®] design for home use at scale.





niostem "First device to reverse hair loss through Stem Cell Reactivation Technology (SCRT)"

> Newly designed SoftPulse[®] Flex for best performances and improved comfort.



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SoftPulse[®] for earbuds ULTEEMear validation

BLE data streaming and download

Single-channel EEG acquisition (80601-2-26 compliant)

USB recharge and download

SoftPulse[®] In-ear & Flat dry electrodes

CSEM's active dry electrode technology



Alpha waves

Closed and open eyes states for 80 seconds each. A strong increase for the alpha band is evident when the subject was instructed to close the eyes.





Auditory Steady-State Responses (ASSR)

60 seconds of repeated bursts of white noise

- 100 / 125 ms of noise
- 100 / 125 ms of silence (repetition rate of 5 / 4 Hz)

30 seconds of silence

Streamed data and power spectra show the presence of clear evoked signals at the expected frequencies.



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Cognitive engagement with ULTEEMear

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Cognitive engagement

The participant first completed a baseline measurement by calmly looking at a fixation cross. Following this, they performed two blocks of mental arithmetic tasks with increasing difficulty.

The graph depicts changes in EEG frequency power, reflecting the participant's cognitive engagement as they transitioned from baseline to increasingly challenging mental tasks.



SoftPulse[®] for wristbands

Gesture recognition with STM technology



EMG detection

SoftPulse® electrodes can be reliably used to detect EMG from different body locations.

SoftPulse® Dome have been integrated with STM components to detect hand gesture from a wristband device.





SoftPulse[®] for smart-glasses

GAPses validation



Alpha waves

Closed and open eyes states for 30 seconds each. A strong increase for the alpha band is evident when the subject was instructed to close the eyes.

SSVEP

Frequency-and-phase-locked EEG response to repetitive visual stimuli. Stimuli, consisting of sinusoidal on-off patterns with 100% contrast.





EOG classification

The classification task is based on a modified version of the EPIDENET network, adapted to EOG signals. Classification accuracy while walking (91.2%) and in rest condition (97.4%)



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User identification with GAPses



BrainMetrics

We trained a dedicated model for each subject, specialized in identifying whether the EEG signature belongs to the particular subject it's trained on.

> BRAINMETRICS ACCURACY, SENSITIVITY AND, SPECIFICITY SCORES FOR SUBJECT-SPECIFIC MODELS.

Metric	Subject	Mean (8 channels)	Mean (4 Channels)
Accuracy	S 0	99.91 ± 0.04	99.93 ± 0.05
Accuracy	S1	99.57 ± 0.15	99.57 ± 0.15
Accuracy	S 2	99.89 ± 0.04	99.89 ± 0.04
Accuracy	S 3	99.84 ± 0.14	99.84 ± 0.14
Accuracy	S4	99.32 ± 0.16	99.30 ± 0.12
Accuracy	S 5	99.92 ± 0.07	99.91 ± 0.10
Accuracy	mean	99.74 ± 0.11	99.74 ± 0.11
Sensitivity	S 0	99.74 ± 0.19	99.79 ± 0.22
Sensitivity	S1	99.80 ± 0.20	99.80 ± 0.21
Sensitivity	S 2	99.36 ± 0.25	99.27 ± 0.24
Sensitivity	S 3	98.07 ± 1.83	98.07 ± 1.83
Sensitivity	S4	96.76 ± 0.96	96.51 ± 0.96
Sensitivity	S 5	99.49 ± 0.29	99.49 ± 0.29
Sensitivity	mean	98.87 ± 0.87	98.82 ± 0.87
Specificity	S 0	99.96 ± 0.05	99.98 ± 0.04
Specificity	S1	99.48 ± 0.14	99.48 ± 0.14
Specificity	S 2	99.98 ± 0.04	100.00 ± 0.00
Specificity	S 3	99.97 ± 0.04	99.97 ± 0.04
Specificity	S4	99.79 ± 0.09	99.81 ± 0.11
Specificity	S 5	99.97 ± 0.07	99.95 ± 0.10
Specificity	mean	99.86 ± 0.08	99.87 ± 0.09





- SoftPulse® electrodes are **best-in**class solution for dry comfortable detection of biopotential
- With Dätwyler global presence and capabilities in engineering,
 SoftPulse® are ready for global market
- Thanks to our customization opportunities, **SoftPulse® can be** integrated in any wearable device





