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# OUR BUSINESS ACTIVITIES IN VEHICLE ACOUSTICS

- Public research projects
- Own and preliminary research
- Developments for industry
- Customer-tailored measurements
- Noise reduction and acoustic optimization of prototype and series-production vehicles
- NVH Benchmarking
- Wheel lane, power train, components
- Improvement of communication and safety
- Reduction and conditioning of interior noise and signals
- Electric mobility
- New acoustic parts and measuring methods
- Sound design and psycho-acoustics

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#### **COMPETENCES IN DETAIL**

# **VEHICLE ACOUSTICS**





# FOUR-WHEEL ROLLER TEST BENCH WITH PASS-BY MEASURING HALL

### SEMI-ANECHOIC ROOM

Lower cut-off frequency 40 Hz, room dimensions (W x H x L) 18.9 m x 6 m x 25 m

## SIMULATED PASS-BY

PAK measuring system with 2 x 32 microphones

# ■ REMOVABLE PALLETS

- Closed exterior noise pallet
- Open interior noise pallet with space for pit lift

#### ■ VEHICLE FIXATION

- Hook fixation by chains and rods
- Wheel hub fixation

#### DELIVERY ZONE

- Prototype-compatible HGV unloading place
- Gate to the test bench 3.4 m x 3.4 m

#### FOUR-WHEEL CHASSIS DYNO

- Four individually driven rollers
- Roller diameter: 1.90 m (75")
- Force per roller: 7500 N
- Electrical power: 4 x 300 KW
- Test speed: 0-320 km/h
- Precise synchronization of rollers: deviation max. 0.05 km/h, per axle max. ±1 mm
- Roller width: 550 mm
- Wheel track: 1100 mm
- Vehicle cooling: 20 km/h–100 km/h, test speed controlled, min. 7000 m³/h, max. 42,000 m³/h, incident flow height max. 800 mm
- For vehicles
- up to 4 t total mass
- with maximum axle load of 2 t
- with 2200 mm to 4000 mm wheel base

#### VARYING ROLLER SURFACE COVERINGS

- Safety walk
- Rough-textured asphalt simulation
- Baffle plates: 20, 15 and 7.5 mm

# **EQUIPMENT AND EVALUATION**

Two separate and lockable evaluation and equipment rooms with lifting platform

## **FURTHER TEST FACILITIES**

- Test facility for windows
- Test facility for facades (reverberation room/semi-anechoic room)
- Test facilities for sound insulation (vertical and horizontal)
- Reverberation room: V = 392 m<sup>3</sup>
- Anechoic room: V = 1090 m<sup>3</sup>
- Semi-anechoic rooms
- Test facility for simulated rain shower according to DIN EN ISO 140-18
- Acoustic wind tunnel: volume flow 35 m<sup>3</sup>/s, variable test opening 0.5 m<sup>2</sup>, incident flow up to 200 km/h

# **INSTRUMENTATION**

- PAK measuring system for simulated pass-by
- SQ-Lab / Artemis
- Binaural artificial head measurement technique and analysis
- Laser scanning vibrometer
- Acoustic near-field holography (microphone array)
- Air and structure-borne sound intensity
- Measuring systems for material parameters:
- sound absorption at normal sound incidence (impedance tube)
- flow resistance
- dynamic stiffness
- modal analysis