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Our motor test consoles are designed for off-load testing of 3 phase, single phase and DC motors prior to re-commissioning and returning to service. The test console allows voltage to be stepped up to rated voltage incrementally, providing means of soft start and ensuring the motor performs satisfactorily at a reduced voltage before running at full rated voltage. A combined 0-5KV AC flash tester and 500VDC mega ohm meter enables verification of the motor's windings and insulation before subjecting it to an off-load test.



Motor Test Console (TC100-400)

At the heart of a rotary test console is a large multi-tapped transformer, this is a robust technology that gives many years of reliable service.

A motor is tested by first connecting it to the appropriately sized outlet of the console. The user then starts the test and brings the motor up to rated voltage gradually. Test variables such as voltage and current are then observed.

Up to 6 stepped voltage taps are available and can be specified at the time of ordering. E.g. 50V, 110V, 240V, 400V, 480V, 690V.

Our traditional console is a robust solution which has been used extensively within the industry for many years. Control of this is managed via physical switches.

- · Manual tap change cam switches.
- Full load current can be determined using the simulated locked rotor method.
- 3 x ammeters (multiple scales), one for each phase.
- 1 x single switched voltmeter.
- Series of protected sockets to match your test motor: 16A, 32A, 65A, (see table).
- Built in HAL101 flash tester.
- Single phase / DC add on for testing of AC, DC shunt, series & compound machines.
- 3 x phase indicators.



High Voltage Flash Tester

The test console has an integrated 5 kV flash tester / 500 Vdc high voltage tester for HiPot and Insulation Resistance tests. Features include:

- Electronic storage of test results with output to printer option.
- Visual and audible alarms.
- EN50191, IEC/EN 60950, IEC/EN 61010, BS EN 60335-1, BS EN 60598 and BS EN 60745 compliant.
- Provides bar-code read facility for control of inventory.
- · Meets requirements for traceability of equipment and results.
- Fast automatic production testing using sequence capability.
- Single button operation with simple PASS/FAIL indication.
- Multiple language capability.
- Electrically isolated outputs provide protection for the user and safe environment.

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Digital Motor Test Console (TC100-400)

Our digital motor test console merges the robust and proven technology of our traditional console with modern control. The result being a highly accurate, intuitive to use piece of test equipment which through a digital control system can provide an additional layer of protection and the capability to export test data.

- Allows for collection of running data and export via CSV and PDF report.
- Control system provides an additional layer of safety.
- Control via intuitive HMI allows for ease of operation.
- Accurate digital metering.
- · Easy integration with test cell.
- Adjustable current trip.









Motor Test Panel (MTP400-1000)

For testing large motors up to 1000HP, we can offer our motor test panel. This is of modular construction and allows for higher power and additional capabilities such as automated test sequencing, onboard vibration, temperature, and speed monitoring as well as a DC drive capable of testing high power DC machines (up to 250A output). The test console is operated remotely from a control enclosure through a 21" HMI to allow the operator to be situated at a safe distance.

- Built in measurement of physical running parameters.
- 6 x vibration channels (mm/s rms).
- 4 x temperature channels (°C/ °F).
- Speed via laser tacho (RPM).
- Locked rotor testing in any phase orientation. An automated test sequence can be used alongside a peak hold function to easily determine phase balance and FLA.
- Can be used as an excitation supply for core loop flux testing via single pole sockets.
- · Single phase testing via connecting between two phases.
- High power DC motor testing 250A 800VDC armature and 32A 800VDC field.
 Adjustable software interlocks/trips for overcurrent, over speed, over temp
- Adjustable software interiocks/trips for overcurrent, over speed, over temp and excessive vibration.
- Outlets monitored by residual current monitoring device for safety of installation and personnel (earth leakage protection).
- 10 taps for gradual run-up (50V, 75V, 110V, 170V, 240V, 350V, 400V, 480V, 550V, 690V) can be specified at the time of ordering.
- Series of protected sockets to match your test motor: 16A, 32A, 63A, 750A (see table).
- Field undercurrent/field loss protection of DC supply.
- Overspeed protection of DC motors.
- Easily linked to your test cells safety system, door contacts, Estop buttons, key interlocks etc.
- Output to CSV and PDF test report.
- User management system with two levels of authorisation.
- Control station can be mounted remotely on a wall and is supplied with a 10m cable.



Technical Data

MOTOR TEST CONSOLE	TC100	TC150	TC250	TC320	TC400	MTP400	MTP650	MTP1000	
Standard units	75 kW 100 HP	100 kW 150 HP	180 kW 250 HP	240 kW 320 HP	300 kW 400 HP	300 kW 400 HP	465 kW 650 HP	700 kW 940 HP	
Current	83A	104A	153A	194A	243A	320A	500A	750A	
Standard output voltages AC	50V, 110V, 240V, 415V, 480V, 690V These may be changed to suit your requirements (local supply voltage).					50V, 75V, 110V, 170V, 240V, 350V, 400V, 480V, 550V, 690V.			
Standard output voltages DC		Options available for 0-500VDC, 0-60A. Please enquire with your requirements.					Continuously variable 0-800VDC 250A		
Standard electrical supply	415V 3 phase, 50/60Hz								
Motor connections (amps). Sockets fitted	ed and corresponding plugs supplied								
16 AC		√	1	1	1	1	1	1	
32 AC	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
63 AC	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	✓ ✓	
125 AC	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
200 AC				1					
250 AC					5	J	5	5	
320 AC						J		-	
500 AC							5		
750 AC								5	
32A DC									
250A DC						* ./		·	
Transformer (KVA)	60	75	110	140	175	175	280	420	
Metering	00	15	110	140	175	173	200	420	
Ammeters	L1,L2,L3, range switches x5, x10, x20, x30					L1, L2, L3. Digital metering with exact decimal value			
Voltmeters	With range swite L2 to L3 or L3 to	With range switch for 0-150V, 300V and 600V and selection switch for L1 to L2, L2 to L3 or L3 to L1, line to line voltages.					All voltages displayed simultaneously. Exact decimal value displayed.		
Power factor						0-1			
Power (KW)						0-400	0-600	0-900KW	
Vibration (mm/sec rms)						0-50 (other available)	6 channels		
Rotational velocity (RPM)						0-7500			
Temperature (°C/ °F)						PT100 type 4 channels			
Options for TC range of test consoles									
Touch screen control									
Operator interface via intuitive 21" HMI									
Data storage and data output via USB									
		Adjustable	current trip for a hi	gher degree of pro	tection				
Single phase AC & DC									
Single phase AC	Continuously variable 0-240V 30A/60A supply								
Single supply DC	Continuously variable 0-240V 30A/60A supply. Suitable for testing compound and series wound DC motors.								
Dual supply DC	Continuously variable supplies 1. 0-240V 30/60A 2. 0-240 6A. Suitable for testing compound, series and shunt wound DC motors.								
Other	We can accomm	We can accommodate other requirements e.g. 0-460V.							
HAL – HiPot / Flash & Insulation Resistan	nce Tester								
AC HiPot / Flash Test									
Voltage Range	0.100 - 6.00KV	0.100 - 6.00KV (programmable)							
Voltage Resolution	10V/step (settable)								
Voltage Accuracy	1% of reading	1% of reading							
Maximum Output Current	10mA @ 6KV	10mA @ 6KV							
Display Current Range	0-01 – 10.0mA								
Current Accuracy	1 % of reading	1 % of reading							
Display Current Resolution	0.01mA								
Output Ripple	<5% @6KV	<5% @6KV							



DC HiPot / Flash Test				
Voltage Range	0.100 - 6.000kV (programmable)			
Voltage Resolution	10V/Step (Settable)			
Voltage Accuracy	1% of reading			
Maximum Output Current	10mA @ 6kV			
Display Current Range	0.01 – 10.00mA			
Current Accuracy	1% of reading			
Display Current Resolution	0.01mA			
Output Ripple	<5% @ 6kV			
Insulation Resistance				
DC Output Voltage	250, 500 or 1000V selectable of fully adjustable from 10-1000V			
Resistance Ranges	0.1 100.0MOhm / 0.1 – 1GOhm			
Measurement	0.1-700MOhm, 5% of reading @ 700M			
Accuracy	1GOhm, 10% of reading			
ARC Detection				
Detect Current	10 Levels			
External Connections				
Printer	RS-232			
PC	RS-232			



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VTS Analyser

Housed in a convenient and portable carrier, the VTS analyser unit gives you the tools required to assess a motor's physical condition during testing.

- 6 vibration channels (mm/s rms).
- 4 temperature channels (°C/ °F). thermocouple/RTD.
- Speed via laser tachometer (RPM).
- HMI to manage and view data.
- Export of PDF reports or data via .CSV file.
- Option to integrate flash tester.
- Ability to be integrated into test consoles safety circuit. This allows a test console to trip and remove power automatically when an over speed, vibration or temperature condition arises.

An option for advanced analysis is offered which allows the user to perform further diagnostics of the test motor and isolate the cause of a potential problem. i.e. drive end bearing worn / fan defect. The different software allows various modes of analysis, such as:

- Fast Fourier Transform (FFT)
- Phase
- Orbits
- Bode

All required equipment such as laptop, software and transducers are supplied.

Bespoke Solution

As a specialist engineering company, we are open to custom projects. Ranging from a slight deviation from our advertised solutions to completely bespoke pieces of equipment, we can draw on decades of experience to produce a test console to match your exact requirements.





Rotary Engineering works in partnership with clients worldwide, manufacturing a range of equipment and offering everything from a one off piece of equipment to an entire workshop.

Our experienced team are happy to provide specialist advice, respond to tenders and support our contacts around the world.

Rotary's origins can be traced back to 1896 when W.E Burnand first made industrial equipment from our workshop here in Sheffield. Today the business has evolved to become Rotary Engineering UK Ltd, proudly established as an innovative specialist UK manufacturer supplying the motor rewind and coil manufactures in addition to the design, manufacture and repair of electromagnets.







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