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**TCG NEBS COMPLIANCE TEST REPORT FOR:**

**Product: Outdoor Model 42U700x700**

**PART: 23  
EARTHQUAKE, OFFICE VIBRATION, AND TRANSPORTATION  
VIBRATION**

**Section 4.4, GR-63-CORE  
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**TEST RESULTS SUMMARY**

The Outdoor Model 42U700x700 was tested acc. to the requirements of GR 63 CORE, Issue 4, 2012

The Outdoor Model 42U700x700 complies with all applicable requirements and objectives.

**Column Heading Definitions for Summary of Test Results Table**

The following Summary of Test Results table contains these columns of information:

- **Section** column gives the Section numbers from GR-63-CORE.
- **Section Name** column gives the Section name from GR-63-CORE.
- **Criteria** column gives the local number of the requirement (e.g., R3-1) from GR-63-CORE and the absolute number of the requirement (e.g., [2]).
- **Results** column gives the results of the evaluation (Compliant, Non-compliant, etc.).
  - **Compliant:** The Equipment Under Test (Outdoor Model 42U700x700) met the requirements of the corresponding criteria.
  - **Non-compliant:** The Outdoor Model 42U700x700 did not meet the requirements of the corresponding criteria.
  - **NA:** The criteria were Not Applicable to the Outdoor Model 42U700x700.
  - **ENR:** An Evaluation, to these criteria, was Not Requested by the customer.
  - For additional details, go to the page listed in this report.
- **Page** column gives the page number, in this report, for the corresponding criteria.

**Table 23-1 Earthquake, Office- and Transportation-Vibration Summary of Test Results**

Section	Section Name	Criteria	Results	Comments	Page
4.4	<b>Earthquake, Office Vibration, and Transportation Vibration</b>	-	-		-
4.4.1	Earthquake Environment and Criteria	-	-		-
4.4.1.2	Physical Performance Criteria	R4-65 [110]	Compliant		6
		R4-66 [111]	Compliant		6
		R4-67 [112]	Compliant		6
		O4-68 [113]	Compliant		6
4.4.1.3	Functional Performance	R4-69 [114]	NA		6
		O4-70 [115]	NA		6
4.4.2	Framework and Anchor Criteria	O4-71 [116]	ENR		26
		R4-72 [117]	Compliant		26
		O4-73 [118]	NA	No static pull test performed	26
		R4-74 [119]	NA	Concrete expansion anchors were not part of the test-setup	26
		O4-75 [120]	NA		26
		O4-76 [121]	NA		26
4.4.3	Wall-Mounted Equipment Anchor Criterion	O4-76 [211]	NA	EUT is no wall mounted equipment	27
		R4-78 [175]	NA		27
4.4.4	Office Vibration Environment and Criteria	-	-		-
	Physical Performance Criteria	R4-79 [122]	ENR		
	Functional Performance Criteria	R4-80 [123]	ENR		
4.4.5	Transportation Vibration Criteria	-	-		-
4.4.5.1	Transportation Environment	R4-98 [124]	ENR		

## **OVERVIEW**

### **Project Objective**

Testing was performed to determine if the Outdoor Model 42U700x700 meets the requirements for Section 4.4, *Earthquake, Office Vibration, and Transportation Vibration*, of Telcordia Technologies GR-63-CORE, Issue 4, April 2012.

The Equipment Configuration, Operating Conditions and Pass/Fail Criteria are described in the Executive Summary, which is part of this documentation.

**EARTHQUAKE ENVIRONMENT AND CRITERIA (4.4.1)****Physical Performance Criteria (4.4.1.2)****Criteria:**

During this test, only the equipment shelf's physical performance is considered. Permanent structural or mechanical damage of the framework or its fastening hardware would not constitute a failure, but may invalidate the test.

Permanent structural damage is defined as deformation of any load-bearing element of the equipment being tested, or any connection failure. Typical examples of permanent structural damage are bent or buckled uprights, deformed bases, cracks, and failed anchors or fastening hardware.

Mechanical damage is defined as any dislocation or separation of components. Examples of mechanical damage are disengaged cards and modules, and opened (ajar) doors, drawers, or covers.

- R4-65 [110]** All equipment shall be constructed to sustain the waveform testing of Section 5.4.1, "Earthquake Test Methods," without permanent structural or mechanical damage.
- During frame-level testing, the physical performance of the equipment shelves, framework, and fastening hardware are considered. Permanent structural or mechanical damage of any of these elements constitutes a test failure. During shelf-level and wall-mounted testing, only the equipment shelf's physical performance is considered. (Permanent structural or mechanical damage of the framework or its fastening hardware would not constitute a failure, but may invalidate the test.) Hardware replacement during the earthquake testing is not permitted. Tightening of anchors or fasteners that can be performed without interrupting service is acceptable and is the only permissible repair.*
- R4-66 [111]** Frame-level equipment shall be constructed so that during the waveform testing of Section 5.4.1, the maximum single-amplitude deflection at the top of the framework, relative to the base, does not exceed 75 mm (3 in).
- R4-67 [112]** Frame-level equipment shall have a natural mechanical frequency greater than 2.0 Hz as determined by the swept sine survey of Section 5.4.1
- O4-68 [113]** Frame-level equipment should have a natural mechanical frequency greater than 6.0 Hz as determined by the swept sine survey of Section 5.4.1

**Functional Performance (4.4.1.3)****Criteria:**

The criterion for assessing functionality depends on the service provided by the equipment being tested. The criteria are determined by applying appropriate Telcordia generic requirements or, if none exist, by reviewing the supplier's or purchaser's own performance specifications.

- R4-69 [114]** All equipment shall be constructed to meet applicable functionality requirements **immediately before and after** each axis of waveform testing of Section 5.4.1. The equipment shall sustain operation without replacement of components, manual rebooting, or human intervention.
- O4-70 [115]** All equipment should be constructed to meet applicable functionality requirements continuously during waveform testing of Section 5.4.1. These functionality criteria shall demonstrate that the equipment has sustained operation without loss of service during the testing.

## **Test Method**

### **Frame-Level**

The frame-level configuration shall be used for network equipment supplied with a framework.

1. Mount the equipment to its supporting framework.
2. Mount the equipment frame to the shaker table similar to how it will be installed in service. This may include using a concrete slab and anchors to simulate equipment installed on concrete building floors. In all cases use recommended fastener size, quantities, torque values, hold-down plates, shims, isolation devices, etc. Where concrete expansion anchors are normally used to fasten the framework base to the building floor, the mounting to the shaker table may be substituted by welded studs, bolts, or cap-screws of equal quantities and diameter as the concrete expansion anchors.
3. The equipment shall be fastened to the shaker table (or concrete slab) using typical anchor locations. If the framework base allows for a variety of anchor locations, locate one fastener in the inner most location.
4. Record the torque value of each anchor or fastener.
5. Frames intended to support overhead cable shall be loaded with a weight of 23 kg (50.0 lb) on top of the framework. Less weight may be used if it can be demonstrated that the above value is excessive. Where less weight is used, the computations for such weight shall be provided as part of the test plan.

#### *Frame-Level Instrumentation Configuration*

1. Locate the accelerometers so they record the acceleration of the shaker table, acceleration at the top of the framework, and acceleration at the mid-height level.
2. Install anchor load measurement equipment to record the peak anchor loads if the concrete slab and concrete expansion anchors are omitted from the framelevel test. It can be assumed that the inner-most anchor position is the worstcase and will have the highest load.
3. Install deflection measurement equipment to measure the deflection at the top of the framework relative to its base.

## **Test Location**

The following evaluation was performed by Mr. Tanz on May 30, 2018 at

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**Test Sequence**

1. Perform a swept sine survey with an acceleration amplitude of 0.2 g from 1 to 50 Hz at a sweep rate of 1.0 octave per minute. (Higher sweep rates are permitted to reduce equipment stress.)
2. Verify equipment functionality and physical condition.
3. Subject the equipment to the VERTEQII waveform. Verify the TRS meets or exceeds the RRS in the frequency range from 1.0 to 50 Hz. If the TRS is below the RRS at any point, use the last drive signal and table acceleration to update the transfer function. Apply it to the Telcordia waveform to generate a new drive signal, and retest the equipment. Repeat this step as necessary.  
 The TRS should not exceed the RRS by more than 30% in the frequency range of 1 to 7 Hz. A test may be invalid if an equipment failure occurs when the TRS exceeds the RRS by more than 30% in this frequency range.
4. Record the displacement and acceleration data during the shaking.
5. Thoroughly inspect the equipment and note all changes to its physical condition.
6. Record any reductions in anchor or fastener torques.
7. Reverify equipment functionality.

The test severity corresponds to Zone 4, the time history signal applied was Verteq II. The rack itself was fixed with screws (M12) to an aluminum plate of 40mm thickness.

Definition of axes:

- x : horizontally side to side
- y : horizontally front to back
- z : vertical

**Deviations from prescribed Test Sequence**

**Resonance Search**

The resonance search was performed on an electrodynamic shaker. Due to its performance, the following deviations from GR 63 CORE occurred:

1. Start of sine sweep was 1,25 Hz (instead of 1 Hz)
2. Amplitude was 0,13 g (instead of 0,2 g)
3. 3 axes; 1 sweep cycle per axis

Frequency Range (Hz)	Acceleration	Sweep Rate (oct. / min)
1,25 – 50 *	0,13 g	1



### Resonance Search



Fig. 23-1 Resonance search: x-axis (horizontal)



Fig. 23-2 Resonance search: y-axis (horizontal)



Fig. 23-3 Resonance search: z-axis (vertical)



Fig. 23-4 EUT with dummy weights



Fig. 23-5 Measuring point MP2 at middle of EUT

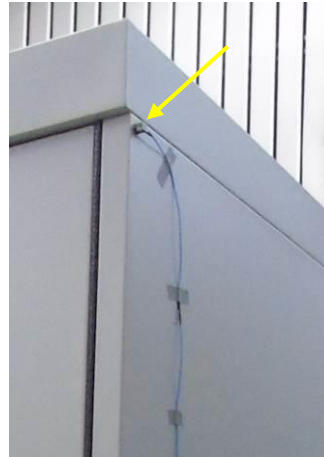


Fig. 23-6 Measuring point MP1 at top of EUT

**Waveform Testing**

The waveform testing was performed on a MTS seismic table. The entire built-up is shown in Fig. 23-7 ... Fig. 23-9.  
 For z-axis test, a vertically oriented piston underneath the table is used.  
 For the z-axis test, no LVDT is applied.

All earthquake tests are documented by video.

Fig. 23-10 to Fig. 23-13 show the applied accelerometers (one at the table and two at the rack's top and middle respectively).



Fig. 23-7 Entire built-up for waveform testing (x-axis)



Fig. 23-8 Entire built-up for waveform testing (y-axis)



Fig. 23-9 Entire built-up for waveform testing (z-axis)



Fig. 23-10 LVDT measuring system



Fig. 23-11 Measuring point at table



Fig. 23-12 Measuring point at middle of EUT



Fig. 23-13 Measuring point at top of EUT

## **Test Results**

### **Resonance Search**

The resonance search was performed in three axes with the following results (figs. 23-14 to 23-19):

lowest natural gross frequency for excitation in x-direction: 8,3 Hz

lowest natural gross frequency for excitation in y-direction: 9,5 Hz

lowest natural gross frequency for excitation in z-direction: no results in the examined frequency range

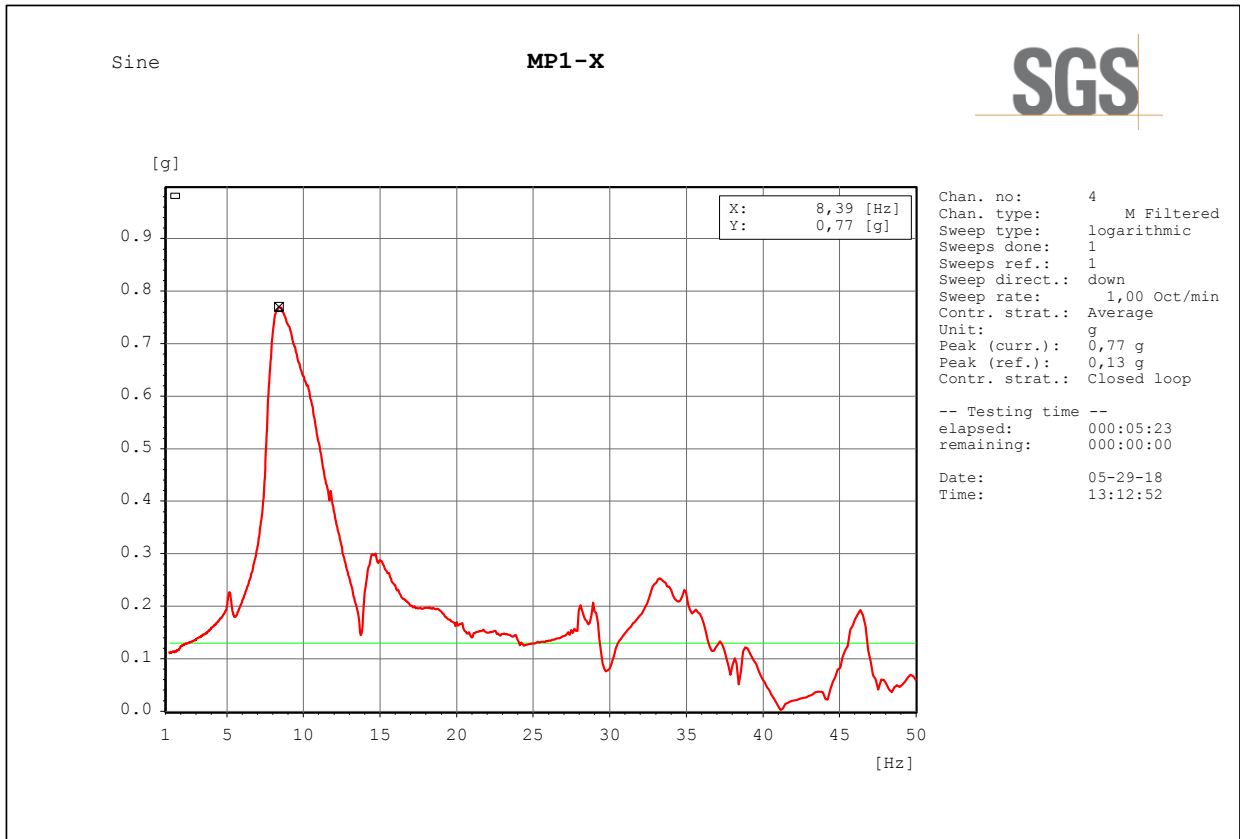


Fig. 23-14 Resonance search: excitation in x-dir.; top of the rack

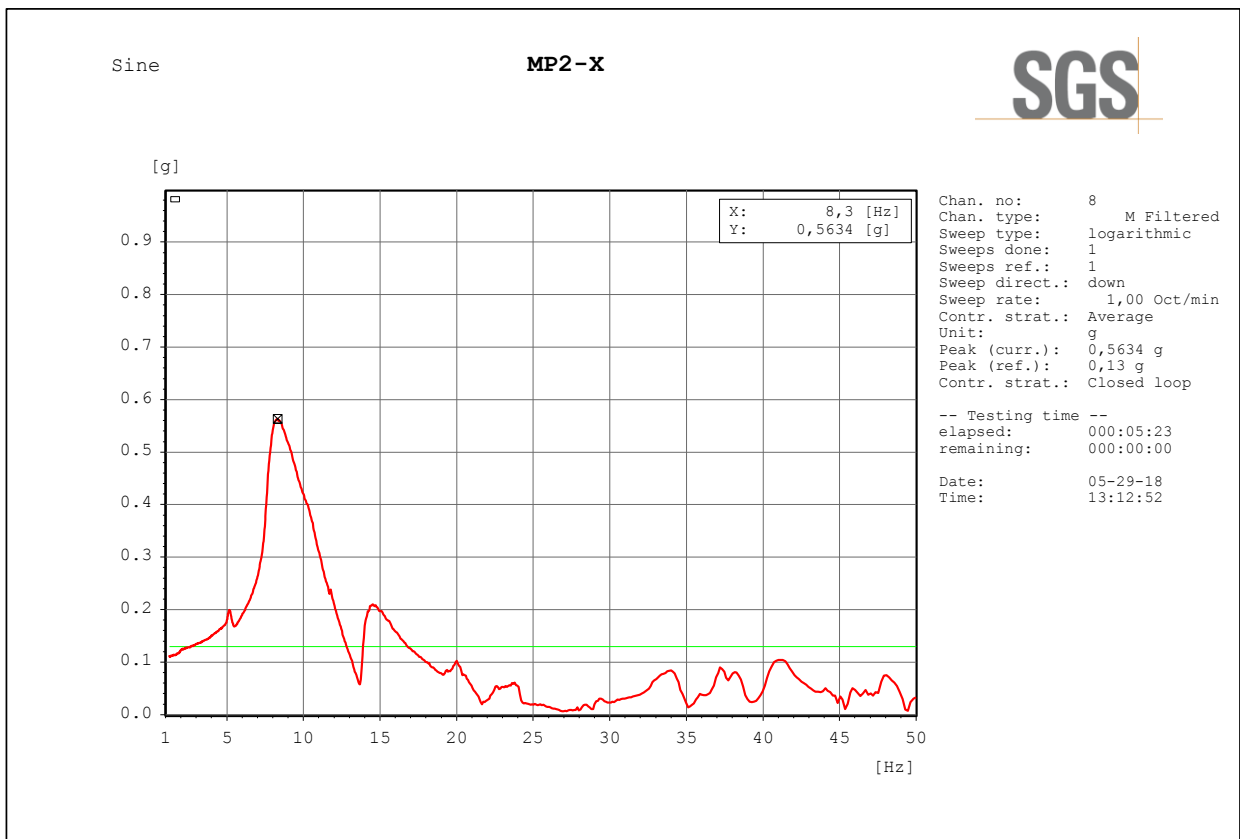


Fig. 23-15 Resonance search: excitation in x-dir.; middle of the rack

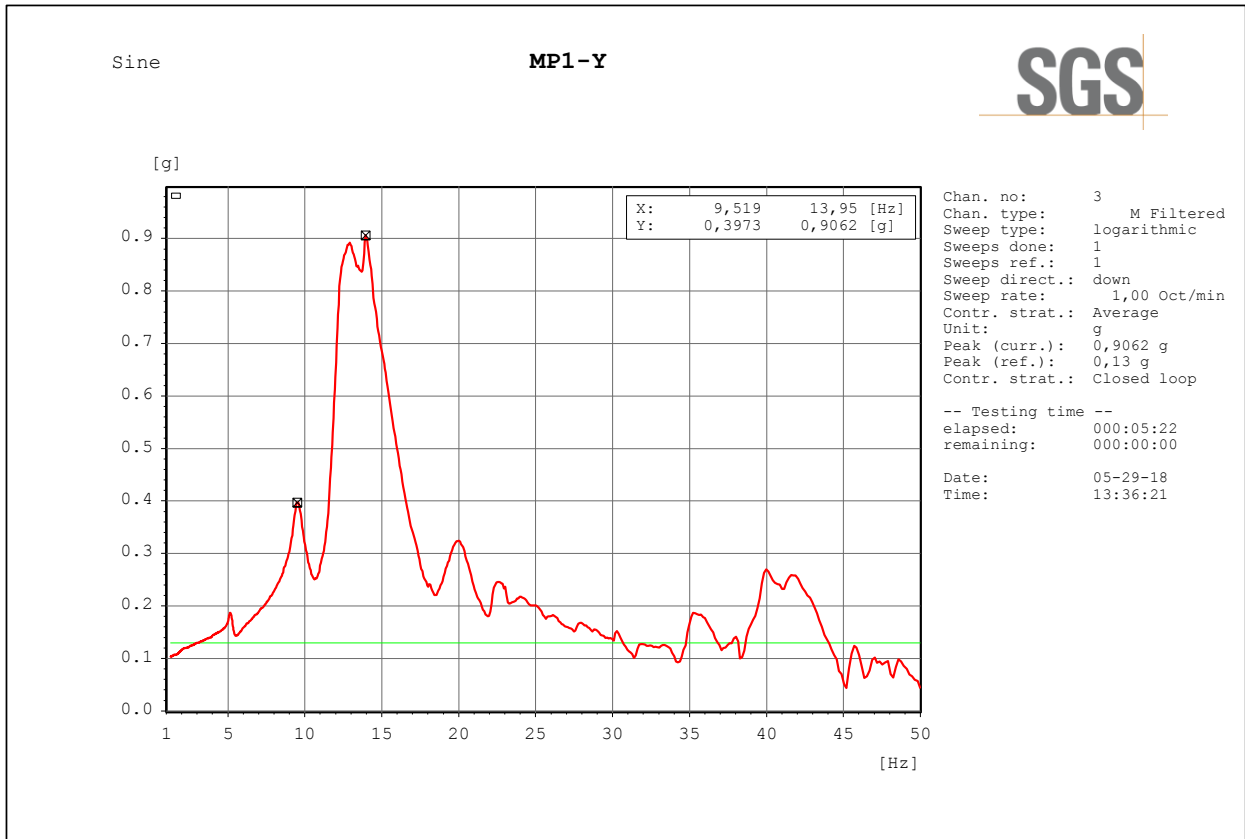


Fig. 23-16 Resonance search: excitation in y-dir.; top of the rack

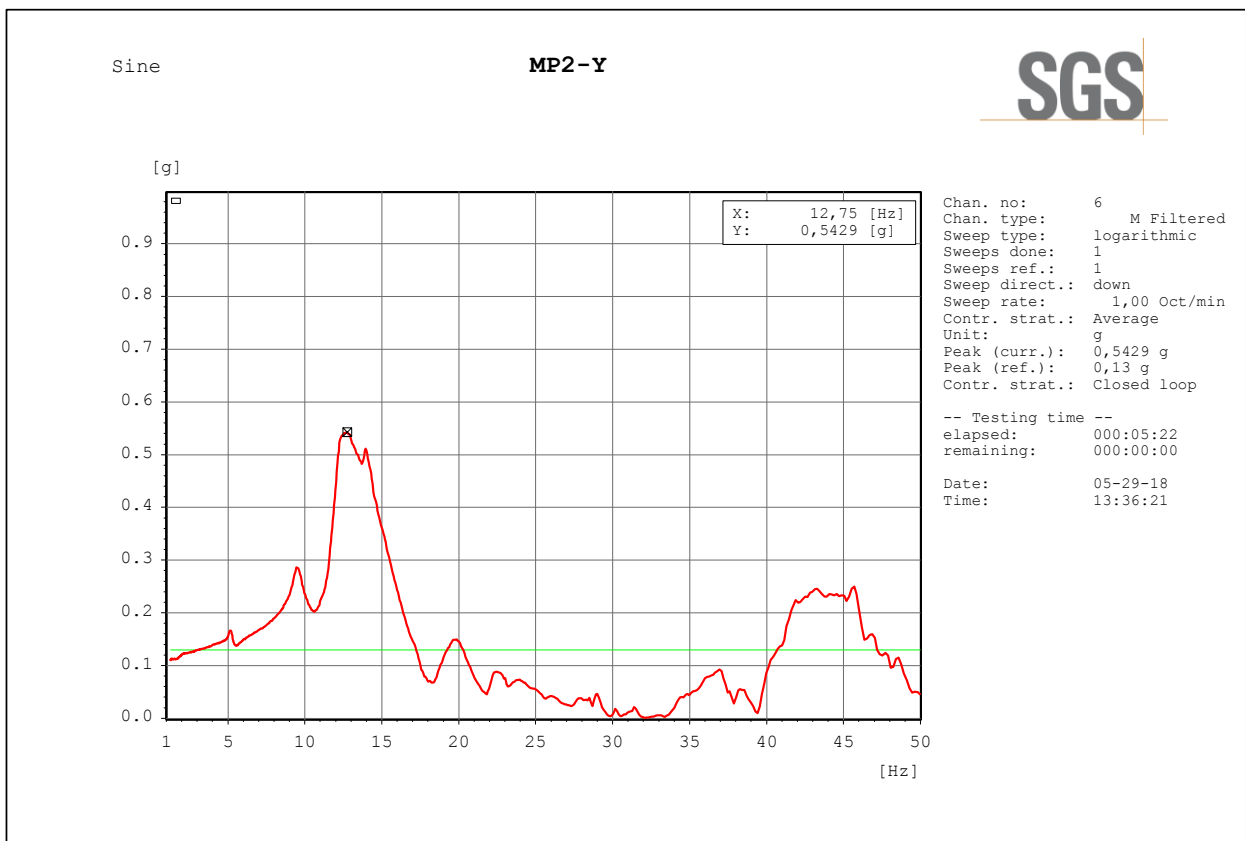


Fig. 23-17 Resonance search: excitation in y-dir.; middle of the rack

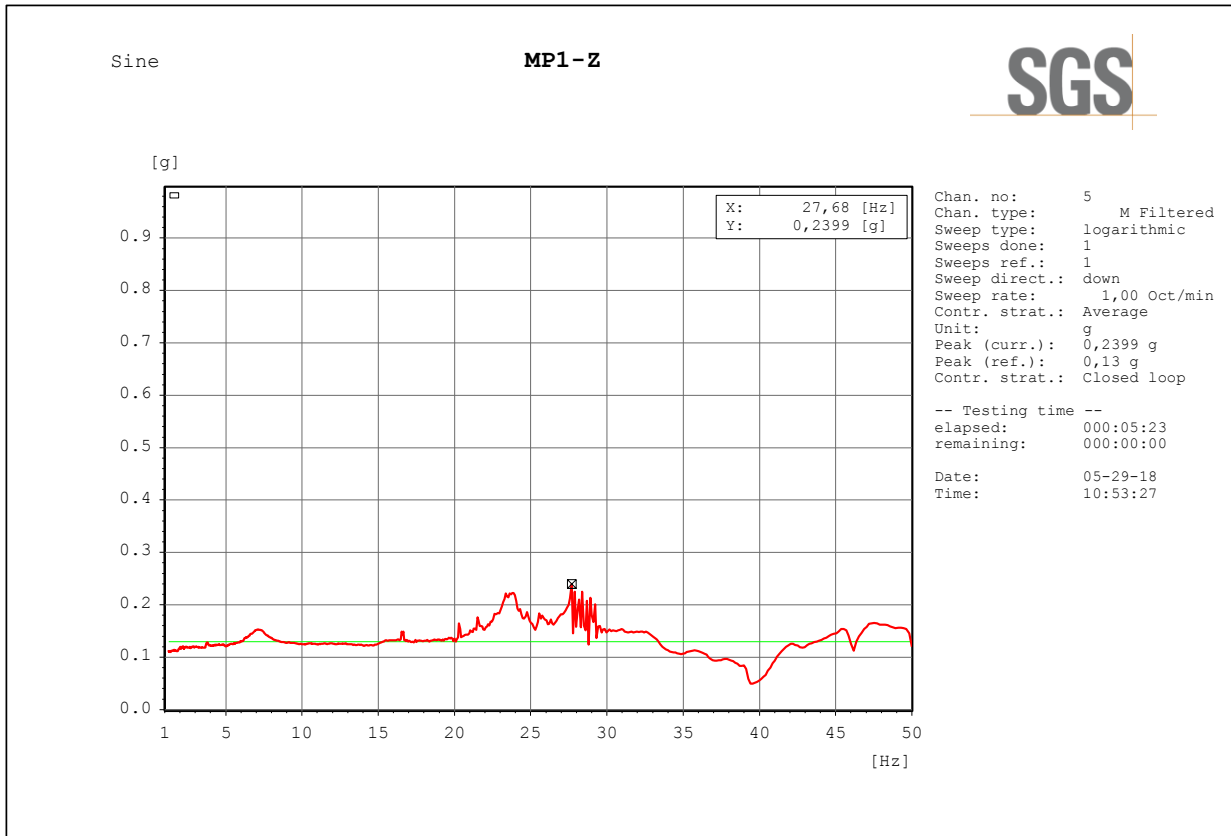


Fig. 23-18 Resonance search: excitation in z-dir.; top of the rack

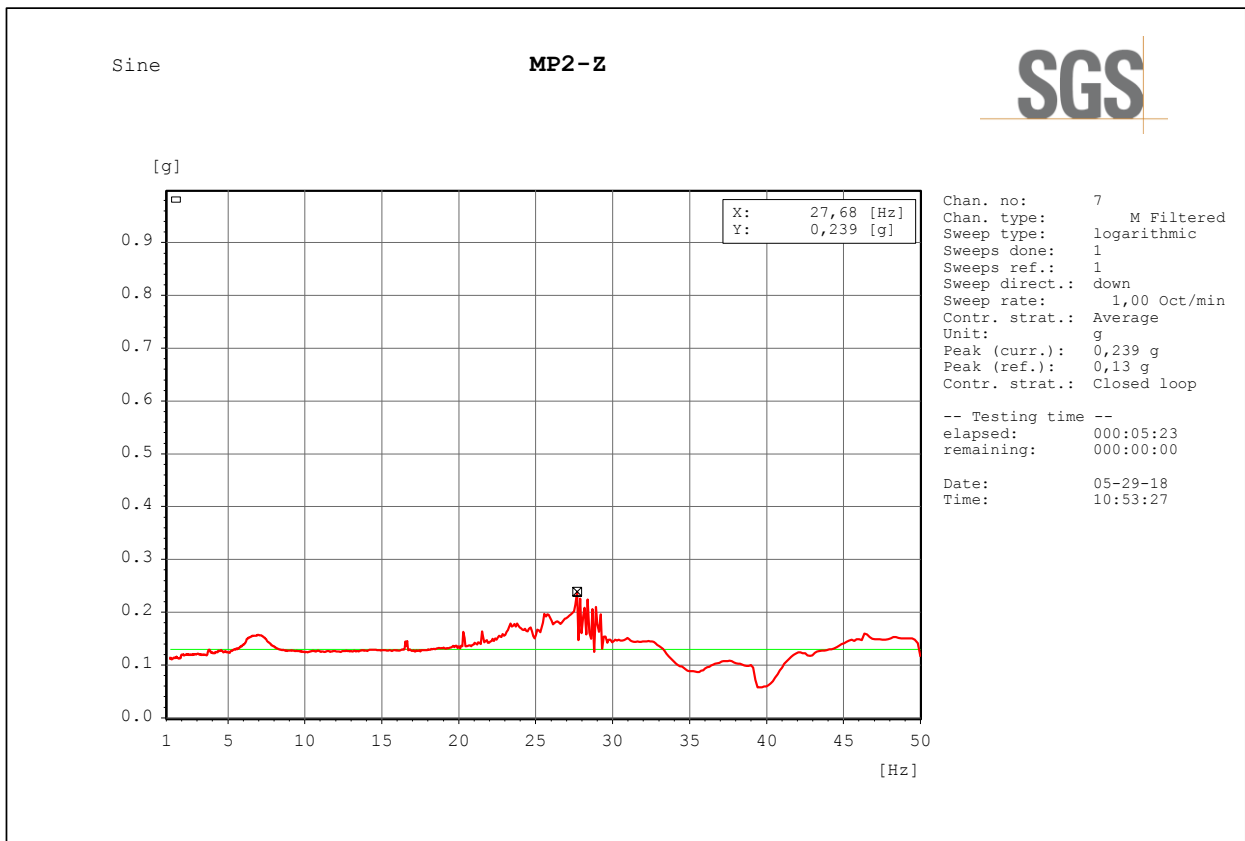


Fig. 23-19 Resonance search: excitation in z-dir.; middle of the rack

## Waveform Testing

### Excitation in direction of x-axis

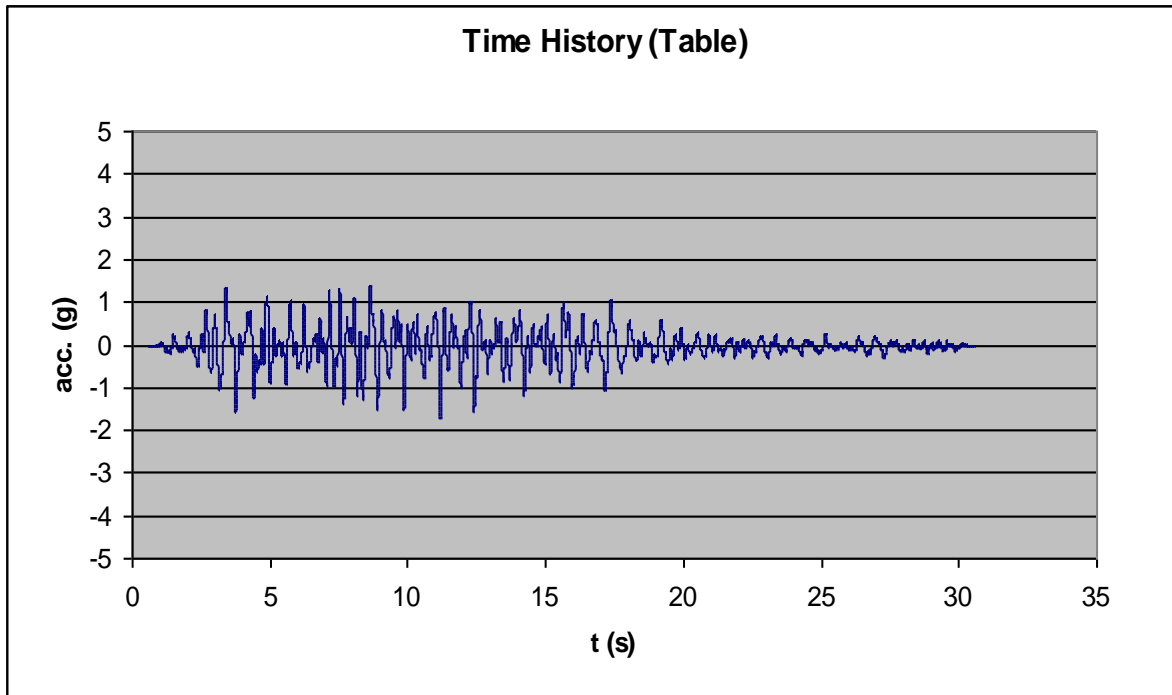


Fig. 23-20 Time history signal at the table X-axis

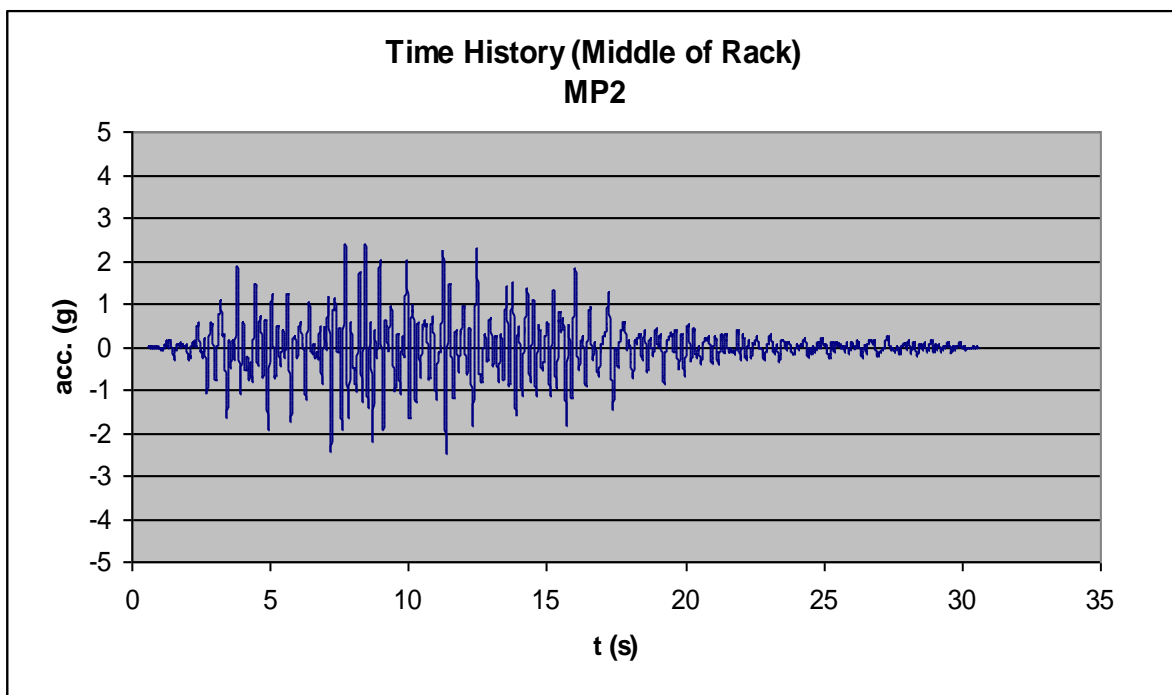


Fig. 23-21 Time history signal at the middle of the rack X-axis



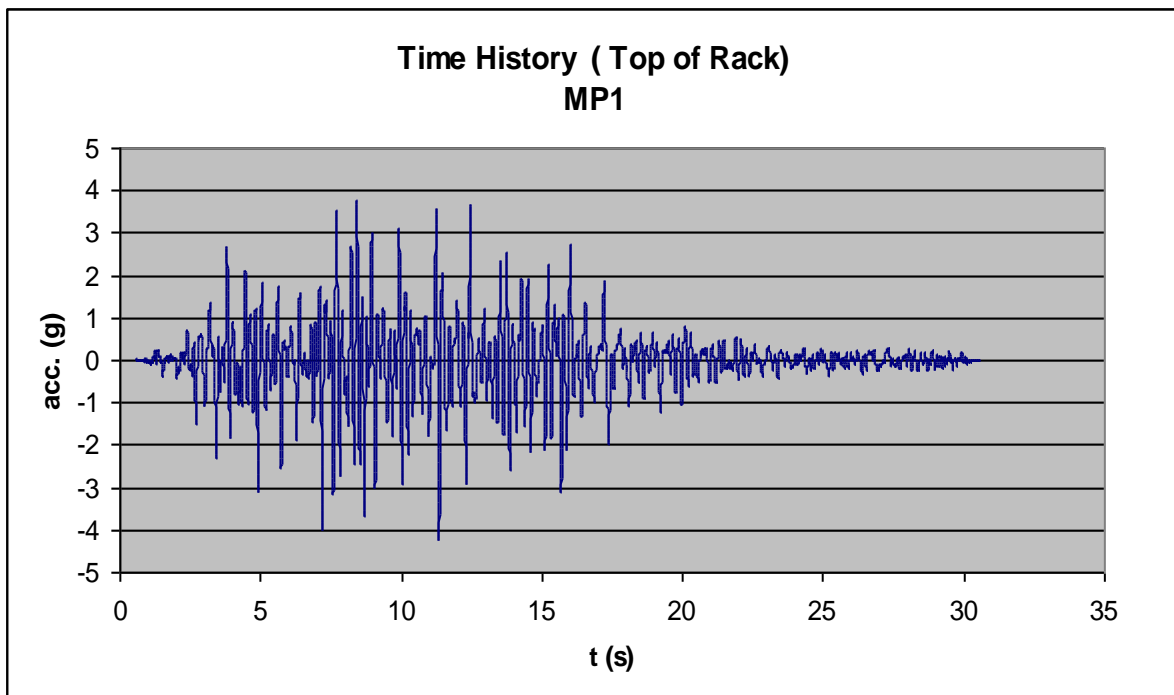


Fig. 23-22 Time history signal at the top of the rack X-axis

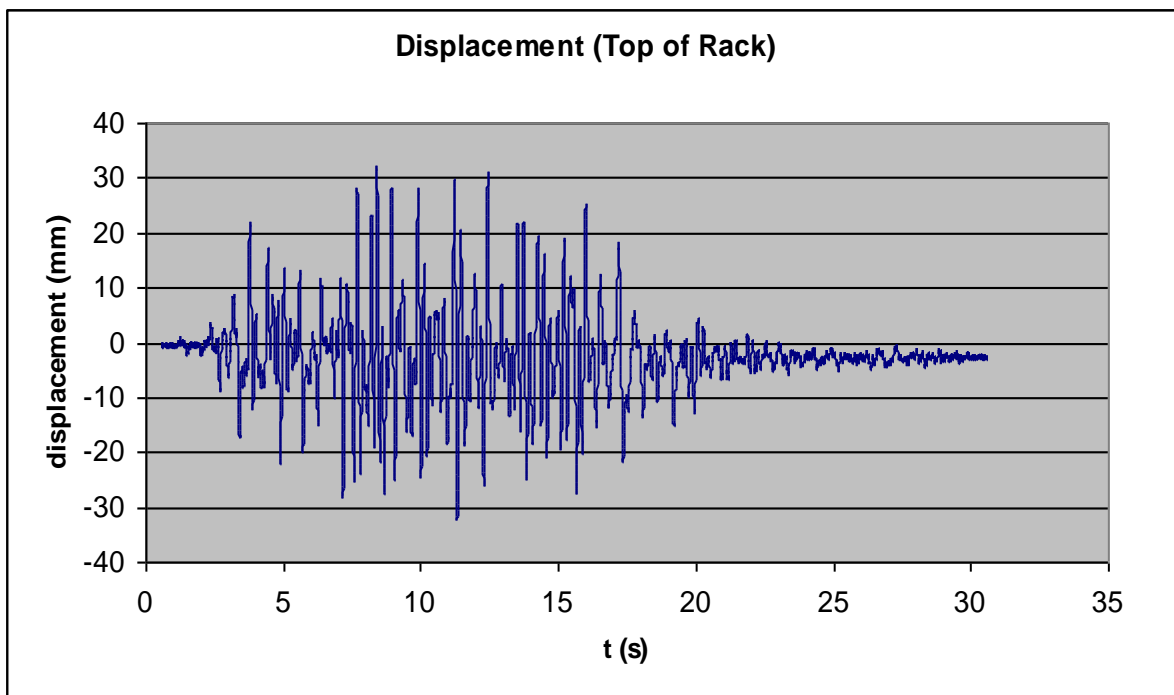


Fig. 23-23 Displacement at the top of the rack X-axis

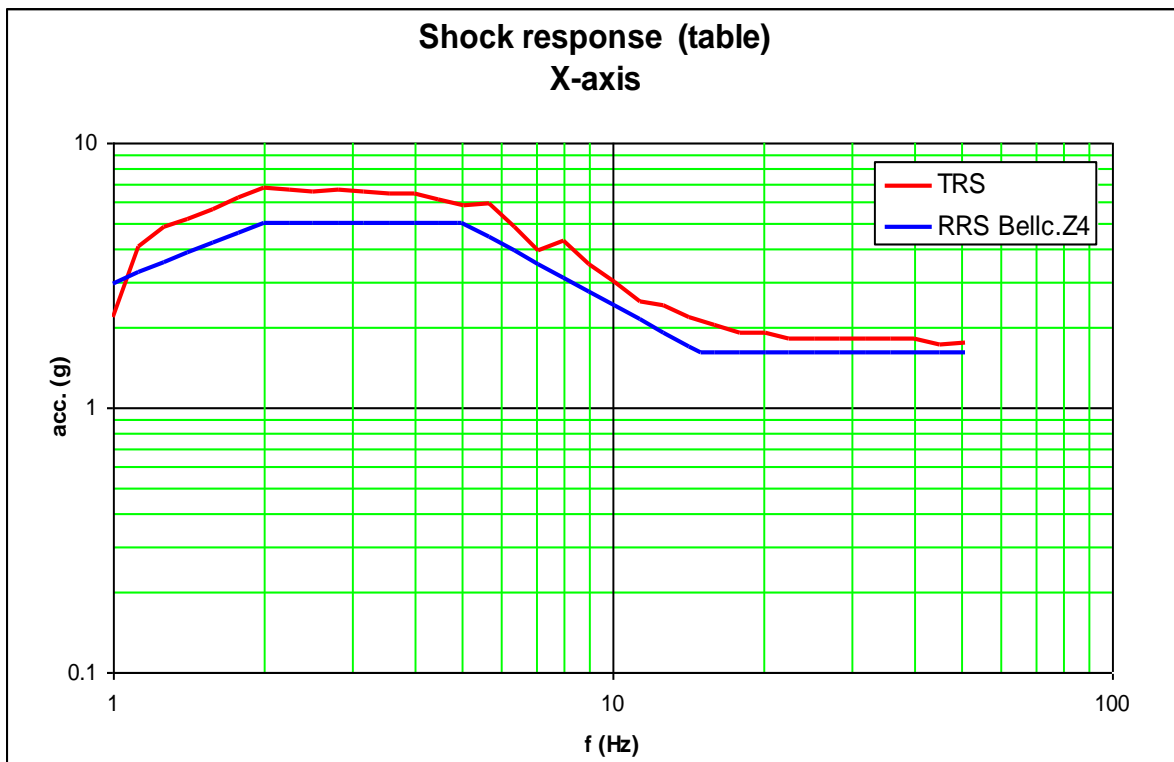


Fig. 23-24 RRS and TRS at the table X-axis

**Excitation in direction of y-axis**

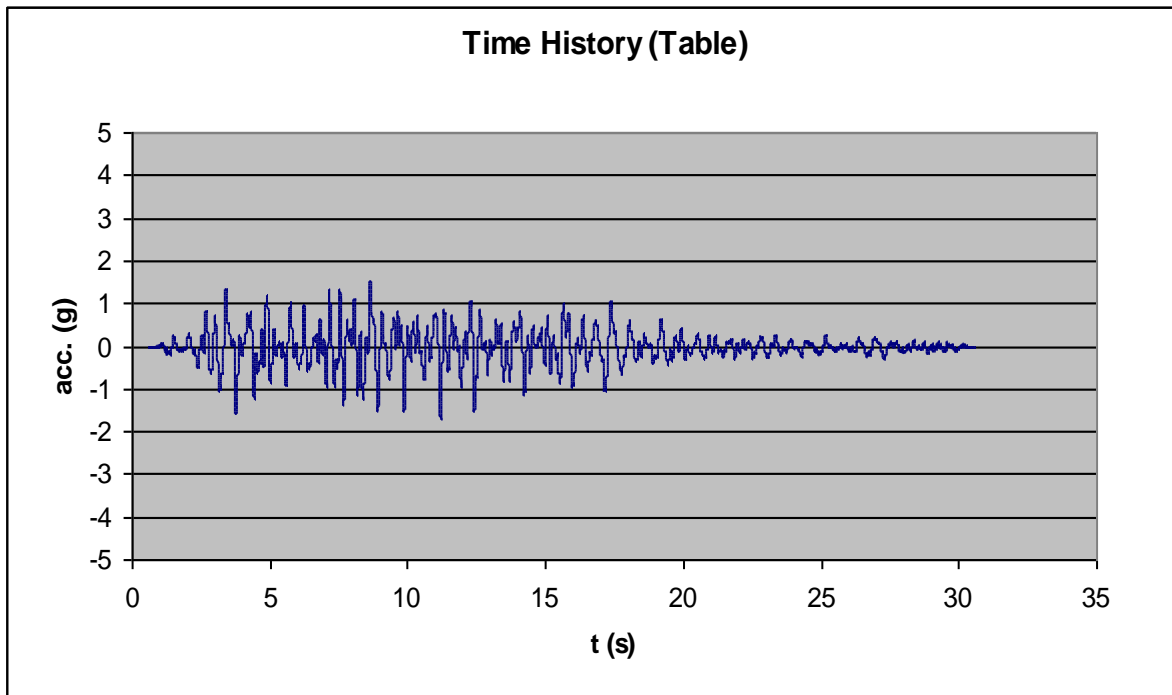


Fig. 23-25 Time history signal at the table Y-axis

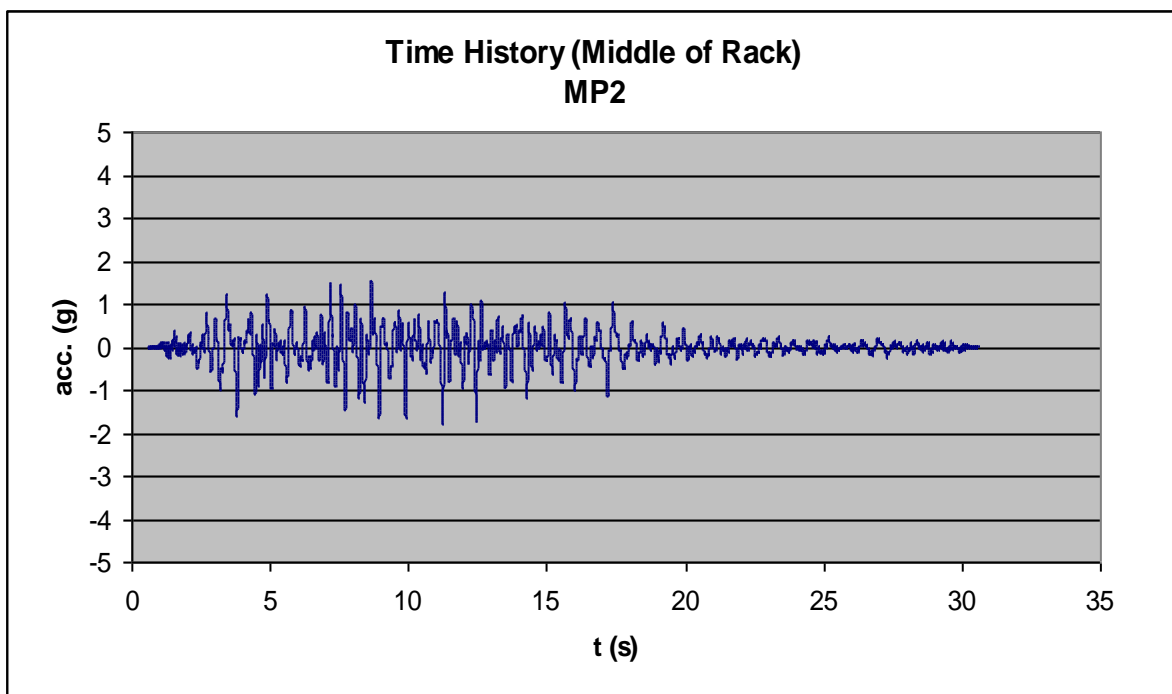


Fig. 23-26 Time history signal at the middle of the rack Y-axis

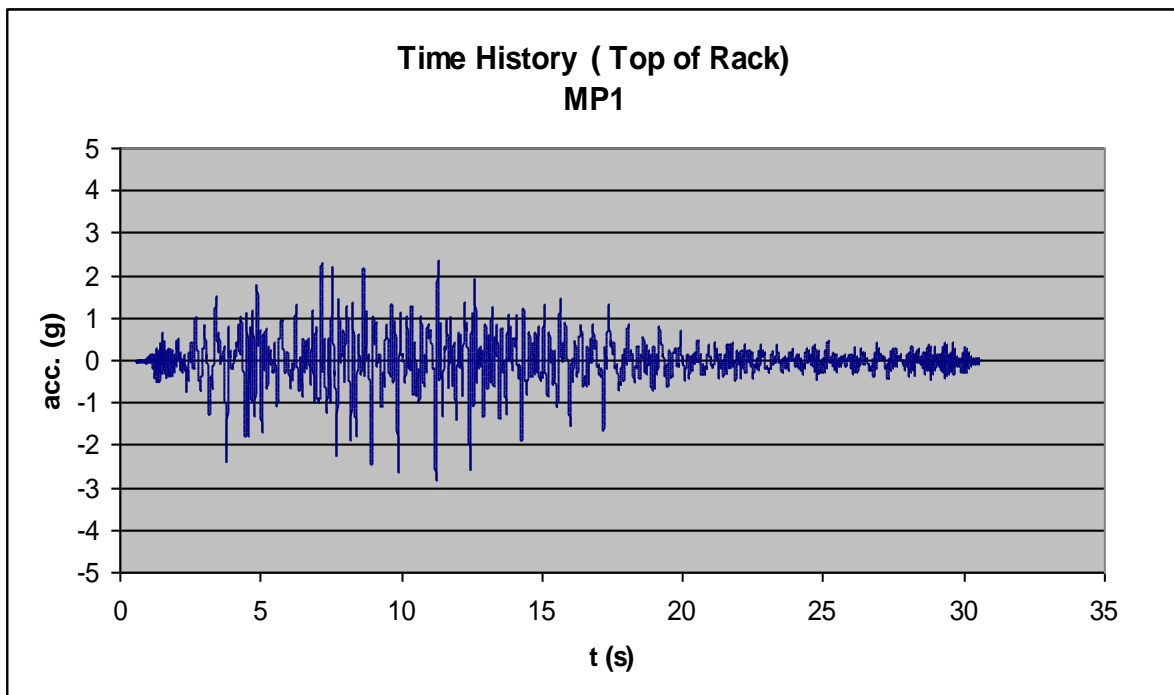


Fig. 23-27 Time history signal at the top of the rack Y-axis

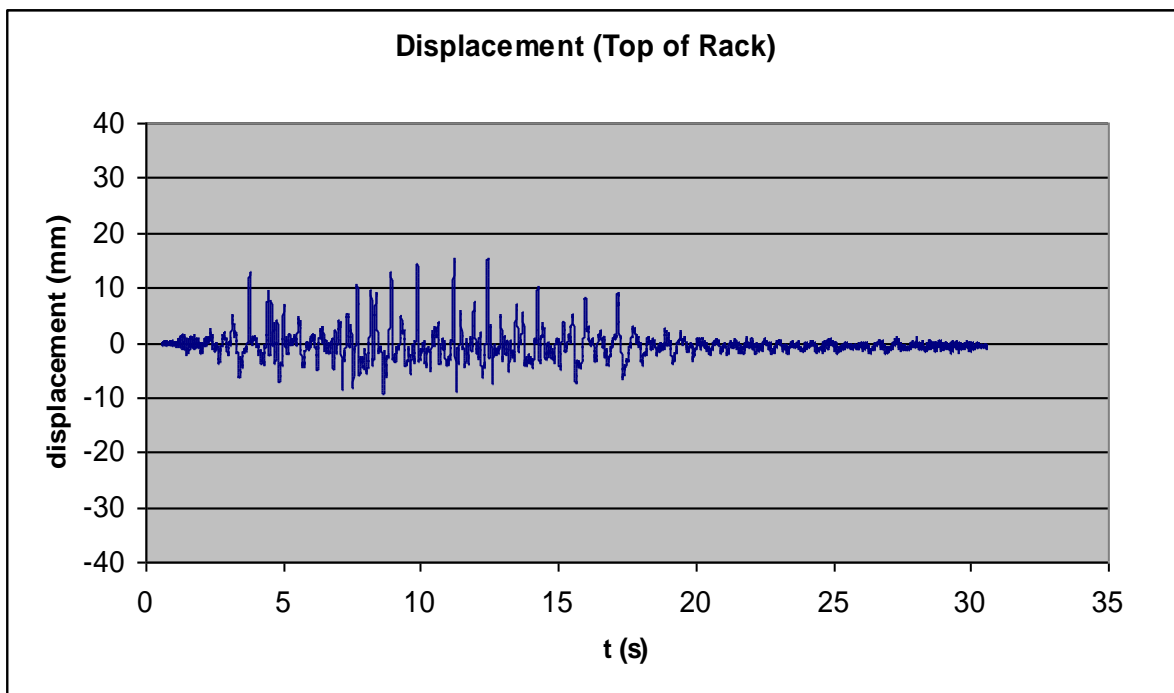


Fig. 23-28 Displacement at top of the rack Y-axis

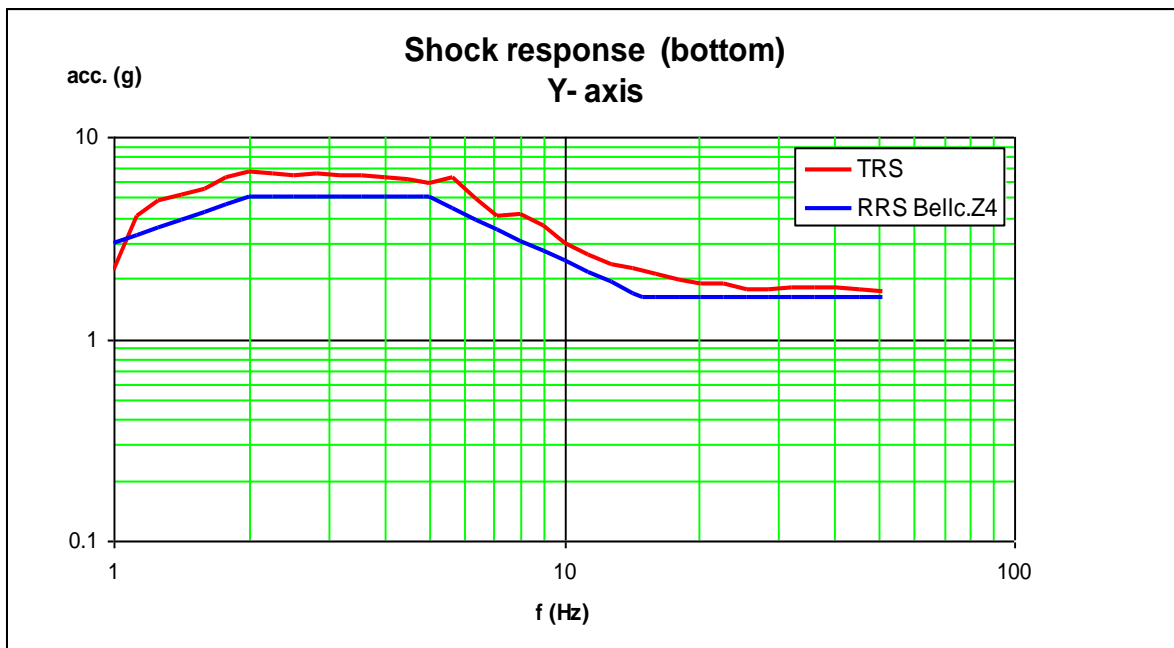


Fig. 23-29 RRS and TRS at the table Y-axis

**Excitation in direction of z-axis**

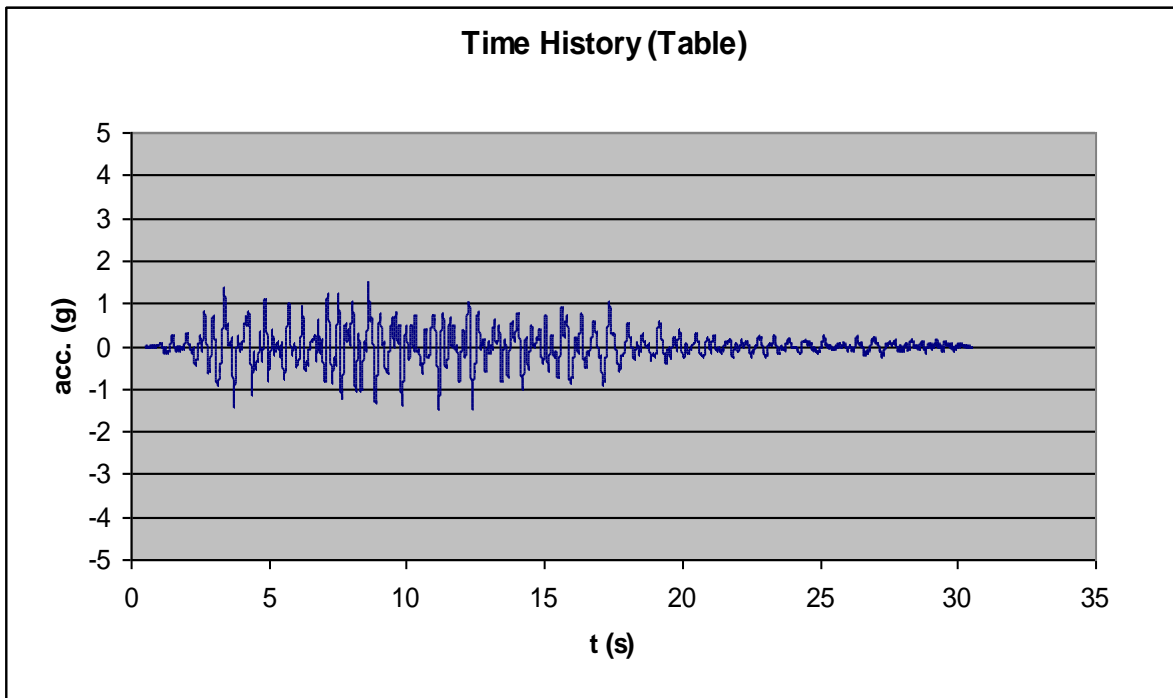


Fig. 23-30 Time history signal at the table Z-axis

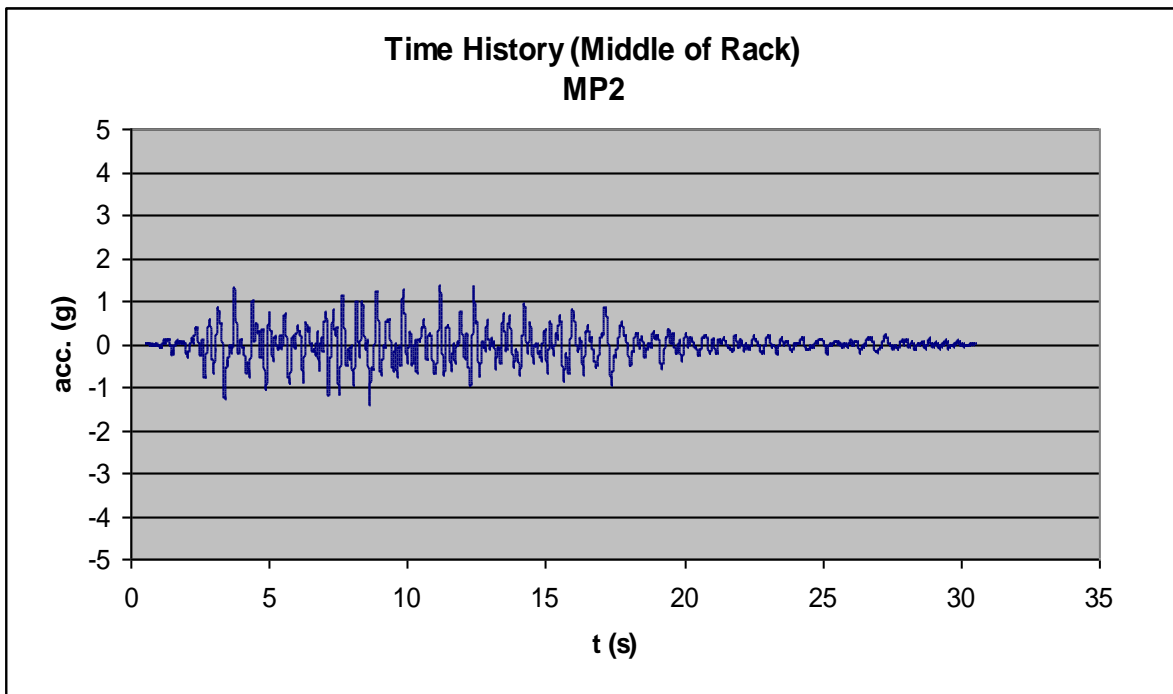


Fig. 23-31 Time history signal at the middle of the rack Z-axis

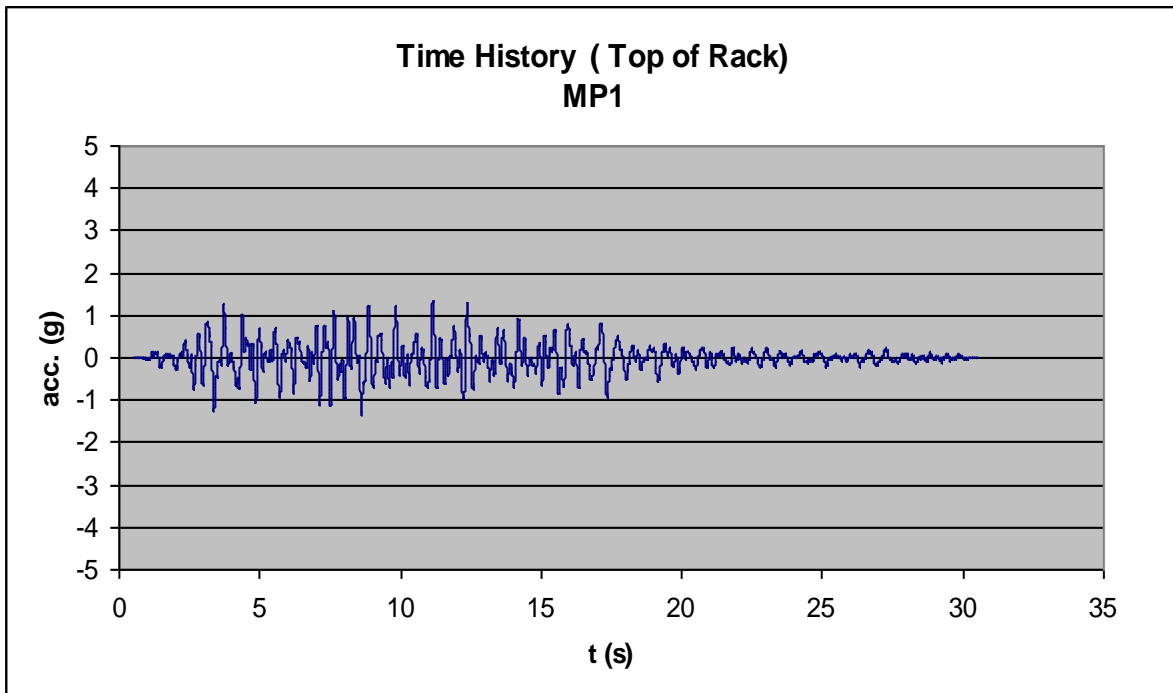


Fig. 23-32 Time history signal at the top of the rack Z-axis

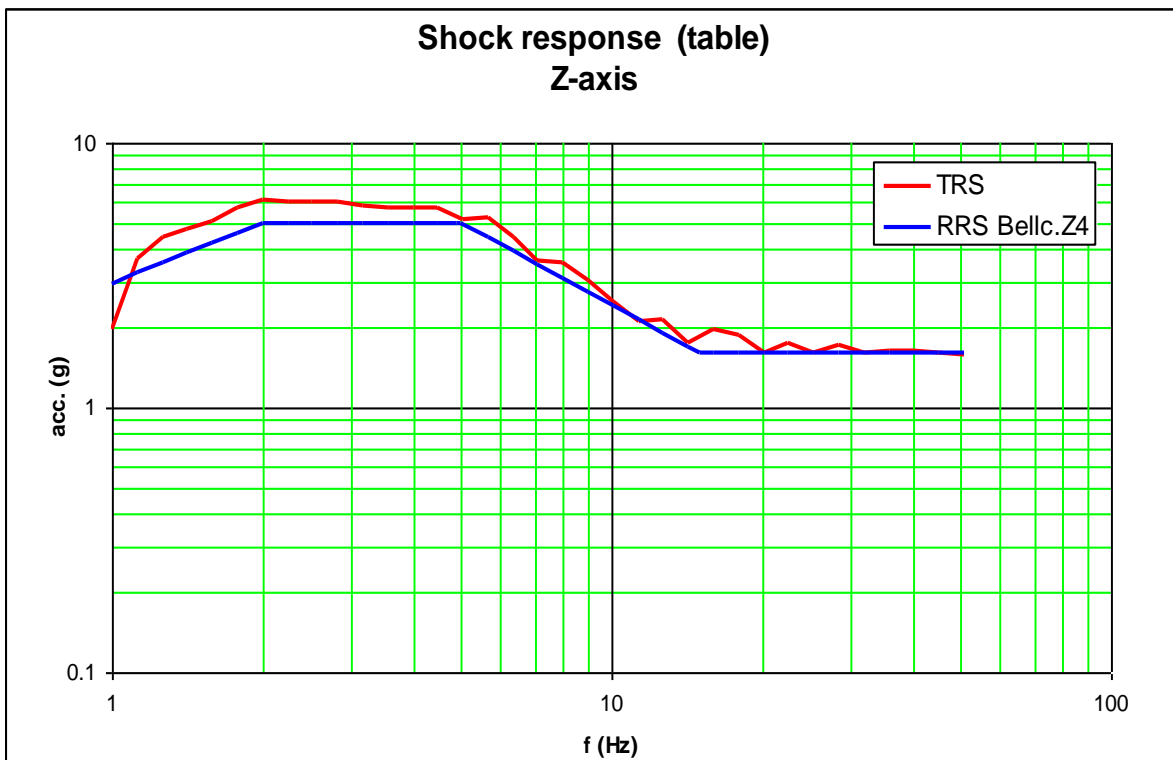


Fig. 23-33 RRS and TRS at the table Z-axis

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For Z-axis test no displacement data was recorded.

After waveform testing, no mechanical or structural damages were detected.

The maximum displacement at top of the rack was 33 mm.

The Outdoor Model 42U700x700 is **compliant** with **R4-65 [110], R4-66 [111], R4-67 [112], O4-68 [113]**.



**Test Equipment Used**

**Table 23-2 Earthquake Environment List of Test Equipment**

**Electro-dynamic Shaker 80 A**

ID. No.	Equipment	Manufacturer	Status	Last Cal.	Next Cal.
S1419	80A Vibration Exciter VIB9000	RMS	cnn		
S5452	Vib Control V2.12.25	m+p	cnn		
S5560	Vibration Control and Analysis system	VXI Technology	cal	Mar 28, 2018	Mar 2019
S6267	Lenovo Think Centre Tower PC (VIB9000)	Lenovo	ind		
S6184	Accelerometer	PCB	cal	Mar 23, 2017	Mar 2019
S6185	Accelerometer	PCB	cal	Jan 17, 2017	Jan 2019
S6440	Accelerometer	PCB	cal	Nov 17, 2017	Nov 2019
S6448	Accelerometer	PCB	cal	Jan 11, 2018	Jan 2020

cal = Calibration, car = Calibration restricted use, chk = Check, chr = Check restricted use, cpu = Check prior to use, calchk = Calibration and check, ind = for indication only, cnn = Calibration not necessary, man = Maintenance

**Seismic Test System 86 A**

ID. No.	Equipment	Manufacturer	Status	Last Cal.	Next Cal.
S0353	Earthquake Test System	MTS	cnn		
S0896	Control System for Earthquake		cnn		
S5317	Accelerometer	Sensotec	cal	Jul 25, 2017	Jul 2019
S5453	Software Version 3.3A	MTS	cnn		
S5482	Power Supply	TET Electronic	ind		
S5544	Position Transducer	National Oilwell	ind		
S5841	3 CH DC Signal Conditioner	PCB	cal	Jul 19, 2016	Jul 2018
S5398	Accelerometer	Endevco	cal	Aug 02, 2017	Aug 2019
S5844	Accelerometer	Sensotec	cal	Jul 31, 2017	Jul 2019

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## **FRAMEWORK AND ANCHOR CRITERIA (4.4.2)**

### **Criteria:**

The following criteria apply to all framework and concrete expansion anchors used in network facilities. They are intended to ensure minimum limits for structural performance in earthquake environments are met.

- O4-71 [116]** Framework should be of welded construction.
- R4-72 [117]** Framework shall be constructed for base mounting to the floor without auxiliary support or bracing from the building walls or ceilings.
- O4-73 [118]** For framework used in earthquake risk zones, the static pull testing procedures of Section 5.4.1.4, should be followed, meeting these objectives:
- The maximum single amplitude deflection at the top of the framework should not exceed 75 mm.
  - The top of the framework should return to its original position, within 6 mm when the load is removed.
  - The framework should sustain no permanent structural damage during static framework testing.
- R4-74 [119]** Concrete expansion anchors used to base mount framework to the floor shall meet the following requirements:
- • Maximum embedment depth of 90 mm (3.5 in)
  - • Maximum bolt diameter of 13 mm (0.5 in).
- O4-75 [120]** It is an objective that concrete expansion anchors used to base mount the framework to the floor should be suitable for earthquake (dynamic) applications, as specified by the manufacturer.
- NOTE:** *Typical concrete anchors are not designed for dynamic loads, such as earthquakes. The above criterion specifies that the selected anchors should be designed to meet the dynamic loads specified in this document.*
- O4-76 [121]** It is an objective that concrete expansion anchors should use steel construction to minimize creep.
- Concrete expansion anchors used for frame-level waveform testing must conform to the physical performance requirements of Section 4.4.1, "Earthquake Environment and Criteria." If substitute fasteners are used in place of concrete expansion anchors during frame-level testing, the peak increase in fastener load above its preload as calculated or measured during the tests should not exceed the safe working load specified for the concrete expansion anchors by the manufacturer in 3000 psi concrete.*

### **Test Location**

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### **Test Method**

No test performed.

### **WALL-MOUNTED EQUIPMENT ANCHOR CRITERION (4.4.3)**

#### **Criteria:**

- O4-77 [211]** It is an objective that framework used for securing wall-mounted equipment should be of welded construction.
- R4-78 [175]** Fastening systems used for wall-mounted equipment shall withstand a force of 3 times the weight of the equipment applied to the equipment in any direction.
- Wall-mounted equipment listed to the latest edition of **ANSI / UL 60950-1:2005**, *Standard for Safety of Information Technology Equipment*, conform to this requirement.

#### **Test Location**

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#### **Test Method**

No test performed.

As the Outdoor Model 42U700x700 is a no wall mounted equipment, the requirement **R4-95 [175]** is **not applicable (NA)**.

## APPENDIX A : EUT Description

