

The Driving Force in Motion Simulation



Inertial Guidance Test and Calibration System Three-Axis Motion Simulator AC3380-TC



The AC3380-TC 3-Axis Motion Simulator has three degrees-of-freedom. The middle gimbal (Pitch Axis) and inner gimbal (Roll Axis) are closed frames offering high torsional stiffness. The inner gimbal has mounting surfaces with an M8 hole pattern to fasten the payload adapters. A temperature chamber with gas cooling and electric heating is fastened to the middle axis gimbal. Large removable doors allow access to the UUT. The chamber can be specified with either LN₂ (TCN) or CO_2 (TCC) cooling. CO_2 coolant is not cold in the

pipes and can pass through tubes in the slipring shaft and enter the system through the pitch axis gimbal, whereas LN_2 requires insulated piping and a rotary joint suspended from a gantry above the simulator.

Slipring assemblies in all axes provide electrical access to the Unit Under Test (UUT). Signal lines have four brush contacts per ring to avoid micro interruptions, which could corrupt digital signals. A wide variety of slipring capsule designs and wiring schematics are optionally available.

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Unit Under Test (UUT)

Mass (max) Mass (nominal) Maximum envelope Sliprings to UUT 100 kg 60 kg 600 mm cube Signal 90 ways, 2 A @ 150VDC Power 10 ways, 20 A @ 400VAC (custom options available)



Inner Axis Middle Axis Outer Axis	
Angular freedom continuous continuous continuous	
Position	
Accuracy 1.0 arc sec RSS 1.0 arc sec RSS 1.0 arc sec RSS	
Command resolution 0.00001 deg 0.00001 deg 0.00001 deg	
Repeatability< 1 arc sec< 1 arc sec< 1 arc sec	
Rate	
Range± 600 deg/sec*± 400 deg/sec*± 200 deg/sec*	
Stability	
-over 360 deg 0.0001% 0.0001% 0.0001%	
-over 10 deg 0.005% 0.005% 0.005%	
-over 1 deg 0.05% 0.05% 0.05%	
Command resolution \pm 0.0001 deg/sec \pm 0.0001 deg/sec \pm 0.0001 deg/sec	
Dynamic	
Small signal bandwidth60 Hz -3dB Gain15 Hz -3dB Gain20 Hz -3dB Gain(No load)	
Acceleration 2'500 deg/sec ² 600 deg/sec ² 600 deg/sec ²	
Mechanical	
Wobble2 arc sec4 arc sec3 arc sec	
Orthogonality 4 arc sec 4 arc sec	

*Extended Rate Range Possible

Major Simulator Dimensions (nomina	l)	
Simulator height (max)	2'500 mm	
Turn radius outer axis	2'500 mm	
Base dia.	1'010 mm	

Temperature Chamber					
Coolant	CO ₂ Cooling (TCC)	LN ₂ Cooling (TCN)			
Range	-40 to +85°C	-40 to +85°C			
Stability	+/-1°C	+/-1°C			
Gradients	-3°C/min	-5°C/min			
	+6°C/min	+6°C/min			

Options

- Real time digital interfaces; VMIC or SCRAMNet
- GPS, RF or gas rotary joints
- Custom slipring & rotary joint configurations
- Custom performance parameters
- Increased/ rate/acceleration
- Custom UUT mounting arrangements and fixtures

The specifications identified in this data sheet are representative of standard systems. To satisfy customer specific requirements ACUTRONIC is able to design systems with specifications that are increased or decreased relative to standard systems.