





Applications

- Secondary calibration of shock-sensors as well as complete measuring instruments in form of a measuring chain, with very high precision and efficiency, according to ISO 16063-22 (calibration by the comparison method)
- Secondary calibration of accelerometer standards

Range of Use

- Certified calibration laboratories
- Departments of **measuring instrument verification** in research and industry, particular in **automotive crash test laboratories**
- Quality assurance in sensor manufacturing

Features

- Traceable to Physikalisch-Technische Bundes-anstalt (PTB) Braunschweig by the SPEKTRA Calibration Laboratory D-K-15183-01-00 (DAkkS Calibration Certificate)
- Application of a shock pendulum with integrated reference standard
- Maximum shock amplitude: 200 g_n
- Type of excitation: shock half sine
- Position of DUT: horizontal
- Maximum sensor mass: up to 300 gram
- Calibration of sensors with / without measuring amplifier and measuring systems (sensor and signal conditioner)
- Direct connection of piezo-resistive sensors through integrated PR signal conditioner
- Determination of **aptitude for calibration** (bridge resistance, offset, drift) of PR sensors in conjunction with software **PR measurement**
- Upgradeable to a combined calibration systems, e.g. type CS18 LF / LS

CS18 LS Calibration System Shock Pendulum



Components

- Vibration control system SRS-35 by SPEKTRA with integrated PR signal conditioner
- Shock pendulum SE-210 SP-LS with set of dampers for adjusting the pulse width
- Reference standard transducer BN-02
- Standard PC

Performance specification of CS18 LS with reference standard BN-02

for environmental conditions: temperature 23°C (± 2°C) and relative humidity 30 % ... 75 %

Shock Acceleration		10 <i>g</i> _n 200 <i>g</i> _n
Pulse Width		1 ms 10 ms
Sensor Mass (DUT)		max. 300 gram
Expanded Uncertainty ¹⁾	10 g _n 150 g _n	< 1,0 %
	> 150 g _n 200 g _n	< 1.5 %

¹⁾ Determined according to GUM (ISO Guide to the expression of uncertainty in measurement, 1995) with k = 2 (coverage factor)

Specification of integrated PR module

Module for supplying power to piezo-resistive sensors or for supplying DC power to sensors (e.g. VC types)

Components of the integrated PR module

- Plug-in module to CS18 electronic unit SRS-35
- External connecting box for individual sensor adaptation
- Software for determining the electrical aptitude for calibration of PR sensors (measurement of bridge resistance, offset and offset drift, offset compensation, shunt calibration, insulations test)

Options for the PR module

- Individual external connection boxes
- TEDS for PR sensors

Technical specification PR module

Bridge Power Supply	4-lead or 6-lead configuration selectable, power will be measured and controlled	
Voltage Range	-10 V 0 V +10 V	
Current	maximum 100 mA	
Bridge Completion	resistors for completing single-arm and two-arm partial bridges can be integrated in a connecting box (dimensioning according to specific sensor)	
Shunt Resistors	2 units can be integrated in a connecting box, resistance values can be stored in an EEPROM	
Amplifier	0 42 dB	
Gain Steps (DC)	factors to be set by software: 1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, 128	
Offset	offset measurement and offset compensation can be performed	

Options for calibration systems: see leaflet CS18-extras

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