

Low-Frequency Calibration and Performance Verification System

MB Win475LF

System Specifications

- MB Dynamics CAL2-300H air bearing exciter for horizontal device under test (DUT) calibrations; 280 mm stroke (300 mm between stops); 1.250 g's pk
- Performs & supports all Jobs-To-Be-Done (see below) quickly and accurately, minimizing human error, on calibrations with frequency range of 0.1 to 200 Hz, usable to 0.07 Hz
- Calibrates DUTs, meters, and payloads weighing ≤5 kg
- Complies with ISO 16063-21
- 2,000 mV/g Reference Accelerometer (REF); ±2 g pk optional primary laser calibration for lowest uncertainty; traceable to national standards and ISO17025:2017
- Linear motion air bearing stage under position and acceleration control
- Expanded System Uncertainty (ESU): ≤1.0%, 0.5 to 10 Hz; uncertainty budget per ISO 16063-21
- Accelerates payloads of ≤5 kg under sine vibration
- Platform and air bearing weight: 75 lbs (34 kg)
- Base and slide dimensions: 23" L X 12" W X 8" H (585 mm L X 305 mm W X 204 mm H)



Horizontal Excitation MB CAL2-300H Exciter for ≤5 kg Payloads with 280 mm Stroke (300 mm between stops)

Jobs to be Done:

- Measure DUT nominal sensitivity at a single frequency
- Calibrate DUT frequency response across its bandwidth of use
- Compute & display DUT sensitivity deviations from nominal value at all measured frequencies
- Output DUT phase response in comparison to REF
- Measure DUT phase response analog or digital signals vs. traceable Win475 vibration values
- User can adjust, tweak or trim meters, pots & other DUT components to be within ranges and thresholds of DUT specification
- Verify DUT performance vis-a-vis vibration-related parameters / specifications
- Archive results in a DUT database
- Print DUT-specific reports in a variety of end-user formats

Supported Applications:

Calibration and performance verifications of the low-frequency accelerometers, vibration meters and velocity sensors used in:

- Bridge & building structural health monitoring
- Seismic surveys
- Shipboard shock and vibration measurements
- Suspension & ride quality
- Tilt/orientation and motion detection
- Safety systems
- Modal studies
- Train and off-highway equipment
- Rigid body motion, whole body vibration monitoring
- Vibration measurements, where data are integrated to yield velocity or displacement values





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Typical Acceleration, Velocity and Displacement Performance Values for MB Dynamics CAL2-300H Air Bearing Exciters (can achieve 1.250 g's pk ≥5 Hz) with ≤220 gm DUT

| Frequency (Hz) | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 20 | 50 | 100 | 200 |
|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Stroke, mm pk-to-pk | 280 | 280 | 270 | 270 | 200 | 105 | 25 | 6.2 | 1.6 | 0.25 | 0.06 | 0.016 |
| Velocity, m/s pk | 0.09 | 0.18 | 0.42 | 0.61 | 0.71 | 0.83 | 0.39 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.01 |
| Acceleration, g's pk | 0.006 | 0.023 | 0.126 | 0.313 | 0.453 | 1.039 | 1.250 | 1.250 | 1.250 | 1.250 | 1.250 | 1.250 |

% ESU by Frequency Range

| Frequency Range | ESU |
|------------------|-----|
| 0.5 Hz to 1.0 Hz | ±1% |
| >1.0 Hz to 10 Hz | ±1% |
| >10 Hz to 99 Hz | ±1% |
| 100 Hz to 160 Hz | ±1% |
| 161 Hz to 200 Hz | ±1% |

DUT Weight vs. Frequency and G-Level



Pneumatic Requirements for Air Processing Panel

| Pressure | 100 psi (7 bar) | | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Flow | 5 cfm (140 lpm) | | | |
| Quality | ISO 8573.1 Quality Class 3 or better | | | |
| Max Particle Size | 5 microns max | | | |
| Max Dew Point | -4°F @ 100 psig (-20°C @ 7 bar) | | | |
| Max Oil Content | 1 mg/m³ max | | | |

Electrical Connection for CAL2-300H Control Box

| Voltage | 120/240 VAC, 1 Phase @ 50/60 Hz | | | |
|---------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Current | 10A rms MAX | | | |

Advantages of Air Bearing Stage Under Position and Acceleration Control:

- Superior signal-to-noise ratio and higher outputs at low frequencies due to long stroke
- Utilizes all available stroke for calibration: no overshoot during ramp-up
- Shortens time to calibration at lowest frequencies
 - o Ramp-up to desired acceleration within 5 seconds

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