## SHOCK AND VIBRATION

CONDITION BASED MONITORING SYSTEM

Designed and manufactured in the UK, the IMC Group have revolutionised condition based monitoring with the new wireless Contor system.

For use as a predictive maintenance tool, the Contor system is capable of measuring and displaying shock impact and vibration data for critical equipment monitoring whilst in operation.

# %imc CONTOR



SHOCK IMPACT AND VIBRATION MEASUREMENT WIRELESS REAL-TIME DATA COLLECTION AND ALERTS

#### **Key Features of Contor:**

- Shock impact and vibration measurement
- Tri-axial Piezo accelerometer technology
- · Real-time visual and emailed alarms to relevant parties

Low and high frequency monitoring

- Accurate and reliable measurements
- Comprehensive and user friendly software
- ZigBee radio communication from unit to local/remote server

In its normal mode (mode A) of operation, the Contor unit detects

low-frequency (sub 150Hz) accelerations. This mode could be

used for example to validate the programmed operation of a

CNC milling machine where the design sets limits on cutter

acceleration, or to detect shocks in normal operation caused by

Contor can also measure higher frequency vibration levels (mode B). Rotating parts will show a gradual increase in these values as they wear, enabling preventive maintenance to be carried out at

• Data is available via MODBUS

#### **Key Benefits of Contor:**

- Accurately implement predictive maintenance regimes e.g. bearings by monitoring the RMS vibration
- ✓ Significantly reduce machine downtime and loss of production.

INTUITIVE SOFTWARE WITH FAST AND ACCURATE

ANALYSIS TOOLS

- ✓ Increase machine life.
- Provide accurate data for warranty claims.
- Significantly reduce maintenance costs by reducing the number of unnecessary scheduled preventive maintenance operations.
- ✓ Optimise machine performance e.g. milling machines
- ✓ Strengthen customer confidence

#### **Contor Applications**

- CNC milling machines
- Paper mills
- Wood mills
- Printing presses
- Reciprocating machinery
- Air handling plant



capabilities

operator errors.

the best time

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## **Simc**

#### **Schematic**

The below schematic shows a typical system construction.



#### Software

The accompanying Contor software provides users with clear graphical interface that is available through all main web browsers. The software format enables users to access real-time data from multiple devices, such as PC, tablet or mobile phone and receive immediate indication of problems.

Below shows a typical home page display screenshot



**Above:** Alarms appear in red and further analysis is available through the graph icons.

**Above:** An example of peak data display detailing peak values exceeded





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#### INSTRUMENTATION SPECIFICATIONS

Product Code:	CTR-100
Instrument:	
Dimensions:	36W x 66L x 42H [mm] not including mounting feet
Total height with antenna:	155mm/78mm with folded antenna
Weight:	200g
Power supply:	1030V DC, 1A

#### Sensors:

Piezo Electric Accelerometers	
Shock range:	+/- 0 - 30g
Frequency range:	0 – 150Hz for mode A (normal operational
	mode), 100-4000Hz for mode B (high
	frequency, manually activated mode)

#### **Specification:**

Temperature (operating):	-25°C to +60°C
Temperature (survivng):	-40°C to +70°C
Humidity:	0 - 100% (non-condensing)
Shock (survival):	1 Meter drop
Ingress protection:	IP66
Warning Threshold (%)	0.5g to 30g
Alarm Thresholds (%)	1g to 30g
Dynamic Range:	0.3g to 30g
Resolution:	0.1g
Accuracy:	+/- 0.2g, +/- 1% of reading
Frequency range Mode A:	0.5-150Hz
Frequency range Mode B:	100-4000Hz
Calculation Bandwidth Mode B:	20-3600Hz
Recording Methods:	Time Interval maxima for X, Y, Z and RMS
(Mode A):	ADS* of events (mode A)
	ADS* total in frequency band (mode B)
Event Sampling Rate Mode A:	1024samples/sec, 3-Axis
Event Sampling Rate Mode B:	1s
HF Sampling Rate Mode B:	10240samples/sec, X, Y or Z

\*Acceleration density spectrum

#### **Component Parts**

CTR-RX	Ethernet Receiver unit
W510	Contor server software

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