Manufacturing Metrology Team – Instrument Data Sheet

Polytec laser vibrometer and piezo accelerometer

Instrument description

- Vibration damping and isolation are very important fields of study of the dynamic behaviour of a structure.
- The Polytec PDV-100 portable digital laser vibrometer provides a non-contact vibration measurement of a structure and is very suitable to measure the vibration of small or inaccessible areas.
- The Polytec VIB-E-400 junction box and its data acquisition and analysis software Vibsoft 84 provides harmonic analysis capability from measured vibration data of a structure.
- In addition, the PCB 288D01 impedance head provides contact measurement and recording of vibration and force within a structure. With the force sensor, structural frequency response can be analysed.
- The Modal Shop SmartShaker K2007E01 provides a vibration source to simulate an external vibration to a structure, with adjustable frequency and vibration types, for example sinusoidal and burst-type vibrations.
Specifications - PDV-100 Portable Digital Vibrometer

- Non-contact velocity measurement from 0 to 22 kHz
- Three velocity ranges for highest resolution
- Digital signal processing
- Analog signal outputs
- Variable working distance from 0.2 m up to 30 m
- Eye-safe, visible laser

Specifications - VIB-E-400 Junction box

- In-built signal generator and imaging source for component video
- High resolution FFT (12800 lines)
- 4 BNC ports for input signals (1 laser vibrometer and 3 reference signals), up to 80kHz
- 4 BNC ports for output signals
- BNC port for trigger signal, AUX in

Specifications - Modal Shop SmartShaker K2007E01

- Integrated power amplifier
- Up to 7 pounds (31N) pk sine force during testing
- 10-32 threaded mounting insert supports payloads up to 2 lbs (0,91 kg)
- Up to 9kHz vibration

Specifications - PCB 288D01 impedance head

- ICP® impedance head
- Force: 100 mV/lb range +/- 50 lbs
- Acceleration: 100 mV/g, 50 g range
Example experimental set-up

- Vibration generated at the centre of an additively manufactured test sample by the piezo accelerator while vibration of the sample tip is being measured by the laser vibrometer.

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