



- Better Data for Better Science
- Plug & Play USB Interface



## **OVERVIEW**

Our dual 3 d multi-axis force platform is a portable and static solution solution. The GASPLab Dual Plate System is an innovative, patented design is accurate, economical, and easy to use with powerful GASP LAB. Research software also available as an easy way to view your data with high speed video and other data such as 3D and Launch monitors.

The plug & play USB interface automatically synchronizes multiple platforms and eliminates external power supplies.

GASP Lab Dual Force plates attains unprecedented levels of accuracy for measuring Center of Pressure, forces and moments, as well as dramatic reductions in crosstalk. This breakthrough in performance is made possible by a unique precision grid calibration technology. This new level of accuracy enables clinicians to make better patient measurements, and enables researchers to perform better science based on more accurate input data. The levels of

accuracy achieved with GASP Dual Plate Optimized are a quantum leap over previous technologies used in the biomechanics industry.

## **SYSTEM FEATURES**

## **Multi-Component Measurement**

Forces: Fx, Fy, Fz Moments: Mx, My, Mz

## **Digital Output**

Plug & play USB 2.0 interface automatically synchronizes up to 12 GASP dual force platforms.

## **High Overload Protection**

One-piece sensor element provides extremely high overload protection on all axes.



## Portable - No Mounting Necessary

Just place the platform on a flat surface and use.

### **Convenient Surface Grid**

A grid on the surface of the platform provides base-of-support coordinates which can be combined with the balance data, allowing the center-of-pressure (COP) to be plotted relative to the subject's foot position.

#### **SOFTWARE**

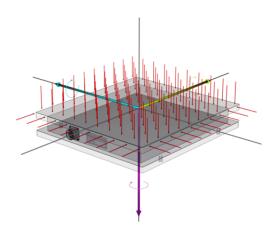
#### SOFTWARE Measurements

- Vertical Combined Force
- Vertical Lead Force
- Vertical Trail Force
- Horizontal Right/Left Force Combined
- Horizontal Right/Left Force Lead
- Horizontal Right/Left Force Trail
- Horizontal Trail/Lead force Combined
- Horizontal Trail/Lead force lead
- Horizontal Trail/Lead force Trail
- Horizontal Torque Combined about the COM
- Horizontal Torque Lead about the COM
- Horizontal Torque Trail about the COM
- Frontal Plane Torque
- Free Moment Lead
- Free Moment Trail
- Pivoting Torque
- Transverse Plane Torque
- COP Velocity
- Center of Pressure COP Combined
- Center of Pressure (COP) lead
- Center of Pressure (COP) Trail
- Center of Mass (COM) starting position
- Total Torque
- Impulse on all forces
- Impulses on all torques
- Stance width
- COP medial/lateral position relative to the stance
- COP Anterior/Posterior positioning relative to the stance
- COM vertical position/movement
- Mass anterior/posterior position relative to the stance
- Mass anterior/posterior movement
- Mass medial /lateral displacement
- Mass medial /lateral position relative to the stance

### **UNPRECEDENTED ACCURACY**

#### Better Data for Better Science

The precision grid calibration technology optimizes each dual plate force platform's accuracy. By taking 1275 measurements in a grid pattern and using the points for calibration, enormous improvements in accuracy and reductions in crosstalk are realized – typically 5X better! The result: clinicians and researchers can perform better science from better data. In fact, force platforms are the very basis of clinical analysis and research involving gait, balance, sports performance, and biomechanics, so force platform accuracy matters.



**Optimizing Grid Calibration** 

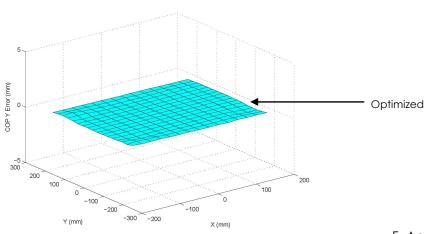
The Golf Dual Plate force platforms are calibrated with 5 separate force values for each of 255 locations across the platform's surface. This automated process applies the forces with a positional accuracy of 0.005mm. Force / moment accuracy, linearity, hysteresis and crosstalk are all measured, and measuring accuracy is verified using NIST-traceable weights with an accuracy of 0.01%.

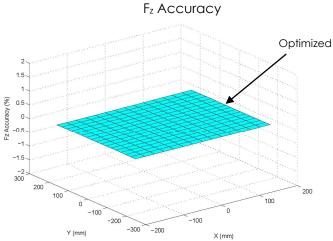


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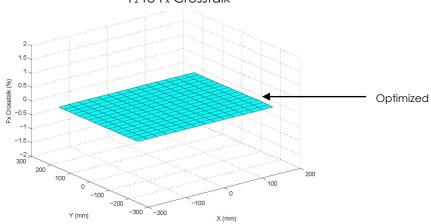
The plots below show measured accuracy and crosstalk after optimization. The optimization process yields a dramatic improvement in performance.

# Center of Pressure Accuracy





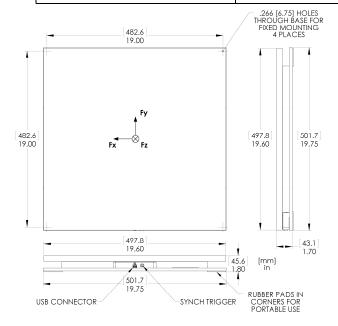






## **SPECIFICATIONS**

F <sub>z</sub> Capacity, lb (N)	250 (1112)
F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub> Capacity, lb (N)	40 (180)
Mz Capacity, in-lb (Nm)	300 (34)
Resultant Moment Capacity- √(Mx2+My2), in-lb (Nm)	1600 (181)
F <sub>z</sub> Natural Frequency	120 Hz
F <sub>x</sub> , F <sub>y</sub> Natural Frequency	100 Hz
Dimensions, in (mm)	1.79 X 19.75 X 19.75 (45.5 X 502 X 502)
Weight, lb (kg)	25 (11.4)
Digital Data Rate	10 – 1000 data sets per second, user selectable
Interface	USB 2.0
Device Synchronization	Automatic; ultra-low jitter
External Sync Signal	Active = low volts, switch to ground
	Inactive = high volts, open circuit with internal pull up resistor.  Protected to $\pm$ 10V. 1K Ohm input resistance.
Digital Data Transmission	32 bit floating point data containing 6 measurement channels, IEEE format
Power Supply	USB-powered, 380mA
Computer Requirements	USB 2.0 port, Windows 7, 1024 Mb RAM, 1.7 GHz
Filters	Fixed 100 Hz 3rd order analog
Software Force Platform Capacity	NetForce <sup>TM</sup> : up to 12 force platforms (USB hubs required)
Сараспу	BioAnalysis™: up to 4 force platforms (USB hub required)
CE Certification	CE Compliant – Medical Grade – Passed AAMI/ES 60601-1, CAN/CSA C22.2 #60601-1, IEC 60601-1, & IEC 60601-1-6



Specifications are subject to change without notice.

