## LW163.151-25 Modal Test System





The LW163.151-25 system utilizes the Labworks MT-163 3"p-p thruster and convection cooled pa-151 linear power amplifier to form our lower force 3" permanent magnet field modal test system. The thruster's 3.0 inch stroke capability and low suspension spring rate makes this system ideal for many modal test applications. The thrusters armature features a through hole, and a single collett stinger attachment to accommodate both tension wire and stinger modal testing. The convection cooled PA-151 amplifier is direct coupled to the shaker to give the maximum performance at both low and high frequencies and can be easily switched from voltage source mode to current source mode for force input testing applications. The standard voltage-proportional-to-current amplifier signal output facilitates servoed test operation. Dual bar graphs display the system operating levels and internal and external interlock circuitry helps protect the system from accidental abuse.

#### **General Specifications**

Sine force Blocked Armature Sine Force

Random force Shock force Frequency Range: Maximum Acceleration:

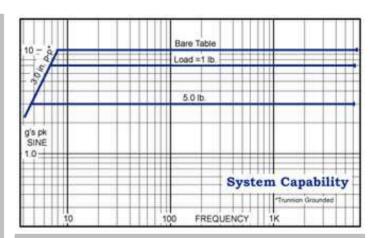
Maximum Displacement: Cooling:

**Power Requirements:** 

\*special service req'd

25 lbs force pk
20 lbs force pk (>5 Hz)
10 lbs force pk (<1 Hz)
10 lbf rms random
35 lbf pk shock
DC to 6500 Hz
10 g pk, bare table
7 g pk, 1 lb. load
3.3 g pk, 5 lb. load
3.0 inch pk-pk
Amplifier: 2-Speed Fan
Shaker: Cooling vacuum
300 VA @ 100\*, 115\*,
200, 230Vac, single
phase 50/60 Hz





## **System Components\***

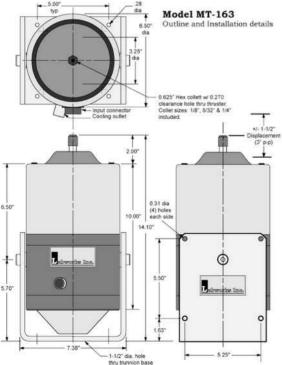
- MT-163 Modal Thruster
- PA-151 Linear Power Amplifier
- MS-129-163 Modal Stinger Kit
- Interconnect Cables and Hoses

## **System Options\***

- VL-144/VL-145 Vibration Controller
- SC-121 Sine Servo Controller
- SG-135 Manual Sine Controller
- Amplifier Rack Mount Brackets
- Rack Cabinet
- Accelerometer Package
- SI-163 Base Isolation Mounts

## MT-163 Modal Thruster





- 60 pounds pk sine force
- 3.0 inch stroke
- Armature Collett sizes: 1/32", 1/16", 5/32", 1/14"
- 1/4" Through-Hole
- Low stray magnetic field
- Frequency range<sup>2</sup> DC-6,500 Hz.
- Trunnion mounting base
- **■** Stinger Kit

#### **General Specifications** Performance Sine force Natural cooling 30 lbf pk 60 lbf pk With blower Max displacement 3.0 in 120 ips pk Max velocity Acceleration Bare table 24 g pk 17 g pk 8 g pk 1 lb load 5 lb load Max acceleration Resonat 200 g pk DC-6500 Hz Frequency range<sup>2</sup> Fundamental resonance<sup>2</sup> 4000-5000 Hz Stray magnetic field <8 gauss Measured 1.5" above collet <20 gauss 100 CFM/15 in H2O Measured 1.0" from body Cooling **Physical** Armature weight 2.5 lb 3.3 lb/in Suspension stiffness Rated armature current, Arms Natural cooling: -1, -2 15 A, 9 A 30 A, 18 A With blower: -1, -2 14.1"H x 7.5"W x 6.5"D **Dimensions** Shaker weight 54 lbs <sup>1</sup>Please see systems ratings for additional specifications <sup>2</sup>Load dependent.

The MT-163 Modal Thruster's compact size and extra long stroke armature make it well suited for all types of modal testing. The MT-163 Thruster has a compression collet stinger attachment and features a central through-hole suitable for modal stinger and pre-tensioned wire testing applications. The MT-163 trunnion base facilitates bolting the shaker in place for rigid applications or the use of adjustable mounting feet. Four mounting holes located on each side of the universal trunnion base provide a convenient method for hanging the thruster for suspended applications and a large hole through the base bottom allows long stinger rods and wires to pass completely throught the thruster and trunnion base in virtually any thruster angle position.

Reliability is assured through the use of the unique, dual linear ball bearing armature suspension design. This design provides for very low axial stiffness while retaining very high lateral stiffness. Cushioned rolling components insure against unwanted harmonics and distortion. The Thrusters low force recentering spring helps to keep the armature centered for low compliance test setups. When combined with the correct Labworks linear power amplifier, the resulting system is unmatched for reliability, performance and cost.

# PA-151 Linear Power Amplifier

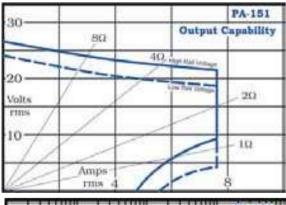


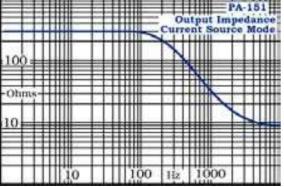
- Output: 25V or 20V, 180 VA
- Direct coupled linear output
- Output voltage and current meters
- Voltage and Current source modes
- Convection cooling, no fans
- Light weight, desktop amplifier



The Labworks PA-151 Linear Power Amplifier is a high quality, convection-cooled, direct-coupled audio amplifier primarily intended for use with small vibration systems. Although this amplifier has been designed to directly drive low impedance loads, it can be used in any application requiring continuous duty, high quality, audio power.

PA-151 Amplifiers feature protection from both over current and over temperature insuring long term reliability. The amplifier circuitry uses soft start technology for load protection and has external interlock capabilities as well as output voltage and current bar graphs. A voltageproportional-to-output-current signal output is provided for modal test and other applications requiring force monitoring. A unique dynamic output drive circuit provides high random peak output current for increased random and shock vibration system





### **General Specifications\***

Max. voltage gain 28 dB

Max. current gain 22 A/V

Cooling Natural convection

Input impedance 10 kΩ

Meters
Volts
Amps
Interlock circuit
External, user

External, user F.C. switch or TTL, F.C. Input power 300 VA max

 Voltage
 100-120, 200-240 V,1∅

 Frequency
 48 to 62 Hz

 Dimensions
 3.5" H x 17" W x 13" D

 Weight
 19 lbs

Switch selectable internal rail voltage allows impedance matching to load requirements
 Specifications subject to change. Call factory for latest specifications.

## **Amplifier Options**

9 segment bar graph 9 segment bar graph

- Rack panel cabinet
- BNC signal cables