



## Recent Trends in Fiber Optic Sensor: Technology and Applications

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- Sensors based on colorimetry, evanescent waves, and infrared spectroscopies;
- Plasmonic-based sensors;
- Interferometers and polarimetric configurations;
- Fiber Bragg gratings;
- Distributed systems based on Rayleigh, Raman, and Brillouin scattering;
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- Structured fiber sensors;
- Fiber laser sensors;
- Vernier effect.



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