MT-161 Modal Thruster



GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The MT-161 thruster's compact size, long stroke and lightweight armature make it well suited for all types of modal testing. The thruster has a compression collett and features a central throughhole suitable for modal stinger and pre-tensioned wire testing applications. The standard shaker trunnion allows the shaker to be operated in any axis from vertical to horizontal. The trunnion base also facilitates bolting the shaker in place for rigid applications or the use of adjustable mounting feet.

Reliability is assured through the use of the latest composite materials in the unique, all flexure, armature suspension design. The design provides for low axial stiffness while retaining high lateral stiffness and has no rolling or sliding components to wear out and/or produce unwanted harmonics or distortion. When combined with the correct Labworks linear power amplifier, the system is unmatched for reliability, performance and cost.

- 25 POUNDS PK SINE FORCE
- .75 INCH STROKE
- .005 to .125" DIA. COLLETT
- STINGER AND WIRE THROUGH HOLE
- TRUNNION MOUNTING BASE



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STANDARD FEATURES

- **AIR COOLED**
- PERMANENT MAGNET DESIGN
- **HIGH LATERAL STIFFNESS** ARMATURE SUSPENSION



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MT-161 SPECIFICATIONS¹

PERFORMANCE

Sine force 13 lbf pk Natural cooling With blower 25 lbf pk Max displacement Continuous pk-pk 0.70 in Mechanical Stop 0.75 in Maximum velocity 120 ips pk Acceleration 1,2 Bare table (w/collett) 71 g pk 0.5 lb load 63 g pk 2.5 lb load 9 g pk Maximum acceleration 200 g pk

PHYSICAL

Resonant

Armature weight Suspension stiffness Rated armature current Natural cooling

With blower Frequency range 2 Fundamental resonance 2 Stray magnetic field

Measured 1.5" above collett Measured 0.5" from body

Cooling Dimensions Shaker weight 0.35 lb 15 lb/in

9 A rms 17 A rms DC-10,000 Hz 9,000-10,000 Hz

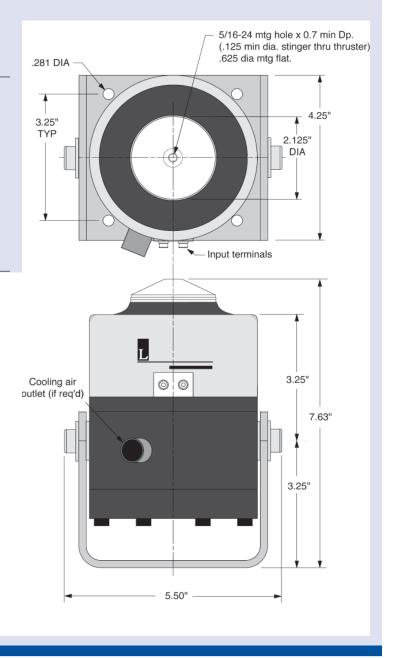
<10 gauss <15 gauss 80 CFM/22 in H₂0 7.13" H x 4.8" W x 4.25" D

11 lbs

OPTIONS

Cooling blower: Required for operation above 13 bf. Recommended for continuous operation above 11 lbf pk.

Vibration isolation mounts. Modal stingers and mounts.



Please see systems ratings for additional specifications.

² Load dependent.

Specifications subject to change. Consult factory for latest specifications.