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What is flex rigid board?

Rigid board - Connector - Rigid board (B to B) alternative structure



-A fusion of a rigid board and a flexible board. (FR-4 PP is laminated on the flexible core layer)

-Because it is connected by a flexible cable, there is no need to connect with a connector. (Flex rigid board it self can be B to B structure)

-Because the rigid layer is laminated on the flexible core No need to insert or remove, increasing the degree of freedom in wiring design.

-Examples of use: Cameras (Automotive, industrial machines, digital cameras, etc.), Healthcare, wearable, various sensors (industrial machines, etc.).

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Comparison of flex rigid board and connector

	Price	Pattern freedom	Minimization	Built-in process	Quality	Electrical characteristics	Total cost
Flex rigid board	×	0	0	0	0	0	0
Connector	0	×	×	×	×	×	×

Flex rigid board	Connector				
Advantage					
	 △Simplification of the parts themselves (Simplification of board design) 				
△Product miniaturization (Board miniaturization + connector Z direction is also reduced)	riangle The price of part is low				
△Process reduction (Board-Connector-Board connection not required)	△Easy to remove				
Prevention of momentary interruption (Because there is no connection, there is no concern it will come off)	△Each part can be replaced (Board and cable can be replaced)				
△Electrical characteristics (Since there is no connection, transmission loss is reduced)					
riangleEasy to customize the connector function					
Disadvantage					
▼Price increase thee board it self	ulletIncrease in the number of parts (larger PCB)				
✓As it is an integrated type, it cannot be removed	ullet There is a possibility of momentary interruption due to vibration				
	\bullet Increased number of connections and increased transmission loss				
	▼Selection mainly for existed products				



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Case study: M2M sensor



Reasons for adopting flex rigid board

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Many advantage!!

- -Prevention of momentary interruption
- -Miniaturization
- -Storage in the housing
- -Reduction of process



フレックスリジッド基板とは…

リジッド基板-コネクタ-リジッド基板 (BtoB)の 代替構造体



*リジッド基板とフレキ基板の融合体。 (フレキのコア層にFR-4のPPを積層)

*フレキにより繋がっている為、コネクタによる接続不要。 (フレックスリジッド基板単体でBtoBの構造)

*フレキコアにリジッド層を積層する為、 抜き差し不要で配線の自由度UP。

*採用例:カメラ(車載、産業機械、デジカメ等)、 医療、ウェアラブル、各種センサ(産機等)。



フレックスリジッド基板とBtoB(コネクタ接続)の比較

フレックスリジッド基板とコネクタの比較

	部品価格	基板配線 自由度	製品 小型化	組み込み 工数	品質	電気特性	トータル コスト
フレックス リジッド基板	×	0	0	0	0	0	0
コネクタ	0	×	×	×	×	×	×

フレックスリジッド基板 レート 21mm	コネクタ			
メリット				
△基板の小型化 (コネクタのスペースが不要)	△部品自体の簡易化 (基板設計の簡易化)			
△製品の小型化 (基板小型化+コネクタ分のZ方向も縮小)	△各部品単体での価格が安価			
△工数削減 (基板-コネクタ-基板の接続不要)	△取り外しが容易			
△瞬断防止 (接続部がない為、抜ける懸念なし)	△各部品の取り換えが可能 (基板、ケーブルの交換可)			
△電気特性 (接続部がない為、伝送ロス低減)				
△コネクタ機能部のカスタム化が容易				
デメリット				
▼基板単体の価格アップ	▼部品点数の増加(基板大型化)			
▼一体型の為、取り外し不可	▼振動による瞬断の可能性あり			
	▼接続部が多くなり、伝送ロス増			
	▼基本的に既製品を主体とした選択			

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採用事例:M2Mセンサー



