

## Model 3173

### Tension/Compression Pancake Load Cell



#### DESCRIPTION

The Model 3173 covers the lower capacity ranges of 200 pounds force to 3000 pounds force, while exhibiting the high performance characteristics of stiffness and accuracy. These

load cells are well suited to materials testing machines and other applications requiring a rugged load sensor. Often ideal for high cycle count applications.

#### FEATURES

- English threads
- Enhanced accuracy, 0.07 %
- Low deflection
- Fatigue-resistant design and enhanced performance
- Low full-scale capacity
- Low profile
- Decreased sensitivity to extraneous loading

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## PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS

Characteristic	Measure
Load range <sup>1</sup>	200, 500, 1K, 2K, 3K lb
Accuracy	0.07 %
Non-linearity	±0.05 % of rated output
Hysteresis	±0.05 % of rated output
Repeatability	±0.02 % of rated output
Output @ rated capacity (200 lb to 1K lb)	1.50 mV/V (nominal)
Output @ rated capacity (2K lb to 3K lb)	2.00 mV/V (nominal)
Operation	Tension/compression
Resolution	Infinite
Standard calibration	Tension (+) and compression (-)

## ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS

Characteristic	Measure
Temperature, operating	-54 °C to 93 °C [-65 °F to 200 °F]
Temperature, compensated	21 °C to 77 °C [70 °F to 170 °F]
Temperature effect, zero	±0.002 % of rated output/°F
Temperature effect, output	±0.002 % of reading/°F

## ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Characteristic	Measure
Strain gage type	Foil
Excitation (maximum)	20 Vdc or Vac RMS
Insulation resistance	> 5000 mOhm @ 50 Vdc
Input resistance	700 ohm
Output resistance	700 ohm
Zero balance	±1.0 %
Electrical termination	PT02E-10-6P

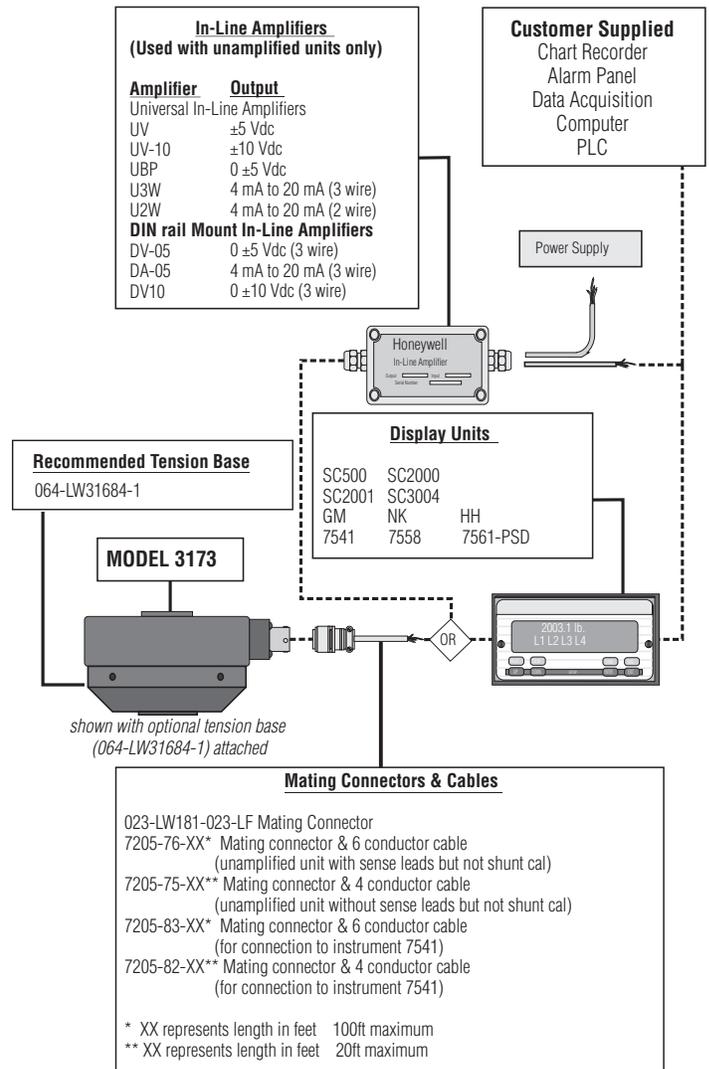
## MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Characteristic	Measure
Static overload capacity	150 % of nominal capacity
Material	Carbon steel
Fatigue life (0 to full fatigue load)	100 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cycles
Fatigue life (full fatigue tension to compression)	50 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cycles
Natural frequency	See table

## WIRING CODES

Cable	
Red	(+) excitation
Black	(-) excitation
Green	(+) output
White	(-) output

## TYPICAL SYSTEM DIAGRAM



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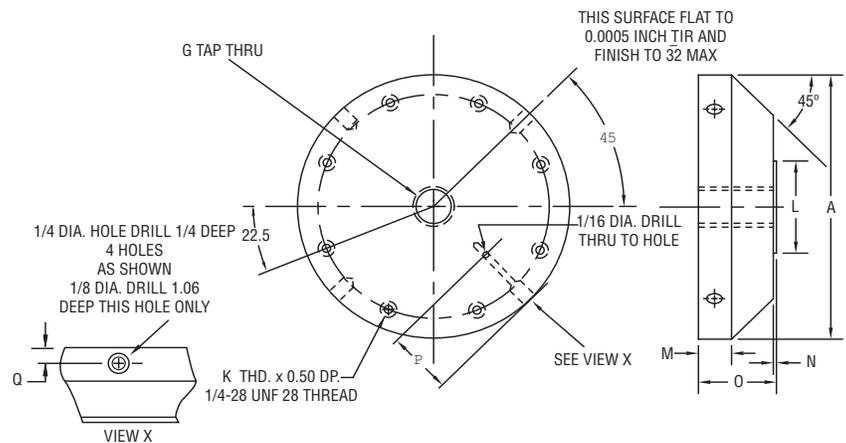
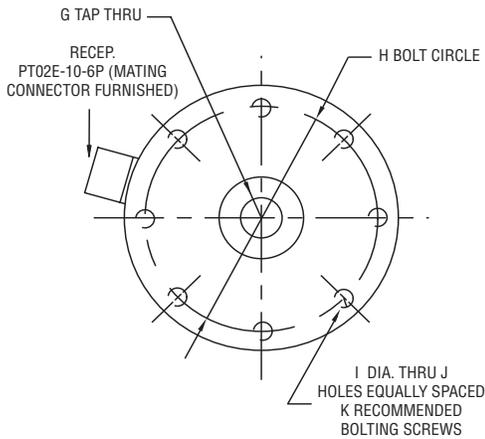
### NATURAL FREQUENCY

Nominal load limit capacity $F_z$		Static extraneous load limits						
lb	N	Static overload capacity (% of nominal capacity)	Fatigue capacity (% of nominal capacity)	Shear $F_x$ or $F_y$ (lb)	Bending $M_x$ or $M_y$ (lb-in)	Torque $M_z$ (lb-in)	Deflection at nominal load limit (in)	Ring frequency (Hz)
200	1K	150	100	4471	185	3477	0.003	1500
500	2K	150	100	15625	466	5208	0.003	2440
1K	5K	150	100	15500	911	7750	0.003	3900
2K	10K	150	100	4000	2133	1523	0.001	5500
3K	15K	150	100	5166	2818	2214	0.001	7200

### MOUNTING DIMENSIONS

Model	Capacity N [lb]	A cm [in]	B cm [in]	C cm [in]	D cm [in]	E cm [in]	F cm [in]	G threads English	H cm [in]	I cm [in]	No. of holes J	Bolting screws K	L cm [in]	M cm [in]	N cm [in]	O cm [in]	P cm [in]	Q cm [in]
3173	900-13.5K [200-3K]	10,47 [4.12]	7,24 [2.85]	3,23 [1.27]	3,48 [1.37]	0,31 [0.12]	0,15 [0.06]	5/8-18 UNF-3B	8.89 [3.5]	0,71 [0.28]	8	1/4-28 hexhead*	3,18 [1.25]	1,27 [0.50]	0,08 [0.03]	2,87 [1.13]	2,21 [0.87]	0,64 [0.25]

\* tighten to 200 in-lbs



Tension bases are recommended for all model 3173 applications. When mounting without the tension base, attention must be given to the mating surface with regard to flatness, hardness and stiffness.

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## NOTES

1. This unit calibrated to Imperial (non-Metric) units.

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#### **PERSONAL INJURY**

- DO NOT USE these products as safety or emergency stop devices or in any other application where failure of the product could result in personal injury.

**Failure to comply with these instructions could result in death or serious injury.**

### **WARNING**

#### **MISUSE OF DOCUMENTATION**

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