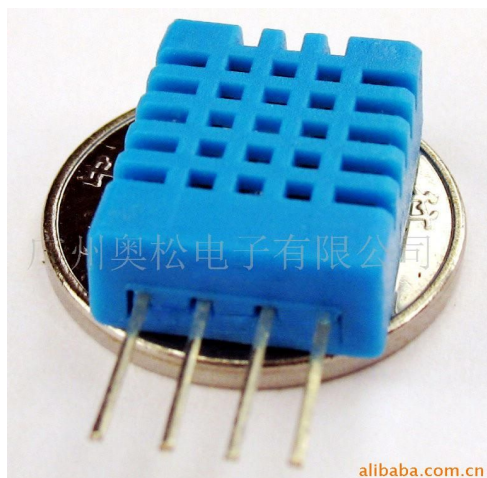# Digital-output relative humidity & temperature sensor/module – DHT11

Resisitive-type humidity and temperature module/sensor

1. Feature & Application:

* Full range temperature compensated   * Relative humidity and temperature measurement
* Calibrated digital signal   *Outstanding long-term stability   *Extra components not needed
* Long transmission distance * Low power consumption   *4 pins packaged and fully interchangeable

2. Description:

DHT11 output calibrated digital signal. It utilizes exclusive digital-signal-collecting-technique and humidity sensing technology, assuring its reliability and stability. Its sensing elements is connected with 8-bit single-chip computer.

Every sensor of this model is temperature compensated and calibrated in accurate calibration chamber and the calibration-coefficient is saved in OTP memory.

Small size & low consumption & long transmission distance(20m) enable DHT11 to be suited in all kinds of harsh application occasions. Single-row packaged with four pins, making the connection very convenient.

Technical Specification:

| Model	DHT11
Power supply	3-5.5V DC
Output signal	digital signal via single-bus
Sensing element	Polymer resistor
Measuring range	humidity 20-90%RH; temperature 0-50 Celsius
Accuracy	humidity +-4%RH (Max +-5%RH); temperature +-2.0Celsius
Resolution or sensitivity	humidity 1%RH; temperature 0.1Celsius
Repeatability	humidity +-1%RH; temperature +-1Celsius
Humidity hysteresis	+-1%RH
Long-term Stability	+-0.5%RH/year
Sensing period	Average: 2s
Interchangeability	fully interchangeable
Dimensions	size 12*15.5*5.5mm

4. Dimensions: (unit----mm)
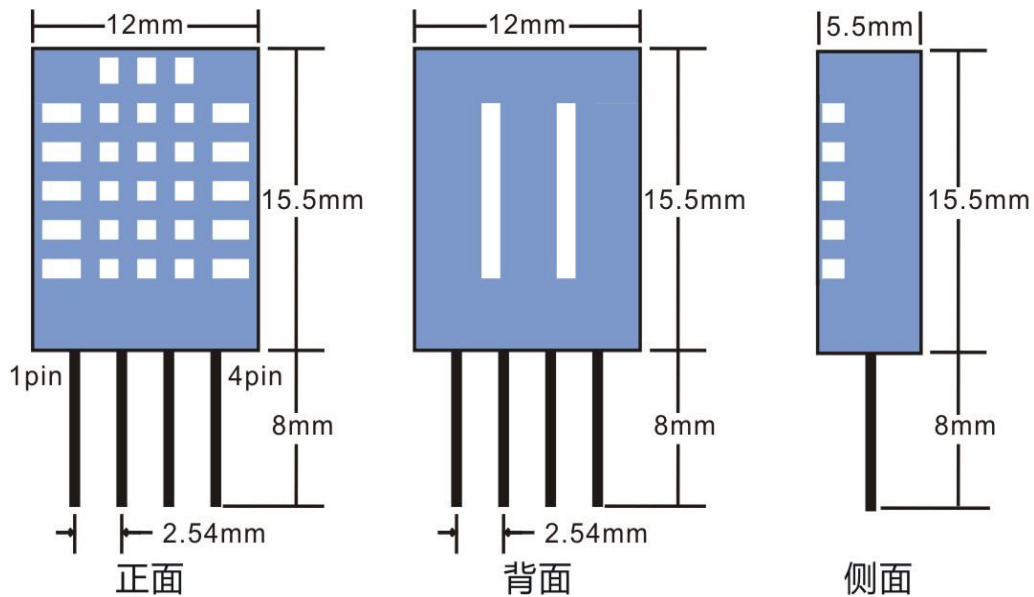
Front view   Back view   Side view

5. Typical application

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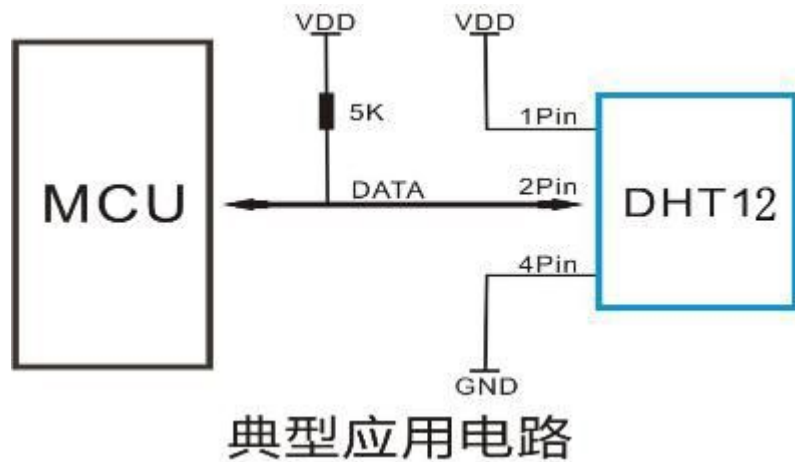
3Pin-NULL, MCU=Microcomputer or single-chip computer

6. Operating specifications:

(1) Power and Pins

Power's voltage should be 3-5.5V DC. When power is supplied to sensor, don't send any instruction to the sensor within one second to pass unstable status. One capacitor valued 100nF can be added between VDD and GND for power filtering.

(2) Communication and signal
Single-bus data is used for communication between MCU and DHT11.

7. Electrical Characteristics:

Item	Condition	Min	Typical	Max	Unit
Power supply	DC	3	5	5.5	V
Current supply	Measuring	0.5		2.5	mA
	Stand-by	100	Null	150	uA
	Average	0.2	Null	1	mA

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