

WaveMatrix[™] Calculation Module 2495-915D1



What is it?

The Calculation Module is an upgrade to WaveMatrix Software that offers extended capabilities for data processing and calculations.

What can it do for you?

- · Add and create calculated 'virtual' channels within WaveMatrix
- · Derive real-time calculated data from physical transducers channels and integrated directly into the test environment
- · Display live calculations during test and record them alongside physical transducer data in results files
- · Reduce post-processing time and gain insight into changing material properties during fatigue testing
- Use in combination with 'Advanced Control Module' to set control targets against calculated signals

How do you get started?

- · Choose from an extensive library of existing calculations or create your own
- · Search detailed help files that explain how the built-in calculations are configured
- · Add channels to your existing methods and start testing within minutes
- · Configure peak and trend data for calculated channels e.g. 'Maximum Cycle Energy'
- · Create new user-defined calculations with the help of comprehensive examples

What do you need?

The Calculation Module can be easily added to an existing WaveMatrix license or a new system.

If you are upgrading your software, we can offer additional training to ensure you can get the most out of the powerful new features.

Specifications

Catalog Number	
2495-915	WaveMatrix
2495-915D1	WaveMatrix Calculation Module
2495-965D1	Upgrade for Existing WaveMatrix Software Installations

*Contact Instron® for upgrades on older systems

The Calculation Library

The module comes with a library of more than 20 built-in calculations that are ready for immediate use.



Application Specific Calculations

Dynamic Mechanical Analysis (DMA)

The DMA calculations allow users to investigate the dynamic mechanical properties of specimens undergoing durability and fatigue tests. Choose from three determination methods for loss angle: Loop-Width, Energy, and Correlation.

DMA calculations provide multiple outputs, including:

- Loss Angle
 Energy
- Tan Delta
- E* (Complex Modulus)

• E' (Storage Modulus)

• E'' (Loss Modulus)

K* (Dynamic Stiffness)

Energy Loss

- K' (Elastic Stiffness)
- K'' (Damping Stiffness)

General Purpose Calculations

Material Properties

- · Young's Modulus
- Static Elastic and Plastic Strain
- Elastic Stiffness

Test Parameters

- Velocity
- Acceleration
- · Energy Calculations
- Frame Compliance

Data Interpolation/Extrapolation

- Pre-set Point Measurements 'Point X at Y'
- Contact Point Determination

User-Defined Calculations

- Create your own calculations using C# through the built-in editor and compiler
- · Follow detailed examples in the help files or ask for support from Instrons' expert application engineers
- Choose from either 'User-Defined Tracking' or 'User-Defined Peak and Trend' calculation types
- Select any physical transducer channels or calculated channels to be used in custom calculations
- Unlimited possibilities to implement calculations built on the user friendly WaveMatrix platform

Using Calculation Module with 'Advanced Control Module'

- The Advanced Control module allows users to control waveforms based on calculated channels
- Optimize test control by targeting peaks and trends of 'virtual' channels, e.g. Max Cycle Energy
- Set either fixed or moving targets for cyclic waveforms, e.g. variable mean load or decaying maximum load
- See Advanced Control specification for more details about the full range of features

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