
**Methods for the calibration of
vibration and shock transducers —**

**Part 34:
Testing of sensitivity at fixed
temperatures**

*Méthodes pour l'étalonnage des transducteurs de vibrations et de
chocs —*

Partie 34: Essai de sensibilité à des températures fixes



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Foreword

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This first edition of ISO 16063-34 cancels and replaces ISO 5347-17:1993, which has been technically revised. The main changes are as follows:

- a method for the determination of complex sensitivity using a laser interferometer has been added;
- a method for the determination of complex sensitivity using a reference transducer inside the temperature chamber has been added;
- a procedure for testing phase changes has been added;
- [Annex A](#) for the determination of the achievement time of the setpoint temperature for the device under test has been added;
- [Annex B](#) for the evaluating uncertainty caused by temperature tolerance has been added.

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Introduction

The purpose of this document is to establish the procedures for testing the complex sensitivity of vibration transducers at fixed temperatures in the temperature range from $-190\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ to $800\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ and frequency range from 10 Hz to 3 kHz.

The three methods described in this document allow the determination of the complex sensitivity or temperature response of complex sensitivity of a transducer to sinusoidal vibration in the temperature chamber.

Principles, procedures, and uncertainties of calibrations such as a comparison to a reference transducer or an absolute measurement by laser interferometer are given in this document. Calibrations are carried out using one of the three methods, depending on the different principles to be used and the temperature and frequency range limitations.

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1 Scope

This document details specifications for the instrumentation and methods to be used for testing fixed temperature sensitivity of vibration transducers. It applies to rectilinear velocity and acceleration transducers.

The methods specified use both a comparison to a reference transducer and an absolute measurement by laser interferometer.

This document is applicable for a frequency range from 10 Hz to 3 kHz (method-dependent), a dynamic range from 1 m/s² to 100 m/s² (frequency-dependent) and a temperature range from –190 °C to 800 °C (method-dependent). Although it is possible to achieve these ranges among all the described systems, generally each has limitations within them.

Method 1 (using a laser interferometer) is applicable to magnitude of sensitivity and phase calibration in the frequency range 10 Hz to 3 kHz at fixed temperatures (see [Clause 7](#)). Method 2 (using a reference transducer inside a chamber whose temperature limit is –70 °C to 500 °C) can be used for magnitude of sensitivity and phase calibration in the frequency range 10 Hz to 1 kHz at fixed temperatures (see [Clause 8](#)). Method 3 (using a reference transducer outside the chamber) can only be used for the determination of the temperature response of complex sensitivity over a certain temperature range (see [Clause 9](#)).

NOTE Method 1 and Method 2 can provide the deviation of complex sensitivity over a certain temperature range if the calibration is also done at the reference temperature (room temperature 23 °C ± 5 °C).

To ensure the consistency of the use and test condition, the transducer, its cable and the conditioning amplifier are intended to be considered as a single unit and tested together.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 2041, *Mechanical vibration, shock and condition monitoring — Vocabulary*

ISO 16063-11:1999, *Methods for the calibration of vibration and shock transducers — Part 11: Primary vibration calibration by laser interferometry*

ISO 16063-21:2003, *Methods for the calibration of vibration and shock transducers — Part 21: Vibration calibration by comparison to a reference transducer*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purpose of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 2041 and the following apply.