



IRIS CONTROL ELECTRONICS

# SINGLE PISTON LOW COST CRYOCOOLER ELECTRONICS (SP-LCCE)

RADIATION HARDENED, SPACE  
QUALIFIED CRYOCOOLER  
ELECTRONICS WITH ACTIVE  
BALANCER CONTROL.

Iris Technology's SP-LCCE is a Single Piston, Low Cost Cryocooler Electronics (SP-LCCE) package that is radiation hardened and space qualified.

The electronics were specifically adapted from our LCCE and LCCE-2 designs to operate the Ametek/Sunpower line of single piston cryocoolers such as the MT, CT and GT models.

In addition to basic cryocooler control functionality, the SP-LCCE provides active balancer control with 2 motor outputs; the primary output for the main cryocooler motor and the second output for the optional Active Balancer motor that Sunpower offers.

The SP-LCCE also has an accelerometer input to measure exported vibration from the cryocooler and computes and applies canceling waveforms to the balancer motor.

Active Vibration Cancellation (AVC) is highly effective at reducing exported vibration to barely measurable levels across 3 harmonics products.

The electronics set is fully developed and flown, giving it a Readiness Level 9 (TRL).



**Fully rad hard up to  
100 krad**



**Power levels up to  
180 W – 10 W for  
active balancer**



**Selected on  
NASA missions**

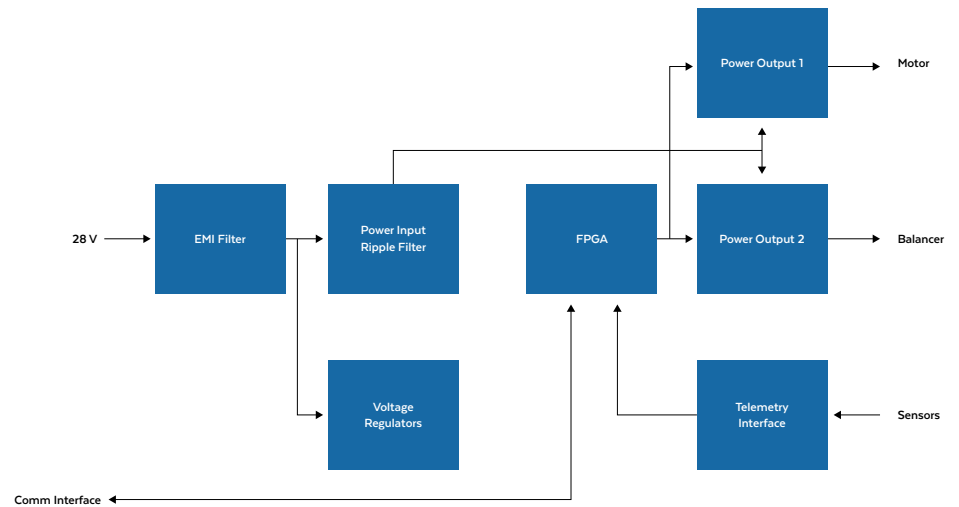
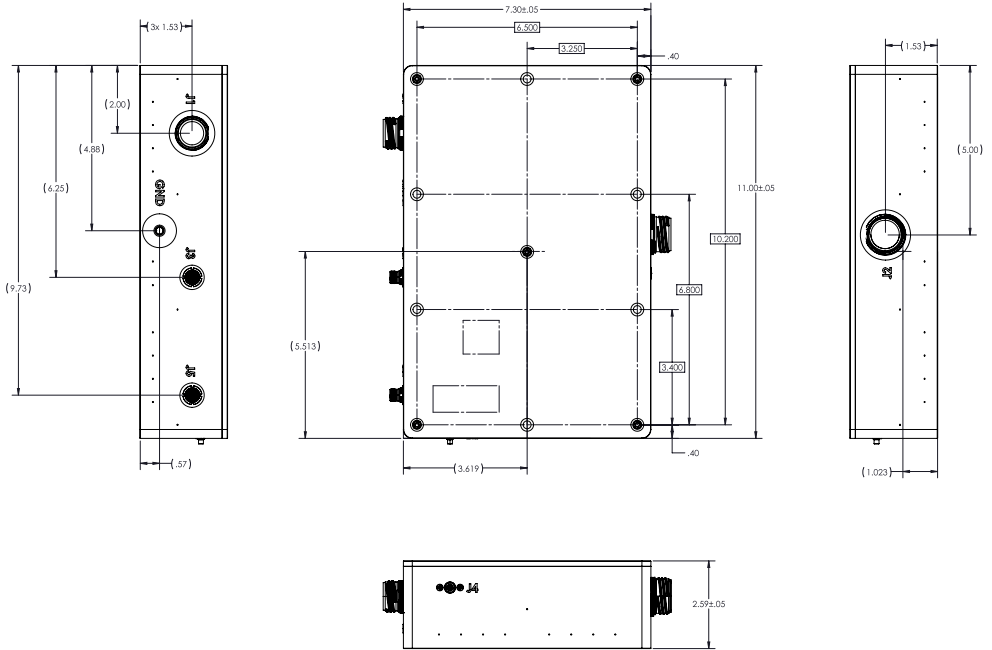


**TRL 9 design**

## SP-LCCE CRYOCOOLER CONTROL ELECTRONICS

SPECIFICATIONS	
# of Motors	2
Mass (g)	~1700
Volume (cm)	12.6 x 14.2 x 3.1
Input Voltage (VDC)	22 - 37
Total Output Power (WAC)	180W + 10W Balancer
# of Temp. Sensors	2
Vibration Control	*Yes
Input Ripple Filter	Yes
TRL	9
Cooler Agnostic	Yes
Radiation Tolerance (TID)	< 100 kRad
Circuit Type	FPGA
Efficiency (%)	85
# of Coolers/Controller	1
Vibration Control/Controller	2

\*Launch locks available if required



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