ElectroForce® 3200 Series III



Site Preparation Guide



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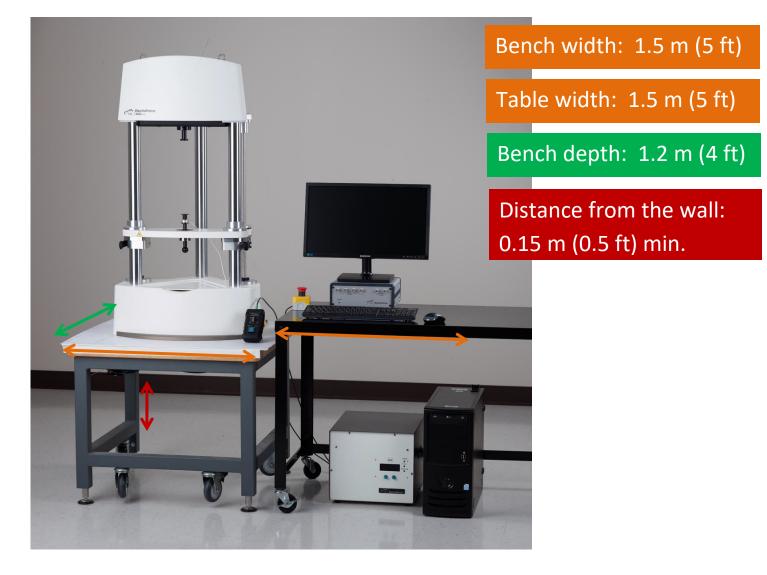


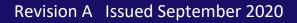
Ideal Setup



IDEAL PLACEMENT AND BENCH MEASUREMENTS

Select a location with adequate floor and ceiling space and a rigid laboratory bench that is level and is in a vibration-free environment. For dynamic mechanical analysis or highresolution force or displacement data, place the system on a seismic mass of ~80 kg. Bench must be rated to support several hundred pounds plus seismic mass.





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System Components

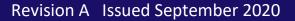


MAIN SYSTEM COMPONENTS



- A. Test Instrument
- **B.** Lift Remote
- C. PCI Electronics Box
- D. Power Supply (Axial)

- **E.** Computer Monitor
- **F. Computer Tower**
- **G. Emergency Stop**



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Instrument Measurements



3200 SERIES III TEST INSTRUMENT



Height: 1051 mm (41.4 in)

Width: 579 mm (22.8 in)

Depth: 518 cm (20.4 in)

Weight: 98 kg (215 lbs)

Weight with Extended Stroke Actuator: 100 kg (219 lbs)

Weight with Torsion: 113 kg (250 lbs)



Utility Requirements



POWER

Item	Requirement
Instrument Power	 104–132V, 50–60 Hz, 15A 207–230V, 50–60 Hz, 10A Neutral to Ground (NG) voltage max 0.5 volt Safety ground per local regulation
PCI Box Power	 104–120V 50-60 Hz, 1.2 A 207–230V 50-60 Hz, 0.6 A
FCO Power	 180–264V, 50–60 Hz, 13A Dedicated outlet
LSO Power	 110 V, 50–60 Hz, 14A 220 V, 50–60 Hz, 7A Dedicated outlet
ACS Power	 216–252V, 60 Hz, 9A For US nominal 208 V power lines, a buck-boost transformer is recommended, such as the ACME T181059 or equivalent 0.75kVA-rated transformer. 207–252V, 50 Hz, 9A Dedicated outlet
Power cords provided	 6-20P plug for 230V systems 5-15P plug for 120V systems

CAUTION

Use power cords with plugs appropriate for your circuit.



Supply voltages lower than indicated may result in a degradation of performance.



Ensure that the mains assigned do not also supply power to noise generating equipment nearby, such as motors, welders, transformers, etc.



An independent heavy GROUND wire must be provided through the power hookup. Improper grounding may cause severe damage for which the supplier will not accept responsibility. All power strips must be fully grounded and carry the ground through to the sockets into which the computer is plugged.



Utility Requirements

GAS

Item	Requirement				
	Air Bearings	FCO	ACS	LSO	
Purge gas	Air	Air or nitrogen	Air	Liquid nitrogen	
Pressure	413–515 kPa	275–689 kPa	515–620 kPa	151–344 kPa	
	(60–80 psig)	(40–100 psig)	(80–90 psig)	(22–50) psig	
Flow	8.5 L/min	145 L/min	200 L/min	N/A	
	(0.3 CFM)	(5 CFM)	(7 CFM)		
Connections	¼-inch NPT	¼-inch NPT	8 mm O.D. tubing	¹ / ₂ -inch SAE,	
	female to	female to	(Push to Connect)	45 degree flare	
	filter/dryer/	filter/regulator		fitting	
	regulator				
	Grade 5				
Conditions	Must be free from oil and dirt				
	Dew point \leq 10°C				



Accessories



ACS-2 MEASUREMENTS



Height: 88.5 cm (35 in)

Width: 37 cm (14.5 in) WITHOUT Chiller Panel

Width: 52 cm (20.5 in) WITH Chiller Panel

Depth: 56 cm (22 in)

Weight: 96 kg (211 lbs) WITHOUT Chiller Panel

Weight: 112 kg (247 lbs) WITH Chiller Panel



ACS-3 MEASUREMENTS

Height: 112 cm (44 in)

Width: 37 cm (14.5 in) WITHOUT Chiller Panel

Width: 52 cm (20.5 in) WITH Chiller Panel

Depth: 56 cm (22 in)

Weight: 121 kg (267 lbs) WITHOUT Chiller Panel

Weight: 137 kg (302 lbs) WITH Chiller Panel



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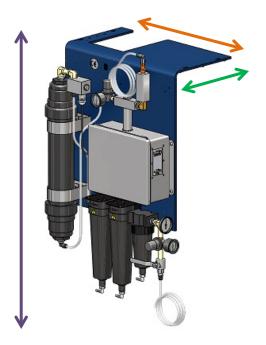
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Accessories



FCO & LSO CHILLER PANEL MEASUREMENTS



Height: 86.4 cm (34 in)

Width: 48.3 cm (19 in)

Depth: 38.1 cm (15 in)

Weight: 15.8 kg (35 lbs)



Accessories



AIR COOLING SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

Requirements					
	 50 Hz: 207–252 VAC (refer to the serial number plate on the rear of the unit. The ACS is line frequency specific.) 				
×	• 60 Hz: 216–252 VAC (refer to the serial number plate on the rear of the unit. The ACS is line frequency specific.)				
	• 8A, 9A, 9.1A, or 11A (refer to the serial number plate on the rear of the unit)				
	 US sites require an L6-20 single-phase outlet ———————————————————————————————————				
	 Gas: Air or nitrogen Pressure: 6.2–6.9 bar (90–100 psig) Flow rate: 200 L/min Temperature: 20–30°C Dew point: Must not exceed the ambient air temperature by more than 5°C. Specified at operating pressure. 				
	 Lab Environment (must be below 25°C): 12°C-21°C = Acceptable 21°C-24°C = Ideal 				
	• Leave 20 cm (8 in) of space in the front and back of the ACS for ventilation				



Site Preparation Checklist



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	 Enough bench space for instrument, computer, and accessory (if needed) Bench width: 1.5 m (5 ft) Table width: 1.5 m (5 ft) Bench depth: 1.2 m (4 ft) 	
*	Instrument power is 104–132V, 50–60 Hz, 15A 207–230V, 50–60 Hz, 10A	
Ö	Purge gas Air bearings: 413–515 kPa (60-80 psig), 8.5 L/m (0.3 CFM) FCO: 275–689 kPa (40–100 psig), 145 L/min (5 CFM) Air Nitrogen ACS: 515–620 kPa (80–90 psig), 200 L/m (7 CFM) LSO: Liquid nitrogen, 151–344 kPa (22–50) psig	
1	The Customer assumes responsibility for any damage that occurs when the instrument is moved by someone other than a trained TA Instruments Service Representative.	
I hereby acknowledge that all utility requirements have been met per the checklist above and that they will be ready at the agreed time of installation.		

If all utility requirements are not met at the agreed time of installation, additional charges may be incurred for a return Service trip.

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Customer	DD	MM YYYY	-			
Company	City	State	Country			
Please send a signed copy of the completed checklist to your local Service representative.						



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