Energy Harvesting at Morgan

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The Morgan Crucible Company plc

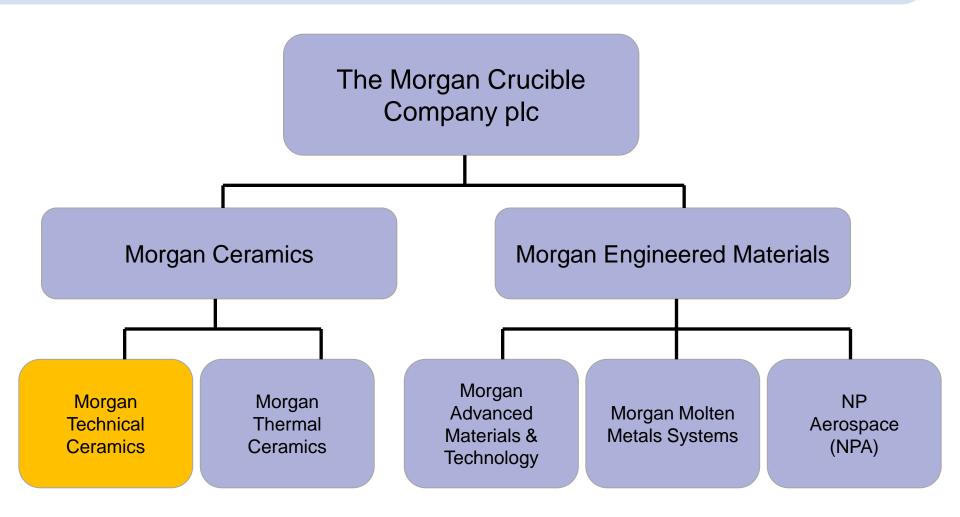
Morgan Crucible is an advanced materials company that provides technically complex, bespoke solutions to its customers, enabling them to address global trends such as energy demand, healthcare and environmental sustainability

- 2012 revenue £1B
- Two divisions
- 97 sites in 34 countries
- 10,000 employees
- Serving customers in >100 countries
- A member of the FTSE 250 index
- Listed on the London Stock Exchange
- Registered in Windsor, Berkshire, England





A clear divisional structure





Our products give us a leading position in the markets we serve

Morgan Ceramics



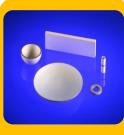
Fibre



Engineered Ceramics



Insulating Firebricks / Castables



Braze Alloys





Assemblies

Morgan Engineered Materials



Electrical Carbon



Soldier Survivability



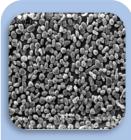
Seals & Bearings



Molten Metal **Systems**



High **Temperature**



Lithium Ion



Key Markets – Energy

Improving Efficiency

Wind turbine generators



- Power slip ring systems
- Brush-holders
- •Improved generator lifetime

Solar



- Special grade insulation materials
- •Reduce maintenance costs by 20%
- •Reduce production costs by 50%



Key Markets – Energy

Managing Efficiency



- PZT transducers for gas/water metering
- Being rolled out globally
- Saving of £14billion to consumers

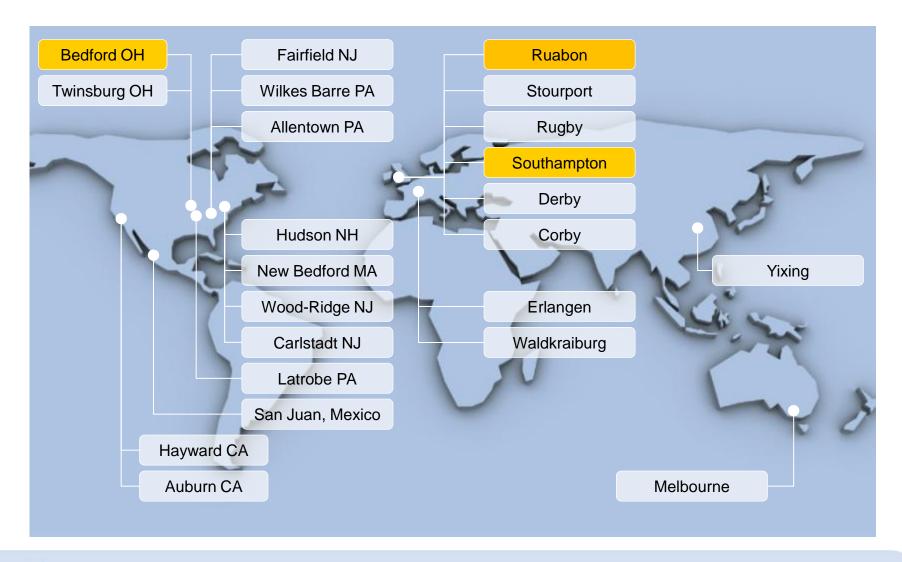
High Temp. Processing



- •Superwool® lining materials reduce energy usage,costs and green house gas emissions.
- •Thermal conductivity reduced by 20%.



Morgan Technical Ceramics Production Sites





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Piezoelectric Components





Bimorph Components



DC & RF Ceramic Capacitors



Encapsulated HV Capacitor



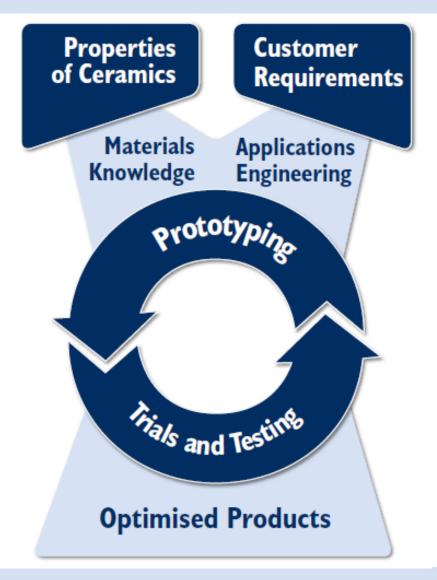
HV Capacitors



- 3 Global facilities
- ISO 9001:2000 accredited
- ISO 14001, 18000 & 13485 accredited
- PPC environmental licence for using hazardous materials (lead) in manufacture.
- UK Site manufactures 17 different grades of Piezoelectric ceramic powders.



Working closely with our customers in order to provide optimised solutions





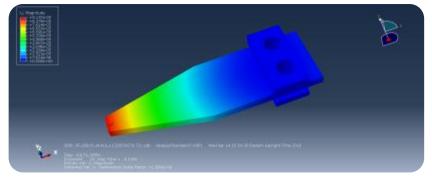
Manufacturing Expertise

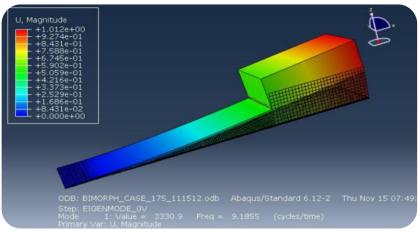
- World class PZT formulations
- Uniform pressing process
- Improved firing techniques
- Tape casting and state of the art slicing capability
- Large scale manufacturing capability
- Component manufacturing can be used for EH:
 - Impact (PZT igniters)
 - Vibration (Bimorph)
 - Pressure (traditional ceramic components)



FEA Modelling Capability

- Choice of modelling software to model various structures and components
- Optimisation of design:
 - materials
 - adhesives
 - metallisation







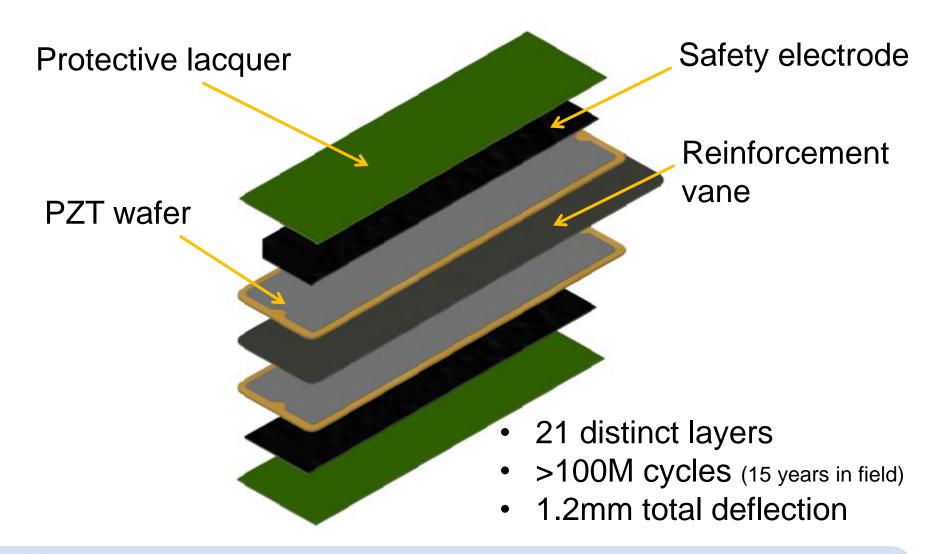
Piezoelectric materials available for EH

Parameter	5K1	507	505¥	503¥	5A4¥
K ^T ₃₃	6200	4400	2600	2100	1850
d ₃₃ [pC/N]	870	700	545	500	460
d ₃₁ [pC/N]	370	280	270	215	195
g ₃₃ [mV m/N]	16	20	24	24	28
g ₃₁ [mV m/N]	8	10	10	10	13
T _{max} [°C]	-40 to 75	-40 to 80	-40 to 145	-40 to 145	-40 to 180
ρ [kg/m³]	8200	7800	7800	7800	7900

(¥ Suitable for High Tº)

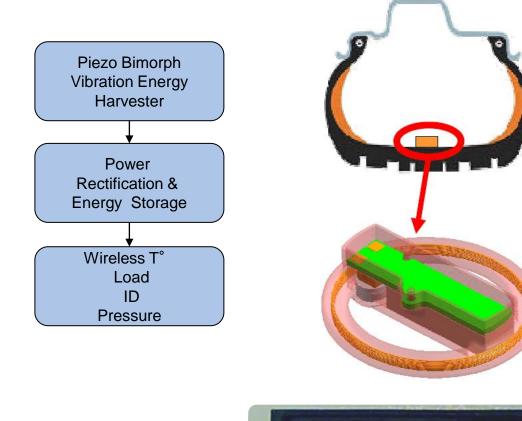


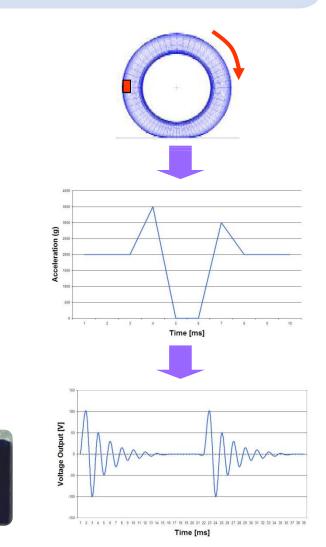
Typical Construction for a high reliability bimorph





Energy Harvester for Automotive







Energy Harvesting Tile

Tile Specification

Dimensions: 400x400x45mm

Estimated weight: 12kg

External Material: steel

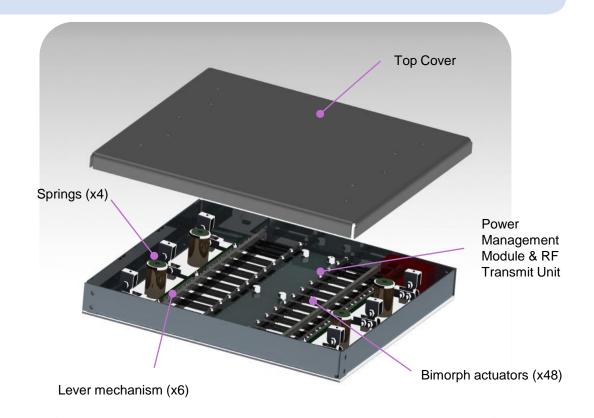
Weather resistant

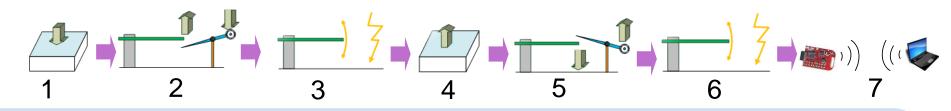
• Tº range: -10ºC to 75ºC

Power Output: 180mW/step

Output voltage: 3.6V

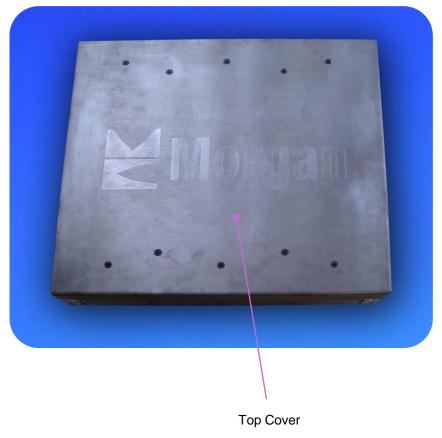
Output current: 100mA

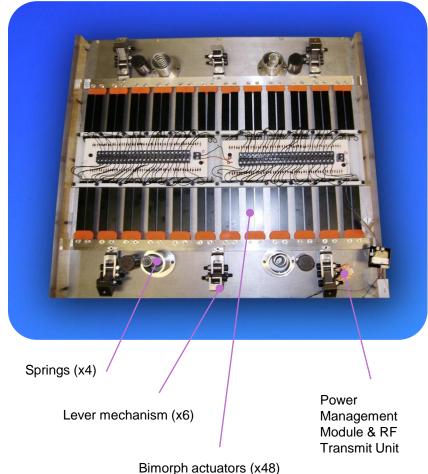






Energy Harvesting Tile – Prototype Demonstrator







Innovation/Development: Niche Bimorph













application?

2015



2010

Energy **Harvesting** Tile Concept

Large **Production of** PZT5K1 for various markets including Energy Harvesting

2013

based EH Kit Investigate multifrequency EH systems feasibility

Piezoelectric

Energy **Harvesting** for TPMS

2008



EH Development Strategy

- GOAL: Gain understanding of design space based on:
 - Review academic literature
 - Discussion and collaboration with potential customers
 - Develop analytical and FEA modelling for MTC components
 - Prototype to validate the models
 - Deploy a commercial solution





