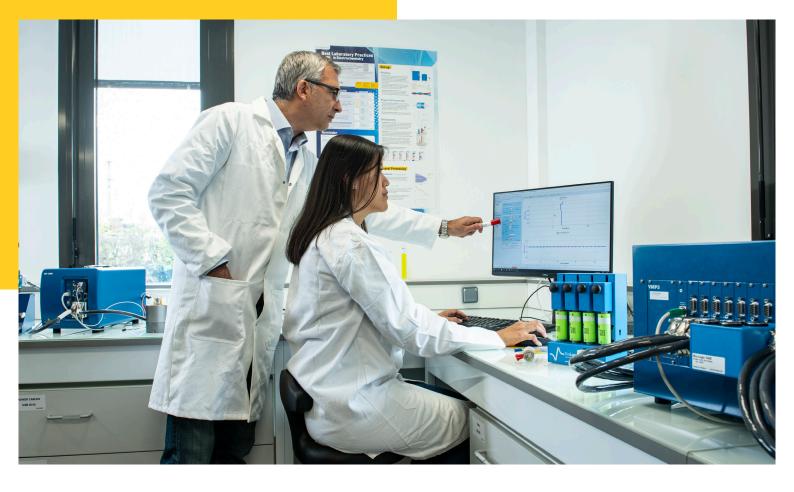


Powerful, high-performance measurement solutions

Essential Potentiostats





Benchmark software. High-performance hardware.

The perfect marriage of performance and control.

Modular, durable, single and multi-channel electrochemical workstations designed to meet both classical and demanding electrochemical research needs, the Essential range features EIS up to 1 MHz, with measureable current from 1 A down to 20 nA, and the possibility of extending up to 800 A with boosters.

No compromise has been made on quality in a range of potentiostats driven by EC-Lab® software, the same control interface that drives BioLogic's Premium instruments.

Advanced functionality such as Ethernet capability will help you manage multiple instruments from one computer as well as facilitate group-working. And **Quality Indicators** make the validation of EIS measurements simple.

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Essential measurement tools

for electrochemists

Specification

Minimum/Maximum Capabilities

Channels: 1 to 16

Standard Voltage: ±10 V

Max Voltage: +60 V

Current: 20 nA to 800 A

EIS: Up to 1 MHz

Multichannel

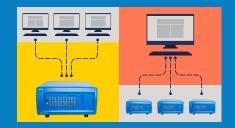


Single channel



Ethernet capability for increased flexibility/improved group working

Share an instrument's channels via multiple PCs, or share multiple instruments from your PC.



The most comprehensive and user-friendly software available

EC-Lab® is widely regarded as the **benchmark control and analysis software** by scientists across the globe. As simple to use as it is powerful, EC-Lab® offers a wide range of unique functionality that can help drive your projects forward.

Preset or bespoke techniques

80+ techniques

Integrated graphics

Customize graphs within EC-Lab®

Experiment sequence builder

Build sequential experiments based on conditional limits

External device control

(multiple devices)

Extensive analysis functionality

Including Z Fit for advanced EIS modeling

No need to plan experiments

Modify measurements "on the fly"

SP-50e: The perfect instrument

for education & general use

Channel capability: 1

Voltage: ±10 V

Current: ± 1 A down to 20 nA



- Highly cost-effective workstation- now with EIS
- Simple, easy-to-use, compact chassis
- Ideal for general use and education perfect for new researchers
- Exploit the power and performance of EC-Lab® with a limited budget

SP-150e: From tens of nA to 800 A The power to do more

- Two channels: perfect for rotating ring disk electrodes (RRDE)
- Highly modular potentiostat. Users can easily add high current boosters (no factory upgrade required)
- Future proof: instrument easily upgraded with EIS and a new channel



Channel capability: 2

Voltage: ±10 V

Adjustable between -20 V to +20 V

Current: ± 1 A down to 20 nA

VSP: A versatile, 5-channel, research-grade, instrument



- · Versatile, modular instrument for general needs
- · Future-proof: instrument can be easily upgraded with EIS, high current options and new channels
- Optional 4 A booster available

VSP-3e: Tailor-made for energy applications

Channel capability: 8

Voltage: ±10 V

Adjustable between -20 $\rm V$ to +20 $\rm V$

Current: ± 1 A down to 20 nA

 Compact, upright design reduces instrument footprint and saves valuable laboratory space

 Future-proof: instrument easily upgraded with EIS, high current options and new channels



VMP-3e: Versatility, power and performance. A do-it-all measurement tool.

Channel capability: 16

Voltage: ±10 V

Adjustable between -20 V to +20 V

Current: ± 1 A down to 20 nA



- Research-grade instrument with 16 channel capability
- Easily upgraded by user: add channel boards or boosters
- Connect each potentiostat to an external high current booster channel perfect for battery research/testing
- Ethernet capability via LAN connect several computers/users to the same unit to facilitate group working

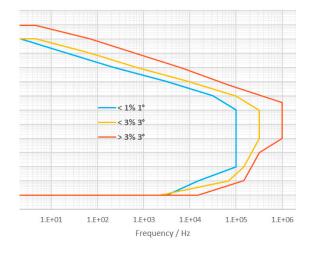
Add-ons: Customize your potentiostat to match your field of interest.

Modules by potentiostat

Options	Specification	Application	SP-50e	SP-150e	VSP	VSP-3e	VMP-3e
High Power booster	 ±3 V at ±80 A 5 V at ±100 A 60 V at 50 A* 12 V at 200 A* 	A Battery, supercapacitor, fuel cell, electroplating & electrolysis, Supercapacitor or fuel cell characterization Battery testing Battery pack characterization Large battery cells, supercapacitors or fuel cell characterization	\otimes	\bigcirc	⊘	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
EIS	Up to 1 MHz	EIS measurements can be made and validated with BioLogic EIS Quality Indicators	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

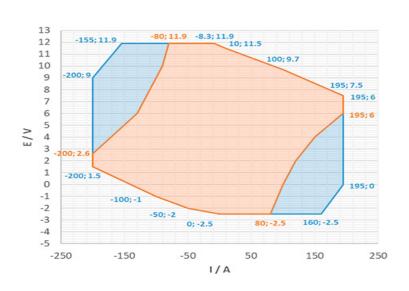
Contour plots.

EIS



VMP3 contour plot (example applicable to rest of Essential Potentiostat range)

High Power



Contour plot demonstrating the high-power operating area of the FlexP boosters

Future-proofed potentiostats
Upgrade your own instrument, quickly, in your lab.
So your potentiostat grows with your needs.

Channel Specifications

Features	Essential Specification				
EIS capability	10 μHz to 1 MHz				
Analog Ramp Generator	N/A				
Floating option	CE to Ground				
Filters	Software				
Acquisition time	20 μs				
Electrode connections	2, 3, 4, 5				
IR compensation	Manual, EIS, current interrupt (software)				
Current					
Maximum current	± 1A for "e-type" boards				
Current range (standard board)	6: 10 μA to 1 A				
Lowest accuracy (standard board)	±20 nA on 10 µA range				
Lowest resolution (standard board)	0.8 nA on 10 μA range				
Current Internal	4 A for VSP only				
booster External	2, 5, 10, 20, 80, 100 A,				
	200 A (FlexP0012), 50A (FlexP0060)				
Input impedance	1 TΩ (//20 pF)				
Voltage					
Compliance	±10 V				
Max applied potential	0-20 V adjustable				
Resolution	5 μV on 200 mV				
Accuracy	< 5 mV on ±2.5 V				
Maximum scan rate	200 V/s				

Only with EC-Lab®

Modify-on-the-fly

No need to plan experiments
– you modify as you go, giving
you increased flexibility, easier
management of long-term
experiments and easier set-ups.

Full Cell Control

Measure (not only control) the voltage between positive and negative electrodes for batteries and fuel cells, just as you do with current.

Temperature Control Server

Manage climatic chambers from EC-Lab®, allowing users to perform automatic cycling with complex temperature profiles.

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Compensate drift during EIS measurements, for example, battery or specimens for corrosion studies.

Booster Specifications

	2/4/5 A	8/10/20 A	80 A/HCP-803	100 A/HCP-1005	FlexP0060	FlexP0012
Current						
Compliance	2 A: ±2 A, 4 A: ±4 A, 5 A: ±5 A	10 A: ±10 A, 20 A: ±20 A	±80 A	±100 A	-50A; +49A	-200A ; +195A
Accuracy	2 A range: < 4 mA 4 A range: < 8 mA 5 A range: < 10 mA			100 A range: < 200 mA	0.1%+/-0.01% FSR	0.2%+/-0.02% FSR
Voltage						
Compliance	Adjustable ±10 V range	Adjustable ±10 V range	±3 V	0.6 - 5 V	0; 60V	-2.5; 11.9V
Control	±20 V	±20 V	±3/5 V	±3/5 V	0; 60V	-2.5; 11.9V
Features						
EIS frequencies		10 A: up to 80 kHz, 20 A: up to 80 kHz	up to 15 kHz,	up to 10 kHz	10 kHz	10 kHz
Floating mode	No	No	No	No	5.6 kOhm	5.6 kOhm
Rise/fall time (potentio, no load)	15 μs	25 to 60 μs	95 μs	1.7 ms	<10 µs	<20 µs
Parallel ability	No	No	No	No	Yes (up to 4 units)	Yes (up to 4 units)
Connection (terminal leads)	2, 3, 4, 5	2, 3, 4, 5	2, 3, 4, 5	2, 3, 4, 5	2 & 4	2 & 4
General						
Safety	Security to open circuit (TTL level)	Security to open circuit (TTL level)	Security to open circuit (TTL level)	Security to open circuit (TTL level) Temperature probe included	Security to open circuit (TTL level) Temperature probe included	Security to open circuit (TTL level) Temperature probe included

Chassis Specifications

Essential	SP-50e	SP-150e	VSP	VSP-3e	VMP3e
Channels available	1	2	5	8	16
Interfaces	Ethernet, USB 2.0	Ethernet, USB 2.0	Ethernet, USB 2.0	Ethernet, USB 2.0	Ethernet, USB 2.0
Dimension HxWxD	209 x 136 x 372 mm	209 x 136 x 372 mm	95 x 435 x 335 mm	405 x 225 x 320 mm	448 x 455 x 280 mm
Weight	3.9 kg	3.9 kg	8 kg	12 kg	15 kg
Power Requirement	110 W	110 W	300 W	1000 W	850 W



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