Shock and Vibration Testing

Alpes Lasers SA offers a service of shock and vibration testing. Originally designed for qualifying laser devices to the MIL-STD-810H defense standard, the same tests can be applied to a variety of different products.



Key Features

- Random Vibrations
- Sawtooth Shocks
- Halfsine Shocks

Key Applications

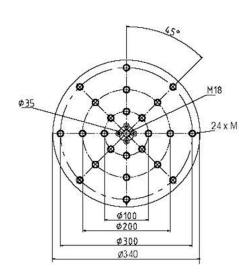
- Ruggedness testing
- MIL certification
- Flight qualification
- Space qualification



In order to adapt your product to the test chamber, we will require one technician knowledgeable with the product to be present onsite in Switzerland for at least one full day, where he will handle the products, perform the tests and record the results with the assistance of the Alpes technical team, with at least one Alpes technician being assigned full time to the task.

Vibration testing can be performed on up to 4 devices at a time for an arbitrary amount of time. Shock testing can be performed on one device at a time. Device exchange time can vary according to the design of your product but is typically ~ 20 min.

The pricing will be established on the basis of the total time spent using the facility.



Dimensions of the plate on which the tested device will be bolted



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Specifications

| PARAMETER NAME | MINIMUM VALUE | TYPICAL VALUE | MAXIMUM VALUE | UNIT | NOTE |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------|---|
| Sine Peak Force | 0 | | 4000 | N | Method 514.8 of MIL-STD-810H used for vibration testing |
| Sine Peak Velocity | 0 | | 2 | m/s | |
| Sine Peak Acceleration | 0 | | 50 | G | |
| Random Peak Force | 0 | | 3600 | N | Method 514.8 of MIL-STD-810H used for vibration testing |
| Random Peak Velocity | 0 | | 2 | m/s | |
| Random Peak Acceleration | 0 | | 45 | G | |
| Shock Peak Force | 0 | | 12 000 | N | Method 516.8 of MIL-STD-810H used for shock testing |
| Shock Peak Velocity | 0 | | 2.4 | m/s | |
| Shock Peak Acceleration | 0 | | 130 | G | |
| Frequency Range | 2 | | 300 | Hz | |
| Main Resonance Frequency | 2700 | | | Hz | All resonance frequencies are above 2700 Hz. |
| Displacement | 0 | | 50.8 | mm | Peak-to-Peak |
| Effective Moving Mass | | 8.3 | | kg | +/-5% |
| Payload | 0 | | 250 | kg | |
| K95 Accelerometer Sensitivity | 10 | | 100 | mV/g | Exactly 10 or 100; Select most appropriate |
| K95 Accelerometer Frequency Range | 1 | | 10 000 | Hz | |
| K95 Accelerometer Weight | | 3.2 | | g | Attached with M ₃ screws. |

Note: Maximum values only suitable for short term testing. Custom test profiles can be defined