## Vibratory Sieve Shakers at a Glance



Applications	separation, fractioning, particle size determination					
Feed material	powders, bulk materials, suspensions					
Performance data						
Measuring range*	20 µm–25 mm	20 µm-25 mm	20 µm-25 mm	20 µm-40 mm	25 µm–125 mm	25 µm-125 mm
Max. batch / feed capacity*	3 kg	3 kg	3 kg	6 kg	15 kg	25 kg
Max. number of fractions**	9/17	9/17	11/23	9/17	12/8	13/9 (min. 3)
Max. mass of sieve stack	4 kg	4 kg	6 kg	10 kg	50 kg	50 kg
Adjustment of sieving parameters						
Amplitude	digital 1–100 % (~3 mm)	digital 0.2-3 mm	digital 0.2-3 mm	digital 0.2->2.2 mm	digital 0->2 mm	digital 0.2->2.2 mm
Sieve acceleration***	-	-	1.0->15.1 g	1.0->10.0 g	-	1.0->11.0 g
Time	digital 1–99 min	digital 1–99 min	digital 1-99 min	digital 1-99 min	digital 1–99.9 min	digital 1–99 min
Interval operation	-	10 s (fixed)	1-99 s	1-99 s	10 s (fixed)	10-99 s
Storable Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)	-	-	99	99	1	9
Sieving motion	throwing motion with angular momentum					
Suitable for wet sieving	1	1	1	1	1	1
Serial interface	-	-	1	1	-	1
Including test certificate / calibration possible	-	-	1	1	-	1
Technical data						
Suitable sieve diameters	100 mm – 203 mm			100 mm-315 mm	- 315 mm 400 mm - 450 mm	
Height of sieve stack	up to 510 mm		up to 620 mm	up to 510 mm	up to 830 mm	up to 963 mm
W x H x D	417 x 212 x 384 mm			417 x 222 x 384 mm	680 x 280 x 680 mm	714 x 435 x 658 mm
Net weight	approx. 35 kg			approx. 42 kg	approx. 140 kg	approx. 200 kg
More information on	www.retsch.com/ as200	www.retsch.com/ as200	www.retsch.com/ as200	www.retsch.com/ as300	www.retsch.com/ as450	www.retsch.com/ as450

\*depending on feed material and used sieve set \*\*depending on sieve height and clamping unit \*\*\*(1 g =  $9.81 \text{ m/s}^2$ )

## **Typical Sample Materials**

Vibratory sieve shakers are used for particle size analysis of products such as construction and filling materials, soil, chemicals, sand, coffee, coal, fertilizers, flour, metal powders, minerals, seeds, washing powder, cement clinker and many more.





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# Innovative Technology Sets Standards Worldwide

RETSCH analytical vibratory sieve shakers are used in research & development, quality control of raw materials, semi finished and finished products as well as in production monitoring. The AS 200 series provides a suitable instrument for every requirement and budget. While the AS 300 control is designed for large feed quantities up to 6 kg, the AS 450 control is the ideal sieve shaker for big loads up to 25 kg.

All shakers are suitable for dry and wet sieving. Their patented electromagnetic drive produces a 3-D throwing motion which ensures optimum use of the open sieve area and lets the sample move equally over the whole sieving surface. All electromagnetic sieve shakers feature individual amplitude setting which allows adaptation to the sample characteristics and therefore sharp fractionizing even after very short sieving times. The "control" models can be used as measuring instruments according to DIN EN ISO 9000 ff.

## AS 200 basic – The Budget-Priced Basic Model

The economical alternative of the series with familiar RETSCH quality and reliability. With digital adjustment of power and sieving time.

# AS 200 digit cA – The All-Purpose Standard Model

The AS 200 digit cA is recommended whenever digital time display, interval operation and adjustment along the vibration height are required.



Vibratory Sieve Shaker AS 200 basic with clamping device "economy" and sieve stack

## AS 200 control – Meeting the Highest Standards for Quality Control

The microprocessor-controlled measuring and control unit of this model ensures a constant vibration height, allowing for 100% reproducibility of results even among different AS 200 control shakers. One particular characteristic makes this RETSCH product stand out from others: Instead of the vibration height, it is possible to set the sieve acceleration which is independent of the power frequency. Together with the possibility of calibration, this ensures comparable and reproducible sieving results worldwide. Thus, all requirements for the test materials monitoring according to DIN EN ISO 9000 ff are met.

All sieving parameters – vibration height, time, and interval – are set, displayed and monitored digitally which makes operation of the AS 200 control very convenient and quick. Up to 99 standard operating procedures (SOPs) may be stored for routine analyses.

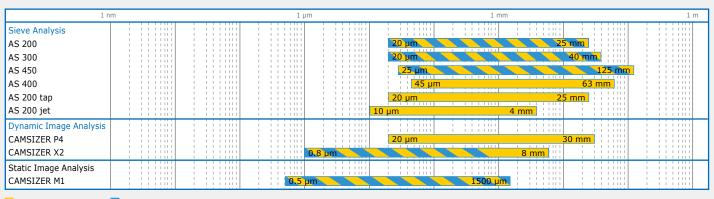
## **Benefits**

- Sieving with 3-D effect
- For sieves up to 203 mm (8") Ø
- Suitable for dry and wet sieving
- Measuring range 20 µm to 25 mm
- Memory for 99 Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)
- Digital setting and control of sieving parameters
- Sieve acceleration independent of power frequency
- Patented electromagnetic drive (EP 0642844)
- Test materials monitoring according to DIN EN ISO 9000 ff

Video on www.retsch.com/as200

Vibratory Sieve Shaker AS 200 control with clamping device "comfort" and sieve stack

Through the integrated interface the instrument can be connected to a PC and controlled with the evaluation software EasySieve<sup>®</sup>. This program enables the user to carry out the whole sieving process and its subsequent documentation with convenience, accuracy and conforming to standards.



### The perfect solution for each measuring range

Dry measurement

Wet measurement





# AS 300 control – Designed for Test Sieves up to 315 mm Ø

The AS 300 model has all the benefits of the AS 200 control but is designed for test sieves with a diameter up to 315 mm, providing a sieve surface which is approximately 2.5 times larger. Therefore, the AS 300 is able to separate up to 6 kg of material in one working run. Repetitive operations are greatly simplified with the possibility to store up to 99 standard operating procedures (SOP). For perfectly reproducible sieving results, the AS 300 control can be programmed with sieve acceleration independent of the power frequency instead of vibration height.

The microprocessor-controlled measuring device monitors and automatically readjusts the vibration height. All sieving parameters are set, displayed and monitored digitally. The AS 300 control can be calibrated, and is thus suitable for test materials monitoring. Like all instruments of the "control" series, the AS 300 has an integrated interface for using the evaluation software EasySieve® to control, set and visualize all parameters, including complete documentation of the sieving process.

### **Benefits**

- Sieving with 3-D effect
- For sieves up to 315 mm Ø
- Suitable for dry and wet sieving
- Measuring range 20 µm to 40 mm
- Memory for 99 Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)
- Digital setting and control of sieving parameters
- Sieve acceleration independent of power frequency
- Reproducible and globally comparable sieving results
- Short sieving times due to large sieve surface and effective movement
- Test materials monitoring according to DIN EN ISO 9000 ff

Video on www.retsch.com/as300



Vibratory Sieve Shaker AS 300 control with clamping device "comfort" and sieve stack The sieve shakers of the AS 450 series are robust floor models with a remote operation panel designed for use with 400/450 mm test sieves. They are suitable for sieving products such as minerals, construction materials, coal or soil.

## AS 450 basic – The Budget-Priced Alternative

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This sieve shaker covers a size range from 25 μm to 125 mm and accepts loads of up to 15 kg. Time and amplitude are digitally set which ensures reproducibility of the sieving process.

The AS 450 basic is suitable for dry and wet sieving. It is the economic solution for users who need to sieve larger quantities of dry material with reliable results.

## AS 450 control – The High-Performance Model with CET Technology

With the Vibratory Sieve Shaker AS 450 control RETSCH have designed their first 3-D shaker for 400 mm and 450 mm sieves. It can be used for dry and wet sieving of sample amounts of up to 25 kg. The AS 450 control combines the benefits of electromagnetic sieving – controlled amplitude with highest reproducibility – with the powerful drive based on CET technology (Continuous Energy Transfer).

Even with high loads a constant vibration height of 2.2 mm and, as a result, high separation efficiency are achieved thanks to the continuous controlled energy input. Manual re-sieving is no longer required.

When it comes to operating comfort, the AS 450 control meets all the requirements of a modern laboratory. All parameters such as amplitude, time and interval are digitally set, displayed and controlled via a remote operation panel. It is possible to store up to 9 standard operating procedures for routine tasks. Like all instruments of the "control" series, the AS 450 comes with a calibration certificate and can be controlled with the evaluation software EasySieve<sup>®</sup>.



Vibratory Sieve Shaker AS 450 control with clamping device "standard" and sieve stack

### Benefits

- Sieving with 3-D effect
- High sieve loads (up to 25 kg)
- Suitable for dry and wet sieving
- Measuring range 25 µm to 125 mm
- Sieve stack up to 963 mm, for sieves up to 450 mm Ø
- Memory for 9 Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs)
- With remote operation panel
- Sieve acceleration independent of power frequency
- Test materials monitoring according to DIN EN ISO 9000 ff



## Accessories and Options

#### A wide selection of accessories and options for sieve shakers completes RETSCH's portfolio for optimum sieve analysis results.

#### • Clamping devices

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With the RETSCH clamping devices the sieves are clamped safely, quickly and conveniently on the sieve shaker. The clamping devices "comfort" are particularly user-friendly and time-efficient. Special versions are available for sieving wet materials. The picture below shows clamping devices of the AS 200 which can also be used with models AS 300 and AS 400.





clamping device "comfort"

clamping device "standard"



clamping device "economy"





universal wet sieve clamping device "comfort"

universal sieve clamping device "standard"



Easily clamped

#### Clamping device "comfort"

A sieve analysis starts as early as loading the sieve shaker and clamping the lid on the sieve stack. Especially when many samples need to be sieved each day, easy and quick handling of the clamping device is a great benefit. RETSCH's clamping device "comfort" was developed with this in mind. Loading the sieves or changing the height of the sieve stack is done easily without the need to loosen screws or take off the clamp. The "comfort" clamping devices are available for all vibratory and horizontal sieve shakers.

#### Test sieves

Standard-compliant and manufactured on the basis of the latest production technology. Standard sieve stacks available.

#### • Accessories for test sieves

Collecting pans, intermediate pans, intermediate rings and sieve lids.

- Accessories for wet sieving Clamping lid with nozzles, collecting pans with outlet, venting rings.
- Software EasySieve® and EasySieve® CFR For control, evaluation and documentation of sieve analyses according to relevant standards.
- Sieving aids

Chain rings, brushes, cubes, balls (e.g. for reducing agglomerations when sieving particles <100 µm and keeping the mesh free).

#### • IQ/OQ Documents

We provide IQ/OQ documentation for the "control" sieve shakers to support IQ/OQ certification by our customers.

#### • Sample dividers

Meaningful results can only be obtained if the sample represents the original material. Sample dividers produce representative part samples, thus ensuring reproducibility of the analysis.

#### • Ultrasonic baths and dryers

Suitable for thorough cleaning of test sieves and for guick, gentle drying of samples and sieves.







