

Whole-Body Vibration



Hand-Arm Vibration



System for human related vibration measurements All-round instrument

3-Axis Vibration Meter

VM-54

Optional program card line-up VX-54WS/VX-54WB1/VX-54WH/VX-54FT



3-Axis Vibration Meter VM-54

Marine Vibration Card

VX-54

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Vibration measurement system for evaluating comfort in passenger and merchant ships

ISO 6954:2000 provides the framework for measuring and recording vibrations that occur in the crew and passenger accommodation sections of ships, to evaluate suitability and comfort.

The present measurement system for marine vibrations consists of the Accelerometer (tri-axial)

PV-83CW (for floor positioning), the 3-Axis Vibration Meter VM-54, and the Marine Vibration Card VX-54WS.

The system allows measurement and evaluation compliant to the relevant standards.



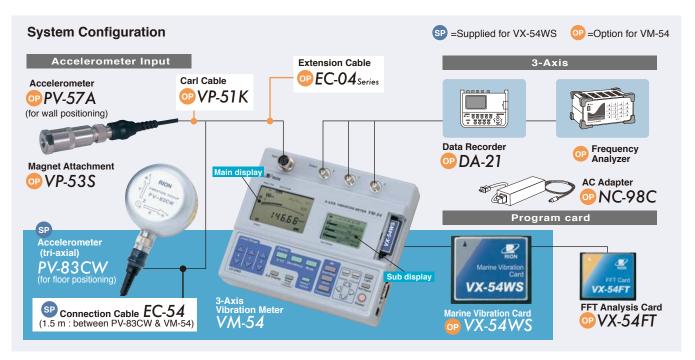
Accelerometer (tri-axial) (for floor positioning)

PV-83CW

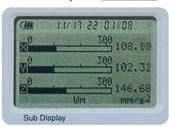
Accelerometer PV-83CW (tri-axial) (for floor positioning) is supplied as standard accessory of VX-54WS.

Accelerometer PV-57A (for wall positioning) available as optional accessory.

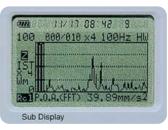
- Storing of measurement data on CompactFlash™ memory card.
- Tri-axial analogue AC outputs for connection to frequency analyzer, data recorder, or other waveform recording device.
- Excel macro for creating reports is supplied accessory.
- Soft protection case with shoulder strap is supplied accessory for VX-54WS. This facilitates measurement in the marine environment and protects the unit from water and oil.



Display screen examples Sub display



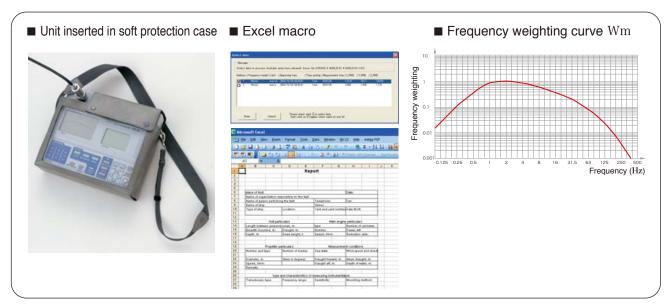




Graphic screen

Numeric screen

FFT screen (using VX-54FT)



Specifications

Applicable standards: ISO 6954: 2000

Input : Accelerometer (tri-axial) PV-83CW, or Accelerometer PV-57A (option)

Measurement : 1 to 80 Hz(Up to 1 kHz with flat characteristics,

frequency range when using PV-57A)

Frequency weighting: Wm (ISO 2631-2: 2003), bandwidth limiting

Measurement modes: Acceleration, velocity

Measurement range:

[With PV-83CW] Acceleration (mm/s²):

30, 100, 300, 1000, 3 000, 10 000 Velocity (mm/s):1, 3, 10, 30, 100, 300

[With PV-57A] Acceleration (m/s²): 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30, 100, 300, 1000 Velocity (mm/s): 10, 30, 100, 300, 1000, 3 000

Processing functions: RMS, max (MTVV), min Measurement time settings: 10 sec, 1 min, 2 min, 10 min Display

Data store function

: LCD x 2 (main and sub)

: Manual store

(up to 400 000 data can be stored on VX-54WS [128 MB CFCard])

Recording media Interface

: CompactFlash memory card : For dedicated printer only

(allows measurement data printout on dedicated printer) : Connectors for 3 axis signals (AC)

Output connectors Ambient conditions Power supply

: -10 to +50 °C, max. 90 % RH : Four IEC R14 (size "C") batteries,

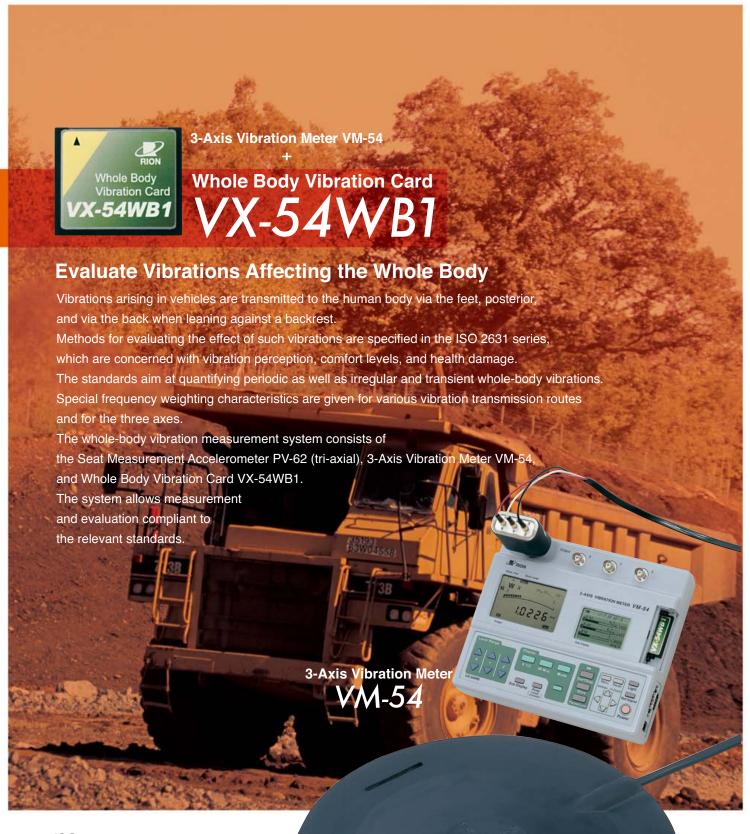
Dimensions and weight

16 hours continuous operation with alkaline batteries : Approx. 56 (H) x 200 (W) x 175 (D) mm; approx. 1 kg (including batteries)

Supplied accessories

: Accelerometer (tri-axial) PV-83CW Connection Cable EC-54 (1.5 m)

Soft protection case



ISO 2631-1: 1997

Mechanical vibration and shock — Evaluation of human exposure to whole-body vibration — Part 1 : General requirements

ISO 2631-2: 2003

Mechanical vibration and shock — Evaluation of human exposure to whole-body vibration — Part 2 : Vibration in buildings (1 Hz to 80 Hz)

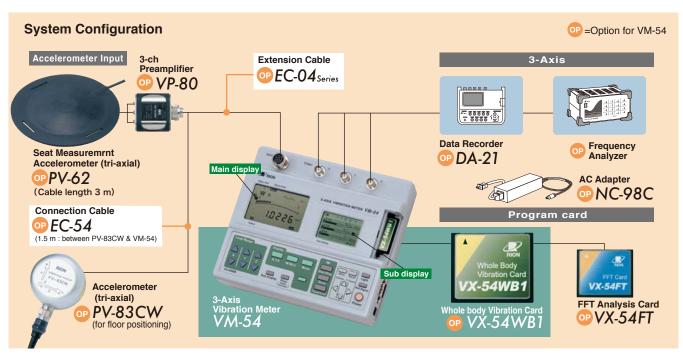
ISO 8041: 2005

Human response to vibration — Measuring instrumentation

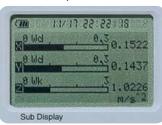
- Measurement result data can be stored on CF card.
- 3-axis output signal for connection to frequency analyzer, data recorder, or other waveform recording device.

Seat Measurement Accelerometer (tri-axial)





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■ Running R.M.S acceleration value

$$a_{\text{w}}(t_0) = \left[\frac{1}{\tau} \int_{t_0 - \tau}^{t_0} a_{\text{w}^2}(t) \mathrm{d}t\right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ \text{Where} \\ a_{\text{w}}(t) \text{ : instantaneous value of vibration acceleration to which frequency weighting was applied}$$

- was applied

 t : Moving average integral time (s)

 T : Time (integral variable)

 t o : Observation time point (instantaneous time)
- Maximum Transient Vibration Value (*MTVV*) $MTVV = \max[a_{w}(t_0)]$
- Vibration Dose Value (VDV)

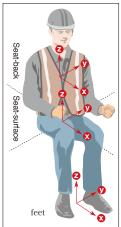
$$VDV = \begin{bmatrix} \int_{0}^{T} a_{w}^{4}(t) dt \end{bmatrix}^{\frac{1}{4}}$$
Where $a_{w}(t)$

Where $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{W}}(t)$: Instantaneous value of

translational or rotary vibration acceleration to which frequency weighting was applied

T: Continuous measurement time (s)

Basicentric axes of the human body (Seated position)



Frequency weighting curves for principal weightings weightings Frequency Frequency (Hz) ■ Guide for application of frequency-weighting curves for principal weightings

x,y-axis Seat-surface Health z-axis Seat-surface z-axis, Seat-surface z-axis, Standing x,y-axis, Seat-surface x,y-axis, Standing Comfort horizontal recumbent vertical recumbent (expect head x,y,z-axis, Feet y,z-axis, Seat-back x.v-axis. Seat-surface Perception z-axis. Seat-surface -axis, Standing y-axis, Standing horizontal recumbent vertical recumbent (expect h

Specifications

Applicable standards: ISO 2631-1: 1997, ISO 2631-2: 2003,

ISO 8041: 2005.

Input : Seat Measurement Accelerometer (tri-axial) PV-62,

or Accelerometer (tri-axial) PV-83CW

Measurement : 0.5 to 80 Hz

frequency range

Frequency weighting: Wk, Wd, Wb, Wc, Wj, Wm, Wg, bandwidth limiting

Measurement mode : Acceleration, Velocity (in case of Wm)

Measurement range

[With PV-62] Acceleration (m/s2):

0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30, 100, 300, 1 000

[With PV-83CW] Acceleration (m/s²): 0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10 Velocity (mm/s): 1, 3, 10, 30, 100, 300

Processing functions: RMS, MTVV, VDV, Synthesized Value,

PEAK, Crest Factor

Measurement time settings: 1 to 30 sec in 1-sec units

1 min, 10 min, 30 min, 1 hour, 4 hours, 8 hours,

12 hours (max. 12 hours)

Display : LCD x 2 (main and sub) Data store function : Auto store1, Auto store2, Manual store

Recording media : CompactFlash memory card Interface : For dedicated printer only

(allows measurement data printout on dedicated printer)

Output connectors : Connectors for 3-axis signals (AC) Ambient conditions for use : -10 to +50 °C, max. 90 % RH

Power supply : Four IEC R14 (size "C") batteries, 16 hours continuous operation with alkaline batteries

: Approx. 56 (H) x 200 (W) x 175 (D) mm; Dimensions and weight

approx. 1 kg (including batteries)





Accelerometer (tri-axial)
PV-97C Option

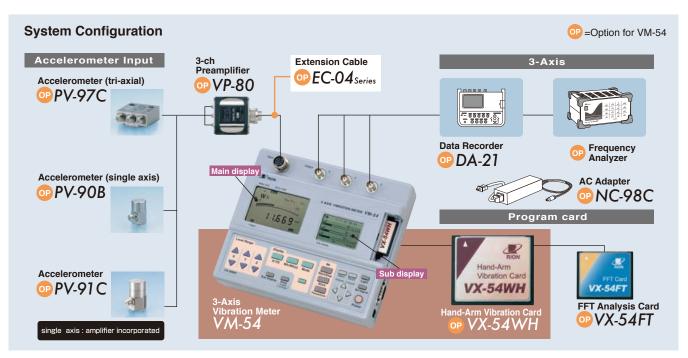
ISO 5349-1: 2001

 $\label{eq:measurement} \mbox{Mechanical vibration} - \mbox{Measurement and evaluation of human exposure to hand-transmitted vibration} - \mbox{Part 1: General requirements}$

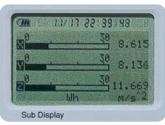
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Mechanical vibration — Measurement and evaluation of human exposure to hand-transmitted vibration — Part 2: Practical guidance for measurement at the workplace

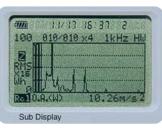
- Measurement result data can be stored on CF card.
- 3-axis output signal for connection to frequency analyzer, data recorder, or other waveform recording device.



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Interface

FFT screen (using VX-54FT)

■ Running R.M.S acceleration value

$$a_{w}(t_{0}) = \left[\frac{1}{\tau} \int_{t_{0}-\tau}^{t_{0}} a_{w^{2}}(t) dt \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

- $\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{W}}(t)$: Instantaneous value of vibration acceleration to which frequency weighting was applied
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- Maximum Transient Vibration Value (*MTVV*)

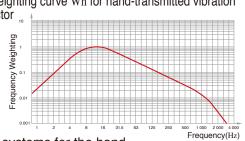
 $MTVV = \max [a_{w}(t_0)]$

■ Vibration Dose Value (VDV)

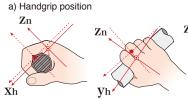
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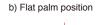
- Instantaneous value of translational or rotary vibration acceleration to which frequency
- weighting was applied T: Continuous measurement time (s)

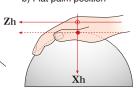
Frequency-weighting curve Wh for hand-transmitted vibration Weighting factor



Coordinate systems for the hand







Specifications

Applicable standards : ISO 5349-1: 2001, ISO 5349-2:2001,

: Piezoelectric Accelerometer Input

PV-97C (tri-axial) or equivalent

Measurement : 8 to 1 000 Hz

frequency range

Frequency weighting : Wh

Measurement mode : Acceleration

Measurement range

[With PV-97C] Acceleration (m/s²):

30, 100, 300, 1000, 3 000, 10 000

(VP-80 charge amplifier gain set to x 0.1)

Acceleration (m/s2):

3, 10, 30, 100, 300, 1000, 3 000, 10 000 (VP-80 charge amplifier gain set to x 1)

: RMS, MTVV, VDV, Synthesized Value,

Processing functions PEAK, Crest Factor Measurement time settings: 1 to 30 sec in 1-sec units

1 min, 10 min, 30 min, 1 hour, 4 hours, 8 hours,

12 hours (max. 12 hours) Display : LCD x 2 (main and sub)

Data store function : Auto store, Manual store Recording media : CompactFlash memory card : For dedicated printer only

(allows measurement data printout on dedicated printer)

Output connectors : Connectors for 3-axis signals (AC)

:-10 to +50 °C, max. 90 % RH **Ambient conditions** Power supply : Four IEC R14 (size "C") batteries,

16 hours continuous operation with alkaline batteries Dimensions and weight : Approx. 56 (H) x 200 (W) x 175 (D) mm;

approx. 1 kg (including batteries)

3-Axis Vibration Meter

The 3-Axis Vibration Meter VM-54 can be used with PV-83CW and various other accelerometers.



- 3-axis output signal for connection to frequency analyzer, data recorder, or other waveform recording device.
- Microphone extension cable (EC-04 series) can be used to extend accelerometer connection.

Inputs: 3-channel input (using 3-Channel Input adapter VP-80)

Measurement frequency range: 0.5 to 5 000 Hz

Measurement mode: Acceleration rms value, Instantaneous value and maximum hold

Measurement range: With piezoelectric accelerometer

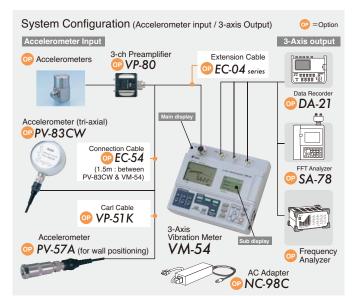
Sensitivity	0.1 to 0.999	3, 10, 30, 100, 300, 1 000, 3 000, 10 000
setting	1.00 to 9.99	0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30, 100, 300, 1000
	10 to 99.9	0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30, 100

With PV-83CW

With PV-57A

Acceleration 0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10

Acceleration(m/s²) 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30, 100, 300, 1000



Display : LCD x 2 (main and sub) Output connectors : Connectors for 3-axis signals (AC)

: Four IEC R14 (size "C") batteries. Power supply

16 hours continuous operation with alkaline batteries

: -10 to +50 °C, max. 90 % RH Ambient conditions

Dimensions and weight: 56 (H) x 200 (W) x 175 (D) mm; approx. 1 kg (including batteries)





The VX-54FT functions as a memory card and allows storing FFT analysis result data in CSV format. The supplied Excel macro makes it easy to generate a graph display from the stored data.

Display items : 1. FFT processed spectrum display

2. Effective value (O.A.) calculated from time domain

3. O.A. value* calculated from frequency domain (FFT result) *Partial overall value for specified frequency range can also be calculated

Display functions: Dependent on respective program card Measurement channels: X, Y, Z (3 channel simultaneous analysis) Frequency range settings: 50 Hz, 100 Hz, 200 Hz, 500 Hz, 1 kHz

Frequency span	Sampling frequency	Sampling interval	Frame time	Frequency resolution
50 Hz	128 Hz	7.8125 ms	8 s	0.125 Hz
100 Hz	256 Hz	3.90625 ms	4 s	0.25 Hz
200 Hz	512 Hz	1.953125 ms	2 s	0.5 Hz
500 Hz	1.28 kHz	0.78125 ms	0.8 s	1.25 Hz
1kHz	2.56 kHz	0.390625 ms	0.4 s	2.5 Hz

Window types : Hanning, Rectangular **Analysis lines** : 400

Processing

: Instantaneous value, RMS method, maximum value Display (VM-54) : Main display : Shows instantaneous value in specified channel

(rms with 1 second integration time) Sub display Shows FFT analysis result in specified

channel and overall value simultaneously

X axis : Frequency (Hz) Y axis : Linear

Menu screen Recall screen

Zoom ratio [X axis]: x1, x2, x4 [Y axis]: x1, x4, x16, x64, x256

Frequency weighting : Dependent on respective program card

characteristics Processing frames : max. 999 (selectable in 1-frame steps)

: 50 % (no overlap at 1 kHz) Overlap

Level range : Dependent on respective program card

Data store function : Manual store on VX-54FT card

3-channel FFT spectrum data stored in CSV format

Max. 100 data sets per file (3-channel data form 1 set)

Max. 50 files

Recall function : Data stored on VX-54FT card can be recalled on sub display Resume function : Available

Interface : For dedicated printer only (hard copy of sub display contents can

be produced on dedicated printer) Outputs : AC output according to selected frequency weighting

characteristics (O.A.)

Battery life (using VX-54FT): 16 hours continuous operation (using PV-83CW, at room

temperature, with alkaline batteries) : -10 to +50 °C, max. 90 % RH

Options Options

Product name	Model
FFT Analysis Card	VX-54FT
3-ch Preamplifier	VP-80
Accelerometer (tri-axial)*1	PV-83CW
Accelerometer	PV-57A
Carl Cable (for PV-57A)	PV-51K

Product name	Model
Magnet Attachment (for PV-57A)	VP-53S
Seat Measurement Accelerometer (tri-axial)	PV-62
Accelerometer (tri-axial)	PV-97C
Accelerometer (single axis)	PV-90B

Ambient conditions

Product name	Model
Accelerometer (single axis)	PV-91C
Connection Cable*1	EC-54
Extension Cable (2 m)	EC-04
AC Adapter (100 to 240 V AC)	NC-98C

*1 Supplied only with VX-54WS





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