

# Interlink Electronics FSR™ Force Sensing Resistors™

## FSR™ Integration Guide

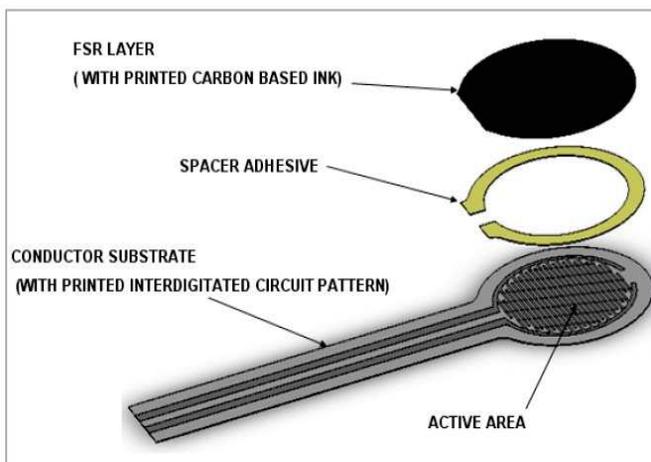


Figure 1: Basic FSR Construction

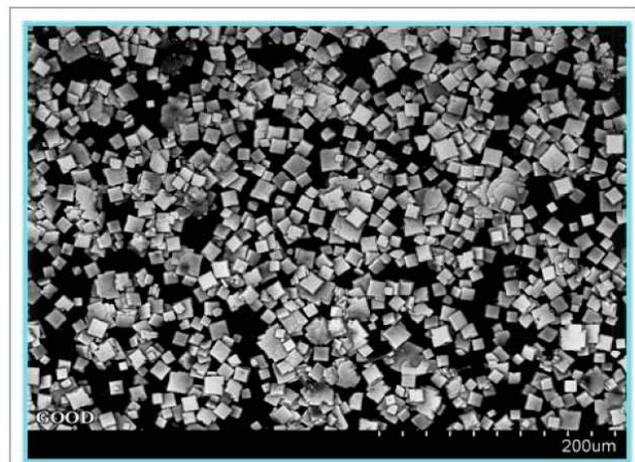
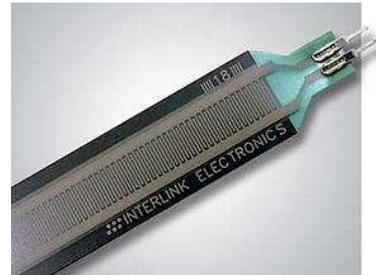
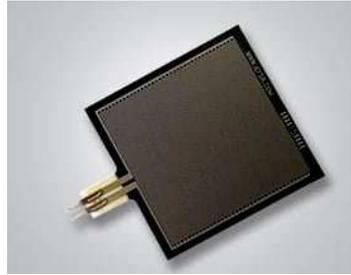
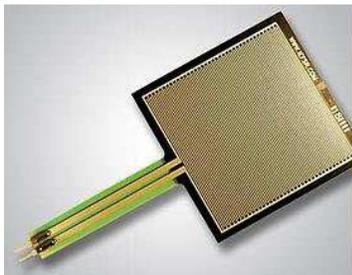
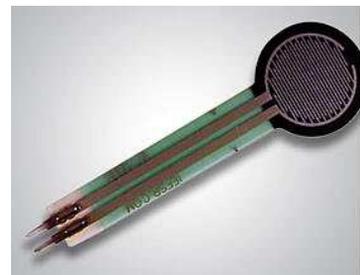
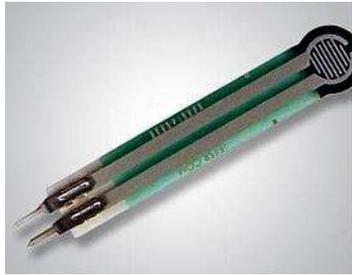


Figure 2: FSR Ink Micrograph

# FSR 400 series

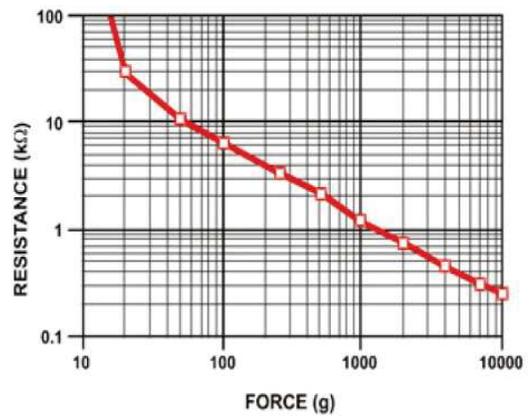
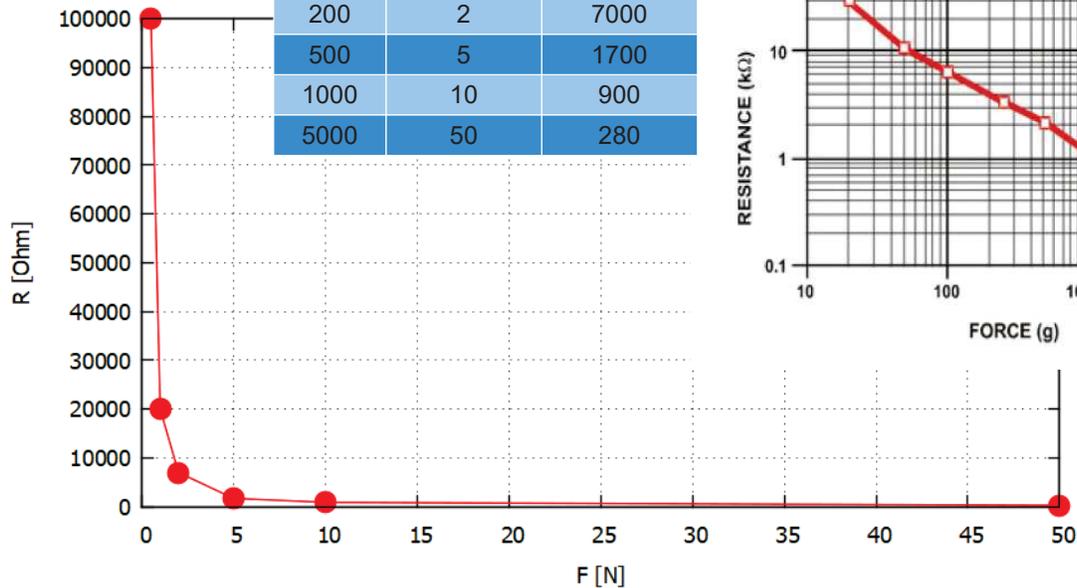


## FSR 402 Data Sheet

# FSR 400 Series Round Force Sensing Resistor

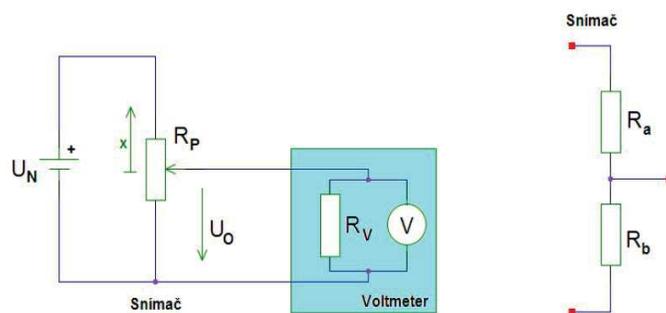
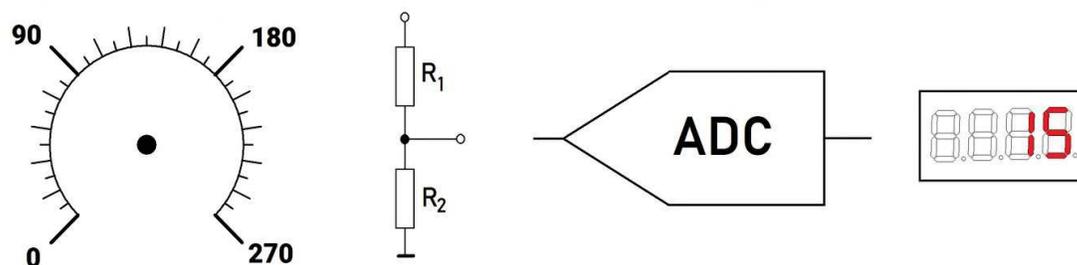
m [g]	F [N]	RF [Ω]
50	0,5	100000
100	1	20000
200	2	7000
500	5	1700
1000	10	900
5000	50	280

Figure 1 - Force Curve



## Meranie odporu

# Ako zmerať A/D prevodníkom hodnotu odporu?



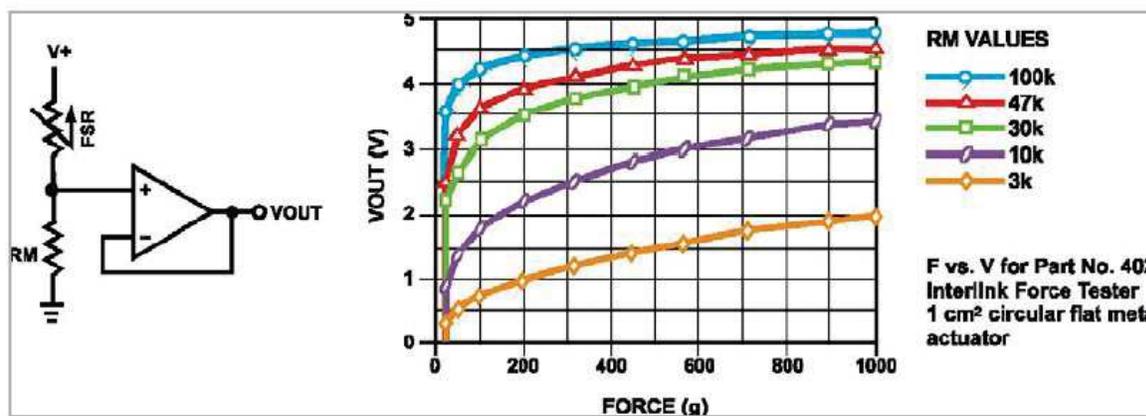
Obr. 2. Schéma zapojenia.

## 6.0 Measurement Techniques

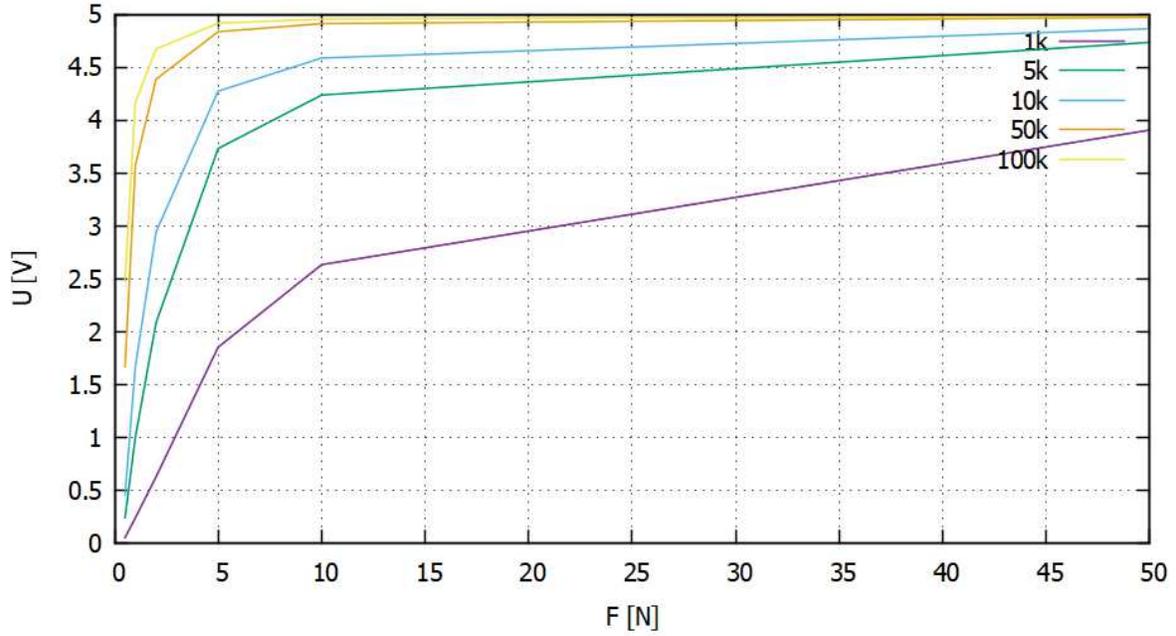
### 6.1 Circuit

#### Voltage Divider

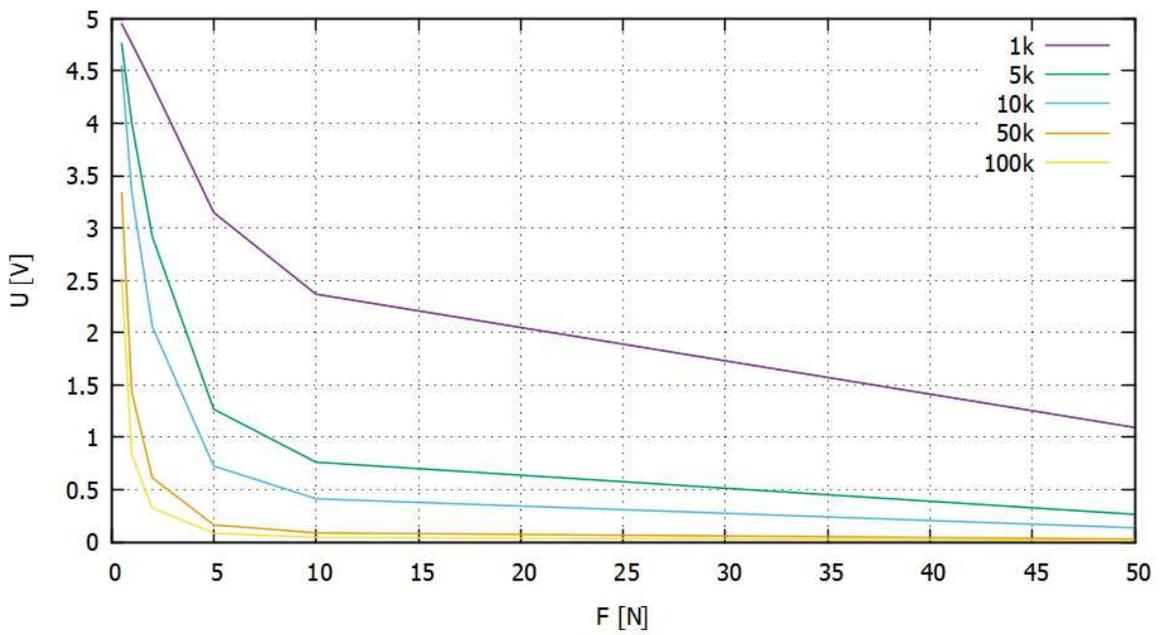
Figure 9: FSR Voltage Divider

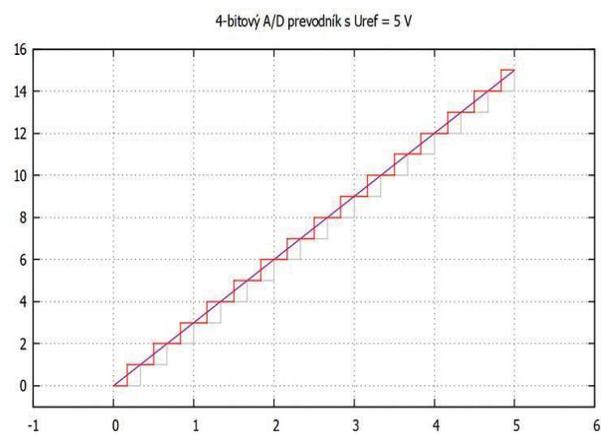
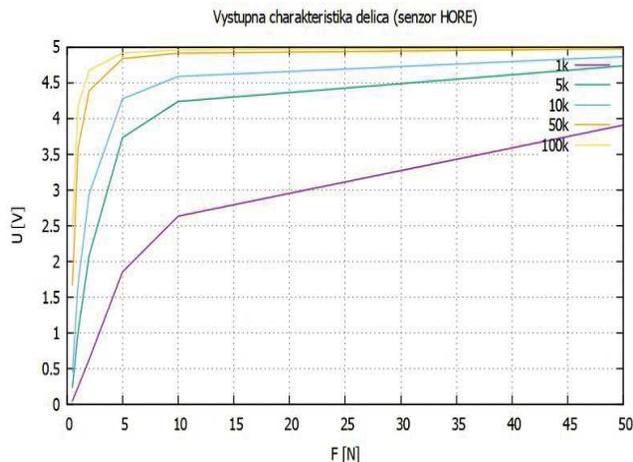


Vstupna charakteristika delica (senzor HORE)



Vstupna charakteristika delica (senzor dolu)





Výsledok merania 4-bitovým prevodníkom by vyzeral takto:

Force [N]	0	1	2	3	4	...	49	50
ADC [-]	0	10	13	15	15	...	15	15

Pre 10-bitový prevodník to nebude oveľa lepšie!

### FSR Current-to-Voltage Converter

In this circuit, the FSR device is the input of a current-to-voltage converter. The output of this amplifier is described by the equation:

$$V_{OUT} = V_{REF} \cdot \left( -\frac{R_G}{R_{FSR}} \right)$$

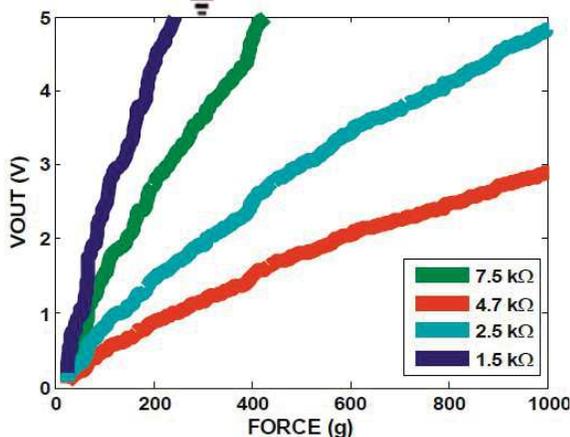
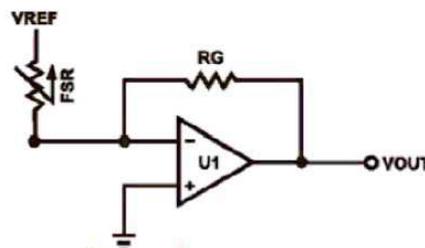
With a positive reference voltage, the output of the op-amp must be able to swing below ground, from 0V to -VREF, therefore dual sided supplies are necessary. A negative reference voltage will yield a positive output swing, from 0V to +VREF.

$$V_{out} = \frac{-V_{ref} \cdot R_G}{R_{FSR}}$$

$$V_{OUT} = \frac{(-R_G \cdot V_{REF})}{R_{FSR}}$$

VOUT is inversely proportional to RFSR. Changing RG and/or VREF changes the response slope. The following is an example of the sequence used for choosing the component values and output swing:

Figure 15: FSR Current-to-Voltage



# Výpočet I.

Čo vieme:

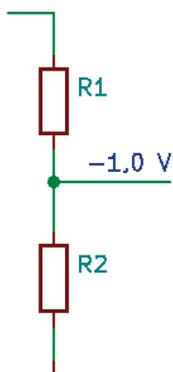
$$R_{FSR} = 250\Omega \dots 1M\Omega$$

$$V_{out} = \frac{-V_{ref} * R_G}{R_{FSR}}$$

Zvolíme si pre jednoduchosť, že  
 $V_{Ref} = -1$  [V] (znamienko je dôležité)

# Výpočet II.

Zvolíme si pre jednoduchosť, že  
 $V_{Ref} = -1$  [V] (znamienko je dôležité)



<https://damien.douxchamps.net/elec/resdiv/>

Podobný kompletný výpočet a meranie tiež tu:

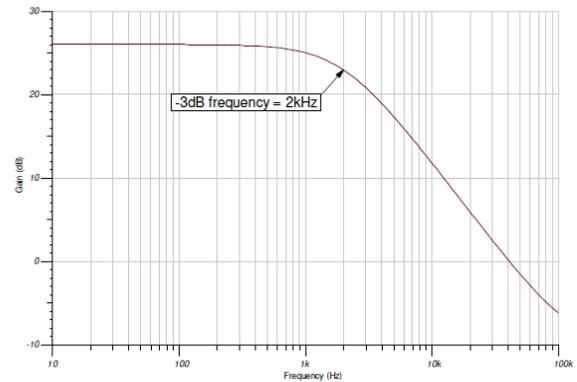
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VtxFtzWlTgg>

# Vylepšenie na záver

Analog Engineer's Circuit Amplifiers  
**Low-Pass, Filtered, Inverting Amp**



AC Simulation Results



## Design Goals

Input		Output	
$V_{iMin}$	$V_{iMax}$	$V_{oMin}$	$V_{oMax}$
-0.1V	0.1V	-2V	2V

## Design Description

This tunable low-pass inverting amplifier circuit amplifies the signal and provides a low-pass filter cutoff frequency for this circuit. The frequency response of this circuit is the same as that of a passive RC filter, except that the output is amplified by the pass-band gain of the amplifier. Low-pass filters are often used in audio signal chains and are sometimes called bass-boost filters.

