

SHAKE TABLE I-40

Compact single-axis motion simulator

The Quanser Shake Table I-40 is an open architecture, low-maintenance, compact single-axis motion simulator ideal for teaching structural dynamics and control, earthquake engineering and other topics related to civil and geotechnical engineering. Shake Table I-40 can be easily operated through a simple standalone software. Pre-loaded acceleration profiles of real earthquakes, such as Northridge and El Centro, allow students to study the effects of ground motion on buildings, bridges and various materials. For more advanced control design applications, the Shake Table I-40 can be operated using Simulink[®] and the Quanser QUARC software.



Workstation Components

Motion simulator	Shake Table I-40
Data acquisition devices	Quanser Q2-USB
Amplifier	Quanser VoltPAQ-X1 linear voltage amplifier
Control design environment	Standalone Shake Table I-40 software QUARC Software for Simulink - Integration license
Test structure (optional)	One-floor Active Mass Damper with VoltPAQ-X1 amplifier

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Device Specifications

Dimensions (L x W x H)	57.5 cm x 12.7 cm x 7.62 cm
Total mass	5.88 kg
Payload area (L x W)	43.2 cm x 10.2 cm
Maximum travel	± 2 cm
Maximum payload at 1.0 g ¹	1.5 kg
Maximum acceleration with 1.5 kg payload ¹	1.0 g
Maximum velocity with 1.5 kg payload ¹	0.417 m/s
Operational bandwidth ¹	10 Hz
Lead screw encoder resolution (quadrature)	8192 counts/rev
Effective stage position resolution	1.22 μm
Accelerometer range	±49 m/s²
Accelerometer sensitivity	1.0 g/V

¹ Please contact Quanser for full operational bandwidth specifications

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