

K-Shear® Accelerometer

Type 8795A...

Hermetic, Cube Shape Triaxial Accelerometer

The 8795A... triaxial accelerometer family of models measure shock and vibration in three mutually perpendicular axis. The standard 8795A... accelerometer is available in two additional versions; an 8795A...M5 which extends the operating temperature range up to 165 °C and a 8795A...M8 that extends the operating temperature range down to -195 °C.

- Low impedance voltage mode
- Light 32gram weight titanium case
- Ideal for vehicle testing
- Patented K-Shear® design
- Low (-195 °C) and high (165 °C) versions available
- · Hermetically sealed
- · Conforming to CE

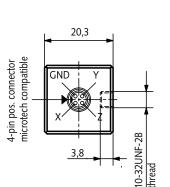
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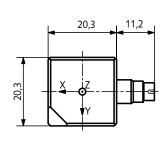
The 8795A... triaxial accelerometer family measure shock and vibration over an operating temperature range that extends from the cryogenic region up to a high end of 165 °C. For installation ease, the accelerometer are housed in a convenient cubeshaped package. The notched corner allows for convenient identification of the accelerometer's orientation when working in blind spots, such as under dashboards, etc. The quartz K-Shear element design is insensitive to thermal transients and base strain and will provide years of accurate and repeatable measurements.

Each of the accelerometer's three sensing elements is internally connected to a Piezotron® microelectronic circuit that converts the charge signal from the quartz piezoelectric elements into a useable high level voltage signal at a low impedance output. The low impedance output is also desirable for operation in a humid environment. Constructed in a heavy duty, hermetically sealed titanium case, all accelerometer models can withstand varied environmental conditions.

Mounting

Reliable and accurate measurements require that the mounting surface be clean and flat. The sensor can be attached to the test structure with adhesive or by a 10-32 stud. The operating instruction manual for the 8795A... provides detailed information regarding mounting surface preparation.





Application

The accelerometers measure simultaneously the three components of the acting acceleration (i.e., shock or vibration) permitting the resulting vector to be determined, its magnitude and direction. The notch corner of the accelerometer facilitates placement in blind locations were axis orientation is critical. Suitable for general vibration measurements, the 8795A... is ideal for NVH studies in automobiles and other vehicle types.

Accessing TEDS Data

Accelerometers with a "T" suffix are variants of the standard version incorporating the "Smart Sensor" design. Viewing an accelerometer's data sheet requires an Interface/Coupler such as Kistler's Type 5134B... or 5000M04 with TEDS Editor software. The Interface provides negative current excitation (reverse polarity) altering the operating mode of the PiezoSmart sensor allowing the program editor software to read or add information contained in the memory chip.



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Туре	Unit	8795A50
Acceleration Range	g	±50
Acceleration Limit	gpk	±100
Threshold nom. (noise 100 µVrms)	grms	0,001
Sensitivity, ±10%	mV/g	100
Resonant Frequency mounted, nom.	kHz	20
Frequency Response, ±5%	Hz	1 4000
Amplitude Non-linearity	%FSO	±1
Time Constant nom.	sec	0,5
Transverse Sensitivity nom., (3 max.)	%	1,5
Long Term Stability	%	±1
Environmental:		
Base Strain Sensitivity @ 250με	g/με	0,01
Random Vibration max.	grms	2000
Shock Limit (1 ms pulse)	gpk	5000
Temperature Coeff. of Sensitivity	%/°C	-0,03
Temperature Range Operating	°C	-54 120
Т	°C	-40 120
M5	°C	-54 165
M8	°C	-195 120
Temperature Range Storage	°C	-74 150
Т	°C	-54 125
M5	°C	-60 165
M8	°C	-195 150
Output:		
Bias nom.	VDC	11
Impedance	Ω	<100
Voltage full scale	V	±5
Current	mA	2
Source:		
Voltage	VDC	20 30
Constant Current	mA	2 18
Impedance min.	kΩ	100
Construction:		
Sensing Element	type	Quartz/Shear
Housing/Base	material	Titanium
Sealing-housing/connector	type	Hermetic
Connector	type	4-pin pos.
Weight	grams	32
Mounting (thread)	type	10-32 thd x 0,15 deep

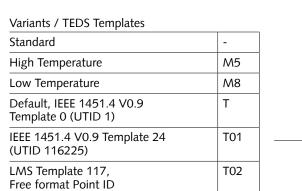
 $1~g = 9,80665~m/s^2,~1~Inch = 25.4~mm,~1~gram = 0,03527~oz,~1~lbf-in = 0,113~Nm$

Accessories Included Type • 10-32 mounting stud 8402 8411

• 10-32 to M6 mounting stud; shipped only outside N. America

Ordering Key

Range	
±50	50



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Type

(not supplied)

(Field 14 Geometry = 0) LMS Template 118, Aerospace Format T04 (Field 14 Geometry =1) P1451.4 v1.0 template 25 -T05 Transfer Function Disabled P1451.4 v1.0 template 25 -T06 Transfer Function Enabled

LMS Template 118, Automotive Format

Measuring Chain

1	Low impedance sensor	8795A
2	Sensor cable, 4-pin neg. to 3x BNC pos.	1756B
3	Power supply/Signal conditioner	5134B
4	Outout cable, BNC pos. to BNC pos.	1511
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